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PACE IS FREED OF INDICTMENT

GRAY'S OIL PRODUCTION SOARS AS PRORATION LOOMS

RECORD SNOWFALL IS RECEIVED BY MANY TEXAS CITIES

PANHANDLE IS FAIR AS OTHER PARTS SUFFER

Hillsboro With Total of 25 Inches Is Unusual

PIONEER NEVER "SAW THE LIKE"

Three Deaths Charged to Mishaps Due to Weather

By the Associated Press
With winter's official debut still a day in the future, Texas witnessed its greatest snow in years Friday. The flakes blanketed almost the entire southern and central area, from El Paso to Beaumont and from Del Rio to Texarkana.

Far northern cities, by some whimsy of the weather man, escaped the brunt of the storm. Dallas and Fort Worth struggled through the mad of rapidly melting flakes, while in Amarillo, usually the coldest place in Texas, country club members took advantage of a brightly shining sun to prepare for the annual mid-winter golf tournament.

One fatality near Snyder, brought the total to three deaths in automobile accidents due to slippery roads and poor visibility. D. H. Watel was killed when his car skidded on a slippery hill, overturning and pinning him underneath. Capt. J. E. Cameron, head of a Galveston nautical school, was critically injured in an accident between Houston and Beaumont. It was not learned whether the accident was blamed on weather conditions. Two died last night.

Cattle in Danger

Some concern was felt tonight for cattle on the ranges as snow depths as great as 25 inches were reported and depths from 6 to 12 inches common over a large area. Recent rains put the rangers in excellent condition, however, and unless an unusual drop in temperatures accompany the snow no great loss is anticipated.

Although escaping heavy snow, the lower Rio Grande valley felt the unusual cold and rain, while some points expected sleet or snow tonight. Market advices from San Antonio were that harvest of the spinach crop in the winter garden would be delayed.

Little wind and only moderate cold accompanied the snow. In most places it fell in huge, fluffy flakes, steadily hour after hour, and raising high hopes for a white Christmas. If the snow holds, it will be the first white Christmas in many years for the far southern and south-central areas.

Hillsboro held the unofficial record, the fall there reported as 25 inches. This unusual mark is equal to approximately two and one-half inches of rain. It was said to have been recorded on snow gauges. Traffic was reported

(See WEATHER, page 6.)

OREGON GOVERNOR IS PNEUMONIA VICTIM

SALEM, Ore., Dec. 21. (AP)—Governor I. L. Patterson of Oregon, died at his home at 8:30 o'clock tonight from pneumonia.

The governor's illness until tonight had not been considered serious. He was believed to have been suffering from a severe cold but tonight his physician, Dr. W. H. Morse admitted the cold had developed into pneumonia.

Mrs. Patterson was at her husband's bedside.

Until tonight the public had not been aware of the governor's illness.

Former Captain Given 40 Years in Robbery Case

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 21. (AP)—Clyde A. McNeil, former captain in the National guard, was sentenced to serve 40 years in the penitentiary for bank robbery today by a jury which openly expressed its regret at the verdict.

McNeil was convicted of the robbery of the First National bank here. The principal state witness was an alleged accomplice, Tom Bird Ervin, who was a former mess sergeant in McNeil's company.

When he read the jury's verdict, L. L. Danford, foreman, told McNeil that the jury felt its deep responsibility, and every juror extended to the defendant his heartfelt sympathy.

McNeil indicated that he would fight the conviction.

Three Missourians Die at Crossing

SIKESTON, Mo., Dec. 21. (AP)—Three men of near Lilbourn, Mo., were instantly killed this afternoon 9 miles south of here, when their small roadster was struck by Northbound Frisco passenger train number 802.

The dead: Bob Trogmartin, Bernie Holiness and Ted McColl, all about 25 years old. Coroner C. A. Chiles of New Madrid county deferred an inquest until additional witnesses could be summoned. Side curtains on the car are believed to have prevented the driver from seeing the train.

Atlantic Fliers Moving

NATAL, Brazil, Dec. 21. (AP)—Major Tadeo Larre-Borges and Lieut. Leon Challes, the Uruguayan-French aviation team which flew from Seville to a point near here, left at 11.20 a. m., today in an aero-postal plane. They are expected to reach Rio Janeiro tomorrow afternoon where they will be guests of the Brazilian government.

National Grain Corporation Runs Wheat Upward by Threat of Buying

CHICAGO, Dec. 21. (AP)—The Farmers' National Grain corporation, child of the federal farm board, stepped into the breach today with telling effect. The wheat pit enjoyed its most buoyant day in weeks.

Wheat futures jumped up 4 cents a bushel at the opening of the market, slipped back a bit and then marched on to a day's gain of 4 5/8 to 5 1/2 cents. As the gong ended the short session prices were once more in front of the loan value specified by the farm board.

Prices at the finish were: December wheat \$1.21 1/4; March \$1.27 1/8 to 1/4; May 1.30 3/4 to 7/8; and July 1.31 5/8 to 7/8.

The \$20,000,000 cooperative corporation decided to act yesterday when wheat went skidding below the loan level and rested at nearly the bottom of a month's decline of 17 cents a

RECENT WELLS CAUSING FLOW TO INCREASE

Daily Total of Week Is Nearly 73,000 Barrels

AREA COULD BE GREAT LEADER

Still Greater Cut Is Held Vital by Producers

Not in three months had Gray county oil wells produced 72,981 barrels daily, the amount they flowed during the last week to raise the production 8,339 barrels over that of the previous seven-day period.

Completion of seven good wells during the week ending Dec. 14 and three huge gushers in the preceding week-ends were responsible for the biggest gain in production in four months. Operators say this is just a mere indication of what the Gray county pools would produce "if the companies were turned loose." The three gushers were brought in by Texas company and Phillips Petroleum company on the Coombs-Worley lease for a total daily production of 17,000 barrels.

However, the biggest slump in production is expected the first weeks in January, when the proration plan is scheduled to go into effect. At a meeting here last Friday oil company and pipe line officials agreed to cut the production down to about 40,000 barrels which is the amount of oil the purchasing agencies will buy each day after the first of the year. The operators will meet here Dec. 27 to adopt a proration plan which is now being drafted by a committee of three men. It is expected the curtailment measure will apply to all the Gray county pools.

The belief that Gray county is only an infant producer compared to what it will be some day was expressed by the officials in the meeting Friday. One of them predicted that the southern portion of Gray county extending from the Carson county line to the Wheeler county line would be one great oil field. He said the oil that has been taken out of the ground thus far "is not a drop in the bucket compared to the oil still under the ground."

The total daily production of the Panhandle fields this week was 110,784 barrels, a gain of 7,994 barrels over the previous week.

Wells and their production compared with the previous week follow:
Carson—195 wells producing 9,748 barrels, a gain of 139 barrels.
Gray—496 wells producing 72,981, an increase of 8,339 barrels.
Hutchinson—985 wells producing 26,611 barrels, a loss of 611 barrels.

(See PRODUCTION, page 6.)

YOUNG GIRLS ARE CAUGHT WHILE SHOPLIFTING

Loud weeps and wailing came from two adjoining Pampa houses yesterday when two 10-year old girls who had not quite become expert shop-lifters were being given "the worst lickings they ever got" by their embarrassed mothers.

Chief J. I. Downs had just left with the two big armfuls of merchandise which the two children, not sisters, had stuffed up their coat sleeves, under their coats, and in their pockets at various stores of the town during the last week.

The girls were caught at the K. C. Store early Saturday afternoon when the manager saw an under-garment fall from beneath the cloak of one to the floor. Investigation revealed the garment was taken from the L. T. Hill store. The girls, police learned had told their mothers the merchandise taken home was Christmas gifts which had been given them at school, and at their Sunday school class by their friends. At first, each blamed the other for the thefts, then they declared another girl had stolen the goods and had given it to them. As the accused girl had been sick all week, they finally confessed.

Kentucky Men "Shoot It Out" on Streets of City

PAINTSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 21. (AP)—In a pistol battle fought in the downtown section here early tonight, Patrolman Jess Dills, of Paintsville, was killed and Joe Castle, former constable of Johnson county, was believed fatally wounded. At the hospital it was said he was not expected to live through the night.

The streets were crowded with shoppers when Castle accosted Dills, who had arrested John Marshall, Johnson county jailer, and was taking him to the police station to be booked on a charge of drunkenness.

Castle, bystanders said, told Marshall: "You don't have to go to jail unless you want." Thereupon Dills produced a revolver and the two men started firing. Each emptied his gun.

Both men fell wounded, Dills dying as he was being taken to a hospital. Dills was a veteran of the world war. Castle was constable until about a month ago.

Marshall fled in the midst of the battle.

Byrd Is Awarded Rank of Admiral

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. (AP)—Richard Evelyn Byrd became a rear admiral today and word of President Hoover's signing the congressional act raising his rank went out tonight to the explorer's headquarters in the Antarctic.

At 41, Byrd is the youngest living navy officer holding the title which is the highest it is possible to be granted permanently during peace times.

CATTLEMAN IS SHOT TO DEATH BY POLICE CHIEF

IDABEL, Okla., Dec. 21. (AP)—Jockey Elkins, 27, prominent Idabel rodeo promoter and cattleman, was killed here tonight after he was alleged to have advanced on Chief of Police J. J. Touchstone with an opened knife. The shooting occurred about 11 p. m.

Witnesses said Elkins was shot after the officer had told him to go home without further argument but instead the cattleman drew a knife from his pocket and started to advance. Elkins was shot through the heart.

Judge E. F. Richey of Miami was a business visitor here Saturday.

RECEIVER WILL ARRANGE TEST OF CLAY WELL

Expenditure of \$350 to Be Necessary in Cleaning Out

COMPLEX SUITS ARE INVOLVED

Receivership Appealed and Many Liens Sought

Following testimony given Saturday at a hearing by C. M. Lyon, receiver in the case of International Supply company vs. George W. Bibbo and others, that he believed the oil well in the southwest quarter of section 177, block B.2, might be a paying producer, Mr. Lyon was ordered by Judge W. R. Ewing to make necessary expenditures in testing the well.

Mr. Lyon, who was appointed receiver by the court three weeks ago, stated that when he opened the well the first time it first produced casinghead gas, then sprayed oil, and just before he shut it down it flowed pure oil, un-mixed with water. He said during the 15 minutes in which the well was opened it flowed six barrels of oil. He testified he opened the well a second time for about 15 minutes with the same results. The receiver also testified that it was his opinion that the well is in a semi-proved territory. Don Welch of Ada, Okla., another witness, testified the well is surrounded by producers.

Will Need \$350

The hearing today was intended to ascertain if the well is a producer, but Mr. Lyon reported that to accomplish the work it would be necessary to lay a flow line from the head of the well to the tank and buy other equipment that would cost \$350.

Plaintiff in the case is International Supply company, but intervenor defendants are E. Bass Clay, owner of the land; T. S. Stinnett, R. C. Russell, and Gibson Sapp company. Defendants are W. B. Salsbury, George W. Bibbo, United Eight Oil company, Fox Rig and Lumber company, J. Rudman of the Pittsburgh Pipe and Threading company, Jones-Everett Machine company, A. G. Seis, and E. M. Jameson.

The International Supply company is suing Bibbo and others for a debt of \$11,897.14 and to establish a maternity.

(See CLAY WELL, page 6.)

FREE SHOW AND TREE AWAIT KIDDIES

With the Lions and Rotary clubs, the churches, the American Legion and Auxiliary, the Salvation Army, the Elks lodge and other organizations and individuals working hand-in-hand with Santa Claus, this Christmas promises to be a happy one for young and old in Pampa.

The children will be especially interested in a free movie to be given by the Griffith Amusement company, followed by a Christmas tree sponsored by the Lions club.

The free movie will be at the Rex theatre Tuesday afternoon at 12:45 p. m. There will be comedies and specialties of especial appeal to children. All little folk between the ages of 4 and 12 will be admitted free. Immediately after the show, Old Saint Nick will make his appearance on Albert Square, south of the new courthouse, where a large tree will be erected. There will be candy and fruit and other "treats" for all. It is expected that more than 800 children will attend the show and the tree but a short time.

The Lions club will distribute toys to all the needy children as usual. The Legion and the Elks club will distribute food and clothing, as will other organizations, on Christmas eve and Christmas morning.

The names of needy children and families are desired by all the organizations.

Two Accidents Due to Slippery Streets Reported

Frozen, slippery snow was responsible yesterday for two accidents in which two men were painfully injured. J. L. Barrett slipped on a snow-packed sidewalk in the city and suffered a broken hip and shoulder. F. W. McNear fell off an ice-covered truck trailer, dislocating his shoulder. He was also bruised. Both are in McKean and Connor hospital.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoskinson who died at a local hospital yesterday morning several hours after it was born was buried in the local cemetery yesterday afternoon. Funeral arrangements were in charge of G. C. Malone Funeral Home.

The News Plans Morning Daily in 1930

Establishment of a morning daily newspaper with Associated Press dispatches, erecting of a 40 by 40 foot addition, installation of a new and larger press and increase of space for the office supply department are among the improvements announced today by the Pampa Daily News for 1930.

The morning daily will be established in the spring, according to present plans. Combination dailies have proved the only successful way of serving small fields in Texas and to enable substantial savings to advertisers.

During the past few years mergers have been made of morning and evening dailies in Amarillo, Lubbock, Wichita Falls, Paris, Waco, Austin, Beaumont, Corpus Christi and other cities. There are also combination dailies in Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth and San Antonio.

The Daily News was established nearly three years ago and the management was told by many that the daily was a year ahead of the field. The News has been told that plans for a morning daily are two years ahead of the city, as few communities have two dailies until they are considerably larger than Pampa's present size.

The News takes pride in the fact that it has been progressive in working for the best interests of Pampa. The News believes that establishment of the daily nearly three years ago was a great factor in building a community consciousness in Pampa and it feels sure that the morning daily will help to build a still greater city.

Stockholders of the Nunn-Warren Publishing Co. recently voted to increase the capitalization and part of the additional funds will be used for the improvements enumerated above.

AGREEMENT IS REASON GIVEN WITH ACTION

Judge Pickens Asserts Immunity Was Promised

RESIGNATION IS CITED BY HIM

Former Mayor Claims Vindication Is Given

STINNETT, Dec. 21. (AP)—Glenn A. Pace, former mayor of Borger, ousted during martial law in Hutchinson county, was cleared of all charges pending against him in this county today when District Judge Pickens dismissed a liquor indictment against him.

Judge Pickens entered on the court records as a reason for the dismissal that the "indictment herein was returned through error and mistake in that the defendant in consideration of his resignation as mayor of Borger, Tex., was granted immunity in this indictment, and for this cause it should be dismissed by virtue of an agreement, said indictment having been returned because of misunderstanding and error."

The indictment, returned about six weeks ago, was the only one pending against Pace in this county. He had been at liberty under \$1,500 bond. The former official was arrested two days before martial law was declared Sept. 30 on a charge of forcing a witness in a murder case to leave town. This charge was dropped automatically when a grand jury returned a "no bill."

District Attorney Clem Calhoun, reported to have declared during martial law that he made no agreement with Pace, tonight refused to discuss the dismissal.

Pace, however, was under \$10,000 bond on a charge of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws filed in federal court at Amarillo. The charge and similar ones against 11 other Hutchinson county men were filed several days ago. A special federal grand jury at Amarillo adjourned today until after the holidays without reporting.

In a statement tonight, Pace said he considered the dismissal of the charge as a "vindication." He also expressed the belief that charges pending in federal court also would be dropped.

Rural Schools of Gray Now Rank Extremely High

All rural schools in Gray county except two are now standardized, which means that their rating is as high as can be given to any rural school in Texas. The schools were recently classified by S. E. Clark, state inspector who spent the first week in December here visiting the schools with Supt. John B. Hessey.

The Gray county schools now rank higher than those of any other county in the Panhandle, West, and East Texas, Mr. Clark reported. To be standardized, a school must meet certain requirements in grounds and buildings, schoolhouse, equipment, teachers, pupils and community.

At a meeting of the county board of education held last week, Mr. Hessey was highly commended by the members for his work in securing the rating.

The board also recommended that Mr. Hessey attend the National Educational association which convenes in Atlantic City, N. J. in February.

Members of the board are Siler Faulkner, chairman; W. W. Formwalt, Lawrence McMurry, George P. Counts and Charles Carpenter.

THE WEATHER VANE
WEST TEXAS: Fair, warmer in extreme west portion Sunday; Monday, fair, warmer.

2 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS



JUST TWO DAYS LEFT HURRY SO YOU WON'T BE -

Christian Endeavor Society Members Are Guests of Sponsors

Sponsors of the Intermediate Junior Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church entertained Friday evening for the members. The recreation hall of the church was decorated in greenery and Christmas tinsels with an attractive tree the center of interest.

Each of the forty boys and girls attending placed a toy on top of the tree for some less fortunate of the community, thus assisting Santa Claus in finding everyone. Christmas sweets were passed from the tree to the young guests.

The hosts and hostesses were: Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gantz, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marbaugh, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bryson.

R. & P. Club to Hold Holiday Meeting Today

Members of the Business and Professional Women's club will have an informal social gathering and a Christmas tree this afternoon at the home of Miss Madeline Tarpley, 505 North Grand.

A brief program will be a feature of the occasion. The social committee of the club, headed by Miss Louise Miller, is in charge of the affair.

Girls' Class Prepares Christmas Cheer Gifts

Gifts to cheer the sick in the hospitals of Pampa were made last evening by the members of Mrs. C. W. Stowell's class in the Junior department of the First Christian Sunday school at a meeting in the teacher's home.

Christmas presents exchanged among the members were distributed from a beautifully decorated little tree. Refreshments were served.

Members of the class are as follows: Verne Springer, Evelyn Kenne, Betty Jane Blythe, Ruth Baker, June Daniels, Nellie Meers, Hester Ella Lester, Anita King, Genevieve Bran, and Mary Sue Killbrew.

Party Friday Honors Lawrence McMurtry, Jr

Miss Madeline Tarpley and Miss Marjorie Buckler entertained Friday evening, honoring Lawrence McMurtry, Jr., who is visiting his father. Miss Marie Batai assisted in conducting a series of interesting contests and games.

The following were guests: Frances Finley, Margaret Bryson, Louise Waldstad, Mildred Haggard, Christine Cook, LaVerne McLendon, Lucille Cole, Leon Robinson, Berton Doucette, Glen Hassell, LaVerne Twiford, Bob Wallace, Howard Lane, and Bill Kelly.

CHURCHES

The growing Episcopal church school extends a cordial welcome to all members of the faith who have not yet affiliated themselves with the local body and to all others who are not members of a Sunday school. Classes for all ages are provided and there is a Bible class taught by Mrs. Wm. M. Craven.

Church school is held each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in the music cottage on Central high school campus. R. C. Sowder is superintendent.

On Vacation



—Photo by Fred's Studio
Miss Susie Belle Smalling, above, has arrive home from Austin, where she is a student in the University of Texas, to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Smalling.

Sponsors Give Party for Junior Christian Endeavor Society

The Junior Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church was entertained by the sponsors, Mrs. A. A. Hyde and Miss Elizabeth Corson, Thursday afternoon, at a delightful Christmas party at the manse. Thirteen members enjoyed games directed by Miss Corson and Miss Dorothy Mullen.

Small gifts from the hostesses were distributed from an attractive little Christmas tree, and refreshments were served.

The following members attended: Sue Prebble, Juliet Jane Canfield, Maurice Brown, Dorothy Tucker, Betty Curtis, Lillian Rice, Anne Sweetman, Mary Nell and Anna Ruth Darlington, Rosemary Hampton, Louella Nichols, Mary and Nell Nichols.

Lamar P.-T.-A. Hears Program by Students

Members of Lamar Parent-Teacher association, who met Thursday afternoon in the final session of the year, were entertained with a program given by pupils of Lamar school. Mrs. E. Bass Clay presided at a brief business session.

The Lamar Harmonica club opened the program with three selections, "America," "Old Black Joe," and "Old Folks at Home." A Christmas story was told by Jim Arnett. Elizabeth Friedman gave a reading, "Billie's Christmas Letter."

Miss Jewel Montague's pupils sang "Christmas Tree," and "Silent Night." "The Rejected Invitation" was a reading by Maurice Saunders. A special number was a vocal solo by Grady Morton, educational director of the First Methodist church.

EL PASO, Dec. 21. (AP)—El Paso's all-time building permit record of \$4,279,932, set in 1921, was smashed today. Figures for the week ending today swelled the 1929 total to \$4,324,810.

Just We Club Members Entertained Friday at Christmas Bridge Tea

Mrs. L. M. Williams was hostess to members of Just We bridge club and other friends, Friday afternoon, at a delightful party at the Canary Sandwich Shop. Three tables were in the play, equipped with accessories accenting the holiday note of cheer in the decorations of the shop. Tea hour refreshments were attractively arranged in a color scheme of red and green.

Club members present were: Mrs. M. W. Jones, Mrs. J. I. Lutz, Mrs. Clem Davis, Mrs. F. L. Hollenbeck, Mrs. A. D. Johnston and Mrs. J. H. Hulme. Club award went to Mrs. Lutz, high and Mr. Hulme, low. Specially invited guests were: Mrs. L. A. Dennison, Mrs. J. L. Nance, Mrs. H. W. Johns, Mrs. R. A. Webb, and Mrs. F. D. Keim. Mrs. Webb was high and Mrs. Keim low for these players.

"Tacky" Party Gay Event of Week-end

A "tacky" party given Friday evening by Clela Mae Killbrew at her home, 435 West Warren street, was one of the week's most enjoyable social events. Prizes were given Margaret Harwell and Malcomb Albersen for the tackiest costumes. Amusing games were played.

The guest list included the following names: Ida May and Beulah Johnson, Inalou Tabors, Clara Lee Killbrew, Lois Bowen, Geraldine Bowen, Hattie Margaret Harwell, Odessa Winkler, Malcomb Albersen, Wayne Winkley, Ike Tabors, Paul Haygood, and Buck Vandergriff.

Former Pampa Girl Marries Lawton Man

A marriage announcement which will find wide interest in Pampa is that of the recent wedding of Miss Angela Ballew, former resident of this city, and Mr. Richard W. Doan of Lawton, which was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ballew of Cordell, Okla.

Mrs. Doan attended Central high school, and was graduated in the spring of 1928. She was prominent in dramatics and other student activities, and was elected the school favorite in her senior year. After moving away from here with her parents, immediately after graduation, she lived at Altus, Okla., going to Cordell recently.

Sister and Brother Home for Vacation

Miss Virginia Graham, who is a student in Christian college at Columbia, Mo., and her brother, Dick Graham, a student in the University of Missouri, are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Graham.

Miss Graham arrived Friday morning, and yesterday flew to Oklahoma City with her parents, where they met Dick Graham, who had spent a few days with a brother there. The four returned home yesterday afternoon. They made the trip in the Pampa Refining company's plane, piloted by Boyd Kennedy.

Brussels, Belgium, has a well organized umbrella-borrowing bureau.

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In all the new spring shades, long flowing styles, in all sizes and all the wanted materials, chiffon, satin, etc.

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FREE CANDY

Bring the kiddies to the store. We have free candy for everyone of them. Bring them tomorrow.

GORDON STORES CO.

"Standard Brand Merchandise at Popular Prices"

Film Fashions



For sports wear Mary McAlister, screen favorite selects this two-piece dress shown in natural colors in Film Fashions this week at the

REX

Theatre, through the courtesy of

MURFEE'S

Store. The clever skirt is formed of crisscross panels combined into godets.

Mary Philbin appears charmingly clad for the coming season in a simple street dress of rose beige flat crepe. The collar and cuffs are trimmed with bias strips of brown and paprika. The dress is cut on the bias and is gathered at the waist in back to give a fitted hip line. The inserted panels on each side of the skirt add fullness which gives the drape effect and loose flare.

Once more is the charm of Hollywood displayed through the efforts of Marion Byron, who we find selects a smart import frock fashioned of sage crepe. An atmosphere of Paris creation, so fitting with the news bulletins daily describing the new efforts of the famous French designers who clothe the world, is apparent in the silhouette of this simple dress. The unusual cape treatment, going entirely around the dress smacks of a newness in style notes.

The new silhouette is certainly pronounced in the smart dress of brown Canton Crepe, trimmed with a deep collar of eggshell satin, worn by lovely Helen Twelvetrees. The collar and front center bow, as well as the unturned cuffs are piped with capucine. The sleeve is treated with small buttons to match the piping. The extreme length skirt has the draped, uneven hemline so newly adopted by Paris Courtiers. Small tucks at the high waistline give the dress a princess silhouette.

MURFEE'S, Inc.

"PAMPA'S QUALITY DEPARTMENT STORE"

CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

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We make them in all sizes from 1 to 5 pounds

For Sale at

Your Favorite Grocery

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Also Special Christmas Cake Orders given our best care

Let DILLEY'S Bake your Christmas or New Years Turkey or Chicken. We furnish the dressing if desired. Charges are reasonable for this service. Please see us.

Billion Barrels Of Crude Produced in U. S. A. in 1929

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 21. (AP)—The Tulsa World tomorrow will say that 1929 will be the first year since the United States became the leading oil producer of the world, has had a billion barrel production.

Oil production for 1929, based on official figures for ten months and semi-official estimates for November and American petroleum institute figures for three weeks of December, leads to the forecast of a yearly output of 1,002,100,000 barrels, compared to 889,378,000 for 1928.

Deputies Acquitted in Murder Trial

BURNSVILLE, N. C., Dec. 21. (AP)—Eight McDowell county deputy sheriffs who fought a battle with a strike mob at the gates of a Marion cotton mill October 27, tonight stood free of all charges growing out of the death of six strikers.

The deputies—Webb Fender, Robert Ward, Charles Tate, Taylor Greene, William Briggs, James Owens, Broadus Robbins, and Dave Jarrett—were acquitted of a second degree murder charge by a Nancy county jury which deliberated over the case slightly more than 22 hours.

The trial was brought here from McDowell county on a change of venue.

The men were accused of firing into a milling mass of strikers and strike sympathizers who gathered at the gates of the Marion Manufacturing company cotton mill the morning of October 2 in an effort to prevent employes from entering the mill.

Mexican Employes at Laredo Ordered to San Antonio

LAREDO, Dec. 21. (AP)—Three employes of the Laredo consulate have received orders for their transfer to the San Antonio consulate. It was learned here late today. It was reported that transfer orders for other members would be received soon.

Youth Accused in Lynching Is Freed

HOUSTON, Dec. 21. (AP)—Without the formality of a written ballot, a jury after ten minutes deliberation late today acquitted Howard Minton, former taxicab checker, of a murder charge as an alleged participant in the lynching of Robert Powell, wounded negro, beneath a bridge just before the Democratic national convention was called to order here last June.

Minton is the second of seven men indicted in the negro's death to be acquitted.

The state's case rested on only one point—an alleged confession. Minton's attorneys contended the youth made the statement after officers promised to help him get a suspended sentence "at the most" and had appealed to him to help them clear up the affair as the Democratic convention was about to begin and "Houston would get a bad name." On the stand he insisted the statement was untrue and was made by him under those circumstances because he knew no better. He swore he had nothing to do with the hanging.

Students of Stephens Arrive Home



By Fred's Studio

Miss Claudine Pope, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pope, and Miss Melba Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham, are among the college students at home in Pampa for the holidays. They are freshmen at Stephens college, Columbia, Mo. Both were graduated from Central high school last spring with conspicuous honors.



PIANO CLASS PRESENTED

The piano pupils of Mrs. Marvin Lewis presented their glass regatta of the year Wednesday afternoon at the teacher's home, with mothers and friends forming an interested audience. Piano solos and duets were played by the following: Eloise Lane, Margaret Burns, Dorothy Tucker, Lois Irene Foster, Edith Lane, Leah Lane, Etta Marie Choate, Josephine Lewis, Esther Stark, Betty Jo Crawford, Mary Yoder, Isabel Baer, Florence Baer, Mary Helen Stalls, Effie Cobb, and Lessie Cobb. Audrey Noel sang a special number. Readings were given by Dorothy Tucker and Charlotte Rhea Malone.

Andrews Area Has Oil Disappointment

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 21. (AP)—Disappointment for Andrews county and encouragement for the Givins area in Pecos county contrasted sharply in West Texas oil development over the week end.

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Search for Lost Explorer to Begin

NOME, Alaska, Dec. 21. (AP)—Pilot Harold Gilliam, who arrived yesterday at the fur trading ship Nanuk, icebound at North Cape, Siberia, will start tomorrow in search of Pilot Carl Ben Eielson, and Mechanic Earl Borland, missing since November 9, while attempting to reach the ship, the Nome Nugget was informed today by Olat Swenson, head of the company which owns the Nanuk. Swenson and his 17-year-old daughter Marion are aboard the ship.

Mexican Plot Is Bared at Tampico

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 21. (AP)—Official announcement was made tonight of the discovery of several plots against the government and national leaders, as had been rumored in the Mexican press for several days. Seventy persons were under arrest on various charges. Twenty persons were being held here at the disposition of the department of the interior after an alleged revolution plot was discovered at Tampico.

Thirty others arrested in a series of raids in the capital were charged with plotting against the life of former President Plutarco Elias Calles, who recently returned from an extended visit to France and who still is regarded as a power in the government. A band of 20 men, alleged to be international anarchists, was rounded up and the member will be deported. It was charged that they had planned a terrorist campaign.

Sentence of 30 Years Is Assessed on Attack Charge

LUFKIN, Dec. 21. (AP)—A 30-year sentence was assessed against Charlton White early today by a jury which convicted him, after a night of deliberation, of a criminal attack upon a 32-year-old widow.

White was one of three men charged with the crime. The other two will go to trial at the spring term of court. It was claimed that White and the other two dragged the woman from her house several weeks ago, to a wood a hundred yards away where one of them attacked her.



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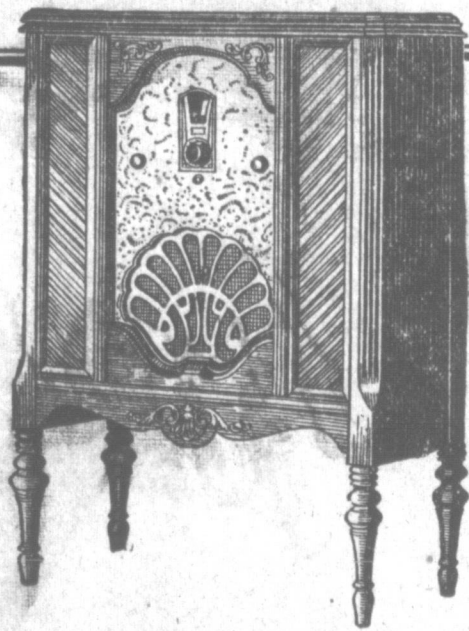
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Pig Show Will Be Spring Event for Club Boys

Boys of the vocational agriculture classes of Central high school are to have a pig show next spring. It was determined by Prof. J. L. Lester and members of the Lions and Rotary clubs who donated gifts for the boys' project work.

The show may be held at the Harvester athletic field in connection with an invitation track meet it is planned to hold. The increase from the original number given by the Lions has been 28 pigs. About ten of these, under the terms of the original gifts, will be given to the Lions club for redistribution.

A committee composed of Clyde Fatheree, Otto Studer, and Clarence Kennedy, and Bob Sowder, was appointed to carry out arrangements for the Lions to meet the Rotarians in a basketball game early in January. The proceeds of the game will be used to help the Gorillas, Central high school second string football team, buy their sweaters.

The principal speaker at the Lions luncheon was Zeb A. Stewart, local attorney. He spoke on good citizenship.

Kansas City Man Faces Death for Fiendish Offense

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 21. (AP)—The death penalty tonight faced Russell C. Arnold, 53, torturer of 14-year-old Dorothy Van Camp, neighbor school girl whom he abducted and held captive for more than 24 hours in an underground chamber beneath the garage at his home.

Arnold, former street car motorman and student of "personal magnetism," was arraigned and held without bond for trial. His plans for entering a plea of guilty in return for a life sentence were frustrated by Circuit Judge A. S. Lyon who warned he would be sentenced if he pleaded guilty.

"You would be better off under the sod than on it," Judge Lyon said.

The county prosecutor announced that he would ask the death penalty at Arnold's trial.

Jerry Van Camp, father of the girl, attempted to administer summary justice to the attacker of his daughter. Van Camp wrested a revolver from a policeman and tried to shoot Arnold, but was disarmed.

Police were making a thorough search of the Arnold premises on the theory he may have abducted other children, attacked them, and buried the bodies.

Dorothy Van Camp was rescued yesterday from the secret chamber under Arnold's garage after police became suspicious and dug up the flooring. The child was found chained to a bed. She had been assaulted and beaten and was suffering from cold and lack of food.

Daily News Want Ads get results.

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Troop School to Meet January 8 for Next Session

Map reading again was the study of the troop school here last week. The meeting was held in the office of Captain W. Purviance, with eight officers present.

Since Lieut. Alden E. Spees will be away in the last two weeks of January, Captain Purviance will be in charge at those meetings. The next session will be on January 8, when Captain Harry Foster, army officer stationed at Amarillo, will be present.

Those attending last week's study included, besides Captain Purviance, the following lieutenants: R. M. Bellamy, W. M. Clayman, G. H. Glover, W. D. Melroy of White Deer, A. E. Spees, Edgar Stinson, and Edwin S. Vicars.

According to a survey made by Mr. Spees, there are nineteen officers in the Pampa district eligible to take the work. These include two captains, five first lieutenants, and twelve second lieutenants. The corps include: those of the infantry, field artillery, engineers, medical, dental, signal, and air. Lieut. John Studer is likely to be moved to the Judge advocate department soon.

Rifle Club Will Have Big Shoot

The Pampa Rifle club will hold a shoot on its range north of No. 4 hole on the country club golf course today at 2 o'clock. As these scores are for qualification for next year's membership all members are urged to be present. Ammunition will be furnished.

Club members have made some commendable records this year but have progressed little in competitive scoring, it was reported. An attempt will be made to get all the 100 members to practice regularly during the next year.

21-inch Talking Mama Doll Free with every purchase of \$25 or more at Malone Furniture Co. from now 'til Christmas.

AGED MAN BURNS
DALLAS, Dec. 21. (AP)—Peter Monheim, 75, died today of burns suffered when his clothes caught fire while lying on a bed in his home here.

FROGS START WELL
FORT WORTH, Dec. 21. (AP)—In their final game before disbanding for the Christmas holidays the Horned Frogs of T. C. U. defeated an all star Y. M. C. A. team 69 to 14 in a basket ball game here Saturday night.

Daily News Want-Ads bring results.

Library to Be Closed at Night
Pampa public library will be closed every evening during the coming week, according to an announcement made yesterday by the librarian.

Beginning Jan. 1, the library will be open between 7 and 9 o'clock each evening, according to the usual custom.

Daily News Want-Ads bring results.

NOTICE
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Pampa, Texas, will be held in the banking rooms of said bank on Tuesday January 14th, 1930 at 3 o'clock p. m. Please take due notice and govern yourself accordingly.

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R. J. Meyers of Ocean side, Calif. will arrive today to spend the holidays in the home of his brother, F. I. G. Meyers.

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BRECKENRIDGE, PORT ARTHUR FIGHT TO 0-0 TIE IN SNOW

BUCKAROOS IN BETTER FORM; CAN'T SCORE

WACO, Dec. 21. (AP)—Breckenridge and Port Arthur battled to a scoreless tie here today for the high school football championship of Texas. A driving snow storm prevented either team making a determined bid for the title.

So heavy was the weather that only a handful of fans saw the two schoolboy finalists tussle and tug through four frigid periods.

Breckenridge's Buckaroos, more accustomed to the cold weather, kept the ball in Port Arthur's territory throughout the game, but was never able to push across what would have been the winning touchdown. Twice in the first half and once in the second half, the Buckaroos penetrated deep into the Yellowjackets' territory, but they never could quite cross the goal line. The Port Arthur eleven never had the ball past mid-field. It was a futile contest.

The result left the championship in a muddle, both Breckenridge and Port Arthur holding equal claim to the title. It was doubted they would arrange another bout to settle their claims.

Had No Chance

Never before did the schoolboy finalists meet under such conditions. The field was banked high with snow, and it took a dozen trucks to remove the drifts. There was a covering of white when the teams took their places for the kickoff. There was no chance of their doing more than slipping and sliding around.

That they did for four periods. Breckenridge held the upper hand all the way, traveling far into Port Arthur territory soon after the kickoff and staying there until the final gun, but there was no touchdown.

Soon after the game started, the Buckaroos battered their way to their opponent's one-yard line there to have the ball go over on downs. Twice more they worked within their opponents' 10-yard line, but could not push the oval over the goal line.

Saved by Line

Port Arthur never did anything of importance in an offensive way in the first period after the stalwart Yellowjackets line had held one yard from its goal. Barfield got loose for a 25-yard jaunt around end, but the Jacket backs, after that, spent most of their time punting out of danger.

Toward the last of the game Breckenridge made a desperate effort to score, passing repeatedly deep in Port Arthur's territory, but the winning points escaped the Buckaroos.

The line-ups:

Breckenridge	Pos.	Port Arthur
T. Cary	LE	Howsey
Cox	LT	Brown
Thompson	LG	W. Moore
Griffin	C	Turner
White	RG	Wylie
Whitford	RT	White
G. Cary	RE	Knight
A. Magnus	QB	Dominique
B. Magnus	LH	Dumesnil
Graham	RH	Barfield
Fruit	FB	Beckham

Officials: Meyer, (T. C. U.), referee; Viner, (Missouri), umpire; Procter, (T. C. U.), head-linesman; St. Clair, (Baylor), field judge.

Score by quarters:

"Great One" Is Matched Again by St. Paul Promoter

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 21. (AP)—Arthur (The Great) Shires, manager tamer and fighting ball player of the Chicago White Sox, has been signed for a ten-round bout here January 7. Promoter Jerk Doran announced tonight.

The Great One's opponent has not been selected, but he will be chosen more for color than for class, Doran said, preferably an athlete who has won a name in some other sport than boxing and who stands about even with Arthur in ring experience.

Doran said he would consider challenges from football players, hockey players, umpires or other baseball players. The bout will headline a card made up entirely of heavyweight matches.

Shires who will fight in Madison Square Garden in New York January 3 before making his bow in St. Paul, indicated in a letter to Doran that he expected to continue in the ring.

"What if I do get a few lumps and bumps while I'm learning this business," he wrote the promoter in returning his signed contract, "that old pay check is pretty good plaster to draw out the soreness and I'll beat more guys than will beat me."

Eastern Team and Westerners Settle Down to Training

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21. (AP)—Football practice started on a full time schedule today for the eastern and western teams which meet here new year's day in the annual Shriners' charity game.

The eastern squad, coached by Andy Kerr of Colgate and Dick Hanley of Northwestern, were instructed in several formations which were run through for two hours. Coach Kerr said he will not decide on a starting line-up for several days.

Coach Percy Locoy of the western team outlined half a dozen plays for his men, and indicated he was greatly pleased with the actions of Ed "Powerhouse" Pomeroy, Utah university fullback, and "Dutch" Clark, Colorado quarterback. From Locoy's discussion it was gathered he already had made up his mind to have them in the starting line-up.

Breckenridge	0	0	0	0
Port Arthur	0	0	0	0

WACO, Dec. 21. (AP)—Whether there will be another game between Breckenridge and Port Arthur high schools to decide the state championship which was left in a muddle here today, will not be known until officials of the schools hold a conference some time next week.

There is no interscholastic league rule governing tie games in the championship battle as does the 20-yard penetration rule in district and bi-district clashes.

Coaches would not express themselves tonight whether they are willing for another game.

JUNIOR CLASS IN BOXING MAY BE ABOLISHED

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (AP)—The junior lightweight class, youthful hybrid among the eight old divisions that have existed since boxing was organized, seems about to die a sudden and natural death in New York state, land of its birth.

The death blow, experts believe, was struck last night in Madison Square Garden where Benney Bass, Philadelphia veteran, knocked out the defending champion, Tod Morgan, in two rounds of a title test that aroused definite suspicions in the minds of the faithful and the critics alike.

Shortly after the raising of Bass' hand as the new 130-pound titleholder, chairman James A. Farley, of the state athletic commission announced that neither boxer would be paid until a thorough investigation into every phase of the match had been made. Today, although no official statement could be obtained, it was generally understood that the commission will abolish the class at its meeting Tuesday as the one definite means of punishing the participants for any irregularities that

may have prevailed in the ring last night.

A dearth of direct evidence that things were not "on the up and up" is admittedly the bar to more drastic action. Chairman Farley ordered the sending of the fighters' checks to the commission after it was discovered that gamblers in the lobby of the garden were offering as high as 6 to 1 that Bass would knock out the defending champion.

Reports circulated before the fight that Morgan had been guaranteed \$25,000 by Phil Glassman, manager of Bass, in event the title changed hands, caused Farley to instruct Jimmy Crowley to be on the watch during the action. Glassman said today that stories of the excessive guarantee were only "publicity," issued in an effort to stir up interest in the match. Entire receipts totaled only \$28,000.

There appeared no hint today that Morgan, who held the upper hand during the first round, was not completely knocked out in the second round. He was felled for a count of nine by one right hand punch and finished by another that landed squarely on his chin.

CHOCOLATE WINS AGAIN
NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (AP)—Kid Chocolate, Cuban negro featherweight, knocked out Johnny Lawson in the second round of their ten-round bout at the Olympia A. C., tonight.



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Atlantic Golfers Forge Into Lead in Pasadena Event

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 21. (AP)—Two golf exponents from the Atlantic seaboard, Johnny Golden and Bill Mehlhorn, today stroked their way to the lead in the Pasadena \$4,000 open tournament, putting 36 holes of qualifying play behind them with cards of 140.

With a stroke of this pair trooped a quintet of links performers tied for second place. Among them was George von Elm, Detroit amateur who yesterday headed the list with his fellow townsman, Walter Hagen.

Along with Von Elm, came Craig Wood, defending titleholder from Bloomfield, N. J., Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo.; Joe Kirkwood, the trick shot artist from Philadelphia, and Densmore Shute, Columbus, Ohio, all with scores of 141.

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Great of Football Will Be Feasted

DALLAS, Dec. 21. (AP)—A gathering of football's great will be held here Dec. 27 if plans of the local chamber of commerce materialize. Pans have been made for a dinner for the South-west all stars. And the Big Ten all stars, who meet in the Dixie classic here New Year's day, the University of Pittsburgh team, which will stop here Dec. 27 for a workout, enroute to the Tournament of Roses.

SOX MANAGER APPOINTED

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 21. (AP)—Charles (Heinie) Wagner today was appointed to manage the Boston Red Sox in 1930. President Bob Quinn announced the appointment after a meeting of team and league officials in New York. Wagner succeeds "Wild Bill" Carrigan, who announced his retirement yesterday owing to pressure of private business.

Miss Louise Miller visited in Amarillo yesterday.

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CLAY WELL—

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Rudman's lien upon the oil and gas lease on sections 176 and 177. Rudman is suing Bilbo, the United Eight Oil company and W. B. Saulsbury for \$2,925.46, \$307.48, and \$4,355.72 and to foreclose constitutional and statutory liens upon the leasehold estate of lands and buildings.
The defendant, W. B. Saulsbury, denied the allegation in the petition of Rudman that he was a partner with Bilbo or United Eight Oil company. He denied the allegations of the International Supply company in describing leases acquired in sections 176 and 177 from E. Bass Clay. Saulsbury alleges that there was an oil well produced on the property; that it is not being developed and that the well should be cleaned out and made to produce. He was the first to make application for a receiver to be appointed to take charge of the property owned by Bilbo, who was the driller of the well. This plea was denied and Mr. Stinnett submitted another

request for a receiver which also was not granted. Mr. Saulsbury then opposed Mr. Clay's application for a receiver based on the contention that the latter is only a royalty owner, does not own any of the property on the lease and has nothing to do with the case. Mr. Saulsbury owns half the lease, and he alleges he is not responsible for the debts incurred by Mr. Bilbo, contending that no partnership existed between them.

T. E. Stinnett is suing Bilbo and the United Eight company for \$1,053 for a labor debt and to foreclose on a constitutional and statutory lien on well and oil. R. C. Russell is suing the drilling parties for a labor debt of \$78. One of the intervenors, E. Bass Clay, stated that he is the owner of a one-eighth royalty interest of the leasehold and that by virtue of contract the defendant, W. B. Saulsbury, was obligated to develop certain portions of the leasehold; that a well was brought in which was abandoned and that the well could and would produce oil and gas. Mr. Clay asked that a receiver be appointed. Mr. Clay is being represented by Judge Newton P. Willis.

Saulsbury filed answers contesting the right of Mr. Clay to have a receiver appointed, also the appointment of Mr. Lyon and the appeal is now pending in the court of Civil Appeals of the Seventh Supreme Judicial district. Chas. C. Cook is Mr. Saulsbury's attorney. Fisher and Fisher of Amarillo are representing the International Supply company. Douglas and McConnell are Stinnett's attorneys. Judge S. D. Stennis is attorney for Fox Rig and Lumber company.

Mr. Lyon's report follows: "It would be advisable to attempt to clean out the well and that your receiver believes that if the well were cleaned out and particularly if the water were bailed out of it, that he could then determine more accurately whether any further development would be profitable and at this time your receiver believes that there might be a paying well produced." Mr. Lyon has employed E. F. Richey of Miami as his attorney. Mr. Lyon was authorized by the court to arrange with the Prairie Pipeline company for runs of oil and also to dispose and sell the oil that is now on the lease, that is about 250 barrels, and all that will be produced from the well.

WEATHER—

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to be seriously hampered and many minor accidents occurred, while business men were kept busy shovelling snow off of their roofs, to prevent caving.
Record at Corsicana
Corsicana reported an official reading of 15 inches this afternoon, the heaviest recorded at the Corsicana weather bureau, and heavier than any in the memory of "old timers." The "heaviest snow in years," with depths ranging from four to twelve inches, were reported from such widely separated cities as Llano, Jefferson, Huntsville, Tyler, Nacogdoches, Gonzales, El Paso, Luling, Hearne, Georgetown, Navasota, and many others. Last reports from nearly all of these cities were that the snow was still falling. The brighter side of the picture was from farmers whose wheat and oat fields will be benefited greatly. Laredo, and Eagle Pass, border cities,

saw their first snow in several years. Reports up to a late hour today included:
Hillsboro, 25 inches; Corsicana, 15; Brady, 12; Waco, 12; Tyler, 10; Nacogdoches, 7; Kerrville, 6; Del Rio, 3; Ennis, 6; Eagle Pass "several"; Gonzales, 2; Texarkana, "several"; Laredo, heavy sleet; Amarillo, sunshine; Galveston, raw rain; San Angelo, 3; Beaumont, several; Jasper, 2; Brownsville, cold rain; Timpson, 6; Luling, "heavy"; Uvalde, 2; Hearne 8; Georgetown, 8; Bryan, 3; Navasota, 3; San Antonio, 2 1-2; Cold Springs, 8.

PRODUCTION—

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Moore—18 wells producing 758 barrels, a loss of 10 barrels.
Wheeler—38 wells producing 686 barrels, an increase of 238 barrels.
Total production, 110,784 barrels, an increase of 7,994 barrels.

SALE WILL BE CONTINUED WEEK

The Amarillo Furniture company will continue its sale for another week, according to an announcement by E. R. Harris, manager, yesterday. "Because of the bad weather we have received

many requests for a continuance," said Mr. Harris.
Large crowds have been attending the sale with the store unable to accommodate them at the auction yesterday afternoon.
The sale is preparatory to moving to the new location at 207 North Cuyler.

Building Permits Small for Week

Building permits in the amount of \$3,700 were issued from the office of city building inspector F. E. Townsend in the last week, raising the total issued during the year to \$1,285,570.
J. D. Mills started construction of a \$2,000 residence in the Channing addition and J. G. Bunnell was issued a permit to build a residence in the Allen addition to cost \$1,000.

Pantages Is Ill

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21. (AP)—Alexander Pantages, multimillionaire theatre man, in the county jail pending appeal from a sentence of one to fifty years for attacking Eunice Pringle, 17-year-old co-ed dancer, suffered a heart attack during the night and was taken to the jail hospital, it was learned today. Today he was taken back to his cell still ill.

SHARKEY WILL FIGHT AGAIN IN NEXT FEBRUARY

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (AP)—The second annual "battle of the palms" featuring Jack Sharkey, Boston heavyweight, against some contender not yet chosen, will be waged in Miami, Fla., Feb. 27, 1930, Madison Square Garden announced today.

TWO DIE IN BOAT CRASH

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (AP)—Two members of the crew of the steamship Floridian, outward bound from New York, were probably fatally injured when their boat collided with the Copenhagen liner Blyan of Liberty Island.

Aldridge Is Buried

DALLAS, Dec. 21. (AP)—With a few friends and relatives in attendance, funeral services for Ben Aldridge, executed Thursday for an attack on three Dallas girls last winter, were held here today.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
At New York: City College of New York, 33; Dartmouth 21.
At New York: Columbia 44, Harvard 17.
At Milwaukee: Marquette 29; University of Iowa 19.
At Minneapolis: Minnesota 46; Cornell (Mount Vernon, Iowa), 15.
At Philadelphia: Pennsylvania 26; Indiana, 21.

Blast Is Fatal

CHICAGO, Dec. 21. (AP)—One man is believed to have perished and three

others were hurt late today in an explosion which destroyed Hine Brothers soap factory here, with a loss estimated by officials at \$75,000. Another was perhaps fatally injured.

Haskell Votes Bonds

ABILENE, Dec. 21. (AP)—Voting for the fourth time on a county-wide road bond issue, Haskell county today registered a vote of 1,847 for and 720 against a \$985,000 issue. The funds will be used for hard surfacing highways 30, 51 and 120 and for retiring bonds in two road districts.

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CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school, all departments, 9:45 a. m.
 Morning preaching service, 11 a. m.
 Amarada Mission service, 2:30 p. m.
 Training service, all unions, 6:15 p. m.
 Evening preaching service, 7:30 p. m.
 Last Sunday the Sunday school, by having 410 present, made a new record in attendance. Today we hope to reach the 500 mark. It seems that Christmas Sunday, today, would be an appropriate occasion to start the practice of attending services of worship on the Lord's day. Every regular attendant will wish to be present this

morning, and each visitor and new member will be welcomed cordially.
 At the morning preaching service the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Early Ministry of Christ, or the Work and the Wisdom of Jesus." The choir will render special music, and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gilstrap will sing a duet. The evening sermon will be "The Group Around the Cradle." At this service Mrs. Jno. V. McCallister will sing a soprano solo.
 A "White Christmas" service will be held in the auditorium Tuesday, Christmas eve, at 7:30. A Christmas tree with treats for every boy and girl who attend will be one of the features of this program. Everyone in Pampa is invited to this service, especially those who do not attend one of the other churches of the city. The "White" part of the program will consist of a practical application of the

scriptural adage, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Let it be understood that everyone is welcomed to this Christmas tree. Those who attend and wish to do so will bring gifts—groceries, clothing, toys, or anything to make other people happy—and the climax of the program will be the bringing of these gifts to the base of the Christmas tree, ready for distribution to the less fortunate people of the city.
 A personal message from the pastor:
 A rare pleasure it would be could I, at this glad anniversary of our Saviour's birth, meet everyone I prize as a friend, and while feeling the warmth of a friendly hand clasp and looking into friendly eyes, greet each with this glad season's best wishes.
 Since this is impossible, I can only use this method of spanning the intervening distance and conquering all circumstances, that I may give my message.
 I sincerely wish you all the Christmas joy—and for the New Year the best, happiest, and most successful twelve months of all.
 I offer you a pastor's devotion, a brother's fellowship, and a friend's loyalty.
 Cordially yours,
 D. H. TRUHITTE, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH
 If there is ever a time when we should praise the Almighty it is at this season of the year when we are celebrating the anniversary of the birth of the Christ Child. Sunday will be a great day of worship at the Methodist church. The Sunday school service will start promptly at 9:45. Each department of the Sunday school has arranged for a special program of some sort. Some are giving Christmas trees, and exchanging gifts. Others have special Christmas numbers. There is a department and a place for everyone to work in the Sunday school. Will you be found in your place Sunday morning 9:45.
 The morning worship service at 11 will center around the general theme of Christmas. The Rev. Tom W. Brab-

ham will bring a special message on the subject, "The Triple Gift." The choir will sing special Christmas music including the anthem "King of Kings and Lord of Lords."
 At 7:30 one of the most interesting services ever held in this church will be given. A white robed choir will sing many old time Christmas carols. The pageant, "Why the Chimes Rang," will be given. At the close of the service a white Christmas offering will be given. Everyone should bring a gift either for the church or for the needy of the community. All gifts must be wrapped in white and brought to the altar at the close of the service.
 Make this a great day for the Lord in every way by being present at every service.
 As a special feature of the Christmas eve program every person should bring a special thank offering. An altar will be prepared and everyone will bring some gift and place it on the altar while the Christmas chimes are ringing. This gift should be one that may be used in some department of the Sunday school, church, or the church kitchen. Gifts should also be brought that may be distributed to the poor and needy of our community. Each gift should be gladly and willingly given and should be wrapped in white. This should be one of the greatest services ever held in the Methodist church in Pampa. Everyone is invited to worship with us and to contribute to making this a great Christmas program.

ABOUT FOLKS
 By A. F.
 One of the two men who were walking north on Frost street before sunrise Friday morning will remember making this observation to his companion, "this street is certainly named right this morning, isn't it?"
 George Latus reports that there is a group of fire fans in town driving high-speed cars who always beat his fire truck to the fire. That is, they drive their cars right in front of his truck until they get to the fire. Every now and then, he says, they look back to see which way the truck is going to turn.
 F. E. Townsend, wanting to know how to spell a word, confided that the only time he was at the head of his spelling class in school was when it showed and he was the only one at school.
 Friday was Police Chief J. I. Downs' birthday. He'll never see 39 again.
 A. J. Davis, special officer of the

Santa Fe railroad here is back from a vacation at Pittsburgh, down in East Texas where the sugar cane grows. Sheriff Graves and Deputy Pipes say the ribbon cane syrup Davis has been sending back is larruping.
 Judge W. R. Ewing who was in from Miami yesterday testifies to the truth of Roy Bourland's report that there were at least 5,000 Canadian geese 13 miles north of Miami. Furthermore, Judge Ewing says they are there yet, "probably more than 5,000." They are on his farm. He's wondering how long his shocked feed is going to last if they continue their depredations.
CARE OF THANKS
 We wish to express our deep appreciation and gratitude to the friends and neighbors who so kindly and sympathetically assisted us during the sickness and death of our dear father. We also want to extend our thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings. May the Heavenly Father bless each one of you.
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 MR. and MRS. H. H. ISBELL AND FAMILY
 W. A. Stuckey of Wichita Falls left yesterday for his home, after a visit of a few days in the city. He was accompanied by his son, C. A. Stuckey, who will spend the holidays in Wichita Falls.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH
 The Rt. Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church, will hold services in the music cottage at the high school on Thursday morning December 26th, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of Christmas administration of the Holy Communion, and to administer baptism and confirmation to any who desire such services.
 A cordial invitation is extended to all who wish to share in this Christmas observance.
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 Bible school begins promptly at 9:45 o'clock. There are classes adapted to all; best teachers. Everybody welcome.
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any individual, firm, concern, or corporation that may appear in the columns of the Pampa Daily News will be gladly corrected when called to the attention of the editor.

IT IS SINGULARLY ASTONISHING THAT THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION, WHICH GREW UP IN THOSE OLD TRUST-BUSTING DAYS TO DEFEND THE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE, SHOULD BE ABOUT TO DENY THE PEOPLE OF THIS COMMUNITY AND OTHERS ALONG THE PROPOSED ROUTE THE RIGHT TO GET A RAILROAD MUCH NEEDED, AND WHICH A GREAT SYSTEM IS EAGER TO BUILD.

It is deplorable, furthermore that a small group of men in far-off Washington, not one of whom has seen this territory recently, should prevent its fullest development. Of course, it is possible that the members of the I. C. C. will see the case differently, and, keeping President Hoover's building program in mind, will grant the permit.

Several important points were brought out by Examiner Sullivan in his recommendations. It should first be noted that Sullivan did not pre-empt the hearing in which Pampa participated, but over those pertaining to other roads in what he chooses to call a big network to be considered as a single unit.

It seems irrelevant that Mr. Sullivan should seek to prevent the Denver line from wasting its money, as he sees it. He seems to forget that even though the Rock Island builds to Shamrock, Pampa will still be closer, from a transportation standpoint, to Oklahoma and Kansas points than to the great commercial centers of this state.

Hardeman and Wilbarger counties. Mr. Sullivan's theory of serving a territory with branch lines is another untenable proposition as far as this community is concerned. It is inimical to the best interests of a territory as big as that of the Panhandle. The proposed line of the Santa Fe from Heaton to a point east of LeFors is an example. What would this line serve except the one company and a few jackrabbits?

It seems apparent now that the Fort Worth & Denver Northern made an error in not stressing its desire to sometime extend the proposed Pampa-Childress road northward to connect with the parent system. That would have added an angle which obviously received no consideration in Mr. Sullivan's thinking.

Had Mr. Sullivan observed the Fort Worth hearing closely,

by, he would have seen that Chairman Charles Mahaffey asked that testimony not be repeated, but that only enough witnesses be used to cover principal industries and interests. Time was short. Mr. Sullivan's declaration that silence from carbon black producers other than the Cabot company was significant and unjustified by the facts and is misleading.

Pampa's part in the whole procedure has been to show how the proposed line from Childress would benefit this community. The Fort Worth & Denver asked, and the I. C. C. examiner required, that testimony be limited to conditions in this immediate territory. That Pampa's representatives made their point was conceded by Mr. Sullivan, who claimed that a four-million-dollar road to serve only Pampa would not be justified.

It remains for Fort Worth & Denver attorneys and those of the other intervenors to file strong exceptions to the recommendation, and to show how the proposed line would do more than merely give this city another railroad. It should be remembered, moreover, that the granting of the Pampa-Childress permit would not cancel a similar one for the Rock Island. It is inconceivable that a north-south railroad should be forever denied.

The fight is not over; it is just well begun.

Those who do nothing to prevent fires at other times of the year usually come forward about this time with the proposal to cut off Santa's whiskers. And you can guess what we think about that.

TWINKLES

Here are sincere, even if belated, congratulations to the Lubbock Avalanche and Lubbock county on passage of the paved road issue. The third time was the well known "charm" You can't keep paying out of a progressive community.

What with Wisconsin, Mexico, and all, Moody hasn't had so many dilemmas since the national Democratic convention days.

We are not as much amused by the antics of Arthur "The Great" Shires as some people. He is merely acting out the feelings of those hundreds of thousands who think they are super-men. Its pathetic, not amusing.

We just have the notion that Santa Claus likes to do business on credit but frowns upon endangering of credit in his name.

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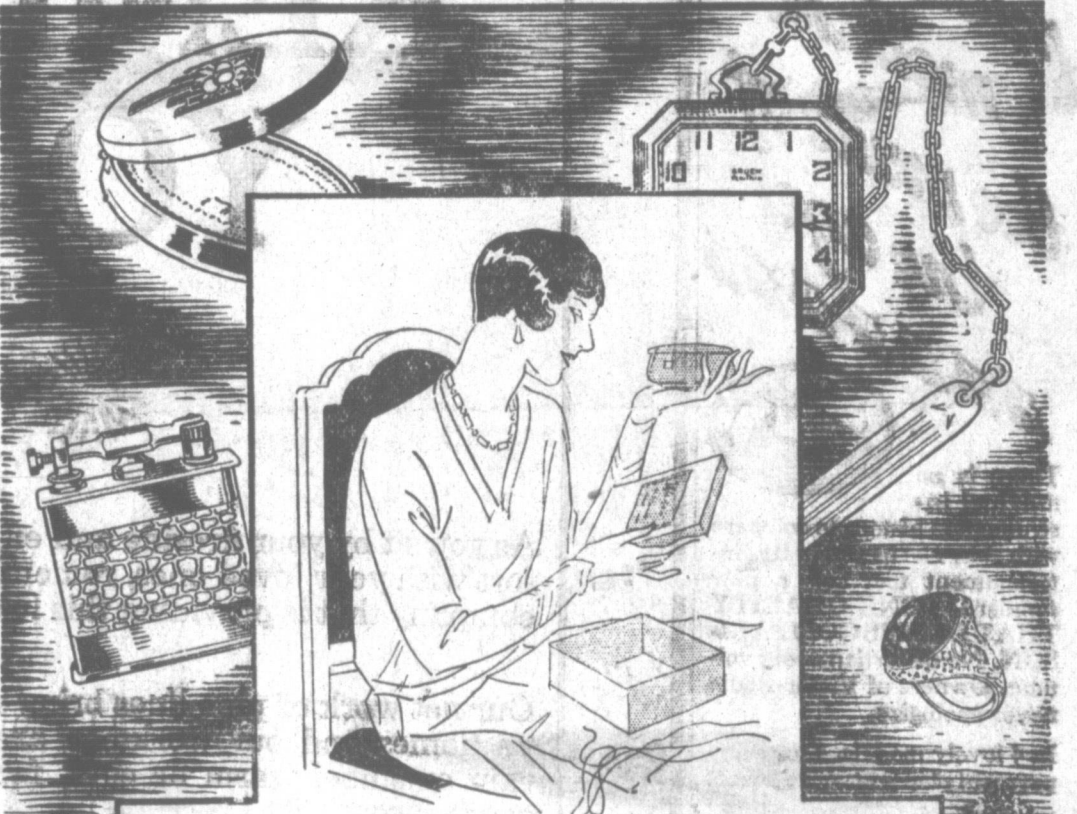
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Returns From Tech
Miss Maxine Gwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gwin, arrived yesterday from Lubbock, where she is a student in Texas Tech.

for El Paso, where she will meet her parents and spend the remainder of the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Robinson and their son, William left yesterday morning to spend three weeks at various points in Iowa where they have relatives and friends.

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Strawn demanded.
"Practically none at all. The tenant of the front apartment on the second floor told police that he heard the faint ringing of a doorbell in the rear apartment about 8:30 that Sunday morning. The medical examiner placed the time of death between 8 and 9 of that morning. The tenant told of hearing a man's voice call out, 'Special delivery for Miss Graves,' but paid no attention. Did not even open his door to look out; no reason why he should spy on his neighbor, of course."
"Who discovered the crime?" Strawn asked.
"Miss Graves' first assistant designer at the hat shop. It seems that Sally had asked her friend—using the word in a loose sense, since she did not make a real friend at anyone, apparently—to have Sunday breakfast with her at 11 o'clock. The two girls were going to make new summer hats for themselves—a sort of business holiday—and the young assistant brought some of the materials with her. When she could not arouse Miss Graves she became alarmed, and asked the janitor to open the door with his passkey. The last I read of the case the poor thing was still lying in the morgue, waiting to be claimed by some close friend or relative. And the police were no nearer a solution than they had been one hour after the discovery of the body."
"Will you lay you two bets: first, that Sally was Mrs. Hogarth's daughter, and, second, that the 'bad penny' turned up."

Church Observances of Christmas to Be Featured by "White Gifts"

White Offering for Needy to Mark Methodist Christmas Observance—Pageant Will Be Given on Tuesday

The First Methodist church will hold its services in observance of Christmas today, featuring a white offering for the needy and unfortunate. The Rev. Tom W. Brabham, pastor, will deliver his Christmas message, "The Triple Gift," at the 11 o'clock morning service. The choir will sing special Christmas music, including the anthem, "King of Kings, and Lord of Lords."

The message of the evening will be brought in anthems, carols, and hymns by a white robed choir, in vocal and instrumental solos, with pageantry, and readings. There will be no sermon.

The pageant, "Why the Chimes Rang," will be presented under the direction of Mrs. F. Lee Hill, who it will be remembered was in charge of the pageant "The Challenge of the Cross," an eminently successful recent production at the Methodist church. The evening program will be given at 7:30 o'clock. It is announced as follows:

Carol—"Silent Night, Holy Night," by choir.

Carol—"Hark the Herald Angels Sing," by choir.

Reading—"The Great Guest Comes," by Virginia Rose.

Violin solo—"Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," LaVerne Twiford.

Reading—"The Voice From a Far Country," by Mrs. F. Lee Hill.

Vocal solo—"O Little Town of Bethlehem," by Grady Morton.

Reading—"The Volunteer Organist," by Mrs. H. G. Twiford.

Carol—"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," by choir.

Pageant—"Why the Chimes Rang," with the characters as follows: Reader, Miss Clarice Pitman; king, W. R. Campbell, king's court, queen, Mrs. Raymond Harrah; queen's court, train bearers, May Jo Wian and Mary Jane Wilkerson; boys, Maurice Saunders and Wayne Coffee.

Chimes.

Presentation of white offerings.

Prayer and benediction.

Anthem—"Joy to the World," by the choir.

Miss Jonnie Ruth Williams spent yesterday in Amarillo.

Miss Gladys Payne, who is associated with the Stuekey Construction company will leave today to spend the holidays at her home in Dickens.

CATHOLIC MASS TO BE SUNG BY SPECIAL CHOIR

The congregation of Holy Souls Catholic church is preparing to celebrate Christmas with the appropriate ceremonies. The order of the services, as announced by Rev. Father Joseph Wonderly, pastor, is as follows: Midnight mass on Christmas eve and mass at 7 o'clock on Christmas morning.

The choir, augmented by some picked voices from the choirs of the other local churches, will render a short program immediately preceding the midnight service, concluding with "Holy Night," which will be sung with the church darkened, except for the light from the crib erected in one corner.

The choir will sing the mass which starts promptly at midnight. The principal numbers to be sung are the following: "Kyrie Eleison" (Lord Have Mercy); "Gloria in Excelsis Deo" (Glory to God in the Highest), which was the song chanted by the angels on the first Christmas eve; "Credo" (the Apostles' Creed, in common use by other Christian churches; "Sanctus" (Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth); "Benedictus" (Blessed Be He Who Comes in the Name of the Lord); response to the Pater Noster or Lord's Prayer, also in common use by all Christians; and "Agnus Dei" (Behold the Lamb of God). At the conclusion of the services, the choir, assisted by the congregation, will sing "Holy God We Praise Thy Name."

A cordial invitation is extended the public to join in the services. The beautiful and symbolical crib will doubtless draw the interested attention of both old and young, regardless of church affiliations.

Australia's 1929 wool products were worth \$75,000,000 less than those in 1928.

Pauline Frederick, motion-picture actress, is now suffering from ptomaine poisoning.

When Rose Ruddank of Buffalo was married her wedding cake weighed 200 pounds.

Impressive Programs to Be Presented on Tuesday

All churches of the city will hold impressive celebrations of Christmas this year, with elaborate and beautifully planned programs arranged upon the theme of the Nativity, the original source of the occasion. In anthem, carol, and old familiar hymn, in pageant, and in solo will be told the story of the first Christmas morning nearly two thousand years ago.

A "White Christmas," it is being called by the churches, for the simple but beautiful ceremony of offering "white gifts to the King" is to be a part of almost every program of the season. At each white-decked altar members of the congregation and others attending the program will lay their gifts of money, clothing, and food for the needy of the community. On Christmas morning these will be distributed in an effort to bring comfort and cheer to everyone.

There will be Christmas trees, too, at most of the churches, and at some there will be two or three, at various times. In most instances the Christmas trees will be merely colorful adjuncts to the program, with only the usual treats of candy, nuts, and fruits to be distributed from them.

MR. AKERS' SISTER DIES
News has reached here of the death of C. B. Akers' sister at Denver, Colo. She had been ill more than two years, and a few days ago it became apparent that the end was near. Mr. Akers had been with her since Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Murphy and daughter, Miss Helen, of Borger visited friends here yesterday.

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Baptist Christmas Schedule Will Include Many Programs—Tree Is to Conclude Tuesday Evening Events

Christmas observances at the First Baptist church are to include the pastor's message this evening at 7:30 o'clock, four special programs and trees for the children's departments of the Sunday school, to which the public is cordially invited.

The Junior department of the Sunday school gave its program and had its tree Friday afternoon at the church, making the donation of gifts for Buckners Orphan Home a feature of the occasion. The Cradle Roll and Beginner departments will have their trees this morning, and the primary department will give its program at the church at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The program appears elsewhere in this issue.

Of outstanding importance among these programs is that of Christmas eve, on which occasion members of the congregation and others in attendance will bring their gifts for charity—white gifts—to the altar. A Christmas tree from which treats of Christmas sweets will be distributed to the children will be the feature following the program.

The following numbers will be given, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.
Invocation—The Rev. D. H. Truhitte.
Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," choir and congregation.
Scripture reading—John Lee Harris.

Christmas carols by choir.
"O Little Town of Bethlehem."
"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear."
"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing."
"O Come All Ye Faithful."
"Joy to the World."

Exercises by Primary department of Sunday school.
Male quartet—"Silent Night."
Exercises by Junior department of

PAGEANT WILL BE OFFERING OF CHRISTIAN GROUP

"Joy to the World," a pageant, will be given at the First Christian church on Christmas eve, by a cast composed entirely of children. Not only the children of the church school and young people's societies of the First Christian church, but any others of the city who wish to may take part in the program, which is to be presented under the direction of Mrs. Harry E. Marbaugh.

In a scene depicting the journey of the throngs of Jewish families to Bethlehem for the taking of the census a large group of characters will appear, as they will also in the scene of the rejoicing multitude. All figures will be simply but appropriately costumed.

The characters which have been assigned are as follows: Joseph, James King; Mary, Margaret Bryson; shepherds, Roger Townsend, Vernelle Stephens, and John Martin; the scoffer, Edward Hickman. A musical background for the pageant will be furnished by the church orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Ray Chambers. Special lighting will be used.

The first rehearsal will be held at the church at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Marbaugh urges that every girl and boy in the city who wishes a part in the pageant be present then. The second rehearsal will be held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Each child who takes part will be asked to bring a gift of food to be given the needy of the community, the gift to consist of three articles, as, for instance, three apples, three oranges, or three bags of beans. The joy of giving rather than the pleasure of receiving, will be stressed in the Christmas eve observance, it was indicated. The program will begin at 7 o'clock.

A Christmas tree will be a feature of the program, with only treats of the holiday sweets to be distributed. No entire public is invited to be present.

Primary Groups of Baptist Church to Have Special Tree

The primary department of the Baptist Sunday school, pupils of which are six, seven, and eight years old, will have a special program and Christmas tree at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, in the department assembly room. Mrs. Wilson Hatcher, superintendent, has invited mothers of all the pupils to be present.

There will be a small gift on the tree for every little girl and boy, as well as the usual treat of candy, nuts, and fruit. Santa Claus is scheduled to make his appearance just before the distribution of gifts.

The program is to be as follows: Invocation, the Rev. D. H. Truhitte. Welcome, Helen Durham.

Playlet, "The Christ Message," by six-year-old boys and girls.

Playlet, "The Old Story," by seven-year-old girls.

Song, "The Little Lord Jesus," by Hazel and Virginia Newcomb.

Reading, "A Christmas Habit," by Clyde Garner.

Playlet, "Hiking to Christmas Town," by seven-year-old boys.

Reading, "A Nice Mary," by Bonnie Lee Rose.

Song, "Silent Night," by assembly.

Reading, "The First Christmas," by Alice McConnell.

Playlet, "The Shepherds and the Wise Men," by eight-year-old boys.

Short address, John Lee Harris.

Glen Poole left yesterday for Coffeyville, Kans., where he is to spend the holidays.

H. H. Walters left yesterday for Los Angeles, Calif., where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

Gifts are to be distributed from it, according to the announcement. The entire public is invited to be present.

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