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Judge Opposes City's Relief Proposal

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Reviewing The BIG SPRING WEEK

Future promotional celebrations sponsored by merchants must be gauged by Friday's affair.

Friday evening the largest number ever assembled in one group downtown saw Santa Claus make his annual pre-Christmas visit.

The troublesome road problem was partly solved here last week when the county commissioners court made an offer and L. E. Coleman, owner of the property in question, accepted it.

The city's proposal to refer the city-county charity controversy to a committee of 20 drew an array of quotations and analogies from the lips of the county judge.

Ollie Webb To Speak Tonight

Rail Official Also To Be Head At Monday Night Program

Ollie B. Webb of New Orleans, assistant to the president of the Texas & Pacific railway, will speak at the First Baptist church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Nations Notify They Won't Pay

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. (AP)—France, Great Britain, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Italy, Hungary and Rumania today notified the state department they are defaulting on their war debt payments.

The Weather

BIG SPRING AND VICINITY—Sunday fair. WEST TEXAS—Fair and slightly colder Sunday.

Offer Made To Put Problem To Committee

Group Of 20 Suggested To Make Settlement, Garlington Says No

The city's compromise offer to end the charity controversy between the city and county met with open opposition from the county judge and silence from members of the commissioners court.

While Judge J. S. Garlington opened his oratorical guns on a proposal advanced by the city that twenty county taxpayers be selected to study the matter and make recommendations which the two local governmental units would follow, the commissioners listened without comment.

Saturday no action had been taken on the matter by the commissioners court.

"It is contemplated," said the city's communication presented by City Manager E. V. Spence, "that this committee will make such investigation of all the facts and circumstances as it deems advisable and necessary, that it will carefully study and consider the existing conditions within the city of Big Spring, the relevant condition of the city and county with reference to finances, and also what work the city is doing now and what work the county is doing to give relief to those out of employment and others in need of help of one kind or another, and after studying all the relevant facts and circumstances, render its decision as to by whom and how the necessary relief shall be given."

Spence said that all appointees by the city to such a committee would be county as well as city taxpayers. He said that the city commissioners had agreed to abide by the recommendations of the proposed committee.

Strike Threat Greets Calles

Return To Mexico Seen As Start Of New Factional Struggle

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 14. (AP)—Officials today predicted that the return of General Plutarco Calles would result in a decisive struggle between radicalism and conservatism in this country.

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No More Grade Crossing Crashes Here



When the new overpass on rerouted highway No. 1 west is opened, there will be no more grade crossing accidents such as have claimed life and limb in the past.

Record Crowds Greet Santa, See Storybook Parade Here

Crop Control Committees Are Selected

Albert Heckler, Dale Hart New Members Chosen For Districts

Albert Heckler, Luther, and Dale Hart, Moore, were chosen as new community committeemen for the east and west districts of Howard county Saturday.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 14. (AP)—Governor Harold Hoffman of New Jersey declared today that a "searching inquiry" into the Bruno Hauptmann case was "warranted if only to remove all question of doubt as to his guilt."

The governor's assertion came the day after the week of January 13 had been set as the time for the Bronx carpenter's electrocution.

Hauptmann received the news of his death date calmly when the news was broken to him by a prison guard.

"I have hardly spoken to a person who believes that the execution of Hauptmann will write the last chapter in this crime," the governor said before Justice Thomas W. Trenchard signed a new death warrant.

"In other words, they doubt there has been a complete solution. The majority believe he's guilty, but they think there are riddles that remain unsolved."

"As the situation now stands death would lock Hauptmann's lips forever. If he later should be found innocent, a terrible moral charge."

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Secretary May Wreck Parley

Conference At London Is Turning Toward Bi-Lateral Talks

LONDON, Dec. 14. (AP)—The shadow of secret diplomatic maneuvers fell tonight across the week-old naval conference striving to extricate itself from the complications of Jap parity demands.

Some observers expressed the fear that the conference might be turned into a super-secret session, coupled with the launching of separate talks. They said this might steer the conference on the rocks of bi-lateral conversations which wrecked the preliminary negotiations last spring.

The Japanese delegates maneuvered the secret sessions and the bi-lateral talks on the grounds that general sessions were unsatisfactory. The United States delegation was expected to oppose the practice.

The British delegation held separate discussions with the Japanese last night.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS 8 Shopping Days 'til Christmas

Probers Hear

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to Tom Hickman to put a stop to these big shot gambling houses. Phares wrote a letter to him giving written instructions to close the big gambling houses. Allred testified. "Hickman didn't close the gambling houses. He made no effort to do so."
"Governor, have you accused Tom Hickman of having tipped off that raid he made?" Rep. Atchison asked. He referred to testimony given yesterday by Allred's secretary that Allred believed Hickman acted as tipoff man on the department's raid on the Top O' Hill Terrace.
"He came in after the commission fired him and said he wanted me to interfere with them for him," Allred said. "I told him I wouldn't do it and he wanted to know why."
"I said, 'To be frank with you, Tom, you have been inexcusably negligent. You have fired men off of this force for being less diligent than you have been, and to be most charitable, you haven't done a thing since you've been a ranger. You've laid down on the job and I am not going to interfere for you.'"
"Fake?" Allred said.
"He said, 'Well, I love the force,' and I told him 'I think you have disgraced the force.' He said 'Why?'"
"I said 'You go out there and pull a fake raid and have it announced beforehand that you are coming—that the rangers are coming—and a bell is pressed before

you get there and you stay there and don't make any search of the place and you leave and five minutes later they haul out the gambling paraphernalia and gamble all night."
The governor charged that every gambler and race track operator welcomed the committee's inquiry and said he opposed it because he knew "no good would come from it."
"I know you were not going to get the facts and that you would get out and besmirch and besmirch," he said, and pointed to the failure to consult Ford, a member of the committee favorable to the governor, on witnesses and procedure.

Offer Made

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you stop to calculate charity you rob it of the element that it is more blessed to give than to receive."
Garlington declared that no little county with a 50 cent tax rate can support the charity fund, and stood solid for a 50-50 division of the burden.
"This," he commented, "is arguing the difference between tweedle dee and tweedle dum" and said that the county commissioners court and the city commission should solve the situation if they have the "proper intestines to face" the issue.
Mr. McCloud, who resided in another county for a number of years, said the city and county there faced a similar situation and finally referred it to a committee of two city and two county appointees. The result was a two-third county expenditure to one-third for the city. Ultimate outgrowth was a city and county hospital, he said.

Hearing Set

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pointed out that cotton from Midland could pass Big Spring and go to Colorado for compression, if in 40 bale lots; or that cotton from Stanton could pass up Big Spring and Colorado, if in 40 bale lots, and go to Sweetwater.
Thus concentration points for local territories would be handicapped, cotton men argue, and the rule would affect farmers, cotton buyers, gins and others as well as compresses now serving restricted areas.
For several years we have been so busy with the farmer that we forgot the farmer's agent took first steps toward organization of 4 H clubs in this county. A functioning group of clubs will be of immeasurable benefit in teaching future farmers how to better their lot and make farming a living instead of an existence.
And in conclusion, we nominate the city natatorium as the most popular place in town next summer. The number attending open house last Sunday shows it holds the drawing power.

Record

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windows Friday night, and that they were put out Saturday. There may still be presents for some, and those who received tickets from Santa were asked to make another tour of the stores.
Santa Claus was the big show Friday night; but the children gathered to see him staged a colorful affair of their own Friday afternoon, and another large crowd flocked downtown to see the youngsters in their storybook parade.
Prize Divided
After more than an hour of deliberation, judges voted to split \$50 prize money offered to winners in the review six ways, each participating school receiving an equal share. Individual honors went to Caroline Cantrell, costumed as the little Dutch girl. She received an award of \$5. Second prize of \$2.50 went to Jeddie Henry, dressed to represent Popeye. Duplicate awards of \$1 were made to Dolores Hill, depicting the fine lady on a fine horse en route to "Banbury Cross," and Sara Jane Woodward, portraying "Maisy," quite contrary.
Only city schools took part in the parade which stretched for three blocks and tied up traffic downtown for half an hour.
Variety was matched by ingenuity by students in the four ward schools, the Kate Morrison and junior high school pupils in the procession.
Many Characters
Among characters representative of story books or comic strips were going to Banbury Cross, Uncle Sam, George Washington, the three bears, big bad wolf, Indians, Little Red Riding Hood, old lady who lived in a shoe, Old King Cole and his fiddlers three, Santa Claus (and even his wife), Humpty, Dumpty, Buck Rogers, Tom, the piper's son, Popeye, Dionne quintuplets replica with Dr. Dafee, and nurse, Mickey Mouse, witch, Old Mother Goose, Robin Hood, Wimpy, twins, Simple Simon, Jack Hunter and a score others.
Striving for realistic effect, one Mexican lad carried a wiggling pig fourteen blocks to put over the old rhyme of "Tom, Tom—the piper's son—stole a pig and away he run." Not to be outdone, one girl playing the part of Old Mother Goose carried a goose with her. "Jack Horner," who according to tradition sat in a corner and poked his thumb into some choice pastry, carried a pie along, regularly dunking his thumb and licking same. Wimpy, ignoring his hamburger with authentic enthusiasm.
Judges said the originality of the children and teachers made it too difficult to distinguish one group from another.

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Power Strike Is Called In N. York

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (UP)—Leaders of 4,400 employees of the Queens Electric Light and Power company have ordered a strike that, if successful, will deprive more than 5,000,000 persons of electric light, power and transportation.
The objective was reinstatement of three officers of the Brotherhood of Utility Employees discharged by the company. Union leaders refused to announce when their men would walk out. Their preparations indicated it was imminent.
Officers of the Queens unit of the brotherhood said other union units in Manhattan and Brooklyn had promised to support the strike. The three units control power houses and generator plants of the entire system of "Edison" companies in the three most populous boroughs of the city.

Ready For Work On Water Survey

Two fugitives are re-captured

OELAHOMA CITY, Dec. 14 (AP)—Two of five prisoners who broke from the El Reno reformatory Thursday night were captured near here today after a thrilling 80-mile-an-hour chase.
Officers, tipped that the convict car was traveling toward Oklahoma City, passed the convicts and gave chase. The fugitives finally were nabbed at the edge of the city without a shot being fired.

Certificates To Be Transferred By Next Tuesday

Cotton certificate holders who placed their tags in a special summer pool were given until Tuesday by M. Weaver, adjustment assistant to the county agent, to transfer them into the national pool.
Despite press reports from Washington that the special summer pool had sold out, only 40 per cent was moved. Participants will get 2 cents on the total amount pooled and a 60 per cent equity return.
This equity may be placed in the national pool if done by Tuesday, said Weaver. The national pool will offer 4 cents return for certificates sold. The special pool offered 5 cents.

Death Takes

hospital and Saturday was reported to be seriously ill.
Active pallbearers will be Ernest Rainey, Clint Rogers, H. W. Dearing, C. J. Engle, O. B. Hull, Ed Lauderdale, Clarence Fryer and A. C. Bass. Named as honorary pallbearers are T. J. Rogers, R. A. Armstrong, Jim Burkhead, Jim Robinson, Adam Hull, Dr. G. T. Hall, G. H. Bullock, Rev. Rainey, Clayton Hull, Rev. Arley Watson, L. C. McCarty, R. E. Martin, J. W. Musgrove, Jess Robinson, W. O. Leonard, A. T. Angel and Boss Davis.

The Week

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used as a sorry political football.
The WPA "tax" projects in seven counties in this district stand a good chance of being some of the most beneficial undertakings of the program. The idea is not aimed at assessing, at all, but at enumerating, or a property census, if you please. In other places these projects have resulted in the collection of back taxes, the designation of most property on the un-rendered roll, and a complete set of facts about the county and city.
And while we have WPA on the mind, two incidents occurred this week which are noteworthy, if not newsworthy. Certain people had been sending prospective WPA job applicants to the district office with the insinuation that political powers wanted them hired. Well, the district director put his foot down on this political talk, and he put it down hard and firmly. For which he is to be commended. Another angle, altogether different, is the launching of a one-person project here. Another person was made supervisor of the project and was told in turn that heads of several departments would visit and explain in detail where that department fitted into the picture. A room of records were issued for checking—all for one person. Such may be necessary but amusing, never-

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Refuses Federal Aid In Probe Of Editor's Death

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (UP)—Attorney General Homer S. Cummings today denied the appeal of Gov. Floyd Olson of Minnesota for federal intervention in the investigation of the slaying of Walter Liggett.
Cummings said "the burden of enforcing state and local criminal laws rest upon the states and communities in which infractions of such laws occur."
He told the governor that if he "feels that your committee in connection with the murder of the crusading publisher it should be submitted to United States Attorney Sullivan at St. Paul for consideration."

Warned To Halt Anti-Jap Moves

NANKING, Dec. 14 (AP)—The Japanese embassy today warned the central China government that it must check the spread of anti-Japanese student agitation arising from the North China autonomy movement.
The principality of Jind, an Indian state, was founded in 1763, and recognized by the Mogul emperor in 1788.

Chance Bridge Game Historic

AUSTIN (UP)—Miss Hazel Brown, of Fort Worth, came to Austin to see a football game. To pass away an idle hour after lunch, she took a hand at bridge—and got the hand that is dealt only once in 136 million—13 hearts.

70,924 Passengers On U. S. Airlines During October

Scheduled air lines operating in continental United States carried 70,924 passengers in October, 1935, according to reports to the bureau of air commerce, department of commerce, from the 24 companies operating during that month. Those scheduled air lines flew 5,288,180 miles, carried 488,019 pounds of express, and flew 28,787,563 passenger miles during October.

Col. House' Nephew Is Victim Of Suicide

WACO, Dec. 14 (AP)—Thomas William House Jr., 31, nephew of Col. E. M. House and a son-in-law of former Governor Charles Denen of Illinois, was shot to death at his home here late today.
Joe Trippett, assistant district attorney said the wound was self-inflicted.

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Economy To Keynote At Next Session

Congressmen Indicate Will Move To Establish Balanced Budget

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. (UP)—The next session of congress will be much more careful in spending the tax-payer's dollar.

A distinct swing toward economy in government financing and in opposition to currency inflation is in prospect.

The United Press asked congressmen whether they would vote to hold appropriations to a sum which would permit balancing of the budget in the next fiscal year.

Of those replying 85 per cent of the representatives and 76 per cent of the senators "voted" "yes."

The poll developed the fact that members of congress have been impressed by accusations of wastefulness directed at the administration and intend to do something about it.

Bonus Problem
This new resolve toward economy may come into conflict with congress' apparent determination to vote for cash payment of the soldiers' bonus.

The answers to the poll indicated considerable advance thinking on these subjects. Several delivered opinions of which the following are illustrative:

"I earnestly hope to be able to hold appropriations within the income of the government," wrote one senator. "But I recognize certain great difficulties. I question whether we should ever appropriate a dollar without providing taxes to pay the appropriation."

"I will vote for the lowest possible appropriations adequately to administer the government," one representative reported.

May Extend Relief
Another declared: "As far as the reugar establish-

ments are concerned I not only want to keep the appropriations within reason but at a figure that will provide for a balancing of the budget if it is possible. I want to add, however, if it is still necessary to extend relief to the unemployed I certainly am going to vote for the legislation. We must feed the people of this country who cannot secure work and unless we do you are going to have riots in all of the big cities."

An almost equally large percentage voted against currency inflation on other devices for cheapening the dollar.

Here again may come a conflict with the bonus issue. Several members of congress expressed approval of the bonus but added their desire to have it done without currency inflation.

The minority voting for a cheapened dollar indicated a belief that further measures might be necessary to obtain adequate circulation and that circumstances might develop which would require some change in valuation of the dollar.

Lubbock Man On Land Bank Board

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Farmers' cooperative associations borrowing from the Houston Bank for Cooperatives have elected R. S. Rodgers of Lubbock, Tex., as a local director of the federal land bank of Houston for a term of three years beginning Jan. 1, 1936.

W. I. Myers, governor of the farm credit administration, has announced Governor Myers also announced the reappointment of Dean E. J. Kyle of College Station, Tex., as a district director of the same bank for a similar term.

The board of directors of these Houston farm credit units, to which Mr. Rodgers and Dean Kyle were named is made up of seven members. Under present law, three of them, known as local directors, are elected by borrowers and local cooperative credit associations. One is elected by national farm loan associations, one by production credit associations and the other by borrowers of the district bank f. c. cooperatives.

The others are appointed by the governor of the farm credit administration.

Error Starts Stamp Stamped
VIENNA, (UP)—Discovery by an observant philatelist that the smiling Lower Austria peasant portrayed in the new blue six-groschen postage stamp wore his ears back to front has caused a stampede among stamp collectors here. Some 200,000 of the stamps were sold before the mistake was discovered.

The ground-parrot, a flightless bird inhabiting New Zealand, is called "Kakapo" by the Maori people.

Farm States Vote Against The New Deal

Percentage Opposing FDR Increases In Literary Digest Poll

The popularity of the new deal shows another decline in the fourth report of the Literary Digest's nationwide poll as 642,711 votes from twenty-six states are tallied.

The total balloting to date is shown divided 274,830 votes, or 42.76 per cent for the new deal, to 267,881 votes, or 57.24 per cent against it.

The voting against the new deal was 53.28 per cent in the first poll report, 55.89 per cent in the second, and 55.60 per cent in last week's tabulation.

The latest tabulation which appears in the current issue of the magazine shows seven states, all in the south, averaging majorities of over 3 to 2 for states vote negatively on the question "Do you now approve the acts and policies of the Roosevelt new deal to date?"

by margins of scant majorities to over 3 to 1, as in Massachusetts. All of the states from which ballots have been reported so far, with the exception of Connecticut, voted for Roosevelt in 1932.

The farm belt states of Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and also Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Michigan are indicated as disapproving the new deal by an average ratio of about 3 to 2.

Additional votes from the eighteen states reported last week show a fractional increase for the new deal in six states and a decrease in the other twelve.

The twenty-six states from which returns are reported in the current tally represent over 63 per cent of the total population of the United States and the same states cast practically two-thirds of the total vote which Roosevelt received in his election in 1932.

Texas remains one of the seven southern states supporting the administration. The Digest's latest tabulation shows that out of a total of 34,927 votes cast, 21,056, or 60.29 per cent, support Roosevelt while 13,871, or 39.71 per cent, are opposed to his policies.

Thinks Roosevelt To Defeat Himself

PEIPING, China, Dec. 14 (UP)—William Allen White, Kansas editor, summed up his ideas of the campaign situation for Rotarians whom he addressed:

"President Roosevelt has slipped since 1933, when, a knight in polished armor, he rode forth. Now he is battered. In 1938 only Roosevelt can beat Roosevelt—by shooting too freely at American political idols, the supreme court and the constitution. If I were the republican party my slogan would be: 'Save the New Deal' from its friends."

PARIS (UP)—The latest luxury cinema to strike Paris is the new Snack Movie. Film fans pay an entrance fee of 35 cents, which includes seeing a picture and eating a five-ounce—During the film—the ushers pass plates of sandwiches and French pastry.

CALGARY, Alta. (UP)—Alberta's Social Credit Government, the first of its kind in the world, looks upon liquor as a luxury and plans to boost prices. By increasing prices of both hard-liquor and beer the government hopes to obtain an additional \$300,000 revenue.

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SANDIES BLAST CATS FROM FOOTBALL RACE

AMARILLO DISPLAYS ALL THE FURY OF A 'BLACK DUSTER'; WIN HANDILY

AMARILLO, Dec. 14. (AP)—The Amarillo Golden Sandstorm displayed the fury of a "black duster" to blast the San Angelo Bobcats from the state high school football race, 25 to 0, in a quarterfinal game here today.

The victory sent the Sandies, last year's state champions, into the semi-finals of the Texas Interscholastic league race. They will meet Wichita Falls next week for the right to go into the finals.

Around And About

The Sports Circuit

By Tom Beasley

A RELIABLE report is that section of a new coach for Big Spring high school will be delayed until after the Interscholastic League maximum age limit question has been settled. Bristow, it is rumored, will return for another year if the rule is made 19 instead of 18.

THE LUBBOCK Westerners, tired of being trampled in Inter-scholastic League District 1 by Pampa and Amarillo, is still seeking entrance to sector 3 with Big Spring, San Angelo and Sweetwater. The Westerners have been trying to get down here for two years, but so far they haven't been able to do much.

COLLIER PARRIS of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal is back with Chester Kenley of San Angelo last week relative to district changes, and Kenley didn't give the Lubbock fans much encouragement.

OLIVERS HAVE 5 TILTS THIS WEEK

Fast Clicking Independent Team Opens Week's Play Tuesday Against Lamesa

BY HANK HART

Despite the fact that they looked impressive in their 59-18 victory over the Stokes Black Devils last Wednesday evening, the Cosden Oilers have yet to flash their best form and should look even better in their games this week.

DRUGGISTS WIN BY WIDE MARGIN

Herald Bowlers Lose All Three Games To C. & P. Team Friday Night

Cunningham & Phillips bowlers romped over The Herald in a league match Friday night, taking three straight games.

Player	Score
Burleson	106 97
McMahon	138 148 155- 444
Collings	111 122 141- 374
Glenn	188 115- 303
Beasley	123 161- 284
Pickle	128- 122
Totals	397 708 733-1836

C. & P. Wins

Player	Score
Underwood	162 156 165- 483
Flanagan	149 177 193- 519
Peppers	169 196 158- 523
(Spot)	130 120 120- 370
(Spots)	120 120 120- 360
Totals	729 789 739-2248

Sacramento Now Part Of Saint Louis Chain

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 14. (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, whose army of players do a nationwide baseball business each year, will operate from at least twenty stands next season.

The announced acquisition of Sacramento, Cal., of the Pacific Coast league, will extend baseball's most extensive chain store system from coast to coast.

Greenville Swarms Over Mexia Black Cats, 19 To 7

ROSE BOWL GAME BRINGS TO GETHER POWERFUL ELEVENS



BOBBY GRAYSON Stanford BOBBY WILSON S.M.U. HARRY SHUFORD-S.M.U.-J.C. WETSEL

Stanford University will be seeking its first victory in three consecutive Rose Bowl games when it clashes with Southern Methodist in the annual New Year's Day classic at Pasadena, Calif. Bobby Grayson, pile-driving fullback, is one of Stanford's most versatile backs, while Bob Reynolds, giant tackle, and Wes Muller, center, are considered Stan-

ford's bulwarks of the line. Southern Methodist's "watch charm" halfback, Bobby Wilson, who passes, kicks and carries the ball better than any other man on the team, has a depend-

FIGURES SHOW NEW CHAMPS IN FIELDING

Chicago White Sox Finish 2nd To Show Improvement

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP)—New fielding champions were crowned in every position in the American League in 1935, according to official figures released, with a several point improvement in defensive play noticeable throughout practically the entire circuit.

The fielding average of the league as a whole was bettered two points over the 1934 figure to .972, while Detroit, which the previous season shared team honors with Washington at .974, improved four points and assumed sole leadership with a .978 average.

The Chicago White Sox, last in fielding in 1934, reflected the general improvement in their team by finishing second. Their .976 average represents a ten point rise over the preceding year.

Individual honors were divided among players of several teams. Jimmy Foxx of Philadelphia, making only three errors in 121 games, fielded .997 and replaced Henry Bonura of Chicago as the first baseman. Bonura, .996 the year before, was runner-up to Foxx with .994.

Joe Kuhel of Washington participated in 150 double plays at first base, bettering the American League mark of 145 set by Hal Trosky of Cleveland in 1934, and the major league record of 149 set by Jim Bouton of the St. Louis Cardinals in 1927.

There was no semblance of a knockout punch until the Brown Bomber exploded a right high to the temple, after a sharp left to the jaw.

Paulino came up so groggy the fight was halted after Louis landed one more blow to the head.

Louis has registered 22 KO's in 20 fights.

Joe Louis not to get time off

Allison, Budge And The Helens Score Outstanding Tennis Triumphs In '35

Four American Aces Make News On The Courts

BY BOB CAVAGNARO (Associated Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Dec. 14. (AP)—The comeback of Mrs. Helen Willis Moody; the collapse of Fred Perry in defense of the American singles championship; and the ascendancy of red-headed Don Budge to international stardom shared the spotlight of the 1935 world tennis campaigns.

Internationally speaking, the United States made some inroads on the world supremacy established by Great Britain in 1934. Mrs. Moody won the women's title at Wimbledon; the veteran Wilmer Allison restored the American championship to America, while Uncle Sam's representatives also clung to the Wightman cup and the U. S. women's crown after fighting off determined challenges from England.

The disappointment of the year, however, was the dismal showing of the American Davis cup team in the challenge round against England. The Stars and Stripes were whitewashed in the five-match series.

Mrs. Moody came out of a two-year retirement for one of the most stirring triumphs of her career. She made an independent invasion of England and signalled her comeback by winning the St. George's Hill tournament.

IRAAN WINNER CAGE TOURNEY

Big Spring Devils Win Three Games Before Losing Out In Semi-Finals

IRAAN, Dec. 14. (Sp)—Iraan high school won an invitational basketball tournament here today, defeating Osona in the finals in a close game.

Sandies Have Best Record

Amarillo Scores Total of 325 Points In Eleven Games

DALLAS, Dec. 14.—The Amarillo Golden Sandies, with 325 points scored in eleven games, top the list on the offensive record of the four teams left in the state high school football race.

Greenville boasts the best defensive record, barely shading the Sandies. The Lions have allowed only 51 points.

The quarterfinalist teams and their records to date:

Amarillo 26, Woodrow Wilson 0.
Amarillo 27, Capitol Hill 18.
Amarillo 14, Fanchal 13.
Amarillo 7, Norman, Okla., 26.
Amarillo 70, Borger 0.
Amarillo 24, Lubbock 0.
Amarillo 49, Plainview 0.
Amarillo 13, Pampa 0.
Amarillo 13, Breckenridge 0.
Amarillo 25, San Angelo 0.
Totals—325, opponents 57.

MIAMI PLANTS READY TO OPEN

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 14 (AP)—Jockeys up and hooey were flying at Miami's two horse tracks, Tropical and Hialeah Park, today as trainers conditioned thoroughbreds for Monday's opening of Florida's ninety-six day racing season.

FRED TURNER LEADS MIAMI

Unknown Posts Sixty-Eight In Biltmore Open

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Dec. 14. (AP)—Slender, quiet golfer, Fred Turner, Pine Valley, New Jersey, came blazing unheralded through the dusk today to post a sixty-eight, three under par, for the first round of the \$10,000 Miami Biltmore Open and seize medalist honors.

S'west Not To 'Aid' Athletes

Adopt Rule Limiting Conference Grid Teams To Ten Games

Dallas, Dec. 14. (AP)—The Southwest conference faculty representatives in their annual meeting here today avoided the question of financial athletic scholarship and legal aid to athletes.

SITES PICKED FOR SEMIFINALS

(By The Associated Press)

Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Greenville and Corpus Christi will compete in games Friday and Saturday of this week for the right to enter the finals of the Texas high school football championship.

Saturday Football

Pittsburgh 12, USC 7.
St. Mary's 7, UCLA 13.

Klondike To Hold Basketball Meet

KLONDIKE, Dec. 14. (Sp)—An independent basketball tournament will be held here Friday and Saturday, Dec. 20 and 21.

JOE LOUIS NOT TO GET TIME OFF

Bomber To Go On Extensive Tour Of United States, Havana And Europe

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP)—Joe Louis, the sleek, polished fist destroyer, is not thinking of rest after battering Paulino Uzcudun to the mat Friday night.

Louis is faced with a long tour and list of fights. Louis' record is top-notch. Friday night he added to the veteran Paulino Uzcudun to his list of knockout victims without any preliminary flourishes.

The Brown Bomber won on a technical knockout in the fourth of a scheduled fifteen round match, the referee stopping the bout after Paulino had been floored for the count of eight with a terrific right hand punch.

LaMode Leads Bowling Loop

Win Seven Out Of Nine Matches, Herald In Cellar

La Mode is leading the Big Spring Bowling league with a percentage of .778, having lost only two out of nine matches.

Player	W	L	Pct
La Mode	7	2	.778
Burr's	6	3	.667
Cunningham & Phillips	5	4	.556
Crawford	5	4	.556
Schley	3	6	.333
Anderson	3	6	.333
The Herald	1	8	.111

Team standings:

LIONS TEAR LOOSE IN 2ND PERIOD

Mexia Passing Sensation Batted Up Throughout The Game

NEW YORK, Dec. 14. (AP)—Before 7,500 fans who jammed the Mexia stands hoping to see the Black Cats advance into the state semifinals, the Greenville Lions, who have figured largely in the high school playoff in recent years, staged a mild upset in defeating the Mexia eleven, 19-7, here Saturday.

The Cats succeeded in holding Captain McBreath, Bert Marshall and company, during the first quarter, but the Lions opened up with a veritable attack in the second period that netted them 11 their scores.

Ernest Lain, Mexia passing sensation, was bottled up throughout the game except for a brief flurry in the fourth period when the Cats accounted for their only touchdown. The Mexia eleven completed Captain McBreath of twenty and had two intercepted, while the visitors threw a total of nineteen, seven completed, and one intercepted.

Marshall Brilliant

Marshall turned in a brilliant run in the third period when Greenville was threatening the Mexia goal by taking a snaphack on the Black Cats' 31 and running it up to the twelve, but three tries at the line failed and Bowden intercepted a pass on his own twenty-yard line to kill that threat.

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All But Arkansas To Play Baseball In S'west Circuit

Dallas, Dec. 14. (AP)—Representatives of the Southwest conference, in meeting here today turned out some baseball news.

Local Bowlers To Meet

Monahans Team Today

A local bowling team will play an all-star team from Monahans here this afternoon 3 p. m. at the Big Spring Bowling club.

Many Major League Teams To Pitch Camp In Florida

By ED DICKSON
United Press Staff Correspondent
MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 14. (UP)—At least 27, and possibly 30, major and minor league baseball teams will train in Florida next spring. Headed by the world champion Detroit Tigers, who will train at Lakeland again, the teams will bring more than 600 players to the state for the training season which begins late in February and closes early in April. It is estimated that 150 exhibition games will be played.

The baseball trek starts soon after Christmas although many players spend the entire winter season in Florida and scores of them own homes in the state.

By mid-February the trek will be on in earnest and late in that month the clubs, including officials and attaches, come in for the training grid.

Sessions Open to Public
Training periods usually begin at 10 o'clock in the morning and last until about 2 o'clock. They are open to the public and scores of fans avail themselves of this opportunity to see their favorites in action.

Practice includes limbering-up exercises, batting, pitching and fielding workout, base-running and other features.

It is estimated that more than \$500,000 is spent by clubs during the training season in Florida, which baseball men have come to regard as necessary to a successful season.

Cubs to Play in Florida

The Chicago Cubs, who will winter in California, will cross the country to play an exhibition series in Florida before moving on to Chicago for the season's opening. Back in 1933 the New York Giants came from California to train at Miami Beach. They shift their camp to Pensacola in 1936.

American League

Detroit Tigers at Lakeland.
Boston Red Sox at Sarasota.
New York Yankees at St. Petersburg.

National League

St. Louis Browns at West Palm Beach.
St. Louis Cardinals at Bradenton.

International League

Albany Chiefs at Winter Garden.
Toronto Maple Leafs at Haines City.

Southern Association

Nashville at Tallahassee.
Chattanooga at Sanford.
Atlanta at Daytona Beach, (or some other city in Florida).

High School Race In Diagram

UPPER BRACKET		
Dist.	Quarterfinal Results	Semifinal Games This Week
1-3-3	Amarillo 25, San Angelo 0	Amarillo vs. Wichita Falls
5-6-8	Wichita Falls 19, Dallas Tech 13	Wichita Falls vs. Greenville
LOWER BRACKET		
9-10-11	Greenville 19, Mexia 7	Greenville vs. Corpus Christi
15-16-14	Corpus Christi 14, Port Arthur 12	

HILL LEADS HIS TEAM TO VICTORY

Great Passing And Running Attack In Last Minute Of Play Wins

WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 14.—The Wichita Falls Coyotes, after trailing for three quarters, added a fourth period "story-book" finish to their game with Dallas Tech here today and defeated the visiting Wolf Pack, 19-13, to advance into the semifinals of the state playoff. They will meet the Amarillo Golden Sandies, who defeated San Angelo, 25 to 0, next Saturday.

Led by Charlie Hill, who threatened constantly throughout the contest, the Coyotes suddenly drove out of their own territory in the last minute of play with a great passing and running attack and rushed over the Tech goal line with less than 60 seconds to play. It was Hill who went over for the winning counter.

A blocked punt paved the way for the deciding score when the whole Coyote forward wall surged through to break up Keele's attempted kick and a Wichita man fell on the ball on the Dallas school's 35-yard line. Neal plunged through for six yards on the first play, the Dallasites received a five yard setback for being offside, and then Hill broke through on a beautiful sprint to the four yard line. He made over three yards on the next try and then went over for the counter.

Fite's successful try for point after the Dallasites' touchdown in the initial period seemed to be enough for victory, although he failed on the second.

The visitors had led throughout the game until Hill's deciding score.

A pass from M. B. Short to Jim Keele good for 25 yards, gave the Techmen their first touchdown, while a flip, Short to Womack, accounted for the second. Keele stepped only two yards after taking the heave from Short while Womack was in the end zone as he wrapped his fingers around the ball.

The Coyotes were held scoreless throughout the first half but tallied soon after the third quarter opened and again as the teams reversed positions on the field for the last time.

A great performance by Captain Whitlow featured the Wichita defensive play. Stephens offered a Coyote threat in the first quarter when he raced deep into Dallas Tech territory, but the Coyotes could not push over a marker.

Allison

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who, in a few years, promises to be the world's leading individual star.

But Perry's convincing conquest at home was in sharp contrast to the abrupt termination of his two-year reign as American titleholder. Frank Shields furnished him with his only strenuous opposition before he gained the semi-final at Forest Hills against Wilmer Allison. Allison reached the peak of his career on that day. He was a veritable ball of fire and even if Perry had not fallen in the first set and injured himself the Briton was doomed to defeat. The injury might have speeded his elimination, but Allison went through him in straight sets and then blanked Sidney Wood in the finals.

Budge, the tall, willowy California youth, proved the sensation of the English outdoor season. Sent abroad as a member of the Davis cup team, he was a vital factor in America's elimination of Germany in the inter-zone final and then he announced Christian Bousnus and Bunny Austin in the Wimbledon tournament before he was beaten by von Cramm in the semi-final. He was regarded as Uncle Sam's best bet to stop Perry at Forest Hills, but he never got the chance because he was side-tracked by Bily Grant, the "giant killer."

Helen Jacobs joined a small group of immortals by winning the national title for the fourth straight time. . . . Little Ethel Burkhardt Arnold was the heroine of America's close victory over Great Britain in the Wightman cup series . . . and then a couple of months later she, along with Jane Sharpe, the indoor queen, joined Bill O'Brien's pro troupe. . . . Wilbur Hess capped the college crown. . . . Big Bill Tilden, despite his 42 years, won the pro championship. . . . Allison and Johnny Van Ryn regained the national doubles title.

Hardin-Simmons Quits Circuit

DALLAS, Dec. 14.—Hardin-Simmons university withdrew from the Texas conference at its annual meeting here today, leaving the league with eight members.

The withdrawal, first on the business shelf of the meeting, was accepted, and it was explained that Hardin-Simmons withdrew simply because it did not wish to continue in the conference.

Hardin-Simmons plans to seek bigger and better football games than in the past. The Cowboys boasted one of the best college teams in the country this season.

The conference voted that each member must play at least five conference championship games to win recognition. The conference also voted to criticize North Texas State Teachers college for inducing two players, Delmer and Elmer Brown, to quit ACC and enroll at NTSTC.

Vanderbilt Schedule Includes S. M. U. Game

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 14. (UP)—Vanderbilt university's 1936 football schedule, announced tonight by Ray Morrison, contains two early season inter-sectional games followed by five consecutive Southeastern conference engagements.

The card features, in addition to the traditional battles with Tennessee and Alabama, a game with Southern Methodist university famed "aerial circus" team formerly coached by Morrison.

The schedule:
Sept. 26—Middle Tennessee Teachers at Nashville.

Oct. 3—Chicago at Chicago.

Oct. 10—Southwestern at Memphis (tentative).

Oct. 17—S.M.U. at Dallas.

Oct. 24—Georgia Tech at Nashville.

Oct. 31—Louisiana State at Nashville.

Nov. 7—Sewanee at Nashville.

Nov. 14—Tennessee at Nashville.

Nov. 28—Alabama at Birmingham (Thanksgiving).



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Corpus Pulls Big Surprise

Rated As Weakest Team, Buc Upset Strong Port Arthur

DALLAS, Dec. 14.—Amarillo now ranks as the outstanding favorite in the state high school football race. The Sandies are defending champions.

Corpus Christi, rated as one of the weakest teams to enter the play-off, has provided the big surprise. The Buc kicked over the dope in noosing out Port Arthur last Friday. Port Arthur had the best offensive record of any team in the play-off.

Greenville staged a mild upset Saturday in ousting the Mexia Black Cats. Greenville got back in the race after Tyler withdrew because of ineligible player.

Wichita Falls and Greenville are rated about neck-and-neck. Corpus Christi is still not rated strong enough to enter the finals.

There are about 40 species of junipers.

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Sit down this evening and list the men you want to remember this Christmas. Then come in and let us help you to select the gifts that will be most appropriate. In the meanwhile, check over the suggested items, listed below, and remember that all of these may be had at various prices.

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- Lamb Knit Sweaters \$5.00
- Shirtcraft Shirts \$1.95 and \$2.25
- Westminster Hose 50c to \$1
- Luxury Silk Horner and Regatta Pajamas \$6.75
- Black Head Mocha Gloves \$3.50 and \$4
- Suede Jackets \$8.95
- Cheney Pure Silk Hand Made Ties \$1 to \$2.50
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C.I.A. Girls Coming Home For Christmas

DENTON, Dec. 15.—With the approach of the holiday season, seven Big Spring girls attending Texas State College for Women (C.I.A.) will join thousands of college students in the yearly trek homeward when classes close Dec. 21 in celebration of Christmas.

Occupations Class Members Meet For Christmas Party

Informal games and stunts featured the entertainment at a Christmas party held by the Diversified Occupations class of the high school. After the program, hot chocolate and cookies were served to the following:

Homemakers Class, East Fourth Baptist, Give Social At Pastors

The Homemakers class of the East Fourth street Baptist Sunday school held a Christmas party this week at the home of the pastor, the Rev. W. S. Garnett.

Two Hostesses Give Nice Christmas Party

Mrs. C. E. Chatten and Mrs. R. E. Thompson were hostesses at bridge at the former's home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Youngblood's Pupils In Recital

Mrs. Frances Youngblood will present her pupils in expression in a Christmas play and readings and songs Monday evening, Dec. 16, at 7:45 p. m.

Mrs. Vera Harris Entertains at Forsan

Mrs. Vera Harris entertained with bridge Thursday evening at her home in Forsan. The Christmas theme was carried out in decorations.

Services Churches Topics

CHURCH OF CHRIST Forrest R. Waldrop, Minister Main and Fourteenth Streets Lord's day services. Bible school 9:45 a. m.; sermon and communion 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Workmen Approved of God."

Mrs. Fisher Scores High At Friday Club

Members of the Friday bridge club were entertained with a bridge luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. Seth H. Parsons on Lancaster street.

Father Francis Named Pastor At Crystal Springs

Official news from the General of the Oblate Fathers-in-Rome has reached the fathers of the Big Spring district, concerning the appointment of a new provincial.

Priscilla Club Meets With Mrs. Deason

The Priscilla club met at the home of Mrs. E. L. Deason Friday afternoon for a jolly Christmas party. The house was beautifully decorated with a tree and wreaths.

Personally Speaking

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leaman of Chokio, Minn., who have been visiting the L. E. Eddy family here, are going to San Antonio to spend the remainder of the winter.

Carnival To Be Given At Church

Young peoples' organizations of the First Methodist church will sponsor a carnival to be given at the church on Wednesday night of this week, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Large Crowd At Ritz Toy Show

The Ritz theater toy benefit show, held Saturday morning beginning at 9:30 o'clock, was attended by a large number of Big Spring kiddies, who gained admission by presentation of a toy.

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Howard Co. Grove Elects Mrs. Luton As New 1936 Head

Mrs. J. R. Luton was elected guardian of the Howard county Grove of the Woodmen Circle at the meeting Thursday evening in the W. O. W. hall.

Entre Nous Players Meet At Home Of Mrs. Hethington

The Entre Nous bridge club was entertained by Mrs. D. A. Hethington Friday afternoon at her home in Forsan. When scores were tallied it was found that Mrs. Bud Smith led. She was presented with a pair of silhouettes.

HOSPITAL NOTES Big Spring Hospital

Mrs. B. R. Robinson of Coahoma, who has been admitted to the hospital, will undergo major surgery Sunday morning.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 501 N. GREEK T. H. Graalmann, Pastor

10 a. m.—Sunday school and Bible class. 11 a. m.—Morning service. The topic of the sermon will be "Behold, He Shall Come, the Purifier of His People."

CATHOLIC SERVICES Catholic services are held each Sunday at St. Thomas parish church in north Big Spring.

High mass and English sermon at 9:30 a. m. At 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and doctrinal lecture, all-English program.

FIRST METHODIST Alonzo Bickley, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Mr. A. Schnitzer, superintendent. 10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Anthem: "What Shall I Render Unto the Lord"—Choir; Sermon: "The Greatest Hunger"—Pastor.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL Morning prayer and sermon will be the order of service Sunday at 11 a. m. at St. Mary's Episcopal church. Jack B. Hodges, Jr. will be in charge due to the absence of the rector.

There will be no meeting of the Adult Bible class this Sunday. The church school will have its regular assembly at 9:45.

FIRST BAPTIST Rev. R. E. Day, Pastor

9:30 a. m. Sunday school, Geo. H. Gentry superintendent. 10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Anthem: "What Shall I Render Unto the Lord"—Choir; Sermon: "The Greatest Hunger"—Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Services are held Sunday in room 1 at the Settles hotel at 11 a. m.

Subject: "God the Preserver of Man." Golden Text: Psalms 121:8. The Lord Shall Preserve Thy Going Out and Thy Coming In From This Time Forth, and Even for Evermore.

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Liquor Vote Is Held Void

Midland Precinct Will Remain Dry Under An Official Ruling

MIDLAND, Dec. 14. Precinct No. 1 of Midland county was adjudged dry, in spite of the election last Saturday to place it in the wet column, the county commissioners court has ruled after a telephone conversation with Leon O. Moses, assistant attorney general of Texas.

Bids On Midland Gym Turned Down

MIDLAND, Dec. 14.—All bids for construction of a gymnasium for Midland Independent School District No. 1, opened at a meeting of the school board this week, with WPA representatives present, were rejected "because they were far above the available funds," it was announced by school officials.

The proposed building, for which approximately \$70,000 was available, was to have been constructed by means of a 45 per cent grant and a federal loan, with the school district paying approximately \$15,000 in cash. No bond issue had been voted for the project.

Air Maid Hose Settles Store CUNNINGHAM AND PHILLIPS

The UNITED THE CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE

Young peoples' organizations of the First Methodist church will sponsor a carnival to be given at the church on Wednesday night of this week, beginning at 7 o'clock.



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Last Of Will Rogers Pictures Features Program At The Ritz

In 'Old Kentucky' Is Hailed As One Of His Best

Will Rogers' last—and said by many to be his greatest picture—is the feature of the Ritz theater's program Sunday and Monday. The film, made last spring just before Rogers left with Wiley Post on the ill-fated Alaskan trip, is called "In Old Kentucky" and is a play of the old South in which Rogers appears in one of his typical home-spun roles.

Adapted from a play which long

NOW AT RITZ



The late Will Rogers as he appears in the last picture made before his death, "In Old Kentucky." He plays the part of a race horse trainer in a comedy romance of the early-day South. The picture is at the Ritz Sunday and Monday.

has been a favorite, "In Old Kentucky" is one that employs the blue-grass country and the race tracks as a background. The story revolves around horse loving people, their feuds, wrangles, romance and the drama of their lives.

In the picture, Rogers enacts a shrewd and genial trainer of horses, whose homely philosophy and keen wit sets right all the troubles of the impulsive people about him.

Russell Hardie and Dorothy Wilson play the romantic youngsters of "In Old Kentucky." She is the daughter of old Charles Selson who is feuding with Charles Richman. Although his daughter fights to win Hardie for herself, it is Rogers' shrewd aid that finally brings the boy to Miss Wilson.

Rogers' able assistant in the picture is Bill Robinson, the tap dancing genius, who teaches the com-

edian enough of his foot artistry to win a handsome widow, and thus provides one of the comedy punches of the picture.

Although "In Old Kentucky" is full of humor and drama in the feud situations and the wrangle with the crazy rain-maker, it reserves its great thrill for the pounding climax in which racing thoroughbreds pound down the stretch carrying romance and drama in their saddle.

Louise Henry, Alan Dinehart, Heather Dale and Etienne Girardot are the principal supporting players in "In Old Kentucky," which was directed by George Marshall. The picture was well received by a crowd at a Saturday night matinee. Part of the proceeds from this program was donated by the Ritz to the Rogers Memorial fund.

LYRIC Starting Sunday YOU'LL SALUTE!



Shirley TEMPLE and Lionel BARRYMORE

The LITTLE COLONEL

A B. C. DeSilva Production with EVELYN VENABLE JOHN LODGE and BILL ROBINSON Directed by David Butler Based on the story by Annie Fellows Johnston

PLUS: Paramount News, Mickey's Garden

RITZ

SUNDAY, MONDAY



HE KNEW HORSES AND WOMEN! Will ROGERS

He knew Greyboy could win the Derby if it would only rain... You'll never see a horse race as funny or as exciting as this one!

"IN OLD KENTUCKY"

with Dorothy WILSON Russell HARDIE Bill ROBINSON

A FOX PICTURE



PLUS: Metro News, Radio Rhapsody, "Monkey Love"

'NAVY WIFE'



Claire Trevor, who has the leading role in "Navy Wife," a romance with the Navy medical corps as the setting, playing at the Queen Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Ralph Bellamy has the role opposite Miss Trevor.

'Navy Wife' Is Featured At Queen Today

Claire Trevor, Ralph Bellamy Have Leading Roles In Romance

A love story set in a background new to the motion pictures—the medical and nursing corps of the United States navy—comes to the Queen theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. It is called "Navy Wife," and presents Claire Trevor, and Ralph Bellamy in the featured roles.

Other players in the film are Warren Hymer, Ben Lyon and Jane Darwell. The picture was adapted from the Kathleen Norris novel, "Beauty's Daughter."

Miss Trevor enacts the role of a nurse in the navy medical corps who is embittered against marriage by the failure of the marriage of her divorced parents. Despite the resolve never to fall in love, she loses her heart to Ralph Bellamy, a young Navy doctor.

Bellamy, still in love with his dead wife, proposes to Miss Trevor, telling her frankly that he admires her and believes she will make a good mother for his crippled daughter. She accepts his extraordinary proposal in the belief that such honesty will be conducive to a successful marriage.

She learns, however, that such things do not always work out happily. There is the memory of a dead wife, and also the appearance of "another woman," to add to the problem.

How these difficulties are overcome make for a surprise climax and a happy ending to the story.

Better Trade Profits Seen

Showing May Be The Best Since 1930, Govt. Survey Shows

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14. (UP)—Business profits during the last three months of 1935 probably will be higher than for any fourth quarter since 1930, the commerce department said today in its weekly survey.

Industrial activity has shown continued resistance to the slackening usually in evidence near the close of the year, it was stated. Retail sales indicate the start of a satisfactory Christmas holiday business, the report said.

Usually earnings of industrial and railroad corporations decline during the final quarter while public utility earnings increase. The two former groups are expected to report increased earnings after seasonal adjustment, but the public utility companies probably will continue to find it difficult to carry increased gross revenues into the profit column, it was said.

The railroads have net reported a profit for the final quarter of the year, after seasonal adjustment, since 1930.

DANCE at NICK'S PLACE East of Airport

QUEEN STARTING SUNDAY

TWO RIVALS... ONE LIVING... ONE DEAD...

Based on the novel by KATHLEEN NORRIS

NAVY WIFE

with CLAIRE TREVOR Ralph BELLAMY Ben LYON Jane DARWELL

PLUS: Pathe News, "Great American Pie Co." "Night Before Christmas"

SHIRLEY TEMPLE PICTURE IN RETURN SHOWING AT LYRIC

Popular Star Appears With Lionel Barrymore In 'The Little Colonel'

That little miss who tops all the Hollywood stars as a boxoffice attraction, Shirley Temple, returns to delight her fans in the picture called "The Little Colonel," which is offered at the Lyric for three days beginning Sunday.

Shirley co-stars with Lionel Barrymore in this popular story of Southern prejudices, adapted from Annie Fellows Johnston's series of "Little Colonel" stories which were the favorite reading of millions of a generation back, and whose appeal is perennial.

"The Little Colonel" is the story of a Kentucky belle who marries a Yankee, against her father's wishes, and is promptly disowned by the proud old aristocrat, who is still living in the days of the Civil War. Barrymore is the obdurate Southern aristocrat. Shirley plays the come along whose dancing feet, smiling eyes, and honey-colored curls make a withering attack on the heart of the stern rebel.

In keeping with the importance of this picture, Technicolor graces part of this production. The real Shirley as she really looks is seen for the first time by her following of movie fans.

Attention is being called everywhere to Shirley's dancing with Bill Robinson in his original staid dance, elaborately staged in one sequence of the picture.

Supporting the co-stars are such personalities as Evelyn Venable, John Lodge, Sidney Blackmer, Alton Chase, William Burrens and others.

White Manx Cat Exhibited

TOLEDO, Ohio (UP)—A white Manx kitten, said to be the only known one in the United States, was exhibited at a show here. Its owner, Fred Coste, has won prizes both with the kitten and an older Manx cat. Manx cats are a breed having only rudimentary tails.

Iowa Turtles Shipped East

SPENCER, Ia. (UP)—When New Yorkers and Philadelphians order turtle soup, they more than likely will be served with an Iowa product. Hundreds of pounds of snapping turtle, caught in streams and lakes near here, are shipped to eastern cities annually.

WITH SHIRLEY



Lionel Barrymore plays a secondary role in "The Little Colonel," featured at the Lyric today, Monday and Tuesday, because the star of the picture is no less a personage than Shirley Temple.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Marriage License

Arvin Hart and Miss Dorie Montgomery.

In the 70th District Court

Less Stewart vs. Hartford Accident & Indemnity company, suit set aside award.
J. D. Coker vs. Mershel Coker, suit for divorce.

New Cars

Elton Taylor, Ford tudor.
R. A. Carr, Lamesa, Plymouth sedan.
Mrs. Marjory Scheyer, Ford tudor.
R. G. Davis, Chrysler sedan.
Arnold Kirk, Gorman, Packard sedan.
Mrs. S. P. Echols, Ford sedan.

Cotton Closes Off For Week

Grain Continues Strong, And Stocks Generally Are Firm

Cotton turned in another of its drooping performances Saturday as white wheat and stocks held firm to bring to a close a rather bad week for the markets.

During the week cotton ranged down 39-35 point; despite a government report of decreased yield. Stocks, while generally off, showed no sharp declines.

What was the exception for the week. After easing off steadily the grain jumped the limit Friday past the dollar mark and held all but a half cent of it on Saturday trading. An acute situation in the world wheat supply accounted for the rise.

Cotton's uneasy position was attributed to the consideration of the control program's constitutionality by the supreme court. Also reports that the government might unload 3,000,000 bales failed to add stability to the market.

Reports that the administration had ceased its silver buying had an adverse effect on the markets the forepart of the week. Secretary Morgenthau's statement that the U. S. had bought silver every day served to reassure.

Volume on the Saturday trading amounted to 670,000 shares, the lightest Saturday in several weeks.

The Polynesian word "kanaka" (literally "man") is used by the Polynesians to describe themselves.

Plan To Enforce Liquor Stock Tax

AUSTIN, Dec. 14. (UP)—Notice that the Texas liquor control board was ready to "crack down" on liquor dealers failing to pay tax on stocks on hand Nov. 15, when the law became effective, was issued here today.

The liquor control act gives until midnight Dec. 15 to return inventories and tax payments on such stocks, the board announced. Numerous dispensers have not made a report, they added. A staff of 25 inspectors is now in training to take assignments in various Texas cities. Their first job will be to check liquor stocks, the board said.

GRANTS PASS, Ore. (UP)—P. A. Rocklage was driving on the Pacific Highway when a jackrabbit jumped through the windshield of his car. When Rocklage had stopped the car and recovered from shock, the rabbit was sitting beside him, equally surprised and dazed.

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