

Slaton Man Convicted In Physician's Death

Thousands Greeted By Santa

2,000 Kiddies Attracted To City's Party

Approximately 2,000 boys and girls of Big Spring and vicinity received sacks of candy from Santa Claus Thursday evening as 2,000 adults looked on a scene of color and intense activity at Big Spring's second annual Christmas shopping season opening and window unveiling.

TEXAS STEER IS GRAND CHAMPION



"Texas Special," a Hereford steer owned by C. M. Largent and sons of Merkel, Tex., was adjudged grand champion steer at the International Livestock show in Chicago. William J. Largent is standing with the prize 1200-pound steer. (Associated Press Photo)

Post Office In Danger Of Lower Rating

Postal receipts here, unabled for \$4,279.04 in October to \$3,578.37 for November. With November receipts before him, Postmaster H. L. Bohannon announced Thursday that the Big Spring post office would be forced to register \$4,500 business during December to retain No. 1 rating.

Airways Official



TOM HARDIN

Tom Hardin, one of the best known air pilots and executives of the South and Southwest, has been made assistant general operations manager of American Airways with jurisdiction over the local line, as well as all southern and western lines of the company.

NOBLE OIL COMPANY'S TEST IN EDWARDS POOL BECOMES 5th STRIKE IN MOST ACTIVE AREA

Pay Topped At 2,110 Ft.; 1,600 Feet Of Oil In Hole

The Edwards pool's record of no failures was maintained when Noble Oil company's No. 1 T. Baker, 1111 feet from the east and 180 feet from the north lines of section 21, block 33, township 2 south, Texas and Pacific survey, Glasscock county, topped pay at 2,110 feet at 2,150 feet and 1,600 feet of oil in the hole.

Coal Dealer Is Given Two Years In Pen

Doctor Shot Because Of Death Of Convicted Man's Son

LUBBOCK (AP)—A. L. Tudor, Slaton grain and coal dealer, was found guilty of slaying Dr. B. H. Adams of Slaton by a jury in 91st district court here Friday. He was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Railroads' 'Umpire'



Harry G. Taylor of Washington, D. C., former Nebraska newspaper publisher, has been chosen as commissioner of western railroads to act as an umpire in inter-railroad disputes regarding freight rates and traffic schedules. (Associated Press Photo)

War Declared On Rackets By Labor Forces

Wool Says Criminals More And More Seeking To Gain Control

CINCINNATI, Ohio. (AP)—The American Federation of Labor Thursday instructed its executive council to fight to keep racketeers out of organized labor.

Free Show At The R-R Ritz

Ten Thousand Votes To Be Given In Merchants' Contest

Merchants' free show will be given at the R & R Ritz theater Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for young folks 10 to 21 years of age, according to announcement of Friday.

Attorney Of Cosden Buried

Ika A. Wynn Fatally Stricken On Downtown Street In Ft. Worth

Funeral services for Ika A. Wynn, 56, general counsel for the Cosden Oil company, were to be held in Fort Worth Friday.

Ector County Test Strikes Stronger Pay

Harrison's Addis Wildcat Gauges 105 Barrels At 3,200 In 24 Hours

L. C. Harrison and others' No. 1 F. V. Addis estate, southeastern Ector county wildcat, indicated the opening of a new pool, gauging 105 barrels of oil in 24 hours ending Wednesday morning, having obtained a slight increase in drilling from 3,855 to 3,950 feet in line.

Widow Empowered To Seek Damages For Mate's Death

Mrs. Eula Pond, wife of the late J. E. Pond, was Friday appointed temporary executrix of the estate of her husband. Bond was set at \$4,000. Mr. Pond was fatally injured while working in the Texas & Pacific shops here.

Army Captain Lands Here In Low-Wing Twin Motor Plane

Captain Grisham of the army air corps landed at the Big Spring airport Friday morning in a new type low-wing twin motor observation ship, fitted with retractable landing gear and powered with Prestone Conqueror motors with total of 1,000 horsepower.

Cosden-E. Fourth Cagers Play Tonight

Cosden Oil company's basketball team will meet the East Fourth Street Baptists this evening at the high school.

Large Ritz Crowd Hears 11 Flashes

One of the largest crowds the theatre has attracted in many months Thursday evening cheered Miss Shelton's Eleven Flashes of Music at the Ritz.

Scouts Of Big Spring Possess Record Of Unusual Efficiency

But Troop No. 1 of the Boy Scouts had set that Saturday as the day when it would do Big Spring's good turn by cleaning the downtown streets of trash and rocks.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS: The National Whirligig

Written by a group of the best informed newspapermen of Washington and New York. Opinions expressed are those of the writers and should not be interpreted as reflecting the editorial policy of this newspaper.

REPEAL

Rural Congressmen are quaking with prohibition argue. That was what was behind all the phleging over the Garner move for straightout repeal.

Westhyde Test In Borden Hits Water

Preparations were being made Friday to plug and abandon Westhyde Investment company's No. 1 Leoney wildcat test in southwestern Borden county following the striking of a hole full of salt water at 3,555 feet Wednesday night.

Fireworks Sale To Be Legal To Dec. 27

Due to the uncertainty of the proper publication of a city ordinance prohibiting the sale of fireworks within the five limits of Big Spring, it will have to be republished and will not be effective until December 27, city officials declared Friday.

Commission May Again Cut State Oil Allowable

AUSTIN. (AP)—The railroad commission may act next week to reduce the aggregate allowable of \$49,625 barrels daily fixed for Texas oil fields.

Brownsville Banker Found Guilty By Jury

HOUSTON, UP—A federal court jury Friday convicted John Gregg, president of the defunct Merchant National bank, Brownsville, on 12 counts in an indictment charging widespread violation of the national banking laws. Judge Wilson said sentenced would be passed Saturday.

Talks By Barron And Watson Feature Brotherhood Session

Business And Professional Men Guests At Meeting Of B. Of L. F. And E. And Ladies' Society

Another of a series of open meetings, inaugurated last spring, Wednesday evening proved both real and entertaining to a large body of members of the local lodge of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen and Engineers, members of its Ladies' Society, and more than a score of invited guests from "rank" business and professional ranks of the city.

Venison Fed At Lions Luncheon

Lions club members and their women guests Friday were given proof that Dr. and Mrs. W. Malone brought home venison from their two deer excursions. Dr. and Mrs. Malone furnished the meat for luncheon.

MARKETS (Quotations by Wells and Stanton, Room 8, First National Bank building, Telephone 105.)

Table with columns for various commodities like New York Cotton, New Orleans Cotton, Chicago Grain Close, and New York Stock Close, listing prices and changes.

The Weather

Table providing weather forecasts for Big Spring and vicinity, including temperature, cloudiness, and wind directions for various times of the day.

Advertisement for 'Merry Christmas' featuring a Santa Claus illustration and text: 'Shop Early and Buy Christmas Seals', '19 Shopping Days 'til Christmas'.

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That Radical Problem, Again: Action of city officials at Lorain, O. in breaking up a Socialist mass meeting by a group of Oberlin college students in the lead of the presidential campaign is interesting solely because it shows how utterly silly a group of city officials can be when they set their mind to it.

The chief crime of the students seems to have been the fact that they read certain excerpts from federal and state constitutions. But even if they had torn their hair and demanded the burning of the national capitol, the Lorain police

would have been well advised to let them strictly alone. For in any affair of this kind, the big thing to remember is that an attempt at suppression only serves as a sounding board. No one outside of Lorain, and few people in Lorain, would have heard of this meeting if the police had had business elsewhere at the time. Because of what they did, the police made the collegiate radicals front-page news all over the country.

Christmas wedding bells are ringing rather early. Last week J. L. Davidson and Miss Jennie Lou Curtis of Big Spring and C. O. Cross and Miss Boxie Day were married.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brigance and daughter, Fern, spent Sunday with J. F. Brigance of Knott.

On account of sickness Rev. Reeve was unable to fill his appointment last Sunday, but Mr. Logan of Coahoma came over and made a very interesting talk at the close of Sunday school.

Mr. Logan is a lay member of the church and his message was not only a help but an inspiration to all present.

Friendship Bridge Club Holds Meeting: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Souder entertained the members of the Friendship Bridge Club Wednesday evening.

High for the women went to Mrs. Grimes and for the men to Mr. Leslie, and for the guests to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Souder. All received lovely prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Souder, Miss Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. Baker were the guests. Delicious refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mrs. D. Cook, G. S. Grimes, L. T. Leslie, G. S. Harvell, L. E. Maddux. The Harvels will entertain next.

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Unusual Dishes Help To Cut Food Budget For The Family

BY JOSEPHINE GIBSON: Obtaining variety in luncheon and supper dishes is often a real problem. It is much easier to serve chops or steak than it is to plan menus including more unusual dishes.

The cut-of-the-ordinary dish for luncheon or supper is likely to be less expensive and is certain to be greeted enthusiastically by a hungry family but it sometimes is difficult to plan. The following practical, savory dishes will be real treats. They also will help cut the food budget and will bring new flavor and new interest to your meals.

INDIAN CORN—Cook 1 medium onion, chopped fine, and one-half green pepper, chopped fine, in frying pan with 2 tablespoons butter for five minutes. Add 1 lb. ground beef, and allow to brown well, stirring frequently. Add 1 No. 2 can whole kernel corn (2 cups), 1 medium can cream of tomato soup (2 cups), 1 teaspoon sugar and 1 teaspoon salt. Simmer for about twenty minutes, stir in 2 tablespoons flour blended with 2 tablespoons cold water, cook for few minutes and serve. Toast points or triangles are an attractive garnish.

HOT DEVILED EGGS—Put together in a pan and heat, 3 level tablespoons butter, 1 1/2 teaspoons prepared mustard, 3 tablespoons tomato ketchup, 1 1/2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, dash of pepper or paprika, and 3/4 teaspoon salt. Bring to the boiling point and add 6 hard cooked eggs cut in slices. Heat, and serve on hot buttered toast.

SPAGHETTI LOAF—Pour 1 1/2 cups scalding milk over 1 cup soft bread crumbs. Add 1/4 cup melted butter, 1 chopped pimiento, 1 tablespoon onion, 1 1/2 cups grated American cheese, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 3/8 teaspoon salt, and dash of paprika. Then add 3 well beaten eggs. Put 2 cups soaked spaghetti in a greased casserole and pour milk and cheese mixture over it. Bake about 50 minutes in moderate oven of 350 degrees F. until firm.

HOT OPEN BEAN SANDWICH WITH SLICED BEEF—Break contents of 1 small jar dried beef into small pieces and brown in frying pan with 1 tablespoon butter. After a few minutes, add 1 medium can Oven-Baked Beans, 2 tablespoons tomato ketchup, and 1 teaspoon sugar and allow to heat thoroughly. Serve on slices of golden brown toast. A slice of genuine dill pickle is a suitable accompaniment to this dish. Serves 6.

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Petroleum Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Cal Boykin

Mrs. Calvin Boykin entertained the members of the Petroleum Bridge Club with a lovely three-course luncheon Thursday.

The table was spread in the lounge which was decorated with Christmas greens and red candles and treated a very festive air.

Mrs. Hurley made the highest score and received a china kitchen set. Mrs. Hardy cut for high and was given two silhouettes pictures. Mrs. Nichols was favored with a doll whiskbroom for visitor's high.

The members attending were: Misses Monroe Johnson, H. S. Faw, Frank Hamblin, L. A. Talley, W. D. McDonald, W. B. Hardy, P. H. Liberty, B. L. Le Pevre, Mitchell J. Groves, H. B. Hurley and Miss Lynn Jones.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Talley. The members will exchange gifts.

PETROLIA MAN KILLED: PETROLIA—M. P. Haney, 24, who resided here with his parents and three brothers, was killed in an automobile crash yesterday when his automobile left the highway and overturned.

Lloyd Overstreet, a companion, was slightly injured. Investigators found the door on the driver's side of the machine opened and the body of the dead man was hanging out of the automobile when it came to a halt. Funeral plans are incomplete.

Moulton Cobb In Race For Seat Of Garner In House: MISSION (UP)—Moulton Cobb, newly announced Democratic candidate to succeed John N. Garner in Congress from the 45th Texas district, said he would open his campaign in Uvalde Dec. 10.

"I have never been to Uvalde," Cobb explained, "and I will get a great big kick out of visiting the home town of the new vice-president of the United States."

Cobb is editor of the Mission Enterprise. His campaign managers are Dr. Moulton Smith and Miss Ruth Urban, Mission. He has at least a score of opponents for Garner's seat.

Cobb formally announced his candidacy Monday. His announcement said decision to seek the office came after two weeks of consideration. He is a close friend of Gordon Griffin, McAllen attorney, who earlier had announced his candidacy for the congressional post. Each supported the victorious Good Government party in Hidalgo county affairs during the past campaign as well as state and national Democratic tickets.

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11 GORGEOUS GIRL ENTERTAINERS 11

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East LUBITSCH'S TROUBLE IN PARADISE

Miss Kyle Hostess For Pretty Party

P.T.A. Puts On Big Bridge Benefit Party

Mrs. Frank Hamblin Hostess To Twelve Tables Of Players

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Auxiliary To Hold Orphan's Box Open Till First Of Week The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church packed its boxes today at the church for the Orphan's Home at Itasca and the Indian orphanage at Woodland, Ok. The Auxiliary decided to hold

CARRIES ALL-BRAN ON EVERY VOYAGE Seaman Finds This Delicious Cereal Relieves Constipation Here is an unsolicited letter from Mr. Darragh: "I have been going to sea for the past fourteen years. Every trip, I underwent severe headaches, nervousness, and sleeplessness. Tried all sorts of remedies, and received only temporary relief. "So hearing about Kellogg's ALL-BRAN thought I would get a box, which I did. That was six months ago; haven't been without it at home, and when I go to sea a box of Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is always with me."—George D. Darragh, 1914 32nd Avenue, Oakland, California. Tests show ALL-BRAN contains two things for common constipation: "Bulk" to exercise the intestines; vitamin B to help tone the intestinal tract. ALL-BRAN also supplies iron for the blood. The "bulk" in ALL-BRAN is much like that of lettuce. Inside the body, it forms a soft mass, which gently clears the intestines of wastes. How much pleasanter this is than taking pills and drugs—so often harmful. Two tablespoonfuls of ALL-BRAN daily will correct most types of constipation. If not relieved this way, see your doctor. Serve as a cereal or use in cooking. Get the red-and-green package at your grocer's. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek.

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**GIA's Elect Mrs. Davis**

**Mrs. Wiesen Made Insurance Secretary For Next Annual Term**

The G.I.A.'s met at the Woodman Hall Thursday afternoon for the election of officers.

The following were elected: Insurance secretary, Mrs. Max Wiesen; president, Mrs. M. D. Davis;

vice president, Mrs. Lamar Smith; chaplain, Mrs. Chas. Koberg; guide, Mrs. W. C. Bird; sentinel, Mrs. Charles Redwine; treasurer, Mrs. A. F. Weeg; secretary, Mrs. Charles Vines; delegate, Mrs. A. B. Wade; alternate, Mrs. Wiesen.

The installation ceremonies will be held at the next meeting.

All newly elected officers were present. In addition Mrs. R. Schwarzenbach and Mrs. Zack Mullins were present.

**Young People Of First Methodist Church Are Entertained Royally**

Misses Melva Lynn and Emma Jo Graves entertained the young people of the First Methodist church with a 42 party Thursday evening at their home at 1601 Gregg street.

After the games, salad, cake and cocoa were served to the following: Misses Ellen Scott, Myrtle Jones, Ruby Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Evon Fridge, Messrs. Lonnie Rhodes, Russell Crance, Wayne Campbell, J. D. McKewen, Walter Bell, Bob Cochran, Harold Bane.

**B. A. Ratchford To Continue Pastorate**

The Church of God announced that the Rev. B. A. Ratchford has been installed as pastor for the coming year and will continue the regular services of the church. Sunday School will be held at 10 o'clock and Sunday night services will be at 7:30 with the Wednesday prayer meeting at the same hour.

The Y. P. E. meeting will be discontinued until after Christmas while practicing on the Christmas program which will be announced later. A cordial invitation is extended the public to visit the church.

**Philathea Class Has All Day Meet**

The Philathea Class of the First Methodist Church held its monthly business meeting and luncheon at 10 a. m. in the church parlors Thursday. Mrs. R. D. McMillan gave the devotional, "The 146th Psalm followed by the song, "This So Sweet to Trust in Jesus", and prayer by Mrs. A. Schnitzer.

Business opened with the reading of the minutes which were approved. The treasurer reported a bank balance of \$7.92 and flower bill of \$9.05 paid.

The nominating committee reported and Mrs. Strifling, the chairman, announced the following nominations:

President, Mrs. W. H. Remele; Vice-president, Mrs. C. S. Diltz; Secretary, Mrs. Wayne Parrish; Treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Smith; Teacher, Mrs. C. T. Watson; Assistant Teacher, Mrs. A. Schnitzer; Pianist, Mrs. J. H. Kirkpatrick. The above were elected by regular vote.

The Group Major reported as follows: An average of 40 members present, 104 visits, 89 telephone calls. The visiting committee reported 63 visits.

A Christmas party was planned for Tuesday night, December 13, at 7:30 in the church parlor and the following committees appointed: Entertaining committee: Mrs. Hays Strifling, chairman and Mrs. Satterwhite; Decorating committee: Mrs. Clyde Waits Jr., chairman; Mrs. M. Wentz, Mrs. I. H. Hamlett, Mrs. Hugh Duncan, Mrs. E. L. Danner; Serving committee, Mrs. Jack Nall, chairman, and Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. L. A. Talley, Mrs. L. M. Pyeatt and Mrs. Collings volunteered for the visiting committee for the month.

Mrs. G. R. Porter, Mrs. R. D. Carpenter, Mrs. Jake Bishop, and Mrs. R. J. Barton were reported sick.

Business adjourned and the class enjoyed a delicious luncheon served by Mrs. Bollinger and her group.

The following members were present: Misses M. F. Turner, Smith, Garringer, Peters, L. E. Maddox, Cecil West, O. M. Waters, Satterwhite, G. L. James, A. E. Edens, C. S. Diltz, L. M. Pyeatt, Hugh Duncan, M. Wentz, J. B. Walton, R.

**Jan Isabelle Fortune's Play Produced At Dallas Little Theatre**

Jan Isabelle Fortune, well known Texas author and sister of Mrs. W. A. Stall, of this city, has been recently honored by having been the first Texas writer to have her play produced by the Little Theater of Dallas.

The play made its premier showing Wednesday evening before a large and enthusiastic audience. The author was given repeated stage calls. Mrs. Stall was given an urgent invitation to attend the first night but could not go.

The story is laid on the Texas border and is a farce in which Mexicans and Americans partake with much liveliness. The Dallas News reviews the play in John Rosenfield's sprightly manner.

**Talleguah Members Assemble At Hotel**

Mrs. J. B. Young entertained the members of the Talleguah Bridge Club at the Settles Hotel with a very enjoyable luncheon and bridge Thursday.

Mrs. Ellington made high score and Mrs. Rush second high.

The members attending were: Misses V. Van Gieson, E. O. Ellington, E. J. Mary, J. L. Rush, R. W. Henry, Victor Martin and Emil Fahrnkamp.

**Mickey Mouse Notes**

Minnie Mouse is looking forward to an all-boy stage show Saturday. With the exception of Chief Minnie all officers will be boys.

The program will be: "Frankie and Johnny" by Billie Welch; harmonica duet, medley of favorites, by Randal Lavelle and George Cross; reading, "Contents of a Boy's Pocket," by Frank Glenn Sholte; "Cabin in the Cotton" by James Underwood; "Topsy Turvy" by chorus of boys; "Jingle Bells" by rhythm band.

Rae and Nora Jean Taylor returned to the Rhythm band this week after two months' absence, due to illness.

Don Ann Hayward is official director of the M. M. C. Rhythm Band.

**Mrs. G. D. Guilkey Entertains Club**

Mrs. Glenn D. Guilkey entertained the members of the Ace High Bridge Club with a pretty Christmas party at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. McClanahan made high for club members and was favored with a vanity. Mrs. Hodges made high for guests and was given a

D. McMillan, Clyde Waits Jr., A. Schnitzer, Jack Nall, Cecil Collings, H. V. Crocker, C. T. Watson, Hays Strifling, F. L. Danner, J. E. Fridge, E. H. Hamlett, and Herbert Keaton. Mrs. Bullock and Mrs. Sowder were visitors.

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**Shell Petroleum Employees Put On 40-Hour Work Week**

ST. LOUIS, (UP)—Office and refinery staffs of the Shell Petroleum Corporation in 25 middlewestern states were placed on a 40-hour-per-week basis. About 6,500 employees will be affected.

No reduction in wages accompany this reduction in hours, R. G. A. VanDer Woude, president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and Standard of Indiana never met.

The change affects employees in St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Indianapolis, Tulsa, Houston, Dallas and New Orleans and in refineries located at Wood River, Arkansas City, New Orleans, Houston and East Chicago.

**Wife Of South Texas Capitalist Is Buried**

CORPUS CHRISTI, (UP)—Mrs. W. W. Jones, 73, wife of W. W. Jones, widely known South Texas capitalist, will be buried here Saturday.

Mrs. Jones died at her home here. Like her husband, she was well known in South Texas and throughout the state. Her husband is owner of one of the most extensive land holdings in Texas, the Jones ranch of Jim Hogg and Brooks counties.

Before her marriage 52 years ago Mrs. Jones was Miss Louella Marsden of Beville, Texas. She is survived by her husband, three daughters and a son.

Mrs. Homer Robinson is recovering from an attack of flu.

**Purl Refuses To Attend Banquet With Jim And Ma**

DALLAS (UP)—Senator George C. Purl of Dallas declined an invitation to attend a chamber of commerce dinner here Dec. 6 honoring Governor-Elect Miriam A. Ferguson and her husband.

"It is known by all that I do not approve the Ferguson's public record and I do not care to give that approval to my record that would be implied by my presence on such an occasion," Senator Purl said in a letter to Arthur L. Kramer, chamber president.

"I do not think it anything short of an indignity to ask these gentlemen referring to the members of the state highway commission) to participate in a banquet that will be addressed by a man who less than four months ago was publicly attacking their official integrity and who is even now by injunction proceeding intimating they have been guilty of squandering public funds."

**Babe Herman Now Property Of Cubs**

CHICAGO, (UP)—Floyd Caves (Babe) Herman, eccentric and hard hitting outfielder, became the property of the Chicago Cubs in the first step toward bolstering the 1932 National League champions.

For Herman the Cubs gave the Cincinnati Reds outfielders Johnny Moore and Lance Richbourg, Pitcher Bob Smith, Catcher Rollie Hensley, and a "bale of cash" as President William Veck termed the financial part of the transaction.

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**Some Companies Go Back To Lower Price For Crude Petroleum**

TULSA (UP)—Several Mid-Continent Oil companies reverted back to the former crude price schedule of from 76 to \$1 a barrel. The latest company to announce the 10 cent a barrel reduction was Deep Rock Corporation. The largest independent leaders, however, maintained the higher price which the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and Standard of Indiana never met.

**Kidnapers Of Girl Given Opportunity To File Ransom Demand**

RENSSELAER, Ind. (UP)—Authorities suspended their investigation to give the kidnapers of 4-year-old Patricia, Pearl Tripp an opportunity for presenting ransom demands which were expected during the day.

Why he appeared to be so certain that the abductors would attempt a contact, Sheriff Tone Kanne would not say, although he admitted having made progress toward establishing the kidnapers' identities.

**Humble Hopes To Bring 100 Per Cent Of Crude**

The Humble Oil and Refining company announced Friday afternoon it "hoped" to be able soon to resume buying 100 per cent of the crude oil from leases with which it operates in Texas fields.

The announcement, made after the board of directors discussed

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the situation, said it was "hoped" the company will be able to resume its 100 per cent purchases, and that the matter depended on what action is taken in a meeting of pipe line company executives in Dallas Dec. 3 to discuss takings of allocated crude.

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