

Eastland Telegram

WEATHER
West Texas tonight and Thursday generally fair, unsettled in extreme west portion, colder in south portion tonight, with freezing in southeast portion.

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On the "Broadway of America"

EASTLAND, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 5, 1928

PRICE FIVE CENTS

NO. 29.

BANDIT QUINTET ROB ARKANSAS TOWN

Sixteen Are Injured In Houston Car Crash

SWITCH ENGINE STRIKES CAR

By United Press.
HOUSTON, TEXAS, Dec. 5.—Sixteen persons were injured about 8 a. m. today as an inbound street trolley loaded with screaming panic-stricken men and women crashed into a Missouri-Pacific switch engine at a street crossing. The front end of the street car was demolished and the trolley was thrown from the track. The motorman, W. L. Sims, miraculously escaped death and was dragged from the debris, only slightly injured.

Lifts Blame From Vestris' Skipper



The stigma that had been attached to the name of Captain William J. Carey of the ill-fated Vestris began to lift during the federal investigation of the disaster. For Second Mate Leslie Watson, shown here on the witness stand in New York after his release from a hospital, testified that Carey had been deceived as to the ship's true condition by "reassuring messages" sent from the engine room.

SIX INDICTMENTS RETURNED BY GRAND JURY

Six indictments were returned by the grand jury of the 91st District court, before it recessed until Monday morning. The preliminary work was taken up after the charge was delivered to the jury when it was impaneled early this week. The nature of the indictments and the identity of the parties concerned were not made public.

BEXAR POLITICAL AIRING IS SEEN

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 5.—Break up of the political organization that has dominated San Antonio and Bexar county for more than a quarter of a century was foreseen as a likely result of yesterday's ten indictments, charging alteration of the returns in the November sixth election.

Wales' Empire—And Ship Bringing Him Home



At the top is the speedy British cruiser Enterprise, picked because of its great speed, for the Prince of Wales' homeward trip from Africa. Below is a map showing the tremendous extent of the Empire, the black-shaded portions representing British dominions, colonies and possessions. The Empire's area—13,406,103 square miles—is about one-fourth of the total habitable area of the globe, while its population of 463,000,000 is more than a fourth of the world's total population.

OBTAIN ONLY \$300 WORTH OF LOOT

Two Banks, Drug Store Are Entered and Night Watchman Attacked.

By United Press.
EDORADO, Ark., Dec. 5.—Armed with shotguns and acetylene torches, five bank bandits rioted through the town of Junction City, 20 miles south of here on the Louisiana-Arkansas state line, early today, assaulted a night watchman, entered two banks and a drug store and escaped with less than \$300 loot.

Gorman Panthers To Meet Winters For Title

The Gorman Panthers, champions of the Class B district, will meet the Winters Blizzards, champions of the neighboring class B district, in a game for the district title Friday afternoon at 2:30. Cisco has been chosen as the battleground.

Shreveport Is Given Army Attack Field

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—Location of one of the country's four principal centers of aerial defense on a 20,000 acre tract at Shreveport, La., was announced by the War department simultaneously with the announcement that the air corps school at Langley field, Virginia eventually will be moved to Montgomery, Alabama.

TRANS-ATLANTIC PHONE SERVICE IS EXTENDED

Effective November 24th, trans-Atlantic telephone service was opened to Prague, Czechoslovakia from all points in the United States and Cuba and those points in Canada and Mexico which receive trans-Atlantic telephone service.

KING GEORGE HAS FAIR NIGHT

By United Press.
LONDON, Dec. 5.—King George passed a fair night and there are reasons to hope that the recrudescence of the infection which caused the last rise in temperature is moderating, an official bulletin issued at 11 a. m. said.

DEEPEST WELL IN THE WORLD GOOD PRODUCER

The deepest well in the world is flowing 400 barrels of oil. The test, located in Reagan county, is the Texon Oil and Land Company's No. 1-B. It is block nine, section 36, University section.

ART EXHIBIT ON DISPLAY

By Mrs. W. K. Jackson
The extensive display of Art from the College of Industrial Arts, Denton, and which includes pottery, paintings, textiles, and other lines in hand-craft, is open to the public today, and this evening until 6 o'clock, and tomorrow afternoon (Thursday) from 4 to 6.

TRAIN WRECK AT LULING

By United Press.
LULING, Texas, Dec. 5.—As the motorcar of the Lockhart & Yoakum branch of the South Pacific railroad was turning around preparatory to coming down to the station, it struck a freight train on the main line and the motorcar and its baggage and mail cars were pushed from the track and landed in a ditch upside down.

Avalanche Buries R. R. Depot

By United Press.
INNSBRUCK, Austria, Dec. 5.—An avalanche in the Arlberg pass buried the railroad station at Lantzen and trapped the passengers in a train.

TWO POLICEMEN ARE INDICTED

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 5.—Draper Hightower and D. H. Connell, resigned city police officers, were charged with assault with intent to murder, in a bill voted by the grand jury today and their bond set at \$2000.

RACE HORSES ARE BURNED

By United Press.
FAIRMOUNT PARK, Ill., Dec. 5.—Nineteen horses, valued at \$100,000, were burned to death here today in a fire which destroyed one farm at the Fairmount race track.

RATHER LOSE THE \$30 THAN FREEZE IN WATER TANK

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 5.—Two armed hijackers held up T. N. Blidell, farmer, near here, on his place early today and robbed him of \$30 and a gold watch and threw him in a water tank.

SENATOR DUPONT RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Senator T. Coleman Dupont, Republican from Delaware, who has been unable to attend Senate sessions for more than a year, because of ill health, sent a letter of resignation to Vice President Dawes.

HOUSE PASSES BATTLESHIP BILL

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—The House passed today without a record vote the Britten bill authorizing the modernization of the battleships Pennsylvania and Arizona at a cost not exceeding \$14,800,000. The bill now goes to the Senate.

Gambler Believed Kidnapped

By United Press.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 5.—Ed Albee, 60, Louisville bookmaker and gambler, has been kidnapped and is being held for \$50,000 ransom, it was believed today.

EDITORIAL

The initial step in obtaining for Eastland a modern airport, has been taken. Representative business men have decided to start the proverbial wheel rolling. Friday afternoon, when they will go in a body to the proposed site and clear the field of all natural growth.

BURGLARS ENTER CISCO HOUSES

CISCO, Dec. 4.—A series of burglaries, evidently the work of amateurs was discovered at an early hour this morning as the night patrol was making its rounds of the business districts. The business house of W. K. Johnston, at West Broadway and G. avenue was burglarized. About \$10 in small change was taken there; the suburban store of Tom Ravenscraft, on West Eighteenth street, was broken into. At this place, which is reported to have been the heaviest losers, 50 pounds of sugar, 2,000 cigarettes and 100 pounds of pecans were checked up missing.

Abilene Entertains Texas Hotel Men

Abilene proved to be super host to those attending the State Hotel Men Convention, held in that city, according to those from Eastland who were in attendance.

Elks Club Tree Planting Program Starts In Hillcrest

Thousands of Chinese Elm trees used in Eastland this year and work of planting a them has started. Donated by the president of the organization, the president of the organization sponsored a tree-planting campaign today.

ENTRY BLANK

Miss Ann Hardin, Retail Merchants' Association Eastland, Texas. Kindly enter me in the Christmas Lighting Contest of your organization. I agree to follow the rules of the contest and abide by the decision of the judges.

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SOCIETY

MRS. W. K. JACKSON EDITOR

THURSDAY Methodist: Cisco District School of Instruction; Officers Training School. All day. Conducted by Mrs. Hickman of Breckenridge. District Secretary for incoming officers for 1929 of Missionary Societies of District.

Baptist: Week of Prayer, Women's Missionary Society meets in church 2:30 p. m. Program presented by Circle No. 3.

Blue Connet Club 2:30 p. m. Mrs. W. Z. Outward hostess.

Thursday Afternoon Club 3 p. m. Community Clubhouse. Art Day.

Pythian Sisters 8 p. m. K. P. Hall.

Methodist church: Choir practice 7:50 p. m. Lower assembly hall.

Elks: Monthly Bridge, Mmes. L. Y. Morris and Allen Maboe, hostesses. In Elk Club, 8 p. m.

CISCO DISTRICT OFFICERS TRAINING SCHOOL:

The Methodist Church will be the scene of a busy, all day session, tomorrow, as a Training School for the incoming officers of the Women's Missionary Societies of the Cisco District, will be held thru the day and conducted by the District Secretary, Mrs. Hickman of Breckenridge.

Attendance is expected from all districts comprising this district, including, Cisco, Rising Star, De Leon, Dublin, German, Carbon, Breckenridge, Ranger, Caddo, Pineda and Scurry.

Each one attending the Institute is requested to bring his own lunch at the noon hour the Women's Missionary Society of the Eastland church will assemble the various lunches, and arrange the refreshment table, and will also provide the coffee and tea for the luncheon.

The session opens at 9:30 a. m., and will close early in the afternoon.

TUESDAY'S PROGRAM WEEK OF PRAYER:

The second day of the observance of the Week of Prayer held in the Baptist church at 2:30 p. m., had their program, "Africa Calls for the Light," conducted by the chairman, Mrs. Elza Bean, of Circle No. 2, which presented the following program:

Hymn, "Make Me A Channel of Blessing."

Prayer, Mrs. W. T. Turner.

Devotional by the leader.

Prayer by Mrs. Clyde L. Garrett, president W. M. S.

Scripture (from memory), Mmes. G. W. Dakan, W. B. White, W. T. Turner, C. L. Garrett and Frank Lovett.

Prayer, Mrs. Nora Andrews.

Hymn, "Send The Light."

Week of Prayer slogan, in unison. "The people which sat in darkness, saw great light," based on Matthews, Fourth Chapter 16th, verse, was given.

Prayer, Mrs. Carl Springer.

Hymn, ensemble, "I Gave My Life For Thee," prefaced topic.

"Africa Calls in the Night," Mrs. G. W. Dakan.

"Africa Calls Missionaries, Mrs. Clyde L. Garrett.

"Africa Calls more Native Workers," Mrs. Carl Springer.

"Africa Calls Schools and Hospitals," Mrs. Ghent Sanderford.

"Women work in Africa," Mrs. Frank Lovett.

Character sketches, Mrs. W. B. White.

Hymn, "Over The Sea."

Prayer, Mrs. Frank Lovett.

Mrs. T. W. Turner at piano.

There were twenty Women's Missionary Society members in attendance.

The subject for tomorrow, "The Mission Fields of Paul. Wait for Southern Baptists," will be presented by Circle No. 3, Mrs. W. T. Turner, chairman.

CHURCH OF CHRIST: CLASS IN EVANGELISM:

The fourth stage in the series of subject, developing the study of "Why God Made Woman," reached the period of Cain and Abel, and their descendants, in the lesson of yesterday with lecture given by Rev. H. W. Wrye, pastor.

The effects of disobedience and rebellion of God's will was presented in the history of these two

OUT OUR WAY



THE HARPOON THROWER.

brothers, and those that followed them.

The flower committee thru Mrs. Tom Harrell, chairman, reported three bouquets had been sent to the sick, within the last week, during which a visiting committee, Mmes. E. D. Hurley, Mary Bright, and J. A. Gold, made several calls, on visitors and strangers.

Guests of the class were Mrs. J. Baiders, and Mrs. Gracie Turner. The subject for next Saturday's demonstration was announced, as "The History of the Cannanites," with Mrs. Tom Harrell, as leader.

Those present; Mmes. H. W. Wrye, E. D. Hurley, Mary Bright, F. Chambers, C. D. Knight, C. F. Fehl, Fannie Hastings, W. E. Fuzzell, J. M. Boggers, O. H. Hunt, L. Herring, J. A. Gold, Anna Craig, Fanny Burkett, and Rev. H. W. Wrye.

Plans were made for the regular high school P. T. A., meeting next Tuesday which will not be in charge of any section, but will be a general program, for which efforts will be made to secure out of town speakers.

Further development of the program is in progress this afternoon at a continuation of the called meeting, and music will be planned and other details perfected.

The executive board offers a \$5.00 bonus, to any one of the four sections of the high school, that registers the greatest number of mothers in attendance at next Tuesday's meeting.

These present; Mmes. E. J. Raines, W. C. Baker, B. L. Mackall, R. L. Speer, and teachers, Mrs. W. D. R. Owen, Misses. Irie Wilson, Sibben, and Clarice Gardner.

BIDE-A-WEE CLUB MEETS:

Mrs. J. C. Whaley, entertained the Forty-two, or Bide-A-Wee Club, very charmingly, at her home yesterday afternoon, when two tables, were arranged for the game, in which Mrs. W. L. Van Goven received the guest favor for high score, a blue and gold lustre flower vase, and Miss Kirkland, was awarded club high score favor, a pair of crystal rosebud candle holders.

A five o'clock tea was daintily served by the hostess, the chicken salad arranged in tiny wagons, fashioned of pimentoes, wafers, and pickle dishes, and hot chocolate with whipped cream topping and nut cake balls.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hayes, on December eighteenth, and will be a Xmas party.

Personnel; Mmes. E. L. Robertson, J. H. Ashley, W. J. Peters, C. F. Winston, H. B. Sone, J. C. Whaley, and Miss Ruth Kirkland, and guests Miss Sidney Henderson, and Mrs. W. L. Van Goven.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS OF AMERICA HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION:

The Royal Neighbors of America held their annual election of officers last evening, with following result:

Orator, Mrs. Gussie Tucker, (re-elected).

Recorder, Mrs. Edna Taylor.

Post Orator, Mrs. Nellie Smith.

Vice Orator, Mrs. Lillie Watson.

Chancellor, Wilda Brock.

Receiver, Annie Simmons.

Marshall, Maud Collins.

Assistant Marshall, Marie Theous.

Inner Sentinel, Genoa Taylor.

Outer Sentinel, Cora Lee Taylor.

Musician, Trudie Mathews.

Juvenile Director, Nora Wood.

The graces were appointed, by the Oracle: Unselfishness, Nora Weed, "Modesty," Gertie Williams; "Faith," Jessie Todd; "Endurance," Eloise Armstrong; "Courage," Joe Maye King; Flag Bearer, Lauretta Snelling.

The Oracle, Mrs. Tucker, was elected to the State Camp in Dallas, with Wilda Brock as alternate.

Drill practice ensued, when a drill team was selected to enter the drills for the State Camp.

SCALE RUNNERS CLUB:

The South Ward School, Scale Runners Music Club met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, with little Elizabeth Perkins hostess for the session, which was conducted by Miss L. G. Tucker, president.

The official junior Federation song was given ensemble, and the minutes presented by Elizabeth Perkins, secretary were approved as read.

The program opened with a piano solo by Meselle Wright, and second piano number by Frances Caywood.

Article, "How Music Grew Up" Pauline Bida, and Ruth Harris.

Piano numbers, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, and Ruth Harris.

A talk on Mac Dowell by Mrs. A. F. Taylor, director of club.

A visit to Mac Dowell's home in New Hampshire, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins.

Mrs. Taylor explained the meaning of "Crusaders," and stated, the club had to contribute to the Mac Dowell, "Crusader Fund," if they wished to be on the Federation honor roll.

Piano solo, Earline Pitzer.

The delightful young hostess served a dainty plate of toasted bread in Xmas star shapes, sandwiches and chocolate iced cakes; and hot chocolate with marshmallow topping, arranged on the table and presided over by Mrs. Taylor.

Those present; Earline Pitzer, Meselle Wright, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Pauline Bida, L. G. Tucker, Ruth Harris, Fay Tucker, Alfa Mae Blair, Frances Caywood, Jean Johnston, and guests Dorothy Perkins, and Anne Pitzer.

The next meeting will be a Xmas Party on December 19th., at the home of Mrs. Taylor.

MRS. STANLEY BIRD ENTERTAINS QUESTION CLUB:

The newly organized bridge club, "The Question Club," was entertained most delightfully by Mrs. Stanley Bird at her residence near the Texas Electric Service Company plant, yesterday afternoon.

The home was very handsomely decorated with beautiful roses, and immense regal chrysanthemums.

High score favor, in bridge, a three piece porcelain smoking set in orchid holder, was awarded Mrs. W. E. Chaney.

The hostess served a delicious chicken salad plated, with potato cakes, olives, nuts, hot biscuit, Russian tea, with second course of plum pudding and hard sauce topping at the tea hour.

Substitutes for absent members were Mrs. S. C. Everingham, and Mrs. Robert B. Goodring, of Ed Fard.

During the brief business session of the club, Mrs. E. N. Beall was elected to membership.

Those present; Mmes. Austin H. Furse, Dan Garrett, Joe H. Jones, Ed Owens, Alex Clarke, W. E. Caney, Sam Sample, P. G. Russell, Curtis Corzelius, Perry Styles, Stanley Bird, hostess.

Mrs. Alex Clarke, will entertain the club with luncheon, followed by the game, next Wednesday at 1 p. m.

ELK FAMILY BRIDGE TOMORROW:

The Elks Family Bidge party,

tomorrow night, in the Clubrooms, promises to be one of the most successful of the many very charming entertainments for the Elks and their families, which the Elks have been hostess for some weeks.

Hostesses who will represent the E. P. O. Elks tomorrow night, will be Mrs. L. Y. Morris, and Allen Maboe.

Handsome prizes will be awarded for high scores, and lovely refreshments will be served.

Those eligible as guests are the families of the Elks, and their house guests, wives, and sweethearts.

The game will start promptly at eight o'clock.

COLORED FOLKS CELEBRATE THEIR PASTORS ANNIVERSARY:

The First Baptist Church, colored, was the busy scene in Eastland from Wednesday night, to Monday evening when the membership of the church, put themselves on record in a big way, in celebrating the second anniversary of W. M. Bowden as pastor of the church, who, prior to assuming the duties of the Eastland pastorate, and the Cisco church, was pastor of one of the leading churches in Dallas, for colored people.

Carloads containing forty members of the Colored church of Breckenridge attended the church on Wednesday evening and a big delegation was over from Cisco.

The celebration concluded with a big turkey supper in the church Monday evening when over one hundred were entertained.

The pastor received many splendid gifts from his congregation, in the way of household goods, articles of apparel, a handsome overcoat, and in all, about \$300.00 worth of very handsome presents.

Many of his friends from both local and out of town congregations, were generous givers.

Those assisting in organizing the celebration were Lizzie Ezelle, Gloria West, Pearl Johnson, Melissa Taylor, Ozona Jackson, Mott, Alberta Jones, Eva Brisby, Hettie East, Allen Thompson and family, and other members of the flock.

Family Menu

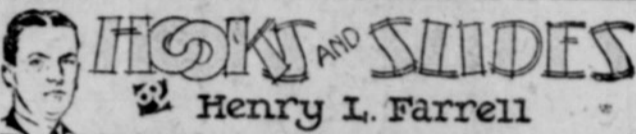
LAST SHOWING TODAY

A NAME NOTHING BUT A NAME HERE

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 5 — Despite the outcome of the recent presidential election, Smiths seem to be more in favor among University of Texas students than the publicly acclaimed Hoover, for there are 53 Smiths numbered among the student body, not to mention a Smyth and Snythe, and only one Hoover.

The Johnson family is next in line, with 37 descendants of the original family. There are 35 Williams enrolled in the University but only 26 representatives of the famous Joneses. Other names of common occurrence found in the University directory are: Brown, Davis, Clark, Anderson, White, Baker, Martin, Matthews and Adams.

Among the students in the University are such royal personages as a Queen, several kings, a few Popes and some Wisemen, and even the king's Jesters are present. Descendants or namesakes of such historic characters as Addison, Cain, Abel, Solomon, Matthew, John and Adam — but, alas, no Eve — are included in the midday array.



Stanzas Were Written

JAMES in which a participant's life is recited at stake make analysis of them when the first thrill years old. They come eventually to abide by the hardened theory of the battlefield that "it won't get you unless your name is written on it."

The strange way in which fate plays its pranks, Steve Hannagan points out, was illustrated recently when Norman Batten and Earl DeVore, two daring automobile race drivers, who had escaped a dozen invitations of death on the track, were drowned when the Vestris went down.

In the 1927 Indianapolis race, Batten was saved by a quick-setting brain from being burned to death. His car burst into flames when he was turning into the home stretch. He tried to free himself from the car and found that he couldn't get out. He then opened the throttle at 100 miles an hour and drove the car off the track so that he would not imperil the lives of the other drivers. He was pulled out of the flaming car, but was hardly burned and was in the hospital for months.

In the race this year DeVore crashed into a retaining wall in the path of 10 speeding cars, but he backed out and continued to drive until he was ordered off the track with a broken gas line.

Big Men Say Big Things

IN awarding an All-America position for fine sportsmanship, the name of Lou Little, the Georgetown varsity coach, should be placed on the top of the list. Little's Georgetown team defeated New York University, one of the strongest teams in the country, by a score of 7 to 2. The victory was scored by a touchdown resulting from a recovered fumble, although New York had outplayed Georgetown in every department of the game.

Little could have crowded, because he had a very good team that had beaten a team reputed to be the strongest in the country. But he didn't crowd.

Talking to newspapermen immediately after the game Little said: "I hope you fellows will forget about this game when you are making your final rating of the teams. New York University has the greatest team in the country. It is much superior to our team, and I would suggest that you throw this victory of ours clear out of your reckoning."

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

MICHIGAN won its third big games with three goals. Even the Yale boys admit that Yale had an awful dumb team. Last man and Grant of N. Y. U. are the greatest pair of tackles in the country. And Minnesota has a swell pair of ends in Haycraft and Tanner. Kris of the varsity team was elected president of the senior class at Ohio State. Cleveland wants Yale to open the new municipal stadium against Western Reserve in 1929. The Big Ten coaches say that Gordon is the best lineman at Illinois. And that Nowack isn't so hot. Harry Mendel, the big bike ballyho man, is the new press agent at the Garden. The crop of individual talent in the Western Conference was the poorest since the war. Fesler, the Ohio State end, was the best. And the east wasn't loaded down with star linemen. And the coast lacked its usual big squad of candidates for the big team.

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Sims Oil Company H. A. Lones No. 3; Bl. 11, T. & P. Ry Co. Sur., Sec. 64, No. acres 640, Shackelford County, Intention to drill 12-6-28, depth 850 feet. Humble Oil & Refining Company L. Seale No. 2; BBB & C Ry Co., Sur. Section No. 129 No. acres 120.5 Callahan County, Intention to drill 12-1-28, depth 740 feet. Mac T. Anderson, Shackelford County, L. A. Sur. Sec. 67, C. F. Brown No. 1; Well record; Drilling commenced 11-10-28, completed 11-23-29, casing record: 6 5-8 376 476, dry hole, T. D. 532 feet. Well plugged, 11-27-28.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOM'N POP



1928 BY NEA SERVICE INC. AUTHOR OF 'WHEN A GIRL LOVES' 'LOVE FOR TWO'

THIS HAS HAPPENED

Jerry Ray thinks that love is a delusion and makes up his mind to marry for money. Her plans for a vacation at Atlantic City are spoiled by the loss of the money she had saved.

Now go on with the story:

The big, white-pillared store hummed with pre-opening activity. The outer doors were thrown back to the public—the early shoppers and bargain hunters who pressed against the barrier ropes that would not be let down by the nine o'clock bell struck.

At the various counters girls were busy putting merchandise out for display, accompanying their movements with a running chatter of overnight confidences.

It was unnecessary work, she considered, but the head of the department was particular. Five minutes after the barriers were down the counter would present a scene of such disorder as to make you weep.

The eager pulling and digging became harder to bear when greedy hands reached for the tunic that Jerry had marked for herself. She was going to borrow that dress for the party, that is, if it remained unsold. There were others like it but none size 16.

The man at the employee's door set her heart to thumping hard as his eye fell upon the back tucked under her arm.

Outside, the door she turned weak, her knees trembled and her hands felt numb for a moment. Myrtle was with her.

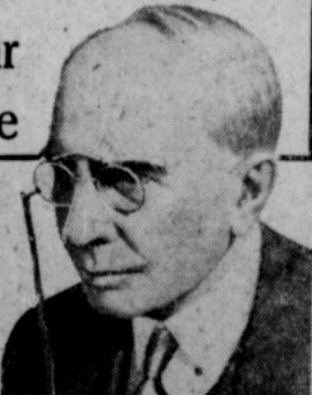
They had dinner together at the nearest restaurant and hurried home where Myrtle took time only to change her dress and shoes before she went out again to meet George.

Alister came for her at nine o'clock. Jerry had lingered long over her toilette. She had bathed and given herself a "facial" as best she could.

Alister came for her at nine o'clock. Jerry had lingered long over her toilette. She had bathed and given herself a "facial" as best she could. Her hair shone bright as polished amber.

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clothes. He grasped her hands eagerly. Jerry's beauty always moved him. "But a shoggy—his family simply wouldn't have it! Neither was he so keen on a mesalliance himself—if only Jerry would be reasonable, or if only he could forgive her—

ened it eagerly and for an instant it seemed to Jerry that she must be dreaming. Surely she was not merely a little shoggy going to a party in a dress she did not own. Orchids were for first ladies, the wives of public men or favorites of the stage and screen. Women who were snapped for the rotogravure pages wore orchids on the Avenue—she had seen them. Orchids, in Jerry's eyes, were the symbol of luxury. And Alester had given her three! They cost at least—she'd heard—twenty-five dollars apiece! Jerry caught her breath in sheer ecstasy. It was the first time in her life that superlative

beauty had been showered upon her. She could not help thrilling to it and to the thought that Alester wanted to make her happy. He was starting the car. She looked up at him with dewy eyes. "Thank you," they seemed to say. He looked around and caught the expression. Her lips uttered what her eyes had seemed to say. Alester smiled with deep satisfaction. "So she likes orchids," he thought. "That ought to make you feel good, Mr. Alester Carstairs." (To be continued)

Sports Matter

The injury which forced Al Lassman, captain of the New York University football team, from the game with Carnegie Tech., Nov. 24, brought to a close one of the most brilliant careers the Violet eleven ever has sponsored. Lassman, a tackle, was one of the outstanding performers on the 1928 N. Y. U. eleven which fought its way to recognition as one of the leading teams of the nation. His smashing offensive play was one of the reasons for the great success of the 1928 Violets and his crushing play on defense made him one of the bulwarks of what was probably the greatest team the school ever produced. Lassman will graduate next June and his loss will be keenly felt by

the team which is to represent N. Y. U. on the gridiron in 1929. Chick Meehan, the diminutive coach who produced the first great teams the school ever knew, has some excellent material on hand for his 1929 eleven but it is doubtful if he will be able to find a man who can prove as strong as Lassman in the forward wall during the season just ended.

Fighting Spirit The unconquerable fighting spirit of Lassman was one of the reasons he was carried unconscious from the Carnegie Tech. battle, and forced to remain in a hospital while his teammates fought the Oregon Aggies in the final game of the season. Lassman was such a great fighter that he often failed to take advantage of the minor precautions which even the greatest of stars employed to save themselves from personal injury. He was in the fray every minute of every game and in the middle of every play, battling for any advantage he might gain.

His injury at Pittsburgh was the second he has suffered since entering college. He was forced from the Colgate game in 1927 with a broken leg, an injury which not only halted temporarily his gridiron career, but also his career as a collegiate heavyweight boxer. There are those who consider Lassman a greater boxer than football player. And that is indeed a tribute to his prowess in the ring. His collegiate ring record shows many knockout victories and it is considered not at all unlikely that he will take a fling at the professional fight game after graduation.

Meehan's Praise He denies this, however, declaring he will try to land a berth as an outfielder with a major league baseball team. Baseball, by the way, is another sport in which this versatile athlete excels.

Much of the credit for Lassman's success in college football must go to Chick Meehan. It was Meehan who took the powerful youngster who entered N. Y. U. four years ago, polished him and taught him the fine points of line play, enabling Lassman to rise from the ranks of the average to a place among the great.

Meehan considers his protégé the greatest tackle he ever saw and says so in no uncertain terms. Lassman, he believes, deserves a ranking with the greatest linemen the game has produced. The fighting spirit of Lassman has been a great inspiration to members of the N. Y. U. eleven throughout the season.

New highway signs being installed on main highways of Texas.

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON—The chances of Congress disposing of the Muscle Shoals problem before the Hoover administration takes office on March 4 appear remote at this writing, but that isn't deterring the folks who want the idle Muscle Shoals nitrate plants operated—and operated at once. The newest frontal attack is being conducted along different lines; it is designed to show how much the American farmer is losing every day through the failure of the government to operate the great fertilizer-manufacturing plants or lease them to somebody who will operate them.

According to the calculations now being impressed upon congressmen, so far this year the nation's farmers have lost an average of \$4,732,772.94 per month, or at the rate of \$52,798,275.28 a year. When one multiplies this by the 10 years that the great plants have stood idle, he gets the amazing total of \$527,322,752.80. Therefore, since the cost was approximately \$150,000,000, these figures are being cited to show how many times the big project could have paid for itself had it ever been operated. The figures are compiled by the Florence Times-News, which is published at Florence, Ala., almost in the shadow of Muscle Shoals. For a long time, this newspaper has published daily figures on the amount of available power going to waste, citing the mere trifle bought by the Alabama Power Company, but now it is

presenting the daily loss in terms of potential fertilizer production. HERE is its calculation for a recent day: "Official U. S. government compilations at Wilson Dam covering Friday, Nov. 16, show that on that date the Alabama Power Company took a total of 452,000 kilowatt hours while for the same period the total available power was estimated at 3,431,400 hours, thus showing an estimated waste for Friday of 2,979,400 kilowatt hours and also that the power company took only slightly more than 14 per cent of the total estimated available power.

"Had all available power Friday been sold at the present rate of approximately two mills (the rate paid by the Alabama Power Company for what it cares to take), the proceeds would have been \$6,862.80. "This available power, however, would bring the greatest profits in manufacturing fertilizer for the American farmer.

"Friday's available supply would have manufactured 1600 tons of fertilizer containing 754,820 pounds of nitrogen or the nitrogen contained in 2435 tons of Chilean nitrate, costing the farmer \$62 per ton. Nitrogen can be made at Muscle Shoals and sold at 6 cents per pound. Thus, if Friday's available power had been used to make air nitrogen, the saving to American farmers would have been \$105,681.50. "Compare this sum with the \$6,862.80 from sale of power at two mills."

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE Notice is hereby given by virtue of an order of the 90th District Court of Stephens County, Texas, made on the 26th day of November, 1928, in Cause No. 8003, styled N. Winkler, plaintiff, vs. Southwestern Petroleum Corporation, et al, defendants, pending in said Court, I. P. B. Goodwin, receiver heretofore duly appointed in said cause, will offer for sale in the City of Breckenridge, Texas, at the courthouse door of Stephens County, Texas, at One P. M. on the 14th day of December, 1928, at public sale, for cash to the highest bidder, all property and assets of said receivership estate, including, among other things, all rights and interest to that certain oil and gas leasehold estate heretofore vested in the defendant Southwestern Petroleum Corporation and covering the East 120 acres of the North-east 1-4 of Section 38, Block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in Eastland County, Texas, and commonly known as the W. B. Reagan Farm, and including the well on said premises and all equipment and appurtenances in and about said well and on such premises, and including all other property belonging to the defendant Southwestern Petroleum Corporation, now in my possession. Anyone interested in this sale may obtain from me at my office in Breckenridge, Texas, an itemized list of all properties now in my possession and which will be included in said sale. P. G. Goodwin, receiver.

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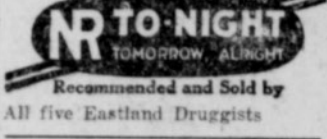
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