

JAPS DEMAND SURRENDER OF CHINESE CAPITAL

Low Bids Tabulated On Hospital; Total May Exceed Appropriation

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 9 (AP)—The board of control completed tabulation today of contractors' bids on construction of the new state hospital for insane at Big Spring. The legislature appropriated \$817,000 for the institution.

The same company also was low on other general contracts as follows: Administration building, \$95,073, and two ward buildings, \$104,105 each.

Liquor Question To Be Up To County's Electorate Friday

Voting Time From 8 A. M. To 7 In The Evening

More than two thousand voters are expected to march to 11 voting boxes Friday to voice approval or disapproval of legalized liquor here.

Polls will open at 8 a. m. and will close at 7 p. m. In four Big Spring and 10 rural boxes, the question is:

RADIO RETURNS Results of Friday's liquor referendum will be announced at intervals over Radio Station KBST, just as rapidly as votes can be received and tabulated at the Herald office.

For prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages (dry), and against permitting the sale of all intoxicating liquors (wet).

Special election judges requested that voters bring their poll tax receipts or exemption, certificates with them to expedite balloting.

Both wet and dry forces planned to climax intensive campaigns Thursday evening, and follow up with efforts to get the vote out Friday.

The county this year has a total potential vote of about 3,500. This compares with a potential of 5,000 a year ago.

Naval Planes Finish Trip

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 9 (AP)—The 3,080-mile flight completed in 22 hours, 20 minutes, 14 navy patrol planes which left San Diego yesterday morning for Coco Solo, C. Z. landed at Coco Solo at 8:40 a. m. (EST) today.

BACK IN OFFICE

Ed McCurtain, field executive of the Buffalo Trail council, returned to his office here Thursday after spending two weeks in Colorado and Snyder.

Weather

WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Friday; not quite so cold in southeast portion tonight.

EAST TEXAS — Cloudy and warmer with occasional rain in the south portion tonight; Friday, cloudy, rain except in extreme northwest portion, slightly warmer in extreme east portion.

TEMPERATURES table with columns for Wed. Thurs. and rows for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and Sunset today.

VICTIM OF CEILING COLLAPSE



Walter Lutke, Jr., was hurt when a schoolroom ceiling in Oklahoma City collapsed, injuring 15 pupils. With Walter, at the left, is his father, and at the right his grandfather, C. L. Forter. The boy suffered deep cuts and bruises.

119 Added To C-C Roster

Campaign Termel Organization's Most Successful

Confident that "Big Spring is pulling together," chamber of commerce officials Thursday surveyed the results of its most successful membership campaign.

Tabulations Thursday morning showed 119 new members as a result of one day campaigning. Toward a \$12,000 budget objective, the new members pledged \$1,655.

SESSION A FLOP?

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Republican House Leader Snell of New York, observing his 67th birthday, took the administration to task today for what he termed the "chaotic conditions" in congress.

PRACTICES AUCTIONEER LINGO FOR SALE OF CITY'S HOUSES

"I been bid a hundred and ten. I been bid, I been bid, I been bid a hundred and ten."

Completion In Chalk Pool

Two New Locations In Eastern Howard County Area

Completion of one well and location of two others marked developments in the Chalk extension pool of southeastern Howard county this week.

Noble No. 3 Chalk, located 720 feet from the south and 330 feet from the west lines of section 94-29, W&NW, showed 52.39 barrels in the second hour of a two-hour test for a daily potential of 1,207.39 barrels.

NO AGREEMENT ON WAGE-HOUR BILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 (AP)—The house labor committee failed today to reach an agreement on proposed sweeping changes in administrative provisions of the wages and hours bill.

Forum's Platform

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP)—Former Governor James E. Ferguson, editor of the weekly Ferguson Forum, announced the forum's platform for the coming year.

Deadline For Compliance Tonight

Otherwise, Invaders Say Nanking Must Face Attack

SHANGHAI, Dec. 9 (AP)—The Japanese command issued an ultimatum today demanding the surrender of China's abandoned capital, Nanking, by noon Friday (11 p. m. Thursday, E. S. T.) and threatening that otherwise the city "will become the scene of the horrors of war."

15 Perish As Tenement And Home Burns

12 Of Victims In Two Separate Blazes Are Children

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 9 (AP)—Firemen dug the bodies of nine victims—seven of them children—under the ruins of a flame-raised tenement house early today.

Recreation Group To Meet Tonight

Initial meeting of the city's Recreation Advisory Council has been called for 7 o'clock this evening, in the corporation courtroom at the city hall, for the purpose of completing organization and formulating a general plan of service for the year.

WELL RUNNING WILD

CORPUS CHRISTI, Dec. 9 (AP)—Great oil corporation's No. 8 test well, 31 feet in the exact field, eight miles west of here, was running wild today after blowing out during the night.

Another Rise In Relief Rolls

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—The Works Progress administration reported another rise in relief rolls today, but officials said it was only a normal "seasonal" increase.

AY TANK AY GO HOME

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Greta Garbo was Sweden-bond today for a Christmas vacation in her native land. She sailed yesterday on the liner Gripsholm.

Body of Missing Dancer Is Found; Slaying Confessed

VERSAILLES, France, Dec. 9 (AP)—The body of pretty 22-year-old Jeanne Koven, Brooklyn dancer missing since last July, was found today buried under the porch of a St. Cloud villa to which police were directed by a 39-year-old German emigre.

Death Held Due To Natural Causes

RAYMONDVILLE, Dec. 9 (AP)—A verdict of death due to natural causes had been returned today after an inquest over a skeleton unearthed Tuesday in a hole in a half-ruined John Stanton house.

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Freezing Weather Extends To Coast As Winter Tightens Grip On State

JAPS KNOCK AT GATES OF ANCIENT CAPITAL



The gates to Nanking (above) were locked as Japanese planes bombarded the city and troops assaulted the fortifications of the ancient Chinese capital. Japanese officials stated they expected an early capture, but Chinese defenders continued to hold off the invaders.

FARM INCOME WELL ABOVE LAST YEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—The bureau of agricultural economics estimated today the cash income of American farmers during the first ten months of 1937 was approximately \$74,700,000 above income for the same period last year.

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Low Mark Of 25 Recorded In B'Spring

21 Deaths Reported As Rest Of Nation Has Frigid Weather

By The Associated Press Unadorned winter weather bearing the coldest temperatures of the season rolled southeastward through the state today.

Very little of the snow or sleet predicted for the fifth cold wave of the winter was in sight but mercuries declined as low as 15 degrees and went below freezing at Port Arthur and Houston along the coast.

Chris Escapes Damage The 15-degree weather was visited upon Paris and Gainesville but a warm sun was getting in its hooks. Other record lows for the season were: Anton and Sherman, 17; Tyler and Wichita Falls, 18; Dallas, 19; Corsicana and Abilene, 20; Palestine, 21; Big Spring had a low reading of 25.

The Rio Grande valley's citrus crops escaped damage. At Brownsville temperature in the protected area went to 48. Coastal Corpus Christi's low was 38.

Fort Worth temperature went to 40 and was using The North-West Texas cities of Amarillo and Lubbock were not greatly impressed with temperatures of 19 degrees, a few snow flakes fell on the South Plains mountains.

San Angelo reported minor lamb losses in its territory, where temperatures hit 23. Livestock came through without damage. Borger reported 23 degrees, Vernon 22 degrees. Other reports: San Antonio, 30; Galveston, 32; Del Rio, 36; El Paso 41.

Senators Have Plan To Boost Price To 12 Cents

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Senator Smith (D-S.C.) announced today a group of southern senators would ask government purchase of cotton in an effort to raise prices to 12 cents a pound.

The chairman of the senate agricultural committee said he would offer an amendment to the pending farm bill to require the Commodity Credit Corporation to buy cotton until the average market price reached 12 cents a pound or middling 7-8 inch cotton.

Smith announced this plan after a lengthy conference with southern senators and Chairman Jesse H. Jones of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Smith said Jones was "in practical accord with this." He also claimed support of Senators George (D-Ga.) and Thomas (D-Okla.).

The chairman explained that the amendment would force the government-controlled Commodity Credit Corporation to enter the open market and buy cotton as long as the price was under 12 cents a pound, with required purchases of up to 850,000 bales.

Public Urged To Make Early Arrangements For Tickets

With an entertainment drive all but completed, the chamber of commerce Thursday turned its attention toward the annual organization membership banquet Tuesday evening at the Settles ballroom.

Manager J. H. Grech urged members and others to buy their tickets early in order to insure a place at the banquet. He believed a record crowd would attend the affair.

For the first time in years, a local speaker, Carl Waller, will address the banquet, talking of "Building the spirit."

Dr. E. P. Ellinger, a former president of the chamber, will present the invocation. Musical features are a vocal solo by George (Clayton) accompanied by Robert Gray, numbers by the West Texas trio, composed of Mrs. R. R. Blount, Ruby Bell and Mrs. William Reed, accompanied by Rita Gentry, pianist, and music by the Settles Sweepstakers.

Leo C. E. Lancaster, pastor of the First Baptist church, will pronounce the invocation and R. F. Schenck, president, will give his annual report before surrendering his office to a successor to be named by banquet time.

Several out-of-town persons have notified the chamber they would attend. Among them are M. J. Benefield, Brady, and two of his chamber's officers, C. C. Thompson and Thurtell Barber, past and incumbent president of the Colorado chapter. F. W. Gwin, Odessa chamber manager, and others.

Mrs. Ragsdale Is Taken By Death

An illness of several weeks brought death Thursday to Mrs. Martha Ragsdale, 59, who succumbed at the home here of a son.

Funeral services, under direction of the First Baptist church, have been scheduled for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Maiva Wray, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be made in a local cemetery.

Mrs. Ragsdale's husband died several months ago. Three sons and one daughter survive.

Appeal, Rightly Worded, Inspires Honesty; Chickens Are Returned

ITALY, Dec. 9 (AP)—George Tittle, farmer and poultryman and resident of this community for 40 years, believes in elemental honesty of his brother man. He also believes even a thief may be moved to make restitution by the right kind of appeal through the regional newspaper.

Tittle overslept one morning recently and was unable to explain the lapse until he discovered an old rooster, whose morning call had roused him for several years, was missing along with a flock of hens. Scattered tail feathers suggested removal by violence.

The farmer came to town and after warning peace officers not to start an inquiry as "the culprit probably was in distress," inserted the following paid advertisement in the local weekly newspaper:

"If you steal from the rich: 'You will steal from the poor: 'But you should always leave a few 'So we can grow some more.'"

The morning after the paper was issued, Tittle was awakened by the familiar challenge of the rooster and, hurrying to the hen house, found the entire flock had been returned. On the floor was the following note:

"We are poor and in need. Planted everything in cotton and have nothing to eat, but our conscience was aroused when we read your ad, and we return your chickens and will go on relief."

SURRENDERS



Virgil H. Effinger, reputed Black Legion chief is shown in common pleas court at Lima, O., where he surrendered. He faces charges of criminal syndicalism and bomb possession. An extradition hearing was set for Dec. 10.

Says Fascist Influence A Real Threat

Greater Menace Than Communism, Says Secy. Ickes

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—A warning was out from Secretary Harold L. Ickes today that the "fascist-minded men of America," grasping for more power and greater riches, were a more real threat to the country than communists.

"It is these men who, pretending that they would save us from dreadful communism, would superimpose upon America an equally dreadful fascism," he said.

The interior secretary in a blistering denunciation of "corporate overlords," declared at the annual dinner of the American Civil Liberties Union last night that the supreme court had "gone far to convert the bill of rights x x x into a charter of corporate privilege."

Internationale has been supplanted, he said, by a "Ku Klux Koda."

"And just as certain nations, uttering the excuse that they are stamping out communism, commit crimes at which savages would blush," he said, "so in our own land those who would undermine our democratic institutions do it under the same hollow pretense."

"Employers who deny to their workers the right to associate together in a labor union for the common good of all frequently declare that they do so because of 'communist' influences which are at large in their factories."

In his discourse on the supreme court, he said it had "gone out of its way" to support attacks upon personal rights; he asserted it also had "frequently nullified" the efforts of congress to protect "minority groups against x x economic coercion."

The judiciary in general, he said, has aided "giant corporations" in the assumption of an overlordship over the civil rights and substantive liberties of the individual, by decisions treating a corporation in its relations with government "as if it were a mere individual."

Recaptured Soon After Escape

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 9 (AP)—Two Lincoln police officers captured Sam Rivette, Texas desperado who escaped from the Nebraska penitentiary here today, in a downtown rooming house six hours after the escape.

The escape, through a hole drilled in the steel roof of a cell block, was reported shortly after 3 a. m. Rivette was serving a life term for murder in connection with a running gun battle down Lincoln Main street three years ago.

Prison authorities said four men were involved in the escape plot but Rivette was the only one at large.

Rivette, who prison officials said has served two previous terms for murder, was one of a trio of men who raced up Lincoln's principal thoroughfare by automobile April 20, 1934, firing at pursuing policemen who sought to question them.

FIELD EXTENDED BY NEW WELL

WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 9 (AP)—Flowing 200 barrels an hour, the Consolidated Oil (W. T. Knight) No. 1 W. P. Ferguson, W. H. Splitters survey, Abstract 257, came in this morning in the Kemp City (C. M. A.) South Wichita County field. The well extends a mile west of the rich sand found in the Kadane discovery well.

CLEAN FALSE TEETH—GET RID OF STAINS

New Easy Way—No Brushing. Siera-Kleen, amazing new discovery, removes blackest stains, tartar, tartaric acid, etc. Just put false teeth or braces in a glass of water and add Siera-Kleen powder. No messy brushing. Recommended by dentists—approved by Good Housekeeping. At all drug stores. Money back if not delighted.

Garner Must Eat Venison Prepared By Someone Else

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Vice-President Garner, whether he likes it or not, is going to sit down tonight to somebody else's cooking of the deer he shot last week in Pennsylvania.

The bushy-browed V. P.—an unregimented hot-grease-and-flour veteran when it comes to venison—let it be known recently that he considers hunters who don't cook their own meat as sissies.

It looked today, however, as if he won't cook this deer unless the Kallein hotel lets him in the scullery without a union cook's card.

The chef, however, is going to do his best to follow Garner's venison recipe, which is, in his own words:

"Take a back strap, cut it and beat it well. Then flour it and put it in very hot grease. Don't fry too hard. Pour off some of the grease and then make brown gravy."

The next step, Garner added, is simple: "You smile, and eat!"

Party lines have been shot asunder in getting out the guest list of senators who will feast on the deer.

President Roosevelt wasn't invited—he has a sore jaw.

PITT INCLUDED IN '38 CARD

The Southern Methodist Mustangs, Southwest conference's best known football team, has lined up another strong inter-sectional card for 1938. Athletic Director Jimmy Stewart announced recently.

Feature of the ten-game card will, of course, be the classic with Pittsburgh university in Pittsburgh. The Panthers will have Marshall Goldberg and Bill Daddio returning while the Ponies will come up with their best team since the balmy days of 1935.

The complete 1938 schedule: Sept. 24—NTSTC at Dallas. Oct. 1—Arizona at Dallas. Oct. 8—Marquette at Chicago. Oct. 22—Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh.

Oct. 29—Texas at Austin. Nov. 5—Texas A&M at Dallas. Nov. 12—Arkansas at Dallas. Nov. 19—Baylor at Waco. Nov. 26—TCU at Dallas. Dec. 3—Rice at Houston.

Scintillating Sterling Silver



Use Our Budget Plan and Start Your Sterling Service This Xmas

CHANTILLY by Gotham

Choice of Patterns

Omar Pitman

JEWELRY STORE

117 East 3rd St. Phone 297

VAN DEVANTER IS VISITOR IN AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP)—Willis Van Devanter, former justice of the United States supreme court, in-

spected Texas' red granite state-house today in the company of Governor James V. Allred. "It is a very fine building," he commented. "Later he visited the governor's

manor. He also met members of Texas' supreme court. The former justice has been hunting in Southwest Texas and said he had "good luck." He bagged one deer and two javelinas, a

species of wild hog. Last night he was a dinner guest of the Travis county bar association. He planned to return to Houston late today.

RELIEF BOOST WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Representative Ellenbogen (D-Pa) introduced a bill today to increase this year's relief appropriation from \$1,800,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000.

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 9 (AP)—The body of Mrs. Lou Taylor, 33, killed when her coupe overturned near McCamey yesterday, was to be sent to her home in Dallas today. She traveled for a Dallas firm.

THIS WEEK ONLY! CHRISTMAS GIFTS Reduced!

\$2 A MONTH
Buys any gift-purchase totaling \$10 to \$15
AT WARDS
*Small down payment and carrying charge

Sale! 55c RINGLESS Chiffons 44c
Just in time for gifts! Pure silk and full fashioned. Also service weight.

Sale! Aprons Usually 25c 19c
A gift for a busy woman! Tub-fast cotton prints! Pockets and contrast trims!

Velvet Slippers For women 68c
A style for old or young! Rich velvet! Padded leather soles. Black, blue, plum dust. 4-8.

BOYS GIRLS Look!
Your Choice of these Toys...
5c ea.
• Ten Pin Game
• Ring Toss
• Bubble Set
• Puzzle Map
• Police Set
• Paint Set
The biggest toy values in town! Sold only to children accompanied by adults! Quantities are limited! Not more than 6 to a customer! Absolutely none sold to dealers! Buy while they last!

Luncheon Sets Imported Linen 88c set
Colorful 5-piece sets. Inexpensive! Block plaids. 52" cloth, 4 napkins.

Men's Sweaters Sports Back 3 66
In solid colors, all wool, side fastener front and really smart.

Sale of Shirts Regularly 1.29 88c
FAST COLOR! PRE-SHRUNK! White, blues, good-looking patterns.

Sale for Men! Regular 1.19 Pajamas 88c
• Smart Broadcloth
• Warm Flannellette
Three favorite styles—and plenty of patterns! Generously cut! Sale-priced through Saturday!

BEAUTIFUL LOW-PRICED LINGERIE!
Sale! Rayon Undies 21c
Specially priced and many of the styles were specially made for Wards! Tailored bloomers; lace trimmed panties or briefs. Tearose. Women's sizes.
SALE! 4-GORE SILK* SLIPS Regularly \$1! Well tailored, with non-rip seams. A splendid gift value. 34-44. 84c
SALE! 39c RAYON PANTIES Heavyweight, knit rayon in tailored or lace trimmed styles. 4 day special! 3 for \$1
*slightly weighted

6 TUBE AUTOMATIC A.C.
Pay only 50c a week **15.95**
First time Automatic Tuning offered under \$34.94! 6 stations in 5 seconds! Just push a lever! Dynamic Speaker! Lighted Dial!

Cannon "Star" Gift Sets with Box 88c Set
22"x44" turkish towel. Two 12" wash cloths. Plain or plaid. Inexpensive.
Cannon Towels 22"x44" Turkish weave. 21c

Sale! Gift Gloves Regularly \$1.19 94c
Save 25c a pair! Slippers of imported capeskin.
Sale! Hankies Regularly Box of 3 25c! Hand embroidered. 21c

Dress Lengths Sale, Regularly 1.98 1.67
New spring colors and prints. Acetate and rayon, 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 lengths. 39 inches.

Rifle and Scope 14.77
Famous .22-caliber 6-shot Western Field Bolt Action
Fast-shooting, full-size repeater. 6-shot. Accurately rifled. Equipped with high quality A-Power Telescope. Special Complete.

Sale! WALNUT TABLES 6.45
Four styles, reduced for Christmas! A gift of ALL WALNUT for your living room! 5-ply walnut veneer tops!

Sale! Lounge Chair and Ottoman 29.95
The chair alone is usually \$27.95 — ottoman \$6.95! NOW, you get BOTH at this Christmas special! Deep, loungey proportions! Upholstered in figured tapestry! What a gift for the man of the house!

"Better-Mix" Only \$1 a Month 16.95
Features of mixers costing \$3 to \$7 more! Extra-size motor. "Two bowls."

DAMASCUS ELECTRIC Sewing Machine 44.95
\$5 Monthly Carrying Charge
This gift will last for years! Has all the features that make sewing easy. Knee Control! Tension regulator!
Reduced! A \$50 Value! Two cleaners for \$32.95 price of one \$5 Monthly Carrying Charge

Use Our Budget Plan and Start Your Sterling Service This Xmas
Omar Pitman
JEWELRY STORE
117 East 3rd St. Phone 297

Sale! Rug Pad Free With "Custom Sized" DURASTANS 9x12 SIZE 32.50
\$39.95 value. Amalgamated! Gorgeous patterns! Heavy, long-wearing wool-pile! Seamless, top! 12 sizes available to fit any room!
Only \$5 Monthly Down Payment Plus Carrying Charge

Montgomery Ward

221 W. THIRD STREET

TELEPHONE 280

THE WETS ARE CORNERED!

AT FOUR VITAL POINTS

They have been backed to the wall, and have not been able to give satisfactory answers. They have squirmed, dodged, and insinuated, but it's time now for them to "put up" or "shut up."

Read Carefully The Four Statements Below

1. Old Age Pensions

1. We declare on the authority of government records that the old age pension is being paid in every county in Texas, without reference to whether the county is wet or dry; and that no change is made in pensions when a county changes from wet to dry.
2. On the same authority we state that 111 dry counties in Texas, including Dawson, Glasscock, Scurry and Mitchell, receive federal and state aid on the same equitable basis as the wet counties.
3. The Old Age Assistance Board says this is true.
4. We have shown that states that are entirely dry, like Tennessee and Alabama, receive assistance on the same basis as the wet states.
5. Everyone who has investigated knows that this is true; yet the wets continue to make such misleading statements as the following: "Do you want to see your old friends' pension cut in half?" This must look to some like a deliberate attempt to deceive.

WHY DON'T THEY TELL THE WHOLE TRUTH?

2. The Rising Flood of Drunks

Again we have shown by indisputable facts that drunkenness has increased 300% since repeal. The wets have bickered and squirmed and made feeble attempts to deny this; but here are the facts, taken from the record of the police department of the City of Big Spring, Texas, on Dec. 8th, 1937:

FOR THE LAST 4 YEARS UNDER PROHIBITION		FOR THE 4 YEARS AFTER REPEAL	
Year	No. of Drunks Arrested	Year	No. of Drunks Arrested
1930	180	1934	355
1931	119	1935	485
1932	125	1936	456
1933	193	1937 (to Dec. 8th)	564
Total	618	Total	1860
Total Arrests During Last Four Years of Prohibition		618	
Total Arrests During Next Four Years After Repeal		1860	

AN INCREASE OF OVER 300%

This Is What We Have Been Saying All The Time And That's What The Wets Have Been Denying.

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3. Liquor And Prosperity

The wets say that licensed liquor makes for prosperity. It does for:

- The brewer and distiller
- The retail dealer
- The property owner who rents for that purpose.

It is bad business for everybody else.

1. It is bad business for the boys and girls who must drink before these can prosper.
2. It is bad business for the drinkers who paid for liquor handled in Howard county more than \$714,000.00 for booze. A prominent banker says it would have been better to have piled the money in the street and burned it.
3. It is bad for the city that was compelled to add 3 more policemen since repeal.
4. It may be the means of prosperity for those who make up the "Good Government League," but who are they?

WHY DON'T THEY TELL THE WHOLE TRUTH?

4. Responsibility of Citizens:

THE GOOD CITIZEN WILL PLEDGE HIMSELF TO THIS:

1. Truth may be wrecked and character dismantled, homes may be destroyed and women beggared, but
NOT BY MY VOTE!
2. Children may be caught in the saloon snare, the victims of alcohol may fill our jails, almshouses, and insane asylums, but
NOT BY MY VOTE!
3. The government may license the liquor traffic and for a consideration take "a reward against the innocent" and bargain away the public health and the public morals, but
NOT BY MY VOTE!
4. The liquor traffic may corrupt the social and political life of the nation; it may worm its way into all business and even into the sacred precincts of the home and the church, but
NOT BY MY VOTE!
5. The bells may toll the death knell of a human being slain by booze every five minutes of the day, but
NOT BY MY VOTE!

WHAT DOES THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC PLEDGE?

LIQUOR WILL GO---

IF THE DRYS WHO HOLD POLL TAX RECEIPTS WILL GO TO THE POLLS AND MARK THEIR BALLOTS LIKE THIS

FOR PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

AGAINST PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

(WE HAVE CAREFULLY CHECKED THE POLL TAX ROLL AND KNOW THAT THIS IS SO)

YOUR VOTE MAY WIN THE ELECTION

HOWARD COUNTY-PROHIBITION FORCES

W. S. GARNETT, Chairman

G. C. SCHURMAN, Chairman of Publicity Committee

Have A-Care With The Vegetables For There's Muscle Under The Skins Of Shawn's Male Dancers

Wrestlers, Swimmers Included In Troup Of Noted Dancer

By FELIX R. MCKNIGHT
DALLAS, Dec. 9 (AP)—Note to the man in the second row with the sack of throwing tomatoes:

Don't do it; you've got those gentlemen toe dancers, all wrong. They're not sissies; just a bunch of reformed wrestlers, footballers and track men.

That's right—put your vegetables away and listen to the story of Ted Shawn and his barefoot boys.

Twenty-five years ago Shawn started his dancing career. He was 21 and a good dancer.

Five years ago he hit upon the idea of giving the public something different; male ballet dancers. Warnings came from everywhere. It would be murder, they told him, to skip eight young men through a routine usually accompanied by the rustle of skirts.

But Shawn fooled them. He dug into colleges and came up with a wrestling champion, prize pole vaulter, football player, crack swimmer—muscle, handsome youngsters.

"Sir, that first year of pioneering was a trifle difficult," Shawn reminisced today. "There were times when it looked as if the boys were in for a bit of a fruit barbecue."

"Well do I remember the first time the troupe went into Texas. Two weeks in advance 50 cowboys had gone about collecting eggs and vegetables. The night of the show the house manager was in agony. Our 50 friends were out front and well-equipped."

"The curtain went up and the boys went out. Signs of restlessness in the first few rows caused the boys to brace for the worst. Nothing happened."

"Of course, the boys felt as if they had been on the stage a couple of weeks when that show ended, but our friends actually became interested and took their vegetables home with them."

"About 20 per cent of our audiences were male on the first tour," said Shawn. "Now it is about 60 per cent."

Mrs. Jimmie Hutchinson Is Guest Of Happy Go Lucky Club

Mrs. Jimmie Hutchinson was a guest player with members of the Happy Go Lucky Bridge club Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Hugh Hendrix was hostess at her home.

Mrs. Raymond Noah and Mrs. J. T. Allen were highest scorers and Mrs. Byron Housewright and Mrs. L. C. Graves won bingo prizes at their respective tables.

The theme of Christmas was used in the tally cards, the prize wrappings and on the refreshment plate. Miniature trees were plate favors.

Mrs. Harvey Hooser will be hostess for the Christmas party at the next club meeting and will entertain at the L. M. Bankson home. This is the annual affair when gifts will be presented among members.

Other members playing at the afternoon party were Mrs. W. M. Gage and Mrs. J. E. Brigham.

Forty-Niners Of The Presbyterian Church Have Entertainment

Forty-Niners, Presbyterian church leaders organization, entertained for members of the church and their friends Wednesday evening in the church parlors when music and games featured the evening hours.

More than one hundred people joined in the frolic under the direction of Mrs. L. E. Morris who led games following the program arranged by Mrs. S. L. Baker.

Mrs. Sadie Gibson and Mrs. Rowena Keller offered a vocal duet accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Annie Gibson Houser. A reading by Gloria Strom came afterwards and Mrs. Gibson accompanied the Williams string band for several numbers.

At the refreshment hour Mrs. H. D. Stanley supervised serving dainty plates to the group.

1st Of Christmas Musical Programs Tomorrow Night

Musical Club To Offer Cantata At First Methodist Church

First of the musical programs planned for Big Spring during the Christmas season will be held Friday evening, 8 o'clock, at the First Methodist church when the first open meeting of the year will be held by the Music Study club, the choral section of which is presenting a cantata of Christmas taken from the works of the old masters.

More than 30 voices will be heard in songs that will be the musical illustration of an original script by Rev. G. C. Schurman who will read the passages.

The procession to be played by Mrs. Joe Paxton on the church organ will be taken from the grand march from "Tannhauser" by Wagner and the recessional from "Aida" by Verdi.

Special decorations are being made by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smith in keeping with the Christmas season.

The public is invited to be present for this affair.

Mrs. J. B. Young Is Justamer Hostess

Mrs. J. B. Young was hostess to members of the Justamer Bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon for a nice party for which two guests were invited. They were Mrs. Otto Peters and Mrs. W. F. Cushing.

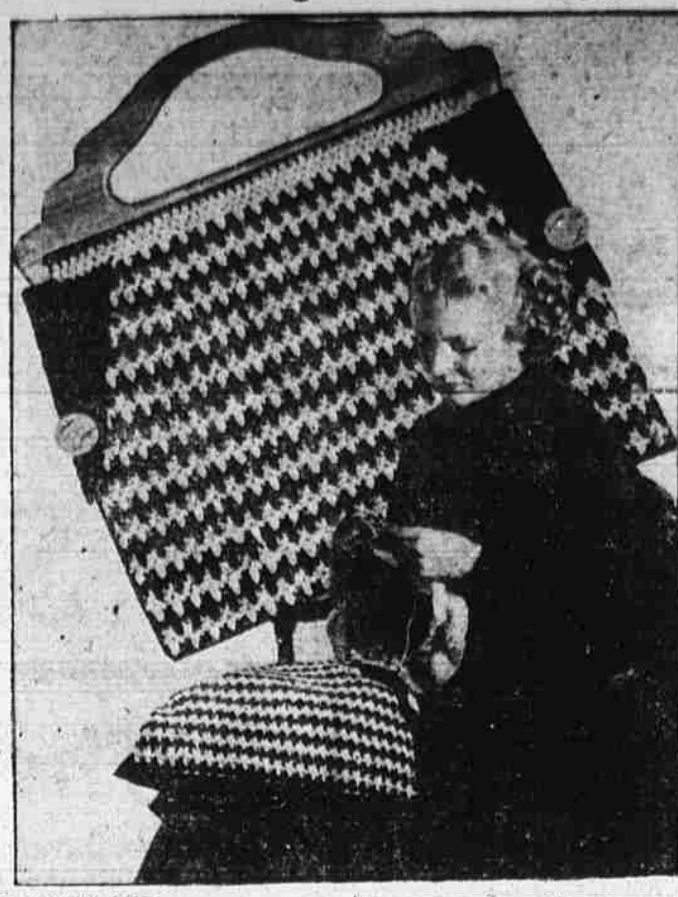
Mrs. E. V. Spence was highest scorer.

The house was attractively decorated in Christmas symbols and colors and at the refreshment hour Mrs. V. Van Gieson assisted the hostess in serving.

Others present were Mrs. R. C. Strain, Mrs. Leg Hanson, Mrs. E. O. Ellington, Mrs. John Clarke and Mrs. H. W. Leeper.

Mrs. S. L. Parker who is confined to her home because of illness was reported to be resting well today.

Crocheted Bag For Knitting



By RUTH ORR
PATTERN No. 534

The crocheted stitches used in this attractive bag are the simplest, so even a beginner can safely tackle it. The design is a charming one, forming a bag you'll be proud to use, in any company. It's strong enough for a shopping bag, or gay enough to carry your knitting or crochet.

The pattern envelope contains complete, easy to understand illustrated directions, also what crochet hook and what material and how much you will need.

To obtain this pattern, send for No. 534 and enclose 10 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to cover service and postage. Address: Big Spring Herald, Needlework Department, P. O. Box 172, Station D, New York, N. Y.

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READING AND WRITING

By JOHN SELBY

The gift books are arriving—Unless you class Audubon's recently reissued "The Birds of America" (Macmillan; \$12.50) among the gift books, the largest and most elaborate to arrive so far would be the new edition of James Morier's "Hajji Baba," illustrated by Cyrus LeRoy Baldridge, who seems to be specializing these days on Persia.

"Hajji Baba" (Random; \$2.50) is one of those Oriental fantasies, a succession of Arabian Nights stories for grown-up children and plucked (and rather flimsily) upon a canvas of great natural beauty. This department has not read the book, and has not the faintest intention of reading it. This circumstance is due to two things—we don't like Persian pieces, and we have discovered that that eminent literary gentleman, Christopher Morley, also never had read it until the job of writing a preface for it was in the offing. Which is a good excuse.

Mr. Baldridge's illustrations are, we presume, very nice. In any case there are a lot of them, and the book has the unmistakable gift-book elaborateness. Indeed, Maxfield Parrish might have designed it.

You may perhaps remember Clage Leighton's "Four Hedges." Her latest venture into the gift book field has the same format and is called "Country Matters" (Macmillan; \$3). It is a picture of English village life—the cricket match, the flower show, the tramps, the village fair. There are more than 70 of Miss Leighton's wood engravings, the product of two years' work, in the book. This is probably all anybody needs to know about "Country Matters"; although it is only fair to add that there is a text, and that it reads nicely.

There is no text in the third of our gift books for today. This is Lynd Ward's "Vertigo" (Random; \$3), another of his novels in woodcuts. Lynd Ward also worked for two years turning out this pictorial record of the lives of three Americans, a record the publishers insist is easier to "read" than some of his other novels in woodcuts. They probably are right. The work is undoubtedly more uniform in quality, although the book would be "read" more easily and produce a greater effect if the individual woodcuts were not so small.

E. W. Potter left Wednesday evening for Fort Worth where he will attend to matters of business.

A KIDNEY EVACUANT
Did you ever use one? It is indicated for kidney irregularity just as castor oil is indicated for bowel irregularity. Use it to drive out waste and excess acids which can cause getting up nights, frequent desire, scanty flow, burning, or backache. Made into green tablets easy to take. Causes no inconvenience. Just say Bukets (25) the kidney evacuant to any druggist. Locally at Cunningham & Phelps, Druggists—adv.

A. M. RUNYAN ILL
A. M. Runyan is confined to his bed following a heart attack. Friends are asked not to call as absolute quiet is necessary.

DIAMOND IN CAKE
CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP)—After a three-day search, Roy Meyer had the stone of his \$150 diamond ring back today.

His wife, Ramona, bit something hard in a piece of cake she baked. It was the diamond.

170 Cosden Employees Attend Dinner At Settles Hotel
One hundred and seventy employees of the Cosden Petroleum corporation were present for dinner at the Settles hotel Wednesday evening. This group represented the labor and mechanical departments at the refinery.

Music for the affair was furnished by a string band composed of employees at the plant.

SAILS WITH BRIDE ON BUSINESS TRIP
SAN PEDRO, Calif., Dec. 9 (AP)—John H. Thickers of Laurel, Miss., vice-president of the Masonite company in charge of manufacturing, was Sydney-bound today aboard the liner Mariposa with his bride, the former Miss Joy McKesson Monly of New South Wales.

They sailed from here last night, together with F. M. Pettigill of Laurel, architect and engineer for the aMasonite corporation. Thickers said they would select a location in Sydney, Australia, for a new \$1,000,000 plant for his company, and that Pettigill would supervise its construction.

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Hub Underwood Is Honored On Anniversary

Friends Gather At Jones Lamar Home For Celebration

Hub Underwood was honored on his 73rd birthday anniversary Wednesday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Jones Lamar entertained at their home, 407 W. 5th street for many of Underwood's friends.

Division of the evening was led by Mrs. W. P. Martin and Loy Smith took prizes for their high scores.

Following the games Janet and Betty Kinman, granddaughters of the honored guest, presented him with the birthday cake that held 73 lighted candles in pink and green. Gifts were then given that included a tailor-made suit from his four children.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Loy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Lykins of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kinman, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McInturff, Mrs. J. M. Anderson, Mrs. J. M. Coleman, Mrs. Joe Clere, Melvin Coleman and Lois, Laverne, Betty and Janet Kinman, Marcelle and W. P. Martin, Jr., and Caroline Smith.

Gifts were sent by Joe Clere, Mrs. Roy Perfield of Alhambra, Calif., and Max Underwood of El Monte, Calif.

Bluebonnet Club Has Christmas Party At Watson Home

The Bluebonnet Bridge club Christmas party was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Watson when club members exchanged gifts. This was the last club meeting of the year, the next to be held early in January.

Gifts were presented from the decorated tree and the Yuletide theme was used in party accessories.

Mrs. J. L. Terry and Mrs. Roy Reeder were highest scorers and Mrs. S. L. Baker, Mrs. Jimmie Tucker and Mrs. R. E. Lee won cut prizes. Mrs. E. D. Merrill took the consolation gift.

Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Reeder were guest players and club members who played were Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. J. E. Hodges, Sr., Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. Bob Thomson, Mrs. Ira Watkins, Mrs. Charles Koberg and the hostess.

Mrs. Searcy Whaley Entertains For Idle Art Club

Mrs. Searcy Whaley was hostess Wednesday evening at the Settles hotel for members of the Idle Art Bridge club and guests for games at which Miss Lennah Rose Black made highest score.

Mrs. Tommy Neel won high cut prize and Miss Emma Louise Freeman won at bingo.

Guests were Miss Black, Mrs. Matt Harrington, Mrs. Joe Pickle and Mrs. Henry Covert.

Refreshments were served in the conclusion of the games to Miss Black, Mrs. Neel, Miss Freeman, Mrs. Harrington, Mrs. Pickle, Mrs. Covert, Mrs. Ra yMcMahon, Mrs. Lowndes Hinchshaw, Mrs. Harold Lytle, rs. Fletcher Speed, Miss Evelyn Merrill and the hostess.

MAUDE ADAMS GETS CHEERS IN PLAY
COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 9 (AP)—Insistent cheers called a 65-year-old Maude Adams back to the stage here last night after another successful performance of Ibsen's "Ghosts."

As thrilled as when nearly three decades ago, she had her own first night as the star of the French play, Miss Adams told her audience:

"My work with this play has given me something I will cherish the rest of my life. You have made me very happy."

A capacity crowd of nearly 1,000 lavished applause as a cast of 150 Stephens college girls revived, under the famous actress' direction, the play which gave Miss Adams one of her two favorite roles.

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Sleeved Nightdress



Nightdresses have sleeves again. Here you see them in a short puffed version made of Alencon lace and attached to a round-necked yoke of the same lace. The gown is a luscious ivory satin.

WOMAN LIKELY TO BECOME HEAD OF 'POSSUM CLUB'

MENA, Ark., Dec. 9 (AP)—The threat of a woman candidate winning the presidency of the Polk County 'Possum club had veteran members of that unique organization fidgety as they prepared for their 25th annual banquet tonight.

Men have always headed the club, and women candidates haven't offered. But this year there is a woman entry running under the pseudonym of "Aunt Persimmon U. Fucker."

Most of the "men folks" are backing Albert Gist, hillbilly poet and song writer of Mountain Fork, Ark., to succeed English Baker to the presidency, but admitted they are worried.

Some 300 or 400 guests from Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma will consume between 50 and 100 opossums and 15 live ones will cavort around the banquet hall just to add atmosphere.

BILLBOARDS USED TO SELL SERUM FOR PNEUMONIA

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 9 (AP)—Pennsylvania today ordered erection of 2,000 highway billboards advertising free serum to shield its citizens from the ravages of pneumonia.

Dr. Edith MacBride-Dexter, secretary of health, said her department would place the signs along all highways.

Her announcement came as the first cold spell tumbled thermometers and renewed dangers of the disease which in 1936 caused 9,094 deaths in the Keystone state.

The free serum, made possible through a \$60,000 federal grant, will be available beginning December 15 to all who apply through private physicians.

AGENTS' SIT-DOWN TACTICS RESULT IN COURT ACTION

DALLAS, Dec. 9 (AP)—State liquor control agents have cited by Judge John A. Rawlins, 116th district court, to appear in court Saturday to show cause why they should not be restrained from sit-down tactics in a downtown cafe.

W. W. Wallace, cafe operator, filed the injunction suit, contending that the presence of the officers was hurting his business.

Liquor control agents, alleging there have been violations of the law against sale of liquor by the drink, have been stationed in several establishments.

LOW RENTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Nathan Strawn, administrator of the government's new \$500,000,000 low-rent housing program, expressed determination today to keep rents down to what slum-dwellers can pay.

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MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief
Many suffering from nagging backaches quickly, once they discover that the pain is due to kidney trouble, may be relieved by taking the kidney pills. The kidneys are a pair of glands that filter out the waste from the blood. When they are not working properly, the waste builds up in the blood, causing backaches, headaches, and other ailments.

Do not let your backaches nag you. Get the relief that comes from taking the kidney pills. They give happy relief and will help the kidneys to filter out the waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

HERE IS Sealy's CHRISTMAS GIFT to you!

\$7.50 Chatham AIRLOOM Blanket Absolutely FREE With Regular \$39.50 Sealy Mattress

In appreciation of more than fifty seven years of patronage Sealy offers absolutely a FREE CHRISTMAS GIFT, a genuine Chatham AIRLOOM line wool blanket regular \$7.50 grade, with each SEALY TUFTLESS or AIRLOOM INNER SPRING Mattress. These \$7.50 nationally advertised blankets (see their advertisement in November Good Housekeeping and other magazines) are not to be confused with lower priced Chatham blankets... they are made of fine wool—full 72x84 size—lavishly deep nap—leather light—smart rich colors. The supply is limited... act quick... get your FREE CHRISTMAS GIFT today!

GENUINE Sealy MATTRESSES

YOUR CHOICE SEALY TUFTLESS STAPLE COTTON OR AIRLOOM INNER-SPRING MATTRESS REGULAR—

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\$7.50 CHATHAM BLANKET Free!

A king could not sleep on a finer mattress than a genuine SEALY. For more than a half century the name SEALY has stood for unalterable quality and dependability. And now you have your choice of a genuine SEALY TUFTLESS Staple Cotton, or SEALY AIRLOOM inner-spring mattress. In ACA or fine Rayon Imported Damask covers, at the regular price of \$39.50 with a \$7.50 Chatham Blanket given absolutely FREE as a GIFT! Come in today and get your SEALY Mattress and FREE CHRISTMAS GIFT!

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Let's Retain PROSPERITY ...and Enforce Decency! "LEAVE LIQUOR LEGAL!"

Prohibition Is A FARCE... Was A FAILURE and Non-Enforceable

Prohibition failed as admitted by the "drys" in pointing out there were 192 ARRESTS for DRUNKENNESS in Big Spring during 1933, when we had a so-called dry town.

Prohibition failed as proven by the records of a continuous parade of 'moonshiner's' and 'bootlegger's' cases in our courts during the "hey-day" of our so called prohibition period, when they kept our court's docket cluttered with their cases.

Prohibition failed when "home-brew" was made and sold in Big Spring in spite of the most vigilant efforts of our various law enforcement agencies of the City, County, State and Federal Government.

Prohibition with all its attendant evils, the bootlegger, poison whiskey, and home-brew started more boys and girls on the road to loose morals and subsequent disgrace than any other FARCE ever perpetrated.

Keep the Bootleggers OUT of Big Spring..... They Are UN-DESIRABLE Neighbors

Boiling all the facts down to the plain simple truth it is merely a question of whether we are going to leave liquor legal and thereby keep it in the hands of law-abiding, law-respecting, tax-paying citizens, who are SUPERVISED by the State Liquor Control Board or put it in the hands of ruthless, law-breaking, bootlegging gangsters, who will sell it to any one who desires to buy it regardless of age.

You KNOW regardless of the out-come of the election tomorrow, Big Spring and Howard County will CONTINUE to have alcoholic beverages, but without the benefit of deriving any taxes from its traffic, if you

Here's An Example Of The FAILURE Of Prohibition In The "Dry" Town Of Abilene!

(Reprinted From The December 8th, 1937 Issue Of The Abilene Reporter-News)

Grand Jury Scores Amusement Clubs And 'Drug Store Saloon'

Closing of the Cat Claw club and Charley Blank's place and the Charley Blank's place and the Cat Claw club operated by Ross Williams. The matter was called "saloon" were recommended in a to our attention by peace officers bluntly worded report of the 104th and private citizens interested in district court grand jury Tuesday, maintaining proper moral sur-

The report recommended that roundings for the high school boys county and city authorities take and girls of Abilene and the college immediate steps to close Cat Claw students attending the three col- club and Charley's place. leges of Abilene.

The grand jury said that it had found that "some 17 drug stores in Abilene are selling whiskey in unlimited amounts under the guise of prescription whiskey for medicinal purposes, when, as a matter of fact, peace officers and drug store owners and operators know that 99 per cent of all whiskey sold is bought and used for beverage purposes."

The report was concurred in by all of the 11 members of the grand jury present, and by District Attorney Otis Miller and County Attorney Esco Walter.

The report read:

"A considerable portion of our time has been devoted to the investigation of conditions existing

under which the place could and should operate have been flagrantly violated."

The report continues: "High school boys and girls have been admitted to one if not both of these places and college boys and girls have been admitted to both places."

"Officers have had to take drunks off the floor of both places, officers have had to request patrons of both places from carrying in liquor and from using liquor already carried in and placed on tables."

"These two places have run dances on Saturday night until two o'clock in the morning. High school boys and girls have been found intoxicated and even dead drunk at one of the places."

BOY, 12, ADMITTED
"A 12-year-old boy was admitted to one place where drunks were on the floor dancing and fighting."

"At one of these places on a Saturday night as many whiskey bottles as a bushel basket would hold have been collected from the tables. x x x"

"Both these places have already violated city ordinances and in-junction restrictions, respectively. They are not amenable to regula-tions or restrictions. They should be permanently closed."

FREQUENTED BY STUDENTS

"After thorough investigation your grand jury reports that these two places are frequented on week ends, especially on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights, by large numbers of high school and college students. Your grand jury also finds that these two places furnish a place of congregation for the sort of persons that detract materially from the maintenance of proper moral standards in the community."

"During this present term of court a theft case was tried which originated in one of these places. One of these places is operating now under restrictions of the court."

"They are not amenable to regula-tions or restrictions. They should be permanently closed."

Go To The Polls Tomorrow And Vote!

Keep the Bootleggers OUT of Big Spring and Leave Liquor Legal Let's Retain PROSPERITY and Enforce Decency

We Hope You Will Mark Your Ballot in This Manner:

**~~FOR PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES~~
AGAINST PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Political Advertisement Paid For By Progressive Citizen's League Of Howard County

By T. E. CURRIE, Chairman

Freeze

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which have harassed upper New York state.

New York City's weather was cold and the forecast was for even more frigid weather. The temperature tonight was expected to drop to 15.

A 52-mile-an-hour wind blew across Buffalo and parts of West-ern New York, piling up fresh snowdrifts.

Deaths, attributed directly or indirectly to the weather, stood at 21 for the past few days—five in the South, eight in New York state, and eight in Pennsylvania.

Update New York roads were blocked as winds whipped snow back into places which had been cleared. Niagara Falls closed its schools because of the cold, and in Buffalo falling heat and light in a federal housing project brought misery to tenants of 658 apartments.

Parts of Western Pennsylvania lay under 18 inches of snow. There were four-foot drifts in spots, while the thermometer dived to zero in many rural sections.

Members

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as announced from the chamber of commerce office:

New Members

Firestone Auto Service, C. Y. Clinkscale, Anderson Music company, Odie Patsick, Shroyer Motor company, Douglas Boutby shop, K. S. Beckett, F. H. Heffley, Hugh Dubberly, Ted O. Groehl, Albert B. Groehl, Frank B. Boyle, R. W. Whipkey, Leon J. Wilson, Wright Williams, A. J. McNallen store, H. H. Rutherford, Frank Mackey, L. M. Brooks, W. W. Barker, Earl Lassiter, Tom Pendergraft, Lakeview Grocery, Airway Courts, W. M. Gage, B. Bronstein, Russ Wrecking company, Arnold & Bell Tin shop, Walter Vastine, Cecil Thixton.

Jobs cafe, Gulf Service Station No. 5, Ed Evans, J. J. Jackson, A. C. Bass, Lee Hanson, Walton Morrison, Dr. Lee O. Rogers, J. R. Cunningham, Dr. G. H. Wood, Dr. P. R. Sanders, Crow's Rendezvous, Blue Moon cafe, E. C. Boatler, Wally Simpson night club, Dr. C. E. Richardson, Yellow Cab company, N. G. Hillard, G. S. True, L. Z. Marchbanks, Jesse James cafe, Joy Stripping, Claude's Service Station, Leslie Walker, Carl Blomshield, Bailey & Aldridge, T. J. Gregory, Elliott & Waldron, Dr. L. E. Farmley.

White House grocery, Ben G. Carpenter, G. R. Halley, V. W. Eglar, Rev. G. C. Schuman, McCullough Oil company, W. C. White garage, F. S. Gomez, Big Spring Wrecking company, C. A. Walker, Miller-Oldham, Badger - Herring, Pig Stand, Dave's Liquor shop, Lora Farnsworth, Planters Gin company, The Vogue, W. B. Martin, H. M. Macomber, Dewey Young, Joe S. Carpenter, J. C. Lopez, True & Boyle, Piggly-Wiggly, Dr. J. E. Hogan.

Completion

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south and 330 feet from the west line of section 8-25. W&NW, Humble also stake location of south offset to the Noble No. 2 Chalk and an east offset to its own No. 1 Douthit. The well, Humble No. 2 E. W. Douthit, is located 990 feet from the west and 330 feet from the north line of section 115-29, W&NW.

Magnolia No. 1, Hyman-Chalk, 1,650 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east line of section

Man 'Too Old To Sell Varnish' Now Keeps World In Christmas Holly



HOLLY KIND

P. H. Peyran, who lost his years ago, has become a leader in the industry that supplies the world with holly.

GIG HARBOR, Mich. (AP)—Holly for the Christmas windows of the world moves from this Puget Sound fishing village in boxes and box cars, the shipments representing fulfillment of an old man's dream.

Whenever the age-old custom of displaying lustrous, prickly, holly leaves during the holidays is followed—in Patagonia, Honolulu, or New York—Big Harbor holly finds its place.

More than 4,000 pounds of it comes this year from the grove of P. H. Peyran—who dreamed his holly dream 22 years ago and sees it realized today. Before the World War, Peyran was a varnish salesman who already foresaw the day when he would be too old to sell varnish.

Spurred by a nurseryman's casual remarks he discovered holly was about to disappear from American homes. The wild holly growing mostly in Delaware marshes was nearly exhausted and the United States contained not a single commercial holly grove.

Business Developed

Peyran planted 600 self-pollinating French holly trees on the shores of Puget Sound as old-age insurance.

Two years later he lost his job. Since that time, holly has supported

Farmers Told To Organize

Should Catch Vision Of World Activities, Woman Asserts

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (AP)—A woman farm leader from Urbana, Ill., today urged a convention of Texas agriculturalists to organize to preserve their freedom.

Mrs. Elsie Mies, representative of the Associated Women of the American Farm Bureau Federation, said the American farmer "too long has acted the role of the rugged individualist" and must catch a vision of world agricultural activities.

Mrs. Mies was the first speaker before the fourth annual convention of the Texas Agricultural association.

Sessions opened at 9 a. m. with about 500 farmers present. Between 1,500 and 2,000 are expected during the three-day meeting.

Committee Report

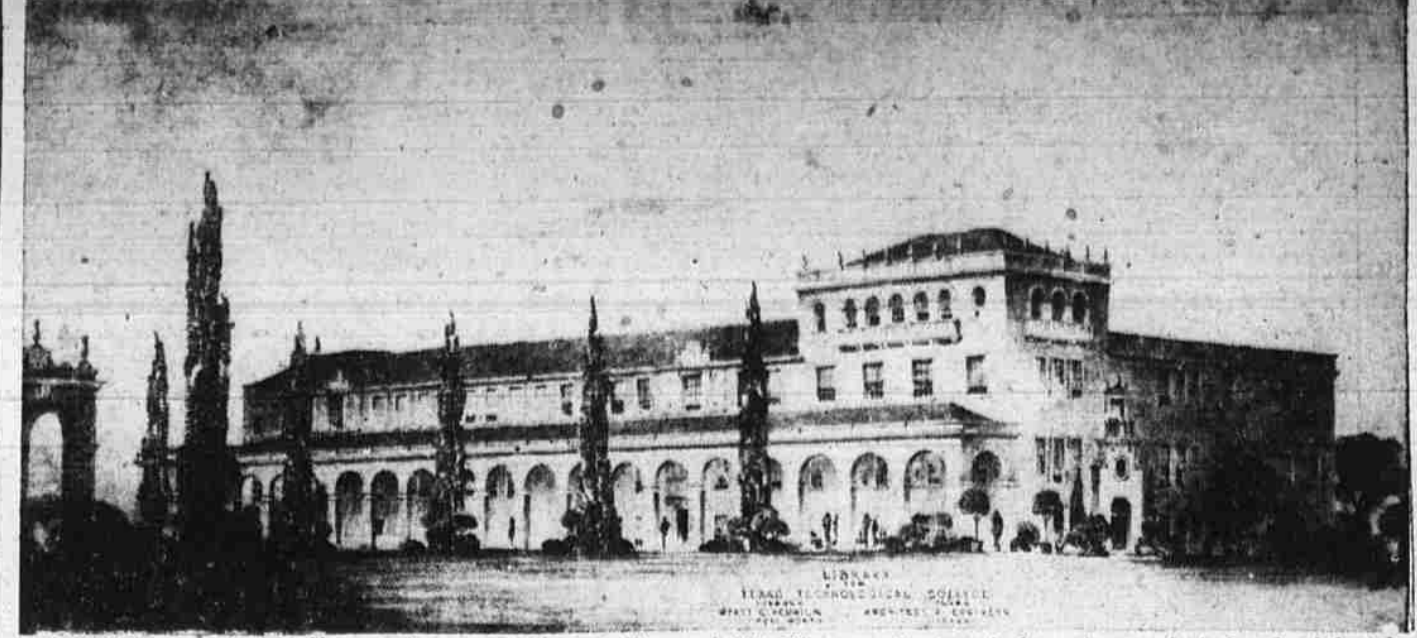
The meeting was called to order by H. G. Lucas, Brownwood, president, and heard the report of its resolutions committee, which stressed these points:

1. Farm crop parity payments, particularly on cotton both for domestic and foreign markets, to offset the present tariff restrictions.
2. Unqualified opposition to the domestic allotment plan of State Agriculture Commissioner McDonnell.
3. Compulsory crop production control as a step toward maintaining farm product prices at the proper level.
4. That consideration be given to soil type, farm facilities and topography in basing acreage allotments under any control plan.
5. That congress be reminded of its promise to place farm and legislation ahead of political measures.

Discussion of the committee's report still was in progress at noon. Mrs. Mies urged farmers to catch a vision of world agricultural activities and determine to organize their program.

"Too long the farmer has acted the role of the rugged individualist, for his salvation now is not in pioneering a new country x x x but in organizing and joining hands with others of the farming sections to preserve what he has left," declared Mrs. Mies.

\$250,000 LIBRARY UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT TECH



LUBBOCK, Nov. 25—The illustration is from the architect's drawing of the new \$250,000 library building now under construction at Texas Technological college. Plans call for its completion for the opening of the fall semester in 1938. The new structure is in the Spanish renaissance style, three stories with a four-story tower, of steel and reinforced concrete, brick walls, limestone trim and tile roof.

YOUTHS CONVICTED IN SLAYING CASE

CLOVIS, N. M., Dec. 9 (AP)—A district court jury, after 12 hours deliberations, found two Pampa, Tex., youths guilty of second degree murder today in the shotgun slaying of Ed Hargus, Roosevelt county farmer.

The defendants, Marvin McEntire, 22, and Ray Jackson, 17, smiled as the verdict was read. Conviction of second degree murder charges carries a maximum of life imprisonment.

Hargus' shot-riddled body was found in a shallow sand grave near his farm last August 1. He had been slain three days before.

Tax Revision Is Studied

Aid Business Under Discussion

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—New proposals for tax revision received attention today of congressmen and other government officials in discussions of the business situation.

These developments were noted:

1. Congressional leaders expressed approval of a suggestion by Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the federal reserve board, that the way to halt the business recession is to balance industrial and agricultural and agricultural prices.
2. Senator Minton (D-Ind) proposed enactment of a gross income tax, with virtually no exemptions, to balance the federal budget.
3. A house tax sub-committee proceeded with its efforts to lighten the undistributed profits levy. It ignored a suggestion from the Brookings Institution, a private research agency, that the tax be abolished altogether.
4. Chairman Jesse H. Jones of the Reconstruction Finance corporation said after a White House conference that the railroads have "got to have increased revenues, or be subsidized."
5. Secretary Roper reported 1937 foreign trade would total \$6,500,000,000, almost a third better than 1936 and 118 per cent above 1932. He said he expected a favorable

SUSPECTS ARRESTED

AMARILLO, Dec. 9 (AP)—Police-man Tex Berry today arrested two hitchhikers identified by R. J. Stine of Arcadia, Calif., as the pair which held him up, slugged him, and robbed him of \$27 and his new automobile.

Stine said he offered the suspects a ride near Erick, Okla. He said they shot at him three times and forced him from his automobile 15 miles southeast of Amarillo this morning.

BABY FOUND DEAD

MIDLAND, Tex., Dec. 9 (AP)—Charles Lee, 2 1/2 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Richardson, Glendale, Ariz., was found dead in the rear seat of their car today when they checked in at a local tourist camp. The baby was heavily wrapped in blankets and the child apparently had smothered to death while asleep.

The Richardsons were en route to Stamford, Tex., for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. H. B. Robb left Wednesday evening on the Sunshine Special for her home in Pasadena, Calif., after visiting here several days with her mother, Mrs. Dell Hatch, and other relatives.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Directors of Bethlehem Steel Corp. declared a dividend of \$1 a common share today, bringing payments for the year to \$5. The latest payment is to be made Dec. 21 to holders of record Dec. 17.

Eugene G. Grace, chairman, said the company was currently operating at 27 per cent of ingot capacity and that there was no indication so far of an increase in new business.

BURIED AT CLOVIS

The body of C. W. Stone, 63, who succumbed at the home here of a nephew Wednesday, was forwarded to Clovis, N. M., his former home, for burial. Two brothers survive. Local arrangements were under direction of the Kinney Funeral home.

Phil Slusser, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Slusser, is on a brief visit here. He resides in San Antonio.

trade balance of \$100,000,000, three times that of last year.

To All Who Suffer From Acute Attacks Asthma-Bronchitis

Over 9,000,000 Bottles Of This Famous Cough Mixture Sold In Canada

Two or three doses of the Famous BUCKLEY'S MINTURE in sweetened hot water and sipped slowly just before retiring usually ensure a restful night's sleep.

Asthma-Bronchitis sufferers enjoy a coughless night; you'll sleep sound and wake refreshed if you will be just wise enough to take 2 or 3 doses before you go to bed.

BUCKLEY'S MINTURE is sold by all good druggists—learn for yourself why Buckley's out-sells all other Cough and Cold remedies in cold-wintery Canada.—Collins Bros.—Indy.

95-29, spudded and prepared to drill ahead. Location is staked on the H. L. Lockhart No. 1 A. R. Huesinger, 330 feet out of the southeast corner of section 67-29, W&NW, and Johnson and Bruce No. 2-A, Hyman, section 88-29, W&NW, is deepening from 2,900 feet where it tested 480 bgrret daily.

AIRMAIL PICKUP

DALLAS, Dec. 9 (AP)—To stimulate use of the air mail, two of seven Texas flights will be made tomorrow from North Texas to Houston. Postmaster Bruce Luna said today.

Pilot C. A. Rowe will take off on a flight with stops at Gainesville, Sherman, Bonham, Paris, Jacksonville, Palestine and Houston.

Pilot Ralph C. Lockwood will stop at Odessa, Midland, San Angelo, Brady, Brownwood and Temple en route to Houston. The ship will reach Houston about 1 p. m., he said. Luna added these flights might result in feeder airmail lines from smaller cities.

Cotton

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Ku Klux Klan.

"We will be splitting communities wide open," Lee shouted. "One farmer's hand will be raised against another. Why, I read of one farmer who said 'we'll make them reduce their acreage, or we'll get out the old night-riders'."

He urged payments to farmers on that share of their crops consumed in this country, as a substitute for acreage reduction.

Meanwhile, the house, with less than half its members present, voted down a proposal to permit the agriculture secretary to impose marketing quotas on corn when national supplies pile up to 2,900,000,000 bushels. The unrecorded vote was 78 to 59.

The house farm bill as it now stands would authorize invoking the quotas when supplies reach 2,900,000,000 bushels.

Fascist Council Will Convene

ROME, Dec. 9 (AP)—An extraordinary session of the fascist grand council was announced today for Saturday night.

Various reports none of which could be confirmed officially, immediately began circulating.

Officials would give no indication of the reason for the meeting. Nevertheless, information circulated in diplomatic quarters that the meeting possibly was called to decide whether Italy should withdraw from the league of nations.

Another report was that the council would declare the present chamber of deputies substituted by a cooperative chamber. Another was that a new foreign policy might be outlined, especially toward democratic countries.

AT SCHOOL MEETING

Anne Martin, county superintendent, returned Thursday morning from Lubbock where she attended the West Texas School Executive association banquet Wednesday evening.

She was accompanied there by Sue B. Mann, deputy state superintendent, who planned to return here late Thursday.

Schools were evaluated by a farmer, a business man, a public school man, and a member of the state accrediting committee.

State Supt. L. A. Wood spoke of fumbles in handling "educational ball in Texas." He said there were too much talking and too little action. Failure of education lasting from the first grade to graduation only, and failure to take the general public into consideration.

BOARD OF REVIEW FOR SCOUTS FRIDAY

W. C. Blankenship, chairman of the court of honor activities, said Thursday that a board of review for scouts would be held at the high school Friday at 7:30 p. m. He urged all boys who are to be reviewed on work above first class to attend.

Woman Recovering From Shock Of Hours In Sea

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—A pretty young woman, who faced death in black tropical seas for five hours last Sunday, lay in a Brooklyn hospital today, weak from exposure but apparently determined to keep to herself the details of her strange experience.

Miss Eleanor Offutt, 25, of Los Angeles, was in danger of pneumonia, from her long ordeal in the ocean.

Only from Captain G. C. Bown and a few members of the crew of the freighter Lillian Lugkenbach did the story of her rescue come, and the tellers knew nothing of why or how Miss Offutt went overboard as the ship sailed north of San Salvador.

It was sheer luck she survived at all, the captain and the others thought.

"It was remarkable the sharks didn't find her before we did," the skipper said of the 5-hour search.

As it was, Miss Offutt was semi-conscious when she was hauled into a lifeboat at dawn.

She had boarded the ship at San Francisco and to Captain Bown she seemed despondent and nervous.

The ship docked yesterday in Brooklyn.

POSTMEN BUSY WITH CHRISTMAS MAIL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—Uncle Sam's postmen bent wry backs today to the job of handling extra mail and promised the nation that every Christmas gift would be delivered on time—if every sender does his part.

The post office department will do its share, officials said. They were prepared to hire 120,000 or more extra clerks and carriers.

Officials said even the most distant farmer or rancher should have his Christmas greeting or present on time if these rules are obeyed:

Consult the nearest postoffice on mailing schedules and mail now!

Inscribe your packages with "Not to be opened until Christmas."

Take a chance on the honesty of your friends, officials pleaded, and then you won't be able to blame late or non-delivery on the United States mails.

IN COLLEGE STATION

O. P. Griffin, county agent, had not returned to his office Thursday from a trip to College Station to adjust the county's farm papers.

Griffin rushed to the state headquarters Tuesday after being notified that the county was several thousand pounds of cotton out of balance. He made the trip in order that the county would hold its place in the line of applications to the state board.

A Grand Christmas Gift!

Remember, Folks! YOU CAN GIVE THE EXACT SAME WHISKEY US DISTILLERS ENJOY AMONGST OURSELVES!

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FOR HERALD WANT ADS PHONE 728

NOTICE of PUBLIC AUCTION

At 2:00 P. M., Tuesday, December 14th, 1937, the City of Big Spring will sell at public auction 16 frame buildings, consisting of 3 residences and 13 sheds, barns, and other small buildings. These buildings are now located on the State Hospital site, approximately 1 1/2 miles north of Big Spring, and the sale will be held on the site.

A minimum price has been set on each building and any bid less than the minimum will not be considered. For further information, inquire at the office of the City Secretary, at the City Hall, Big Spring, Texas.

Arguments On Liquor Issue Aired In Letters To Herald

Liquor Revenue Argument Rapped And Evils Of Drinking Cited In Communication On Wet-Dry Vote

(In connection with the county-wide referendum on legalized liquor sales, The Herald has received the following communication with request for publication.—Editor's Note.)

To The Editor: I should hate to call one holding a different theory from my own a foe. Worse, I should hate to limit my friends to those who vote as I do, or attend my church, or move down in a different social current. I refuse to allow any theories or varied views of politics or religion, or no religion, to be a barrier between me and my fellow man. I recognize that each man is his brother's keeper. The more men have in common, the stronger and more real will be the ties of brotherhood. To have nothing in common does not mean we do not remain brothers obligated to the other, to serve in every way the best interests of each other. This will remain true after Friday.

A page ad in the Big Spring Herald this week over the name of "The Good Government League," signed by Mr. T. C. Thomas, is the cause of this article.

When I read the article the question came as to the qualification for membership in a good government league. To vote for liquor as Mr. Thomas demonstrated, begins to be the pre-requisite and the passport into full fledged membership. The implication is unless one votes he is not a good citizen. Since there are those who will not vote Friday as Mr. Thomas directs, therefore, their highest motives for citizenship will be impugned. I for one desire to answer his attack on the quality of citizenship of those opposed to liquor. We are all citizens of no mean city. Some of us as individuals may be mean on both sides of the issue.

There are those who will vote dry that are personally the epitome of patriotism, good citizenship, and government, that does not have to be argued.

Business Directory

He spoke in terms of big money accruing from the liquor business. In the first place, Mr. Thomas knows and everybody knows that there are not two thousand people in this city deriving their living from the sale of liquor. The absurdity of such a number is seen by comparing this with other business interests of the town. For instance, take the automobile business and its associated interests. The phone directory lists: Seven agencies selling cars; two auto parts stores; 10 wholesale gas and oil agencies; and 30 filling stations. Check for yourself and see if 410 men are employed in this, the largest single type of business in the city for 12 months in the year. That is approaching the number of men with the Texas & Pacific railway and the gasoline refineries, and apart from ranching and farming, they are the "bread basket" of Big Spring.

Rents were held up as a lure. It is well to remember what happened when America went dry in 1918. No nation ever witnessed so gigantic a building program, and that without government aid. Since liquor returned, there has hardly been a public building school, municipal or state, that was not subsidized with federal money. Furthermore, the government has loaned money on almost every private and cooperative job. One town of which I am more familiar than Big Spring is in the wet column. For the buildings used to dispense liquor there has almost been an equal number of bankruptcies from drinking liquor. Some of the highest paid men have lost their positions since liquor is accessible. \$500,000.00 is claimed as revenue from liquor in one year. That is about equal to a five-year budget for the education of the children of our city.

"Our president asked for repeal." He asked for a lot of things that bankrupt many and would have bankrupted more had the supreme court not pitched out of the window some of his laws. The acute depression now threatening another major disaster will be stayed only by congress repealing others of them.

No word was said about the results of drinking liquor. No word was said about the hundreds of men who have taken the "Keeley" cure in Pampa since March from the institutes of Dr. W. B. Wild. I have a friend who operates one in Dallas. I should like to help any one to be cured. No wife wants a drinking husband. No husband wants a drinking wife. Every one wants sober people driving automobiles. No drinking man can hold a responsible position. The wise man says in the book that strong drink will destroy the body, and damn the soul.

There is no need to shed crocodile tears about old age pensions being reduced. The sources of information I have seen do not credit a huge sum from liquor revenues. The federal government still carries 16 million on the relief roll and it is growing each month. An old person dependent is an object of pity. Not one, however, should become a ward of the state so long as there are relatives who ought to provide for them.

This old age assistance is a political bubble more than a necessity. Texas is chipping on her pension rolls a far larger number than in New York and Pennsylvania with their multiplied millions large population. The liquor causes least political friend will press a sales tax to support the aged next year.

If the old are on the hearts of the Good Government League, why

Temperance Speaker To Be Heard Here This Evening



REV. SAM MORRIS

Rev. Sam Morris, nationally known radio temperance lecturer is to be the chief speaker at the dry rally scheduled in the city auditorium this evening. Rev. Morris is a Baptist minister who started his early ministry in this county several years ago while a student in Hardin-Simmons university.

Rev. Morris is now associate editor of the National Voice, America's oldest prohibition newspaper, and is state chairman of the prohibition party in Texas. He speaks over the Mexican border station at Eagle Pass, XEPN, daily from November to May and through the summer holds revivals and crusades in liquor elections. His visit to Big Spring at this time is in the interest of the election to be held Friday and is at the invitation of the dry forces of this city.

should not the youth of the land, the women and the children, made poorer by a drinking father and mother. Liquor has made more children's stomachs gnaw with hunger, took more clothes off their backs, and they are today in a far larger number suffering from liquor than old people for lack of a pension check.

The claim is made that drunkenness has decreased. Men say such things on the street, walk off, only to have some glib person telling for a truth what is not so by a sea mile. We are told if we would see crowds of drunks, simply go to one of these dry counties. If they are drunk in crowds in dry counties, they are also drunk in crowds in wet counties. Granted, the biggest bunch of drunks is to be found in dry territory, they are drunk on liquor from the neighborhood wet counties. A new industry in the last year is the Keeley institute. There were but few in prohibition days.

Reference was made to crime and kidnapping as if we had grown out of such trouble with the return of liquor. Yet on the front page of this very paper was the story of a tragic kidnapping in New York state. We do have crime because we have criminals. J. Edgar Hoover says we have four million criminals in America. He also says that the greatest cause of crime is liquor, cocktail drinking in the homes, popularizing the drinking of liquor by the indiscriminate youth.

I am for the people but I am also against liquor because of what I have seen it do to people who drink it. In this too small a life of mine I have been with many families in sorrow that liquor brought, and know that it brings forth death. Alcohol is the killer of thousands every year; ruins homes; fosters suicidal habits on weak lives; impoverishes childhood, and degrades manhood and womanhood. When a man refrains from manufacturing and selling this anti-social product, he will win my approval in a Good Government League. Until then, no dress parade will deceive any one.

(Signed) C. E. LANCASTER.

Report Released On Cases Filed By Liquor Board

Report of cases filed in district 9 of the Texas Liquor Control board administrative setup—a district, which includes 20 counties and which has headquarters in Big Spring—has been released, simultaneously with transmission of the report to Austin offices. The report, by counties—listing their wet-dry status, follows:

- Andrews—Dry; no cases filed.
- Bandera—Dry; no cases filed.
- Crahe—Wet; no cases filed.
- Dawson—Dry; 7 cases filed, of these 3 were drug stores and 1 a doctor.
- Ector—Wet; 2 cases filed.
- Gaines—Dry; no cases filed.
- Glasscock—Dry; no cases filed.
- Howard—Wet; 1 case filed since Sept. 1.
- Loving—Wet; no cases filed.
- Martin—Dry; 3 cases filed.
- Milland—Dry; 7 cases filed, of these 4 were drug stores.
- Mitchell—Dry; 2 cases filed.
- Pecos—Wet; no cases filed.
- Reagan—Wet; no cases filed.
- Reeves—Wet; no cases filed.
- Secury—Dry; seized 1 still, 50-gallon capacity.
- Sterling—Beery; no cases filed.

Cites Record On 'Leggers'

Indictments Mentioned In Letter To The Herald

(A further discussion of wet-dry issues has been submitted to The Herald, with request for publication. The communication follows.—Editor's Note.)

To The Editor: Our dry friends have contended in their advertisements that the number of bootleggers during the prohibition era could not compare with the number of legitimate men engaged at the present time in handling alcoholic beverages.

Unfortunately, there is no record of the number of bootleggers. They were not required, of course, to secure licenses and permits, and for that reason their number cannot be accurately ascertained.

There is, however, one very incomplete record on them, and that is the district court docket. They left their slimy trail upon that docket, although, of course, not one out of ten on the average was caught "with the goods," in such manner that a grand jury could indict him.

The official records of the district court show that the February grand jury of the year 1929 returned 14 indictments against bootleggers. Remember that this is only one term of court for that year. The following grand jury, which met some three months later, in May of the same year, returned 9 indictments against bootleggers. We know from our own knowledge, and from the fact that the bootleggers continued their activity with growing intensity, that only a very small percentage of them were caught. We, therefore, believe that it is not unreasonable to suppose that the bootleggers of the prohibition era greatly exceeded the number of legitimate dealers today.

Poverty? As to whether the bootleggers lived "on the margin of poverty" in this county, or not, we will leave up to any twelve men of this county, who lived here at that time, regardless of whether such men are wet or dry in their political views.

It is well known that several of our leading bootleggers drove the finest cars, and lived in the most opulent manner of any residents of our town. A few bought farms and business property with their ill-gotten gains, derived from selling and manufacturing liquor.

The grand jury for May, 1929, returned 6 indictments against automobile drivers for operating their automobiles while intoxicated. If one jury has returned that number of indictments since repeal, we have been unable to find the record.

Please check on our figures, if you doubt the truth thereof, by going to our district clerk. It has been stated in some of the dry propaganda that beer pays a tax of only \$33 per barrel to the pension fund, and the impression is left that this is the only tax that a barrel of beer pays. However, the total taxes which a barrel of beer pays are as follows:

- \$1.24 to the state.
- \$3.00 to the federal government.
- \$2.24 total.

This is the stamp tax alone, and does not take into consideration the license fees, charged the retailer, distributor and brewer, which are enormous.

Respectfully submitted, TOM R. CURRIE.

(Progressive Citizens League)

Labor Relations Under Study By Manufacturers

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Its annual "platform" completed, calling upon all citizens to cooperate in preventing laws and tendencies in government from reversing a century trend of improved living standards, the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers today plunged into the problems of labor relationships.

In the association's annual "platform for American industry," adopted without a dissenting vote at the session late yesterday, the manufacturers asserted that among "road closed" signs which they found on the way to greater production and employment was:

- "Legislation which stimulates labor controversies, or the threat of such controversies, which does not protect employes against any and all coercion; and which is unfair to employers and under which only they can be guilty of unfair practices."
- The platform took a stab at the wages and hours bill now before congress. It listed as required to promote competition and individual initiative:
- "Freedom from federal control of prices, wages and hours in manufacturing."
- The manufacturers expressed opposition to child labor and sweatshops, and advocated for they saw observance, "the leveling, so far as possible, of seasonal valleys of production and employment."

30-YEAR SENTENCE

DALLAS, Dec. 9 (AP)—A 30-year prison sentence had been given W. H. Rickman, 54, WPA laborer, today by a jury that found him guilty of the slaying of Robert L. Morrison, 64, restaurant operator, at Garland last Sept. 3.

Upton—Wet; no cases filed. Ward—Wet; 2 cases filed. Winkler—Wet; no cases filed.

Asserts County Has Fared Better Since Repeal Of Liquor Laws

(The following communication on issues in Friday's legalized liquor sale referendum has been received with request for publication.—Editor's Note.)

To The Editor: We, have conducted our campaign against what we and the Roosevelt administration consider a failure and a farce—prohibition—in a dignified and considerate manner. We sincerely believe that our county has fared better, from the standpoint of morals and decency, since repeal than during prohibition. We have not tried to ridicule our dry friends. We believe that they, too, are sincere. We are both working for what we consider is the best interest of our county.

We are sorry that our dry friends have stated in some of their literature "that it is reported that the brewers and liquor interests sent \$5,000 into the county to keep it wet." We wonder who "reported" this? It is not true, and we do not think that any one believes that it is true. This campaign has been financed entirely by local business men and citizens of Howard county who, like Roosevelt and Garner, believe that prohibition had a fair trial and failed, and that our county will make a serious mistake if it returns to the prohibition system. We have not tried to keep any one from getting the facts, nor have we tried to distort, or misconstrue the facts. It was hard cold facts that caused prohibition to be voted out. The record speaks for itself.

We want every citizen of Howard county who is qualified to vote, to vote tomorrow. We want them to give the matter careful consideration. We want them to vote their honest conviction, and to vote for what they consider the best interests of Howard county, and its citizens. We will be satisfied with the results.

(Signed) T. C. THOMAS, Chairman, The Good Government League.

Would Divide Speaking Time Dry Forces Sponsor Address By Morris This Evening

(The Herald publishes by request the following communication concerning Friday's referendum on prohibition of liquor sales in Howard county.—Editor's Note.)

"This is the end of the matter—all hath been said." As we draw to the close of our campaign for a dry county I want to thank you and your splendid paper for the fair and unprejudiced manner in which you conducted yourselves during the controversy.

"We have been most willing for both sides to come out in the open and be heard. That is why we have challenged the wets to a open discussion of the question at the city auditorium tonight at 7:45." Our speaker, Rev. Sam Morris, will be a speaker or not? We will be glad to divide the time with them. As it looks to us now the drys will carry by a big majority. It will not happen, however, unless every dry vote is polled. For this reason we are establishing headquarters at the First Methodist church and urge everyone who cannot get to the polls to call there and a car will be sent after them. THE TELEPHONE NUMBER IS 673. Elections have been won or lost by one vote. It would be tragic for any person of dry convictions to realize after it becomes too late that the cause has been lost because of his neglect.

Yours for a cleaner, safer, more righteous county, G. C. SCHURMAN, Chairman of Publicity, Howard County Prohibition Forces.

M'Donald To Press For A Domestic Allotment Plan

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP)—J. E. McDonald, Texas commissioner of agriculture, said today rejection of a domestic allotment plan by the house Tuesday would make him redouble his efforts to have the senate adopt it.

C. C. Hanson, secretary of the Southern Commissioners of Agriculture, expressed similar determination. The plan would give farmers a parity price for the portion of their crop used domestically, allowing the remainder to be exported at world prices.

"The farm bills as they are now written would be ruinous to the southern farmers," McDonald said. "They would destroy our world market and thereby seriously affect commerce in the South, as well as the farmer." McDonald said he had received telegrams signed by 100 Houston firms, and from the Galveston cotton exchange, and board of trade, urging the adoption of a domestic allotment plan.

Similar telegrams were received by Senators Sheppard and Connally of Texas. Both said, however, they favored the administration's bill. Nash and Wallace Beery are reunited in the film "Bad Man of Brimstone" for the first time, in 15 years.

DESCRIPTION MADE FROM SKELETON

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 9 (AP)—Scientific federal detectives, working with a pile of fire-blackened bones, produced today a description of their deceased owner. But failed to discover who he was and why his remains were placed last summer in a bonfire near the mining camp at Madrid, N. M.

The bones were assembled by technicians of the U. S. National Museum into the skeleton of a man "of advanced age, 60 or over," wrote J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the federal bureau of investigation, to New Mexico state police.

The bones, discovered by a rabbit hunter in the smoldering ashes of the bonfire, have led state police on an as yet futile search for a possible slayer.

MEXICAN SOUGHT

GUADALAJARA, Mexico, Dec. 9 (AP)—Ciro Gomez, a one-time revolutionary leader, was hunted today in the mountains of his native Jalisco state on charges that he slew Carmen Barajas because she refused to marry him.

ONE KILLED, 16 HURT AS AUTO PLUNGES INTO CROWD

DETROIT, Dec. 9 (AP)—An auto mobile ploughed through a crowd of nearly 100 persons waiting for a street car last night, killing one and injuring at least 16.

William Marklein, 30, an automobile factory foreman, the auto driver, was arrested and Chief of Police Carl A. Brooks of suburban Dearborn, where the accident occurred, said he would seek a warrant for him today charging negligent homicide.

A physician and two policemen said Marklein had been drinking. The crowd in the street car waiting zone was made up mainly of churchgoers who had just come from a nearby tabernacle.

Mrs. Theresa Schuyler, 45, was killed. Three other women were in serious condition with skull or internal injuries. At least 13 others, all women and children, were hospitalized.

MONKEYS USED IN CAMPAIGN ON FATAL INFANTILE MALADY

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP)—Fifteen Rhesus monkeys were brought here from the East by plane today to be used by bacteriologists seeking the cause of the virulent intestinal disease that has claimed the lives of 11 babies at St. Elizabeth's hospital since November 23.

Dr. Herman Bundesen, president of the health board, said the monkeys were essential for experimental purposes.

Eight infants still suffering from the disease at St. Elizabeth's were reported to be recovering.

Oxford, the English university city, is 64 miles from London.

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During the past year, many startling and vitally important events have occurred. Not since the World War has The Herald been filled with so much interesting news. But there is still more big news coming. Never before have the activities of the national government so greatly affected the life of every individual—every farmer—as they do today. Learn more about the tenant farm loan. Who will have to stand the burden of the new taxes? There will likely be some changes in the relief setup in the coming year. What will these changes be? All of these matters are vitally important and concern YOU. And The Herald will keep you posted on all of them.

YOUR HERALD AS AN INVESTMENT—

Perhaps it has never occurred to you, but your Herald is an investment. It pays big dividends IN MONEY. The family that tries to get along for even a week without The Herald loses far more in happiness than the small cost of your subscription, which is slightly less than 1c per day. There isn't a bigger value on the market today than The Herald. Think of it... and you'll send in your subscription today.

HOURS AHEAD—

When you subscribe to The Herald you get the news while it is still NEWS. Because The Herald goes to press hours later than other papers, it is able to bring you news hours ahead of any paper in West Texas. So far this year The Herald has scored several big scoops over all other papers, and there is seldom a day that it doesn't bring stories that are not carried in other papers.

DAILY BY CARRIER—

The Herald delivered anywhere in Big Spring or either of the additions only costs 65 cents per month. Why not call 728 and let us start your paper today.

LOCAL NEWS—

The Herald maintains local correspondents in almost every community in the trade territory, which keeps you posted on all local happenings daily. How are you going to know what your neighbor is doing without The Herald?

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He tried to lose his girl and his mind...at the same time!

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Stylists Put Glitter Into Santa's Pack

By ADELAIDE KERR
AP Feature Service Writer

NEW YORK—Saint Nick and the fashion mart have teamed up to produce a wealth of glittering gifts for Christmas.

Gold necklaces, clips, cigarette cases and compacts, colored gloves, handkerchiefs, vivid kerchiefs and leather accessories make a pot-pourri of presents which will dangle from Christmas trees from Maine to California.

The new necklaces—very important this year when nearly every woman is wearing them—would make Midas wistful. Good Etruscan and filigree chains, tubular twists and multiple rows of beads are glittering and smart. Clips are calla lilies, pine cones, acorn clusters and modernistic tube designs—all lacquered in gold.

Golden Apple Compact

Something new in compacts is a little golden apple about three inches across, hollowed to hold powder and puff. Less striking ones are cut in the shape of gold leaves or hearts pierced by cupid's dart.



Flannel House Coats For Christmas: Wine Red For Him, Tailored Beige For Her

Colored gloves—less mad this season than when they first swept across fashion's horizon—are designed to make very smart accessories to dark costumes and very welcome Christmas gifts. Velvet, suede and antelope in such hues as Bordeaux red, blue green beige and mustard are the favorites.

The smartest new bags have handles—some of them long enough to hang over the shoulder. They are made of suede, crocodile and calf—generally of sober hues—and fitted inside with all the accessories they need.

Jungle Gifts for Men

Colored caiffon—plain, patterned or worked with metal threads—is this year's bright answer to the question of gift handkerchiefs.

Many of the smartest gifts for men are of leather. Among them are new "jungle gloves" made of antelope, wild donkey or water moccasin skin—anything that comes from the jungle—and given a smoothly tailored finish.

Alligator and snakeskin make sleek new cigarette cases—long, narrow and closed with a folding flap top—while the smartest evening bill folds are made of black moire. Another of the season's novel Christmas gifts for men is a toilet water with a leather scent.

The Markets

Cotton				LIVESTOCK	
NEW ORLEANS				CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (U.S.D.A.)	
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Cotton futures closed steady at net advances of 11 to 12 points.				Cattle 5,000; calves 1,000; best weighty steers 11.65; several loads 11.50; largely 8.00-11.00 market; she stock fully steady; bulls strong and vealers strong to 25 higher, very scarce; weighty sausage-bulls to 6.75; vealers to 11.00.	
Open High Low Close				Sheep 10,000; good to choice native and western offerings 9.00-35; best held above 9.50; sheep steady; scattered native ewes 3.50-4.50.	
Dec.	8.13	8.22	8.12	FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 800; top 8.00 paid by shippers and small killers; packer top 7.90; good to choice 185-300 lb. 7.90-8.00; packing sows steady to 25c higher at 7.00-50.	
Jan.	8.09	8.09	8.09	Cattle 2,300; calves 1,100; most slaughter steers and yearlings 4.50-7.00; best cows 4.25-5.00; some good heifers 5.25 up; killing calves 3.50-6.00; load 4.54 lb. 6.25; most stocker yearlings and calves 5.00-6.00.	
Feb.	8.14	8.25	8.14	Sheep 1,000; all classes steady; fat lambs 7.00-75; fat yearlings 6.00-50; 2-year old wether 5.50; aged wethers 4.50; feeder lambs 6.00-50.	
Mar.	8.15	8.26	8.15	Student Laughs at Grades	
Apr.	8.20	8.29	8.18	NEW YORK (UP)—Two Broadway producers have accepted the first play of a Hunter college senior, Hilda Koenigsberg. The joke at present, however, is that Miss Koenigsberg is taking a course in playwriting in which she has received only "fair" grades thus far.	
May	8.23	8.31	8.22	Grover Whalen Has Rival	
Oct.	8.33	8.33	8.33	INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (UP)—There aren't any Grover Whalens in Indianapolis but there is a John W. Friday, who like New York's former official greeter, sports a flower in his lapel every day. He has been wearing a dark pink carnation for 53 years.	
Nov.	8.33	8.33	8.33	Active Stocks	
Dec.	8.33	8.33	8.33	NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Sales closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today:	
A—asked; B—bid.				Chrysler 35,200, 57 5-8, down 1 3-4.	
NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (U.S. Dept. Agr.)—Cotton futures closed steady, 12 to 13 higher.				US Steel 32,000, 57, down 1 7-8.	
Open High Low Last				Anacosta 26,600, 32 3-8, down 7-8.	
Dec.	7.93	8.07	7.93	Mother Lode 25,200, 1-2, down 1-8.	
Jan.	7.97	8.10	7.95	Beth Steel 23,600, 57, down 5-8.	
Feb.	8.03	8.14	8.02	Gen. Motors 23,600, 34 1-2, down 1-2.	
Mar.	8.09	8.17	8.06	NY Central 19,300, 19 1-2, down 3-4.	
Apr.	8.12	8.20	8.09	Radio 14,800, 7, down 1-8.	
Oct.	8.18	8.24	8.15	South Pac 14,700, 22 3-4, down 1-4.	
Spot steady; middling 8.20.				Rep. Elec 44,500, 43 1-8, down 5-8.	
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Anacosta 26,600, 32 3-8, down 7-8.				Std Oil Cal 12,000, 29 7-8, down 1-2.	
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**"BOOTHILL
BRIGADE"**

OUT OF REPAIR

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9 (UP)—Two gunmen started to leave a tires hop with \$7.50 they had taken from Howard Albert, manager, but whirled with drawn guns at the sound of hammering in the basement.

"That's only a workman," Albert said. "He's fixing your burglar alarm."

The burglars fled, grinning.

BLOW IN FIGHT IS CAUSE OF DEATH

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (UP)—A blow struck during a fist fight at a cocktail party was blamed by police today for the death of Samuel A. Walsh, 55, wealthy retired Wall Street broker.

The party was held Nov. 30 in Walsh's 16-room home on his estate at Fort Salonga on Long Island. Walsh, a former member of the New York stock exchange, was brought to a hospital here when pneumonia developed. He died Tuesday and was buried yesterday at Terrytown.

The medical examiner attributed death to a fractured jaw and hypostatic pneumonia.

Police said a guest told them he struck Walsh after the latter suddenly shouted an insult.

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KIPKE RELEASED

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 9 (UP)—The University of Michigan board in control of athletics notified head football Coach Harry G. Kipke today that his contract would not be renewed next year.

On the identity of Kipke's successor, the board said it had authorized its officers to interview "qualified coaches."

NOVELIST DIES

WARSAW, Dec. 9 (UP)—Andrew Strug, 66-year-old Polish novelist, died today.

TEXAN BREAKS BILL DEADLOCK



The prolonged deadlock over wages and hours legislation was broken in the house of representatives when Rep. Joseph J. Mansfield (D-Tex.) became the 218th member to sign a petition forcing a vote on the measure by mid-December.

Mansfield, who uses a wheelchair, is shown with Rep. Mary T. Norton (D-N.J.), chairman of the labor committee and staunch backer of the measure.

TO ASK FUNDS FOR CONSERVATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (UP)—Representative Hope (R-Kan.) said today he understood Representative Jones (D-Tex.) planned to ask congress to appropriate \$2,000,000 at its next session for 1938 water conservation projects in the Great Plains states.

The Jones bill, authorizing all types of water conservation projects in the dust bowl and Great Plains drought areas, provided congress might appropriate any amount deemed necessary to carry on the work.

DR. BARNETT IS RESTING WELL

Condition of Dr. W. C. Barnett, veteran Big Spring physician, was given as "very satisfactory" at the Bivings hospital, where he is being treated for pneumonia. It is the ninth such attack for the doctor. One of his sons, Milburn, sustained fractured ribs this week in a car crash but is improving rapidly.

CASE NEARS JURY

RICHMOND, Tex., Dec. 9 (UP)—The case of T. N. Norris, 26, charged with killing R. E. Rutledge in a Stafford, Tex., bookie shop holdup last May, is expected to reach the jury today.

Arguments were slated this morning. The prosecution announced it would ask the death penalty.

Norris was identified by a state witness as the man who killed Rutledge on a stairway when the robbery was staged. Two other desperadoes, William (Goldie) Hairston and Alfred (Sonny) Lamb, were identified from picture shop \$2,500 holdup. Lamb and Hairston since have been killed by officers.

ANOTHER DISMISSAL

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 9 (UP)—Federal Judge Patrick T. Stone dismissed another defendant in the federal government's gasoline price-fixing case today, reducing the number of individuals on trial to 37.

The court granted a directed verdict of acquittal for R. O. Audrain, Tulsa, Okla., buyer for the Tidewater Oil Co., of Oklahoma, which was not among the original companies indicted.

CONTINUE TALK ON REFINERY STRIKE

HOUSTON, Dec. 9 (UP)—Federal mediators looked today to a conference between Shell refinery officials and International Oil Workers Union representatives to end the strike at the big Deer Park refinery.

The two groups met yesterday but did not reach an agreement. Newspapers were barred at today's conference.

CONVICT CAPTURED

DEMISON, Texas, Dec. 9 (UP)—Marshall Bates, convict who fled a Texas prison farm with two companions Nov. 21, was captured today when the entire police force here surrounded his family home three miles from town. He offered no resistance.

Public Records

Marriage Licenses
Paul C. Gappas and Consuelo Torres of Big Spring.
S. R. Alderson and Mrs. Alta Gillum of Big Spring.

We Repeat!

If our county votes dry, four hundred and ten (410) of our citizens will be jobless, and including their dependents, 2000 of our population will be without support. The only answer our dry friends can suggest to this situation is "That we can take care of them in the cotton fields or the W.P.A." Does anyone believe this?

That there was as much or more drinking during prohibition than since repeal. The records of our own police department prove this. The arrests for drunkenness during the years 1928 and 1929 approximate the number for the highest years since repeal, although our population is now much larger. During the depression years, 1930-1933, we are informed that the number of arrests fell off, and we are also informed that the reason for this is due to two facts:

1. That the city economized by reducing the police force during the depression. (Our dry friends admit that the force contained three less policemen during such time).
2. That so many of those who were arrested had to lay out their fines, at an expense to the city, that only arrests were made in the more aggravated cases.

THE FEBRUARY GRAND JURY OF THE YEAR 1929 RETURNED SIX INDICTMENTS FOR THE OFFENSE OF DRIVING AN AUTOMOBILE INTOXICATED. According to the best information which we can secure, no grand jury, since repeal, has returned this number of indictments for such offense.

THE RECORDS SHOW THAT THERE IS AS MUCH LIQUOR SOLD AND AS MUCH DRINKING SINCE REPEAL AS DURING PROHIBITION. WE INSIST THAT THE BEST SYSTEM IS FOR IT TO BE HEAVILY TAXED AND DISPENSED BY HONEST MEN RATHER THAN BY BOOTLEGGERS.

WITH REFERENCE TO THE LIQUOR TAX AND THE OLD AGE PENSION WE HAVE NEVER CONTENDED THAT THIS TAX IS NOT DIVIDED EQUALLY BETWEEN ALL OLD AGE PENSIONERS REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THEY LIVE IN WET OR DRY COUNTRIES. BUT ANY LOSS OF REVENUE FROM THE WHISKEY TAX IS SHARED BY ALL OLD AGE PENSIONERS IN TEXAS REGARDLESS OF WHERE THEY LIVE. AND IF THE ENTIRE STATE GOES DRY, WHICH IS THE AIM OF THE PROHIBITIONISTS, THE RESULT WILL CUT THEIR PENSIONS APPROXIMATELY ONE-HALF.

IT IS TRUE THAT OLD FOLKS IN FOUR DRY STATES ARE DRAWING PENSIONS, BUT THEY ARE NOT DRAWING ANYTHING LIKE AS MUCH PENSION MONEY AS IN OUR STATE.

Remember This When You Vote:

- EACH GALLON OF WHISKEY SOLD LEGALLY PAYS \$2.96 Tax to Our State and Federal Government.
- EACH BARREL OF BEER SOLD LEGALLY PAYS \$6.24 Tax to Our State and Federal Government (not 93c) as one of the dry letters would lead you to believe).
- OUR STATE GOVERNMENT HAS COLLECTED OVER TWELVE MILLION DOLLARS (\$12,000,000.00) in taxes on alcoholic beverages since repeal.
- OUR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT HAS COLLECTED OVER TWO BILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000,000.00) in taxes on alcoholic beverages since repeal.
- YOU KNOW THAT ROOSEVELT IS OPPOSED TO PROHIBITION. DON'T YOU THINK THAT YOU CAN TRUST HIS JUDGMENT?

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THE SPORTS PARADE By HANK HART

For all interested parties, we're selecting four winners in the state race this week and we should bat 750 with ease.

The Wichita Falls-Austin game is the only tough one. The Coyotes, coached by Ted Jeffries who knows his football, should take the El Paso team although the Tigers are due to make a better showing than they did against Abilene last week.

Cold weather may hamper Mentor Walter Milnar's team more than the Wichitans. Wichita Falls 12, Austin 7.

Longview 14, Temple 0. The Cranfill eleven has a weakness and it may not take the Lobbes long to find it. However there shouldn't be more than two touchdowns difference between the two teams.

Conroe 20, Robstown 6. For a team that represents a town of 6,000, the Conroe eleven is just about tops in the south. They've had but three touchdowns scored against them all season and no team like Robstown is going to stand in their way.

North Side (Fort Worth) 7, Sherman 0. Sherman may score here since they are supposed to have one of the better offensive teams in the state but they will find it difficult to outscore the Steers who are trying to go farther in the state race than they did last season.

In Class B battles, Wind should take Roscoe and Brady should win over San Saba.

The writer has not seen Roscoe in action and reports circulating say that the Ploewoys haven't played second fiddle to any, not even Sweetwater when those two teams met in a practice game at the beginning of the season, but Wind gets the call here.

Brady has Charlie Dye, who must be a wizard, and San Saba has Dean Bagley, highest scorer of the nation, but it isn't exactly a personal duel. Brady should win.

It seems that Dutch Mantell's outfit is getting larger. Starting in a promoter in Amarillo he now controls the clubs in Big Spring, San Angelo, Abilene, Odessa, Lubbock and Wichita Falls and has connections as far away as Havana, London, Mexico City and South Africa.

Several of his boys, including Dory, Delton and the Masked Marvel, are in Africa while others control clubs in Mexico.

Gene La-Belle, who is well remembered here, is in Havana, but he still keeps in touch with Dutch. The old gentleman met Charlie Heard started in western Mexico and has taken care of "all his kids."

The Mawel, incidentally, is a protégé of "Dutchers." He started him on the road to the top and now the hooded one is wrestling in main events in Johannesburg and Capetown, South Africa.

While in Los Angeles several years back, Mantell chanced to become acquainted with a midget truck driver and took an immediate liking to him.

He introduced the idea of wrestling for a living and soon had the big guy starting on the path toward world fame. That guy was none other than Jim Londgo, one time reigning heavyweight champion of the world.

There are others who can thank their stars they met the Amarillo bulldog.

BURNS MCKINNEY RATES AP'S Austin College Is Also Represented

South And Southwest Contributes Five Of Eleven On First Team

The AP's "Little All-America" Lineup:

Table with 4 columns: Pos., Player and College, Wt., Ht., Home Town. Lists players like Harry Kline, Emporia (Kan) Techs, Wayne Godard, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Honorable mention included: Ends: Davis and Reeves, Hardin-Simmons; Wendorf, St. Mary's (Texas).

Tackles: Crowell, Hardin-Simmons; Denby, Howard Payne (Tex.).

Guards: Selfridge, Hardin-Simmons.

Backs: Brookshire, McMurry (Tex.); Burnett, Arkansas State Teachers; Cherry, Hardin-Simmons; Dow, West Texas Teachers; Heineman, Texas College of Mines; Locke, St. Mary's (Tex.); Minor, Howard Payne (Tex.); Tully, East Texas Teachers.

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ALL-AMERICA



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Bierman Team To Be Better

Gophers Bring Back Most Of This Season's Regulars

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 9 (UP)—It is likely to be "misty Minnesota" again on the gridiron next fall, when the Gophers start in search of another Big Ten championship and a fourth national championship.

The 1937 Gophers failed to win a national championship—they missed by the six points represented in the Nebraska 14-9 victory and the Notre Dame 7-6 loss, but they in the undisputed Western conference title for the seventh time. Four other times they have shared the honors.

Although the team will lose 12 men, seven of them classed as regulars, even Coach Bernie Bierman, one of the best "managers" in the business, finds that next year's prospects are exceedingly bright.

The posts vacated by seniors, observers believe, will be just as capably filled by reserves or men who have stepped up from the freshman ranks.

New Wingmen Needed

The Gophers have to find two new ends to replace Ray King and Dwight Reed, regulars for the past three years. Three wingmen Bierman is counting on strongly are George Nash, Earl O'Brien and Johnny Haruice, all of whom saw frequent service this year.

A fourth end, Melvin Erickson, played little this year. Although handicapped by lack of height and weight—he weighs a scant 160, and is only 5 feet, 9 inches tall—Erickson and Bert Brown, end coach, liked his "football intellect" and aggressiveness. They say that should be built up his weight to 175 he will be a strong contender.

Seven strong tackles will be back for next year's team. They are Charles Schults, a regular for the 1936 season; Bob Johnson, Warren Kiburne, Win Pedersen, Marvin LeVine, Bob Hoel, and Howard Park.

Outstanding Tackle Lost

Coach Bierman's regular tackle, Alvin Miller, a grandcut, who played 100 games, will leave the team for 1938. The return of Francis Tweedell, ace guard, and Horace Bell, negro place-kicker, revivifies Bierman's worries as to that position. Tweedell was a regular all season and placed on several "all-conference" and conference and league teams.

Both Quarters To Be Graduated

Bierman lost two quarterbacks in the graduation of Big Vic Sprague and little Rudy Gmiter. In line for the job are George Faust, George Gould and Dick Peterson. It is also rumored the talented Harold Van Every may be groomed for that spot next year.

Should Van Every return to a halfback spot, Bierman will have two regulars in those positions, with the hard-running Wilbur Moore preparing for another year of competition. Halfbacks also are Harold Weir, Bill Ghelard, Leland Johnson, George Franck and Ray Bates.

And at fullback—usually one of Minnesota's strongest spots—the returning material promises to make that position even more capably taken care of than in other years.

Two Crack Fullbacks

Hard-hitting Larry Buhler and Marty Christiansen and Phil DeFord, who scrummed for the position this year, will show up again to make it hard for Bernie Bierman to make a choice, no matter who takes over the spot.

The 1937 freshman team—rated one of the best in history—no doubt will send up its share of so-called "bright" and "win" players.

The 1937 season brought to a close the sixth year of Bernie Bierman's tenancy of the head coaching position.

Under Bierman, the Gophers have won three mythical national championships and three Western titles. His teams have won 39 games, played 3 ties, and suffered six defeats.

Waynesboro, Ga., Dec. 9 (AP)—Henry Russell (Russ) Cohen, former head football coach at Louisiana State and Cincinnati university, today accepted a position as an assistant coach and chief scout at Virginia Military Institute, at Lexington.

Horse Likes Course

MONTEBRACO, Eng. (AP)—The blackback here suits 11-year-old Monte Lethin. He won the St. Stephen handicap his 10th success in 24 races at the track since 1931. In six seasons he has won over a hundred races.

Game Postponed

The Ackerly-Big Spring Bronco game, scheduled to be played in Steer Stadium Wednesday, was postponed until next week on account of inclement weather.

CARDS GAME

"PHOENIX" card game, a 100% game, is being played at the home of Mrs. A. J. ...

Captain Robinson

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Longview, Conroe, North Side And Wichita Falls Favored

German May Get Surprise Monday

Brietz Says Thomas Is In Shape For Big Chance

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Cauliflower Alley: Something may happen when Max Schmeling and Harry Thomas meet Monday night.

Thomas is strong and he can take a punch. And smart fight men are not forgetting that since Max was last seen in the ring Thomas has had 15 fistfights and 84 rounds of boxing. Buddy Baer hit town yesterday and holed in at Mme. Roy's Summit, N. J. camp to train for Eddie Hog, a December 17.

The cottage Schmeling lives in at Summit once was used as the town house.

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Coachman To Play Gagner Friday

COAHOMA, Dec. 9 (AP)—The Coahoma coach, who met a series of games with the Westbrook team Tuesday night, prepared to do battle with the Gagner team Friday night.

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Bears Labor To Stop Sam Baugh

Halas Drills Team To Rush Texan In Coming Game

By CHARLES DUNKLEY

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (UP)—"Bottling up" maneuvers to stop the Washington Redskins' sensational forward passer, Sluggin' Sammy Baugh, will be the Chicago Bears' major task when they battle the easterners for the national professional football championship at Wrigley field Sunday.

George Halas, coaching genius and owner of the Bears, is basing his strategy on a belief that if Baugh's passes are checked Washington's offense also will be checked.

The Bears' menor believes the best defense against forward passes lies not so much in alert covering by defending backs as in rushing the passer. No forward passer, Halas says, is quite so effective when he sees two or three big receivers heading down 60 ft.

So Coach Halas makes no secret of his plans to bottle up Baugh, who has set a new passing record by completing 81 out of 171 attempts for a total yardage of 1,127. He wants his forwards to force Baugh to hurry his tosses, disturb his aim and take some of the fight out of him by hard tackling.

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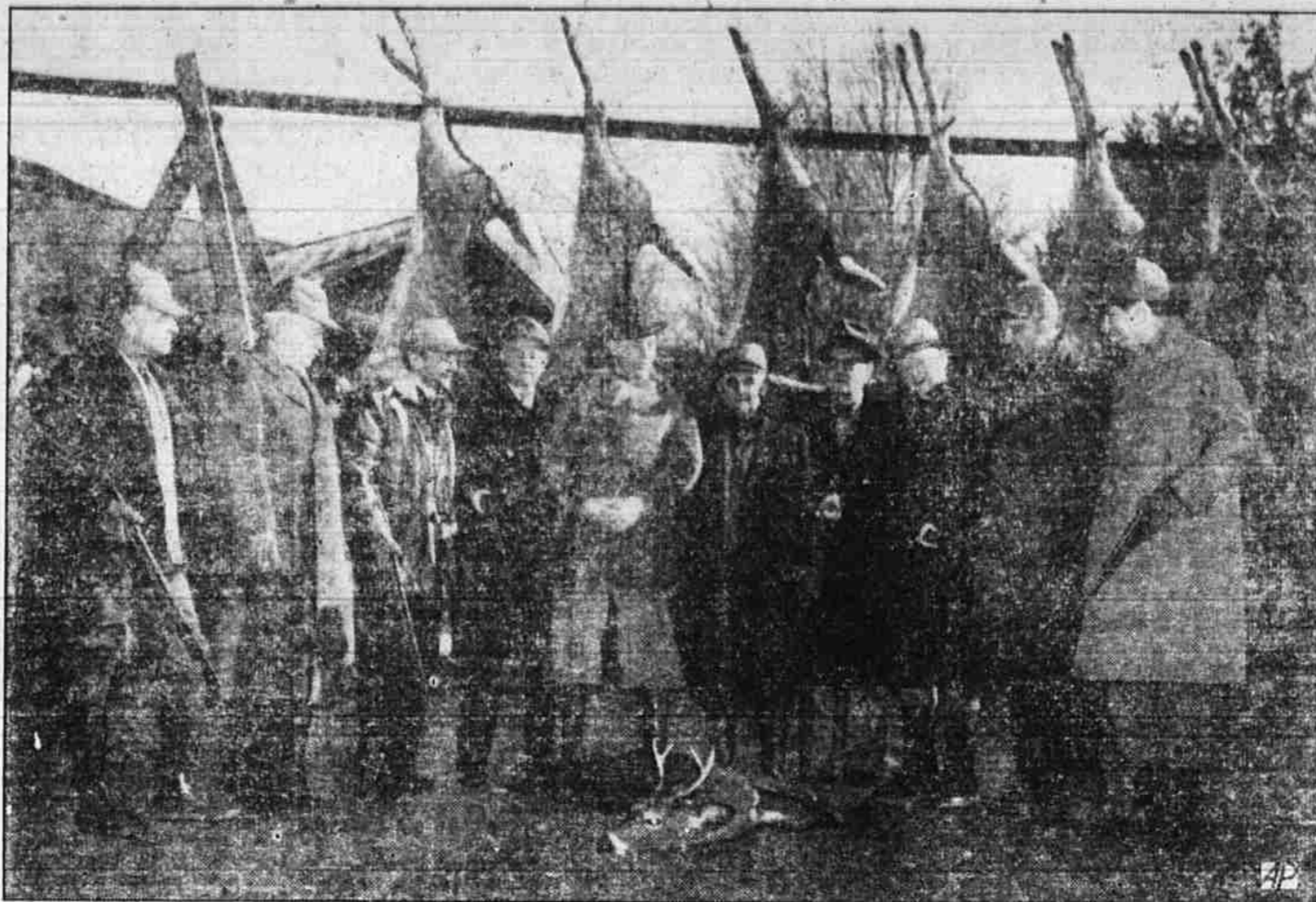
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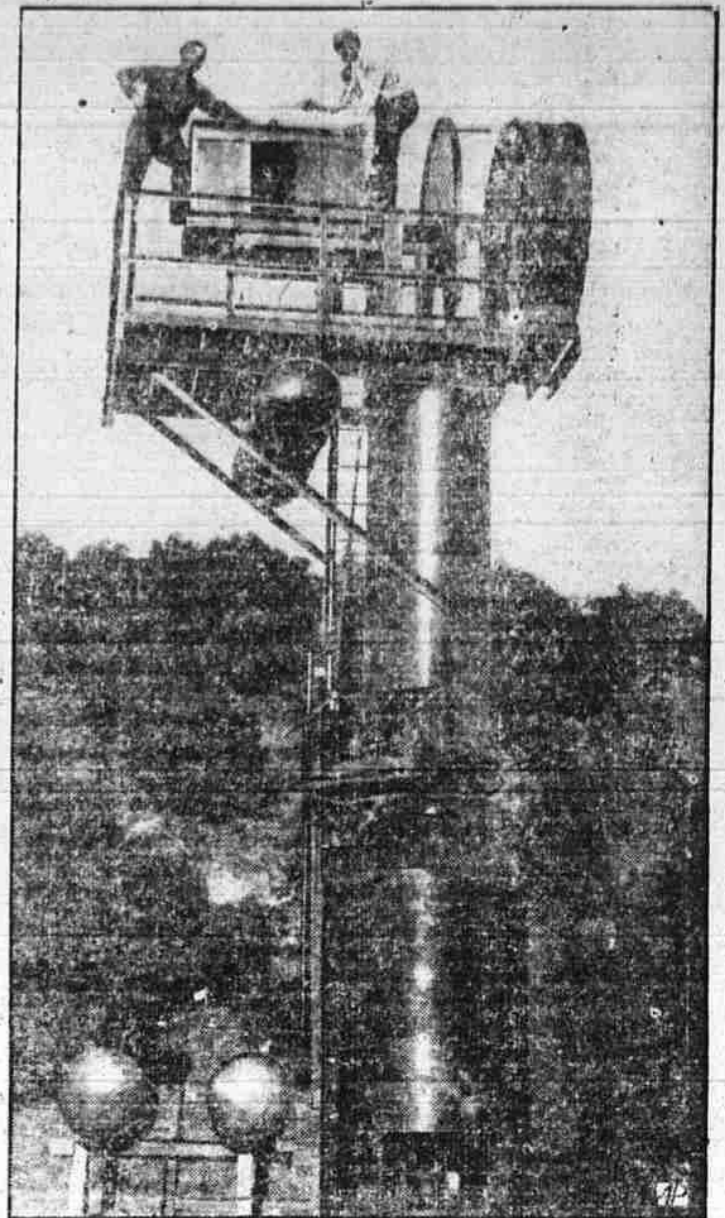
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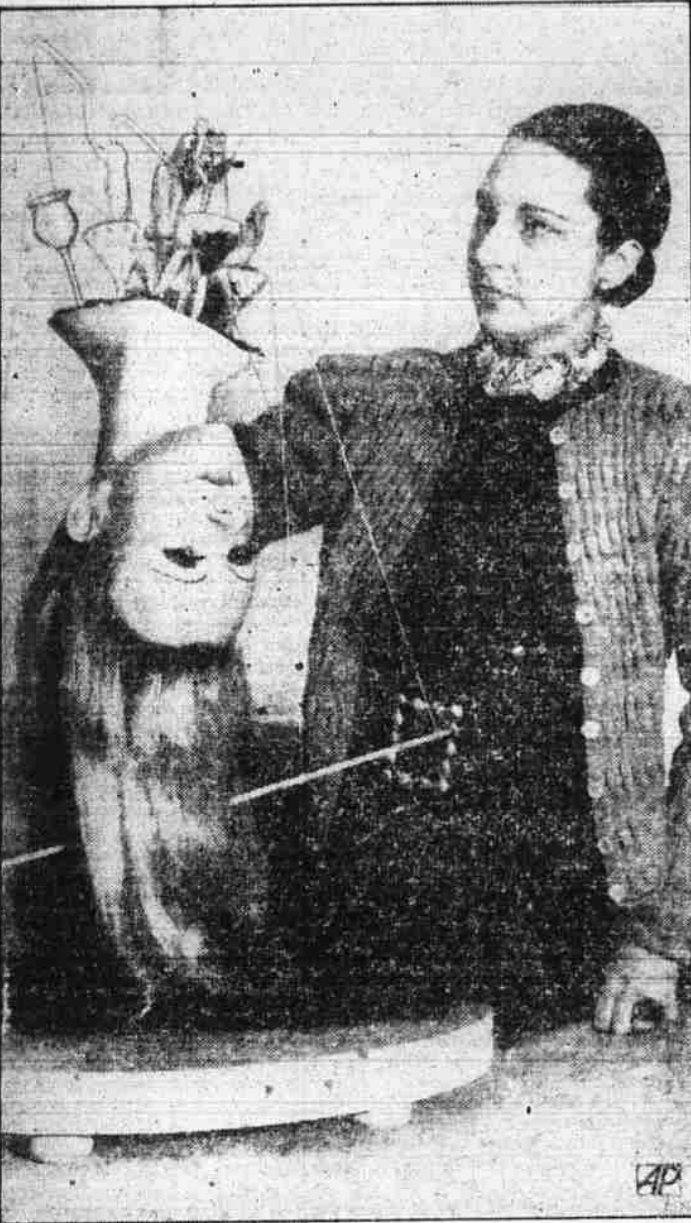
IT'S HIGHER EDUCATION on the art of gum chewing for these Marquette University co-eds as Dawn Bennett (center) assesses the test of chewing with the glass atop her head. Jean Savage (left) proffers the gum, as Frances McGrath looks on.



EVEN IN THE HUNTING BUSINESS, THEY FOUND RECESSION, for among all these senators, Vice-President Garner alone was able to point to a "clean" kill when the solons turned from hunting revenue "bucks" in Washington to hunting the horned variety in northwestern Pennsylvania. Senator Guffey fired several times at his deer, but did not learn he had killed it until caretakers found it. Left to right are Senators Truman (D., Mo.), Herring (D., Iowa), Hatch (D., N. M.), Radcliffe (D., Md.); Polish Ambassador, Count Potocki; Senator Guffey (D., Pa.); Col. William Kaul, host to the party; Vice-President Garner and Senators Minton (D., Ind.) and Murray (D., Mont.).



HOT AIR IN CALIFORNIA will be manufactured by this strange-looking invention to protect against frosts the orange groves of Harlan Griswold (left), near Los Angeles. G. W. Grable (right), inventor, explains the huge furnace and fan which will blow warm air in any direction over a ten-acre tract. The groves bring millions of dollars which may be lost through frost.



SURREALLY QUITE AMAZING what artists can do by arranging familiar objects in a bizarre manner. Here is "the Dew Machine" as created by one of the surrealist school of art, Ronald Penrose. It was part of a collection shown in London.



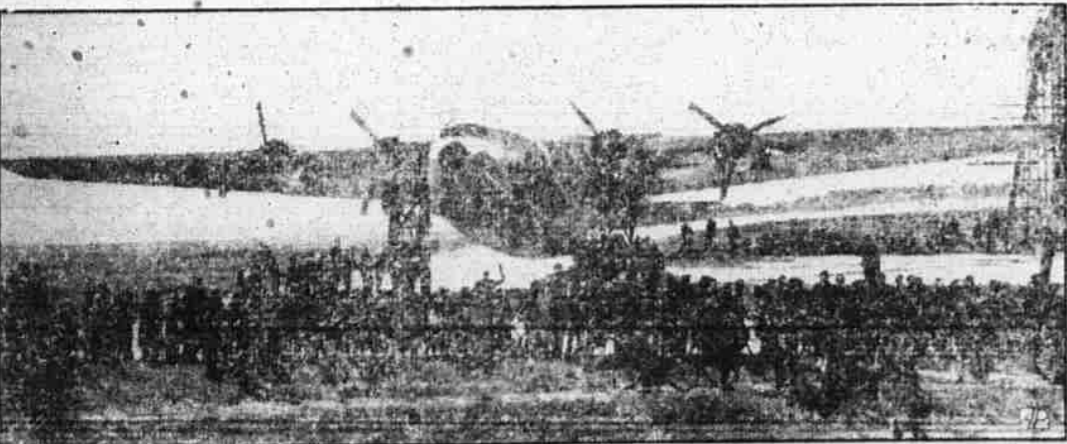
THIS IS THE ENCHANTED FOREST scene from the American Negro Ballet production, "The Fire Bird Suite," one of several presentations at a theater in Harlem, New York City. On bended knees is Prince (Don Edwards), ballet performances, including four productions, were directed by Eugene von Grona.



OUT OF TUNE was her marital life with her symphony orchestra conducting husband, charged Mrs. Leopold Stokowski (above), who sued for divorce in Reno.



DOWN ONE IN HEARTS was Eli Culbertson, bridge expert, who sailed for England announcing, "I will marry any splendid English woman who closely resembles Mrs. Culbertson." His erstwhile partner and wife, having wired him bon voyage, was meanwhile en route to Reno with a divorce in the offing.



WINGS TO SPAN A FAR-FLUNG EMPIRE were prepared for trial flight at Hamble, England, when this latest monster Imperial Airways liner "Ensign" was trundled from its hangar. Note the landing wheels as tall as man.



HE KICKED 'BAMA INTO A BOWL, for it was the accurate foe of Hayward Sanford, strapping substitute, that gave the Crimson Tide its field goal victories over Tulane and Vanderbilt. Kneeling to hold the ball is "Herky" Mosley. Figure-minded fans estimate those field goals may be worth \$50,000 apiece.



CABINET MAKER who succeeded where other Belgian leaders had failed in forming a cabinet recently is Premier Paul Emile Janson (above), a liberal.



"GET ME DAT GUY LOUIS," shouts Tony Galento whose 225-pound frame is built like the beer barrels in his tavern at Orange, N. J. Importance has come with a rush to the 28-year-old grunting fighter who, although he refuses to train, has been lifted by his fists and circumstance to third spot in heavyweight ranks.



GOING ESKIMO, this young lady at a Berlin fashion show wears a fur jacket which differs from its arctic original only in addition of a zipper.



MARCHING FORWARD TO TURN TIME BACK 150 years, these pioneers of 1937 are re-enacting an expedition of 1787 when bay sisters left Ipswich, Mass., to push westward to the Ohio country. Leaving the New England town December 1, they are due at Marietta, Ohio, next spring. Taking the roles of colonists in the new trek are college men from far-flung sections of the country, shown here elad in buckskins as they set out beside an ox-drawn covered wagon.

Giant Clipper American Bid On Airways

Merchant Marine Flying Boat Will Dwarf Soviet Plane

BALTIMORE, Dec. 9 (UP)—Construction of a huge flying boat, dwarfing planes of the China Clipper type, will begin here soon at the Glenn L. Martin plants in a new step toward development of a United States merchant marine of the air.

Martin, pioneer airplane designer and builder and creator of the huge clippers now in service on transpacific and Caribbean sky lanes, revealed his plans for the new air monster as he launched his latest ship—the Soviet Clipper.

Details of design of the new ship have not yet been revealed. Its gross weight, it was learned however, will be 118,000 pounds—59 tons—more than twice the weight of the China Clipper type flying boat now in service on Pan-American transpacific lines.

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The new Clipper while dwarfing the Soviet Clipper, launched here recently for delivery to Russia, will

incorporate many of that flying boat's technological improvements.

The Soviet Clipper, with a gross weight of 63,000 pounds and a wingspread of 157 feet, was the largest airplane ever built in this country. Powered by four 1,000-horsepower motors inserted in the forward edges of its wings, it has a flying range of between 3,500 and miles greater than the longest over-ocean route now in existence.

The Soviet Clipper marked a great advance in utilitarian flying boat design. Although only 11,000 pounds heavier than the China Clipper type plane, its gross payload was 10,000 pounds—285 per cent greater than the China Clipper type. Representing dollars and cents for transocean transport companies which are striving to cut passenger and express charges to lowest possible levels to attract mass business, this pay-load capacity is expected to be increased vastly in the new Clipper's design.

Martin's design, as exemplified in the Soviet Clipper, make modern transocean air travel as comfortable as travel by train. The Soviet Clipper has space for 46 passengers on day flights and berths for 26 passengers on night sleeper trips. Carrying a crew of 10 men, it has a galley and steward's quarters, air conditioning and heating equipment and men's and women's lavatories. Although the plane is powered with four huge motors, under normal cruising conditions its operating noise is less than that of a train.

Requiring only 35 seconds for a takeoff with a full load, the Clipper has a cruising speed of 70 miles an hour. With its tanks carrying their maximum of 3,250 gallons of gasoline, cruising at 10,000 feet with three motors in service, the plane could carry its crew of 10, 46 passengers and a pay-load of freight non-stop from New York to London and 1,000 miles beyond.

TUNE IN KBST 1500 KILOCYCLES

Thursday Evening

5:55 Joe Green's Orch.

6:30 Harmony Hall.

6:45 George Hall.

6:50 Jimmie Wilson, pipe organ.

6:55 The Church in the Wild-wood.

7:00 Seger Ellis.

7:05 Eventide Echoes.

7:10 Smile Time.

7:15 15-Minute Talk.

7:20 Evening Concert.

7:35 Gene Austin.

7:40 Phenomenon.

7:45 Super Supper Swing Session.

8:10 Melodeers.

8:45 Eddie Fitzpatrick.

9:00 Hollywood American Legion Band.

9:15 Goodnight.

Friday Morning

7:00 Musical Clock.

7:25 World Book Club.

7:30 Musical Clock.

8:00 Devotional.

8:15 Sol Hoopii.

8:30 Musical Newsway.

8:45 Melody Time.

9:00 Radio Bible Class.

9:30 On The Mall.

9:45 Lobby Interviews.

9:55 Newscast.

10:00 Friendly Muse.

10:05 Hollywood Drexelles.

10:15 Piano Impressions.

10:20 Al Clausen.

10:35 Song Styles.

10:55 Newscast.

11:00 Concert Maenner.

11:20 "This Rhythmic Age."

11:45 Rhythm-Makers.

Friday Afternoon

12:15 Carstone Reporter.

12:30 Songs All For You.

12:35 Singing Sam.

1:00 The Daffodil String Band.

1:15 Music Graphs.

1:30 NBC Variety Hour.

2:00 Newscast.

2:05 Serenade Espanol.

2:20 Nathaniel Sittler.

2:45 There Was a Time When.

3:00 Newscast.

3:05 Matinee Melodies.

3:30 WPA Transcription.

3:45 Monitor News.

4:00 Dance Hour.

4:15 Pacific Paradise.

4:30 Music by Cugat.

4:45 Home Folks.

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with JIMMY ROSS

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Saturday, Dec. 11th

Friday, Dec. 24th

New Year's Eve

Knockout War Urged Against Pneumonia

Medical Director Says Death Rate Still Far Too High

OAKLAND, Calif., Dec. 9 (UP)—The death rate in tuberculosis has been reduced nearly 75 per cent but the annual mortality is still 55 per 100,000 persons, Dr. Robert A. Peers, medical director of the California school for tuberculosis patients, said here.

Dr. Peers spoke before the Pacific coast section of the American Student Health association in convention at Mills college.

"This mortality rate is greater than it should be, with our present knowledge of methods of control,"

he said. "We should feel this figure a disgrace rather than cause for elation."

Dr. Peers said the reduction of 75 per cent was very gratifying to medical men.

Slow to Learn Facts

Three things must be known to control any disease, Dr. Peers said. They are: the cause, manner in which it is spread, and who has the disease.

"For a number of decades following the discovery of the tubercule bacillus there was no scientific method to determine exactly who had the disease," he said.

"It is not the advanced case which is the dangerous source of infection," he continued. "Such a person is recognized and placed under control."

Dr. Peers pointed out that persons responsible for the spread of the disease are of three types—the person infected but unrecognized as a carrier; the missed case; and the carrier who is not directly infected.

X-Ray Detects All Types

"Now," he said, "the X-ray can

discover all types and stages of tuberculosis, enabling physicians and public health officers in determining spreaders of the disease."

Because of failure of medical men to recognize the three classes of carriers of the disease before invention of the X-ray, he said, control of the disease was delayed so long.

Dr. Peers praised efforts of the various tuberculosis associations in educating the public regarding the disease and providing hospital beds for those with open tuberculosis.

The reduction in mortality was due directly and indirectly to efforts of these organizations, he said.

Big Apple Pie Falls Flat

COLUMBIA, Mo. (UP)—The home economics department of the University of Missouri planned an eight-foot apple pie for homecoming festivities with Gov. Lloyd C. Stark, an orchard man, to cut it. The plan was abandoned when investigators failed to find a container large enough to hold the concoction.

"Daughters of 1812" Still Live

WEST HARTFORD, Conn. (UP)—Although 125 years have elapsed since the War of 1812, more than 100 "real" daughters of veterans of that conflict still survive, according to Mrs. Henry W. Warren, national historian of the United States Daughters of 1812.

Five out of six pedestrians injured in motor car accidents are struck before they reach the middle of the street they are crossing.

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S'Saba-Brady Clash Tops B Tilts

Wink Battles Rescoe At Odessa In West Texas Attraction

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The play-off schedule:

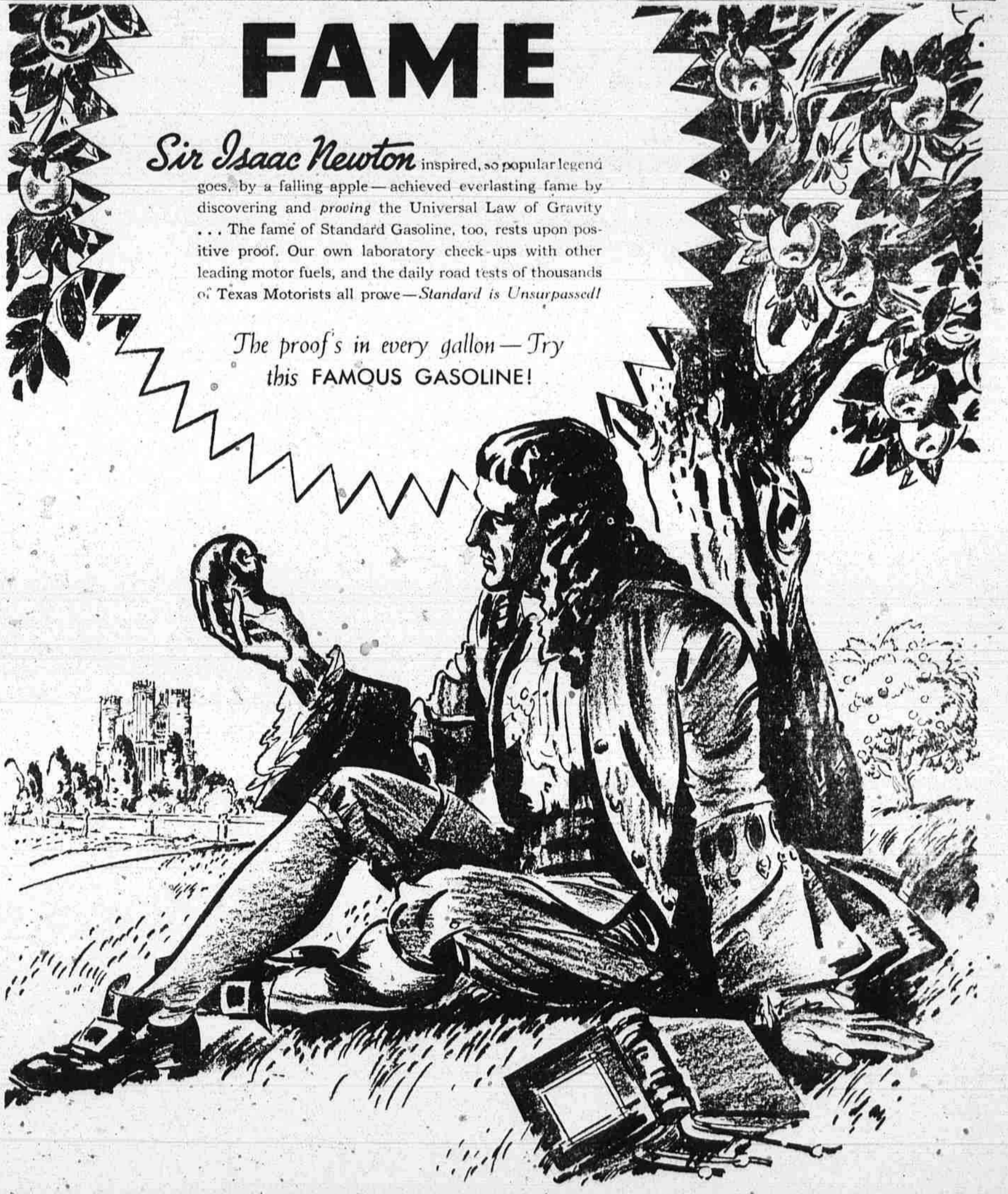
Region 1—Pittsburg at Wellington; Friday; Region 2—Roscoe vs. Wink at Odessa, Saturday; Region 3—Barkhamer vs. Putnam at Wichita Falls, Friday; Region 4—Diamond Hill (Fort Worth) at Van, Friday; Region 5—Mingola at Rockwall, Friday; Region 6—Overton at Groveson, Friday night; Region 7—Brady at San Saba, Friday; Region 8—Trasca vs. Hearne at Waco, Friday; Region 9—Smithville vs. Bay City at Eagle Pass, Friday night; Region 10—Pasadena vs. Hull-Daisetta at Goose Creek, Friday; Region 11—Eldorado at Hondo, Friday; Region 12—Atanusa Pass vs. Freer at Corpus Christi, Friday night.

TRAIN, PLANE BUS SCHEDULES

T&P Trains—Eastbound		
Arrive	Depart	
No. 12	7:40 a. m.	8:00 a. m.
No. 4		12:30 p. m.
No. 6	11:10 p. m.	11:30 p. m.
T&P Trains—Westbound		
Arrive	Depart	
No. 11	9:00 p. m.	9:15 p. m.
No. 7	7:10 a. m.	7:40 a. m.
No. 3	4:10 p. m.	
Buses—Eastbound		
Arrive	Depart	
5:55 a. m.	6:15 a. m.	
8:50 a. m.	9:10 a. m.	
10:57 a. m.	11:05 a. m.	
12:07 p. m.	2:15 p. m.	
6:51 p. m.	7:25 a. m.	
11:34 p. m.	11:40 p. m.	
Buses—Westbound		
Arrive	Depart	
12:17 a. m.	12:17 a. m.	
2:05 a. m.	2:10 a. m.	
4:20 a. m.	4:25 a. m.	
10:54 a. m.	11:00 a. m.	
4:20 p. m.	4:25 p. m.	
7:09 p. m.	8:00 p. m.	
Buses—Northbound		
Arrive	Depart	
10:00 p. m.	7:15 a. m.	
11:20 p. m.	12:00 Noon	
5:15 a. m.	7:10 p. m.	
Buses—Southbound		
Arrive	Depart	
11:00 a. m.	7:15 a. m.	
7:00 p. m.	11:05 a. m.	
10:15 p. m.	8:00 p. m.	
Planes—Eastbound		
Arrive	Depart	
4:35 p. m.	4:38 p. m.	

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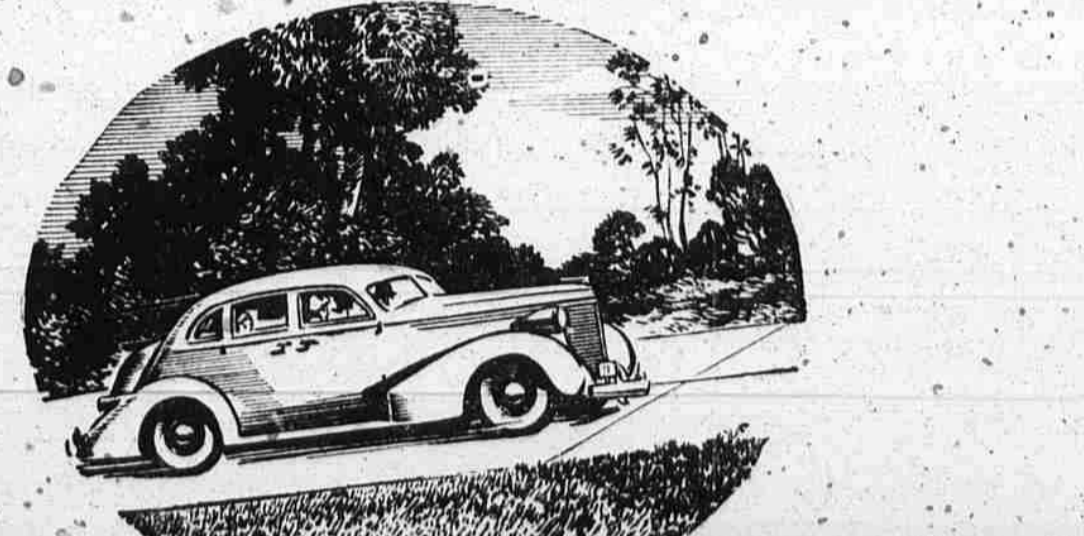
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Odd Chrysanthemum Grown
PAINESVILLE, O. (UP) — A big chrysanthemum with two flowers of a different variety and different color, and each flower having a different stem, grew from a plant in the greenhouse of C. E. Endera.

STANTON SCHOOL BAND, ONLY TWO MONTHS OLD, TO GIVE CONCERT FRIDAY EVENING

STANTON, Dec. 9.—The Stanton school band concert to be presented Friday night, December 10, will be the culmination of two months intensive preparation. At the beginning of those two months, however, only three of the band's fifty-four members had had any formal music training.

Director C. J. Zitelman came to Stanton this year from Moulton where he had been music supervisor for three years. His training includes eight years of private study under A. J. Jakel, Austrian instructor, a B. S. degree from Southwest Texas State Teachers' college, and special studies at the Vander Cook School of Music in Chicago.

Organization of the band was started the middle of September with eighteen members. Although

most students purchased their own instruments, the school bought some of the heavier, less-used type. With increasing numbers joining the band, it was the first week of October before all instruments had arrived.

In the meantime, band members had been learning the fundamentals of music by a system of Zitelman's origination, and something of the technique of marching. As an organization, the band elected an executive staff, naming Annie Marie Bullock as president; Mary K. Barfield, vice-president; Perry E. Lewis, secretary; Mary Allene Cox, librarian; and Jack Thornton, Thesa Ruth Hull and Wilma Turner, social committee.

Prudy Story: the drum majors, Annie Marie Bullock, Mary K. Barfield and H. A. Hull, Jr.; the maces Jo Jon Hall and Bobby Bryan; the flag bearers, Howard Pinkston and Tom Houston.

The Stanton school also boasts a Saxette Band of twenty members, directed by Mrs. Zitelman, who is an accomplished musician and vocalist. The Saxettes are scheduled to present introductory numbers on the concert program.

Radio Program
In addition to preparation for the concert, this most ambitious organization is arranging for a broadcast over Station KIST, Big Spring, for December 12, managing a drive to obtain uniforms, and practicing daily with the state band contest at San Angelo in April as an incentive.

Personnel of the band and Saxette band is as follows:
Clarinet—Maxine Sprawls, Monnette Cox, Thomas Morris, Frances Barker, Mary Frances Burnam, James A. Wilson, Margaret Laws, Taylor Van Zandt, Ralph Hines, James Zimmermann, Elton Hull, Jimmy Tidmore, James Webb, Curtis Erwin.

Saxophones—H. C. Burnam, W. R. Purser, Robert Williamson.

Trombones—Jane Tidmore, Abbie Ruth Thornton, Wilma Turner, Bass Hines, Loy Harrison, Griffen Cross, Troy Cawthron.

Euphonium—Perry E. Lewis, Flora Williamson, Wilma Mae Straub.

Mellophones—Josephine Houston, Mary K. Barfield, Ruth Mints.

Trumpets—Annie M. Bullock, Stanley Ellis, Bobbie Hinton, Jack Thornton, Hardin Zimmerman, Jerry Hall, Mary George Morris, Marjorie Blackerby, Frances Gray, Richard Barsh, Tommy Keisling.

Drums—Eugene Atchison, David Tidmore, Mary Allene Cox, Morris Donelson, Dorothy J. Barfield, Hutch White.

Bass—Thesa Ruth Hull.
Saxette band—Martha J. Mints, Patsy Wilkinson, Billie J. Zimmerman, Mary Sue Moffett, Dorothy J. King, Johnnie Beth Zimmerman, J. N. Woody, Nora Lea Purser, Mary E. Rowden, Billy J. Keisling, Baba Hinton, Eddie Frances Morrow, Billie Thomason, Herbert Jones, Bert Laws, Marion J. Davis, Don Hines, Dorothy Sprawls, Arthur Sanders, Martha Ann Barsh.

Fairview News

Plans for a Christmas party, to be held at the home of Mrs. Cletus Langley on the afternoon of Dec. 16, were discussed at a meeting of the Fairview home demonstration club, held recently at the home of Mrs. J. W. Wooten. A Christmas tree program will be presented, and each member will bring a gift for someone else. Following the business session in the Wooten home, refreshments were served to ten members.

Mrs. Viola Bailey and son, John, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. T. Lawley in the Highway community.

Miss Zan Grant spent the weekend with her parents.

Guests in the J. W. Wooten home Sunday afternoon included Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hammack, Mrs. C. Gaylor and son, Charles Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hammack, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Couch, and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bailey and daughter, Joan.

Jesse Henderson has taken employment with a garage in Big Spring.

Rev. G. M. Rickles will deliver a message at the 11 o'clock church service Sunday, following Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend the services. At 7 o'clock Sunday evening, the BTU meeting will be held. Prayer meeting and choir practice are scheduled each Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Cotton fields which once were white are looking rather bare now. Practically all the 1937 crop in this community has been harvested. Farmers in the area now are hauling their feed crops to storage.

The Fairview school is planning a Christmas tree and program during Christmas week. The exact date will be announced later.

Clipper Gets Back At Friendly Foe

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (UP)—For several years Buck Shaw, as assistant coach, played second fiddle to Clipper Smith at Santa Clara university. Then Smith went to Villanova and in two seasons Shaw has put the Broncos near the top of the national football picture.

This year, however, Smith got back at his friendly rival. His Villanova team stood sixth in the Associated Press national writers' poll, while Santa Clara got only a tie with Notre Dame for ninth place.

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For Coaching Honors, Maryland Picks Dobson

COLLEGE PARK, Md. (UP)—When good coaching jobs are recalled, don't forget Maryland's grid mentor, Frank Dobson.

His Terrapins won 8 of 10 games. With a squad of 35, a small roster as compared with those of some of the major teams Maryland plays, Maryland lost only to Pennsylvania and Penn State. Football is played in only a comparatively few Maryland high schools, so hardly a half dozen of Dobson's athletes had played before reaching the university.

Maryland defeated St. John's of Annapolis, Western Maryland, Virginia, Syracuse, Florida, Virginia Military Institute, Georgetown and Washington and Lee.

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Armour's Star **Sliced Bacon** Lb. **34c**

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Armour's Star **Pure Pork Sausage** Lb. **20c**

Assorted Sliced **Luncheon Meats** Lb. **28c**

No. 1 Quality **Dry Salt Bacon** Lb. **19c**

Neighborhood Teas Add Friendly Touch During Christmas Season

By MARTHA LOGAN

Did you ever have a neighborhood tea on the afternoon before Christmas? The idea may seem fantastic but the pre-Christmas tea has become an annual event in one city due to the fact that several years ago I found myself in this situation. It was the afternoon of December 24, the house was decorated in Christmas greens and red candles, the cupboard held a goodly assortment of cookies, a lot of nuts and candies. All of this, with that leftover feeling after the rush of getting gifts wrapped, the supplies for holiday meals and the house in order. Then it was that I telephoned to a few neighbors to "bring the youngsters and come over for tea."

What fun it was! Everyone seemed to be glad to have a chance to say Merry Christmas to neighbors, and to have a little rest period before the excitement of the Christmas Day. And so it was that the idea for a pre-Christmas tea grew into an institution which is looked forward to by all that community.

Preparation

Here is the way we planned the preparation of food to make the work easy. Beginning about two weeks before the day of the tea, we used to plan for the dinner dessert, a cookie, sweetener, or cake that would keep well. After the dinner, the leftover dessert was carefully stored to be used for the tea. In this way, fruit cake, date bars, mince-meat-filled cookies, candied fruit peel, salted nuts, yam cake, nut bread, and several other goodies were added to the assortment on the tea table with no effort at all. On the day of the tea, we made a few few sandwiches using cheese, ready-to-serve meats, and sandwich spreads, brewed the tea and the refreshments were ready.

Suggestions

Because we have so enjoyed these informal gatherings, when the holiday spirit of friendliness is at its height, we are listing here foods suitable for this homey occasion and are giving here some of the recipes that were used successfully in our home.

Whether you choose December 24 or an earlier or later date, these very good recipes may help you with your problem of planning a sensible, sociable, and charming tea.

Cookies

Mince-meat filled
Chocolate drop
Nut Refrigerator
Nut and Date Bars
Brownies

Candies

Hard candies
Homemade Bonbons
Homemade Gelatin Nut Squares

(red and green)
Candied Fruits
Orange and Lemon Peel
Ginger Prunes
Stuffed Dates

Cakes

Dark and White Fruit Cake
Yum Yum Cake
Peanut-covered Cake Squares
Snow Balls

Sandwich fillings for
Open or closed sandwiches.
Creamed cheese, pimiento and green pepper garnish.
Salami, dill pickle slices on buttered bread.
Pimiento stuffed olive and braunschweiger.
Salted Nuts
Cheese Bonbons

Mince-meat Fills

1 cup lard
1 cup brown sugar
1-2 cup cold water
1 teaspoon soda
2 1-2 cups flour
2 1-2 cups rolled oats
1 teaspoon salt

Mince-meat

Crumm the lard, add the sugar. Cream well. Stir in other ingredients. Divide the dough into two pieces. Pat out one piece to it a 15" x 12" baking pan. Spread with the mince-meat. Pat out the remaining dough in four or five pieces. Fit over the mince-meat. Pat and press into place to cover completely. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 30 minutes or until brown and crisp. Cut into squares when ready to serve.

Peanut-Covered Cake Squares

Use your favorite layer butter cake recipe. Bake in 1-2 inch layers. Cut into rectangles. Frost completely with butter icing (1-2 cup butter, 2 cups powdered sugar, 1 teaspoon vanilla, creamed together). Roll in chopped peanuts.

Snow Balls

Cut Angel Food cake into 1 1-2 inch cubes. Frost all over with White Seven-Minute Icing. Roll in shredded coconut.

Yum Yum Cake

2 package seeded raisins
1-2 cup butter or margarine
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup hot water
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1-2 teaspoon each nutmeg, allspice, cloves and salt
Cook five minutes and cool. Add: 1 cup chopped nuts
1 teaspoon soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
2 cups flour
1 teaspoon vanilla
1-2 teaspoon lemon

Mix to combine. Line a buttered 9" square cake pan with waxed paper. Pour in batter. Bake 45 minutes in a moderate (325 degree F.) oven. Let stay in pan until ready to use. Cut into squares to serve.

Land Buying Started In Dust Bowl

Fund Marked Under Tenant Act To Aid General Welfare

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (UP)—Federal expenditures under the farm purchase provision of the farm tenant act will be concentrated immediately in the Great Plains area, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace has announced. Title three of the act directs the secretary to "develop a program of land conservation and land utilization, including the retirement of lands which are submarginal or not primarily suitable for cultivation."

To administer the land purchase program congress authorized an appropriation of \$50,000,000 over a three-year period, of which \$10,000,000 has been made available this fiscal year.

Plains Area First

Wallace said 80 per cent of the money to be spent for land this year will be in the Great Plains area, in projects laid out on the basis of land-use planning studies during the past two years. The remainder will be spent in "blocking in" already existing projects in other parts of the country.

"During the three-year period the important consideration in selecting land for purchase will be to place under government ownership lands whose present use is not in accord with the public welfare and the welfare of the persons now occupying it," Wallace said.

"The land retired from cultivation will be used for forests, recreational areas, wildlife refuges, controlled range and other purposes for which it is best suited and which will promote the general welfare."

Each project will be selected in cooperation with state and local agencies, so as to permit the efficient use and administration of the land purchased to contribute to an improvement in economy of the entire area and to prevent the waste or misuse of the land, Wallace said.

Special consideration will be given to the purchase of land in areas zoned against agricultural settlements, in areas where the state is applying a vigorous policy of retaining tax-delinquent lands in public hands, with suitable conservation protection.

"In the Great Plains," Wallace said, "considerable areas of land which are definitely submarginal are unoccupied and in various stages of abandonment or disuse. Many of these lands are absentee-owned. Some are farmed one year by 'sultense farmers' and allowed to lie idle the next. Some are completely abandoned fields or pastures.

"Frequently soil drifting from these lands ruins adjacent occupied lands. Public acquisition appears to offer the only means of restoring these lands to efficient use—in some instances, of preventing them from being a menace to surrounding lands," Wallace said.

All possible help will be given to families residing on land purchased to find new homes, he said. They will be helped to locate good lands. As far as the funds permit, the necessary debt adjustment, rehabilitation and related assistance will be provided, Wallace said.

Deer Hunters Challenged

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. (UP)—Mrs. P. F. Caverly, 60, claims the distinction of being the nation's premier woman deer hunter. For the 16th straight year the 60-year-old Albuquerque huntress brought back her deer alone and unaided.

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TODAY AND TOMORROW

By Walter Lippmann
(Mr. Lippmann's column is published as an informational and news feature. His views are personal and are not to be construed as necessarily reflecting the editorial opinion of The Herald.—Editor's Note.)

WHAT TO DO ABOUT THE WAGES AND HOURS BILL

Few great measures in recent years have had more indifferent support than the wages and hours bill. President Green and the American Federation of Labor do not like it at all, wish to see it defeated, and in order to defeat it are offering a substitute which comes very close to being a practical joke. Mr. Lewis of the C. I. O. has blessed the bill but with such reluctance and restraint that it looks very much as if he meant to damn it with faint praise. Mr. Lewis' lack of fervor would seem almost to support the rumor that he is favoring this labor bill not because he wants it, but as a favor to the president. Mrs. Norton, the congresswoman from New Jersey, who is in charge of the bill, is reporting to the house with the idea of rewriting it on the floor. It is difficult to detect any great enthusiasm on the part of Secretary Perkins. There are certainly no crowds demonstrating in the streets for the passage of the bill.

All in all it looks very much as if those concerned were going ahead with it not because they really like it, but because in their disillusionment they do not know how to stop doing what they started so enthusiastically to do. By comparing the original administration of Black Country bill with the bill proposed by the A. F. of L., one can, I think, understand what has happened. The original bill was based on the theory that congress could not possibly decide now what maximum hours and minimum wages should be in every section of the country for every industry which sells its goods beyond the local market. So the bill delegated the task of making these determinations and decisions to a board, in effect telling the board to make the laws that congress could not possibly know enough to make.

But when Mr. Green and a lot of other people got to thinking about this board, about the complications of its job, about the ramifications of its power, they became frightened. A board in Washington with power to fix wages in nearly every manufacturing town in the country was more of an adventure into bureaucracy than most persons wanted. So Mr. Green, in revision against the board, is proposing to have congress itself fix a minimum wage of 40 cents an hour for a 40-hour week, and the department of justice enforce that rule if it can. Now if the administration bill gives a dangerous and unworkable amount of discretion to the board, Mr. Green's bill is just a pious declaration, and not so pious as that. What an earth does Mr. Green mean by a statutory minimum wage of 40 cents for a 40-hour week? Does he mean that nobody anywhere may be employed in any operation which is not purely local unless he is paid at the rate of \$16 a week? That is what he seems to mean. If so he is forgetting completely that the purchasing power of the dollar is never for long the same.

Yet surely it must make some difference, in fact all the difference, to Mr. Green whether the workers get 1919 dollars, 1925 dollars, 1932 dollars or 1937 dollars. Yet he is proposing to legislate without providing any defense for the workers against the change in the value of the dollar. Nor can he write the kind of bill he is proposing and yet provide any protection.

The trouble with the whole project, in fact, is that the administration bill and the Mr. Green's substitute, is that both are trying to cover too much ground in too great a hurry. The Black-Connery bill would give plenary powers to a board to cover all the ground in a hurry. The A. F. of L. would have congress cover all the ground in one stroke.

But does not all practical experience with minimum wage laws in the states show that it is not the way to deal with the problem? Is it not well understood that the thing to do is to have an expert agency select one industry at a time where the lowest wages are below a tolerable standard of life, and then, after due hearings and study, to issue specific orders.

Why is not this the sensible procedure for the federal government? Why not a simple bill ordering the department of labor to make a series of investigations of sweated industries? Why not a provision that on these findings special commissions shall be set up for those industries? Why not, then, let these special commissions make recommendations reviewable in the courts, which become law if they agree with the opinion of the secretary of labor?

Such a procedure does not centralize power in one board. It does not fall into Mr. Green's error of a rigid statutory wage. It treats each industry as a problem in itself. And for these purposes any industry is a problem in itself. (Copyright, 1937, New York Tribune Inc.)

How To Torture Your Wife



Hollywood + Daily Crossword Puzzle

Sights and Sounds
By Robbin Coons

HOLLYWOOD — They've been working a year out at Warner Bros. studios investigating the historical surroundings of a man whose existence has never been approved.

Dr. Herman Leshner, his assistant, Mrs. Hetta Goggin, and their staff of seven research workers were not greatly concerned about the authenticity of the Robin Hood legend. But Robin Hood, if he lived at all, lived in a definite historical period—about 1200 A. D.—and the whole setting, the England of Richard Coeur de Lion and of the Norman conqueror, wicked Prince John.

The research department's work began when the first script was completed. Fortunately, only the Leshner-Goggin letters read that script, made notes, checked and returned the script to its authors.

Robbin's weren't known. The quiet logs revealed many succeeding retakes and corrections, such as the fact that Prince John was never actually knighted, that shillings were not in use until much later than Robin Hood's time, the popular coins being "pennies," and that guineas were unheard of. Also, it was suggested, the English did not become tea-drinkers until about 1650 and no shillings should be "ouch," an exclamation of pain because the expression had no place until the 19th century. If anyone were hurt and wanted to say "ouch," he must content himself with a hearty "Aie-ai-ai-ai." And about Olivia (Maid Marian) De Havilland's "hound" girls didn't have hounds in those days. They had rooms, and none too frilly, either. And so on, and so on, to the last page of script.

The research department then turned to constructive labor. For the art department it dug deep into hundreds of old tomes, consulted old prints showing medieval castles, apartments, streets and dwellings. For the costumes it excavated authentic notes on what midday wore to an archery tournament, to court, to market, to sleep, and the equivalents for midday. On games and customs Mrs. George spent Sundays reading at least 30 sources, tracing Saxon pleasures and Norman fads, and listing the whole for Director William Keighley's guidance. (Keighley did plenty of reading himself.)

Bright Hues Essential
The Adventures of Robin Hood is now under way. But for all the research it will not be entirely correct technically. Research deals in facts—the director can lay on with imagination.

Research, for instance, stopped the peddling of bright silken pennants among the throngs at the archery tournament. Silks were too rare and expensive in those days to permit this custom. But research, pointing out that the period knew only four or five simple colors, with no intermediate shades, could not halt the free use

of color. After all, what's a technical camera for? Herald's also, had just been introduced by the Normans in this period, and its symbols were by no means as common as the picture will imply. But Keighley, or somebody, likes heraldry in color—and the picture will have it abundantly.

Citizenship Club At Garner School Gains Members
Twelve additions have been made to the Garner school Citizenship club since its organization with 11 charter members at the beginning of the school year. H. F. Haislack, superintendent of schools, said Thursday.

An additional 12 members will be named by the faculty and club personnel before the end of the year. Initiation of new members into the club is to be held soon. Membership is by invitation and is based upon student characteristics of good citizenship. Members are Mary Ellen Marler, Evelyn Chapman, Edna Ruth Dilard, Joyce Denny, O'Dell McGregor, Stony Chapman, Margaret

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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14. Family			
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16. Drink			
17. Vessel for carrying			
18. One in favor of; outfit			
19. Gift			
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ACROSS
1. Draw game
2. Part of the month
3. Musical group or channel
4. Small stone
5. Broken piece of earthenware
6. Bird of the field
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8. Small fish
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DOWN
1. European fish
2. Lecture of the
3. Amusement
4. Holder of leaves
5. A son of Cain
6. Small stone
7. Broken piece of earthenware
8. Bird of the field
9. Reformation
10. Small fish
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DARE TO DREAM

BY ALICE MARIE DODGE

Chapter Five
FACING STARK REALITY
"I'll have to think it over, Lella," said Nelda.
Lella smiled.
"There's nothing to think over so far as I can see."
Nelda picked up the dishes at her place and carried them into the kitchen. There she met Uncle Ham.
"Lella been devilin' you about dividin'?" he whispered, his faded gray eyes bright beneath his bushy brows.
Nelda nodded.
Uncle Ham motioned toward the dining room with his cane.
"She's been crabb'n' about the place ever since we came. It'll be much nicer here with her gone."
"But—" Nelda hurried past him. What was the use of telling him or anybody else that she detested living on a ranch, let alone running one?
Later, Nelda sought out Laura Sweeney in the kitchen.
She wanted to be firm and dignified, but her words tumbled out in a confused rush.
"Mrs. Sweeney, we can't afford to keep you any longer! This is a week's notice!"
"I don't know where to go." Mrs. Sweeney gave a dismal sigh and drained the contents of the coffee pot into her cup.
"Surely you can get another job," Nelda suggested.
"Jobs ain't hangin' on trees these days. Mrs. Sweeney sighed again, and Nelda was touched. "If you'll let me stay until the first of the month maybe—" Mrs. Sweeney paused and looked pitifully at Nelda.
"Well—" There was a gentleness in the girl's tone, and Mrs. Sweeney took advantage of it.
"Thanks!" she exclaimed and bustled into the dining room to gather up the dishes, leaving her coffee untouched.
Nelda let it go at that. She would try to find a job for the woman through the "Help Wanted" columns or through friends in the city.

A Walk With Cinders
The household tasks finished, she put a little sweater on Cinders and started for a walk.
Candy ran after them, but was halted by her mother.
"Candis!" Lella called sharply. "Get in out of the cold! This is no day for—strolling."
"I gotta go back," the child whispered to Nelda. "She always calls me Candis when she's mad."
Nelda went on. Dew glistened, jewel-like on the grass and trees. The hazy scent of damp earth met her nostrils. The ranch was dappled with soft lights and shadows, made by the widening glow of the morning. A thin spiral of smoke rose where Stan was burning brush in the orchard. The denuded limbs of the trees gleamed white.
Nelda veered away from the place where Stan was working. He didn't want to talk to her brother now.

Bright tears brimmed in her eyes. She was thinking of her colleagues trooping gaily into warm classrooms while she was fain't to stark realities of life. She toyed with a plan to work her way through college, but abandoned it when she recalled her mother's helplessness. There was not enough money to employ any one to take care of her mother.
Cinders frolicked ahead of her, stopping occasionally to poke his nose into a popper hole.
At the end of the orchard Nelda paused beside the board fence that braced the highway. Leaning against a post, she became lost in thought.

The snarling of dogs started her out of her reflections. Casting a swift look around, she saw Cinders and a fox terrier fighting across the road. She scrambled over the fence, calling her dog's name.
A whistle cut the air. She saw a tall, masculine form silhouetted against the morning sunshine in a barren field on the other side of the highway.
"Wisg!" the man called sharply, but to no avail. The two dogs were going at each other like mortal enemies.
When the man came closer Nelda recognized him. He was Bill Langdon. By the time he reached them Cinders had his sharp little teeth sunk into Wisg's ear and was hanging on stubbornly.
"Let go, Cinders! Let go!" Nelda pleaded, trying in vain to get hold of the bulldog. He managed to twist and squirm out of her way each time she came near him.

Encounter
Bill stepped right into the midst of the fray and in a few minutes had the animals separated. He grabbed his own dog and held him in his arms. The valiant little fox terrier wanted to renew hostilities, and Bill had difficulty in quieting him.
"What's the matter, fella? Don't you want any dogs in your neighborhood?" he asked, a twinkle of amusement in his blue eyes.
"Sissy!" Nelda exclaimed angrily. "How about the beating he gave you dog?"
"But he had him fouled. Why— you've been crying!"
"I have not!" The tears came again in spite of her efforts to hold them back. She hated herself for this show of emotion before a stranger.
"Is there anything I can do?" Bill asked solicitously.
"Not a thing. You see I had to leave college to help here on the ranch, and I feel sort of—well, all caved in."
"Your name is Barrie, isn't it?" She nodded.
"I'm Bill Langdon. That's my house down the road." He pointed to a small gray cottage about a quarter of a mile away.
"I'm not used to this sort of life," Nelda went on. "I planned to be a commercial artist and make loads and loads of money."
"Money." There was a bitter

edge of irony in his voice. "I suppose you wanted to make champagne, wear furs and orchids?"
"Of course. And some one to lift the cover off the soup tureen."
"I think you've got a bad case of ecstasism. It's his surprising reply, a queer hard light in his blue eyes making them look like chips of ice. "You're acting as if you're the only person who ever had to— to take it." He wheeled and strode toward his home, with something stony and grim in the whole set of his figure. The fox terrier ran ahead of him.
Nelda's eyes opened wide as she stared after him.
"Why— why," she spluttered, "the nerve of him!"
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GARNER SCHOOL ISSUES PAPER
Issued again as a joint project of the English and commercial departments of the Garner Headlight, a newsgleaner, is making its bi-monthly appearance for the second year.
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The Pensions Vote

There are 116,000 persons on the old age pension roster in Texas, and these would be denied the ballot if the disfranchisement proposal of some well-known economists were to be adopted generally throughout the country. That won't get any support from the politicians regardless of the merit that might be evident therein. Every citizen under the Constitution has the inalienable right to a ballot, but to most folks the danger is apparent in a minority of citizens who want more and bigger pensions voting for the men who are promising to be such good spenders.

Ambitious candidates are already making it evident that they want the vote of the big-pension crowd. Clarence Farmer, who has given the appearance all along of being one of the crowd, has announced for office and perhaps the best argument against him is the fact that his biggest proposal surrounds the pensions.

A great many persons among those on pensions must realize that extending the pension eligibility—and Texas already rates high among the pensions accorded—would cut the size of the checks. And raising the amount of checks of those eligible would force cutting off the border-line cases.

There are probably 100,000 other persons over 65 who may feel they deserve, or would like to have, pensions.

All the aged are privileged to vote. Those in cities have to attend to the formality of securing exemption certificates. Not all the aged take the pains to vote, any more than do those of other ages.

Although, the vote of citizens over 65 years of age approximates 100,000 in a 1,000,000-vote election. These will be divided on almost any issue, and especially on taking in more persons on the pension rolls.

There are some, younger than the eligible age, who will champion universal \$30 pension payments. This is largely limited to the political group, concerned with an opportunity to recruit a bloc of votes; or of those nearing the eligibility age who expect to get benefits from the widest application of the eligibility law.

Then there are voters who don't believe in any pensions; a very large element who believe in reasonable assistance to the needy only; others who favor liberal pensions but would not jeopardize the essential federal matching, which is limited to the need basis. And then there are the taxpayers, not particularly enthusiastic about raising a \$6,000,000 tax load to \$12,000,000.

The chief way in which the vote of the aged pension advocates could have weight would be in a balance of power between two candidates otherwise closely contesting a race.

Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK — Many and varied are the legends of artists who nonchalantly disregard their audiences while on stage, but the palm of extraordinary behavior still belongs to Vladimir de Pachmann, who thought nothing of opening his mail and answering correspondence while facing a white-tie crowd.

The great man once went so far as to borrow a program from someone in the audience when he forgot what he was scheduled to play. Then, too, there was the time he signaled the stage hands to shift his piano to another part of the stage.

"What is the meaning of this?" demanded the manager when he could catch his breath.
"My dear sir," cried Pachmann, "I am playing a waltz in six-eight time and there is a fat old crow sitting in the front row fanning herself in two-four time. Am I to put up with that!"

Ethel Barrymore is an avid collector of prize-fight pictures. Phillip Barry is back in New York with the synopsis of a new play. He'll write it between now and March 1. Babe Ruth says he will never attend another baseball game unless he is made manager of a big league club. What's he beefing about anyway? The rowdiest entertainment in New York is not the wrestling matches. It's the ice-hockey brawls at Madison Square garden.

On exhibition in the International building at Radio City are four wooden masks which were brought out of New Guinea by Pierre Ledoux. They're listed at \$800 each, but Ledoux got them for the equivalent of about 20 cents. He swapped four mouse traps for them, and the natives just couldn't get over the idea of Americans fooling little mice with shiny spring traps. They laughed and laughed, and so did Ledoux.

Attending an informal party the other afternoon, I saw a half dozen pen sketches by Hans Kleiber, an ex-forest ranger who lives in Wyoming. All his subjects deal with wild life, especially with mallard and pintail ducks coming into marshes to feed at twilight. You could almost hear the swishing of their wings.

Irving Kauffman points out that we may pine for the good old days, but the influence of those days are responsible for the rise of at least two of our younger, better actors—Maurice Evans and John Gielgud. Evans I agree, but in my book Gielgud is no star. Anyway, both reached affluence on the good old time religion of Shakespeare. Sometime next month the Theater Guild is going to con-

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The 30-year-old duke will have a little court of his own at Addis Ababa, where legend says dusky courtiers once waited upon the glamorous Queen of Sheba, and where later Haile Selassie moved among his retainers with his umbrella carrier.

The duke will be vice-roy, if not royal, with a prince of the blood, the son of 40 Savoyan sovereigns at his heel. There will be gentlemen-waiting to the duke and ladies-in-waiting to the duchess, the former Princess Anne of France, daughter of the pretender and herself the descendant of 40 Bourbon kings.

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PA'S SON-IN-LAW

PA'S SON-IN-LAW comic strip panels 1-4. Panel 1: 'NOW JUST A MINUTE, MASTER-MIND! YOU SAY THAT BECAUSE MRS. MEEK HAS SUBSCRIBED TO A SERIES OF VERY DULL LECTURES, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO PROVE WHO COAXED MISS NOTTAM'S CAT T' STAY OUT PAST IT'S DINNER-TIME LAST TUESDAY AND FRIDAY NIGHTS—THAT RIGHT?' 'EXACTLY, OLD CHAP!' Panel 2: 'I DON'T GET TH' CONNECTION!' 'ELEMENTARY, MY DEAR WA—FAWTHAW! THE LECTURES ARE HELD ON TUESDAY AND FRIDAY NIGHTS—THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR FORMAL DRESS—MRS. MEEK ENJOYS THE LECTURES—MR. MEEK ABHORS THEM! SO—THEAH YOU ARE!' Panel 3: 'OH, THERE I AM, AM I? YEAH—BUT—WHERE'S "THERE"?' 'OH, DEAH, DEAH, DEAH! SUCH DENSITY OF MIND SEEMS QUITE PITHFUL!' Panel 4: 'WELL—I'LL TRY AND EXPLAIN LATER! NOW I MUST GET A BIT OF INFAMMATION FROM THE MEEKS' LAUNDRYMAN AND THE CASE WILL BE COMPLETE!'

DIANA DANE

DIANA DANE comic strip panels 1-4. Panel 1: 'WHERE IS THAT DEAR DOOLEY BOY? I WANT TO SURPRISE HIM.' 'YOU'LL SURPRISE HIM ALL RIGHT, MINNIE!' Panel 2: 'DO-O-O-LEEY! OH, DOOLEY BOY!' 'SOMETHIN'S GOTTA BE DONE ABOUT THAT, DIANA!' 'YES—BUT WHAT?' Panel 3: 'WHY, DOOLEY BOY!!! DON'T YOU KNOW ME? IT'S MINNIE!' Panel 4: 'OH—ER—YEAH—SURE? H'LO, MINNIE!'

SCORCHY SMITH

SCORCHY SMITH comic strip panels 1-4. Panel 1: 'WHILE HIS SISTER SLEEPS, BUD SNEAKS A FEW PUFFS FROM A CIGARETTE—' 'SHE'S WAKING UP—BETTER SNUFF THIS OUT OR SHE'LL GIVE ME A LECTURE ON FIRE PREVENTION—' Panel 2: 'LINDA TURNS HER HEAD—HURRIEDLY BUD PASSES HIS CIGARETTE AGAINST THE SIDE, AND PROPS IT—' 'GET A GOOD NAP, SIS?' Panel 3: 'STILL GLOWING, THE CIGARETTE ROLLS TO THE BOTTOM OF THE FUSELAGE, AND COMES TO REST ONLY A FEW INCHES FROM THE PUDDLE OF GASOLINE THAT HAS LEAKED FROM THE BROKEN FUEL LINE—' Panel 4: 'WHAT'S WRONG, SIS?—WHAT'RE YOU SNIFFIN'?' 'BUD! I SMELL GASOLINE!'

HOMER HOOPEE

HOMER HOOPEE comic strip panels 1-4. Panel 1: 'SAY-DAT GUYS GOT A SOCK LIKE A MULE.' 'YOU DUMB CLUCK! ARE YOU GIVING HIM A WORKING OVER OR IS HE GIVING YOU ONE?' 'YOU HAVEN'T LAID A HAND ON HIM, AND HES HAD YOU DOWN-TAKEN YOUR "SAP" AWAY FROM YOU AND HIT YOU OVER THE HEAD WITH IT!' Panel 2: 'A WISE GUY, HUH? I'LL CURE HIM OF DAT STUFF—I'LL GIVE HIM DE AIRPLANE SPIN!' Panel 3: 'DON'T THROW HIM IN THIS DIRECTION!' Panel 4: 'DON'T THROW HIM IN THIS DIRECTION!'

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