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## THREE OUSTER SUITS FILED AT ARDMORE

### MONDAY LAST DAY FOR SCRIP APPLICATIONS

Merchants' Association, However, Will Issue Additional Scrip on Old Applications.

The Retail Merchants' association will discontinue receiving applications for scrip after Monday, Jan. 9, in order to expedite the work of filing proofs of claim in the liquidation of the Farmers & Merchants bank by the state banking commissioner, Secretary Burt announced this morning.

All persons who have made applications, however, and received their scrip will be allowed to increase the amount issued against their accounts up to 75 per cent at any time they desire, as their applications will have already been passed upon and the further issuance of scrip will in no way interfere with the filing of the proofs of claim.

Feb. 15 has been designated by the state banking commissioner as the limit for the filing of claims against the bank. Proofs of claim blanks and statements are now being issued by the liquidating agent here to persons who have not assigned their accounts over to the Retail Merchants' association for scrip. In the latter case the association will attend to the collections from the guaranty fund and pay in cash to the assignees the balance of each individual account.

### SHIPMENT OF DOPE SEIZED BY OFFICERS

A parcel post shipment of narcotics was seized by the police this morning in possession of a well known local character as the latter left the postoffice building with the package of morphine, cocaine and "needles" under his arm. The man was brought to police headquarters, where he is being held pending the arrival of a federal agent from Fort Worth. He readily admitted to the contents of the package but claimed that the drugs were for use in treating stock.

The arrival of the drug shipment here was learned by the police several days ago, when the receiver here made efforts to raise funds to pay the \$66 C. O. D. charges. The officers became suspicious of the contents of the shipment and laid plans to arrest him as soon as the package was removed from the postoffice. On several occasions he is said to have been frightened away by seeing an officer in the vicinity of the postoffice. This morning, however, the patience of the police was rewarded when the department was notified that the man had been seen entering the postoffice. Sanitary inspector Wade Swift and Patrolman Hunt, who were at headquarters, were dispatched to the scene by Chief Davenport and made the arrest.

Officers state that a large number of the dope addicts have left the city and that the local sources of supply have practically been cut off.

### BROTHERS-IN-LAW FIGHT SHOTGUN DUEL TO DEATH

MONROE, La., Jan. 5.—Deputy Sheriff W. G. McCallum, of Swartz, and J. D. Heflin, his brother-in-law, fought a duel with shotguns in the Lafourche swamp, fifteen miles northeast of Monroe, according to reports to authorities here. McCallum was killed, part of his jaw being shot away.

According to a report to the sheriff's office, the men met, became involved in a quarrel and started shooting.

Justifiable homicide was the verdict of the coroner's jury.

### MOTORMAN IS ROBBED TWICE BY SAME MAN

HOUSTON, Jan. 5.—Twice in the same place by the same bandit is too much, says E. Boyd, operator of a one-man street car.

Boyd was held up late last night for \$20 company money and \$3 of his own.

Boyd reported to police he believed the robber to be the same one who took his watch, money and all of the company's change on Dec. 12.

### SECRECY SURROUNDS PENROSE FUNERAL

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—The funeral of Senator Bois Penrose was held here at 8 o'clock this morning.

The same great secrecy that surrounded the making of the arrangements for the funeral were maintained until the body of the political leader was lowered into the brick lined grave at Laurel Hill cemetery. No information was given out as to whether there was a religious service. Newspaper reporters were not admitted to the burial ground. The funeral party was in the cemetery about fifteen minutes.

### POWER BEHIND THRONE QUILTS KLAN COUNCILS

Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler, Propaganda Expert, Says Daughter's Health Is Bad.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler, high official of the Ku Klux Klan, has resigned from the order, it became known here today.

The serious condition of her daughter's health was given as the reason for her resignation, which will be accepted, it was said.

Mrs. Tyler, one of the "Big 3" of the Klan, has been associated with Imperial Kleagle E. Y. Clarke in the propaganda department of the order.

### NO SUCCESSOR NAMED.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 5.—No steps will be taken at this time to replace Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler, assistant head of the propaganda department of the Ku Klux Klan, according to Imperial Kleagle Clarke of the organization, and head of that department, who stated today that the affairs of the department are in excellent condition and that he would assume the burden of the work immediately. Mrs. Tyler resigned last night.

### GRAVEYARD DRILLING AT MEXIA IS OPPOSED BY RELATIVES OF DEAD

AUSTIN, Jan. 5.—A vigorous protest has been made to the state railroad commission against the granting of a permit to drill for oil and gas in the Hancock private graveyard in the Mexia oil field. The protest is in blue print form, showing the exact position of the derrick, location of each grave, the name of the person buried therein and whether a monument or mere head piece adorns the grave. The nearest grave is but seven feet from one corner of the derrick floor, while another is fifteen feet away.

The commission will give consideration to the application for the permit and also the protest at an open hearing. Owners of the private burying ground seek to develop oil in the plot near the graves, which caused protest from relatives of the dead.

### ANOTHER SOLDIER SAYS HANGING RECORDS LIE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Further testimony relating to the killing of American soldiers at Is-Sur-Tille was given today to the senate committee investigating charges by Senator Watson that soldiers had been executed without trial. The witness, a former service man of Greenville, Miss., declared he had witnessed "ten or twelve" executions while engaged in transporting German prisoners by truck in the vicinity of that place.

War department records previously submitted to the committee showed that only two soldiers were hanged at that place, after conviction by court martial, and gave the total executions in the A. E. F. as eleven, all after formal trial before military courts.

### NORTHWESTERN WANTS BRICKLEY AS HEAD COACH

EVANSTON, Ill., Jan. 5.—Northwestern university officials are awaiting an answer from Charley Brickley to their communication offering the post of head football coach to the former Harvard star.

A definite decision is expected before the end of the week.

### JAPS REFUSE TO ARGUE DEMANDS MADE ON CHINA

Denies Arms Meet Has Right to Discuss Famous "Twenty-One Points."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Japan soon will announce her refusal to have the validity of the famous twenty-one demands on China passed upon by the Washington conference. This announcement probably will be made at the meeting today of the Far Eastern committee of the conference, by Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs Hamihara, one of the Japanese delegates, or possibly by Admiral Baron Kato, chief of the Japanese delegation.

A statement of Japan's case on the twenty-one points has been prepared by the Japanese delegation.

### CHINESE TARIFFS INCREASED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The agreement for an increase of Chinese tariff rates to an effective 5 per cent was adopted by the nine conference powers today, sitting as a committee on Far Eastern questions.

Italy has decided to accept the second Root resolution prohibiting attacks by submarines on merchant craft, provided the French delegation does the same, it was said today in authoritative Italian circles.

All of the great powers approve the program for increasing Chinese revenue, and the Chinese delegation accepted the report.

The Far Eastern committee also adopted resolutions providing for eventual withdrawal of foreign troops from China. Upon the request of the Chinese the resolutions provide for a meeting of the powers with a committee of Chinese at Peking to discuss the troop withdrawal.

### NAVAL COMMITTEE MEETS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A meeting of the five powers naval committee of the arms conference was called for this afternoon. It was considered possible that both submarine regulation proposals and the draft of the naval treaty would be presented for approval to this meeting.

### PLAINVIEW NEGROES OBEY ORDER TO LEAVE

PLAINVIEW, Tex., Jan. 5.—About half of the thirty negroes in Plainview have left town in response to an order sent to them by the "Anti-Negro Association of Plainview."

Although the notice promised violence to all the negroes who did not heed it, there has been no effort to force the remaining blacks from town. Immediately following the appearance of notices demanding that all negroes leave town, a petition was signed by several hundred citizens asking city and county officers to protect the negroes against violence.

It is generally believed that the notices were sent out by an individual or a few boys, instead of an organization as the notices claimed.

### GOVERNMENT TO EXPOSE BIG BOOZE CONSPIRACY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The federal government is ready to expose several big booze rings in various parts of the country. The indictment of a score of individuals and concerns at New York in an alleged conspiracy to withdraw illegally \$10,000,000 worth of whisky from bond, will lead soon to other disclosures of the same kind, officials said today.

### RACE HORSES TO MEXICO.

LAREDO, Jan. 5.—A special train carrying thirty-three fast American race horses passed through Laredo today en route to Mexico City for the race meet of the International Jockey club, beginning next week.

### CORSICANA MAN SHOT.

CORSICANA, Jan. 5.—Jim Crosser, 30, was shot and instantly killed here last night, and R. McCarty is under investigation. It is alleged Crosser attempted to enter a house where McCarty resides.

### THE WEATHER.

Tonight, fair, continued cold; Friday, fair, rising temperature.

### CAP PISTOLS KILL

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 5.—Five deaths have occurred in San Antonio since Christmas as a result of lockjaw caused by burns received by children from firing small cap pistols. Several more have been treated with a serum in time to prevent infection.

### FRENCH STAND ON ARMAMENT BARS ALLIANCE

Briand Told That Cut in Forces Is Only Way to Defensive Pact.

### PARIS, Jan. 5.—Lloyd George at Cannes has agreed to a Franco-British defensive alliance proposed by Premier Briand, provided France will meet Britain's requirements as to disarmament, a correspondent of L'Intransigeant declared today.

France, according to L'Intransigeant, will be required to agree to partial land disarmament, a total naval disarmament and the suppression of submarines.

### THREE-WAY SPLIT WHEN ALLIED COUNCIL MEETS

CANNES, France, Jan. 5.—What Germany is to pay, and when and how was discussed in preliminary parleys of the supreme council today. Strong differences of opinion between the British and French with the Belgians disagreeing with both, developed.

Lloyd George and Briand reached an agreement that Germany must make substantial cash payments in January and February. They were unable to agree concerning August payments or on the order of procedure in the forthcoming conference. The matter of a program was today placed in the hands of experts.

### \$10,000,000 LOSS IN FIRE NEAR LONDON

LONDON, Jan. 5.—More than 700 were rendered homeless today by fire in West Hartlepool, causing damage estimated at 2,000,000 pounds. At noon today the flames were still raging over a wide area, with hundreds of firemen in desperate efforts to check them.

Seventy buildings were reported to have been destroyed by the flames, which started in a lumber yard. The fire was checked this afternoon.

### NEW YORK POLICE PLAN TO DISARM THOUSANDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Police authorities of this city are considering measures looking to the disarmament of Gotham. They have before them newspaper clippings, police reports and hospital records covering the New Year revel, during which the use of pistols was remarkable for a city supposed to be law-abiding.

It was asserted that thousands were carrying firearms, and that an alarming proportion of them were at least potential criminals. Merchants were alleged to have sold weapons without regard for the Sullivan law, and New York gunmen and bandits were said to have no trouble in crossing to New Jersey and stocking up on munitions of war. It seemed probable that some means would be found to break New York of the habit of carrying pistols, but the exact nature of the steps to be taken had not been revealed.

### AIR TANK EXPLOSION KILLS ONE AND INJURES ANOTHER

GREENSBORO, N. C., Jan. 5.—J. Ed Albright, a plumbing contractor, was instantly killed and A. C. Lowe perhaps fatally injured Wednesday when an air tank exploded in a local garage. The blast wrecked the front of the building and shattered windows in near-by structures. The tank, which was carrying a pressure of 200 pounds, according to the garage owner, was being repaired while under pressure.

### Woman Awakens With Bed Clothing on Fire

Eighteen Residents in Dallas Apartment House Driven to Street in Night Clothes When Explosions Set Fire to Plumbing Shop Beneath.

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Eighteen residents of the Flesman apartments were forced to flee in night clothes when the building caught fire early today. The fire started with an explosion in a plumbing shop on the ground floor.

Mrs. L. D. Floyd and two small children were asleep in the apartment directly above. Awakened by the smoke, Mrs. Floyd discovered that the flames had eaten through the floor and set the bed clothing on fire. She picked up her children and ran screaming into the hall. Awakened by her screams, the other residents, scantily clad, fled to the street.

After a series of explosions, the flames were gotten under control. The damage was estimated as several thousand dollars.

### CHICAGO BANDITS SHOOT THREE WITHOUT WARNING; GET \$12,000

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—John Stoefel, president of the Maywood State bank, was shot and killed and Lewis Sweeney, chief of police of the suburb, and Arthur Benson, a bank messenger, were wounded today when five bandits robbed them of a \$12,000 payroll.

The bandits did not give the three men a chance to throw up their hands. They ordered the payroll to stop and as it came to a halt, opened fire, killing Stoefel almost instantly. Sweeney was shot under the right arm and Benson in the side. The latter is seriously injured.

The entire robbery occupied less than three minutes. The robbers drove toward Chicago in their automobile. Sweeney, despite his wound, ran two blocks to the bank and turned in the alarm. Chicago police sent out three rifle squads and placed guards on all roads leading toward Maywood.

### TRADER KILLED ON FLOOR OF K. C. STOCK EXCHANGE

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 5.—Harry Bruner, yard trader at the Kansas City stockyards, was killed, and two bystanders seriously wounded in a shooting affray on the crowded floor of the stock exchange today.

Frank Thompson, a speculator, fired the shots during an argument over a speculation debt, it was reported to police.

### MID-KANSAS COMPANY MAKES FOUR LOCATIONS SOUTH OF ELIASVILLE

ELIASVILLE, Jan. 5.—As a result of drilling deeper and shooting, the G. W. Hill No. 8 of the Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas company has increased its flow from 120 to 1,000 barrels daily. This well is in the south Eliasville field, in the vicinity of the Newell lease.

The Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas company began the new year with four new locations and three new rigs in the south and west Eliasville fields. The Empire company has been on the ground to start a test on the Flipping lease, west of Woodson. The Humble Oil & Refining company reports a location on the Singleton lease, east of Woodson.

The Wichita Falls Development company is preparing to drill near Lusk.

### BANKER TELLS FARMERS TO PLANT LESS COTTON

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—Farmers of the South have the opportunity of changing the credit system of this country, and make cotton a real cash crop for America instead of for England, Nathan Adams, Dallas banker, said in an address before the convention of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation here today. This can be done by planting only 80 per cent of the world's needs, he added.

Reports read before the convention today from several Texas counties indicated good progress for the co-operative selling movement.

### ANOTHER ARGONNE VET ACCUSES VIRGINIA MAJOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Once more the finger of accusation was pointed today at Major H. L. Opie of Staunton, Va., charged before the senate investigating committee with killing three American soldiers in France.

Lemuel O. Smith of Dublin, Va., testified he and three other soldiers entered a dugout in the Argonne in October, 1918, just in time to see Opie kill "Bill" Woolwine of Bradford, Va., an army runner.

### NAME SHERIFF, TWO OFFICIALS OF HEALDTON

Cases Come to Trial Jan. 16; Suspension Not Asked by State.

ARDMORE, Okla., Jan. 5.—Ouster proceedings were filed in district court here this morning by E. L. Fulton, assistant attorney general, against "Buck" Garrett, sheriff of Carter county; J. H. Langston, mayor of Healdton, and Lem Bates, chief of police at Healdton.

The petition against Garrett contains four counts, while that against the Healdton officials contains three. Garrett's removal is asked on the following charges, and the first three apply to Langston and Bates:

Failure to enforce the prohibition laws.

Failure to enforce the gambling laws.

Failure to enforce the law prohibiting the operation of immoral resorts.

Assisting the defense in the case of the State vs. Mrs. Ernest Ford, charged with assaulting Mrs. C. A. Casey, by furnishing funds for the pay of attorneys.

Yesterday evening before leaving Oklahoma City for Ardmore, Fulton had confidentially announced that he would also file an ouster suit against R. W. Hightight, chief of police here. After a review of the city charter, however, Fulton said he had found that the city manager is responsible for law enforcement here and that there is no reference to assignment of this duty to the chief of police. This being the case, no charges will be filed against Hightight.

The cases are tentatively set for trial before Special Judge Oldfield of Oklahoma City in district court here on Jan. 16. Suspension of the officers named will not be asked until the trials begin, Fulton announced.

### FOUR AUSTIN OFFICERS WAIVE EXAMINING TRIAL

AUSTIN, Jan. 5.—The four Austin officers charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Peeler Clayton, taxicab driver, last month in an alley near "Ku Klux hall," waived examining trial this morning and were bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

John E. Shelton, attorney for Barney Blount and "Chicken" Childress, the men in the auto with Clayton when he was killed, announced, however, that an alley near "Ku Klux hall" was ready to stand examining trial. Justice of the Peace Johnson set their examining trials for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, the postponement being made on account of the prosecutor's inability to appear today.

The four officers who waived trial are: E. L. Young, chief of detectives; Bissett Miles, federal prohibition agent; W. E. Mayberry, custodian of Camp Mabry, and J. L. McNeil, patrolman of the Austin police force.

The grand jury convenes on Feb. 6. At that time that body will also investigate the charges against seventeen citizens of Austin, also charged with Clayton's murder, who recently waived examining trial.

### 50 KILLED IN EXPLOSION ON GREEK WARSHIP

ATHENS, Jan. 5.—Fifty officers and men were reported killed and more than a score injured in an explosion aboard the Greek destroyer Leon, in Piereas harbor. The stern of the vessel was badly damaged and two vessels nearby, the Iteax and the cruiser Pieria, were damaged.

The Leon, which was built in 1911, had a displacement of 1,175 tons and carried a crew of 110.

### POET URGES RETIREMENT OF RICH AMERICANS AT 50

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—John Cowper Powys, British poet, advocated that every American business man of this country who had an income of \$10,000 a year should be forced to retire at the age of 50 and pursue a hobby. Mr. Powys spoke at the Philadelphia Forum.

"Americans are not pleasure loving," he said. "Every man works, and I have found only two men in this country who had really lived and had never worked. It was like finding printresses on the Atlantic ocean. The Americans are not dollar-loving, as has often been said. You are generous, far more so than the English. We in England are always looking forward to the day when we can retire and live for pleasure. There is no such air in America."



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LOWER PRICES.

"Why don't you jump on so and so and make them cut their prices?" is a query hurled at the Times every once in a while, as some fellow strokes his freshly smoothed chin or crunches a bit of ice just drained from a glass or turns off the light which no one is using.

This expression of confidence in the Times' power to right all wrongs is complimentary, to be sure, and it is true that the power of publicity can oftentimes bring about the reduction of prices and other readjustments.

But on the other hand, this is a power that must be used with discretion, lest injustices be done those against whom a campaign is waged. There may be contributing causes to higher prices here than elsewhere that are not recognized by the general public. These causes may be remedial; then again they may not be. It is entirely possible that the cause is well to the rear of the economic structure and that men against whom complaint is made are caught in the grip of circumstances and cannot remain in business if prices are lowered.

However, it is a fact that prices here for various services and commodities are higher than in neighboring towns. They are higher than in Mexico and other towns now in the boom stage, it is said, and it would seem that those most concerned should take steps to get in line. Volume of business is generally the accepted method of making profits, rather than big profits on smaller sales. High prices will cost the town customers from outside, and also will cost a lot of customers who live here but refrain from spending.

Those lines of business whose prices are materially higher than in Eastland, Cisco, Breckenridge and Fort Worth, should come down or prove their case to the public.

Six years is usually a sufficient term to enable a United States senator to demonstrate his unfitness, and sometimes a senator of Tom Watson's ability can turn the trick in six months.—Columbia Record.

As guests at the wedding of the Princess Mary will be the kings of Spain, Belgium, Norway, Italy and Denmark. In fact, about all the kings that are left in the deck.—Cleveland Plaindealer.

Our subscriber at Noah's, Ark., wants to know whether, if Japan is allowed to keep the battleship Mutsu, Uncle Sam will be allowed to build a Jeffsu.—Arkansas Gazette.

There may be some arguments for abolishing lynching by Federal law, but there are also arguments against lynching the constitution.—Charleston News and Courier.

Dr. Bishop says exercise will kill all germs. But the trouble is to get the darned things to exercise.—Tampa Times.

Probably no other motorists feels quite so virtuous as the one who had his sister with him when the accident happened.—Ohio State Journal.

DEBS' FIRST DAY AT HOME



This specially posed photograph of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene V. Debs was taken in their home at Terre Haute, Ind., immediately after the arrival there of Mr. Debs from Atlanta prison.

TRUCK TRANSPORTATION WILL CUT R. R. FORCES HERE, OFFICIALS SAY

A reduction in the force of 143 railroad and express company employees in Ranger is threatened by the advent of a truck line into Ranger from Fort Worth, according to representations made at the Chamber of Commerce and at the Retail Merchants' association yesterday by transportation agents. The road and express officials state that the truck company in question has been operating one freight truck a day into Ranger since Christmas. It is pointed out that the employees of the Texas & Pacific, the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Ft. Worth and the American Railway Express company are all citizens of Ranger, spending their salaries here and paying local taxes and that they will be affected by the diverting of transportation from the railroads and express lines.

The letter as presented to the Retail Merchants' association this morning follows: "Gentlemen: The railroads and the express companies are a part of your city, they have to sell transportation, based on service. They are among the largest taxpayers of your city, which includes the school tax, going toward the education of the children of Ranger.

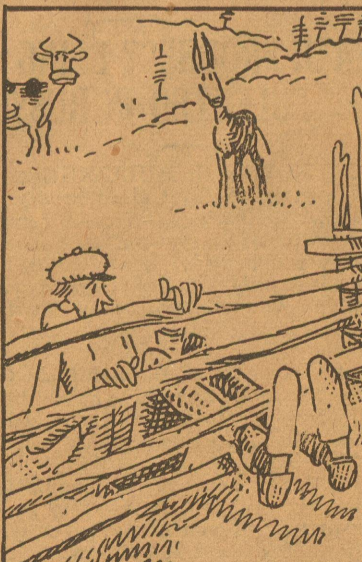
ATLANTA, GA., MAN WILL MANAGE TEMPLE THEATRE; GOOD PICTURES COMING

W. W. Grist, Jr., formerly of the headquarters of the Southern Enterprises in Atlanta, Ga., today took over the management of the Temple theatre here, one of the chain of several hundred theatres operated over the country by the company. Mr. Grist succeeds C. C. Peters who has been in charge of the local theatre for the last two months. Mr. Peters will return to the Dallas office of the company.

Recent releases which have been booked for the Temple for the near future include "The Sheik," "The Call of the North," "Conflict," and "Don't Tell Everything," the latter picture featuring Wallace Reid and Gloria Swanson.

DOG HILL PARAGRAPHS

By GEORGE BINGHAM



Slim Pickens tried to crawl through a crack in the fence the other day instead of climbing over, and would have been successful had not it been for his feet.

Frisby Hancock says he has not been anywhere in so long he don't believe he would know a stranger if he saw one.

Tobe Moseley observes that it is the great American custom to tell a visitor you are sorry to see him go, and to hurry back, when in fact you have been trying to wish him away for a half hour.

DARWIN WRONG ABOUT ORIGIN, SAYS SCIENTIST

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—Prof. William Bateson, world famous English biologist, threw a bombshell into the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science here by declaring that it was impossible for scientists any longer to agree with Charles Darwin's theory of the origin of species.

He declared that while forty years ago the Darwin theory was accepted without question, today scientists had come to a point where they were unable to offer any explanation of the genesis of species.

Professor Bateson admitted that his words marked him down as an agnostic, but maintained there was nothing left for the scientist of today but agnosticism or, as he called it, "obscurantism."

He said, however, that the doubt of Darwin's correctness extended only to the great scientist's theory of genesis and by no means included that concerning the general truth of the principle of evolution.

He declared that obscurantism—a plain confession of ignorance of the manner of the beginnings of species—will come to the scientist's rescue, filling in the breach opened to the "enemies of science," through tearing down the Darwinian theory.

SOLAR SYSTEM OUT OF ORDER, SCIENTIST SAYS

SWARTHMORE, Pa., Jan. 5.—"Something is wrong with the solar system," Dr. Ernst W. Brown, head of the mathematics department of Yale university, told members of the American Astronomical society in session at Swarthmore college.

"Either the earth's rate of rotation is slowing or the moon is moving faster,"

This conclusion was reached by Professor Brown when he observed that days were becoming longer. This fact, long suspected and now verified beyond reasonable doubt, the Yale mathematician declared, amounted to less than one thousandth of a second a year, he declared, but it was decidedly annoying to men of science, who based their calculations on the regularity of the various units of the solar system.

Invention of the microscope and the telescope, chief instruments of the observatory, were discussed by William Roman Newbold, professor of philosophy at the University of Pennsylvania. By deciphering the Voynich manuscript of Roger Bacon, he declared, he had found unmistakable evidence that Bacon, in the thirteenth century, possessed a lens and mirror, and had learned the theory of microscopes and telescopes from Robert Grosseteste, bishop of Lincoln.

Dr. John Dee, Queen Elizabeth's private physician and astrologer, and Leonard Diggs, another Englishman, who lived about 1571, had crude telescopes, according to Professor Newbold.

Taking advantage of the assembling of more than sixty astronomers, members of the naval observatory staff requested information about "S Pyxidis," also known as "Variable Star 090024." Pyxidis, they said, was difficult to observe, and they desired the advantage of any information other members of the society had gathered.

ALLIES MUST RECOGNIZE VALIDITY OF U. S. LOANS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The validity of all the United States loans to foreign governments must be recognized and established before the United States will in any way participate in an international financial conference, it was made known here today.

LITERARY BEGGAR LOOKS LIKE REGULAR BUM TO COPS

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Jan. 5.—A demand that the police magistrate and the chief of police be dismissed has been placed before the city council by relatives of Theodore Holmes, Boston youth and son of a prominent manufacturer, who, seeking "color" for a story of adventure, was caught begging in Colorado Springs recently. Young Holmes, who is but 19 years of age, spent three days in jail, he asserts, was forced to associate with vile criminals, and vermin got into the seams of his clothing, and all the time the police refused to allow him to communicate with relatives in Colorado Springs. The youth is a grandson of General W. R. Robbins of Chicago.

The police claim they caught the youngster begging in alleys in the business district near some jewelry and drug stores and took no chances with him.

Young Holmes has given up his literary career and is now en route back to Boston.

BILL TO REDUCE ARMY AND NAVY IS OFFERED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A bill proposing to reduce the personnel of the army, commissioned and listed included, to 75,000 and of the navy to 50,000, was introduced Wednesday by Senator King, Democrat, of Utah. The bill provides that the secretaries of war and navy "shall adopt immediately" such measures as may be necessary to carry out the decrease.

FIVE RECORDS BROKEN BY U. S. AIRMEN DURING YEAR



The feat of Stinson and Bertaud marks the fifth world's record made by American airmen during 1921. Lieutenant McCready of the army, on Sept. 28 drove an airplane to the height of 37,800 feet. Lieutenant-Commander David McCullough in a Loening monoplane flying boat made an altitude of 19,500 feet, carrying four persons. Bert Acosta drove a Curtiss navy racer in Omaha last September for 150 miles at an average of 176.3 miles an hour. Sergeant Chambers of Fort Sill, Lawton, Okla., on Nov. 1 dropped 26,000 feet in a parachute in eighteen minutes. The navy dirigible C-7, piloted by Lieutenant-Commander R. F. Wood, on Dec. 2 made three flights with the first use of helium. So 1921 has been a record year for American aviation.

PET RATTLESNAKE PRICES RISE AS COLD CUTS DOWN SUPPLY

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Rattlesnakes have gone up in price, which means more sad news for the public, according to "Rattlesnake Pete" Gruber. The reason for the sad news, Pete says, is because the supply of rattlesnakes is giving out. "Five or six years ago," Pete said Wednesday, "I could have purchased a den of them for \$100; this morning I paid \$300 for a den." Cold weather is affecting the rattlesnakes, Pete says, and they are dying fast. Out of fifty snakes he had a month ago only three remain.

WANT STRONGER DRY LAWS FOR NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Anti-Saloon league announced yesterday its program for the coming legislative session in Albany consists of three bills which will amend laws governing cities, villages and towns as to permit the legislative board of each locality "to enact ordinances in aid of the enforcement of any statute of the state or the United States and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof."

The amendments are intended primarily to enable individual communities to swing in behind the federal and state prohibition laws and enforce them as drastically as they see fit. If the amendments go through the legislature, it will be possible for the town of Wickopee or Spuggs Hollow to provide a jail penalty for an automobilist passing through who is caught with a bottle in his car. The league made it plain that it intends to make a big issue of the proposed amendments and that, irrespective of party, senators or assemblymen who decline to support them are to be subjected to the same tactics that have whipped legislators into line in times past.

BILL LIMITS SENATE AND HOUSE CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Election campaign expenditures of candidates for the senate would be limited to \$25,000 and those of candidates for the house in no case could exceed \$4,000 under a corrupt practice bill introduced by Representative Cable, Republican, Ohio.

The maximums are to be reckoned on a basis of 3 cents to a voter up to the \$25,000 and \$4,000 limits.

OKLAHOMA REFINERIES GET LOWER FREIGHT RATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The interstate commerce commission yesterday refused to suspend operation of a reduction recently ordered on petroleum and its products from Oklahoma points to gulf ports for export purposes. As the result of the commission's refusal to suspend the reduction, which on the average cut the rate from 34 cents to 24 cents a hundred pounds it will go into effect at midnight. Protest against the rate was made by Louisiana refineries.

TWO SISTERS BURNED TO DEATH AT CAIRO

CAIRO, Ill., Jan. 5.—Marie Hogan, 17, and Gladys Hogan, 9, sisters, were burned to death here in a fire which police ascribed to explosion of a still. The blaze destroyed the home of Dennis E. Hogan, father of the girls, who conducted a grocery store.

POSTAGE FROM PETROGRAD TO NEW YORK IS 10,000 RUBLES

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Postage from Petrograd to New York is 10,000 rubles, it was shown today, when L. Krause, a resident of the Bronx, received a letter bearing ten 1,000 ruble stamps. The ruble at normal exchange was worth 51 1/2 cents.

OHIO PREACHER TO HEAD POLICE IN YOUNGSTOWN

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Rev. Levi G. Bateman, pastor of the First Christian church, today received an offer of the post of safety director from Mayor-elect George I. Oles. He had not decided tonight whether or not he would accept.

The mayor-elect offered the post of service director to Charles F. Sheibi, incumbent for the past two years.

Rev. Mr. Bateman has been a leader in civic reform movements for a number of years.

"I desire a man of action, a man with the punch, not a passive well-wisher," Mr. Oles said in discussing the appointment. "He not only must mean well, but must know what is going on and be on the job two jumps ahead of the trickster who is trying to shove something over in police affairs."

"For this reason I have given more thought to the selection of a safety director than to any other appointment. I have laid aside personal, political and all other considerations except the public good, and have sought a man especially fitted for the work."

"As a candidate for the mayoralty I promised that I would clean up the city. This promise was made in previous campaigns, but never kept. It is professed to discuss the causes of these failures, but it is a plain, brutal, sorrowful fact that, for years, the self-respecting residents of this city have been forced to apologize at home and abroad for Youngstown's political and moral reputation. Bootlegging, gambling, immorality and graft have gone on unchecked, if not unmolested."

"It was resentment against this situation that caused the right-thinking voters of Youngstown to rise up at the last election, strike down the political bosses and rebuke political parties. They elected me in the hope, I believe I can say without egotism, that I was sincere in what I said."

"I was. Crime and immorality must go. The parasites who thrive on moral rotteness and lawbreaking must be jailed, driven out or drowned. Youngstown must be made a city where the self-respecting man, his wife, his son and his daughter may live."

"To accomplish this I must have at the head of the safety department a man who subscribes to the above belief, whom no one would dare try to bribe, who would reject any plea for a concession to lawbreaking, who is proof against the demands of special privilege, and whose appointment automatically would close the door to crooks, high and low."

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FRIDAY'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Young Matron's club will meet with Mrs. L. A. Vandervoort. Friday Bridge club meets with Mrs. J. B. Haden.

BRIDGE AT THE GHOLSON.

One of the most attractive parties of the season was that given by Mrs. William Conway and E. A. Ernst at the Gholson, Wednesday afternoon. Spring smiled in the lap of winter, for all of her first-born children were there.

Bridge was the diversion for the afternoon, and Mrs. Howard Cole, Jr., made high score, receiving as the first prize a set of coffee spoons.

Those invited were: Mmes. Frank Brahaney, Walter Brahaney, George Taggart, Sickler, Carl Jensen, E. J. Barnes, O. L. Phillips, Skillern, C. H. Moffett, Harold Whitbeck, W. J. Clunney, L. J. Thompson, Bergere, Leo Parr, R. D. Lavery, M. H. Hagan, L. A. Vandervoort, A. Orth, C. C. Craig, W. H. Burden, Arthur Kinard, William Cunningham of Cisco, Ermi Jones of Cisco, A. G. Jury, R. C. McCoy, M. H. Clark, Howard Gholson, S. Lavery, Lytton R. Taylor, Earl Taylor, L. L. Reator, A. N. Harkrider, J. E. T. Lavery, S. W. Bobo, John Gholson, E. C. Crawford, Virgil Williams, G. C. Barkley, Howard Cole, Jr., H. H. Maddern, George Sturgis, Lloyd Rhoades, Chas. Conley, Garrett Bohning, T. L. Lauderdale, J. T. Gullhorn, Frank Champion, Cabe Terrell, Vincent Wakefield, D. M. Steele, Fred Turney, H. C. Coomer, W. M. Crabtree, H. Farquhar, William Frost, W. E. McMullen, J. C. Pullen, M. Leveille, J. B. Haden, Ed Maher, S. Kelley, Holoran of Breckenridge, Karl Jones, Clark of Mineral Wells, Fred Hailey, Blair, Harry Reid, Moore, Yonkers, Saunders Gregg, Roberts, Louis Lay, M. H. Smith, Misses Douschka Bobo and Margaret Lavery.

AMUSU CLUB MEETS.

The Amusu club had a very delightful meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. B. Scott on Walnut street. Bridge was played and Mrs. Josephine Endicott received the high score prize and Mrs. J. Edward Liles the consolation.

Those present were: Mmes. J. Edward Liles, C. S. Clark, C. H. Dean, Ira Nourse, Josephine Endicott, Donald Lander, John Moyer and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. Edward Liles at the Teal hotel.

1922 SOCIAL.

Forty or more guests were present last night at the 1922 social given at the home of the Rev. J. G. Winsett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, at 305 Fannin street.

MARSHMALLOW FEAST.

Last Friday evening Miss Fannie Lois Cox entertained a few of her friends. Marshmallows were toasted over large bonfires built in the yard, after which many interesting games were played.

After all had played until they were tired, refreshments were served to the following: Misses Geraldine Dabney of Eastland, Imogene Sedenburg, Grace Bales, Annie and Beulah Geyton; Messrs. Jack Neimeyer of Marshall, Karl Rethouser, Roy Grubbs of Eliasville, J. C. Geyton.

ELECTRIC LINE TO BE BUILT THROUGH WYOMING-OIL FIELDS

CASPER, Wyo., Jan. 5.—A staff of engineers are expected to arrive here at any time to start surveys for the proposed electric railroad line from Rawlins to Sheridan.

The proposed line would run from Rawlins to Casper by the shortest feasible route and then would extend northward to Sheridan via the Salt Creek field, Kaycee and Buffalo.

MAROONED FARMER USES SHOVEL TO PADDLE ASHORE

BOWLING GREEN, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Marooned in the middle of Maumee river, while attempting to ford the stream with a team of horses and an empty box wagon, Dallas Buchanan, farmer of Grand Rapids, was telling his friends today that he worked the wagon box free from the gears and paddled his way ashore with a scoop shovel.



The pomp and ceremony of old featured the arrival of the Royal Family of England at the opening session of parliament, where the Anglo-Irish treaty was ratified. The above photographs show the state coach, bearing King George and Queen and Princess Mary, passing the Mall, London. Mrs. Margot Asquith, wife of the former premier, Ambassador Harvey and the Marchioness of Queensberry, shown below, were among the notables who attended the session.

NEW PORTRAIT OF PRINCESS MARY



A new portrait of Princess Mary, the only daughter of the King and Queen of Great Britain. Her engagement to Viscount Lascelles has been announced, and, according to latest reports, her fiancé, Viscount Lascelles, may be named the first governor-general of Ireland, which will make Princess Mary, after her marriage, the "First Lady of Ireland."

LIP OF NEW DOLLAR'S MISS LIBERTY BITTEN BY CHIGGER, THEY SAY

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Leave it to New York to find fault with perfection.

Miss Liberty, whose regular profile adorns the new peace dollar, 75-000 of which have just been released in New York, is being criticized for having her cameo made with her mouth open. And, putting the magnifying glass to the dollar, New Yorkers complained that the girl's upper lip seems to have been bitten by a chigger, for it projects quite beyond her lower lip, apparently swollen.

However, New York was mighty glad to greet the new dollar. While the dollars were being issued in their limited number at the United States subtreasury in Wall street, a long file of men, women and boys of all stations in life waited their turns at the window to receive not more than one dollar each—in return for another dollar. "Repeaters" who went back to the end of the file and worked forward again to receive another were yanked out of the line by the guards on being recognized.

LIVE EEL IN WATER PIPE GETS LANDLORD ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A misguided fresh water eel which probably traveled scores of miles in piping from a reservoir in the Catskills before it reached the metropolis, brought Samuel Carner, a landlord, before Magistrate Cobb in the municipal court Wednesday.

Carner was charged with failure to provide water for tenants on the fifth floor of his apartment house in East Twenty-eighth street. He explained he had sent for a plumber when the water supply failed and that the plumber took out a section of pipe in the cellar and found the eel alive and wriggling.

"Did you eat it?" Magistrate Cobb asked.

Carner said he did.

"Case dismissed," said the court.

PARTY TO EXCHANGE MISFIT CHRISTMAS GIFTS SUCCESS

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—A bargain party for the exchange of undesired Christmas presents was held Wednesday night at the Woman's City club. It was a merry party and everybody got rid of their misfit gifts.

This trading scheme, when first proposed by women who maintained that Santa Claus was human and liable to mistakes drew loud protests from sentimental folk, but bold practicality won.

ARMY WANTS GAME WITH TEX. A. & M. FOOTBALLERS

DALLAS, Jan. 5.—The Texas Aggies have been offered a game with the West Point eleven for next year by coach Charles Daly, according to A. & M. officials. The University of California and St. Mary's team have also asked for games. It is likely that the army game will be accepted, provided a suitable date can be arranged on the West Point schedule.

WOMAN FATALLY SHOT IN PLAYFUL SCUFFLE

SANGER, Texas, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Chandler, 25, wife of Charles Chandler, a highway contractor, was shot shortly after noon Wednesday and so dangerously injured that she died two hours later, while engaged in a friendly scuffle with two young men acquaintances over possession of a revolver. The accident happened at a good roads camp four miles west of here, near Bolivar. The bullet found lodgment in the woman's stomach.

DEBUTANTE STEPDAUGHTER OF CUBAN PRESIDENT TO WED



Senorita Rita Gomez Colon, daughter of Senora Zayas, wife of the Cuban president, has announced her engagement to Senor Guido Colli, prominent in Havana society. The marriage will take place some time in the early spring, and they will spend their honeymoon in the United States. Senorita Colon is a great admirer of the American people and has visited New York on several occasions. She is a gifted musician, being a graduate of Solico, and her ambition is to become a concert pianist. She speaks several languages and was educated in Havana's famous Convent of the Sacred Heart.

BRET HARTE'S DAUGHTER IS ASYLUM INMATE

Whereabouts Disclosed When She Interrupts Showing of "Tennessee's Partner."

OGDENBURG, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The sudden and dramatic interruption of the showing of the film version of "Tennessee's Partner," at the St. Lawrence hospital for the insane revealed to the world that Jessamy Bret Harte Steele, elder of the two daughters of Francis Bret Harte, world-famous author of western stories, is an inmate of the institution.

Rising from her seat, one of the women, known only as Mrs. Steele, cried out: "My father! My father!" The entertainment had to be suspended until she could be calmed. A little later, swinging to another extreme of emotion, she demanded the immediate services of an attorney to bring suit against the moving picture company, which, she claimed, had adapted her father's literary production without paying her the royalties which were her lawful right.

So it was brought to light a tragedy which had been kept quiet by the few who knew. It includes a divorce obtained in Yonkers from her husband, Henry Milford Steele, a stay in the city alms house of Portland, Maine, a renewal of gay life in New York, and eventually commitment to the psychopathic ward of Bellevue hospital with transfers first to the central Islip hospital on Long Island.

DISCOVERY DISTINCT SHOCK TO LITERARY MEN

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Discovery that the favorite daughter of Bret Harte, Mrs. Jessamy Bret Harte Steele, has been an inmate of an asylum for the insane in Ogdenburg, N. Y., for the last five years, came as a distinct shock to literary men here.

New York admirers of the author started an inquiry as to whether steps could be taken to have her liberated, or if there were any chance of a cure being effected. Great concern was expressed at the Salamagundi and Grotier clubs, frequented by bibliophiles.

The disclosure of her tragic condition came to New York at a time when thousands of her father's books were being read during the holiday season. Booksellers had reported an unprecedented sale of the "Luck of the Roaring Camp" and other masterpieces.

POT OF GOLD UNEARTHED ON OLD PLANTATION

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Jan. 5.—Several days ago three strange men from the North came to this city with what appeared to be a light camping outfit, suit cases, rods, etc. They hired an automobile at the union station, piled their outfit in it and went out to Lane's farm, two miles south of this city, an old "foe de war" plantation.

Persons living in the neighborhood watched the three strangers and saw them going about from place to place measuring with their rods. At last they came to a halt and commenced digging.

After digging five or six feet down in the ground they came to what they were looking for—a pot of gold said to have contained \$50,000 or more. The gold was quickly placed in their suitcases, they hurried back to Goldsboro that night, boarded a northbound train and left for parts unknown. After the strangers left, the people who had been watching them hurried to the scene, and found that they had dug deep down in the ground until they came to what may have been a concrete vault, built before the Civil war, where the pot of gold had been buried for many, many years.

TUBERCULOSIS DEATH SHOWS BIG DECREASE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Deaths from tuberculosis in the "registration area" of the United States during 1920 totaled nearly 100,000, the census bureau announced Wednesday, estimating that the mortality from this one cause in the entire country was 122,000. This would indicate a reduction of 10,000 from the total of the previous year, it was said.

SALE OF BEER AND WINE URGED BY MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 5.—Milwaukee's city council has gone on record in favor of direct action by congress to legalize the sale of wine and beer. A resolution embodying this request was adopted, 29 to 1.

The resolution quoted municipal and district records as showing an increase of crime here since the adoption of prohibition, and hospital records were cited to show that use of deleterious and unlawful beverages had resulted in a marked increase of insanity and certain types of disease.

Alderman John Koerner, supporting the measure, stated that records of the sheriff's office showed 1,698 arrests for drunkenness in 1920 in Milwaukee county and 3,105 for the first ten months of 1921.

REGULAR ARMY COLONEL DEFENDS 35TH'S RECORD IN ARGONNE SCRAP

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—The so-called fiasco of the Thirty-fifth division, A. E. F., on Sept. 29, 1918, and its withdrawal for "reorganization" after

failing to accomplish its objective and the responsibility of the failure of the offensive, was discussed yesterday by Col. C. H. Lanza, U. S. A., before a meeting of American Historical association at the Jefferson Memorial.

The performance of the Thirty-fifth division came up for discussion during a session on "Military History," which occupied a place on the convention program of the association.

The division was composed largely of Missouri and Kansas men, supplemented in France by a small body from other parts of the country.

Says Everybody Blundered.

That "everybody blundered," and that direct responsibility could be placed with no single command, were the conclusions drawn by Col. Lanza. He illustrated his complete report on the operation with lantern slides, showing the field of operations and road communications, now on file at the war department, in support of his account of what really happened.

Col. Lanza denied that there was any panic, that companies meeting suicidal resistance merely retired to positions they could not hold. He contended that, in the main, the Thirty-fifth made the best of an intolerable situation.

"The offensive failed," he said, because the Thirty-fifth division was not ready for front line fighting, because it had not properly prepared offensive, and no liaison with which to act as a unit. The order issued by the general commanding the first army, retiring the division for reorganization, was the only thing which could have been done under the circumstances.

"Division Far From Ready."

He stated that the division was far from being ready when transferred from the quiet sector in the Vosges mountains to an important line on the right bank of the Aisne river.

He declared further, that a complete misunderstanding of the nature of the attack caused the staff of the First Army to order a "pursuit offensive," instead of a well-supported advance, and that the corps, brigade and division staffs did not have concerted orders, and were wholly lacking in communication facilities. He said also that the division artillery support, which was given, was so poorly placed that the infantry was forced to advance without barrage protection.

FRECKLED PINK SHOULDERS WIN VERDICT AGAINST BEAUTY PARLOR



Miss Grace Naughton owned a pair of freckled, pink shoulders, and a beauty doctor said that she could remove the freckles and tried to. The beauty doctor failed, so Miss Naughton brought suit in the Small Claims court of San Francisco for the recovery of the amount of money she paid, alleging that the freckles stayed put. The judge took a peep at the uncovered shoulders of the fair damsel and marked them "Exhibits A and B" and rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. The exhibits are modestly shown here, but a nifty fur cloak prevents a too-curious gaze.

EVIDENCE IN DIFFERENT BOTTLE; CASE DISMISSED

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—James Baker, 22, who was arrested Dec. 17 at the Casino club, gathering place of society was discharged Wednesday from Judge John K. Brindville's court where he was arraigned on a charge of violating the prohibition law. A bottle of whisky was alleged to have been taken from Baker. His counsel contended that the detective who arrested Baker was an uninvited guest. He also said the contents of the bottle was taken to be analyzed and when returned was in a different bottle.

"How do you know it's the same stuff?" Baker's counsel asked.

"Dismissed," replied Judge Brindville.

Dr. Amy Kankonen, recently elected mayor of Fairport, Ohio, is perhaps the youngest mayor as well as the only woman mayor in the United States. She was the youngest woman to be graduated from the Women's medical college of Pennsylvania and during the war was a member of the Volunteer Medical Service Corps of the United States army.

William H. Shelton, a collector of rare American books, said: "There will be universal regret at this sorrowful disclosure. If there is anything Bret Harte's admirers can do for her it will be done."

People do not take much time to look at a perfect piece of machinery or an architectural masterpiece, but they enjoy standing around viewing the remains of a wreck.—Toledo Blade.

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—By Billy De Beck

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FOR SALE—Buick, 5 passenger, excellent condition; nearly new tires; bargain at \$300. Leveille-Maher Motor Co., phone 217, P. O. box 4.

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18—WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—A chance to buy your second-hand furniture. We have moved to 121 N. Austin; phone 276, New and Second-hand Store.

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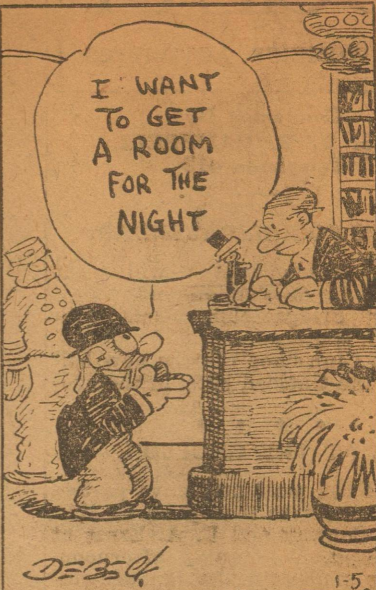
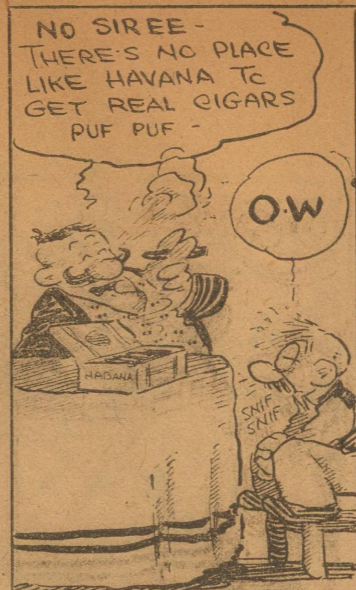
WANT TO TRADE—One five-room house and lot in Ranger, close in, strictly modern; worth \$2,750; will rent for \$35 to \$40; one 160-acre farm in Beckham county, Okla., worth \$40 an acre; 92 acres in cultivation; well and windmill; one 40-acre lease in Eastland county, 2 miles southwest of Nimrod in Rising Star field, Block 3. Will trade for good farm, valued around \$10,000. All this stuff is clear of debt and has perfect abstracts to date. No commission to real estate men. Address "H," care Times.

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FACULTY ORDERS COLLEGE "GHOST" TO VANISH



"The Ghost," a publication of the students at George Washington university, Washington, D. C., which has shocked not only President Howard L. Hodgkins and noted women club leaders at the capital has been banned by the college head, but not before 200 copies of the paper had been sold. The president was amazed when he received his copy and glanced over it. On the cover was a drawing of a young lady who was anything but modest. But on the inside such pictures as Modern Egypt and the Peeling of the Belles made the president gasp for breath. However, the board of spirits which edits the publication are indignant over the president's ban, and they say that The Ghost is no snapper than Froth, the Punchbowl and other college publications. The above photographs show the cover of The Ghost, to which exception was taken, and below is Miss Winifred De Voe, artist student whose spicy pictures on the inside pages shocked President Hodgkins.



Miss Winifred De Voe.

PRISONERS LOST IN OHIO PEN UNEARTHED BY PARDON BOARD

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 5.—The records of all Ohio penal institutions should be gone over carefully to unearth names of the men buried there, Rev. James S. Rutledge, ousted head of the Ohio pardon and parole board, told members of the Women's Political league here today. A man originally sent to prison on a boxcar robbery charge, who had been there for twenty-seven years, was unearthed by the board, Dr. Rutledge said. The convict originally entered the prison under an assumed name, Dr. Rutledge said, and merely was "lost."

This was one of the "abuses" that the minister, who asserted that he was unsoured by his experience in handling the release of prisoners from the Ohio state penitentiary, the Marysville reformatory for women, and the Maysfield reformatory for male offenders less than 30 years old, declared should be stopped for an efficient and effective handling of the criminal question in Ohio. "In the idle house at Columbus hundreds of men try to pass days with nothing to do, sitting on chairs, silent and motionless," Rev. Mr. Rutledge asserted. Asked by his women auditors what was to prevent these men being used in shops or at other employment he said that labor unions stringently had opposed the use of convict labor in any occupation that would compete with "free" labor. Fears among politicians prevented any effort to override this insistence against competition by prison labor, he said. Of 730 prisoners at Mansfield 37 to 40 per cent were from Cleveland, of 2,700 at Columbus, 800 were from Cuyahoga county, and 220 women at Marysville, seventy-six were from Cleveland, according to his figures. Four hundred young men on parole from Mansfield were in Cleveland, he said, with one parole officer to keep track of them. This officer had to care for Akron, Youngstown and practically all Northeastern Ohio, he said.

Dr. Crafts Asks Methodists' Aid in Improved Program for World Purity

By International News Service NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Dr. Wilbur F. (Freedom) Crafts, head of the International Reform bureau, declared reforms "are gems in the cross of Christ" and submitted a comprehensive program for betterment of mankind before a gathering of Methodist ministers here. It includes: 1. An effort to induce the nations represented at the armament conference to adopt international prohibition after they have finished a discussion of "war problems." 2. The passage by congress of a bill prohibiting marriages for thirty days after the announcement of an engagement, "so it will be impossible for an actress to get the son of a rich man drunk and marry him before he gets sober." 3. The adoption of an amendment to the federal constitution for a uniform divorce law similar to the present New York statute. 4. A fight against nude pictures "that put beauty above duty" and against newspapers and magazines publishing them and the publication

PROGRAM

MAJESTIC—Kitty Gordan in "Playthings of Passion," also comedy and Tom Cofer's Musical Revue. LIBERTY at the Lamb—Frank Mayo in "The Fighting Lover," also Mermaid comedy, "The Simp," and "Miracles of the Jungle." TEMPLE—Clara Kimball Young in "Charge It," and comedy.

BONES OF NORTH POLE SEEKERS FOUND IN ARCTIC

CHRISTIANA, Norway, Jan. 5.—"Bears destroyed our depots; we now have twenty days' provisions." So reads part of a letter dated Nov. 10, 1919, said by the official Russian agency to have been found at Cape Wild by the Russian expedition under Begicheff, which has been making a search in the arctic regions to learn what happened to Knudson and Tessen, two members of the Amundsen north pole expedition, who were lost during the explorations in the winter of 1919. Near Cape Premetny the expedition reported that it found the remains of a fire on a beach and of what appeared to be a burnt human body. Footprints of only one man were found. One rifle and cartridges of a Norwegian 1914 pattern also were found.

Several weeks ago a radio dispatch from Moscow told of the finding by the Begicheff expedition of the bodies of Knudson and Tessen. The place where the bodies were found was described vaguely as "near the mouth of the Jeney," which was taken possibly to refer to the Yenisei river, which rises in Northwestern Mongolia and flows northward through Siberia, where it empties into the Arctic ocean.

DRY AGENTS POISONED IN TESTS OF BOOZE

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—Four United States prohibition enforcement agents have been poisoned in the last three weeks from illicit brandy which they consumed in the course of duty, but none was made seriously ill, it is announced from the office of E. Forrest Mitchell, district prohibition enforcement officer. It was necessary for William C. Jordan and Frank Strohm, two of the agents, to go to hospitals. D. H. Rinckel and John O'Toole, the other agents who were poisoned, are recovering at their homes. "It is sometimes necessary for the agents to drink this poisoned liquor in order to get evidence against the distiller or seller," Thomas A. Brown assistant enforcement officer said. "Sometimes the agents carry antidotes to counteract the effect of the stuff they are compelled to drink. The symptoms of the poisoning are a general lassitude, a loss of appetite and a desire to rest."

WOMEN WILL WEAR 'EM LOOSER; MEN TIGHTER

PARIS, Jan. 5.—Men's fashions this winter are directly opposite to the feminine, according to the leading Paris tailors. Close-fitting coats, shaped-in waists, tight trousers and padded shoulders will feature next year's modes. On the contrary, women will continue wearing, extremely loose, corsetless garments, the waist-line being marked by ornamental metal belts slung below the hips. The men's tailors say that masculine fashions always must be opposite to women's.

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PROFESSIONAL CHARGES MADE AGAINST PROMINENT AMATEUR ATHLETE



Charges of professionalism are being investigated by the Central association of the A. A. U. against four of the greatest athletes in the country. Joe Ray, crack distance runner of the Illinois A. C.; Loren Murchison, star sprinter of the same club, and Joe and Frank Loomis, of the Chicago A. A., are the targets of the inquiry. It is said the inquiry will give particular attention "to expense accounts" turned in by the athletes for trips to various meets and tournaments in which they have competed. On the eve of the reported investigation Ray announced his retirement from athletics to enter business. It is also said that the Loomis brothers have withdrawn from competition. Murchison, according to reports, may fight the charges.

LURE OF OUTLAWRY LED WOMAN TO DESERT HUSBAND AND BOYS FOR LIFE WITH EX-CONVICT

COLORADO SPRINGS, Jan. 5.—The strange phenomenon of a woman of good family, married, apparently happily, with two fine boys playing around her home, suddenly breaking from her family ties, deserting her husband and youngsters to join an ex-convict with an unsavory reputation in a campaign of outlawry has just been enacted in Colorado Springs. Discovery of the complex situation came about with the arrest of Mrs. Nita Randolph, the woman; Harry Hayes, the ex-convict, and O. T. Burton, gunman and holdup; Burton was captured on Christmas eve by B. H. Taggart, Colorado Springs business man, who put up a battle armed only with Christmas toys, and captured the man. Burton confessed to the crime, to holdups in Pueblo and gave the police information that led to the arrest of the woman and Hayes, the ex-convict. And it is because he was jealous of Hayes that Burton tipped off the police and brought the two to jail. Faces Prison Term. And pretty Nita Randolph faces a prison sentence along with the men because she brazenly boasted of her efforts as a decoy in luring men to where the holdups could slug them or hold them up for their valuables. The game is as old as crime, but the sudden transfiguration of a woman respected in her neighborhood, loved by her parents, husband and two little boys, four and six years of age, to that of a hardened criminal is something just a little new to police authorities here. Randolph divorced his wife six

months ago when he discovered she had been making trips to Denver with men. The girl dropped out of sight. Then, within three blocks of her old home, where her former husband was trying to keep the little family together, detectives discovered Mrs. Randolph in a scantily furnished room with Hayes. The room resembled an arsenal and crook headquarters. Woman Confesses. The woman broke down and confessed, told the whole sordid tale, admitted she had lured at least five Pueblo men into buildings or alleys and her partners held them up. Only two of the robberies were ever reported, because Mrs. Randolph told the police that the men did not enjoy telling the world of their affairs. She bought the revolvers for her partners in crime and planned their operations. "I suppose my father and mother will be glad to see me in this trouble," Mrs. Randolph said. "My parents would not speak to me for five years. But I chose my way and I'll take my medicine."

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