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Three Racketeers Slain In Gun Battle With Police Negro Houseman Confesses Killing Family Of Three

Curses Of Young Boy Said Reason For Axe Slaying

Blood Stained Overcoat Of Victim Causes Black To Admit Brutal Murder Of Doctor, Wife And Youth

Abuse Is Claimed

Confessed Killer Employed One Week Before He 'Got Mad' On Christmas Eve; Marries After Tragedy

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 27. (AP)—Confronted with the blood stained overcoat of one of his victims, Theodore Harris, 23, negro houseman, today confessed he killed Dr. Barclay J. Jones, his wife and their nephew at their home here Christmas Eve.

The man's confession was made less than 12 hours after he was taken into custody for questioning. At first he denied knowledge of the slayings, but when confronted with the overcoat and watch found in the house of his wife whom he married yesterday, he admitted slaying the trio "because I got mad."

Employed Week
He had been employed by the physician for about a week as a houseman. He told police he and the boy George Lane, Jr., 13, were playing in the cellar about 4 o'clock the day before Christmas making toy airplanes, and the boy became abusive.

"He cursed me and called me a negro," Harris said, "and I got mad. The boy was kneeling on the floor holding an airplane and I picked up a pipe and hit him over the head then finished him off with an axe."

After killing the boy, Harris told officers, he went upstairs where Mrs. Jones was dressing.

"She ran for the phone," the negro said, "and I knocked it down."

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Identity Of Body Puzzles Officers

Two Possible Theories Are Advanced In Finding Of White Man's Remains In West Texas Cave

ALPINE, Dec. 27. (AP)—Identity of the white man whose body was found in a lonely cave near Lajitas, 100 miles south of here, several days ago, puzzled authorities today as two possible theories were advanced.

From Corpus Christi came reports that it was believed possible the body was that of H. Baker, former Texas Ranger and Canadian Mounted Policeman, who disappeared Sept. 26. This body was found upon the finding of a Corpus Christi newspaper near the body.

Cave Offered
R. L. McClamant, resident of the lower El Paso valley, suggested that it was the body of B. B. Work, member of a surveying party who disappeared near here 15 years ago. The laundry marks "B.B.W." were found on the remnants of clothes.

A troop of cavalry searched through the hills near Lajitas for Work but he was never found.

Mexicans reported, after viewing the remains, that the man had been in the village several years before.

IN STRANGE OFFICE Nation's Affairs Conducted Out Of White House

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—While the exception of the few interviews with the president of the United States have been out of Washington for summer vacations, the affairs of the nation for the first time since the Madison administration were conducted today from a building other than the White House.

A number of presidents have lived in houses in Washington other than the White House but none has done his official work elsewhere than at the executive offices.

CHARGED WITH MURDER VAN BUREN, Ark. Dec. 27. (AP)—Layton Smith, 21, was arrested and charged with murder today in connection with the death of Elbert Cross, young farmer, whose charred body was found in the ruins of his home after a fire on the night of December 16.

Changes Mind



It is a woman's right to change her mind, and Helen Lee Worthington, actress, has exercised it. She filed suit for annulment against her husband Dr. Eugene C. Nelson of Los Angeles, and then a few days later—decided to return to him.

To Draft By-Laws
For Proposed New
Farm Corporation

Begin Work On Final Draft Of Gigantic \$30,000,000 Co-Operative Marketing Machine In U. S.

BY FRANK L. WELLS
Associated Press Staff Writer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The final draft of a charter and by-laws for the \$30,000,000 corporation—fourth of the Federal Farm Board's gigantic machine for co-operative marketing—was begun today at the board's headquarters.

The sub-committee of the national organization committee started work after a short conference with Carl Williams, the board member representing cotton. A week or 10 days is expected to be required before the draft is completed.

To Move Cautiously.
S. L. Morley of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, chairman of the sub-committee, said it would move cautiously to assure that no legal technicality was overlooked in the draft that is to be presented to the board for approval and subsequently submitted to the national organization committee in Memphis, Tenn.

"We feel sure," he said, "that out way is clear, that there will be complete harmony between the board and the cooperatives which are to become members of the corporation and that a national marketing agency for cotton will be set up, but functioning in time to handle the 1930 crop."

Expansion Plans Told By Santa Fe

GALVESTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—A program of expansion by the Gulf Colorado and Santa Fe railroad in 1930, involving expenditures of more than \$200,000,000, was announced by W. B. Storey, president of the Santa Fe system and made public today by Frank G. Pettibone, vice-president and general manager.

The expansion program will be in line with the recommendations of President Hoover for the stabilization of business and industry and the maintenance of national prosperity, Pettibone said.

Expenditures as announced by Mr. Storey are as follows: Additions and betterments \$22,000,000; new rolling stock \$18,700,000; lines being built, \$3,000,000; lines contemplated, \$5,000,000; property maintenance, \$55,000,000; property operation, \$82,000,000; taxes, \$21,400,000; interest, \$12,800,000; dividends, \$30,371,570, making a total of \$280,480,130.

ESCAPE FROM MINE BECKLEY, W. Va., Dec. 27. (AP)—Twelve miners escaped safely from the Stokely mine of the C. C. B. Smokeless Coal company, eight miles from here, two hours after a local explosion in one entry. Two engineers were unaccounted for, but officials believed they were in another section at the time of the blast.

Intensive Earth Tremors Felt In Oklahoma Friday

Residents Run From Homes In Alarm When Series Of Shocks Occur Late Friday Afternoon Over State

One Fire Results

Friction Of Wires Blamed In Blaze At El Reno As Quakes Rattle Windows; Damage Light

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 27. (AP)—Earth tremors of sufficient intensity to cause persons to run from their homes in alarm occurred at 6:45 o'clock tonight at El Reno, Union City and Oklahoma City. So far as could be ascertained immediately, no damage was done. The three cities are not more than 40 miles distant from each other. Residents of these communities reported that tremors had been felt 12 or 15 years ago.

The shock, it was learned later, also was felt in Tulsa, where windows and dishes were rattled. Slight tremors were felt at Elk City, Geary, Bridgeport and Weatherford.

Two distinct shocks were felt both at El Reno and Oklahoma City. At El Reno fire broke out simultaneously in a theatre but was extinguished immediately. A cursory investigation was reported to indicate that it was caused by friction of lighting wires, incident to the vibration. Telephone operators hurried in fear from the building in which they worked. At Hukon, near by, buildings were shaken.

The windows of homes were rattled in the western section of Oklahoma City. At Union City the shock was pronounced.

It was recalled that 100 shocks were felt somewhat more than a decade ago, one of which cracked the rear wall of the Union bank.

Hoovers Entertain Rubio At Banquet

Event High Spot Of Honors Paid President-Elect Of Mexico; Visits Tomb Of Unknown Soldier

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—President and Mrs. Hoover entertained at a state dinner in the White House tonight for Pascual Ortiz Rubio, president-elect of Mexico, and Senora de Ortiz Rubio.

The guests included seven cabinet members.

The event was the high point of honors paid the future chief executive of his country since his arrival yesterday. It closed a day in which he placed Roman wreaths of orchids on the tombs of George Washington and the Unknown Soldier, luncheon as the guest of Secretary and Mrs. Stimson, and exchanged calls with Vice-President Charles Curtis. Full military honors were accorded. He was heralded at Arlington cemetery by an artillery salute of 21 guns, a presidential honor which was accorded him again as he left the grounds and shortly after he inspected a troop of cavalry at Fort Myer.

The president-elect lingered at Mount Vernon longer than the scheduled time, listening to the explanations given him by Colonel H. H. Dodge, superintendent of the memorial.

TWO MEN KILLED WAUKESHA, Wis., Dec. 27. (AP)—Two men were killed and a third was injured seriously in an acetylene tank explosion which shook this city today. Windows for miles around were shattered.

Ape Taint In Ancestry Of Man Wiped Out In Talk By Scientist; Origin Put 50 Million Years Ago

BY HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
Science Editor, Associated Press
Feature Service.

DES MOINES, Dec. 27. (AP)—Much of the theoretical ape taint in the ancestry of man was declared to be wiped out in an address before the American Association for the Advancement of Science tonight by its president, Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn of New York.

He put man's origin back 50,000,000 years, all free from crossing with the ape family.

Believes in Evolution.
"I believe in the evolution of man," he said, "but I do not

Kip Rhinelander Granted Divorce From Negro Wife

Decree On Wealthy New York Scion Not Contested

By Associated Press
LAS VEGAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Leonard Kip Rhinelander, scion of a wealthy New York family, was granted a divorce decree by the district court here today from his octaroon wife, Mrs. Alice Jones Rhinelander.

The divorce was not contested. Mrs. Rhinelander was not represented in court. Harlow A. Harmon, personal counsel for Rhinelander, was the only attorney to appear at the brief hearing. Rhinelander was present when the decree was granted, but had no comment to make, other than to say he intended to continue his residence in Las Vegas.

Presence Unknown
Rhinelander came here a year ago, living for some time before his present home was discovered and his purpose of establishing residence to divorce the former Alice Jones, daughter of a New Rochelle, N. Y., newspaperman was revealed.

The complaint cited that Rhinelander, under attack from his wife and articles taken advantage of his youth and inexperience, and so dominated her that he was induced to leave his family, until they became estranged from him, causing him great mental distress and humiliation. The document further cited that the facts and conduct of the defendant had endangered Rhinelander's life and mentality, and his life was endangered to further live with her.

REWARD OFFERED
Destruction Of Property Brings Warning

Following reports in several sections of the city of destruction of city property such as street lights and globes, Chief of Police John Leonard last night stated that a reward of \$25 will be paid anyone reporting such depredations with subsequent conviction.

"We have had some trouble in sections of the city and it must be stopped. For this willful destruction of city property anyone found guilty will be punished to the full extent of the law," said Chief Leonard.

TUNNEY WINS VICTORY Retired Champion Awarded Decision Of Court

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 27. (AP)—James J. (Gene) Tunney, who retired in 1928 as heavyweight boxing champion of the world, won a court victory here today. The \$500,000 suit brought against him by Mrs. Katherine King Fogarty, divorcee, charging him with breach of promise was decided in his favor in a brief session before Judge Carl Foster, ending a legal action which had been in court since last May.

Jim Will Sharpen "Political Wits"

DALLAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—James E. Ferguson, whose political acumen gained for him twice and for his wife once the position of governor of Texas, came to what he termed the "city of lams" today to "sharpen his political wits."

He denied he planned to seek a senatorship; said he was not fully decided as to whether he would run for governor; and promised that in the event he decided to run, he formally would announce his candidacy by January 12.

Ferguson referred to Dallas as the "city of lams" because "there are more fanatics and patriots to the square inch in Dallas than any place else in the world."

TO EXERCISE OPTION Union Gas Company May Buy Magnolia Holdings

DALLAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Dallas Times Herald said today it had learned the United Gas company of Houston would exercise its option upon the holdings of the Magnolia Gas company in the "very near future" in a transaction involving approximately \$50,000,000.

No confirmation could be obtained. Fred M. Legge, Jr., president of the Magnolia company, referred queries to O. R. Seagraves of Houston, president of the United Gas company, and Seagraves was not at Houston.

INHERITS \$33,000 Former Texas News Editor Left Property

AUSTIN, Dec. 27. (AP)—M. H. (Steve) Stevenson, erstwhile telegraph editor for the Austin American, and at various times in the editorial department of a number of Texas newspapers, has inherited from his 80-year-old grandfather, property worth about \$33,000.

Stevenson now is employed on the day side of a news service in its New York office. He learned of his grandfather's death as a dispatch from Reynoldsville, Pa., came to him telling that M. M. Davis, an attorney there, had died. Davis is the father of Mrs. J. W. Stevenson, of Victoria, and a grandfather of Stevenson Stevenson.

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KIP RHINELANDER

North Silent On Fate Of Missing Arctic Aviators

Six Canadian Fliers Are Preparing Cabin Planes For Hop Across To Nome—Temperature 30 Below

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec. 27. (AP)—While the north was silent today concerning the search for Carl Eielson and Earl Borland, Alaska airmen last between Teller and North Cape, Siberia, since November 9, six Canadian fliers were assembling their three Fairchild cabin planes for the hop across 400 miles of waste land to Nome.

With the temperature between 20 and 30 degrees below zero, Capt. Pat Reid worked with his pilots and mechanics from the moment the fliers ships were lifted from the flat cars upon arrival here late yesterday.

As the fliers prepared their ships, replacing wings taken off for shipment and turning powerful motors, Capt. H. A. Oakes was preparing supplies and equipment for the expedition when it leaves here today.

Captain Reid will take command of the expedition when it leaves here today. He is said to be the Canadian who will probably take the air for Nome and then Teller by Sunday.

At the airport here prepared to join Eielson's companions at Teller and later at the Nanuk, fur trading vessel frozen in the ice at North Cape, Siberia, nothing had been heard from Joe Crosson or Harold Connam at the vessel, or Frank Holm and Ed. Young at Teller.

NO HOLIDAY HERE "Hello Girls" Busier With Rush Of Holidays

While the majority of Lubbock citizens are enjoying the holidays in quietude, one group is kept busier than ever before.

Local Christmas greetings went singing over the wires thick and fast while long distance calls were greatly increased, according to reports last night from the local telephone office.

Several additional "hello girls" were added during the two days rush of greetings and others are also to be added on New Year's Day when greetings again are expected to be sent city-wide, state-wide and nation-wide.

SEAFLANE WRECKED ATHENS, Greece, Dec. 27. (AP)—An Italian postal seaplane, with a crew of five was wrecked today near the small island of St. Eustratios off the Turkish coast in the Aegean.

The Greek cruiser Helle failed to find a trace of the machine or its crew. The sea was rough, and the wind high at the time of the accident. The Italian mail company has dispatched several planes to aid in the search.

Ku Klux Klan Is Injected In 1930 Alabama Politics

Official Proclamation Is Published Urging Klansmen To Resist Discipline For Bolting Democrats

Heflin Is Praised

"Political Freedom" Aim Of Article; Resolution Barring Candidates Is Denounced In Statement

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 27. (AP)—The Ku Klux Klan, a powerful political factor in Alabama, was injected into active state politics by the publication here tomorrow of what was purported to be an official proclamation to Klansmen urging them to resist discipline for bolting the democratic ticket in 1928 because of the nomination of Alfred E. Smith.

The proclamation praised United States Senator J. Thomas Heflin seeking reelection, and Hugh A. Locke, gubernatorial candidate, who were barred from the forthcoming democratic primaries by the state executive committee for support they gave President Hoover. The senator and Locke were declared to be "noble, clean, patriotic and intelligent citizens who are being discriminated against because they exercised their political freedom."

To Run As Independents
Barred from the democratic primary, both Heflin and Locke have said they will be independent candidates in the November general election. In the opinion of political observers here, it was to their support in that election that Klansmen were rallied.

The resolution adopted by the executive committee barring Heflin and Locke as candidates in the primary was scathingly denounced by the proclamation as unconstitutional.

Other things said to have been stolen at the store were 30 men's shirts, 44 neck ties, a bunch board eight pocket knives, 30 bottles of extract, six cartons of cigarettes, six boxes of candy, one six-shooter pistol and a watch.

Release Crawford Under \$1,000 Bond

Lubbock Man Gives Self Up On Indictment Charging Forgery; S. M. Wilson, Jr., Also Out On Bond

B. W. Crawford, of Lubbock, was released late yesterday afternoon from custody of county officials on \$1,000 bond.

Crawford is under grand jury indictment for forgery and passing a forged instrument. He was taken into custody yesterday afternoon when he came into the sheriff's office and gave himself up, hearing that a warrant had been issued for his arrest.

S. M. Wilson, Jr., also was released yesterday on \$1,000 bond. He is likewise charged with forgery and passing a forged instrument.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN Holidays End For Public Schools On Tuesday

The Lubbock public schools, which closed on Friday, December 20, for the Christmas holidays, will resume work on Tuesday, December 31, according to an announcement last night by Superintendent M. H. Duncan.

Registration for the winter term at Texas Technological college will start on Thursday, January 2, and regular classes will be started the following Monday.

Bessie Love Weds California Broker

(By Associated Press)
HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Dec. 27. (AP)—Wedding bells rang tonight for one of cineland's most popular actresses, Bessie Love, a Texas girl and William Hawks, Beverly Hills stock broker.

The marriage of Miss Love, one of the few in cineland to come back from oblivion in silent pictures to taste the clamorous success of the talkies, was an outstanding social event.

Most of those Kleig lights have made famous thronged St. James Episcopal church for the ceremonies at 8:30 p. m.

The romance began some months ago when Miss Love met Hawks through his two brothers, Kenneth and Howard, motion picture executives. Both Miss Love and Hawks gave their ages as 28 in applying for the license to wed. Miss Love's real name is Juanita Horton and she was born in Midland, Texas.

Participating in the wedding were Blanche Sweet, matron of honor and Bebe Daniels, Carmel Myers, Edith Mayer, Irene Mayer, Norma Shearer, Adolphe Menjou, Hawks and Mary Astor, bridesmaids.

Christmas Toys Are Laid Away

DALLAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Christmas toys of Cecil A. Collins, Jr., 2, still unbroken by much play, were put away today.

Yesterday his parents were visiting a kinsman's small grocery. A man entered, holding in his arms the body of a child.

"He was struck by an auto," said the man. "Get help."

Mr. and Mrs. Collins looked at the child. It was their son. He died later in a hospital.

A woman was said to have given the death car.

Bond For Martin T. Smith Set At \$1,000 On Friday

Held After Confession Of Midway Store Robbery 16 Miles From Lubbock; Loot Is Identified

Bond for Martin T. Smith, who is in the Lubbock county jail charged with theft, was set yesterday afternoon at \$1,000 but at a late hour last night efforts to obtain his release had been futile.

Smith was arrested late Thursday in Slaton after confessing that he robbed the Midway store, 16 miles southeast of Lubbock, on the night of December 18.

Loot Identified
An investigation was started Thursday after a cedar chest and other minor items, which Smith is alleged to have presented as Christmas presents, were identified as having been included in the list of merchandise stolen from the Midway store which is owned and operated by F. H. Baldwin.

Other things said to have been stolen at the store were 30 men's shirts, 44 neck ties, a bunch board eight pocket knives, 30 bottles of extract, six cartons of cigarettes, six boxes of candy, one six-shooter pistol and a watch.

Hotel Cook Dies Of Pistol Wound

Kelly Field Soldier Held On Murder Charge After Triangular Affair Ends In Fatal Shooting

(By Associated Press)
FORT WORTH, Dec. 27. (AP)—Steve Preston, 24, hotel cook, died today of a pistol wound in his abdomen received Thursday in a shooting growing out of a triangle involving the cook, a Kelly Field soldier and his estranged wife, a waitress.

Charles L. Stout, 29, who has been at Kelly Field since he enlisted in the army two months ago, was charged with murder.

Stout, in Fort Worth on furlough, and Preston went to Mrs. Stout's room together and after a conversation that was charged with Stout's remark that she could "have Steve," engaged in a struggle for the soldier's pistol. Stout objected to attentions he said Preston was paying Mrs. Stout, though the couple had separated.

During the struggle which was witnessed by Mrs. Stout and another waitress, the pistol was discharged.

Stout is going to plead self defense and the unwritten law, his attorney announced today.

Attempted "Shake Down" Frustrated By Ambushed Cops

Armed Men Walk Into Trap After Demanding \$10,000 From President Of Union Of Vulcanizers

Victim Identified

Bandits Open Fire With Sawed-Off Shotgun And Automatic Pistols When Police Are Sighted

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Three reputed labor racketeers said by police to have been trying to "shake down" officials of a union, were shot and killed in a gun battle with police on the west side late today.

The three men, armed with a shot gun and revolvers, walked into an ambush carefully laid by Sergeant Patrick O'Connell and his squad when M. J. Powers, president of the Tire Repairmen and Vulcanizers union, told police he had been threatened with death unless he gave them \$10,000.

Cops Return Fire
When the policemen stepped from behind a door, the hoodlums fired a blast and the officers returned the fire. Two of the men were shot as they crouched to resume firing, and fell dead. The third man wheeled and attempted to flee, but three shots stopped him.

One of the men was tentatively identified as "Dinky" Quan, at one time suspected of slaying Daniel J. Joseph Sullivan during a gangsters kidnapping investigation. The other was thought to be a man known only as Wilson. Finger prints were rushed to the bureau of identification.

Officers describing the gun fight said that the man identified as Quan, carrying a cane and walking

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THE WEATHER

YOU'RE HAPPIEST WHEN WEALTH IS MAINLY A STATE OF MIND.

Local temperature: maximum 35, minimum 20.

U. D. C. Luncheon Given For Veterans Friday

Confederate Veterans Named Honor Guests At Lovely Event On Friday; War Theme Used In Varied Program

War-Time Stories Are Told And Songs Are Conducted By Miss Mullican; Mrs. J. F. Tom Gives Reading

The home of Mrs. A. B. Ellis, 1802 Avenue O, was the scene for an attractive luncheon given by the local chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy on Friday. A group of Confederate Veterans were special guests for the occasion.

Luncheon was served buffet style at 12 o'clock in rooms attractively decorated in a number of Christmas effects and lighted with red tapers. A large Confederate flag was placed in the living room.

The menu consisted of chicken patties, English peas, creamed potatoes, perfection salad, rolls, coffee and apple pie topped with whipped cream.

War Songs

After the luncheon, Miss Maurine Mullican led the group in singing war songs, and Mrs. Sue McMurray called the roll, which was responded to with names of generals. Mrs. J. F. Tom gave a reading, "Who Should We Fight?" and the war theme also was used in the vocal solo by Miss Maurine Mullican and a reading by Mrs. Frank Griffith.

Of special interest were a number of war-time experiences told by the veterans.

Those attending the luncheon were Mesdames Lon A. Mullican, A. W. Evans, Claud Tatum, E. S. Soder, Ewing, George Smallwood, Joe Penny, Sue McMurray, McKinnon, G. W. Scott, Frank Griffith, Raymond George, J. T. Collier, J. B. Cooper and Griffith, Mesdames Della Wilkerson, Maurine Mullican, and Mayme Crump, Messrs. E. P. Ehardt, J. R. Green, Bob Crump and A. W. Houghbook.

The WOMAN'S DAY

The Junior League is to be commended for its campaign against tardiness and early closing hours for dance.

A large group of parents have campaigned for this in vain for years. But for a parent to campaign for early hours is as obvious as it is for the poor to strike for higher wages. A parent's natural enemy of early and late hours has not nearly as much to do with young people as an organization composed of the Social Reformer and the wealthy girls of the city.

LEVEL HEADS

Certainly if there are any girls in the city who are level-headed, all night and all morning, and not have to worry about sleep, or slips in the envelope, or the Junior League.

Yet a large number of these girls actually hold jobs, many of them, and they are level-headed girls, and others who do not work for pay do much social service and community work which gives them a level head.

And they are a level-headed group. One of them who talked to me about the early closing hours for dance was quite frank about what the "level" was.

"You see, the ones that are the blue stocks, matrimonial, all work-over here. In Europe they are loads of men who do nothing except amuse themselves, and they can turn night into day, and they can be very busy."

"But over here, the men that are willing to dance all night are the ones who aren't good for much else. Usually they are the ones who haven't much themselves, and are looking out for a rich wife, and are playing the society racket for that purpose."

"You know," she confided, "that pretty nearly any good looking man who wears evening clothes well, is a good dancer, and knows his way around—can crash into the best sets in New York. That's common knowledge."

"They haven't much to lose, and love to gain by dancing attendance on girls whose fathers did not lose all in the recent crashes in Wall Street."

NOT FOR MATRIMONY

"Not they aren't just the sort you want to pick your husband from, not because they haven't money—but because they haven't ambition, and because when it comes right down to brass tacks, you really want more than a good looking dancing partner for a husband."

"As it is now, we girls with our late hours and our extravagant tastes are really driving away the type of men we really want to attract—I'm afraid we are making a nation of readers, because some of the best men I know, have stopped dancing and taken up reading in a big way."

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Siren's Clothes Should Be Simple



The effect of simplicity in her choice is preferred by Lucien Lelone for the siren type of woman with pale skin, dark hair and large eyes. One of his sports ensembles, chosen for this type in blue and gray jersey, is pictured.

By LUCIEN LELONE, Special Cable to Central Press Service

The pale-skinned, dark-haired woman with large eyes and a slender figure, in the opinion of Lucien Lelone, is another type of woman who should dress simply. The fact that she is a siren is the fact that she is a woman who is more enticing if she does not over-stress her peculiar and undeniably fascinating type.

In the cut of her clothes, I trust that she will avoid the effect of simplicity rather than the complicated draperies which accentuate the slender curves of her figure. The grace of the curved line is so undeniable that it seems to me it gains by being veiled to a certain extent. The figure of the siren with its abnormally slender waist delicately draped, shoulders and round hips, may well be marked by a fall of drapery which more cleverly cut and veiled than the figure itself. The woman will gain in dignity.

Subdued Fullness Best

As to the flow of drapery about the hips, I feel that the siren is in a position to make the most of it. The siren, already having made several "outing" trips, but have been limited in their efforts because of insufficient gasoline. Their planes are of the open cockpit type, not the closed type, and the planes of the candidates are at Russian air bases, and the weather operation.

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Tree Is Held For School Children

Three Hundred Attend Gala Event At Sanders School; W. T. Milam Impersonates Santa; Gifts Given

A beautifully decorated tree furnished by the First Presbyterian church brought delight to 300 children who attended a Christmas tree given last Tuesday evening for the pupils attending a Sunday school conducted at the Sanders school.

Gifts were provided by Presbyterians, the Kiwanis club, George Dupree and a number of other individuals. W. T. Milam, dressed as Santa Claus, distributed the gifts.

Vocal selections were given by Mrs. H. E. Ducker and Mrs. J. T. Holland, accompanied by Mrs. G. T. Tucker at the piano, and Miss Clag, accompanied by her sister, Frances Clag, also gave a vocal solo.

Those in charge of arrangements were W. T. Milam, George Eaton, Mesdames A. J. Bigger, Tom Foster and W. T. Milam and Miss Nina Thies.

Camp Fire Group Will Sing Sunday

Songs Rehearsed At Meet Friday Afternoon With Guardian; Miss Reaple Phillips Reports Made

Members of the Anokwakw Camp Fire group met Friday evening in the home of the guardian, Miss Bernice Phillips, 1624 19th street, to rehearse songs to be sung at the Friday Deception in Shawlwater Sunday. A report of the group also was made to the president, Della Macdonald.

Two Camp Fire songs, "Mammy Moon" and "Camp Fire Will Shine Tonight," will be given in Shawlwater, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. H. D. Phillips, and the following girls making a trip by automobile: Kathleen, Irene and Virginia James, Ruth, Martha, Norma, Mae, Roberta, Ruth, Anna, Jackson and Pauline Phillips.

At the meeting Friday, the guardian gave a report of gifts of food and toys, which were taken to several poor families on Christmas Eve and of the singing of Christmas carols on Monday night to persons unable to leave their homes because of illness.

CAMPBELL RESIGNS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Johnston B. Campbell, member of the Interstate Commerce Commission since 1921, has tendered his resignation to President Hoover, and will retire from office as soon as a successor has been selected.

LINDSEY TODAY

TRUE CLUE TO DOUBLE MURDER GUILT POIS OUT OF FRONT PAGE

Mother and Sons Are Asphyxiated

GOSSHEE, Ind., Dec. 27. (AP)—Mrs. Helen E. Gosshee, 34, and her three sons, ranging in age from 5 to 10, were found dead in a gas-filled kitchen here today by the husband and father, Harold Robinson, when he returned home from work.

The dead sons are David, 10, Pauline, 8, and Joseph, 5.

Worry over the thought of going insane is believed to have been responsible for Mrs. Robinson's act. She has a sister in the insane asylum, and her father is said to have committed suicide several years ago.

Mac Vivian Green has recovered from a recent illness and is back at her duties at the Southwestern Bell Telephone office.

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Gertrude Lawrence

The Battle of Paris

Charles Ruggles

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Dangerous Females

A Two Reel Comedy

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How to Achieve Beauty

By MADAME RUBENSTEIN

When a man is faced with the eternal question which makes its appearance every Christmas "What shall I give to the ladies on my gift list?" he invariably marks perfume beside most of them. Past experience has taught him that the easiest thing to do is never to go up to a drug clerk and ask him for suggestions concerning the perfumes of the moment. This would indeed be a simple way to dispose of the problem, except for the fact that most women immediately after Christmas bring their perfume back to the stores where they were purchased to return them for some other kind.

It would, therefore, be advantageous for the giver of perfume to ascertain the favorite scent of the woman who is to receive the gift. Usually this is not difficult, because women are generally very proud and definite in regard to their choice, and they are invariably delighted when the perfume given to them is correct. It signifies that the giver is conscious of her preference and she is flattered.

Some variations on the standard gift come in the new perfumes which are being offered in the shops this season. Some of them are exquisitely carved with health decorative metal tops. These are charming on the dresser. Toilette waters can be had in the same shape as the perfume, and there are many delightful lighter odors which women prefer for everyday use.

If the gift is to be an especially nice one, and the receiver happens to be a connoisseur of perfumes, then it is interesting to try to discover some new perfume (new to America, I mean). There are Oriental and Indian scents which are rare and unusual, since they have a pungent, spicy odor rather than the sweet flower scents.

French perfumes, however, are the safest for it take quite a highly sophisticated taste to appreciate the more distinctive fragrances.

Of course, all scents do not suit all women. A fragile, feminine lady needs a delicate scent, while an exotic personality can carry quite a heavy perfume. There are very few fragrances appropriate for the outdoor girl who prefers sport clothes, but there are some they must be carefully selected, however.

To give perfumes successfully one must know perfumes and one must know the woman to whom the perfume is being given. The best thing to do is to consult your favorite specialist in your favorite department store just before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Penney, Houston, are leaving today after spending the holidays with Mr. Penney's mother, Mrs. T. B. Penney, 1626 19th street.

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KEN MAYNARD

Lawless Legion

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YELLOW SPRINGS, Ohio, Dec. 27. (AP)—Senator Simeon D. Peas, republican, Ohio, in a statement issued at his home here today characterized as a "regrettable incident" the attack that had been made on the government personnel for prohibition enforcement by Senator Borah, of Idaho.

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Two Departments in Verbal Melee in Spreading Prohibition Controversy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The spreading controversy on prohibition enforcement has brought two government departments into the verbal melee with statements in opposition to Senator Borah's assertion that with the present personnel the Volstead law can never be made effective.

Attorney General Mitchell said there had been an improvement in the last six months and the possibilities of further bettering conditions were being given careful study. With a revival of the treasury, prohibition, Commissioner James M. Doonan asserted Borah's condemnation of the entire prohibition personnel was "unfortunate and bound to have a disheartening effect upon the morale of the service."

Answer Made.

Informing the Mitchell and Doonan statements, the Idaho senator met the attorney general's reference to efforts to improve enforcement with the remark that "evidently its conditions were such as to call for an effort and an heroic effort." He added he had no means of knowing how much progress had been made "as its results have not yet appeared on the face of it."

Mitchell said that in fact, as to the men now engaged in the prohibition service, he could not let Borah's criticism pass unchallenged. There has never, he asserted, been

greater zeal in the enforcement of the liquor laws than at present. He went on to say that it can be accomplished when congress is ready to approve legislation carrying out the administration's recommendations for more adequate law enforcement machinery. His department has been at work for months, he added, on measures designed to improve personnel, reduce congestion in the courts and reorganize enforcement agencies.

Improvement Cited.

"There has been improvement in the last six months," he declared. "There has also, under the president's leadership, been a noticeable change in public attitude of the prohibition laws which is susceptible to improvement," he asserted that "to say that prohibition cannot be enforced with the present personnel comes perilously near to saying that it cannot be enforced at all." He added that "on the whole we are not likely to find a more loyal and conscientious group of men than are now serving under me."

He continued that "if there is any proposal before congress which will help this particular feature of the situation, that also should be speeded, but he added he knew of no proposal which would reach the condition as I see it in this particular matter."

The WOMAN'S DAY

The death of Mrs. Anna Bryan Ayres, outstandingly successful business woman, obviously the result of a suicide pact, brings up the apparently unanswerable question: What do women really want?

They want a husband, say some. Mrs. Ayres had one, and lived several years with him until she was divorced. Obviously she did not want him.

They want a career, say others. Very well, Mrs. Ayres certainly had this. As advertising manager of a large corset firm and an authority on woman's styles, she was one of the most successful and highest priced women executives in the country—sitting right on top of the world.

They want children, say others. Mrs. Ayres had three, two daughters and one son—all of them fine, beautiful specimens. The oldest was just 15, at an age where they would be companionable and fun to have. They want a home, say others. Mrs. Ayres had a beautiful home, still almost a new one, and a college graduate herself, she had taught

and Chicago university, and her divorced husband had been a college professor at Amherst where she had lived for years in the cultural environment of a large college.

They want to look young and have nice clothes, Mrs. Ayres was handsome and youthful looking. She was exquisitely groomed and had beautiful clothes.

LONELY — AND IN LOVE

Yes, she had children, a career, plenty of money, and education at brains. But she wanted something else. When she met William Gaylord, infinitely less successful than she, who had never risen any higher than a counting stool, and probably never would, because he was 50 and looked it, Mrs. Ayres realized she wanted a husband, and companionship again—that she wanted to mother someone, and to be needed.

Though devoted to her children, perfectly satisfied with her job, and with all the money she needed, she faced the fact that she was lonely—and that she was in love. Then instead of parting as these two had planned, because of the obstacles for Gaylord was already married—they died together. No one knows just how. When found, both were dead from bullet wounds.

One of the newer problems that is coming up is what women are going to do with the youth they are so frantically pursuing. In the order of things, romance came early in a woman's life. It came at all

By the time she was 45, she was usually the mother of several children who had stolen her strength and her looks. She was old when her biological usefulness was over. She watched from the sidelines.

Today a woman may marry in her 30's, have a reasonable family by the time she is 35, and still be young in looks and in spirit with 10 to 20 years in which she is still attractive, handsome and eager for life and adventure. She is still interested in men—and they often find her more fascinating than the flapper.

She cannot live in her children's world—they don't want her. She can't use up all her energies in the modern home where everything is done mechanically. She can give much of her enthusiasm and energy to a job—but not all of it. She needs the companionship of a congenial man. If this man happens to be her husband, that is splendid. If he happens to be someone else's husband, the situation is not so easy to handle.

Perhaps what women want was summed up honestly by an ultra modern who said: "I want a home, and I want to work. I want a job, and I want leisure. I want children, and someone else to take care of them. I want a devoted husband and exciting suitors—I want everything."

Tripoli's fair showing the resources and progress of Africa will be opened next February.

Overworked Horse Gets Well-Earned Rest After Twenty-Two Years Work

AUSTIN, Dec. 27. (AP)—A certain well-known horse, in active service for 22 years around the University of Texas, has been given suitable recognition and put away for a well-earned rest. The steed has been replaced, at last, with an automobile.

Here is the story:

Since he began his work at the university in 1907, Dean I. P. Hildebrand of the law school daily had illustrated points of law this way: "If I should go to Waco and buy a horse—"

Imbued with a feeling of sympathy for dumb animals and wishing to do something humane in this case, the freshmen lawyers decided to rescue the overworked "Waco horse."

They had the horse done in clay—badly modeled—and at a banquet presented him to Dean Hildebrand with the suggestion he put him on the shelf.

Dean Hildebrand has promised that in future an automobile will make the daily trip to Waco, and the horse will remain on the mantel of the Hildebrand home.

The Egyptian government is constructing many schools, hospitals and other buildings.

YOUTH CHARGED

GRANBURY, Dec. 27. (AP)—Because Rochelle Cole, 19, Hood county farm youth accepted a proffered ride and thereby was forced to stand shivering on the highway Christmas Eve minus his clothing, Forrest Dawson, 22, was in jail today, charged with robbery with firearms.

Dawson, arrested yesterday on a farm near Weatherford, is charged with picking up the farm youth and stripping him at the point of a gun of \$5 and all clothing except a coat.

FEAR MALAY OUTBREAK

MANILA, Dec. 27. (AP)—A radio message received here today stated that Professor Theodore See, an of the University of Chicago and H. W. Wells, also of Chicago, explorers, were facing a tense situation in the Dyak country of central Borneo hearing a Malay outbreak at any moment following the murder recently of Provincial Commander J. B. De Quant by two natives.

FIFTEEN ENTOMBED

BECKLEY, W. Va., Dec. 27. (AP)—Fifteen men were reported entombed today in an explosion at the Statebary mine of the C. C. B. Smokeless Coal company, eight miles from here.

PIONEER BURIED

WACO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Funeral services were set for today for Col. George A. O'Brien, 88, resident of Waco for 60 years and long time office holder, who died yesterday. Colonel O'Brien was the first postmaster of Waco and during the Civil war was a ranger on the Texas border. Governor Davis appointed him colonel of militia in reconstruction days, and he filled public offices with the Federal government, state, McLennan county and Waco.

FUNERAL FOR CAPTAIN

GALVESTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Funeral services were set for today at Texas City for Capt. W. F. Newport, master of the tug Edwards, one of three victims of exposure on Saluria Island last week. Arrangements for the funerals of the other two, Roy Clark and Roy McKaulin, deck hands, were held up pending word from relatives. Clark's mother is said to live in Tulsa, Okla. The bodies were found on the island after the tug sank in a storm and were brought here Tuesday.

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SPUDS	10 Pounds	33c
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FLOUR	Light Crest	96c
	54 Pound Sack	
COFFEE	M. J. B. Co's Junior	44c
	1 Pound Package	
SALMON	Tall Can	17c
	"Pink"	
PORK & BEANS	Wapco	9c
	No. 2 Size Can	
TOMATOES	No. 2 Size	59c
	Hand Packed 6 cans	
CORN	No. 2 Size Can	11c
	"Clarion"	
MIXED VEGETABLES	McGraths	16c
	No. 2 Size Can	
HOMINY	Starleys	10c
	No. 2 1-2 Size Can	
JELLO	Assorted Flavors	25c
	1 Packages For	
SOAP	10 Bars	36c
	Swifts White Naptha	
SOAP	Palmolive	19c
	1 Bars	
PICKLES	Huaco Maid	24c
	Quart Sour, Per Jar	
POST BRAN	3 Packages for	23c

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ROAST	Fresh Pork Ham	28c
	Per Pound	
CHEESE	Brookfield, Longhorn	29c
	Per Pound	
BACON	Swift's Clover, Sliced	35c
	Per Pound	

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Pole lines now linking chief cities will be freed to serve the smaller towns along their route. The project is the largest of its kind in the nation... five years will be needed to finish it... it will take care of growth of long distance service for 20 years to come.



Telephone men in the Southwest this year installed 168,000 new instruments... more telephones than in all of Sweden! They removed 407,000 telephones.

The end of the year, therefore, finds a gain of 65,000 instruments over last year, with over 1,353,000 telephones in use in the territory.

The more telephones there are, the more people you can reach from your telephone, and the more valuable your telephone service becomes.



These are telephone buildings erected in the Southwest in 1929.

There are 26 of them, ranging from the 28-story Kansas City administration building to small central offices. Thousands of workers, millions of dollars in machinery, are housed in them.

In addition to new buildings, paint brush and lawn mower have done widespread duty maintaining and improving buildings already in use.



This young lady is "Long Distance".

During the past 12 months she has handled, in towns throughout the Southwest, an average of 155,000 calls daily.

It has taken her just a fraction less than 3 minutes, on the average, to complete each call.

Her technique has improved considerably since 1921. Then it took 9 minutes on the average to put a long distance call through.

"Will Thursday afternoon be satisfactory?" Thus, during 1929, have salesmen in many telephone business offices questioned persons having telephones installed.

If the time they suggest is agreeable, an installer calls. If not, a time mutually convenient is set. Formerly it took seven days to put in a business telephone, ten days a residence telephone. Under the new plan the subscriber gets his telephone at a time agreed upon before he leaves the counter.



Here is the girl who says, "Number, please?" when you place a telephone call.

But her reply, after you have given the number, no longer is confined to the rigid phrase, "Thank you".

This year her vocabulary has been broadened to include answers in keeping with the various types of requests she receives. She can say "all right, sir", "Yes, ma'am", can use any of several other suitable replies.



Here is a telephone subscriber opening his bill.

His bill this year is neater, more accurate, more detailed than ever before.

Instead of being written by hand, it is typed upon the form. Special machines enable the girls who do the work to handle thousands of bills quickly, easily, efficiently.



More than 37,000 dial telephones were installed in southwestern territory in the first six months of this year alone.

In St. Louis, Kansas City and Little Rock, "manual" telephone offices were "cut over" to dial operation.

Total dial telephones now in use in the Southwest are nearly 489,000.



A lost call is a call that is not put through on the first attempt.

Causes of lost calls: Sometimes an operator makes a mistake. Sometimes the person called does not answer his telephone quickly enough. Sometimes the person who called does not wait long enough for an answer.

By careful efforts to save lost calls, operators this year salvaged 40 million of them.

Only the high spots of 1929 have been given here. They are typical, however, of the efforts being made to fulfill the Bell System policy voiced by President Walter S. Gifford of the A. T. & T. Co.: "... a telephone service for the nation more and more free from imperfections, errors or delays and always at a cost as low as is consistent with financial safety."

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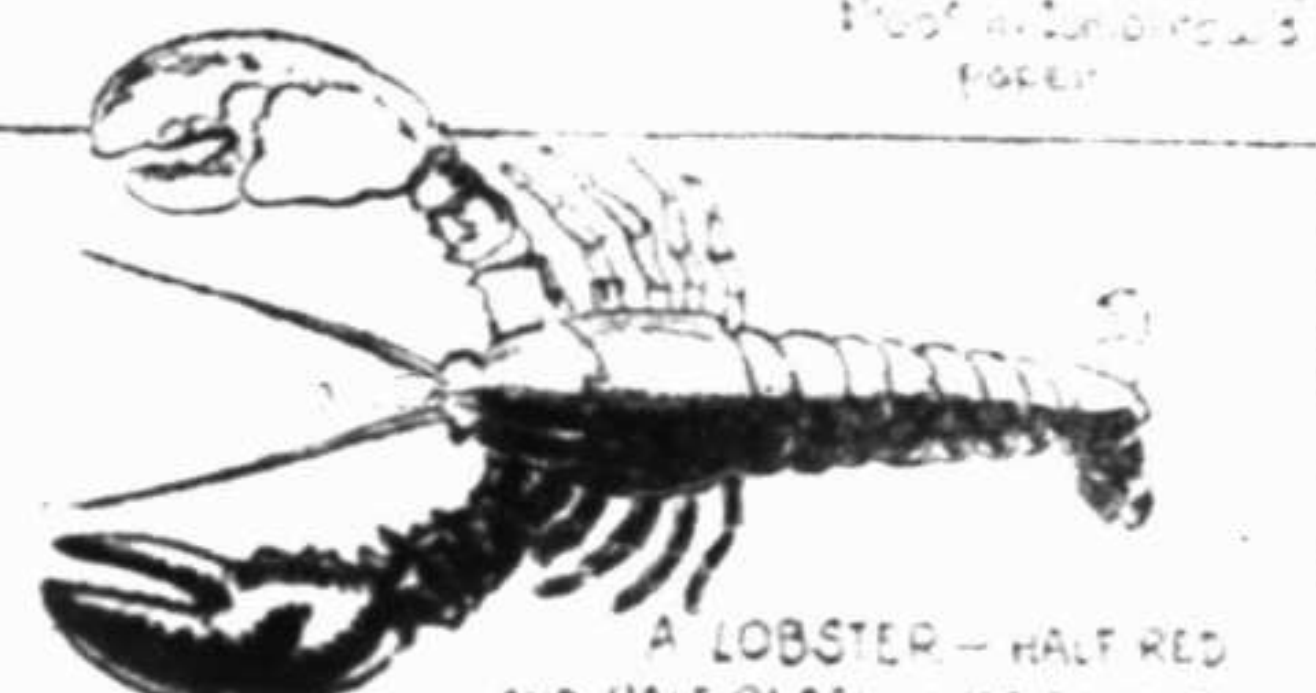
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Shooting At Rum
Boat Is Defended

One Man Killed In Firing
On Alleged Rum Schooner;
Asst. Secretary Of
Treasury Condemns Action

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Action of a coast guard crew in firing on a boat on Lake Erie in which Eugene P. Downey Jr., of Buffalo was killed, was defended today by Seymour Lowman, assistant secretary of the treasury.

Lowman, in the first utterance by a government official on the killing of Downey on Christmas day, said the coast guardmen were proceeding under a section of the tariff act which gave them full authority to stop any boat at any time in American waters for inspection.

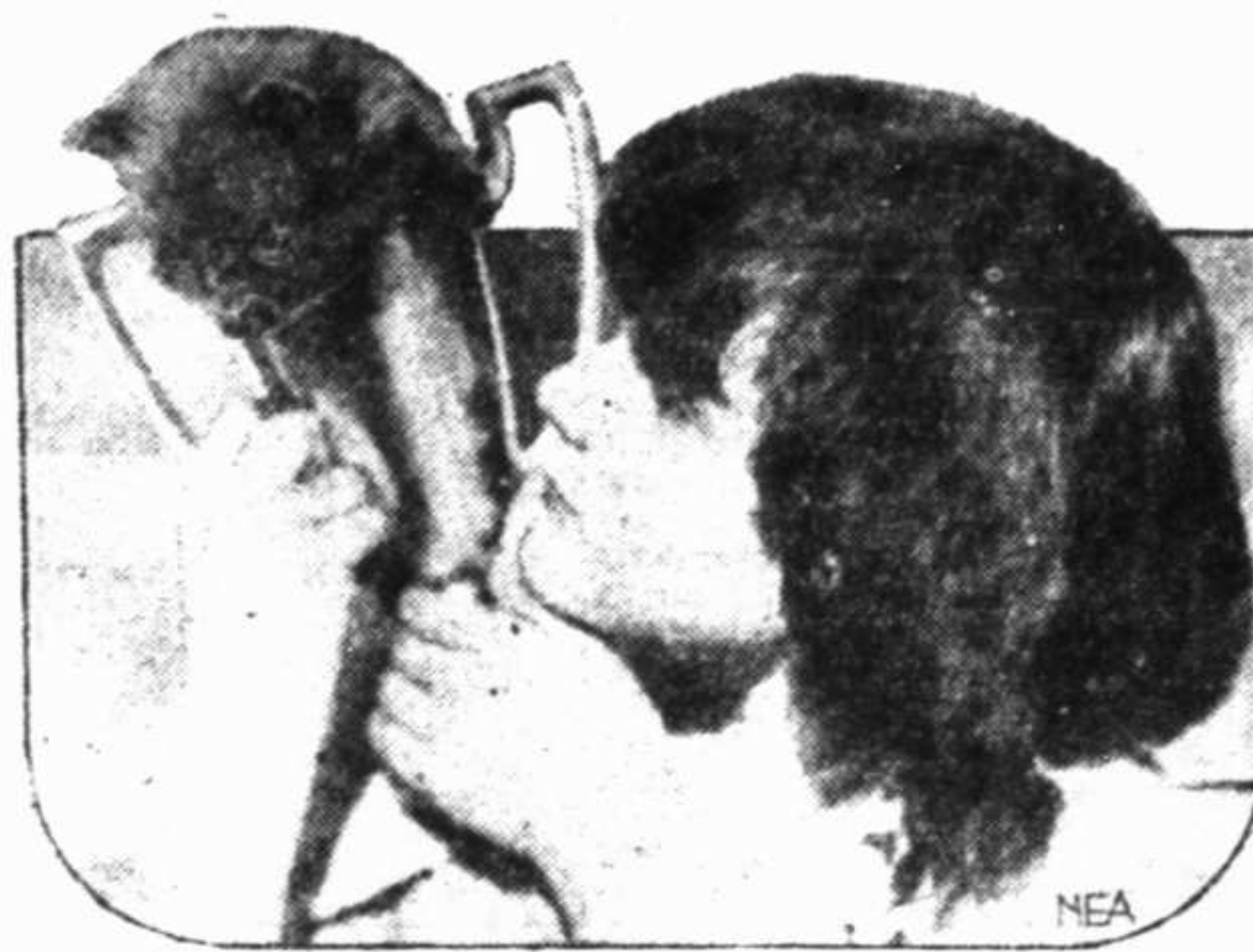
No liquor found on the boat, but because of the obstruction of floating in the track of the rum runner, who was fully half an hour before they discovered her tied to the pier, and it was found there was a wounded man in the boat, the other man having been killed.

The rum runner showed no fight, and failed to stop, he said. "The coast guard continued the pursuit, but because of the obstruction of floating in the track of the rum runner, who was fully half an hour before they discovered her tied to the pier, and it was found there was a wounded man in the boat, the other man having been killed."

SEARCH FOR BANDIT

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Dec. 27. (AP)—Police announced today they were searching for Elmer Grayson of Indiana, suspected of being one of three men who robbed the Oakland bank yesterday and killed Robert Kline, 45, president of the Farmers' bank at Smith's grove.

It's a Dog—Really, It Is!



Ferocious? Not a bit of it, but this eight-ounce baby pomeranian fought hard to win the championship in his class at Los Angeles' annual dog show. Rudi Danziger displays him in the run that he won.

Lubbock Business Men Optimistic on
Prospects for Coming Year; Mark Set

With the colorful day one of the past and a new year just around the corner, Lubbock business establishments are busy discharging Christmas obligations and preparing for a new year of business. Interviews among merchants here today indicated that the year 1929 has been satisfactory and all are optimistic over prospects for the new year. Business men here are a whole lot better off than they were a year ago, and the outlook for 1930 is bright.

Max Shatter Record. Postal notes for 1929 are expected to be all existing records.

Servant Arrested
On Murder Charge

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 27. (AP)—Jim Harris, 23, negro servant, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with killing his employer, Dr. Barclay J. Jones, the physician's wife and her young nephew, George Lane.

A reward of \$600 was offered for the arrest of Harris after the finding of the three beaten to death at their home on Christmas Day. The negro was located by police at the residence of his father-in-law and denied any knowledge of the slaying. Officers said he had been married yesterday.

Various motives were advanced by investigators. The coroner's jury suggested robbery. Valuables in the house were undisturbed, although the pockets of the doctor and the boy had been rifled. Sheriff W. C. Anderson offered the theory that the killing was the outgrowth of an attack upon Mrs. Jones.

CHARGES FILED

County Clerk And Brother Held In Slaying

WAURIKA, Okla., Dec. 27. (AP)—Charges of assault with intent to kill were filed today against Will Arner, county clerk of Jefferson county, and his brother, John, in connection with the shooting of W. M. Bass, deputy sheriff of Ryan, Christmas day.

The shooting occurred when the officer sought to search John Arner's automobile for liquor. John Arner, who was in the car, drew a gun, according to Bass, and they struggled for possession of it. Then Will Arner came to the door of a house in front of which the car was parked and fired at Bass with a shot gun, the deputy asserted. Bass was reported in a serious condition.

Pantages May Be
Released On Bond

Physicians Testify That
Theatre Magnate Is Ill
And Not Able To Serve
Prison Sentence

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (AP)—Alexander Pantages, multimillionaire theatre magnate convicted of an attack on Eunice Pringle, dancer, today awaited in a jail hospital ward the testimony of physicians whose report of his physical condition may bring him release on bond.

Two physicians yesterday testified before Superior Judge Charles Fricke, Pantages had suffered "three dangerous heart attacks" and is "genuinely sick." Dr. Charles Decker, one of five physicians appointed by District Attorney Byron Pitts and Judge Fricke to examine Pantages, said the theatre man "needs rest and a better diet than he can get in jail." Dr. Decker expressed the opinion that worry over his confinement, more than actual confinement, is responsible for the patient's condition.

Four state physicians and seven defense physicians remained to be heard.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Beginning January 2, 1930, the dock board will reduce the charge per bale for handling cotton at the public warehouse here from \$1.25 to \$1 per bale.

PAYING 8% to investors interest paid semi-annually Write for Particulars Aetna Building Loan Co. "The Company with a Guaranty Fund" Louis F. Moore, Western Mgr. 220 Ellis Bldg., Lubbock, Tex.

New Policy Asked
By General Calles

Former President Of Mexico
Advocates Changes In
National Agriculture
Program

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27. (AP)—El Universal today published an interview with General Plutarco Elías Calles in which the former Mexican President advocated changes in the National Agrarian policy.

Principally, the former president said, there should be advance or immediate payment for lands which under the Agrarian laws it may be necessary to take over this payment to be taken from the public funds since otherwise the virtue of the operation is lost.

The former president advocated also a study of national distribution methods to avoid bad results likely to arise if the land is handed out in small parcels, such as he said had been done in cases in France.

Consolidate Debts. Consideration of all the nation's debts so as to become payable from the country's resources, leaving a surplus for payment for lands, was the closing recommendation in the interview, granted to Antonio Gilvan Duque, close friend and former chief of his secretariat staff, while General Calles and his party were coming back recently from Europe.

The former president pleaded also for divorce of the Agrarian problem from politics. Although General Calles now holds no official post he generally is termed by the Mexican press the national "strong man." His recommendations therefore probably will have considerable weight.

PRORATION VOTED
Representatives Of Oil Company
Take Action

PAMPA, Dec. 27. (AP)—Proration for the oil pools of Gray county was voted today at a meeting of oil company representatives who approved a 20 per cent cut for January. The plan was rejected by the Gulf Production company and the Sun Ray Oil company.

Of the 13 companies voting for the plan, four did so with the reservation that it be abandoned if all producers were not cooperating at the end of January. These companies were the Texas, Sun, Gibson and Magnolia.

High Temperatures
Replace Blizzard

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27. (AP)—Rushing from one extreme to another, the weather gods of the lower middle West have replaced blizzard conditions of last week with record high temperatures for this season.

Throughout the southern half of the Central states the mercury hung in the 50's yesterday, and at Arkansas, Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma, visited only a few days ago by zero temperatures, readings were as high as 70 degrees.

St. Joseph, Mo., with 56 degrees saw a record of at least 19 years shattered for that date. Maximums in Kansas City and St. Louis were 51 and 52, with 50.

Killer for Hire Who Made Clients
Sign Contracts Sought by Officers

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Police Commissioner Grover A. Whalen was on his way to Chicago today seeking information concerning a killer for hire who made his clients sign contracts.

His trip was prompted by the statement of Police Inspector Joseph J. Donovan that Frankie Yale and Frank Marlow, New York gangsters, were killed by a Chicago gunman under the terms of a \$20,000 contract signed by Ciro Terranova, known to police as a Bronx racketeer.

Donovan, testifying at the trial of Detective Arthur Johnson for the slaying of Yale, yesterday said the holdup of a testimonial dinner given for Magistrate Albert Vitale was staged at Terranova's orders to recover the contract.

Johnson, a guest at the dinner December 7, is on trial for losing his service pistol to the holdup men and failing to report the crime promptly.

Donovan said that members of the police secret service bureau had learned that Terranova had paid only \$5,000 of the \$20,000 stipulated in the contract for the slayings of Yale and Marlow and that the Chicago gunman had threatened to turn the document over to police.

The witness said Terranova invited the gunman to the dinner instructing him to bring the contract, then arranged for the holdup by seven men. They searched the guests took the contract from the gunman's pocket and took jewelry and money from the other guests to make the robbery appear genuine.

The jewelry, money and Johnson's gun later were returned through undisclosed sources. Frankie Yale was shot to death in his automobile in Brooklyn July 1, 1928. Frank Marlow was met by two men on the night of June 24 last and entered an automobile with them. His body was found a few hours later.

Peace Predicted
In Railroad Row

Soviet Officials Returned
To Disputed Section As
Execution Of Protocol Is
Started

(By Associated Press)

TOKYO, Dec. 27.—Execution of the protocol between China and Russia for control and operation of the Chinese Eastern railway actually began, said a dispatch from Harbin to Rango. Japanese news agency, with the return of Soviet officials to the railroad zone today.

Evacuation of the agreement thus marks the end of five and one-half months of quasi-warfare along the Manchurian border. The train carrying Julius Rudy, new Russian manager of the Chinese Eastern railway, his assistant, Denisov, and other Soviet officials, accompanied by Tsai Yunsheng, Chinese representative in the negotiations, crossed the frontier at Pogranichnaya this morning. It is en route to Harbin, where Chinese authorities are preparing a welcome.

PROPOSAL OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Representative Pittenger, republican, Minnesota, today announced he would oppose the proposal of the treasury department to limit the number of ports of entry from Canada.

ALUMNI MEET

SLATON, Dec. 27.—One hundred and fifty alumni of Slaton high school, representing the various classes that have graduated since 1917, attended the second annual alumni banquet here Thursday night. Tena Bruner, Slaton, president of the body and member of the class of '25, was toastmaster. The alumni association was formed a year ago with 120 members, being one of the first such high school organizations in this part of the state.

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ONE MINUTE PULPIT

Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!

For he satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness.—Psalm ciii, 8, 9

WILL THE SANTA FE BUILD ITS EXTENSION TO LOVINGTON?

CONTEMPLATION of the question as to whether or not the Santa Fe Railway company would build the extension from Seagraves, Gaines county, Texas, to Lovington, New Mexico, in accordance with the permit granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission recently, increases with announcement from President Story of the Santa Fe system relative to their 1930 expansion program.

There is no mention made of the 40 miles of construction needed to extend the present terminus of the Seagraves branch to Lovington.

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On the Firing Line at the Nation's Capital

BLASE WASHINGTON WARMS UP WHEN DEFEATED CANDIDATE COMES TO TOWN

By CHARLES F. STEWART
Central Press Staff Writer



WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Washington is blasé if ever a city was. Run-of-the-mine notabilities make no dent here. People see too many of them.

Catch a south-by-easterly bound Mt. Pleasant trolley car at the right time any morning and the chances are that the celebrated Senator Borah will be visible among the strap-hangers. Paulina Longworth plays with a doll's baby carriage every day on Massachusetts avenue. Secretary of Labor Davis eats in an ordinary cafeteria.

I recently saw Mr. Hoover, himself, come down from the senate chamber, after attending services for the late Senator Warren, and only the out-of-town rubbernecks in the Capitol corridors turned to look at him.

What, the reason, then, that Al Smith drew crowds which blocked street traffic when he spent a few hours in our midst not long ago?

It cannot have been because he was beaten for the presidency.

Chief Justice Taft was beaten too, besides having actually held it for a term; he waddles about the streets without attracting a mite of attention. John W. Davis was beaten for it; he comes here regularly to argue supreme court cases, and not one person in 1,000 even recognizes him.

Heaven knows William Jennings Bryan was beaten for the presidency often enough. He was considered miffed magnificently also. I can remember when he was secretary of state under Woodrow Wilson. The populace never tagged him around the capital. As for James M. Cox's visits, well, ask the average Washingtonian who James M. Cox ever was and he can tell you.

It cannot be that Al created such a furor simply because he was a novelty to Washington folk. They are accustomed to guests from considerably farther away than Maryland.

For instance, I saw him a few weeks since that celebrated Premier Ramsey MacDonald of England arrived from a 2,000-mile journey. Street cars ran right past the Premier's embassy as he walked on his way into it, and the passersby only glanced up upon their passage. And constantly to inquire about the result was that the government considered it so important to entice him to a cavalry escort.

No, no, gentlemen, but visitors from far away are not so common here as the national capital folk.

The reason, then, is that Al Smith was a novelty to Washington folk.

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Writing a New Page in the History of the Sea



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RELIABILITY

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Combs

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(The)

"GREEN PARROT"

DINING ROOM

A1

2124 30th Street

A REAL

"TURKEY DINNER"

\$1.00 A DAY—Weekly Rates

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32 rooms, baths, hot and cold water, gas heat in every room. Free coffee and morning paper, to each guest in room. Under new management, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nash, proprietors. Phone 1498, 1214 Ave. F, Lubbock, Texas.

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caused by Christmas holidays and

which it had not been but call 401-J

and see demonstration of Air-Way

sanitary system. It cleans rugs, fur-

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and you don't have any dirty, filthy

girls laden bags to empty. H. T.

Glen, bonded demonstrator, 2017

Main St. Phone 481-J or 2178-J.

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HAY DAVIDSON (RESOLVING)

Why should you worry? Have your

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your troubles. Madam Powell, 232

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and young ladies to room and board

close in to college and price reason-

able. Call Draughton's College, Phone

353, Saturday, 26th only.

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bath \$1.00 per day. Rates by week,

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Cafe in connection.

1214 Ave. B

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9.—Business for Sale

POR SALE—Home laundry, doing

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Holiday bargains, 10 room frame

apartment. Modern, corner, 2012

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Worth double. Also business, property

An unqualified bargain. Trading

at 812 Main

BUSINESS SERVICE

10.—Tailors, Hatters, Dyers

NOTICE

Wool cleaning and pressing

Wool cleaning, plain, 20

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BRAY'S TAILORING

Call for Catalog

2429 12th Street

Chap with us, ready to go to

measure

10-C.—Mattress Factories

MATTRESS

Phone 361 before you buy. Has new

Mattress or have your old one re-

quipped. Also upholstering.

HAWES MATHEWS

UPHOLSTERING

599 Broadway

11-C.—Contractors, Carpen-

ters, Painters

LUMBER AND BUILDING

MATERIAL

Sold on the installment plan. We

can send you a catalog for one

cent only.

C. D. SHANLEY & COMPANY

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Phone 413

12.—Woman's Column

JACK DUGGAN

Removal notice. CHARLOTTE

BEAUTY SHOP, 114 Charles

Street, Suite 104, at 124 Ave. F.

Phone 578. Permanent wave \$5. For

hair waving, shampooing, manicure,

and manicuring, scalp treatment.

Ten years experience.

12-B.—Nursing Wanted

Experienced practical nurse

desired. Call Mrs. D. 1014 2nd

St.

EMPLOYMENT

13.—Help Wanted

Educator's Business

Now offering

STENOGRAPHY

The machine was of short-hand-

can to learn and written. Very

rapid. Only school in this territory

teaching this new modern method.

EMPLOYMENT

14.—Situations Wanted

Job wanted by experienced beauty

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Lady wants housework to do, 1917

Ave. J.

WANTED—General office work by

experienced young lady, phone 1696-

J.

FINANCIAL

15.—Insurance Investment

AUTOMOBILE LOANS

Note refinanced. Monthly payments

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Courteous service. Reasonable rates.

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Vice-President

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18.—Furniture for Sale

Old furniture accepted the same as

new. Grand Rapids Furniture Co.

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lege. Phone 2114.

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Find Your Name. Then Call at the

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And Receive A Ticket To See—

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IN THE

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Lindsey Theater

Saturday

Of This Week

MERCHANDISE FOR

SALE

20.—Musical Instruments

\$1.00.00

Equity in piano for trade for port-

able or good guitar, small balance

payable two dollars per week.

1932 AVENUE J

21.—Miscellaneous For Sale

or Trade

POR TRADE—Good second hand

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count. Phone 1234-W after 6

p. m.

Coal, it is ready stacked. Acme Seed

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\$40.00 PORTABLE

With 6 records, free half price

Terms: \$3 down and \$1 per week

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Just about this time the tide of fashion turns, and we're right at the peak, showing now advanced fashions destined to be winners before many moons have passed. Our fashion-scouts always on the alert, bring now for your approval, frocks and suits selected from recent Paris openings. They're in the store now, bringing a breath of Spring into dull days. Not in big enough assortments to call them a fashion show. They're rather fashion hints. And fashion wise women are waiting for them, to examine them, to note the new style tendencies. You're all invited. They await your inspection.



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Sunday-School Lesson BY DR. J. E. NUNN

International Sunday School
Lesson for Dec. 29, 1929.
General Topic: Fellowship Through
Worship.

Scripture Lesson: Ps. 122:1-8, Heb.
10:22-25.

Ps. 122:1. I was glad when they
said unto me, Let us go unto the
house of Jehovah.

2. Our feet are standing within
thy gates, O Jerusalem.

3. Jerusalem, that art builded as
a city that is compact together.

4. Whither the tribes go up, even
the tribes of Jehovah, for an ordi-
nance for Israel, to give thanks unto
the name of Jehovah.

5. For there are set thrones for
judgment, the thrones of the house
of David.

6. Pray for the peace of Jerusa-
lem: they shall prosper that love
thee.

7. Peace be within thy walls, and
prosperity within thy palaces.

8. For my brethren and compan-
ions' sakes, I will now say, Peace be
within thee.

9. For the sake of the house of
Jehovah our God, I will seek thy
good.

Heb. 10:22. Let us draw near with
a true heart in fullness of faith,
having our hearts sprinkled from an
evil conscience, and having our bodies
washed with pure water.

23. Let us hold fast the confes-
sion of our hope that if we ever not
be faithful that promised.

24. And let us consider one an-
other to provoke unto love and good
works.

25. Not forsaking our own assem-
bling together, as the custom of some
is, but exhorting one another, and
much the more, as ye see the day
drawing nigh.

Golden Text. He entered, as his
custom was, into the synagogue on
the Sabbath day.—Luke 4:16.

Time and Place. Ezra's Bible
school in Jerusalem, B. C. 444. The
Great Commission given on a mount-
ain in Galilee in May, A. D. 30. The
Epistle to the Hebrews was written
at some time before the fall of Jeru-
salem in A. D. 70.

Introduction.

"Where two or three are gathered
together in my name there am I
in the midst of them."—Matt. 18:20.

Meeting together is a great means
of mutual help and efficiency in any
field, in science and business and
politics, as a thousand societies and
meetings bear witness. Not less in
such assembling together need it be
the church, that we may defend our
faith with the life of a contagion of
real life, or kindle ourselves as
common fire.—Spurgeon.

"God is everywhere. Thus we train
the child and say we believe. God
can be worshipped anywhere. He
knows how to worship when men are
allowed to follow their impulses to
worship God they drift together.
There is a social side to worship. It
calls for a getting together. With
this comes the thought of a place
where God meets his worshippers
and that place becomes a holy place,
God's house.—The Lesson Com-
mentary.

Come and let us go up to the

mountain of the Lord.—Mic. 4:2.

Micah, a prophet of Judah who
propheesied in the reigns of Jotham,
Ahaz, and Hezekiah, was a young-
er contemporary of Isaiah and Ho-
sea. The Book of Micah contains
a glowing prophecy of the coming
reign of the Messiah, from which
these two verses are taken. They
are almost identical with Isa. 2:2-4.

Micah had a vision of a mighty
church-going. He saw all the peo-
ples of the world going to Jerusa-
lem to worship God in his holy
temple. They were all moving to-
gether, flowing to Mount Zion like
a glorious river. Each member of
the universal throng in his vision
had one single purpose, to be
taught of God's ways, so as to walk
in them. That is why we go to
church. We are taught of God by
songs and the prayers, the Bible
reading and the sermon. It is a
noble experience, this church-go-
ing. The faithful practice of it is
sure to enlarge one's mental hori-
zon, deepen one's spiritual life, and
enrich one's communion with nei-
ghoring Christians and with his un-
seen brethren at the ends of the
earth.

Joy In God's House.

"I was glad when they said unto
me, let us go unto the house of
Jehovah."—Ps. 122:1.

"Good children are
pleased to go home, and glad to
hear their brothers and sisters call
them thither. David's heart was in
the worship of God, and he was
delighted when he found others in-
viting him to go where his desires
had already gone, it helps the ar-
dent of the most ardent to hear oth-
ers inviting them to a holy duty.
The word was not 'go,' but 'let us
go,' hence the ear of the psalmist
found a double joy in it."

Thanksgiving a Duty and Benefit

"To give thanks unto the name
of Jehovah."—Ps. 100:4. The pilgrims go
up to Jerusalem not merely because
commanded by God to do so, but
because moved thereto by their
own hearts. They are full of thank-
sgiving to Jehovah, and their atten-
dants at the feast is for the pur-
pose of praising him. Thus also
with our own church going. It does
not seem if it is nothing but the
observance of a religious duty,
the formal recognition of a
law of God, such church-going is
more than mere duty. It may lead off-
hand, and in time as ourselves
we probably arrived from a deep
conviction. We have put ourselves
in the way of blessing and the
blessing will come to us.

The Fellowship of Believers.

Heb. 10:25-25.

Let us draw near with a true
heart in fullness of faith.—Heb.
10:22. The Promise to the Hebrews
is a wonderful presentation of the
supremacy of Jesus Christ, as the
Mediator of the new revelation, the
Great High Priest of the New Cove-
nant into which all believers enter.
This New Covenant is infinitely
better than the old. Under the
old Covenant only priests could at-
tain to the sanctuary, the temple
chamber, and they only the
high priest, could enter the
Most Holy Place, the inner room,
and he only once a year, passing
through the great veil, the massive
curtain which shut it out. But Je-
sus, the Great High Priest over the
house of God, has dedicated for us
by his blood a new and living way
into the Most Holy Place where
God dwells, giving all believers boldness
to enter it through the rent veil of
his own flesh offered as an eternal
sacrifice for our sins. When we
realize this thought our church-
going takes on a new and splendid
significance, and the fellowship of
believers becomes a new and glori-
ous bond as we all together draw
near the Divine Majesty.

"Assembling Together"—A Chris-
tian Duty.—v. 25.

"Not forsaking our own assem-
bling together, as the custom of some
is, but exhorting one another."
Love seeketh not its own. It gives
itself away, and only lives to make
others partakers of its happiness.
And it loves the assembly of God's
people, not only for what it needs
and hopes to receive, but for the
communion of saints, and the help
it can give in helping and encour-
aging others.—Andrew Murray.

Any one will see the extinguish-
ing of the burning sticks of wood or
lumps of coal are separated one
from the other, only when they
are kept together does the fire
burn more and more brightly.

"And so much the more, as ye
see the day drawing nigh." "The
day" is of course, the day of the
Lord's return (Rev. 9:28), the day
of days.—Marcus Dods. In view
of that climax of all events, which
is ever drawing nearer, Christians
are constantly to heed their Lord's
command, "Watch for ye know not
on what day your Lord cometh."
(Matt. 24:42).

The World for Christ, Matt. 28:18.

"Go ye into all the world." Mark
16:15. Most appropriately and in-
spiringly we close our studies
"Some Social Teachings of the
Bible" with Christ's Great Com-
mission, which looks forward to
the fellowship of all the world
through the worship of the Father,
Son, and Holy Spirit.

This Great Commission was
given in Galilee, at the meeting of
the disciples arranged with so much
care by the Saviour. The eleven
disciples were all there, having
journeyed from Jerusalem, and
probably this was the meeting of
which Paul speaks (1 Cor. 15:6),
attended by about five hundred of
the brethren. The Great Commis-
sion began with the assertion by
Christ of boundless authority, "all
authority in heaven and on earth,"
which had been given him by the
Father. In view of this authority
he bade his disciples to go forth
and make disciples of all the peo-
ple on earth, "baptizing them into
the name of the Father and of the
Son and of the Holy Spirit; teach-

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ing them to observe all things
whatsoever I command you." And
the Commission closed with the
promise, without which it would be
impossible of fulfillment. "Lo I am
with you always, even unto the end
of the world."

"Christ called his disciples in
order that they might call other
disciples. He chose nations in or-
der that they might be messengers
to other nations." He gave Chris-
tianity a home in the world in or-
der that it might make the whole
world its home. The sole boundary
of the religion of Jesus is the ring
of the round earth.—Henry Van
Dyke.

Worshipful Music.

Our worship should be inspiring,
and nothing contributes more to
spiritual enthusiasm than the right
kind of music. It is not enough that
the music shall be spirited; it must
be spiritual. A jazz band is spiri-
ted, but it does not suggest the
presence of God, and so it is not
worshipful. Neither is much of the
religious "ragtime" that afflicts
many of our churches and Sunday
schools. "God is a Spirit; and they
that worship him must worship in
spirit and truth." "The test of a
service is often found in the im-
pression which it leaves on the
mind of a devout person. Coming
away he should be solemnized,
quickened, enlightened, and refresh-
ed. His heart should bear witness
to the fine discernment of Words-
worth's lines:

"I bent before thy gracious throne,
And asked for peace on suppliant
knees;
And peace was given—not peace
alone,
But faith sublimed to ecstasy."

COMMUNISTS ARRESTED.
NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Sixty
communists, 26 of them women,
were arrested today when, as part
of a group of 150 radicals, they gath-

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26th street, to picket a shoe company.
Russian competition has practi-
cally killed the linen-yarn business
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