

THE WEATHER
West Texas: Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy, colder with temperatures 14 to 24 degrees tonight in the north portion.

Ranger Times

DO YOU KNOW
Police spoiled a wedding in Chicago when they arrested the best man on his way with a load of beer. They threw cold water on that party.

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FREE FROM FLAMES IN NICK OF TIME

Santa Claus Will Illuminate the Business Section Here

SATURDAY NIGHT IS OCCASION

Band Concert, Address, Will Precede Santa's Part on Program.

Formal ceremonies which will be viewed by great throngs will mark the formal inauguration of the holiday season here next Saturday night when Santa Claus will wave a magic wand and all the hundreds of colored lights crisscrossing the Ranger business section will flash on.

The tentative program, according to Secretary Wayne C. Hickey of the Chamber of Commerce, includes a brief concert by the Ranger band and an address by Mayor John Thurman who will ask the guest of honor, Santa Claus, to usher in the pre-Christmas season. The jolly old gentleman will then carry out the request.

Big Christmas trees will be at each intersection on Main street and there will be festoons of different colored lights over the streets—and these will all begin to glow and sparkle when Santa Claus commands.

The electrical equipment was purchased by the merchants last year and work of putting the wires and lights in place will begin at once.

3 PERSONS HURT IN A COLLISION

Oklahoma Pioneer May Die; Auto Hits Railroad Motorcar.

DURANT, Okla., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Alexander Guillert, 78, was injured, her husband, Judge Guillert, was critically injured and Alonzo Miller of Tishomingo was seriously injured when their auto struck a railroad motor car near here today.

Judge Guillert, a pioneer in this vicinity, may die, according to hospital attendants. Miller, driver of the car, said he saw the motor car approaching but his brakes failed to hold and in attempting to stop, he skidded the car and hit the railroad broadside. The accident occurred two miles north of here.

Docket Clearance is Urged as New Court Term Opens

In opening a new term of the 91st district court on Monday, Judge Geo. L. Davenport appealed to the lawyers representing clients in his court and to the litigants themselves for their co-operation with the court in getting cases to trial and getting them off the dockets.

"My experience has been that when I arrange and publish assignments of cases, many of the lawyers do not get them; that if they get them they do not read them; and if they read them they do not heed them, therefore I have made no assignment of cases for this term," he said.

The attorneys were requested to confer with the court this morning with a view of getting as many cases as possible set for trial at the earliest possible time.

The appearance docket for the term will be called Tuesday morning.

Cuspidors Beside Statues of Great

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Although it is not on record that General Robert E. Lee, Jefferson Davis, Albert Sidney Johnson, John H. Reagan, James Stephen Hogg and Woodrow Wilson were tobacco chewers, convenient spittoons stand by their bronze figures in the state capitol rotunda.

The janitors have placed none by the marble bust of former Governor Miriam Ferguson which also stands in the capitol lobby. So far the statues have not been observed to expectorate but the spittoons give evidence that others do.

Life for Liquor



Under Michigan's laws, a fourth conviction for felony sentences the offender to life imprisonment. Channie Tripp, above, of Flint, has just been sentenced to life after a fourth conviction for bootlegging.

M'NARY'S BILL COMES UP AGAIN

Equalization Fee in Farm Relief Measure is Omitted This Time.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The old McNary-Haugen farm relief bill with the equalization fee removed and a new provision added was introduced in the senate today by Senator McNary, republican, from Oregon. It provides for creation of a federal farm board with a revolving fund of \$300,000,000 to finance surplus crop disposal and to promote orderly marketing of agricultural products. The board would be authorized to loan money to stabilization corporations made up of co-operative and other farm organizations and to create advisory counsel for each agricultural commodity handled by the corporation.

The corporation, under this plan, would carry any losses in marketing surpluses. Only the expense of running the machinery of the bill would be borne by the federal government. Under the old McNary-Haugen bill, twice vetoed by President Coolidge, the current agency itself would have handled the surplus in times of emergency and where losses were incurred would have levied a fee from the producer to reimburse the national treasury. The new bill is based on the theory that the stabilization corporations themselves can handle any surplus and that no emergency requiring government handling will arise.

KING SIGNS FIRST ORDER

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 4.—King George rallied sufficiently from his critical illness today to preside over a council and to sign an order in council, creating a commission to carry on the royal function while he is incapacitated.

The Central News describes the dramatic event of the morning at Buckingham palace, telling how the council was conducted in the king's bedroom where its members remained about 10 minutes while the king signed the proclamation. The queen although not a council member, was present. It was said to have been the first time a council was ever held in the king's bedroom.

The king turned over his duties to a commission consisting of the queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Archbishop of Canterbury, the lord chancellor and the prime minister.

MAN KILLS UNDERTAKER

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 4.—A mysterious man in gray who last night shot and killed Robert M. Brandon, 41, an undertaker, after a struggle in the latter's auto, was sought by police here today.

NORTHCOTT WRITES A CONFESSION

Admits He Killed One and That Nine Met Death.

RIVERSIDE, Calif., Dec. 4.—Out on the Mojave desert through the night and early today, Gordon Stewart Northcott, led Riverside and Los Angeles county officers on a search for remains of his asserted "murder farm" activities.

Nine young boys were slain on the chicken farm in Riverside county, Northcott stated. Of that number he personally did away with five, he said. He admitted slaying one in his written confession made last night.

"Three other killings," Assistant District Attorney Redwine said Northcott remarked, in making his confession, "well, let the others make their own admissions."

Shortly after 8 o'clock last night Northcott was taken from the Riverside county jail and into the desert near Victorville. He promised deputy sheriffs he would show them the spot where he buried the head of the Mexican youth he killed and where the body of a boy was interred.

BY THE WAY

Numerous readers suggest this or that as a topic for comment in this column. We appreciate their interest. Especially do we acknowledge the exceptional volume of praise received following yesterday's double-barreled broadside. The fans of this territory feel that a great injustice has been done to Ranger—and a wrong to one team is a wrong to the great sport itself. The fans are interested in learning the facts and in ascertaining just where the responsibility lies. It shall be our purpose to shed light on this topic. Yesterday was the first chapter. Today is another.

Ever since the Cisco-Abilene game, folks have been asking, "Why doesn't By-the-Way have something to say about the Ranger band being charged admission to the game?" We strive to please, so just send in your request numbers and we shall be glad to broadcast your favorite selection.

Ranger has always extended a welcome to bands at the games. When Eastland, Ranger played a year ago, seven bands were present. It was a magnificent spectacle. Bright uniforms in seven clusters of color—first one band and then another in a different part of the stadium breaking forth in melody before the game began. It was inspiring and soul-stirring. Furthermore, the people of Ranger and Eastland felt it an honor that all these bands were paying this courtesy of coming to their game and playing for the occasion. All the bands were gladly admitted without charge. The bands added to the enthusiasm that marked the event.

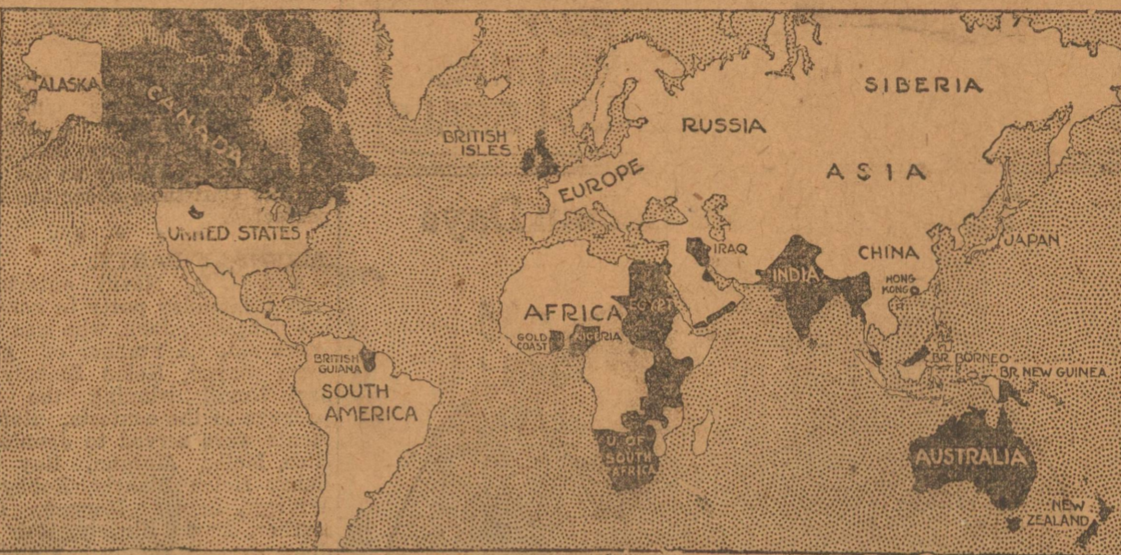
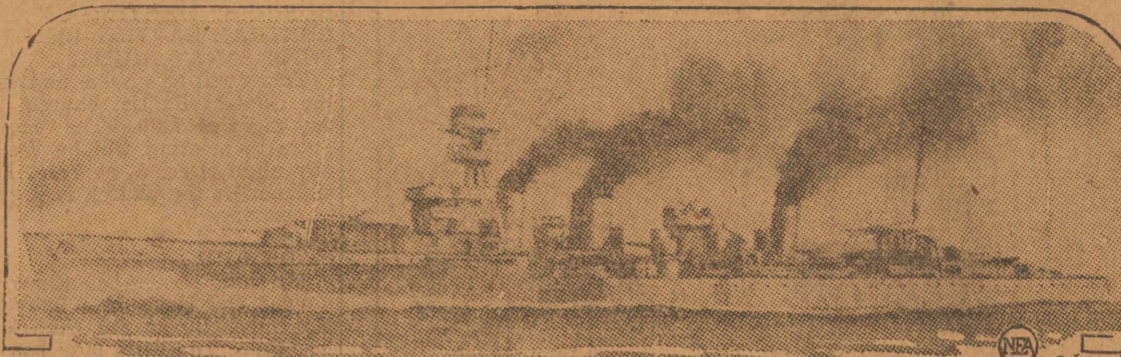
It's a far cry from the open-handed generosity that was once associated with the big-hearted pioneers of the West and the boundless hospitality of the gallant sons of the Old South, to these latter-days in some places however where the go-getter spirit—the mottoes of "Grab the cash," "Get while the getting is good," and "Soak the other fellow," seem to be the watchwords.

The Ranger band, thinking that the latching would hang on the outside for them just the same as it does for bands that visit Ranger, went over to a neighboring city on Thanksgiving to make music for the clash between two West Texas neighbors. But when they got there, they were confronted by the demand for cold cash. Sentiment cannot be deposited at the bank; and the battery that day was, in the words of old Omar,

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AIDS LEGION PROGRAM WENATCHEE, Wash.—As an activity for the coming year Wenatchee Voiture No. 90, Forty and Eight, will aid the American Legion in its plans to identify Wenatchee for air travel. The name of the town will be painted on the roofs of some large buildings.

Wales' Empire—And Ship Bringing Him Home



At the top is the speedy British cruiser Enterprise, picked because of its great speed, for the Prince of Wales' homeward trip from Africa. Below is a map showing the tremendous extent of the Empire, the black-shaded portions representing British dominions, colonies and possessions. The Empire's area—13,406,103 square miles—is about one-fourth of the total habitable area of the globe, while its population of 463,000,000 is more than a fourth of the world's total population.

Lifts Blame From Vestris' Skipper



The stigma that had been attached to the name of Captain William J. Carey of the ill-fated Vestris began to lift during the federal investigation of the disaster. For Second Mate Leslie Watson, shown here on the witness stand in New York after his release from a hospital, testified that Carey had been deceived as to the ship's true condition by "reassuring messages" sent from the engine room.

Trash Burning in Containers Urged

Several alarms are being turned in each day, says Chief Murphy for grass fires, which usually originated from burning trash. He urges people to burn trash in containers and thereby avoid grass fires. Every time the department makes a run, there is an approximate cost of \$10 for wear and tear on the equipment, he estimates.

'40 and 8' Holds An Election Here

Officers were elected by the "40 & 8" last night as follows: F. P. Brashier, chief de gare; D. W. Johnson, chef de train; W. C. Hickey, commissaire intendant; L. B. Herring, correspondent locale; Dr. C. C. Craig, conducteur; Dick Elliott, gardo de la porte; C. M. Townsley, lampiste; Julius Krause, commissaire voyageur. B. H. Murphy and Harry Henry were elected to membership and will be initiated at the next promenade.

FINDING METHODS TO SUBDUCE CRIME WAVE IMPELLED IN CHARGE

Crime Among Younger Generation Must Be Stopped. Members of 91st District Court Grand Jury.

The crime wave over the country, especially that being engaged in by the youth of the land, has reached alarming proportions, Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st district court, told his grand jury in impaneling that body at the opening of the new term of his court Monday morning. "The problem confronting you and other law enforcement agencies is to find a method for suppression of crime, especially among the younger generation," Judge Davenport told grand jury.

In his discussion of the younger generation's participation in crime Judge Davenport did not blame the young folks altogether, but said that in his opinion the cause lay largely with the parents, whom, he said, allowed their children far too many liberties.

"Given liberties, the young boys and girls act thoughtlessly and do things that get them into trouble," he said.

EXPERT WILL ATTEND SHOW

A poultry authority will attend the Oil Belt Poultry show in Ranger on one of the three days that the exhibit is held, it was announced today by Wayne C. Hickey, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

R. C. Dunn of the veterinary department of A. & M. college, will be in Ranger on Friday, Dec. 14. That morning, he will visit some of the principal poultry farms of the section, giving practical demonstrations and in the afternoon he will conduct a clinic at the poultry show. He will speak at 1:30. Mr. Dunn is an expert on poultry diseases.

GATHERS LARGE PEARS.

TYLER, Texas, Dec. 4.—That large and excellent pears can be grown in a Tyler yard has been demonstrated this fall by Mrs. Louis Marmar, who reports that she has gathered 40 pears off one tree, each weighing one and one-half pounds. Mrs. Marmar states that more pears would have been produced on this one tree had not a number blighted and had to be pulled off. Year before last she gathered six bushels of the same variety, La Conte, from one tree. Mrs. Marmar is also a grower of flowers, having her front and back yards full of chrysanthemums of many colors.

GORMAN IS WINNER OF 'B' TITLE

Panthers Bring a District Championship to Eastland County.

Eastland county has won a district championship. They ruled Ranger out and, although they ruled Cisco in, it didn't do much good, and Eastland with a young, light and inexperienced team—didn't win many games on the football field and didn't try to win any in the district courtroom, so the oil belt title went elsewhere.

But the Gorman Panthers saved the day for the prestige of Eastland county. The lads in the southeastern corner of the county are the champions of district No. 10, class B.

They played eight games, winning six, tying one—which was awarded to them because they crossed the 20-yard line oftener—and losing one. The team that defeated the Panthers lost two games and that gave them a lower percentage than Gorman. Albany would have won the title but was ruled out for ineligibility.

So this bright December day finds an Eastland county team as winners of a championship. The world loves a champion, whether he be the lightweight, the middleweight or the heavyweight, just so he is the best in his class.

Gorman has a strong team, as victories over Stephenville, Comanche, Strawn, Rising Star, Desdemona and Hamilton demonstrated. Two seasons ago the Stephenville Yellow Jackets were in class A and defeated Ranger, who won the West Texas championship that year. Comanche always produces a good team and only a few seasons back, the Indians laid claim to the state championship, irrespective of the size of schools. Rising Star a couple of years ago, gave Ranger an awful battle and defeated Eastland. Strawn won a class B district championship in a neighboring district last year. DeLeon, who was tied and was outplayed, won the title in '27 and '26. All of which goes to show that Gorman had a rocky road to travel in getting past such fast elevens.

The Panthers' only loss was to Dublin, who went down to defeat twice.

Winters and Gorman will play this week for the bi-district championship and the game will create much interest.

Although Gorman always has a good team, this is the first season the Panthers have ever won the district title.

Jim Hudson, fullback, is a lad who could win a place on any team. He is a rugged line plunger and goes off tackle with power. Gant, quarterback, can toss passes and he is an excellent punter. Scott, center, is captain. Coker is regarded as the outstanding tackle of class B circles and "Foghorn" Bannett and Paul Jones are about the class of the wingmen.

Burglars Fail In Attempt To Open Bohning's Safe

Burglars Saturday night entered the Bohning Motor Company building on East Main street and after an unsuccessful attempt to break into the office safe, took a half-dozen tires and some tools from the repair shop.

Entrance to the building was gained by breaking the chain that fasten the rear doors and breaking the lock of the door. The knob was knocked off the safe.

Officers investigating the burglary have no clues.

COLD WAVE FOR TEXAS

A severe cold wave is due to hit Texas tonight, according to weather bureau information. Owners of automobiles are warned against the danger of freezing, as are stockmen and poultry raisers over the state.

LEON BUILDING PLANNED VALDOSTA, Ga.—The city has given the Valdosta Post of the American Legion permission to erect the proposed Legion Memorial building on a site in Brookwood park, facing Williams street, which is to be officially known as Memorial Drive.

HOME AND CONTENTS DESTROYED

Early Morning Fire Not Discovered Until House Doomed.

Roused from slumber to find their home in flames, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fife and their little baby barely had time to escape early this morning. Only a few personal belongings that could be instantly seized were saved.

The house was in the 700 block on Young street. The fire department responded to the alarm at 2:10 a. m. When the firefighters arrived, the fire had reached such proportions that the house was doomed.

Loss was partly covered by insurance. The family were awakened by neighbors who discovered the fire and hastened to the blazing dwelling. The neighbors pounded on the door and awakened the sleeping household, according to members of the fire department.

REJECTED, MAN KILLS DIVORCEE

Tries to End Own Life; Woman's Little Son a Witness.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 3.—Bobby Blakely, 7, watched Charles Slick, 32, shoot his mother, Mrs. Marie Blakely, 28, and then the boy sent a patrolman to the room where Slick had attempted suicide today.

Through all the excitement, Bobby was the only one who remained calm and the lad showed more resentment than that had once slumped him than that the man, infuriated because Mrs. Blakely, a divorcee, had denied his proposal of marriage, had shot his mother.

Slick shot himself through the head and is not expected to live. Since her divorce last August, Mrs. Blakely and Bobby had lived in an apartment on the third floor of a building but fearing that Slick would try to force his unwelcome attentions on her last night, Mrs. Blakely spent the night in the apartment of Mrs. Rex Johnson.

When Slick appeared today, Bobby refused to tell where his mother was. He found her in the Johnson apartment, however, and in the presence of two other women, shot her twice in the back, then followed her down the hall, shooting her in the head and killing her.

Bobby was the only one to remember where Slick went when the patrolman arrived and they found him in a room lying on the floor with a bullet through his head.

KING SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Developments today gave hope that King George had passed two crises in his illness. Lord Dawson of Penn, physician in ordinary, was sufficiently reassured that he retired at 1 a. m. instead of keeping vigil at the king's bedside.

The band of Welsh guards blared at guard mount instead of keeping silent for fear of disturbing the king. The crowd of 1,000 at the gates of Buckingham palace was noticeably less tense. The official bulletin issued at 11 a. m. contained a decided note of optimism.

Only one note of pessimism could be detected in the official bulletin. That was another reference to continued anxiety concerning the condition of the king's heart. The bulletin said: "The king passed a quieter night although anxiety concerning his heart was continued. The improvement noted last evening is being maintained satisfactorily."

TOWN PROGRESSING. HEDLEY, Texas, Dec. 4.—A chamber of commerce was organized here last week.

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"TELLING IT LIKE IT HAPPENED." Frank B. Noyes, Washington newspaper publisher, in a recent address pointed out the difficulties of describing events with complete accuracy.

"I have found many times—as have you—that incidents of which I have had personal knowledge had not been accurately reported. Now consider this: that in the first place very often the reporter was not personally present to note what happened and must get his information from others and, secondly, that notoriously the accounts of several eyewitnesses of the same fact or set of circumstances will be absolutely contradictory.

"One of the leading physicians of this country recently related to me an interesting story of this sort of thing. "He said that he was present at a dinner of a small dining club, the members of which were each distinguished in his own individual profession. The party consisted of lawyers, physicians, clergymen, authors, scholars and business men of large experience. Just before they sat down to dinner two of the most staid and eminent of the party, who had been earnestly talking together for some minutes, broke into a violent controversy which almost immediately became a brawl, with all the others trying to separate them.

"The climax of this astounding performance came when one of the antagonists suddenly clapped his hands together and stated that the scene had been prearranged to settle an argument on the credibility of witnesses, and asked that each person present should write an account of the fracas as he saw it.

"My friend said that the various accounts of these men, of able, trained minds, were so discordant, so divergent as to be ludicrous.

"Again, recently, an exceptionally good lawyer, with whom I am intimately acquainted and on whose powers of accurate observation I had every confidence, asserted that the automobile that he was driving had been struck on the right side by another car and was reluctant to admit his error even when he saw the left side of his car looking like a battering ram had struck it."

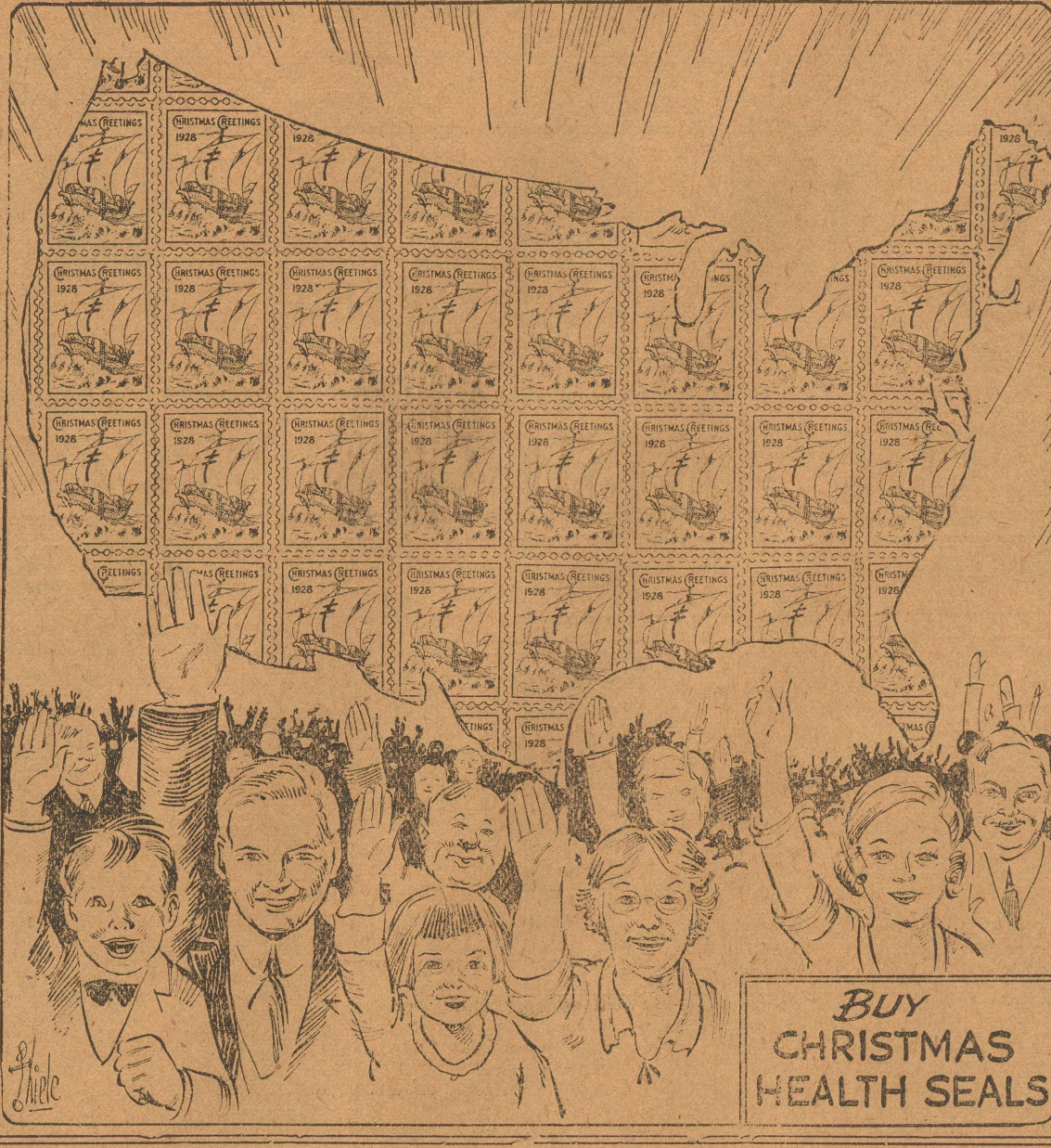
THREE NAMED AS DIRECTORS

Three new members of the board of directors of the Times Publishing company have been elected. The number of places on the board has been increased from seven to nine and the new members are W. D. Conway of Ranger, Joseph M. Weaver of Eastland and Earl Conner of Eastland. Mr. Conway succeeds the late J. L. Thompson.

The three members are among the chief citizens of West Texas. Mr. Conway is one of the most successful oil operators in this entire section. Mr. Weaver is president of the States Oil Corporation and is the owner of the Bell-Hurst Farms, the county's most famous poultry farm. Judge Conner is one of the outstanding members of the bar of West Texas.

LEGION EMPLOYMENT AGENCY Special to The Times. SANTA ANA, Cal.—Good results are being obtained by the employment agency opened here recently by the Santa Ana post of the American Legion. Jobs were obtained for seven former service men in the first two days it was in operation.

Let's Make It 100 Per Cent!



Finding Methods to Subdue Crime Wave

(Continued From Page One) court in charging the grand jury to find the entire penal code of the state to the jury, but I shall not do that. I know you're intelligent and know what the laws are, and you should be more concerned in finding methods to suppress crime than in being told what are law violations" the court said.

In his charge given orally to the grand jury Judge Davenport especially mentioned bribery, illegal voting, violation of Sunday laws, disturbing religious worship, perjury, unlawful carrying of firearms, unlawful marriages, seduction, wife and child desertion, liquor law violations, the law on weights and measures, murder, burglary, robbery, theft, embezzlement, swindling and robbery with firearms as being the character of law violation most prevalent over the country at this time.

The laws pertaining to weights and measures, the court told the grand jury, were very important and said the courts were required to read that statute to each grand jury impaneled.

While no reports of murder had been given to the court, Judge Davenport said that before the holidays are over the grand jury, if the records for such crimes were kept up, would have a case of murder to investigate.

Following is the personnel of the grand jury impaneled: Theodore Ferguson, foreman, Eastland; K. H. Pittard, Cisco; E. J. Roe, Cisco; D. D. Lewis, Cisco; B. H. Peacock, Ranger; Joe Dennis, Banger; L. Y. Morris, Eastland; W. H. Madden, Eastland; Walter Duncan, Staff; J. R. Snoddy, Scranton; Will Williams, Jewell; Bruce Eberhart, Romney.

State's General Fund is 'in Red'

By United Press. AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Texas, whose coffers were overflowing with millions a few months ago, now is "in the red."

State Treasurer Hatcher reports for the month ending Nov. 30 show \$1,062,630 in the general fund, outstanding warrants for \$1,182,039 or a deficit of over \$100,000.

Although there will be little income for the state until the new tax money comes, Hatcher issued a warning to employees and others not to discount their warrants as he predicts the state will not be allowed to go on a deficiency basis. Hereafter, the situation has been met by the banks advancing money to pay warrants as presented. Hatcher expressed confidence that this will be done again.

While the general fund is exhausted, many special funds have large balances. The highway department has nearly \$8,000,000 and there is a balance in all funds of \$9,450,000. The confederate pension fund is the only one that has been overdrawn.

The 5:15 of Ante-Bellum Days



Arriving late in 1825 was no handicap, for the one-lunger shown above was ample excess. This model is an exact duplicate of the John Stevens locomotive of 1825-26, first successful engine to operate in this country, and was used the other day at the inauguration of Dr. Harvey N. Davis, new prexy at Stevens Institute of Technology at Hoboken, N. J. Miss Emily Lewis Stevens of Montclair, N. J., and John Stevens VII, descendants of the pioneer locomotive builder, are shown at the ceremony.

Here's True Tale Of Ocean Treasure

Probably the most unfortunate millionaire in the world is the Duke of Argyll, Scotland, who owns a fortune of \$10,000,000 which he has never seen. No one else has seen it either for 340 years, for it lies at the bottom of the sea.

The great treasure was carried on the Florencia, a galleon of the Spanish armada, which sank off the Scotch coast in 1588 while fleeing the British. The salvage rights were awarded to the then Duke of Argyll and have passed down through the family. But, while divers have made many attempts to recover the treasure, the only result has been the finding of one piece of the Florencia's armament. The hulk itself has never been located.

Another fortune of \$5,000,000 lies in the Lutina, a British frigate sunk off Holland in 1799. Rights to it belong to the Lloyd's agency, which paid the insurance, but only a fraction of the treasure has been salvaged.

The richest recovery ever made from the sea was that of \$25,000,000 which was carried by the liner Laurentic, sunk by a submarine off Ireland in 1917 in 120 feet of water. The entire fortune, which was intended to pay for American munitions, was salvaged soon after the war.

FLAG IS GIVEN JUDGE Special to The Times. CHICAGO, Ill.—In commemoration of the loss of his two sons who died as the result of wounds they received in the air service during the World War, Judge Thomas Taylor of the Appellate court was recently presented with a silk American flag by members of Harold A. Taylor post No. 47, The American Legion.

WRITER WILL LECTURE. FORT WORTH, Dec. 3.—Lowell Thomas, noted American newspaperman, was correspondent, adventurer, author and explorer, will lecture at Texas Christian university here on the evening of Dec. 14, on the subject, "With Lawrence in Arabia."

Society and Club News

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WEDNESDAY. Young Matrons Bridge club, 2:30, Mrs. A. B. Conway, 424 Pine street.

Ivy Leaf Study club, 2 o'clock, Mrs. Alex Koha, Dadeville Blvd. EUZELIAN CLASS TO HAVE BUSINESS MEETING. The Euzelian class of the Central Baptist church will have a business meeting Thursday afternoon in the class rooms. All members are urged to be there.

ATTENTION MEMBERS OF WOODMAN CIRCLE. Members of the Woodman circle who desire to go to Mineral Wells Dec. 10 are requested to be at the Meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, so that a definite time may be arranged for leaving.

BUSINESS MEETING OF CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH WEDNESDAY NIGHT. There will be prayer meeting at the Central Baptist church Tuesday night at 7:30. The monthly business meeting will be Wednesday night, Dec. 5, at 7:30. Every member of the church is urged to be present.

BABY GIRL. Mr. and Mrs. Abe Shaw announce the birth of a baby girl November 29 at the City-County hospital. The little lady has been named Mary Helen. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

CHILD WELFARE TO PLAN CHRISTMAS CHEER. The Child Welfare club will meet Saturday at 1 o'clock at Acorn Acres. Every member is requested to be there as the plans for the Christmas cheer are to be perfected.

BIRTHDAY PARTY. Mrs. G. D. Nevill entertained with a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Jack, who was eight years old. A number of games were played, Helen Blakely and Jack Nevill winning the prize package in the contests. Refreshments were served to Jennie Lee Rice, Melba Morgan, Ray Williams, Helen Blakely, Bobby McWhirter, Louise Morgan, Hazel Barker, David Blakely, Bob and John Driskill, Sonny boy and Ted Nevill and the little hostess, Jack.

PERSONALS. Dick Barkley, Jr., left Friday for Fort Worth where he will attend the aeronautical school. Mrs. Lewis Fleck has returned from a visit of several weeks with relatives in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Murphy are attending the hotel men's convention in Abilene this week. Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Loyd and daughter, Joan of Plainview have returned home after a weekend visit with Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Harkrider, 453 Main street.

FAIRY DUNNING CLUB ENTERTAINED. The little Fairy Dunning club recently organized by Mrs. M. R. Newnham for the benefit of her primary pupils was entertained last Saturday afternoon by Janie Daugherty in the Tidal Oil camp. It has been arranged that the pupil making the highest practice grade of the month has the honor of entertaining the club. Doris Rice made the second highest average, and was honor guest at the party. Cecilia McDowell made the highest grade on the report card, and has the pleasure of wearing a Dunning pin for a period of two months.

A piano solo was given by each of the pupils. Katherine and Maxine Wheatley gave a duet. Mrs. Newnham also favored the guests with several selections. The patrons enjoyed the efforts that Mrs. Newnham has shown in making this club a success. Refreshments planned and served by the

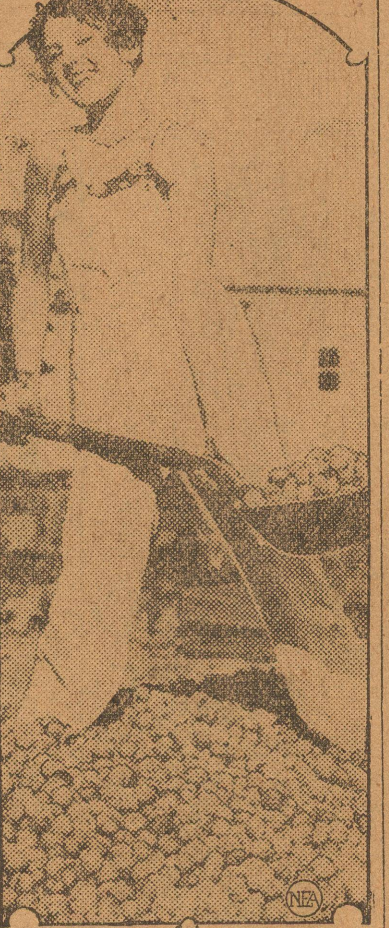
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Tons of Nuts



Celebrating a \$10,000,000 crop, Southern California walnut growers picked Miss Carolyn Webb of Girard, Calif., as their walnut queen in the fiesta. Miss Webb is helping shovel together part of the 35,000 tons of nuts which are being rushed to all parts of the country for the holidays.

little hostess consisted of sandwiches, chicken salad, angel food cake and cocoa. Those present were Doris Rice, Cecilia McDowell, Katherine and Maxine Wheatley, Mavis Murray, Nona Faye Ervin, Morris Newnham and the mothers of the children.

Letters to Santa

Dear Santa Claus: I want you to come to see me Christmas for I have been a pretty good girl all of the year. I want you to bring me a telephone, a doll bed, some dishes, a pair of gloves, some furniture for my paper dolls and any other nice things you want me to have. Your little friend, Margaret, Faye Leonard.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little boy 8 years old. I have a brother that is 6 years old now. Santa, will you please bring us a French harp a-piece, some gun caps. We have some guns, and please bring us some fruits, candy and nuts. Now Santa please don't forget us. We live in Glenn addition, R. B. and Peepise Prock.

Dear Old Santa: My name is Willie Anderson. I want a wagon, airplane and a stopper gun, some candy, apples, oranges and nuts. I am 8 years old.

Dear Old Santa Claus: My name is Opal Anderson. I am 5 years old. I want a bicycle, a doll that will open and shut its eyes, some candy, apples, nuts, oranges and would like to have some clothes.

Dear Old Santa: I am a little boy 4 years old and have tried to be a good boy this year. I want a little tricycle, a pogram, a top, a horn and a little tractor. Don't forget the candies, fruits and nuts. Your little pal, Bobbie Joe Cox.



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Dear Santa Claus: My name is Mary Bell Donley. I am 8 years old and I am in the high second. I have been a pretty good girl I think and if you will bring me a bicycle and a doll by the name of Bubbles and sister a cedar chest, and a brother a pool table, and mother a diamond ring and daddy a new Coxwell chair so he can rest comfortable I shall think you are a good Santa Claus. Your little friend, Mary Bell.



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SPORTSMATTER

BY FRANK GETTY
United Press Sports Writer

"Sunny Jim" Bottomley of St. Louis Cardinals has been chosen as the most valuable player to his club in the National League.

The election, held by a committee of baseball writers, was close, the big first baseman winning over Freddie Lindstrom of the New York Giants by six votes out of a possible 80. Bottomley received 76 votes, Lindstrom 70.

Considering the 1928 season as a whole, there can be no dispute with the committee's choice. Towards the close of the National League race, when the going was hottest, Bottomley slumped and Lindstrom played his best.

Bottomley tied Hack Wilson of the Chicago Cubs for home run honors, with a total of 31 for the season.

The entire ballot contained the following names and votes: Bottomley 76, Lindstrom 70, Grimes 53, Benton 37, Critz 37, Traynor 28, L. Wilson 21, Hogan 17, Jackson 16, Maranville 14, Vance 13, Hafee 11, Hornsby 10, Hartnett 6, P. Waver 6, Richbourg 5, Douthett 5, Bissonette 3, Flowers 3, J. Wilson 3, Whitney 2, Ford 2, Thompson 1.

Honorable mention was accorded Frisch, Sisler, Stephenson, Heathcote, Bancroft, Haines, Reese, McGuire, Walker, Welsh, Petty, High, Alexander and Sherdell. Bottomley was born in Orlesby, Illinois, 28 years ago and came directly from the sand-lots of that community to the St. Louis Cardinals in 1920. He was "armed out" for the better part of two seasons, finally replacing old Jacques Fournier as first baseman of the Cards late in the season of 1922.

He quickly made a name for himself as a slugger and as a great fielding first baseman. In 1925, he hit .367, and the only time during his big league career when he has slumped below the .300 mark was in 1926, when his batting average was .299.

Ancient Letter In University Archives

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 3 — Recent acquisitions in the archives at the University of Texas include the original of a letter written by R. J. Calder, colonel commanding the Sixth Regiment of the Texas Militia during the Texas Revolution, to a subordinate ordering a review of his men.

The letter is dated July 23, 1843, and was sent from Brazoria, headquarters of the Sixth Regiment. It was addressed to Capt. W. Leonard, commanding Company A, First Battalion, Sixth Regiment, First Brigade, T. M.

"Sir, You will assemble for inspection in the town of Brazoria on the 10th day of August next. One third of your Company — to be taken from the first and second Classes — those who performed a tour of duty in 1839. Excepted — the men will parade with the arms and equipment required by law. You will be careful to have each man notified of this Order in writing."

"You will also Order the officers of your Company to attend at this place the same time, armed and equipped as the Law directs for three days Drill of Instruction."

EARTHQUAKE KILLS MANY

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 2 — A disastrous earthquake occurred in Chile early today. The newspapers at 6 p. m. estimated the total dead at 287 including 100 in the town of Talta. The estimate was based on unofficial and unconfirmed advice, due to the chaotic state of communication.

LEVELLAND — \$50,000 new Wallace Theatre formally opened to public.

VICTORIA — Highway No. 12 between here and El Campo completed.

STRATFORD — Construction started on two new brick and tile store buildings on Davis street.

STATE NEWS

SNYDER — Building permits from Snyder have already exceeded the \$300,000.00 mark up to November 15. The City Council is planning the installation of a new \$18,000 sewage disposal plant to be erected within the next 30 days.

ABILENE — An athletic stadium is soon to be built for the Abilene public schools. The school athletic council already has \$13,000 out on interest to be used in building the plant and this sum will be increased.

PLAINVIEW — Plainview is to have an over pass 600 feet long way 28. It will be made of steel over the Santa Fe tracks on High and concrete. Plans are practically complete for the grading and drainage structure on the highway.

DALHART — Concrete is being poured for the fourth and last story of the new \$80,000 hospital at Dalhart. B. C. Frohman, general contractor in charge of the work, expects to finish by April. This will give Dalhart one of the most complete hospitals in this part of the state.

TULIA — The first baby beef show conducted in Swisher county will be held in Tulia February 2, 1929. C. B. Martin, county agent, now has 34 baby beeves on balanced rations in boys clubs, one of which won \$544.84 in prizes recently.

ARLINGTON — Arlington's new city hall will soon be finished. Brick is being laid on the top story, and plumbers are at work in the basement. White face brick is being used in the exterior work of the building, and this will make it one of the most attractive in town.

DEL RIO — Del Rio recently celebrated the big event of the season there when the new Roswell hotel was formally opened with the Hawaiian Welcome Ceremony. F. L. Clids, general manager, sponsored this unique entertainment.

GOREE — Plans are being made in Gorie to install a sewerage system. If present indications mature, work will start on the system about the first of the year and it will be ready for use the earlier part of the spring.

PADUCAH — Paducah is constructing an ornamental white way along the streets of the business section. It will have 34 standards mounted on the side walks with wiring underground when completed, and will replace the old system of 17 standards located in the center of the street.

MERKEL — The Central Texas District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is to be held in Merkel on December 6, 1928, and the only time during his big league career when he has slumped below the .300 mark was in 1926, when his batting average was .299.

WINTERS — Work will start on the building of a diversion dam on Bluff Creek near Winters soon, since the carrying of a city bond election of \$72,656.65, for the purpose, by a vote of 84 for and 53 against. Winters has recently bought a new fire truck erected a new water reservoir and completed some paving.

Soldier Found Dead — SANTA ANTONIO, Dec. 1 — Staff Sgt. Franklin Deal Jr., 11th school group headquarters, was found dead in his quarters in Brooks field today from the effects of a gunshot wound, according to an announcement from field authorities late today. Officials refused to discuss the case until completion of thorough investigation as required by army regulations. Sergt. Deal lived at Camden, N. J.

Fortunes and Conscience. A clear conscience is a greater comfort and worth more than a great fortune gathered by dishonest means. — The American Magazine.

Admitting Too Much. A lot of clubs continue, thinks a self-styled over-organized woman, writing in the Woman's Home Companion, because folks think it would be a confession of weakness to give them up.

For Fat People. What we need, says a gentleman from the farm section in Farm and Fireside, is more wholesome respect and admiration for fat people.

The One Season. At Christmas, thinks a philosopher in The American Magazine, we are especially likely to be similar at least in spirit, and at no other season of the year is there so much awareness of our universal brotherhood.

The Christmas Slogan. The Christmas slogan with the greatest kick in it has always been "surprise! surprise!" — Woman's Home Companion.

The Great Trouble. "The great trouble with farm and over-burdened husbands," thinks Abe Martin in Farm and Fireside, "is that they love their wives."

AEVIN — \$60,000 new sewer system completed here.



Washington Letter

WASHINGTON — Ten million years from now, when most of us will be dead, our descendants will still look just about as we do. But Chinese will think and act like Americans. Hotentots will vibrate mentally with Scandinavians and Igorites will react similarly to Tasmanians — if, indeed, they don't also all look alike as so many beans in a window-guessing contest.

That is one of the lessons which the fossils in the rocks are trying to teach to man. But not by any means the most important. In the opinion of Stuart Weller, president of the Paleontological Society, who knows how to interpret the messages from the fossil world. Whatever Weller says may be regarded as authoritative, for the Smithsonian Institution has thought well enough of one of his papers to reprint it in the institution's annual report. Paleontology and Human Relations was its title.

Weller believes that students of human society can learn from the dead, fossil organisms of the past, and that such study can help guide the social evolution of the present generation of men. "All the prehuman inhabitants of the earth," says he, "have been subject to the same laws of evolution, in all its aspects, that are directing the life of the present."

In all probability, he asserts, man will undergo little or no essential morphological change for centuries to come. Perhaps disease may lose him certain minor parts, but in 10,000,000 A. D. he presumably will be essentially "what he is today as regards his physical form and organization." Because, says the eminent paleontologist, man has become master of his environment. He is able to adapt himself individually to almost every condition on land and in

sea and air. Nevertheless, Weller says, his social organization is far from complete; warfare and strife are common. Geologically speaking, man is an infant; we look forward to thousands of generations under the laws of evolution. NOW look to the rocks — "the paleontological record" is a vast sociological record. Parallels between ancient and extinct fauna and our own social history are many. Some groups of fossil fauna, isolated from contemporary groups, are recognized as provinces of certain groups of human beings have been isolated and held back by the same cause — lack of intercommunication. Lacking contacts they have developed differently and come to exhibit conspicuous differences.

When environmental conditions were more or less uniform over the earth and means of intercommunication between those "ancient and modern" groups were comparatively free and open, tendency toward widespread somewhat uniform faunal assemblages developed, though the stage was never set for a world-wide cosmopolitan fauna.

During the upper Miocene time so many species of mammals in Europe and North America resembled each other as to prove that there must have been intercommunication and migration over some bridge of land. The same thing went for plants in the Carboniferous period. Strange and unmodified animals exist in Australia because of that continent's isolation. But Weller holds that passage of ancient fauna from one sphere to another closely resembles discovery of the American continents by European white men a little over 400 years ago. Other adventurers followed and a continuous stream of white men poured over the new lands.

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Spring football training, which was carried on successfully last year, will probably be held again this spring with Coach Ed Kubale looking over the material and sizing up the situation.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT BREAKS HIS LEG SUNDAY Robert McGlamery, 13, son of B. E. McGlamery and wife of Eastland, broke his right leg Sunday afternoon while playing with a toy aeroplane at Gorman. The plane landed in a field some distance from where it was started and Robert, running to it, fell and broke his leg about six inches above the knee. His grandfather, Dr. Kimble of Gorman, was watching him when the accident occurred and carried Robert to the sanitarium where surgeons quickly set the broken limb. He is doing nicely. Robert is a freshman in the Eastland high school.

Frogs Make Great Defensive Record During the Season

FORT WORTH — Beating their ancient rival S. M. U. 15-0 and pleasing fans men on all-conference selections, Coach Matty Bell and Ed Kubale were highly pleased with their results on the gridiron this year. Although the Frogs lost two games, neither was by more than one touchdown and one, that to Baylor, by only one point. The Frogs registered victories over the Aggies, Rice and S. M. U. to close with a percentage of .600 in a trio for third place with the Baylor Bears.

In conference competition the Frogs scored 34 points against 19 for their opponents. In all-season records the Frogs won eight tilts and lost two. They registered 142 points while their foes were making only 28. This is the best defensive record in the loop. No team was able to make more than one score against the Purple.

The men selected for all-conference honors are: Jake Williams, giant tackle and Frog captain, who was a unanimous choice, Howard Grubbs, flashy little quarter back whose work in almost every game was outstanding, Lester Brumbelow, the fighting Irish guard, and Noble Atkins, 200-pound pivot man. Fain Reynolds, whose slashing game against the Ponies on his last day of football was a feature of the afternoon, also received many votes, as did Merlin Toler, consistent Sweet-water ball totter and Robert "Red" Moore, the other tackle. Toler was playing his last game against the Ponies Thanksgiving and his steady kicking did much to hold the fiercely fighting Mustangs at bay. Merlin also scored the first touchdown, taking a pass from Grubbs to go 50 yards for the marker.

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Hooks and Slides

Oh, Gosh! Here They Come!

THE melancholy days are here. The All-Sectional and All-Texas and All-Texas teams are rolling in. The south is the first to bat with the selection of an expert on the best players in his section.

Nash Higgins, chief scout for Florida University, is first up with his selection, and it is interesting because there are a lot of good football players in the territory he has covered. He has seen 15 of the best teams in the south, and here is his choice: First team: Vansickle, Florida, L. E.; Maree, Georgia Tech, L. T.; Steele, Florida, L. G.; Pressley, Clemson, C.; Vaughn, N. C. State, R. G.; Lautzenhiser, Georgia, R. T.; Abernathy, Vanderbilt, R. E.; Crabtree, Florida, Q. B.; Mizell, Georgia Tech, L. H. B.; Banker, Tulane, R. H. E.; Lumpkin, Georgia Tech, F. B.

Second team: Hug, Tennessee, L. E.; Thayer, Tennessee, L. T.; Drennan, Georgia Tech, L. G.; Pund, Georgia Tech, C.; Hall, Clemson, R. G.; Spear, Georgia Tech, R. T.; Stanley, Florida, R. E.; Witt, Tennessee, Q. B.; Armistead, Vanderbilt, McEver, Tennessee, L. H. B.; Betha, Florida, Thomason, Georgia Tech, R. H. B.; White, W. and L. F. B.

Good Teams Down There It would appear from Scout Higgins' observations that Georgia Tech and Tennessee have right smart teams and that Georgia Tech has one swell backfield.

It is obvious from all reports by wire and wireless that Tech has a magnificent quartet behind the line in Durant, Mizell, Thomason and Lumpkin. Not another Four Horseman, perhaps, but fair enough.

As a group there may be only one backfield in the country to compare with those boys, and it may be the Pennsylvania combination of Shober, Scull, Murphy and Opekun.

By Golly! A Big War! SOME young typewriter athletes of the Western Conference, in a militant mood, started something a few days ago that put their athletic officials in the grease.

The young men who manufacture the powerful pieces in the Daily Northwestern got hunched up on a hot idea and proposed that Chicago be kicked out of the Western Conference because of her lack of competitive spirit and, incidentally, her terrible football team.

The literary athletes at Michigan intercepted the pass and ran 70 yards with the editorial opinion that Northwestern ought to be tossed out of the conference because of her low standard of eligibility.

The Michigan boys made first down with the charge: "We feel certain that Michigan, herself, which has not been really noted for the weakness of her athletic teams, will be perfectly willing to abandon the Big Ten entirely to Northwestern and any professional teams which can give her adequate competition."

The boys went on to recall — "It is almost within the memory of the present student undergraduate that Northwestern herself furnished the annual doormat upon which the other teams of the Big Ten rubbed their muddy feet with abandon."

Strange to say the young men of the student training corps were not rushed to their muskets. The athletic officials laughed it off and said that the literary athletes must have their fun and they were speaking only their uninformed opinions.

Forty Grand? A Mere Trifle IT IS the mistaken idea of the poor plumber, painter and paperhanger that any kind of a bum in the fight business can knock off 60, 70 or 80 grand a year, which, you may have heard, is almost as much as the president gets.

The figures which are quoted as a fighter's income, however, are based on the gross receipts of the firm and it has to be whacked many ways in many splits. Tom Heeney, who could be one of the biggest wage earners in the business, was talking recently about retiring from the business and it was suggested that it would be poor business for him to scorn an income of \$100,000 a year. "I know the possibilities of the

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

SHERRY MAGEE, National League umpire, is a detective for a string of one-arm husheries in Philadelphia.

The Brooklyns are willing to give the Pittsburghs Glenn Wright. Baneroff Darocher, the world's freshest rookie, is spending the winter making speeches at luncheons and banquets around Springfieldmass.

Mickey Cochrane, the American League's most valuable player, is going into 'vaudeville'. He plays a saxophone. Jack Hendricks will make a record by managing the Reds for six years in a row. If he gets through 1929. Dick Porter, whose freight from Baltimore cost the Clevealands \$40,000, has a middle name. It's Twilley. Joe Glick dropped 16 grand in a cluck and suet venture.

But got 41 back when his fight with Baby Joe Gas clicked high. Mizell, the Georgia Tech back, who writes pieces for the papers, says that Holm of the Alabamas is the best fullback he saw this year. Notre Dame and Iowa have rotten press accommodations.

The opinion of Higgins on the contest will be of interest to eastern critics. He rates Pressley of Clemson as a better center than Peter Pund, the Georgia Tech captain. And it is not betraying a confidence that some of the eastern critics, who like to have a good geographical representation on their All-America selection, were prepared to slip Master Pund in there and consider it a job well done.

Report for Nov. 30, 1928, as follows: F. A. Hueber, Ella Cathey No. 7A Callahan County, B. O. A. Sur, Section 9, No. acres 160, intention to drill depth 430. Collett & Hughes, W. P. Newell, No. 1; Shackelford County, E. T. R. County sur. sec. 114. No. acres 80, intention to plug. Well record; Drilling commenced Sept. 20, 1928, completed no casing record produce. T. D. 1110. Union Oil & Mining Co., L. C. Huskey No. 31; T. E. & L. Co., sur. Section No. B1 548, Shackelford County, shoot with 15 quarts.

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Snowden & McSweeney Company E. M. Shburner No. 1, sur. L. A. L. Sec. 8, No. acres 120, Bl. H. 1-2 and S. E. 1-4 of NW intention to plug at once, Stephens County. J. G. Higginbotham No. 1; Abstract No. 1185, Bl. No. NE 1/4, intention to plug.

The Texas Company, Shackelford County, J. Sadwick No. 8, E. T. R. R. Sur. Sec. 1 B. 1, No. acres 109, 5. Intention to drill, depth 550 ft. P. G. Hatchett No. 11; Callahan County, D. & D. A. Sur Sec. 29, No. acres 40, intention to drill depth 360 feet.

Young Bros. & Alexander Inc., Brown County, Thos. Benson, Sur. Section 783. G. T. Butler No. 2; Well record, dry, plugged. Woodley Pet. Company & Young Bros. & Alexander, Inc., Roy Hickman No. 15. Int. to shoot with 15 quarts.

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Texas U. Speakers Are Named

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 3 — Inter society debaters at the University of Texas have been chosen by the various groups according to the respective presidents. The first round of the debate series will be held December 8-11, while the second round will be held December 15-18. The question for discussion is "Resolved: That the Parliamentary Form of Government is Superior to the Presidential Form."

Speakers to represent the four societies on the campus have been named as follows: Speakers Club: Joe K. Wells of Corsicana, Bruce Haynes of Galtveston, Herschel Jaffe of Ft. Paso and Ruben Williams of Big Springs. Hoger Debate Club: Linville Hoger of Streeter, Harold Schmidt of Meson, George Kaetf of Yoakum and Jim Hulse of Nacogdoches.

Athenaeum Literary Society: Spurgeon Bell of Abilene, Fowles Roberts of San Angelo, Leroy Jeffers of Holland and L. J. Byrd of San Antonio. Rusk Literary Society: August O. Spain of Austin, Harvey Lee Parsons of Athens, Charles Harris of Mart and Ben H. Davis of Hubbard.

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West Texas Cattle On Exhibition at The Live Stock Show

DALLAS, Dec. 4.—Texas and Oklahoma are again defending their ranks as leading farm and livestock states, by sending an impressive lot of exhibits to the International Live Stock Exposition which is being held in Chicago this year starting today and will continue through the 10th.

0—LODGE NOTICES
Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday, Dec. 4, 7:30 p. m. Work in F. C. degree. E. M. GLAZNER, W. M. F. E. LANGSTON, Sec.

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13—FOR SALE—Miscellaneous
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FOR SALE CHEAP—Four 30x 4.50 Goodrich tires and tubes. Apply Ranger Times office.
FOR SALE—Nice Jersey milch cow. Jno. F. White, 2 miles south of Staff.

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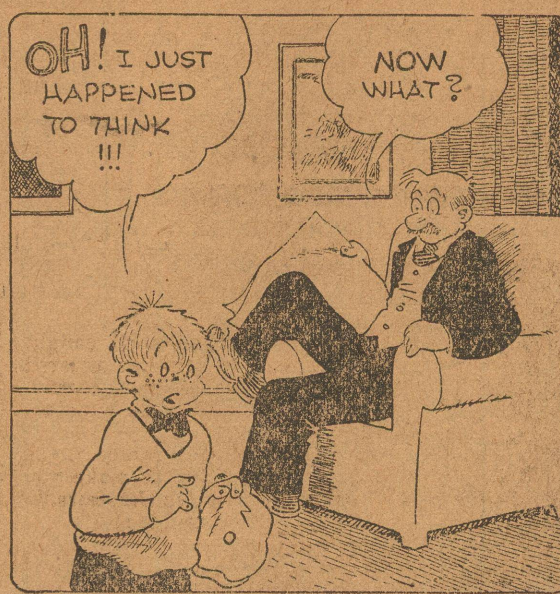
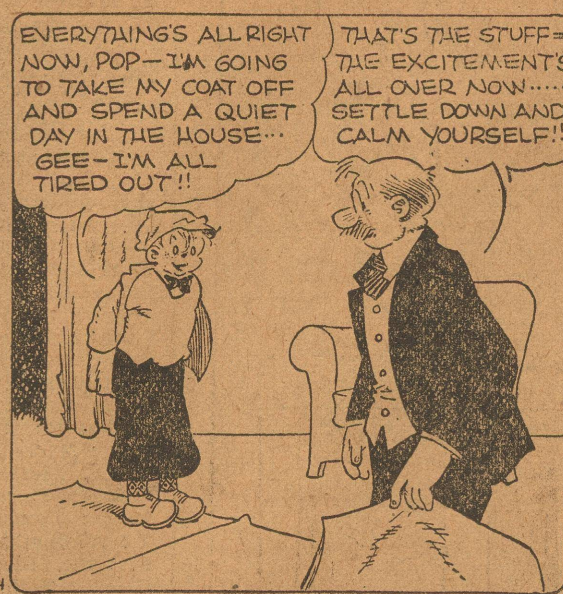
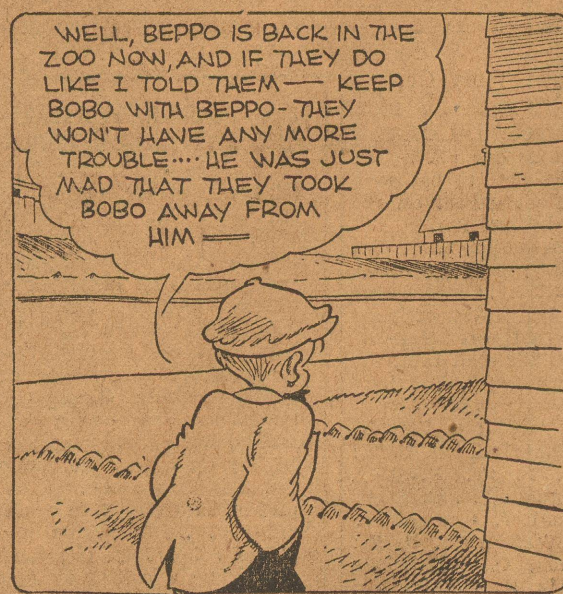
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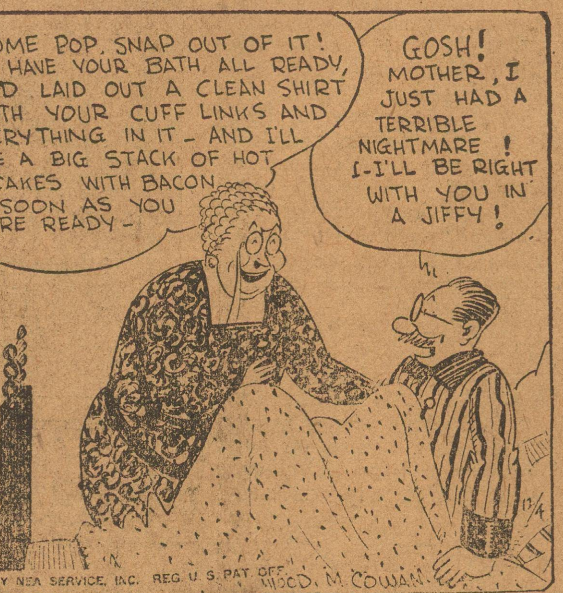
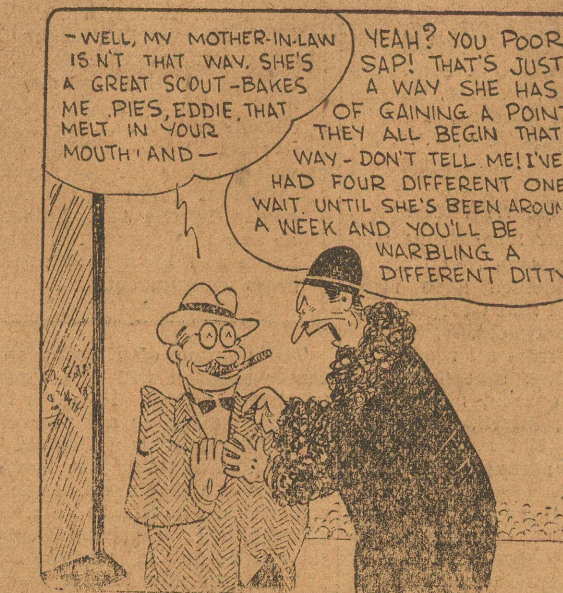
Collector Ready For Registration New Automobiles

Assistant Tax Collector Tom Haley, in charge of automobile registrations, is ready with a supply of new license plates and a force of assistants to issue license as fast as applications are made for them, and hopes that the car owners will not wait until the very last minute and then rush he and his assistants to get their cars registered before penalties are attached.

Mr. Haley is located on the fourth floor of the Texas State Bank building in the same quarters he was located in last year.

Plaster fell to the floor the other day in the cabinet room of the White House. Those noisy Coolidges!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Blosser

He's the Doc



When any of the North Carolina State football players were injured this year there was no help rushed from the bench. Bob Warren, captain and halfback of the team, took care of the first aid work. Warren, who is shown above, is an osteopath and he was also one of the best punters and passers in the south.

"Challenge Cup" and other awards given in the International Yacht races and regattas, in which the name of Lipton has long been in evidence. These two cups will be awarded by the International to a boy and girl winner in some one of the many contests which the exposition and the club congress has to offer.

A third trophy will be presented to Sir Thomas to the winning team in the inter-collegiate livestock judging contest. An admirer of youth, and a lover of fine stock, these judging contests which combine the two, gave Sir Thomas the opportunity of recognizing both. The teams of both the Texas and Oklahoma state agricultural colleges have twice been winners within recent years, and are looked upon as being among the most formidable contenders for the Lipton Cup this year.

LITTLEFIELD AT SESSION
AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 3.—Representing the University of Texas, Clyde Littlefield, University football coach, will attend the meeting of the National Association of Football Coaches in New Orleans during the Christmas holidays.

ALPINE—City beautification program will commence in near future.

A small town is one where the civic leaders haven't started a campaign for an airport.

time through the 8th. Six of the leading breeders and flocks of Texas and Oklahoma will be showing over 350 head of stock, representing sixteen different breeds of the finest show animals that the herds studs and flocks of the southwest can produce.

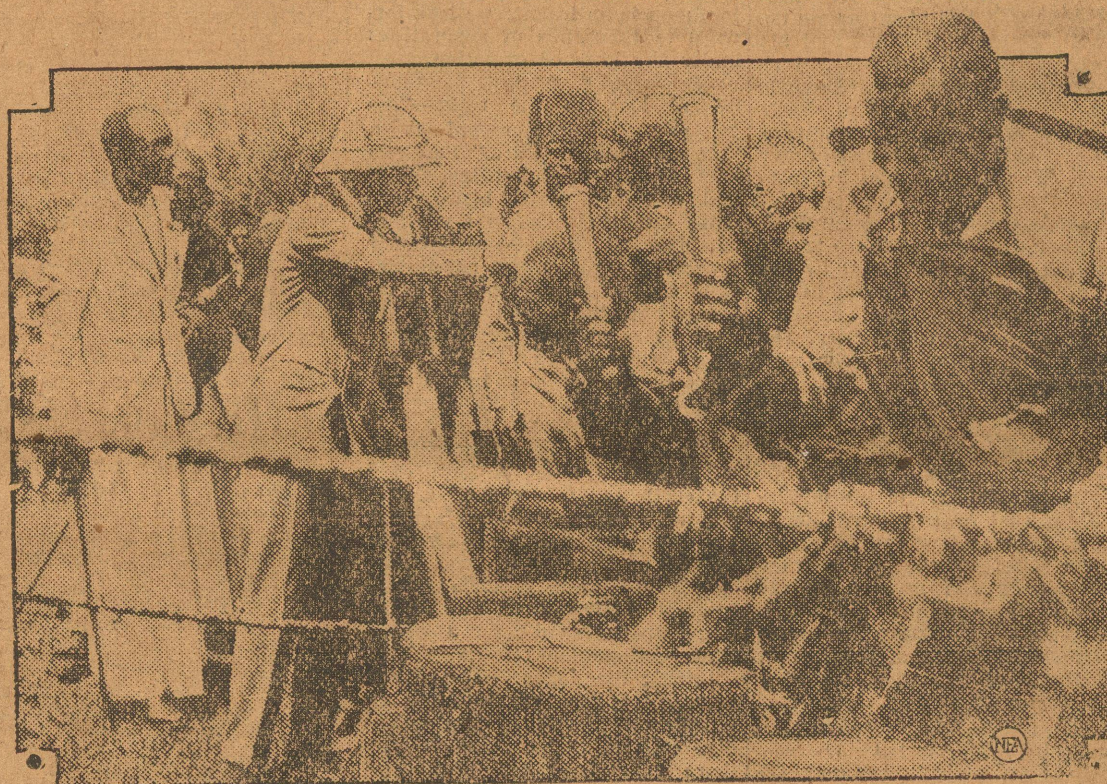
All railroads entering Chicago from Texas and Oklahoma points have announced reduced fares, as added inducement to the many thousands of people of this territory who had planned to go to Chicago to watch the progress of the southwest entries in the nation's greatest pageant and display of farm products. Among the nationally known livestockmen of Texas who will be numbered among the exhibitors at the Exposition, where their charges are competing with entrants from almost every other state in the Union and the Canadian provinces, are V. O. Hildreth and Sons of Aledo, with 155 head of Short-horns; C. M. Largent and Sons of Merkel, with 17 head of Herefords; Singleton Farms, of Middleton, exhibiting 18 head of Short-horns; George P. Lillard and Son, of Arlington, with 27 swine, as well as the best specimens of the stables and flocks of the Texas State College.

Upholding the reputation of Oklahoma, as a state of diversified livestock farming, will be the entries from the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College, which numbers 129 head and represents 16 different breeds of livestock.

Of interest to many young people from Oklahoma and Texas farms and ranches will be three handsome silver trophies which Sir Thomas Lipton, famous sportsman and team merchant, is offering in the international competitions. When told of what some 600,000 boys and girls of the farms of the land are doing to educate themselves to better methods of farming and farm culture and living, he was deeply impressed and immediately expressed a wish to do something to evidence his approval of their work. The International Live Stock Exposition, with which its nation's boys and girls club congress, is host to about 1,200 selected farm boys and girls, some 100 of whom will be from this territory.

He will present the exposition with two trophies, specially made at his own silversmith's in London, who has designed the famous

Drums Beat for Wales on African Tour



If you ask the native warriors of British Uganda, where the Prince of Wales and his party trekked on their African tour, they'll tell you that H. R. H. is a regular guy. This picture shows him in rather dignified participation in a "omwelo" (sham battle) staged with the accompaniment of war drums and chants. So pleased were the natives with the democratic prince that they rattled their spears.

LEGION CLEARS RIVER
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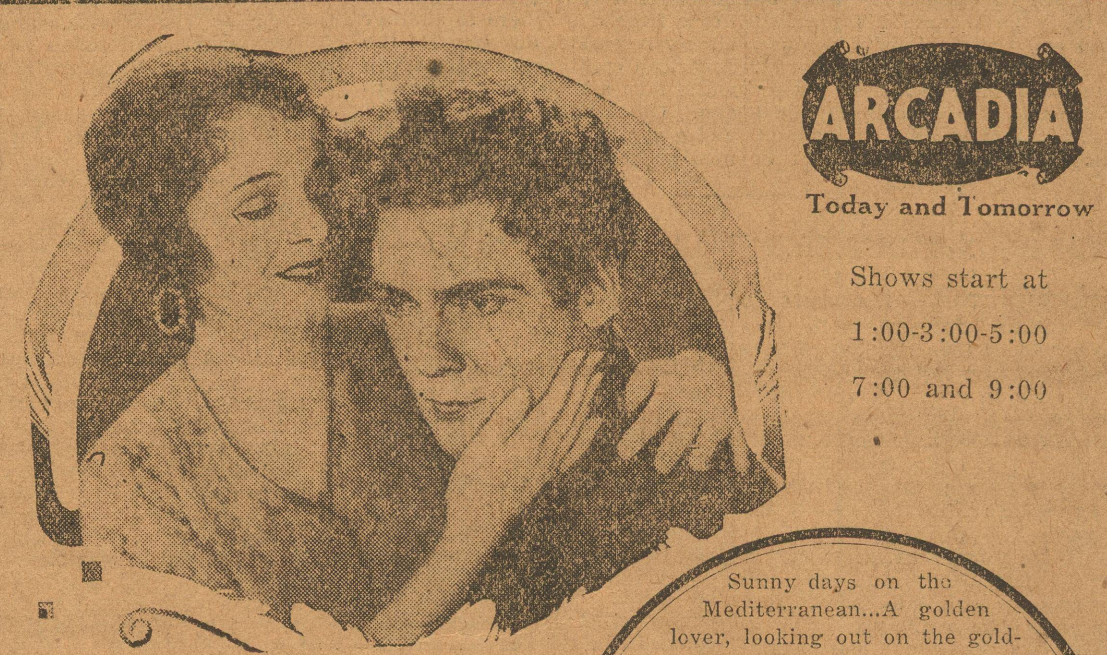
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Myrtle

by RUTH DEWEY GROVES

AUTHOR OF "WHEN A GIRL LOVES" "LOVE FOR TWO" etc

THIS HAS HAPPENED

Jerry Ray thinks that love is a delusion and makes up her mind to marry for money. Her plans for a vacation at Atlantic City are spoiled by the loss of the money she had saved. Nothing remains but to go camping with her roommate Myrtle on the north shore of Long Island.

Their camp is wrecked when an airplane owned by young Alester Carstairs crashes into it. The others escape injury, but Jerry is picked up unconscious by Dan Harvey, the pilot. Alester drives Jerry to the doctor who finds that her injury is not serious.

On the way back, Alester stops at an inn for dinner and seems amused when Jerry refuses a drink. He introduces her to Leontine Debaudy, who invites them to a birthday party. Alester shows Jerry a gay time during her two weeks' vacation and tells her that he loves her madly but does not ask her to marry him. Myrtle warns her against him, but a letter from her mother revealing poverty and illness decides her to continue her efforts to win Alester. But how will she be able to buy a new frock for the big party he has invited her to?



"You need nothing more to make you lovelier," he said, "but I've brought you some flowers."

Now go on with the story:

CHAPTER XIII

The big, white-pillared store hummed with pre-opening activity. The outer doors were thrown back to the public—the early shoppers and bargain hunters who pressed against the barrier ropes that would not be let down by the aisle men until the nine o'clock bell struck.

At the various counters girls were busy putting merchandise out for display, accompanying their movements with a running chatter of overnight confidences.

One of these girls was silent, a little terrified, but determined to follow her plans through. It was wrong, yes, but so much was at stake. There were extenuating circumstances. And no one would be harmed. She would be very careful.

Jerry picked up a cowbeebly affair and glanced quickly at the size mark.

Sixteen! It was just what she wanted, but she couldn't take it now. Too bad. Some of the tunics were one of a kind. She folded it quickly and piled it up with others in the neat rows on the counter.

It was unnecessary work, she considered, but the head of the department was particular. Five minutes after the barriers were down the counter would present a scene of such disorder as to make you weep.

The sale had been well advertised. Jerry watched the grabbing, pawing hands with a strong desire to speak her mind about those who owned them. But the customer was always right. That had been thoroughly drilled into her rebellious little head after one woman had complained of her for asking that she pick up a lace scarf the customer had dropped to the floor and was stepping on.

The eager pulling and digging became harder to bear when greedy hands reached for the tunic that Jerry had marked for herself. She was going to borrow that dress for the party, that is, if it remained unsold. There were others like it but none size 16. And the rest of the tunics were of heavy lace—things she could not possibly slip into her handbag.

Two of the lighter tunics were sold immediately and Jerry's heart fell. The one she wanted would surely be the next to go. Then,

unaccountably, the tide of favor turned to the coarser pieces. And as the day wore on and the tunic she wanted for one precious night remained unsold on the counter she began to maneuver to discourage its sale. Each time it threatened to become exposed on top of the heap she deftly thrust it deeper, if she could.

And by four o'clock, one hour before closing time, Jerry's tunic was still there. But she had begun to weaken. Of course she would return it in the morning undamaged and unsold. But suppose someone saw her taking it? Prying eyes were about. She would be accused of stealing. What a terrible mess she'd be in. Jerry Ray—a common thief!

"Some more returns for you," a stock girl grinned at her as she dumped an armful of merchandise down on the counter. Jerry regarded the stuff with a scowl. That was the worst of being paid in commissions. Things came back—especially from charge customers.

And you didn't know anything about it half the time. Unless the customer paid cash. Then she had to talk to the aisle man. And no matter how tactfully he tried to refuse he always had to take the goods back. Even when it was the safest guess in the world that they had been worn. If Jerry had seen this happen once she had seen it happen a hundred times.

She picked up the things the stock girl had returned and put them away. There was a lull at her end of the counter. She remembered ruefully that she had spent nearly half an hour with the woman who had bought the lace bertha. It was an expensive piece and had brought Jerry's book for the day up to a good figure. Before the sale was completed she had worried over the report she must make at the end of the day. Usually, about four o'clock, the girls began to whisper to one another.

"What you got?" "I've had fierce luck." "I'm sitting pretty for old pain-in-the-face." "Well, I'm not, but I should worry."

These and similar remarks were freely given until the store's bell heralded the end of another working day. The return of the bertha was the straw that broke down Jerry's resistance. Her customers could borrow things from the store why couldn't she? There wasn't a girl in her department who had worked so hard. And she was punctual. She was loyal. She had spent her own money there, too. Why, she was a customer, herself, even if she hadn't a charge account. And she wouldn't be depriving the store of a chance to sell the tunic if she waited until closing time to take it out, and brought it back in the morning.

She wished she hadn't tried to hide it earlier in the day. But at least it was there if anyone had dug for it. And some people kept things out for days and weeks even before returning them.

The store closed at five during the summer months. Those 60 endless minutes between four and five were a nightmare to Jerry. In spite of all she told herself she couldn't shake off a sense of guilt.

But she had to have the tunic! It was easy to take it. She simply folded it up and put it in her bag—the old felt bag she had made from a hat in imitation of an import. There was a rule against keeping bags at the counter but it was a dead letter—it was ignored so often. No one noticed her take the tunic. Her action was screened by the last minute hustle and bustle so familiar at closing time.

The man at the employee's door set her heart to thumping hard as his eye fell upon the back tucked under her arm. If it looked suspicious he would stop her, she knew. But he only smiled—most people who knew and dealt with

ter wanted to make her happy.

He was starting the car. She looked up at him with dewy eyes.

"Thank you," they seemed to say.

He looked around and caught the expression. Her lips uttered what her eyes had seemed to say. Alester smiled with deep satisfaction.

"So she likes orchids," he thought. "That ought to make you feel good, Mr. Alester Carstairs."

(To be continued)

Honor Would Not Allow Southerner to Touch the Gold

Special to The Times.

LEXINGTON, Va.—Five hundred gold dollars which the Yankees failed to get when they took Richmond, Congressman Henry St. George Tucker explained here today, founded the law library of Washington & Lee university in 1873.

To the few who have known the story, that Confederate gold is still a symbol of legal integrity.

"At the close of the war," my father's family was in want," Mr. Tucker said. "But when, as attorney general of Virginia under the Confederate regime, my father received a share of the gold remaining in Virginia's treasury, divided among state officials to prevent its falling into unionist hands, he would not consider the money his and deposited it in a special account in Charlottesville.

"There it lay eight years. After he had become professor of law at Washington and Lee and found no law books or funds to buy any, he placed this Confederate gold at the disposal of the school. He still believed that the federal government might have a claim upon it, and he gave it with the provision that should the union authorities demand it, the books should be sold. That moral condition still is valid."

Mr. Tucker's family, in the last days of the war, were experiencing very hard times. They had only bacon and corn meal to eat. They had moved to Charlottesville where university officials provided them with a house formerly used by students. The morning of April 12, three days after the surrender at Appomattox—the morning they got the gold—the congressman described in this way:

"On that morning I was reciting Latin to my father. We had gotten to 'bonus, bona, bonum' and my distinct recollection is that I was 'balled up' on the vocative. During the morning Confederate soldiers returning from Appomattox were constantly passing, singly or in numbers, sometimes singly; oftentimes there were those among them who recognized my father and either came up to speak to him or made some demonstration.

"Finally a lone courier rode up and asked if Mr. Randolph Tucker was there. My father responded and went downstairs where my mother and sisters were, to meet this gentleman, and left me struggling with the vocative of bonus.

"In a short time I was distracted from my work by noisy demonstrations, loud laughing, screams of joy, until at last I left dear old home and went down to join the crowd."

Family impoverished.

"I went down into the dining room. There on the plain pine table lay 25 \$20 gold pieces. My father and mother were standing by and the girls were in raptures of delight, as numerous and varied suggestions of additions to their depleted wardrobes were successively made by each of them.

"An inquiry brought out the fact from my father that this young soldier, when Richmond fell on the third of April, had been given this \$500 in gold by some official of the state, of the gold which remained in the treasury when Richmond fell. It had been safely and honestly delivered. Not one of us children had ever seen a \$20 gold piece before. It was good for young eyes, and we all saw in it relief for our narrow wardrobes.

"In the midst of our joys we were brought to sorrow when my father, standing by the table said, 'My children, I am sorry to disappoint your hopes; it distresses me, but that is not my money and cannot be used by me.'

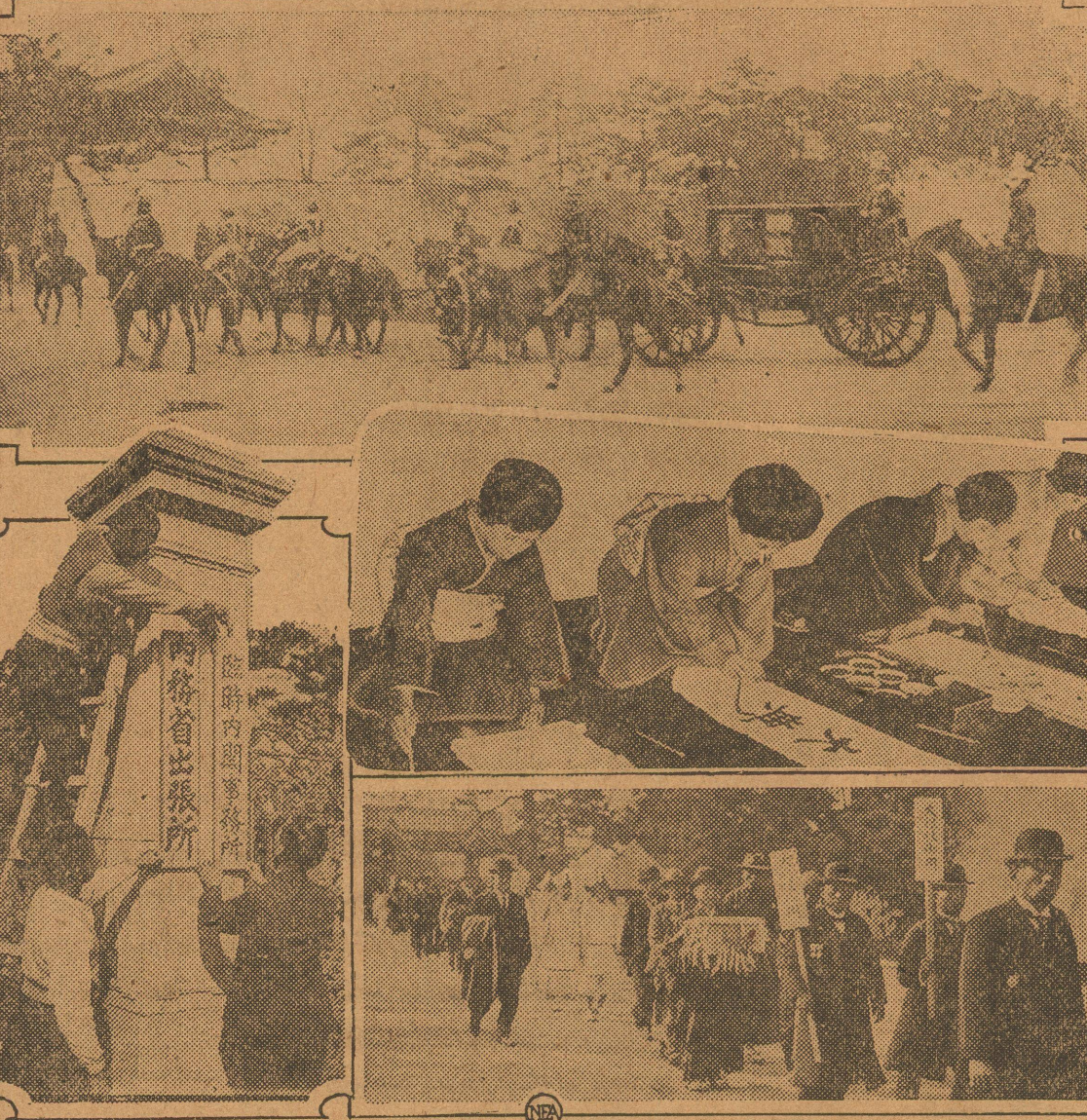
"We were living in poverty. The girls were from 15 years old down. Their dresses made them look like zebras. There were no new dresses during the war, but as the girls grew an inch or two each year a band of some sort, or any sort, of material was added to the dress that its length might consist with the views of propriety which then existed in that belated society. Red, white, blue, purple, and yellow bands, two or three inches wide, followed each other in glorious succession, for the length of a dress for a 14-year-old girl was far too short for a girl of 15, 16 or 17."

Suits, Mr. Tucker said, were filed against other officials of the state government, who received money from the state treasury, but no suit was filed against his father.

"Five hundred dollars is not much," he remarked, "but it furnished an example of integrity that a sum many times as great could not do. In a case of moral doubt, my father always made it a rule to give the other party the advantage."

Since that time, Congressman Tucker and his father have raised

When Japan Crowned a New Emperor



NEA Tokio Bureau

With all the ancient pomp and ceremony that marked its coronations of centuries ago, Japan crowned a new emperor the other day. The top picture, transmitted over Japanese telephone wires and rushed to this country, shows the emperor arriving in his carriage at the ancient capital of Kyoto where the coronation ceremony was held. At the left, workmen are putting up a sign to show that headquarters of the government have been moved temporarily to Kyoto. At the right, noted women writers and painters of Japan are inscribing messages of happiness on the occasion of the mikado's coronation. Below, priests are seen conveying sacred wine to the palace for use in the ceremony.

BRITE COLLEGE OWNS RARE BIBLE

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.—A Greek New Testament 378 years old is owned by the library of Brite College of the Bible at Texas Christian University here. This old, worn, eaten book was printed in 1550, sixty-one years before the publication of the King James version of the Bible.

Printed in "Royal Greek," said to be the most beautiful Greek type ever devised, this is one of the most valuable books in the T. C. U. library.

This was the first Bible to carry marginal references, and the publisher was severely criticised for his additions to the Bible. The Bible had not been divided into verses in 1550, so that this edition lacks the familiar verse numbering.

The cover of the book is made of wood, overlaid with pigskin. There are worn holes in the back, and some penetrate the entire volume. Brass clasps and hasps hold it closed.

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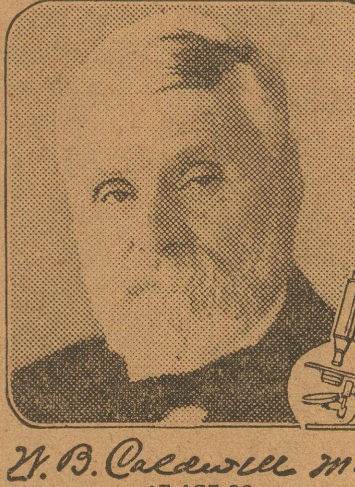
Doctor Found Women and Children Sick More Often than Men

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J. C. Caldwell M.D. AT AGE 83

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Menus for the Family

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BREAKFAST—Sections of grapefruit, cereal, cream, salt codfish hash, corn bread, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Scalloped oysters, creamed celery, carrot straws, rice ring pudding, milk, tea.

DINNER—Broiled fresh salmon, steaks, boiled potatoes with parsley butter, cauliflower in cream sauce, canned pears, chocolate cake, milk, coffee.

The luncheon pudding is rather unusual but very good and an excellent dessert for children.

Rice Ring Pudding
Two cups boiled rice, 3 eggs, 4 tablespoons flour, 1/2 cup granulated sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup sweet cider, 1 1/2 cups orange juice, 6 tablespoons powdered sugar, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla.

Mix flour, granulated sugar and salt. Sift several times to be sure sugar and flour are thoroughly blended. Stir into cider and cook, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Add orange juice. Turn into the center of a buttered baking dish. Beat whites of eggs until stiff and dry, gradually beating in powdered sugar. Add vanilla and fold in rice. Arrange in a border around mixture in baking dish and bake in a slow oven for 20 minutes. Chill and serve with a boiled dressing made with the yolks of the eggs.

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Texas Mother Has Problem

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Millions of mothers have proved its merit and reliability in over 50 years of steadily increasing use. A Texas mother, Mrs. Leo Dubinski, 619 West Mulberry Ave., San Antonio, says: "My little girl, Rosalyn's tendency to constipation

BEQUEST CAUSES PUZZLE
 Disposal of a bequest of \$10,000 made 30 years ago by Peter Miller of Edinburgh, Scotland, toward completion of the National Monument on Carlton Hill, is before the Court of Sessions there. Miller died in 1898 leaving no heirs, and his will stipulated that the money was to be paid to trustees acting under Acts of Parliament dated 1822 and 1848 to in-

Longworth Opens Congress



Speaker of the House Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, is shown as he bangs the gavel that opens the "lame duck" session of Congress. Important measures, such as farm relief, Muscle Shoals, the Kellogg Peace Treaty and others, are scheduled for disposition at the short session.

corporate the contributors for the erection of "a National Monument to commemorate the naval and military victories during the late war." The trustees have never acted, and there seems to be no prospect of the shaft ever being completed. "The Town Council of Edinburgh has resolved to make no claim to the legacy, and the court is trying to decide who is entitled to it.

DILLEY—New school building under construction here.

BY THE WAY—

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"Take the cash and let the credit go. Nor heed the rumble of a distant drum"—or a drum close at hand either.

The band members, being artists and dreamers, were like poets, sports editors and other geniuses—sadly lacking in coin and they were about to murmur: "Alas, that youth's sweet manuscript should close; That spring should vanish with the rose"—or something equally pathetic, when up stepped a public spirited citizen, paid the thirty pieces of silver or whatever amount was demanded by the gatekeepers—and the band got to see the game after all.

And, be it said to the everlasting credit of the members of the Ranger band, that they played just as enthusiastically and did as much toward adding to the color and appeal of the occasion for the 8,000 fans as though the band members had been admitted as guests and not as paid spectators, just the same as the other thousands.

But really, friends, Romans and countrymen, there is very little that can be said in criticism of Abilene or Cisco—both or either one, whichever was responsible for charging the band. If a peeper is out for the long green, that's all there is to it. The Abilene school authorities are looking for the main chance—they are watching out for No. 1. They are strictly for Abilene. And of course Cisco's slogan is Cisco. Uber Alles. It is all a pure commercial transaction—maybe not so pure but at any rate, commercial. Don't you think that the whole move to throw Ranger out of the race had its origin in a desire to reinstate Cisco in the running so as to make the Cisco-Abilene game a big box office attraction—a real money making affair? Therefore what would be more natural than for admission to be charged to all comers—bands not excepted?

Why, last year Abilene charged the members of the Eastland football team for admission to see a game, isn't that just too gorgeous to grand! How philanthropic! Here is a sport that is based upon the rigorous training, sacrifice, brain, brawn and bravery of boys—and these lads who make football the great sport that it is and who receive not one penny of the thousands of dollars that their prowess attracts to the gate but whose only compensation is the joy of playing the game and of giving their best for their school and their city—these heroes of the gridiron, the Eastland Mavericks, were confronted with a call for cash to see a game. Fortunately, two public-spirited citizens of Eastland were at hand and paid the "boys' way" in so that the lads did not have their long trip in vain—and the Abilene authorities were happy for had they not received their "pound of flesh"?

Someone ought to suggest to those same authorities that they are overlooking a bet in not charging admission to the opposing team. And it might not be a bad idea to have the referee and the umpire buy tickets.

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College Meeting In Fort Worth Soon

By United Press.
FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.—The complete program for the thirty-third annual meeting of the association of colleges and secondary schools of the Southern states has been announced by the executive committee. The delegates will meet at the Texas hotel, December 4 to 7.

The first two days will be devoted to meetings of the executive committee of the association and

commission on institutions of secondary schools.
 The last two days of the session will be open to the public.
 The Thursday morning program includes: address of welcome, Dr. H. Y. Benedict, president of the University of Texas; Response on behalf of the association, Prof. W. R. Smithey, University of Virginia; report of the committee on comprehensive content examinations by Dr. M. R. Traube, chairman; report of the committee on high school English content, Dr. C. S. Pendleton, chairman. The morning session will be concluded

by an address, "The Relation of Junior Colleges to the Present System of Higher Education," by President C. F. Zook, University of Akron.
 The afternoon session will include: general report on the work of the commission by J. A. Stoddard, chairman; report of the proceedings of the commission and a report on freshman college grades by Joseph Roemer, University of Florida, secretary of the commission. E. L. Gillis, registrar of the University of Kentucky will continue discussion of the college marking system started in 1927.

H. M. Ivy of Meridian, Miss., will deliver the president's address in the evening session. Committee reports will consume the greater part of the morning session of the last day. In the afternoon an automobile sight-seeing trip will be conducted about the city of Fort Worth.
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