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STOP OPEN SEASON ON KILLING, SAYS JUDGE

FIND 7 SKELETONS IN CHARLIE FLEMING PIT MYSTERY IS UNSOLVED

GOVERNORS DISCUSS ENFORCEMENT PLANS WITH MR. HARDING

LUNCH WITH PRESIDENT AND REVIEW DRY LAW SITUATION

ANOTHER MEETING TO BE HELD IN JANUARY

More Than a Dozen State Executives Join in the Conference

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Prohibition enforcement was discussed by President Harding with a group of state governors today as a beginning toward his announced policy of working out a definite division of enforcement responsibility between the federal and state governments.

The conference took place over a luncheon at the white house and those seated about the table included Prohibition Commissioner Haynes, Secretary Mellon, under whose department the prohibition unit is administered, and Attorney General Daugherty.

Only a little more than a dozen of the state executives accepted the president's luncheon invitation but it was understood that the white house officials hoped to have a larger representation at another conference to be held in January.

The meeting today was held in advance of the date originally fixed and was called for the convenience of the governors who have been attending the White Sulphur Springs conference.

Details of what was said at the white house luncheon were not made known but it was understood that the president outlined at some length the trouble of the federal government in so directing its enforcement program as to maintain perfect harmony with state officials.

He repeated the statement he recently made in congress on the subject and suggested that if the present condition describing in his message a "national emergency" was to be remedied, the state and federal governments must agree on a definite and coordinate enforcement policy.

As they gathered at the white house for the luncheon, the governors expressed in many different ways their interest in the enforcement machinery of the state and nation.

"Fighten up, don't loosen up," said Governor Allen of Kansas. "More money and more honorable men" was the program suggested by Governor Cox of Massachusetts.

As for the position as to the need of additional federal enforcement appropriations was seconded by Governor Hyde of Missouri, declared the secret lay in "concurrent jurisdiction" and Governor Trinkle of West Virginia.

Others on the president's guest list included Governor Ritchie of Maryland; Harrises of Vermont; McCray of Indiana; Preis of Minnesota; Olcott of Oregon; McKelvie of Nebraska; Davis of Idaho, and Campbell of Arizona.

TELLS GRAND JURORS MURDER CASES HAVE RIGHT OF WAY FOR PRESENT TERM OF COURT

High Points in Judge Wilson's Charge to the Grand Jury

High points in Judge Wilson's charge to the grand jury today were: It appears that it has come to a point where people consider that the open season on killings has arrived. It must be stopped. If there was as much corn fed to the hogs of the country as is poured into human beings, we would have an overturned hog market.

Every murder case that now stands on the docket or that will be placed there will be tried during this term of court," Judge H. R. Wilson of the 30th district court said Monday morning when the grand jury for trial at an adjourned term of court was empaneled.

"It seems that an open season for killings has been invoked. It must stop. Every murder case will be set down for trial at an adjourned term of court, and if not one single civil case on the docket is tried this term of court I will feel that service has not been performed by the grand jury that you are to be called upon to discharge.

W. L. Robertson Named Foreman. In a most impressive manner, with emphatic inflection of voice, Judge Wilson administered the oath of a grand juror to the following twelve men: W. R. Arnold, A. C. Golden, J. W. Alexander, W. A. Roberts, W. L. Robertson, P. J. Lee, P. P. Timberlake, R. H. Bellamy, J. N. Donahoe, J. Knight, J. E. Lee, and J. Hines. Mr. Robertson was appointed foreman by the court.

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He asked the jury to begin work on the investigations of homicide cases Judge Wilson said that there was not a murder case standing on the docket in any of the counties in his district. "Muck Wags," Judge Wilson said. "You service will without a doubt be quite lengthy for there are eight or ten homicide cases in addition to possibly 25 felony cases that you will be asked to inquire into," Judge Wilson said.

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SOVIET ORDERS ALL CONSULS TO LEAVE PRIMORIA DISTRICT. VLADIVOSTOCK, Dec. 18.—The soviet government of Vladivostok which recently took over the administration of the city and surrounding territory, has ordered all consulates to leave the Primoria district.

BISHOP QUAYLE SUFFERS A STROKE OF APOPLEXY. ST. JOSEPH, MO., Dec. 18.—Bishop William Quayle of St. Joseph, Mo., suffered a stroke of apoplexy at his summer home at Baldwin, Kan., yesterday and is in a critical condition, according to a message received here today.

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JUDGE H. R. (BERT) WILSON OF 30th DISTRICT COURT.



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ONE OF MEN SHOT AND LEFT FOR DEAD READY TO TESTIFY

DAN O'ROURKE RETURNS TO MARION TO TELL OF HERRIN RIOT

GUARD IS PROVIDED FOR HIS PROTECTION

Defense Attorneys Ask Few Questions in Cross Examination

By Associated Press.

MARION, Ill., Dec. 18.—Shot down and left to die on a lonely roadside, Dan O'Rourke returned today to tell his story at the trial in connection with the HERRIN riot.

O'Rourke was one of the six men whom other witnesses have testified were shot down before the HERRIN city cemetery after they had been marched through the town by a singing, jeering mob.

According to attorneys for the prosecution one of these men was O'Rourke and the other was Howard Hoffman, who died two days later in the HERRIN hospital.

The witnesses called last week by the state told of the taking of the "trip" mine by a group of several hundred persons, many of whom carried guns and of the later finding of 11 dead and wounded men in a woods two miles away.

EL PASO, Dec. 18.—Search for Colonel Marshall and Lieut. Walker, missing army aviators, is being continued gradually to the region between Twin Buttes and Fort Huachuca, Ariz., according to information received at Fort Bliss today.

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THREE BANDITS TAKE RESERVE BANK MONEY KILL ONE OF GUARDS

SEVERE WEATHER IN MIDDLE WEST DRIFTS SOUTHEAST

DENVER, Dec. 18.—Leaping from an automobile which had drawn up alongside a federal reserve bank delivery wagon at the main entrance of the Denver mint and shooting toward four reserve guards, who were emerging from the building carrying \$200,000 in 50 bills, two bandits at 10:40 this morning shot and killed fatally Charles Clinton, one of the guards, seized the entire \$200,000 in reserve bank money, sprang into their motor car and escaped.

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DALLAS, Dec. 18.—The thermometer in Texas at 7 o'clock this morning ranged from 10 degrees above zero at Amarillo to 52 above at Brownsville, according to the local weather bureau. Freezing weather extended this winter in the north.

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BLUNDERS



Mr. Reid has been near death for the past five or six days. His temperature has reached 102 and his pulse 120. His heart action is irregular and weak. He has fainted on an average of three times daily and has lost 25 pounds in weight.

Why Is This Wrong? The answer will be found among today's want ads. (Copyright 1922, Associated Editors)



DAD HAS CUT OFF SMOKING CAUSE HE FIGURED THAT IF THE WAY TO KEEP HIS PRETENS FROM GROWING IS TO KEEP ON CHRISTMAS DAY

7 DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

CHARITY ORDINANCE ADMITTED INVALID, VOLUNTEERS FREED

DEFECTS IN MEASURE RESULT IN DROPPING OF THREE CASES

ASK COUNCIL TO PASS NEW RULES AT ONCE

Attempted Test of Measure Results in Admission That Is Inoperative

Dismissal of the cases brought against workers of the Volunteers of America, under the city charities ordinance, resulted Monday from the discovery by attorneys that the ordinance had defects which made it doubtful if the measure would stand up in court.

A meeting of the welfare council was called for the purpose of taking steps to revise the ordinance, and it is probable that the revision will be submitted to the city council at Monday afternoon's session.

CITY COURT WORKS OVERTIME CLEANING UP HEAVY DOCKET

The general clean-up started by the city police several days ago continued Saturday and Sunday, with many drunk defendants being in evidence at the Monday morning session of the city court but the time was too short to dispose of all the cases.

Police officials say that the clean-up will continue until the city is rid of undesirable and loafers. Officers have been instructed to arrest any person found on the street in the "flats" after midnight who can not give satisfactory reason for being there.

Eight charges of intoxication were heard by Judge Britain; fines of \$10 each were assessed in all cases where pleas of guilty were entered.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH AID SOCIETY HAS MORTGAGE BURNING

A slip of paper representing a \$1,000 mortgage on the First Christian church parsonage, was ceremoniously burned at the Sunday morning service at that church by Mrs. T. T. Reese, president of the Ladies' Aid society.

In the year 1919 J. B. Marlow, W. B. Ferguson and C. A. Wilson sold this property to the Christian church for \$7,500, even though they had refused a much larger sum for it.

The church paid \$1,500 down on the property, the owners carrying a mortgage of \$5,000 on the balance. To the Ladies' Aid society fell the responsibility of getting rid of this debt.

The society is in a very healthy condition, showing a membership of 213, their actual cash contributions the past year amounting to \$1,705.26.

Calls Father 'Dad' Man Arrested on Charge of Bigamy

By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, MO., Dec. 18.—Because Eddie Smith, 31, just couldn't keep from calling his father "Dad" although the father wanted to be called "Uncle" in the presence of his second wife and her relatives, Lester A. Smith, 28, is held here today on a charge of bigamy.

ETERNITY IN MAN'S HEART GIVES POWER, PASTOR'S MESSAGE

"Eternity in the Heart" was the subject chosen by Dr. O. S. Powers for his Sunday morning sermon at the First Baptist church, taking his text from Ecclesiastes, third chapter, 11th verse: "He hath made everything beautiful in his time; also he hath set the world in their heart, so that no man can find out the work that God maketh from the beginning to the end."

Dr. Powers said: "This is the last book in the Bible from which you would expect a text like this. The writer is concerned with the ego; he is self-centered, materialistic and pessimistic. It is temporal, material and national in its sweep."

That was the weakness of Solomon, his wisdom and works were all under the sun and yet this unlikely man in this unfavorable environment, in this inopportune time, gives us a vision of a one of those instances in which divinity flashes out and overruns its narrow confines.

"The first question we might ask about this text is who is he that has done this wonderful thing? There is no use asking. There is but one person who does it—eternities. All the rest deal in time. We use most of our time watching the clock. Our calendar is the almanac. We live on the road between the cradle and the grave. We start out in the morning of January, and many of us never see the evening of December."

"God deals with time as a floating bubble in the air. He deals in eternities. I read in this book that He inhabits eternity; he holdeth the winds in his fist; He touches the mountains and they smoke; He calleth the stars by their names; He holdeth the ocean in his hand; and the world is as a thinking animal and another he is a moral animal and still another a praying animal. He is the only altar-builder in God's great creation. All these are really distinctions, but the chief distinction and the crowning glory of man is he is a creature of eternity. All other creatures come to the end of their way at the grave. Man alone crosses the river of death and wends his way through the eternities."

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SIMMONS TO PLAY AUSTIN COLLEGE HERE DURING FAIR

The football teams of Austin college of Sherman and Simmons college of Abilene will meet at the Texas-Oklahoma fair grounds on October 5. It was announced by the association Monday. Athletic officials of the two institutions are expected to meet here January 3 to draw up the formal contract.

The Simmons team played T. C. U. here last October giving this city its first collegiate football game, and the Abilene team at that time expressed a desire to play here again in 1923.

It is probable that one other game will be arranged for the fair. The acceptance, by the fair association, of the offer of the game is taken to mean that a grandstand will be constructed before the 1923 fair, as the contract calls for the game to be played at the fair grounds.

FUNERAL SERVICE IS HELD MONDAY FOR MRS. W. W. LITTLE

Funeral services for Mrs. W. W. Little, former resident of this city who died late Friday night at her home in Missouri was held from the First Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m. Monday, Dr. N. F. Graf officiating. Burial was in Riverside. The pall-bearers were: Walter Trione, A. E. Myler, W. H. Huff, Oral Jones, Walter Hendricks, Harry May, Joe Jones and Elmer Filgo.

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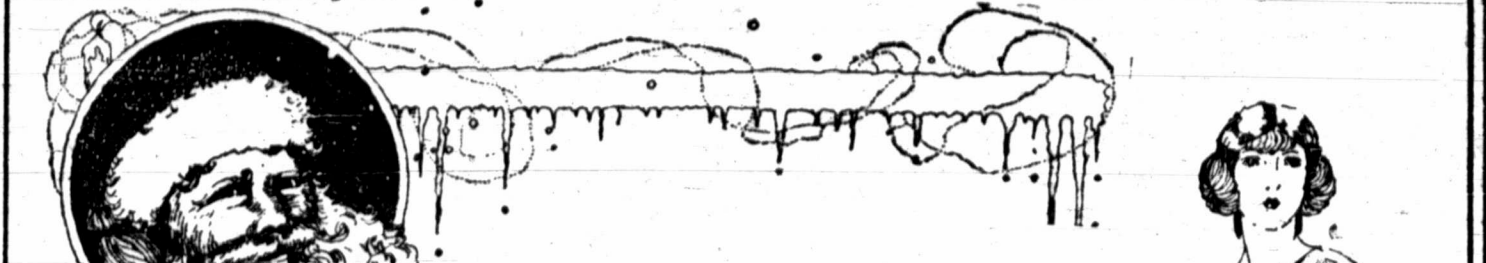
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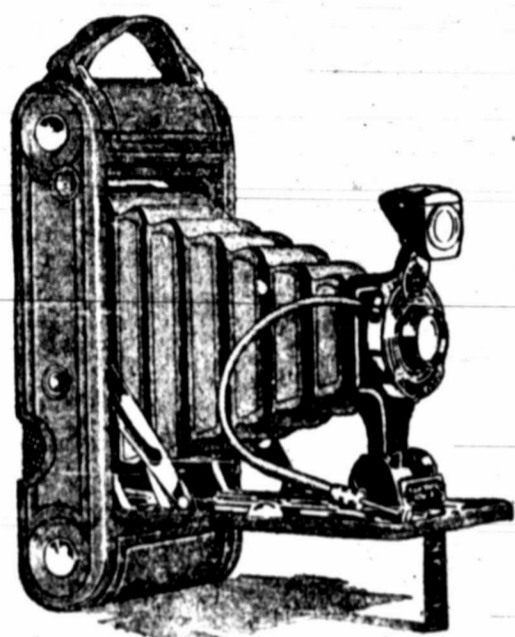
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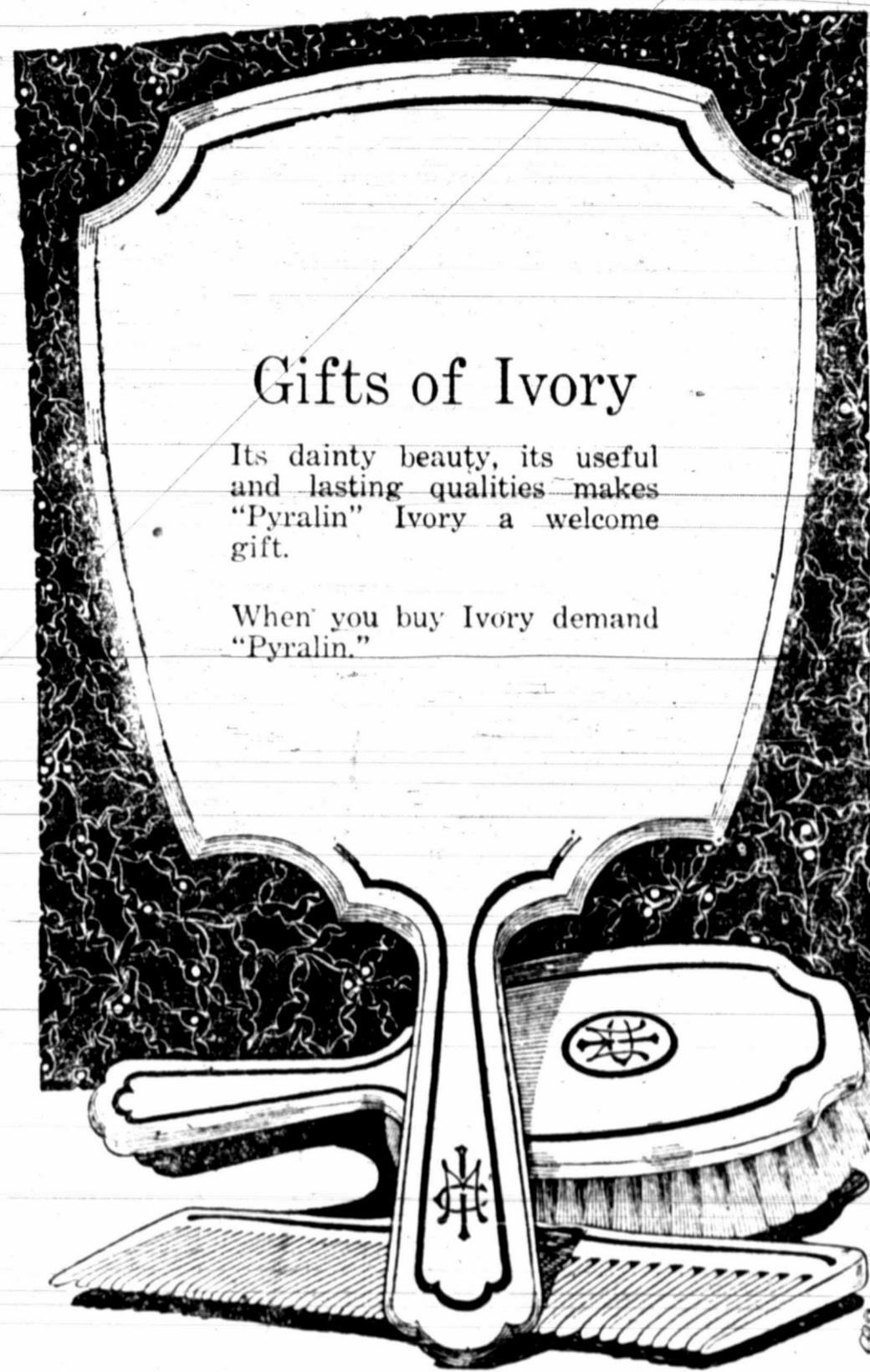
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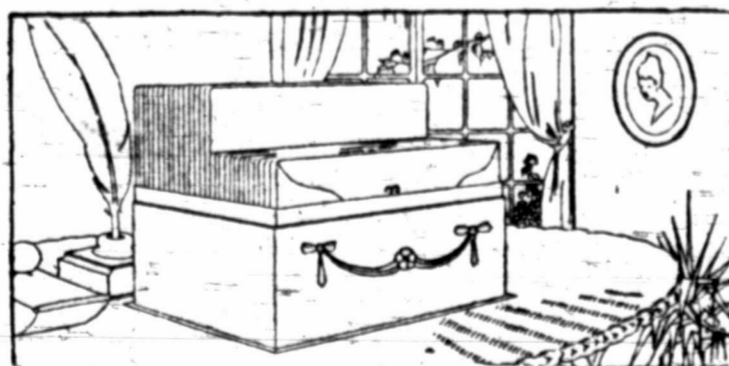
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TIMES' MAGAZINE-WOMAN'S PAGE

Significance of the Christmas Plum Pudding and Fruit Cake

As the holiday season approaches the housewife always thinks of making plum pudding and fruit cake. As they both keep indefinitely they can be made several weeks before Christmas and New Year.

Both fruit cake and plum pudding are old, dating back to Roman days. Of course the method of making them was different.

The spelling used to be "plumb" and all old English cook books have recipes for "plumb" cake. The plum pudding was originally made of barley with large pieces of suet in it and many plums.

All the children know the old rhyme:

"When good King Arthur ruled this land
He was a goodly king,
He stole three pecks of barley meal
To make a bag pudding,
"A bag pudding the king did make,
And stuffed it well with plums,
And in it put great lumps of fat,
As big as my two thumbs.

"The king and queen did eat thereof,
And nobles besides,
And what they could not eat that night
The queen, next morning, fried."

Plum pudding is of German origin, having been called "plum squash," and was a combination of barley and juice from fresh plums.

The Saxons boiled their pudding in a cloth, custom which is still followed, although a bowl is sometimes used with a cloth tied over the top. The plums are used no longer, but instead raisins.

The suet makes the pudding rich enough to prevent drying, and it may be retailed or baked any time and become as soft and delicate as if just made. Some cooks think that bread crumbs are preferable to flour, making a more delicate pudding.

Pagan Customs.

The pagans had a festival at the beginning of the longest night in the year in honor of the god Thor. Peace offerings in the form of cakes made of finest flour and sweetened with honey were made and not only offered to the god, but were given to friends.

When the Christian church wished to celebrate the birth of Christ it chose this time and festival and called it Christmas. The cake, usually plum cake, was served, and some of it was kept until New Year's day, or the succeeding year would be unlucky.

Fruit cake may be made simple with raisins and currants, or more elaborate with candied fruit and nuts.

It was always thought necessary to put in brandy or whisky to make the cake keep without drying, but strong coffee does very well, and if the cake is nipped and placed in a stone jar there is little danger of its drying before it is all eaten.

High Shades Are Seen in New Frocks



Velvet first. Shown in the black and black in soft-hued, complicated Paisley patterns. These are most popular, but then some brown and blue with all the bright light colors starting for evening wear.

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Silk crepe. Satin crepe, Canton crepe and the new flat crepe are most popular, but in silk with the slightest pretense to a crinkle in its weave is out of the running. Paisley printed crepe are the seasons' babies being arranged for brides.

Chiffon. Most fashionable for evening wear in high shades, of course.

Velvet. Seen only in black and blue, but very popular for afternoon frocks.

Charmeuse. A new incarnation of this heavy, supple silk that used to be black or brown and is now all the colors of a futuristic sunset.

FLORAL HEIGHTS WESLEY GIRLS PARTY THURSDAY

The Floral Heights Wesley Girls will have their Christmas party Thursday, instead of Friday, as has been previously announced by the club.

The party will be given at the home of Mrs. Ray Banks, 116 Melvingdale Drive, and every member is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKain left Monday morning for California, where they will spend a couple of months.

Wandering Alone Lake Shore Cures Suicidal Complex

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Two days of wandering along the shore of Lake Michigan and the Chicago river and drainage canal cured Miss Lillian Foster, 21 year old stenographer of Columbus, Ohio, of a "suicidal complex."

Today she appeared at the office of Dr. John L. Murphy, psychiatrist who has been diagnosing her self-destruction ideas for two months, and announced that the water was too cold for drowning.

"I just could not kill myself," she told Dr. Murphy. "Death in those icy waters seemed too terrible."

Police had been hunting for her 48 hours following the discovery of her disappearance and of three farewell letters addressed to her brother, Dewey Foster, 146 South Wheatland avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

SWASTIKA ABANDONS HOLE NEAR OLNEX, STARTS ANOTHER

The Swastika Oil company, located on the J. F. Richardson land, block 16 of the south Anderson ranch subdivision north of Olnex, have abandoned their No. 1 test in the hole and have skidded the derrick 1800 feet to the west of No. 1 and will drill a new well.

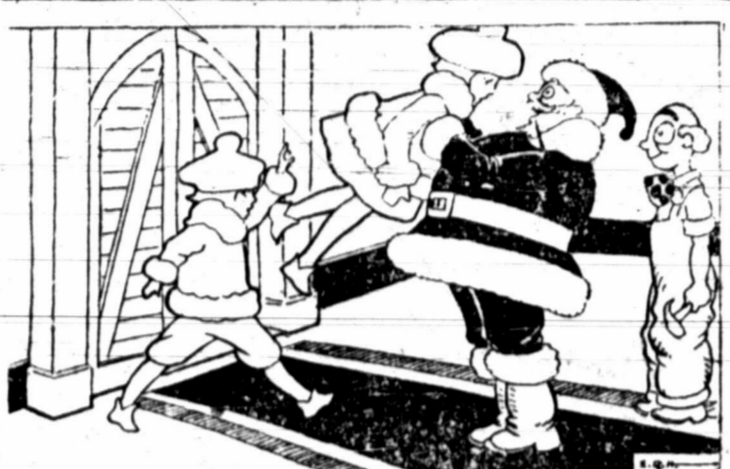
JURY FOR WEEK CALLED FOR TUESDAY MORNING

The jury panel for the week was called for Tuesday morning of this week instead of Monday and for that reason the trial of criminal cases in the county court at law was continued until Tuesday morning. A long list of cases has been set for each day.

Judge Guy Rogers has continued the case against Lee Sprinkle charged with negligent homicide and has set it down for trial on Wednesday, January 3.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS Off to Help Santa

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Why, hello there, kiddies," cried Santa, giving each of them a hearty kiss and hug.

As Christmas was coming and Santa Claus, as usual, was as busy as a tailor—or busier—the Fairy Queen sent for the Twins to help him.

The Green Wizard in the tree-tops could spare them now, so many Forest and Meadow folk had gone to Dreamland for the winter, he had so much to do.

So off went the Twins toward the North Pole.

No, Nancy and Nick did not have to go to Brownland to help the little Brownies dig the golden glitter for the tree-tops as they had done once before. This time they were to help the toy-maker, Santa Claus' chief assistant.

The toy-maker lived in a large house near the North Pole and his name was Mr. Toy.

"Tap, tap, tap," they rapped on his big front door with the great brass knocker.

Instantly the door swung open and there stood not only the toy-maker, but Santa himself!

"Why, hello there, kiddies," cried

Santa, giving each of them a hearty kiss and a hug. "I declare if you aren't just in time! Mr. Toy Maker and I were talking about the notes. The chimney notes, you know, that the children write. We can't get to work on the toys very well until we know about how many dolls are wanted this year. Also horns, drums, blocks, skates, books, woolly horts, sleds, building blocks, radio sets, pogo-sticks, electric trains, express wagons, kiddy cars, jumping jacks, tops, music-boxes and what not."

Santa Claus stopped, all out of breath. "There now," he went on, "you two twins go and get all the notes out of the chimneys and bring them to us so we can begin work at once."

The naughty gnome will get there first, if you're not careful, and if he does he'll steal the notes, because he doesn't want the children to have woolly Christmas if he can help it."

(To be continued)
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DRAW FUNNIES

Drawings by Bill Holman. Verses by Hal Cochran.
Draw in the missing lines and then color the picture.



"A nurse girl takes the baby out, and washes his face."
So baby will not cry.

MRS. FOSTER PRESENTS PUPILS IN PIANO RECITAL

Mrs. E. M. Foster presented her pupils in piano recital Saturday afternoon, with the parents and friends of the young entertainers, forming the guest group.

Those on the program included Misses—Leona, Paul, Annesworth, Juanita Owens, Adonella Masie, Minnie Thom, Sibyl Willey, Laverne Harrison, Marjorie Holland, Susan Annesworth, Mary Moore Brown, Mildred Gidhouse, Lucile Morris, Frances Carter, Ann May Crews, Mamie Rahorn and Lee Krwin and J. W. Ewins.

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Wichita Falls St. Mary's Club Completes Organization Saturday

The Wichita Falls St. Mary's club, with Mrs. Claude Woods president, is a new organization in this city since Saturday afternoon.

The club, which will hold semi-annual and special meetings, is comprised of ex-students of St. Mary's college in Dallas, the Episcopal school founded by Bishop Garrett. Its other officers and charter members include the following: Mrs. T. B. Greenwood, vice president; Mrs. J. E. Childers, secretary-treasurer; Mesdames W. N. Maer, W. S. Langford, G. D. Anderson and Stevens and Mesdames Flora Bruce Greenwood, Gertrude Datson and Florence Datson.

At Saturday's meeting, held with Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. W. N. Maer and Miss Gertrude Datson gave sketches of college life at St. Mary's during their respective terms at the college. Mrs. Greenwood offered a toast to Bishop Garrett. The club discussed a luncheon in February but this was not definitely decided on.

Brief News Items

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Patriarche Militant will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the I. O. O. F. hall. Every member is requested to be present.

Mrs. J. E. O'Brien and children, John A. and Dennis, left Saturday for Gainesville where they will spend Christmas with her parents. Mr. O'Brien expects to go later in the week.

Master Jack Lee Grayson, who has been very ill from scarlet fever, is able to be up, and Dick, who is still very ill from the fever, is reported improved Monday. Both are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Grayson.

Genevieve, the little five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams of 1910 Tenth street, is reported seriously ill.

Mrs. Leslie Stewart left Monday morning for Christmas with "her mother in Fort Worth. Mr. Stewart will go down before Monday for a few days.

Miss Catherine Cook, piano and voice instructor, will close her studio Saturday, December 23, for the holidays. Will reopen Monday, January 1. New students desiring to study, phone 2342, 1312 Eleventh street—adv.

Spanish Fricassee of Chicken.
1 chicken or young fowl, cut in pieces for serving
1 cup olive oil
2 teaspoons salt
2 teaspoons paprika
1 onion, medium size
1 clove garlic
1 green pepper
2 cups tomato
1 quart water
1 cup rice (well washed)
Sprinkle the pieces of chicken with the paprika and fry in the bacon fat or oil until nicely browned in remaining fat, fry the onion, thinly sliced; the garlic, finely cut; the green pepper, cut in strips, and the rice. When rice is yellow, place all with the chicken in a kettle, add water and tomato and cook slowly until chicken is tender and rice is soft. In serving, turn rice on to platter, and on it lay the pieces of chicken. The rice will take up the liquid, leaving just enough to make it moist.
Note: The quantities of salt and pepper may not be sufficient. Always season more to taste.

Furs Scarfs and Chokers Reduced

Just in time to let Santa include them in his pack comes this sharp reduction on the price of fur scarfs and chokers. The gift that will be a source of joy to any woman or Miss on Christmas morn.

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- \$59.50 Fox Scarfs in Brown or black at \$48.85
- \$55.00 Fox Scarfs in gray, black and brown at \$48.85
- \$45.00 Fox Scarfs in taupe, black and brown at \$39.85
- \$49.50 Fox Scarfs in gray or brown at \$39.85
- \$39.50 Fox Scarfs on sale at \$29.85
- \$35.00 Fox Scarfs in black at \$24.85

Chokers In Sable and Stone Marten Reduced

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1000 pairs of new Oxfords and straps in tan calf, and patent leather and straps in black satin. All sizes in every style. The greatest value we have ever offered.

Regular \$4 & \$5 Values for **\$2.60**

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EIGHTEEN BUFFALO GOODN!

CLARENDRON, 1st Friday was number of our city night ranch. W. J. McCalliste who now owns a number of Buick cars and of these brought 3 average of 25 or dressed. He ship heads to different Oklahoma and alone will bring each. There are 226 h. falcons left on the blood calves. B. McCallister has a 100, which have the wall between night, who still home place on it.

GRAYSON (FARMER STRUC)

By Assoc. led Pro SHERMAN, 7th Ranch in 1917. At last night from when he was str alle near his hom Wright yesterday by his widow an

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VERNON PEOL HOLIDAYS W

VERNON, T Long and spen Fort Worth w Cy Long and t Ring relative will return to Christmas with other members Smith Mallow low and Minark mas with relat McKinney, Tex some of Mr. McKinnis visit to the old. Miss Mary Ka has been visit and her aunt at at. Mrs. Mallow spend Christmas and mother, Mr. Mrs. Miss Max Crosby at the Minn, several m of the year for has been in Pos Mrs. Pauline been in Dallas a sanitation. Wesley afterno panted by Miss her sister, who Southern Metho

CHRISTMAS CA GIVEN AT PLO

An apprecia large congreg the evening se Highgate Meth evening. The se to the choir. t sacred. Casti light by R. 3 able leaders! Adams, choir d preparation fo solo and ensam tidly executed.

Between the set the cantata dered Chopin's violin. The t the choir were: Soprano, Mrs. W. R. C Harvey, Mrs. J E. H. MacArthur, Mrs. W. L. Rho erta, Mrs. Fred D. Simmons, and Miss Flora Evans, J. M. A. Contraltos: M M. Ballard, Mrs. O. M. Res Basses: W. Park, C. R. W. D. W. Harvey.

FUNERAL SER SUNDAY PC

Funeral ser well known re Saturday at street, were S Sunday aftern attended in sp weather.

Rev. Lamb ducted the se at the grave, t Senior Warden in charge. Mr Tempilar Maor J. L. McClure, Harry V. Stan C. M. Dodgen.

EIGHTEEN HEAD OF BUFFALO KILLED AT GOODNIGHT RANCH

CLARENDON, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—Last Friday was celebrated by a number of our citizens on the Goodnight ranch. W. J. McCallister of Wichita Falls who now owns the ranch, had sold a number of buffaloes to butchers of Texas and Oklahoma and they were being dressed for delivery. Eighteen head were killed and shipped. These almost extinct beasts brought Mr. McCallister an average of 25 cents per pound, dressed. He shipped the hides and heads to different points over Texas, Oklahoma and Colorado. These alone will bring him around \$100 each. There are 226 head of grown buffaloes left on the ranch and 48 full blood calves. His son, Med McCallister, has a number of cat-fishes, which have been crossed by the well known Col. Chase, Goodnight, and the number of his old home place on the ranch.

GRAYSON COUNTY FARMER IS DEAD; STRUCK BY AUTO

By Associated Press. SHERMAN, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—A. W. Burchfield, farmer, died here last night from injuries sustained when he was struck by an automobile near his home east of Wichita. Burchfield is survived by his widow and nine children.

NEW TEST STARTED IN HUTCHINSON COUNTY ON WEATHERLY RANCH

Another well was added to the number of drilling tests in the Panhandle when the Plains Oil company's No. 1 on the Weatherly ranch in Hutchinson county was completed a few days ago. The well is located about one and a half miles north of the Texas company test, and according to reports of geologists the location is one of the best in the Panhandle. It has been reported that the Texas company have made a location near La For in Gray county and will put down a test. Major Howard also has a drilling contract to put down a well near Pittsburg, La., capitalista, near La For in the same county.

VERNON PEOPLE TO SPEND HOLIDAYS WITH RELATIVES

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—Cy Long and his sister, Miss Lora Long, will spend Christmas day in Fort Worth with relatives. Mrs. Cy Long and two small sons are visiting relatives at this time and will return to Fort Worth to spend Christmas with her husband and other members of the family. Smith Mallow of the firm of Mallow and Minter will spend Christmas with relatives and friends at McKinney, Texas. This is the old home of Mr. Mallow and he will spend some time there with his brother. Dr. R. E. Dickenson and family expect to spend a part of the holidays at Sterling City with relatives. R. D. L. Killough will spend Christmas day with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Killough. R. Q. M. Killough and family of Garwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bullock of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson of Teague, Texas, and Mrs. Rack of La Feria, Texas, will join Mr. Killough in a visit to the old home. Miss Mary Katherine Massey, who has been visiting her grandfather and her aunt at Roswell, New Mexico, has returned with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Massey. Miss Massey was at Mayo Brothers' sanitarium, Rochester, N.Y., several months the early part of the year for an operation, and has been in Roswell for her health. She is very much improved. Mrs. Pauline Morris, who has been in Dallas for two months at a sanitarium, returned to Vernon Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Katherine Pierce, her sister, who has been attending Southern Methodist university.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA IS GIVEN AT FLORAL M. E. CHURCH

An appreciative, though not a large congregation was present at the evening service of the Floral Heights Methodist church Sunday evening. The service was given over to the choir, which rendered the sacred cantata, "The Wondrous Light," by M. M. Stull. Under the able leadership of Mrs. Mary B. Adams, choir director, the choir had been rehearsing several weeks in preparation for this event. The solo and ensemble work were splendidly executed. Between the first and second part of the cantata, Jarrell Goss rendered Chopin's "Nocturne" on the violin. The members composing the choir were: Soprano: Mrs. J. M. Alexander, Mrs. W. Chauncey, Mrs. O. W. Harvey, Mrs. Brown Hopkins, Mrs. E. H. MacArthur, Mrs. Ed Peterson, Mrs. W. L. Rhodes, Mrs. C. R. Robb, Mrs. Fred Schmann, Mrs. W. G. Simmons, Mrs. S. E. Trevathan and Miss Floye Eules. Tenors: Milton Johnson, P. G. Evans, J. M. Alexander. Contraltos: Mrs. J. M. Bland, Mrs. B. M. Bullard, Mrs. John Kay and Mrs. G. M. Reeves. Basses: W. L. Rhodes, J. E. Park, C. R. Roberts, B. Hopkins and J. W. Harvey.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD SUNDAY FOR LATE J. B. NAIL

Funeral services for J. B. Nail, well known resident who died early Saturday at his home on Ninth street, were held from the residence Sunday afternoon and were largely attended in spite of the inclement weather. Rev. Lamberth Hancock conducted the services at the house. At the grave, the Masons, headed by Senior Warden W. P. West, were in charge. Mr. Nail was a Knight Templar Mason. Pall-bearers were J. L. McClure, I. H. Roberts, W. T. Harris, V. Stampfli, J. M. Miller and C. M. Dodgen.

Bowie News

Thursday Club Notes. The Thursday club met with Mrs. W. T. Coffield December 7. Twenty-two members present. Committee reported much interest was taken in the story telling hour for the children at the chamber of commerce on Saturday afternoon. Plans were made for the food sale, December 13; proceeds to be given to the public library fund. Mrs. Arthur Wells was appointed to meet with the general committee to purchase community dishes. The club was asked to take part in the community Christmas tree. It was announced that Mrs. Potter had been solicited at the state meeting, convening at Houston, to run for state president of federated clubs. Mrs. Raines led the lesson on Longfellow, first giving a biography on Longfellow's life, and asking interesting questions on his works. Psalm of life was sung by the club, Mrs. W. T. Coffield playing the accompaniment. "Hymn to the Night" was read by Mrs. C. F. Hutchison. Longfellow's Sonnets was given by Mrs. Hays.

Entertain for Postmaster. The employees of the Bowie post-office, including the carriers of the rural and city routes, and their wives tendered Mr. Shelton a turkey dinner at the Ayres hotel, there being 18 at the table. This entertainment was intended soon after Mr. Shelton received his commission, but was postponed because he took down with rheumatism and had to go to Marlin. The dinner was served family style, and it was some dinner, too. And after the feast was over, Mr. Turner, acting as toastmaster, a number of talks were made. It was noticeable in all of the talks that the employees were all friends of the postmaster and wished to make his administration the very best ever had in Bowie, and to this end they all pledged their best cooperation.

Latin Club. The Latin students of the Bowie high school held a meeting for the purpose of organizing a Latin club. The student is required to make an average of 75 to be a member of the club. This is the main requirement. The meeting was called to order and the following officers were elected: Henry Bradley, president; Ernest Brown, vice president; Maurine Allred, secretary and reporter; Lillian Cassey, treasurer; Myrtle Shelton, parliamentarian, and Miss Emma Brown, sergeant at arms. A committee of five was appointed by the president to draw up the constitution and by-laws of the club. The purpose of the club is to study Greek and Roman history and literature. They intend to study much Latin poetry.

A Surprise Birthday Dinner. Mrs. Bessie Martin entertained in honor of W. T. Penn's birthday recently. The turkey dinner, which was served in courses, exceeded even Mrs. Martin's reputation for good cooking. Plates were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Penn, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Linn, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mangum, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Phillips, Mrs. G. B. Cleveland.

Parasails. Dr. W. T. Givens is in the city this week meeting old friends. G. W. Alcorn of Montague was a visitor in the city this week. Miss Ruth Carlton of Ringgold was a visitor in Bowie last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Younger of Newport were visitors in the city the first of the week. Sam Dabbs of Ardmore, Okla., was a visitor in the city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Sellus Bryant of Nocona were here Wednesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tucker have moved to Decatur, where Luther has a position with the gas company. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Davies have returned home after a week's visit to Fort Worth. J. A. Britz was a business visitor in Dallas the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunt and children of Jackboro visited in the city. Misses Texanna Hodges and Grace Carmichael of Nocona were shopping in Bowie one day this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cady and daughter came over from Jackboro to spend a few days with home folks. Mrs. Berry and daughter, Miss Queva Berry, of St. Jo, were shopping in Bowie Wednesday.

Wade Hobby, formerly with Williams drug store, is now in the barber business at Rufa Williams' old stand. R. Q. Kennedy of Fort Worth was in the city shaking hands with old friends.

Fell's Candy An Ideal Gift. Fell's Candy makes an ideal Christmas gift. Its super quality will gratify the most fastidious, and it is packed in attractive gift boxes. Leave your order to be delivered Christmas morning to your sweetheart, relatives and friends, and see how appreciative they'll be.

STORE OPENS AT 9 O'CLOCK

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CLOTHING STORE AT GRANDFIELD ROBBED GET \$250 IN CASH

GRANDFIELD, OKLA., Dec. 18.—The safe of the Hub Clothing company was blown open by yegmen some time after midnight Sunday night, and the cash drawer, containing about \$250 in cash and checks, was looted.

The safe door was blown off by the explosion, but no other damage was done and the fact that the noise was so muffled that no one was disturbed by it is taken by officers as indicating that the job was done by experienced yegs. There are thought to have been three of them, as three overcoats were missing from stock. Entrance to the store was effected by prying the front door from its hinges. This is the first indication of yeg operations in this section for some time.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN CONGREGATION BEING ORGANIZED AT ELECTRA

On invitation of the Presbyterians at Electra the Synodical Home Mission office at Dallas sent Rev. S. D. Crouch, field superintendent, to Electra to survey the situation. He found over 100 Presbyterians there, and 22 of them signed up for an organization the first few days and it is expected that nearly 100 will be signed as charter members by the time Amarillo Presbytery acts upon the petition to be received as a congregation. At the solicitation of Mr. Crouch, Rev. N. F. Grafton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church here, together with some of his elders and members went to Electra Sunday afternoon and preached to an enthusiastic congregation. Mr. LeBus, who owns an assembly hall there, tendered its use to the Presbyterians and this new congregation will be comfortably housed. Dr. Grafton goes back to Electra next Sunday to preach at 3:00 o'clock p. m. and to complete the preliminary work.

JUDGE WILSON CALLS HIS TRIAL DOCKET MONDAY P. M. Judge H. R. Wilson of the 20th district court called his trial docket Monday afternoon. The announcement was made Monday morning just before the grand jury was empaneled. He stated that he would not find time during the morning session to take up this duty.

Because the holidays are near don't neglect your eyes. Faith Optical Co., 218 Scott avenue.—Adv.

ADDITIONAL TEACHER EMPLOYED AT VERNON

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the school board, called by President R. D. L. Killough on Saturday, Miss Benny Works was elected to the faculty of the Vernon schools. Miss Works will teach at the central building and will have one of the grades. The compulsory attendance law will be enforced beginning January 1st, and this will bring about 100 additional pupils. At the meeting Superintendent E. L. Dohoney stated that according to his records there would be at least that many new pupils to begin January 1st. One case of scarlet fever was reported in one of the homes and all members of the family who were attending school were required to bring a certificate from their doctor before they were allowed to return. Owing to the fact that this case was not reported to the school authorities when the child was first taken, the board requested the superintendent to see each of the doctors of the city and ask them to report each case of disease that might be contagious, to him and to the county health officer, so necessary steps could be taken to protect the health of the other pupils. School will recess on Tuesday noon for the holidays, and will take up again on January 1. A number of the teachers will leave for their home on Thursday, where they will spend the holidays with families and friends.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

He that refuseth instruction despiseth his own soul; but he that heareth reproof getteth understanding.—Proverbs 15:32
Five great intellectual professions have hitherto existed in every civilized nation; the soldier's, to defend it; the pastor's, to teach it; the physician's, to keep it in health; the lawyer's, to enforce justice; and the merchant's, to provide; and all these men, on due occasion, to die for it.—John Ruskin.

YOUR OWN WAY

You can learn much philosophy and knowledge of human nature by watching simple incidents. For instance:
In a Pullman smoking room, one traveler recently began boasting of the merits of his safety razor. The others unconsciously began stroking their chins. One spoke up, praising a second make of razor. Another post-pooched, he used a third make—"got it all over the others."

Six different makes of safety razors were touted for world leadership. Each claimant firmly believed he was right, the rest wrong. They appealed to the seventh passenger—economical of conversation, smoking quietly in the corner with hat over his eyes.
"None of you is right," he announced, knocking the ashes out of his pipe. "I use the only real razor—the old-fashioned straight blade without any safety guard."
The argument was carried to the porter, supreme judge of many a Pullman argument.
The porter chuckled and said: "I don't see it makes any difference. The important point is that each of you, no matter what kind of razor you use, comes out with a clean shave."

You sit down in a restaurant and ponder the bill-of-fare. Finally you order. "Ask the waiter and he'll tell you that, except where there's a straight table of hot dinner for a fixed price, no two persons in a large dining room order exactly the same meal.
However, they all walk out with a full stomach—or, at least, sufficient fuel to keep their engines running.
Each of us has a slightly different way of doing things. But, in the end, we are all working toward the same goals.
There are millions of roads, all leading to the same happiness, just as there are many ways of baking good bread.
Some roads are longer than others. And, by traveling the long roads we naturally take longer to reach our goal than the people with sufficient vision to take the short-cut. Alas, too many of us select such a long route that we die before we reach the goal or even in sight of it.
No two people go after money in exactly the same way. There's the same difference in methods of seeking successful marriage, bringing up of children, recreation and others of a long list.
In national government we have the same common goal—lots of service and public improvements, at lowest possible cost. But, like men who shave and hungry folk who enter the restaurant with contrasting appetites, we differ as to how to reach what we want.
It's a good thing always to remember that we have something in common with the opposition." If all contending parties could get this through their heads, an exchange of ideas might reveal the compromise that would prove to be a mutual short-cut.

ILLINOIS REJECTS NEW CONSTITUTION

Returns from the election in Illinois on the adoption of a new state constitution show that the proposed new constitution was rejected by a majority of more than 800,000 of the votes polled.
The Chicago Tribune attributes the defeat of the proposed constitution to the fact that it contained too many provisions that ought properly to have been left to the legislature, and to the ambiguity of certain of its provisions.
These are two rocks that Texas must avoid when it comes to draft its new constitution. As said by this paper several days ago, all that ought to be necessary in a constitution is a declaration of principles, a statement of rights of citizens that must be protected of all costs, the division of the government into its three coordinate branches setting up a government and turning it over to the people with as few restrictions and limitations as possible. And these things ought to be stated in the most direct, plain and simple language so that there could be no doubt or question as to what was meant.
It has been the fashion in constitutions of late to attempt to put too much in them. The constitutions of a number of states are much longer than the constitution of the United States. Even the constitution of Texas covers many more pages than the constitution of the United States. Because too much was put in it originally is one of the reasons why it is now considered necessary to frame a new constitution for Texas.
Texas ought to profit in its constitution making from some of the mistakes made in Illinois.

SMILE A WHILE WITH TOM SIMS

A pork-roast is expensive and a beef roast expensive but neither is as expensive as roasting somebody.
They are discovering ways to do everything except sleep fast.
Check to check dancing has boosted the dry business.
The man with a fake cure for rheumatism pull your leg.
Oregon professor says teachers should know 40 words and the small boys say "Study this at home should not be among them."

INTERESTING FIGURES ON FEDERAL RECLAMATION WORK

Just now when the question of conservation of water and the reclamation of lowlands is coming to the front in Texas, the Houston Chronicle finds a most opportune time to call attention to the results which have flowed from work along that line during the past 15 years by the federal government. The statistics cited will be of especial interest in this section where the Big Wichita Irrigation project is under construction.
The Chronicle points out that:
"There has been spent in that time \$135,000,000.
"A complete water supply has been furnished for 1,875,000 acres of arid land, and about 1,100,000 in private projects have received a supplemental supply.
"On government projects there are 31,462 farms of an average size of about 52 acres, supplying more than 30,000 families.
"Canals aggregating more than 13,000 miles have been built.
"Besides the five great dams have been built ranging in height from 200 to 349 feet.
"The whole work has added an agricultural area equal to that of the whole state of West Virginia, or the combined areas of Vermont and Connecticut.
"The value of crops raised on farms on government projects in 1921 amounted to \$49,820,000, exclusive of about \$45,000,000 worth raised on private projects, which were furnished water from works erected by the government.
"The value of crops grown on land irrigated by federal projects was \$2.85 an acre as compared with \$1.52 for the whole country.
"Since the government projects began the delivery of water the value of crops grown on reclaimed land has exceeded \$475,000,000 exclusive of the value of the crops grown on private land watered through government projects, and exclusive of the increased value of livestock products.
"The increased value of the lands as a result of reclamation work is placed at over \$500,000,000. That amount is one-third of the total assessed values of Texas.
"Chronicle specials have rarely conveyed more enlightening and encouraging information.
"A large part of the land, which can be reclaimed in Texas is not arid, but holds too much water, and is as rich as the valley of the Nile. The Chronicle commends the flaps above to the careful consideration of the legislators."

TODAY'S TALK

REACH FOR IT!
There isn't a bump being living who doesn't long for something beyond his reach.
How fortunate! For all we had to do was to reach for what we wanted, and get it, it wouldn't take long for all the tentative within us to wither and dry up.
The racer arranges for someone to act as "pacer" for him—traveling ahead, spur him on to his best.
Likewise in our physical, mental and spiritual aspirations must we strive for that which is higher than our present plane.
Reach for what you so richly desire. It may be a long way off, but reaching will make it seem nearer anyway—and as you die, the embryo of a deed is formed!
Keep wanting something better and you will get something better.
Your very thoughts are able to wash your soul clean. And if you reach for beautiful soul, you will have one all right.
Quite often the most seemingly impossible objects of our search and prayer of effort, are really those nearest and most possible and reaching for them, makes them so.
I like tall buildings for they are so inspiring. Their imaginary arms beacon ward the sky. I like anything that will make me look up—that will compel me to make a greater effort.
Reach for what you want—for he who yearns to be. Keep reaching. Never stop hoping. Bear in mind that it is the last reach that will bring to you your heart's desire.
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JUST FOLKS

THE CHRISTMAS LETTER
Last night I found upon my bed,
A letter in a childish hand,
And opening it I, smiling, read:
"Dear Dad: I want a snaregun, and
A pair of skates, another shawl,
A wrist watch with a leather band.
"I'd like to have an airship, too,
Get one that has a little spy;
A flashlight and a game that new,
A set of books that I can read,
And anything to wear which is
And Mother think I really did."
I chuckled as I read each line,
Put down with such a childish scrawl,
Yet better far than writing fine,
Where never blot was known to fall,
Better than poetry divine—
For joy was lavished through all.
Oh sad, thought I, that man must see
When once again the note he'd read—
Though great his wealth of luxury,
Who has no little curly head,
To leave, where he shall surely see
A Christmas letter on his bed.
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BUSINESS DAY BY DAY

as the Government sees it
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STOCKS HIGHEST IN YEAR
Average Value Per Share of 25 Industrials & 25 Railroads
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CO-OPERATION

In Aim of Farm Co-Operatives
By HARRY B. HUNT
NEA Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Co-operation among cooperatives.
That is the aim of a conference to be held here December 14-16 by representatives of all national cooperative marketing associations. Out of it is expected to come a new impetus to cooperative marketing among farmers.
"The leaders of the cooperation movement are getting together in a national effort to work out means for its growth," says Charles M. Morgan, field representative of the American Cotton Growers' Exchange who is in charge of arrangements.
"Particular attention will be given the subject of rural credits legislation.
"Cooperative marketing has been spreading at an amazing rate.
Growth of Movement.
"Two years ago there were no large tobacco cooperatives. This year the tobacco cooperatives will probably handle at least two-thirds of the American crop.
"There were no cotton cooperatives two years ago. This year 10 state organizations and the national overhead organization, the American Cotton Growers' Exchange, are operating. Three more state organizations are being organized and a tremendous volume of business handled.
"Nearly a dozen state wheat organizations and their overhead agencies are successfully functioning, where a few years ago there were none.
"All these in addition to all sorts of cooperatives for the handling of other farm products.
Benefits All.
"Not only has the producer benefited by better prices wherever his product has been handled cooperatively, but the consumer has been likewise benefited by a better and more uniform product, at better prices.
One big weakness in the cooperative movement to date, Morgan says, was the fact that it had no national voice. There is no body to point the way, to coordinate the separate cooperatives, to operate in a national way. That is what the cooperative council, to be organized at the Washington conference, will supply.
Give your girl big earnings. If you can't find a firm in which she will be unable to turn her head.
The too smallest place in the world is a boy's stomach on Christmas.

YOU AND I

By ALBERT APPLE
JAM.
New York City will have 25 million inhabitants by another five or six years, and 45 million by the year 2222. So predicts its traffic expert, John A. Harris. Other cities also.
Feeding such a mob is a delightful prospect for future farmers. The men who till the soil already have about all they can handle in the way of keeping city people alive.
Will they stand for their burden being doubled, tripled, quadrupled, and so on indefinitely? Not unless an army of Henry Ford gets into the farming business.
MONEY.
German prices by the end of the year will be at least 2000 times higher than before the war.
If we had the same situation a suit of clothes that cost \$15 before the war would now be selling for \$30,000. And a house that used to rent for \$40 would now bring the landlord \$100 a month.
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MARRIAGE.
Married people grow stale of each other. Specific to be successful, must give a group a vacation from each other. Few believe this. One who does is Prof. Frederick H. Koch.
Most couples, when they think they will divorce, really need only a temporary separation—a vacation.
Roger Dolan says he'd give anything to get away at times, from that most monotonous individual—himself.
"BABY MINE"
I WONDER IF MARY IS SLIPPING PAPA A HINT WHEN SHE SAYS "BUY BUY" EVERY MORNING?



CAN THE YOUNGSTER MAKE THEM LOVE EACH OTHER



THE SKY LINE OF SPRUCE

By Edison Marshall
gray of twilight, Eram saw the place to land.
It was a small lagoon into which a creek emptied, and beyond was an open meadow, found so often and so that, when they pushed off, he saw unexpectedly in the north woods, Swiftly Ben turned the canoe into shore.
All at once a great clarity seemed to take possession of Ben's mind. Here, in these forests, were the stimuli of which Forest, the alienist, had spoken; and his brain seemed to leap, as in an impulse, to the truth. Suddenly he knew the answer to all the questions and problems that had troubled him so long.
He sprang up, his eyes blazing: "I remember everything," an inaudible voice spoke within him. Then he whispered, fervently, to his familiar wilds. "And I have come home."
CHAPTER IV
A Belt From the Blue
Everything was as it should be, as he and Eram made the camp. "It's all come clear again," he told Eram. He remembered, now that Eram had always been the most intimate friend of his own family, a boy old grandfather to himself and young sister, a boy known to his father, Ben did not wonder now, at his own perplexity when Forest had spoken of "Wolf" Darby. That was the name, known throughout hundreds of square miles of forest and in dozens of little river hamlets in an eastern province.
The journey ended at last. They saw the white peak that had been told to watch for, and soon after they came to a green bank from which the forest had never known. They pushed up and made landing on the banks of a small stream.
This stream, Eram knew, was Fox River, the stream of which his brother had written, and which they were to secure supplies and from Stego Morris, the late Hiram's son, the late Hiram's son.
Before they were fully unladen they made out the figure of a middle-aged frontiersman—his back toward them, advancing up the road.
"Howdy," Eram began pleasantly.
"Howdy," the stranger replied. "How was your trip?"
"Oh, good enough."
"Come all the way from Saltville?"
(Continued in Our Next Issue)



LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK
By LEE PAPE
I was doing my lessons agent my will on the setting room floor and ma was darning holes out of stockings and pop was smoking his beef masher mope and filling up with more tobacco, all the time, and after a while he said, "My dear boy, this mearham pipe is coloring up pretty."
"Ware? ma said."
"Rite hear on the bowl of course, dont you see that wonderfull delicate shade of brown? pop said."
"Ware? ma said."
"It's plain enuff, pop said. I may not know much about music, but I'm not color blind, he said."
"If you mean that scorching place around the top, you did that with your matches when you lit it, ma said."
"That's black, not brown, Im referring to the bottom of the bowl, not the top, pop said."
"Well ware? ma said."
"Yes gods, Ill leave it to Benny, pop said. Do you see any brown on this pipe, Benny? he said, looking at the pipe."
"Well that part you put in your mouth is certainly brown all rite, I said."
"The bit, the amber bit, of course that's brown and always was, but the day it was born, yest gods I've married into a color blind family, pop said."
"And he kept on smoking the pipe and looking at it between every puff as if he wanted to see then he lit a cigar and started to smoke that."
"Do you remember when you shot the Athabaska Rapids?" Eram had asked. It was all clear enough. In that life that was forgotten he had evidently lived much in a canoe, knowing every detail of river life.
Late afternoon, and they worked close to the shore. And now, in the

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SHIPS FIGHT FOR PASSAGE THROUGH TOWERING SEAS

BATTLE ACROSS THE ICY WASTES OF LAKE SUPERIOR

STRUGGLE HAS ALREADY CLAIMED SEVERAL LIVES

Nearly a Dozen Died When Canadian Steamer Is Wrecked; Twenty-seven Missing

By Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Battling foot by foot through towering seas and freezing spray, the men who go down to the sea in ships were fighting today an epochal battle across the icy waters of Lake Superior to keep navigation open far beyond its usual time and bring down the lakes the last cargo of the year.

Already the fight has claimed its toll of lives. Nearly a dozen died a few days ago when a Canadian steamer was dashed to pieces within a stone's throw of safety at the mouth of the Portage lake ship canal.

Twenty-seven more were added to the probable death roll when survivors of the tug Reliance, wrecked last Wednesday on Lisard island, reached Sault Ste. Marie after almost incredible hardships.

Navigation on the upper lakes usually closes December 1. This year it was decided to keep the waterways open until December 15 because the coal and rail strike had cut down the coal shipped to the northwest and delayed the movement of grain east.

As a result nine big freighters loaded with grain—118,000 tons worth of ships and cargo—were fighting their way down Lake Superior toward that graveyard of gallant vessels. White Star was trying to win through to Buffalo for winter storage.

In Mud Lake, near the St. Mary's river, another big fleet is ice bound, waiting for the arrival of the nine which left Port Williams, Ont., three days ago before trying, with the assistance of ice breaking tugs, to win past Detour to the open waters of Lake Huron.

The story of the fate of the Reliance, owned by the Superior Paper company, of Sault Ste. Marie, was told yesterday when seven survivors reached the Soo.

Five days ago the tug, with a crew of 14 and 22 passengers, was dashed to pieces on the rocks of lonely Lisard island, 7 1/2 miles north of Point Aux Pins, the western entrance to the St. Mary's river and 12 miles from the mainland.

The captain and 27 men took one boat and Mr. and Mrs. John Harten, cook and steward, were left on the mainmast. The boat had not been accounted for, but the other, after drifting several hours in the storm, finally was blown ashore on the Ontario mainland, 15 miles north of Sault Ste. Marie.

Party Exhausted. Mrs. Harten was so exhausted the party was forced to rest 24 hours at an Indian hut before starting the 20 mile tramp to the railroad. When the railroad was reached, Mr. and Mrs. Harten were suffering much from the cold that they were left there for medical treatment while the other seven went to Sault Ste. Marie.

They held out little hope for the captain and his companions. If the party succeeds in reaching Lisard island they may find but the barest while game is plentiful they have no weapons.

The scene of the wreck of the Reliance is one of the most desolate spots on the upper lakes. From Hatchewann bay to Michipicoten bay, a distance of more than 50 miles, there are no settlements. The only inhabitants are lonely woodmen, trappers and Indians.

The Lisard island wreck off the main steamer route and the steamer visited except by woodmen and fishermen, or in summer, by an occasional tourist. The tug was launched carrying the captain and his 26 companions failed to reach the island, yet survived the gale and drifting ice. It may have been blown ashore on the mainland miles from human habitation.

If such was the case, it is improbable that the steamer, weakened by long exposure in the intense cold, could have survived long unless, like those who reached Sault Ste. Marie, they found some Indian cabin in which to recuperate.

CONTINUE SEARCH FOR TWENTY-SEVEN MISSING. By Associated Press. CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.—The wrecking tug Favorite left White Fish bay, Lake Superior, today for Lisard island to continue the search for 27 persons missing from the tug Reliance since last Wednesday, according to wireless advice received here today by H. E. Gibson, president of the Great Lakes Towing company, owners of the Favorite. The tug was forced to seek shelter in White Fish bay late yesterday.

FIVE OVERTURNED AND BATTERED LIFE BOATS. SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., Dec. 18.—The tug Gray searching for the 27 persons missing since the tug Reliance crashed on had racks off Lisard island last Wednesday, reached the scene of the wreck this morning and found two overturned and battered life boats but no sign of the missing persons.

YOUNG COUNTY WELL REPORTED GOOD FOR 864 BARRELS DAILY. GRAHAM, TEXAS, Dec. 15.— Sinclair Kibinger No. 2 came in at 864 feet and gauged 548 barrels the first 24 hours. The well is an offset to the Colcord-Weekly and is north of the Brazos river at Herron City.

England's Political Hostesses



Here are the wives of six important members of the new British government who will preside over the important dinners to be given in London during the current season. Upper row, left to right, Viscountess Curzon, wife of the foreign secretary; Mrs. L. C. Amery, wife of the first lord of the admiralty, and Lady Lloyd-Graeme, wife of the president of the Board of Trade. Below, left to right, the Duchess of Sutherland, wife of the secretary of the air ministry; the Duchess of Devonshire, wife of the colonial secretary, and the Marchioness of Crew, wife of the new ambassador to France.

Norma Talmadge Picture Greatest in Her Screen Career

The "Eternal Flame" which opens a three-day run at the Olympic theatre today, was given a private screening at that theatre here some three weeks ago before an audience of about 20 Wichitaans including representatives from the press. It may sound almost too good to be true to say that Miss Talmadge has made an even better production than "The Eternal Flame" but after seeing it and listening to the comments of those present it became evident that here, beyond all doubt, is the greatest photodrama of Miss Talmadge's career, her incomparable achievement to date.

"The Eternal Flame" is a massive and spectacular production, a great human drama that tugs at the heart strings, grips with its dramatic sweep and warms the soul and fills it with all embracing humanity, it at times brings out the smiles.

Adapted from Honoré Balzac's "La Duchesse de Langeais" with all the colour and pomp and glory in the court of Louis XVIII, it is an epic of the screen and Norma as the beautiful and flirtatious duchess, is superb. Magnificent are the settings, particularly so the great ball room scene with hundreds of cavaliers and the ladies on the floor. General de Montriveau masterfully portrayed by Conway Tearle, kidnaps the duchess, believing her professed love to be mockery and in his rage prepares to brand her as a woman to be shunned, there with important parts are Adolph Mary, Theby, Otis Hartman and Kate Lester.

MADELYN MASTERS GROY IS GRANTED A DIVORCE. By Associated Press. PORTLAND, MAINE, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Madelyn Masters Groy, of this city, formerly of Chicago and New York, was granted a divorce from Niels Groy, Danish diplomat and New York club man by Judge Lawrence M. Sanborn of the superior court today. Mrs. Groy also was given the custody of their nine-year-old son, Niels, Jr.

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SHIP SUBSIDY BILL HAS ABOUT AN EVEN CHANCE OF PASSAGE

WASHINGTON SPECULATES ON STRENGTH OF EXPECTED FILIBUSTER.

TWO DEMOCRATS WILL SUPPORT THE MEASURE

Differences Between Senate and House Measures Considered As Serious Obstacle.

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It is occasionally claimed that one other democratic senator will vote with the republicans in favor of the bill. But this is doubtful. One of the democrats who were counted on is Fletcher of Florida, but it is most doubtful whether this can be expected from a man so completely identified with democratic leadership as Underwood is.

Assuming that two, and only two, democratic senators join the republicans in favor of the bill, it will be necessary in order to defeat it, for the insurgent republicans who are leading the opposition to get together and filibuster the bill in opposition. The best judgment is that they cannot get more than 17 if the filibuster is carried the bill should pass in the senate by a majority of about two.

But there are several other hurdles. For one, the insurgent republicans may not continue their tactics merely by voting against the bill. They may adopt filibustering methods. If a considerable number of them should filibuster they could prevent the bill coming to a vote. But it is said that among the 12 insurgent republicans who are willing to vote against the bill there are only two or three who are willing to adopt filibustering tactics. It may turn out that LaFollette and one other will be the only one to filibuster. That will hardly be enough, although, as a filibusterer LaFollette is a whole bloc in himself.

Even without deliberate filibustering it is possible for the vote on the bill to be so long delayed as to fail to come up at the present session. This contingency, however, seems less likely now than it did a little while ago. For one thing, the republican members of the house have got it on the floor and to the front and they mean to keep it there until it comes to a vote. For the second thing, the lower house is making unexpected and wholesome speed with the 12 appropriation bills which, with the ship subsidy bill, constitute the bulk of the legislative program.

It now seems possible for all the appropriation bills to be through the house and ready for the senate by the latter part of January. If this should come about, there would seem to be no reason why the ship subsidy should not come to a roll call.

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In the senate, the bill has been restored to its original form. The result is that even if, and when, the senate passes the bill, there must be a conference between the House and the senate to adjust the difference. In that conference, it is stated with much confidence by the opponents of the bill, the house will stand firm.

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The seizure was made about 10 miles off shore, according to the treasury advice. No information was given as to the port of clearance, ownership or destination of the schooner, nor was it known to the treasury whether Silva T. Rice was the correct name of the vessel. No such name appeared in the marine register.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

—TO THE— Shopping Public

VESSEL CARRYING CARGO OF ALCOHOL SEIZED SATURDAY

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It is our aim at all times to give thorough and efficient service to our customers, and to do so it is necessary to have a full force of active and alert salespeople. The public is familiar with the state laws of Texas, whereby, saleswomen are not allowed to work more than a certain number of hours per day. So to remain open evenings, it would of necessity force us to put on an extra force of salespeople which is not practical or possible at this time. We trust that our patrons will consider the feelings of our salespeople who have labored so faithfully to serve you through the shopping season, so we ask that you shop during the day; shop in the mornings when the stores are less congested.

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BRITISH PRESS BASE SKEPTICISM OF REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS

AMERICAN INTERVENTION ENGROSSING ATTENTION

Would Be Welcomed by Great Britain According to London Papers

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Those newspapers to which the British public look for solid and conservative guidance completely reject the idea that an American loan to Germany is probable, or in present conditions, possible. These journals base their skepticism on long reports from their correspondents in the United States who appear to have probed important sources of information about the weak end of the possibility of American intervention in Europe's troubles still engrossing attention here.

Two or three of the morning newspapers reiterate with more or less striking embellishment last week's stories concerning an impending loan.

The consensus, however, is "that there is something in the wind," and that there is a distinct possibility that America, in some way that has not been divulged, will take a hand in helping to solve the difficulties which threaten the troubled European statesmen. The Times, while deprecating exaggerated optimism, says that the rumors of American intervention are not baseless, but a substratum of fact. The newspaper welcomes indications of the "fresh interest and understanding" the United States is showing in European conditions.

The Morning Post also welcomes "the obviously increasing interest" of the United States, thinking America is beginning to recognize more clearly that sooner or later her own industrial prosperity must be affected by the political and economic conditions of Europe.

The Daily News, although it does not regard American intervention for the present as more than a possibility, says "it is highly probable that such intervention would change the whole course of events in Europe."

In all the comment there is a eagerness to see intervention and there are many indications that this desire is based on a confident belief in high American ideals.

FORMER JUSTICE OF N. Y. SUPREME COURT IS DEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—James Fitzgerald, former justice of the state supreme court, who presided at the trial of Harry Kendall Thaw for the murder of Stanford White in 1907, died at his home here last night at the age of 71. He had been in ill health for several years, his retirement last year also being forced by a nervous breakdown attributed to the strain of the Thaw trial.

LIFE'S LIMITATIONS SUBJECT OF SERMON BY REV. F. T. DATSON

"Limitations of Life" was the subject of Rev. F. T. Datson's sermon Sunday morning at the Church of the Good Shepherd, taken from the 4th chapter of Colossians, the 12th verse. "The salutation by the hand of me Paul. Remember my bonds. Grace be with you."

"In writing to the Colossians of Christ's divinity," said Mr. Watson, "and of the complete and joyous loyalty their soul should render to him in Paul, in the few words of our text, delicately refers to the example found in his own experience 'remember my bonds.' He is instantly glorifying himself for his sufferings, nor did he sentimentally long for human comfort. This very brief allusion to himself and confirm that feeling of principles which would glorify Christ Jesus the Lord."

"But another inference is contained in our text: It is that which emphasizes the fact of life's limitations. As he writes his address to the Colossians, he did the very best his position would allow him to do. He wished and prayed to do more. That is, he wished to be with them in person and give them all he felt was in personal effort for Christ and his kingdom, yet against this wish, this desire, this prayer, was his physical embarrassment and limitation. He was chained. The things he would do he could not do, and so the fact of life's limitation, its recognition of its restrictions, are suggestively presented in these words of the heart."

"The fact of limitation is apparent everywhere, in everything and in every person. To the utmost boundaries, the things which men will persist in trying to do to which they are forbidden because of bonds, we are sure that we need give to this instruction careful and continuous attention."

"The nervous perspiration and brain fagging things that seize so many of our bright and energetic people are in a great majority of instances but evidence of failure to know or remember the physical and mental limitations to which life is conditioned."

"The cause of the failure of the religion of Christ many times may be discovered here. The world is so much with the people, energies are so completely exhausted from business and society that the purely spiritual has but little to draw upon. The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak," said Christ in the



HOUSTON, FIBLE & CO. BROKERAGE FIRM FAILS

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Announcement was made today by the New York stock exchange of the failure of Houston, Fible & Co., of Kansas City. The firm, which was admitted to the exchange in 1906, consists of W. R. Houston and W. M. Fible.

Obligations of the company were said to exceed five million dollars. Cash in the bank at the close of business Saturday was approximately \$200,000.

To ascertain the firm had an undetermined amount of securities on hand, part of which were pledged on bank loans.

Notice of the failure was posted at the office following receipt of a telegram from W. R. Houston in New York suggesting a voluntary liquidation. Inability to meet a demand from New York for \$400,000 was understood to have been the immediate cause of the failure.

FIRM AT KANSAS CITY WILL ACT AS AGENTS

By Associated Press. TULSA, OKLA., Dec. 18.—The local brokerage firm of Houston, Fible & Co., which failed today, announced that N. H. Reynolds, of Lathrop, Mo., Morrow, Fox and Moore, Kansas City attorneys would act as agents of the New York stock exchange in liquidating the assets of the failed company. Liquidation is to begin at once, it was said.

W. M. Fible, a member of the firm, announced if customers would consent to a voluntary liquidation the company would be able to pay 50 per cent of its liabilities in 15 days, 10 per cent in sixty days and five per cent later on.

A preliminary estimate of the amount owed was \$200,000 to \$250,000.

Assignment of interest of the creditors was made to Thomas H. Reynolds, an attorney who asked

LEAVE FOR MADILL ON SEARCH FOR 10 LOST AUTOMOBILES

SHERMAN, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—Sheriff Boyd Craig with several deputies and 10 citizens of Sherman left this morning for Madill, Okla., to attempt to locate 10 automobiles stolen here recently. Madill officers report 40 cars are held there on the belief they have been stolen.

NOTED EDUCATOR AT
BERKLEY, CALIF., DIES

BERKLEY, CALIF., Dec. 18.—W. T. Reid, former president of the University of California, died here yesterday.

NEIGHBORS CLASH AND HAVE IT OUT IN POLICE COURT

"You didn't build your cow pen right by my back door, did you?" "Yes, and you didn't put the officers off from raiding your place until you could pour whiskey out, did you?" "Judge, I never done a thing but what a gentleman would do. I just told these women to shut their mouths so that I could settle the fight."

Such neighborly amenities featured the airing of a community row in police court Monday morning.

Two families each, with their friends and followings, appeared in court Monday morning to threaten a neighborhood grudge of apparently long standing. The boys in the neighborhood were staging a battle in front of an elderly woman's home on lower Indiana; the testimony in the case showed that

part of the neighborhood were letting the fight continue to decide the winner and the other faction insisted on stopping it.

The neighbors took sides and chose up for a grand argument which was continued in the police court Monday morning. About one dozen witnesses from as many families gave their testimony and lived up to an otherwise rather sober session of court.

The defendant in the case was charged with disturbing the peace; he testified that he had played the gentleman in every respect; he merely told the women in the neighborhood "to go on and shut their mouths, that he would settle that fight." The women didn't approve of his tone of voice and reported the "insult" to the police.

In fact several disagreeable things happened in connection with the disturbance and trial; a visitor for the holidays had her trip somewhat marred by being dragged into the police court as a witness when she was an innocent bystander; the neighborhood women testified that they let their dinners burn up while watching the fight; the children were kept out of school to testify in the case.

The whole thing was so confusing that Judge Britain gave up in despair at the testimony offered and admitted that he must have time to think it all over before he

PRINCE REGENT HIROHITO RECOVERS FROM MEASLES HAS BRONCHIAL CATARRH

TOKIO, Dec. 18.—Prince Regent Hirohito has recovered from his recent attack of measles, but now is suffering from an attack of bronchial catarrh, according to announcement by the department of the imperial household.

CONSIDERS PLANS FOR ELLIS ISLAND STATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Comprehensive plans for improvement of the immigration facilities at the Ellis Island station at New York are under consideration here as a result of many complaints regarding the present equipment of the station and the methods of handling immigrants.

**20% DISCOUNT
On Electric Fixtures**
DOSCH ELECTRIC
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TONIGHT at SAUL'S

THOSE EMBROIDERED
OUTING GOWNS
Same kind as you bought a year ago—at the same special price for the first, last and only time this year

Limit 2 to the Customer

Tonight 7 to 8:30 MEN'S GOOD SAMPLE HANDKERCHIEFS 49¢ A DOZEN	Tonight 7 to 8:30 MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SILK HOSE 75c and \$1.00 Values 49¢ All Sizes, All Good Colors
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TOMORROW—ALL DAY
6 Extraordinary Gift Specials at One Dollar
\$1.00

Gift Ivory In separate pieces, up to \$2.50 values, Tuesday— \$1.00	Gift Bags In variety of novelty styles, values to \$1.98, Tuesday— \$1.00	Gift Shoes Ladies' Quilted Satin House Shoes, Tuesday— \$1.00 — a Pair
Gift Hose Women's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Silk Hose in Christmas boxes, Tuesday— \$1.00 — a Pair	Gift Stationery Boxed, in values up to \$2.50, Tuesday— \$1.00 — a Box	Gift Shoes Men's \$1.50 and \$2.00 House Shoes, Tuesday— \$1.00 — a Pair

TUESDAY NIGHT SPECIAL
7:00 to 8:00 Only

WOMEN'S SILK WOOL HOSE 2 Pairs \$1.00 Limit 4 Pairs to the Customer	Women's Leather sole and heel Felt House Shoes, Mohair, Fur and Ribbon trimmed, in pretty Christmas boxes, a pair... \$1.25 All sizes, values to \$3.00
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AND EVERY DAY 'TILL CHRISTMAS EVE

WOMEN'S FELT HOUSE SHOES

In all colors and all sizes.
Boxed if you prefer.
A pair **69¢**

HURRY FOR THOSE MEN'S SILK KNIT TIES 3 for \$1.00 They May Not Last 'Till Saturday	MEN'S WOOL AND FINE LISLE HOSE 3 Pairs \$1.00
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SAUL'S XMAS SALE LASTS 'TILL XMAS EVE

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Dresses

In a Sale Such As You Never Expected

POIRET TWILL DRESSES
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Tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock over 150 new sample line of wool and silk dresses going to be on sale at the Fashion Store at one price only. A selection of beautiful dresses—wonderful values—actual values of these dresses are from \$25.00 to \$50.00. Your choice tomorrow as long as they last, at one price only—

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Gildhouse Fashion Store

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THE OLD FASHION GRAB BOX

went so good last week it's refilled again with Santa Claus pretty packages Values 5c up to \$1.00, per article

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Open Evenings Until 8:30 This Week

Old FAHSION CANDY SALE

The kind we liked when we were kids—Chocolates, Jelly Beans, Gum Drops, Peanut Brittle, old time fancy mixed, Marshmallows, etc., all nice and fresh in our

BASEMENT

Grocer and candy merchants can't buy this, it's a Christmas leader in our basement.

Old Santa Claus' Shop

is in our basement. The children can peep through the knot hole at him from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m.

This store during Christmas week will open at 9 a. m. and stay open evenings until 8:30 p. m.

Furs, Fur Coats, Cloth Coats and Wool Dresses 40% to 60% off

\$5.00 Silk Gowns	\$2.95
\$3.00 Silk Teds	\$1.95
\$4.00 Silk Petticoats	\$2.95
\$5.00 Silk Blouse	\$3.95
\$5.00 Sweaters	\$3.95

Boys' and Girl's Wear in Basement Reduced 25 to 50 Per Cent

Silk Kimonos, Breakfast Coats, Lingerie, Silk Pajamas, etc., 25 to 50 per cent off.

Dolls in our basement about ONE-HALF PRICE

Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Hose, in great assortments, 25 to 40 per cent off.

DRESSES
One lot up to \$38.50, sale **\$17.50**
One lot up to \$50, sale **\$22.50**

FREE! We wrap your Christmas packages in our pretty Holly paper, free.

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STRUGGLE NEED FOR UPBUILDING, IS THEME FOR SERMON

It is through struggles, not rest, that men and institutions attain growth and power. Rev. Lambeth Hancock said Sunday morning at the First Christian church. His sermon follows:
"A certain author referring to the service John Jay had rendered to his country said 'all through life men reach the place where they say, here we build three tabernacles, but out of the silence comes the imperative voice, arise and get thee hence for this is not thy rest.'
"The statement of building three tabernacles comes from Peter. It is the transfiguration scene. Jesus, Peter and John are on the mountain talking with heavenly visions. Through his prayer and communion with the Father, his countenance was altered, becoming beaming bright. Peter and John are amazed, and Peter in his glory of heaven and let us build here." Christ sends them down into the valley to teach the hungry hearts of the multitude.
"All life is a struggle, attaining heights and reaching out. A man's greatest powers and his highest happiness come from the qualities attributed to life as a result of struggle. Wherever a man has stopped and found a place where he would build and be satisfied, there he has ceased to grow.
"Is life cruel? Are things out of joint? Is the world unfair? Are the conditions discouraging? Are you tempted to stop and build and remain throughout life just the same? Power, strength and will for the big things of life have been and are made in a struggle to overcome what often seems your cross and your misfortune, and these, later in life will be the greatest blessings that you have experienced.
"This is true in the Christian faith. The way is hard and it is a struggle, but as we struggle we grow.
"There is no place in the whole idea of Christianity that ever permits a stop to build a tabernacle. The man who begins and sees a little of the glory of the Christian life and stops to build, never knows a beginning of the thing God has prepared for those who love Him.
"There is a difference between being dissatisfied and being unsatisfied. The dissatisfied man is a grumbler, the unsatisfied man is happy over his accomplishments—but not satisfied with them. And so I feel toward the church as I do toward the individual. The church must be forever unsatisfied if it is to be a growing church.
"We all need to get a bigger conception of the purpose and mission of the church of the world. Our satisfaction should not come with simply winning the respect of the community because of efficient service. The world wants and needs the gospel of Christ. We must wipe out all unchristian practices that mar the true life of the church. Any sensible man can find it in his heart to help the church grow into an activity of that kind.
"We are only in the kindergarten of Christianity. Its meaning to many is still vague; its hold on many, meager. There is but one way to know it and that is by responding to the voice from the silence 'Arise and get thee hence, this is not thy rest.'"

G. W. PLATT TALKS TO KIWANISANS ON ADDING MACHINES

George Platt of the Burroughs company spoke to the Kiwanis club Monday on the development of our numeral system, from the earliest accounts to the invention of the modern adding machine and down to the present day. Mr. Platt told how counting originated and how the prehistoric people, the Asiatic system of bookkeeping, the invention of the slide rule and other interesting periods of progression in accounting were described.
The rapid strides which had been made since the invention of the first adding machine by Burroughs in 1887 were touched on briefly. He told how the machine had grown from one capable of adding only one column of figures to the latest and day machine. The talk was illustrated with one of the latest improved types of machines.
A musical treat featured the last meeting of the club year. Stanley Raub, with Mrs. Felix Collard at the piano, entertained the club with violin solo in the evening. His playing was evidence of the club's appreciation of the selection. Herbert Bell, a baritone who has just finished an engagement at the Adelphi hotel in Dallas, sang "Three O'Clock in the Morning." He was accompanied by Leonard Fink, organist of the Rialto theater in Fort Worth. Mr. Bell is on his way to New York to make records for the Victor, he is on the program at the Strand theater this week.
A report from the newly-elected board of directors announced that no meeting of the club would be held for the next two weeks on account of the Christmas and New Year's holiday; the club will meet again January 5, 1923.

Presents Plan to Harness Winds to Make Electricity

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—A plan to harness the winds and make them produce electricity for rural districts has been presented to the ministry of agriculture. The scheme involves the erection in hill tops of low buildings from the sides of which will project huge wings. These wings will be spun by the wind horizontally just above the ground.
Proponents of the plan assert that an unlimited volume of electricity can be obtained in this way at a minimum of cost.
Government officials are testing the scheme and it is possible that it is planned to build several of the generating stations for experimental purposes.

PLAN APPROPRIATION OF \$32,300,000 FOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—An appropriation of \$32,300,000 for construction of forest roads and trails and rural post roads as authorized under the federal highway act, is recommended in the agricultural bill for the next fiscal year as reported today to the house.
The bill's total is \$58,781,553, or about \$1,000,000 more than last year, and \$20,000 less than the budget estimate. The increase is due to the more liberal road fund provision which last year was \$10,400,000.
The budget bureau left out the annual item of \$360,000 for free seed distribution to farmers and representatives and it was not placed in the bill by the appropriations committee.
Some of the items in the measure are:
Eradicating hog cholera \$111,500; preventing spread of European corn borer \$200,000; checking spread of the Mexican bean beetle \$25,000; studying food habits of birds and animals \$402,540; marking inspection of perishable foods \$715,000; eradication of the pink bollworm of cotton \$441,400.

SEEK AGREEMENT ON OFFICIALS FOR GRID GAME FRIDAY

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18.—With Fort Worth agreed upon for the game, Waco and Abilene high schools which will play off the final game in the state football championship Friday are seeking now to agree upon the officials. Abilene is insisting upon all officials being Texans, while Waco has expressed a preference for Quigley of St. Mary's, Kansas, big league umpire. Local business men who have guaranteed the teams a large sum began organizing a ticket sales force today with the hope of getting 10,000 fans into the park Friday.

MERCURY STAYS AT FREEZING POINT HERE MANY HOURS

Temperatures of freezing and below prevailed locally throughout the 24 hours ending noon Monday. Sunday the mercury dropped to the zero mark.
Other points in the district covered by local railroad reports had even colder weather. It was 15 below at Fort Worth, 12 above at Woodward, 19 above at Altus, 21 at Quannah and 20 at Spur.
Slate-colored skies here gave some promise of snow, but this had not developed Monday afternoon. Cloudy and warmer is the forecast. That the prospects for a white Christmas are remote.

Strand Showing Splendid Picture Baritone to Sing

"What Fools Men Are," showing at the Strand the first half of the week, and dealing largely and "fastly" with flappers and flapperism, was exhibited in private showing to the press and other friends yesterday evening.
The picture was an exceptionally good one, with a general mixup of young fools, old fools, wise fools and perfectly foolish fools, all amusingly entertainingly true to life. The showing was a real treat for the gathering of flimsy fans, who don't applaud unless they like things.
An additional treat was the informal song program of George Herbert Bell, with Mr. Sisk at the organ. Mr. Bell, who is to be at the Strand indefinitely, sang "Three O'Clock in the Morning" and "Mary Dear," and was forced to respond to several curtain calls. Bell is a baritone, and possesses a wonderfully rich, pleasing voice.

SOUTH SIDE SCHOOL TO OPEN JANUARY 1, BOARD ANNOUNCES

Announcement of the opening of the Carrigan school and the addition to the Sam Houston school on January 1, comes from the office of W. W. Brown, business manager of the school board. "The Wichita Electric Co. is extending a service line into the Carrigan school today, making it possible for us to open the school the first of the year," said Mr. Brown.
While it was thought delay would be experienced in getting into the Sam Houston school because of the installation of the heating system, arrangements have been made to heat the various rooms with gas until the heating system is completed, thus making it possible to get into this building on January 1.

DENY MOTION TO RELEASE WIFE OF MAN KILLED

MOUNTAIN HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 18.—Justice Kalloch today refused the motion of Mrs. Doris Brunen's attorney to dismiss the charges against her in connection with the killing of "Honest" John T. Brunen, circus owner. Justice Kalloch declared that "although it may be that the testimony in this case be very meager as far as Mrs. Brunen's connection may be concerned," the question must be settled by the jury.

When Scotland Yard Was Fooled



This disguise proved too much for the best detectives of London. It was adopted by Albert Close who had been forbidden to attend the meeting of the Commission on Awards to Inventors. Close is an inventor and detectives were stationed at the doors of the building to see that he did not appear. Disguised as above, he marched through the line of police. Then came the coup de theatre when he removed the whiskers and addressed the commission.

46,069,000 ACRES IN WINTER WHEAT IS BUREAU REPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Winter wheat was sown this fall on 46,069,000 acres, or 32 per cent less than the revised estimated area sown in the fall of 1921, which was 67,811,000 acres, the department of agriculture announced today. The condition of winter wheat on December 1 was 22.6 per cent of a normal compared with 26.9 a year ago, 27.9 in 1920 and 27.9 the ten-year December 1 average condition.
The area sown to rice this fall is 2,568,000 acres or 11.3 per cent less than the revised estimated area sown in the fall of 1921, which was 2,310,000 acres. The condition of the crop on December 1 was 84.3 per cent of a normal, compared with 82.5 a year ago, 82.5 in 1920 and 82.5 the ten-year December 1 average.
The acreage and condition of winter wheat in the principal producing states follows:
Pennsylvania 1,526,000 acres and condition 79 per cent; Ohio 2,516,000 acres; Indiana 2,291,000 acres and 90.5; Illinois 2,412,000 acres and 92; Michigan 1,044,000 acres and 90; Missouri 2,122,000 acres and 90; Nebraska 2,319,000 acres and 93; Kansas 1,234,000 acres and 72; Texas 1,620,000 acres and 75; Oklahoma 2,122,000 acres and 80; Colorado 1,578,000 acres; Washington 1,450,000 acres and 77; Oregon 879,000 acres and 91; California 812,000 acres and 95.

FORMER GRAND CHIEF PYTHIAN SISTERS DIES

WEATHERFORD, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—Mrs. J. T. Cotten, 55, was found dead in bed at her home here this morning. She was grand chief of the Pythian Sisters for several years, following her election in 1921, and in 1911-1912 was supreme in chief of the organization.

ISSUES REQUISITION FOR MEN WANTED IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—Governor Noff today issued requisitions on the governor of Oklahoma for the extradition of T. R. Henderson, G. B. Henderson and N. H. Henderson, wanted at Meridian, Bosque county, to answer charges by indictment of having disposed of mortgaged property. These men are under arrest at Tilton, Okla.

SCHOOLS CHRISTMAS VACATION WILL START ON NEXT FRIDAY

Christmas holidays for the public schools will start next Friday, when classes will be dismissed until Monday, January 1.
New Year's is a holiday, but not for the schools this term.

EMERGENCY ORDER FOR SHIPMENT OF OATS

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—An emergency order providing additional stopping-point rights for the shipment of oats for planting purposes, was issued today by the railroad commission. The order also provides a charge of three cents per 1,000 pounds on carload shipments of seed oats. The question of continuing this emergency order will be addressed by the commission at a hearing on Wednesday, January 17, it was announced.

JUDGMENT GRANTED IN FAVOR OF PLAINTIFF

Judge E. W. Napier Monday granted judgment of \$178 in favor of J. M. Tanner in his suit against J. A. Harper and others. The suit was for goods purchased on an open account. The judgment also included foreclosure of an attachment which was run on the property some time ago.
George A. Smeed Sr. is asking judgment for \$4,000 in his suit against L. W. Keyes on trial in the 80th district court. He alleges that the amount is due him as a result of a sale of an off lease. He contends that this amount is his commission which he states is a reasonable amount.
THREE HUNDRED TEACHERS—ATTENDING INSTITUTE
STAMPFORD, TEXAS, Dec. 18.—Nearly 300 teachers are here in attendance at the teachers' convention of the five counties adjacent to Jones. The meeting is at the Stampford high school building and continues through this week.
S. N. Rider, formerly principal of the high school, who has been visiting friends in the city for several days, returned to Breckenridge Monday. He is now engaged in the lumber business at that point.

COUNCIL WILL HEAR OFFER TO FINANCE CITY POWER PLANT

Roger H. Evans, representative of the H. C. Burt company of Houston, is in the city and will meet with the city council Monday afternoon to discuss the matter of leasing time warrants for the installation of a city power plant and the construction of an addition to the city hall.
Mr. Evans has gone over the records and investigated the finances of the city and is quoted as saying that his company will be glad to handle the time warrants issued by the city for this purpose. The matter will probably be settled at the Monday session of the council.
A new service car ordinance to take the place of the one introduced several weeks ago, has been drafted and will be taken up for the first reading. The ordinance is said to be more satisfactory in every way than the original one.
The dance hall ordinance will come up for its third and final reading. Protests are expected; the ordinance has passed the two first readings without protest or amendments.
An ordinance to replace ordinance number 235 prohibiting the soliciting of funds on the streets of the city without a permit has been drafted and will probably be automatically passed. Some settlement of the question of delinquent taxes of the three local refineries who filed protests with the council against the suits filed against them for delinquent taxes will also be made at the next session of the council.

THREE ARE BURNED TO DEATH AND FOUR SERIOUSLY INJURED

AARON, OHIO, Dec. 18.—Three prominent Maillon men, one of them a city official, were burned to death and four others were seriously injured when flames destroyed a cottage in which they were sleeping at Little Wadsworth, on the Portage Lake reservoir south of here. The dead were:
HAROLD HOWARD, 32, city engineer of Maillon.
FRANK WAGNER, 56, of Maillon.
ROY HODGSON, 28, of Maillon.
George W. Williams, well known lawyer of Maillon, is the most seriously injured of the four survivors. Two other attorneys, Walter Holt, 28, and Elson Weller, 26, both of Maillon, are suffering burns and other injuries.

CULVERTS WILL BE PAID FOR OUT OF PRECINCT FUNDS

Contract for the construction of the concrete culverts on the Seymour road was let Monday morning by the county commissioners and immediately thereafter an order was made which called for the payment of these improvements out of the precinct road fund instead of the special road fund.
Commissioner J. P. Jackson of the Wichita Falls precinct which harbors the Seymour road, opposed the action and asked that the money be paid out of the special road fund because the Seymour road was a part of the good roads building program.
The contract for the culverts was awarded to A. E. Firms, a contractor of Vernon, on his low bid of \$7,961.
The commissioners in session also approved the \$100,000 surety bond of Guy Riley, newly for the county tax collector who will assume his duties on January 1.
An order was passed to size and let the seal of the seal of the county jail and of the third floor on the court house. The order also embraced the painting of all iron work and radiators.

REAPPOINT ISBELL COUNTY ENGINEER FOR 2-YEAR TERM

J. M. Isbell, county engineer, was re-appointed for a term of two years by the county commissioners in session Monday afternoon.
Mr. Isbell came to this county and accepted the position as engineer at the beginning of the construction of the concrete roads in the county and served most efficiently.
The commissioners have been well pleased with Mr. Isbell and Monday tendered him another appointment of two years.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR TO ELECT OFFICERS THURSDAY EVENING

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59, Knights Templar, will meet in regular session Thursday, December 21, at 8 p. m. for the conferring of degrees, and a business session for the annual election of officers for the ensuing year. Announcement of installation ceremonies for the newly elected officers will be given later. A large attendance of the members is urged at this important meeting.

LIVED TOGETHER TWELVE DAYS; SEPARATED 10 YEARS

A divorce petition was filed Monday in the 49th district court in which the plaintiff, a woman, states that she and her husband were married on January 3, 1912, and separated on January 15 of the same year. She asks for a decree of divorce on the 10 year clause of abandonment.

53 ARRESTS MADE ON VARIOUS CHARGES MOSTLY GAMBLING

City police arrested 53 persons on various charges from Saturday until Monday morning. Forty-four of the cases came to trial Monday morning at the city court; fines well above \$100 were assessed on the different charges.
Gaming cases lead the list with 25 cases; officers interfered with 15 cases; different games with players ranging from three to seven in number.
Bonds of \$10 each were forfeited

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The Supreme Radiator Company wishes to announce that they have moved from 715 Seventh street and are now in their new home at 465 1/2 Scott, where they will be glad to meet their old friends and accord them the same excellent service as in the past. For the present entrance is secured by means of the alley, owing to the paving being done on Scott.

IT'S THE BIG Annual Holiday Sale

That's Bringing the Folks to this Bargain Basement. Every day until Christmas, extra special bargains for all. Come early Tuesday—we will be crowded.

Another 1000 yards 36-inch Percales, 2 to 10 yard lengths. Tuesday, yard	9c
Fine Cretones, big lot, per yd.	9c
Dandy Outings, yard	8c
Big shipment again of those Chambrays, Unbleached Domestic, Calicos. You know what they are. 2 to 5-yard lengths, yd.	5c
White On Cloth, slightly imperfect, yard	15c
5 yards to customer	

Just think of it—2000 toys of all kinds received today. Makes the kiddies glad for little expense. Prices 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c

Folks, we have the Christmas spirit at this store—we will smile whether you buy or not.

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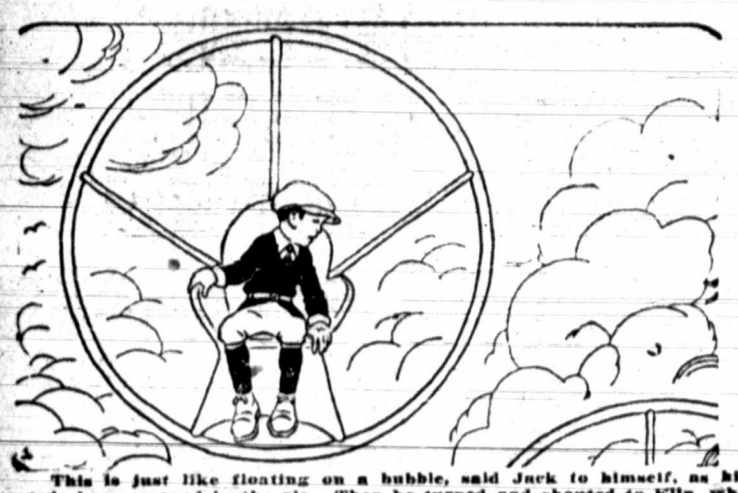
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THE DAILY TIMES' PAGE OF LEADING COMIC FEATURES

JACK DAW IN HOOPLAND

By ELTON



This is just like floating on a bubble, said Jack to himself, as his magic hoop swayed in the air. Then he turned and shouted to Flip, who was down below Jack in the other magic hoop. "Hang on there, old set," said Jack, "I think we will soon be back home again, safe and sound."



Now and then a big cloud would float in between Jack and Flip. Then the air would clear up again and the little adventurer could see that his pet was safe. Jack grew sleepy, so, taking his belt, he fastened himself safely to the magic hoop and closed his eyes. Into dreamland he went.



And the next thing little Jack knew, he was sitting on the ground, where he had climbed aboard the airplane that took him to Hoopland. Flip was with him, and the magic hoops were gone. Jack drew near Mr. Midgett in his next adventure, starting tomorrow, "Jack Daw in Midgettville."

BUGHOUSE FABLES



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TAKEN FROM LIFE

Strapped —By Martin



TOOTS AND CASPER

And Casper Isn't Taking Any Chances of Buttercup Finding Out, Either

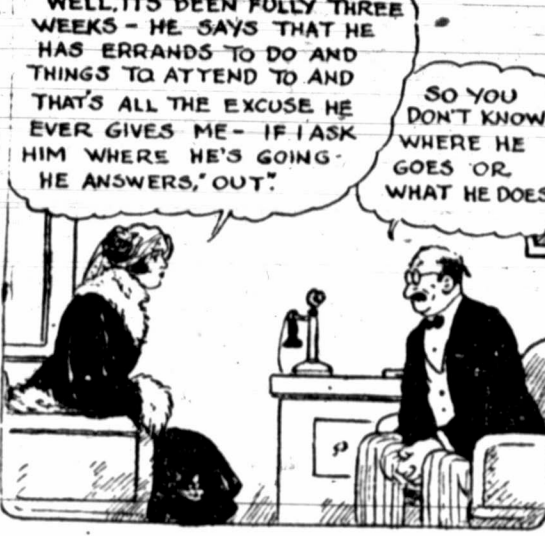
By J. E. MURPHY



DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Dealing With the Law

By ALLMAN



SALESMAN SAM

Homeward Bound

By SWAN



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Two Shorts and a Long

By BLOSSER



OUR BOARDING HOUSE.

By AHERN

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



EASTERN DEPART FOR PACIFIC

NEW YORK. De sectional laure ball eleven will the Pacific on holidays they western rivals. West Virginia University of Chicago Christmas at Pittsburgh meets in the new Pacific. Cal. on New Year's poses the univer California at the University of Ro Undefeated this- nia was ranked the Pacific. Pen- state, which experi worst season in. only one of the 41 men that has not just before.

THE DAY

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS ALL THE TIME

EASTERN TEAMS DEPART THIS WEEK FOR PACIFIC COAST

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Seeking re-sectional laurels, three eastern baseball teams will leave this week for the Pacific coast where during the holidays they will meet far western rivals.

HOW CHAMPION WILLIE HOPPE CAME BACK

Famous Billiard Player Tells How He Overcame a Bad Win This



By WILLIE HOPPE
World's Greatest Billiard Player

How did I pull my comeback against the world's best billiard players? Bear with me and I will try to explain.

While I always train carefully for my big matches, I feel that overconfidence and lack of condition brought about my defeat.

When performing at the table you are constantly aware that the slightest mistake may ruin your chance.

Billiards Severe Strain
No doubt a great many lovers of sport will be surprised when I express the belief that there is a greater mental and physical strain in billiards than in other sports.

While I always try to keep in good shape, I always figure on a month of intensive training prior to a big match.

FAMOUS TIE GAME OF WORLD SERIES STIRRED UP MUCH TROUBLE

By NEA Service.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The new famous tie game between the Yankees and the Giants in the 1922 series is said to be due for a through joint meeting between the two leagues.

The game was called at the close of the tenth inning with the score a tie at 3 to 3. The matter of calling the game rested entirely with the umpires.

At a conference between Hildebrand, a veteran of the American League, and Bill Klem of the National League, it was decided through almost a dozen series, a decision was reached that it was too dark to further continue play.

It is said that the handling of this matter in such a way by Commissioner Landis has caused much opposition from club owners in both leagues.

News that Rip Wheeler will again lead the Yanks next season gives a partial answer to the questioning about the coaching staff.

Gray of Princeton was surely the outstanding figure in the Chicago game. His name will furnish football gossip on the Princeton campus for weeks, yet years to come.

After the game the crowd surged around Coach Bill, and insisted he was in collusion with the umpires.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The New York state athletic commission has decided to uphold the suspension invoked against Midget Smith, the Harlem bantamweight, by the New Jersey athletic commission.

Just at present the most talked about young man in Princeton is Bill Gray of the varsity football team.

Such a thing is absurd, but it evidently worried the commission, and at his request it was voted to give the entire receipts to charity in order to prove to the crowd that the money meant nothing to either league.

Never in all its history did a Princeton football team want to lose a game more than this clash with Chicago last week.

Gray, by his brilliant work in the game with Chicago, has won the right to have his name inscribed on the Princeton roll of honor.

Last fall Princeton had been more or less disgraced in the eyes of the football experts by a 3 to 4 defeat at the hands of Chicago.

Near the close of the first period, Cleaves of Princeton hurled a beautiful 45-yard pass toward the Chicago goal. Gray made a beautiful catch. He was downed on Chicago's seven-yard line.

Princeton wanted to wipe that affair off the slate. A victory was necessary in addition, a new agreement.

In the third period Gray blocked a Chicago kick on the Chicago 11-yard line and recovered the kick on the Princeton 10-yard line.

Don't Worry About Employment in Future... THE ARMY STORE... TYPESetting DEPARTMENT... GEORGIA-ALABAMA BUSINESS COLLEGE... MacON, Ga.

Spitball May Get New Life

By NEA Service.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The lively ball has made it impossible for the pitchers to keep the batsmen in check. The lively ball has caused the batsman to dominate the pitcher.

"How's the Old Whip, Rajah?"



Great. How's the whip-berry, Rajah? Thus the famous battery of Mathewson and Bresnahan met in New York. Both Christy and Roger looked fit as a pair of fiddlers.

Two veteran first sackers by Jim Bottomly of Syracuse. Jacques Fournier, one of Rickey's vets, hit 342 in 1931 and played the bag acceptably.

Bottomly is a left-handed thrower and batter, considered a decided advantage for a first baseman.

EXPECTS MUCH OF ROOKIE FIRST SACKER



By NEA Service.
ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 18.—Branch Rickey, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, is convinced that if his team is to again be in the running in the National League race next season, youth must deliver the punch.

Working along those lines, Rickey has already supplanted his veterans with Detroit. Collins, on the other hand, was just striking his stride at Boston.

Despite the fact that Ehmke will be with the regular champions and Collins with a first division club, American league players who dropped in to the league meeting here, seem to think Ehmke will make the best showing.

"Toughest pitcher in the world to hit against," is the way they all comment on Ehmke.

Batters Fear Ehmke's Speed

These two players figured in the trade between Detroit and Boston. Ehmke seems to have outlasted his

T-O MEMBERSHIP NOT YET SETTLED, 20 BERTHS VACANT

DALLAS, Dec. 18.—J. Donk Roberts of Dallas, was re-elected president of the Texas-Oklahoma league at a meeting here yesterday, but permanent organization was not completed.

PAADOCK DECLARES HE WON'T COMPETE ON INDOOR TRACK

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Charlie Paaddock, record sprinter of the Los Angeles A. C., will not run in the Millrose track meet to be held under the auspices of the Millrose Athletic association.

"Indoor running is not my game. I hope to come east and run again but it will not be for the boards. On a three hundred yard curved track I no doubt would give another circus performance similar to that of 1932 for I know a lot more of indoor running than I did on that night."

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THE OUTTA-LUCK CLUB



Luther Had Seen Enough to Feel Satisfied



By DOK WILLARD



FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE - DON'T DO THAT! THEY MIGHT NOT BE SATISFACTORY.



Put Personality Into Your Giving Read the Christmas Gift Suggestions

Gifts for the Home: Automobile radiators, electric heating pads, vacuum cleaners, etc. Gifts for children: Toys, books, clothing, etc. Gifts for him: Automobile radiators, electric heating pads, etc. Gifts for her: Automobile radiators, electric heating pads, etc.

Household Goods: Stoves, refrigerators, washing machines, etc. For Sale on Exchange: Automobiles, furniture, etc. Musical Instruments: Gramophones, records, etc. Wanted to Buy: Automobiles, furniture, etc.

Special Notices: Real estate, business opportunities, etc. Used Cars: Various models and prices. Wanted: Automobiles, furniture, etc.

A Composite Letter to Santa Claus. Suppose All the Children in Town Wrote One Big Letter to Their Patron Saint, Telling Him Just Where He Could Get the Things They Wanted. Wouldn't You Like to Read It—To Get an Idea of Exactly How to Fill the Christmas Hopes of Your Children?

Used Car of Honest In... The above station... Prices are... Visit us... Buick Touring... Buick Roadster... Marmon Touring... Apperson's Touring... Renewed Cadillac... MUNCIE AUTOMOBILE... 215-13 Scott-st.

TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET
New York Cotton.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The cotton market was active and rather excited at the opening today.

STOCKS AND FINANCIAL
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—A firm tone prevailed among opening prices in today's stock market.

Foreign Exchange.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Foreign exchange quotations were steady.

Liberty Bonds.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Liberty bonds closed 2 1/2 to 3/4 higher.

New York Money.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Call money firm; high 4 1/2, low 4 1/4.

Grain and Produce.
CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Wheat futures were active and higher.

Livestock.
FORT WORTH, Dec. 18.—Cattle market active; prices higher.

MARTIAL LAW IN EFFECT IN WARSAW ARTIST CONFESSES

WARSAW, Dec. 18.—Martial law became effective in Warsaw today by proclamation of the cabinet. Captain Niewodomski, the crazed artist who assassinated President Narutowicz last Saturday, has been held for trial by courtmartial.

AMERICAN EXPORTS IN NOVEMBER REACH HIGH POINT OF YEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—American exports in November reached the highest point of the year, according to official government trade statistics made public today.

LOWER 'UNION JACK' AND BRITISH TROOPS SAL FROM IRELAND

Associated Press.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—The union jack and the authority it symbolized for Ireland for so many years, had come back to Britain today with the last of the British soldiers occupying the Dublin area.



As You Seldom See Him
Few pictures of General F. H. Potter have been taken which show him in uniform. Here is America's military hero with Mrs. Potter Palmer at the Hotel Parkside at which the Chicago Four Hundred raised \$20,000 for charity.

OUT OUR WAY

Advertisement for Santalene featuring a family of children and the text 'LETTERS TO SANTALINE' and 'WHEN THE MAILMAN'S A DANDY OL' FELLER'.

LEGAL NOTICES

Bell and the unknown heirs of George W. Bell are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows: That on or about November 18, A. D. 1922 plaintiff was lawfully and lawfully possessed of...

SHERIFF'S SALE

The state of Texas, county of Wichita, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the honorable 89th court of Wichita county, Texas...

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

In the district court of the United States for the Southern District of Texas, In the matter of Southern Tire & Vulcanizing Co., a corporation...

AUTOS FOR SALE

USED CAR OF QUALITY HONEST IN VALUE
The above statement is backed by our 14 years of truthful representation and fair dealing.

USED CARS OF KNOWN VALUE

1919 Ford sedan, 1235.
1920 Buick roadster, 1475.
1920 Chandler touring, 1650.

AUTOS FOR SALE

PROTECT your car. Have it painted in a heated room.
1921 Ford touring, fine condition, 1235.

OVERLAND touring, 1110

OVERLAND MOTORS CO.
1921 OVERLAND FOUR roadster, same as new, 1195.

CASH-TRADE-TERMS

1922 FORD ROADSTER
This car has been driven less than 400 miles and looks like a new one.

WANTED TO RENT

Five or six room house with garage on pavement; no children, permanent. Phone 2024, 226 City West.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room house, 201 Travis-st. also one light housekeeping room, 494 Adams-st. Phone 2474.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three rooms, 311 1/2 1/2 St. P. City, phone 4227.
FOR RENT—Modern five room house, 240 Pearl-st. Phone 2374.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One building with concrete foundation, for office at 114 Ohio. Phone 6120.

FARMS AND RANCHES

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

LOTS FOR SALE

WELL located lots in Highland, west side of Floral and Sunset, Heilich addition. On terms of 10 down and \$10 per month.

REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

HAVE you a good five or six room home on the pavement in the Union school district to trade for a very well built five-room house, 2108 Taylor-st. The owner will not pay a difference in cash or assume outstanding indebtedness.

AUTO SUPPLIES

ALL PARTS for some cars, some parts for all cars. Highest prices. 1111 Indiana. Phone 2311.

MID-TERM CLASS HEARS SERMON ON 'CULTURE OF SOUL'

BACCALAUREATE EXERCISES ARE HELD AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MUSICAL PROGRAM IS RENDERED BY STUDENTS

Dr. N. F. Grafion Delivers Commencement Sermon to Members of Class

The Sunday morning services at the First Presbyterian church were given over to the mid term graduates of the high school...

A musical program was rendered by the students who composed the choir assisted by Miss Scott...

Dr. Grafion's sermon was taken from the fourth chapter of Deuteronomy, the ninth verse: 'Only take heed to thyself, and keep thy soul diligently, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen...

'I have chosen for my subject, 'Soul Culture', and the verse I have referred to is the last verse of the great law giver. It was delivered the day after he had that last interview with Jehovah...

'Today you young people are standing upon the borderland of a wonderful land of promise. You do not know what awaits you out there in that land in which you will be going...

'We are living in a sensitive world after all. As we think of this globe upon which we live we think of it as a dull thing...

EXTRA QUALITY DUNLAP SHOES FOR MEN \$8.00 AT Wood's FITTER OF FEET

Kickful Drinks And Street Girl Blamed By Divorce Plaintiffs

Two wives sued for divorce in the 29th district court Saturday. One complains that her husband drank everything with a kick in it...

In her petition the first one relates 'He gumbled and drank corn whiskey sau de quinine, Jake and anything that he could get a kick out of...

are one or more people, and as he is the center of the circle, so is the man or your right and left the center of his circle or influence...

'Another of these influences is reading. This is a reading age. Upon tons of literature are being poured from our presses...

'Integrity, all life is founded upon it. Integrity, business, society and individual life all break down when decent enters in. You must be a man or woman of integrity...

'In conclusion, young people you will find Jesus Christ standing somewhere in the pathway of your life. He is standing there to be invited into your life...

'I want you to notice some of the influences that touch our souls, to either bless or curse. The first one of these is that of our thinking. Your future life, your destiny depends upon how and what you think...

The Sanitary Market J. F. HAYS & SONS, Props. 616 Seventh Phone 2527

Speed Up Service For Your Convenience

obtain street car checks from us—wait in a warm place till your car arrives.

PALACE DRUG STORE

Phone 8126 612 Eighth Street

MAGNETISM OF CHRIST THEME OF DR. C. M. SIMPSON

The attraction of the crucified Christ and why it is so, was the essence of the message of Rev. C. M. Simpson at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday morning...

'He used as his text, Paul's statement to the Corinthians: 'We preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumbling block and unto the Greeks foolishness...

'The crucified Christ was the great stumbling block in the path of many devout Jews. It was but the climax of the things that confused the mind of many...

'Then, of all things, the crucifixion, which was the form of the death of the most worthless criminal, was the climax that formed the stumbling block for the Jews...

'The scriptures in both the Old Testament and the New Testament stress the holiness of God. The Old Testament takes it up saying, 'Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts...

'That saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found. Was blind, but now I see.'

'Officers to arrest or search the marchers. No disturbance, except the throwing of the bottle, was reported. Banners with the legend: 'For White Supremacy' and 'Pure Americanism' were displayed.

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Auto Accessories Tires and Tubes Bicycles and Parts Ford Parts Radio Sets and Parts

Services for Holiday Shoppers

Of the many little but necessary services that a bank can render to holiday shoppers, all are cheerfully rendered here, with that added touch of friendliness and courtesy that is in keeping with the spirit of the season.

The First National Bank

Indiana at Eighth St. Established 1884 WHERE SERVICE IS PARAMOUNT

INTEREST

Added to your savings deposit will soon swell your account. It will grow faster than you can anticipate until you try it. Come in today and open a savings account and watch your money grow.

The Security National Bank

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS 'The Bank of Personal Service' Eighth and Ohio

Use Packard Stage Lines Wichita Falls and Burkburnett Every Hour—Rain or Shine Fare 50c

Save Your Eyes 18 Years of Experience L. R. Bailey OPTOMETRIST 603 Eighth Phone 6311 With Kruger Jewelry Co.

Put your War Savings Stamps redemption in the Wichita Falls Building & Loan Ass'n.

Fully prepared to test eyes for Glasses FAITH OPTICAL CO., 215 Scott Avenue

PATENTS Three Day Service on Patent Applications. Fee Reasonable. ENGINEERING SERVICE CO., 202 Morgan Building Wichita Falls, Texas

Kemp Hotel Evening Dinner, with the Best of Food and Music Hours 4:00 to 8:00 p. m.

BANKRUPT SALE OF THE W. S. AUTO SUPPLY CO. NOW GOING ON

EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF COST

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The Ideal Christmas Gift A gift that the whole family can enjoy. A gift that will last. You should have a New Edison in your home. The New Edison has created the new standards by which people judge phonographs and talking machines.

THERE ARE ONLY 5 MORE SHOPPING DAYS The time is short. Come in and make your selection from our large showing. Don't delay you may be too late. Make a small payment balance easy terms and the New Edison will be delivered to your home Christmas Eve. COMPARE THE NEW EDISON The Phonograph Shop 803 Indiana Avenue Phone 3761

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The most pleasurable sensation you can imagine. Let us pay you interest on your money.

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