

COLD WAVES SWEEPING COUNTRY

GUARD TO PROTECT OKLAHOMA OFFICERS AFTER STOLEN CARS

MADILL, OKLA., Dec. 12.—An Oklahoma national guard detachment comprising two officers and 19 men went on duty here today with instructions to afford protection to a group of state officers who have been investigating the discovery of more than a score of stolen automobiles in the Marshall county.

WORKERS PARTY OF AMERICA IS BARRED FROM CONFERENCE

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 12.—The first business before this morning's session of the conference of progressive political action was the report of the committee on credentials which decided that "since the workers party of America was not in harmony with the principles of the conference their representatives be not seated. The matter had been referred back to the credentials committee late yesterday for further consideration.

ADOPTION OF PLATFORM ON PROGRAM FOR CONFERENCE

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—Adoption of a platform for future political action, report of the resolutions committee and decision of the credentials commission as to whether representatives of the workers party of America will be seated confronted delegates at the second day's session of the conference for progressive political action.

PLAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNORS ON ORIENT RAILROAD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Gov. H. J. Allen of Kansas has invited the governors of Oklahoma, Texas and Missouri to meet here Wednesday for a conference with the Interstate Commerce commission regarding continued operation of the Orient railroad. It is not known here what response has been made by the other governors.

JURY SAYS GOVERNOR RUSSELL NOT GUILTY OF CHARGES ALLEGED

OXFORD, MISS., Dec. 12.—"We, the jury, find for the defendant." This verdict brought to a close in federal court here yesterday the sensational trial of Gov. Francis C. Birkhead, stenographer against Lee M. Russell, governor of Mississippi.

SUES FOR DIVORCE



The second marriage ship of Mrs. William H. Bohrer, widow of Jake L. Bohrer, slain Oklahoma oil millionaire and politician, has run aground. Mrs. Bohrer, shown above, has filed suit for divorce. She says Bohrer, below, despite claims to wealth, refused to support her in the style to which she was accustomed, and practiced jiu-jitsu on her.

REPARATIONS MOST ACUTE PROBLEM IN AFFAIRS OF EUROPE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—It was said at the white house today that while all official communique with the allies at the present, it could not be denied that the Washington government regarded the reparations difficulties brought to London by the premier's speech in London as one of the most acute problems now vexing Europe.

WILL INVESTIGATE NEGRO LYCHING AT STREETMAN MONDAY

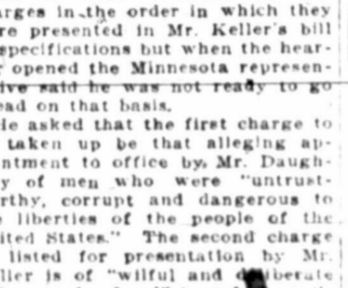
STREETMAN, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—The Freestone county grand jury when it convenes here in February will be asked to investigate the lynching yesterday of George Gray, negro, according to J. E. Woods county attorney. The jury is not in session and the hearing of the case which followed an attempted attack on a white girl by the negro, Mr. Wood said.

WOMAN AT CASPER NOT MRS. PHILLIPS, IDENTITY KNOWN

CASPER, WYO., Dec. 12.—Police authorities have definitely established the identity of the woman who was taken to the Casper station, Wyo., Police Captain Clayton said today.

HEARING WILL BE CONDUCTED IN WAY ASKED BY KELLAR

CHIEF JUSTICE TAFT EXPECTED TO BE CALLED TO TESTIFY.
THREE CHARGES WILL BE FIRST ON THE PROGRAM.
Personnel Of Counsel Named At Request of Attorney For Daugherty.



WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—After an hour and a half of strategizing, the house judiciary committee voted today in executive session to proceed with the hearing of impeachment charges brought against Attorney General Daugherty by Representative Kellar, republican, Minnesota, in the manner insisted on by Mr. Kellar.

COOPERATIVE FARM ORGANIZATIONS ARE PAYING IN EUROPE

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Cooperative agricultural organizations in foreign countries with one exception are paying big dividends through increased prices for products which farmers sell, and lower prices for the articles they purchase, asserted Samuel Adams, president of the American Agricultural Education association, speaking today before the American farm bureau delegation.

TWO THOUSAND MEN AND TWO AIRPLANES SEARCH FOR YOUTH

JUNCTION CITY, IAN, Dec. 12.—Two thousand men and two airplanes departed last night of finding a missing boy, 12-year-old Joseph Joseph, Jr., of Junction City, Mo., who disappeared on his way to school on Monday.

FORT WORTH WOMAN IS HELD ON CHARGE OF KIDNAPING CHILD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Hattie Whitlock of Fort Worth, Texas, on a charge of kidnaping a child, was arrested here today by police officers.

NOTED MERCHANT DIES



PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—John Wanamaker died at his home here today at the age of 78.

WEST PART OF UNITED STATES SHIVERS AS MERCURY DROPS TO LOWEST RECORD OF THE YEAR

WEATHER FORECAST
Oklahoma: Tonight, fair, colder in east portion, temperature will be 8 to 12 degrees in north portion and 14 to 18 degrees in south portion. Wednesday cloudy, not so cold.

MEXICAN REPORTS TWO AVIATORS ARE SEEN NEAR NOGALES

NOGALES, ARIZ., Dec. 12.—Two lost aviators were found near Nogales, Ariz., according to reports received in El Paso at 2:15 p. m. today.

ALMOST ABANDONED HOPE OF FINDING MEN ALIVE

EL PASO, Dec. 12.—The plane carrying Colonel Francis Marshall and Lieut. C. L. Webber, missing army aviators, was last seen late Thursday afternoon between Twin Buttes and the Santa Rita range of Arizona flying in an easterly direction with the motor missing, according to a wire received at headquarters of the First cavalry division from Colonel K. V. Whinnery, commanding the 10th cavalry, who is coordinating with the work of the San Diego, Fort Bliss, and Kelly field squadrons.

NO LEGAL OBSTACLE TO PACKER MERGER WALLACE REPORTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Harding and his advisers have decided that there is no obligation on the part of the administration to delay the application of Armour and company to acquire the assets of Morris and company, another of the Chicago big five packers.

FINAL ESTIMATE OF YEAR'S COTTON CROP IS 9,964,000 BALES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—According to its forecast made in October by 151,000 bales the department of agriculture has issued its final estimate of the cotton crop for the season today, which is the total production of cotton this year at 9,964,000 bales.

TURBULENT SCENE IS STAGED IN LOBBY OF HOUSE OF COMMONS

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A turbulent but short-lived scene was staged this afternoon in the great central hall adjoining the lobby of the house of commons when the police effected a crowd of 30 unemployed men, who had invaded the place and begun singing the "red flag" and waving placards.

13 DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

BABY REALLY DOESN'T KNOW WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT. BUT ON CHRISTMAS MORNING HE WILL SHOUT A GLEEFUL SHOUT.

CHARGE INCONSISTENCY ON PART UNITED STATES

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 12.—The Argentine government has been unfavorably impressed by the dispatch to Brazil of a United States naval mission, it was authoritatively learned today. Criticisms made in various circles point out that the mission of the United States is inconsistent in that while fostering conferences for the reduction of armaments among the South American republics, it is officially aiding one of them to strengthen its armed power.

BLUNDERS

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SHOT AT BARACCA

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IN HIS COAT.

CONSUL DESCRIBED AS
BEING PERSONA GRATA

Has Picturesque Career As Writer,
Actor, Traveler, Soldier and
Diplomat.

VALETTA, MALTA, Dec. 12.—

Mason Mitchell of New York, American
consul on the island of Malta, was
shot and wounded today near
Baracca. His assailant escaped but
pursuit was immediately taken up.
Mr. Mitchell was taken to a physician
for treatment.
"I know nobody who could have
done this," exclaimed Mr. Mitchell
as assistance came to him.
The consul is described as persona
grata here.

Mr. Mitchell was slightly wound-
ed, the bullet embedding itself in
his coat. He was taken to his home
where this afternoon he was con-
fined to his bed with the expecta-
tion that he would be about in a
day or two.
The shooting is generally attrib-
uted to a mad man.
Mason Mitchell has had a pic-
ture career as an actor, writer,
traveler, soldier and diplomat.
Born in Hamilton, N. Y., in 1859,
he went on the stage at the age of
18 at the famous old Broadway
theatre in New York. He played
with Edwin Booth, Lawrence Bar-
rett and John McCullough, later be-
coming leading man with Mme.
McDonagh.

He was chief of agents in the
Canadian government through the
Riel rebellion, and was promoted
for gallantry in action. In the
Spanish-American war he was a
member of Roosevelt's Rough
Riders and was wounded at the
battle of Santiago.
He served as American consul at
Kobe, Chungking, China, and
Apia, Samoa. When the world war
broke out he took over the British
and French interests in German
Samoa.

Booked pottery, a present
worth while. Decorators.—adv.

Eyes tested. Faith Optical Co.—
adv.

Picture frames at Decorators.—
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FERGUSON**
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Well Known Actor
Is Listed As Agent
For Narcotic Sale

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Narcotics
valued at \$50,000 and the names and
addresses of about 1,000 persons
said by the police to be selling
agents and addicts were seized
early today by Deputy Police Com-
missioner Casilio Simon and a
force of agents. William Williams,
in whose apartment the drugs were
found, was arrested and held for
investigation.
Among the seized letters and
cards, Deputy Commissioner Simon
said, was one from a well known
motion picture actor in Hollywood,
Cal., indicating that the actor acted
as a selling agent. California au-
thorities were notified.

WANTS TO COMPEL
GRAIN EXCHANGES TO
ACCEPT PRODUCERS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Legislation to
compel grain exchanges to take into
their organizations lawful produc-
er-owned companies was urged by
R. H. Cunningham, president of the
American farm bureau federation
here today.
He pointed to the recent refusal
of the Chicago board of trade to ac-
cept a membership application of
the United States Grain Growers,
Inc., as a concrete example of the
fourth annual convention of the
board of trade, declaring that the
local board broke its pledge to
the farmers "if you abide by the
rules, we will welcome you in,"
when it refused the farmers' organ-
ization a seat on the board.

On the refusal of the Chicago
board of trade to give the United
States Grain Growers a seat, Mr.
Cunningham said: "When an institu-
tion like the Chicago board of
trade swears the will of society
and defies the mandate of the peo-
ple's representative in congress,
when it disregards in utter ruth-
lessness its public pledges made
after solemn consideration; when it
seeks to dominate the other grain
exchanges by its course of propa-
ganda to incite, malicious and in-
sulting as to strike at the founda-
tions of our national life, it is time
for men to speak. It is time to curb
this institution."

May Have to Pay
Defense of Wife
Accused of Plot

DETROIT, Dec. 12.—Ney J. Ford,
wealthy Wayne county farmer, to-
day faced the prospect that he
would be required to pay for the
defense of his wife, May B. Ford,
who is charged with an attempt to
hire a gunman to kill him.
Attorneys for Mrs. Ford planned
to enter a motion in circuit court
that Ford advance \$1,000 for pre-
liminary attorney's fees and \$2,000
for the expense of the defense
should Mrs. Ford be held for trial
at her examination Friday. Another
motion contemplated was that the
Ford's divorce hearing be held im-
mediately.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR
TRAGEDY OF SMYRNA
IS DOMINANT ISSUE

By Associated Press.
LAUSANNE, Dec. 12.—The debate
between Turkey and Greece over
the question of which nation is re-
sponsible for the tragedy of Smyrna
continues to form a dominant issue
at the near east conference. James
Pasha says he is quite willing that
the new treaty shall provide for a
system of payment to the allied na-
tions for the damages suffered in
Turkey during the war, but he will
insist upon reimbursement
by Greece for the losses sustained
by the Turks in Asia Minor at the
hands of the retreating Greek army.
Former Premier Venizelos insists
the Greeks burned only through
military necessity. He declares the
real crime of the Asia Minor cam-
paign was the action of the Turkish
troops in outraging and shooting
Greek residents and deporting hun-
dreds of thousands of destitute hu-
man beings.
Turkey exacts reparations from
Greece, Mr. Venizelos says he will
present a bill for the horrors and
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WANTS GOVERNMENT
TO UNDERTAKE JOB
CLASSIFYING COTTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Grading
and stapling of cotton under gov-
ernment supervision is recommend-
ed by William H. Stewart, director
of the bureau of cotton, in his
annual report made public today.
"There is considerable demand for
statistical information as to the
quantities of the several grades of
cotton held in stock in the United
States," says Mr. Stewart. "Ob-
viously, under present conditions,
it is impossible to secure reliable in-
formation of this character, since
grading is done until it reaches the
important cotton markets or com-
mercial points. Since practically
all the cotton produced in the
United States enters into either in-
terstate or foreign commerce, it is
within the power of congress to
enact legislation requiring such cot-
ton to be graded and stapled under
governmental regulations at central
grading stations. The government
could provide the necessary person-
nel and facilities, but the cost of
grading, which probably would not
amount to more than 25 or 40 cents
a bale, should be paid by the owner
of the cotton.

Charged With Murder.
PORT WORTH, Dec. 12.—A murder
charge was filed in Frath coun-
ty today against Newt Johnson, ac-
cused of killing his father-in-law,
Henry Jones, prominent farmer. The
killing occurred late Monday. A
knife is said to have been used. The
sixteen-year-old son of Jones was
badly slashed but will recover. The
fight occurred in a pasture.

Glases are excellent Christmas
presents for mother or father. Let
us explain how this can be ar-
ranged. Faith Optical Co.—adv.
Christmas cards at Decorators.—
adv.

Girl Objects to
Title of "Judge"
Declines Office

NICKERSON, KAN., Dec. 12.—Decla-
ring she was elected in the recent
election by club women who jok-
ingly wrote her name on the ballot,
Miss Clara Arnold, 19 year old girl,
protested yesterday when asked to
qualify for the office of justice of
the peace and police judge, follow-
ing the resignation of Judge Jos-
eph Nickerson's only active justice.
"It's a joke," she said. "I don't
want to be called Judge Arnold."
Informed she must qualify or be
subject to prosecution, she said:
"I'll qualify, but I don't want the
job."

MADAME JOHANNE GADSKI
CANCELS ENGAGEMENT TO
APPEAR IN LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—Madame
Johanne Gadski, prima donna,
was preparing today to keep other
engagements after having cancelled
her engagement last night, as a re-
sult of continued protests by the
American Legion and other patriotic
organizations. The diva said that
although she had been "falsely ac-
cused" and that the "records of the
United States show there are no
charges against me of any nature
whatever," she had decided "even
against the advice of my friends,
to refrain from appearing in con-
cert, at this time, as I do not wish
to be the innocent cause of even an
unpleasant incident."

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LADIES OF "KLAN"
APPLY FOR PERMIT
PAPERS RETURNED

SACRAMENTO, CAL., Dec. 12.—In-
corporation paper of the "Ladies
of the Ku Klux Klan" of California,
received yesterday for filing, will
be returned to D. N. Tillotson, an
attorney of Duncan, Okla., for
amendment to bring them within
the California law, it was an-
nounced today by the secretary of
state.
The articles of incorporation
state the object is to educate women
in the science of government and
history of the United States and to
contribute funds to orphanages and
religions and similar deserving or-
ganizations.
The corporation, according to the
secretary, cannot do business in
this state under the present articles
which state the term of the organi-
zation shall be perpetual as the Cal-
ifornia law limits the existence of
corporations to 50 years.
Another objection to the papers
was that the corporation was
formed with seven trustees and in-
corporators of whom a majority are
non-residents of California.
The California law requires that
a majority of trustees shall be resi-
dents.
The trustees are Mr. and Mrs. S.
B. Barfield, Henderson, Texas; Mr.
and Mrs. F. C. Barfield, Ardmore,
Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fard of
Los Angeles, and William E. Pinder,
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MARLOW OPPOSES PROPOSED SERVICE CAR REGULATIONS

BEFORE COUNCIL IN OPPOSITION TO ORDINANCE PENDING.

PUBLIC DANCE HALLS ARE ALSO CONSIDERED

Local School Board Asks For Sewer Connections at Carrigan School.

J. B. Marlow, former mayor of the city, appeared before the city council in behalf of the service car men at the council meeting Monday afternoon. Mr. Marlow said that the proposed ordinance, to prohibit the parking of and soliciting for service cars on the city streets in the fire limits, would greatly affect the shoppers from the surrounding towns and that he believed a better plan could be worked out that would not hamper the drivers, the shopping public or the merchants.

Mr. Marlow agreed to help the police authorities in framing an ordinance that would meet the requirements of all persons concerned. Commissioner Fitts announced that the ordinance had been turned over to the city attorney and would be revised before it was submitted for the final reading.

Ordinance 422 regulating public dancing and the operation of public dance halls in the city was introduced by Commissioner Fitts which moved that it be passed to its second reading. The ordinance was passed to the second reading without protest.

W. W. Brown of the local board of education came before the council with a request for sewerage connections at the Carrigan school. At the last meeting of the council, light and water connection was promised the school authorities.

CHARGES TAX FREE SECURITIES WRECK REVENUE SYSTEM

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—A complete breakdown of the national revenue system unless tax free securities are prohibited, was predicted here today by H. C. Hicks, taxation director of the American farm bureau federation, in an address before the fourth annual convention of the organization. He also advocated taxation of national banks.

The dwindling revenue from the federal income tax, Mr. McKensie charged, is largely due from error in the 1921 tax law and the extension of about \$16,000,000,000 of tax free securities. The report of the secretary of the treasury for the fiscal year 1922 which has just been presented to congress shows that there are only 325 persons in the United States paying on taxable incomes of \$200,000 and up. Where is all the money? In tax free securities. Unless issuing of the tax free securities is stopped, it will wreck our tax system.

Ten dollars in gold free to the person submitting in writing a slogan most suitable for our business. Visit our wonderful establishment and you will be in a better position to suggest slogan. This offer terminates December 15. Faith Optical Co.—adv.

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A vegetable aperient, adds tone and vigor to the system, improves the appetite, relieves headache and biliousness, cures constipation.

Used for over 30 years

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WICHITA DRUG STORE

Never Wants to Hear of Texas, Oil or Corn Liquor Again She Says

"I want to leave here as quickly as possible. I am going away and never want to hear of Texas, oil or corn whiskey again as long as I live," sobbed Mrs. J. C. Berryman of Kansas City, divorced wife of the man who was killed last Saturday night in the Tin Rooming House melee.

Mrs. Berryman arrived here Tuesday morning and immediately came to the sheriff's office. She had received a letter from her divorced husband, dated November 28, in which he had told that the officers of Wichita county were jobbing him and that he was making preparation to leave and return to Kansas City by January 1.

The divorced wife entered the office of the sheriff believing that some officer had killed her former husband. When she learned of the facts in the case she said, "Well, that's different."

She related that in the letter Berryman had told her that he had \$600, and that he owned a Ford automobile and the rooming house in Burkhardt. She came to look after these affairs and take care of the body.

"His people wouldn't understand these things. That is one reason why I came and the other is out of respect of the fact that he formerly was my husband," she told officers.

She asked permission to enter the jail and speak to J. H. Bivens, the man who is charged with murder.

If just came over to see if I knew you, I'm Mrs. Berryman. I don't know you and don't believe that I ever saw you before. Mr. Bivens, I hope they give you twenty years, as she said. Bivens walked back from

the barred hallway and entered his individual cell. She told officers that she would employ counsel and have an administrator appointed so that her former husband's estate could be settled and disposed of.

ELIZABETH HALL TO BE IN CHARGE OF ABSTRACTS

Miss Elizabeth Hall, chief deputy in the county clerk's office, was appointed Monday by the commissioner's court to succeed Paul Cotner, resigned, in the work of abstracting leases for the county.

Through error it was reported Monday that Miss Sudie Hall had been named to fill this vacancy, but Miss Sudie Hall will continue in her work of searching the records for unrendered oil leases and oil royalties for taxation purposes.

Miss Elizabeth Hall has been serving as chief deputy in the clerk's office for over three years and her experience there has qualified her for the position to which she was appointed Monday. The court fixed the salaries of both Misses Hall at \$175 per month.

RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

REGULAR PROGRAM

W H H Sweeney School, Kansas City. Week day program—11:30 to 1 p. m.—Concert. 2 to 2:45 p. m.—Ladies' hour concert. 7 to 7:30 p. m.—Children's program. 8 to 10 p. m.—Tuesday and Thursday—Regular concert. Sunday—8 to 10 p. m.—Religious services.

K S D St. Louis Post-Dispatch. 9:40 a. m.—Markets. 4 p. m.—News, markets. 8 p. m.—Concerts.

W S B Atlanta Journal, Atlanta, Ga. 7:30 p. m.—Concerts. 10:45 p. m.—Concerts.

W W J The Detroit News. Regular week day schedule (eastern time)—12:05 to 12:45 p. m.—Impromptu music numbers. 2 to 2:30 p. m.—News orchestra. 4:20 to 10 or 7 to 8:30 p. m.—Entertainment (except Saturday). Regular Sunday schedule—11 a. m. or 7:30 p. m.—Church services. 2 or 5 p. m.—News orchestra.

W G A The Detroit Free Press (Eastern time)—

10:35 a. m.—Household hour. 2 p. m.—News bulletin, stock reports. Government markets and weather (455 meters). 4:45 p. m.—Later news bulletin. 7 p. m.—Concert.

W O G Western Radio Co., Kansas City. Daily schedule—9:30 a. m.—Markets. 11:30 a. m.—Markets, weather forecast, agricultural news. 2 p. m.—Markets. 7:15 p. m.—Markets.

W O O Davenport, Ia. 12 Noon—Chimes concert. 8:45 p. m.—Chimes concert. 9 p. m.—Regular concert. Sunday—9 a. m.—Chimes concert. 1 p. m.—Sacred and popular musical program. 8 p. m.—Organ concert. 7:15 p. m.—Church services.

W R A P Fort Worth Star Telegram. 7:30 to 7:45 p. m.—New reports. 7:45 to 8 p. m.—Bedtime stories. 9:30 p. m.—Regular concert. Sunday—11 a. m.—Religious services.

PRESIDENT OF REPUBLIC OF URUGUAY CHALLENGES LATE OPPONENT TO DUEL

MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY, Dec. 12.—Dr. Baltasar Brum, president of the republic, challenged Dr. Luis Alberto Herrera, former secretary of the legation at Washington, to

a duel yesterday because of Dr. Herrera's published charges that Dr. Brum had so manipulated the recent presidential election as to prevent the success of Herrera at the polls. The law of Uruguay permits to duelling, provided a tribunal of honor consents.

MONTANA MAN MURDERS HIS WIFE AND SUICIDES

HAYRE, MONT., Dec. 12.—John H. Hays, a rancher near here, killed his wife and himself early today, according to a story told officers by

his 15 year old son. The deaths left six children orphans. The 15 year old boy, the oldest, fled into the night with the mercury 70 degrees below in search of help while the two youngest slept soundly. The shooting resulted from a quarrel over a separation between his father and mother, the boy said.

Sealdsweet Florida Oranges

Sealdsweet Florida oranges are good to eat and filled with health-giving juice—whether bright, golden or russet in color and whatever the outer appearance.



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We are placing Hosiery values before our customers this week, such as you seldom see.

This special number in Silk Hosiery, is truly a remarkable value and will make dandy Christmas presents.

They are all silk from top to toe, in plain, Richlieu ribbed and lace stripe. Colors: Black, brown, white and Russian calf. Values up to \$3.95. Offered this week, pair **\$1.95**

(Hosiery Section—Main Floor)

Women's Strap Pumps and Colonials Special Sale This Week \$5.45



A very unusual offering in the shoe section. Featuring style and value in a great pre-Christmas event.

Patent Leather Strap Pumps with beige trimmings, Cuban, military and Louis Heels.

Patent Leather Colonials with satin quarters, Spanish heels.

Strap Pumps brocaded and plain black satin, military heels.

These Shoes Formerly Sold from \$7.50 to \$9.00, but we offer them this week, pair **\$5.45**

(Shoe Department—Main Floor)

Dolls! Dolls! Dolls! Gift suggestions from the main floor

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Cypher Anniversary Ball Friday Planned to Be Brilliant Event



Photo by Nozett. MISS THELMA KAHN

R. J. Marin and Miss Thelma Kahn, the latter a popular member of the Cypher auxiliary, will lead the grand march for the Cypher club's anniversary ball Friday evening of this week, according to announcement Tuesday.

The anniversary ball is the big annual event for the Cypher club members, and on this occasion special entertainment, decorations, favors, dances and refreshments are planned. The Knop ballroom will be beautifully decorated in the club colors of purple and gold, and several vaudeville sketches by popular talent will be on the program. A feature of the entertainment will be the beautiful favors presented to the girls, which were recently purchased in the east by Mr. Marin.

The Doc Ross orchestra will play for the dances. Walter Bots, a

favorite member of the orchestra in his former ensemble being on his way from California to join the orchestra for this engagement. A silver cup will also be presented to the orchestra, following the Cypher annual custom.

There will be a number of out-of-town guests at the anniversary ball; however, it is on this occasion each year that the club especially honors its members and the popular circle of young women in the city who are regular guests at the dances.

Christmas Ball.
The Cypher members expect a whole "raft" of out of town guests at their Christmas ball, when the boys and girls now away at college will be here for the holidays and will be special guests of the club. Plans for the Christmas ball are already under way.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS FAT MAN'S RACE By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Here," he said, handing it to Nancy. "Give him this."

"We met Wally Woodchuck today," said Nancy to the Green Wizard.

"And what does he want?" asked the kind fairy gentleman, knowing how greedy Wally is and how he always wants something.

"He says there is to be a picnic at Bright Meadow and everybody is asked. And he is going to bring the fat man's race and wants you to send him a charm so he'll win the race."

"Humph!" exclaimed the Green Wizard. He hadn't lived in the tree-ops for a hundred years or more for nothing. He had seen enough of Wally and his ancestors to know that they were an easy mark. Well, suppose I'll have to send him some sort of a charm, but I'll send him some good advice along with it. He went to his cupboard and took

out a small object that looked like a stone. "Here," he said, handing it to Nancy. "Give him this and tell him it won't work unless he runs 10 miles before breakfast every morning and lives on one meal a day until the time of the race. Also he must work more and stop sleeping so much."

A week later a whistle sounded below the tree where the Green Wizard lived. Nancy and Nick (who were helping) and the kind fairy-man looked down. And there was Wally, as thin as a rail, but looking very happy.

"I won! I won!" he cried. "They put me in the thin man's race instead of the fat man's race and I won. Do you want your charm back, Mr. Wizard?"

The Green Wizard laughed. "You may keep it, Wally," he called. "It's nothing but a plain stone. You won the race yourself."

(To be continued.)
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Children Know What They Want; Let 'Em Have Their Own Way, Within Reason

By MRS. SOPHIA E. DELAVAN COWLES.

Buy your child what he wants if the want is within reason and the desired toy is not destructive of character or property and has reasonable good stored away within it. Hearken back to your own youth!



Weren't you terribly put out when old Santa brought you a beautiful top that was as it spun, when what you really wanted was a sled, an air rifle or a dolly?

Remember Child's Tastes.
Parents should be guided by the child's tastes in selecting Christmas toys, because nine times out of ten the child knows what he wants to play with better than the adult possibly can know.

Of course, the parent should lend suggestions. But don't rub your superior ego in the wishes of that boy or girl when you take the Santa Claus list down to fill.

You'll Be Sorry.
If you buy a colored cushion for Mary when she expressed a preference for a knitting set, or a pig-an-a-jig baseball game for Harry instead of the railroad train he asked for—just because, down underneath it all, you have a sneaking idea that maybe you'd like to rest your own head on the cushion or play the baseball game yourself—you'll be sorry.

Mad and Harry will pretend to be pleased, but don't you see that by making them pretend, you're making hypocrites out of them—and ruining their whole day as well?

Don't Be Extravagant.
Buy presents within your means. If necessary, make substitutes for your own children.

But make wise substitutes, carrying with them the same sort of spirit as expressed in the original. The child knows what he wants far better than perhaps you think you know it.

Surprise Show-Evening For Bride-Elect Monday
Miss Ethel McNeill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McNeill, of Burnett street, whose marriage to Virgil Hibbs takes place this week, was very happily surprised with a shower by her girl friends Monday evening at her home.

The girls brought many attractive and useful gifts for the new home, and spent an hour or two chatting with the bride-elect. Those who were present included Misses Otis White, Ovia Spangler, Hettie May Stillman, Florence McNeill, Marie Stoppleman, Vera Ray, Mary Joe Stephens, Kathryn Thomas and Bettie Joe Smith.

Little Clymer Girl Develops Scarlet Fever
Nancy, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clymer of Monroe street, who was burned about the back Saturday afternoon when her clothing caught fire from a gas heater, was reported improved from the burn Tuesday morning, but had developed scarlet fever.

The little girl was pretty badly burned, but it was not thought the results would be serious. However, friends of the family are very much worried over the development reported Tuesday.

Cranberry Tarts.
Line individual tins or patty pans with a good pie crust, fill with cranberry filling, and over the top place narrow pieces of crust in lattice fashion. Bake in a fairly hot oven until crust is cooked and slightly browned. Or do not put strips of crust on top, but when the tarts are served, place a spoonful of sweetened, flavored and beaten cream on top of each tart.

Cranberry Filling.
Boil together for five minutes 1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons corn starch and 2 cup water. Add 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and 3 cups cranberries. Cook 15 minutes, then stir in 1 tablespoon butter.

Katy Texas Lines To Be Sold On Wednesday
DENISON, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas lines north of Denison will be sold in Colbert, Okla., Wednesday. J. W. Reigman and company, of New York, is expected to buy the road. Sale of the Texas line is expected to take place Thursday and the Wichita Falls line will be sold Friday, it was said.

Mirrors for the home at Decorators Co., 718 Sixth street—adv.
Glasses fitted, Faith Optical Co.—adv.

Day Nursery Children Will Have Christmas Tree Saturday, 3rd.

The Day Nursery children are to have a big Christmas tree and a Santa Claus.

A procession of the tree was made Tuesday morning. It will be given for the forty or fifty little folks at the nursery on Saturday afternoon, before Christmas Monday, and a special invitation has been tendered all of the mothers who can do so to be present.

Santa Claus will present every little boy and girl present with a toy especially chosen for him, or her, and with fruit and candy. Santa will be ready to begin his distribution promptly at 2 o'clock.

EPISCOPAL AUXILIARY ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

The women of the auxiliary, Church of the Good Shepherd, held their regular annual business meeting Monday afternoon at the parish house, when the following officers were elected and reelected for the coming year:

Mrs. H. A. Allen, president;
Mrs. L. H. Davis, vice president and librarian of church periodicals.
Mrs. R. J. Goodale, secretary-treasurer.
Mrs. Fred Datson, educational secretary.
Mrs. McFarland, secretary, Spirit of missions.
Mrs. H. C. Bowman, secretary box work.
Mrs. Allen was in charge of the meeting, and all officers made their yearly reports. Work of the new year was discussed. Those who were present included Mesdames Allen, Goodale, Scott, Datson, McIlroy, McFarland, Bowman, Pogrepp, Davis, Reid, Galbraith, Cassina, and Williamson.

GOOD MANNERS.



If, dining out, you have been so unfortunate as to break a cup or glass, you will say a word of sincere regret to your hostess, without, however, making profuse apologies. If the article was valuable you may replace it within a few days, sending a note expressing ones more your regret for the mishap.

WEDNESDAY'S CALENDAR.

Pieria-Delphians meet with Mrs. John Frowitt at the home of Mrs. E. T. Durf. The next meeting before Christmas.

Sorosis club meets with Mrs. Herman Glass, 1406 Burnett.

Junior Travel club meets at the library.

Delphians meet at Kemp library.

Fowler Bible Class meets at the home of Mrs. C. C. Handie, at 4 o'clock.

Exclusive Social club, with Mrs. Lee Wilson, 1505 Huff avenue.

Christmas Suggestions



Not the least attractive feature of these new lamp shades and pillows is the ease with which they're made.

This shade is merely a piece of silk draped over a wire frame, such as one can buy in any department store. The transfer design is worked out in beads, and small loops of beads weigh down the folds. The shades are the newest shades and very attractive.

To recline comfortably in the glow shed through this lamp shade, however, one needs such an accessory as the brilliant peacock pillow. This and other designs like it are recommended for Christmas gifts because of their simplicity. The elaborate effect is given by single stitches covering all the short lines, the rest of the pattern being worked with satin-stitch and buttonholing.

The newest pillows are made of black satin and peacocks, pheasants and parrots are the favored designs because their brilliant colors show to advantage against the dark background.

Dorothy Manners Green, Wichita Falls Girl, in "Garrison's Finish"



JACK PICKFORD AND DOROTHY MANNERS.
Dorothy Manners Green, daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Green of the Stratford Hotel of this city, will be recognized by Wichita Falls friends when she appears in "Garrison's Finish" with Jack Pickford at the Strand Thursday.

Miss Manners, as she is called in the movie world, lived in this city until she was sent east to school several years ago. She later went on the stage for a short while, and was given a part in a film play by a manager who saw her work on the stage. The critics praised her very much; she was later given a part with Jack Pickford and Madge Bellamy in "Garrison's Finish," now playing in Los Angeles and New York at top prices, and later was given a big part with Douglas Fairbanks in "Robin Hood."

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Your system demands ALL BRAN if constipation is to be relieved!

Your system needs the "roughage" that Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbed, supplies. For, it will not only permanently relieve constipation if it is eaten regularly, but its full content of the vital elements of wheat will build health and strength in a wonderful way.

You need bran in its full and beneficial strength and that's what you get in Kellogg's Bran—ALL BRAN! You eat Kellogg's Bran for relief and you get relief in a way that nature planned. Foods with a bran mixture cannot help the man, woman or child who faces grave illness through constipation. You must have ALL BRAN—"roughage" that will sweep and clean and purify and bring health back!

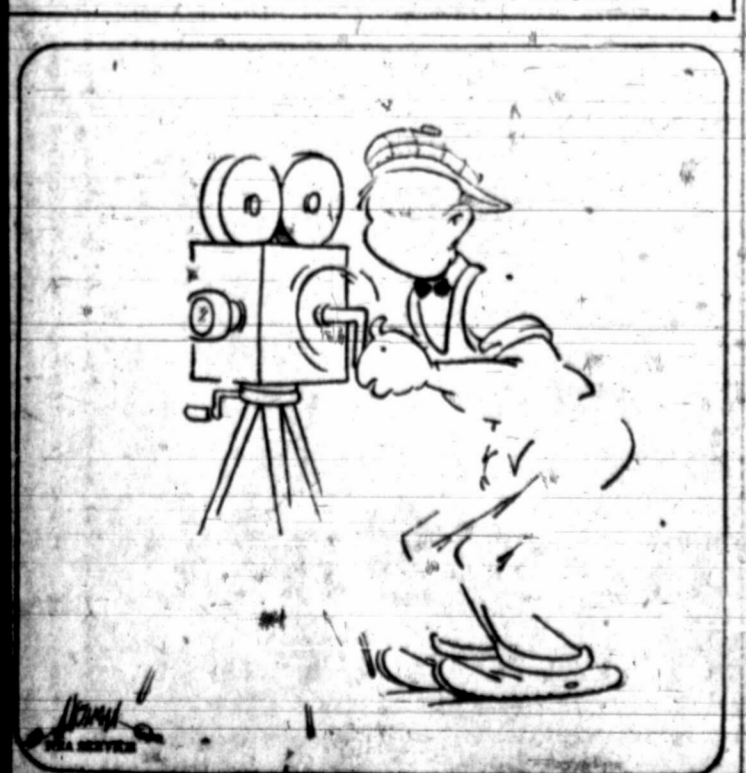
Children should be given Kellogg's Bran each day; grown people should eat Kellogg's each day—at least two tablespoonsful, in chronic cases will afford permanent relief.

And, you will find Kellogg's Bran a delight to eat because it is so delicious. As a cereal, sprinkled on other hot or cold cereals, or used in countless bakery batches or in cooking, its nut-like flavor will thrill your appetite—and each spoonful means so much in permanent relieving constipation and in warding off this greatest national ailment. Kellogg's recipes are printed on each package.

Start the entire family eating Kellogg's Bran today. See the color come back to faded cheeks; see the snap that will go into lagging steps. Kellogg's Bran is wonderful. All grocers sell it!

DRAWFUNNIES

Drawings by Bill Holman Verses by Hal Cochran



This movie man delights to take the picture, cause he knows the kids will all enjoy them at. The moving picture shows.

FOOTWEAR GREETINGS

During the Christmas Holidays, perhaps, more than any other time of the year, your footwear should be more artistic, new, and attractive. With so many friends to greet, and places to go, you should look your very best. We have prepared to meet the great demand for new Holiday Footwear by having in stock the newest of the new, and the prettiest of the best.

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OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS

CERTAIN OF SAVINGS AND LOAN 'SCHEMES' CLASSED AS ILLEGAL

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—Savings and loan "schemes," commonly known as "three per cent companies," whose loans are made at lower than current market rates of interest and are dependent on happenings of various contingencies together with other specified circumstances, were declared to be illegal and to constitute a lottery in an opinion rendered by the attorney general's department today.

The opinion sets forth the distinction between the "three per cent companies" and building and loan associations organized for the accumulation of building funds and declared the latter, where the element of prize is absent, to be legal and not a lottery. Circumstances set forth which make the former concerns illegal are as follows: "Operated primarily for the profit of the promoters, whose investment features are negligible, whose chief attraction is the awarding of a loan at a rate of interest which is but a fraction of the market rate, which loan is awarded upon the happening of various contingencies, and which loan receives a credit, either greater or less than the liability of the concern to the subscriber, according to the time when the loan was awarded, and which loan is drawn from a fund out of which it receives a certain preference over their obligations."

LEGION WILL BECOME U. S. FASCISTI IF REDS' PERIL NATION, SAYS OWSLEY



COLONEL ALVIN OWSLEY

By EDWARD THIERRY
NEA Service Staff Writer

CONFIRM NOMINATIONS U. S. COAL COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Nominations of members of the United States coal commission, the fact finding body authorized by congress and appointed recently by President Harding were confirmed today by the senate.

Christmas cards at Decorators'—adv.

Stops coughs, Eases throat. Even a little helps to free you from that cold and ease the coughing. See directions on bottle for relieving congestion, soothing inflamed, scratchy throats. Banish that cold. Now—don't risk your health through sheer neglect—ask your druggist for DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY—a syrup for coughs & colds.

OLYMPIC PICTURE FURNISHES SERIES OF FILM THRILLS

The William DeMille production of Booth Tarkington's play, "Clarence" is one that should be put on your Christmas shopping list. Mr. DeMille handles the play in his usual high-class manner and has given the screen something it may well be proud of. There is comedy, plenty of it and just enough drama. Wallace Reid takes the role of "Clarence" and at once proves that besides being the matinee idol of the screen he is one of its most versatile stars.

As the discharged soldier Clarence enters the household of one Mr. Wheeler's beautiful daughter, the film shows the girl's father, who is a government official, and her mother, who is a governess, both of whom she loves. The younger brother, who returns from college—expelled—wants father to fire Clarence for being in love with the governess whom he loves himself and the house maid is threatening to sue the young brother for damages because he kissed her and won't marry her. Into this melee walks "Clarence" and the first thing he does is try to tune the baby grand piano with a monkey wrench. But Clarence is a fool and he will give anyone who

BRITISH STEAMER ORTERIC ON ROCKS, CREW IS REMOVED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The crew of the British steamer Orteric, which is on the rocks at Fish Rock, off the California coast, 10 miles south of Point Reyes, was being transferred to the steamer Cotton Plant at 8 a. m., according to a wireless message received here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—The British freight steamer Orteric, carrying 65 persons, grounded off Fish Rock, on the California coast, 50 miles north of Point Reyes, was

URGENT FLOOD CONTROL

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—Messages were sent to Representative J. P. Buchanan at Washington today by Governor Neff and Chairman John A. Norris of the state water engineers, urging support of the appropriation bill for topographic and flood control work now before the house finance committee, of which Buchanan is a member. The measure, it is said, would assist Texas in carrying out its flood control program. Similar messages will be sent by others interested in the Texas flood control program, it is understood.

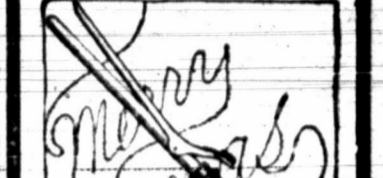
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COLD NORTH WINDS Make You Appreciate SAUL'S Greater STOCKS of Cold Weather Needs and LOW PRICES MORE THAN EVER! BLANKETS Saul's Xmas Sale Prices on all Blankets \$1.65 And Up. 72x84 Woolnap Blankets \$4.49. All Wool Plaid Blankets \$6.95 And Up. Special Tomorrow 120 Boxes Stationery, a box 19c. Come early, they won't last long. WOMEN'S SAMPLE HOSE 44c A Pair. Silk-Wool Mixed and fine lises, up to 75c values. Men! Come straight to Saul's for the Overcoat. Big values at \$15.00 And Up. Choice Best Overcoat in stock \$35.00. Choice of Men's Best Suits \$25.00. See them and compare values.

Howell Store WAIT ONE MORE DAY If you can wait until Thursday morning to buy Christmas gifts of the character you can get out of our store, you will have the opportunity of buying fine merchandise at the lowest price you have seen this year. We Have Not Regarded the Cost But have cut the price to clear the balance of our stock quickly. Big surplus stock from Iowa Park store included. You will still have a big assortment of merchandise to select from. THINGS YOU CAN BUY FINE OVERCOATS, FINE SUITS, BOYS SUITS, MEN'S FURNISHINGS, HATS, SHOES, PIECE GOODS, SILK COMFORTS, BLANKETS, TOWELS, BATH SETS, MEN'S BATH ROBES, MEN'S JEWELRY, NOTIONS. DRESSES, NEW COATS, NEOLIGES, BATH ROBES, SILK UNDERWEAR, CORSETS, SILK PARASOLS, SWEATERS, GLOVES, GLOVES, FURSES, JEWELRY, SILK HOSIERY, FINE LINEN, HANKERCHIEFS. New Goods that We Had on Order Have Been Accepted at Great Discount. These Will Be Included in This Sale. SALE OPENS THURSDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK Howell Store

Women's Felt House Shoes All sizes, all colors on sale till Xmas eve at 69c A Pair. Don't Put Off Too Long Buying Those MEN'S SILK KNIT TIES 3 FOR \$1 They are going fast, and they should, compare them with \$1.00 knit ties elsewhere. From Now Till Xmas 10% DISCOUNT On Any Pair of Shoes in Stock Till Xmas Eve. The Weather for Sweaters and Saul's the place to buy them. SWEATERS for Men, Women and Children at Xmas Sale Cut Prices. Those "Mama" Talking Dolls for \$1.00 and those 27-in. "Walking" and "Talking" Dolls at \$2.89 Have Made the Biggest Hit in Toyland—Better Buy Now. New Shipment of Beautiful Jersey Petticoats \$2.88 to \$12.50 You Should See Them MORE BATH ROBES Came in yesterday, robes for men and women. \$4.49 and up. THURSDAY SPECIAL Come early Thursday morning for those men's fine handkerchiefs 50c A Dozen Just 1000 Dozen—That's All. —AND FRIDAY (Keep These Dates in Mind) ANOTHER SAUL'S FAMOUS SALE OF REMNANTS AT A YARD 9c

You Can't Afford to Miss a Day of SAUL'S Xmas Sale Lasts 'Till Xmas Eve

REPORT OAT CROP SHORT OVER WEST

Division of Crop Estimates Reports On-Yield For Thirty-Two Counties.

HOUSTON, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—A good crop of oats is reported in Blanco, Nacogdoches, Franklin, El Paso, Irion, Bexar and Zavalla counties, according to a summary of conditions in 32 counties, made public by the division of crop estimates, bureau of agricultural statistics, United States department of agriculture today.

The reports follow: Wood, five per cent normal; 20 bushels to the acre. Travis, 25 per cent normal; too much rain in spring; very little raised. Hardeman, no fall oats sown; an average spring crop anticipated. Nacogdoches, acreage—small; yield pretty good. Franklin, fairly good. Hale, not much raised. El Paso, fine quality produced in limited quantities for home consumption mostly. Gillespie, all oats both fall and spring very poor, about 12 to 15 bushels to the acre and bad quality at that.

Blanco, made average crop; all baled; some threshed; made one ton to one and one-half to the acre. Motley, no oats harvested. Lipscomb, small average of oats each year; this year very poor crop, both yield and quality. Hamilton, 25 per cent normal. Blanco, very satisfactory; crop and acreage, comes next after corn; a safe crop for this vicinity. Hopkins, 50 per cent normal. Anderson, failure, owing to wet, cold and late spring. Hutchinson, 25 to 40 bushels to the acre.

Memphill, crop sometimes makes 50 bushels, but the average is from 15 to 20 bushels to the acre. Taylor, almost a failure; quite a lot of winter oats being planted. Denton, 30 bushels. Williamson, very poor yield and greatly reduced acreage; 17 per cent planted in oats, main feed here. Bexar, stands are good. Mills, about 15 bushels to the acre. Somervell, 50 per cent average. Zavalla, yield fair; price good. Rains, part of the county made a lot of oats but not enough snow. Colad, very little grown. Grayson, 10 to 15 bushels. Childress, not much sown in fall, 1921, and light yield. Milam, very little. Freestone, planting about as usual; "our crop came up to a good start."

Falo Pinto, small acreage and yield light.

SICK MAN, MISSING ALL NIGHT, IS FOUND AT NOON TUESDAY

George Mangano, meter reader for the Wichita Falls Electric company, was found in a delirious condition at the foot of a pole in the alley back of 302 Scott shortly before noon Tuesday. He is thought to have fallen from the pole, possibly as the result of a shock. The extent of his injuries was not known Tuesday afternoon. Mangano, who lives at 870 Lamar, had been ill for several weeks, and had been confined to his room. About 10 o'clock Monday night his landlady missed him from the house, and a searching party went out to look for him, remaining until early in the morning. His condition was considered serious, owing to the exposure and his recent illness.

B. Coogan, traveling freight agent of the Southern, with headquarters in Dallas, is a business visitor in the city.

OUTLINE PROVISIONS OF LAW GOVERNING ALIEN LAND OWNERS

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—All aliens who reside in Texas and own land are not required to make ownership reports to county courts under the provisions of the alien ownership act passed by the legislature in 1921, the attorney general's department has held in an opinion written by assistant Bruce W. Bryant. It is said to be the first interpretation of the act since its passage. The chief question involved in the opinion is whether or not under the final clause of the act all aliens must register ownership of land, regardless of when it was purchased, where located, or the status of the owner.

Although the article in question makes no distinction between the class of aliens which is permitted to own land without any restriction and that class which may only own land under a limited time or for a limited time, the legal department holds that the article must be construed in the light of the statute act and in conclusion holds that certain classes of aliens are exceptions under the law. These exceptions are enumerated as follows:

- 1.—Land now owned (at time of passage) by aliens, not acquired in violation of any laws in this state and so long as held by present owners.
- 2.—Lots or parcels of land owned by aliens in any incorporated city or town of the state.
- 3.—Aliens who were bonafide inhabitants of state on date on which this act became a law, so long as they shall continue to be such bonafide inhabitants.
- 4.—Aliens eligible to citizenship in this nation who are or who shall become bonafide inhabitants of this state and who shall continue to be such bonafide inhabitants.
- 5.—Aliens who are or shall become bonafide inhabitants of this state and who are natural born citizens of nations which have a common boundary with the United States.
- 6.—Aliens who are, or shall become bonafide inhabitants of Texas and who are citizens or subjects of a nation which now permits American citizens to own land in fee of such country, so long as they shall continue to be such bonafide inhabitants of this state.

Under the terms of the act, aliens owning land at the time the measure became effective must register their ownership with the county courts on or before January 1, 1923, with the exceptions noted above. Those purchasing land after the act became effective are required to register ownership within six months after the date of purchase. A thousand residents of the state are said to be affected by the ruling.

Lieutenant James R. Clearwater, in charge of the local army recruiting office, reports the acceptance of Henry Austin Banks, 1910 Reuler avenue, Waco, for enlistment. He will be sent to Fort Sill for final examination.

TEXAS PECAN CROP SHORT THIS YEAR

Will Be But Six Per Cent of Normal, Federal Report Shows.

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—Texas, normally the largest producer of pecans of any state in the nation, will produce the smallest crop this season in proportion, than any other pecan producing state, according to estimates of the federal department of agriculture, just received here. The Texas pecan crop will be but six per cent of normal, the federal report shows, which is more than 40 per cent below the five year average production.

The production last year was estimated at 45 per cent of a normal (100 per cent) crop, while the average Texas production for the five years from 1915 to 1920 was 47 per cent normal. Texas, however, is not the only large producing pecan state that will fall short in production this year, the reports show. Oklahoma, ranked second in production will have but nine per cent of a normal crop; Louisiana 11 per cent; Arkansas 12 per cent; and Georgia 22 per cent. The quality of Texas nuts this year has improved slightly, federal authorities report. Last year's crop was listed at 31 per cent for quality and this year's is listed at 32 per cent.

In prices, Texas nuts on N number 1 were reported to be averaging 50 cents for both improved and wild varieties. Improved varieties were selling at 41 cents per pound while wild varieties were reported at 20 cents. Last year the improved sold for 32 cents and the wild for 12 cents. Unfavorable weather conditions are given as the principal cause for the low pecan crop in a majority of states.

The Humble Oil Refining company, FORT WORTH, TEXAS, has produced on the L. P. Douglas tract east of Electra with an estimated production of between 100 and 150 barrels from the sand at 1249 feet. Vernon Burke, an engineer employed on one of the power shovels at the storage damsite, was brought to the general hospital Monday afternoon suffering from injuries received when his foot was caught in the gears of the big machine. No bones were broken.

MOTHERS READ THIS STARTLING OFFER

If you have a child affected with excessive kidney action at night, get a bottle of Liquid Shu Make from Four druggists—give just one dose a day as directed on the label for three days—if you are not more than pleased with the results, the balance of the medicine to the manufacturer and your money will be refunded—adv.

LAWYERS' BANQUET POSTPONED UNTIL SATURDAY JAN. 13

The lawyers' banquet which was scheduled for Saturday evening, December 16, has been postponed until Saturday, January 13, by the committee on arrangements, and all local members of the bar have been advised of the change in dates. The committee states in a letter that it was unable to arrange a satisfactory program for the special banquet. This special affair will be marked by the presence of the wives and lady friends of the local attorneys.

FORMER WICHITA INJURED IN ACCIDENT IN SOUTH AMERICA

Word has been received in this city from Columbia, South America, to the effect that Morgan (Whitey) McLenora, who left here a month ago for that country in the employ of the Gulf Production company, had suffered an accident from which he will be unable to return to the states at once.

Mr. Ames Turner Tells How Cuticura Healed Eczema

"Eczema broke out in little pimples on my arms and hands. It itched and burned very badly causing me to scratch and irritate the affected parts, and I lost my rest at night. My hands hurt when I put them in water, and when I got warm at my work my clothing aggravated the breaking out on my arms. The trouble lasted about two months. I used other remedies without success. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and after using two boxes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Ames P. Turner, Rt. 1, Evansville, Tenn.



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Cold Weather Calls for Syrups. And we have the most popular brands in all sizes for you this cold weather when appetites call for syrups. We have good old-fashioned Ribbon Cane freshly made and in economical, handy gallon cans.

SPECIALS For This Week

- East Texas Ribbon Cane, gallon \$1.00
- Half gallon .50
- Yellow Blue Kano .50c
- 1 gal. Blue Kano .25c
- Tallon White Kano .55c
- 2 gal. White Kano .90c
- Quart Blue Kano .18c
- 1 gal. Blue Kano .12c
- 1 gal. Sorghum .50c
- 1 gal. Sorghum .25c
- Quart Sorghum .15c
- Pint Sorghum .12c

Pure South Texas Honey

- Tallon Comb \$1.00
- 1 gal. Comb \$1.00
- Jallon Extract \$1.50
- 1 gal. Extract .85c
- Dried Raisins, 2 lbs. .35c
- Fancy Prunes, 2 lbs. .35c
- Evaporated Apples, 2 lbs. .35c
- Choice Figs, 2 lbs. .35c
- Horseshoe Tobacco, lb. .75c
- 7 Cigarettes, per carton .125
- 14 lb. pack Spuds .25c
- Spuds, per hundred \$1.75
- 3 fancy Mackerel .25c
- Bulk Cocoa, per lb. .25c

Extra Special

- 23 bars White Naptha \$1.00
- 24 bars Luna White Soap \$1.00
- 14 bars Palm Olive Soap \$1.00
- 6 large rolls Toilet Paper 25c
- 100 lbs. per pound .50c
- Handful Cherries, per lb. .50c
- 10c C. Roasts, per lb. .10c
- 10c Steam Meat, per lb. .10c
- Dry Salt, per lb. .10c
- Sugar Cured Bacon, lb. .25c
- We Guarantee the Butter Serve By Serving Others Best



Christmas Gifts for All the Family At W.B. McClurkan & Co.

MAMMA DOLLS. The best at the lowest figures to be had. \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95 and \$5.45 Each.

Ladies' Blanket Bath Robes. A wonderful selection, ranging in prices from \$4.50 to \$12.50.

CHILDREN'S BATH ROBES. \$2.95 up to \$8.50. EXTRA SPECIAL.

LADIES' GOLF SWEATERS. A new number, made with plaid fronts and plain backs, colors, red, green and blue. Price \$8.50.

EXTRA HEAVY ARMY BLANKETS AT EACH \$3.95.

LADIES' FELT HOUSE SHOES. All colors and sizes. 95c to \$2.00 the Pair.

FOR HIM. FASHION PARK SUITS AND OVERCOATS \$30.00 to \$50.00.

FOR HER. HOUSE OF YOUTH SUITS AND COATS. DRESSES FROM THE "HOUSE OF YOUTH" SILK UNDERTHINGS.

BATHROBES \$6.00 to \$12.50. SHIRTS \$1.50 to \$5.00. SMOKING JACKETS \$7.50 Each.

INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS 25c, three for \$1.00, 50c and 75c. MEN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS \$1.50 to \$3.50 Per Pair.

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS AND PAJAMAS \$1.50 to \$3.00. BRADLEY SWEATERS \$3.50 And Up.

DRESS GLOVES \$2.00 to \$7.50 Per Pair. INTERWOVEN SILK HOSIERY 75c to \$1.50 Per Pair.

Hundreds of Smaller Articles. Ladies' Purses, Children's Fur Sets, Ladies' Fur Sets, Children's Ivory Sets, Ladies' Combs, Children's Ivory Sets, Ladies' Neckwear, Children's Silk Sox.

A USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENT FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY—A PLEASURE TO SHOW YOU.

W.B. McClurkan & Co. Ohio at Seventh. Advertisement for various goods and services.

Richardson's Bargain Basement. Big Annual Holiday Sale. Lowest prices in our history, come every day. Fur coats sacrificed, furs at big reductions, closing out boys' overcoats.

C.H.C. Store. Cash. 710 9th Street. Phone 3183.

GOVERNMENT BULLETIN CALLS ATTENTION TO OIL SHALE AS SOURCE OF SUPPLY IN FUTURE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—When the government today issued a bulletin...

Champion Wrist-Twister Holds Title



There are champions of everything these days...

GOLD WAVE IS NOW SWEEPING COUNTRY

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It was said at the weather bureau...

PREDICTED COLD WAVE STRIKES THE PANHANDLE

AMARILLO, Dec. 12.—The predicted cold wave from the northwest...

THIRTY-FOUR DEGREES BELOW ZERO AT HAYME, MONTANA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—The weather bureau here predicted today...

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—Relief that an important and lasting change in the motion picture industry is in progress...

FUNERAL COL. BURROUGHS HELD FROM KAISER PALACE

CORLENE, Dec. 12.—The funeral of Colonel James M. Burroughs...

Indicted for Murder

PORT WORTH, Dec. 12.—J. Harrison White, prominent Texas and Oklahoma oil operator...

New York Money

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Call money today was high...

KIDNAPED MISSIONARY HAS BEEN RELEASED

PEKING, Dec. 12.—Anton Lundeen of Newman Grove, Neb., a missionary...

Tomorrow Morning You Will Hear Familiar Jingle of Salvation Army Christmas Dinner Pot on the Corner

Wednesday morning you will hear the familiar jingle of the Salvation Army Christmas dinner pot on the corner...

MILLER WILL MANAGE DECATUR THEATRE

DECATUR, ILL., Dec. 12.—Charlie Miller of Houston, Texas, former manager of the Corsicana, Texas, club of the Texas-Oklahoma league...

LIVED IN THE REIGN OF FIVE BRITISH SOVEREIGNS

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 12.—Lady Crease, widow of Sir Henry Crease, is dead at the age of 96. She had lived in the reigns of five British sovereigns.

MRS. IRENE S. GOOD DIES AT HOME IN ENGLAND

NORTHAMPTON, ENGL., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Irene S. Good, novelist and playwright, died at her home here today after a month's illness.

AUTHORIZE RETIREMENT OF ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—President Harding has signed the bill authorizing the retirement of Associate Justice Enoch S. Parsons...

NEW CONSTITUTION BEING VOTED ON IN ILLINOIS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Voters of Illinois today faced the question of replacing the present basic law of the state...

FITCHER TOWNSEND SOLD TO BEAUMONT

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—The sale of Fitcher Townsend to Beaumont, Texas, was announced today...

DR. M'KEEVER IS SPEAKER TUESDAY AT UNIVERSITY CLUB

To know human nature is the master key to success in business...

THREE BANDITS GET \$96,000 IN MONEY; ONE MAN WOUNDED

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12.—While the main lobby of the livestock exchange building was filled with cattle commission men and stockyards employees...

MIDWINTER FAIR OPENS

BROWNVILLE, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—The Rio Grand valley midwinter fair opened at Harlingen today with a record attendance.

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OFFER BONUS BILL AS AMENDMENT TO THE SHIP SUBSIDY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—Declaring that a bonus to soldiers was justifiable as a bonus to the ship operators...

THREE DAMS BREAK FLOODING TOWN OF THOUSAND PEOPLE

SUPERIOR, WIS., Dec. 12.—Three dams in the Iron River were washed away this morning...

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What Gift Shall I Buy? HERE'S ANSWER TO ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SHOPPING PUZZLE. Are you having trouble with your Christmas lists? Here's help for you. The Times made a canvass of Wichita Falls store managers to collect a few hints for Christmas shoppers. Here they are, to fit \$2, \$5 and \$10 pocketbooks: GIFTS YOU CAN BUY FOR \$2, \$5, \$10. READ THE CLASSIFIED CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS THEY WILL SOLVE YOUR GIFT PROBLEMS.

THE SKYLINE OF SPRUCE by Edison Marshall Winner of the O. Henry Memorial Award for the Best Short Story of 1921 A STORY CRAMMED WITH ACTION, LOVE AND ADVENTURE IN THE WILDS OF THE CARIBOU IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, A REGION OF UNEQUALED ROMANCE. THIS REMARKABLE STORY STARTS FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, IN THE WICHITA DAILY TIMES.

SEVEN JURORS IN MURDER CASE ARE SELECTED FROM 11

VERNON DARBY FACES TRIAL IN 8TH FOR MURDER OF J. W. WHITMAN.

DEATH PENALTY WILL NOT BE ASKED BY STATE

Defendant's Counsel Qualifies Each Venieman On Question of Ku Klux Klan.

The eleventh venireman examined in the Vernon Darby murder case Tuesday afternoon was the seventh juror accepted.

The case was called for trial at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning in the 8th district court. Judge Martin overruled a motion for continuance which was presented by the defendant on grounds that G. G. McBride, the defendant's counsel, was not physically able to proceed with the trial.

In the questioning of each venireman the state did not ask the usual questions in murder cases, whether the juror harbored any conscientious scruples against the infliction of the death penalty. It is understood that the extreme penalty will not be asked for.

The defense counsel qualified each juror examined with the question, "Do you believe that the proper place for the meeting out of justice is in the court house and that all cases should be tried in the court house?" No juror was found who answered negatively.

The defendant stands charged with the murder of John W. Whitman, sometimes known as Jack Dempsey. It is charged in the indictment that the homicide occurred on or about April 8, 1921, in the vicinity of Lee and Fourth streets, state advised, Tuesday morning that all the papers in the case had been lost. Leave was given to supply the indictment.

NEW PLAY AT THE PALACE THE BEST BILL YET OFFERED

Husbands, watch your step from now on, for perhaps many of your wives have already seen "What's Your Husband Doing?" At least if they did not see it last night, surely they will see it before the week is over, for it is already the talk of the town, and they are going to get some pointers.

A couple of lawyers, whose business is grinding out divorces; a couple of wives who do not take to this kind of business; fashionable Honeyuckle Inn where estranged couples spy on one another; a town constable whose chief duty is gathering into the city jail those who limbo too freely; and last but not least, the town jail and justice court where troubles are aired out.

We do know this one thing that Madge Halfer can play the ridiculous as well as the sublime, and we must not forget Mabel Leigh, the lawyer's stenographer "who understands perfectly" in embarrassing situations.

All were delighted with Edwin Picklin, of this city, who portrayed the role of John Wiggast, one of the law firm. The cast, and with Edward Poole, a splendid actor who joined the company this week from New York. Miss Ruby Tumbley also acted well the part of Mrs. Pedgion.

Of course, the heavy work fell upon Jack Edwards and Edna Park and to Edna must be given full credit for her portrayal of a wife who suspects an innocent husband and drowns her sorrows in "Honeyuckle Dew." Both Mr. Edwards and Miss Park rendered their parts in their usual pleasing way.

Their usual pleasing way. The town constable, and Edna, Jack and Frank Davis, portraying the other law partner, were each cast into a cell until the morrow, when the good magistrate, George McManus, saw fit to release them and let them go.

In this connection special mention should be made of the splendid work of Mesars. Davis, McManus and Percy Barrett as the "Jury."

We must not pass without special mention being made of the beautiful stage settings in the second act, the work of Robert C. Bell, scenic artist for the company. His ideas of Honeyuckle Inn were beautifully worked out. It is fortunate that the company has such a capable artist who is right up to the minute in everything.

"What's Your Husband Doing?" is splendid and we know everyone who goes will enjoy it.

Mr. Edwards announced Monday night that a change in the program would be made for next week. Instead of playing "Oh, Oh, Doctor," as advertised, "Traffic in Souls" would be given.

OUT OUR WAY



By WILLIAMS

DEPUTY BRINGS S. M. GEE BACK FROM EL PASO

Chief Deputy Frank E. Johnson of the sheriff's office returned from El Paso Tuesday afternoon with S. M. Gee, who was being held there on a charge of theft of an automobile.

Gee is wanted here on a charge of robbery with firearms in connection with the Joe Colonna episode in which the latter was robbed at the point of a pistol after being taken out into the country in an automobile driven by Mary Dobson Adams, whom it is charged was the partner of Gee, was tried and convicted and sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary.

Mr. Johnson reported that the El Paso county authorities relinquished all rights to the prisoner unless an acquittal was returned here.

NEWS BRIEVITIES

The condition of Rev. J. Lem Keavil is reported considerably improved. He is undergoing treatment in Dallas.

Friday evening, Dec. 14, Mrs. J. Lem Keavil's class at the First Christian church, will have a meeting preceded by a supper at 7 p. m.

Tuesday night at 8 o'clock the Wichita County Medical society will meet at the general hospital. Announcements for the meeting state that it is the most important session of the year. Dr. Jack Perkins of Dallas will speak to the society on the "Nutrition of Children." Officers for the coming year will be elected.

Some Speed



ANNUAL BANQUET OF C. OF C. TO BE HELD JANUARY 15

January 15 was fixed Tuesday morning as the date of the annual membership meeting of the chamber of commerce. The place of meeting will be determined later. The date was fixed at a meeting of the directors.

Plans are under way for making the 1923 meeting one of the greatest in the history of the organization.

The directors received and accepted the resignation of Walter B. Fryon, from the board. The nominating committee was asked to submit two additional names for election to fill the vacancy.


Hotel Keepers Meet.
HOUSTON, Dec. 12.—The sixteenth annual convention of the Texas Hotel Keepers Association was called to order this morning by President J. E. Daly. A more rigid short check law, more protection for the investment in hotels in the state, a state park and the uses and abuses of the free tourist camping grounds will be discussed during the business session of the convention.

The I. O. O. F. class of the M. E. church south announces that the regular social meeting of the club will not be held until after the Christmas holidays.

Not a Laxative

Nujol is a lubricant—not a medicine or laxative—so cannot gripe.

When you are constipated, not enough of Nature's lubricating liquid is produced in the bowel to keep the food waste soft and moving. Doctors prescribe Nujol because it acts like this natural lubricant and thus replaces it. Try it today.



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A LUBRICANT—NOT A LAXATIVE

Black Silk Stove Polish
Liquid or Paste

Does Not Rub Off, Lasts 4 Times as Long as Others, Saves Work.

Get a Can Today



Southwestern Glass & Paint Co.
All Kinds Glass, Paint, Wall Paper and Picture Frames
WE INSTALL GLASS
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Local Board Children's Home And Aid Hears Splendid Report Of Year's Work Thursday Morning

The local board of the Texas Children's Home and Aid, meeting in annual business session at the City National Bank Tuesday morning, heard a splendid report from their district agent, Miss Katherine Kewerick.

Miss Kewerick's report, covering a period from April 22, gives 22 dependent neglected children removed from Wichita county, nursed back to health and put in good homes elsewhere, and of 26 placed in foster homes in the district. The district agent continued her work in the summer with the exception of a 10-day rest, despite a three months vacation without pay, the handicap of no business headquarters and no telephone through that time. The report, giving briefly the details of the cases, was heard with the deepest interest by the members of the board, Miss Kewerick stated in concluding the report that there were 15 children at present in her care and to be placed, three of which were reported Tuesday from one municipal organization and four from individuals. A vote of appreciation for the splendid report was unanimous.

The board elected officers—rather, re-elected officers, retaining J. C. Hunt as chairman, Marvin Smith as vice chairman and R. E. Shepherd as treasurer.

It was also voted that all money for the local work would be banked and administered by the local board, and that a close cooperation in all of the social service work would be maintained with the Fort Worth headquarters of the Home and Aid society.

Members present at the meeting includes Mrs. C. E. McCutchen, J. C. Hunt, Fred Gates, W. E. Shepherd, I. H. Roberts, D. F. Johnson and Marvin Smith.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE HOME AND AID SOCIETY.
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ORGANIZE JACKIE COOGAN PRODUCTION COMPANY.
SACRAMENTO, CAL., Dec. 12.—Incorporation papers of the Jackie Coogan Productions, Inc. a firm organized for the production of moving pictures, were filed yesterday in the office of Secretary of State Jordan. Headquarters will be in Los Angeles and the directors are H. E. Wheeler, R. M. Keary and Neil S. McCarthy, all of that city. The capital stock is \$500,000.

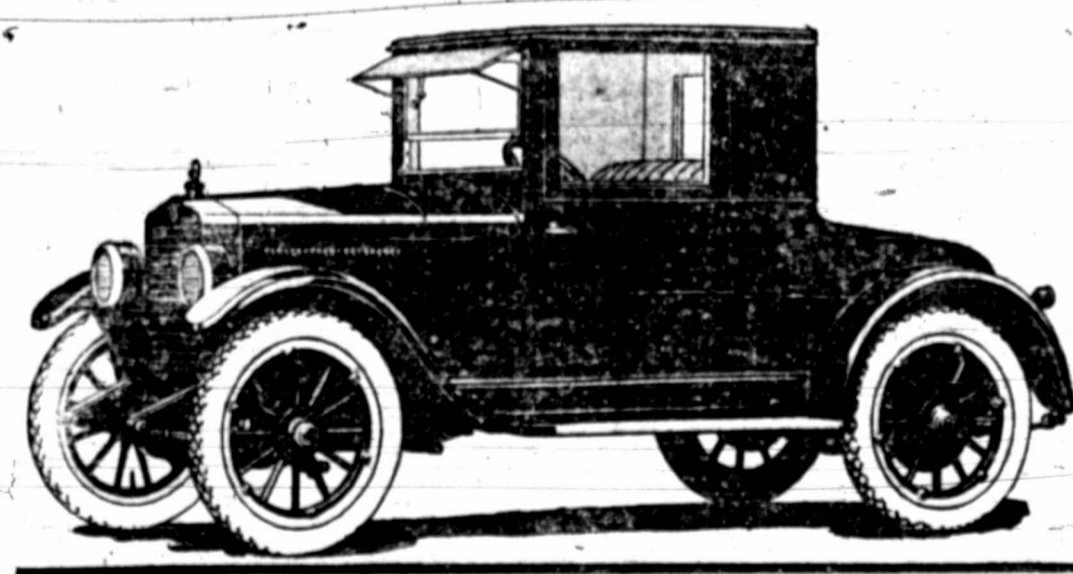
OBTAINS LICENSE TO WED MOTION PICTURE ACTRESS.
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 12.—John C. Howard, said to be the son of a manufacturer of Haverhill, Mass., obtained a license here yesterday to marry Ora Carow, motion picture actress, according to the Los Angeles Examiner.

It is our policy to serve the best cooked good wholesome food the market affords. Hot meats and vegetables ready to serve from 11 a. m. to 7 p. m. Our specials for tomorrow are:

- Chickens and Noodles
- Butter Rolls
- Transparent Pie
- Apple Pie, Orange Tarts

FLORAL HEIGHTS COOK SHOP
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Hudson and Essex Prices Again Reduced



We Are Just in Receipt of Advice From Hudson and Essex Factories As Follows:

Effective midnight December 11th, 1922, list prices of Hudson 7-Passenger Touring, Speedster and Coach, reduced \$100.00 each, and Hudson Sedan \$200.00 —Essex Coach reduced \$100.00

	New Prices F. O. B. Wichita	Former Prices F. O. B. Wichita
HUDSON 7-PASSENGER TOURING CAR	\$1675.00	\$1775.00
HUDSON 4-PASSENGER SPEEDSTER	\$1625.00	\$1725.00
HUDSON COACH	\$1750.00	\$1850.00
HUDSON SEDAN	\$2450.00	\$2650.00
ESSEX COACH	\$1330.00	\$1430.00
ESSEX CABRIOLET	\$1330.00	\$1330.00
ESSEX 5-PASSENGER TOURING CAR	\$1195.00	\$1195.00

COMPARE THESE PRICES—The lowest at which the Hudson and Essex lines ever sold, with other car prices. Then call and make arrangements for delivery of that Christmas automobile. We can make immediate delivery of all models.

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS

Crack Illinois Cross-Country Team Rated High In Intercollegiate Track Circles



Left to right—Coach Gill, M. Topper, A. Svihla, C. A. Thrasher, Russell Scott (Capt.), E. C. Miller, R. S. Hoban, E. S. Wells, R. H. Pattison, R. L. Deird (manager).

SIX LETTER MEN AFTER PLACES ON LONGHORN TEAM

AUSTIN, Dec. 12.—Six letter men are putting in daily practices in preparation and competition for places on the Texas Longhorn basketball team, under the direction of Coach Milton Romney. Although but two of the letter men have played more than one game on the Longhorn five, Texas coaches are hopeful that a winning squad can be rounded into shape for the basketball season.

COLLIER-LANDON TEAM TO DEFEND TITLE TO HONOR

Collier and Landon five, the only team in the city league with a perfect record, will defend their title against the Methodist team at the American Legion hall Tuesday night. Collier and Landon are undefeated in the city league contests and have had practically easy sailing throughout the season. The Methodists have shown a remarkable come-out since the opening of the season and it is authentically rumored that new blood has been injected into the team. It is known that three new men were submitted to the governing board and will be eligible for the game Tuesday night, but it has not been announced that they will participate in the game with the Collier and Landon crowd.

EVANS' ALL-SOUTHERN HONOR ROLL

Billy Evans' Honor Roll

SOUTHERN

Ends Bomar—VANDERBILT Roberts—CENTRE
Moulton—AUBURN Holt—TENNESSEE
J. Staton—GEORGIA TECH Lemon—CENTRE
Neill—VANDERBILT

Tackles—A. Staton—GEORGIA TECH Murray—SEAWARD
J. Bennett—GEORGIA Bradford—VANDERBILT
Tilson—VIRGINIA POLY Pearce—AUBURN

Guards—Whelchel—GEORGIA Davis—GEORGIA TECH
Reagan—AUBURN Weigley—ALABAMA
Pribble—KENTUCKY Sizse—KELLEY VANDERBILT

Centers—Kubale—CENTRE Piprot—ALABAMA
Reed—TUOLANE Frye—GEORGIA TECH

Quarterbacks—Covington—CENTRE
Kuhn—VANDERBILT Mulvihill—GEORGIA
McDonough—GEORGIA TECH
Bartlett—ALABAMA

Halfbacks—Shirley—AUBURN
Barron—GEORGIA TECH Brewster—GEORGIA
Trotter—VANDERBILT Arnold—VIRGINIA

Fullbacks—Fletcher—GEORGIA
Campbell—TENNESSEE Shirling
Auburn Hunt—GEORGIA TECH

BASKET BALL QUIZ by Referee

How is the choice of baskets determined? It is always customary for the visiting team to have the choice of baskets in the first half. In the second half, the team changes baskets, so there is really no advantage.

PLAY SEMI-FINALS IN INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE THIS WEEK

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—Semi-finals of the interscholastic league high school football state championship race will be played this week. The games were scheduled at a conference held here today. Waco and Corpus Christi will play at Waco Friday, while Clark and Abilene will play at Abilene the same day.

KILLING BLACK CAT IS JINX

Byron Harris, better known as "Slim," is a member of the Philadelphia Athletics pitching staff. Harris is one of the best pitchers in the league as far as stuff is concerned. He has a dazzling curve ball that breaks sharply and one of the fastest fast balls in major league keeping.

Kaiser Wants Match With Joe Lynch

Johnny Kaiser, rising young heavyweight boxer, is rapidly putting St. Louis on the pugilistic map. He is one of the leading contenders for the featherweight title now held by Joe Lynch.

DRUGGIST AT ELECTRA INJURED IN FALL INTO A FOUR FOOT SUBWAY

ELECTRA, TEXAS, Dec. 11.—What seemed to be a serious injury was sustained by H. M. Tarlton, local druggist, when he stepped into a four-foot subway, which had been dug at the rear entrance of his store on Cleveland avenue. The hole was a part of some excavating being done in connection with repairs on the store.

STAR SCORES SINGLE POINT

By-NEA Service. MINN. Dec. 12.—Earl Martineau of Minnesota, All-Conference halfback of the season of 1922, one of the best backs in the country, scored both one point for his team during the season.

Smokes for Christmas

You can't possibly think of anything that will give the men folks more pleasure. They'll enjoy the smokes and appreciate your thoughtfulness.

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GIFTS THAT WILL PLEASE HUSBAND, FATHER, BROTHER or FRIEND

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suit, Hart Schaffner & Marx Overcoat, Lounging or Bath Robes, Smoking Jackets, Manhattan Shirts, Automobile Gloves, Fine Ties, Handkerchiefs, Cuff Links, Safety Razors, House Shoes, Hand Bags, Trunks, Stetson Hats, Sweaters, Mufflers, Belts, Belt Buckles, Hosiery, Gloves.



Every "Gift" a Man Could Want Is Here For Your Choosing

Gifts from the Wonderful Mark Cross Line

Traveling Sets, Collar Bags, Tie Holders, Military Brushes, Cigarette Cases, Humidors, Smoking Stands, Pullman Slippers, Handkerchief Bags, Drinking Cups, Coat Hangers, Bill Folds.

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\$30.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$24.50	\$45.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$39.50	\$65.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$54.50
\$35.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$29.50	\$50.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$44.50	\$75.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$59.50
\$40.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$34.50	\$60.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$49.50	\$85.00 Suits and Overcoats, Sale price	\$64.50

Satisfaction or Your Money Back

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Great Christmas Sale of Boys' Suits and Overcoats

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX AND JOHNNY TU-PANTS

\$6.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$4.95	\$15.50 and \$16.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$12.95
\$9.50 and \$10.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$7.95	\$18.50 and \$19.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$14.95
\$12.50 and \$13.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$8.95	\$22.50 and \$25.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$17.95
\$14.50 and \$15.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$10.95	\$30 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$19.95

Boys' Middy and Oliver Twist Suits Specially Priced for This Great Sale

Wonderful little Suits made of Wool, Corduroy and Silks. All newest patterns and assorted colors. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

\$4.95 and \$5.00 values, sale price	\$3.45	\$13.50 and \$15.00 values, sale price	\$9.95
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\$6.50 and \$6.95 values, sale price	\$4.95		
\$7.50 and \$7.95 values, sale price	\$5.95		
\$8.00 and \$8.50 values, sale price	\$6.95		
\$9.50 and \$10. values, sale price	\$7.95		
\$12. and \$12.50 values, sale price	\$8.95		

Shop Now Now for Christmas

Remember you have only 10 more days in which to buy your presents.

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THE TIMES' DAILY PAGE OF LEADING COMIC FEATURES

JACK DAW IN HOOPLAND

By ELTON



All the Hoopsey Daisies came rolling up to meet Jack and Flip. One of them pulled Flip's tail and before Jack could stop him Flip started rolling the little Hoopsey Daisy. The little hoop girl started to roll away, but Flip was gaining on her. All the other hoops became very excited.



Suddenly, just as Flip made a leap for the Hoopsey Daisy, the little hoop girl turned sideways and Flip went sailing right through her. This was a cheerful howl from everybody, including Jack, and it so surprised Flip that he returned to his master's side and snuggled down.



Then a band of four little Hoopsey Daisies formed in a circle in front of Jack and started to sing and play on musical instruments. "Who are you?" asked Jack. And Hoopsey told him that the little quartet was the Hoop-la-las, who always sang and played together. (Continued.)

BUGHOUSE FABLES



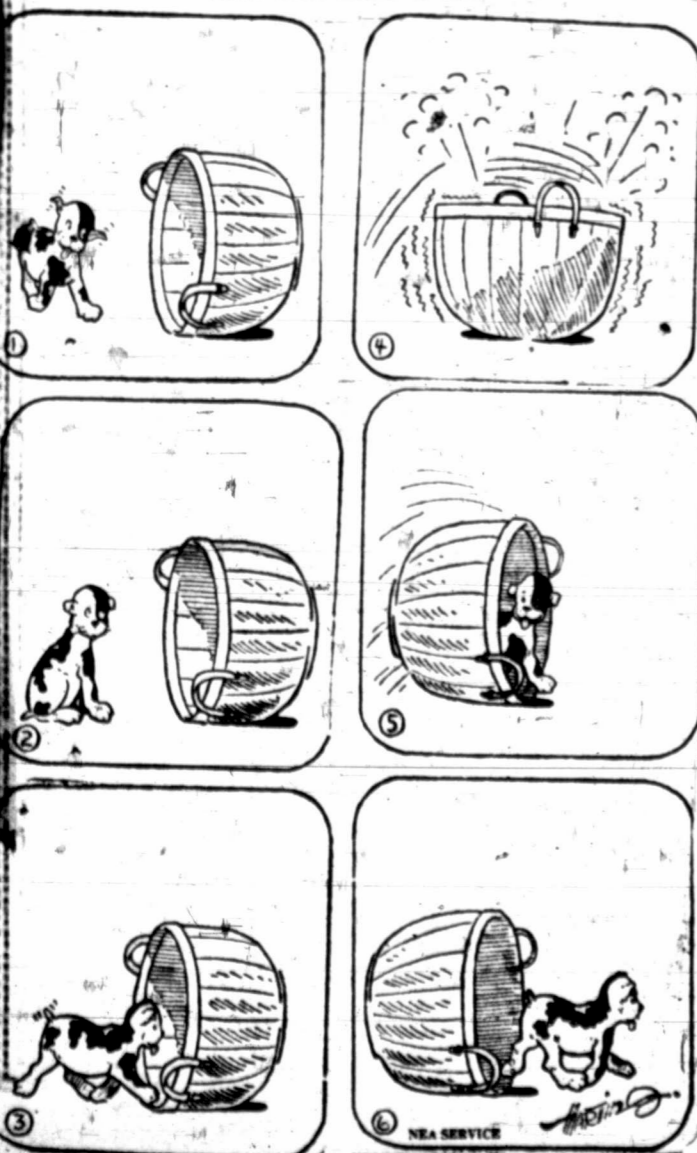
MOTHER TAKE ME OUT ON THE PORCH WHEN YOU SPANK ME. IT'S STUFFY IN HERE

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TAKEN FROM LIFE

The Ins and Outs

By Martin



TOOTS AND CASPER

This Time Casper Hangs One on Himself

By J. E. MURPHY



CASPER HAD A PARCEL UNDER HIS ARM WHEN HE CAME HOME. I'LL BET IT'S MY CHRISTMAS PRESENT! I'M DYING TO SEE WHAT IT IS! I WONDER WHERE HE HID IT!



GEE AUNTIE! I'VE LOOKED HIGH AND LOW BUT I CAN'T FIND IT! HE DID A GOOD JOB OF HIDING IT, TOOTS!



TAKE OFF YOUR COAT AND BE COMFORTABLE, CASPER! YOU DON'T HAVE TO KEEP IT ON JUST TO BE POLITE BECAUSE AUNT MATTIE IS WITH US! GET AWAY TOOTS! I'M COLD!!!



TOOTS NEARLY CAUGHT ME THAT TIME! SHE JUST GOTTA KEEP ON WEARING IT TILL CHRISTMAS!

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Helen's Plan Fails

By ALLMAN



NOW DANNY, IF DADDY SAYS HE'S GOING OUT SOME PLACE AFTER DINNER THIS EVENING I WANT YOU TO GO WITH HIM. I'LL PUT YOUR HAT AND COAT RIGHT HERE ON THE STAIRS AND YOU PUT THEM ON AND MAKE HIM TAKE YOU WITH HIM - DO YOU UNDERSTAND?



HELEN, OH HELEN! I'M GOING OUT FOR A LITTLE WHILE! BACK LATER! DADDY! I'M GOING WITH YOU, I AM!



NOW! LISTEN, DANNY - YOU CAN'T GO WITH DADDY THIS TIME - YOU GO BACK IN THE HOUSE LIKE A GOOD LITTLE BOY AND DADDY WILL DO SOMETHING FOR YOU! BUT I WANNA GO!



AW HE WOUDNT TAKE ME! WELL ONE DAY MY MOTHER WILL TAKE YOU OUT!

SALESMAN SAM

Sam's Too Slick for 'Em

By SWAN



SAM, NOW THAT YOU ARE BANK ON TH' JOB I WANT YOU TO GO OVER TO ABE FINHAM AND GET A NEW SUPPLY OF PINS - WE'RE ALL OUT OF 'EM! LEAVE IT TO ME, GUZZ!



HAFF HOUR LATER I DIDNT BUY ANY GUZZ - HE WANTED TO MUCH FOR 'EM - I TOLD HIM WE WANTED PINS, NOT DIAMONDS! WELL SAM, WHERES ABE FINHAM?



THATS BUSINESS - MY BOY - DONT LET ANYBODY SLIP ANYTHING OVER ON YOU - THATS TH' ONLY WAY TO GET ANYWHERE! YOU BET I WONT, GUZZ - AN BELIEVE ME!



I SHOWED THAT GUY HE COUDNT STICK ME WITH 'EM!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Out of Luck

By BLOSSER



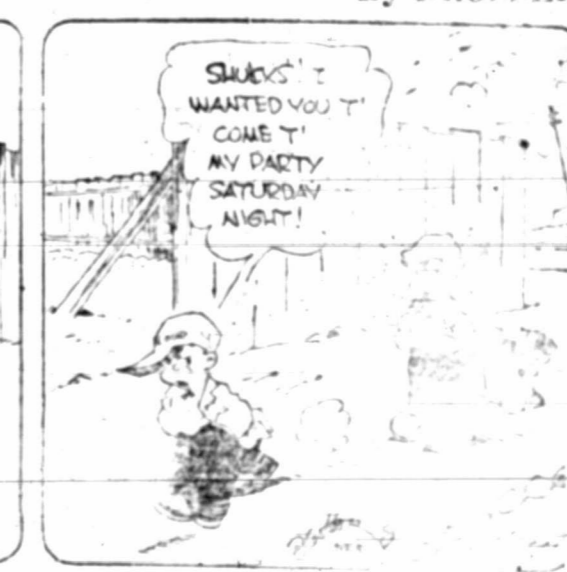
GEEWHIZZ - SLIMS GONNA HAVE A PARTY AN DIDNT INVITE ME - ALL RIGHT FOR HIM - I'LL GET EVEN - I'LL GET EVEN - DANGONE HIM! AW, I DONT CARE - SLICKS! WHATS A PARTY? HUH!



THERE'S ALEX - GEE! I'LL LET ON I WUZ INVITED IF HE SAYS ANYTHING TO ME - WILLO ALEX. WILLO



SAY! DO SLIM INVITE YOU TO HIS PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT? YEAH - SURE.



SLICKS! I WANTED YOU TO COME TO MY PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



YEH - HE MIGHT BE WELL DEVELOPED, BUT HE HASNT ANY MUSCLES ON TH' BROW FROM HEAVY THINKING - THATS TH' TRICK! HERCULES WAS A HUSKY TO, BUT HE WASNT STRONG ENOUGH TO HOLD A THOUGHT! AW - I KNEW YOU GUYS WOULD PLAY TH' ANVIL CHORUS 'JES' BECAUSE 'KID' PORTLAND PINCHED THIS SOFT JOB - YCAN FAN HIM! HE WANT - TH' ONLY WAY YOU COULD GET PAID FOR YOUR SHAPES IS TO RISK 'EM IN A KNIFE THROWING ACT!



BOYS - THOSE TRAMPS ARE EATING THE TOWN INTO DEBT WE GOT TO GET RID OF 'EM, BUT WE CANT UNLOCK THE JAIL WHATS TO BE DONE? GIT FER HOME BRONCO! YOU SAY TH' MAYOR IS GETTING SORE? NO - NO THEY CANT OPEN THE JAIL DOOR! MAYOR SIMON DOOLITTLE CALLS A MEETING OF THE TOWN'S LEADING CITIZENS TO SUGGEST MEANS OF GETTING THE TWO TRAMPS OUT OF JAIL WITHOUT WRECKING THE PLACE.

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By DOK WILLARD



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GIFTS FOR THE HOME. AUTOMOBILE heaters increase the comfort of winter driving. McCall Bros. Electric Co.

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TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET, GRAIN AND PRODUCE, STOCKS AND FINANCIAL

Table with columns for Market, High, Low, Close, Change. Includes Cotton, Grain, and Stock prices.

Table with columns for Market, High, Low, Close, Change. Includes various stock prices.

Table with columns for Market, High, Low, Close, Change. Includes livestock prices.

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FARMER AND WIFE FOUND MURDERED

Head of Woman Had Been Cut Off By a Sharp Instrument. MIDDLETOWN, IND., Dec. 12.—William Shaffer, 35 years old, a farmer and his wife, were found murdered here today.

DEATH FROM ACCIDENTAL ASPHYXIATION IS REPORT

WINFIELD, KAN., Dec. 12.—The bodies of Henry Robertson, 30, and Miss Sadie Houston, 28, were found yesterday sitting on a sofa where they had been looking at Christmas gifts together.

SCHOOL CONTRACT IS SIGNED AT MEETING OF TRUSTEES TUESDAY

The contract for the construction of the Junior college and new high school was formally signed by Krejcie & Schaffer, to whom the contract was awarded on December 4.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY. In the district court of the United States for the northern district of Texas, in the matter of Moody Oil and Refining Company, Bankrupt.

REAL ESTATE WANTED

WANTED—Five or six room house near school, from \$4,000 to \$4,500. High school, preferred. Monthly payments on balance. Phone 2377, J. C. Crane & Son.

LAND INVESTMENT

I have for immediate sale 320 acres of the richest Wichita Valley land located in the 100 per cent irrigable district south of

PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY

- Attorneys: W. H. Caldwell, W. H. Nicholson, C. C. Conley, etc.
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MEAT IS CHEAP

- Baby Beef loin steak, per lb. 20c
Baby Beef round steak, per lb. 20c
Baby Beef T-Bone steak, per lb. 20c
Baby Beef roast, per lb. 12 1/2c

VEAL

- Veal Roud Steak, per lb. 22c
Veal Loin Steak, per lb. 22c
Veal T-Bone Steak, per lb. 22c

PORK

- Pork Chops 25c
Pork Ham Steak 25c
Pork Loin Roast 22 1/2c

SAUSAGE

- Frankfurters 20c
Minced Ham 20c
Minced Loaf 20c
Bologna 20c

W. S. AUTO SUPPLY CO. NOW GOING ON. EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD. 711 TENTH STREET. Regardless of Cost.

Doak's Market. 708 INDIANA. These prices are very low considering the quality that we are offering, and are only a few of the good bargains that you get here.

HOUSE FOR SALE

THIS brick home located in the Southland addition will appeal to six large rooms and breakfast room, tile bath, and is modern in every respect.

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FOR SALE—800 acres of red sand unimproved farming land in Gaine county, 110 per acre. Easy terms.

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The above statement is backed by 10 years of truthful representation and fair dealing. You are further assured that the values in the following cars are unequaled.

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FANNIN SCHOOL OPENED MONDAY WITH EXERCISES

Appropriate exercises marked the opening of the Fannin school on Monday. A number of citizens visited the school and assembled in the auditorium. The exercises opened with the singing of America to the accompaniment of a new piano given by the mothers' club of the school. Judge Carigan, president of the school board, gave an address appropriate to the occasion. Other speakers were W. L. Fridy, a member of the school board; Lee Clark, superintendent of schools; and S. L. Butler, principal of the Fannin school.

DENVER HAS BULLETIN ON SWEET CLOVER

An attractive 15-page bulletin on sweet clover, compiled by M. H. Denver, is just off the press and ready for distribution to those who may be interested. Mr. Oaten has made a special study of sweet clover, and has gathered together an abundance of valuable information from farmers along the Denver line who are having remarkable success with sweet clover as a feed and a soil builder. The bulletin contains a number of interesting photographs taken by the author showing remarkable growth of sweet clover.

Rockwood pottery, a present worth while. Decorators—adv.

GOOCH'S BEST
MACARONI
A Good Substitute for Meat

Try This:
CREAMED MACARONI ON TOAST
To a cup of thick white sauce, add four ounces of GOOCH'S BEST MACARONI cooked. Heat and pour over thin slices of buttered toast; sprinkle with grated cheese and garnish with watercress.

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Harry's Reorganization Remodeling Sale

You cannot begin to realize the multitudes of economy opportunities this sale presents to you until you see them! We are extending our utmost value-giving efforts, have used our buying ability and powerful influence to the very limit and Thursday morning will present to the public footwear of dependable quality at the most daring, most astonishing low prices ever known.

STOP! THINK! BE PREPARED!

List your needs and be here early Thursday morning.

REMEMBER! Every pair of shoes in our shelves must be sold before Jan. 1! All savingly inclined people in the country will be here! Rapid action is necessary!

HARRY'S Cut Price Shoe Store

Basement Morgan Building Entrance in Lobby

WANTS TO REPEAL THE PRIMARY LAW

Teague Legislator Also Favors Calling Constitutional Convention.

TEAGUE, TEXAS, Dec. 12.—Calling of a constitutional convention and repeal of the Terrell primary election law are the principal acts proposed for the next legislature by W. E. Doyle of Teague, member of the senate from the twelfth senatorial district, according to a statement issued here today.

Senator Doyle also has prepared a bill providing for complete revision of the present state ranger force. The bill provides that the ranger force shall be composed of one ranger for every 100 square miles, and in addition five rangers in each senatorial district. The rangers stationed in each district would be subject to call for duty in their district and would receive pay only when on duty.

Opposition to the removal of the state penitentiary from Huntsville was expressed by Doyle, who stated he favored disposition of all the penitentiary cases except those needed to produce food supplies for the institution. He advocated the pouring of short-term convicts on the streets, and having the remainder as a means of saving funds to the state.

Opposition to the establishment of a West Texas A. and M. college, to the separation of the state insurance and banking departments, and a state soldier bonus bill also was expressed by Doyle. Among the measures he favors are: Granting of divorces for no cause except adultery; requiring any officer in state holding office of emolument to register office on announcing candidacy for another office; imposing penalty for violation of contracts for labor.

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The baccalaureate address to the mid-term graduates of the high school will be given by Dr. N. F. Crafton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, December 17, at the 11 o'clock service.

Friday evening, December 22, the graduation exercises will be held in the First Baptist church. F. M. Spralley, president of C. I. A., will address the graduates.

The following students will graduate: Joseph Ackerman, Frank Adickes, Margaret Akin, Milton Archer, Hiram Wynneworth, Zena Bachman, Stanfill Bailey, Randall Canfield, True Caudle, Sterling Crumpler, Lois Drake, Fern Foster, Eric Gilbert, Lora Belle Hammersley, Allyn Haynes, Zula Hearn, Mable Heath, Joy Johnson, Urselle Johnson, Mary Joe Kell, Gorman Kenley, Hood Kizlar, Nell Maschek, Riley Taylor, Pearl Ray, Allene Richerson, Leroy Richerson, Verda Mae Riley, Dot Russell, Loreign Russell, Dwight Shoemaker, George Robert, Lucile Smith, Bertha Summerville, Don Weldon and Delta Wisdom.

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