

BANK NIGHTS HELD ILLEGAL IN TEXAS

One more day to go, then Father Time takes his final cut at 1936... After that the year will be folded up and tucked away for all time...

We notice in an exchange that eight members of the Benevolent and Completely Universal Order of Fred Smiths of America met at lunch last week to lay plans for the group's annual banquet to be held Jan. 15.

The best way to shine up brass and iron is to rub them with hot elder vinegar as much salt dissolved in it is possible.

County Judge C. E. Cary, who will be that for another day, appears to take up astronomy as a hobby.

Dora thinks the abdicated king will live in Rhode Island, because he signed his name "Edward, R. I."

Nazis boast their unemployed have been reduced from 6,000,000 to 1,000,000. The estimates probably are in pounds.

The Ontario farmer who has a radio under the seat of his buggy undoubtedly is glad that "Oh, Whoo, Whoo, Whoo" song is out.

The Royal Canadian Mounted policeman who is fond of doing headwork always gets his mantel-piece.

The fighting Spaniards now are composed largely of Italians, Germans, French, and Russians. It is reminiscent of football's Fighting Irish.

"Clothes of the future will be made of glass." But women will find it difficult to quit the habit of saying, "Does my slip show?"

During a flight, a French pilot was shot in the back by a woman. And we thought automobile back seat drivers were too critical!

A film actress fainted during a Hollywood cafe brawl. Maybe the realism was too much of a shock, after her day in the studios.

The question with American women at England's coronation next spring will be whether they should arrive in streamlined trains.

A Michigan woman who brought some fruit cakes to a doctor to have them X-rayed might have been trying to locate her husband's false teeth.

The man who wed the nudist queen isn't so dumb. Imagine having a wife whose most expensive present is "Darling, I simply must have another coat of tan."

A Michigan lad set fire to his mother's \$1100, which fits the theory that modern young people think their parents have money to burn.

Canberra, a big Australian city, boasts that no serious crimes have ever been committed there, which, to some, seems a lot of Canberra sauce.

A bullet was found in the brain of a Pennsylvania man, but certain Europeans have had armaments on the brain for years.

Sheriff Earl Talley reports that Pampa hasn't had a murder in 1936... Hold your breath until midnight tomorrow, sheriff.

The Christmas season is hanging on by a thread... Perhaps you've noticed that the street decorations across downtown streets, in some spots, are hanging by less than that.

Best end-of-December crack seen on Panhandle sports scenes was the reference to the kicker in the Amarillo-Kerrville game, who was "caught with his punts down."

Chow Po, Chinese laundryman in Modesto, Calif., penned this note to a friend: "Life is but a silly rube. When it becomes worn and frayed, it should be cast off..." Then he shot himself... The headline writer wrote: "East Goes West."

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair, colder in north and east portions; temperature 16 to 24 in north portion tonight; Thursday fair.

I Heard...

Harry, Frank and Bill Kelley, brother trio attending Southern Methodist university but home for Christmas with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kelley, predicting that Ray Morrison would return to coach the Mustangs after Matty Bell's contract expires.

Couple Marrying Themselves



Only a few days after two New Yorkers were married by contract, Stockton White Woodruff and Miss Nancy Irvin McAfee escaped the usual pomp by marrying themselves without the aid of a minister in the old Quaker tradition at Purchase, N. Y. The bridegroom is shown placing the ring on his bride's finger during the simple ceremony, at which each said the marriage vow in the presence of four official witnesses, just as Miss McAfee's great-grandmother had done more than 100 years ago.

Huge Ransom Would Be Paid For Tacoma Lad

FIRST BABY'S GIFTS READY

BLESSED EVENT RULES SIMPLE BUT STRICT

As 1937 approaches, attention today turned to Old Doc Stork. Each year Pampa merchants announce gifts for the first baby of the New Year born in the city. Rules are simple. The parents must be Gray county residents, the baby must be born in Pampa, and exact time of the birth must be certified to the New Year Baby Editor of the Pampa News by the attending physician.

MISS MIRIAM WILSON STUDIES NEW DUTIES

Miss Miriam Wilson, district clerk-elect, who will take over her new duties next Friday, was a visitor in the court house today. Miss Wilson visited the clerk's office where she was shown the inner workings of the office by Frank Hill present clerk, who steps out of office tomorrow.

HITLER TOLD BY MUSSOLINI TO QUIT SPAIN

GERMANY ADVISED TO WASH HANDS OF FRANCO

BERLIN, Dec. 30 (AP)—Virtually every high ranking German army officer descended on Berlin today in an atmosphere surcharged with reports that Premier Benito Mussolini had advised Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler to stop helping Spanish Fascists. With a decision on Germany's next move in Spain believed near at hand, numerous members of the army command who never have been enthusiastic about German-Italian recognition of General Francisco Franco, the Spanish insurgent dictator-designate, or about helping Franco's armies with German volunteers, reacted to the Mussolini reports with "I told you so" bitterness.

Some sections of military opinion which from the start doubted that Hitler was reliable as an ally were doubtful today.

The commanding generals of every German army corps—12 in all—were in Berlin simultaneously with Dr. fuhrer, Marshal Werner von Blomberg, the defense minister; Col. General Hermann Wilhelm Goering, prime minister and air minister; Col. General Werner von Fritsch, the army chief of staff; Foreign Minister Baron Konstantin von Neurath; Finance Minister Hjalmar Schacht and the ambassador to London, Joachim von Ribbentrop.

BERLIN, Dec. 30 (AP)—Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler summoned the subleaders of the Nazi Third Reich to important conference today—faced, said sources close to him, with Benito Mussolini's advice to get away from Spain.

German political strategists were called into consultation at Berlin after Dr. Fuhrer had returned to the capital from his Berchtesgaden retreat to pay tribute at the grave of General Hans von Seeckt, post world war organizer of the German army, who died Sunday.

POPE PIUS REPORTED SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 30 (AP)—Pope Pius, reported to have spent virtually a sleepless night, was declared to have "improved somewhat" today. Pain in the 79-year old Pontiff's left leg diminished with the disappearance of a blood clot which had obstructed circulation in the paralyzed limb, reliable sources said. Despite the slight improvement, concern was felt throughout the vatican where it was feared the end might come momentarily.

People You Know

By ARCHER FULLINGER Here is a warm handshake, a pat on the head for the dogged determination, the single-handed unity of Panhandle, the town that lies some 30 miles west, and Pampans feel grateful to Panhandle for many things, including the Wynne family. Find a town that has had such tough luck and has come out of each clinch on top... There was the oil boom, but they could not build the road to Berger soon enough. Then the main street of the town was bottled up by the depot. Soon, horse racing became Panhandle's claim to distinction, and it was not long until a neighboring city sought that honor.

Rules For Disbursing Relief Money Adopted

Rope Parts and Indian Escapes Gallows Death

SHANGHAI, Dec. 30 (AP)—Atma Singh, British Indian and convicted murderer who escaped death on a scaffold, achieved "immortality" today in a police hospital. The husky, bearded Atma Singh, a Sikh from British India, was to have been hanged yesterday but the rope snapped as he plunged through the trap. He suffered a brain concussion but lived.

Dies Criticizes Federal Workers Who Leave Posts

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (AP)—Contending that resignation of officials to accept lucrative private employment had impaired government efficiency, Rep. Dies (D-Tex) drafted today a resolution for a congressional investigation of what he termed "this racket."

He proposed to set up a committee to determine the number of administrative officials who have resigned in the last ten years to take jobs with private interests. It would seek the extent to which experience, knowledge and contacts gained in government service were used by their employers "to further their own interests contrary to public welfare."

Dies declared in trained by government agencies at public expense should be required to use that training in a government career.

"Some whom no one ever heard of before," he said, "spend a year or two with the government, pick up a lot of valuable information, training and secrets, then get fat jobs with big corporations or other private interests."

"I suppose a hundred of them have done it in the last four years."

GARBO GIVEN AWARD STOCKHOLM, Dec. 30 (AP)—Greta Garbo, film star, was awarded the King Gustaf award today by King Gustaf for literary and artistic merit. The order is more than 100 years old.

AIRWAY SAFETY PLANNED Dotson Dies Of Car Injuries

Injuries received when his car crashed through a guard rail across the Red river southeast of LeFors on the morning of Dec. 22, proved fatal to Oscar Dotson in a local hospital at 9:30 this morning. Mrs. Dotson was killed in the accident and two other passengers received minor injuries.

LATE NEWS

DETROIT, Dec. 30 (AP)—General Motors Corporation officials here today "temporary orders" have been issued to halt shipments from various companies supplying its divisions with parts. The action came, they said, because of a threatened glass shortage and threats of strikes in "key" General Motors plants.

FLINT, Mich., Dec. 30 (AP)—Operation of the Chevrolet Motor Co. assembly line here was suspended at 1 p. m. today because a "sit-down" strike in the Fisher body division plant No. 2 had shut off the supply of automobile bodies. Both Chevrolet, currently leading the industry in production of automobiles, and the Fisher body division are units of General Motors Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Babione and children, Herbert and Frances, have returned after a visit with relatives in Missouri.

5 months to pay. Auto repairing, tires, heaters, batteries, Motor Inn. adv.

U. S. TEMPERATURE READINGS (At Pampa) Sunset Tues. 4:52 11 a. m. 41 7 a. m. 34 12 Noon 43 9 a. m. 37 2 p. m. 45 5 p. m. 48 Maximum temperature today, 46 degrees. Minimum today, 34 degrees.

Funds To Be Used To Principally Buy Foods

Pampa's Supplementary Relief Fund will be disbursed through the county welfare agent's office, and Mrs. Willie Bain, welfare agent, was given authority to pass on all city relief cases at a meeting of the Fund advisory council in City Hall late yesterday afternoon.

The advisory committee decided that the fund shall be, as originally intended, completely supplementary to federal and other agencies.

None of the money will be given to transient, none will be distributed to other agencies, worthiness of every case must be established to the satisfaction of the advisory committee, and Mrs. Bain will be the only official with authority to disburse money. She will be responsible to the advisory council and must file regular reports of her activities with the council of nine members, headed by C. E. Lancaster.

J. W. Garman, finance chairman of the fund, is winding up this week and said the fund drive is expected to be completed by Jan. 1. A goal of \$5,000 was set.

Rents and utility bills will not be paid from the fund, it was stated, only in the most urgent of cases.

Advisory board members stressed the point again that the supplementary fund is not primarily for direct relief but to supplement relief in emergency cases.

Because of the small amount of the fund it can readily be seen, fund officials pointed out, that if direct relief for all needs were to be attempted the fund probably wouldn't last three weeks.

Principally the money in the fund will be used to buy food. Outside of those already mentioned there have been no set rules laid down and each case will receive individual consideration.

In order to be eligible to receive benefits from the funds an applicant

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LOCAL SCHOOL MEN TO ATTEND AUSTIN PARLEY

Four Gray county representatives will join a conference of Texas school officials at Austin next Monday and Tuesday to discuss proposed school legislation scheduled to come before the state legislature which convenes Jan. 4.

R. B. Fisher, superintendent of Pampa schools; C. T. Hunkapillar, president of the Pampa board; W. B. Weathered, superintendent of Gray county schools, and C. A. Cryer, superintendent of the McLean schools, will attend the sessions from here.

They will leave for Austin on Sunday.

One principal item of discussion will be the equalization law which provides state school aid. This law, passed for two years, will expire next August.

Other general school legislation also will be considered at the meeting.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (AP)—The Commerce Department announced today it would seek \$10,000,000 of additional funds to improve airway safety facilities during the next two years.

The announcement was made by J. Monroe Johnson, assistant secretary of commerce, at Secretary Roper's press conference. It followed the department's action yesterday in calling an air safety conference in January.

Johnson told reporters that present radio and other airway aids would be improved and modernized "and additional ones added."

His statement coincided with the announcement in New York by Chairman Copeland (D-NY) of a Senate committee on aviation safety the number of recent air crashes would necessitate further hearings by the committee.

Copeland's committee was appointed last session to inquire into the crash in which Senator Bronson Cutting of New Mexico was killed.

Roper said the commerce department has been trying "for a number of months" to obtain money for improving airway facilities "to meet conditions of rapidly increasing traffic in the air."

"We have that money in the budget next year," he added, "and now the government and the operators are going to see how all may cooperate in solving a mutual problem."

WOMEN BURN AT GAY BALL

12 INJURED AS FILMY DRESSES IGNITE; ONE DIES

SELMA, Ark., Dec. 30 (AP)—A young society woman died today of burns suffered when a carelessly tossed match transformed into flaming torches the filmy dresses of 11 women at a gay holiday season ball.

The 10 other women were in a hospital and a dozen men were treated for burns received when they fought to smother the fire that leaped from woman to woman.

Mrs. T. C. Gayle, wife of an attorney, succumbed to her injuries. Mrs. Clarence Agee and Mrs. James Rowell were in critical condition.

The women, all members of the exclusive Phantom's Society, were entertaining at the dance in the Selma Town and Country club last night.

Someone tossed a lighted match against the frilled skirt of Mrs. James Stewart's gown.

The flame flashed to the gowns of the others. Their carelessly pulled off their dresses and used them to smother the flames. Some of the women, in agony, tore off their dresses.

MUSSOLINI PEEVED BY ANTI-FASCISM IN U. S.

ROME, Dec. 30 (AP)—Benito Mussolini is annoyed at what he regards the United States' failure to "appreciate" fascism, Count Francesco Mario Guadabassi said today.

Count Guadabassi, who has talked with Il Duce about it, is the husband of the former Rosaline Wood of Prides Corner, Mass., a daughter of the late William H. Wood, founder of the American Woollens company.

He recently made a quick visit to Rome to confer with Mussolini. Afterwards, he displayed an American magazine cover as an example of the thing that arouses Il Duce's ire.

The illustration depicted a stalwart American laborer menacing on either side by daggers labeled "fascism" and "communism."

"Il Duce cannot understand how fascism can be so utterly misunderstood in the United States," said the Count. "It is absurd to place fascism in the same class with communism."

LAWSUIT FILED A lawsuit seeking to recover \$1,034.04 on a promissory note, was filed against R. E. Marlin by N. T. Frasier in district court today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ford, 45 North Nelson street have returned from a two-week vacation trip.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP)—The National Safety Council said today 1936 will mark an all-time high for automobile traffic deaths in the United States.

By midnight New Year's Eve, the council reported, the toll will reach 37,450 or 450 more than last year.

A 5 per cent increase in traffic deaths last month as compared with November, 1936, said W. H. Cameron, managing director, destroyed all hope of avoiding an increase over the 1935 slaughter.

The 11 month total for 1936 was 33,790. Last year it was 33,340. November was the seventh consecutive month in which fatalities exceeded those of corresponding months last year.

Cameron said the only comfort offered by the statistics lay in the fact that the accident death rate as based on gasoline consumption was lower than last year.

I Saw...

An unusually worthy Pampa youth who is going back to college this week-end and would like to get a ride as far as Fort Worth, Dallas, or Austin, or even Kerrville, his destination, either tomorrow or the next day. Please telephone 9823 and he'll be tickled pink.

New Royal Purveyors

"The King's Shrimper" and "The King's Horse Milliner" (who supplies rosettes to the King's horses) each a new Royal Purveyor to His Majesty, King Edward the Eighth, proudly display the Lion-and-Unicorn arms over their shops near Balmoral. Note: Though our local market for good used horse rosettes seems pretty dull, the Sovereign Citizenship of the Panhandle remains loyal to its royal purveyors. THE NEWS' classified want-ads. This week will be CROWNED with results and economy for want-ads. Dollar week begins Sunday.

BPW CLUB ENTERTAINS FRIENDS WITH GAY HOLIDAY DANCE

PARTY IS ONE OF SERIES IN HOLIDAYS HERE

All Members Act As Hostesses at the Country Club

Adding to the series of dances which have filled the holidays with merriment, Business and Professional Women's club entertained at the Country club last evening. All members of the club acted as hostesses to the friends invited for the gay party.

Christmas greens and lights decorated the ballroom where dancing was enjoyed. The music of the Ekelund orchestra from Amarillo. Members and guests who registered were Messrs and Mrs. W. A. Bratton, A. D. McNamara, Ernest Gee, Aaron Sturgeon, J. W. Atkins, Finis Jordan, R. K. Eason, W. C. Jones, F. A. Howard, Wiley Pearce, Sket Roberts, Willard Johns, George Waldstad, Alex Schneider.

Messrs. and Mrs. C. A. Husted, Howard Buckingham, John Sturgeon, Jake Stiles, Glen Pool, Frank Perry, Dave Finkelstein, C. L. Woolley, Tom Ross, Roy Sewell, F. E. Hoffman, and T. A. McCaslon of Borger; Mrs. Lincoln Ekern, Vera Lard, Velma Robinson.

Misses Jerry Mitchell, Joan Edwards, Madeline Schwind, Jewell Binford, Blondina Black, Frances Stark, Ann Pennington, Mable Perkins, Etha Jones, Clara Lee Sher-maker, Ola Nellis, Dorothy Harris, and Ruby Williams of Borger.

Clyde Yoes, Bill Haley, Paul Kelm, J. B. Brown, Mark Fahle, Chester Henry, Ray Reed, Buddy Rogers, Frank Jameson, Joe Lilly, Bill Harris, Mike Dillingham, Bill Kelley, W. C. deCordova, Tom Cross, C. J. Maisei.

Mrs. B. E. Finley and children, Miss Flora Deen and Warren, returned yesterday from Corpus Christi, where they spent the past week in the home of Mrs. Finley's daughter, Mrs. Frances Ferguson.

Flies to Hop-Off



Tiny, brunet and pretty, Mile. Maryse Bastie (above), left Paris on a flight to Dakar, Senegal, where she plans to start a solo crossing of the Atlantic by plane. Although still young, Mile. Bastie is a veteran pilot.

WATCH SERVICE ANNOUNCED FOR NEW YEAR EVE

Two Churches Plan For Meetings Tomorrow

An interesting watch night service is to be held at Harrah Chapel Thursday from 8 p. m. to 12 midnight. The public is invited to the entire program and every member and friend of the churches is especially invited to drop in for a part of the evening's varied worship and entertainment features.

A record book will be available for the signature of everyone attending the affair. Old-fashioned home-made cookies and fruit punch will be served in the annex during the evening. An impromptu program with many surprise features will be presented.

A large crowd is expected at the informal "open house." Those who find it impossible to stay for a part of the program may come by the annex for registration and a visit with those in charge there. A tentative sketch of the evening's program follows:

8-9—Play Period; get-acquainted session.

9-10—Sing-song; talks; devotional; installation of church officials.

10-11—Dramatic panorama of the high points of the past year; humorous program of stunts by young people's department.

11-11:30—Informal play period.

11:30-12—Candle-light communion and consecration service.

Central Baptist Church.

A watch service at Central Baptist church on New Year's Eve will replace the mid-week meeting this evening, it was announced today by the Rev. John O. Scott, minister.

The program tomorrow evening will include introduction of church officers, who will present their plans for 1937. There will be no service this evening.

CLUB MEETINGS TO BE RESUMED

Work Will Continue After Holiday at Skellytown

By MRS. W. W. HUGHES
SKEELYTOWN, Dec. 30—What-Not Sewing club meets Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. S. Pike.

The Pleasant Hour Sewing club will meet Jan. 1 in the home of Mrs. M. L. Stafford.

The Sunshine Home Demonstration club will meet Jan. 5 with Mrs. Lee Harvey as hostess. Miss Dalton Burleson of Panhandle, county agent, will be present to give a kitchen demonstration.

Members of the Pleasant Hour Sewing club and their husbands as guests, will meet Saturday evening for a six o'clock dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hughes and will follow with a social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Bowsher.

Class To Be Resumed

The natural gas class for men will be conducted Thursday evening at 7:30 at the school building.

John McOutcheon, instructor of the class in natural gas that meets each Monday and Thursday nights at the Skellytown school building, dismissed his class last week for the holidays. Mr. McOutcheon spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives in Okemah and Holdenville, Okla.

A number of men from the Shell plants attended the football game at Amarillo last Saturday. Among them were M. R. Church and J. A. Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alsop have just returned from Maryville, Missouri, where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Speer and family have returned from a few days' visit with relatives of Dickens county.

Mr. J. J. Devine is in Oklahoma City with his little son who is ill. Mrs. J. B. Speer is substituting in school for Mrs. Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Norris visited in Amarillo Thursday. Mrs. Norris' father, A. H. Tomlin, accompanied them home for the Christmas holiday. He returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Barnes had as guest last week Mrs. Barnes' grandmother, Mrs. T. F. Stringfellow, of Hammon, Okla. She returned to her home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberts and sons have returned from a trip to Oklahoma.

Mrs. Marshall Coulson spent the Christmas holiday in Oklahoma with her sister. Mrs. Coulson returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Bowsher had as dinner guest Monday Mr. and Mrs. J. Wingett and family of White Deer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wingett and family of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McAchran and daughter Edna Ruth, formerly with the Skelly Oil company, left Sunday for Virlian, La., where they will make their home.

Mrs. E. E. Delaune is in Elk City, Okla., visiting relatives over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson spent the Christmas holidays visiting relatives in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clement and children of Albany have moved to Skellytown. Mr. Clement has purchased a tailor shop.

Mrs. Lois Thompson of Modesto, Calif., is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. S. Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cadenhead, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cadenhead, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Van Huss, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McQuiddy were Christmas dinner guests at the Charles Cadenhead home in Shamrock.

Miss Thelma Milburn of Pampa is spending the holidays with her parents and other relatives here.

Dan Frye and Joe Lobaugh each purchased a new car in Pampa Thursday.

Guy McBurnett drove to Sweetwater and returned Sunday with Mrs. McBurnett and daughter, who visited relatives during the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Railsback, George and LaVoy spent the holidays with relatives in Seep Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ferguson, Billie and Patricia spent Christmas with relatives in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Quarles and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Herrin at Pampa Christmas.

Jake and Clovis Bibbes of LeFors visited Clayton Wallace Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blue and children of McLean and Lawrence Lane

Cupid's Royal Targets



Another link between Belgium and the Scandinavian countries loomed as an official announcement of the engagement of King Leopold (in-set) and artistic Princess Feodora, niece of King Christian X of Denmark, was awaited. Leopold's first wife, the late Queen Astrid, was a Swedish princess.

Breakdowns and tenuous waltzes of the past interrupted the swing-time music that has set the tempo for most holiday dances this year, and scores of dancers enjoyed the old-time steps at the pioneer charity ball at high school gymnasium last evening.

Registrations totaled 448, including the dancers and on-lookers. About \$190 will be added to the fund for providing hot lunches for underprivileged school children.

Old-timers invited by the hosts came here from miles around for the dance. From Canadian alone came a party of 30, and numerous communities of the Panhandle were represented.

Music by Homer Ratliff and his orchestra kept the dancers swaying to favorite tunes until past midnight. A. A. Tiemann was floor manager.

Condition of Arthur Teed was favorable at Pampa-Jarratt hospital today. He underwent a major operation yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkins and family, 2110 West Alcock street, have returned from Lubbock where they spent Christmas with relatives.

Miss Arline Morris and her mother spent Christmas at Dalhart with Mrs. Morris' sister.

Lewis Johnson of LeFors visited his brother, Otis, Christmas.

Tommy Dobbins of Pampa spent Christmas with O. D. Hardaway.

Dorothy Lee Young of Shamrock was a week-end guest of Mrs. Dan Frye.

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WEAR WHITE TO RATE PROPOSAL, BLONDE CLAIMS

Never Wear Red, and Avoid Men Who Do

By MARY ELIZABETH PARKER
NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (AP)—Advice to young women who would like to have a proposal of marriage: "Wear a white evening gown."

"A woman always looks more helpless in white than she does in color, and it's that helpless air which makes men propose," said Edith Marie Reuss today.

Miss Reuss, a pretty blonde, 27, the wife of a lawyer, is a color consultant to industrial firms and has learned a lot about the way people react to color.

She said American men "always associate white with fragility and desirability — especially in moonlight."

A blonde, said Miss Reuss, "need never expect to be proposed to in a red velvet dress." Her explanation was that men who really like blondes in red are play-boys who prefer to stay bachelors.

"The other men," she said, "feel overwhelmed and a little scared by blondes in red."

She believes that the color necktie a man picks is a good index to his character.

"The men who pick red," she said, "are flirts and lady killers. They gravitate to red ties like a baby to a fire engine."

"The men who like navy blue ties usually has a family of five, and his wife's sister lives in his house."

"Men who like dark blue ties are perfectly safe."

Wine is one of the best colors.

women can wear, she said, and purple "one of the hardest, because it ages women."

Service of This Evening Outlined

The special service to be held at St. Matthew's chapel tonight will consist of evening prayer, sermon and confirmation with the Rt. Rev. E. C. Seaman as the officiating minister assisted by the Rev. Robert J. Snell. The service begins at 7:30 p. m.

MUSIC will be led by St. Matthew's choir with Mrs. Frank Perry at the organ. An offertory solo will be given by Miss Marjorie Simonet.

Mr. Snell expects to present to the bishop four candidates for confirmation.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 30 (AP)—Sam Parks, formerly national open golf champion, and Jean Davison, Pittsburgh society girl, prepared today for a New Year's Eve wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith Davison, parents of the bride-to-be, announced the marriage plans.

Winston Reeves, editor of the Texas Tech annual, La Ventana, and Miss Anna Letitia Hampton, both of Lubbock, visited in the home of Foster Fletcher last night.

Deer are reported plentiful in the scrub forests in central Florida.

Night Coughs

Quickly checked without "dosing."

Just VICKS rub on VAPORUB

LA NORA

Today and Thursday
★ Just Imagine Ginger ★
★ Jane finding time be- ★
★ tween pranks to be ★
★ Robin Hood of Heils ★
★ Kitchen. ★



JANE WITHERS in "PEPPER"

with Irvin S. Cobb Slim Sumnerville — Also — Vitaphone Act "Fibbing Fibbers"

WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

Would you marry off your prospective bride to squawk a \$5,000,000 libel suit—Spencer Tracy fees this to Jean Harlow to give Bill Powell footing to compromise Myrna Loy in—

"LIBELED LADY"

LA NORA PREVIEW SAT. Sun. - Mon. - Tues. - Wed. 10c REX 25c Last Times Today

Kermit MAYNARD in "WILD HORSE ROUNDUP"

Thursday Only The DANGEROUS ROMANCE of a SOLDIER of FORTUNE, and a waterfront girl!

NIGHT Waitress

Margot GRAHAME GORDON JONES Vision Playhouse

10c STATE 20c

TODAY "MY AMERICAN WIFE"

starts THURS "CHARLIE CHAN at the RACE TRACK"

School Opens at Miami This Week After Holidays

By ANNE HOPKINS
MIAMI, Dec. 30—School classes were resumed Monday morning after a week holiday for the Christmas season. Teachers, who spent the vacation at varied points, returned home Sunday in order to be in their places Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hinkle of O'Donnell are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cantrell.

S. E. Odum of Clyde returned to his home this morning after visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. O'Loughlin, and Mr. O'Loughlin for a few days.

Frank Painter of Pampa has moved to Miami to make his home. He is employed at the City barber shop.

Mrs. Howard Man of Pampa and her guest, Miss Jane Man of Wichita Falls, were Miami visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. I. Fulfer had as their holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fulfer and children of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Zirkle and baby of Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hollis and family of Perry-

ton, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams of Canyon.

Gaylon Williams, who is stationed at Ft. Bliss at El Paso, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams. Other visitors in the Williams home this week included Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams and family of Canadian, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ragsdale of Pampa.

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Holiday Ends With Reopening of Back School on Monday

By MRS. ERNEST DOWELL
DENWORTH, Dec. 30—Back school opened Monday, the holiday having been cut short to make up for a week's dismissal during threatened scarlet fever epidemic earlier in the month.

The Women's Missionary society will meet at the church Thursday at 2 o'clock for a Royal Service program. All women are invited.

Sunday school attendance totaled 51 Sunday. A goal of 100 is set for next Sunday, and everyone in the community is invited to attend this first service of a new year and the succeeding meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bun Copeland and sons and Mrs. Linwood Copeland and Jerry Dan visited in Collinsville over the week-end.

Mrs. Lewis Porter and son, Hollis of Wellington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Cotham of Keller-ville visited Mr. and Mrs. Linzy Cotham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ferguson, Billie and Patricia spent Christmas with relatives in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Quarles and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Herrin at Pampa Christmas.

Miss Arline Morris and her mother spent Christmas at Dalhart with Mrs. Morris' sister.

Lewis Johnson of LeFors visited his brother, Otis, Christmas.

Tommy Dobbins of Pampa spent Christmas with O. D. Hardaway.

Dorothy Lee Young of Shamrock was a week-end guest of Mrs. Dan Frye.

Mrs. Lois Thompson of Modesto, Calif., is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. S. Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cadenhead, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cadenhead, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Van Huss, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McQuiddy were Christmas dinner guests at the Charles Cadenhead home in Shamrock.

Miss Thelma Milburn of Pampa is spending the holidays with her parents and other relatives here.

Dan Frye and Joe Lobaugh each purchased a new car in Pampa Thursday.

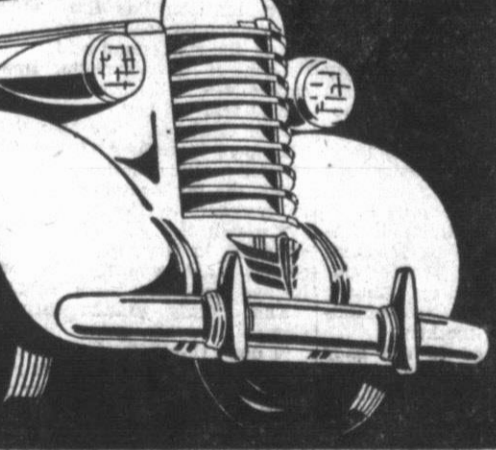
Guy McBurnett drove to Sweetwater and returned Sunday with Mrs. McBurnett and daughter, who visited relatives during the holidays.

Barber McCoy is the holiday guest of his son at San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach returned Thursday after spending two months in South Texas.

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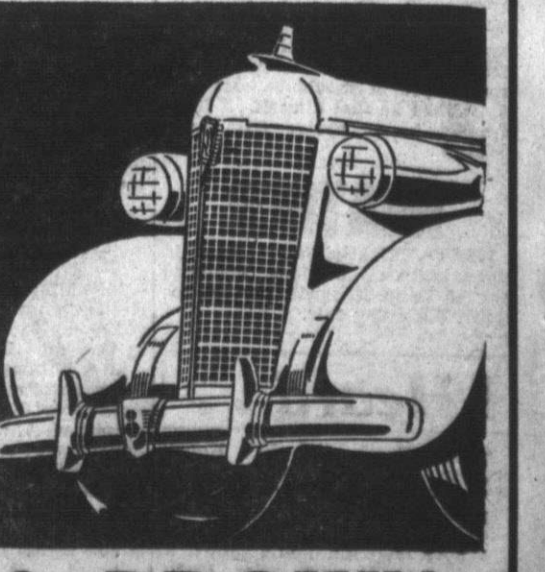


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NEUTRALITY LAW SHOULD FAVOR NO BELLIGERENT

One of the principal tasks facing this winter's Congress will be the devising of a new neutrality law. The existing one expires on May 1, 1937, and, from the look of things in Europe, Uncle Sam is going to need a new one the way an old-time Kansas farmer needed a cyclone cellar.

You can expect a tremendous lot of argument when the subject comes up. Some lofty ideals are in conflict. Most Americans want to remain at peace, lend a helping hand to worthy international causes, and live up to their cherished old traditions, all at once, and reconciling these aspirations is apt to create a severe headache.

It is generally agreed that we need some kind of restriction on our munitions trade with belligerents. The present law embargoes the shipment of munitions, prohibits loans or credits to warring countries, and denies American citizens the right to travel on the ships of belligerents.

As far as it goes, that law is fine. But when Congress gets ready to pass a new law, it will be urged by many good people to give the president permission to apply this embargo to one combatant only, if he thinks proper.

The arguments for this are plausible. It is pointed out, for instance, that with such a law we could join other nations in applying sanctions to an aggressor nation under the Kellogg treaties. If a European war developed, we could decide which side was in the wrong and use our embargo to penalize it and to help the other side. Thus, it is argued, we could use our influence to promote international justice.

It sounds very attractive, until you stop to consider that applying a one-sided embargo such as that would almost certainly get us into war in a most active manner. Furthermore, we would be taken into war by the president alone, not by Congress—in which body the Constitution vests the power to declare war. A strong-willed president could defy Congress entirely and put us in a situation which would make war inevitable.

The principal objection to the wholesale embargo policy comes from those who hate to discard the traditional American stand for freedom of the seas.

For generations, freedom of the seas was a fundamental point in our policy. We argued that our merchant ships had the right to travel any seas they chose, that the seas were and of right ought to be free to all ships that wanted to use them, and that no warring nation had the right to block the world's trade.

A lofty ideal, certainly—but are we ready to go down the line for it? To make it stick, we would have to fight for it, sooner or later. Do we want freedom of the seas more than we want peace? If not, we might as well stop talking about it.

A mandatory embargo policy, applicable to all belligerents alike, looks like the safest bet. Any other law would give us little more insurance against war than our old policy of muddling through and trusting to luck.

DAILY WASHINGTON LETTER

By Rodney Dutcher—This is the fourth of a series of stories on Congress, its lineup, and the problems which will face it—written by Rodney Dutcher, NEA Service and Pampa Daily News Washington correspondent.

WASHINGTON.—Congress is virtually certain to renew the neutrality act which expires in May. The law probably will be made more stringent.

Determination to keep this country from becoming involved in a foreign war appears to be stronger than ever, both in the White House and on Capitol Hill. One of the outstanding declarations of the presidential campaign was Roosevelt's assertion at Chautauqua, N. Y., that: "If we face the choice of profits or peace, the nation will answer—must answer—'We choose peace.'"

Reaction to hints from Europe that certain nations are ready to negotiate war debt settlement again is indicative of the current Congressional attitude. The move is commonly supposed to be planned as a prelude to a request for more loans, now barred to debtor nations by the Johnson act.

Decision of the U. S. Supreme Court confirming the validity of the broad discretionary powers which the neutrality act gives the president, and the new agreement in which nations of this hemisphere promise to be jointly neutral in case any hostilities break out among them will also be in the background of Congressional action.

The present neutrality act is a compromise law under which the president is empowered to declare the existence of a state of war, whereupon a ban on export of arms, ammunition, and "implements of war" becomes automatically effective.

The secretary of state, under it, can warn American citizens that they travel in war zones at their own risk. It places the export of munitions under a license system.

Debate will center mostly on proposals to put more mandatory features in the measure, leaving less to executive discretion, and for a curb on exports other than munitions in time of war.

The more vigorous proponents of neutrality will demand a quota system for such commodities as petroleum and copper, with exports to a belligerent limited to what they averaged in a specified period before the war began.

Thus the normal flow of trade would be permitted, but a big export boom such as preceded American entry into the last war would be avoided.

The president's views as to the type of law he wants have not been made known, but he is reported not to be as insistent on avoiding legislation of the mandatory type as he once was.

There is little chance of legislation which would permit him to declare an embargo against one belligerent nation and not against its enemy, but there is some chance that Roosevelt will ask that embargo provisions be made to apply to civil wars, such as the one in Spain.

Judging by past performances, Senators William E. Borah and Hiram Johnson are likely to make speeches about "Freedom of the seas," "Neutral rights," and "National honor," denouncing proposals to make belligerents buy American products only on a cash and carry basis and deploring refusal to provide armed protection for citizens and ships entering war zones.

NEXT: Agriculture and farm tenancy.

ONE DAY TO GO!



MAN ABOUT MANHATTAN

By GEORGE TUCKER NEW YORK.—Manhattan kaleidoscope: Martin Stern is a press-agent for frog legs. More than 500,000 Pekin ducks are produced on Long Island annually. It is practically impossible to locate a barber here on Sunday. So, if you must get shaved, go to a private club. Ginger Rogers' mother was once a press agent for the marine corps. Casey Jones, the famous aviator, is in town. He used to operate a flying academy in Central America. Dayton Stoddard reports finding an unusual type of pan-handler. Stepping up to the writer, he inquired: "Could you tell me where I might get a good meal for 25 cents?" "Certainly," replied Stoddard. "In that restaurant across the street." "Ah, yes," murmured the bum, "and now could you tell me where I might find 25 cents?" Deems Taylor believes New York will have 11,000,000 people by 1965. "This town is outgrowing itself," he says.

Collectors All There is one factor in the situation whereby most celebrities escape from their professional lives. They are one and all collectors of things of one another. For instance, Jack Pearl collects hotel keys; Jimmy Durante, hats; George Gershwin, his own paintings; Horace Heidt, sheet music; Judith Anderson, toy dogs. Ralph Hitz approaches the collecting hobby on a grander scale—he collects hotels. Jim Tully owns two complete sets of Jack London first editions. It was London who inspired Tully to become a writer. Quite incidentally, Tully thinks a certain specie of hobo is the best read sect in the world. During the depression, he points out, they spent much time in the libraries, to keep warm, and to shield the fact that they were vagrants, began reading. In this way they devoured the world's histories and text books. Retiring Wife To Star Again Gloria Swanson has small feet, and if you hurry and come to Broadway you may see how tiny they are for yourself. She is here seeing the sights and talking theater with several producers. It is generally forgotten that Florence Eldridge was a high ranking actress eight years ago. By deliberately obscuring her name behind her husband's (Frederic March's) fame, most people know her now as just the wife of a great star. However, that's soon to be changed. While Fredric is in Hollywood she is on Broadway in a new drama. Sheila Barrett and Eva Ortega will be among the entertainers in Florida night spots this winter. The Cotton club never did any better in Harlem than it is doing in its new Broadway location.

HOW'S YOUR HEALTH CHILDREN'S COUGHS Cough is a common complaint among children. Apparently wide spread, it is often the result of irritation of the child's nose, throat and chest which elicit a cough, so that this reaction is more common among children than adults. In the child, a cough does not commonly point to a disease condition of the chest proper. More frequently it indicates some disturbance in the upper respiratory tract. Persistent cough, a common symptom of tuberculosis in the adult, is practically never found associated with active tuberculosis in the child. The most common cause of cough in children is inflammation in the nose and nasopharynx. Enlarged adenoids, infections of the nasal sinuses, enlarged and diseased tonsils also frequently cause the child to cough. Laryngitis (inflammation of the voice box) causes a characteristic croupy cough in children. In the early stages of measles, cough may be a common symptom. At its onset, measles closely resembles a head cold. As the disease progresses, the windpipe and the bronchi become involved. More frequent rise to a harsh, painful, dry cough. In whooping cough, as the name indicates, cough is an essential symptom. As the disease develops, it acquires its characteristic whoop. The whoop is heard at the end of the paroxysm, and is caused by the inbreathing of air. Frequently children cough when they suffer from a gastric upset. In such cases the child is quite likely to have a catarrhal infection, which involves the gastro-intestinal tract as well as the respiratory tract. When a child develops a cough, a physician should diagnose its cause. It is unwise to dose a child with cough medicines or sedatives. Frequently such medicines are thick and syrupy and contain ingredients which are likely to upset the child's digestion. Furthermore, because of their sedative and depressing effects, the drugs are apt to mask the symptoms and make later diagnosis difficult. When the child requires relief for its cough, pending, say, the arrival of the doctor, it may be helped by steam inhalations, by keeping the child in a warm room and humidifying the air. This may be accomplished by keeping a steaming kettle in the room. Encouraging the child to take fluids freely, including orange juice and warm milk, will also help reduce its cough spasms.

Talks to parents THE AWKWARD YEARS Boys frequently do a large part of their growing after they are 14. That a boy is small or even definitely undersized well into his teens need not be a cause for undue worry. He may shoot up at the rate of two or three inches a year and end well above average height. His strength also increases perceptibly during these years. Often the increase in strength and height are not proportionate, and it is this physical unbalance and the resulting lack of co-ordination which makes the adolescent boy so awkward. It is really not his fault that he runs into the furniture, trips over the rugs, cracks his mother's rib with a bear hug or inadvertently crushes the frail cup that he is drying. He does not mean to be careless. He is probably straining every nerve and muscle not to do any of these clumsy things. He knows that every one of these mishaps will be greeted either with roars of laughter or with annoyance or reproach. He is in a constant state of embarrassment which confuses him and leads him from bad to worse. He used to know where his hands and feet were, and just how much muscular effort was needed to make them do as he wished. Now his hands and feet have suddenly become so remote that all his calculations are wrong, and his slightest gesture has a force which is forever causing cataclysms. The less attention paid to a boy at this transition stage the better. It is a period when he needs understanding. He is bound to wreak a certain amount of havoc wherever he goes, but his fault-finding and laughter only make him worse. He is quite uncomfortable enough without having attention attracted to him, and the fullness of time will be his only cure.

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AROUND HOLLYWOOD

By ROBBIN COONS HOLLYWOOD.—Margaret Lindsey of Dubuque, Ia., who once pretended with profit an English origin, is working now in a typically American picture called "Slim." Middle-western Margaret is opposite two middle-western boys named Pat O'Brien (Wisconsin) and Henry Fonda (Nebraska). The story is Willson Wister Haines' account of perils and romance in construction of those magic steel towers which bring power across deserts, mountains and prairies to the home. Iowa's Peggy Kies fooled Hollywood by getting a role in the "all-English cast" of "Cavalcade." Her success therein established her firmly enough that it didn't matter, some time later, when her real origin was revealed. She dropped her English accent, and nobody cared. Praises 'Iowa Sense' If the accent got her into pictures, she thinks now, it was her "good old-fashioned Iowa sense" that has kept her in. "I've all but forgotten the English experience," she says. "When I have a new role to play, I find myself thinking of someone I knew in Iowa, rather than England, as the type of character I am to portray." Does Hollywood resent being deceived? Scarcely. Look at Robert Cummings, who put Margaret Lindsey up to her "great deception." Cummings, like Margaret, went to England and returned with a manufactured fame as a British juvenile. As an American boy, New York Stage producers overlooked him. But as a young English actor, he was snapped up. In Hollywood, he was considered English at first, but it made no difference when the truth came out. He is doing very well. C. B. DeMille is practically Dean of the Deceived. Jean Williams, disguised as Sonia Karlov, exotic blond, had won a role in "The Volga Boatman" until DeMille was tipped off. Later, the director's search for a "virginal Diana" resulted in the selection of a mysterious miss named Marjorie Colman, who after the picture was made let it known that she was the wife of the wrestler Gus Sonnenberg. As Judith Allen she has pursued a fairly successful career. Hollywood's Thelma Skene, who Hollywood people love and give out interviews slamming the town, but Hollywood is not sensitive about that either. P. G. Wodehouse, who attained considerable fame in this respect when he talked about his magnificent non-working contract, is back again and working. Grace Moore, who finished "The King Steps Out," and gave sundry reasons why she would not come back, has been doing "Interlude." If these things make Hollywood a bit sore at times, the pain is quickly forgotten or attributed to the trials of art.

FAST THINKING

EDMONTON, Alta. (AP)—Matt Berry, veteran arctic flyer, brought back a tale of narrowly averted starvation experienced by two snow-bound priests at a remote mission. The fathers envisioned hungry days ahead. Then one recalled he had put up a cache of 14 caribou in the fall—a mere 2,000 pounds of fresh meat.

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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS Frederic J. Haskin

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Pampa Daily News Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C. Please enclose three (3) cents for reply.

Q. Is there a newspaper published in Matanuska Valley? G. W. S. A. The only paper published in the Matanuska Valley in Alaska is the Matanuska Valley Pioneer. This paper, a weekly, was first issued in mimeographed form on January 1, 1936. On October 20th the first issue in printed form appeared.

Q. How many calories should a boy of 14 eat, according to his own weight? M. H. A. A boy needs about 25 to 36 calories per pound of his body weight each day, depending on how active he is.

Q. What official position does Stalin hold in the Russian government? R. L. T. A. The function of Stalin has no parallel in America or in any government, for he is not a government official. He is the chief analyst of the "party line" which takes precedence of all concrete laws and orders.

Q. If a person starts to work in 1941, will he pay 1 per cent or 1 1/2 per cent into the retirement fund? A. E. B. A. According to the provisions of the Social Security Act, salary taxes in the calendar year 1941 will be at the rate of 1 1/2 per cent regardless of whether the employee just began to work or whether he had been working since 1936.

Q. How long has the Children's Bureau been a part of the Government? W. H. A. The Children's Bureau was established by law of April 9, 1912.

Q. Was George Du Maurier, author of Peter Ibbotson, an artist? E. H. A. For many years he was an art contributor to Punch. He also illustrated many books and contributed drawings to a number of magazines.

Q. What is meant by a time deposit? W. J. A. This is a deposit of funds with a bank, under an agreement that the bank shall be entitled to use of the funds for a definite period, or until a certain number of days have elapsed after notice has been given of an intention to withdraw the deposit. Deposits in savings banks are normally time deposits.

Q. How long have been bred in this country? C. H. A. The honeybee was introduced into America more than 300 years ago.

Q. Where is Cathay? W. B. H. A. This is the name by which Marco Polo designated a part of Asia, probably North China.

Q. Please give a good definition of occupational therapy. E. G. B. A. Occupational therapy has been defined as the science of organizing work for invalids or as a form of remedial treatment consisting of various types of activities, physical or mental, which relieve a patient temporarily, or which either contribute to or hasten recovery from disease or injury. It is essential that occupational therapy be carried on under medical supervision and that it be consciously motivated.

Q. Why is a certain kind of picture writing called cuneiform? W. H. A. Cuneate means wedge-shaped or arrow-headed, and describes the general appearance of the characters.

Q. Why was Jonathan Edwards dismissed as pastor of a church in Northampton, Massachusetts? W. R. A. He was ordained in 1727 as minister of a Northampton church and was dismissed after 23 years because of his insistence that no unconverted person should be allowed to approach the Lord's table.

Q. Is there a monument to Astor, Queen of the Belgians? E. H. A. One is to be erected in Brussels. It was designed by Suzanne Silvercrus of New York and shows the Queen with her three children.

The HOLIDAY MYSTERY

Chapter XIII Ramon and Angeliue waited until their Pierre had gone, and the Indian, too, had walked slowly back to his post. Then they ventured from their hiding place.

"You'd better wait here and watch to see that no one comes from the house while I go see what disturbed Forest so," Ramon said, walking toward the ash pile. Then he, too, gave a start, and the exclamation which brought the girl running.

"What is it, Ramon? Oh—" Her voice trailed off in horror.

Visible among the mass of twisted, blackened boughs that had been the Christmas tree was a portion of a human arm—apparently Pearl Sam's arm, the hand looking much as it had when they had seen it with the candle dripping on it, except that now the gold ring was gone.

Angeliue swayed weakly and Ramon grasped her, pressing her face down on his shoulder.

"Quick, let's get out of here, before he comes back!" He led her, stumbling through his brother and then burned the evidence of his crime, but only you and I know it.

"And perhaps the Indian," Angeliue reminded him. "Maybe he did it instead of Pearl Pierre. That knife—"

"We don't know whether the Indian knows or not. He didn't go to look at the ash pile, remember."

"Because he might have known already what was there," she answered. "Yes, but Pearl Pierre is the one who really profits by his brother's death. I don't forget that he is the head of the family, and he has the say-so about a lot of things—the family money, for instance."

"They do seem to be rich, don't they? Though none of them do any work. Then they must have money put away some place. Is that what you think, Ramon?"

"I know it," he answered with conviction. "Pearl John as much as told me down in Santa Fe, when he'd had a couple of drinks."

"But the girl's mind was back again on what they had seen among the ashes, and she shivered and pressed closer. "What are you saying? Are you going to do now, Ramon? About that—I mean."

"He'll probably finish up his job so no one else will stumble on evidence that could be used against him. See—what'd I tell you?"

Pearl Pierre, carrying a large can, emerged from the kitchen end of the house, and circled around toward the edge of the mesa. Ramon and Angeliue hurried around the corner of the house, so that they would not meet him.

"Remember now—not a word to anyone, dearest," Ramon warned again as they came into the patio. "I promise not to tell, Ramon, if you think we shouldn't," she answered.

Pearl John met them in the hallway. Instantly Angeliue was all smiles and country, and she watched her talking with her host, he had to admit she was a good actress.

"Almost too good," he told himself. "If she was against a fellow instead of for him—look out! I'll wager she'll have Pearl Pierre's number before night."

"Where's Bob?" he asked. "Down at the garage, looking over his car," Pearl John answered. "It would sound silly, wouldn't it, for me to say how awfully sorry I am that all this had to happen, so you have to stay here? But my brother's sure the men will come today from Santa Fe. Then maybe we can get things straightened out."

"What things?" demanded Ramon, looking at him coldly. "What are you going to tell the officers if they do come—which I mean?"

"What do you mean by that?" Pearl John asked. "That nobody has been sent for," Ramon answered. "I don't think Pearl Pierre is anxious for outsiders to come mixing into his private affairs, if you want to know."

For a moment the younger de Forest did not answer, then he said, through set lips, "I only know what my brother said he had done. I'm sorry if you don't believe it. However, I can assure that the road down the canyon is being opened at this very minute. I sent the men to do it myself."

"Don't pay any attention to Ramon's tempers, please," broke in Angeliue. "He's likely to be crabby when he's hungry. We worked up an appetite walking on the mesa."

"You mean you walked farther than I did?" she demanded. "Pearl John, does Pearl Pierre know that? He left strict orders for nobody to leave the house unless we were told where they were going."

"Don't worry about that," was Ramon's cool reply. "Your cursed Indian guard was on the job at the head of the trail as usual, and no one is likely to try jumping off the edge of this place. We're very much prisoners on Thunder Mesa, Pearl John, as you know only too well, so don't let our short walk disturb you."

Pearl John started to say something, then evidently changed his mind. After a minute he excused himself, saying that he would see about hurrying luncheon.

"How much do you think he knows, Ramon?" Angeliue asked, curiously looking after their host. "Sometimes I think he's very, very nice. Then again—"

"He's probably not a bad sort when he's left to himself," he replied, "but I wouldn't put anything past any one of them when they're together. Listen to that now will you?"

Shrill screams came from the direction of Tante Josephine's room, bringing several maids running from the rear building. Betty, too, ran from the porch with a watering pot in her hand. Angeliue rushed up to her.

"What's the matter, Betty?" "I don't know. She was taking a nap when I left her," gasped Betty. "Here, take this, will you?"

Tante Josephine's door was open when they got there and the old woman was standing in the middle of the room, pounding her gold-headed cane on the floor and screaming wildly. Flecks of foam showed on her shriveled lips, and her short white hair was in disorder, though she had run her fingers through it in her rage.

"What is it?" asked Betty, easing her down into a big chair. "Here, drink this," Pearl John held out a glass of wine. "Now what's the matter with you, Tante Josephine? Tell us."

"The smoke—it's blowing into my room off the mesa! I won't have it! I hate smoke!" she cried breathlessly, pointing a skinny finger at the open window, where a thick spiral of smoke could be seen, rising from the edge of the mesa.

Ramon glanced sideways at Angeliue, and the same thought was in both their faces. Why should the smoke from a fire Pearl Pierre had probably started again on the ash pile have such an amazing effect on the old lady?

35 States Have Enacted Jobless Insurance Laws

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (P)—Thirty-five states have enacted unemployment insurance laws, the Social Security board reported today, with the possibility Delaware would join the procession before the year end deadline.

The Delaware legislature was deadlocked over a measure to comply with the federal security act but the board planned to stand by until late in the year.

Employers of eight or more persons in states which lack the insurance tomorrow must pay a federal tax of one per cent on their 1936 payrolls before Jan. 31.

Employers in states with laws approved by the security board can deduct from their assessments up to 90 per cent of its amount, what they pay in state unemployment taxes.

It is estimated about 17,000,000 workers are covered under the state and District of Columbia laws.

The 12 states certain to miss the deadline are Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, North Dakota, Washington and Wyoming.

PAMPA OF YESTERYEAR

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY Work on grading for the Denver Northern railway was in progress between the Arkansas and Pampa, and numerous residents were visiting the scene of operations.

A. A. U. W. with Mrs. Arthur Teed as president, sponsored a dance to benefit its scholarship fund.

The county commissioners court passed a resolution to annul permits for laying pipelines across highways except when granted upon written application.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY The Pampa High School was reorganized; Gilmore Nunn was elected president and Guy McTaggart, Tom Aldridge, M. W. Jones, Charles Burdett, and L. L. McCool as new directors.

A fire, the only one of the holidays here, started from a Christmas tree lighting system and destroyed the home of Mrs. Pauline Thurman.

Leopold I was elected king of the Belgians in 1831, after declining the crown of Greece in the previous year.

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PAMPANS LEAD DURING ENTIRE COURT BATTLE

NOBLITT AND COX PUT OUT ON PERSONAL FOULS

Coach Odus Mitchell's surprising Harvester basketball team went to Perryton last night and upset the highly-favored Rangers 20 to 18. It was the Rangers' first loss of the season.

The Pampans grabbed an early lead and held it the entire game. After losing a 20 to 10 decision to Groom's Tigers last week, Coach Mitchell changed his defense. Abandoning the man-to-man style of play which Mitchell has used successfully for several years, the boys kept their eyes on the ball in a modified zone defense.

The reserves lost to Perryton 19 to 15 in the first game. In this game McDonald scored 6 points, Shole 2, Reynolds 4, Kilgore 2 and Dull 1. Hudson led the shooting for Perryton with 8 points. McWilliams followed with 5, Hunt with 4, Morris with 1 and Kuhn with 1.

Reynolds who played in both games showed great improvement, as did Ayer, Cox, Dewey and the others. Reynolds made 2 points in the second game. Dewey 2, Noblitt 3, McDonald 2, Heiskell 2, Cox 1. Ayer held attention with outstanding defensive tactics. The Perryton points were made as follows: Pittman 5, Shalabarger 4, Morris 4 and Stewart 5.

PHYSICAL DIRECTOR OF CONGRESS GETS READY FOR ATHLETIC SEASON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30 (AP)—Peter Henderson, physical director for members of the House, put his gymnasium in order today for a serious session of congressional muscle bending.

George's 1936 peanut crop is especially good in yield.

College Grid Stars Will Clash In Shamrock Battle

Allen and Rush Will Coach Opposing Elevens

McLEAN, Dec. 30.—Football will have its final fling of the season Friday afternoon on Denver field in Shamrock where ex-stars of McLean and Shamrock high schools will once more pound the turf for their boyhood schools.

Allen will be at the helm of the former Tigers with Coach Garrison Rush in the same position with the Irishmen of past years.

Neither coach has named a starting lineup. The material on hand is so good that it will be difficult for the mentors to pick the right 11 to start the game.

George McCarty, four years high school, Amarillo college 1935, Altus college 1936, where he played 27 quarters at center; Hershel "Puff" McCarty, four years high school, ex-captain, all-region 1935, a tackle; Cricket Christian, four years high school, all-district 1934, three years fullback at McMurry, third leading scorer in conference 1935; Averil Christian, four years high school, ex-captain, will call signals from guard position; Orville Williams, two years high school, defensive and blocking star; "Sleepy" Dwight, one of the stars of the 1936 team; Norvel Back, great center for the 1933 squad.

Larry Cunningham, three years high school, all-district, ex-captain, star halfback for Hardin-Simmons freshman, 1935; Lewis "Snorter" Tolliver, four years high school, ex-captain, all-district back, outstanding for Arkansas Tech for two years and captain-elect of the 1937 team; Benjie Cable, great tackle of the 1931-32 teams; Roy Laswell, three years high school, captain of the 1936 team and most valuable player; Dusty King, two years a star guard.

Coach Rush's 21 former Irishmen have been heard of before. Complete records of the players are not available. The Irishmen practicing are:

Gayle Young, now with Texas A. & M.; S. B. Skidmore, with Altus college; Ross Mills, at Altus; Doyle Fuller, attending Texas Wesleyan; N. Davis, at Hardin-Simmons; Frank Mitchell, S.W.S.T. college, Weatherford, Okla.; George Crose, Davis-Elkins; Vernon Close, former all-American with Vanderbilt; "Pig" Chance, B. F. Cain, Bill Cain, Williams, Gerald O'Gorman, D. Trostle, Ursey, Art Skidmore, Kenneth Koger, Weldon Rook, Clay Rook, Tom Drake, Ernest Blake.

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ROSE BOWL GRID CAMPAIGN REACHES KNIFE-FORK STAGE

Jacobs Expects to Saddle 180 Winners

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 30 (AP)—The Rose Bowl football campaign has reached the knife and fork stage and the Pittsburgh and Washington teams in fighting array can not be far behind.

Jacobs equalled the record of 147 winners set 14 years ago by "Cowboy" Irwin. He had 166 to his credit when Tropical Park opened in 1922, and many figured the 32-year old trainer's judgment had been warped by three years of senescence.

Freddie Lindstrom Will Try Comeback

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP)—Freddie Lindstrom, once the "boy wonder" of baseball, is going back to the game he quit in disgust when he deserted the Brooklyn Dodgers last May.

STRIKE OUT! CHICAGO (AP)—Raphael Strike, 43, struck out in Superior Court. His wife, Lena, 32, was granted a divorce after she testified Strike drove her. She was awarded custody of four little Strikes, the eldest 9 years old.

'BOWL' GAMES ARE OPPOSED

'LET'S LET FOOTBALL ALONE,' SEEMS TO BE KEYNOTE

NEW YORK, Dec. 30 (AP)—Although athletic subsidization and the forward pass interference ruling apparently haven't given the collegiate bigwigs much trouble at their annual meetings, they have found plenty of chances to "view with alarm" in other fields.

But, as the meeting headed toward their windup today, the sessions had uncovered these situations:

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP)—The birth month of Julius Caesar was called Quintilis by the Romans until he died, then it was renamed July.

leaves he still has at least four years of major league baseball left. He quit the Dodgers because he was no longer able to earn his salary. Injuries had forced him to the bench and he sat there brooding over his misfortune. He finally decided, all of a sudden, to quit. He left Brooklyn that night to go into the Wisconsin woods for a rest to bring himself together.

Only Downpour Will Prevent Passing Duel

DALLAS, Dec. 30 (AP)—Only a different type. The flip of a coin may decide which pigskin will be thrown around by Messrs. Baugh and Buivid unless the coaches agree.

Cotton Bowl officials said today the Amarillo Golden Sandstorm, three times state schoolboy champion, would be in the stands for the classic. Amarillo natives decided to reward the Sandies with a trip to the game.

Yesterday was the final day of strenuous labor for the Christians and Avalanche. Light drills in passing and kicking was the order for today with a final warmup tomorrow.

Except for Willie Walls, veteran Horned Frog end, both teams reported in fine physical condition. To ease the fans' minds Baugh and Buivid are suffering from nothing more than impatience for game time to arrive, they said.

SQUADS PRACTICING FOR EAST-WEST TILT

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30 (AP)—After a week of intensive practice, Eastern and Western football squads began to shape up today for the Shrine East-West game here January 1.

Only light workouts were in prospect for the college all-stars, with emphasis on fundamentals, the finer points, and special plays.

The Western squad, drilling at Stanford university under Coach Percy Lokey and Orin "Babe" Hollingbery, tossed passes and kicked in its first practice yesterday.

Touch football was used by the Eastern players to run signals and smooth out plays at their University of California camp.

Rosalind Russell never does her Christmas shopping in December. She always completes it in November.

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	Rewco—Eye 2 Years Old, pt. 1.14	
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22 Tiny balls of medicine.
23 She is — by birth.
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27 Valuable property.
29 Wing.
31 Evil.
35 Quickly.
36 Personal enemies.
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40 Spigot.
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43 To bellow.
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53 Within.
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60 Door rug.
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THE FINANCIAL WHIRLIGIG

By LOUIS SCHNEIDER

DISAPPOINTED. It may now be told that New York, Boston, St. Louis and Chicago department store executives were disappointed by the holiday business results. Sales volume was larger than a year ago but the gains were well below expectations. According to your correspondent's informant, these cities didn't do so well because office help didn't benefit from increased salaries or dividend distributions. The bulk of the increased business was done in industrial towns where wages were lifted. This, of course, permitted larger spending. Office workers are thrifty.

SPECULATIVE. Canada Dry Ginger Ale isn't regarded as a stock market leader but it has been one during the past few weeks. The fact that the company reported lower earnings for its fiscal year ended with September 30 didn't dampen speculative enthusiasm for the shares. Those taking positions say that the lower income was due to heavy costs for expansion and policy changes. They say that since all corporate internal matters had been completed the current fiscal year will reap the benefit financially. It is admitted, however, that takers of the stock aren't doing so for investment purposes but rather for speculative profits.

FACTS. The wave of strikes marks recovery in industrial activity—labor unrest is "normal" during such periods. United States government's current debt close to \$35,000,000—last year this time it was about five billion dollars less. Ambassador Bullitt is discussing settlement of French war debts owed to the United States—will be in partial payments when agreement is reached. Great Britain has laid down 200,000 tons of new war vessels this year. The Ford Motor Company has entered the transit bus field with a bus priced at under \$4,000—seats 25 passengers and has space for as many standees. Rail freight traffic volume must increase 10 per cent if 1937 earnings are to equal 1936 figures now that the ICC has refused to extend emergency freight rate surcharge. Eighty-four years ago this week B. & O. completed its lines from Baltimore to the Ohio river—that's why the carrier was named Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

NEW HAVEN. Those close to the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad setup say that the various committees surveying its properties are ready to disclose their findings. The inside dope is that recommendation will be made for a divorcement of unprofitable properties and leases. The idea of the suggestions will be to get the road back to straight

railroading. As it is it owns traction lines and other properties not part of railroading. But it was also disclosed by your correspondent's informant that the financial reorganization of New Haven will consume considerable time before it is completed.

BULLISH. There has been a steady demand for the Standard Oil of California shares. Two reasons are given. The first is that the company's 1936 earnings will be the best since 1930. The second is that directors will be more liberal dividend payers during the new year.

Because of the organization's dominant position on the Pacific coast, Standard Oil of California is in excellent position to benefit from the sustained improvement in the industry. Over-production curtailed earnings during 1935. This situation was corrected during 1936. Prospects for 1937 are bullish.

FERTILIZERS. Fertilizer trade insiders say that the 1937 outlook is bright. Sales volume is expected to be the largest in years. This attributed to two factors. The first is that higher crop prices usually encourage increased planting. The second is that the price structure has taken a decided turn for the better. That is why the trade believes that after years of hard sledding and unsatisfactory profits the fertilizer industry is headed for earnings improvement.

REPORTS ARE THAT: Curtiss-Wright Corporation now benefiting from its costly 1929 expansion program. Stone and Webster's simple corporate setup accounts for favorable long term potentialities. Hudson Bay Mining's 1936 net placed at \$1.50 a share. Higher tobacco prices work against profits of cigaret manufacturers. General Electric's 1936 net estimated at \$1.50 a share. Laclede Steel will show over \$125 a share for 1937. Strength of Yellow Truck attributed to being of a British group. Mail order prospects bullish due to increased farmer's in-

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LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS

BY WILL H. MAYES

In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. An evidence of good faith inquirers must give their names and addresses, but only their initials will be printed. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. What is helium gas and where is it obtained? T. F. D.

A. It is the lightest of all gasses except hydrogen and because of its nonflammability it is valuable for use in lighter-than-air transportation. The United States operates the only helium gas field in the world, near Amarillo.

Q. Was the Snively expedition a really honorable one or would it be classed as banditry? M. M.

A. While Col. Jacob Snively received authority from the Texas secretary of war to organize the expedition for the purpose of intercepting a richly-laden wagon train en route from St. Louis to Santa Fe, it was composed of a band of volunteers who financed themselves and expected to be repaid for their advances and services from the spoils.

Q. What was Santa Anna's route to the San Jacinto battlefield? A. T.

A. He left San Antonio with his division, March 31, and reached San Felipe, April 7, where he found that the Texas officials had gone to Harrisburg; went down the river and effected a crossing at Fort

Bend; reached Harrisburg on 18th and found officials had gone; burned Harrisburg and followed to New Washington, reaching there on the 18th just after they had taken a boat for Galveston Island, and was on way to Lynch's Ferry, on 20th, when Col. Sidney Sherman's cavalry troop was encountered.

Prior to Texas independence, did the territory of the Department of Bexar extend as far south or west as the Rio Grande? R. F. M.

A. The Nueces was the southern and western boundary of the Department or Province of Bexar prior to Texas independence.

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MAHATMA GANDHI MAY DROP NEGATIVE POLICY

BOMBAY, Dec. 30 (P)—Mahatma Gandhi, was described by close associates today as ready to forsake his negative policy of non-resistance and lead India's masses in an active campaign for independence from Great Britain.

Amazement was expressed throughout India at the astute comeback from retirement of the little Indian leader staged at the Faizpur national congress, regarded as a certain harbinger of a new era of activity. His impassioned assertions, "Show me the way and I'm prepared to go back to jail," and "I'm prepared to be hanged," were interpreted as the beginning of new emancipation efforts.

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LISTEN, TOAR, IF THERE'S ANY DANGER I WANTS NO-YOU STAY IN ON IT HERE—TOAR'S EYES SEE IN DARK

I GO—MAYBE I KETCH

A Bird's Eye View

NOW, POPPA, DON'T LOOK SO BLUE—TOAR AN' ME'LL PROTECK YA—I SEZ WE WILL

HAH! I SEE—

By E. C. SEGAL

I KILL! I TEAR TO PIECES!!

ALLEY OOP

WELL HAFTA CARRY HIM BACK TO TH' PALACE AN' BRING 'IM TO, SO'S WE CAN FIND OUT WHO IS TH' OTHER GUY WHO WAS IN WITH WUR—

OL' TUNK ACCIDENTALLY KNOCKED OUT BY MY THROWN AXE? HUH! WHATCHA GONNA DO WITH 'IM, NOW?

Stormy Horizon

SA GOOD THING FER YOU, Y'SHOWNED UP WHEN YDID—OR WED A THOUGHT YDID IT ON PURPOSE, T'KEEP SUMPIN' HID—

WHO, ME? AW, FER—WHAT'D I HAFTA KEEP HID?

By HAMLIN

YEH, AN' I GOTTA HUNCH WELL LEARN PLENTY, TOO— UM, HMM— I THINK SOME OF THIS PLOT ORIGINATED IN MOO—

WELL, I GUESS I'LL BE GOIN' I GOT SOME IMPORTANT THINGS TDO—

GOLLY—I GOTTA FIND TH' GRAND WIZER AN' TIP 'IM OFF, QUICK!

BOY, WHAT A SPOT! WHY DID I EVER GET MIXED UP IN THIS?

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SST—MYRA—WHAT ABOUT THAT CLUE YOU FOUND ON THE BACK OF SIR CEDRIC'S CHAIR—WE'RE ON THE SPOT, NOW—PLENTY!

Myra Springs a Surprise

NOT SO LOUD, JACK! I DON'T WANT TO AROUSE ANYONE'S SUSPICIONS... I'LL NEED YOUR HELP FOR A LITTLE EXPERIMENT BEFORE I MAKE ANY ACCUSATIONS—

By THOMPSON AND COLL

INSPECTOR EMPTEE—I BELIEVE I CAN TELL YOU DEFINITELY WHO COMMITTED THE BRUTAL MURDER'S... BUT, FIRST, I WOULD LIKE A WORD WITH YOU, ALONE!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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Tag Gets Around It

IF YOU HADN'T STARTED SUCH A FUSS ABOUT FRECKLES BEING TOO YOUNG TO HAVE GIRLS, TAG WOULDN'T BE SO INSPIRED TO CARRY GOSSIP TO YOU!

BUT THIS IS IMPORTANT!

YOUR MOTHER IS RIGHT, TAG! I DON'T WANT YOU TO BE A TALE-BEARER! IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO SAY, KEEP FRECKLES' AND MY NAME OUT OF IT!

OKAY!

By BLOSSER

NOW, WHAT HAVE YOU TO SAY?

YOUR OLDEST SON IS UPSTAIRS, SHAVING WITH HIS FATHER'S RAZOR!!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

OH, BUT YOU COULDN'T! I MEAN—OF COURSE YOU COULD—BUT WE HEARD THAT HE WAS OVER IN THE ORIENT SOMEWHERE

EXACTLY! I TALKED TO HIM ABOUT TEN DAYS AGO

YOU CAN IMAGINE BOOTS' SURPRISE WHEN BILLY SAID HE ACTUALLY KNEW TRAVIS R. ALLEN

Of All Things!

YES! YOU SEE, I FLEW OVER ON THE CHINA CLIPPER

YOU DID?

By MARTIN

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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1-Card of Thanks. We wish to express our deep appreciation of the many kindnesses and sympathy shown us, by our friends and neighbors, during the illness and death of our small daughter and sister, Joyce Sharon. Paul and Doris Rusk and son Brian

2-Special Notices. I will not be responsible for any debts or checks given, signed by me, unless I personally, Mrs. C. W. Melissa Bradford, am present, and contract the account or give the check. Signed: C. W. Bradford, Estate of Melissa Bradford.

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Announcements (Cont.) 3-Bus-Travel-Transportation. LEAVING for Oklahoma City 7 a. m. Saturday. Can take 3 passengers. 1c-231

4-Lost and Found. LOST-Wire-haired terrier, female, dog. Reasonable reward. Call Mr. Mobley, 488. 2p-232

EMPLOYMENT 5-Male Help Wanted. YOUNG MAN with car. Honest, reliable. Hard worker, good pay. Mr. Freeman, 111-B W. Kinross. 34b-231

6-Female Help Wanted. COMPETENT girl for housework and care of children. Phone 395 or 674. 1c-231

ROOMS AND BOARD 43-Sleeping Rooms. 44-Room and Board. 45-Housekeeping Rooms. 46-Unfurnished Rooms.

FOR RENT REAL ESTATE 47-Houses For Rent. 48-Furnished House For Rent. 49-Apartment For Rent. 50-Furnished Apartments. 51-Farm Property For Rent. 52-Suburban Property For Rent. 53-Garages For Rent.

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE 54-City Property For Sale. 55-Business Property For Sale. 56-Lots For Sale. 57-Farms and Tracts. 58-Out of Town Property. 59-Wanted Real Estate.

FINANCIAL 60-Building-Financing. 61-Investments. 62-Money To Loan. 63-Loans To Borrow. 64-Insurance.

FOR SALE ON TRADE 70-Real Estate. 71-Miscellaneous. 72-Personal.

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43-Sleeping Rooms. NICE BEDROOM adjoining bath. Close in. Ph. 783. 315 North Somerville. 6c-236

44-Room and Board. HOME COOKED meals. Congenial surroundings. Close in. 500 East Foster. Ph. 1157.

47-Houses For Rent. To Permanent Renters: Modern 5-Room House. Well furnished. 2 blocks from town, on pavement. References required. Address Box B-1, care NEWS

48-Furnished House for Rent. 3-ROOM furnished house, 2 blocks west, 1 block north Hilltop Grocery. Call at home in rear. 2p-232

49-Apartments for Rent. MODERN 4-ROOM unfurnished apartment. 522 S. Cuyler. 2p-231

50-Furnished Apartments. 2-ROOM basement apartment with billiard table. \$20. 305 Sunset Drive. 3c-233

51-Farm Property For Rent. PASTURE for cattle. J. A. Purvis. 6p-230

52-Suburban Property For Rent. 4-Room furnished apartment. 1000 E. Browning. 6c-236

53-Garages For Rent. 2-ROOM furnished apartment. Bills paid. 1000 E. Browning. 6c-236

54-City Property For Sale. WELL LOCATED 3-room house for sale. Will trade for Amarillo property. Phone 1035-W. 1c-231

55-Business Property For Sale. ATTRACTIVE small home. Good terms. Will consider late model used car as down payment. 1231 East Francis.

56-Lots For Sale. DUNCAN BLDG. Phone 166

57-Farms and Tracts. JOHN L. MIKESSELL. SOLD The Christmas special we advertised last week. Other buyers looking for "Specials." Do you have a "Special"? When you advertise "Special" we mean "Special" price. "Special" advertisement for the sake of prosperity in 1937.

58-Out of Town Property. HOMES - 9 Ra. One block from high school on paving. A splendid rental. 4 R. Modern, near paving, hardwood floors, newly decorated. Price \$1750. Terms: 4 R. E. front, corner lot, beautiful lawn, price \$1900. 5 R. and 3 R. one hundred ft. on corner, facing E. at edge of city. Move out where you can have chickens, cow, and garden as well as rental income.

59-Wanted Real Estate. OUR BUSINESS "Special" price. "Special" advertisement for the sake of prosperity in 1937.

60-Building-Financing. EQUIPPED filling station. Good location. Inquire Zeb Feed Store. 10c-234

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MERCHANDISE 25-Miscellaneous For Sale. 4 ROOMS of household furniture. Will sell all or part. 1016 Wilks St. 6p-235

FURNITURE SPECIALS. Bedroom suite \$37.50. Table-top gasoline range will exchange for fine stove. Living room suite \$16.50 to \$35.00. Odd dressers \$5 to \$8.50. Gas ranges \$5.50 to \$16.00. 5-piece dining room suite \$15.50. Pampa Transfer and Storage, Ph. 1025. 6c-232

OIL INDUSTRY FACING BEST YEAR IN MANY

WHETHER CRUDE PRICE WILL BE RAISED IS CONJECTURED

TULSA, Dec. 30 (AP)—Clear and sunny, broadly speaking, is the 1937 business horizon of the petroleum industry.

Almost without exception, its leaders agree the most prosaic history faces its best prospects in history.

Barring unforeseen developments, they look forward to an even higher peak in the prosperity to which it climbed in 1935 and 1936.

Just one cloud, in the immediate foreground of the picture, has oilmen concerned today. That is whether the 17-cent advance in crude prices, initiated by Continental and effective Jan. 4, will be followed by other major companies.

Barnsdall followed Continental's lead but resistance to the hike, maintained unofficially by other major companies, was apparent.

General predictions a month ago were that other companies would await action of regulatory bodies in setting January allowances. Then the Texas Railroad commission increased the state's allowable for January to 1,248,007 barrels daily, compared to the bureau of mines estimated demand of 1,176,000 barrels.

Louisiana also increased its allowable for January.

The new year will find the industry divided into two camps on the question. It was a problem expected to be disposed of speedily.

Foremost prosperity prediction was the statement of Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the Texas Railroad commission and interstate oil compact commission.

"The greatest prosperity in the oil industry that America ever has seen," was his prediction, followed with the statement that oil reserves in storage had been reduced 50,000,000 barrels, with only 50 days supply above the ground.

Thompson and other leading figures had praise for the interstate oil compact and the close cooperation of state regulatory bodies to prevent waste and control production. They urged maintenance of that control system. There were no dissenting voices to that view.

The bureau of mines predicted two bright estimates indicative of better things to come in the new year.

A daily crude oil demand for January of 2,998,500 barrels, a new peak and 68,100 higher than December.

A domestic demand for motor fuel in January of 34,900,000 barrels, 7.3 per cent higher than the actual demand of January, 1936.

300 Indians Are Marooned on Mesa. GALLUP, N. M., Dec. 30 (AP)—Lack of communications facilities with the Painted Desert area 100 miles west of here left undecided today the question whether 300 Indians, marooned on a great mesa by a snowstorm yesterday, had endured the freezing night without hardships.

No word was forthcoming today from Window Rock, Ariz. Navajo reservation headquarters, which ordered Indian Service trucks to the rescue.

The trucks had to negotiate a poor road made virtually impassable by heavy snowdrifts, reports said, on the 25-mile stretch from Ganado trading post to where the Indians had gone for their spectacular "fire dance."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



THE GREAT BEAR CONSTELLATION WAS KNOWN AS SUCH BY BOTH THE NORTH AMERICANS AND THE ANCIENTS OF THE OLD WORLD.



SINGING IN THE BATH TUB IS AN OLD ROMAN CUSTOM! "SUNT MULTI, QUIQUE LAVANTES, SLAVE LOCUS VOCI RESONAT CONCLUSUS" ... FROM HORACE.



ALTHOUGH the stars in the Great Bear are not arranged in any way suggesting a bear, the constellation has gone by this name since the dawn of civilization. It was known by that name in Asia, Egypt, Greece, Rome, the far north, and, when America was discovered, the Indians were found to be calling it "the Bear and the Hunters."

NEXT: How many buffalo were there in the primitive herds roaming the American West?

Minute By Minute at Station KPND

THURSDAY 6:30—Organ Novelties. 7:00—Musical Clock. 7:00—Walker-Uppers. 8:30—Overnight News. 8:45—Lost and Found Bureau. 8:50—Announcer's Choice. 9:00—Shopping With Sue. 9:25—Concert Interlude. 9:30—Better Vision. 9:35—Musical Surprise. 9:40—Micro News. 9:45—On the Mail (Borger). 10:00—The Chef. 10:15—Morning Melange. 10:45—Hawaiian Moods. 10:50—Hawaiian Moods.

11:00—Hollywood Brevities. 11:15—Just About Time. 11:30—Luncheon Dansant. 12:00—Oscar & Elmer. 12:05—Organ Treasures. 12:15—Waltz Time. 12:30—For Mother and Dad. 12:45—Noon News. 1:00—Miles of Smiles. 1:30—Dance Hour. 1:45—Man on the Street. 2:00—Rhythm and Romance. 2:15—Siesta. 2:30—For Mother and Dad. 3:00—The Year in Review. 5:00—Buckshot and His Gang. 5:15—Musical Moments. 5:30—Sign Off.

AMERICAN FIRM GIVEN CONTRACT TO OPEN COLONY. LONDON, Dec. 30 (AP)—A 75-year concession opening 270,000 square miles of virgin territory in Afghanistan has been awarded to a United States firm, the Inland Exploration company of New York, high diplomatic circles said today.

Ogden L. Mills, former secretary of the treasury, is one of the financiers backing the Inland company, these high sources asserted.

The concession, described as "probably the greatest untapped oil reserve in the world," was said to have been negotiated with the Afghan government by Charles C. Hart, former American minister to Albania and Persia, and Frederick G. Clapp, technical expert with offices in New York.

The Inland Exploration company is controlled by the Seaboard Oil company. The Texas company is said to be interested through sizeable stockholding in the Seaboard Oil company of Delaware. Fisher brothers of Detroit are also understood to be interested.

According to a reported understanding with the Afghan government, the company binds itself to make every reasonable effort to build up production to 40,000,000 barrels after 10 years.

The second problem for this government is created by ending of the fortification "status quo" in the Pacific simultaneously with the termination of the naval limitations.

The Washington accord included an agreement among the United States, Great Britain and Japan to refrain from erecting new fortifications or naval bases in certain of their far eastern territories.

Great Britain has proposed the agreement be renewed, but this and recent suggestions in the Tokyo press that Japan was prepared to discuss the question evoked no comment in official quarters.

Responsible sources said this government plans to await a further crystallization of issues.

POSTOFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON JANUARY 1

The postoffice will be closed all day Friday, New Year's Day, Postmaster C. H. Walker announced today. There will be no street or rural delivery and no windows will be open.

Mail will be dispatched as usual. Boxes will be worked and special delivery letters will be delivered. Box rent for the first quarter of 1937 is now due. Boxholders are urged to make their deposits before Friday.

Postmaster Walker has a woman's hat which was found in the lobby before Christmas. The owner may have it upon identification.

HIGHEST COURT VIOLATED LAW SAYS RICHBERG

RECENT DECISIONS OF JUSTICES ARE CHALLENGED

CHICAGO, Dec. 30 (AP)—Donald Richberg, lawyer and former administrator of the NRA, told a distinguished audience of political scientists today that the greatest danger to American government in the last two years was "unconstitutional extensions of judicial power."

He challenged four of the Supreme Court's recent major decisions, declaring: "As a lawyer, I must logically insist that the appropriate way to correct these errors is not to amend the constitution, but to amend the opinions of the Supreme Court."

Richberg's remarks were contained in an address prepared for delivery before a joint meeting of the American Political Science association and the American Association for Labor Legislation. He asserted the opinions of the Supreme Court in the AAA, Guffey coal bill, municipal bankruptcies and minimum wage cases were not regarded as "correct or reasonable interpretations" of the constitution by a large number of authorities upon constitutional law.

To return these opinions, he said, "it was necessary for the majority of the court to deny to the legislative branch of the government the right to use its judgment in the exercise of a legislative power expressly conferred by the constitution."

CHANG TO STAND TRIAL FOR CHINESE MUTINY

NANKING, Dec. 30 (AP)—The rebellious young Marshal Chang Hsieh-Liang has been ordered to stand trial before the Nanking military commission tomorrow morning for his mutiny at Sianfu, authoritative quarters disclosed today.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, who was held captive by Chang for two weeks and then released in a sudden turning of the tables, will preside at the trial.

Officials declined to speculate on the verdict but professed the belief "it is no routine matter with the outcome already determined."

The generalissimo, who was expected to go to Peking today to the funeral of his elder brother, declared departure.

Chiang again submitted his resignation from the high posts he held in the government as an indication of the responsibility he feels for Chian's attempt to force war on Japan and inclusion of communists in the government.

It was refused. A month's leave of absence however, was granted to allow him to recuperate.

MEXICAN CHILD IS TAKEN BY PNEUMONIA

Lucretia Mendoza, 9-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mendoza, died at the family home, Santa Fe section house, early this morning. She had been ill with pneumonia just a few days. Mr. Mendoza is section foreman for the Santa Fe and has been here nearly 10 years.

Survivors are the parents and 11 brothers and sisters, Natania D. Tony, Vicenta, Albert, Jane, Mary, Felix, Saturnino, Nicasio, Ananda and Eridio C.

Funeral services will be conducted at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning in Holy Souls church and Rev. Father Joseph Wonderly officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview cemetery under direction of Pampa Mortuary.

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FOR THE First Baby of the Year

WHO'LL WIN THESE PRIZES?

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2. Parents must be residents of Gray county.
3. Date, hour, and minute of birth must be certified by attending Physician.
4. Report birth to New Year Baby Contest Editor of NEWS.
5. Prizes awarded to first white baby born in 1937 according to decision of Editor.
6. Name of baby and parents to be published in NEWS, as soon as information is available.



We wish for the New Year Baby the best of health, wealth, and happiness throughout a long and prosperous career!

We have a present for the lucky youngster!

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NEW YEAR BABY

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Infant Gowns	25c	Diapers, Doz.	98c
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Baby Pillows	29c	Dresses	98c

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FREE Laundry service to the
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For the baby we have Carter's Jiff-on shirts and
gowns, they require no tape, no pins, no buttons;
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pieces of furniture, highchair, jumper, and seat for
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and, of course, we have a wide selection of dresses.

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Fine zephyr and angora knit
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