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NUMBER 230.

BATTLE STAGED NEAR BORDER 40 MILES ABOVE MATAMOROS

NORTHWEST TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA IN

Price of Five Grades Crude Oil Advanced On Pittsburgh Market Bringing Quotation Up to \$3.25

CATHER, ARK. HAS

ONE NEGRO IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED IN BATTLE WITH OFFICERS.

MACHINE GUNS USED IN QUELLING THE RIOT

uble is An Aftermath of Kill ing of Mrs. Latimer On Last Friday.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Dec. 21. (P)-Quiet prevailed today in the Cather community, 20 miles from this city, where a race riot late yesterday reaulted in the serious wounding of one negro and the arrest of 11 others as the aftermath of the killings and London from als Christman last Friday of Mrs. Robert Lattman foliday in the country today and an

machine gunners quelled the riot at Catcher yesterday. The ten negroes held on night riding charges were harricaded in a log cabin when the guardsmcn reached the scene. They urrendered ouly when the troops

Charles Ruck, negro, father of Spurgeon Buck, was shot and wounded b" a special officer who maid the negro disregarded a com-mand to put up his hands. The riot yesterday fall here and demonstrations at the fall here and at Van Burds Saturday when sever

at Van Bures Saturday worn sev-eral hundred men attempted to lynch Ruck sid Bettis. One mob farmed at Van Buren Saturday afternoon and dispersed only after a committee had searched the isil and found that the men wanted had been spirited away. Two hours later a crowd formed here and threatened to storm Sebastian occurry jail, to which it was believed the negroes had been removed from the Van Buren pris-For more than four house Sharter

Pink Shaw and prominent pitmens held the mob in check, pleading which the med in check, pleading to the through a steel foor to the with the men to permit the law to office, blaw the "aust door and take its course. The crowd finally forced open the safe in which coundispersed yesterday morning.

Mrs. Latimer, who was 24 years of

Mrs. Latimer, who was 24 years of age, was clubbed about the head and shot in the back with a shot gun. Her hody was found in her home by a neighbor. She had been estranged from her husband for about two weeks and during that time had lived alone. Latimer is naid to be in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Latimer, who was 24 years of age.

BIG ENCREASE IN GRAIN EXFORTS FROM THE U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31. (F) — Grain exports from the United States last week amounted to 1.868.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 31. (9) Fifteen cents was added to the price of six grades of crude oil when the narket opened here today. Five grades were un-

The new prices are: Pennsylvania grade in New York Transit Company lines and Bradford district oil in National Transit Company lines,

Pennsylvania grade oil in National Transit, Southwest Penn sylvania, Eureka and Buckeye Pipe Lines, \$1.

Ten of the negroes arrested were early meeting of the cabinet to aims held in jail at Van Buren on complete the Ring's speech for the

omplets the suggest of the negroes arrested were harges of night riding. The alexanth prisoner was charged with min prisoner was charged with more in a superior of white men at the point of a spitale, and the installation of a socialist government renewed to as a state of the suggest with allighted configuration of the liberature as a material with the socialist is a process that a considerable were not been as a material with the socialists of the liberature as a material with the socialists of the socialists of the socialists of the liberature as a material with the socialists of the socialists of the socialists of the liberature as a material with the socialists of the liberature as a material with the socialists of the liberature as a material with social control of the socialists of the social soc

erals and that the gloomy predictiens of the results of the advent of the scellalists to power emanate largely from the ranks of the panic stricken plutocrats who have falled to have their way with Mr. Buldwin trained a machine gun on their and whose wild alarm is not shared stronghold.

> TAX COLLECTOR AT **BALLINGER ROBBED**

county tax collector's office was robbed here last night of considerable cash, the exact amount which is not yet known. Robbert ty funds were kept.

Capture Over \$1,000 Worth of Dope In Raid Late Saturday Night; Arrest Man and Woman; Held On Bonds

Saturday conducted by Federal Prohibition Enforcement Officer R. W.
Morion and City Officers Will Allen, Griffin and Jensen.
Mae Howard and Hoyt Taylor
were placed under arrest and
charges of violation of the Harrison
narcotic act were filed against pared morphine ready for one in the

narcotic act were filed against them in the United States district

narcotic act were filed against them in the United States district court funday. Their bonds were set at \$1,000 each.

Shertly after midnight the officers antered the house occupied by Mae Howard, after the place had been under surveillance several bours. Earlier in the evening county of the series of the arrest and who found the marcotics of any description.

At midnight the officers who effected the arrest and who found the marcotics, consisting of cocaine and morphine, entered the house under the influence of unreal unexpectedly. Apparently the woman was alone in the house and a hearth of every nook and corner revealed nothing.

Abording to the officers, the woman was suffering from the effects of morphine at the time and remayed efforts were put forth, to find some trace of the drugs. Every

Narcotics valued at over \$1,000 bit of the narcotics and parapher-wholesale were selzed in a raid late nails ested by the officers was taken from the woman's body.

pared morphine ready for use in the needles.

ATLANTA CONVICTS STAGE SENSATIONAL DELIVERY AT PRISOI

FOUR MEN ESCAPE AFTER TUN NELING UNDER 60 FOOT CONCRETE WALL.

GEORGE ANDERSON AMONG **OUARTET THAT GETS AWAY**

arge Quantity of Loose Dirt Moved to Graded Spot 75 Feet Away. ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 31. (P)-In

he most sensational jail delivery in the history of the Atlanta penitentiary four convicts, one & partner of Gerald Chapman, million dellar of Gerald Chapman, million dellar mail bahdit, today were at liberty after having wormed their way to freedom through a narrow tunnel under the 50-feet concrete wall ancirelify the prison late yearerday.

Of the quartet the most notorious of the fugitives is George Anderson, who was serving a 25-year sentence for participation in the 51.

900.000 New York mail robbery, for which Chapman was convicted. Ab-

surrendered during a gun battle with a posse, was also suspected and he was isolated, the wardens The tunnel, barely large enough to admit passage of a human bedy, was found to lead from the center

Haynes and Lenner, tuberoular Harnes and Lepper, tubercular upon the figure that could have patients, had occupied the test for some time, but Anderson and Schmidt have had no opportunity to State department officials do not

site in buckets.

thinnel near the exit.

The quartet are thought to have escaped between 3 and 4 o'clock. Their absence was not dispovered until after the 5 o'clock check up. Ward n Sartain and his deputies were amazed at the cleverness of the ercape. Astenishing secrety and caution had to be amployed to escape detection in the transfer of the tone of fresh dirt. Officials believe the men dug away at night and carted off the fresh dirt during the day when their ordinary movement in the vicinity of the tent with a bucket would not

arouse the suspicious of the guards in the nearby wall towers. At least two months were required to dig the subterranean avenue of escape, it was estimated,

TWO PERSONS ARE PROBABLY FATALLY

DALLAS, Dec. 21. 69-Two per-ons probably were fatally burned ere today. Mrs. Helen Spencs, 22. stood too close to an open gas atove and her clothing became ignited. At a hospital her condition was safe to be serious. Horgan Heard, 41, attempted to start a lire with gaso-ins. He was critically burned. JEWELER KILLER WHEN HE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 or Bernard Brown, a Bronx teweler, today was shot and killed by a bandit when he refused to open his safe.

Mexican Federals Suffer Defeat In Twelve Hour Battle In Jalisco; Two Hundred Killed; 300 Captured

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS CON-TINUE CONSULTATION OVER DETAILS.

REPORT SEVERAL POINTS REMAIN TO BE SETTLED Not Report Transaction As Ro

versal of Policy of President Harding. WANTINGTON, Dec. 21. W-The De Laliuerta faction in Mexico to-day filed with the state department day filed with the state department a formal protest against the plan of

LONDON. Dec. 21. (2) — Prime

Linco for participation in the fl.

LONDON. Dec. 21. (2) — Prime

Alin'ster Baidwin is expected to results in London from his Christmas

Rollday in the country today and an asily meeting of the country today and an isil for 15 years; Ludwig Schmidt, complete the king's speech for the opening of parliament a week from tomorrow is foreshedowed.

A newspaper whose growed object is to prevent the installation of 18 months.

London from his Christmas

With Anderson were Riram Leg
Butteria confidential agent at New Park. The Obregon authorities alone are recognized by the United States in its dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the Communication what the recognized by the United States in the Communication what the recognized by the United States in the confidential agent at the protest was algred by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealings with Maxico and the recognized by the United States in the dealing of the United States in the United States in the dealing of the United States in the dealing of the United States in the United

they had received information that war material still is to be worked anderson planned to except and out through the secretary of war they said every precaution was and it was made plain teday that taken. Frank Grey, who escaped only the question of general policy with Chapman last March and who was considered by the state depart-

In view of the general stritude of could not avoid assenting to sell the material to the Obregon government without being guilty of an unfriend-ly set inward a government with which it had just entered into compiete diplomatic accord, it is as-sumed that the price to be fixed by the war department will be based

senint in the exervation, prison of-ficials said.

Dirt Moved T3 Peet Harding signing the sale of surplus The wardens and guards were at war equipment to any foreign gov-loss to know how the prisoners ernment. Officials who participated loss to know how the prisoners enment. Officials who participated onveyed the enermous quantity of in the formulation of that policy come dirt from the tunnel to a said that it was aimed specifically freshir graded spot 75 feet away at the prevention of the use of from the tent, but thought that the American, war materials by any passare had been in process of government seeking to establish a excavation for several weeks and policy of militarism and that it had the dirt had been smuggled to the hothing to do with such a case in that Impue.

The text of the protest was no miner's lamp were found in the to contain a succinct summary of the progress made by the De La Huerta armies and to outline the purpose of the movement against Obregon. SAYS OBREGON PARTY MAY

> GALVESTON, Texas, Dec. 11. (P)-"If our victories keep on as here-tofone it may be possible for the Obregon party to practically be-come our purchasing agent in the United States," declared Adolfo Fimmes, representative of De La-

> PUNERAL OF ST. POSEPH JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. II. (P)tired newspaper publisher, who d at his home here yesterday, ill be conducted tomorrow after-

sale of American ammunition to

Obregen.

Gold and Silver Rush In Klondike

DAWSON, TT. Dec. 81. (P)-The Klandike is in the threes of another gold and silver rush. At the head of the Beaver river, 50 miles went of Kenohill, a reported discovery of silver and gold has started a stamped from Keno and from Mayo, the

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Dec. 31 P.—Telephone reports this morning from American army officers at Port Ringgold brought reports of fighting between federal and rebel treeps at Camargo, on the Rie Grande 40 miles above Matamores The town is garrisoned by a small COLD WAVE FOLLOWS detachment of federal troops from Matamoros. No reports on the re sults of the battle were expected at noon, but American military officers stated th. the firing, which started

before daylight, was very heavy. According to a report of the amargo affray, received today by Emiliano Fernandes, immigration officer at Matamoros, the rebel force crossed the Rio Grande from the American side under the com-mand of Cosme Longoria. The crossing was effected at midnight, but the rebels failed to surprise the town owing to the vigilance of the sentries along the banks of the Rio Grande who discovered the crossing and aroused the garrison which was recently sent to that place from Matamores. The garriton, joined by the federal employes. succeeded in routing the rebels, forcing them to retire across the Rio Grande Bear Rancho LaGrulla.

The reports stated that the rebels were compelled to abandon all equipment in their flight, the fed-eral troops pursuing them to the river bank.

Colonel Otto Rethorst, command-ing officer at Foft Binggold, this afternoon informed Fort Brown headquarters that he had made a full investigation of the Camargo dence that the rebel forces had crossed the Rio Grando at any position in that vicinity.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Dec. 31. (P)-Confirmation was received here Cardenas with 200 men was cap-Amaro toward Guadalajara.

The death of General Pauline Navarro, who was killed while lead-ing his battailon against the rebel forces in the vicinity of Guadala-Jalisco, some days ago, has been officially confirmed, according to a message from Mexico City, re celved by El Sol, a Monterey newspaper

ARMY OF LOSS MEN HAVE JOINED REVOLUTION

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Dec. \$1 (P)-Official dispatches sent out this morning by the De LaHuerta foreign relations department stated that General Lindoro Hernandes and Lieutenant Colonel Trinidad del Rio operating in the state of Puebla, have joined the revolution with winds and moderate to fresh gales 1,000 men.
Additional federal troops in the

district have joined the revolution pam revolt, General Vicente Herrera, stationed at Papantla, Vera manding the 69th regiment stationed at Temapache, Vera Crus, have joined the revolt with all troops under their command. From San Andres Chalchicomula

reports have been received at head-quarters from General Highlo Aguilar that the troops command-ed by General Reyes Marques have joined the rebel troops of Francisco Mendona and Angel Vallente, utationed at Tepatlacings, in the state of Morelos and Matamores The town of Acatian, Puebla, was

captured Sunday by rebel troops as well as the town of Tulancingo. Hidaigo. The rebel forces under the command of General Macriel Cavason former Obregon leader, are marching to attack Pachuica in the state of Hidalgo, an important min-

AGAINST U. S. INTERESTS

ision of the United States govern ment to sell surplus army war ma-terlals to the Mexican government will "provoke no reprisals against American interests," according to a statement issued here by represent-atives of the De La-Huerta faction in Mexico. The decision, it was added, has queed "neither special surprise nor consternation in provisional government circles."

The rifles and other equipment to be said to the Obregon government will be delivered from the depots of the Eighth army corps area. It is indicated, however, that orders

USHEB NEW YEAR

FORECAST ZERO WEATHER FOR OKLAHOMA POINTS MONDAY NIGHT.

SPRING-LIKE WEATHER

Condition In West Texas Expecte to Be Unsettled Tonight and Tuesday.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 81. (P)-Nineteen twenty-four will arrive like a lien, according to the district office of the weather bureau here which serves the states of Louisi-ana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas. Oklahoma and Texas. the winter in the northern and western several places; snow was reported

to eight degrees below, according to During the early hours Monday the forecast, while in the southern the mercury dropped as low as 14 the forecast, while in the southern the mercury was degrees and at 7 a. m. stood at 15 between Sam Fordyce and Rio above in the northern sections and were sent out Saturday night by the from 8 to 14 above in the south.

United States weather station at

14 above in the south portion, excepting the lawer Rie Grande val-capting the lawer Rie Grande val-dop, where the thermometer is due to hang between 24 and 30 degrees. A severe cold wave is promised the Panhandle with temperatures oury is elimbing slowly, but government predictions are for much Seto.

South Louisiana yesterday experi-treme cold weather at all points this morning from Vera Crus enced typical summer weather, the north of Wichita Falls, accompanied his way east and that if these three three members of the escaping party, Anderson was not among them. Warden Albert E. Sartain and simplified and sirplanes.

The question of payment for the confined to rides, aminunities and sirplanes.

The question of payment for the confined to files. The question of payment for the field and Ganeral to the files and Ganeral to the this afternoon and tenight. Rain or snow was slated for north and central Mississippi tonight with freezing temperatures all the way to

cast district, except west Texas, the bureau expected fair weather to folow rains which are in the van of the blast. Conditions in west Texas were expected to be unsettled.

STORM WARNINGS ISSUED BY THE WEATHER BUREAU

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 21. (P)-Northwest storm warnings were ordered at 8:15 a. m. on Texas and Louisiana coasts by the weather bureau here. The area of high pressure and cold wave moving south on the Texas coast today and to-night and strong northerly winds on Tuxpam oil fields and surrounding the Louislana coast this afternoon A severe cold wave will accou

pany the gales and onight will overspread Louisiana. Arkansas. Ok'ahoma and Texas. The lewest temperature will be in north Okinhoma, where eight degrees below sere is forecast. Sero expected Tuesday, in south. Oklaho ma and north. According to reports from the

ture in northeast Texas are also ex

ings near Seattle and piled on the

inna as low as 16 degrees tempera-TWENTY-PIVE BELOW IS SEPONT PRON MONTANA SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31. (P)-Lowering temperautres symbolised the waning energies of the dying throughout the Pacatio northwest

today, freezing weather being re-ported from neafly all points and zero or below from points east of the Cascade mountains. Yesterday storms along the count

eks at Messow Point, From the Caseade to the Rockles slight fall of esow was held on WASHINGTON, Dec. \$1. (F)-De the ground by the freeze this morn ing. Lowest temperatures were report own, Butte and Great Palls. Rock Springs, Wyo., reported an average of 40 degrees below in that vicin-ity. The drops in each case were sudden, ranging as high as 63 de-grees in 34 hours.

to be seld to the Obregon government will be delivered from the depend of the Eighth army corps area. It is indicated, however, that orders for delivery of the materials may not go forward for a day or two, aithough the decision to make the sale was reached Saturday.

Certain details of the sale remain to be completed and it is presumed that no publicity All he given by the Washington government to the time and place of delivery.

DALLAS, Texas. Dec. 21. (6)—The coldest weather of the winter, which sweet into Texas posterday was rapidly apreading southward teday, according to the local weather burden to the sale was reached Saturday.

Call VESTON, Texas, Dec. 21. (6)—The coldest weather of the winter, which sweet into Texas goutheast portion; atrong northwest to north winds on the colost. Arkansas: Tonight fair, severe rapidly apreading southward teday, according to the local weather burden. The day south and south Texas and south Texas and south Texas into Dilandar. The bilisand which spread a blanket of cury dropped 22 degrees in sin hour and a half, falling from 61 degrees the fair, colder in burden which spread a blanket of cury dropped 22 degrees in sin hour and a half, falling from 61 degrees the fair, severe rapidly apreading southward teday, according to the local weather burden, and south Texas may feel freezing temperatures to in the north and south mark that such pread a blanket of the pantage of the sale remain and a half, falling from 61 degrees the fair, severe reput in the two the colost was preading southward teday, according to the local weather burden, according to the local weather burden, according to the local weather burden, according to the local weather burden. The severe cold wave, temperature serve to the in north and struck morth and struck north Texas into Struck probably fair, continued cold freezing temperatures to inght. The burden was fore the colost weather of the winter, which and the north was weather that the colost was repetited.

Severest Cold Wave In Several Years Strikes District, With Temperature Below Zero at Many Points Monday

WHERE ARE SNOWS OF YESTER YEARS

ST. LOUIS, Dec. \$1. (#)--D+spite reports of blizzared in the northwest, citizens of Quincy Ill., report the warmest winter in the memory of the oldest member of the community. Ver-benas, Petunias and Snap Dragons are blooming for the second time in the season, is the report, and dandelions are in profusion. Spring birds are present and grasshoppers have been seen. Grass is green and patches of clover have not died out.

"Where are the snows of year-

Where are the snows of yester year?" some one has quoted.

Typical spring weather of the last vere blizzard of several seasons, the Rio Grande valley. few days has given way to real mercury hovering below zero at COLDEST OF THE SEASON parts of the district and the entire in some sections, and a strong gold wind is sweeping this section of the country. Prospects are for colder Oklahoma tonight will be from zero grip on this section Tuesday.

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During the analy

part of the state the mercury was degrees and at 7 a. m. stood at 1 expected to reach sero. In Arkan-degrees, climbing slowly to 17 de expected to reach sero. In Arkan-eas where the large greas of timber grees at 10 a. m. According to reports from the afford a certain amount of protection the microury is expected to Monday, the drop in the temperature waver between zero and 10 degrees at all places was sudden. Warnings

In east Texas the forecast was New Orleans. The temperature at few temperatures from 2 to 14 de Wichita Falls dropped from 72 de grees above in the north and 12 to grees Saturday morning to 14 de-According to reports from the voluniter government weather observation station at the Wichita colder weather Monday night.

Jalisco. Two hundred federal dead were left on the field and General peratures of from 16 to 18 degrees Missorul, Kansas and Texas railway in the south and 12 to 18 in the dispatcher. Reports from Wood-north portion. Brisk winds will semand, was among the dead found on the field. The victory, it is claimed, has checked the advance of General Amaro toward Guadalates. light snew which was reported Monday morning has stopped.

Not as Severe in West Texas.

According to word received by of-ficials of the Fort Worth and Den-ver railroad, the thermometer registered pero at Texline Monday morning and two inches of snow were reported. The Panhandle is in the DROP OF SIXTY DEGREES grip of a severe blizzard and snow is falling as far south as Clarendon.

The mercury stood at eight degrees in Amarillo Monday morning and The mercury went down to 16 deone inch of snow was reported on grees above sero this morning, regithe ground.

The weather in west Texas is not

as severe generally as in north is clear.
Texas, according to reports from the dispatcher of the Wichita Valley railroad, which serves that territory. The mercury stands at 13 degrees at Spur and at 20 degrees at both Abilene and Stamford. Strong winds from the north prevail, but The Wichita Falls and Southern railroad dispatcher reports very The weather forecast for Monday Louisiana, Arkansas, night in this section is unsettled and colder, with the temperature probably between 14 and 18 degrees and a slowly rising temperature is

in south Oklahoma and north According to reports from the Achansas and two degrees tempera- government sation at New Orleans. northeast Texas are size ex-The wave will extend to cold wave, accompanied by gales is the guif coast, giving south Louis- expected to spread over all parts of Texas and southern Oklahoma Mon-Many frozen water pipes and au-

tomobile radiators were reported in Wichita Fails Monday morning, but no great damage has been incurred. Railroads report that no damage has been caused by the severe norther, and it is probable that little damage will be experienced. Show may reach Wichita Falls Norday night as dark clouds were visible in the skies of the north. although the sun was shining Mo morning and it was one clearest days of the season. BURKBURNETP EXPERIENCES

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Dec. 31.

Burkburnett is today experiencing the coldest weather of the winter. A cold north wind has been blowing ed from Montana. Mercury at \$5 for the past 24 hours with the tem-degrees below zero or lower was re-ported at Helens. Havre, George-eloudless with no indications of COLDEST WEATHER OF

stood at reso at Amarillo, Palestine 28 with snow and Taylor 32. The cold had not reached Houston at 7:00 o'clock when the mercury stood at 70 degrees there. It was raining at Corpus Christi and Hous-

is forecast.
This morning the thermometer

SAN ANTONIO REPORTS TEMPERATURE 84 DEGREES

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 31, (P) -Bathing beauties who disported themselves on the municipal bath-ing beaches yesterday while the thermometer hovered around 80 degrees, laid their one piece suits away for the time being when the cold wave reached here today. The temperature dropped to 34 degrees and was scheduled to go as far an

IN KANSAS AND MISSOURI

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 31. (P)-The old year died out in Kansas and Mishouri today with the coldest weather of the season. Minimum temperatures ranged from 10 degrees below at Goodland, in northwestern Kansas, to 26 degrees above at St. Louis. In Kansas City the thermometer registered 5 above Zero temperatures were recorded at St. Joseph, Mo., Topeka, Kan., and Concordis, Kan. Dodge City, Kan., reported 4 below; Wighita, Kan, 2 above and Springfield, Mo., shove. Snow and wind accompanied the

lower temperatures, adding to the discomfort. Slightly colder temperatures are forecast for tonight with sero or lower predicted for Kansas City and immediate vicinity.

OFFICIAL TEMPERATURE AMARILLO ONE ABOVE

AMARILLO, Texas. Dec. 31. (47) Swept by the coledst wave of the winter last night the panhandle today was in the grip of sero weather with little relief promised before

one above at 7:00 o'clock, but othn, er points over the panhandle reported thermometers registering below the zero point. A light snow accompanied the cold wave amounting to about an inch over the north plains with only

a trace to the south of Amarille NORTHER HITS BEAUMONT

sharp norther which struck Beaunont suddenly at \$:30 today brought the thermometer reading from \$0, down to 50 within two hours.

Saturday aftermoon. The weather

NEBRASKA TEMPERATURE

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 31, 49 - Tah oldest weather of the winter, with now, prevailed in Nebraska today, the temperature ranging from

WEATHER FORECAST

Wichita Falls and vicinity: Maxiium température since 5:00 p. mi lunday, 28; minimum, 14 degleen; emperature at noon Monday 22 dereading, 29.32; wind north, north west. night probably



northerly winds and moderate to resh gales on the coast. Wes Texas: Tonight and Tuesday unsettled, probably snow in south portion; colder tonight except in panhandle, severe cold wave in outh portion, temperature 14 to 182

slowly rising portion Tuesday. Tonight probably probably probably probably probably probably to southwest Louisiana: Tonight probably fair, preceded by Fain in southwest portion; severe cold wave, tempera-ture 12 to 18 in north and 16 to 22 in south portion: vegetation should WINTER SWEEPS TEXAS be protected and water pipes drained; Tuenday fair, colder in DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 21. (4)—The southeast portion; atrong northwest.

DISTRICT ATTORNE

L. V. ALLEED MAKES KNOWN THE APPOINTMENT MON-DAY MORNING.

YOUNG MAN GRADUATE OF TEXAS UNIVERSIT

Has Been Mayor of City of Naconi For Past Year and is Well Known.

Robert K. Crain, mayor of the offy of Nocona for the past year and well known to members of the bar in Wichita Falls and surrounding counties was named as assist-unt district attorney of the 36th indicial district Monday morning by Irlatrict Attorney James V. Allred. Mr. Allred made known the application to Monday merhing and will no before the county commissioners.

me before the county commissioners who will meet in regular assistonest. Wednesday morning, asking that they approve the appointment. Mr. Crain will be sworn in at that time and will assume the duties of the office at once.

Mr. Crain is a graduate of the University of Texas, where he received his law degree in the class of 1922. Immediately after graduation he returned to his home and began the practice of law. A few worths after his return from college he was elected mayor of the city, in which he has been cerving since.

one of pending crimianl cases will be set down for trial and an effort will be made during the latter part of January and in February to retice the size of the felony dockets in the two district courts.

Mr. Grain arrived in Wichitz Palis Monday nectains and after being

be set down for trial and an effort will be made during the latter part will be made during the latter part of January and in February to reduce the size of the felony dockets in the two district courts.

Mr. Grain arrived in Wichita Falls Monday morning and after being affect that he had been appointed made arrangements to move to Wichita Falls and make this his home.

He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Grain, wall known and pioneer residents of Nocena.

Mr. Crain will have his office in the district attorney's office on the first florr of the sourt house.

Mr. Alired Monday severed his connection with the law firm of Martin, Oneal and Alired and the firm will now be known as Martin and office in the Waggoner building.

Large Number

Of Unhappily

Harry Matthaew, Manager United **Drilling Co., Dies**

Harry Matthasus. 29, died at the General Hospital at 18:00 o'clock Sunday night, following a short filmess. He had lived here for four years, and at the time of his death was manager of the United Drilling Company of this city.

He is survived by his widow, a roung son, one brother, William H. Matthasus of Mount Vernon, N. Y. and one sister of Brocklyn, N. Y. The body will be sent to Mount Vernon Tuesday by Merkle Undertaking Company for burist, accompanied by the widow and brother, who sarived here early Monday merning.

rang.
Funeral services will be held from
thapel of Merkle Undertaking
mpany at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday.
I bearers will be: D. A. Kitcht, V. V. Davie, F. D. Keim, John
frey, Recen Carter and C. K.
the.

NO GAS SCARCITY

Plenty of gas during the present cold spell is the promise of H. 7. McLaughlin, district manager of the Municipal Gas Company. Monday morning the pressure gauge at the city gate registered 150 pounds or normal pressurer.

Mr. McLaughlin, stated that he had conferred with officials of the Lone Star Gas Company, which supplies the fuel to the Municipal company, distributors in Wichits Falls, and that an adequate supply would be furnissed consumers of Wichita Falls. Plenty of gas for the large industrial consumers is also premised by Mr. McLaughlin.

He explained that a lemporary line had been recetablished across the iced River at Petrolia and that prospects were for plenty of gas

New Year's Eve to Be Celebrated at Pythian Circus

Mr. Crain is a graduate of the University of Texas, where he received his law degree in the class of 1922. Immediately after graduation he returned to his home and began the practice of law. A few menths after his return from college he was elected mayor of the city, in which he has seen cerving since.

The young man is 21 years of age and although he has been practicing law only a short time had surrounded himself with a large clientale and had won the admiration and respect of the older members of the bar ir Montague County.

Immediately after he assumes the duties of his office, District Attorney allred, announces that a number of pending crimianl cases will be assured of a rous-

been presented.

Plenty of tin horns, rattles, wife beaters and squawkers have been provided by the executive committee in chara of the show and the new year will be assured of a rousing welcome.

Of Unhappily Married Men

PARIS, Dec. 31. (P)—The town of Firminy, near Stetienna, has an "unhappily married men's club."
The population of Firminy is about 28,696. When notices were posted calling a meeting of every unhappily married man in town to organise a club, nominate officers and arrange a banquet nearly 260 and arrange a banquet nearly 200

should a similar summons be made here the liuge velodrome would be too small to accommodate the

Members of the County Commis-Members of the County Commis-sioners' Court will meet in regular nession Wednesday morning. Be-cause Monday is the day before New Years, it was decided at the thesting held just before Christman not to meet again until after the first of the year.

The roof of Westminster hall b

unsupported by columns

How Good Is Your Memory?



Grandfield, Okla.

day. A wildeat well being drilled is the cause of the excitement.

Mrs. Ollie Jane Carter was adjudged insane in court Saturday, and committed to the insane hospital at Norman.

The local Odd Fellows and Re-

bekas will have a joint installation and Cosdestral Engineer Living-ston have returned from Washing-ton, D. C. They are back for a con-ference with the Texas commission-

ers, to look over and adjust damage to boundary markings caused by last high waters. The Rock Island Railroad has been authorized by the Interstate Commerce commission to purchase 15 miles of railread in Tillman

ounty, Oklahoma and issue \$425,000 mortgage bonds to finance it.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Thomas left
Wednesday for Thorp Springs.

Texas, where Mr. Thomas has purchased a 512-acre farm. He will
engage in stock raising and dairy

Mr. and Mrs. Earl, formerly with Pirst National Bank of this city. now of Okiahoma City, were here for the holidays.

Mrs. G. C. Teeter, wife of the senior partner of Teeter Drug. Co., is spending the holidays with her parents at Gonzales, Texas.

Theima Fuqua, daughter of Dr. W. G. Fugua, is a patient in the

W. G. Fuqua, is a patient in the Grandfield hospital.
A number of Grandfield boys and girls, who are students at the state university at Norman, are home for university at Norman, are home for Christmus.

Its. A. Sessions, postmaster, returned before the Christmas rush, from a 15 days deer hunt in Southern Texas. He killed one dear.

Miss Bettae Mas Holt of Wichita

Falls spent Christmas with relative

Mrs. J. T. Broyles is spending the

olidays with relatives and friends t Snyder, Ckin. Principle Mortessead of Grandfield city schools, and wife, are spending their vacation at Weath-C. Joseph, athletic director, is

CHARGES PILED AGAINST TWO MEN MONDAY MORNING

Charges of violation of the state reshibition laws were filed Monday morning against Wade Hamilton and Roy Berden by Deputy Sheriff George Hawkins. The arrest of these two men was made in consertion with the selvure of a team mules and a wagon inst. Friday afternoon At the time of the seizure of the wagon, two barrels of much were found in the best.

There are 200 species of earth

SINCERE GREETINGS

By means of this little statement we want to express our genuine pleasure in your triendship and business cooperation and also canvey to you our kindest regards and sincere wishes for strength for your work, peace for your path and a fireside cheered by the truest of friends.

May the light of the New Year make bright your path as you walk through life's tangled mases.

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SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Misses Ella Merle Mathis and Lurline Turner Give Bridge Party

CYPHER CLUB DANCE

Members of the Cypher Club were hosts to the other dancing clubs of the city, Saturday night at a dance at the Kemp flotel, with the music at the Wichita Club, Saturday and the Charles and the Charles

Gene Telson, Mary Eilen McMahoh, cards and the presentation of the Josephine Tucker, ina Meric Robin-prizes.

In the games Mrs. Harry White. ach, Dorothy Rutledge, Josephine Mayfield, Bernice Pross, Jewell Jummings, Mary Francis Collier, Florence, Ball, Alma Willis, Helen Florence Dall. Alma Willis. Helen Knotte. Mattielee Straus. Elizabeth Enown. Maurice Franklin. Lucite Redeker. Mabel Wilkins. Georgia Maxwell. Gwynn, Anna Ruth Kahm. Camille Avis and Zona Marie Ehlert Camille Avis and Zona Marie Ehlert Maxwell. Gwyni, Anna Ruth Kalm, Heatrice Spyker. Georgia B. Leath-Francis Mulligan. Eleanor Allen: and Margaret Barshardt! Messra. Van H. Thompson, Morris Norton. Allan Montgomery, Vernie Ross. L. P. Nolen. Hubert Stringer. Ralph Davis: of Dallas. C. B. Curtner, Lannest Robertson, Charles Cock, Walter Friberg. Plares Lappford. E. C. Harlin. E. S. Weldon, Morris Pol-lard. Pay Hooker. C. H. Maxwell. lard, Far Hooker, C. H. Maxwell, John Carmichael, John Powers, Pete Morgan, Virgil Fisher, Ben Lang-ford, Jim Moran, Geraid Coffee, C. ford, Jim Moran, Geraid Coffes, C. C. Haynes, Bert Clarke, J. C. Straus, ar., Ridley Maples, Raymond Smith. John Duke, H. N. Seevers, Walter Nelson Jr., J. E. Russy, R. P. Thompson, Wilkins, Yancy Cummings, Barton Perry, Bert Ripley, Howard Puckett of Georgetown, L. H. Carrington, Jack Spiere, Williard Carey, Wallace Bright, Ferris Hall, Den Weldon, John Moran, R. J. McCardy, Wallace Bright, Ferris Hall, Den Weldon, John Moran, R. J. Miller, R. T. Roberts, Tan Woffard, Charles Fuller, and A. McClory.

YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOY DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT Dinner Party and

A number of young peoples en-joyed a dance at the home of R. W. McClure, Saturday night, with Will McClure as host. Christmas decorations formed an

attractive setting and punch and cake were served to Misses Mary Modfan, Hazel Molfroy, Bernice Miss Beryl Knickerbocker, of Dallas was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores and handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the was allada Knicker-bocker at Kemp Kort Saturday high the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like was the honores at a handsome-like was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at a handsome-like with the last was the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at the honores at Kemp Kort Saturday hor site of the last was the honores at the honores at the last was the honores at t The dimer which was served in the private dimer which was served in the private diming room at Kemp world, yet she has it in her to kick these two places are linked with the Bertal Room. William Walker, Kert included the immediate members of Roye. Herman Level Hansey, Gregory Roye, Herman party.

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In the meantime you might well and yellow title with lighted candal Robertson and England H. H. Booth

BRIEFS AND NOTICES

Ladler Day at the Golf Club has

The Kemp Public Library will be closed all day New Years Day, open-ing again Wednesday morning.

Personal Mention

Miss Elsie Anderson, who came home with Miss-Helen Beavers to spend the holldays with Mr. and

her sent, Mrs. Ed Howard, and at-landing funtor College here.

Mlss Ava Lou Vernon has re-urned from Dallas, where she spent he week-end.

Mr. H. T. Cooper of Denver spent the holidays with his wife, Mrs. H. T. Cooper, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutchinson of 1304 Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coche have re-turned from their wedding trip to Longview and Dallas and will be at home with Mrs. Niellie Cocke at 1213 Burnett for a while.

Richard Cocks of Eldorado, Ark, spending a few days with his other, Mrs. Mollie Cocks, at 1818

lsy Dokle Constantine has con a two wooks' visit with relative rules, Okiahoma

Misres Elle Merie Mathis and Lurlige Turner entertained with a beautifully appointed bridge party

furneshed by the Original Southern ner. M. R. Garrison and N. B. Chenault, with little Misses Elizabeth Trumpeters

Those present included Misses assisting with the talley and score

as a reward for high score, received a lovely hand-painted rookwood vase, and Miss Dorothy Ellis, play-

erine Weeks.

Christmas bells. Those present included Misses Leona Mariele, Fay Boyd, Margaret Duncan, Catherine Moore, Buth Barnard. Ethel Moran, Ruth Crowell nard, Ethel Moran, Ruta Croweil,
Gracie D. Shamberger, Sybit Kell,
Mary Colquitt, Adelle Marcus, Vern
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Kay, Dorothy Ellia, Denver Russell,
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Reception Honors Dallas Visitors

The dinner which was served in cent and become a woman of the the private dining room at Kemp world, yet she has it in her to kick up more trouble than any woman I.

been postponed from Tuesday until
Thursday on account of New Tears
Bridge Mah Jong and "42" will be
played.

A dinner dance and reception for
rumbers only will be held at the
Country Club Tuesday, New Tears
night at To'clock, a feature of the
ruming being singing by the Shrine
quartet. Members are asked 76
make reservations with Mr. Davig
at the club by Monday night.

The Kemp Public Library will be
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The Patrician Quintette which

The Comus Club will have a dance at the Kemp Hotel New Years every from nine to one o'clock with music furnished by Billy Ray's Pyrocopated California Band. Other dancing ago before the group was broken clubs and young people of the town are invited.

All young people of the First Christian Church are invited to a Miss Julia Ross gave a violin solo. Douneds Ave Maria. With Miss Knickerbocker left for New York City and Miss Gienore Fisse went to S. M. U. at Dallas. Miss Julia Ross gave a violin solo. Douneds Ave Maria. With Miss Knickerbocker left for New York City and Miss the plano, responding to an encore.

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eer "When the Great Guest Comes," followed by "Home," by Edgar

Guest. Predefick Leon Webster, of Houston, a dramatic reader of note, who is the guest of 例iss Knickerbocker,

of ice cream and cake.

PAMILY REUNION AT JAMES KENT HOME!

One of the happy family reuniona of the boildays was held at the James Rent home here when all of the children except one were at home for the first time in 18 years.

Mrs. M. B. May and daughter. Patriola Sue, of Woodward, Oklahoms; G. D. Kent and family of Ardmore, Oklahoma; R. G. Kent of Okmulgee, Oklahoma; R. K. Kent of San Francisco, and Mesdames J. H. Terrell and E. L. Smith and James Kent 1r.4 of this city comprised members of the happy party. One son, Ray Kent, of New York City, was unable to be here.

The visitors — return to their various homes Tuesday morning.

Pand Mrs. H. W. Roberts of Pani Street announced the ar- of a daughter, Added Mise, on day, December 28. AN ADDRESS IN WACO AFTERNOON JANUARY 30

in Waco on the afternoon of January 36, according to a letter received from him this morning by Rev. J. L. Grien, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, The subject of Mr. Bryan's address will be "Is the Dible Trun"

The Tansle

ohn Alden Prescott: I haven't written you, Jack, be-I haven't written you, sack. The cause I have been too damn mad. I tions are to get the pearl at any was afraid to entrust what I would write to the mail bag for fear it being blackmailed in the future. Tell being blackmailed in the future. would burn up the other letters.
Of all selfish, unappreciative, egotistical, silly asses that I have ever
met you take the cake? Do you
think I am a man of straw to be
thrown about as a buffet for your
despicable careas?

despicable carcass? despicable carcass?

It is all very well for you to write me that self-preservation is the first law of nature, but whas about me? Do you think it was a decent kind of thing to do to let Leslie imagine I was the father of your own baby? For he is your baby. I've got the whole thing from Paula. Right here tet me say that Paula Perior is much too good for you and

she only put that baby on your doorstep because she had an idea Leslie was the true sweet weman she is and would take care of her child erine Weeks.

Ukique plate favore were two when it was impossible for her to care for it. You really didn't enter into her

You really didn't enter into her calculations in the least. She only saw that Leslie was ill and a baby was necessary to save her life.

Think of it! If it is possible that thoughts can be born in that deep vacuum energicled by your skull. The vacuum eneircled by your skull. The woman woom you wronged was ready to give to the woman you married because she knew it would be well taken care of but more than all-else because she knew the gift would probably save Lesile's life.

And you needy t, tell me. Jack, that you haven't helped that daminable lie of my fatherhood. Why, I'll never dare show my face to Leslie again. I wish I had told her all

about you before you were married.
I suppose you thought it was a brilliant idea, but I'd like to smash that mass of emasculated molecules that mass of emasculated molecules which you probably call your brain, in which the idea found lodgment.

To we straiched our friendship too jar, Jack. All my life I have been the one to whem you have come, with your troubles brought on have your new account. your own assining acts.

is wild to have her baby back. She seems to think she has done her duty by lending it to Leslie long duty by lending it to Lenlie long enough to save your wife's life and

had legally adopted it, she could do nothing. But you know Psula—al-though she has almost lost her ac-

close carnival caps, the whistles and fortunes.

The only thing that worrise me in the least is that these two girls—
The menu of sparkling grape ves. I call them girls for they are lieved of all responsibility and the checked out. His work was praised the creamed peas in patti-shells, account of the shameful and ut.

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man's desire.
I'd like to write more to you but I can't find words to express the fury with which your letter gilled me. I'll never forgive you for this.

Telephone conversation between Mark Struble and Mrs. John Alden oscott:
'I would like to speak to Mrs. John Alden Prescett. "This is Mrs. Precent speaking." "Mrs. Prescott, this is Mr. Mark

Struble with whom you had conversation yesterday."
"Good morning, Mr. Struble,"
"Good morning. I have just had

"I am sure, Mr. Strouble, that Mrs. Ellington would be perfectly able to make the right kind of bargain.

Miss Elsie Anderson, who came home with Miss-Helen Beavers to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers, returned Mondays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers, returned Mondays with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Beavers, returned Mondays with Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. Williams and son, J. E. Jr. left Monday morning for Austin fater spending the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Nail. Mrs. Nail accompanied Ber mother home for a visit of several weeks.

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Miss Pearl Smith read "Peggy st the olders of Omes and responded with an encore. Miss Alanda Knickerbocker gave ville Hoo's and Sista Caling."

Miss Janies Maloney has returned from Wolfe City, where she spent from Wolf bave your necklace appraised and get at some decision as to what one pearl, would be worth. Of course-you must understand that for a

your friend that before she pays the money she must be perfectly sure the pearl is real. Have you brought

money she must be perfectly sure the pearl is real. Have you brought the neckince with you?"

No. Mr. Struble. It is where Ruth can get it."

Then I think everything will be easy and you may go and welcome your mother with perfect content. But I would advise you, as soon as Mr. Whitney comes back, to take him and your little sister and have a conference with your father and your mother and your husband. Of a conference with your father and Donald, special attorney in the case, your mother and your husband. Of is out of the city and is expected to course I know you are perfectly in return here Tuesday. Mr. George a conference of the conference

(Copyright 1923, NEA Service, Inc.) Tomorrow: Leslie Prescett writes

Admiration for the beauty and excellent planning of Wichita Falls and for the aplendid work of the Salvation Army post under the command of Ensign L. Corline, was expressed Sunday atternoon by Brigadier F. B. Robertson, of Chicago, head of the auditing department of the Salvation Army ment of the Salvation Army, central division, comprising 15 states. The army citadel on Scott avanue was crowded to capacity to hear Bragadier Robertson's talk Sunday enough to save your wife's life and night. He told of his experiences now the boy should be returned to dier Robertson has been an officer of the Salvation Army for the last India and eighteen wears in Africa

have ever known, if she thinks it is known throughout the United services and the conditions of narcissus. In the meantime, you might well states. All services at the citadel States. All services at the citadel

and complimented by the brigadier.
Ensign Corlies leaves Wichita
Falls Monday, January 7, to take
up his new duties as commander of
Post No. 1 at Chicago. Adjutant D. G. Swanson, recently returned t this country from Japan, will take charge of the army work in Wichita Falls Tuesday, January & 1924.

"Paint up or rot it down." See Watson, 807 Indiana -- adv.

City Officials Will Decide Soon Whether to Appeal From Decision of Commission In Gas Company Case

city authorities would take in response to the decision by the state railroad commission Saturday.

I am sure he would even do that that some definite decision for you." An appeal to the district court of

Travia county is the only course open to the city authorities. A decision to appeal the case to the cision to appeal the case to the state courts would prolong it for several weeks.

H. T. McLaughlin, district man-ager of the Munisipal Gas Company, was advised of the decision of the railroad commission Saturday night and was authorized to include the 50-cent charge in the December bills. It was mutually agreed that the decision should be retroactive and should become effective on De-

cember 1.
According to the report received here by the gas company officials, W. A. Nabors cast the dissenting vote in the decision of the railroad

City authorities have not been of ficially notified of the action of the commission. It is expected that a special meeting of the council will be called early next week to dis-cuss the advisability of an appeal to the district court of Travis

Archer City News

The Christian Church which was frame structure has been torn down and will be replaced by a new modern building of brick. The brick work will be done by J. A. Fudge and the wood work by Brewer and Maxwell, carpenters.

W. H. Colwell has remodeled the

Power building and established in it a bakery business. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooper have returned to their home at Turkey. Texas after spending the helidays

J. N. Shelton is seriously til at his ome here. Miss Ola Claggett left Thursday for Henrietta where she will visit a few days before returning to her school work at Seymour. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jagers of Wichita Falls have been visiting

Wichita Falls have been visiting relatives here.

Percy Morrison returned from Eastland Friday where he had apent Christmas with his-sister.

Roy Hutcheson, who was with home folks here Christmas, has re-

turned to Dalias.

Mrs. Frank Power and daughter.
Madelin, ano Miss Ruth Hutcheson
were in Wichita Falls Thursday. Mrs. W. H. Griffin, Miss June Griffin and Miss Mary Dycus went to Wichita. Falls Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor went to Wichita Fails Thursday to visit Mrs. Taylor's mother. Mrs. Blarche Burns, who has

been visiting her uncle, Judge Mor-rison here, returned to her home at Mountain Park, Oklahoma Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Strange and Maggie Morrison went to Wichita

Falls Friday. Miss Hasel Pruett of Jermyn has

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MILLER-FERGUSON CO., Inc.

Miss Gladys Hogan of Wichits Falls spent Christmas with her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hogan.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hogan.

Mrs. Don Beck has returned to
her hose at Newcastle after spending several days with her parents.
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson.
Mr. John Shroder of Huff walhere on business Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dally, Mrs.
Chas. Gant and Mrs. B. B. Simmons
of Lake Creek were here on business Thursday.

of Lake Creek were here on business Thursday.

Rev. A. Wall of Megargle was here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson went to Wichita Falls Friday.

Miss Bess Justice of Annarene was here Friday.

Miss Ema Joda Morrison, teacher in the Vernon school, has returned to her work after spending the holidays with home folks. holidays with home folks. Wat Jack Crosslin has opened a real adv.

been visiting friends here this week.

Dan and Pat Powell have returned building.

to Wichita Falls after spending the holidays with their parents here.

With relative at Dundee.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hentley, died at the home of her parents, 1819 Fourteenth street, at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. Buriat o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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SIR ESME HOWARD

SUCCEEDS SIR AUCKLAND GED DES, WHO RESIGNED SATURDAY.

DAILY NEWS CRITICISES HASTE OF GOVERNMENT

Westminster Gazette Takes Opposite View and Approves Appointment.

LONDON, Dec. 31. (P)-Commenting on the resignation of Sir Auckland Geddes and the appointment of Sir Esme Howard, the liberal Daily News protests angrily against the "indecent hurry with which the moribund government filled the most important position in the dip-lomatic service." It contends that "at this juncture of events the ambassador at Washington ought to be a representative Inglishman, well known on both sides of the Atlantic and with special gifts for strongthening the new understanding which has recently grown up between the

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The Daily News asks whether the premier's frantic haste in appoint-ing Sir Esme was due to fear test

those of the Dally News, takes the spposite position, saying that as the selection of the successor to Ambassador Geddes fell to a "government awaiting execution, it is right that the ambassador be appointed from the ambassador be appointed." from the ranks of the diplomatic sorps rather than the outside." That real choice of political sig-

sificance." continues the newspaper. it has other advantages inasma as during the next few years rela-tions with the United States must involve many questions dealing

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with diplomatic experience will be most desirable."

The newspaper argues that in the future the United States, far more

Than in the past, must concern acreself with affairs outside her own borders and that the business aspect of diplomatic relations consequently

will have more prominence.

The only other comment is that of the Daily Express, which dwells on the amouthness of the tasks before both Ambassador Kellogy and Ambassador Howard, because "ob-literation to the last titeration to the last seeds of dis-agreement has made a reality of the friendship to which many decades of lip service have been paid."

The Texhoma Oil and Refining ompany has not been sold, and the ajority of stock is still in the pos-ession of Wichita Falls men." J. J.

'erkina, secretary of the company, innounced Monday morning.

"Many rumors have been afloat in Wichits Falls and financial circles of the east to the effect that the company had changed hands. According to the rumors, the company ording to the rumors, the company has be in sold some 50 times during e last si months.
"W. B. Hamilton, president of he

ompany; N. H. Martin, vice precient; C W Salder, treasurer; Frank, iell, J. A Kemp and myself still wa all of the stock in the Texhoma the next ministry should appoint to me a state of the sta

The many rumors of sale are all unfounded Mr. Perkins declared. Information received from fi-mancial excites of New York City by The Times Saturday night was to the effect that 60 per cent of the stock of the Texhoma Company had been bought by the Superior Oil Company fo. a consideration of \$3. 900,000. Officials of the company could not be located Saturday night and the report could not be con-

Mr. Hamil on, Mr. Martin and the legal adviser of the company are still out of the city on a business recently admonished by Bishop trip.

News Summary

CONSTANTINOPLE. - Confirma tion was received of the sinking of the United States shipping board vessel Conejos in the Black sea with the loss of all on board,

WASHINGTON .- Charges that an organized conspiracy existed to coeres congress into supporting the opportunity is given to study its provisions were made by Representative Garner, ranking Democratic member of the ways and means

WASHINGTON .- The annual review of economic conditions issued by the federal reserve board said that the American people produced more, spent more and saved more in 1923 than in 1922,

ATLANTA, Ga. - Four prisoners. among them George Anderson, partner of Gerald Chapman, mil-lion dollar mail bandit, escaped from the federal pentientiary tunneling under the walls.

HANKOW, China .- Three American Lutheran missionaries, Mr. Hoff and his wife, and a Mrs. Kilen.

MURDER IN ST. LOUIS searching for three negroes, one of whom is alleged to have shot and killed Harry Leonard. 43, in an at-tempted holdup of the latter's soft drink parlor here late last night. Leonard is understood to have attempted to selse a revolver w



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INDICATED THAT STRUGGLE WILL NOW GO ON WITH RENEWED VIGOR.

HAD HOPED TO AVOID PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS

> ontroversy is Resumed With Services at Number of Churches

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (#)-Efforts to settle without recourse to public discussion the doctrinal controversy in the Profestant Episcopal Church began at a conference Friday at which modernist and conservative representatives were present today appeared endangered by pulpit assertions yesterday that the Christ mas truck requested in a diocesan letter from Rishop William T. Manning was at an end and that the inter-factional struggle would go on with renewed vigor.

The Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney began at a conference Friday at which modernist and conservative representatives were present, today

frant, rector of the Church of the often robbed and beaten are held in Ascension, a leading modernist, whose views last year caused an which Mrs. Bassett would have pen clash with Bishop Manning. declared the Christmas peace was over so far as he was concerned and expressed hope that the controvet-sey would be "neither too much narrowed" nor "hushed up by seret conference."

Grant's criticism of the "autocratic power of the bishops" was mot by a dismetrically approach view expressed by the Rey, Dr. Joseph G. H. Barry, rector of the Church of St. Mary, the Virgin, who called upon hishops to discipline the moderniat claraters. modernist clergymen and asserted that Cain was the first modernist. Another in the ranks of the groun which threw down the gauntiet anew was Dr. William Norman Guthrie, rector of the Church of St. Manning about symbolic dances in his church.
"In my 30 years in the eninistry

I have never spoken this way be-fore," said Dr. Guthrie, "but I am ory of Jesus as the "Christ myth" the safe, he told officers.

which interested him as a historian, but not as a minister. The Rev. Charles Francis Potter of the West Side Unitarian Church predicted that the "old orn of hell and devil, and the cowardly evasion of truth will rapidly pass away and be supplanted by a newer and greater religion."

The Rev. Dr. John Roach Strates.

who recently technically lost in a debate with the Rev. Mr. Potter on the infallibility of the Bible, prophesled that anarchy would result if

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 31 W)—Relies of barbarism exists in many jails of Oklahoma, Mrs. Mabel Bassett, commissioner of charities

on with renewed vigor.

The Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney roo courts in which prisoners are remedled is that of "sentence before

trial." "Prisoners are kept in jail some times a year before trial and then naturally some of them are found act guilty," she said, "It is not humanitarian to hold a person in jail a year before his trial, when there is no assurance he will be

SWEETWATER, Texas, Dec. \$1 I have never spoken this way be-fore," said Dr. Guthrie, "but I am not going to let my brother get into trouble without going with and robbed D. D. Dixon. Santa Fa him. And a good many of us are going to get into trouble."

Dr. Guthrie referred to the history of large as the "Cheist muth"

the safe he told officers.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. \$1.69.—One woman was killed and two others seriously injured when they leaned from the third floor of a burning apartment house early this morning. Other occupants were rescued by members of the fire department as the hullding was destroyed. ment as the building was destroyed by the flames.

A second woman was burned to death and three more persons were injured in a second apartment house fire which broke out shortly after thorities, apparently were caused by over-heated furnaces due to the cold wave which swept Denver and the west last night.

B: & O. FAST EXPRESS IS DERAILED AND HUNDREDS PASSENGERS SHAKEN UP

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. \$1.09locording to a report to local Bal-imore & Ohio offices here today the Baltimore & Ohio fast express rom New York to Cincinnati, due here at 8:05 a. m., was derailed 23 miles west of Zalisky, Ohio. According to the information received here, hundreds of passengers on the train were shaken up, but to one was seriously injured. The locomotive tender, two mail

we baggages and two coaches and The derailment, the report said was due to the track being washed out by heavy rains at the time the train was proceeding at low speed and this probably averted a more serious accident.

Anxiously Waiting Ethel—So Arthur preposed last

Maude-I was so awfully excited, don't know whether I did or not. If he comes tonight, I did. If he doesn't, I didn't.-Exchange



Welcome 1924! Adieu 1923! Happy New Year to All!

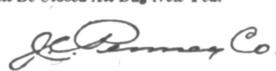
With the festivities of a joyous Christmas season ended, we join you in looking forward to a new year-a year which we trust will be filled with an abundance of good health, happiness and prosperity

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KHIFD N. Y. Dry Agents Prepared for Big New Year Revel

NEW YORK, Dec. 11. 09-The welcome of 1924 which will be ten-dered to the threshold of Broadway at midhight tonight will have cost 50,000 revellers something like \$300,000 for the more privilege of extending their greetings.

Special squads of prohibition agents were tisted incognite, among

the \$0,000 holding reservations cabarets, hotels and clubs The number of reservations, most

Broadway's memory and the undamaged. Officers are of the

A big estaure of New Year liquo was made yesterday on the south shore of Long Island by probib-tion agents. Eight men were ar-rested and ilquor valued at \$20,000

Efforts are being made in the city to halt the flow of poison liquor that has caused the death of 11 persons and the serious illness of more than 225 since Christmas eve.

T. B. NOBLE'S CAD LLAC FOUND 97 CITY OFFICERS

Motorcycle Officers Blocker and B. Noble, stolen from in front of his of them made at \$5 each, but many residence Sunday night. The ma-from \$7-to \$20, and a few more at chine was found near the city limits even more, was one of the biggest in the golf club addition and was

amount of gold which will flow opinion that it was "borrowed" by along the great white way is extop-riders and abandoned when the pooted to surpass this stream of gasoline was exhausted.

Father-Tell me, my child, has that flance of yours any money? Daughter-Money, father? Why. he gave me a lovely diamend en-Father-Tes, yes, I know. But have he any left?-Answers (London)

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BALANCING FAULTS.

Another measure of a man-speaking generically Is the way he reacts to the little frailties and imperfections of his contemporary beings. In other words—the way he takes other folks

Robert Louis Stevenson was one of the most deightful men of his time. It is said of Stevenson that in his presence men and women were always at their best; that he drew to the surface their finest qualities, and with a keen, sweet sympathy, indeinably expressed, made them feel immeasurably superior to their ordinary selves,

Robert Louis had a number of divine gifts, but this must have been one of the greatest. He had the gift of friendship, recognized in the beautiful ute of the island men, who built the white road of stones to his home and called it, in their own tongue, "The Road of Loving Kindness" ("Tusitalo"), For you are one of all the years of which our age is with every white stone dragged into place during years of labor symbolic of his loving kindnesses to men. But the gift of friendship was probably a small tributary to his gift for balancing faults, and finding in his heart that the good always outbalanced the bad, or that the bad was always excusable,

Not one in a thousand of us poor humans put much thought on balancing faults. A woman writer who gives splendid advice to women-and incidentally -said in one of her recent talks that a woman must learn to balance her husband's faults with his good points, and that such is the only way a successful marriage may be built,

It is the only way a successful life may be built. Haven't you stood in the presence of folks who ade you realize every meanness in your make-up? Not from a sense of their spiritual superiority, but from that fine susceptibility we all have to faultfinding. Folks that made every bad little bump in being stand out in knotty relief against the the influence we all give out in some manner or eak prairie of your virtues? You have. It is human nature to assume superiority to our fellows, and some of as make a specialty of the assumption until it reaches perfection. We can sight a Fault a block away. In fact, the poor things crawl out to greet hs. in time!

And yet we all average up fairly well, in the light of our various endowments and environments. There is soldom a fault that hasn't a virtue tucked away around its corner. If we are weak, we are usually generous and big hearted; if we are strong and dommant we are often selfish. If we are undependable about remembering obligations, we are usually undependable about remembering wrongs. If we are ticulous about the details of our housekeeping or our business, we are often petty in our dealings with others. It is the exceptional person who builds his virtues up above the average, and the exceptional erson who is more than nominally responsible for and hid behind clouds. faults above the average.

Balancing faults in our hearts, in fact, wouldn't he a bad way to start the new year. And we might shines forth in greater brilliance after it is cut and help ourselves with a little study on the side of the polished. man who did it so graciously, not more than half a semptury ago.

SHERLOCK HOLMES.

Conan Doyle regrets that he created the worldfamous Sherlock Holmes detective stories. Writing his memoirs in the Strand, an English magazine, Doyle confides that he is disappointed because his berlock Holmes yarns have eclipsed what he considers his more literary works such as "The White Company."

All this is amazing. The Sherlock Holmes stories and their dramatic rights are understood to have brought Doyle a million dollars,

Theatrical booking agents will nod their heads and repeat; "Yes, when they can sing, they want to dance. And when they can dance, they want to

The comedian, Eddie Foy, for many years nursed as his greatest ambition the desire to star as Hamlet. George Ade wanted to write tragedies—and got ed. So it goes, all of us imagine we'd have done better if we had followed some other line of slong the war trail drifting; and, though there was work-a peculiar form of self-hypnotism and delusion that is especially characteristic of successful

There's a saying that every man thinks he knows how to edit a better newspaper than any now pub-1 一 其 山 衛山間

The life function or purpose of Conan Doyle unstionably was the writing of the Sherlock Holmes tories. He started out as a physician in Edinburgh. He felt pulses and prescribed pills for eight years, ne in this time never exceeding \$1400 a year. Then he wrote "Study In Scarlet," first of his desective thrillers—calling his here Sherrinford Holmes, he name later was changed. Dr. Watson originally

own as Ormond Saker. In all history, there have been only three endurgreat fictional detectives-Poe's Dupin, Gabo-Monsier Lecog and Doyle's Sherlock Holmes. here are the three greatest. Holmes brought Doyle | dollars, they say. Also international fame at will live, no one knows how many generations. To call that a big job well done.



DECEMBER 31. They say you die today, Old Year. Tonight you cease to be-

Upon that final stroke of twelve you join eternity; bigger and all needed. It is foolish forcew you shall sleep with all the years that lie to talk of motor car extravagance

be no more. Dead as Old Marley! Dead as the leaf that withers

'neath the frost, Done with the duties of the world, and yet not wholly lost.

thousand years from now, perhaps, men still will turn and see Something along the path of life to mark your mem-

ory. Because you were and in your time some little joy you brought,

gracious thought; Children shall write your name with glee full many a happy morn And carry it bravely all through life—the year when they were born.

We shall recall you countless times, and after we have gone in all the records men shall read you shall be living

on. Marbles which mark our levely dead, intended to endure,

Shall wear for all who care to read your lasting signature: Whether by grief or laughing joy, whether by death

or birth. Fortune or failure's sad mischance, you still shall

Because you were, you still shall be! We say men live and die, none that was shall cease to be, though death

has closed the eye. And you, Old Year, shall still live on. Oblivion cannot steal

memory of your days on earth-you were, and shall be real. You are immortal as the soul, your lustre cannot

fade.

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By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

FAITH TOWARDS ONESELF. Each of us suffers more intensely from breaking faith with ourselves than from breaking it with others.

the first place.

Have faith in yourself. Then keep it. "Thou canst not then," in the immortal words of Shakespere, "be false to any man,"

other Faith towards oneself eats deep. It saturates

the very blood which the heart pumps to every inch of bodily life. And you guarantee this faith by every word of

outh and act of mind. Our ideals do not make us perfect by any manner

of means. But our striving to meet those ideals in a highly decent way, brands us and marks our kind of character. Then it is that we are able to stand before the

rorld exactly as we are, And the stronger we stand, the more inherent is

our right to stand. You were never meant to be a puppet to any man.

Have faith in yourself. Hew your way. Smile ing, blasing mass, through hardship. Remember that every day the sun shines on even though today it may be darkened

Learn to walt. It takes longer to polish the diamond than any other stone, and yet no other stone

Keep the good faith with yourself and you cannot fail to create a sound faith toward a kind and good

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HORROR LITERATURE.

The news stands groan with magazines which are madhouse feeder; they introduce to ghastly scenes the young and tender reader. Grim yarns of traffic with the dead, of orgies demon-plotted, foul tales of ghosts and vampires dread, set down by scribes besofted. For these the small boys spend their cash when they go magasining; their minds, polluted by such trash, will need a good dry cleaning. I think about the stuff I read when I was young and tender; the scout who left his trail of dead, the damsel fair and slender; the injun chief with painted braves, a string of graves, the moral was uplifting. I always felt my spirits rise, when with such books I tarried; the wicked drew the booby prize, the virtuous were married. But now we have no Bendle varus for little boys upgrowing; they read of ghosts in inidnight tarns, and vampire blood a-flowing. They read stark tales of grisly grief, of phantom-fests informal, acoutring thus a bleak belief in foul things and abnormal. The men who print, the men who write the rot that fumes and festers, should have their padded cells tonight, among the madhouse justers. Copyright 1983, by George Matthew Adams

Don't grunt when you hug a prospective Leap Year husband. It may remind him of the price of pork chops.

Our Leap Year advice to single women is lean

The best way for a girl to propose to a man is to

Four Million Care in 1923. Next, the Flying Machine. Mellon Does Not Worry. Fine Gasoline Team Work.

By ARTHUR BRISDAND (Copyright, 1923, The Star Co.)

Antomobiles, passenger cars and trucks made in 1923 total four miltions. Next year's output will be The cars pay their way, in timemething that was and walked on earth but is to saving and health, and pay a big profit in pleasure.

In Ching they have no motor cars. worth mentioning, few reads, and you can hire Chinese for a few cents a day. In many cases, cars are bought here, instead of whisher. or instead of spending money on gambling. Men must have some ex-citement. The best possible is driving a car.

Next year, Henry Ford, or some man younger, ought to begin the production of flying machines in quantity. A man with courage, knowledge and money could render no greater service than by making You still shall live in countless breasts enshrined by this the leading flying country,

> To make the machines would crete the fliers, and the country needs them for army, havy and postoffice. The navy reserve of fliers numbers only 200 and ought to number 3,000. The flying machines will create the fliers, as the automobiles created the drivers.

Secretary Mellon says the best year we have ever known is ahead of us. The people owe much to Mr. Mellon's management of national finances, one of the world's ablest business men, he was on his way to be the richest man in the nation, when he dropped his own business, to manage public finance.

Mr. Mellon inspires confidence and not only promises prosperity, but makes it. He predicts a Coolidge election. That depends most of all on Mr. Mellon himself, more than on Coolidge. The bogey of "a bad presidential year" does not frighten the secretary, and it need not frighten any other able man.

anneunces two cents increase in gasoline price. By an interesting and puzzling coincidence, the Sin-clair and White Eagle companies announce exactly the same increase in exactly the same territory, I good team play. What comes down must go up, it seems. Recently gaseline prices were tumbling everywhere. Now look for a general rise and note how harmoniously it is done.

chist girl of 20 shot and killed Marius Plateau, editor of a royalist newspaper, she meant to kill Leon Daudet, head editor, but took Plateau instead. She admitted the crime, was proud of it. A jury acquitted her after 25 minutes. Now the French legislature will refuse to-give votes to women, because Germaine Berthon would surely be elected to the chember of deputies That will seem very French, to

some of us. But the young wom-an's lawyer made a powerful plea-strange here, but convincing there. He said, quite truly, that the man A certain truegess of faisity always radiates from the French republic. He represented also the class that murdered Juares when the war began, Juarez, the great radical leader, whose teachngs were against the horrible war. He said, "my young client's act syens up that Juarez score," and the jury agreed with him, But refusing votes to women for young female immediately the car moved away anarchist assassin might be elected. At the illuminated number Nicol to parliament seems going a little Brinn scarcely troubled to glance.

> The old Volcano Kilanea in Hawall is active again, fountains of releasing the pent up fires at earth's center. They are local manifestations, having nothing to do with the red hot core that the earth retains from its youth as a flam- rapidly upon it to pencil

In fact, our central heat may not be due to fire at all but to chemical combinations, radio activities, of other forces. You can buy a hot water bag that needs no hot water. Chemicals, with a teaspoonful of water added create the heat.

That science convention also showed a primitive "sending of power without wires." A bulb was lighted at a distance, with no when that problem is solved and the faraway cataracts of the world send power through the air, to flying machines above and the fac-taries in distance cities, a new age will begin. And It is coming. You see the lightning carrying its power from sky to earth with no earrying wires.

An electric "ultra auidble" micro-phone makes it possible to hear and record sounds made by insects, hitherto supposed to utter no sound at all. The invention will be to the car what the microscope is to the eye, it will open up a world of new counds. We may listen to the marching ants, giving their war ommands, or the solemn cockroach conversing in the sink. There is a world of color above and below our yesight, above the violet, below the red. There are sounds above and below our range of hearing. Every-thing is infinite in both directions We are only one head on the string

WEATHER How far shead can the weather be accurately predicted? Only a few days, and then subject to the law of averages. The airplane and radio, however, are proving such valuable helps that the weather bureau says long-range weather predictions (far in advance) may not be impossible. Meantime, nare predicts the kind of winter and other seasons months ahead—to This year, looks like a mild win-ter. If so, chances are that next winter will be severe. Nature evens things up, in ten temperature, over FOOLISH.

You know, from your extensive reading, that enormous amounts of eggs are imported into our country from China. Department of agri-culture says that just as many American eggs are exported, even to haul eggs clear across the Pacific and then ship away an equal num-ber from our own farms!

"Hey!! Don't Go Without Your Old Bottle!"

Monne.

Standard Oil Company of Indiana may be accidental but looks like

Germaine Berthon, French anar-BEGIN HERB TODAY Sir Charles Abingdon engages
Paul Harley, criminal investigator,
to find out why Sir Charles is shadowed. Paul dines at the Abingdon
home. Sir Charles falls from his
chair in a dying condition. The last
words he utters are "Nicol Brina"
and "Fire-Tongue." Dr. McMurdoch
pronounces death due to heart-failure. Harley insists that Sir Charles
was poisoned.
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Paul asks Nicol Brinn to explain Anat will seem very French. to some of us. But the young woman's lawyer made a powerful plea strange here, but convincing there. He said, quite truly, that the man his client killed represented an effort to restore kings and destroy the French restelle to the restore the property of the cuit. New Ge on with the Story. Nicol Brinn, placing his hat upon his head stenned out before the porch of the Cavalry Club.

The chastfeur closed the door, and returned again to the wheel. Immediately the car moved away Common sense told him that it was not that under which the car was registered. His interest, on the contrary, was entirely focused upon a beautiful car, which was evidently lava spurting up here and there, in a beautiful ear, which was evidently the crater. The science convention awaiting same visitor or member of at Cincinnati learns that volcances the club. Glancing shrewdly at the are not what we thought, openings. fellow, Nicol Brinn drew a card from his waistenat nocket, and rest ing it upon a wing in the light of

> Returning the percff to his ocket:
> "Whose car, my man?" he inquired of the chauffeur.

one of the lamps, wrote something

"Colonel Lord Wolverham's, sir." "Good." said Nicol Brinn, and put the card and a ten-shilling note inthe man's hand. "Go right into club and personally give onel Lord Welverham this card. Do you understand?" The man understood. Used to die

cipline, he recognized the note of command in the speaker's voice.
"Certainly, sir," he returned,
without hegitation; and stepping down upon the pavement he walked into the club.

Less than two minutes afterward

a highly infurated military gentle-man—who, as it chanced, had never even heard of the distinguished American traveler-came running out hatless into Pleadilly, holding crumpled visiting card in his hand, The card, which his chauffour had given him in the midst of a thrill-ing game, read as follows: MR. NICOL BRINN

Raleigh House, Piceadily, W. I. And written in pencil beneath the name appeared the following: Borrowed your car Urgent Will colain tomorrow, Apologize, N. B. CHAPTER XXIII

Phil Abingdon's Visitor.
On the following merhing the card of His Excellency Ormuz Khan was brought to Phil Abingdon in the charming little room which Mrs. McMurdoch had alloted to her for a private sanctum during the of her stay under this hospitable roof.

A few minutes later Ormus Khan entered. He were faultless morning dress, too faultless; so devied of any flaw or crease as to have lost its masculine character. In his button-hole was a hyscinth, end in one slender lyory hand he carried a huge bunch of pink roses, which, howing deeply, he presented to the embarrassed girl.

embarrassed girl.

"Dare I venture," he said in his
musical volce, bending deeply over
the extended hand, "to ask you to

"Kindness is a spiritual invest-"Yes, we shall be ready."

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Paul Harley raised his aching head and looked wearily about him. He lay in a small, barely furnished room, having white distempered walls, wholly undecorated. Its few-appointments were Oriental, and the "Let us then try to forget, if only for a while," said Ormus Khan. "I could show you so easily, if you would consent to allow me, that those we love never leave us." only window which it boasted was set so high as to be well out of reach. Moreover, it was iron-barred, and at the moment admitted no tiquat makers light, whether because it did not was beginning to have its effect. Phil Abingdon found herself fight-

mean that?" she whispered. A smile appeared upon his face, an alluring smile, but rather that of a beautiful woman than of a man. "As you of the west," he said.
"have advanced step by step, ever unward in the mechanical science, we of the east have advanced also step by step in other and greater sclences

The spell of his hausting voice

ing against something which at one repelled and attracted her.

"Does Your Excellency

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PATTERPIELD

Your Excellency almost frightshe whispered. "Yet I have no doubt that you speak of what you know.

"It is so," he returned, gravely. At any hour, day or night, care to make the request, I shall be happy to prove my words. "But," he lowered his dark lashes and then raised them again. "the real object of my visit is concerned with more "Indeed," said Phil Abingdon, and whether because of the words of Ormus Kahn, or because of some

stablished between them, she im nediately found herself to be think ing of Paul Harley. I bring you a message," he continued "from a friend. With eyes widely open, bingdon watched him. "From," she began-but her lips

ond of telepathy which he had

ould not frame the name "From Mr. Paul Harley," clining his head graveif. "Oh, tell me, tell me!" "I am here to tell you Miss Abing

Mr. Harley feels that his ab sence may have distressed you. "Yes yes" she said eagerly But in pursuit of a certain mat ter which is known to you, he has found it necessary in the interests of his safety to remain out of London for a while. "Oh," Phil Abingdon heaved a great sigh. "Oh, Your Excellency.

how glad I am to hear that he is "He is my guest," continued Or "He is with you?" exclaimed Phil,

onsly. Imost increds With me at my home in Surrey. In me he found a natural ally since er room, one feature of which, and my concern was as great as his own. Abington, that he is in danger."
"In danger?" she whispered.

is safe. There is a matter urgency, however, in which you can assist him." "I?" she suclaimed, "No one but you," Ormuz Kahn

raised his siender hand gracefully "I beg you, do not misunderstand In the first place, would Mr. Barley have asked you to visit him at my home, if he had not been well assured that you could do so propriety? In the second ould I, who respect you leeply than any woman in world consent to your coming unchaperoned? Miss Abingdon, you know me better. I beg of you in Mr. Harley's name and in my own, prevail upon Mrs. McMurdoch to ccept the invitation which I bring to lunch with me at Hillside, my Surrey home."

ment," he said, "which returns us interest tenfold. If I can be sure of Mrs. McMurdoch's acceptance, I will her c request permission to take my leave N. H. now for move an urgent business appointment to keep, after which I will call for you. Can you be ready by moon?

The Screen of Gold.



Ormus Kahn Entered

communicate with the outer world. or because night was fallen he, was unable to tell. There were two doors in the roos of very massive construction. and the other a smaller one. and the other a smaller one. The and 10 in the morning. That's place was dimly lighted by a brass what the trade calls "the peak of

lantern which hung from the cell-ing Harley stood up, staggered between 4 and 5 in the afternoon slightly, and then set down again.
For a few moments he remained seated, victim of a deadly nausea. Then, clenching his jaws grimly again he stood up, and this time succeeded in reaching the heavy door. As he had supposed, it was firmly ocked, and a glance was sufficient show him that his unaided effort could never force it. He turned his attention to the smaller door, which opened at his touch, revealing a sleeping apartment not unlike monk's cell, adjoining which was a tlny bathroom. Neither rooms tiny bathroom. Neither rooms bonsted wi dows both being lighted

Harley examined them and their appointments with the utmost care, and then returned again to the outdo not conceal from you, Miss reserved for special investigation This was a massive screen of gilded fron scroll work, which oe 'It is true, but beneath my root he cupied nearly the whole of one end of the room. Beyond the screen hung a violet-colored curtain of Oriental fabric; but so closely woven was the metal design that although he could touch this cur-tain with his finger at certain points, it proved impossible for him to move it aside in any way. (Continued In Our Next Issue.)

by brass lanterns.

Your Health By Dr. Clifford C. Robinson

Disease From Teeth and Tonsila

How often a patient will go to physician to tell of some disease of trout the gall bladder, kidneys, appendix or sicer of the stomach. He will fore, the extended hand, "to ask you to accept these flowers." It would honor me. Pray do not refuse."

"Tour Excellency is very kind," was almost a note of adoration. This acute nervousness. "It is, more than good of you."

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Suddenly she spoks.

"Of source I will come. Your Excellency," she said. "I will see Mrs. Ahingdon resumed her seat, "Con-why McMurdoch at once, but I know she overgame the patient's so-called overgame the sources of the so say he had suffered more or less with one or more of these diseases ever since he had the influence. Many have had just this experi-

Ittle Benny's Note Book Last nits after suppir pop started

By MORRIS

wawk up and down the setting room with his chest out, taking big reaths to push it out even ferther and saying. Well, I got up erly and took my exercises this morning and I still feel the effects of it. So do I, ma sed. I lost half an hour sleep lissening to you counting out loud in frunt of the looking

glass, and Ive bin yawning all day as a result, she sed.

Well wy dident you tell me to count to myself? pop sed. I was too sleepy, ma sed, and pop sed, Wat you should of done was to get up and exercise with me.

Not me, Ive got too mutch respect for my sleep, ma sed. Well look at me, feeling fit as a fiddle and strong as a horse jest be-cause I started the day erly with exercise insted of starting it late all doped up with too mutch sleep, pop sed. And he started to wawk up sed. And he started to wawk up and down agen saying, Jest look at me, I feel like a 4 yeer old, I could go out rite now and do a nites work in the fields.

O goodniss, that reminds me, ma

sed. The carpender left our ladder out in the yard wars enybody can wawk rite in the gate and wawk off with it, so I wish you'd go and carry it down the cellar now that you don't know wat to do with all your excess energies, she sed. Nuthing doing, my days werk is over, pop sed.
Then wats the use of feeling as

strong as a horse and all that sor of bizniss? ma sed, and pop sed, its the principle of the thing that I object to, I could carry the ladder down with one finger the way I feel, its jest the principle of the Wat principle? ma sed, and por sed. Theres no use roing into long explications over it. And he quick

sat down and got behind the sport ing page and ma sed, Hee hee, and kepp on imbroidering imbroidery.

YOU AND By ALBERT APPLE PHENOMENAL

cows every morning before breakfast. Then she walks a couple of miles to school, where she has not been late in two years and leads her class. She lives near Lancaster Newspapers in New England print her picture with a write-up. A generation ago, when people worked from sunrise to dark, Mildred wouldn't have attracted much

Milrded Maneeau, 17, milks 30

attention by her toil. Today, anyone who knocks out a lot of work before breakfast is unusual enough to attract newspaper publicity. Our generation doesn't appreciate what a "soft" life it has. Ask an old man-or woman.

Changing fashions wreck many an established industry, as the pet-ticoat makers became painfully aware a few years back.

Another industry stagnated by shifting styles is lace-making. The lace factories in the British Isles are so quiet that the board of trade of the British Empire conducted an elaborate investigation. They report, rather amased, that "women are me longer attracted by fine linen, but demand fragile' underwear." This finding, of course, doesn't fetch orders to the lace makers, But it accompalishes about as much as the average "investiga-

Dan Duffy, of the Massachusetts coast, has opened a million oveters That's been his way of making a living for 50 years. Speaking of

monotony of civilized industry how a you like his job? Dan hasn't eaten an oyster for years, which is a natural reaction. The clerk in the candy store parely tastes sweets.

Do you realize that oveters cost over seven times as much as they used to? Dan says: "They sold for 15 cents a quart in 1872. are \$1.15 s quart." We refer this and similar cases to the statistics sharps who claim the cost of living is only two-thirds higher than

when evening "dates" are made. The phone companies, like most other businesses, find that everybody seems to want service at the

A PUZZLE A DAY

Demand comes !!

same time.

Telephones are busiest between 9 nd 10 in the morning. That's

APE WHEN RAY PAY

A printer had an order for a large printed card; which was to contain four words. His assistant, however, relebrated New Year Eve a trifle too much, and when he set up the four words, his result was "APE WHEN RAY PAY." The letters in those four words may be arranged to form the correct wording; a four word greeting suitable to the sea-

Yesterday's answer I KNEW that a GNU Was in the NEW soo. The three missing words were KNEW, GNU and NEW, each being spelled differently, but having the ame pronunciation.

recurrence of some old trouble located it the root of a tooth, which had never troubled be-

Many physicians believe the ton-sils have been placed in the throat

dolences are meaningless. Why should I offer them to one of your acute perceptions? But you know—" the long, magnetic eves regarded ther fixedly—"you know what is in my heart."

Phil Abingdon bit her lip, merely needing in reply.

McMurdoen at once, but I know she tecting wall gave way. The "flu" overcame the patient's so-called are overloaded and diseased. Strong resistance. Everything acting in a protecting way was removed or broken down.

That is why you hear it so often wondering if something is wrong. That is why you hear it so often wondering if something is wrong. Be sure of your real condition by a needing in reply.

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'Flaming Youth'

Olympic Theater

dramatic story, centering for the most part around a young girl who is brought up in an atmosphere of unconventional frivolty.

Brought up in such an environ-ment it was natural that Patricia Fentriss, the youngest daughter of

stantly thrown.

The play can in a way, be considered an expose of modern society life and yet it is more than that for it tells an absorbing romantic and

Love was but a superficial passion and marriage only a matter of form. So reasoned Patricia Fentrias and she laid her course accordingly. From one affair to another she leaps with amazing raphility. She plays with the and

idity. She plays with fire and glories with the discomfort of her victims" and then she meets real love. timbers, barrels and miscellaneous

Tonight's The Night

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Bebe Daniels In "His Children's Children"

WITH SPECIAL SINGING AND DANCING PROLOGUE

Presented With Elaborate Effects

You'll Be Surprised

But her real love does not awaken wreckage to the sea.

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REPORT EARNINGS OF FARMERS AND

SAVINGS DEPOSITS OF 1923 SHOW LARGE GROWTH AS A RESULT.

FARMERS HAVE PROFITED THREE WAYS IS REPORT

Crops Are Larger, Prices Are Higher and Expenditures For Repayment of Loans Less.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. (#)-The earnings of American farmers and consumers, notably industrial workers, increased to a greater extent than their necessary expenditures in 1923 and as a result, according to the annual review of economic conditions issued by the federal reserve board savings deposits showed a large growth over the 1923 total. Production and expenditures as reflected by retail sales also increased during the year and the level of prices was more nearly stable than

in any year since 1915.

Increases of 13 per cent over the 1922 level were shown during the year in both industrial employment and department store sales while the total value of agricultural products advanced \$900,000,000 and the rallroads with improved facilities carried the largest traffic in his-

Farmers, the board found, gained in three ways, their crops being larger, their prices being 12 per cent higher and their expenditures for repayment of loans being 12 per cent less than in 1922, but the ag-ricultural recovery was described as being "still incomplete, particularly in the wheat and livestock indus-tries." A decline in the foreign buying of agricultural products was more than offset by the demand of industrial workers.

The business improvement center-ed chiefly in the manufacturing sec-tions. The output of automobiles increased 50 per cent and building activities which reached its peak in the spring and then slackened somewhat afterwards "owing to the rapid advance in wages and in prices in materials," subsequently serived.

Credit demand remained practically unchanged during the past two years, loans by federal reservebanks maintaining a range be-tween \$1,000,000.0 0a0nd \$1,200,000,-000 with agricultural districts taking more and the industrial sections

WASHINGTON, Dec. \$1. (P)-Publication of the treasury tax bill. mays a statement by Representative Garner of mays as issued by the Democratic national committee "has fully justified the attitude of Tuchus or military governor of the fully justified the attitude of Tuchus or military governor of the magnification of the magn fully justified the attitude of Democratic and western Republican concept the measure in advance and without the opportunity to scruti-nize its provisions."
"A huge organized conspiracy on

the part of the predatory interests," Mr. Garner charges, has been con-ducting a "nation-wide propaganda to commit the people and their representatives in congress" to the bill before all of its details could be made known and has "in a large measure apparently succeeded in the attempt to mislead the public by keeping secret some of the most ebjectionable provisions.

Mr. Garner, ranking Democrat on the house ways and means commit-tee, declares that "the plain and convincing evidence of this con-spiracy is found in the wording of telegrams and letters being received by senators and representatives in ongress which are in identical

The signers of these messages, he says, 'could not have known all of the previsions of the Mellon tax bill because most of the messages were received before the bill was made public." He adds that "only through the insistence of Democratis lead-ers has the bill been made public in all its provisions." and asserts that it "falls to give millions of farmers, tradesmen and small business men generally the relief that they were told they would get."

SEVEN SKI RUNNERS HAVE PERISHED IN AVALANCHE

runners have perished in an ava-lanche while ascending the Feldal-renhern and two more on the Mockenau in the Alps. Numerous parties of mountin climbers are re-ported missing. In the Salzburg region the storm has abated. The snowfall in Salzburg and Ty-rol is the heaviest in a decade.

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Comedy and News

Next Attraction William S. Hart In "Wild Bill Bickerk"

DIVORCED FROM "FATTY" ARBUCKLE



PROVIDENCE, R. I., ec. \$1.49— Justice Chester W. Barrows on de-Minta E. Arbuckle, wife of Roscoe (Fatty) E. Arbuckle, was granted a divorce in the superior court here today. The case was heard before

PEKING, Dec. 31. (P)—Followers of the notorious bandit leader, Lao Yao-Jen, captured an American missionary, Mrs. Juline Kilen. ing more and the industrial sections sionary, Mrs. Juline Kilen, and less in 1923 than in the preceding wounded two other missionaries, professor Bernhard Hoff and Mrs. Hoff, in a raid upon the town of Tago Yang, in northern Hupeh prov-ince, near the border town of Siangyang-Fu. according to advices re-

The American legation has taken active steps to bring about the capture of the brigands and the liberation of Mrs. Kilen. The Chinese government has offered a bounty for the enture dead or alive of the the capture, dead or alive, of the

the capture, dead or alive, of the bandit leader.

The three missionaries are representatives of the church of the Lutheran Brethren of the United States and were conducting a missional Transfer of the Control of the sion at Tsao Yang when the town was raided. Warned of activities of

Mrs. Kilen is 50 years old and ner home is in Northfield, Minn. Professor Hoff, 22, and Mrs. Hoff, 25, were married here last August and only recently had gone to Tsao Yang, accompanied by Mrs. Kilen, had years the Palirack, the paint of which has badly cracked.

diana .- adv.

province, they had vacated their station and embarked on river craft for safety before the raid. Later, however, on receiving assurances from the Tuchum that the bandits had been suppressed they returned to the mission.

Mrs. Kilen is 56 years old and her home is in Northfield, Minn. Pro-

Are People As Moral Now As Ever! See "Flaming Youth

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Farther Explorer Proceeds with Dismantling of King Tut Tomb More Interesting Are Disclosures number of experiences when even to a girl who reasoned as she did. Collows Moore is charming as the Collows Moore is charming as the

LUXOR, Egypt, Dec. \$1, (8)-The farther Howard Carter proceeds with the dismantling of the great wooden canopy in the mortuary chamber of Tutenkhamun's tomb the more interesting its disclosures

become.
Upon visiting the tomb today the correspondent found the whole root of the outer shrine removed as well as the great linen pall sewn with golden resettes, that hung over a rack so as to surround the second shrine. The sides of the outer shrine still remain and one is able to get an idea not only of the prodigious size of the exterior shrine, but also of the remarkable

dimensions of the second.

Were the second shrine and its as yet secret contents hodily removed e would find ones self standing in one would find ones self standing in a marvelous golden chapel, namely, the outer shrine, large enough to contain a good sized altar. The walls are exquisitely decorated with hisroglyphics lightly indied in duli gold and framed by three broad black lines. The simile of the chapel is strengthened by the appearance of the "ankh" symbol, the so-called key of life, which is painted in the ps strengthened by the appearance of the franks, symbol, the so-called the Fentriss menage, should look upon love and marriage in the same outer shrine where, an altar would stand.

The fentries menage, should look upon love and marriage in the same his wife by poisoning. Defight as the unconventional merry-makers with whom she was con-

The second shrine is in itself worthy of Tutenkhamun the mag-nificent. It is all in gold color, dully yellow on the sides, but gleaming on the lintel and the two doors are like plates of reddish metal. The roof has the same graceful curve at the top of the outer shrins and the lid is ornamented with a curious but most decorative checker board design of black and gold.

black and gold.

The doors are ornamented with striking representations of Tutenk-hamun. On the left panel the goddess Nephthys stands behind the God Osiris. They are attired in full splendor and to them the Pharaoh. young and slim, wearing the double

She's So Considerate
The Lover-You know I only live to make you happy.

The Loved One—Dear me! You Painting and decorating by our The Loved One-Dear me! You xperts. Watson Paint Co., 807 In-oughtn't to go to all that trouble.-

> Palace Jan.

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a desire for marriage in Patricia who reasons that marriage destroys love and romance and points to the matrimonial failures of her set as proof, but, of course, the girl is wrong and she comes to realisation of this after passing through a number of experiences which could be avested to come to a girl who

native young adventuress and Mil-ton Silis is admirable in the role of the one lover, among the several admirers, whose love finally restores Patricia to a saner viewpoint of life. The remainder of the east which handled their lesser roles FORT SMITH, Ark., Dec. 81. (P)-

Pleasing Picture

Quite as effectively, comprise Ellioit
Dexter, Betty Francisco, Sylvia
Breamer, Betty Francisco, Phillips
Smalley, Walter MacGraft, Ben Lyon Tense drams, charming romance, sprightly comedy on a background of luxury, idleass and the modern thought.

This is the picture which is painted by "Flaming Youth," a startling photodrama which opened Sunday at the Olympic Theater.

The play can in a way, be con-

NEW TRIAL FOR AVEN

WACO, Texas, Dec. 31.09 Judge Richard I. Munroe of the 54th district court this morning overruled a metion for a new trial in behalf of W. T. Aven, convicted and given the death penalty for the murder of his wife by poisening. Detense

RIVER SEINE IN PARIS
CONTINUES RAPID RISE

Dynamite and steam applied simul-aneously will be employed to chack a gas well fire in the Alma, Ark., field which has been burning since last Friday.

In preparation for the initial effort to extinguish the blaze a 10-inch sipe line has been laid from the mouth of the burning well to a point 100 feet distant and dirt bags placed about the well mouth to di-

pige. With these preparations com-pleted it is planned to dynamite a five-inch casing which protrudes 25 feet above the ground and these feet above the ground and through which the flames now are spouting and simultaneously to send a stream of steam through the 10-inch-pips which is expected to snuff out the fire at the ground level.

The fire followed as explosion in

During the past year 1700 coparate broadcasting progams, aver-aging five hours each in length, have been transmitted from stations in Great Britain.



Joyful Greetings

We could not let the season pass without a word of cheer to our many friends, tried and true.

With this little card we send our wish that you may find Life and Fortune kind this New Year.

Richardson Bros.

724 Indiana



Sincere Thanks

To Our Many Customers and Friends:

Through this means we offer our sincerest thanks for past business and we want to extend to you our greetings of the season.

'Tis again the good old message You've heard it oft before, A very prosperous New Year And hope for many more.

City Meat Market

J. W. Ketner, Prop. 717 Ohio

Phone 6485

ANNOUNCEMENT

OF THE OPENING OF THE

Queen City

Grocery and Market

804 Polk St.

FORMERLY THE MIDWAY GRO. & MARKET

Phone 2464

The proprietors of the Huff Avenue Grocery have moved into this new location and have stocked the store completely with fancy and staple groceries. We want to thank our customers for their past patronage and hope they will continue to be with us during 1924. We also want to meet all the former Midway customers, as well as new ones.

Mr. Nately, our butcher, is still with us with good, tender, home killed, as well as government inspected, meats and will co-operate with us in serving you,

WE WISH YOU ALL A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

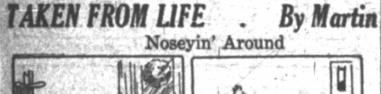
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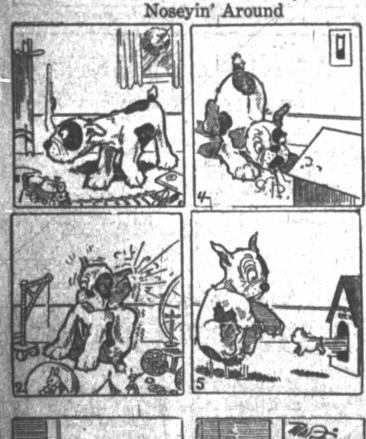


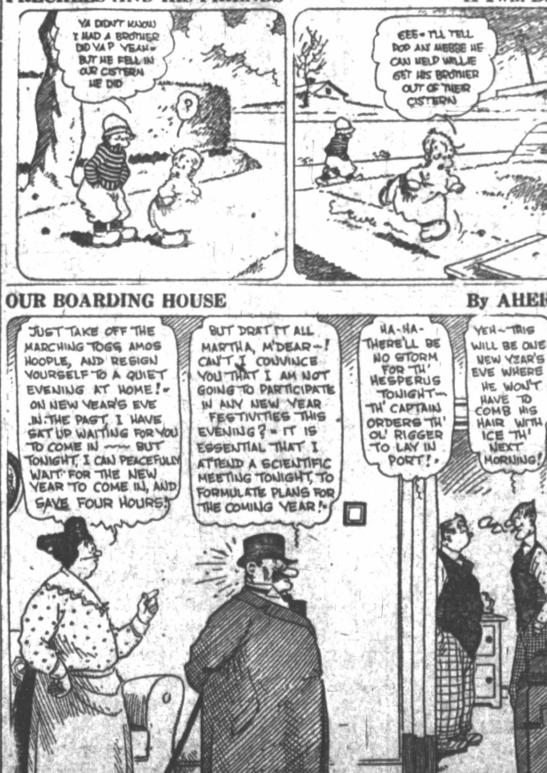


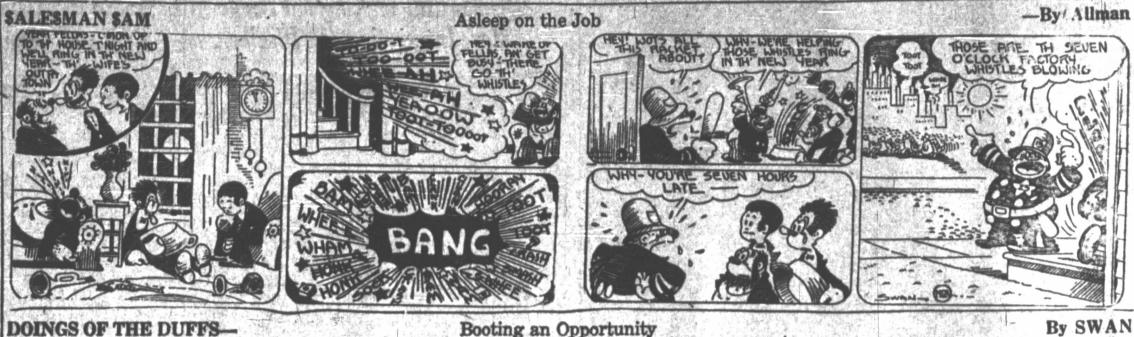




















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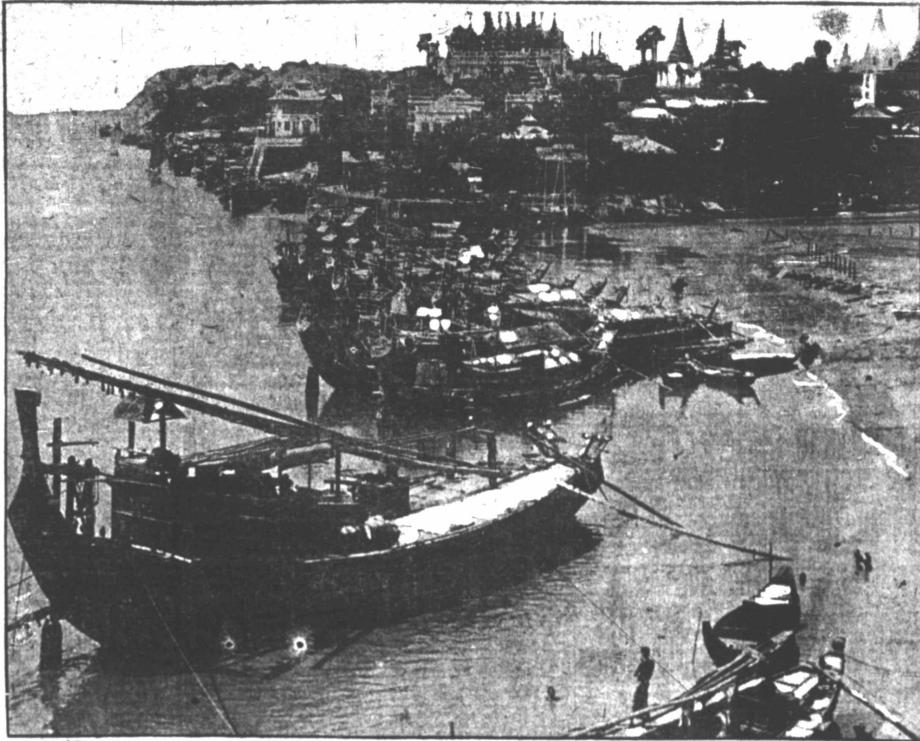
FLOWERS FROM THE ORIENT. Madame Harihare, wife of the Japanese ambassador, tales a stroll through the garden of her Washington residence accompanied by the two children of her husband's secretary. The kiddles from left to right are Minako and Ayaka



WE WISH HIM LUCK. James Gordin Burke of Bennington, Vt., will soon depart for sunny Spain, tand of emclets and buil fights, there to serve at the post to which he has been newly appointed, as U S. assistant trade commissioner.



HE'S SEEN PLENTY. Polle Alex K. Bur, still wends his way on a study tour around the world. To sighs for more to conquer. Bur halls from Czechoslovakia and is a



EMBLAZONED IN THE SUN'S FIERY GLORY. The gold-covered roofs of this Buddah school of religious training for high-caste Indian children stands in the background with burnished minarets pointing to the sky. In the foreground on the river, Burmese junks lie at anchor completing the peacefulness of the scene



HIS KINGDOM FOR A HORSE. Sam Sansiver, oldest guide in Glacier National Park, has been in the saddle since he was 12, and rides much easier than he walks, as you can readily imagine. He's now in Alaska helping government engineers in their operations there.



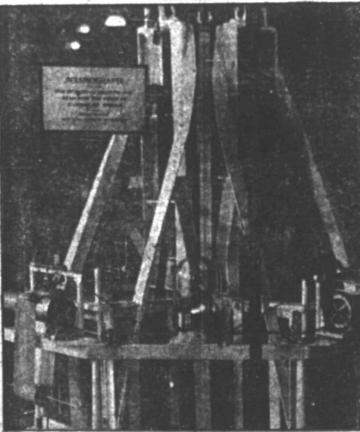
WHEN WINTER COMES. The capitol at Washington takes on enchanted appearance under fairylike tracery of wind-driven snow which covers the surrounding grounds with mantles of fleecy



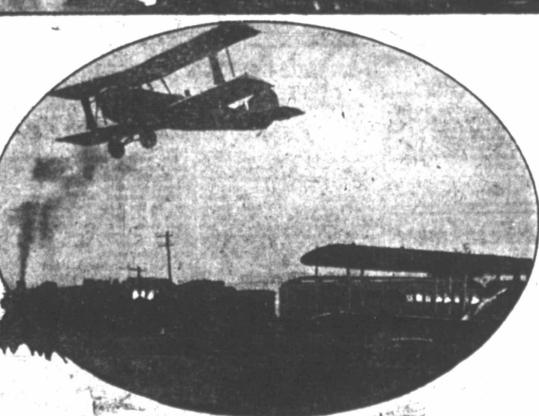
ONE GUESS ONLY. Of course this is William Jennings Bryan of presidential aspiration fame. Here he is atopping off the White House porch wearing his typical hat and same old smile.



DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS. Fishermen on the Pacific halibut banks earn a precarious livelihood ir the battle against waves and wind. Here is a docy laying a trawl half a mile long balted with thou-



YOU'VE OFTEN MEARD ABOUT THEM, but here's an actual photograph of a seismograph situated in the American Museum of Natural History, New York. Seismographs record earthquake tremors. This



THE OLD AND THE NEW. Here we have a graphic comparison in the way Uncle Sam delivers your letters. The fast express makes great fune getting under way, but the Glean L. Martin night plane, shown Jost hopping off at Cleveland, will soon leave the amorting mounter behind. On the ground to another fast mail plane.







ita Falls for the past 17 years, ed Monday afternoon at 1:10 clock at the residence of his son-n-law, Ambrose Yeager, 1764 Bur-

Mr. Nicholson came to this city born in Georgia, For several ears here he was engaged in the compation of truck farming. He ras a member of the Nazarene

surch of this city.

Mr. Nicholson is survived by two
one, J. M. Nicholson and H. S.
Baholson, both of Wishits Palls; we daughters, Mrs. G. R. Rambo of Floydada, and Mrs. Ambrose Yeager of Wichitz Falls, and two sisters. fra. M. H. Jackson of Wighlia Falla, ad Mrs. J. D. Wooldridge of Quin-in, Texas. While funeral arrangements were

of completed Monday afternoon, it probable that services will be held from the residence of Mr. Yeager, 704 Burnett, at 3 o'clock Tuesday fternoon. Burlal will be in Wich-

ar's Day, Tuesday. The windows I be open one hour, between \$:00 [10:00 o'clock, Tuesday morning. the distribution of general de-very mail; all windows except the oney order window will be kepf on during that four. City carriers will make one de-very in the morning; there will d no afternoon delivery.

ludge Wilson Is **Back Home After** Visiting Family

ng after a five weeks' visit with i wife and children, who are ending the winter at Redlands. f. Judge Wilson was unable to alls vacation last summer beted of cruwded dockets in the
oun counties of the district.
Miswing the close of the term
ourt at Archer City, Judge Willeft for the west and Judge P.
Martia, opened the December. Martia opened the December on of the 36th district court here a Judge Wilson on December 17. grand jury was impanelled at at time and then recessed until anuary I. Judge Wilson is ready to try any

ages this week and next Monday corning will charge the grand jury which will reconvene at that time and begin its work.

DISCOVERY OF CARCASS IN MOSQUE CAUSES RIOT

CALCUTTA, India, Dec. 21. (F)— isocvery of the carcass of a pig Discovery of the carcass of a pig in the compound of a Mohammedan mosque at Howrah, B mgal, this afternoon led to rioting in which one man was killed and five were wounded. The casualties occurred when a crowd of Moslems angered by the desecration of their sacred place attacked and leated the shops in the neighborhood. Quiet was re-secred.

EMURRER OF SIMMONS **IS OVERRULED BY COURT**

ILITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 31. (P) ide Richard Mann today over-ied a demurrer filed by counsel William & Simmons, emperor of e Kb Klux Khan, to a sult for al-ged Hoel instituted by Dr. Hiram , Evans, imperial wizard of the an, against Mr. Simmons and ansuncement was made that the suit

HIS TOUR OF BURNA

RAGOON, British India, Dec. 21 7-The viceroy has curtailed his sur of Burma and is returning to thi, because of the Afghan orbite. There is an increasing meness because of the raids over a northwestern frontier.

Recent dispatches from London va reported the murders of Brit-n officers and women slong the hwestern frontier of India by

DUNG MAN ARRESTED FOR PASSING FORGED INSTRUMENT

City afficers took: into custody unday morning a young man who imitted that he had pussed a grd listrument to the amount of to a noral Jaweler. The name Gene Gordon was signed to the solt and it was passed without salion at the jewelry establish-nt where it was presented. The ry was detected at the bank, roung man was identified by sweler and later made a sworm ment confessing that he was mable for the forgery. He he transferred to the county

TO HAVE ANNUAL RESTING

sands of settlers to the panhandle plains, section of Texas where vast ranches are benig placed on the market in small farms.

The new step taken by the de-partment follows conferences with chamber of commerce afficials and cader, in the northwest part of the icader, in the northwest part of the state. Joseph S. Myers, state labor commissioner, announced. Literature telling of the advan-tages of the section, the crops and and prices is to be distributed by the labor department to persons making loquirles regarding Texas lands. Mr. Myers stated, while ef-forts will be made to induce set-tiers from outside the state to come

DEC. OF C. SPEAKE

AUSTIN, Dec. 31, 69-The state department of labor today launched

At a meeting Monday of the program committee for the annual banquet of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, which will be held January 15, 1994, it was announced that John W. Shartel, prominent attorney and business mean of Okto. torney and business man of Okla hema City, had accepted the invita-tion to deliver the principal address before the gathering.

grangements are being made, as the annual dinner is expected to be

night and the commitment yester-day to the same institution of her

FORT WORTH GAS SUPPLY

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 31. (P) A break in the mains near Ranger threatened part of the gus sup ply of north Texas cities today, it was reported by the Lone Star Gas The supply to boiler users in Fort Worth was cut off

PEPERSON COMMUNISTS ARE ARRESTED IN ITALIAN RAID

Fifteen communists have seen ar- years, according to the monthly re-rested here in a raid on the back yiew of business and industrial con-ting more cotton and retaining feed rested here in a raid on the back room of a cafe. Those arrested include Signer Nenni, director of the socialist newspaper Avanti and Deputy Fabri. Many documents were selzed.

TEMPERATURE DROPS 21 DEGREES AT SAN ANGELO

SAN ANOELO, Texas, Dec. 31, 187 the statement. The review says: -Livestock in west Texas is not suffering severely from the present cold spell, according to reports re-ceived here. The maximum tempera-ture here yesterday was 52 degrees. The mercury dropped to 21 during

LARGE QUANTITY OF SILES STOLEN AT DENTON STORE

DENTON, Texas, Dec. 3L (P)-Thieves entered the Jarrell Evans Dry Goods store here sometime be-tween Saturday night and Monday morning and stole at large quantity of silks, the value of which has not been determined.

See our splendld array of spring wall paper. Wateon Paint Co .- adv

New Year Liquor Made On Vessel

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (49)— Maritime moonshiners who man-sfacture their "imported" liquor aboard their ships on rum row dilute their whiskey half-and-balf and then seal the bettler with counterfett labels and lead are working off Sandy for the New Year's liquor trade, according to a copyrighted story appearing in the Newark Star Engle.

They exist right off the Jerspondent. "I know, because I anve seen their stills in opera-

on colonization work on a targe Fans of Roped Arena Will See Feature Card of Season In Bill Arranged By Legion for Monday

A change has been made on the American Legion boxing card at the Wichita Theater Monday night As a semi-final for the evening, Chief Korens will meet Texas Tate for eight rounds. The two heavy-weights have been traveling in first preliminary. Jennings appeared here a number of times oughbred horse there was the occase of the past few years and during the summer and won a name will be well able to give the local boxing fans a treat.

Korens has fought here a number of times in short exhibition bouts of the first class for a number of times in short exhibition bouts.

The travelers in the game and doubt in the first class for a number of years.

The travelers in the game and doubt in the first class for a number of years. here, whorever possible.

Plainview and Amarilio are taking the lead in bringing farmers to take up the lands which heretofore

bitious talent from Europe and South America, the latter sending two formidable candidates for honors in Luis Angel Firpe, Argentine, heavyweight, and Luis Vicentini, Chican lightweight. The European champions aircady are in this country seeking laurels, a third is due arily in January, while others have ome in search of ring prominence, despite lack of titles.

Within the last few weeks two title holders from Great British have arrived, Roland Todd, European linvassilgation by country authorities line the case of a demented girl described by Tomisy Loughran, Philiadis and seek kept prisoner in an all bank on had seen kept prisoner in an eld barn for more than a year by her, parents, resulted in the case of a demented girl described by Tomisy Loughran, Philiadelphia, light heavyweight, in the debth here, largely because of handle but the commitment of the girl to the Fergus Palls and the commitment of the girl to the Fergus Palls and that had been here institution of her bloody when had seen asplum Saurday on the same institution of her bloody when the commitment of the commitment of the girl to the Fergus Palls and that hands of Johnny Bhugrus, but plans to resure in French and the commitment of the girl to the Fergus Palls and that hands of Johnny Bhugrus, but plans to resure in French and the commitment of the ame institution of her bloody and the commitment of the commitment reserved to the same institution of her bloody and the commitment of the part of the commitment of the girl to the Fergus Palls and that hands of Johnny Bhugrus, but plans to resure age of 14.104 presents.

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Ermino Spalls of Italy, European to return is February and fight his heavyweight champion, will join the way to a position among leading invading ranks within a fortnight contenders for Benny Leonard's invading ranks within a fortnight contenders for when he arrives to propare for a lightweight title.

Southwestern Farmers Entering New Year In Better Condition Than They Have Enjoyed for Some Time

ditions in the eleventh federal reerve bank district.

"Not only have most of them been
able to wipe out their indebtedness."

"Inued in the month ended Dec. 15. erve bank district.
Not only have most of them been able to wipe out their indebtedness, but as a rule they have on deposit

a comfortable surplus with the banks," the review says.
A note of warning against possi-ble future difficulties is sounded by

old spell, according to reports resided percentage of the maximum temperature from more land than they can well culture as the product of the maximum temperature from more land than they can well culture and less feed, meat and provided that they can continue that it is the more more land than they can well culture and less feed, meat and provided that they can continue that it is the more more land than they can well culture and less feed, meat and provided the production and less feed, meat and provided the continued and hearts long opportune. It cleared away and hearts long opportune as a feed on the several dear the continued and hearts long opportune as a feed in a great more rapidly because the continued and hearts long opportune. The shortage of feed in a great more rapidly to the continued and hearts long opportune and hearts of the feed crop and great from the production in the production in the production in the production in the production are seeded to indicate the tendency of the feed crop and some firms to expand more rapidly and hearts long opportune. It is doubts of the agen. Tyranny quaked on its sword-circled throne game to continued and heart long opportune. It is doubts of the agen. Tyranny quaked on its sword-circled throne game to continue the production in the seed of the seed of the feed crop and strength heart long opportune as a feeling of the feed crop and strength heart long opportune as a feeling of the feed crop and strength heart long of the seed of the seed crop and strength heart long of the seed of the seed crop and strength heart long of the seed of the seed crop and strength heart long of the seed of the seed crop and strength heart long of the seed of the seed of the seed crop and seed the seed of the seed of the seed crop and seed the seed of the see

DALLAS, Dec. 31. (P)—Southwestorn farmers are entering the new
year in better financial condition
than they have enjoyed for several
years, secording to the monthly review of business and industrial conditions in the eleventh federal recrop acrears.

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There was an unprecedented de-mand for short term investment outlets, from both banks and indi-

viduals. A note of warning against possible future difficulties is sounded by the staterient. The review says:

"The high prices restined for cotton offer the farmers a distinct temptation to branch out; to secure more land than they can well cultivate or pay for; to produce more cotton and less feed, meat and provisions. In such discount that the conditions warrant, and the

Bandils who raided Allenge in the mountains after being pursued by federal Wholesale Commodity Prices at troops, the consul said. Low Level of Year With Dollar Tenth of Cent Under High Mark

NEW HAVEN, Conn. Dec., \$i.—

The price average for the year wholesale commodity prices at their power tevel of the year with the dellar one-tenth of a cent below its high mark for 1922, according to liquies announced in Prof. Irving's index. Prices average of 1912 one of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of the pre-war everage of 1912 one of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of the pre-war average of 1912 one of the dellar was 168 per cent of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 per cent of pre-war everage of 1912 one of the dellar was 168 pre-war everage of the dellar was 168 pre-war cents.

The price average for the year of the year on the year of the dellar in the week in December as well the purchasing power of the dellar was 168 pre-war cents.

Many Children Are Made Happy By Liberal Christmas Provided By John H. Kirby, Lumber King

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 2h.—Thousands of homes among the small complete consus by made of
should be homes among the small children between the ages of one
pany and in the seleghborhood of
pench Tree village were gladdened
this Christman in an unusual way.

Several menths ago John H. Kirby,
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distributing presents; that Christmas trees be provided and that a decided to the company directed
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Crawled inside opened the re
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HORSES ENTER A

five presents, or a total number of presents for these ages of 5,860, nelusive, reseived four presents, or

A-grand total of 25.632 presents and in the early aftermost put were distributed through the various committees from the various 25.55. Here the list was 15 to 39 noints higher than the close of Sat-Christmas trees.

children and colored children affile, though the Christmas trees were in tiverpool. Dec. 31.—Holiday on the cotton exchange today. tion of presents under the control

and wisters, as well as upon the recipients of the presents insofar as then were able to comprehend, that the laughter of children is the most heartful and inspiring molody that it ever reached human ears or glad-dened human hearts. Mr. Kirby's

message is as follows: too deep and mysterious for the 35,66. earth's wisest men was clearly and

simply revealed in the smile of a

the stars will point the way to bethlehem. In each happy child's face the eye of faith beholds again that glary before which the wise

men fell mute, wondering, adoring, "Grateful to you, my friends, for your levalty and faith, and genetale." that I can never tell you in words how grateful I sm, I have sought how grateful I am, I have sought to make the greatest contribution to your Christmas within my pow-er-to bring to yours eyes the mellos and to your cars the laugh-

was 56.2 pre-war cents.

The price average for the month was 151 per cent and the purchasing power of the dollar averaged by pre-war cents.

For the quarter the price average was 153 per cent and the purchasing power of the dollar state of th

ABIT.ENE, Texas, Dec. 31. (F) o —A local meat market but a about \$400 in each and checks de

TIMES DAILY MARKETS

COTTON MARKET

New Orleans Cotton
NEW ORLEANS Dec. 21.—Cotton
futures closed very steady at net
gains of 2 to 35 points.

High Low Close Prev.
Jan . 35.50 24.68 25.65 25.11
March .35.44 .34.00 25.88-70 35.33
May .25.50 24.78 25.04-7 25.13
July .24.65 24.02 24.55-60 44.26
Oct .28.05 22.13 25.42-48 28.40
Opening: January 25.15; March
15.20: May 25.08; July 24.36; Octobber 25.40.

New York Cutten

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Cotton futures closed steady.

High Low Close Previous

Jan. 35.26 \$4.68 35.20 \$4.95

March. 35.71 \$5.02 35.80-81 35.30

May. 35.90 35.20 35.80-81 35.50

July 34.90 34.85 34.73-75 34.60

Oct. 28.97 28.52 28.86 28.77

Opening: Jan. 34.85; March 25.26;

May 35.40; July 34.55; October 28.75. Local Cotton Market

Midling 341 cents per pound; re-New York Cotton

will be well able to give the local for himself. Ronch is said to be boxing fans a treat.

Korens has fought here a number of gears.

Korens has fought here a number of years.

Rattlesnake's next bout will be clever boxer and a hard hitter. Tate goes his first battle in a local areas Monday night. It was first announced that the semi-final would be bedtern hat the semi-final would be bedtern hat the will be fattlesnake's the product. The two duskies intend to go four rounds, and the latter intended that the semi-final would be bedtern hat this will be Rattlesnake's three-year-olds, entered the four-part-olds, entered the four-part-old handleap class today, beltern Burkburnert will meet a new father and the archet and the market today and about 25 to 35 points net lower. Thus Zev. the greatest of 1923 About 25 January was relatively year-old handleap class today, belter and the market today and about 25 to 35 points net lower. The well may be four-points and the market today and about 25 to 35 points net lower year-olds, entered the four-part-olds, entered the four-part-olds entered th battler.

The main bout on the card will be between Jimmle Carrol of Form Burkburnett will meet a new appirant for fistle honors, Kid Molen to Isas today, because of the arbitrary birthday of apprend to fistle honors, Kid Molen to Isas today, because of the arbitrary birthday of apprend to seemed sensitive to selling orders owing to an absence of any aggregative to a support. No appellal news formity of lows Park, Noien is a light-formity of ages for classification of the racers. Likewise in Memoriam and Deuton, although he has never been seen in action hers, comes well fast, a hard hitter, and a quick recommended from the Pacific coast thinker. The bout is scheduled for where he has been for several four rounds.

There were many celts for the four ported and January notices were reported and January notices were reported and January notices were reported and January notices were respected and January notices were reported and January notices w

where he has been for several four rounds.

America's Fistic Realms Promise

To Be Invaded During New Year

By Foreign Seekers of Laurels

NEW YORK, Dec. 21. 49—Invacuate the first competition of their lives day, but prices were steady at the rocovery, showing net losses of according here for foreign by the says weight this holder, may one here in this country have attracted amount after the rocovery in the spring to seek a match with gene turned and south America, the latter sending to seek a match with the south amount at a stand builts spot and there weight this holder, may one here in this country have attracted and south America, the latter sending to seek a match with found that he south a found two formulations to found the south two founds and straduste gracefully into their classes.

In it is explained by followers of the turn of the first competition of their lives during the continued price were steady at the rocovery, showing net losses of a continued price and builts spot demand with greating group, the great number record in the New Year.

Prospects of profitable matches in this country have attracted amounted from the spring to seek a match with south America, the latter sending candidated for health and south a found two formulables candidated for health and south a found the seal of a bout 13 to 17 points assume of about 13 to 17 point

New Orleans Cotton NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 31.—After dvances of 4 to 8 points on the near onths during the opening call tony the cotton market fell off uner end of the year liquidation on
he long interest and in the first
alf hour lost 77 to 40 points on the
lost, March rose to 35.46 and then
ell to 35.00. October traded down
o 28.13. Selling was scattered
attent than concentrated, but-was
not only by a small demand.
A large expert movement of the
ay helped the market recover and
out the old crop months to small put the old crop months to small net advances. New Orleans cleared 12.748 bales of foreign export and

New Orleans Spot Cotton, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 31.—Spot ofton steady, unchanged. Sales on he spot 228 bales; to arrive 259; sceipts 7.632; stock 254,734. Low hidding 32.79; middling 25.50; good hidding 34.62.

Texas Spot Cofton.
DALLAS, Dec. 31.—Cotton quiet.
95; Galveston 35.55; Houston

GRAIN AND PRODUCE

market something of a sethach. The finish was unchanged to like higher. May 1.0% to 1.0726.1.0% and July 1.0% to 1.0%

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Chicage Cash Grain CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Wheat: No. hard 1.0601.07; No. 2 hard 1.040 about \$400 in each and checks of the refrigerator with the direction of hiding it from the distribution of hiding it from the distribution of hiding it from the distribution of the distr

Chicage Produce CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Poultry alive, steady to higher; fowls 16624c; springs 204c; rocates 13c; ducks 23c; genee 17c; turkeys 24c. Butter, steady; creamery extras 54c. Eggs, higher, firsts 40c.

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Mariand Oil
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New York Central
N. Y. N. H. & Hariford
Norfolk & Vestern
Northern Pacific ex. div.
Pacific Oil
Pau American Fet. B ex. div.
Pennsylvanta
People's Gas
Producers & Refiners
Pure Oil
Roading
Republic Iron & Steel
Sears Roebuck
Sinclair Con. Oil
Southern Pacific
Southern Pacific refined sugar markets closed; holi-day.
Sugar futures closed steady; ap-priximate sales 10,000 tons. Janu-ary 5,10; March 4,88; May 4,51; July 4,60.

NEW YORK. Dec. 31.—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 10 11-16; futures, steady; May 8.12; July 8.72.

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Southern Railway
Standard Oil of N. J.
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NEW TORK, Dec. 31.—Foreign exchanges easy; quotations in cents: Great Britain, demand 4.32 3-16; cables 4.32 3-16; 60-day bills on banks 4.59 15-16. France, demand 5.08; cables 6.09. Italy, demand 4.31; cables 4.32. Belgium, demand 4.46; cables 4.32. Belgium, demand 4.46; cables 4.47. Germany, demard and cables 6.00,000,000,025. Holland, demand 37.09; cables 37.95. Norway, demand 14.61. Sweden, demand 24.41. Denmark, de man d. 17.71. Switzerland, demand 17.46. Spain, demand 19.20. Greece, demand 2.20. Poland, demand 6.018. Czecho-Slovakia, demand 2.91; Jugo-Slavia, demand 1.13; Austria, definand .0014. Rumania, demand .51%. Argentins, demand 32.00. Brabil, demand 1.00. Montreal, 97 9-16.

Liberty Bonds. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Liberty bonds closed, quotations in dollars and 32nds of dollars: 3 s 98.6; first 4 s 98.7; second 4 s 98.7; third 4 is 99.19; fourth 4 s 98.12; U.S. treasury

New York Money
NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Call
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at \$\frac{1}{2}\$; last loan \$\frac{1}{2}\$; call loans
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steady, \$68-90 days \$\frac{1}{2}\$; 4-6 months \$\frac{1}{2}\$;
prime commercial paper \$42.05.

forces under General Cavasos are marching on Pachuca, capital of the state of Hidalgo, situated 55 miles

northeast of Mexico City, according

pendently of the main body of the insurrectionists, is raid to have con-

miderably increased his forces, hav-

Jeneral Gundalupe Sanchez, chie rebel military commander in the eastern mone, made a complete sur-yey of the battle front yesterday,

first reviewing the troops along the Inter-oceanic railway and the m along the Mexican railway line. He

arrived last night at the field head

quarters in Esperanza, where he will probably remain a few days. No

change in the military situation in

ADVANCED PRICE OF LEAD

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NEW YORK, Dec. 21. (P)-The

American Smelting and Refining Company today advanced the price

of lead from 7.40 to 750 cents per

BICESTER, England, Dec. 21. (P)
-The death of the Earl of Jersey,
corge Henry Robert Child Villiers,

was announced today. He was one of the largest land owners of Enx-land, having nearly 20,000 acres.

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Monday's Receipts

EAST ST. LOUIS. Dec. 21.—Recelpts: Hogs 11,000; cattle 4,000.

CHICAGO. Dec. 31.— Receipts:
Hogs 70,000; cattle 16,000.

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Fort Worth Livesteck
FORT WORTH Dec. 31.—Cattle: 2,509; calves 800; beeves \$3.5007.50; stockern 22,000 6.50; cows \$3.000 4.50; cutters \$2.25@3.00; canners \$1.752.25; belferr \$3.80 97.50; year-lings \$3.50@8.00; bulls \$2.50@3.50; calves \$2.00@7.50; bulls \$2.50@3.50; calves \$2.00@7.25; light \$6.75@7.00; colves \$7.00@7.25; light \$6.75@7.00; common \$5.00@6.00; packing sows \$5.00@6.00; pigs \$2.50@5.75.
Sheep: 6.400; spring lambs \$10.00 \$12.00; feeders \$8.00@10.50; year-lings \$800@71.00; wathers \$7.00@7.50; ewes \$6.00@7.00; stocker sheep \$4.00@4.50; goats \$1.00@2.50.

Mannas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY. Dec. 31.—Cattle: 11,090; calves 2,000; active; beef steers \$7.75@9.25; beef cows \$4.00@ 4.00; fat heifers \$3.50@8.50; canners and cutters \$2.26@2.50; bolugna bulks \$4.00@4.75; top vesis \$10.50; medium and heavies \$4.50@8.00; stockers and feeders \$6.00@7.35.

Hogs: 11,000; strong; top \$7.00; bulk of sales \$6.70@6.95; heavy butchers \$4.90@8.95; medium \$6.65@6.95; light \$6.00@6.50; packing sows \$4.40; stock pigs \$5.25@6.65.

Sheep: 5.000; strong; top lambs \$12.85; fed dots \$12.60@12.85. Kansas City Livestock

STOCK MARKET

NEW York Stocks
NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Prices dis-played a firm tone at the opening of today's stock market. Cash sales today's stock market. Cash sales for the purpose of establishing income tax losses totalled 2.50e shares in the first five minutes of trading. Initial buying was most effective in the oils, the gains, however, being of a nominal character. The early demand was most effective in the low priced oils, Northwestern rails, tobaccoa and misbellaneous speciables. Gaines of I to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ points were recorded by more than a score of issues in the first half hour, including St. Paul preferred, Chicago & Northwestern, Frisco common, Sputhern railway, Allied Chemical, Schulte Stores, Conzolidated Gas, Atlantie Refining, Allied Chemical, Schulte Stores, Consolidated Gas, Atlantic Refining, Producers and Refiners, Cycos Cola and Willys Overland preferred. There were a faw heavy spots, notably Corn Products and Cuba notably Corn Products and Cuba Came Sugar preferred, each off about a point. Foreign exchanges opened lower.

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right Haptist Church a collection was taken for the purpose of entirely wiping out all indebtedness against the church that may at this time exist and resulted in sufficient funds being raised to accomplish this, thus starting the new year

Judge Guy Rogers of the county

5626—A. B. Johnson vs. T. A. For-ter.
5632—J. E. Carroll vs. First State Bank of Davidson.
5655—Black. Sivall and Bryson vs.
5655—U. S. Metal Goods Co. vs. F. L. Brunson.
L. Brunson.
5689—H. R. Davidson vs. J. L. and nothing further was heard of the matter until an ad appearing in the Wichits Daily Times of Sunday are a description of the car held and a reward of \$30 offered for its recovery. Mr. Francis states that the believes he will be able to apprehend the driver of the car if he still is to be found in Wichits Falls.

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Co. vs. B. F. Davis et al.
2730—K. O. Williams vs. M. A.

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court at law abnounces the following civil case setting for Monday,
January 7:

5359—J. E. Duncan vs. Reid and
Costly.
6337—W. T. Metcalf vs. Knight
and Hues.
5354—L. O. Heiber vs. John Ray.
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57728—Hornsby Heavy Hardware
Co. vs. B. F. Davis et al.

\$7736—K. O. Williams vs. M. A.

Berr.

57732—W. M. Bonner vs. T. & Gall.

57732—W. Rusk vs. Les Rhodes.

5774—B. F. Niz vs. Tom Meadows.

5774—J. L. Duffey vs. Edward
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6771—C. C. Kennest et al. vs. Buri

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6772—W. Davis et al.

6773—W. Hush vs. W. C. Rob
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5770—Lloyd Weaver vs. G. M. 5771—C. C. Kennest et al. vs. Burt the coming year.

The new method of financing the church is being instituted by the lesson, Dr. L. E. Finney, who states that a "pay as you go" plan will be adopted for the operation of the church in the future and thus eliminate unual public congregations.

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