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## OVER 165 DIE IN TRAIN WRECK

### American Calls Arrest In French Spy Plot 'Frameup'

#### CHARGES CAME AS SURPRISE HE DECLARES

#### CLAIM DOCUMENTS DID NOT BELONG TO AMERICANS

PARIS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Rober Gordon Switz, young Americans, declared vigorously today that their arrest on suspicion of being "tools of an international spy ring" was a police "frameup" and the result of a "plant."

They were heard separately by Magistrate Benon. During the grilling examination they declared documents found by police did not belong to them.

The 29-year-old native of East Orange, N. J., maintained that the affair "looked like a scenario well played." His four hour examination left him nearly exhausted.

Mrs. Switz told the American consul, Robert D. Murphy, that the evidence against them was "put there as a plant."

The meeting of the couple after a separation of almost a week was an affectionate one. Their attorney, Charles Moyses, who attended, said it was "more tender than an American movie."

Their family has engaged a famous French lawyer, Deputy Henry Torres, to aid in the defense.

The couple had a brief chance to embrace when they were together for a few minutes in the judge's chambers as the seized documents were opened before them.

Since Monday, when they and 8 others were arrested in a marked contrast to her husband—when she went before the magistrate following the grilling of her husband. At the opening of the investigation they were kept apart.

The accusation against him was described by Switz as a "complete error" and he told the investigators details of his trips to France. He explained he was trying to market an amplifier which he had a model made in Holland.

Judge Benon after the hearing denied an application for their provisional liberty.

Both were taken back to their cells, Switz to the Sainte prison and the wife to La Petite Roquette.

It was indicated that it will be several days before they are called again since the judge must examine the papers and the others arrested.

Mrs. Switz complained that her cell was cold and that she lacked reading matter. Murphy promised he would try to get the cell changed and would have books sent to her.

#### Post For Him?



Reported slated for a post in the Roosevelt cabinet to replace Homer Cummings as attorney general is Martin Conboy, above, newly appointed U. S. attorney for the New York district. Cummings was said to be ready to take the post of governor of the Philippines, to which he was originally designated.

#### THIRTEEN DEAD, 5000 HOMELESS IN FLOOD AREA

#### 'Prophet Of Doom' In Prediction End Of Time Near

SEATTLE, Dec. 23 (AP)—The weatherman brought the perfect Christmas gift to the water-soaked Pacific Northwest today—colder temperatures to stem the floods which have caused 13 deaths and made thousands homeless.

General relief was felt in Washington, Oregon, and British Columbia, although traffic by rail and motor was still almost paralyzed in western Washington.

Fifteen cities and towns were inundated in whole or in part, scores more were isolated except to airplanes and some rivers kept on rising, adding to flood damage already of tremendous extent.

William Greenwood, "the prophet of doom" of Olympia, Wash., who is building an ark and predicting a deluge that will wipe life from the earth, chuckled grimly at the inundation of a few hundred thousand acres in the Northwest and said "it's only a sign."

A genuine flood will occur in 1938, he declared in warning sinners to prepare for watery graves.

All rail traffic into Puget Sound, except from Vancouver, B. C., and Grays Harbor was blocked by slides and washouts, and railroads said they did not expect to operate much between eastern and western Washington for two days. In central Washington traffic was blocked and hundreds of travelers were marooned.

In north Idaho floods thundered down from the mountains, wrecking houses as they came, shattered communications and isolated the Coeur d'Alene mining cities of Wallace, Mullan, Kellogg, and Burke for a time. British Columbia, where earth slides and inundations had wreaked havoc with rail and motor traffic, reported conditions were much improved.

#### McLean Citizen First To Obtain U. S. Home Loan

J. H. Bodine of McLean will be the first Gray county resident to obtain a federal home loan, it was stated yesterday by Judge Newton P. Willis, attorney for the home loan corporation here.

The loan lacks only Mr. Bodine's signature, which will be affixed at once. The Dallas office will make the final entry.

Sid Stone, appraiser, and Judge Willis have been busy lately with their duties in connection with the loan applications. More than one hundred applications are in various stages of examination. A number of them will be finally approved soon.

**I HEARD—**  
Wishes everyone a very very Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year, and lots of presents and good eats.

#### SANTA CLAUS FAVORS 425 AT TREE

#### ST NICHOLAS MAKES ROUNDS THIS EVENING

#### MORE PROSPERITY IS EVIDENT THIS SEASON

FOUR hundred and twenty-five children received toys taken from a gaily lighted tree by Santa Claus himself, and were given bags of fruit and candy at the Christmas tree party sponsored by service clubs at the city hall last night.

Many were accompanied by parents or older brothers and sisters, so a crowd of more than 500 applauded a brief program presented by students of San Houston school. The band, directed by Estill Foster, played four numbers and the tumbling team performed under direction of Mrs. L. C. Peddicord. Members of the sponsoring clubs assisted Santa in distributing the gifts.

Santa Claus, that delightful will-o'-the-wisp of the pre-Christmas week, has been flitting about gaily and in accustomed generosity for several days, but he is expected to pop up in unexpected places this evening before going back to his home in the northland.

Yesterday morning he had a big time with more than a thousand children at a theater party sponsored by La Nora theater and J. B. Finney's store. Candy and fruit were given out as the children left the show.

Last night at the city hall, children of CWA parents were special guests of Pampa civic clubs and the Junior chamber of commerce. Toys and dolls were furnished along with the candy and fruit distributed.

The Girl Scouts gave the dolls, while the fire department repaired and painted the toys. The program was furnished by the band and students of San Houston school.

Churches have been busy as usual holding Christmas trees and parties and helping needy members. The members, The American Legion and Auxiliary had a list of beneficiaries. Most of the needy on the welfare rolls, numbering nearly 50, were given Christmas baskets by the Elks club.

Return of students from college and arrival of relatives of Pampans have given the predominating theme to Pampa social programs. But on the whole it will be a "quiet" Christmas period for this community.

In many ways, this Christmas has been an outstanding one. Officially launched by the best of all Santa days sponsored by the Junior chamber of commerce, the December business activity has been very satisfactory to both shoppers and business men. Pampa has been a colorful and popular trading center.

Adding to the general optimism is the very bright prospect for 1934. About the only thing needed to assure this community of its great year since 1929 is a series of snows or rains to save the wheat crop. The fall has been unusually dry and warm.

Christmas day will find Pampa business houses and public buildings almost uniformly closed. Firemen, policemen, and county officers will, however, remain subject to call.

#### Lumber Company Register Looted

The cash register at the White House Lumber company was looted of \$25 yesterday afternoon. R. W. Lane, manager, left the office to go into the yard for a few minutes and when he returned the drawer of the register was open. He saw no one near the premises, he told city officers who are investigating.

The thief took no silver but cleared the cash register of all bills. So far officers have found no one who saw a man leaving the premises.



**the Weather**  
WEST TEXAS: Generally fair Sunday and Monday; colder in the Panhandle Sunday; colder Sunday night and Monday, cold wave in north portion.

#### No Paper Will Be Issued On Monday

There will be no Pampa Daily News issued on Christmas day—Monday. Employees will have the day for their own. Publication will be resumed Tuesday as usual. Do not call THE NEWS Monday, since the office will be closed. Street sales boys will be given their papers this morning—Sunday—as a Christmas gift from THE NEWS, and all they receive will be their own. In accordance with a long-standing custom, "there is no law" against giving the boys a little extra for copies of THE NEWS bought during today.

#### KANSAS BANKER PLEADS GUILTY IN BOND CASE

#### Admits His Guilt In Million-Dollar Forgery

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 23 (AP)—Ronald Finney, central figure in the Kansas million dollar bond forgery scandal, pleaded guilty before District Judge P. H. Heinz today to 31 charges of forgery after failure of a defense attempt to prove he was insane.

Sentence was deferred until next Saturday.

The 24-year-old Topeka broker, jaunty throughout a week of presentation of state evidence, entered his plea after a commission of three physicians reported to the court they found he was "not insane, not an imbecile, not an idiot and that he does comprehend his position in making his defense."

The old statute under which the question was raised provides that if a defendant shall be found insane by a commission during his trial the court shall forthwith commit him to an asylum. In the event of recovery later he would be returned to the same court for trial.

Warren W. Finney, 60, Emporia, Kan., banker and father of the broker, has been sentenced to from 36 to 600 years imprisonment for embezzlement of \$63,000 from institutions he headed. He has appealed.

#### POPE PIUS ASSAILS GERMAN GOVERNMENT'S PROGRAM TO STERILIZE AS 'INCONSISTENT'

#### 'PRAY AND PERSIST IN PRAYERS,' SAYS HOLY FATHER

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 23 (AP)—Pope Pius today assailed a German program for the sterilization of the unfit and exhorted those who seek the peace and welfare of the world "to pray and persist in their prayers."

In his account of the joys and sorrows of the past year, he described as "inconsistent" the proposal of the German government to deny parenthood to thousands of persons suffering incurable ailments.

He listed as one of the joys the success so far of the holy year and as one of the sorrows a world situation characterized by "conflicts and contradictions" and bound up "with uncertainties and distrust by the clashing interests of fruitless negotiations."

His holiness, clad in shimmering white, gave his annual Christmas address to the richly-robed college of Cardinals and the Roman prelates who gathered in the consistory hall to wish him "multos and nos"—many years of life.

"All those," he said, "who wish for the welfare, peace, and concord of the whole Christian family, but who are in the same situation as we, namely, obliged to judge events by that which is done or better said, that which is not done, for all those our word is this: 'They must, firstly, pray, secondly, pray, and thirdly continue to pray.'"

There are other things, Pius went on, "that we feel in our heart, but cannot say," and explained that the church's attitude on the German sterilization program was clearly set forth in a papal decree of 1931 and in the encyclical, "casti connubii."

Mankind until now, he asserted, "has talked too much and too uselessly" and other courses, save prayer, derived from efforts at negotiation and even generosity "seem to us to be really unfoolish."

#### U. S. CHAMBER MAKES ATTACK ON TAX PLAN

#### U. S. C. of C. Challenges Right of Congress to Attempt Corrections

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Chamber of Commerce of the United States, the nation's largest business organization, today challenged the right of congress to attempt to correct social defects or economic abuses through taxation.

Fred H. Clausen, Horicon, Wis., manufacturer, chairman of the committee on federal taxation of the chamber, today submitted this brief to the house ways and means committee as the "business viewpoint" on taxation.

Before stating the chamber's opinion on specific points, opposing additional taxes on dividends, maintenance of depreciation deductions and reduction of capital gains and losses rates among other things, Clausen said:

"The object of taxation is to produce revenue. The penalizing of particular methods of doing business or the accomplishment of social reforms are not within its legitimate sphere, nor should it be influenced by prejudice or a spirit of punishment."

"Any deviation from these fundamental principles is not only an abuse of a sovereign right that carries with it the power to destroy but also operates to defeat the power to destroy but also operates to defeat the proper purpose of tax legislation, namely, the production of revenues."

"The correction of economic abuses or social defects should not be sought through a revenue measure. During and since the war the income tax has been a tremendous

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#### Faces Death



Death on the gallows may be the sentence for Mrs. Allie May Farris, 38-year-old grandmother, convicted in Franklinton, La., of complicity in the murder of her husband last July. She was found guilty of ordering a negro to push her husband, who could not swim, into Pearl river. Farris was drowned. Mrs. Farris is shown here, sobbing, in Franklinton jail.

#### EXPRESS RAMS INTO ANOTHER IN THICK FOG

#### SCORES INJURED WHEN TRAINS IN FRANCE ARE SHATTERED

LAGNY, France, Dec. 24 (Sunday) (AP)—More than 100 happy Christmas travelers, many of them students from Paris, homeward bound, were killed last night in a rear-end collision of the Paris-Strasbourg Express and a local night train in a heavy fog. At least 100 were injured. The list of victims grew steadily while rescue workers struggled in the splintered wreckage to extricate them.

The Express, an hour late, crashed at a 50-mile-an-hour speed into the rear of the local, which had come to a halt close to Pomponne, near here, 15 miles due east of Paris.

The four rear cars of the local train were telescoped and crushed to splinters by the onrushing locomotive. Nearly all the occupants of these cars were killed outright.

A French senator and two members of the Chamber of Deputies were among those reported seriously injured.

All the inhabitants of Lagny hastened to the scene and aided in rescue work. In a field near the wreckage, local doctors and others who had hurried from Paris gave first aid to the injured while the dead were laid in long silent rows beside the tracks.

The local train had stopped on a curve in answer to a Semaphore signal. Its rear light was said to be invisible to the engineer of the onrushing express, blinded by fog.

Wood fires lit by rescuers along the tracks to provide illumination revealed a fantastic shambles, shrouded by the heavy fog. By midnight 100 bodies had been laid beside the wreckage and workers were still looking for more.

Most of the victims were passengers on the local train which had also delayed its departure from Paris because of the fog and stopped about two miles from Lagny.

The express crashed into it at 8:15 p. m. (3:15 p. m. Eastern Standard Time).

The accident was one of the gravest in the history of French railroading. It was far more serious than the one of Evreux last October in which 35 were killed and 50 injured when the Cherbourg-Paris Express, rounding a curve, hurled off a 30-foot viaduct in the Rouler river.

Among the seriously injured in last night's wreck was the French Senator Hachette, and Henri Rollin and Gaston Poitevin, members of the Chamber of Deputies.

PARIS, Dec. 24 (Sunday) (AP)—The unofficial death toll in the train wreck at Lagny was tentatively fixed at 165 early today, but was expected to mount as the more seriously injured succumbed to their wounds.

#### Sturgeon Family Slightly Injured In Car Accident

Mr. and Mrs. John Sturgeon and daughter suffered minor injuries near Madill, Okla., yesterday afternoon when their car was struck by the careening machine of a hit and run driver who attempted to pass the Sturgeon automobile in the face of an oncoming car.

The Sturgeon car was badly wrecked, and it will be Tuesday or Wednesday before the Pampans will be able to proceed to Paris, Texas, where they expected to spend Christmas with relatives. The other car failed to stop and render aid, but the Pampa attorney secured the license number and officers are investigating. Arrests are expected. Mrs. Sturgeon and the daughter suffered more painful injuries than Mr. Sturgeon. It was not necessary for them to be taken to a hospital.

#### ILLNESS FATAL TO LONG-TIME RESIDENT HERE

#### Haggard Funeral To Be At Church Today

MRS. JEMIMA HAGGARD, 75 years, died at the family home 600 South Somerville street, at 7:45 o'clock Friday night. Mrs. Haggard had been in failing health for nearly two years. Her husband, Winston F. Haggard, died April 3, 1932, and Mrs. Haggard will be buried by his side in Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Haggard had resided in or near Pampa for 23 years. She was born in Winchester, Ky., near where Mr. Haggard was born. They were married in Kentucky and moved to Missouri before coming to Texas.

Their golden anniversary was celebrated three years ago. Mrs. Haggard had been a member of the Baptist church 40 years.

Mrs. Haggard is survived by four daughters, Mrs. R. D. Berryman and Mrs. N. L. Welton of Pampa, Mrs. Howard Piersall, Gatesby, Okla., and Mrs. J. W. Epperson, Winchester, Ky., and three sons, John and Buster of Pampa and Emmitt, Dallas. Other survivors are two half brothers, Alex Willis and Nelson Willis of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and 14 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

The body will lie at rest at the family home until time for services, which will be at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the First Baptist church with the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview cemetery in charge of the Stephenson Mortuary.

Pallbearers will be John McCamey, Elmer Rupp, R. A. Smith, A. A. Neil, A. R. Eldridge, and H. L. Blackstock. Flowers will be in charge of Mrs. T. C. Neil and Mrs. W. B. Henry.

#### Midnight Mass To Be Sung At Church Tonight

The birth of Christ will be commemorated with the usual impressive services tomorrow at Holy Souls Catholic church. This celebration will start with the singing of midnight mass tonight promptly at 12 o'clock.

As in previous years, mass will be preceded by "Holy Night," sung by the choir. While this song is being sung, the church will be darkened so that all attention may be centered on the faintly illuminated crib group, depicting the nativity of the Christ. A brief explanation of the significance of the ceremony will be delivered by Father Wondery.

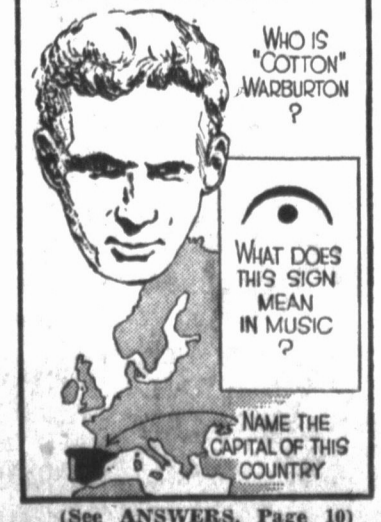
The midnight mass has filled the church to overflowing in recent years. The service has come to be regarded as an inseparable part of Christmas. The singing of the choir will be as devotional and pleasing as in former years, it was said.

A cordial invitation to attend the services is extended to the public at large. Father Clinton of White Deer will read mass at the church at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

#### CHRISTMAS



#### THREE GUESSES



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# DALLAS TECH USES POWER DRIVES TO ELIMINATE FIGHTING BOBCATS 13-7

## WINNING SCORE MADE IN LAST FEW MINUTES

### GREENVILLE TO PLAY WOLVES FOR TITLE NEXT WEEK

BY BILL PARKER, Associated Press Sports Writer, SAN ANGELO, Dec. 23 (AP)—The Dallas Tech Wolves swept into the finals of the Texas Intercollegiate League football race today with an impressive 13 to 7 victory over a battling San Angelo Bobcat machine which played full steam ahead for four hard, pounding periods but did not have enough to stave off defeat, and next week will meet Greenville for the championship.

After playing through three periods with the score tied at 7 and 7, the Dallas boys snatched victory in the fading minutes of the game when George Ewing wiggled through the Bobcats' line and stepped off 11 yards for the touchdown which eliminated San Angelo and swept the Wolves into the finals.

Coach Henry Frrika of Greenville, who sent his team into the finals Friday by a 22 to 14 victory over Fort Arthur, scouted Tech today from a stadium seat. He said the championship final would be played at Dallas or Fort Worth—no agreement having yet been reached.

Today's semi-final battle was strictly power. Dallas Tech depended on Ewing and Stavinsky to tug the leather and these two boys accomplished all Coach Wally Davis could request. Curly Hays and Herb Reid shouldered the ball carrying burden for San Angelo, and not once during the game did they let up. The game, witnessed by an estimated crowd of between eight and nine thousand persons, was quite free from fumbles and bad plays.

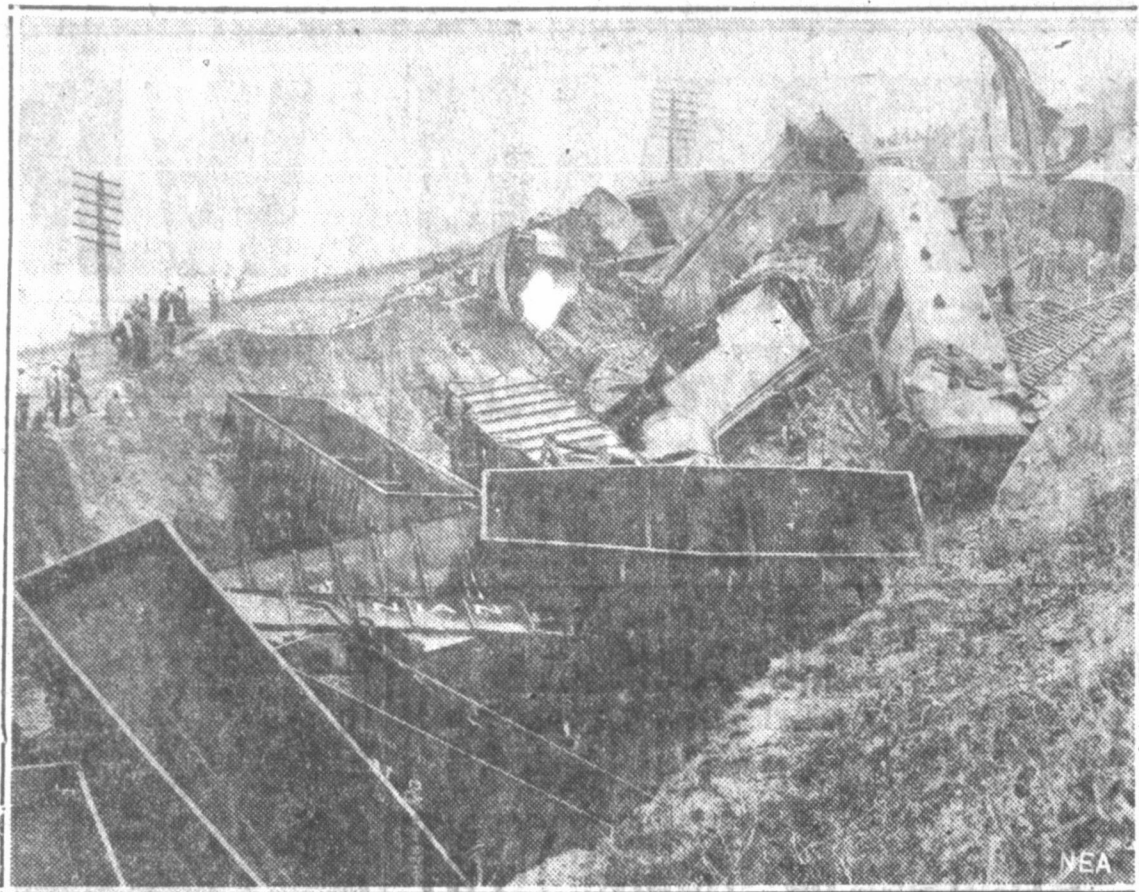
Tech scored in the first period as a result of a drive which started from its 43. The Wolves marched to the one-yard line where they lost the ball. Reid stepped back to punt out of danger on the first down, but was rushed and instead of punting, he threw an incomplete pass. On the next down his punt from behind his goal line was blocked by J. C. Wolford and recovered behind the goal line by Cortemeglia for a Tech touchdown. Philbrick, with a stiff wind to his back, kicked goal.

San Angelo tied the score in the second period. Reid started the action when he grabbed Ewing's punt and returned it 45 yards to Tech's 36-yard line. Hays, Waggon and Reid formed a line-smacking combination which swept for a first down on Tech's three-yard stripe, from where Hays crashed off tackle for a touchdown. Reid kicked goal from placement, making the score 7-7.

San Angelo barely missed scoring a touchdown after the opening kick-off in the third period. On the first down, Reid passed to Tucker, who hit out on the side line. Tucker caught the sphere and raced to Tech's 30-yard line where he was brought down by Ewing and Cortemeglia. The Bobcats then fumbled to lose their scoring chance. Tech's best drive in the third period netted a first down on the Bobcats' 21-yard line. This drive was stopped on the opening play of the fourth period when Smith intercepted a pass on the Bobcats' 7-yard line.

Bobcats Fight Desperately. Late in the fourth period, Ewing and Stavinsky started bombarding the Bobcats' line and eventually got first down on their opponents' 18-yard line. Ewing picked up four yards on an off-tackle cutback, Stavinsky crashed guard for three ad-

## TWO DIE AS FREIGHT FLYER CRASHES



The cars jumbled into heap by the terrific impact, this was a view of the wreckage after a Florida-New York express plowed into a freight train which had been derailed by a landslide at Quantico, Va. The engineer and firemen aboard the flyer were killed.

## Mustangs Nose Out Exes 13-11

DALLAS, Dec. 23 (AP)—Youth was the deciding factor in the scanty 13 to 11 victory Southern Methodist university's football team gained today over an aggregation of former Southern Methodist gridiron players.

The game was a post-season affair played for the benefit of the community chest. Some 6,000 spectators turned out to see the game. Jerry Mann, probably the greatest quarterback ever to run a Mustang team, played spectacularly on the offensive today. In the third period, he took the ball on the 22-yard line and swept around right end for a touchdown.

Among other former gridiron flashes who played were Alex Hooks, who hadn't worn a uniform for five years; Dog Dawson, diminutive end of 1927 fame; Sid Henry, whose college football playing ended in 1924, and gray-haired Lake Morrison, a star way back in 1923.

Additional yards and on the next down Ewing got through and galloped across for a touchdown. Kicking against the wind Philbrick missed goal.

Taking the kickoff, the Bobcats, with slightly more than three minutes to play, opened with a desperate aerial raid that bewildered the Wolves. With a series of forward and flat zone passes, San Angelo swept down the field to a first down on Tech's 19-yard line. The threat was stopped, however, when Cortemeglia intercepted a pass behind Tech's goal line and returned it 5 yards. Ewing's punt was bad, going high in the air and taking a backward bounce that gave San Angelo the ball on Tech's 17-yard line with a minute to play.

A flat zone pass from Reid to Waggon put the ball on Tech's 11-yard line. San Angelo drew a 5-yard penalty for too much time out and Reid made one last desperate try. He shot a bullet pass toward Waggon, but Coston, Tech's center, jumped into the ozone and intercepted the ball. A few seconds later the time keeper's gun barked. Tech was in the finals and San Angelo had been eliminated in one of the best played games during the current championship series.

## MONROE OWENS IS SELECTED GRID CAPTAIN

### SPRING PERIOD WILL BE DEVOTED TO FOOTBALL

Monroe Owens, star end of the 1933 Harvester football team, has been elected captain of next year's Harvester team. The popular end who will be playing his last year of football next season, received 27 of the 28 votes cast.

Because none of the other three boys who received votes had a clear majority, it was agreed not to name a co-captain. Lloyd Hamilton, quarterback, received 13 votes, Bill Dunaway, half back, 11 votes, and Carl Smith guard, 4 votes. Coach Odus Mitchell has always discouraged a quarterback being elected captain. He believes that a quarterback has enough on his mind calling plays and should not be burdened with the responsibility of looking after the team.

Quarterback Hamilton heartily agreed with his coach and the other three boys are "for their captain." Sixteen members of this year's championship team will return next season. Jess Patton is the retiring captain and it is no secret that Jess was one of the best captains that ever led a Harvester team on the playing field.

Coach Mitchell announced yesterday that he will not coach track and field next spring. He plans to call spring football practice early and with Line Coach Argus Fox will devote the entire spring period to football. Offensive football will be stressed, Coach Mitchell said.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reno and daughter, Jacqueline, are spending Christmas in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clift of Augusta, Kan., are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Forest McKimming.

## PAMPA BEATS CANYON TEAM

### College Freshmen Lose 28 To 20 As Harvesters Show Improvement

Although the Harvesters missed more shots than they made, they looped enough to defeat the Canyon college Calves 28 to 20 last night at the local gymnasium. The boys handled the ball better than in their game Friday night, but they still couldn't find the loop.

The Calves, mostly little fellows as basketball players go, handled the ball well and showed more speed than the locals. They were lucky on several long shots but missed a number of crisp shots. Both teams played out towards the end of the encounter but the first half was lightning fast.

Pinnell started at center for the Harvesters but was replaced by Marbaugh. Dunaway started the game at guard but his back, injured in football, bothered him considerably, and Irving finished the game. The Harvesters defense was strong and their ability to work the ball into shooting position showed marked improvement over previous games.

The Harvester second string played the last three minutes and neither team scored. Pinnell was in the van of the Harvester scoring with 14 points, all pretty field goals. He made 2 of the 10 points scored in the first half which ended with the score deadlocked. Green made 8 points, all in the last half. Marbaugh was the other scorer with six points. Heskell and Dunaway were the starting guards.

Savage, Canyon center and captain, made 8 points. Neighbors, little guard, followed with 6 points. Hamlin, forward, looped 4 points and Whittenberg, forward, made the other 2 points. Brown was the other Canyon player.

The Harvesters will play four games this week and the Harvestettes will play two games. The week's activities will open with the Happy Jacks here Wednesday and Thursday nights. The Panhandle Panthers and the Panhandle girls' team will be here Friday night. The Pampa teams will play return games in Panhandle Saturday night.

STILL IN RUNNING CHICAGO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Andrew Pond and Willie Mosconi, both of Philadelphia, remained in the running for second place in the world pocket billiards tournament today by conquering James Caras, Wilmington, Del., and George Kelly, Philadelphia, respectively. Pond came from behind to defeat Caras, 125 to 99 in 19 innings, while Pond Mosconi topped Kelly, 125 to 105, in a 22-inning battle.

Miss Florence Conley is vacationing with relatives in Estelline.

## HEDLEY VETS BEAT PAMPA'S CAGERS 25-16

### BOYS SHOW POTENTIAL POWER BUT LACK OF PRACTICE

Considering everything, the Harvester basketball team made a creditable court debut Friday evening, although the Pampa boys lost to the practiced Hedley veterans 25 to 16.

In three weeks, on January 13 to be exact, when the Owls will make another stand on the Harvesters' court, the local cagers should trounce Hedley, provided of course, the Harvesters improve as much as they are expected to. It was the tenth victory for the Owls. Football is a minor pastime in the Donley county town, and the Owls have been busy on the court for two months.

The Harvesters had had two days of practice, and relics of the late football season were noticeable. They couldn't remember that they shouldn't run with the ball; they used hips, elbows and knees; they made so many fouls that if the Hedley sharpshooters had made two-thirds of their free shots they would have won by 20 points instead of 9. But at that, Pampa's boys put up a good fight. The score at the first quarter was 5-5, at the close of the half 11-9 for the Owls. Until the fourth quarter the score was close. In that period Evans looped three baskets from the floor and made good three free shots. In the first half Evans was lucky to make one point.

The Owls passed smoothly, guarded neatly and several times swished the net from different angles of the court. The Pampans missed numerous crisp shots; passed most of the time in a haphazard manner, and guarded rather negligently, especially in the last quarter. That's why, when Coach Odus Mitchell polishes some of the rust off his boys' offense and defense, the Harvesters should smash the Owls. They showed strong potential power and should be hard to beat in another month. They have possibilities all right.

Hedley's team was not as tall as had been announced but it was tall enough. However, the sharpshooters, Evans, Gatewood who left the game on personals, and Chilcoat were under six feet. Armstrong, as struck to smother the Pampa veteran, and did it in the last quarter. Pampans got a thrill in the last period when Everett Woodward, brother of Robert, forward on the 1933 championship team, came into the game like a flash and sank a basket in the typical Woodward manner before the Owls had time to get their breath. Everett has his brother's speed and should make a good player in time.

Coach Odus Mitchell started Marbaugh and Green as forwards, Pinnell at center, and Heskell and Dunaway as guards. Woodward, Irving, Scott and Rose saw service in the game. Hedley used seven players: Chilcoat and Evans, forwards; Gatewood and Howard, centers; Armstrong, Shaw and Webb, guards. Bob Fuller called his usual good game. The Pampa points were made as follows: Marbaugh 4, Green 6, Pinnell 2, Heskell 2, Woodward 2. The Harvesters got 12 free shots and made 4; Hedley got 22 and made 9.

## Mack Rides In Plane On His 71st Birthday

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23 (AP)—Connie Mack, veteran of half a century of baseball, passed the seventy-first milestone on his trail of life today by eagerly venturing into a new field for him.

The diamond dean who said they'd never get him off the ground, took his first airplane flight as part of his birthday celebration, riding in a cabin monoplane for 45 minutes with his nephew, Dick Brober, at the controls.

"Say, that's great," was his exclamation after alighting in an airfield north of the city. "Now I can understand why everybody who ever goes up once wants to be in the air all the time."

He soared over Philadelphia and its suburbs with his daughter, Ruth, and the wife of his nephew, picking out the two major league baseball parks, his home and other points of interest to him.

Characteristically, he launched into a new field, his eyes sparkling with a youthful gleam, despite his entrance into the second extra year beyond the Biblical three-score-and-ten.

But of more moment are his coming baseball days—the command of a new and young aggregation of ball players. He's looking forward to starting the rebuilding job on his Athletics, with aims and ambitions pointed toward the goals set by his powerful diamond squads of the past.

As for retiring, he says the thought hasn't entered his mind, and anyone who asks gets an emphatic denial.

## Swanson Avers U. S. Navy Needs

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Reduction of the Navy's aviation activities necessitated by placing aircraft on news ships was said to-night by Rear Admiral Ernest J. King, chief of the naval bureau of aeronautics, to have created "a serious situation."

In his annual report to Secretary Swanson, the admiral disclosed that the addition of fifteen new heavy cruisers, the aircraft carrier Banges and the attack squadron would call for a total of 212 planes from the Navy's 1,000 plane program.

"This has forced the navy to reduce activities authorized under 1,000 plane program by 212 airplanes," King said. "I consider it essential that early legislation be enacted to provide for an increase in the 1,000 plane program in order to give the Navy airplanes necessary for national defense."

In discussing personnel, the admiral noted that as of last July 1, the force was short 183 heavier-than-air aviators, and that this deficiency could not be made up until 1945 if the present rate of commissioning fliers were followed.

Mrs. J. McFarlin and daughter, Miss Zenobia McFarlin, left yesterday for Wichita Falls where they will spend Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald and daughter, Pat, are spending Christmas with Mr. McDonald's parent in Ohio.

Merry Christmas ... and ... Happy New Year  
Tom the HATTER

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OUR WISH FOR YOU ... Not only to you, but to those who are near and dear to you we extend this wish for happiness and contentment for the Christmas season and for each day of the coming year.  
And in this connection we want to thank you for your patronage and for every favor bestowed upon us.  
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### Santa Claus To Drop Gifts From Air To Bonners

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23. (P)—Santa Claus will ride again tomorrow into the snow-swept escarpment of southern Utah, 450 miles northeast of here, to bring a Merry Christmas to Alta Bonner and her nine children.

The visit of old St. Nick will be a fleeting one. From the cabin of a tri-motor airplane he will drop his gifts for the caretaker of a government emergency landing field and her children.

Santa Claus, in reality, represents the 16 air mail pilots of the Western Air Express, whose route from San Diego to Salt Lake City lies over the Bonner home. For more than three years they have been the only Santa Claus this lonely family has known.

Tomorrow two of the pilots, George Sherwood and Clarence Robey, will drop from the plane cabin, with parachutes attached, two large packages containing \$100 worth of food, clothing and toys, gathered from among the pilots of the line.

Neal Smith left last night for Commerce where he will spend the holidays.

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- PERMANENTS \$1.00 and up. Miss Bertha Quarles, 442 North Starkweather. 6p-226
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  - FOUND—Plaid wool scarf near Presbyterian church. Loser inquire at News and pay for this ad. 1c-224
  - LOST—One long brown ladies' glove in Pampa. Finder please return to Pampa News. 1p-224
  - LOST—Ladies' black shoe somewhere in the downtown district. Finder return to Pampa Daily News. 1c-224
  - FOUND—Ladies purse on North Houston street. Loser inquire at NEWS and pay for this ad. 1c-223
  - LOST—One Boston Screw Terrier, small dark brindle with white throat and white nose wearing small brown harness. Answers to the name of "Static". Liberal reward for information leading to his recovery. Jack Hesse, phone 1049 or 997-W. 3c-225
  - PERMANENT WAVES \$1.00 and up. Mrs. Hobbs, opposite Pampa Hospital. 26p-238

- Wanted**
- WANTED—A middle aged lady for house work and cooking. Go home at night. 417 North Hill Street. 3p-225
  - WANTED—To lease furnished hotel 75 to 80 rooms, Berger or Pampa. Box 128 Albuquerque, New Mexico. 6p-228
  - WANTED—To buy 2000 feet of 7 inch Black pipe. Address Box 1415. 6p-229

### Endurance Girl Takes Sun Bath; Eludes Camera

MIAMI Fla., Dec. 23. (P)—Santa Claus will come down a dangling rope in a tin can instead of the customary chimney route to Frances Marsalis and Helen Richey, who have asked St. Nick to bring them a new woman's endurance flight record.

Although the fliers will not hang up their stockings, Santa Claus will send their Christmas packages in a tin can, down a rope from their refueling plane, the same way they get their food, water and other mail.

The fliers began their fourth day in the air at 1:03 p. m. and as the plane swung in large circles over the city they neared the halfway point of the eight days and four hours record they seek to break.

Monotony of the flight was broken for the women today as they played a game of hide and seek with a plane carrying aerial photographers, while Miss Richey was engaged in taking a sun bath, minus her flying togs.

The photographer's plane came alongside the endurance ship as Miss Richey was sunning herself while taking a rest from the controls.

Mrs. Marsalis quickly dived the plane into a cloud bank, obscuring the vision of those in the other ship, while Miss Richey hurriedly donned her clothes.

The two planes then circled close to each other and the cameramen got their pictures of the endurance fliers.

### Claude People Hurt In Wreck

AMARILLO, Dec. 23. (P)—Four persons were injured, two of them seriously, in a head-on car collision, two miles west of Claude shortly before noon today, making a total of 24 dead and injured in highway accidents in the vicinity of Amarillo within the last two days.

V. L. Boen, 26, and C. P. Benson, 68, both of Claude, were in a local hospital tonight as a result of the crash near Claude, in which their car hit head-on with one driven by C. B. Harp of Ashola. Boen, suffering from a broken arm and a possible skull fracture, was unconscious. Harp and his wife were cut and bruised.

Boen and Benson were employed on a highway project near Claude.

**ENTERS ATTORNEY'S RACE**

BEAUMONT, Dec. 23. (P)—Clyde E. Smith of Woodville, district attorney of the seventy fifth judicial district, announced today that he will enter the race for attorney general of the state as a candidate to succeed James V. Allred, incumbent, who is seeking the governorship.

### Nazis Angered At Decision Of Supreme Court

LEIPZIG, Germany, Dec. 23. (P)—A supreme court verdict that a young Dutch brick mason die for firing the German reichstag building and that his four co-defendants be acquitted aroused immediate and violent opposition tonight among Nazis.

"The verdict is a downright mistake and is not at all consonant with the popular sense of justice," said a national socialist party bulletin in reference to the acquittal of three Bulgarians and Ernst Torgler, former communist whip in the reichstag.

Marius Van Der Lubbe, 24, was sentenced to death for the blast and for committing high treason. He received the verdict with the same stolid mien that has characterized his attitude throughout the months-long trial.

The acquitted defendants were held in Leipzig prison tonight and the fact that they were detained in Saxony after having been placed under the jurisdiction of the reichstag was interpreted in various quarters as meaning that efforts of a foreign committee, which arrived in Leipzig seeking permission to accompany the Bulgarians to the border, had not been successful.

The committee, alarmed by rumors that an attempt was planned on the lives of the trio, sought to obtain an armed guard for them and asked permission to travel on the same train to the frontier with the Bulgarians.

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Of the first batch of 38 victims brought to Paris, seven died en route.

Hospital authorities counted 20 critically injured and 80 others more or less seriously hurt. The injured, many of whom were badly mutilated, lay on stretchers in a field near the wreck for more than three hours awaiting transportation to hospitals.

Rescue work from the start was taxed by meager facilities.

Passengers on the Strasbourg express, most of whom were saved from serious injury by the steel construction of the coaches, wandered about the scene in a daze from the shock of the experience.

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revenue producer, bringing in far more money than any other tax.

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**PIGGLY WIGGLY**



**WE EXPRESS OUR BEST WISHES AND THANKS**

For the loyal support and assistance that the thousands of people of Pampa and this community have given the Board of City Development and the Chamber of Commerce during the past year, we, the officers, directors and officials of these organizations sincerely thank you.

With this splendid support in the future, Pampa and this community will continue to grow and prosper. We assure you that 1934 will find us working our best to carry out the needs of this community.

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### Welfare Board Receives \$250 Christmas Gift

The Pampa Welfare board mail yesterday morning contained a check for \$250 from Albert Combs, wealthy cattleman, it was learned by conversation at the headquarters yesterday afternoon. Mrs. W. H. Davis, manager, confirmed the report.

There are many, many instances in the relief work of this county where Federal Relief money cannot be used and the large donation from Mr. Combs will be used in cases where other funds are not available. Purchase of medicine for the ill and for use in child welfare work will be among the uses to which the money will be placed.

Mrs. Davis has a number of cases on her list that will receive im-

### Seven-Year Old Girl Dies Here

Barbara Ann Ballard, 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ballard, died Friday night in a local hospital. She is survived by her parents and four sisters, Edna Dorris and Earline, all of Pampa, and Mrs. Frankie Eddings of Amarillo, and two brothers, Coleman of St. Joseph, Mo., and Clyde of Kansas City, Kan.

Funeral services will be conducted at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the First Baptist church with the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Fairview cemetery under the direction of the G. C. Malone Funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Samuel and children are spending Christmas with relatives in Vernon.

mediate aid through the generous donation.

### NEW CONGRESS WILL BE MILD, LEADERS SAY

#### OPPOSITION IS WORN DOWN, CHIEFS DECLARE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Many issues of historic importance will be considered by the seventy-third congress after it convenes January 3, but senate and house democratic leaders now see more hope for a harmonious session that will expedite action on President Roosevelt's legislative program.

A few months ago, these same democratic chiefs anticipated much trouble in the only regular session of this congress. Now they claim that improved conditions will greatly minimize criticism of the administration's policies.

Some conservative democrats, who have not been friendly to all phases of the administration's programs, assert, however, that with the primary and general congressional elections coming in 1934, many have found it prudent to follow the president despite their personal convictions.

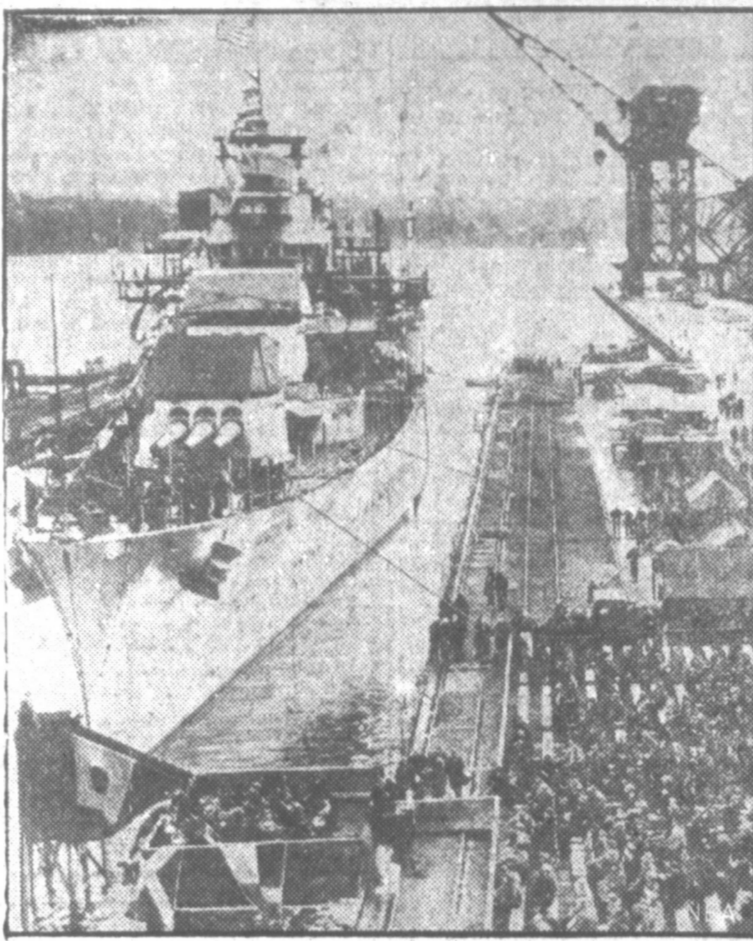
Republicans have passed the word along to their colleagues to avoid committing the party against broad proposals and policies of the administration pending developments. A number of the republicans will, however, continue to sharp-shoot at specific features of the administration's recovery program.

Gradually the president has taken steps which his leaders say may avert open conflict with this congress, overwhelmingly democratic in both houses. To meet demands of inflationists, Mr. Roosevelt not only started the gold purchasing plan but yesterday proclaimed the London silver agreement in effect.

Meanwhile, he has pressed the recovery program from different angles.

The situation is such that Representatives Byrnes of Tennessee, the democratic house floor leader, said he did not expect it would be necessary to invoke drastic gag rules to pass administration proposals. Many such rules were necessary in special session last spring.

### Newest of U. S. Sea Fighters



Another powerful fighting craft is ready for duty with Uncle Sam's naval forces. Above is shown the U. S. S. Astoria, sixteenth of the navy's 10,000-ton cruisers, as she was moored to the dock just after the launching ceremony at Bremerton, Wash., navy yard. She will be commissioned May 1.

### Special Music for Methodist White Christmas Planned

A white Christmas service is to be conducted at the First Methodist church this morning, with members of the congregation bring offerings. Special music has been arranged by R. B. Fisher, choir director, and Mrs. May Foreman Carr, organist.

The organ prelude will be "The Infant Jesus, Yon." The choir will sing the anthem, "Come and Adore, Lorenz." Mrs. Carr will play "Bells of St. Anne Dupres" as an offertory, and the Hallahan chorus from Handel's "Messiah" as a postlude.

### LIONS SCRIMMAGE

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 23. (P)—Thirty travel weary Columbia gridsters shook the transcontinental dust off their feet here today and immediately set about conjuring some football tricks for the edification of Stanford in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena on New Year's day.

Worn out from their hard trip, a siege of banqueting at all stopping points and a stiff scrimmage against the Texas College of Mines team yesterday, the Lions welcomed a light workout today and a promise of a complete rest tomorrow.

There are 15 separate oil and gas fields in Montana.

### Stanford's Eleven In Stiff Practice

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Dec. 23. (P)—Knocking each other about like ten pins in an intensive scrimmage, Stanford's Cardinals completed their "at home" practice today before leaving for Pasadena to meet Columbia in the Rose Bowl football classic, New Year's day.

In the second workout since examinations were finished, Coach Claude "Tiny" Thornhill let down the bars and sent his charges thru a session as lively as any mid-season preparation.

Sue Vinson is spending the holidays with relatives in Childress.

### YOU'VE WON...

You have won our sincere gratitude for your many favors during the year; you have merited our wish for a holiday season of superior enjoyment. We trust that we have merited a continuation of your patronage during the march of the coming year.

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## The Season's Greetings!

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A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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# BASKETS OF GROCERIES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO POOR MONDAY

## AUXILIARY HAS PART IN GIFTS AT CHRISTMAS

### MEMBERS GET GIFTS AND AID NEEDY OF CITY

WHILE members of the American Legion Auxiliary enjoyed a gift exchange Thursday evening, they remembered also Pampa families less fortunate, and contributed a store of groceries to be packed in baskets and delivered on Christmas day.

The Christmas social was combined with a regular meeting at the Legion hut. Each member and visitor brought a gift to be placed on the tree for exchange, and also brought staple groceries for the Christmas baskets.

Sacks of Christmas candies were distributed from the tree to Mesdames W. M. Voyles, L. D. Blasingame, Donart, T. B. Rogers, Al Lawson, E. S. Hogsitt, W. P. Vincent, Ralph Thomas, W. C. deCordova, J. A. Pearson, S. A. Burns, and Roy Sewell, members, and the following visitors: Mesdames Pat Crawford, B. W. Rose, W. W. Hartley, and Phillips.

**Veterans Remembered**  
In addition to the local Christmas baskets, members of the Auxiliary here had a part in a national movement to bring holiday cheer to veterans in hospitals. They met recently to pack boxes of gifts for these disabled ex-soldiers.

Helpers for Santa Claus by the thousands have been mobilized by the American Legion Auxiliary throughout the United States. Mrs. S. A. Burns, chairman in charge of the Christmas activities of the Pampa unit of the Auxiliary, said today. Their work will be to bring Christmas joys to children of veterans whom Santa Claus otherwise could not reach. Auxiliary women in more than 8,000 communities are working to provide Christmas for several hundred thousand children of needy World War veterans.

Toys, games, books and candy will be placed by the Auxiliary in Christmas baskets going to families of needy veterans. In many cities and towns community Christmas parties will be held to which the children of impoverished veterans will be invited. Gifts will also go to homes and orphanages where veterans' children are under care. In this work the Auxiliary will cooperate with the American Legion and other civic and patriotic organizations.

In addition, the veterans themselves will be remembered by the Auxiliary. Every disabled veteran forced to spend Christmas in a hospital will receive a gift from the organization. Nearly 100,000 men are expected to be reached with these Auxiliary remembrances. Food, clothing, fuel and other essentials will go to veterans' families in need.

## CLUB OFFICERS ARE NAMED AT HOLIDAY PARTY

### Merry Mixers Enjoy Gala Afternoon With Guests

Closing their Christmas party, members of Merry Mixers bridge club conducted their annual election of officers and chose Mrs. O. L. Bassham president Friday afternoon. Mrs. B. C. Fahy was hostess at the home of Mrs. George Cotton.

Mrs. John Weeks was elected secretary and reporter. Mrs. Paul Hughes was voted into the club as a new member.

The party was a gala affair, with Mesdames Meskimen, Harry Marbaugh, Jack Spire, Hughey, and Cotton as special guests. Christmas colors adorned the rooms and appeared in bridge appointments and in wrappings of the packages, which were placed at the base of a large tree.

Four tables of players joined in the games. Mrs. G. L. Greene scored high and Mrs. Otto Patton low. Mrs. Patton received the traveling prize given for trumping an ace, and Mrs. Cotton the package given for taking a trick with a five. Mrs. Hughey scored high for guests.

After the games a lucky player at each table received a cut favor. These went to Mesdames Hughey, Powell, C. D. Hunter, and Kennedy.

Christmas salad with sandwiches and coffee was served to Mesdames Vandever, Birt, Scheig, Kennedy, Morrow, Bassham, Weeks, Powell, Hunter, Greene, Patton and the special guests. Candy canes and tiny Santa Clauses were plate favors.

## BONUS CHECKS GIVEN

HOUSTON, Dec. 23. (AP)—The Houston Electric company today distributed \$18,000 in Christmas bonus checks to 550 employees. Three hundred bus drivers and street car operators and 250 employees of the mechanical department received bonuses. This was the fourth Houston concern to report the giving of a bonus. The others affected approximately 400 employees.

Bob Klingler is visiting in Parsons, Kan., over the holidays. Miss Florence Cooley will visit friends in Esteline today.



(From Florian's etching of Henri Lerolle's "Arrival of the Shepherds.")

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock of night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them and said: Behold, I bring you tidings of great

joy, for unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior. And this shall be a sign unto you. Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger. And . . . the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto

Bethlehem and see this thing which has come to pass . . . And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

—St. Luke 11:8-16.

# Busy New Year Promised for Women's Groups

## CLUBS WILL RESUME REGULAR WORK NEXT MONTH

By SUE VINSON  
Woman's Page Editor  
ALREADY Pampa women are looking forward to a busy beginning of the new year, as Christmas ends a holiday season that has been crowded with parties. Regular meetings of organizations have largely been replaced with Christmas entertainments.

Study clubs are omitting second December meetings, and Parent-Teacher associations scheduled to meet the last of this month crowded their programs into earlier weeks. Few regular meetings are set for next week, but with the presence of holiday visitors including college students, numerous informal gatherings are planned.

**Next Week's Events**  
One post-holiday event already announced is the party which the Order of Eastern Star will give Tuesday evening for Rainbow Girls and their mothers.  
On Thursday, two bridge clubs are to meet. Mrs. L. N. Atchison will be hostess to the Delta Handa club in the afternoon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wheeler are to entertain the Thursday Night club.  
The week will end with the Terpsichorean club dance Saturday evening, the last event on the 1934 social calendar.

**Elections Are Near**  
January will see club programs resumed with added interest as annual election of officers is scheduled by federated women's groups. New officers will take charge of most church societies also.

Women of the American Association of University Women are planning to celebrate founders day with their annual banquet. They have secured Josh Lee, head of the public speaking department of Oklahoma University and well known humorist and speaker, to make the main address.

They have also announced that a few reservations will be open to the public, as they expect a number of Pampans will wish to hear Mr. Lee.  
Another annual entertainment is planned by B. M. Baker Parent-Teacher association in its January carnival. Arrangements are being made under direction by Mrs. Roy Holt, president of the association.

## Brainiest Women In Movies Picked By 'Bravest Man'

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 23. (AP)—Perhaps the bravest man in Hollywood, Maxwell Arnow, casting director for Warner Brothers studio, made his selection today of the ten brainiest women in the movies.

His selections:  
Heien Hayes (MGM).  
Kay Francis (Warners).  
Ann Harding (RKO).  
Aileen MacMahon (Warners).  
Diana Wynward (MGM).  
Miriam Hopkins (Paramount).  
Katherine Hepburn (RKO).  
Jean Muir (Warners).  
Karen Morley (MGM).  
Mary Roland (Paramount).  
Mr. Arnow gives this reason for this choice:

"They know what they want, they know how to get what they want, and they know what to do with what they want when they get it!"

The fact that Max Arnow is the youngest casting director, in point of service, sets him up as somewhat

## NATIONAL HEAD OF PTA SENDS YULE MESSAGE

### Texas Congress Is To And Santa With Children

By MRS. J. M. CRAIN  
Claude, State Publicity Chairman  
"Tidings of Joy" is the title of the Christmas message of Mrs. Hugh Bradford, president of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, to all parent-teacher members. Excerpts from this message follow:

"Great joy which shall be to all people" is a message which draws us together on the anniversary of the advent of the child who symbolizes to the world the innocence, the helplessness, the power, and the influence. That influence and power are exerted by any child from the time of his birth. He can draw families into close unity of love; he can cause people to forget differences in their effort to bring happiness and security to him.

**Child Is Teacher**  
As he grows, he teaches us the real spirit of democracy, the real joy of companionship with playmates "of all people." From him we may learn tolerance and appreciation of others. He is not yet marred by inconsiderate influences that limit his sympathies and shut off one group or another of his playmates. Because he comes "unspoiled from the hand of God" he sees more clearly the future than those less fortunate in Texas. This is a season of glad tidings to all; may we each carry the message.

In Texas the 1,942 parent-teacher associations with the increased membership of 10,797 for this year more than the last one, will be busy planning to aid Santa Claus in his efforts to make children happy. Since child welfare is the paramount interest of Texas congress, and the love of childhood is the common tie that unites the Christmas gifts, symbolize deep gratitude for the coming of the Christ Child.

"We experience our greatest joy in bringing happiness to others. We are building today for the future of our nation. As we approach the Christmas season, let us remember those less fortunate in Texas. Goods among us. While we have been called upon to provide proper clothing and necessary food in order that many children might be privileged to attend school, we should endeavor to dispel the clouds of doubt and fear for the future in the minds of the parents of these children and in doing this, families are kept together and their morale unlifted." is part of the message extended by Mrs. A. F. Wood, Athens, president of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, in the December issue of Texas Parent Teacher, the state publication.

H. H. Threault, production superintendent of the J. M. Saunders lease, is spending the Christmas holidays in Amarillo.

of an authority in this delicate matter because, as he says, he meets the stars only on a business basis. He has been in Hollywood only a year and a half; previously he was a movie talent scout, and before that a players' agent in New York.

## HOWEVER CHRISTMAS SEASON IS CELEBRATED, IT IS A FESTIVAL OF CHILDHOOD OVER THE WORLD

### Three Injured In Vernon Car Wreck

By ELEANOR ROOSEVELT  
Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt  
Here we are at Christmas time and this holiday above all others is a festival of childhood. Those who regard it as a purely pagan festival still celebrate it for the joy which it brings to children and those who regard it as a Christian celebration observe it primarily because on that day the Christ Child was born and the word Christmas means to them the Mass of Christ.

Because we have so many different customs to draw from in arranging our Christmas celebrations, there are many different habits in every home throughout the United States and that perhaps is the charm of Christmas. It becomes so much the possession of each separate family because they very their observance and make it peculiarly their own. Every little habit or custom which they observe year after year becomes a part of the ritual of that particular household and is therefore, of course, of great importance to them as it carries on the tradition of their particular Christmas.

The many customs in this country which are connected with Christmas have come to us from many sources, some of them dating much further back than the Christian Era. Before the fifth century there was no general agreement as to whether Christmas should be celebrated on December 25th, January 6th, or March 25th.

The habit of giving Christmas presents is unknown outside of Teutonic countries and the Christmas tree originated entirely in Germany where, to this day, they are said to use ten million Christmas trees yearly.

No one seems to know where the custom of hanging stockings originated. In some parts of Europe—France, Germany, Holland—the sabots were usually put out by the door or window to receive such gifts as the Christ Child might leave. A popular tale taught the children, especially in Germany, that all gifts come through the Christ Child but the habit of hanging up stockings is prevalent, particularly in England, though at one time they were hung in the windows on St. Andrew's Eve, November 29th. The chimney is the most usual place for hanging the stockings because of the legend of Santa Claus and his supposed coming down the chimney. Lights in the windows is a custom which originated with the idea that the Christ Child wandered abroad on Christmas Eve and that the lights would guide him home.

At least two thousand years before the birth of Christ the Aryans celebrated the Yule Tide. Our customs, however, come to us largely from England and Germany. Our "Merry Christmas" is an English salutation. In Sweden, they usually say, "May God Bless Your Christmas, May It Last Till Easter." In Russia, they say, "Greetings for the Lord's Birthday," and the answer is, "God Be With You."

The world over, there seems to be a definite link between Christmas and the preparation of food.

## Three Injured In Vernon Car Wreck

VERNON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Three persons were injured today when the automobile in which they rode side-swiped another car and struck a culvert four miles east of Vernon. Their car overturned and plunged into a ditch.  
The injured were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hatcher of Plainview, and their daughter, Lois Hatcher of Dallas. They were not in a serious condition.

Few of us realize that the Round Head Parliament abolished the observance of Christmas in 1643. For twelve years England did not observe Christmas as a holiday and the General Court of Massachusetts, probably because it considered itself bound to act in the same way, passed a statute which provided a fine of five shillings for observing Christmas holidays. When royalty returned, however, to the throne, England rescinded this law in the year 1681, and we resumed our observance of Christmas.

Christmas, from my point of view, should, of course, be primarily for children, but the religious significance should never be allowed to become completely overshadowed by the tremendous interest in the receiving and giving of gifts. To those of us who are Christians, Christmas should always remain a reminder of the fact that the greatest gift that any one can give on Christmas Day, or for that matter on any other day during the year, is the gift of love. That is the gift which the Christ Child brought into the world and of which our yearly Christmas celebration is meant to remind us.

## MARKET BRIEFS

|                      |     |      |      |      |
|----------------------|-----|------|------|------|
| Allegh               | 4   | 3%   | 13%  | 13%  |
| Am Rad               | 43  | 13%  | 106% | 109  |
| Am T&T               | 69  | 10%  | 106% | 109  |
| Anac                 | 61  | 14%  | 14%  | 14%  |
| AT&SF                | 44  | 56%  | 54%  | 55%  |
| Bendix               | 15  | 16%  | 16   | 16   |
| Beth Stl             | 45  | 37   | 36   | 36%  |
| Can DG Ale           | 3   | 26   |      |      |
| Chrysler             | 361 | 53%  | 53%  | 53%  |
| Con Oil Del          | 3   | 17%  |      |      |
| Cur Wrd              | 11  | 2%   | 2%   | 2%   |
| Du Pont              | 69  | 83   | 91%  | 92%  |
| El P&L               | 14  | 4%   | 4%   | 4%   |
| Gen El               | 105 | 18%  | 18%  | 18%  |
| Gen Mot              | 222 | 34%  | 33%  | 33%  |
| Gen Pub Svc          | 1   | 2%   |      |      |
| Goodrich             | 28  | 13%  | 12%  | 12%  |
| Goodyear             | 26  | 35   | 33%  | 34%  |
| Ill Cen              | 36  | 30%  | 29%  | 30%  |
| Int Niek Can         | 72  | 21%  | 21%  | 21%  |
| Int T&T              | 25  | 13%  | 13%  | 13%  |
| Kelvi                | 13  | 11%  | 11%  | 11%  |
| Kennec               | 42  | 21   | 20%  | 20%  |
| Midcon Pet           | 9   | 11%  | 11%  | 11%  |
| M K T                | 5   | 8%   | 8    | 8    |
| M Ward               | 39  | 22%  | 21%  | 22%  |
| Nat Distill          | 77  | 23%  | 22%  | 23%  |
| Ohio Oil             | 6   | 13%  | 13%  | 13%  |
| Packard              | 5   | 15%  | 15%  | 15%  |
| Pennny J C           | 6   | 54   | 52%  | 52%  |
| Phil Pet             | 17  | 15%  | 15%  | 15%  |
| Pure Oil             | 14  | 10%  | 10%  | 10%  |
| Radio                | 64  | 6%   | 5%   | 6%   |
| Repub Stl            | 51  | 17%  | 16%  | 16%  |
| Sears R              | 40  | 42%  | 42%  | 42%  |
| Sh I                 | 17  | 8    | 7%   | 8    |
| Soc Vac              | 78  | 16%  | 15%  | 16   |
| Std Brds             | 48  | 21   | 20%  | 20%  |
| S O Cal              | 30  | 40%  | 39%  | 39%  |
| S O N J              | 55  | 45%  | 45%  | 45%  |
| Tex Cor              | 37  | 21%  | 24%  | 24%  |
| Un Carbide           | 25  | 46%  | 45%  | 46%  |
| Un Air               | 43  | 31%  | 31   | 31%  |
| U S Stl              | 182 | 48%  | 46%  | 47%  |
| New York Curb Stocks |     |      |      |      |
| Cities Svc           | 50  | 1%   | 1%   | 1%   |
| El B&S               | 84  | 11%  | 10%  | 10%  |
| Gulf Pt              | 9   | 5%   | 5%   | 5%   |
| Humble               | 4   | 100% | 99%  | 100% |
| S O Ind              | 6   | 32%  | 32%  | 32%  |
| S O Ky               | 7   | 14%  | 14%  | 14%  |

**ARM SEVERED**  
CHILDRESS, Dec. 23 (Special)—Joe Stribbling had his left arm torn off at the elbow today, when it was caught in a belt he was repairing at the Childress Cotton Oil mill. The arm was almost severed and had to be amputated.

Dee C. Blythe of the editorial staff of the Childress Index arrived in Pampa to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blythe.  
Miss Neva Burgan left last night to spend Christmas with her parents in Canyon.

At this festive season THE STAFF OF THIS THEATRE wishes you MERRY XMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

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GREETINGS Of The SEASON

To all our friends and customers we extend greetings and express our appreciation for the pleasant business relations we have enjoyed in 1933. We wish you and yours a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Quality Cleaners J. V. New Eddie Reed, L. M. McWright



# Forbidden Valley

—By WILLIAM BYRON MOWERY

Synopsis: Sonya Volkov has deserted Curt Tennyson and his partner, Paul, and is being taken by Teeste LeNoir to join Igor Karakhan in the latter's wilderness refuge in northwestern Canada. Karakhan is the crook Curt is trailing, and Sonya is the girl Curt loves. Suddenly the Kioshee Indians surround Curt's island camp, and the little party runs for a rock shelter, hoping to beat off the attack. Ralph Nichols, who had entered the wilderness with Sonya, remained behind when she left.

## Chapter 36

### BATTLE

"Ralph!" Curt yelled at him. "What're you doing? Get in here with us!"

"Don't have any gun!" Ralph called over his shoulder. "Got to get gun!"

"Let it go. They'll cut you off!" But Ralph courageously went on. Flinging himself behind the rock shelter, the two of them turned their rifles toward the canoes to the south.

Curt dropped a handful of clips into Paul's pocket. "Aim low, Paul. Bounce your slugs of the water. We can't hope to hit the men, but we can tear holes through those canoes and sink 'em."

They emptied their magazines at the six craft. The range was too long for gark shooting, and the moon reflection was wrong. The canoes came straight on and skinned into the shallows. Reloading, Curt and Paul blasted into them again, frantically trying to knock them back. One canoe turned broadside and sank, but the two occupants leaped out and splashed ashore; and the other five canoes drove on unchecked.

Jumping to shelter on the island, the Kioshee began sizzling arrows at the rifle flashes, to cover the landing of the other parties.

Ralph came running out of the dark with rifle, belt-gun and three cartons of cartridges in his hands. "I got 'em!" he panted. "Couldn't

have helped out if I hadn't gone and—"

His rejoicing ended in an agonized gasp. Within two steps of the barricade he suddenly stumbled and flung up his arms. The gun and cartons dropped with a clatter. Pitching forward with all the momentum of his dash, he smashed head-on against a rock, rolled over and lay still.

Curt vaulted over the barricade, grabbed him, lifted him into the shelter. "Ralph!" he cried, kneeling down and shaking his limp comrade. Ralph did not move. And then Curt saw a hard-driven arrow protruding from his back, and a stream of blood trickling from his mouth.

The suddenness of the blow struck Curt dumb. He shook Ralph's arm again but got no response. Dead or dying—he did not know.

The five canoes to the west were less than a hundred yards off. Paul had got the range and was ricocheting his bullets off the ripples with a withering effect. One canoe wobbled crazily and collapsed. In another a figure leaped up and toppled overboard.

"Look north!" Paul cried. "Keep those back. I'll handle these."

For the first time Curt noticed that three canoes were skirting in toward the upper tip. At his first shot a figure rose up in the leading canoe and shouted a command. The voice sounded to him like Tenn-Og's.

"Damn you!" — the thought flashed through his mind — "we patched you up and treated you white, when your buddies ran away and left you; and now you're leading men to spear us. I'll get you anyway!" He poured a whole clip of veneful bullets at the figure. The Kioshee still stood up, waving his arms and shouting orders. The other two craft stopped and began milling about uncertainly. As Curt snapped in another clip, swearing savagely at missing Tenn-Og, all three of the canoes veered around and skinned back out of sight.

Their sudden flight astonished

him; he had his nobody, done no damage that he could see. He laid it to cowardice, and whirled to help Paul again.

Of the five canoes to the west, Paul had collapsed one, knocked a man out of a second and sent it drifting helplessly, and had sunk a third in the shallows. Together he and Curt ran a burst at the other two. They sank both of them in space of five seconds, but the men jumped out into the water, sprang ashore and joined their confederates.

Grabbing their automatics, Curt and Paul sensed themselves for the hand-to-hand fight.

"Keep down!" Curt snapped, as Paul rose up to see better. "Don't expose yourself. We've got a chance to win this."

The arrows dwindled and stopped. A dead silence fell. It lengthened to five minutes.

"What do you make of it?" Paul whispered.

"I don't know. Maybe they're pulling themselves together for the push."

Curt bent down beside Nichols again and tried to rouse some sign of life. Ralph still lay motionless, limp and stricken. It was all Curt could do. He straightened up to help Paul watch.

"See anything of 'em?"

"Not a glimpse. I heard a noise down near the tents but saw nothing."

Curt sprang over the barricade, secured Ralph's two guns and the cartridges, came back, waited.

When the deadlock did break, it broke suddenly. Down at the lower tip, the canoes which had reached shore all at once went darting out through the shallows — escaping, launched on the run, they were out upon the open lake, and disappearing at top speed before Curt and Paul could realize what was taking place.

They stared at each other in amazement.

"They're gone!" Paul gasped. "Curt was more sceptical. He simply could not believe it. "Maybe they're gone. This thing has got the earmarks of a trap, to me."

"But we saw them go."

Associated Press Sports Writer A suspicion of the truth struck Curt.

"How many canoes did you see?"

"Six."

"That's what I counted. Only five boats reached shore. Where'd they get that extra canoe?"

They left the barricade and hurried down to the camp site. Curt's heart sank as he glanced about. All their supplies had been destroyed. With Paul at his heels he turped and ran out to where they had abandoned their canoe. It was not there.

It was the loss of their canoe that really frightened them. Food, supplies, tents—those were not matters of life or death. But with a mile of water all around them and no craft to get away in, they were helpless prisoners on that bare strip of sand and boulders.

In front of the tents Paul hunted around and found one of the pine knots which they had used for starting fires quickly. Over in the barricade Curt lit it with a double match, wedged the taper between two rocks, and bent over Ralph's crumpled form.

Curt's hand shook and his eyes grew misty as he worked with his stricken friend. He decided to cut off the shaft of the arrow and let the rest remain, for he could never extract the dart without starting an internal bleeding that would speedily be fatal. When he had done that, he brought water and bathed Ralph's face and loosened his clothes to make him more comfortable. That was all they could do for him.

The remainder of the short night passed quietly. Several times Curt heard signal calls drifting across the lake, but he did not even bother

## Mother of Ed Dunigan Dies At Breckenridge

Eddie Dunigan left here Friday afternoon and arrived at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. E. J. Dunigan Sr. in Breckenridge before she passed away early yesterday morning. She was 63 years old.

Funeral services will be conducted in Breckenridge Tuesday morning, friends here were informed yesterday. Mrs. Dunigan had many friends in Pampa, having visited here on several occasions.

Mrs. Dunigan is survived by her husband and one daughter, Miss Florence Dunigan of Dallas, and three sons, Eddie of Pampa, Francis of Fort Worth, and Jim of Breckenridge. She is also survived by two sisters.

to keep a lookout, for he knew they would not be molested. The Kioshees would sit around on these neighboring islands and wait and wait till starvation and exposure had done the work for them.

His thoughts of Sonya were bitter thoughts, not so much because of the suffering she had brought him as what she had done to Ralph. With no thought of self he had accompanied her on her trip, helping her all he could; and then, without scruple or hesitation, she had abandoned him when it suited her convenience.

To sit there in terrible helplessness and watch his life ebb away when he might have a chance to live was the most maddening experience that Curt had ever undergone.

At a creek mouth on the mainland shore a wisp of smoke arose up above the trees from the central camp. Canoes came and went freely across the water. Once, when one of them came dancing past six hundred yards away, Paul seized his rifle in a fury, screwed up the sight on the long-range Savage, sank the craft with his ricocheting bullets, and sent its three occupants swimming for the nearest island. After that the canoes kept a respectful distance.

The noonday sun was a torture. It beat down on the rocks and sand like the glare from a furnace door. There was not a square inch of shade on the island, not a breath of air stirring. Their only relief was to immerse themselves repeatedly in the shallows and sprinkle water around the shelter where Ralph lay.

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Curt decides, Tuesday, to relieve the situation by desperate measures.

S. Surabian, Fresno, Cal., farmer, harvested a pumpkin weighing 91 pounds.

## Mrs. Roosevelt Not 'Stuck-Up' In Yule Speech

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23 (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, appearing instead of Santa today at the Salvation Army Christmas basket party, spontaneously made three speeches instead of one.

The old saint himself deferred his Salvation Army hall visit until tonight, when there's to be a toy party for 800 children. Today the boys and girls came with elders, who went away food-laden, calling many a "Merry Christmas" and "God bless you" to the first lady.

In Mrs. Roosevelt's first speech, she told again the story of crippled Tiny Tim, who melted the hard heart of old Scrooge, and she ended with his "God bless us everyone."

Her second was a response to the message of "love and loyalty" that the crowd sent home to her husband. Her third was a funny story.

The day was too warm for a winter coat, so she appeared, supple and slender, in a lightweight one of black, with a silver fox scarf, a close-fitting black hat with saucy feather, a smile for everyone.

"There's nothing stuck-up about her," remarked one man in the motley outside crowd, as she came alone to the hall.

Waiting there in the building were Bishop Freeman of Washington Cathedral, Attorney General Homer S. Cummings, who helped build two Salvation Army halls in his home state of Connecticut; Mrs. Harold I. Tokes, wife of the secretary of interior, and Mrs. Henry T. Rainey, wife of the speaker.

## Badgers Leave Today For Grid Title Skirmish

AMARILLO, Dec. 23 (AP)—Twenty-two Amarillo college Badgers will leave here tomorrow morning for Marshall where they meet the Marshall college Tigers in a Christmas day battle for the junior college football championship of Texas.

The squad will reach Marshall at 2 o'clock Monday morning but will remain in their Pullman until 8 o'clock.

With Quarterback Aubrey Smith and Halfback Ed Cherry back in the lineup after injuries had kept them from the Badgers' semi-final victory over Lamar college last week, Coach Frank Kimbrough pronounced the Badgers in the finest physical condition of the season.

Since the team probably will play in unaccustomed heat, Kimbrough plans to shift his nine backs about continuously.

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Ken Maynard, Ruth Hall and Tarzan in a scene from "Strawberry Roan" at the Rex theater.

The Seattle, Wash., city light department has reported a net income of \$894,939 for 1932, compared with \$846,824 in 1931.

Mrs. Alice Crawford, daughter and son, are visiting in the home of J. S. Wynne.

A 38-pound mudhook anchor and 14 feet of chain were stolen from the yacht of E. R. Jones when he left it for a short time at a dock in Seattle, Washington.

church house and not creature stirs—not even a mouse.



### COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON

Happiness, Health and Prosperity to you all—Our loyal friends and patrons! May the day be full to overflowing with real Christmas Joy! Never before have we been more anxious to improve our business and to give a greater measure of service than we are right now. This desire has been inspired by the loyalty of our patrons during the past year.

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## REPORT 7 NEW OIL WELLS IN THIS SECTION

### PHILLIPS CO. BRINGS IN 1,119 BARREL PRODUCER

The Panhandle oil field had an active period last week when seven new wells were recorded. Most of the new producers are on temporary test and true production has not been determined. The wells are in scattered areas of the field.

New production as a result of the completions will be more than 5,000 barrels. Several other tests are nearing the pay. The Panco Oil (J. M. Dodson) company's No. 1 Meers in section 106, block 3, has the hole bottomed at 3,250 feet and is cleaning out to shoot. The test is near several good producers from Dolomite pay.

The largest well brought in during the week was the Continental Oil company's No. 2c Johnson near Borger. The test is making 1,968 barrels on temporary test.

The Skelly Oil company's No. 24 Shaeffer in Carson county is flowing 150 barrels a day with a strong gas flow.

Phillips Petroleum company has the largest Gray county producer in several weeks. It is their No. 7 Wood in the southwest quarter of section 13, block 3. The test is making 1,119 barrels a day on railroad commission test.

The Texas company's No. 8 Wright in the southeast quarter of section 13, block 3, made 392 barrels yesterday in a gas lift. Three pays were encountered. The hole is bottomed at 2,855 feet. A flow of 2,000,000 feet of gas was killed when the last pay was encountered.

Pete Hoffman's No. 3 Findley in section 32, block 3, has a temporary potential of 240 barrels a day on test. The flow increased yesterday, however, and a better well is probable.

Sinclair-Prairie's No. 3 Moody in the northwest quarter of section 36, block 3, is making 840 barrels a day on test.

### Famed Christmas Poem Written 110 Years Ago

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Critics may disagree even on the night before Christmas but tomorrow children will take flowers to the grave of the teacher who, some folks say, wrote:

"'Twas the night before Christmas and all through the house—  
He wrote it for children—if the legend is true—and the story gave rise to a cry and hue as to who wore the kerchief and who wore the cap and who settled down for that long winter's nap.

Clement C. Moore is credited generally with writing the epic. But descendants of Henry Livingston Jr. say it was his lawn on which there arose such a clatter that he sprang from his bed to see what the matter.

The controversy has never been settled. The poem was published in a volume by Moore, who was

born in 1779 and was a teacher of theology.

It was exactly 110 years ago today that the story of Santa Claus' tour appeared in print in the Troy, N. Y., Sentinel. The editor commented that its author was unknown to him. Twenty-one years later the poem appeared in Moore's book.

He died in 1862 and was buried in a little grave yard way down Broadway where the cold stone peaks of skyscraper row gave the shadow of nightfall to objects below.

And each year children, after their stockings are hung by the chimney with care, take flowers to the grave and leave them there.

The California state park commission has under consideration a proposal to make a state park out of approximately a million acres of desert near Brawley, Calif.

With only 30 hours of sunshine during November and December needed, the 1911 records of 1,720 hours at Kew, near London, may be broken.

During the third quarter of this year, 55,100 pounds of air mail letters were carried from England, compared with 39,646 pounds in the same period of 1932.

United States farmers in 1932 sold less than the equivalent of 5,000,000

hogs abroad as compared with 13,000,000 in 1931.

Harve Baker of Claude was a guest of his son, Jack Baker, here Friday.



## Peace and Good Will

The message of the Christmastide is "Peace on earth; good will among men." It is a summons which should be heralded and ordained from pole to pole, that should endure to the end of time. For only in an atmosphere of peace and good will can man hope to attain to his highest hopes here upon earth.

In wishing you and all the world a Christmas of peace and good will we are offering you the desires of the Creator Himself along with the hope that your lesser needs will also be gratified.

## AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

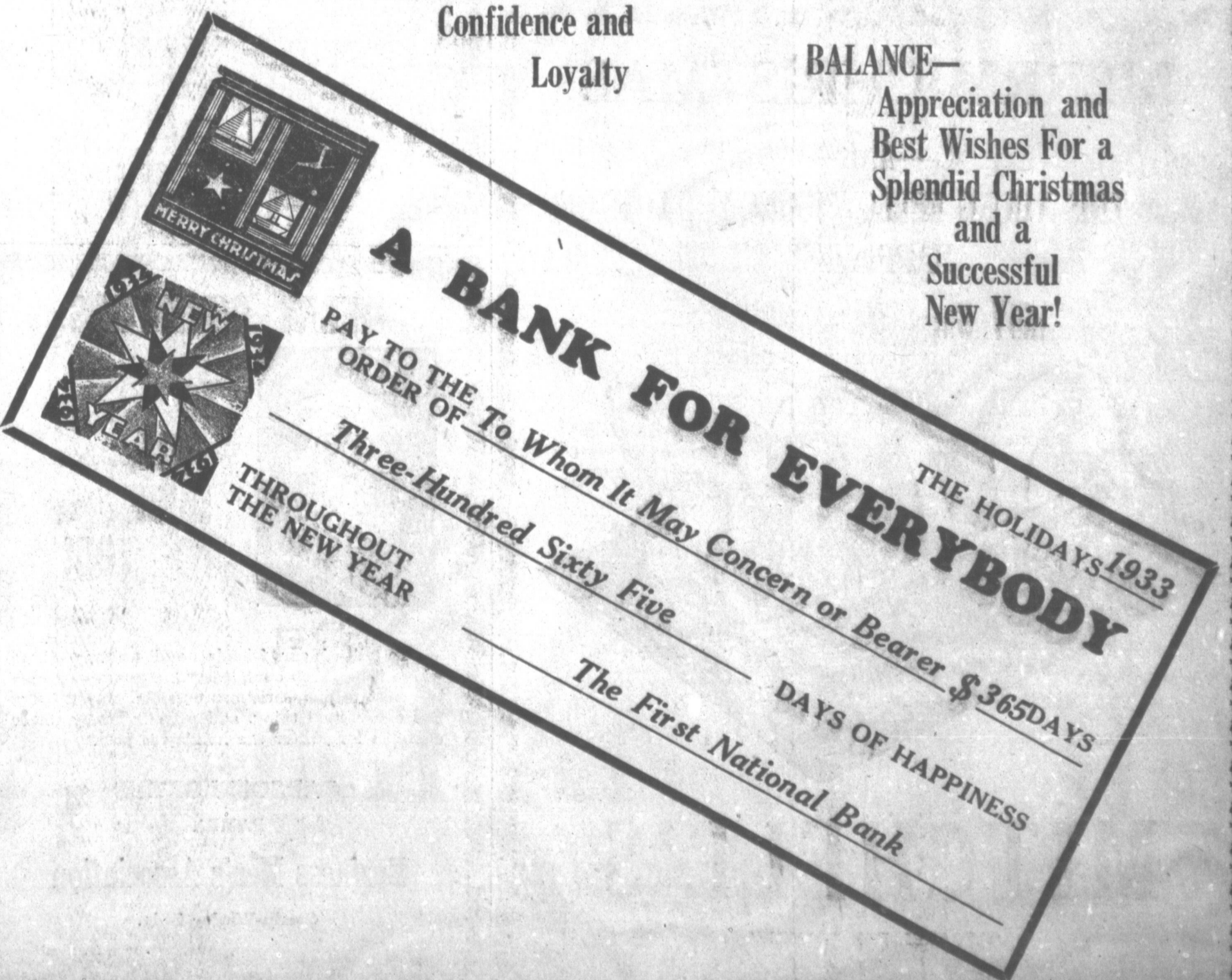
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**HUNG JURY**  
**GROESBECK, Dec. 23 (AP)**—A mistrial occurred tonight in the case of Carl Chance, accused of murder for the "ride" slaying of Dudley Williams, Dallas taxi driver, near Fairfield last January. The jury which deliberated the case since early to day informed District Judge Lex Smith it was hopelessly deadlocked. He dismissed the jury.

**SHANNON'S CHRISTMAS**  
**FORT WORTH, Dec. 23 (AP)**—R. G. (Boss) Shannon, who on January 9 must report to the U. S. government, to serve a life term for his part in the kidnaping of Charles F. Urschel, Oklahoma City oil man, tonight was planning for a quiet Christmas at home with a number of his relatives.

**ENGINE PLUNGES 60 FEET, LANDS UPRIGHT**



Pivoting 60 feet over the right-of-way, the locomotive of the Carolina special of the Southern Railway came to rest upright on its

wheels, as pictured here, while cars were flung like toys along the track and overturned, in a wreck on a sharp curve near Hot Springs,

N. C. The engineer, pinned under wreckage, died after two hours of torture. Three other trainmen and 15 passengers were injured.

**TEXANS URGED TO BUY STATE RELIEF BONDS**

**'Governors Ferguson' Congratulated By Senator**

**AUSTIN, Dec. 23 (AP)**—Texas held her chin high tonight and went ahead as if she would finally dispose of her \$2,750,000 unemployment relief bond issue and take care of her needy in fine style, although the securities were sagging, for the time, on the market.

James V. Allred, attorney general and chairman of the Texas bond commission, assigned the duty by the legislature of selling the bonds, announced bids submitted a day or two ago for approximately \$1,300,000 worth of the bonds would be accepted.

Simultaneously he invited further bids on the unsold quota. State Senator Walter Woodward of Coleman, an anti-administration leader in the senate, congratulated the "Governors Ferguson" on their efforts to dispose of the bonds to banks, investment concerns and individuals, and appealed to Texans to put their spare dollars into the securities and thereby confirm their "good faith and credit" in "our state."

Allred stated that, as chairman of the commission, he desired to "publicly commend those who have already responded."

"Not only have these companies and banks done their part, but in many instances public spirited citizens of this state have subscribed for one or more of these bonds," stated Allred. "They have done what they could, and we feel it is only fair to appeal to the great commercial and financial institutions of this state to patriotically respond to the needs of the distressed of Texas. Many of these institutions have recently secured the aid of both state and national governments for the stabilization of their businesses. If all of them will do their bit, the remainder of this issue can be oversubscribed in three days."

"We urge the county relief boards everywhere to personally appeal to all the institutions of their respective communities, including the public utilities, to immediately file bids for a reasonable block of these bonds. We have presented to us a splendid opportunity to bring a real message of Christmas cheer to every county and city of the state."

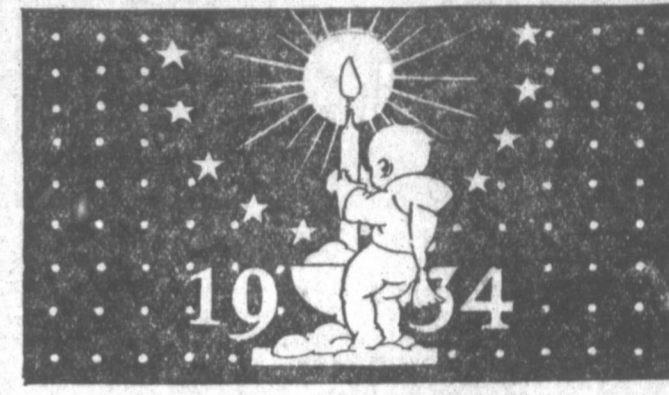
man who demanded \$100,000 from him, his prompt aid to authorities caused the arrest of another man on charges on threats to do bodily harm and attempted extortion.

The man held today is William Schuitze, 34, milk dealer of this city. He was arrested, Detective Lieutenant Thomas McGorian said, as he walked into a police trap set for the writer of three extortion

letters demand \$30,000 from Rosenwald.

Eight detectives closed in on him near a street corner after he sauntered by an officer who was impersonating Rosenwald and carrying a brief case as the letter writer had demanded that the philanthropist do in the transfer of the money.

Wishing You A . . .  
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 And A Happy . . .



**C. E. CARY**  
 County Judge

Merry Xmas  
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OUR APPRECIATION . . .

We wish to express our appreciation to those who have favored us with their patronage during the past year. We have tried hard to please our patrons and will strive to cooperate to the fullest extent during 1934.

**I. B. HUGHEY, Sec.-Treas.**  
 PAMPA NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASS'N.

**Plot To Kidnap Sears Official Is Foiled Again**

**PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 23 (AP)**—For the second time this year, an alleged extortion plot aimed at Lessing J. Rosenwald, millionaire philanthropist, was foiled today by his co-operation with authorities. Less than eight months after the assistance of the wealthy chairman of the board of Sears, Roebuck & company led to the capture of a

**JAPAN PRINCE TO BE NAMED IN NEXT WEEK**

**JAPANESE CELEBRATE BIRTH OF HEIR TO THRONE**

**TOKYO, Dec. 23 (AP)**—All Japan turned to an age-old way of expressing the highest jubilation tonight and paid homage to their new-born future ruler with lantern processions.

All classes and all interests were among the million happy Nipponese who throughout the night marched from all sections of the capital to the plaza in front of the imperial palace, wherein lay Empress Nagako and her first son, who is destined to become the 125th mikado of the world's oldest dynasty.

The celebrations that began at dawn when strens heralded the birth of the eagerly-awaited heir, a robust child weighing seven and one-eighth pounds, reached a climax tonight, when one shouting group after another sent up prayers of thanksgiving.

Disparatches described similar scenes in all cities of the empire. The princeling's birth inaugurated a season of celebration scheduled to last through the first week of the New Year.

Beginning today police relaxed their restrictions on cafes and amusement places, usually closed only during the New Year season.

The infant is the first born son of the five children born to their majesties, Emperor Hirohito and the empress, and, if he lives, will carry on a line unbroken for ages eternal, which Japanese believe is 2,600 years old.

He has three sisters—a fourth girl died in infancy—who cannot succeed to the takamikura, the "august high seat."

Shortly after his birth, the heir was given a sword by the 32-year-old father, symbolic of the life force of the new arrival and believed a charm against evil.

A week hence a name will be given him. It will be chosen by the wise men after much consultation of legends and lore.

Among the many statesmen who extended congratulations was American Ambassador Joseph C. Grew.

**MRS. BLAKE KILLED**  
**FORT WORTH, Dec. 23 (AP)**—The body of Mrs. Maude Blake, 60, who died last night from injuries received when struck by an automobile, was sent to Amarillo tonight for burial. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. W. C. Estes, Amarillo, and a sister, Mrs. J. W. Roger, Abilene.

**CHRISTMAS IS OCCASION FOR HOME REUNIONS**

**WEEK-END IS GAY AS COLLEGE CROWD ARRIVES**

Students, most important as a group among the Christmas visitors in Pampa, have been arriving the past week and will be central figures of the holiday observance in many homes.

They come from colleges near and far, ready for holiday meetings with the "old crowd," for parties and dances and visits, and for pleasant hours with their families that will be best of all.

Other homes here have relatives and friends as Christmas visitors, and many residents are making trips to other cities.

Of the students, a group arrived recently from West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon. Miss Dorothy Clark, Miss Yvonne Thomas, Malcolm Carr, and H. L. Ledrick Jr. are among the number.

Come From Downstate  
 Siler Faulkner Jr. is here from Southern Methodist University, Dallas. Allen and Clinton Evans arrived yesterday from Austin, where they are Texas University students, to be with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Evans. Miss Yedda Stein is here from the university also, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stein. Franklin Montgomery is here from Rice Institute, Houston.

From Oklahoma University Tom Braly is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Clifford Braly, and Alfred Fullingim of his mother, Mrs. Mahala Fullingim. Miss Nita Holmes is also here from Norman, and Ray McNeil visited friends here as he passed enroute to his home at Hobbs, N. M.

Jack Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mann, and Larry Trenary are here from Texas Tech, Lubbock. Herbert Davis has arrived from Texas

A. & M. to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis.

**Arkansas Student Here.**  
 Parks Brunley, student at Arkansas university, is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brunley. Chester Carson is here from Abilene, where he attends McMurry. Charles Thomas has arrived from Enid, Okla., where he is a student at Phillips university. Henry Cullum and Henry Will Fullingim, cadets at Texas Military college, are home for the holidays.

Joe Freeman, Paul Hill, and Clovis Green, all students at Texas Christian university, came in from Fort Worth last week. Miss Clouille McCallister, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. V. McCallister, Miss Margaret Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Beck and Miss Ruth Ann Jackson are also here from Fort Worth, where they attend Texas Woman's college.

**Early Arrivals.**  
 Miss Mary Ann Moyar arrived last week from Denver to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moyar. Misses Marjorie Buckler and Christine Cook also came in early from the Miss Hockaday school at Dallas.

Miss Mignon Cross is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cross, from Weatherford, Okla. She attends Southwestern Teachers college there. Earl Dunaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dunaway, is here from Central Teachers college, Edmond, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Noel have learned that their daughter, Miss Audrey, junior in the Greeley State Teachers college of Colorado, will spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Fritzell, in Buena Vista, Colo.

**Visitors With Relatives.**  
 Miss Petie Lyon of Idaho Springs, Colo., resident of Pampa until last spring, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ben Ferris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stiles and her sister, Miss Evelyn Apperson, left yesterday for Mayfield and Murray, Ky., to spend several weeks with relatives.

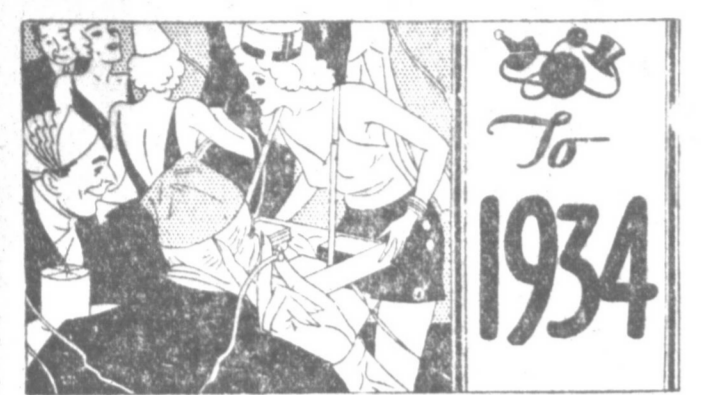
Miss Helen Robb of Breckenridge is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Robb, and her sister, Mrs. Jack Vance.

Raford Fowler, who has been visiting in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Voss, left yesterday for his home in Montgomery, Ala., to be there for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill are spending a few days with Mrs. Hill's parents in Paris, Texas.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hobart will enjoy a reunion at their home here today and tomorrow. Their daughter, Mrs. D. Hutchinson, with Mr. Hutchinson and child, will be here from Arkansas City, Kan., and their son, Fred A. Hobart, and family from the ranch near Canadian. Another daughter, Mrs. Clyde Fatheree, and family of Pampa will be guests for the Christmas dinner.

Student petroleum engineers returned two tank cars full of oil for use at the University of Oklahoma.



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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**



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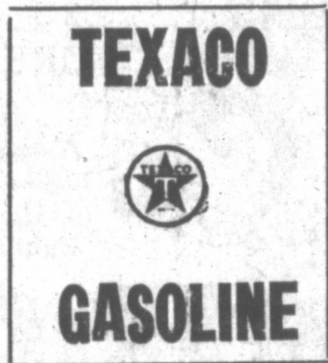
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**GOD FORGIVES AND HEALS:** Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits; who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; who redeemeth thy life from destruction.—Psalm 103:2-4.

## Better Than Expected

That some depression-sick persons have, under the warming sun of the new deal, be-stirred themselves into vigor enough to ask for more aid than they are getting is no proof that the policies of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt have not achieved many of the goals sought.

This is a better Christmas than last for millions of folks. The president's re-employment agreements are still in effect. Many permanent codes have been perfected. The president has done his part. That there are evident abuses of the codes and infringements of the agreements is a reflection upon the people, not the president.

Gray county cotton and wheat farmers can testify as to the efficacy of the farm relief program. Business men feel the invigorating effect of strong injections of money from the farm adjustments. Cotton and wheat rose in price as well as in fee and Texas business generally has profited. Cotton had been selling at record low levels and wheat had broken all-time marks.

American business life cannot be re-vamped by governmental effort in one short year, or even in a decade. A relief program which we all hope is temporary cannot be made to function as smoothly as a permanent policy. Administered through several national, state, and local agencies, the CWA activities are necessarily not as fool-proof as older methods. But this, too, is no proof of the failure of the new deal. President Roosevelt promised that no winter of suffering like last would be permitted. This Christmas finds that promise fulfilled. Beneficiaries of the new deal will not look kindly upon politics.

## Conflicting National Aims

One nation's happiness is another's pain. Strife-ridden Germany is enjoying a bit of calm under the force of Hitler. But Germany's demand for military equality has France in mental agony. America has made diplomatic peace with Russia, but Japan is feverishly preparing for what may be an early war with the Soviet Union. Russia, in self-defense, is massing troops and munitions as close to Japan as possible. Meanwhile, the Japanese military faction is distributing inflammatory propaganda against the United States and using what advertising men call "fear copy" to prevent hard-pressed tax-payers from striking.

The Japanese aggression in Manchuria was one of the biggest news stories of the last year. Only the new deal got more newspaper space, although the Cuban revolt, for the time it lasted, was the more sensational. Lately, prohibition repeal claimed public attention. Internationally, there has been a revival of national self-determination, led by Mr. Roosevelt with the statement that internal stability must be his first consideration.

Texasans have been especially interested in the Brownsville hurricanes, 3.2 beer, farm relief, return of legal racing and boxing, federal control of oil, unemployment relief, kidnaping, Ma Ferguson, and John Garner.

The Christmas spirit has bought a truce in most violence, but a late-year wave of lynching gives a sordid tinge to the 1933 sun-set.

The Lindberghs are back home, but Louisianans are still shouting for the scalp of Huey Long. But taken as a whole, 1933 has been a vast improvement over 1932.

Pampans, Texans, Americans have reason to display the Christmas spirit in its fullest meaning of peace on earth, good will toward men, and neighborliness for them who are less fortunate than we.

This writer joins Pampans generally in extending the community-wide spirit of kindness and good cheer.

## REAL FORCES BEHIND OUR MONEY POLICY

The strangest thing about the long argument over the government's monetary policy is that so many of the arguers seem to be trying to conduct the debate in a vacuum.

What we are getting is, in the main, an academic discussion of the relative value of money which is anchored firmly to an immutable gold base and money which is flexible. It is an argument, for most part, which might just as well have been held in 1928 as in 1933.

Most of the time the surging waves of public unrest which make up the background of all this argument get ignored entirely. We get plenty of scholarly expositions on the way inflation starts and the things it does before it stops, and plenty of historical analyses of what happened in Germany and Russia, but very little mention of the way in which recent economic developments have put pressure on our social fabric.

A monetary policy doesn't come into being in a void. It is the product of innumerable forces. The economic laws in the text-books may be important; so, too, are farmers sunk in debt, home-owners burdened with mortgages they cannot carry, cities that stand on the edge of bankruptcy.

All those things produce dissatisfaction with an inflexible currency system. This dissatisfaction may be illogical, mistaken and highly unwise; nevertheless, it is

## OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS



the prime factor in the situation, and any attempt to settle the soundness or unsoundness of our monetary policy is worse than useless if it fails to take it into account.

Senator Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma announced the other day that three different congressional money groups would combine to put through a mandatory inflation law this winter, if the dollar should be stabilized at a devaluation of less than 50 per cent.

That statement is the tip-off on the real issue of the day.

If the administration should adopt the course urged by the "sound money" group, it simply would be asking for an explosion. All the inflationary sentiment in Congress—and there is a lot of it, reflecting the sentiment of the people back home—would get up steam to blow the lid off. The chances are very good that it would do so.

## OH, DIANA!



## National Scout Heads Commend Wranglers Group

CANYON, Dec. 23.—The national field division of the Girl Scouts has recently expressed high commendation for the work which is being done in Canyon by the Wranglers, college girls' organization in which young women prepare themselves to direct scouting and other out of door activities of school girls.

Miss Idabelle Stevenson, assistant secretary, recently wrote from the national Girl Scouts headquarters in New York, thanking the local organization for a report of its work. She said "The report is very interesting and we feel much gratified to think that you have organized along the patrol system used by the Girl Scouts. I hope that as the work develops, and you undertake different projects, you will let us hear about them."

Board Member Pleased. From Mrs. J. K. Beretta of San Antonio, a member of the state board of teacher college registrars, has also come a letter congratulating the Wranglers on their work, and expressing a hope that she can visit a meeting of the group when she comes to Canyon.

Miss Thelma Brummett, secretary to President J. A. Hill of the West Texas State Teachers college, is responsible for the existence of the Wranglers, and has been one of its active sponsors since its beginning. She has had scouting experience as counselor in some of the best known camps of the east. Others who have served on the troop committee are Professor S. H. Condron, Registrar D. A. Shirley, Professor L. S. Baker, of the college faculty, and Mrs. Tom Knighton and Mrs. W. L. Smith, both of Canyon. Miss Mary L. White, regional director of Girl Scouts, Cloudercroft, N. M., has visited the Wranglers and has given them valuable help. Although the organization is young, many of its members are already directing girls' out of door groups in connection with their work as teachers.

Experiments at North Carolina State college of agriculture and engineering have shown that mash fermented with yeast increases and maintains egg production.

Coke, a comparatively new product in Texas, will furnish an estimated 60,000 tons of export business from Galveston during the winter months.

## 85 Per Cent Of Texas Refiners Will Sign Code

It is believed that 85 per cent of the Texas Refining industry will sign a marketing agreement before Jan. 15, the deadline for signing. At a meeting of Texas of Texas refiners and marketers in the Adolphus hotel in Dallas last week, the agreement was outlined thoroughly and appeared to meet the approval of those present.

Fifty of the eighty-five refineries of the state were represented at the meeting, which devoted itself to discussion of the marketing agreement presented by the oil planning and coordination committee and designed to replace the former price-fixing program. A member of the national committee, E. L. Majewski, explained the purpose and working out of the agreement, which set up margins designed to protect retailer, jobber and the public. Mr. Majewski, head of the Deeprock Oil company, explained that he represented the independent refiner on the planning and co-ordination committee and made clear that the agreement was not a major company proposal to strangle the little refiner.

Differential Not Necessary. He denied that any differential

was necessary for the smaller company handling a product without benefit of national advertising, as this company has the same opportunities for local advertising in the home newspapers as the large company, he declared. Only 7 per cent of the gasoline business is transient, he reported, asserting that if his company were not prepared to handle business on a continuity of routes satisfactorily, he was not entitled to it.

The margins are based on dollar crude, and 5.4c for 60 to 64 octane gasoline at the refinery, which is on the 18.5 ratio, with a maximum of 8c spread between refinery price and the public, taxes additional. The retailer has a margin of 4c on high grade material for undivided resale account, and 3.5c per gallon for divided resale account, while for low grade fuel the margin is 3c and 2.8c. The jobber's margin is 1.5 times the retailer's and includes the retailer's.

**A GOOD TIME FOR ALL**  
COLLEGE PARK, Md.—The University of Maryland students held an "appeal bag" last night at which a bag of potatoes, a can of tomatoes, clothing or like contributions served as admission tickets. More than two tons of food, a large quantity of clothing and \$65 in money were "paid" by the students for distribution by welfare agencies to poor families in the neighborhood of the university this Christmas tide.

## ANSWERS



Irvine (Cotton) Warburton is this year's ALL-AMERICA QUARTERBACK from the University of Southern California. The FERMATA is the musical sign shown and means, A PAUSE OR A HOLD. MADRID is the capital of SPAIN.

## Jackie Saves The Day!

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## Some Cookie!

By DON FLOWERS

## SCORCHY SMITH



## Reward Offered!

By TERRY





### 4-H Club Girls Entertain Party

Girls of the Greenlake 4-H club entertained their friends with a Christmas party Friday evening in the home of Miss Lois Johnson. Games and contests amused the guests, and songs by Jack and Dick Benton were enjoyed. Each one present received a sack of candy, nuts, and fruit from a Christmas tree.

Cake and hot chocolate were served by the following members: Misses Leona Johnson, Lorita Hogan, Edna Turcotte, Winnie Bond, Lois Daugherty, Clara Colvin, Mary Vern Lewis, Altha Mae Owen, Leona Lewis, Lois Johnson.

Guests were Misses Juanita, Roberta, and Minnie Olive Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Turcotte, Mrs. J. M. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Duren, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Johnson, John Lewis, Ed Barnes, Pete Bond, Jack and Dick Benton, Pete Cole, Pratt Bond, E. W. Hogan, H. J. Johnson, Duane Turcotte, Harold Lewis, Chuck Hogan, Modelle Johnson, Louis Cole.

### Merten S. P. O. C. Members Enjoy Christmas Party

A Christmas party was enjoyed in the gaily decorated recreation hall at Merten Friday evening by members of the S. P. O. C. club, who played bridge and forty-two, and received gifts from a Christmas tree.

Red and green garlands brightened the room, where the lighted tree centered the decorations. Members exchanged gifts and united to present a special package to R. C. McNatt.

Mrs. J. W. Ward won high score for women in bridge, and V. A. Tasker for men. Mrs. George Dillman scored high for women in forty-two, and Bruce Head for men.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Tasker and Mrs. C. Duncan. Players were Messrs. and Mmes. H. A. Peebles, Head, L. C. Cunningham, Duncan, W. C. Hogue, Ward, John Brandard, Tasker, J. F. Hughes, Oren Colvin, Gilman; and Miss Rowena McNatt, Mrs. R. L. Dyer, Louis Hughes, and John Woolen.

**SHOULD KNOW BETTER**  
MILWAUKEE — Elephants like peanuts; wrestlers go for big beef steaks.  
Judge A. J. Hedding in district court asked Rudolph Probsky if he didn't know as much when he fined him for tossing peanuts into a wrestling ring during a match.  
The pastime cost Rudolph \$1 and costs.

British firms have contracted for approximately 2,000 bales of Pacific Coast hops.

### Farm Hands at Society's Ball



If you think that the girl in this simple calico dress and her collarless escort in unpressed, unmatched suit are just a couple of good-looking farmers, you've another guess. They are Woolworth Donahue, heir to the Five and Ten millions, and his fiancee, Miss Dorothy Fell, daughter of Mrs. Ogden Mills. This was how they appeared at New York society's "County Fair Ball" given for charity at the Waldorf.

### Oakland Tennis Star Will Head Juniors In 1933

NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Indicating that America's future tennis strength lies in the far west, the United States Lawn Tennis association today rated the young players from the Pacific coast the class of the junior boys and girls singles in announcing the rankings for 1933. The ratings will be submitted for approval to the annual meeting in Pittsburgh February 10.

J. Donald Budge, of Oakland, Calif., headed the junior singles list while another Oakland player, Robert Harmon, topped the boys' division. To Bonnie Miller, the girls' singles champion from Los Angeles, went the honor of being ranked No. 1 in her class.

Miss Miller and Harmon also shared in doubles honors. The Los Angeles girl paired with Frances Herron, also of Los Angeles, and Harmon teamed with Robert Riggs, of Los Angeles, to earn No. 1 rankings in the doubles.

Below Budge in the junior singles are the sensational Gene Mako, of Los Angeles, whom the Oakland player defeated in the finals of the national championship, Jay Cohn, Los Angeles and Ramsay Potts, of Memphis, Tenn., Mako and Benjamin Dey, Los Angeles topped doubles.

In addition to sharing No. 1 position in the boys' doubles, Riggs earned No. 2 position in the singles, one notch above Charles Shesstrom, of Chicago. Second to Miss Miller is Elizabeth Keating of St. Paul, Minnesota.

### Woman Director Of Highway Beauty In Texas Appointed

The state highway commission is handling its program of highway beautification through Jac L. Gubels, landscape engineer, employed by the department, and upon request of the commission Mrs. Frank W. Sorell of San Antonio agreed to organize the women of the state to cooperate with the department of highway beautification.

Mrs. Sorell is appointing a chairman in each one of the highway divisions and is working in close harmony with the commission.

No other person is authorized to represent the highway beautification officially in highway beautification. "We of course, solicit the aid of every one who loves this big state of ours and desires to assist in this work," says a commission statement, "and to those who have such a desire we urge and request that their cooperation take a course through those officially designated by the commission for this work."

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A state domino tournament with \$200 in prizes was organized at Lufkin, Tex.

**TECH DATES GIVEN**  
LUBBOCK, Dec. 23—Classes will be resumed January 7 following the Christmas holidays at Texas Technological college. Students will register for the second semester February 1 and begin classes February 2.

**DEAR FRIENDS - -**  
Each year at Christmas time our mind turns to those who have meant so much to us. Our real desire is to see each of you in person to tell you how much your patronage is appreciated, but we know we cannot do this, so we take this means of sending you Christmas Greetings and to thank each of you from the very depth of the heart. We hope to see you frequently during 1934 and trust that the days of the New Year will be happy, prosperous ones for you.

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## GREETINGS!

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DISTRICT ATTORNEY

### GREAT FILM CLASSIC, "LITTLE WOMEN" COMING ON JANUARY 21

#### Girl Scouts Sing Christmas Carols At Friends' Homes

Carols were sung at several homes by Girl Scouts of troop two, after their business meeting at the home of Mrs. Dee Partridge. They were invited into the homes for refreshments.

Those in the caroling party were Maxine Hill, Norma Lee Rickard, Wilma Dee Abernathy, Phillis Cotton, Fondanell Smith, Beatrice Owens, Bernice Roberts, Lucille Horn, Sally Lou Church, June Blackabee, Dorothy Fisher, Edna Spivey, Eula Belle Rickard, Floy Lee Hill, and the Scout captain, Margaret Hamrick.

Now the great romantic love epic of the Nineteenth Century comes to the talking screen with a notable dramatization of "Little Women."

The present century has had its red hot romance, but the Sixties with their Civil War and its aftermath had more than their share of sincere matings and marriages in real life and fiction. Of all the famous novels depicting of that era none is better known than the Louisa M. Alcott novel relating the heart destinies of the four March sisters, Jo, Meg, Beth and Amy.

Jo, as most of American girlhood will remember, turns from the wealthy and ardent playmate of her younger days, "Laurie," to a career in the great city, there to meet the humble and honorable German professor who seems to have little hope of ever winning her heart and hand.

There is dramatic, surprise too in the decision of Jo. The triangle of Laurie, Jo and the Professor provides the main plot in the story that has been a "best seller" since it first started the literary world in 1868.

REKO-Radio pictures has assigned none other than the meteoric Katharine Hepburn to play the enchantress of the Sixties, the girl who feared the pitfalls of love would break the firm ties of family and part the beautiful sisters.

The supporting cast and the roles they enact are Joan Bennett as Amy, Frances Dee as Meg, Jean Parker as Beth, Paul Lukas as Fritz Bhaer, the German professor, Edna May Oliver as Aunt March, Douglas Montgomery as Laurie, Henry Stephenson as Mr. Laurence, Spring Byington as Marmee, Sammie Hinds as Mr. March, Mabel Colcord as Hannah, John Davis Lodge as Brooke and Nydia Westman as Mame. George Cukor has directed this romantic epic of girlhood.

REKO-Radio has retained the highlights of the original volume, going to great expense to reproduce the backgrounds and settings and characters with detailed exactness.

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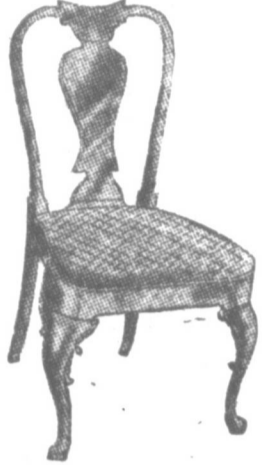
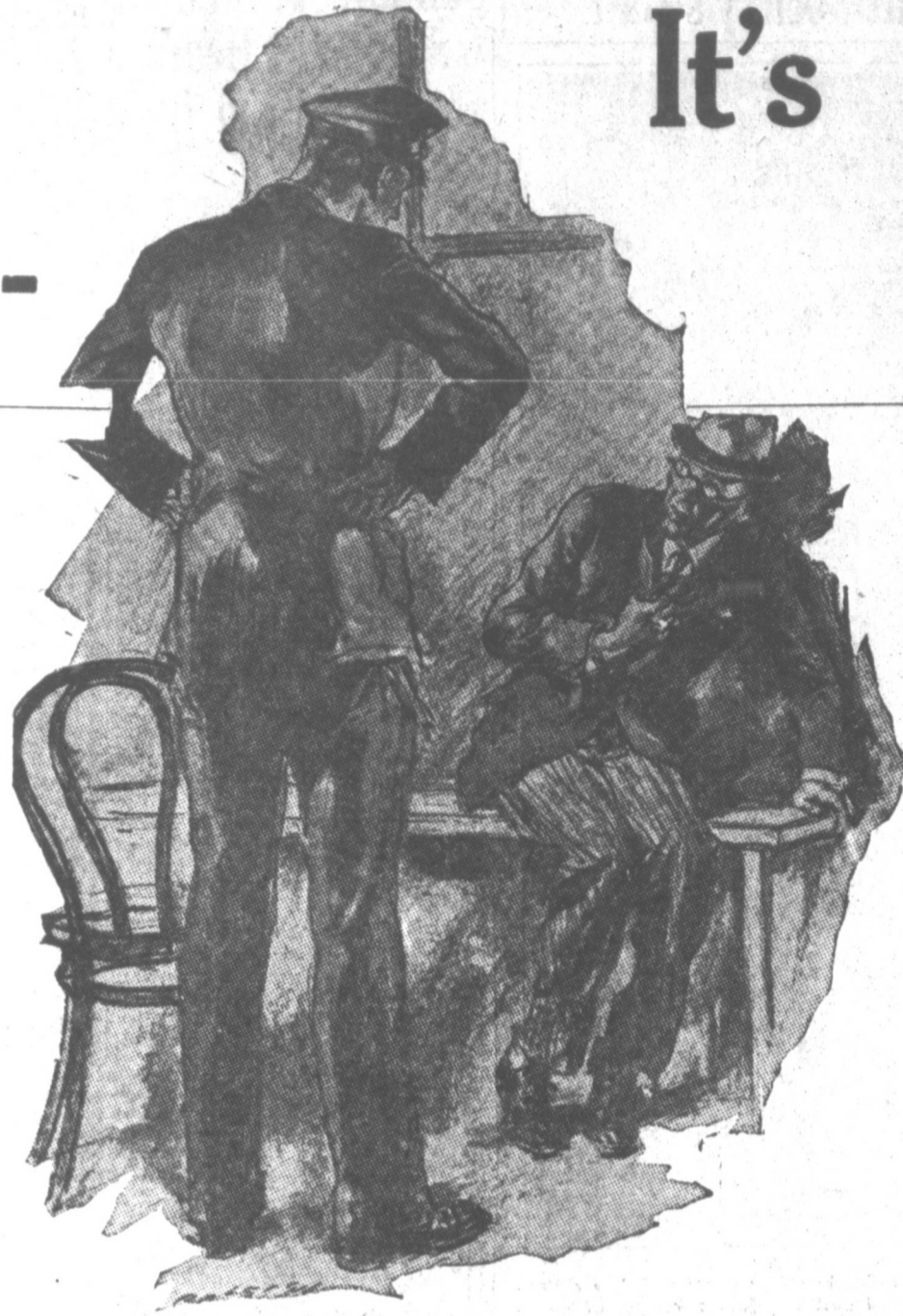
It has been a pleasure to serve the thousands of people of this territory during the past year. . . We assure you that your interests are our interests and our efforts during the coming years will be to serve you better.

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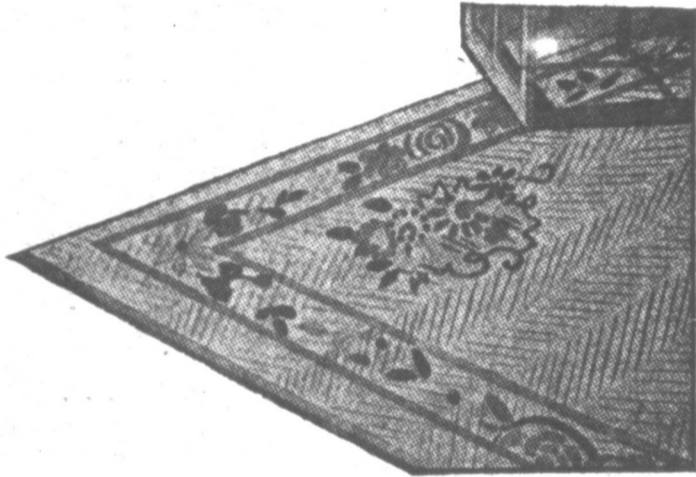


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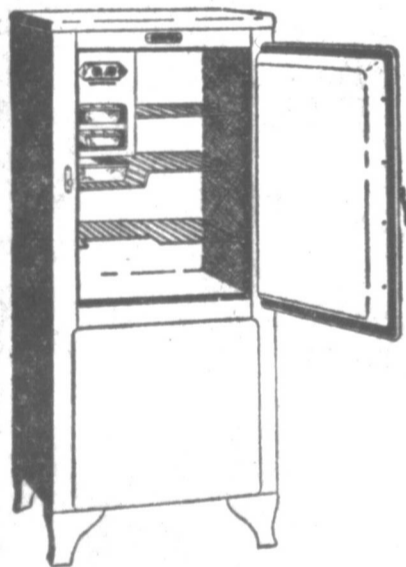
# It's Time For You To Go!



Living is thinking, and the things you live with shape and color your thoughts. Make your home more liveable with some new pieces of furniture. A quaint Windsor chair. A delightful ladder-back—a highboy, a Virginia sofa, a friendly drum table. Such delightful pieces as these can be bought today at tremendous savings on the prices of five years ago. But to make these savings you must act soon. Price sare going up.



Of course you have noticed the low prices quoted today for imported and domestic rugs. But have the absurd price made you doubt the quality? Go see what beautiful, soft, fast colors and rich, thick textures these prices will bring you. The present low prices will not last.



Five years ago an electric refrigerator, not so efficient as this one, would have cost double of what it does today. Today, this attractive model can be purchased on an easy budget plan.

For the last four years all of us, have been doing without. Prudence has counseled carefulness. Necessity has compelled economy. Until we saw which way the cat was going to jump, each of us has refrained from buying more than necessities.

With stagnation in buying growing more acute from week to week, the wonderful machinery of production and consumption that made this Nation the best-dressed, best housed, best-fed people in the world, was thrown completely out of gear.

Manufacturers, with no markets, curtailed their buying of raw products, reduced their working forces. "Gyps", without honor or conscience, sought cheaper materials, made them up with skimmed workmanship, cut prices to attract dollars. Down tumbled quality. . . until no one had any faith in values. Down tumbled wages . . . until no one knew what his time and ability was worth.

Now we are on the way back!

Definite values are being given to merchandise. Definite values are being given to labor. The old standards of quality are re-appearing. The old standards of wages and self-respect are being re-established. The vicious spiral of descending wages . . . deferred buying . . . reduced prices . . . is being reversed!

Men are going back to work at living wages. People are getting more money to spend . . . and are spending it. Costs of raw materials are increasing. Costs of manufacture are increasing. And, as a result, retail prices are bound to go up.

Look about your home. For four years you have been using things up and not replacing them. Four years of wear-and-tear have put the blight of shabby gentility on almost everyone's household possessions.

That easy chair—once your pride—has lost all its color and comfort. The upholstery is faded and worn. The pillows are flattened and thin. The webbing has burst and let a spring loose.

That rug shows the scuffing of thousands

of steps. The nap is worn till the warp shows through. Dinginess greets you and your friends.

The refrigerator in your pantry has outlived its youth. You entrust food to it with fear and trembling.

Lighting your oven in the old-fashioned gas range is like starting a furnace fire in the kitchen. You roast the cook while you cook the roast. You guess at oven temperatures. Getting a dinner means slavery to your stove.

Look at your draperies! You've washed and cleaned them over and over. But they are faded and drab—a sad travesty on their original gayness.

Your linen closet! Sheets, pillow cases, towels, tablecloths, and napkins worn to pitiful thinness. Scarcely half the supply you took such pride in when times were good.

Your radio! What a miracle it was . . . new! What disillusion it is now—back-numbered, out-moded, outclassed by the new models.

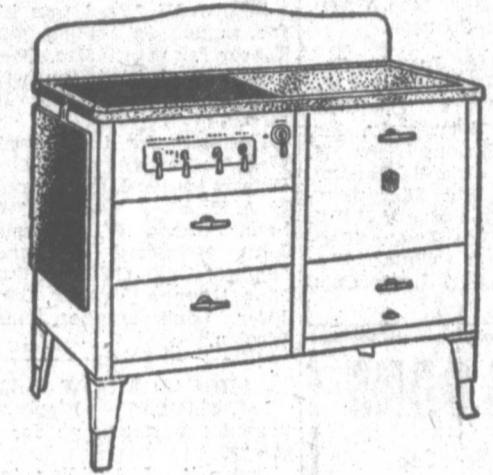
And now, let's take a look in the basement. Your heater is still capable of keeping the house warm. But what a slave it makes of you! Down-and-up, down-and-up, shifting rates, coal to shovel, ashes to remove.

How different the modern heaters are! Mechanical firemen to shovel coal and take out ashes. Or automatic gas or oil—one match in the fall and your fire tending is completed. Scientific humidifying—fewer colds and illnesses.

And the laundry. Those old-fashioned tubs, scrubbing board, wringer. In their place think of a modern washing machine that does the work faster . . . better . . . safer . . . and without the drudgery!

And now to sum up: You'd had to let things go. Times are getting better. There is a definite, positive upturn in employment, in wages. These mean a sharp upturn in prices, which will mean more employment and still better wages.

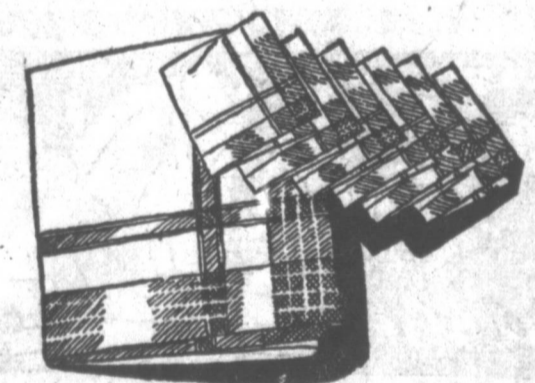
You will never see a better time to replace worn-out things with new and modern things at such bargain prices!



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### Road Workers Get \$7,095.60 For Week's Pay

Workers on highway projects through the Civil Works Administration were paid \$7,095.60 yesterday at the local office. There were 649 checks issued. The 34 women working for the local board received \$384.05. The National Re-Employment Service office here supplied 123 men for work on Highway 152. They were paid by the contractor.

Two crews will work each day on the LeFors-McLean project after the Christmas holiday. The caliche pit has been cleared of top soil and the crusher and screener has been placed. Levelling has already started on the McLean end of the project.

### Happy Holiday Season Reflected In Panhandle Women's Activities

**CANADIAN, Dec. 23**—Senior girls of Canadian high school and faculty members were guests of honor at the Christmas program of the Woman's club Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. C. W. Callaway. Miss Opal McCray became the bride of George Beaty at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCray of Gageby, last Sunday morning. The couple will live at Twitty.

Mrs. George Beaty, recent bride, was honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. Claud Barker. Mrs. Mid Singleton was hostess at a bridal shower for Mrs. Furman Williams. Mrs. R. L. Williams, another bride, was honored when Mrs. Hiram Parks and Mrs. M. M. Meeks were hostesses.

**Christmas In Churches**  
**WHITE DEER, Dec. 23**—A Christmas program was given when the Fairview club met with Mrs. Glen Young recently. Gifts were exchanged by members.

Special Christmas services have been announced in White Deer churches. Boys and girls will enjoy Christmas trees at the Presbyterian, Methodist, and Baptist churches Sunday evening. Christmas will be the subject of sermons, and the Baptist church will give a musical program in the evening. High mass will be conducted at midnight at Sacred Heart Catholic church.

The home of Mrs. T. G. Wood of Roxana was turned into a miniature fair when the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club held its pantry demonstration recently.

**Marriage Announced**  
**CLARENDON, Dec. 23**—An announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Dorothy McCann to Dr. Charles V. Hatchette of Lake Charles, La. The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McCann, was a student at Tulane University.

A Christmas gala box was a feature of the holiday party of Alpha Delta Psi Wednesday. Miss Helen Lawler was hostess.

Santa Claus appeared at the Christmas party of the Clarendon Home Demonstration club, when Miss Fannie Perry was hostess.

**School 'Exes' to Banquet**  
**PANHANDLE, Dec. 23**—Mrs. F. H. Hill, teacher of the first school in Panhandle, will be honor guest when a dinner for ex-students and former teachers of Panhandle high school is given on the evening of Dec. 29 at the Methodist church.

Annual Christmas parties were given by women's clubs of the city last week. The home of Judge and Mrs. J. E. Southwood was the scene of the Fine Arts club party.

The Junior Fine Arts club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Theodore Tipps. The Erudite club had its party at the home of Mrs. R. F. Surratt. Mrs. George Kistler was hostess to the Mothers' Self Culture club. Games were enjoyed and gifts exchanged at each party.

Mrs. Emil Peters of Georgetown, Ky., is the first woman to be elected a trustee of Georgetown college there.

The population of San Francisco's Chinatown is estimated to have doubled since 1929.

### KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

**KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23 (P)—U.S. D. A.**—Cattle trade at mid-western markets this week found a revised interest in medium weight and heavy steers which has been lacking to a large degree during the past two months. Most points reported steady to 25 higher prices on fed steers scaling around 1,200 pounds and above, while at Chicago where supplies of weighty steers were short selling levels advanced 50-1.00. Better grades of long yearlings and light steers sold on a steady to 25 higher basis while short-fed kinds met a rather slow outlet at steady to slightly lower prices. Total receipts for the week at eleven markets numbered 141,760 as compared with 181,476 last week and 107,189 the same period a year ago.

Slaughter classes of sheep and lambs closed the period on a steady to 25 higher basis, while feeding lambs advanced 15-25 in most cases. Fed wooled lambs bulked at 6.75-7.50, while short kinds made 5.50-6.25. Arrivals for the week numbered 257,320 against 299,391 last week and 205,165 a year ago.

As compared with last Saturday, hogs were generally 5-15 higher but at Chicago an active trade on the close boosted selling levels unevenly 5-35 with a late top of 3.75 at that market. Receipts totaled 549,380 against 535,850 last week and 419,216 a year ago.

Fossilized crabs dug from prehistoric strata are shipped from China to San Francisco in velvet-lined cases for use as medicinal preparations by Chinese physicians.

Mrs. Josephine Lowther, who died recently at Ridgeland, S. C., was the mother of 11 children, the grandmother of 85 and the great-grandmother of 23.

Classes in typewriting, bookkeeping and commercial arithmetic were offered to officers in the CCC by East Central Oklahoma Teachers college.

Alabama, with a negro population of 944,834, has only four negro lawyers, the bureau of the census reports.

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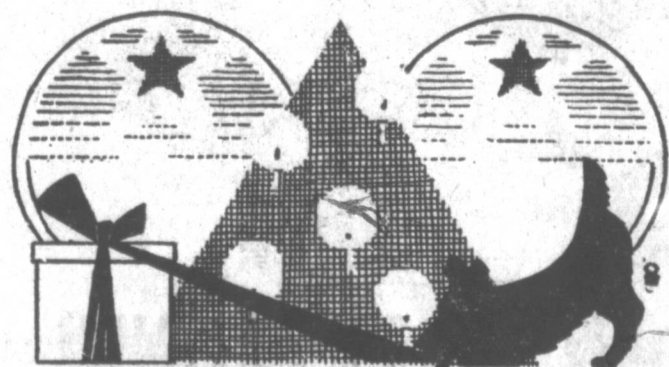


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COUNTY OF GRAY

Siler Faulkner vs. J. S. Morse  
In the 31st Judicial District Court  
In and For Gray County, Texas.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an execution issued by the District Clerk of Gray County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in the 114th judicial court on the 11th day of January, 1933, in favor of the said Siler Faulkner, and against the said J. S. Morse, numbered 3315 on the docket of the 114th district court, I did on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1933, at 4 o'clock, p. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Gray, State of Texas, and belonging to the said J. S. Morse, to-

wis: All of Section No. 5, in Block 26, H. & G. N. R. E. Co., Surveys in Gray County, Texas, containing 640 acres, more or less, and on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1934, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell as public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. S. Morse in and to said property.

Dated at Pampa, Texas, this 11th day of December, 1933.

C. E. PIPES,  
Sheriff, Gray County, Texas.  
By F. A. Hollenbeck, Deputy.  
Dec. 11-18-26.

**'STRAWBERRY ROAN' COMES TO REX TODAY**

**MAYNARD'S 'TARZAN' IN SECOND FIDDLE ROLE NOW**

With Ken Maynard playing at the Rex theater today, Monday and Tuesday in "Strawberry Roan," what? You don't know what it is, a strawberry roan? Well, of all things!

In this effete day, when horses are so rapidly being superseded by automobiles and airplanes, there may be some justification for people not knowing as much about horses as they used to know. At the risk of seeming to explain something which everybody ought to know, I desire to expatiate fragmentarily on strawberry roans.

In the first place, a strawberry roan is a horse. In the second, strawberry roan is a color. Color in horses is expressed in terms which may be almost news to airplane riders and automobile speed merchants. If I were to say what the horse shades represent, exactly, I might be giving an idea to the Paris designers who are constantly on the lookout for some new way to express a brilliant sector of the rainbow in silks. Here are some horse colors: sorrel, bay, chestnut, claybank, Palamino, dapple, roan, blue roan, strawberry roan.

The roan, as explained by Mr. Webster is "a color consisting of bay, sorrel or chestnut, thickly interspersed with gray or white." A blue roan is one in which the gray and the white are so mixed as to give a very distinct blue tone. Strawberry roan is where the sorrel and the white furnish a very distinctly pink or bright red effect.

Ever since the dawn of history, the word roan has meant more to horsemen than just a color. It expressed qualities of endurance and temperament which set roans apart from all other horses. The Romans were very prone to pick out roans for the centurions, legion commanders and generals. The roans were harder to tame, stronger and more courageous than other horses.

Years ago, a song writer named Curley Fletcher wrote a song called "Strawberry Roan." It was a typical range song. As such, it had a minimum of usefulness and a maximum of expressive language. For years this song was the sole property of the range. It was sung and strummed on the banjo and guitar at innumerable camp fires, but got very little further until the present vogue for western songs almost swamped the radio. Ken Maynard picked this "Strawberry Roan" song of Curley Fletcher's out of the limbo of forgotten things and Universal made it into a movie. It is all about a bucking strawberry roan who is so difficult to ride that the prize buckaroo of the entire west was thrown from his arching back. Here are a few choice couplets to show the general expressiveness of the song and of the critter.

"Down in the horse corral standing alone,  
It this old coyote, a strawberry

**'Ma' Frees 20 More Convicts For Christmas**

AUSTIN, Dec. 23.—Twenty more Texas convicts will receive clemencies as Christmas gifts from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. The chief executive has not announced if she intends to have a special Christmas list of pardons and paroles.

Three prisoners were given full pardons, fifteen conditional pardons and two general paroles today.

Full pardons went to Robert L. Singletary, Upshur county, violating liquor law, two years, convicted in April, 1933; C. F. Threadgill, McLennan county, criminal assault, 5 years, convicted in November, 1933, and Walter Brannon, Tarrant county, robbery, five years, convicted in October, 1931.

Conditional pardons included: Clifford C. Moses, Briscoe county, burglary, two years, convicted in June, 1933; Lee Barfield, Bosque and Hill counties, burglary and theft, six years, convicted in March, 1931; Fred Belsmeyer, Bell county, disposing of mortgaged property, two years, convicted in November, 1932; Wesley Petre, Jefferson county, burglary and theft, three years, convicted in February, 1933; Tom Singletion, Throckmorton county, theft, three years, convicted in April, 1933; Cecil James, McLennan county, aiding prisoner to escape and theft, five years, convicted in May, 1932; Tom Boyd, Taylor and Nolan counties, violating liquor law, two years, convicted in April, 1933.

**VISITING HIS FATHER**

LUBBOCK, Dec. 23.—Bradford Knapp, Jr., assistant animal husbandryman of the United States department of agriculture with headquarters at the University of Florida at Gainesville, with his wife and five-year-old daughter, is visiting his father, President Bradford Knapp of Texas Technological college, for the holidays. Young Knapp arrived at the college in time to talk to classes in animal husbandry in the Tech division of agriculture.

roan."  
"He's the worst buckin' bronc I've seen on the range,  
He can turn on a nickel and give you some change."  
"He went up toward the east and came down towards the west,  
To stay in his middle I'm doin' my best."  
"When my stirrup I loose and also my hat,  
I'm pullin' leather and as blind as a bat."  
"Then he makes one more jump and heads up on high,  
Leaves me sittin' on nothin' away up in the sky."  
Maynard's horse, Tarzan, plays second fiddle to the Strawberry Roan in this picture, which has as human players Ruth Hall, Harold Goodwin, Charles King, William Desmond, Frank Yaconelli, James Marcus, Jack Rockwell, Bob Walker and Ben Corbett.

Mrs. Hamp Scudder, "turkey queen" of northeastern Oklahoma, fattened 1,700 birds for the 1933 holidays.

**NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**  
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 8, 1934, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year. Please take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.  
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**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

To each of our many friends whose loyal support has so largely contributed to our success, we wish to express our thankful appreciation—and as we look back over this year we are truly grateful for the strengthening of old friendships and the making of many new ones.

At this Yuletide season we pause for the moment to again pledge you our support and to hope for a continuance of your friendship in the months to come.

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tween the Harvestettes and the Hedley girls was. Pampa won it in the last few seconds of play with a free shot by Kentling. The final score was 19 to 9.

The game was rough and tumble and the girls were rough and ready. Played on half-courts, the tussle was featured by defensive tactics of a masculine variety. It was the first defeat suffered by the Hedley girls. Plunk scored 7 points and Culwell 3 for Hedley. Pampa points were made by Kentling, 6, Shields 1, and Neal 3.

Both teams were unable to make their free shots. Each team made 12 fouls.

The starting line-ups: Hedley—Forwards, Plunk, Culwell, Kyster; guards, Bailey, Hess, and Bradley.

Pampa—Forwards, Neal, Shields, Kentling; guards, Feltner, Gray, and Hunkapillar.

Revenue department records show citizens of North Carolina drank 4,834,720 bottles of 3.2 beer during October.

### ANOTHER STAR MADE IN NEW FILM TRAGEDY

#### MARGARET SULLIVAN OPPOSITE JOHN BOLES

John M. Stahl made John Boles what he is today as a dramatic actor. John M. Stahl has made another star. This other star is the girl he chose to play the part of Mary Lane in "Only Yesterday" now at the La Nora theater. Her name is Margaret Sullivan and he saw her playing in New York in "Dinner at Eight." Several tests were made and they pleased Stahl so much that he even declared he would not make the picture unless he could have Margaret Sullivan. Why Margaret Sullivan accepted the part is harder to explain. She had already turned down three moving picture offers for more money than Universal offered her. Instead of taking one \$1500 a week off, she went into stock at \$50 a week. But something impelled her to take the role of Mary Lane in "Only Yesterday" on the promise that if she liked the movie, she would stay in them, and if she didn't, Universal would give her the privilege of going back on the stage.

After Carl Laemmle, Jr., and the officials at Universal City saw the first cutting of "Only Yesterday" there was no doubt in their minds that she would stay on the screen. There was no doubt in their minds that she would be a big star. When you see her in "Only Yesterday" that will be your verdict, too.

It was an unusually tough problem to get a girl with the looks, the experience and the dramatic fire to play Mary Lane. After he had interviewed 250 aspirants for the role, this is what Stahl himself had to say of the part and the requirements for the one who would play it satisfactorily.

"I believe that eventually she will be found in the ranks of film players already in Hollywood," he says. "The main trouble has been in this case that the woman capable of playing the role must be capable of expressing every human emotion. She must be intelligent beyond her years, for she must live through thirteen years of her life in a few short weeks. She must have the understanding of an older woman, for she must grow and develop from a young, charming, unsophisticated girl to a worldly woman. During that period she must pass through the travail of motherhood.

"To run this gauntlet of human emotions convincingly, so that she will be able to make girls of 18 and women of 31 believe her, she must have an extraordinary talent. While I am not discouraged, my search for such a player has taught

me that there are few competent players not under contract to major studios at the present time, and that there is a genuine need for more talent in Hollywood."

### Double Birthday Celebration Given On Friday Evening

Two birthdays were celebrated when Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Furlong entertained at their home, 118 W. Tying, Friday evening honoring their daughter, Miss Hazel, and Len Allison.

After the evening of games cake and hot chocolate were served to Misses Eileen Brethauer, Alice Bowers, Alice Reedy, Valene Phillips, Mary Bell Grace, Norma Graham, Pauline Parker, Pauline Furlong, Beulah Lintsey, the honorees, and Ollie Dalby, Dixie Miller, Everett Perkins, Mildred Miller, Doyle Miller, Dixie Miller, J. B. Caldwell, Pat Guthright.

### Former Pampa An NRA Official

George F. Hobart of Atlanta, Ga., former Pampa, has been appointed technical assistant for the national laundry code section of the NRA headquarters.

Mr. Hobart will go at once to Washington to take up his new duties.

He will be remembered as having been manager of Young Laundry here about two years ago. He has had much experience in the laundry business, particularly in Alabama.

His appointment has aroused wide approval because he is a practical man. He will be in close contact with the laundry and dry cleaning industries.

### PAMPAN'S FATHER DIES

J. R. Oliver of Amarillo, father of Mrs. R. E. Gatlin of Pampa, died Friday night. Funeral services were conducted at Davidson, Okla., yesterday afternoon.

### STOCKS HOLD UP

By JOHN L. COOLEY

Associated Press Financial Writer NEW YORK, Dec. 23 (AP)—Notwithstanding the acceptance of Christmas profits by traders who had ridden Friday's rally, stocks held up rather well today. The close was somewhat irregular, but on the basis of the averages the net change was a fractional loss. Commodity markets were closed. Silver issues encountered some realizing, but reduced their losses to nominal proportions. Gold stocks were taken in hand by way of variety and several of them rallied rather briskly. The rank and file of industrials were mixed. Selling pressure against American telephone lifted, giving that leader a net gain of slightly more than a point, but tobaccos continued soggy.

As Wall Street left for home for its long week end, the feeling was that further important monetary developments might be imminent. Friday's reserve board conference and President Roosevelt's expression that the silver stabilization idea might be extended to other exchange basis kept financial attention focused sharply on Washington. It was noted here that in some quarters there was a feeling the adminis-

tration had not gone far enough in its effort to "do something" for silver and it was likely that more might be heard along the same line.

The New York quotation on spot silver sagged half a cent. This daily price applies to metal already on hand and is not directly affected by the government's bid for newly mined silver, except as the level may be influenced, over the longer term, by withdrawals from the world market of the 35,000,000 odd ounces under the London plan.

Business on the stock exchange was fairly brisk for a holiday eve.


sales totaling 738,215 shares. Many traders who had planned to take the day off, doubtless decided to come to work in view of yesterday's happenings, and the ticker had little clear time. Although transactions were in small blocks. Liquidation of the tobacco shares, bringing losses of 2 to 3 points for the more active leaders, was attributed by some to investment trust selling. Cigarette sales have fallen off.

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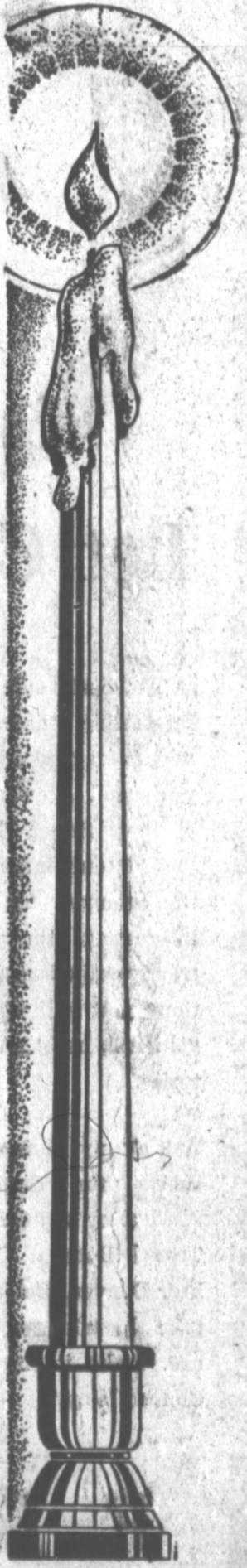


# May the Day Be Merry

A Happy Christmas can never be a commercialized Christmas. The Yuletide is a spirit... a thing you cannot see with the eye nor touch with the hand — it must originate in the heart and be put into action by a mind inspired by the nobler, finer thoughts—unselfishness, a desire to make others happy and the spirit of good-will.

That is the way we look upon Christmas and we hope it is so with you. Our wish is that you may cast aside all things else and think only of those things from which happiness comes. We hope it will be the cheeriest, merriest Christmas you have ever spent in all your life and that after the holidays are gone, pleasant memories will remain with you on through the New Year.

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### M'LEAN ENJOYS BUSY WEEK OF YULE GAITIES

#### Church, Club, And School Affairs Given

M'LEAN, Dec. 23.—The four circles of the Woman's Missionary union of the Baptist church met for their annual Christmas party Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Biggers.

The rooms were beautifully decorated and the soft glowing lights made one feel the nearness of Christmas. The program was under the direction of Mrs. A. A. Tampke, assisted by Mrs. McHaney, who led the devotional, Mrs. Lee Wilson and Mrs. Bob Thomas, who sang "Silent Night." Mrs. W. H. Finley, who talked on "The East"; Mrs. Stewart, and Mrs. Ben T. Jackson.

After the program all guests' attention was turned to the Christmas tree which was well laden with gifts. Not only did each one receive a present but she was presented with a stocking from the tree which contained the refreshments for the evening.

Those enjoying the lovely affair were: Mesdames: T. H. Andrews, Homer Abbott, Floyd Hall, J. E. Lynch, M. D. Bentley, Dickerson, Smith, Ralph Caldwell, Snockley, Lee Wilson, Hugh Kunkel, A. A. Tampke, O. E. Lochridge, P. E. Stewart, Ben T. Jackson, McLaughlin, A. L. Brewer, J. W. Burroughs, Claud Hunt, Eunice Kennedy, Howard, T. N. Holloway, Era Kibler, Robt. C. Davidson, T. A. Landers, A. R. McHaney.

Newman, Tom McCarty, Reep Landers, Bob Thomas, John Cooper, Dan Abbott, H. W. Finley, Page, Geo. Colebank, and the hostess, Mrs. W. D. Biggers.

**Personals**  
Dr. Roy Glass of Dallas was a guest of his mother, Mrs. J. T. Glass, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter and Mrs. Karl Estes visited in Matador Tuesday.

**Christmas Program Given**  
Mrs. Willie Boyette, teacher of piano, and Miss Zonelle Brooks, teacher of expression, presented their pupils in a joint recital at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening. The stage was decorated with yuletide decorations.

Those taking part in the program were: Juanita Carpenter, Billie Jean Biggers, Ermadel and Beth Eyon Floyd, Jesse Dean and Willie Louelle Cobb, J. R. Blevins, Mabel Back, Wanda Estes, Shirley Ray Glass, Francis Hudzitz, Dorothy Sitter, Bernice and Bernard McClellan, Annadel and Hallie Nell Slinger, Georgia Colebank, Jimmie

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"I'm fit as a fiddle and ready to hang," carols Louis Kenneth Neu, night club singer, facing that fate for the confessed slaying of a Paterson, N. J., theater owner and a Nashville, Tenn., business man. In this "death song" of his own composition, he made New Orleans parish prison ring, during an interval in his trial, with "They're going to take me out to the gallows, dump me through that hole in the floor." But he pleaded with the reporter who snapped this picture in his cell. "Don't ever call me a crooner. When I sing,

### BOLES AND SULLAVAN HEADING LA NORA SCREEN PERSONNEL

Batson, Patty Ruth Rippy, Bennie Mae Wade, Vada Appling, Johnnie Mae Scott, Verlyn Einton, Jesse Mae Lynch, Joan Campbell, Bobbie Nell and Juanita Davidson, Marcella Dorothy Campbell, and John Kirby.

**Sigma Gamma Has Party**  
At the home of Mrs. D. C. Carpenter Monday evening the Sigma Gamma club enjoyed a seven o'clock dinner which was followed by a lovely party. Presents were distributed from the Christmas tree.

"Bunco" was the game of the evening, after which all joined in singing Christmas carols. Those present were: Misses Aline McCarty, Vera Cummings, Elizabeth Kennedy, Ida Belle Newman, Eunice Stratton, Zonelle Brooks, Winifred Howard, Clara Anderson, Isabel Bailey, Nona Cousins, Jewell Cousins, Joelyne Vannoy, Lillian Abbott, Elizabeth Wilkerson, and Francis Noel.

**English Club Program**  
The English club of the grade school rendered a program to the high school pupils and some visitors Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

After a "Merry Christmas" song, Mrs. Back the sponsor, introduced each member. Willa Mae Gressett told the story of "An Empty Stocking"; Margaret Kennedy retold the story of "A Child's Dream of a Star"; and Lorraine Hodges read: "A Good Christmas."

Music was furnished by Georgia Colebank, Willie Lovelle and Jesse Dean Cobb; Ermadel Floyd and Billie Jean Biggers.

Christmas on Sunset Slope was given by Vesterlee Smith and Willie Louelle Cobb, assisted by all members of the club who formed a living Christmas tree while they sang Christmas carols.

### NEARBY TOWN ITEMS IN BRIEF

**PANHANDLE, Dec. 23.**—Miss Margie Lyon who has been Carson county home demonstration agent for more than five years, has been transferred to Childress county and will take up her work the first of the year. Another agent will be sent here by the district agent. She is expected to arrive Dec. 28.

Carson county wheat farmers were scheduled to receive \$275,724 in wheat benefit payments last week.

The Panhandle high school boys and girls basketball teams defeated both Berger teams at Berger Wednesday night.

**M'LEAN, Dec. 23.**—Dr. A. A. Tampke has bought a fine young Guernsey bull from the Mort Woods Primrose farm herd at Ardmore, Okla., and has moved the animal to the Frank Stockton place where it will be in charge of Mr. Windom at the service of the community.

**MIAMI, Dec. 23.**—More than 200 fowls were entered in the poultry show held here Dec. 16. Dr. George P. Grout of Panhandle was judge and he praised the quality of the birds.

Farmers of neighboring counties are receiving their wheat checks but Roberts county farmers are having to wait, and are becoming impatient.

**CANADIAN, Dec. 23.**—The Canadian Crazy Cats were defeated 48 to 34 by Colmen in the Allison tournament last week. The Wildcats were defeated by Community Center 43 to 10, and the second girls team was eliminated by Mobeetle 42 to 10.

Our Gang, and Pampa Daily News.

**REX—Today, Monday, and Tuesday.** "Strawberry Roan," with Ken Maynard; also "Laughs in the Raw" and "All at Sea," a musical comedy, Wednesday and Thursday.

**STATE—Today, Monday, and Tuesday.** "The Stranger's Return," with Lionel Barrymore; also "Basko Musketeer" and "Strange As It Seems," Wednesday and Thursday.

"I Loved a Woman," with Edward G. Robinson and Kay Francis; also "Double-Crossing of Columbus," Friday and Saturday. Saturday: "Lady Killer," with James Cagney, Mae Clark, and Margaret Lindsey; also "Wild Passes," with "The No Man," a musical comedy.

### Revived Mining Camps Are Seen By 'Silver Men'

**DENVER, Dec. 23.**—The government's announced plan to buy newly mined silver produced in the United States, and pay for it 64 1/2 cents an ounce, brings to the "silver men" visions of revived mining camps, increased employment, prosperity.

While the new price is still far below the level which made possible the amassing of huge fortunes like that of H. A. W. Tabor and others in days before silver was demonetized, it will make it possible to work many properties at a profit, mine operators said.

Boosting the price of silver was seen, also, as a move of as much importance in many quarters as the government's decision to buy gold, as a hypodermic for the long-dormant mining industry.

Following are comments by mining and business leaders in western silver producing states:

**Governor Ed C. Johnson, Colorado:** We regard this as the first step toward remonetization of silver and in this sense it is encouraging to a superlative degree. If the silver price gets to the point where new mines may be opened profitably, Colorado will experience a period of prosperity, such as it never has seen.

**J. G. Clark, president of the Gold, Silver and Tungsten Production company, Boulder, Colo.:** It is what Colorado for years has been waiting for. It should mean 500 men will return to work in six months in Boulder county and thousands in the state. Gold mining likewise will be stimulated because of the silver content in gold ore.

**BETTER THAN RAIN**  
DENVER—There were no less than 15 youngsters in their annual huddle with a department store Santa Claus about Christmas presents and everything from dolls to electric trains was discussed. It remained for a toddler of three to suggest the weather.

"I think," she lisped, "we need a big snowstorm." They all agreed and Santa suggested prayer. The tots joined him. But the weather man was against them for he predicted more, fair and warmer weather with little prospect for a white Christmas in the mountain country.

### Seven Feet of Snow at Camp Of Pampa Man

There is 7 feet of snow on the reforestation camp site vacated at Sargents, Colo., by company 1821, which recently was moved to the Palo Duro canyon, according to D. W. Thurman, local man, who has sent THE NEWS a copy of his report to Happy Days, publication of the reforestation army.

While in Colorado, the veterans constructed telephone lines, cleared 15 miles of roadside 100 feet on each side; thinned 150 acres of forest, build 3 1/2 miles of mountain road, constructed 6 ranger buildings, cleared 5 acres for a public camp site, maintained 3 miles of fences, dug garbage pits, constructed 8.1 miles of buck fence, built 320 dams for erosion control, benefited 480 acres, planted 50,000 fish in streams, constructed 1 1/2 miles of irrigation ditches, and laid fire lines around the public camp.

There also was much camp construction during the 102 days the men were in the woods. The company claimed the record of cutting and preparing timber and con-

structing 1,500 feet of buck fence in a single day. Trees were reduced to 430 per acre. The company's present camp is located 14 miles east of Canyon on the west rim of the Palo Duro.

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