

By United Press FORT WORTH, Dec. 18 .- Two uspects were held today for questioning in the believed slaying of

a man whose skeleton was found

Saturday and the second yesterday. Police said they saw a third man and expected him to surren-

The first suspect was arrested

Charges probably will be fil-

d today to prevent release of the

en by habeas corpus proceedings,

Results of the questioning was

The three men allegedly were

The skeleton was identified by

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here this morning in their red and

It was assumed the couple plan-

flight to New York today, but they

were secretive as usual about their

The STORY of

black monoplane.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 18 .- Speed-

**Toward Home** 

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**Two Reprieves Are** 

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GREEN BAY, Wis., Dec. 18.

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of Mr. Fergu- Taxpayers set up a huge cry for land, Ranger and Cisco, and voters of Mr. Fergu-tics the Amer-been opposed two years ago, reminds Author W. litics the Amer-C. Murphy. The cry brought reduc-tions in the salaries of county of-Since the recent meeting of the salaries of county of-The editorial as C. Murphy. The cry brought reduc- locally. ritten because ide, but in the

n of the day delinquent taxes. nendable and unselfishness.

nor condemns, The crux of the matter lies ing to information from officers events of now, e democratic

The crux of the matter lies much deeper than that, declared Murphy who listed six conditions elections to be held simultaneouser sponsoring BOWS OUT as largely responsible for hit-or-miss, antiquated methods of coun-

in Texas, y administration: iter, have to 1. Lack of a directing head for such as the the system. Under the present setough a confus- up, each county official is largely

ets. The per-his own boss. 2. The stat 2. The state's supervision over een growth there important financial functions performed by the county is so slight

broader outlook. nsibilities cast as to be of little assistance. Bonds life's stage an are issued and the state makes no grotesque or inquiry into the financia condi-

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mbast of Mur- functions as opposed to state funcd the governor- tions. 4. The legislature attempts to

of the Fergu- direct the whole system of county ir friends, join government through the enactsix million Tex- ment of laws rather than by setthe three radi- ting up certain regulatory agents, governments trained for that particular work. ed States that 5. In some sections of the state three men sentenced to die by purchases of the RFC, Jones said, report, but it was known that he as been the one ough the best."

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gineers, contractors and just plain said.

or Eastland voted dry, beer would asts who feared the road program ily formed his own policies." A. P. Dooley, assistant state be legalized within the city limits was threatened through plans to ment for it, he points to a mass of in either of the towns voting wet, en the people to Texas' motoring Texas Chamber of Commerce met while Ranger would remain dry. needs, opposing the use of road here today to discuss, among other the Christmas tree committee to

University of Texas' bureau of regardless of the outcome of the fuel bootleggers and campaigning ern part of the state. for large federal highway appro-priations Manager Ashburn ex-No elections will be held in Carplained.

State Senator Clint C. Small troduced, President Walter Cline recently styled it "the greatest said. The committe was expected single independent factor in the to urge carrying out of the highcommissioners court, as did East- state to secure legislation for im- way program in West Texas coun-

highways. Comptroller ties. proved

ficials and plans for collection of grand jury, at which time the op- while Highway commissioners Ely erators of beer parlors were in- and Martin gave it "more credit Grayson County formed that it was still illegal to than any other source" for the scratched the surface of the prob- sell beer, no beer has been sold in state's large federal appropria-



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call such an election because the WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 .- The Ivan Cahoon May three towns had petitioned the FRC has authorized \$540,000,000 court to do so, the petitions con- for freeing of frozen deposits in taining the legal number of sign- closed banks under its \$1.000,000,-000 bank asset liquidation plan,

Jesse Jones said today. At the same time he revealed Ivan Cahoon, former Green Bay the RFC had authorized purchase Packer and Gonzaga university

Granted to Doomed total unrestricted banking institu- the University of Texas, it was tions numbering 14,500.

learned today. AUSTIN, Dec. 18 .- Two of The preferred stock and note

rough the best." too poor in resources to provide were granted 30-day reprieves to-the services that a county should day by Governor Ferguson. The third Terms and the services that a county should day by Governor Ferguson. The third Terms and the services that a county should day by Governor Ferguson. The third Terms and the services that a county should day by Governor Ferguson. The third, Tom Cook, convicted Jones said that he expected to

fingers and warm hearts, that "Westbrook has kept the public have fixed the toys for the com-The Association was launched in the dark about the way funds munity Christmas tree for ting candies, nuts, and fruit in the cellophane sacks to be given with the toys.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18 .- The The pretty sacks came from the Ed Sparr, fireman, has promised

**Bicknell Young** 

on the courthouse lawn to be ready PASSAIC, N. J., Dec. 18 .- In- 28, filling station employe, who vestigation today revealed a disappeared in August, 1932. public works probably will be in- evening, Dec. 22, about 6 o'clock.

youth's struggle against poverty which finally led him to kill his ailing mother and himself because he balieved it "the best thing to Lindberghs Speed To Lecture On

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**YOUTH KILLS** 

MOTHER

Christian Science George Dolak, '23, was one of seven chldren. He was the chief support of his family, but had

The First Church of Christ, been unable to find work for sev-Scientist, of Eastland, extends an eral months. There was no food or invitation to the public to attend money in the house yesterday and their young son, John, Col. and the free public lecture on Christian his mother was suffering from Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh left Farmer Is Slain Science to be given in the Connel- asthma.

lee theatre, Eastland, Tuesday eve-The youth arranged for his By United Press ning at 8 o'clock, by a noted lec-SHERMAN, Texas, Dec. 18.— turer, member of the board of lec-bouse, then as his mother, 64, sat ned to make the final 1,400-mile John Stribling, 55, prominent tureship of the Mother Church, at the kitchen table reading a Bi-Grayson county farmer and land- First Church of Christ, Scientist, ble he fired a shot into her head., owner whose body was found un- Boston, Mass., Mr. Bicknell Young, Dolak turned the gun on himself, plans and destination.

but the shot was not immediately fatal. At a hospital he told police "mother was in misery and Family of Abilene we had nothing to eat so I thought **Couple Is Paired** this was the best thing to do.'

By United Press Winter Comes to ABILENE, Tex .- A majority of the family of 11 children of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams of Abilene Texas Today are 'paired off," figuratively

speaking. By United Press A third set of twins in 13 years Winter came back to Texas towas born to the Adamses recently. They were named Roy and Troy, day with snow in West Texas and

six pounds and four and one-half. probable freezing weather for Fort Worth and vicinity predicted. pounds respectively. Reports recorded a moderate The precedent was established snow at Abilene, with the temper-13 years ago when Earl Logan and

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"That's a fine family," the father, an independent trucker, said. "Paid for on delivery, too.



words of the king, they departed and they saw with exceeding joy that above them the star glowed again and guided them toward tha place which they eagerly sought.



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# A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

A CURE FOR WORRY: Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

## FIVE TEXAS PROJECTS APPROVED BY SECRETARY ICKES

Texas is not being overlooked by the New Deal administration. Five non-federal public works projects were given approval by Harold L. Ickes, secretary of the department of the interior and CWA administrator. Corpus Christi was given a loan and grant aggregating \$200,000 to navigation district number one for construction of a ship canal and a new turning basin with a protective earth levee at the south side of Nueces bay. Matagorda county received land and a grant totaling \$104,500 for construction of an 18-foot concrete pavement on completed subgrade from Markham to Buckeye. A grant of \$10,000 was made to Galveston county to aid in the asphaltic mat surfacing of approximately 141/2 miles of existing shell sur- American Can face roads.

A loan and grant of \$400,000 was made to the city of Am Rad & S S Austin for a project backed by the municipal authorities Am Smelt which will provide 125 jobs for seven months. Rosenburg was given a loan and grant for \$35,000 for extensions to AT & SF Ry existing water distribution system as well as extensions to Auburn Auto sewage collection system. All in all it was a day of recognition for Texas projects.

## MORE THAN THREE BILLION IN CREDIT CHANNELS

Mofe than \$3,500,000,000 has been poured into the Contl Oil nation's credit arteries in one way or another by the Re- Curtiss Wright construction Finance corporation to bring about stabilization of all industries' return of solid confidence based on Foster Wheel stability of all concerns, a restoration of the purchasing Freeport Tex power of the masses and to guard against human suffer- Gen Foods ing in the winter that it now on. Nothing staggering about Gen Mot the sum. This government spent \$30,000,000,000 to en- Gillette S R Goodyear gage in a foreign war. It loaned upwards of 12,000,000,- Gt Nor Ore 000 to foreign nations for the purpose of winning that war Cement After peace came, another \$11,000,000,000 were loaned in European and South American countries by the investment Johns Manvill bankers of the United States. Those loans have not been Kroger G & B paid. Billions in securities were floated in the United Marshall Field States and purchased by the vast army of small investors. MKTRY Then the crisis came. Nat Dair Then stagnation came. Then a vast army of idle work- NY Cent Ry ers walked along the streets of the cities and towns and Ohio Oil Packard Mot the highways and byways of the nation. Something had enney J C to be done. Wise or unwise, the New Deal administration Phelps Dods inaugurated its plans and marched onward. Truth should be told. It may not be palatable, but it is truth just the Pure Oil same. America is out of the ditch. America is battling on Purity Bal the march to the top of the hill. It required heroic-nay ears Roebuck drastic-effort. It required many sacrifices on the part of Shell Union Oi all. An old year is passing out. A new year is coming in. and the America of the fathers is just as certain to return in its new civilization as the America of bygone years kicked aside all the barriers and surmounted all obstacles and ever marched forward in the broad highway of traffic and travel and happiness and prosperity for those who had been willing to make the sacrifices and do the thinking and planning for the uplift of mankind and the perpetuity i of the republic of the western world.



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One cannot help but wonder if some of the people who lived in the days of miracles were to appear in these modern times how many of the present events would be placed by them in the category of the mystical.

# **DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK** By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

Met an old friend today that I had not seen for many "years. In fact, he was an old man when I was a young man. He told me he had been on this earth sufficient years to have a decided leaning toward old customs and that new fangled ideas had little appeal to him. He seems to think Dec. . that the world has not improved, but has degenerated.

My old time friend sems to be a thorough fatalist. He is firmly convinced that everything is fore-ordained. He is content because he sees no reason to cross bridges before he comes to them. He thinks he knows exactly where they are and that it is time enough to cross them when he Dec. ... reaches them.

I realize that the old man's outlook is not entirely wrong. He is right to wait for the bridges until he comes to them. What is wrong is that there has been a rushing ahead and Wheaterection of crossings, in many instances, before the road May . ... so to them had been built. July

My friend also said this country is suffering from an Ryeaffliction of giddiness brought on by too many new and May . .... strange customs. July

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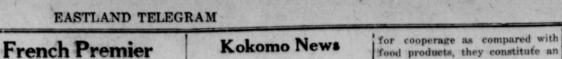
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Goodwin of Lone Star.

on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Dickey spent

Mrs. S. F. Hendricks has been

Mr. and Mrs. George Warren of

Many friends of M. B. Comer

Dec. 10, at the home of his daugh-

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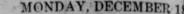
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. GENERAL GREENE'S

near Carter, Okla., have been vis-iting Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Everton. Which General Nathaniel Greene

spent Sunday with Mrs. S. F. a schoolboy now is owned by his

of Gorman regret to hear of his The slate has been handed down

He passed away Sunday, from generation to generation.



cessor to the late Dr.

HALE STILL IS EDITOR

By United Press

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SKIN IRRITATIONS

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SLATE IN KANSAS agement to his grandson.

**Ten Years Younger** 

ly ends up with: "I feel ten years younger!"

There is probably one statement we hear around

What do they mean? Well, they might be

the Crazy Water Hotel more than any other. We

hear it just as our smiling guests are shaking hands

with Mr. Cartwright, and saying goodbye. It usual-

thinking about the climate. Here in Texas, sun-

shine is no novelty-but have you ever tried our

sunshine here? We don't have any copyright on

fresh air-but have you ever stretched your lungs

over our mountain air at sunrise on a nippy winter

morning? And there are plenty of ways to enjoy

this climate. We're still playing golf in our shirt-

sleeves. And the bass have been taking flies. And

the first few days of the duck season, at day-break

All these things are right at the city's doorstep.

It may be our guests after all, however, are

thinking about the wonderful relaxation, stimula-

tion, youth-i-fication in a course of Crazy Mineral

Baths. In giving their bodies a good overhauling,

you might say, inside and out, with Crazy Mineral

about ten years of unnecessary age. Go home with

an appetite like a timber wolf. And what will this

Plan") include a comfortable outside

room, Crazy Mineral Baths, as much

Crazy Water as you can drink, your meals

(and GOOD cooking)-in fact, all the

comforts of a first class modern hotel-

for as low as \$20 per week single, \$35

thing and come, write us for more. Better still, just

THE HOME OF CRAZY WATER

Mineral Wells, Texas

If that isn't enough to make you drop every-

Rates by the week (our "Treatment

Come to the Home of Crazy Water. Throw off

every morning it sounded like a war.

Water-Nature's perfect eliminant.

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CLAY CENTER, Kan .- A slate

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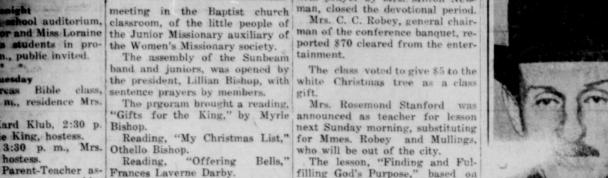
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### Faces New Test the Methodist church. Mrs. Ed T. Cox Jr. presided. Hymn, assembly singing, "Joy to the World," and "In the Garden,' with prayer by Mrs. Milton Newmeeting in the Baptist church man, closed the devotional period.

held a heavy business session and

a most interesting study session at

their meeting Sunday morning in



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munity. Mrs. Powers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bennett and Mr. Powers is the son Flushed with victory on an issue of Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers. We

that has caused two preceding gov- hope for them a happy and prosernments to fall in two months, perous life.

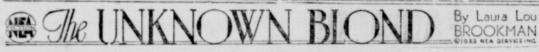
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Goodwin Camille Chautemps, newest French spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Robey will spend the premier, shown here in a recent Mrs. Finis L. Johnson.

> **Repeal Is Seen As** An Aid to Coopers

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (Continued from page 1) Farmer Jim may be the third

the slack cooperage group of the choice for many of us, before the must have a feeling of disappoint-

The Booster Bible class of the gess Weaver, 55, pioneer West Mussolini's threat to quit the MODERN electric shooting gallery, meeting Sunday morning, at their Texas banker, died at his home League of Nations, unless it re-The entertainment will be held meeting Sunday morning, at their Texas banker, died at his nome League of Nations, unless it is souther to shoot. Take



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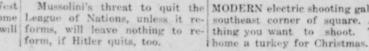
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By United Press Th. That Reminds Me

## ooperage industry will take an mportant place in American busnessss as a result of the repeal of the 18th Amendment, Milwaukee barrel manufacturers believe. Burleigh E. Jacobs, chairman of

Associated Cooperage Industries, The Home Makers Bible class to bring fruit to the party, which Christmas Day in Waco with his that in a most trying time the ex- says that although beer, wine, and whiskey hold only a small market

CLASSIFIED ADS



BEGIN HERE FODAY DAVID BANNISTER under-takes to find out who killed She filled the cup with steam He turned carelessly through the

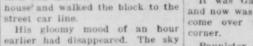
ing coffee. "More toast?" she newspaper on top of the pile, turned through the second and

then something caught his eye He was deep in the marvels of an ancient temple recently discovered conversation between them in Mexico when he heard his name.

"Oh, Bannister!" fast. Ten minutes later he left the lt was Galney who had called house' and walked the block to the and now was motioning for him to

was still gray and looked as Bannister crossed the room. He

ning, but the crisp, cold air was up. Bannister saw that she was



though snow might fall before eve said, "Hello. What's up?"

invigorating. Bannister, as he swung aboard

TRACY KING, orchestra leader. Bannister is an author and former newspaper man. He works asked. on the murder case with GAINEY. "No more, thanks." star reporter on the Post. . . . those suspected are

Senate.

done.

THERE was a little more casual JULIET FRANCE, blond, pretty and known to have visited King while Bannister finished his break-

shortly before his death; HER-SCURLACH who wrote King a threatening letter; and JOE PARROTT, down-and-out street car line. vaudeville actor. It is also known that MELVINA HOLLISTER, mid-

die-aged spinster, had quarreled with King recently. AL DRUGAN, friend of King's. is found dead in a wrecked au-

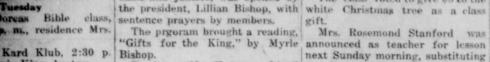
The white Christmas tree for tomobile. Bannister persuades the

Among

MAN

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foolhardy."



RESIDENCE 288

Reading, "My Christmas List," for Mmes. Robey and Mullings, ub, 3:30 p. m., Mrs. Othello Bishop. Reading,

The assembly of the Sunbeam

band and juniors, was opened by

Eastland--Social

ol auditorium, classroom, of the little people of

idents in pro- the Women's Missionary society.

Lillian Bishop.

**TELEPHONES** 

public invited.

p. m., residence Mrs.

ie King, hostess.

a. 3:30 p. m., assembly-

man, c-ohostess.

nity clubhouse. Members hus-

idence Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Grif-

Jolly Dozen club, 7:30 p. m., lison,

when husbands will be guests of Christmas Party

ven Junior Music club, 4

sephine Murphy, hostess,

. Key, hostess

rsdav

ands, guests.

Club Party

Will Honor Husbands

the seated dinner.

feet secret.

luncheon to be hostessed by Group

Home Makers Class

plans later.

Rev. and Mrs. Stanford

Will Hold Open House

Party Canceled

tomorrow.

church.

who will be out of the city. "Offering Bells," The lesson, "Finding and Ful-Ward Parent-Teacher as- Frances Laverne Darby. filling God's Purpose," based on Reading, "Gifts in My Name," the lesson of Paul in Rome, was given by the class teacher, Mrs. C.

tainment.

Reading, Jean Darby. C. Robey. Guests presented were Mrs. Mul-Mrs. H. R. Breazeale was present, for the first time as pianist lings of Eastland, niece of Mrs.

Afternoon club, for the group which practiced W. H. Mullings, and Mrs. J. W. mas party, 7 p. m., com- Christmas songs and carols, under Miller of Graham. direction of Mrs. Walker, and Mrs. Atchley, secretary, report-Mmes. Lee Bishop, and J. C. Al- ed 46 present.

The Bible lesson was discussed PERSONALS Christmas party, Pythian Sis- by the director.

Those present, Frances Laverne ters, 7:30 p. m., residence Mrs. J. H. Fry, M. E. C., hostess. Darby, Lillian Bishop, Anna Jean Darby, Othello Bishop, Ruth Wal-Christmas season with her mother photo, faces a severe test. The in Cleburne, while Mr. Robey is entire budget project was approved ker, Myrl Bishop, Vern Ella Allison, Bobby Breazeale, Grady Ned visiting his mother in Greenville. by\_the Chamber of Deputies and Allison, Monta Walker, Nelson They will meet in Dallas to see Chautemps now takes it before the

The Thursday Afternoon club Turner Allison, John Allison, Edith the play, "Green Pastures." will have their annual Christmas Allison, and Betty Lou Allison. Among the students announced o'clock in community clubhouse, Pythian Sisters

## who are coming home this week == for holidays are Joe Gray from A. & M., to visit his parents, the The Pythian Sisters will have Walter Grays, and Bill Hightower

A surprise program has been ar- their Christmas party at the home of Rice Institute, and happy Highranged that has been kept a per- of Mrs. J. H. Fry, most excellent tower of Texas Tech, Lubbock, to chief, Tuesday evening at 7:30 visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and Ferguson. Although L. A. Hightower.

Rev. and Mrs. Rosemond Stan-A nice program has been plan-ned. Each member is requested ford and their family will spend bell clangs it is only fair to state people, and later go to Palestine treme enemies of the Fergusons

of the Baptist church has canceled is to be sent the community Christtheir plans for the covered dish mas tree. to visit her relatives.

1, Mrs. William Shirriffs, captain, Booster Bible Class

the second Tuesday in January class session in Methodist church, with the above named group in preceding the lesson period, and be held tomorrow.

Song in the Air," and prayer by Judge W. P. Leslie. The Christmas box was planned,

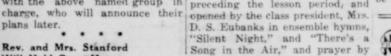
Rev. and Mrs. E. Rosemond Stanford announced Sunday that to be sent the class protege at the they would hold open house in Waco orphanage and chair named their new home, the former Stub- as committee in charge, Mmes. blefield residence, Wednesday eve- Carl Johnson, W. W. Kelly, and ning at 7 o'clock, for the entire J. C. Patterson.

membership of the Methodist The visiting committee, Mmes. L. Y. Morris and Joe Kraemer, re-Each one attending is requested ported six church calls made.

to bring a candle, for the final The Booster class Christmas parfeature of the evening, a lovely ty was announced for 7:30 p. m., candle-lighting ceremony. Friday, in the home of Mrs. W. E.

Rev. Stanford stated guests Brashier, general chairman, who would be escorted throughout the will be assisted by a committee, home, preceding the religious serv- Mmes. Carl Johnson, Joe Coffman, ice or prayer meeting, to be con- Joe C. Stephen, and Miss Jessie Special features will be 5 The white ducted by the pastor.

Christmas story told by Mrs. J. M next Sunday morning in Methodist Perkins, and music to be arranged church at 10:30 o'clock, in which by Wilda Dragoo.



BANKER IS DEAD SANTA ANNA, Dec. 14 .- Burat the home of Mrs. S. D. Phillips, The Booster Bible class of the

o'clock

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the whole announced and each Booster Bible class member asked to take a gift to the tree: these will be sent the Waco orphanage.

The lesson was delivered by Judge W. P. Leslie, class teacher. a splendid exposition of "Paul n Rome

Those present, Messrs, and Mmes. Joe Kraemer, W. W. Kelly, E. F. Willman, M. H. Kelly, J. R. Freeman, C. W. Price; Mmes. D. S. Eubanks, Ernest Halkias, T. J. Haley, Joe Coffman, J. Frank Sparks, W. E. Brashier, Neil A. Moore, Ed Everett, L. Belew, C. such risks-!" G. Stubblefield, Galand Poe, Carl Johnson, L. Y. Morris; Misseg Jessie Lee Ligon, Estelle Davenport, William Leslie and Judge W. P. Leslie.

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### Preparing to Entertain Sixty Members

The recent contest in member ship of the Martha Dorcas Bible class of the Methodist church added 19 new members to the roll. and these will be special guests with the members of the winning or "pink" side, Mrs. L. A. Cook, captain, of the losing or "white" side, Mrs. D. Houle, captain, and chairman for the party.

Mrs. W. J. Peters, 1501 South Seaman street, will be house host-About 60 in all are expected to attend the buffet lunch at 1 p. and each to bring their gift for the Christmas tree gift ex-

change. . . . . Miss Loraine Taylor

Announces Carbon Recital Miss Loraine Taylor of Eastland, extends an open invitation to her friends to attend a recital in Carbon, at the high school auditorium, Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, by her students.

Martha Dorcas Bible Class The Martha Dorcas Bible class

chief to let Juliet come to his the street car and found a sea aunt's home, ostensibly as a was still thinking about the gir guest, on the theory that if the who had sat across the breakfa girl believes herself free they can table from him. In the blue an learn more about her.

white gingham dress she had Parrott is located in St. Louis nd a detective is sent to bring im back. looked rather like an old fashione Juliet begs Bannister to "stop trying to find out who killed Tracy King." picture. And she had warned him about dangers he might encounter That was amusing. Dangers in the Now GO ON WITH THE STORY sleepy little home town of Tre-CHAPTER XXXIV

mont! THE girl went on without wait-ing for a reply. "Maybe that's to his favorite comic strip and then a queer thing to ask but-oh. I the sport pages. By the time he mean it, Mr. Bannister! There's had finished with them they were no reason why you should take down town. He left the car and walked to the Evening Post build

"What risks?" Bannister asked. ing. Juliet France unclasped her As usual he climbed the stairs

hands and immediately clasped to the editorial rooms instead of them together again. She was waiting for the elevator. Jim Pax leaning forward and her eyes, ton was in his office and called to watching his intently, seemed to him as he passed the door. darken.

"There are risks," she said. "Hello, Jim," he said. "What's on "Don't you see that I could never your mind?" forgive myself if anything hap-Paxton leaned back in his chair. thinks she knows something of impened? You and your aunt have "The Tremont Club's having a portancebeen so kind to me. You've brought me here to your home—treated me

want you to make a talk for "I don't know whether it's imlike a guest. I couldn't bear to cause any trouble for you! That's them-"Good Lord! You know I can't why I want you to promise to give

it up, to stop trying to find out make speeches." "Oh, it isn't as bad as that. You fire me. I know they will!" who killed Tracy King." Bannister broke the corner from don't have to prepare a speech.

a piece of toast and buttered it. Just say a few words, something "It seems to me," he said, "that impromptu-" you're greatly exagerating the sit-Bannister held up his hands in uation. There isn't the slightest protest. "Not me, Jim! You don't nister what you've just told me."

think I'd be roped in on a thing "Oh, but there is!" The exclama- like that, do you? Say, I'd rather tinued to regard Bannister doubt-

"What sort of danger?" he asked. mine!" "What do you expect to happen?" . . .

she raised them a moment later she said, "I don't know. But I'm want to do it," he admitted, "but to see the dentist and when I afraid it will be something terri- I had to promise to ask you. It passed this building and saw it ble! I-I wish you'd do as I ask!" | was Ben Cameron's idea."

He was to remember those words more than once in the days to to find another victim. All my come. He was to remember and evenings next week are definitely for her to go on wonder how he could have treated | engaged."

them so carelessly at the time. "Well," he said, "I can't prom- that. Anything new this morn- her words ise to do that. But, as for letting ing?"

myself in for any danger, I assure you I'm not going to do anything told him. "Have you seen Gainey his pictures-autographed. I wrote around.'

"You-won't give it up?" the girl asked slowly. You'd better ask Austin. He may nice of him? When I heard what "No, Miss France, but if you've be able to tell you where you can had happened to him I couldn't

been doing any worrying on my find him." account you can set your mind at | But Bannister did not need to anything. I kept thinking how rest right now. There's not the ask Austin where to look for handsome he looked and the sweet slightest reason for it." Gainey. As soon as he stepped into way he sang! I saw him once on "But you don't need to do it!" the city room he saw the reporter. the street, too-with that Denise

the girl urged. "There isn't any Gainey sat at a desk in a corner Lang." on why you should. Your aunt of the room and, seated in a chair told me you were only working on facing him, was a woman. the newspaper for a little while. Bannister turned to the table on other. "I was thinking about You could give it all up so which exchange newspapers from that," she said, "when it came to easily-."

"I don't quite see it that way." other cities were piled. He was me. I mean about what happened that night." nnister said steadily. "But as ion. It would probably be only a

at with an orange ribbon on it. Her face was rather pretty, though t was too broad and her nose inlined to turn up. Her age, he uessed, would be somewhere beween 18 and 28. Stiffly curled air showed beneath her hat and he rouge on her cheeks had been applied in large pink circles. GAINEY said, "Miss Connor, this

is Mr. Bannister. I'd like him to hear what you've been telling The woman looked at Bannister

and seemed to hestitate. Her eyes returned to Gainey's. "Is he on the paper, too?" she asked. Gainey nodded. "Yes," he said. 'He knows as much about the case as I do." He turned to Bannister.

'Miss Connor," he explained, "is a

maid at the Coleman's - Parker Coleman's home. She's read about the King murder in the Post and saw my name over the stories. That's why she asked for me. She

The maid interrupted. She said, portant or not. And I don't know if I should have come here. If anyone finds out about it they'll

"But nobody's going to find out about it," Gainey reassured ner. "I've already told you that. All I

want you to do is to tell Mr. Ban The maid's large blue eyes contion was so swift it was startling. face a rifle squad. Look here, I fully. At last she said, "All right Bannister put down the toast. thought you were a friend of -but I don't think I should have come. I've thought about it all week, trying to make up my mind The girl lowered her eyes. When PAXTON'S expression was rather what was the right thing to do. sheepish. "I knew you wouldn't I came down town this morning

"Then tell Cameron he'll have was where the newspaper was printed I decided to come in."

Both men were silent, waiting "I wouldn't have said anything "All right, Dave. I'll tell them to anybody," the maid continued, coming more rapidly,

"Only Mr. King was such a won-"Not that I know of," Bannister derful young man. I've got one of and asked for it and right away "Saw him a couple of hours ago. he sent the picture. Wasn't that hardly work or eat or sleep or

She paused and her eyes turned from one of her listeners to the

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