

Car Taken From Lone Woman On Highway

HOME TOWN TALK

By Beddy

Kenneth Collins, executive vice-president and director of publicity of R. H. Macy & Co., New York's popular department store, declares that his company considers daily newspapers to be the best medium for department store advertising...

Macy's budget appropriates more than \$2,000,000 a year for advertising purposes, including space bought, production costs and overhead. Of this amount about \$1,300,000 annually goes to the purchase of newspaper space...

Eighty-eight per cent of all buying is done by women. To reach them Mr. Macy says the answer is Newspaper advertisements, first, last and all the time, supplemented by such other media as window displays, store posters, changed daily, personal shopping and fashion shows, radio broadcasting and direct mail.

Roger W. Babson, noted economist and statistician who has become famous for the accuracy and authenticity of his work, declares that the wreckage of financial and industrial chaos, the inevitable, inexorable aftermath of inflated prosperity is being cleared up now.

Lillian to Mr. Babson: "After the World War the general spirit of hopefulness and faith in the future became a national spirit. The consumer was as ambitious as the manufacturer or retailer. This condition grew and grew, reaching its climax in the period of Coolidge prosperity. It was the result of the nation's high-bred temperament."

"That you can't sustain a period like that forever. The consumer got tired out. The manufacturer, the retailer, all of us, got tired out. We couldn't keep up the fast pace. So, automatically a recess was declared. The country decided to rest a while."

Toys Sought For Needy By Army Staff

To aid the Salvation Army in obtaining Christmas toys for poorer children Manager Kobbs of the Ritz theatre is placing a barrel at the entrance of that showhouse, in which people of the city are asked to place toys of any description.



Disappointed



Hugh S. Gibson, American delegate to the preparatory disarmament conference at Geneva, said the disarmament commission's work embodied in the draft convention falls far short of expectations.

Former Head Garden City School Held

Three Indictments Returned Here Charge Theft

Three indictments charging theft were returned by the Howard county grand jury today against Dr. E. Forehand, who, prior to this year, was superintendent of schools at Garden City for five years.

Husband Files Suit



Asserting he was husband "in name only" to Pauline Frederick, actress, Hugh Chisholm Leighton, hotel company official, filed a marriage annulment suit in Los Angeles. He charged fraud.

Santa Fe Opposes Road

Testimony On Plains Potentialities Varies

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—Other Santa Fe witnesses today supplemented the testimony given yesterday by J. R. Hitchcock, of Amarillo, general manager of the western lines of the Santa Fe system.

RECEIVE HIGHEST FARM AWARDS



Distinguished service medals of the American Farm Bureau Federation for outstanding service to agriculture were awarded to Dudley H. Myers (left) of Illinois and Mrs. Ellisworth Richardson of Iowa at annual convention in Easton. Sam H. Thompson (right), president of federation, made awards.

Mrs. Bynum Ordered Out In Cold Night

Pair Appears Three Miles West of Coahoma; Search Opens

Mrs. L. W. Bynum, 1918 West Third street, was robbed of her automobile by two men, three miles west of Coahoma at 10:30 p. m. Tuesday night, and forced to walk one mile alone before she obtained aid.

Members of the sheriff's department were notified of the robbery at 12:30 a. m. this morning, and made an investigation. Telephone calls to nearby towns were made in an effort to capture the two men and recover the car.

Creamery Is Planned Here

Raw Milk Producers' Leader Addresses Gathering

The proposition of erecting here a cooperative creamery was submitted to Howard county farmers and dairymen at a meeting held in the county court room of the Howard county courthouse Tuesday afternoon, by Ray Wilcox, reporting to the committee.

Five Signed

Contracts were distributed among the farmers, but only five were signed, officials declared. It is probable that another meeting will be held after January 1 to discuss the final plan regarding the plant.

Immediate Appeal From Pro Opinion Plan of Government

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—An "immediate appeal" to the supreme court from the decision by Judge Clark in New Jersey yesterday declaring the 18th amendment invalid will be taken.

Presbyterian Men To Meet This Evening

All men of the Presbyterian church will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in a get-together session to plan work for 1931.

Spanish Seaplanes Arrive In Cartagena

CARTAGENA, Spain, Dec. 17 (AP)—Twelve Italian seaplanes, on a flight from Orbetello, Italy, to Rio De Janeiro, arrived here at 3 o'clock this afternoon. They left Orbetello at 7:45 this morning.

Charges Dismissed On Judge Lindsey

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—A charge of disorderly conduct against former Judge Ben Lindsey was dismissed today by Magistrate Dreyer.

WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING

(By The Associated Press) SENATE Wednesday. Note on motion to recommit Jones maternity bill.

Many Listen To Dr. Truett

Renowned Preacher Shows Value of Christian Education

Value of education by the church for leadership in religious and civil democracy was eloquently interwoven with an appeal for gifts to Baylor university Wednesday morning at the First Baptist church by Dr. George W. Truett, world-famed preacher, who addressed a large audience.

Children There

Inasmuch as much of the audience was composed of school children Dr. Truett spoke largely along educational lines, presenting in his own warm, inspirational manner, the value of Christian education.

Disagree

Tinsley allocated the estimated agricultural tonnage among the existing roads and the T&P.N. He said the new road would draw freight from only 2,754,000 acres, or 24 per cent of 17 counties.

C. M. Evans of Marshall, agricultural agent of the T&P, had stated the T&P.N. would serve 22 counties, containing approximately 11,500,000 acres, without making any estimate as to how the traffic from that area would be divided.

Laugh

The audience got a laugh when T&P attorneys showed that the Denver timetable which Hoggett had introduced as an exhibit contained an advertisement of the wonders and potentialities of the plains country. One of the chief grounds of opposition to the T&P.N. is that the section will not support another railroad.

President Turned Out By Guatemalans

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Minister Reinos of Guatemala was notified by message from his country today that the government of President Palma had been overthrown.

Highway Crowd Hears Discussion Of County-Wide Road Improvement Program; Adams Remains Silent

Morrison Makes It Plain Railroad, Milk Ordinance, Chamber of Commerce, Not Part of Highway Plans

S.P. To Build New Rail Line

I.C.C. Issues Permit To Purchase Gulf and West Texas

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Acquisition of the Gulf and West Texas railroad by the Southern Pacific was authorized today by the interstate commerce commission.

Bond Issue Only

"We didn't come to discuss anything but the road bond issue, not the railroad, nor the milk ordinance, nor the Chamber of Commerce," Morrison contended that road building is economy.

Consideration Of World Court Delayed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The senate foreign relations committee today voted to defer consideration of the world court until next December. The vote was ten to nine.

Wife Had No Love—Major

'She Told Me So' Army Officer Testifies At Trial

KANSAS CITY, Kas., Dec. 17 (AP)—Major Charles A. Shepard testified on cross-examination today at his trial for the alleged poison murder of his wife that Mrs. Shepard had consented to love him and that his purported statement to the contrary made to federal agents at Denver last spring was an "inaccuracy."

The Weather

FORECAST: West Texas Partly cloudy to unsettled tonight and Thursday; probably rain and snow what warmer in southeast and rain or snow in north portion tonight.

METCALFE SPEAKS ON REGULATING MOTOR TRUCKS

Representative Says Equitable Taxation Basis Must Be Found; Dr. Bivings Club President

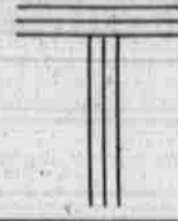
Dr. C. K. Bivings was elected president, Dr. W. B. Hardy was elected vice president, and Mrs. F. M. Purser, secretary and treasurer of the Business Men's Luncheon Club, at the regular session held today. Dr. Bivings will succeed Shine Phillips, and Mrs. Purser will take the place of Mrs. L. A. Eubanks.

He discussed the coming term of the state legislature, spending the major portion of his talk on the truck and bus problem. A number of railroad men were guests of the club. Metcalfe expressed appreciation to Howard County voters for the manner in which they voted for the four amendments to the state constitution, Nov. 4.

regulating, with a provision based on paying a just and fair tax. "I am not in favor, of course, of turning the entire state over to the railroads, but the railroads' investments must be protected. They have spent money, and helped build up communities. For this reason I don't believe the railroad industry should be jeopardized, neither do I believe trucks and buses should be legislated out of existence.

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**All But Two Southwestern Loop
Teams Arrange 1931 Schedules**

DALLAS, Dec. 17 (INS)—Football schedules for 1931 for every school in the Southwest Conference except Baylor University and Southern Methodist University have been completed. It has been announced by conference officials here.

The Southern Methodist and Baylor schedules are expected to be completed during the next few weeks. The schedules already completed are:

University of Arkansas Oct. 10—Southern Methodist at Fayetteville.
Oct. 17—Baylor University at Waco.
Oct. 24—Louisiana State at Shreveport.
Oct. 31—Texas Christian University at Fayetteville.
Nov. 7—University of Chicago at Chicago, Ill.
Nov. 14—Open.
Nov. 21—Rice Institute at Houston.
Nov. 28—Centenary College at Shreveport.
Rice Institute.
Oct. 3—Univ. of Oklahoma at Norman, Okla.
Oct. 10—University of Texas at

THE BIG BUCKEYE

This department, having been exposed to the prevailing epidemic of Christmas Spirit, has become imbued with same, and is forced to acknowledge with pleasure the following letters to Santa Claus, the bewhiskered old codger who up to the present has never put any four wheel brakes on his reindeers. The follow, to-wit, viz, and here they are:

Dear Santa:
Well, well, and even well. The time has come for all good men to come to the aid of their Christmas party. Once a year I take my pen in hand, and knowing full well that what I say may be used against me, dash off a note your way. Santa, old chap, give me and mine a winner. Give me and mine a football team that will go places where things are. Give us twenty-two huskies that look like Carners, have the temper of Art Shivers, the swiftness of Paddock, the brain of Napoleon. Give us a football team that knows not the way to the wayside. Give us one that will start going and keep going. Back in 1926 you were good for fairly so, to us, but since that time you have ignored our household, and left us holding the bur-

Austin.
Oct. 17—S. M. U. at Houston.
Oct. 24—Univ. of Arizona at Tucson, Ariz.
Oct. 31—Open.
Nov. 7—T. C. U. at Fort Worth.
Nov. 14—Texas A. & M. at College Station.
Nov. 21—Univ. of Arkansas at Houston.
Nov. 28—Baylor at Houston.
Texas Christian University
Sept. 26—Louisiana State at Fort Worth.
Oct. 17—Texas A. & M. at Fort Worth.
Oct. 31—Univ. of Arkansas at Fayetteville.
Nov. 7—Rice Institute at Fort Worth.
Nov. 14—Univ. of Texas at Austin.
Nov. 21—Baylor at Waco.
Nov. 28—S. M. U. at Fort Worth.
Texas A. & M. College
Sept. 26—Southwestern at College Station.
Oct. 3—Tulane at New Orleans.
Oct. 10—University of Iowa at Dallas.
Oct. 17—T. C. U. at Fort Worth.
Oct. 24—Baylor University at College Station.
Oct. 31—Centenary College at Shreveport.
Nov. 7—S. M. U. at College Station.
Nov. 14—Rice Institute at Houston.
Nov. 28—Univ. of Texas at College Station.
University of Texas
(1931 Season)
Sept. 26—Simmons at Austin.
Oct. 3—University of Missouri at Austin.
Oct. 10—Rice Institute at Austin.
Oct. 17—University of Oklahoma at Dallas.
Oct. 24—Harvard University at Cambridge, Mass.
University of Texas
(1932 Season)
Sept. 24—Open.
Oct. 1—Open.
Oct. 8—University of Missouri at Columbia.
Oct. 15—University of Oklahoma at Dallas.
Oct. 22—Rice Institute at Houston.
Oct. 29—S. M. U. at Austin.
Nov. 5—Baylor University at Waco.
Nov. 12—T. C. U. at Fort Worth.
Nov. 21—Texas A. M. at Austin.

hop. Holding the burlesque, Santa, Claus, means pushing the sack. Give us men; eligible ones, if possible, but men all the same. What we want is football players on a football team, in case we haven't been clear.

A Ranger Fan.

Dear Santa:
Here I am. I have not time for foolishness. I have no words to waste. I must rush right out now and come to the aid of my fellow-man, Scrap Iron Grimes. Have you ever heard of Scrap Iron Grimes Santa? He is the greatest of Texas tackle. He's all district, all bi-district, all semi-final, all final, all southern tackle, and he don't need no Santa Claus, if you'll pardon. I want nothing. I have everything. I have a dog that's never lost a fight. I have a child with flaxon locks like mine, and you know the hirsute of that kind. Santa. I am the premier sports writer of the district. I am premier, please remember. Premier. In the sports line we could use a con-tender, having never seen one in these parts, but we've about made up our respective minds that even Santa Claus couldn't put out a winning football team in this man's village. I seek nothing. I ask nothing. But if you don't mind drop something in Bill Hissett's sock besides a runner, and please leave Mr. Boyce House of Ranger a couple of grains of your choicest bichloride of mercury. Don't forget I'm premier.

Blondy Cross.

Well, Santa:
Considering everything at hand it appears to this chronicler that good efforts deserve good pay, and things aren't what they seem, are they Santa, and you've probably noticed I've been to more football games in the past season than any two and one-half fans in the state, and it looks like a cold winter with few sparrows, don't it. Of course that sentence is disjointed and you may not be able to make sense out of it, but that's just the way I talk all the time. I'm peculiar along that line. I was cut out to be an orator, but the scissors slipped. If you don't mind, just send me a new dictionary, another set of tennis rackets, a couple of wigs, second hand ones are alright, and three pounds of argument. Also drop four grams of strichaine in Mr. Bruce Cross' coffee as you fly over his chimney. Remember, I saw more football games last year than any one.

Boyce House.

Santa, my man:
We don't care what it is, but give us something. The road has been rocky, it has been rough and delivious. It has had detours and bogs, swamplands and deserts, road signs and road hogs, but we're still struggling along. Santa, if ever you did anything novel, give us a football team that will win. Give us touchdowns, a couple of crates of them, four gross of field goals, a voluminous amount of extra points, a sack full of safeties, and a cloudburst of first downs. Bring to our fireside as you creep along in the still of night, when the echo of the evening bell is whispering Silent Night through the weeping willows, a passing machine, a plunging machine, an offensive machine and a defensive machine. Give us a machine. Don't bring apples. We've partaken too much now of the cellar atmosphere to appreciate apples and other basement products. Take us out of the wilderness and into the land of manna. Give us game receipts that won't make George Gentry groan, and opposing officials groan two times. We ask for nothing for ourself, but part-



This is "Jimmy" (left), 1930 king of the steers and his owner, J. Frank McKenny of King City, Mo. "Jimmy" won the grand championship prize at the International Livestock exposition, Chicago.

er, you can overlook that now, because since the City Baseball League here, me and Mr. Herminer are just glaring at us. You probably remember hearing that Richardson Refinery won the championship and won a cup that turned green like grass does in the summer time when the birds start twittering. It took strategy to do it, but I did it. I just tied a rag around one of my pitcher's wrists and let him fling it at the boys. I don't want anything myself, but if you don't mind I would appreciate it if you will dash through the levee, sweep up Dusty Diamond and put it in J. C. Tinsley's front parlor. That's all. In fact there isn't any more.

J. C. Johnny Moore.

Dear Santa:
Theoretically speaking, we're in need at the present time of bolstering. Do you have a nice supply of bolsters on hand? You see we haven't done anything much in the way of winning prizes and such things since Mr. Silent Shotwell moved bed and board to Breckenridge. We think an ideal remedy of the thing is to move Breckenridge to Abilene as a suburb, or fix it anyway you can, just so we fall being heir to three or four Boone Magnesses. Unless things take a turn pretty soon we're terribly afraid some will forget this is the Athens of West Texas, the town of glows, the abiding place of court jesters. We don't want much, but what we want must be the real stuff, or you and I are apt to start flinging fists at each other. I asked you last year for something in a bottle that would make my curly hair straight like a ruler, but you got the orders mixed and brought me a permanent wave machine. Pick it up this year, and leave a jar of Staycomb, or glue maybe. F. S. I'm married now. Maybe you'd better leave that wave hooter here after all.

Prexy Anderson.

Dear Santa:
We've made up our minds we might as well ask the hitching post for an automobile, as to request anything of you.

Sweetwater Fan.
Brownwood Fan.
Mineral Wells Fan.
Eastland Fan.

Dear Santa:
My name is J. C. Johnny Moore and if you held it against me last year because I happened to be acquainted with Mr. Spite Henning-

**Hornets Down Fifteen Days
Faculty Are Allowed
By Solons**

The Lomax Hornets forced the high school faculty quintet to bow beneath a 10-14 decision Tuesday night at the Lomax gymnasium.

While the faculty was going down, however, the Junior team of the high school took a 9-4 contest from the Lomax Juniors.

Gentry, Matthews, Etter, Brown, Reed and Coffee, members of the high school aggregation, were in the conflict.

Bowling With Local League

Monday Night
Barbers

Black	161-101-145-417
Tinsley	213-196-167-575
Bishop	133-150-169-452
Toup	120-179-157-456
F. Payne	196-211-103-490
J. Payne	113-160-183-428
Totals	890-997-904-2796

Bankers

Currie	141-110-138-389
West	167-143-155-465
Elliott	165-137-192-494
Brewer	18-168-107-468
Akins	201-171-225-597
Martin	93-152-117-362
Totals	960-881934-2775

High individual, Akins, 385.
High total, Akins, 597.

Tuesday Night
Crawford Hotel team forfeited to Prater News Co.

Tonight
Wacker's vs. Hokus Pokus.

Thursday Night
Cunningham and Phillips No. 3 vs. Neal Rubber Co.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

By The Associated Press.

MINNEAPOLIS—Eddie Sheer, Chicago, outpointed Jackie Sharkey, Minneapolis, (10). (Newspaper decision).

NEW YORK—Stanley Foredd, Jersey City, outpointed Ted Sandwina, Sioux City, Ia., (10). Jack Portney, Baltimore, outpointed Hubert Gillis, Belgium, (8).

INDIANAPOLIS—Del Fontaine, Winnipeg, Can., stopped Johnny Wagner, Fort Scott, Kan., (5).

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—"Cyclone" Smith, Fort Benning, Ga., outpointed Roy Bailey, Cleveland, (10).

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla.—Kilo Dixie, Newark, outpointed Jackie Purvis, Indianapolis.

Greenleaf Faces Hard Billiard Title Battle

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (INS)—Once more Ralph Greenleaf, of New York, faces an uphill battle to retain his world's pocket billiards championship.

As a result of the spectacular play of Erwin Rudolph, Chicago, Greenleaf must defeat Onofre Lauri of New York in the championship tournament tonight and Rudolph tomorrow night to gain title. Should he accomplish this he then would have to meet Rudolph in a playoff for the title.

That's a large contract for any billiard player but Greenleaf accomplished it last year and he may repeat. At Detroit a year ago Greenleaf defeated Rudolph in the final tournament match to defeat the final standing and then beat him again the following night to win the title.

Rudolph hung up his sixth successive victory of the tournament last night, defeating Arthur Woods, New York, 125 to 108 in 33 innings. Greenleaf has won four matches and lost one.

All the other six entrants are out of the running with two defeats or more. Lauri is third with four victories and two defeats.

Pilots for the Royal Netherlands air lines are chosen from the army and navy.

Two Mustangs Given Places By Coaches

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 17 (AP)—Drake, Northwestern, the Army, and Southern Methodist each placed two players on the all-opponent football team as selected by Notre Dame coaches, scouts and players for 1930.

Seven of the ten teams met by Notre Dame had one or more representatives on the mythical team which follows:

Messinger, Army, left end; Bowstrom, Navy, left tackle; Baker,

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75c \$1.00 to \$3.98

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Of finest quality mercerized fabrics, guaranteed unconditionally fast colors... all in the new sleeveless style in sizes 14 to 20... special at

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\$12,000.00 STOCK. HIGH-GRADE WOMEN'S WEAR!!!

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Bloomers, panties, step-ins, teddies, slippers, petticoats, dance sets, pajamas, robes, negligees, laced steer-hide hand-tooled bags, purses, costume jewelry, scarfs, handkerchiefs, novelties.

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15 BEAUTIFUL FUR-TRIMMED WINTER COATS

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 - NAVY
 - GREEN
 - METALLIC
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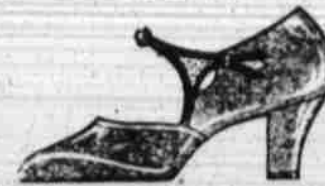
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\$3.85
Pumps
Straps

1,000 Pairs Fine **Shoes! Shoes!**

... all know this store for the quality of its footwear... here's another bargain event that includes every pair in stock—nothing reserved. Blacks, Browns, Reptiles, Patent, Satin and Kid... Sizes 3 to 8, AA to B.



\$4.85
Ties
Oxfords

\$2⁸⁵

HOSIERY

For Gifts

You can buy this number "Blindfolded." It is the outstanding Hosiery Value in West Texas... all silk full-fashioned with a smart French panel heel. Light Gunmetal, Brownleaf, Fromonde. Sizes 8 1-3 to 10 1-3.

\$1.29

HOSIERY

For Gifts

Finest quality all-silk, toe to toe; picot-edged, and a beautiful number with French heel. We tried to stock plenty of them for everybody but we advise early shopping. Grenadine Crepe Number... popular colors, all sizes...

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KID GLOVES Were Up to \$4.50 Imported French kid and cow skins; good colors; all sizes represented. Stetson and Centimetric quality. Christmas box free.	Steer-hide BAGS Were Up to \$12.50 These are the famous "MASTER CRAFT" line. There is no finer hand-tooled bag on the market. Comparison will prove it. Many pretty styles with French beveled plate mirrors and change purse.
\$2.00 \$2.95	\$5.00 \$6.00
Chiffon Hankies Were Up to \$2.25 Of fine quality chiffon in pastel colors; dainty lace trimmed, and some are hand-painted. Christmas box free.	CREPE SCARFS Were Up to \$4.95 Of all silk crepe; literally dozens of beautiful designs in all that is new in color and shape. Christmas boxes free.
\$1.79	\$1.98 up
Fancy Sweaters Were Up to \$4.50 Of all silk and wool slip on, light weight sweaters in small and large sizes. Pretty color combinations.	Tam Sets Were Up to \$3.45 Growing girls; in two tone green all-wool; an ideal gift for her. Packed in nice gift box.
\$2.98	\$1.98
Rayon Bloomers Were Up to \$1.95 Of 45 gauge de-lusterized fine rayon... these are the "Gold-ette Brand," famous for fit and should not be confused with the ordinary kind. Flesh and peach. Christmas box free.	Rayon Pajamas Were Up to \$3.95 First quality rayon of 48 gauge weave, in many beautiful color combinations; sizes 15, 16, 17. Christmas box free.
98c	\$1.98
Crepe Gowns Were Up to \$4.95 Of fine quality silk crepe in assorted pastel shades. These are sleeping pajamas and come in tailored styles. Only a few in this group. Christmas box free.	Laro Pajamas Were Up to \$3.95 Of the new "VELVET Cloth" bouging type. Two and three-piece in many soft pretty colors. Sizes A, B and C. Christmas box free.
\$2.98	\$2.98 up
Smart Purses Were Up to \$5.85 Of all different colors and materials — velvets, novelty leathers and mountings; all come equipped with mirror and change purse. Christmas box free.	Crepe Pajamas Were Up to \$4.95 Of fine quality silk crepe in assorted pastel shades... these are sleeping garments and come in tailored styles. Only a few in this group. Christmas box free.
\$1.98 up	\$2.98

MARKETS and FOODS

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

SOCIETY and CLUBS

SWEET SIXTEEN AT HOME IN AIR



Sixteen-year-old Winifred Bryden, a Detroit high school girl, has qualified to fly alone. Four solo flights, pronounced perfect, demonstrated she could pilot a plane.

Children Present Program At Junior High School P.T. A. Meeting Yesterday Afternoon

Mrs. C. A. Cowan and Mrs. Della K. Agnell Give Reports

MEMBERS of the Junior High School Parent-Teacher's Association met yesterday afternoon for the regular monthly business session. Rev. W. G. Bailey led the devotional. This was followed by a program given by the Junior High School students. Nancy Bell Phillips gave a piano solo and Eddie Ray Lees gave a Christmas reading. Walter Moore gave a harmonica solo and the children of Miss Jeannette Pickle's room presented "The Health Play." Lucy Arnold gave an original composition, "My Imaginary Trip to Mars." Mrs. C. A. Cowan gave the delegate's report of the P.T.A. convention held recently in San Angelo. Mrs. Della K. Agnell supplemented Mrs. Cowan's report with some of her own experiences during her three day visit. Mrs. Charles Koberg read Mrs. M. R. Showalter's health report which was carried in the Daily Herald last Sunday. She stressed the fact that 90 percent of the city and county children had been found to have from one to seven correctable defects. The fact that in the city only 21 percent of the parents had corrected these defects after being notified of them, was also brought out. The children of Junior High School will be examined later in the year by Mrs. Showalter, who has found it impossible to examine them because of the fact that they are divided between the High School and the Junior High School buildings. A business session was held and the financial report read. Those present at this meeting were: D. H. Reed, George Gentry, Rev. W. G. Bailey, Mrs. Della K. Agnell, Mrs. Garland Woodward, Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. Victor Mellinger, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. F. B. Williams, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. D. H. Hebborn, Mrs. M. Paulsen, Mrs. Walter Glenn, Miss Dorothy Jordan, Mrs. Steve Ford, Mrs. Robert Piner, Mrs. George Gentry, Miss Grace Mann, Miss Katie Belle Boyce, Mrs. W. D. McDonald, Miss Marie Johnson, Mrs. C. A. Cowan, Miss Nell Hunter, Miss Letha Amerson, Miss Frances Melton, Miss Lois Carden, Miss Agnes Currie, Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Miss Zelma Chadd, Mrs. B. N. Duff, Mrs. J. A. Myers, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. J. E. Kuykendall, Mrs. Carl Homestead and Mrs. Homer McNew.

R N A Members Enjoy Hobo Party

Mrs. E. O. Casey Is Hostess At Entertainment Recently

Mrs. E. O. Casey entertained the members of the R. N. A. Lodge 7777, and their friends with a Hobo party at her home in Government Heights on Saturday evening. The guests gathered around a large bonfire and sang hobo songs and played games. Mrs. Selby Hall, and Mrs. L. L. Bugg won prizes for being the best dressed hobos. Refreshments were served by the hostess in hobo style. They consisted of sandwiches, cookies and coffee. Following the refreshment hour all of the guests entered the home, which was decorated in Christmas colors and there they were entertained throughout the remainder of the evening with music. The guests and members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Hattie Orr, Mrs. Cleo Byers, Mrs. Ozelle Orr, Mrs. Alma Busbee, Mrs. Bernice Lytle, Thelma Plummer, Mrs. Winnie Michael, Mrs. Dewey Engle, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones, Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Corcoran, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pond, Joe Boodle, W. P. Geasling, Mrs. Robert Parsons, Mrs. Mabel Green, Mrs. Harold Parks, Mrs. Bob Lang, Mrs. Homer Williams, Mrs. A. H. Bugg, Nettie Geasling, Mamie Wilson, Loraine Lang, Lewis Hall, Charles Peck, Mary Pond, Pauline Schubert, Parolee Nabors, Sylvia Pond, Opal Pond and Evelyn Bugg.

Queen of Prom



Associated Press Photo Juliet Connors of Columbus, Ohio, snatched the prom queen honors from the home state girls at the University of Illinois. She was crowned at junior class affair.

Two Hostesses Use Christmas Decorations For Club Parties Given Yesterday Afternoon

Mrs. L. C. Knight Is Hostess To Progressive

MRS. L. C. KNIGHT entertained the members and guests of the Progressive Bridge Club yesterday with a Christmas party at her home in Edwards Heights. Green and red were the colors used throughout and the house was decorated in true Christmas fashion. A Christmas tree added to the festivities as club members exchanged gifts. In the play Mrs. Gus Pickle won high score for guests and Mrs. Raymond Wann won high for club members. Mrs. D. E. Crouser and Mrs. Charles Davis assisted the hostess in serving refreshments to the following: Madames F. L. Danner, Raymond Winn, A. M. Underwood, Charles McCullar, A. L. Wood, Emory Duff, J. F. Laney, T. J. Higgins, Howard Vinsant, C. C. Carter, Cecil Hamilton, J. O. Bar-

Santa Finds That Times Have Changed!

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 17 (AP)—Boys, in days gone by, wrote Santa Claus for a toy train and aspired to grow up and be engineers, but times apparently have changed. Witness this letter that came to day among the Santa Claus letters to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch's annual Christmas festival office. "Dear Santa: I am six years old and a good boy. Please bring me a machine gun and some real bullets. "Your little friend, "JACKIE."

Mrs. Homer Wright Entertains Cactus

MRS. HOMER WRIGHT was hostess to the members of the Cactus Bridge Club at her home yesterday afternoon. She carried out a Christmas motif in the decorations and used red and green as a color scheme. Mrs. W. E. Yarbrow won high score for members and Mrs. Wayne Parrish won high for guests. Mrs. C. W. Kokanour won high cut. A mid course was served to the following: Madames C. D. Raxley, R. C. Pyeat, O. H. Harris, William Tate, Wayne Parrish, W. W. Pendleton, Larson Lloyd, W. E. Yarbrow, C. W. Kokanour, Frank Heffley, A. M. Stephens and Miss Ethel Evans.

MRS. BELL TO DALLAS Mrs. N. C. Bell left this morning for Dallas to visit her sister, Miss Norma Merrick.

West Baptist Women Plan To Send Box To Buckners Home

A box for Buckner's Orphan Home will be made up by the members of the West Side Baptist church and helps this week. It will be supplemented by a cash offering next Sunday. Mrs. C. O. Murphy and Mrs. C. R. Franklin are in charge of the offering.

Wilkes Give Evening Party

Entertain Friends With Christmas Dinner-Bridge

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilke entertained with a dinner party at their home in Edwards Heights last evening. A Christmas motif was carried out in the decorations and a red and green color scheme was used throughout. The dinner table was covered with a ecru lace cloth and centered with a bowl of crimson roses. Tall, green tapers added the Christmas touch. The guests found their places by small cards decorated with a sprig of mistletoe. Nut cups filled with spiced pecans were at each plate. A turkey dinner was served. Following the dinner the guests played bridge. Mrs. Bruce Frasier and W. W. Inkman made high scores. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Biles, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frasier, Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Inkman and Mr. and Mrs. George McIntyre.

Nelsons Entertain Friends With Party

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nelson entertained a group of their friends recently with a musical at their country home. Music was furnished by Harley Shirley and Bob Pinkerton.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

James Ripps, a student at Tech in Lubbock, will return to his home for the holidays on Friday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ripps.

RETURN FROM WEATHER-FORD

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ragdale returned Monday after a brief visit to Weatherford. Mr. Ragdale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ragdale of Weatherford, celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary Sunday.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—Small quantities of 66 and finer and 58, 60s territory wools are being moved at prices steady to slightly in the buyer's favor. French combing 64s and finer territory lines sell at 65 to 68 cents scoured basis. Best offerings of original bag territory fine wool bring around 58 cents scoured basis, while average lines sell at around 65 cents. Short combing and clothing fine wools in the original bag continue to bring 62 to 63 cents scoured basis.

Christian Women's Council Has Meeting

Members of the Christian Women's Council met at the church on Monday afternoon for a business session. Following the opening song and prayer a very satisfactory financial report was read. Nineteen sick calls were reported. Those present were: Madames J. E. Green, L. M. Brooks, D. R. Lindley, James Wilcox, H. Clay Read, J. F. Kennedy, J. Yarbrough, J. D. Eddins, J. O. Crow, H. E. Clay, D. C. Hamilton, R. Michael, J. E. Crabtree, J. H. Stiff, Don Harpole, J. D. Wallace, W. W. Crenshaw and Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. Frank Hamblin To Be Petroleum Hostess

Mrs. Frank Hamblin will be hostess to the members of the Petroleum Bridge Club at her home in Forsan at two-thirty o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

EXPECTED ON FRIDAY

Miss Albee Dawes is expected to arrive from Canyon on Friday for the holidays. Bill Dawes Jr. will arrive on Saturday.

MODEST MAIDENS



Give Mother a pair of those wonderful Arch-Support Shoes from O'Rear's



Sizes 3 to 9 Widths AAA to C

How pleased she'll be, with that practical thought! Soft durable leathers of black or brown; fine leather heels; and arch-support features that will give her real shoe comfort.

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Advertisement for The Maurice Shoppe featuring a 'PRE-Christmas SALE of Fall and Winter SHOES'. It lists prices for various styles of shoes: \$3.00, \$3.85, and \$4.85. The ad includes illustrations of three different shoe styles and promotional text: 'Sweeping Reductions on Fall and Winter Shoes at Prices Usually Not Offered Until After Christmas'. It also states: 'Usually it is necessary for women to wait until after Christmas to save on stylish new shoes. Not so, this year. Every woman who anticipates buying a pair of shoes during the holidays should take advantage of this unusual before-Christmas offering today.' and 'Every shoe is from our regular quality stocks—Fall and Winter styles. Models for Miss or Matron. Pumps, Straps, Ties, Oxfords, in all popular Leathers. Sizes 3 to 9, AAA to B.' The shoppe is located 'OPPOSITE SETTLES HOTEL'.

TROUBLES YIELD TO ARGOTANE

FORT FORTH WOMAN SUFFERED FOR TWO YEARS BEFORE FINDING RELIEF

"It took me two years to find something that would give me relief from my troubles but now that I have found Argotane my worries are at an end, said Mrs. H. Clinchman at 1215 East Hattie, Fort Worth, Texas in a recent conversation with the Argotane representative in that city.

Higher Courts

Seventh Civil Appeals
AMARILLO, Dec. 17 (17)—The following proceedings were held in the court of civil appeals for the seventh district in Amarillo today:
Motions granted:
J. Henry Cross vs. E. P. Wilson, rehearing.
J. W. Upton versus W. B. Paschel, rehearing.
Motions overruled:
M. S. Kaplan versus H. M. Wiley, rehearing.
M. System Stores versus T. A. Davenport, et al, for certiorari.
Affirmed:
Earl W. Lewis versus E. O. Easley, from Deaf Smith.
Harold W. English versus Lillian Miller from Gray.
Wichita Valley Railway Company versus M. L. Nichols, from Dickens.

Flashes of Life

(By The Associated Press)
MADRID—Premier Damazo Berenguer has been smoking too much in these trying times. He has tonsillitis, aggravated by excessive use of tobacco.
ORANGE, N. J.—All the oranges are being stirred up over a lemon. Miss Vernon Halliday, president of the Women's Republican club of Orange, has written various women's clubs in Orange, South Orange, East Orange and West Orange, all

French Mouth Healed

Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Let's Fyorrhea Remedy heal worst cases if used as directed. It is not a mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee. Cunningham & Phillips—adv.

Webster Junior

NEWARK, N. J.—At 85 Dr. William H. Vail has been given a motor vehicle license, having passed a test. But he would not have minded flunking. He likes walking and says it would be better for him.
LANSING, Mich.—Married three years ago, Marvin Jenkins, pianist and radio entertainer, has just had a good look at Mrs. Jenkins's face. Born blind, he has been enabled by an operation to see with one eye.

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By C. E. BUTTERFIELD
Associated Press Radio Editor
NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (17)—Synchronizing the stations on identical waves...
Two networks are to present the lighting of the White House Christmas tree by President Hoover from the White House...
Try these on your radio tonight. Christmas messages to the nation's fighting forces and war veterans by Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley...
The pleasure hour on the WJZ group at 9:30.
The Detroit Symphony Orchestra hour on WABC and hookup at 10.

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REG'LAR FELLERS

Submitted:
Gertrude A. Dial et al versus N. H. Martin et al from Potter.
Great Southern Life Insurance Company versus J. H. Walters et al, from Hutchinson.
J. T. McElroy versus Ferguson Seed Farms, Incorporated, from Hale.
Wenger-Townsend Company versus Hutchinson County, et al, from Hutchinson.
Rollinsford Savings Bank versus

PA'S SON-IN-LAW

YES LITTLE FELLA I GOT A HUNCH WE'RE GOIN' T' GRAB OURSELVES A CHRISTMAS BANK-ROLL! TH' BUTLER UP WHERE I WORK, WAS TELLIN' ME T'DAY THAT TH' BOSS IS A COLLECTOR OF FAMOUS JEWELS!

GLORIA

I WISH YOU WOULD GO BACK TO THE HOTEL AHEAD OF ME, BILL. I'VE GOT SOMETHING TO ATTEND TO AND IT ISN'T A GOOD TIME
IS IT TROUBLE, TOM?
IT MAY BE TROUBLE, BILL! THEN YOU KNOW I'LL STAND BY! - LET'S GO!

SCORCHY SMITH

YOU SEE THERE, MR. SMITH, I HAVE OPENED THE ACCOUNT FOR \$66,510.70 IN YOUR NAME LATER ON WHEN YOUR MINING COMPANY HAS AN ELECTION OF OFFICERS, ANY SEPARATE ACCOUNT ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE - AND SIGNATURES FILED.
WHEW! I NEVER THOUGHT THERE WAS THAT MUCH MONEY IN THAT LAD'S GOLD ORE. \$66,510.70! - IMAGINE!

IN Conference

I UNDERSTAND, MR. BURKE, I WELL, I NEED \$10,000 IN CASH FOR OUR MINE PAY-ROLL! A PERSONAL CHECK FOR \$3,000 - TO BE MADE OUT TO MY MOTHER.
MRS. JOHN SMITH EDENVILLE, NEW YORK - ANOTHER FOR \$300 - FOR POCKET-MONEY - AS IT IS NEAR CHRISTMAS -

Wilson Takes A Chance

HE'S BEEN MUMBLING EVER SINCE YOU BANISHED HIM OUT FOR LETTING HOOPEE TRICK HIM TWICE!
WHY THE RAT! COME ON WILSON - I'LL GET HIM FOR YOU MYSELF!
WAIT A MINUTE - WAIT A MINUTE - WHAT IS THIS - A STALL?
LISTEN WILSON, YOU KNOW I CAN'T AFFORD TO BE TIED UP IN ANY PIKER KIDNAPPING RACKET - THAT FOOL WILSON - I'M JUST AS ANXIOUS TO STOP THIS AS YOU ARE - I'M ON THE LEVEL WITH THIS! LET ME GET TO A PHONE - WERE LOSING VALUABLE TIME!

HOMER HOOPEE

I DONT KNOW WHAT THE GAG IS, WILSON, BUT YOU KNOW MY RACKET ISNT KIDNAPPING! SO HELP ME, I DONT KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT!
YOU WONT TALK EH? COME ON - YOU'RE GOIN' UP TOWN! IF ANYTHING HAPPENS TO HOOPEE, YOU'RE GOING INTO A ROOM ALONE WITH "GORILLA" JONES! HES BEEN WAITING THREE YEARS FOR A CHANCE AT YOU! I'LL HELP YOU IF YOU TELL ME WHERE "LARRY THE LOU" IS -

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- DOLLINS Storage Garage—rates by the week or month. Open all night. Phone 1234. Address 145 West 3rd.

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FOR SALE

- Household Goods 16: RADIANT GAS HEATERS. We trade for furniture or stoves.

RENTALS

- MEYER COURT: "For People Who Care" Cozy Apartments. Phone 1119.

REAL ESTATE

- Houses for Sale 36: BARGAIN! practically new 6-room residence. Phone 1045-W.

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RENTALS

- Houses 30: STUCCO house; 2 rooms, bath and sleeping porch.

REAL ESTATE

- Houses for Sale 36: BARGAIN! practically new 6-room residence.

Metcalfe

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) damaging the highways too greatly. But I do believe they should pay a just and equitable tax to operate in the state.

TRUETT

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) "When the state can go no further with education the church must step in. Man is a three-fold being. The church must see that he is developed properly."

Three Youths Named In New Indictments

Three Big Spring youths were indicted by the Howard county grand jury Wednesday afternoon, charging theft of an automobile and burglary.

South America

"If I had been the sworn foe of the church school South America would have made me quiver to the depth of my heart's blood with unwavering faith in them."

Labor Calendar

- Big Spring Typographical Union No. 797: President ... N. W. E. Yarbo.

Home Town

- Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers and Expressmen: Local No. 622.

FRYERS — HENS

- EGGS: Milk Fed Poultry. Poultry Dressed FREE.

CHRISTMAS

An arrow 112 feet long and 25 feet at its widest point has been made at Winnipeg, Canada.

Church of Nazarene Issues Statement

Since there are several churches in the city bearing names similar enough to be confused in the minds of some, such as the Church of God, the Church of Christ,

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Einstein Denounced As Pacifist By One Of Legion Organizers

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17 (AP)—Characterizing Dr. Albert Einstein as a pacifist, Dr. A. D. Houghton, one of the organizers of the American Legion, has suggested action to prevent the visit to California of the famed German mathematician.

The suggestion offered before Los Angeles legionnaires last night brought mingled applause and expressions of disfavor but no action. The attack, Dr. Houghton said, was based upon expressions attributed to Dr. Einstein in a recent New York speech, who was quoted as urging men of military age to refuse to fight as a means of preventing war.

Dr. Houghton said Dr. Einstein was a pacifist traveling in the guise of a mathematician. "Dr. Einstein's theory of relativity is one thing—and I don't think much of it—but his pacifism is another," the speaker said. "He is a propagandist against the best interests of the country."

Colquitt Davis Moved From Amarillo Jail

AMARILLO, Dec. 17 (AP)—Having been secretly removed from the Potter county jail late Tuesday, Colquitt Davis, youthful bandit who is wanted for the slaying of Corra Kiersey, deputy sheriff of Wirt, Oklahoma, a week ago today, was believed to be in jail at Ardmore, Oklahoma, today.

Officers acted with secrecy for fear that colleagues of Davis might give them trouble en route if their plans were made public, it is said here.

FT. WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 17 (AP)—Cattle 600; 10-15 lower; top 8.15; young cows 6.75-7.00; butcher pigs 4.00-4.25; hogs 4.00-4.25; sheep 4.00-4.25; calves 6.75-7.00; heavy calves 6.75-7.00; sheep 4.00-4.25; very slow; few sales; most bids 25 or more lower; good truck lambs up to 6.75; fleshy feeder lambs 6.00.

Floyd Sheriff Found Dying, Gun Nearby

LURBOCK, Dec. 17 (AP)—F. G. Stegall, sheriff of Floyd county for the past four years and recalled for another term, was found dying in a cell in an unused jail on the Floyd county courthouse square shortly after one o'clock today. Near his body was found a .38 caliber pistol, property of the sheriff.

Drought Relief Fund Reduction Favored

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 (AP)—The house agricultural committee today voted to reduce from \$50,000,000 to \$30,000,000 the senate drought relief loan bill. The vote to report the bill was 16 to 1 after the Democrats, joined by Representative Garber, Republican, Virginia, had been defeated on an effort to retain the senate figure.

WEATHER REPORTS

SAN MARCOS, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—The minimum temperature was 26 degrees today, the coldest of the season.

SWEETWATER, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—The minimum reading was 27 today.

TYLER, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—There was a heavy frost here today, the minimum temperature being 23 degrees.

LIANO, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—A minimum of 22 degrees here today recorded the coldest weather of the season.

ABILENE, Texas, Dec. 17 (AP)—A south wind brought a minimum temperature of 27 degrees to Abilene this morning. Lowest of the winter. Frost was so heavy as to resemble snow.

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Cabinet Work
Repair Work of All Kinds
PHONE 437

WEDGWAY STRIKES

Signers here this afternoon voted that the F. H. K. Company's outfit in Glasscock county on the Meek ranch had struck a strong showing of oil, which was increasing, with some fluid in the hole.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Dec. 17 (AP)—Cotton futures:

	High	Low	Close
Jan (old)	985	960	981
Jan (new)	992	945	984
Mar	1015	971	1010-14
May	1047	997	1038-41
July	1065	1017	1056-60
Oct	1090	1045	1080
Dec (old)	964	950	961-74
Dec (new)	978	953	975

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—Open Evenings Until Christmas—

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Chiffon Hose \$1.33
Full Fashioned! Sheer, full finish, 45-gauge Hose. Picot tops, French heels. In the new shades. Service weight hose, too.

Towel Set 75c
Useful for the home! Mother will like this Set. Turkish towel, 2 wash cloths — scenic and jacquard-patterns in pastels.

Silk Slip \$1.79
"Slip" this into a gay box for Mother! Crepe de chine with bodice top. Inverted side plaits, 8-in. shadow-proof hem.

Bath Robe \$4.95
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