

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

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## IDENTIFY SKELETON AS MISSING MAN

### Prison Brutality Denied in Convict Self-Mutilations

#### HACKED HANDS TO AVOID WORK SAY OFFICIALS

RETRIEVE PRISON FARM, Brazoria County, Dec. 16 — Conflicting stories of self-mutilation by three convicts to escape work or alleged prison brutality came from barracks here today.

Prison officials said the trio hacked off fingers, and one his hand to avoid work. Other prisoners said the men had mutilated themselves to get back to the "Huntsville walls" and flee brutality on the farm.

The three are Julius Koch, 26, of Houston; Melvin Underwood, 20, of Wellington; and Harry Bertoline, 35, of Fort Worth.

**Claimed Accident**  
Koch said he chopped off three of his fingers with a knife so he could get back to Huntsville where work was easier. Underwood said his forefingers were severed accidentally by another convict. He told of having been made stand on a barrel as punishment.

Bertoline, sorry now he did it, said he was suffering from rheumatism, took out his cane knife, whacked his arm at the wrist twice on one side, the turned it over and whacked it again. The prison surgeon then amputated the hand.

**Deny Brutality**  
Officials at the prison farm denied stories of brutality and blamed the mutilation of the convicts on their desire to get out of work. This version was partially borne out by the trio, but fellow convicts said:

"Those birds know what's good for them. If they came clean and squealed on prison guards who mistreated them, they would go into solitary and have to take more punishment than they have ever had out here."

"Now they will be sent to Huntsville, where they will be given hospital treatment and then they will remain there as they are not fit to do the hard work of the fields."

**Not a New Thing**  
Capt. Ike Kelley, farm manager, and Capt. B. H. Tarver, his assistant, denied accusations of brutality. Tarver said Bertoline explained his hand was cut off because he did not want to work.

"He said he had never done anything but drive a peddler's wagon," Tarver related.  
Tarver accused Underwood of having his fingers chopped off in order to get back to Huntsville where work is not so hard.

"This is not a new thing on the prison farm," Kelley said. "Last fall we had an epidemic of about four or five convicts chopping off their feet to get out of work."

#### Woodwork of Cement Storm Cellar Burns

The wooden interior of a cement storm cellar located on a vacant lot in the 700 block of 14th street was burned Saturday afternoon without damage beyond loss of the planking.

#### ANGERS GET CHANCE

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 16 — Approximately 45,000 trout eggs will be hatched in the Colorado Fish and Game department hatcheries this winter, according to R. G. Parvin, fish and game commissioner. This is the largest number in history and will assure every Colorado fisherman a chance to expand on his angling skill next summer, Parvin predicted.

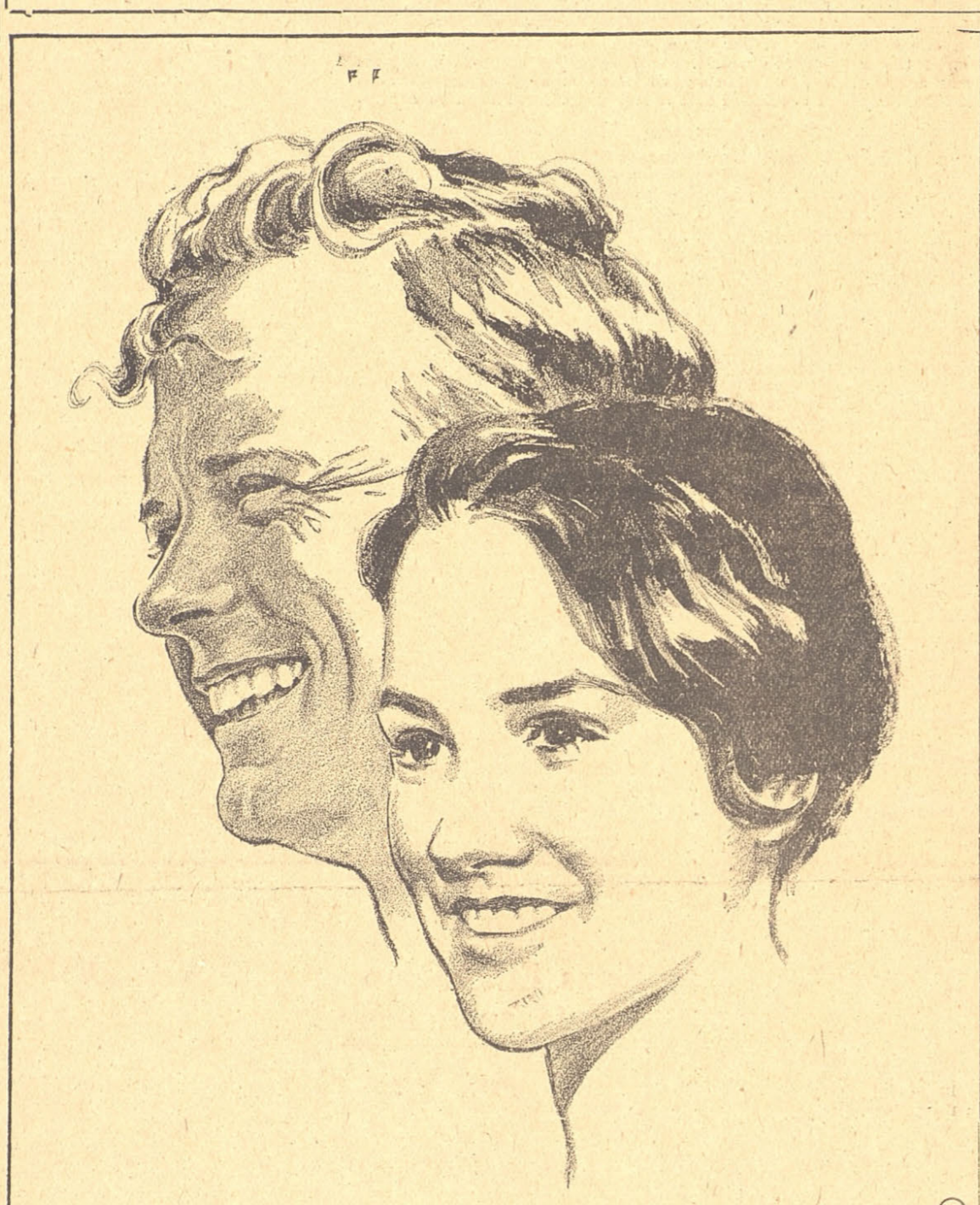
#### THREE GUESSES



WHO IS CADRIE JACOBS BOND?  
WHAT NATION'S LEGISLATURE IS CALLED THE "STORCHING"?  
WHAT WEST INDIAN ISLAND IS SHARED BY TWO REPUBLICS?

ANSWERS ON PAGE TWO

#### "WE" TWO



#### \$15,344 PAID TO CWA WORKERS HERE SATURDAY

Checks for 1,476 CWA workers, paying a week's wages, were distributed over the county Saturday from the CWA headquarters. The checks represented a total of \$15,344.81.

Of this amount \$5,118 was distributed to slightly more than 300 workers employed on outside CWA projects in the Cisco vicinity, it was announced.

The payment of workers with government checks has been greatly facilitated since the distribution of the first payroll when a corps of clerks and stenographers and payroll officials worked all night and all day to get the checks ready for distribution in the evening. That was occasioned by failure to get the check forms until late. Now, however, the payroll is made up, checks issued and distributed in time for the workers to spend their money on the day they receive it.

#### FAST BREAKING ACTION MARKS THE POLITICAL WEEK IN TEXAS

By GORDON K. SHEARER  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
AUSTIN, Dec. 16 — Political action has been fast this week. Several new hats fell in the gubernatorial ring. Another — that of Maury Hughes — was balancing on the edge.

The week's developments opened many interesting speculative topics. Attorney-general James V. Allred's announcement for governor at Del Rio last night ignored prohibition. C. C. McDonald and Maury Hughes, both wet leaders, conferred at Dallas. Former Governor "Jim" Ferguson announced that his wife will not submit revision of liquor laws, if there is a special session of the legislature. Allred declared war on lobbyists and the "interests."

Allred's failure to discuss prohibition left Senator Clint C. Small of

Amarillo as the vocal prohibitionist of the early list of candidates for governor. Small, too, omitted it in his preliminary announcement for next year's race, but in 1930 when he ran for governor his platform said:

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#### Gets Appointment To Paris Hospital

Dr. R. L. Clark, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Clark of Cisco, has received an appointment to the American hospital in Paris, according to word received by his parents. He has taken passage for France on the steamship City of Norfolk.

At the time of his appointment, Clark was serving as an interne in Garfield Memorial hospital, Washington, D. C. He has been released by the hospital to accept the position in Paris, and his wife, Dr. Bert Davis Clark, has been appointed to fill out his unexpired term, after which she expects to join her husband in France.

The appointment to the Paris hospital came unsolicited, it was learned, and was due to Dr. Clark's high scholarship record at the Medical College of Virginia. Dr. Clark has been a leader in athletics, scholarship, and social activities. His educational foundation was laid in Texas.

While connected with the Paris hospital, Dr. Clark will have the opportunity of visiting clinics in various other countries of Europe, it was learned.

#### Ranger Says Job Sale Report Refused

AUSTIN, Dec. 16 — A report on sale of state jobs in Dallas was declined by the Texas ranger office here, former Ranger Sergeant Bert Whisenant testified today before an investigating committee here.

"Ranger Capt. D. E. Hamer told me to keep my report," Whisenant said, "and I'm still keeping it."

The witness inferred that the adjutant-general's department was not anxious to learn the result of Whisenant's investigation. The slender, gray-haired peace officer was discharged from the ranger force Sept. 1. The adjutant-general announced that salary decreases effective with the new fiscal year caused the dismissal.

#### FLYING PAIR END ANOTHER AIR CONQUEST

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 16 — Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, the flying couple most famous in aviation history landed their speedy monoplane here today at 1:21 p. m. EST, returning to the United States after an unprecedented flight around the Atlantic.

The return of the flying couple after their first aerial circumnavigation of the north and south Atlantic oceans, marks the end of another cycle in a continuous saga of adventure.

When the Lindberghs left New York more than five months ago, it was announced the trip was merely to survey the possibilities of a trans-Atlantic airplane route by way of Greenland. It is doubtful if even Lindbergh had made up his mind to continue around the two oceans, visiting 21 foreign countries and travelling 25,000 miles.

Yet the trip, apparently planned only a few steps ahead at each stop, developed into one of the major achievements of aviation history.

#### Lighted Fishbowl Is Electrical Curiosity

Oscar and Henrietta have a home lighted with electricity but they never pull down the shades. The fact that their home is in the business section of town makes not the least difference to them. They don't even turn off the lights as other good citizens do, but allow them to flash at odd intervals without even noticing.

Oscar and Henrietta are the pet goldfish of Eugene Lankford and have their home in a bowl set in the window of Gene's Tire Shop at 105 West Fifth street. Inside the bowl set in a round block is a tiny electric bulb which flashes off and on at regular intervals. There are no wires leading into the bowl.

Lankford, whose first interest is electricity rather than goldfish, explains the mysterious flashes as follows:

The bowl is placed upon a base composed of a large coil, into which comes a 110-volt alternating current. This creates a field of magnetic force, against which the glass of the bowl is no insulation. The alternation of the current causes a collapse of the magnetic lines, inducing a current into the block inside the bowl, which is in reality a smaller coil, protected by wax and causing the light in the bulb. A simple automatic fisher before the current reaches the first coil causes the light to flare up and then fade, while Oscar and Henrietta swim unconcernedly about the bowl.

#### NRA 6 MONTHS OLD, DECLARED TO BE SUCCESS

(Copyright 1933 by United Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 — The NRA is six months old today. The Roosevelt administration believes that in this eventful half year the NRA has proved itself workable and that, with some adjustments, it will be the deciding factor in pulling the country out of the depression.

In former times, improved business indices such as those of the last month would have been hailed as signs of returning prosperity. There is more caution now. But a quiet confidence has supplanted the frank air of experimentation of a few months ago.

All is not clear sailing ahead. But from the standpoint of the NRA the situation has improved unquestionably in the last three weeks.

Some 50 "Blue Eagles" have been revoked. Approximately 3,000,000 workers were operating under the Eagles and thousands of complaints were investigated and found unjustified.

**Outstanding Results**  
Here are the outstanding results of NRA operation at the six months' anniversary:

1. The estimate of more than 4,000,000 workers reemployed, exclusive of emergency public works programs, and many millions of dollars added to payrolls.
2. The success of code operations as illustrated particularly in steel, textiles, lumber, oil, coal and boots and shoes.
3. The firm stand on the right of collective bargaining and open discussion of the entire labor question.
4. Elimination of child labor, sweat shops and poorly paid "home work."
5. Elimination of sharp and unscrupulous trade practices in all the principal industries.

**Still to Be Faced**  
Among the problems still to be faced are:

1. Labor and consumer representation on code authorities.
2. Acceleration of business to care for increased costs under code operations.
3. Administration of current questions as they arise and planning for the future, with eventual industrial self-government as the goal.

So far as congress is concerned, the NRA has three plans:

1. Standing pat on the record act as it now stands.
2. Resisting any attempt at a compulsory 30-hour week.
3. Resisting any effort to eliminate from the act labor's guarantee of the right of collective bargaining.

Senator Wagner, democrat, New York, may propose amendments to make this guarantee more effective.

NRA finds itself well fortified for any attack that may develop in congress and against and assaults that may be launched by private interests.

#### Guard and Missing \$39,000 Are Sought

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 — An express company guard who stepped from an armored truck into a crowded Loop street with \$39,000 in currency was sought today by police.

Allen Hammel, 37, a guard for the Brinks Express company was left inside the truck taking the money from a bank to the express company by two other guards when the truck stopped at another bank.

When they returned Hammel was gone. A witness told of seeing him dash down an alley, carrying the money.

Christian Science Lecture at Eastland

A Christian Science lecture will be delivered at the Connellee theater in Eastland Tuesday evening December 19, at 8 o'clock by Bicknell Young, C. S. B., of Chicago, Ill. It was announced here Saturday. The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no charge of admission.

#### CWA School for East Cisco Gets Approval

The first of the CWA literary classes sought for Cisco was approved at Austin yesterday. Supt. R. N. Cluck notified the Daily News from Waco where he had paused on his return from the state capital. The school was organized here Thursday afternoon in a meeting at the East ward. A large list of adults applied for admission to the classes which are limited to that school community.

At the time of announcing approval of the East ward school, Mr. Cluck summoned a meeting of interested adults, employed or unemployed, at the West ward building for 3:30 Monday afternoon when a similar school will be organized.

Will Teach  
Miss Kramer will teach the East ward school. Her selection, as well as the plans for the classes, was approved by the vocational division of the state department of education through which the CWA program of work relief in education is directed in this state. The curriculum and schedule of meetings were determined by the wishes of a majority of the adults applying for admission. The East ward classes will be held at night.

This is the second CWA school to be approved in Cisco and Eastland county. The first, a commercial

school taught by P. L. Kelly, is already in operation in high school quarters. Purpose of the CWA classes is two-fold, to furnish employment for unemployed teachers and to provide educational opportunities for adults in need of such and having leisure time to devote to the work.

In the literary classes, such as the East ward school will be, courses in common school subjects, with special emphasis upon citizenship, are offered.

Mr. Cluck also has application pending for a school in home-making which would be quartered at the high school.

#### NRA HIGHWAY PROGRAM NEAR 15 MILLION MARK

AUSTIN, Dec. 16 — Texas' \$24,250,000 NRA road-building program, swinging past the half-way mark, will approach \$15,000,000 in construction projects actually under contract by Christmas, the Texas Good Roads association announced today from highway department figures.

More than 25,000 Texas breadwinners already have been given jobs from this highway program, according to the calculations of the United States bureau of public roads.

8,500 directly on the jobs and twice that number in contributory pursuits such as manufacture and transportation of materials.

Steadily gaining speed after a slow start, the state highway commission let more than \$4,000,000 per month in contracts during October and November, and expects to exceed this rate during December and January.

Officials are making strenuous efforts to have the entire program in the actual construction stage early in the new year, when congress may appropriate more funds for public works.

Texas Good Roads association leaders have urged repeatedly upon the national administration the pressing need for more modern highways in Texas, as well as the extreme value of road construction for unemployment relief. They are seeking another substantial federal appropriation for highways in the spring.

Through November, the bureau of public roads reported, Texas' 270 road projects ranked second in number only to Pennsylvania. Texas was fourth in total volume of road work and third in the jobs this smaller states were nearer to completion of their respective programs.

Texas' program, with projects in every one of her 254 counties, is the most complicated in the nation.

#### Two of Crew Drown, Seven Are Missing

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 16 — Two members of the crew of the fishing schooner Ellen Marshall, were drowned today and seven others were missing after a fire aboard the vessel had forced the entire crew of 26 to take refuge in a cold and tempestuous sea off Cape Sable.

#### S. B. Wright Attends Funeral for Brother

S. B. Wright, superintendent of the state fish hatchery here, returned Friday from Slaton where he attended the funeral of his eldest brother, W. K. Wright, 75, who succumbed to the effects of a paralytic attack last May. Death occurred Tuesday last and burial was at Slaton. S. B. Wright is the youngest of the family.

#### Hearing on NRA Oil Proration Is Ended

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East Texas — Cloudy, local showers Sunday, colder in west portion.

#### VICTIM WAS LAST SEEN IN AUGUST, 1932

FORT WORTH, Dec. 16 — A skeleton found yesterday in a slough here was positively identified today as that of Frank Randolph, 28, Fort Worth filling station operator who disappeared in August of last year. The identification was established by Randolph's brother-in-law, Lon Holly, his three sisters and his father. Officers indicated they would make an arrest.

The identification of the skeleton was established through the teeth, and a pair of shoes and a belt found near the slough.

The bones were found by two men who were seining the slough yesterday.

Randolph disappeared after he was seen with one of three men he had met here last August. Holly said that the man with whom he was last seen was arrested on a charge of drunkenness in the Trinity river bottoms the night after Randolph's disappearance.

Had \$150 on Him  
Randolph had \$150 with him the day he disappeared, Holly said. The skeleton is being held in a funeral home where it was viewed by the brother-in-law and other relatives.

The spot at which the bones were found had once been covered with water, but during the recent drought the water had receded leaving the location dry and the bones exposed upon the top of the ground, screened by a heavy growth of brush.

The slough is about 400 yards from the bridge under which was found the bodies of J. B. and Harry Rutherford and Ferman (Jack) Sturdivant—Handley murder victims — last July and for whose deaths O. D. Stevens, W. D. (Bill) May and M. T. (Blackie) Howard are awaiting trial on murder indictments.

Bill Godwin and John Winters, fishermen who found the skeleton while seining the slough for minnows, live near the bridge.

#### Noted Novelist Is Burned to Death

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 — Louis Joseph Vance, 54, author of the "Lone Wolf" and a number of other novels, was burned to death today when he fell asleep with a lighted cigarette in his mouth.

Vance was found by attaches of the Town House in which he lived after neighbors had smelled smoke. His clothes were badly burned. The apartment was undamaged.

The novelist was found on the floor, naked from the waist up. It was believed that he awoke to find his clothes burning and managed to tear some of them from his body before succumbing.

#### Warrants Expected For 6 in Lynching

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 16 — Sheriff I. A. Bauman, of Davidson county, announced today that he expected warrants to be sworn out for six men who allegedly lynched a negro late yesterday at Columbia, after he had been exonerated by a grand jury on a charge of attacking a white girl. The body of Cord Clark, negro, newest victim in a series of mob outbreaks in various sections of the country, was found hanging from a cedar tree near here last night. The body was riddled with bullets. The coroner cut down the body and delivered a verdict of "murder by parties unknown."

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# M-G-M'S NEW MUSICAL HIT OPENING HERE

The appearance together in a picture of Joan Crawford and Clark Gable is an unmistakable sign of screen entertainment above the ordinary run. The popular pair are again seen opposite each other in "Dancing Lady," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's filmization of the widely-read James Warner Bellah novel, which will be the feature attraction beginning today for three days at the Palace Theatre.

**Emotional Fireworks**  
From all indications Metro has outdone itself in providing its top-notch stars with a vehicle which from the viewpoint of lavishness, spectacular detail and casting strength leaves practically nothing to be desired. Miss Crawford, who in "Dancing Lady" starts out as a cheap burlesque chorine and ultimately ends up with her name in bright lights on Broadway, has a part which gives her every opportunity for dancing, singing and plenty of displays of emotional fireworks.

Gable, likewise, has a "mpaty" role as the musical comedy director who at first considers the pushing Miss Crawford as the biggest pest of all his chorines but is eventually brought to realize that there is more to the girl than a striking figure and particularly adept dancing legs.

**An Impressive Cast**  
The unusually fine supporting cast grouped together for this pro-

duction includes the fast-rising Franchot Tone, May Robson of "Apple Annie" fame, the irresponsible Winnie Lightner, the world-famed dancer Fred Astaire, Robert Benchley and Ted Healy and his stogees. Also in prominent roles are Gloria Foy, Art Jarrett, Grant Mitchell, Maynard Holmes, Nelson Eddy and Sterling Holloway.

Sammy Lee and Eddie Urinz supervised the musical ensembles of the picture which features a chorus of one hundred dancers. Songs heard in the production include "Let's Go Bavarian," "Heigh Ho," "Everything I Have Is Yours," "That's the Rhythm of the Day" and "Dancing Lady," as sung by Miss Crawford, Art Jarrett and Nelson Eddy.

"Dancing Lady" is the first picture to be directed by Robert Z. Leonard since his recent box-office success, "Similin' Through."

## Political Week---

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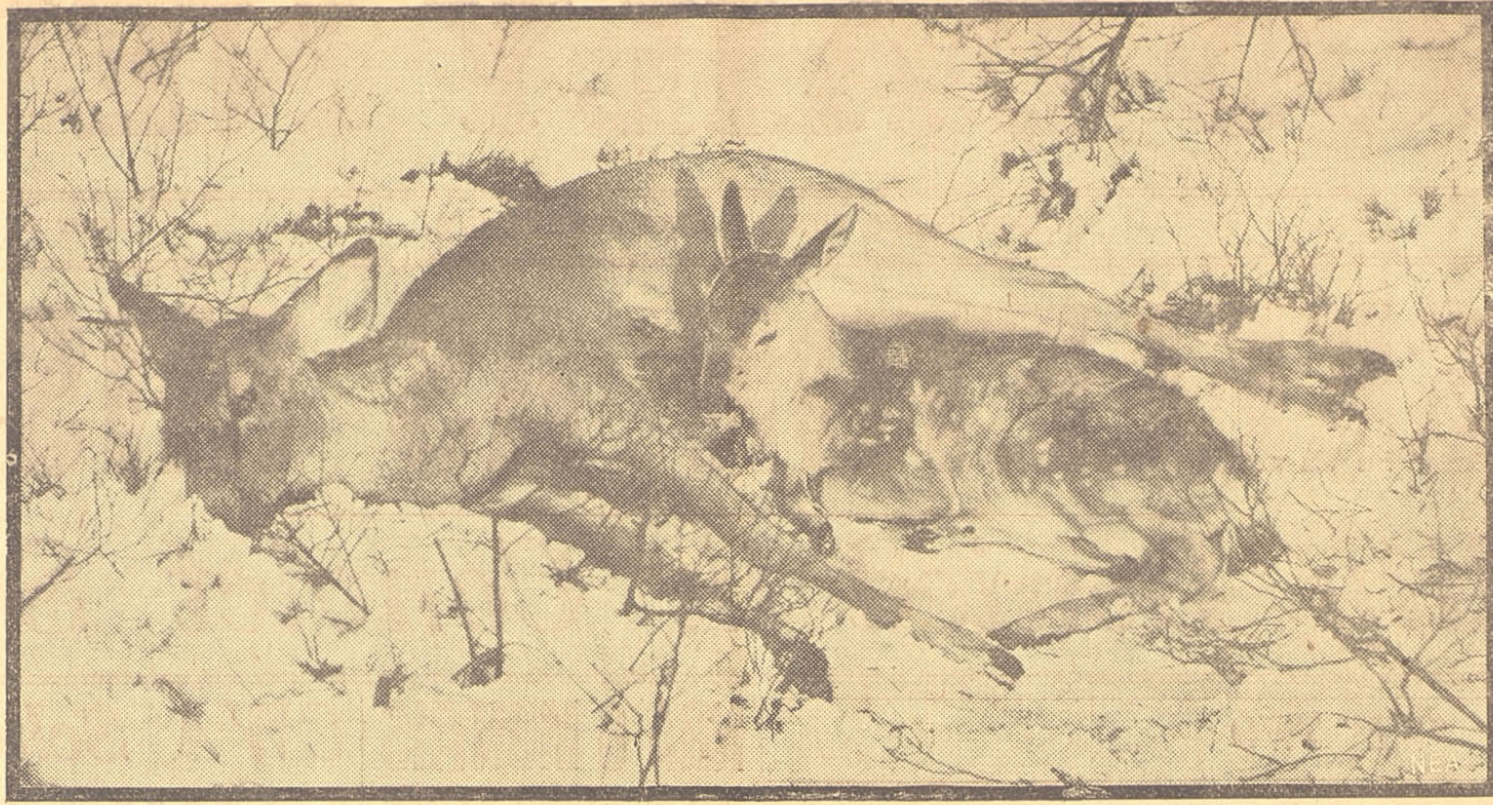
more outspoken. Lieut. Gov. Edgar E. Witt, who was the first state official to declare openly for national repeal and for beer, limited his prohibition statement to a declaration that he favors submission of state repeal.

C. C. McDonald, Wichita Falls, who announced promptly upon Mrs. Ferguson's declaration that she does not choose to run, led the wet campaign forces in the national repeal and state beer campaigns. He was nominated for the post by Former Governor James E. Ferguson.

Maury Hughes, who may now be counted as a potential candidate for governor, sounded the battle cry for state repeal at the convention which ratified national repeal.

**Will Terrell Go Up?**  
An important bearing on the gov-

## Because a Deer Hunter Failed to Look for Antlers



A scene of wild life tragedy that tears at the heartstrings is this—a doe killed in death, her fawn starving beside her, victims of man's unthinking cruelty. A deer hunter, intent only on prey, ignored the rule of the woods, never to shoot before looking for antlers. He killed the doe and left the fawn, struck in one hind leg by a heavy slug, to starve or fall victim to a prowling beast. A conservation photographer came upon the scene, near West Branch, Mich., rescued the fawn, and it is being nursed back to health.

ernor's race can easily result if the report proves correct that State Railroad Commissioner C. V. Terrell is to resign to take a federal post. His close touch with Vice President John N. Garner makes it sound plausible. The connection with the governor's race is this:

When creation of a new commission, separate from the railroad commission was proposed to handle oil and gas affairs, it was openly predicted on the house floor that C. C. McDonald would be appointed to the new commission by Governor Ferguson, should the bill pass. An opening on the railroad commission through Terrell's resignation would give her an opportunity to appoint McDonald. His acceptance would take him out of the governor's race. Then Hughes could gracefully step into the governor's race.

Another place on the railroad

commission is to be filled by election next year. It now is occupied by Chairman Lon A. Smith who says he will run again. His formal announcement is to be made on his birthday, March 13.

Former House Speaker Lee Satterwhite, who ran second to Terrell in the last campaign, will not run against Smith. If Satterwhite makes another race he says it will be for the legislature. He now resides in Austin and should he be elected, he will have represented four different districts in the house—a record in that respect. He previously has been sent to the legislature from Freestone, Carson and Ector counties.

Announcement that Leslie McKay would leave the oil and gas division of the railroad commission was followed by reports that he might run against Smith. McKay promptly announced that he does not intend

to do so. "I certainly would not run against any of the present commissioners. All of them have been my friends," he said.

**Leaving Comm'n**  
McKay is a son of Former Secretary of State John McKay. In leaving his position he follows a number of young men who have done the same thing and have been successful in private oil ventures.

Rep. Walter C. Holloway, Longview, wheel horse in putting the new oil commission bill through the house of the 43rd legislature only to see it killed in the senate, also says he will not run for railroad commissioner. He has decided definitely to run for the state senate. The district includes Harrison, Rusk, Gregg, Panoia, and Shelby counties. In the U. S. senatorial race, Senator Tom Connally, praising the Roosevelt administration at Fort Worth, criticized a "Texas congress-

man-at-large" for voting against an administration farm bill. Congressman-at-large Joe Bailey has announced for Connally's place.

Former Governor Jim Ferguson at Dallas remained non-committal on his possible entry into that race saying he had other things to do now.

## HUGE COLLECTION

PARIS, Dec. 16—The zoology gallery of the Jardin des Plantes has been visited by 100,000 butterflies of 7,000 different species, said to be the largest collection in the world. It is known as the Hans Fruhstorfer collection and compares favorably with that of Lord Rothschild, in London. To secure the aggregation, Herr Fruhstorfer visited India, Brazil, Malasia, Africa, China, Japan, Spain, and North and South America.

## ASKS MORE CANNING

MINERAL WELLS, Dec. 16—The Civil Works administration canning kitchen here has sent out an appeal for more work to do on the 50-50 basis.

## 2 PROJECTS APPROVED

COMMERCE, Dec. 16—Approval of two applications for Civil Works administration projects have been received here by I. B. Natt, local relief director. The applications call for work on streets and roads and provide for 2,000 man-working days with an expenditure of \$6,789.

## Plans Ether Hop in Open Balloon



Plans for a solo ascent of more than 12 miles into the stratosphere in an open balloon are being completed in Madrid by Lieutenant Colonel Emilio Herrera (above), Spanish balloonist. By using an open balloon Herrera expects he will not be handicapped in his investigations to the same extent as he might be in a sealed metal sphere.

## BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

### BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

**WASHINGTON**—The administration's conservative opposition aims to make a goat of Dr. Rex Tugwell.

The name of the handsome, forward-looking assistant secretary of agriculture comes up often in its various councils. He is easier to attack than Roosevelt, whose popular support still is the outstanding phenomenon of American politics.

Business men objecting to federal regulation consider Tugwell a dangerous foe. They'll attack him as socialistic, as seeking federal control for all industries. Patent medicine men and distillers already are after him because of his activity for food and drug legislation and rigid alcohol control.

The gold standard crowd wants his scalp because he's a chief backer of the Roosevelt monetary policy. Al Smith's slur on "experimenting professors" was aimed partly at Tugwell, though he once was one of Al's own "brain trust."

Since Moley was retired to the sidelines, Tugwell—abler a n d shrewder—obviously has been Number One man in the Roosevelt "brain trust." In the agriculture department, he has aroused dislike of food industries and middlemen by stressing farmer and consumer interests over theirs.

He thinks farmers should receive more than their present 37 per cent of the consumer's dollar.

**SENATE** investigations have profited the nation far more than their cost—witness Teapot Dome and resultant return of the naval oil reserves. The latest

profitable probe is the Banking and Currency Committee's investigation of Wall Street.

Members of the House Ways and Means Committee think they now have information which may enable them to save \$400,000,000 by plugging tax leaks. That's extremely optimistic.

**A**CTING Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., is ill at ease on his new job. He hasn't had much experience, of course. Also, he's practically new in the public gaze and suffers from stage fright.

A vague, hunted look appears in his darting eyes as he submits to questioning. He stands up, shifts around, and almost frantically fingers a vest button. Opinion differs as to whether he will get over that.

**WILL** Mr. Parley P. Christensen please step up and receive a formal gift from the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics?

He was the Farmer-Labor party presidential candidate in 1920 and as such visited Russia. In the effects of the late Nicolai Lenin, Russian officials found a handsome photograph of their leader, taken with Christensen.

They thought Christensen should have that and sent it to Boris Skvirsky of the Russian Information Bureau, now counsellor of embassy.

Skvirsky has sought vainly to locate Christensen and thinks someone among 265,000 persons who voted for him should know where he is.

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## HOOKS AND SLIDES

### Notre Dame Note

THE following story is imaginative, but it has a bit of value in that it conveys some of the feeling of the lads on the campus at South Bend. It is told to me by a young man who lives in Sorin Hall, and here it is:

"After the Kansas game the boys got up a little story about Coach Hunk Anderson. If you recall, the field was slippery that day. In the third quarter Hunk became very excited. The boys were slipping about pretty badly. "Nick Lukats came running to Hunk on the bench and shouted, "They need rosin out there, coach!"

"To which Hunk replied: "Look up his number, I'll put him in!"

### The Criticism

ALL sorts of criticism have come to this department concerning the sad state of affairs at Notre Dame. Joe Savoldi blamed the depression, saying that boys who would be big-time stars were not being attracted.

Other alumni, either real or professional, say the team hasn't had a quarterback since Frank Carideo went into the coaching business.

Even on the Notre Dame campus is heard talk to the effect that many young men who might have been stars on the Irish eleven have chosen instead schools like Duquesne and Fordham, attracted by the colorful personalities of Coaches Elmer Layden and Jimmv

### DID YOU KNOW THAT—

IN the first six home games this year, the professional Boston Redskins entertained 100,000 persons... who paid more than \$90,000 for the fun... the Redskins are said to have their eyes on two college boys who now are playing... and hope to see these lads Redskins next year... they are Tosi, star end at Boston College, and Dave Kopans, strong tackle at Harvard... but the matter of the Redskins' designs must be hushed, of course... because the pro grid league has a rule against proselytizing among the collegians... So, maybe Tosi and Kopans don't even know their services are wanted... and maybe Coach Lone Star Dietz of the Redskins is a cousin of Alice in Wonderland, too.

Crowley, of the Four Horsemen team.

### Send in Your Guess!

PLAIN talk from some of the undergrads at Notre Dame charges that Coach Anderson allows personalities to enter into his running of the team and that he blows up when in a tough spot.

Well, what do you think? There probably is a great deal in what you have to say, too!

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# ALLRED THROWS HAT INTO RING FOR GOVERNOR

By RAYMOND BROOKS  
 DEL RIO, Dec. 16 — Atty-Gen. James V. Allred announced for governor of Texas here Friday night. He launched his campaign on a plea for "a new deal from a new deck," and a demand for a strict lobby law that will prevent those on retainers of special interests from holding state offices or legislative seats.

Less bunk and serious attention to state problems until later on in the campaign, rather than political agitation, were urged by Allred.

Mr. Allred told a Southwest Texas group, who gave a dinner in his honor here that he "did not need a great deal of urging, am not waiting to be drafted" in the governor's race.

"I am in favor of a 'new deal' in Texas politics," Allred said, "but it ought to be from a new deck, and with some new dealers in the game. The trouble is that lobbyists for the oil companies, the sulphur companies and the public utilities have been dealing too many jokers. I favor the immediate passage of the strictest lobby regulation measure which can be placed on the statute books... the people have a perfect right who feel they can draw retainers from privileged corporations and at the same time take money from the public treasury. But the people ought to know the facts about it when they vote."

Introduced by Payne  
 Atty-Gen. Allred was introduced by Senator Payne. Del Rio real estate man, who said that "we feel that if there ever was a man underneath the capitol dome at Austin who is a friend of the people and true to their interests, it is Jimmie Allred."

There were numerous speakers on the program of the testimonial dinner. Some of these were W. P. Wallace, Val Verde county; Phil B. Foster, Del Rio; Dr. Joe Sanders, Del Rio; Carl Estes, Tyler; Judge Claude Gilmer, Rock Springs; Mayor Coefield, Marfa; James Young, Jr., San Antonio; Dalph Briscoe, president, Texas Cattle Raisers' association, Uvalde; Charles J. Veltman, Brackettville, and Roswell Vaughan, Eagle Pass. Delegations were present from Edwards, Uvalde, Kinney, Maverick, Presidio and other counties.

"It is to be regretted that already, months before the campaign should properly begin, for some strange reason predictions are rife that a hectic political battle is in store for Texas," said Allred. "Our citizenship should be spared from such a spectacle. The partisanship and disturbing influences of politics should be delayed until we have met our present problems... every public official every candidate for office, should dedicate himself to the work in hand."

Platitudes Unpalatable  
 He said candidates usually advance general platitudes. "The people are not going to swallow that kind of bunk any longer, but are going to require every candidate to state specifically just how he proposes to carry out his glowing promises," he said.

"This aggravating and painful problem of taxation, which has impoverished owners of non-revenue producing properties and others least able to pay should be met squarely. Personally, I expect to handle this subject specifically and without gloves."

"We owe it to ourselves to take this means of erasing from the hearts of office-holders this strange new conception of statesmanship and this pretension of ability to serve two masters" said Allred in reference to his proposal to require members of the legislature to register their affiliations. "In this manner only will be returned to the lofty conception of patriotism with which Texas was blessed under such immortals as James Stephen Hogg."

Mr. Allred made no specific reference to his anti-trust suit, but told his friends he was "proud, personally and officially," of the record made in the attorney general's office and he invited inspection of the record of his tenure.

TERRELL JOINS LIST FOR GOVERNOR  
 HOUSTON, Dec. 16 — Cong. George B. Terrell, of Alto, joined a rapidly increasing list of gubernatorial candidates here today with his announcement for the governorship of Texas.

His announcement was made at a breakfast in connection with the Gridiron Day celebration. Terrell was serving as state legislator when elected to congress two years ago.

HUNTER PROMISES CAMPAIGN IN SPRING  
 BROWNWOOD, Dec. 16 — Tom Hunter, of Wichita Falls, who ran third in the Texas gubernatorial election last year, today announced he would begin another active campaign for that office next March or April. He formally announced his candidacy for governor in an address here last night.

13,672 BALES  
 CENTER, Dec. 16.—Approximately 13,672 bales of cotton, counting round bales as half bales, were ginned in Shelby county during the 1933 period prior to Dec. 1, according to a report made by H. H. Watson, county enumerator. The same date last year 20,934 bales were ginned.

EIGHT INSTRUMENTS  
 DENVER, Colo., Dec. 16 — Ray E. Baber, a minister's son, at 15 has mastered eight musical instruments and has developed a ninth musical instrument, a "bottle xylophone", upon which he can produce true music. The xylophone is made with beer and champagne bottles.

## 'Canning' Season for Georgia Peach



The game of hearts they started wound up as solitaire, so Corliss Palmer Brewster, one-time famous "Georgia Peach," beauty contest winner, divorced Eugene V. Brewster, who lost his millions. He preferred solitaire to her companionship, Corliss charged, and she put on her most engaging smile when she appeared in court, as shown here, to prove that his taste was all wrong.

### JAILER IS LONESOME

URANGO, Col., Dec. 16 — Juan A. Medina, jailer here, is getting lonesome. He hasn't had a prisoner in his jail that he can chat with in a week. It's the first and also the longest time since he's been jailer that he hasn't had at least one prisoner, he said.

### 42,000 FOOT CLIMB

PARIS, Dec. 16 — Confident he can climb to 42,000 feet, Gustave Lemoine plans making an attempt

soon to better his own record of 13,661 eters. Lemoine, who took the altitude mark away from the United States recently, is supervising modifications of his plane.

### RESTORE HOME

HAVRE, France, Dec. 16 — Fifty tons of material are here waiting to be shipped to St. Helena. It will be sent to London and taken to the lonely island by a British boat. The material will be used for the restoration of Longwood, Napoleon's residence there.

## Sunday Services at The Churches

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Services, Sunday December 17, 1933. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. S. H. Nance, Supt. There is a class for everyone. An enthusiastic welcome awaits you. Morning worship service 10:50. Theme for morning hours, "The Philosophy Of Jesus", a thoughtful message that will be helpful to you.

All Epworth leagues meet at 6 p. m. Evening services will be dismissed for the "Christmas Cantata". —FRANK L. TURNER, Pastor.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45. E. P. Crawford, Supt. Morning worship and sermon at 11 o'clock. There will be special music. Young people meet at 6:30. There will be no evening worship service, because of the presentation of the Christmas cantata by the Community Choral club. —J. STUART PEARCE, Pastor.

### FUNDAMENTALIST BAPTIST

Sunday school at 9:45. The pastor will preach at three services today instead of on the fourth Sunday, as regularly scheduled. Services will be at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. We are planning a fifth Sunday meeting beginning on Friday evening before that Sunday and continuing three days. The pastor will be away in other services on the fourth Sunday. —JOHN W. REYNOLDS, Pastor.

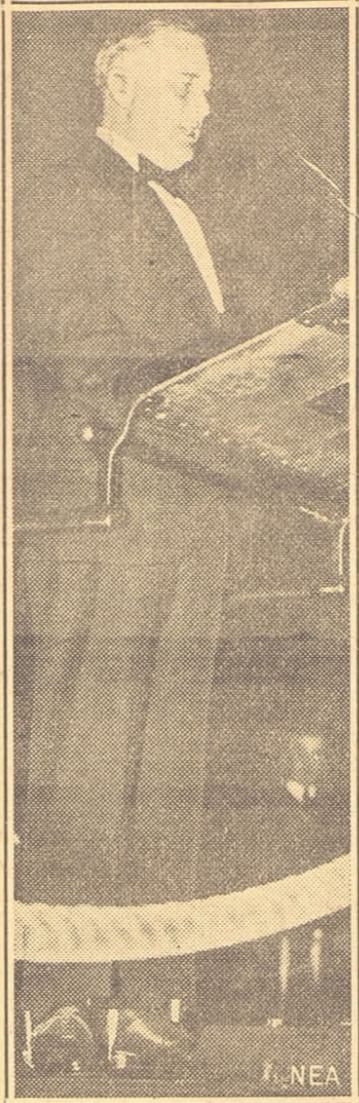
### HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

Mass today will be at 10 a. m. by Rev. J. Fernandez. This is the third Sunday in Advent and the epistle is from the Phillipians IV-4-7; the gospel is from St. John 1-19-28. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are fast days because this is Ember week. It is believed that the Roman pagans fasted on certain days in June, September, December to propitiate the deities and to ask blessings on seed time and harvest, and the Church Christianized these feasts and added a fourth in the fifth century, so that the four correspond to the four seasons of the year.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The Community Choral club will present its annual Christmas cantata at a union service at the First

## President Hits Mob Law Backers



"We do not excuse those in high places or the low who condone lynch law." Addressing the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America at Washington, President Roosevelt thus denounced mob violence in his first statement on that subject since the recent lynchings. This was seen as a rebuke to Governor Rolph of California who expressed approval of a mob's action at San Jose.

Baptist church at 7:30 this evening. All other services will be held at the usual hour. The pastor will deliver

a Christmas sermon at the 11 o'clock service this morning.—E. S. JAMES, Pastor.

### JEALOUS AUTO

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16—When a new automobile, owned jointly by herself and her fiance, "came between our love," Mrs. Eva Sample, a divorcee, told a police court, she burned the car. She was arrested on a charge of arson and said her fiance, J. F. Jeager, was becoming more interested in the car than in her.

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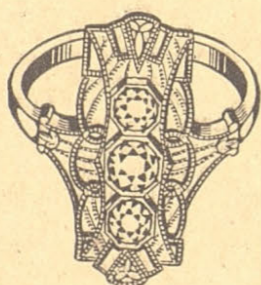
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MARKETS FOR AMERICAN FARMERS

President Roosevelt has created a new department of foreign commerce, naming George N. Peek, late farm administrator, to head an organization which "would try to find foreign markets for farm commodities."

According to department of commerce figures, for the first time since the beginning of the decline in 1929 "United States exports will show a gain over the value of those of the preceding year."

Now that harmony has been restored in the department of agriculture Citizen Peek has an opportunity to enter a new field of activity and demonstrate to the satisfaction of his countrymen just what he can do in breaking down foreign exclusion walls for the increased sale of American farm products on the European side of the world.

TEXAS SHARES AVIATION HONORS

Texas, whose cities are ports in a nation-wide net of everyday air transportation, today will join in the commemorative exercises of national aviation day.

Texans ride the skies now at three miles a minute as a matter of course, and read with languid interest that Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh have flown across another ocean.

COMM'R BRAND ADVISES STATE BANKERS

There are hundreds of state bankers and banks in Texas. State Bank Comm'r. E. C. Brand addressing those most concerned, urged officers of Texas state banks to insure their bank deposits by the temporary plan of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Oklahoma is his neighbor state. The Oklahoma State Bankers association is on record as "emphatically against the federal bank deposit guarantee law" and voted to memorialize congress to amend the act so that small banks may participate without increasing capital.

FRANCE OFFICIALLY REPUDIATES

For the third time the French cabinet has confirmed a default on the war debt payment to the United States—this time on \$22,200,926 due Dec. 15.

In justice to Herbert Hoover cancellation of the war loans was not in his mind when he granted the moratorium. He had bluntly stated that he was opposed to the cancellation of the war debts owed to the American people by the allied governments.

INFLATION



Farmers and Their Federal Tax Payments

This is the closing month of a dead year. And the record should be kept straight. Actual cash payments of \$115,041,937 were paid to American farmers during the first seven months operation of the New Deal agricultural adjustment act.

Texas is the leading agricultural state. It is the largest producer of cotton in any of the states listed on the fleecy staple belt. It is one of the new money crops of Texas.

PLACES THE BLAME ON THE CRAMPED POCKETBOOK

William W. Woods of Chicago is president of the Institute of American Packers. He places the blame for present low prices of livestock on the cramped pocketbook.

Home Owners Loan corporation activities are to be given a boost. TRACY KING, orchestra leader, in his hotel apartment, Bannister is an author and former newspaper man. He works on the murder case with GAINEY, star reporter on the Post.

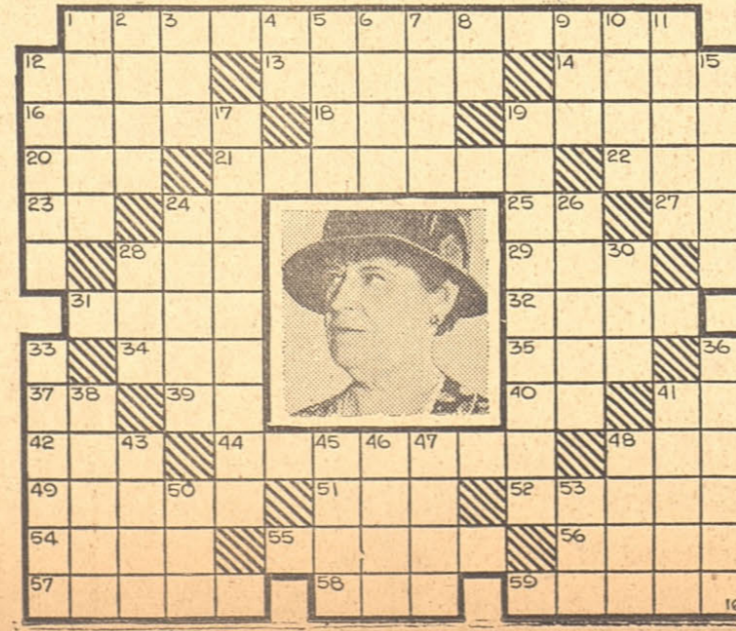
BANK SYNDICATE FORCED TO SELL HOME OWNERS LOAN SECURITIES

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John H. Fahey, a Massachusetts publisher and an outstanding business leader, is chairman of the Home Owners Loan corporation. He is investigating reports of false appraisals for home loans in Chicago and many other places.

Relief Worker

Word puzzle section titled 'Relief Worker'. Includes a grid with numbers and a list of clues for horizontal and vertical words. Example clues: '1 Who is the woman in the picture?', '12 A jot', '13 Short scarf', etc.



Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE

The compliment of a red rose was publicly paid me on the street Saturday morning by the smiling mortician, H. C. Wippen. You country folks, of course, know him as an undertaker, but the dignity of the profession has advanced past that colloquial and familiar stage in keeping with the sophistication that the rest of the professions have attained during these bitter years.

However, I am not going to place his kindness on such a venal and sordid basis. He wanted to get his name in the paper, that's all.

H. L. Dyer, who has more natural gas on tap than any man in Cisco, not excluding Comm'r Bob Winston—who ought to have a lot because he never says anything—blushes on the top of his head whenever he is embarrassed, according to Aubrey Foster, of the West Texas Utilities company.

K. N. Greer, the Palace theater magnate, is a pretty good scout. The theater business during pre-NRA times has been nothing to write success stories about.

Juliet France, blond and pretty and known to have visited King shortly before his death; HERMAN SCURLACH who wrote King a threatening letter; and JOE PARROTT, down-and-out vaudeville actor. It is also known that MELVA A. HOLLISTER, middle-aged spinster, had quarreled with King recently.

The UNKNOWN BLOND

BEGIN HERE TODAY DAVID BANNISTER undertakes to find out who killed TRACY KING, orchestra leader, in his hotel apartment. Bannister is an author and former newspaper man. He works on the murder case with GAINEY, star reporter on the Post.

CHAPTER XXXIII

BANNISTER spoke slowly. "You don't mean that," he said. "A girl like that—why, she couldn't have anything to do with Mug Logan's gang! She couldn't—"

"Oh, couldn't she? Maybe you'll go ahead and tell me why she was in Tracy King's apartment the night he was killed. Maybe you'll tell me the rest of it. Just because she's got a pretty face don't let that fool you. Did you ever see a gun man's doll who ever set pretty? Why couldn't the girl be in on it, I'd like to know?"

"Listen," Bannister said, "have you any evidence to prove that she's—what you think she is?"

"If I had evidence I wouldn't be sitting here talking about it. Say, why all the excitement? You haven't fallen for the dame, have you?"

"I haven't fallen for her," Bannister said bitterly. "and I don't intend to. I just wanted to get your story straight."

McNeal settled back in his chair more comfortably. "Well, then," he said, "here it is. I figure Dragan and King were both in on the deal. King's been spending a lot of money around this town. So has Dragan. They didn't get it shaying in that orchestra. You know that as well as I do. Where did they get it then? I figure they were in with Logan. Never mind just why I think so. I can't go into it that now."

"Anyhow King and Dragan both have a pretty steady source of cash—a good deal more than they're earning at the State. Then King needs this Lang girl and gets engaged to her. She has money to burn. If he marries her he doesn't need his underworld friends any longer and he wants to get rid of them. You know what happens when you try to give a crowd like that the run-around! Parrott appears on the scene and about the same time the girl shows up. Somebody plugs King and Dragan starts yelling that it was Parrott. So Dragan gets his. That's the way these gangsters work and that's the picture as I see it. I'll admit I haven't quite figured out the girl's part—"

"Maybe you're right about it," Bannister said heavily. "I tell you," the detective captain went on, "you can't tell about dames. The swiftest dressed and best looking and most ladylike act-

cover and, as a consequence, missed the duck season. But that's ancient history. I took up my pen, meaning this typewriter, intending to sing a small pean for Kickapo's benefit.

The pean is inspired by the generosity which he entertains for charity and benefit performances that necessarily interfere with his business. Not only does he not complain against these worthy movements, but he lends his aid to their success to the point of turning over his theater for their use. The Elks have just concluded a program there, as they have annually done, while the list of K. N.'s cooperation with home talent enterprise for sweet charity's sake makes a mighty big bouquet for a mighty good citizen.

Cisco appreciates the old spirit, K. N.

Texas Topics

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, Dec. 16 — Democratic party rule cannot last always. But now clearly the democratic party has more to offer western progressive republicans in actual achievement than their own party ever promised them fruitlessly.

That the supreme court might be reshaped to instant responsiveness to a n y great major demand unwritten in the constitution has been pointed out in that any congress can enlarge the court and the president appoint men of known stand.

But there are n o w fleeting pointers t h a t America could in theory go on even though the "cabinet system's" overnight fall of the responsible agencies of government, such as is familiar in

England and of every-day occurrence in France.

Assume the democratic party so entrenched itself by gaining permanently its present recruits. Then both it and its traditional single opponent would wither as parties. Then there would spring up new alignments on four or five issues, gold, industrialism vs. agriculture, wet and dry, whig vs. Tory, and so on. A policy of government would rest not upon a long platform promise and performance of a competing political party, but upon the support of a coalition from time to time of each of the interested groups upon a particular subject.

After all, isn't this principle somewhat that followed in shifting the treasury and "hard money vs. inflation," and the agriculture groups around? even though it has been to shape an administration in harmony with the president's views than to maintain a majority support in a legislative body.

The principle of this semi-cabinet type would be that an entire government would not be changed, but only the affected portion; with a president who is responsible staying on in power as in France does the president who is not responsible.

The ministry system has tremendous advantages, though most of them are nullified in France at present due to the interminable list of political factions called parties there.

Carrie Jacobs Bond is an American SONG WRITER. NORWAY'S legislature is called the Storting. The island of HAITI is occupied by the Republic of Haiti and the Dominican Republic.

ing one I ever saw in my life was with "Big Boy" Milano the day we found him here."

McNEAL was referring to his proudest achievement — the part he had played in the capture of the New York gangster who had defied police of a dozen big cities only to be taken in Tremont.

"You don't want to let looks deceive you," he went on. "If this girl isn't mixed up with some underworld crowd why won't she talk? I'll tell you why—because she knows what happens to squealers. They're all more afraid of their own crowd than anyone else."

"Well," said Bannister, "how are you going to prove all this? What are you going to do now?"

"Give Parrott the works and see what he can get out of him. Watch the girl. If she's begun writing letters it ought to be a big help."

There was silence for several minutes. Then Bannister knocked the ashes from his cigar. "So it's just another gangster mess!" He said distastefully. "Well, Denise Lang's lucky if you're right about it. Wonder if her father had any idea of all this. I mean about where King got his money."

McNeal said, "He was in here this morning."

"Who?"

"Arthur Lang."

"Bannister straightened. "Guess I didn't hear about that," he said. "What did he want?"

"Wanted to know what progress we were making with the King case. It certainly surprised me when they told me he was here. The way he talked that first morning after King was shot he seemed to think a policeman was poison! I got sore about it. He wasn't going to let us talk to his daughter at all until I finally told him what was what."

"So he wanted to know what progress you've been making," Bannister said. "I wonder just how fond Arthur Lang was of his prospective son-in-law."

"That's one I can't answer. I didn't waste much time on him. Told him we were doing all we could."

"How much would you say Lang is worth?"

"I've heard it was a million and I've heard it was five. Somewhere between the two, I suppose. He'll never starve."

"A MILLION dollars," Bannister repeated. "That's a lot of money. If I had a million berries I'd head for the South Sea Islands."

"Where the girls wear grass skirts?"

"Sure. I'd be king of an island of my own and have a dozen of those grass skirt dancers just to wave palm leaf fans before my throne."

McNeal snorted. Evidently he considered any comment beneath his dignity.

The younger man got to his feet. "Well," he said, "I guess it's time for me to be on my way." He took half a dozen steps toward the door, then turned. "Oh, there's another thing I meant to mention. Jordan raised a cane because my aunt sent him on a couple of errands today. Said he couldn't watch what was going on around the place if he had to keep run-

THE dining room table was set for one. There was fruit on a plate and cereal and a pitcher of cream. The bread was in the toaster, ready to be toasted. The percolator stood on its mat.

But there was no one in sight. Bannister went from the kitchen into the living room. Both were deserted. He started back toward the kitchen when suddenly he heard steps and turned. Juliet France was coming down the stairs.

"Good morning," she said, smiling. She was dressed in one of Kate Hewlett's blue and white house dresses. It was much too large for her and the belt was folded over twice as far as it should have been, yet it was becoming.

"Good morning," Bannister greeted her. "Have you any idea where my aunt is?"

"She went to the market. Everything's ready for your breakfast except the eggs and bacon and I'll cook them right away."

"Oh, please—" Bannister didn't know why he felt that he couldn't have her doing that. "Don't bother," he went on. "There's cereal on the table. I don't need anything else."

"But I promised your aunt," the girl said. "She told me exactly how you like the eggs. I'll have them cooked in just a few minutes—"

She gave him a smile over her shoulder and hurried on to the kitchen.

Five minutes later the platter of eggs and bacon was before him. Across the table the girl poured his coffee, handed the cup to him. There was silence then for several minutes, a silence so heavy that Bannister was compelled to glance up. He saw that the girl's eyes had suddenly become grave. Her hands were clasped together and when she spoke the words came rapidly, earnestly. "Mr. Bannister," she said, "I—I want to ask you to do something."

"This face hurried on," she said. "I want you to stop trying to find out who killed Tracy King." (To Be Continued)

## FIRST MECHANICAL FLIGHT BY MAN MADE JUST THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY BY WRIGHT BROTHERS

By SWANEE TAYLOR  
United Press Aviation Writer  
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Tomorrow marks the 30th anniversary of the first mechanical flight by man.

When Orville Wright fluttered along for a distance of 120 feet over the bleak sand dunes of Kitty Hawk, N. C., on Dec. 17, 1903, he achieved what man had been striving for since before Christopher Columbus sailed on his first voyage West.

This distinction of being first to fly with mechanical assistance came as the result of the toss of a coin. Orville Wright and his brother, Wilbur, after long and heart-breaking experiments with gliders and gasoline engines, finally were ready for the great test on Dec. 14.

Who was to fly the machine?  
Head or Tail

History doesn't tell which one called head or tail. But, Wilbur won the right to make the first flight. He stretched himself face down on the top of the lower wing, speeded up the engine and pulled the release

wire. Due to calm air he was unsuccessful in his attempt. The ship got off the monorail runway, but climbed too steeply and fell. Repairs were made and the soon-to-be historic craft was ready again on Dec. 17. This time it was Orville's turn and he was to become the instrument through which man's efforts for 2,000 years was to be realized.

Definite records prove conclusively that in 232 B. C. Archimedes made the first engineering research which enabled him to propound the law governing the flotation of bodies in liquids and gases. However, there is no proof that he built models or essayed flight. Nor were the Wright Brothers, in their long nights of avid reading, able to find any authoritative record of actual flight until history brought them to the middle of the 15th Century, where they encountered Leonardo da Vinci, who, if anybody, is entitled to the name of Father of Flying.

**Theory of Flight**  
Da Vinci, best known to the world

for his paintings "The Last Supper" and "Mona Lisa," was a great engineer. He particularly was devoted to aerodynamics. For more than half a century he studied the birds, and created formulae that brought about a theory of flight which even now remains unshaken. But, more important to the Wrights, there were priceless drawings of gliders left by da Vinci. He had built many monoplanes gliders, which were flown with success by the more daring of both his art and his engineering pupils. At the time when Christopher Columbus was wondering why sailing vessels sank out of sight in the Mediterranean, glider flights of 400 yards were not unusual. And da Vinci's valedictory statement that man never would accomplish flight until a light, compact power plant had been developed, fired the combined imaginations of Orville and Wilbur Wright.

The two young men from Dayton studied long and thoroughly in preparation for the big day. At first kites were flown and carefully

observed. Then various kites shaped like existing gliders were sent aloft on the end of a string. About that time the people of Dayton were vastly amused in speaking of the two brothers. In fact only their sister, Catherine, kept faith in their undertaking.

**Many Glider Flights**

At the turn of the century, glider flying was a pronounced success. Otto Lilienthal, the German pioneer, after countless flights, already had become the first human sacrifice. P. S. Pilcher was doing considerable gliding in Britain. Octave Chanute was gliding over the sand dunes of Northern Indiana, gathering data for installing power in his machines. Dr. Langley already had attempted power flight and had failed. It was getting to be a pretty desperate race for the honor of being the first man to leave the ground in a machine under its own power, and land at a spot as high as that of the take-off.

Millions of words have been written about that historic day, how Wilbur, 20 minutes later, followed with a longer flight, then Orville with one longer still, until Wilbur's final flight of the day lasted just short of a minute and covered a distance of 852 feet.

Little did the Wright Brothers

know that that day marked the beginning of their really great struggle. To be sure, the press and the public were soon to realize what had been accomplished. But our governmental bureaus did not see into understand, and the bicycle repair men from Dayton went abroad in quest of fame and fortune.

**Received Abroad**

France received them joyously, so did Britain. Germany was worshipping at the feet of Count Zeppelin, but did not turn a cold shoulder on the Americans. It was European countries that gave the Wrights due recognition and reward. A group of men wanted to give all the credit to Dr. Langley, despite the fact that in so doing history would be garbled. This created a storm of controversy. During the wrangling Wilbur Wright succumbed to typhoid, Orville Wright was terribly hard hit by the loss of his brother. So hard hit that he went into semi-retirement, after sending the historic machine to the Scientific Museum at South Kensington, England. And following the death of his sister Catherine, his withdrawal from the American scene was practically complete.

Today, a plan launched by Captain Al Williams, American aviator,

is afoot to prevail upon Orville Wright to allow the historic plane to be brought back to America, where it will be installed in a memorial hangar at Washington built by the school children.

**Abilene Family Has Three Sets of Twins**

ABILENE, Dec. 16.—A majority of the family of 11 children of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams of Abilene are "paired off," figuratively speaking.

A third set of twins in 13 years was born to the Adamses recently. They were named Roy and Troy, six pounds and four and one-half pounds respectively.

The precedent was established 13 years ago when Earl Logan and Pearl Louise were born. Seven years later Benjamin Franklin and Lillie Lou. Now Roy and Troy.

The five other children are J. W., 20, Elsie Lee, 19, Joseph Francis, 16 and Jolly George, 3. One child, Rellie Ed died 10 years ago. Mr. Adams is 58 and his wife 38.

"That's a fine family," the father, an independent trucker, said. "Paid for on delivery, too."

**Believed Dead, Son Is Found in Prison**

DALLAS, Dec. 16.—Officials of a local veterans' welfare association were puzzled today over the question of whether or not an aged indigent mother should be told that her son was in the penitentiary when she already had given him up for dead.

The son, officials said, is in San Quentin prison, California, and, if serves his sentence, will remain there eight more years. The mother probably will not live that long, they said.

Re-entering the army after relatives had obtained a discharge because of his mother's poor health, the soldier disappeared. Fingerprints at the Washington bureau of identification finally helped locate the son serving under another name in the California prison.

The veterans' association here is undecided what to do. Whether knowledge her son lives would make the mother happier or whether it would cause greater unhappiness and hasten her death to know her son is a convict is the problem. The mother is dependent upon charity.

**Wheat Allotment Contracts Accepted**

DALHART, Dec. 16.—Wheat allotment contracts for Hartley county have been accepted by the AAA, according to word received by County Agent E. R. Duke, Channing.

The county's total acreage for the last three-year base period was reported as 99,333. Contracts covered only 88,529 acres, which for the next two years must be reduced 15 per cent.

Under the contracts wheat farmers here expect to receive approximately \$86,008 for 330,800 bushels of wheat.

**MOVIE AT OPERA HOUSE**

PARIS, Dec. 16.—For the first time in its history, the French National Opera house has been used as a movie theater. The occasion was a benefit performance for the charities of the Legion of Honor, and the pre-showing of the film, "Agonie des Algies," was attended by President Lebrun. The gorgeously gowned audience faced the presidential box while the Garde Republicaine band played the national anthem.

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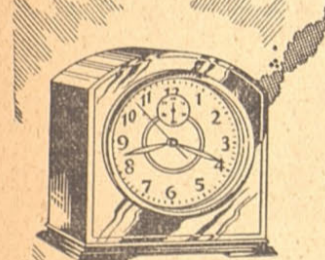


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The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. PHILIP PETTIT, President, J. E. SPENCER, Secretary.

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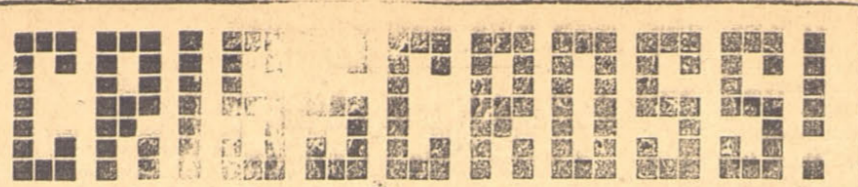
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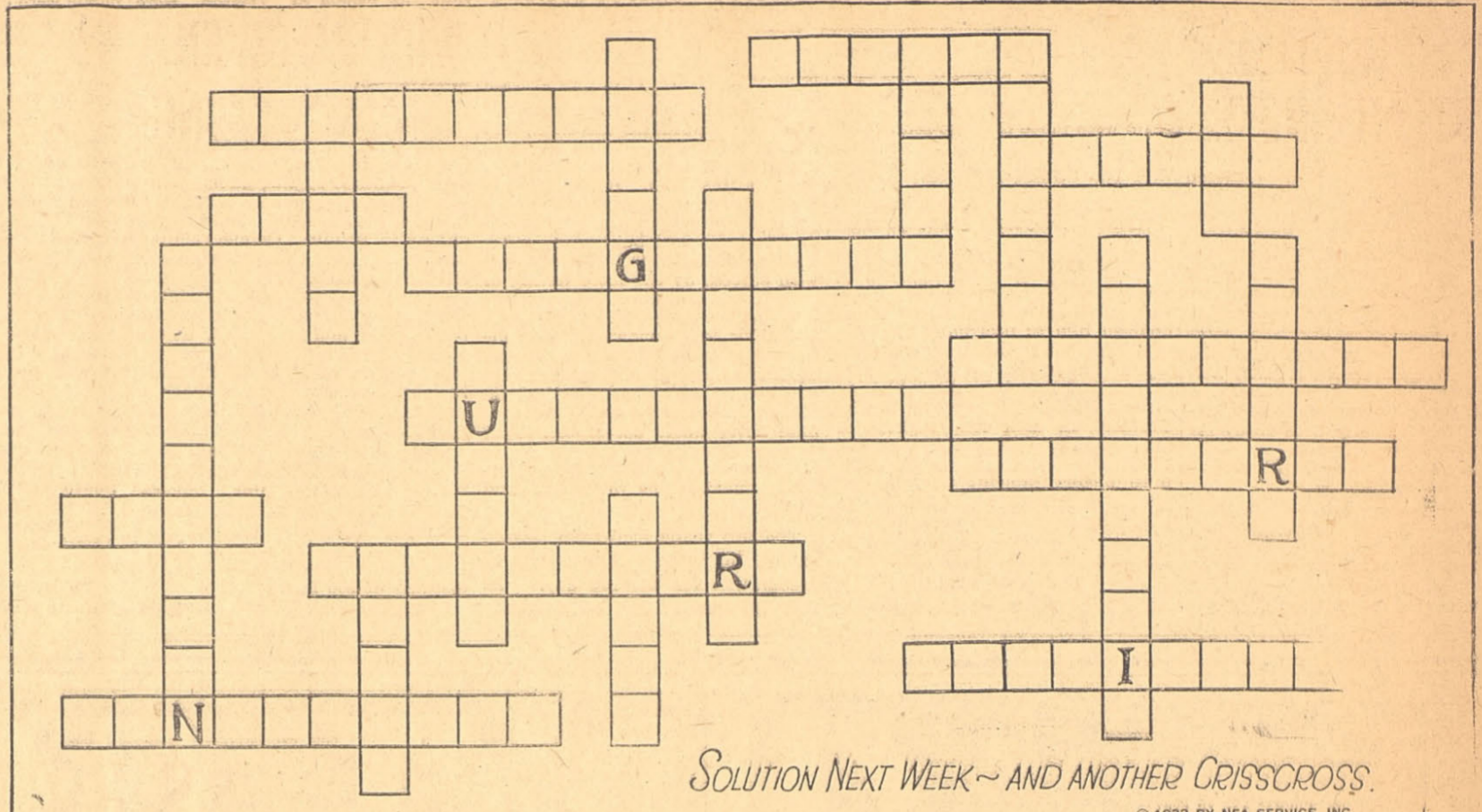
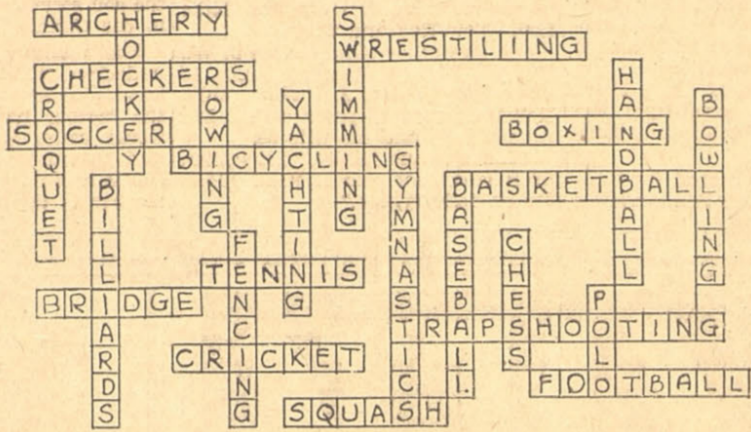
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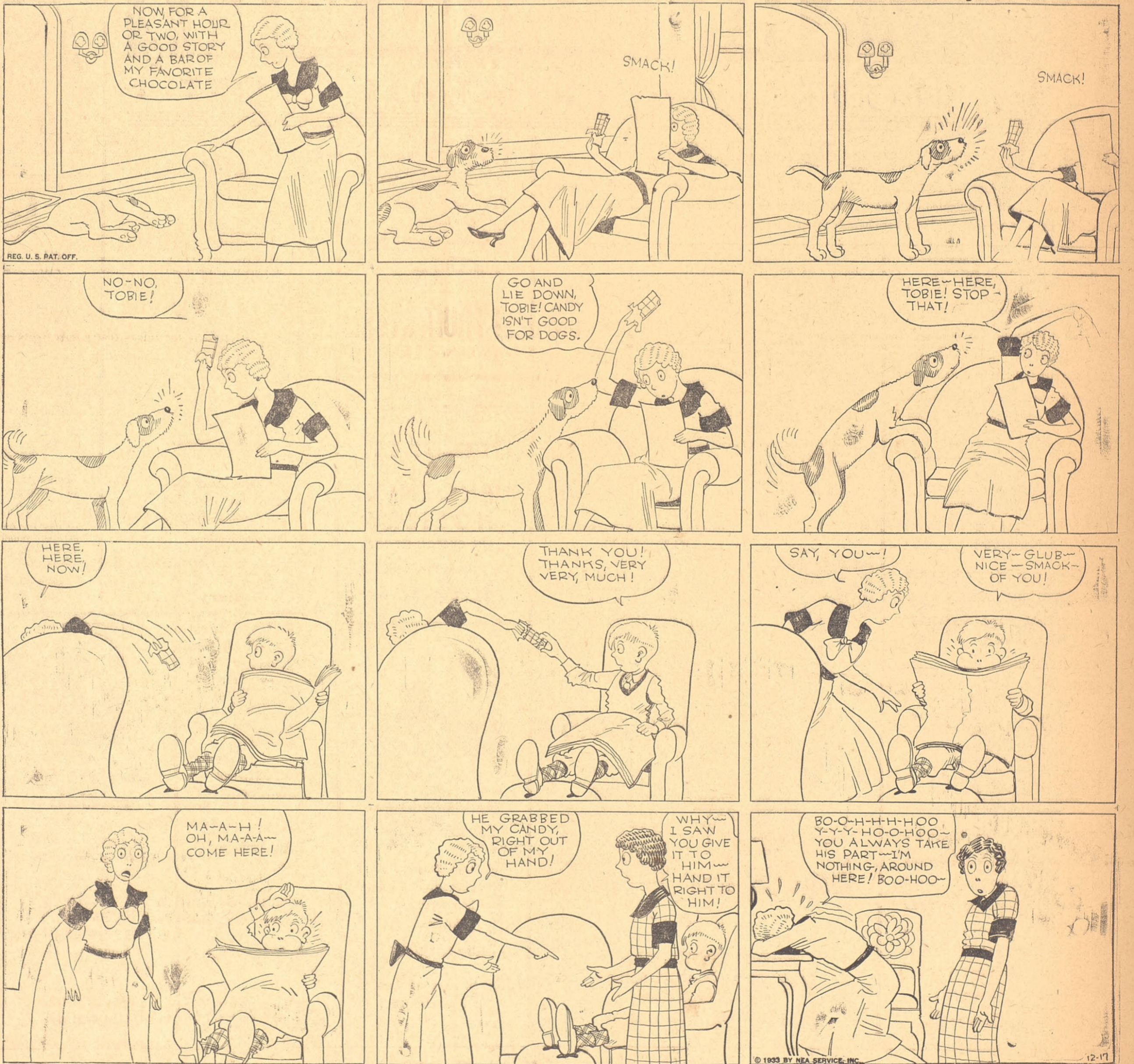
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Out Our Way

By Williams



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### CLUBS REALIZE NICE PROFIT ON "STUNT NIGHT"

From what was termed the best program that has ever been presented at any of the annual "Stunt Night" entertainments of the City Federation of Women's clubs, more than \$60 was cleared Friday evening at the high school auditorium to be applied on the federation's clubhouse debt. Seven organizations presented "stunts" and from beginning to the conclusion of the program the quality of entertainment was much above the standard that has been set by the amateur status.

The prize for first place was taken by the Bluebonnet Trio's "Capers of the Moon". Miss Bess Maxwell's dancing class was given second place and the Krauskopf Orchestra's "I Like Mountain Music" ranked third in the opinions of the judges.

Altman's Style shop and Perry Brothers advertising features divided the award offered in this division of the program. Little Miss Betty June Turner, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Frank L. Turner, appeared for Altman's and little Miss Raynell Godfrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godfrey, appeared for Perry's.

Donor's of Awards

The award for the Merchants' revue, won by these two firms, was donated by West Texas Produce company and the award for the best stunt was donated by the First

National bank, Norvell and Miller, Foxworth Grocery company, Community Natural Gas company, Radford Grocery company and Home Furniture company.

Readings were given by Jimmy Jean Hensley, Mary Louise Woods, and Lillian Faye Seabrook. The Moran Trio and the Ely Sisters sang. B. A. Butler was master of ceremonies.

Presenting stunts besides those named were: Randolph college with a skit in Spanish; The Industrial Arts club with a cowboy scene, "He's Headed for the Last Roundup"; The Music Study club with "Songs of the Century" and the Wednesday Study club with "Those Two Kinds of Women", showing the Florida girl of another generation compared with the modern girl.

The program was arranged by a committee from the city federation headed by Mrs. A. J. Olson as chairman, with Mrs. Hubert Seale, Mrs. H. B. Blalley Mrs. Charles Sander, Mrs. M. B. Van Horn as members. A statement issued in behalf of Mrs. G. B. Kelly, president of the federation, Mrs. Olson and the other members of the committee expressed appreciation for the cooperation that had enabled the program to result in a net profit financially than last year.

The merchants who gave financial assistance and prizes, and all who gave of their time or talent were thanked, as well as those who attended. Cisco's citizenship has always been loyal to home talent, it said. The Daily News was also thanked for the publicity given.

The proceeds will be applied on the final payment on the club house, it was announced. Purchased at an original cost of \$4,000, the women have paid this debt down to \$125 which will be liquidated this year.

Mrs. G. B. Kelly, federation president, won the individual award, a subscription donated by the Daily News, for having sold the most tickets to the program, and the First Industrial Arts club took the club prize for the largest sale.

### The Story of Christmas



When the Wise Men heard the words of the king, they departed; and they saw with exceeding joy that above them the star glowed again and guided them toward the place which they eagerly sought.

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**SANTA CLAUS LETTERS**

Dear Santa Claus:  
I am a small boy, just five years old, and I want a toy automobile, a drum, a horn and some fireworks. I have a little brother who is three years old. He wants a doll, a baby plate and a tricycle. We will not ask for anything else. We want the other little children to get some toys, too.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to extend to every one of our many friends who were so kind to use in our bereavement with the loss of our wife and mother; and to all those who expressed their sympathy through floral offerings or in any way sought to give comfort or acknowledge our deep appreciation.

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### RANDOLPH NEWS

Friday afternoon the Faculty club had a Christmas party in the girls' dormitory. The entertaining rooms were gay with Christmas decorations and a large Christmas tree. Christmas games were played, and there were presents for each of the guests. Refreshments of coffee and cherry-peach cake were served, and dainty favors of green candle holders and red candles of candy and Santa Claus favors were given to each of the guests. Those present were Mrs. David F. Tyndall, Mrs. E. Buford Isaacks, Mrs. H. R. Garrett, Mrs. W. F. Bruce, Mrs. Lec Clark, Mrs. Mary Thomson, Miss Effie King and Miss Nina A. Watts.

Tuesday evening the boys of Bivins hall were hosts to the First Christian church Sunday school class of H. R. Garrett and the senior Christian Endeavor in the drawing room of Bivins hall. Several games led by Howard Martin and Grover Harrison were played after which the group popped pop-corn and made popcorn balls. After this Almon and Howard Martin and Vernon Van Fleet entertained the group with guitar music and singing. Those present were H. R. Garrett, Grover Harrison, Forest Bailey, Almon Martin, Howard Martin, Vernon Van Fleet, Leo Pitts, Harold Sharpe, Eugene Lanford, Marion Bruce, Francis Bruce, Lonnie Shockley, Elmer Burgess, Dick Gardiner, Foy Hill, Exal McMillan, and Mrs. Mary Thomson, and Misses Nadine Sherwin, Margaret Lyda, Ethel Mae Wilson, Clara Belle Burkes, Mary Wilson, Doris Powell, Dorothy Hampton, Vivian Cook, Juanita Cook Margaret Anne Coggswell, Charles Ella Hamlett, Mignon Clark, Hortez Tyndall, Rita Troxwell, Rubye Vaughn, Margie Lankester Louise Masters, Ori Mae Horn, and Elizabeth Masters.

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### Roosevelt Helps Her to Get Well

Catherine Murphy, 9, is going to get well—and the President himself is seeing to it! An infantile paralysis victim, Catherine is shown as she left her Worcester, Mass., home for the Georgia Warm Springs foundation for treatment. President Roosevelt made the arrangements.

**CLOSING TIME FOR MAILS**

Waco and Stamford train No. 36 (S. Bound) 3:30 p. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 2 (E. Bound) 10:40 a. m.  
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Waco and Stamford Train No. 36 (N. Bound) 10:40 a. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 4 (E. Bound) 3:30 p. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 1 (W. Bound) 4 p. m.  
All night mails close at 9 p. m. with exception of Sunday when night mails close at 6:45 p. m.

### XMAS CANTATA WILL BE GIVEN THIS EVENING

The Cisco Community Choral club will present its annual Christmas cantata at the First Baptist church auditorium this evening at 7:30.

The cantata "The Babe of Bethlehem," is directed by Mrs. W. B. Statham, with Mrs. S. E. Hittson, accompanist.

Admission will be without charge. The program is in two parts, of which the cantata presentation forms the second.

The first begins with the singing of the professional followed by a hymn by the congregation. Dr. David Tyndall, pastor of the First Christian church, will read the Scripture and Dr. J. Stuart Pearce, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will pronounce the invocation.

Mrs. C. Q. Smith will read "The Other Wise Man," by Henry Van Dyke, and after the reading Misses Jewel and Madeline Ely will present the offertory number.

The program for the cantata is: Pastoral—"Through the Night," Mrs. S. E. Hittson and chorus. Soprano Solo—"And the Angel Said Unto Them," Mrs. P. L. Ullom. Chorus—"Glory to God in the Highest." Baritone Solo—"Now When Jesus Was Born," Marion Bruce. Chorus for Men's Voices—"Far Across the Desert Sands." Soprano Solo—"And Lo, the Star," Marion Chambliss. Carol for Mixed Voices—"O'er Bethlehem City." Tenor Solo—"And They Came With Haste," S. E. Hittson. Alto Solo—"And They Fell Down and Worshipped Him," Ella Andrus. Solo and Trio—"Gifts for Lord Jesus," Mrs. Roy Hoffmeyer, Miss Ella Andrus, and Mrs. Chas. Brown. Tenor Solo—"And Being Warned of God," Rigdon Edwards. Chorus, Men's Voices—"Princes Three, Their Mission Done." Chorus—"Once Again the Bells Are Ringing."

The benediction by the Rev. E. S. James, pastor of the First Baptist church, will conclude the program.

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Wilson Bros. Pajamas . . \$1.95 to \$7.50  
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Gloves . . . . . \$1.00 to \$2.50  
Linen Handkerchiefs . . 25c to 85c  
Belts Sets . . . \$1.00 to \$1.95  
Flannel Robes . . \$4.95 to \$9.85  
Silk Robes . . . \$4.95 to \$9.85  
Gladstone Cases . . . \$9.45 to \$22.50  
Fitted Kits . . . \$1.95 to \$6.50  
Leather Jackets . . . \$5.85 to \$11.85  
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Novelty Gifts . . . 25c to \$1.95

We have a large assortment of Ladies Undersilks, Negligees, etc., . . . also fitted luggage for the lady.

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"The Man's Store"

### ABOUT \$100 IS REALIZED FROM CHARITY SHOW

The Cisco Elks lodge cleared about \$100 from its annual Christmas Charity show at the Palace theater Friday, it was estimated by lodge officials. Response to the show, which ran from 12 noon to midnight, featuring Richard Barthelmess in "Heroes for Sale" was good. Tickets sold at 25 cents instead of the usual 50 cents charged for previous Elks shows.

The theater was furnished by the lodge by Manager K. N. Greer. To supplement the funds derived from the show, the lodge is preparing an "Indoor Circus" to be staged in the building formerly occupied by the Hupmobile agency on D Avenue.

Proceeds are to be used in purchasing Christmas baskets of food for poor people.

### Decorator Opens Fruit Store Here

The decorator knows how to decorate his own business as demonstrated by James Haynie who has just opened the Oil Belt Fruit store, in the Laguna hotel block on D Avenue, to do a retail and wholesale fruit business in connection with his decorating business.

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# About Cisco Today

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### CO-HOSTESSES AT CIRCLE MEETING.

Mrs. George Winston and Mrs. Chas. Coffee were co-hostesses at a meeting of Circle 2 of the Methodist Missionary society in the home of Mrs. Winston on West Twelfth street. Mrs. P. Pettit led the devotional, and Mrs. John Brown led in prayer. Christmas carols were sung by Misses Faye and Lucile Clark, accompanied by Miss Betty Eida Clark. Mrs. J. P. Mason told a Christmas story. Billy Dawkins gave selections on a French harp, and Miss Marian Jacobs gave two vocal numbers. Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, fruit cake, and coffee were served.

Present were Mesdames M. A. Northup, Hattie Fairless, J. M. Lane, O. C. Lomax, John Brown, E. E. Morehart, Wyatt Jacobs, Dawkins, Frank Reed, J. P. Mason, Misses Faye, Lucile and Betty Eida Clark, Miss Marian Jacobs, Billy Dawkins and Mrs. M. S. Doss of Seminole.

### BLANCH ROSE WALKER CIRCLE MEETS.

Mrs. R. D. Jones was hostess to the Blanch Rose Walker circle of the Baptist W. M. S. at a meeting on Tuesday afternoon in her home on West Thirteenth street. Mrs. R. B. Kinsey led the devotional. Mrs. Walter Webb presided in the absence of the chairman. The circle voted to have a Christmas tree at its next meeting. Mrs. E. C. Duncan taught the lesson on the life of Ruth. The life of Esther will be studied at the next meeting which will be at the home of Mrs. Clyde Bailey.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Clyde Bailey, E. C. Mc-Cle-

land, E. C. Duncan, Walter Webb, R. B. Kinsey, G. T. Huddleston, and the hostess.

### MRS. JONES CIRCLE HOSTESS.

The B. L. Lockett circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met on Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. B. F. Jones, with Mrs. A. N. Crownover presiding. The meeting was opened with a prayer. Members voted to have a Christmas party next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. N. Crownover. Mrs. O. L. Mason taught the lesson from the fourth chapter of Acts.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to Mesdames A. N. Crownover, O. L. Mason, Dora Kennedy, G. P. Poe, E. J. Poe, members, Mrs. C. R. Page, a new member, and Mrs. O. Cunningham, a visitor.

### CHRISTMAS BOXES TO BE ASSEMBLED TUESDAY.

Members of Circle 1 of the Presbyterian auxiliary are requested to bring their Christmas boxes for the Orphans home and Pres-Mex to the home of Mrs. E. P. Crawford on Tuesday.

### 20TH CENTURY CLUB HAS SESSION.

A very interesting program, under the direction of Mrs. G. B. Kelly as leader, was presented at the regular club on Friday afternoon. Mrs. E. P. Crawford was hostess for the afternoon. The program was on "Gorgia," a novel by Zona Gale. Mrs. Alfred Irby read a paper on "Is Borgia a Good Study of American Life?" A paper, giving a portrayal of each major character in the book, was read by Mrs. C. Q. Smith. Mrs. J. R. Burnett discussed the question, "Can You Fit the Story to Any Particular Section of the Country?" This was followed by

a round table discussion. During the business period, it was voted to combine the December 29th meeting and the January 12th meeting into one program on January 12.

Those attending were Mesdames Chas. Brown, J. R. Burnett, J. B. Cate, E. P. Crawford, S. E. Hittson, C. C. Jones, G. B. Kelly, J. C. Mc-Afee, P. Pettit, Wm. Reagan, H. Eale, P. P. Shepard, Homer Slicker, C. Q. Smith, A. Spears, J. E. Spencer, C. R. West and Alfred Irby.

### MRS. MOORE ENTERTAINS CLUB.

Entertaining to honor members of the Entre Nous bridge club, Mrs. Rex Moore was hostess at a lovely party on Friday afternoon at her home on H avenue. A lighted Christmas tree, glistening with tinsel, was a preeminent feature of the house decorations, suggesting the Christmas theme which was effectively used in every detail of party appointment. In the games, Mrs. L. C. Moore won high score for guests, Mrs. E. L. Smith received the high for club members, and Mrs. George Adkins was presented the cut prize. The Christmas idea was further emphasized in the refreshment course served at tea time.

Members and guests present were Mesdames D. Ball, Vance Littleton, W. P. Thompson, Sam Kimmel, L. C. Moore, J. B. Pratt, W. J. Armstrong, F. J. Borman, E. L. Smith, Raby Miller, George Adkins, and K. N. Greer.

### CHARLES CUNNINGHAM CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

Honoring Charles Cunningham on his third birthday, his aunt, Mrs. John Kleiner entertained a number of his little friends and members of the cradle roll and primary department of the Presbyterian church with a party on Friday afternoon at her home, 511 West First street. Party games were played both indoors and out of doors. Christmas colors and a prettily decorated lighted Christmas tree were used in an attractive way in decorations. Following the games, the lovely birthday cake was cut and served with hot

### CALENDAR Monday

The West Ward P.-T. A. will meet Monday afternoon at 2:45 at the West Ward school building.

### Tuesday

The Cisco Chapter O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Masonic hall.

The Viola Humphries circle of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. D. Franklin.

The B. L. Lockett circle of the Baptist W. M. S. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. N. Crownover.

### Thursday

The First Industrial Arts club will have a Christmas party Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. D. Bark-croft on West Ninth street, with Mrs. A. J. Olson co-hostesses.

Miss Titia Bell Simmons will be hostess to the — 8 bridge club Thursday evening at her home on West Eighth street.

chocolate. The many nice gifts received by the honoree were opened. Green and red stockings containing pop corn and toys were distributed from the tree to the little guests.

Present were Joann Barman, Barbara Cotton, Mildred Louise Jordan, Jerry Jean Jordan, Laura Lou Morris, Mildred Clark, Charles Kleiner, Jr., Mary Louise Kleiner, Billy Jean Bolinger, Bobby Joan Bolinger, and the honoree, Charles Cunningham.

### S. S. CLASS HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Complimenting members of the Fidelis Matron class of the First Baptist Sunday school, Mrs. A. L. Filler and Mrs. E. J. Clements entertained with a Christmas party on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Filler. Entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion. Many games were played after which gifts were distributed from a Christmas tree. Delicious refreshments of baked apples topped with green tinted whipped cream, Cookies and coffee were served.

### MISS ARMSTRONG TO SPEND HOLIDAYS IN CISCO.

Miss Jourdine Armstrong, Texas Christian university sophomore, of this city, plans to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, according to word received here from the university.

Classes will be dismissed for the holiday period Wednesday, Dec. 20, and will be resumed January 2.

Miss Armstrong graduated from Cisco high school in 1931. She is majoring in public speaking at the university. Both years at T. C. U. she has been a member of the Woman's Athletic association, the Y. W. C. A. and the Outcast club.

### CITY FEDERATION MEETS.

The City Federation of Women's clubs met for its regular monthly session at the clubhouse, with Mrs. G. B. Kelly presiding. After the roll call, minutes were read and various reports were given. Fleming Waters, county sanitary supervisor under the direction of the state health department, gave a talk. Mrs. Meredith of Moran gave a lecture in connection with the group of television pictures which were on display. These pictures are a part of the state loan art exhibit sent out by Mrs. Van Sickle of Alpine, state art chairman. Other numbers on the program included a vocal solo by Miss Lois Gant Meredith, a piano solo by Miss Eloise Norred, two numbers by a quartet composed of Misses Velma Brooks, Lola Brooks, Emma Rose Stranet, and Lois Gant Meredith. Miss Enid Gwathney and Mrs. J. P. Smith of the Cross Plains Study club were visitors at the meeting.

### W. O. W. CIRCLE MEETS.

The regular meeting of Cisco Grove 356 was held on Friday afternoon at the W. O. W. hall. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Iva Harper, who presided in the

absence of Mrs. Maud Wisdom. Minutes of the previous meeting were read. Plans for a Christmas party were made. A letter from Mrs. Mary E. LaRocca, national president, recommending Mrs. E. S. Bond as reporter for next year, was read, and Mrs. Bond was elected unanimously. Talks for the good of the order were made by several of the members. Mrs. E. O. Hendricks made a report on visits to other circles.

Those attending were Mesdames Iva Harper, E. O. Hendricks, E. Mayhew, R. D. Jones, E. S. Bond, and Ida Mae Tune.

### JUNIOR CIRCLE HAS SESSION.

On Friday afternoon, the Junior Circle, auxiliary to Grove 356, met at the W. O. W. hall. Miss Lucile Harper called the meeting to order. Plans were completed for a Christmas party to be held Friday evening. Plans were also made for the sending of a gift box to the Orphan's home at Sherman. An election of officers will be held in January, it has been announced. A talk was given by the Junior Supervisor, Mrs. E. S. Bond, in which she outlined work to be done during the coming year. Birthday honors were given to Laverne Dill, Velma Smith, and W. H. Robinson.

Present were Lucile Harper, Lena Culbert, Velma Smith, Patsy Gray, Norma Jones, W. H. Robinson, Sarah Mayhew, Howard Mayhew, and Robert Kirschner.

### J. O. Y. CLASS PLANS CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Plans for a Christmas party were made at the regular monthly meeting of the J. O. Y. Sunday school class at the First Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon. A definite date for the party will be set at the Sunday morning session of the class. Officers were elected for the next six months as follows: Mrs. Ray Juda, president; Mrs. Mabel Swindle, first vice-president; Mrs. H. Brandon, second vice-president; Miss Ora Howell, third vice-president; Mrs. J. Warren, secretary; and Mrs. Opal Yeager, historian-reporter. Refreshments of chicken sandwiches and coffee prepared by Mrs. J. E. Shirley and Mrs. Clyde Gouglighly, were served at the close of the business period.

Those attending were Miss Mattie Davidson, Mrs. Mabel Swindle, Mrs. H. G. Huddleston, Mrs. J. L. Thornton, Mrs. J. E. Shirley, Mrs. Opal Yeager, Mrs. J. R. Burnett, Mrs. J. Warren, and a guest, Miss Christene Walters.

### HUMBLE CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Humble bridge club members enjoyed their annual Christmas party on Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. M. M. Tabor entertained for the club in her home. Green and red festooning, wreaths, and other seasonal emblems were used artistically in decorations for the entertaining suite. Gifts were exchanged from a beautifully ornamented Christmas tree. Mrs. W. W. Wallace won high score in the games, and Mrs. R. B. Bond presented the low score award. The Christmas theme was reflected in the dainty salads and sweets served at the refreshment hour.

Present were Mesdames J. R. Henderson, H. E. McGowen, W. C. McDaniel, Pete Booth, R. B. Carswell, F. D. McMahon, I. J. Henson, W. B. Herr, W. W. Wallace, Jack Jones, and the hostess.

### M. E. CIRCLE MEETINGS POSTPONED.

There will be no meetings of the circles of the Missionary society of the First Methodist church next Tuesday it was announced Saturday.

### Personal Mention

Mrs. S. B. Wright and Mrs. O. P. Crimm were visitors in Coleman Friday.

Miss Marguerite Legate of Fort Worth is the week-end guest of Rev. and Mrs. Frank L. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Miles of Levita are visiting Mrs. L. A. Warren.

Mrs. Rex Moore, Mrs. C. B. Powell, and Mrs. O. W. Shepherd were visitors in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

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