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SEVENTH YEAR, NO. 35 12 PAGES LUBBOCK, TEXAS WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1928 (AP) MEANS "BY ASSOCIATED PRESS"

Raid Of Federal Agents On Wink Echoes Kidnaping

Nearly Half Million People Are Reported Ill With Flu

Death Toll Rises To 379 In Nation During Past Week

Large Increase In Mortality Rate Is Shown In Report From Washington; Rate Is 15.2 per 100,000

Texas Is Affected

Schools In Waxahachie Are Closed Due to Illness; Big Spring Reports More Than 1,500 Cases

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The number of deaths from influenza as well as the number of new cases of the disease were shown to have increased last week in statistics compiled by the census bureau of the department of commerce. And in reports received today by the public health service.

The commerce department announced that dispatches from 55 cities showed 379 deaths from influenza in the week ending December 15, as compared with 284 deaths from the same cause in these cities and 23 other cities during the week ending December 8. An increase in the death rate of the country also was shown by the commerce department's figures. The mortality for last week was 15.2 per hundred thousand population, compared with 12.7 for the corresponding week of last year.

Nearly Half Million Ill

At the same time the public health service in reports from its officers in 20 states and New York City estimated, upon the basis of information furnished, that there were at least 402,185 cases of influenza. It said this estimate was indicated by an actual report of 80,637 cases.

WAXAHACHIE, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Twenty per cent of the students and teachers absent because of influenza, public schools here today were dismissed for the Christmas holidays. The recess would have begun Friday. Students were instructed to return Dec. 31.

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The city health officer said here today that there were 1,500 cases of influenza and pneumonia in Big Spring, and that he believed the epidemic was abating.

Wilson Will Give Decision Today

Federal Judge Postpones Ruling of Case; Expected To Announce Tuesday; Several Cases Continued

Decision in the case of the West Texas Utilities company versus the City of Spur, which is an effort on the part of the utilities company to enjoin the City of Spur and the Fairbanks, Morse & company, from installing a municipal electric light and power plant at that place, will be handed down by Judge James C. Wilson, United States District judge, at 10 o'clock this morning, together with a number of other decisions in petitions for reviews in bankruptcy, it was announced by the judge Tuesday afternoon.

With these decisions the present, and first, term of the Federal court here will be brought to an end. The next term is scheduled for May 20, 1929.

Cases Continued

The following cases were continued from this term of court to the next one, during the present session, for various reasons:

F. E. Keeler, et al, versus R. C. Dunbar, et al. R. J. Manfull, et al, versus the Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. J. H. Holloway versus Portable Self-Serving Store Co., Inc.

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Kiwanis Christmas Cheer Fund Gets $62.50 Tuesday

Small Pox Puts Pair In Trouble

LEWISTON, Idaho, Dec. 18. (AP)—What does a woman find to talk about, when there's nobody to talk to but her divorced husband?

That question stirred the city somewhat today, while John Hall—barred from his own home and the society of his wife, raged vainly at the city council which denied him entry, and forced his wife to stay with her former husband.

The reason for it all was this: Ray Farrar came to the home of Mrs. Hall, from whom he had been divorced on cruelty grounds on an amicable mission. He brought Christmas toys for his small daughter, who was in Mrs. Hall's custody. While there, he became ill, and a small pox quarantine was slapped down over the house.

When John Hall returned to his home, they would not let him in. They wouldn't let his wife out. They wouldn't let Farrar, the cause of it all, out. The final blow came when after Hall offered to be quarantined with his wife, to keep her company, the city council turned him down and left him out.

And this has to go on for 15 days.

Local Unions Donate To Offering Here For Poor

Christmas, climax of the year for the youngsters, lies just a week away.

Christmas in your home will be a joyful event—old Santa hoary whiskers and all, will be there with his pack loaded to overflowing.

But how about some of the homes of Lubbock? How about those homes where on Christmas morning the stockings are very liable to be empty? How about those homes in which the table—at your house it will be groaning under the weight of turkey and dressing—will be bare?

Eliminate "Empty Stocking"

The Kiwanis club, whose purpose as expressed in its international constitution is "to help the underprivileged child" decided earlier in the month to eliminate the "empty stocking" for Lubbock children. Directors of the club set aside $50 as a nucleus for a "Christmas Cheer" fund, to be expended among the neediest families of Lubbock.

Helped by contributions which have varied from fifty cents to twenty dollars, this nest egg has grown until now it aggregates more than one hundred and fifty dollars. Already Kiwanis committees are busy singling out the homes where the money can be best expended.

A ten dollar check came from Gus Kallas, owner of the Tech Cafe, with instructions to give it to the most needy cause in the city. The check is to be placed in the cheer fund and will be distributed to the vrious poor families over the city.

Citizens of Lubbock are invited to share in the fund. Boys and girls who are assured of a bountiful and joyous Christmas are invited to donate to the club's "nest egg."

Send contributions of any size either to the Avalanche-Journal "Christmas Cheer" fund, or to I. P.

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Grand Canyon Is Scene of Search For Idaho Couple

Planes, Boats and Walking Parties Scan Turbulent River for Missing Man And Wife

(By Associated Press)

NEEDLES, Calif., Dec. 18.—Aerial, boat and walking parties today were searching the river between here and Grand Canyon, Ariz., for a clue to the fate of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hyde, who attempted to run the rapids of the Colorado in a home made scow.

The adventurous Hansen, Idaho, couple last was seen at Bright Angel trail in the heart of the turbulent Grand Canyon, November 18, after winding a difficult course from Green River, Utah, they should have traversed the remaining 200 miles of the isolated water route here two weeks ago.

Two Planes Go Out

Two army observation planes sent out from March field, Riverise, Cal., were to search the river through the desert from here to Las Vegas, Nev., today, remain at the Las Ve-

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Cold Weather Is City's Forecast

Tuesday was the coldest day of the winter, according to the records made by the downward cold-driven thermometer, when it went as low as 16 degrees at an early hour in the morning. This was by five degrees colder than any previous reading of the season.

On December 3 and 8 the temperature went down to 20 degrees heretofore the coldest times of the winter. With a clear sky and a warm sun the temperature rose again during the day.

Weather predictions indicate continuing cold weather for this section, the north Panhandle remaining in the clutches of the coldest spell experienced this year.

ATTITUDE SPREADS

New York Woman Imitates Kansas City Ax Lady

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—The post prohibition "Carry Nation" attitude of women, first reported from Kansas City, has spread to New York.

Mrs. Pauline Horandnitsky pleaded guilty in magistrates court today to smashing the fixtures of an alleged speakeasy near her home in which she said her husband had been spending too much money.

She was held under $100 bail for the court of general sessions.

DUKE IS WORSE

ANTIDES, FRANCE, Dec. 18—(AP)—The condition of Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, seriously ill with pneumonia, was reported to be worse tonight.

Floyd County Road Bond Issue Downed

Citizens Turn Thumbs Down For Third Time On Paving Of Highway Through County; 1,210 to 714

FLOYDADA, Dec. 18. (AP)—For the third time in as many years, the citizens of Floyd county turned thumbs down on a $400,000 road bond issue today, the issue being defeated by the two-third majority rule, although the count at 7 o'clock tonight stood at 1210 for 714 against. Four small country boxes, which will have little effect on the total have not yet reported.

The bonds issue was first placed before the citizens in December, 1926 and failed to make the majority by 152 votes. In August, 1927 it was again brought up for a vote to fall short by 48 votes. The issue will be less than 200 votes of carrying now with all boxes returned, it was said.

Floydada Goes 6 to 1.

The issue called for paving of highway 28 through the county.

The vote in Floydada stood 725 for and 170 against. Leaders for the movement tonight expressed a desire to see the issue again placed before the votrs, stating that they would be willing to work for good roads "until we get them."

Lubbock Woman Drinks Iodine

Mrs. J. B. Dewey, residing at the Texas hotel, is in the West Texas hospital recovering from the effects of drinking a quantity of iodine, but was reported at a late hour Tuesday night as resting well, with good chances of recovery.

Mrs. Dewey, who is the wife of J. B. Dewey, a Santa Fe railroad company switchman, drank the iodine at about 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and was rushed to the hospital in a Bynum Brothers ambulance.

SETS WORLD RECORD

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18. (AP)—A new world's record for continuous barrel rolling in an airplane was established at Lambert-St. Louis field this afternoon when Dale (Red) Jackson, test pilot made 417 rolls in a Curtis Robin airplane.

Mobilization Of Troops Continues In South America

Both Bolivia and Paraguay Prepare for Battle Despite Agreements of Two To Settle Dispute

Business Men Act

President of Paraguay Receives Commission Of Bankers and Merchants Offering Their Aid

(By Associated Press)

ASUNCION, PARAGUAY, Dec. 18—Enrollment of troops goes on despite the acceptance of both Paraguay and Bolivia of the good offices of the Pan-American conference in settlement of their dispute over the territory of the Gran Chaco.

Concepcion has enrolled 5,000 volunteers for immediate service. A battalion of students has been formed here under the command of Major Casal. Four thousand Paraguayans who have been working in Argentine have come forward for military service.

President Guggiari today received a commission of bankers and business leaders for a conference on economic defense measures. A national supply council was formed under the leadership of Senor Bordenave, former foreign minister.

Pan-American Conference Sets to Work In Affair

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18— (AP) — With Bolivia and Paraguay both agreeable to mediation of their dispute by the Pan-American conference on arbitration, that gathering today set its machinery in motion looking to a settlement of the controversy which for over a week has threatened war in South America.

A meeting of the conference's committee to conciliate the Paraguay-Bolivian tangle was proposed for tomorrow, as soon as the text of the notes by Bolivia and Paraguay, accepting the conference's offer of good offices could be brought before it. At that meeting proposals will be discussed for concrete measures to concile the disputants.

investigate the controversy and re-

Meanwhile the conference itself and a sub-committee on conciliation pushed forward with other work treaties agreed upon a general basis for a multi-lateral pact of conciliation whereby in the future all disputes between American states, no matter what their nature, would be subject to the mediation of an international commission.

General Mills Buy Kell Milling Units

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—(AP)—James F. Bell, president of General Mills, Inc., today announced completion of negotiations for purchase by that company from Frank Kell and associates of all Kell Milling properties located at Amarillo, Vernon, Wichita Falls, Waco, Texas; and Oklahoma City and Perry, Okla.

The addition of these mills, with a total capacity of 9,500 barrels per day and grain storage capacity of 3,500,000 bushels, will place General Mills, Inc., in a position to more competitively serve the rapidly growing and the important areas of the Southwest. It will also provide additional wheat purchasing points through the country.

Air Officer Dies

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 18. (AP)—Edward Hubbard of Seattle, vice-president of Boeing Air Transport, Inc., died here tonight following an operation.

Here, There And Everywhere With Associated Press

Announce Race Site

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The National Aeronautic Association's contest committee today announced that St. Louis, Mo., had been selected for the holding of the Gordon Bennett International Balloon races next October 1.

Another Morgan Elected

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. —(AP)—Junius S. Morgan, son of J. Pierpont Morgan, was elected to the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation today, representing the third generation of the famous family of international bankers to become actively associated with the management of this corporation, the world's leading producer of iron and steel.

Increase Production Limit

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The state railroad commission late today granted the application of oil producers in the Winkler county field for increase of the daily production limit from 150,000 to 175,000 barrels a day.

Get Second Gasser

DENISON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The second gasser to be brought in near here, Simpson Fell's No. 3, was making 5,500,000 cubic feet of gas daily today, and had been hooked on to a gas pipe line.

Song Writer's Son Dies

LAKE ARROWHEAD(Calif., Dec. 18—(AP)—Fred J. Smith, son of the famous song writer, Carrie Jacobs Bond, was found dead in his cabin here today.

Wheat Acreage Decreased

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—The Department of Agriculture today estimated that 43,288,000 acres had been sown in winter wheat this year as compared with 47,280,000 acres last year.

Gets Last Audience

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 18. (AP) The Klieg lights dimmed their brilliance in Hollywood today, burned to a dull red glow and flickered out while 2,000 men and women from the studio corners, footlights and screen trouped to a temple to give Theodore Roberts has last "audience." The "Grand Old Man" of motion pictures was buried after nearly half a century of life on the stage and screen.

Breckenridge Man Suicides

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18. (AP)—Tom Nolen, 44, Breckenridge barber, was found shot to death today. Nearby was a note addressed to his daughter, in which he said: "Tell ma I would write to her but she made fun of me last night."

Gets Record Price

TARA, Ont., Dec. 18. (AP)—The record price paid for turkeys during the Christmas season, or for that matter probably for any season, is held by J. Lowe, farmer of this district. While searching around his chicken house for a trace of the thieves who took his 13 turkeys, Mr. Lowe found a purse containing $200.

Transfer Consummated

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—Transfer of West Texas properties of the Henshaw Oil Corporation of San Angelo to the American Maracaibo was consummated in Fort Worth today.

Ninety-Six Are Licensed

DALLAS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Ninety-six licenses to practice medicine in Texas were issued by the State Board of Medical Examiners at its meeting here today.

"South Plains, Inc.," Ads Bring 174 Queries Within Week's Time

The eyes of Texans, Oklahomans, Indianans, Minnesotans, Floridians, Kansans, Illinoisians, Tennesseeans, Arkansans, Georgians, and Alabamans, are upon the South Plains.

And it will not be long until we will have further evidence telling us that the eyes of all the nation are turned this way, if replies continue pouring into the offices of "The South Plains Inc." at the chamber of commerce, following the first appearance of the advertisements being run in the $12,000 advertising campaign which started in four national farm publications.

A total of 174 replies have already been received to the first ads, which appeared on December 15, Tuesday afternoon's mail bringing 30 inquiries from more than half a dozen states.

Most of the queries, so far, are from Texas and Oklahoma for the reason that the first advertisements appeared in farm publications distributed in these two states. Every mail brings dozens of these queries.

And every query is answered with a personal letter, followed by the handsome booklet, "Farm Life on the South Plains of Texas", which tells the complete story of what this life is. The booklet is the best piece of literature evefy to be published on the Plains and is 32 pages in size, cram full of the most authentic and most interest-compelling information possible.

The campaign will run over a period of several months, the combined circulation of the farm publications to be used running in the neighborhood of a million.

Three West Texas Counties Awarded State Highway Aid

Wilbarger, Llano and Tom Green Get Quarter-Million for Highway Construction Tuesday

Contracts Are Let

Final Meeting of Commission for Year Is Busy; More Than Three Million Dollars of Contracts Let

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—Aid aggregating about $250,000 was alloted Wilbarger, Llano and Tom Green counties, and contracts totalling $2,090,318.10 for work already authorized in fifteen counties were awarded by the state highway commission today.

Aid allotted during the two days session amounted to about $426,000 and contracts let totalled $3,889,959.30. The contracts call for a combined mileage in construction of about 250 miles.

Wilbarger Gets 50 Per Cent

Wilbarger county was given 50 per cent state aid, estimated at about $60,000, on highway 23 from Vernon south to the Baylor county line.

Llano county was voted about $40,000 aid on highway 124 through the county. The commission promised state funds equal the amount the company has spent on the highway. Ellan Newson, J. C. Sawyer, and others who appeared for the county said about $41,000 has been spent on the highway.

Tom Green county was granted 50 per cent aid on highway 99 from San Angelo to the Irion county line a distance of 16 miles. It was estimated the road would cost $315,000. Iron, Reagan and Upton counties had delegations in attendance also in the interest of the same highway through their counties. They told the commission that they intended financing the construction of their part when they got ready to start construction work.

Contracts Awarded

Contracts awarded today included:

Eastland—widening roadbed eight miles between Cisco Romney highway 23; E. F. Bucy and Son, Rising

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McLennan Highway Bonds Are Passed

Election Gives County Near $5,000,000 Worth of Good Roads; State Promises $2,500,000 Aid

(By Associated Press)

WACO, Dec. 18.—What the Waco chamber of commerce claims is a record for ratio of majorities for bond issues in Texas for all time came in McLennan county Tuesday in an election on $4,791,500 good road bonds with a vote of 6,590 in favor of the bonds to 1,273 against.

In Waco the ratio of approval was 17 to 1, while in the county boxes outside of Waco the ratio of approval was 3 to 1.

The state highway department has already agreed to add at least $2,500,000 to the amount voted in McLennan county today and the program calls for completion of the work in three years, including 330 miles of graveled or all-weather cross roads, not designated as highways. One hundred and sixty-nine miles of designated highways will be concreted of 20 foot width.

One Killed and 3 Hurt In Car Crash

WINK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Judge Allen Beadel, 60, of Wink, formerly of Lake Village, Ark., was killed, Garrett Morgan, 38, of Wink, well known pipeline builder was probably fatally injured and John Kennedy, Wink butcher was dangerously injured in an automobile crash between Wink and Kermit tonight. Mrs. L. H. Walker, formerly of Roaring Springs, was painfully injured, but is expected to recover.

The accident occurred when the car occupied by the three men rushed into the rear of a truck loaded with timbers which had stopped at the side of the road. L. H. Walker, the truck driver said that he stood in the road and flashed a flashlight at the oncoming car until he was forced to jump for his life.

OIL FIRE EXTINGUISHED

GALVESTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Steam and chemicals today extinguished an oil well fire at High Island, after burning a week.

The greatest serial story in South Plains history, 'Orchid', by Eleanor Early, begins Sunday, December 23, and continues daily in the Morning Avalanche. Watch for 'Orchid'.

Federal Men Seize Ton Of Narcotics At New York Dock

Largest Consignment In History of Nation Grabbed at Hudson River Pier; Is Valued at $5,000,000

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—One ton of narcotics, valued by federal authorities at $5,000,000 was seized tonight by special agents of the treasury department at a Hudson river pier.

The seizure was described by United States Attorney Tuttle as the largest of its kind on record.

Seven large packing cases, marked as being trahs-shipped from the French liner Paris to an unidentified consignee in Philadelphia, were taken to the barge office under guard and placed in a sealed room. The cases contained opium

The cases were each large enough to have contained a small automobile.

Airport Expert To Pay Visit to City

In communications received from the aeronautics branch of the United States chamber of commerce Tuesday, the local chamber of commere was notified that as soon as the itinerary of an expert in airport construction would permit of his coming to Lubbock that they would send him and notify George Benson, chairman of the local chamber of commerce airport committee.

The local airport committee have secured about 17 different sites for an airplane landing field and are only awaiting advice as to which will prove the more advantageous field to select as a permanent airport before completing deals and going ahead with plans for building Lubbock's airport.

TO VOTE ON TREATY

Foreign Relations Group Orders Ballot On Pact

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Kellogg treaty to renounce war was ordered reported to the senate today by its foreign relations committee after two weeks of consideration. The vote was 14 to 2.

Two democrats, Reed of Missouri and Bayard of Delaware, cast the votes against the pact while two republicans, Moses of New Hampshire, and McLean of Connecticut, merely voted "present on the poll."

PLAN BIG PORT

Corpus Christi To Be Scene Of Much Development

NEW YORK, Dec. 19—(AP)— Development of Corpus Christi, Texas, as a gulf port and a shipping outlet for Southern Texas is to be financed in part, it was learned today, through early offering of $2,000,000 Corpus Christi 6 per cent water plant revenue bonds. The federal government already has spent more than $7,000,000 on the port project and more than $12,500,000 additional has been spent by the state, city and navigation district. It is planned to build a $10,000,000 CANAL which will link the land-locked harbor, now accessible from deep water only through a 32-mile channel, with the Mississippi region.

Texas Rangers Aid Government Men In Raiding Oil Town

Thirty Alleged Gambling Halls and Vice Resorts Are Closed and Scores Held

Burcham Is Found

Kidnaped Cafe Man Aids In Disclosing Illegal Traffic Of Liquor, Drugs, Cars In West Texas

(By Associated Press)

WINK, Dec. 18—Texas Rangers and a score of federal agents descended on Wink tonight, raided and closed 30 alleged liquor, gambling and vice resorts, and arrested scores of suspects on liquor, gambling and narcotic charges, or as witnesses.

The squad of federal men, the first ever to take a hand in Wink's turbulent law enforcement, included prohibition officers, customs inspectors, narcotic inspectors and Dyer act specialists brought here to look for stolen automobiles. The invasion is thought to have been a direct result of the recent kidnaping of P. C. (Denver Blackie) Burcham, alleged lieutenant of "Scarface Al" Capone of Chicago. Burcham escaped from his kidnappers and became lost on the desert where he was found, suffering from exposure this morning.

Disclosures Cause Arrests

Disclosures which he made about his alleged abductors resulted in a dozen arrests by County Sheriff "Pecos Bill Priest earlier in the evening before the federal men and rangers launched their raids.

In 19 raids on various establishments the government forces arrested 25 men on liquor charges and then started out to round up scores of narcotic suspects. In the meantime rangers raided three "super" gambling halls where the sky is said to have been the limit and eight larger but less exclusive gaming places.

The raids caught all the alleged resorts by surprise and the officers had all they could do to handle the

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Rotary Club Holds Program for Wives

Eleborate Affair Tendered Ladies In Lubbock Hotel Last Night; Musical Selections Feature

An elaborte program, prepared in honor of Rotary-Anns, following a luncheon, was given Tuesday night at the Lubbock Hotel, with several hundred local Rotarians and their ladies present.

H. C. Pipkin, of Amarillo, delivered the principal address of the evening, which was otherwise featured by an address by Dr. Paul W. Horn, president of Texas Technological college, selections from "The Student Prince in Heidelberg," by a chorus and other musical numbers.

R. J. Murray, president of the Lubbock Rotary club, officiated as toastmaster, the affair opening with the song, America and invocation by Rev. Walter P. Jennings, pastor

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The Weather

WEST TEXAS—Wednesday and Thursday, partly cloudy to unsettled; probably colder Wednesday night. Local temperatures: Maximum, 55; Minimum, 18.

Howard Ranchman Sells 3400 Steers

(Special To The Avalanche)

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18.—Tom J. Good, Howard county rancher sold to Kilpatrick Bros. of Beatrice, Neb. 3400 coming yearling steers for a cash consideration of $240,000. These cattle will be shipped to the Kilpatrick Bros. ranches at Imperial and Alliance Nebraska to be finished. The cattle will winter on the ranch of Mr. Good and will be delivered to purchasers between first and fifteenth of May.

Old Time Operator Dies By Suiciding

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 18— (AP) — Stanley Mentzer, 50, an old time telegrapher, died in a hospital here today after swallowing a glass of poison in his hotel room.

Mentzer left several notes, one addressed to his wife who he said was visiting relatives here. Police, however, were unable to locate her.

Another note indicated that Mentzer had at one time worked for the Associated Press in New Orleans and had established a record for fast sending. Another note was addressed to a son, Archie Mentzer, but no address was given.

A New Wrinkle

Paper Now Made From Corn Stalks

A ready cash market for corn stalks, grain sorghum stalks, cotton stalks, wheat straw and other waste products of the farm, may in the near future be available, making these waste articles of income value to the producers, same as the grain and cotton is now.

On paper made from corn stalks, the December 13 issue of The Prairie Farmer was published last week at Chicago, the paper being manufactured out of corn stalk pulp, which was made by a Danville, Ill., factory, by a paper manufacturer in Kalamazoo, Mich., the entire process from stalk to paper requiring only six hours time.

The discovery of the process whereby corn stalks are used in making paper was disvocered by Dr. Bela Dorner, a Hungarian.

VENUE IS CHANGED

Kittleband Trial to Be Tried In Brazos County

MADISONVILLE, Dec. 18—(AP) — Because publicity given the case would interfere in the selection of a jury, a change of venue was granted today to Jim Kittleband, slated to face trail for the alleged slaying of Henry Walker, Midway barber. Kittleband will be tried in the Brazos county district court during February.

START NEW CLINIC

San Angelo Gets Hospital Unit Soon

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 18—Construction work will start immediately on a new brick, two story, 32 room, clinic located at 11 East Harris avenue, by six San Angelo physicians. Contract was let last week to F. M. Reeves and Son for approximately $75,000.

COMMUNITY AFFAIR

Big Spring Women Hold Big Christmas Celebration

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18—The Community Christmas Tree sponsored by the City Federation has been erected on the Court House lawn in this city. A large star electrically lighted is placed in the top of the tree. A community sing-song will be held around the tree during the Christmas holidays.

SOFT BERETS

Paris sends us a stunning beret type of hat in the most pliable of straws, with little sprigs of color on top.

Life for Bomb Death

Still protesting his innocence, Paul Reed, 24, of Rockford, Ill., must serve a life sentence for the bomb murder of Vernon Flager, husband of Ivy Flager, whom he loved. Flager was blown to death last July when he stepped on the starter of his automobile, to which a stick of dynamite had been wired.

Evening Elegance Balances Plain Street Wear

BY LUCY CLAIRE
Fashion Expert for Central Press and Avalanche-Journal

Conservatism governs the frocks of daytime wear, balanced by anything but conservatism for formal afternoon and evening wear. The smart woman is never conspicuously dressed, yet there is always something about her clothes that makes her stand out as chic wherever she goes. In an ordinary crowd she may pass unnoticed, but in a small gathering of those in the know, she creates a little ripple of approval. Therefore, she dresses conservatively for the street, but for the evening function, where smart women gather, she goes to the extreme of individuality and elegance.

One of the modish afternoon frocks is shown at the left of the sketch. Its elegance consists in its simplicity. It is fashioned of autumn rose chiffon with the irregular hemline and the fullness achieved in shirring. A unique feature consists in the decorations of fine pin tucks applied in all-over leaf patterns on the bodice and at the snug hipline. A low-placed fullness, with a raised front treatment, achieves the dip in the back. The fullness just below the swathed hip at the sides and in the back gives the skirt the double tier effect. The long sheer sleeves are caught at the wrists with bows. Rose beige kid shoes and flesh hose are worn with this frock.

Cocktail Jacket Appeals to Big Town

The little cocktail or evening jacket has taken New York by storm. We see it everywhere for formal wear. Owning to our warmly heated apartments, and places of amusement, the sequin, lace or chiffon jackets are the most popular. The velvets have been found too warm. For the theater or dinner gown they are almost a necessary accessory to the formal costume, and more youthful than the scarfs of a season back. A very youthful jacket of black lace touched with silver spangles accompanies the charming dinner frock of black tulle shown at the center of the sketch. This frock, built on princess lines, introduces its fullness in a step arrangement raised at one side and dipping in the back, giving a slightly modernistic trend in the handling.

By way of contrast is shown a short jacket sports costume designed for southern resort wear. While conservative in style, the colors are the bright sports tones of the new silks for summer. A red, white and beige print sports gayly on a rayol blue background. The skirt is fashioned in unpressed pleats hung from a shallow pointed yoke. The white silk jumper repeats the print of the ensemble in a narrow edging on the generous bow at the neckline. A beige felt hat and beige kid shoes are worn with the ensemble.

TACKETT TO BUILD

$1,500 Permit Sends Total To $72,000 Mark

Harry Tackett, 2215 Eighth street, was issued a permit Tuesday to erect a five room, brick veneer, residence, costing $1,500, according to records of the city building inspector.

This permit places the December record to $72,000 for 22 permits and that for the year to $3,159,669, for 672 permits.

SIX FINES ASSESSED

Six fines were assessed and paid in city yourt Tuesday morning, according to Desk Sergeant J. T. Inman. Two of the fines were for vagrancy, $15 each; two for disturbing the peace, $15 each; one for drunkenness and disturbing the peace, $25 and one for drunkenness $15.

Pioneer Buses Add Schedules In City

The Pioneer Bus Lines announced Tuesday the addition of further bus service in and out of Lubbock, between here and Roswell, N. M., with a change in schedules on the line according to Garnett Abbott, official of the company. Two through schedules daily now are offered by the lines, to Roswell.

Buses now leave here at 6:40 in the morning and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, arriving at Roswell at 2 p. m. and 10 p. m., Mountain time. Return trips, the buses leave Roswell at 7:45 a. m. and 12 o'clock noon, arriving here at 3:30 p. m. and 6:30 p. m.

Lamesa Faces New Year With Greatest Is Greatest Feature of City's Growth

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Permits Total More Than 3 Hundred Thousand For Year; Schools, Churches, Business Houses Improve

(Special To The Avalanche)

LAMESA, Dec. 18.—Lamesa is continuing the forward march of steady and permanent development. Here you find no boom in process. There is a constant and ever steady building program in evidence that makes Lamesa take her place among the many West Texas growing and properous cities. Since the first of June when the city building permit ordinance went into effect there have been better than $300,000 permits granted. These have included two new churches, five brick stores, four brick and stucco filling stations and two dozen modern homes. With all the buildings that has been in process Lamesa has suffered a shortage of homes and rent houses have been in demand. At the same time there has been ample labor here to take care of the labor needs

At this time the First Baptist church people are contemplating plans for a new and elaborate edifice that will be in keeping with the homes of other denominations and the building program in the city.

Build Two Tourist Camps

Lamesa now has two very modern tourist camps whereas a year ago she had none. These camps are filled to overflowing every night according to the owners and plans are underway to enlarge them as soon as possible. The owners of the five hotels in the city report that their hotels are well filled every night.

Lamesa now has a population of 5500, one thousand modern homes 120 brick business and office buildings, 17 blocks of brick paving, electric lights and power, gas, city water, and sewerage, telephone system, and all modern conveniences, that go toward making up a city.

Telephone Improvement Made

The State Telephone Company at this time is at work constructing a $60,000 modern, common battery telephone system. This work will be complete by the first of March according to the officials of the company. The city now has 1,000 water customers, the light company has 1100 and gas company has around five hundred. The gas company is new here having been in operation only about four months. They are tying on customers as fast as they can connect them.

Lamesa school system is among the best in West Texas. The high school has 26 1-2 credits of affiliation and has at this time an attendance of 450 students. It has the distinction of having the largest senior classes for the population of any city of any high school west of Fort Worth according to school officials. Last year 75 students were graduated from the senior class and at the same time an equal number of students were graduated from the Grammar school. This year there are enrolled in the senior class 105 students. There is an attendance of better than 1300 in both the Grammar and High school. There are according to V. Z. Rogers, superintendent, 230 students more in attendance this fall than the scholastics showed last March.

JOIN U. S. ORGANIZATION

BIG SPRING,—Upon invitation of Joseph P. Leopold, manager of southern centra division of U. S. Chamber of Commerce, the Big Spring chamber of commerce has taken membership with this organization.

PLAN FOR EXPOSITION

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 18—A meeting of the oil division and the aviation committee of the Board of City Development will likely be held this week to determine the dates in January for the annual West Texas Oil Exposition and for the opening of San Angelo's new 250 acre airport.

Kills Widow for Revenge, He Says

Because she had him sent to the reformatory for stealing chickens, Mrs. Samuel Jones, 63, wealthy widow of Towanda, Pa., was killed by 18-year-old Arthur Leonard, according to Leonard's story to police. Leonard was arrested in Buffalo by railroad police and confessed after five hours of grilling at the Erie county penitentiary.

UNION BUS TERMINAL SCHEDULES

NORTH PLAINS COACHES
LUBBOCK TO AMARILLO

NORTH BOUND—READ DOWN					SOUTH BOUND—READ UP			
8:00AM	10:30AM	2:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	1:00PM	4:30PM	7:15PM	9:00PM
8:40AM	11:10AM	3:10PM	5:35PM	ABERNATHY	1:30PM	4:00PM	6:30PM	9:00PM
9:20AM	11:45AM	3:45PM	6:10PM	HALE CENTER	12:55PM	3:25PM	5:55PM	8:25PM
9:45AM	12:10PM	4:10PM	6:30PM	PLAINVIEW	12:00N	3:00PM	5:30PM	8:00PM
10:15AM	12:35PM	4:35PM	7:00PM	KRESS	11:25AM	2:25PM	4:55PM	7:25PM
10:45AM	1:10PM	5:05PM	7:30PM	TULIA	11:00AM	2:00PM	4:30PM	7:00PM
11:15AM	1:50PM	5:45PM	8:05PM	HAPPY	10:30AM	1:30PM	3:55PM	6:30PM
12:00N	2:25PM	6:25PM	8:45PM	CANYON	9:40AM	12:40PM	3:15PM	5:40PM
12:45PM	3:15PM	7:15PM	9:30PM	AMARILLO	9:00AM	12:00N	2:30PM	5:00PM

Convenient connections at Amarillo for Panhandle oil fields, Colorado and Oklahoma

SOUTH PLAINS COACHES
LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER

SOUTH BOUND—READ DOWN					NORTH BOUND—READ UP			
7:45AM	12:00N	2:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	12:15PM	4:00PM	8:45PM	2:00AM
8:15AM	12:30PM	3:00PM	5:30PM	SLATON	11:30AM	3:00PM	8:15PM	1:00AM
8:30AM	12:45PM	3:20PM	5:45PM	SOUTHLAND	11:15AM	2:50PM	8:00PM	12:45AM
9:15AM	1:30PM	4:00PM	6:30PM	POST	10:45AM	2:15PM	7:15PM	12:15AM
9:45AM	2:00PM	4:30PM	7:00PM	JUSTICEBERG	10:15AM	1:50PM	6:30PM	11:30PM
10:15AM	2:40PM	5:10PM	7:40PM	DERMOTT	9:30AM	1:10PM	5:50PM	10:50PM
10:45AM	3:00PM	5:30PM	8:00PM	SNYDER	9:15AM	12:50PM	5:30PM	10:30PM
11:05AM	3:15PM	5:50PM	8:20PM	HERMLEIGH	8:55AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	10:00PM
11:20AM	3:30PM	6:15PM	8:35PM	INADALE	8:40AM	11:40AM	4:45PM	9:45PM
11:40AM	3:45PM	6:35PM	9:00PM	ROSCOE	8:20AM	11:20AM	4:20PM	9:20PM
12:00N	4:10PM	6:45PM	9:15PM	SWEETWATER	8:00AM	11:00AM	4:00PM	9:00PM
1:00PM	5:00PM	8:20PM	.....	ABILENE	.....	9:30AM	2:00PM	.....
3:45PM	8:00PM	.....	.....	BRECKENRIDGE	.....	.....	.....	.....
7:45PM	11:45PM	3:45AM	.....	FT. WORTH	.....	.....	8:00AM	.....

Connections at Sweetwater for San Angelo at 12:15 PM, 4:30PM, and 9:00PM; and at Snyder at 10:30 AM and 1:30PM for Coleman.

PIONEER MOTOR LINES
LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD AND ROSWELL

READ DOWN LEAVE				READ UP LEAVE		
8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	10:00AM	2:15PM	6:30PM
9:00AM	1:15PM	5:45PM	ROPES	9:45AM	1:30PM	5:45PM
9:15AM	1:30PM	6:00PM	MEADOW	9:25AM	1:00PM	5:30PM
10:00AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	BROWNFIELD	8:00AM	12:30PM	5:00PM
.....	3:30PM	.....	PLAINS	.....	11:00AM	.....
.....	4:45PM	.....	BRONCO	.....	10:00AM	Cen. T.
.....	5:00PM	.....	TATUM	.....	10:15AM	.....
.....	6:15PM	.....	ROSWELL	.....	7:45AM	Mt. T.

12:30 car from Lubbock makes connections at Brownfield for Seagraves, Seminoe and Odessa.

SUNSET COACHES
LUBBOCK TO CLOVIS

WEST BOUND—READ DOWN					EAST BOUND—READ UP		
8:15AM	12:30PM	4:30PM	LUBBOCK	12:00N	4:00PM	9:00PM
8:35AM	12:45PM	4:50PM	SHALLOWATER	11:30AM	4:15PM	8:30PM
9:00AM	1:15PM	5:20PM	ANTON	11:05AM	3:40PM	8:00PM
9:30AM	1:40PM	5:15PM	LITTLEFIELD	10:45AM	3:20PM	7:40PM
9:50AM	2:00PM	6:30PM	AMHERST	10:30AM	3:00PM	7:20PM
10:10AM	2:25PM	6:30PM	SUDAN	10:10AM	2:45PM	7:00PM
11:00AM	3:05PM	7:15PM	MULESHOE	9:15AM	2:00PM	6:10PM
11:45AM	4:00PM	8:00PM	TEXICO-FARWELL	8:20AM	1:05PM	5:20PM
12:00N	4:20PM	8:30PM	CLOVIS, N. M. Mt. Time	7:00AM	11:45AM	4:00PM

Connections at Clovis for Roswell, El Paso, Tucumcari and Hereford.

RED STAR COACHES
LUBBOCK TO BIG SPRING

READ DOWN				READ UP		
8:00AM	2:00PM	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	10:20AM	2:30PM	10:00PM
9:00AM	3:00PM	6:00PM	TAHOKA	9:15AM	1:32PM	5:00PM
9:30AM	3:30PM	6:30PM	O'DONNELL	8:45AM	12:32PM	4:30PM
10:15AM	4:15PM	7:15PM	Ar. LAMESA Lv.	8:15AM	12:00PM	3:40PM
10:20AM	4:30PM	7:20PM	Lv. LAMESA Ar.	7:50AM	11:50AM	3:40PM
10:30AM	5:00PM	7:30PM	SPARENBERG	7:20AM	11:20AM	3:00PM
11:15AM	5:20PM	8:15PM	ACKERLY	7:00AM	11:00AM	2:40PM
11:35AM	5:37PM	8:35PM	KNOTT	6:45AM	10:45AM	2:25PM
12:30PM	6:30PM	9:15PM	BIG SPRING	6:00AM	10:00AM	1:40PM

Connections at Lubbock with all lines east, west and north. Lamesa connections for Midland at 10:30AM, 4:30PM. Big Spring all lines east, west, south and T. & P. trains.

TEXAS MOTOR WAYS, INC.
(Formerly Lone Star Stages)
LUBBOCK TO STAMFORD

New Rates, Through Schedules, and New White Parlor Cars

READ DOWN				READ UP		
7:45AM	12:00N	5:00PM	LUBBOCK	10:15AM	3:30PM	8:30PM
8:20AM	12:35PM	5:30PM	IDALOU	9:40AM	2:55PM	7:55PM
8:40AM	12:55PM	5:50PM	LORENZO	9:20AM	2:35PM	7:35PM
9:00AM	1:15PM	6:10PM	RALLS	9:05AM	2:00PM	7:15PM
9:20AM	1:40PM	6:30PM	CROSBYTON	8:20AM	1:40PM	6:55PM
9:30AM	2:40PM	7:30PM	DICKENS	7:30AM	12:40PM	6:05PM
11:00AM	3:00PM	7:50PM	SPUR	7:00AM	12:00N	5:30PM
11:30AM	3:30PM	.....	GIRARD	.....	11:30AM	5:00PM
11:45AM	3:45PM	.....	JAYTON	.....	11:15AM	4:50PM
12:15PM	4:15PM	.....	PEACOCK	.....	10:50AM	4:25PM
12:35PM	4:35PM	.....	SWENSON	.....	10:35AM	4:10PM
12:45PM	4:45PM	.....	ASPERMONT	.....	10:05AM	3:40PM
1:10PM	5:10PM	.....	OLD GLORY	.....	9:50AM	3:25PM
2:25PM	6:25PM	.....	EAGERTON	.....	9:35AM	3:00PM
2:50PM	6:50PM	.....	STAMFORD	.....	9:00AM	2:45PM
4:00PM	8:00PM	.....	BRECKENRIDGE	.....	.....	12:45PM
7:45PM	11:30PM	.....	FORT WORTH	.....	.....	9:00AM
			RALLS DIVISION			
9:00AM	2:00PM	.....	RALLS	.....	2:15PM	9:00PM
11:45AM	2:15PM	.....	FLOYDADA	.....	1:30PM	10:30PM
1:00PM	4:30PM	.....	MATADOR	.....	12:00PM	7:15PM
2:30PM	6:00PM	.....	PADUCAH	.....	10:30AM	6:00PM
4:00PM	8:30PM	.....	QUANAH	.....	8:30AM	4:45PM
4:00PM	7:00PM	.....	CROWELL	.....	8:00AM	4:15PM
5:00PM	8:00PM	.....	VERNON	.....	7:30AM	3:00PM

Connections at Stamford for Abilene, Cisco and Austin; At Dickens for Wichita Falls and Oklahoma points and at Quanah for Childress, Wellington, Shamrock, Altus and Oklahoma City.

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You perhaps have a vacant room for which you desire an occupant—a bit of furniture for which you no longer have need — your household help may leave you quite suddenly—no matter what your requirements may be, take advantage of The Avalanche-Journal classified section. Right now, while it's fresh in your mind —phone that want ad to The Avalanche-Journal. A thoroughly competent ad taker will be pleased to assist you in wording the ad in order to insure its producing the most gratifying results possible.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

TWO PAPERS — ONE PRICE

RAIL PRESIDENT WEDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Arthur Charles Needles, president of the Norfolk and Western Railway company, and Miss Edith Hortense Clarke of New York were married today.

Mr. Needles is 61 and his bride who is the daughter of William E. Clarke of Union City, Pa. is 26.

DEEP CUFFS

Grey and red braid form very deep cuffs and a very small collar on a new mid-summer topcoat of grey kasha.

COTULLA, Dec. 18—(AP)—A contingent contract for the construction of a $6,000,000 irrigation project for the La Salle County Water Improvement District No. 1 has been signed and work on the job, the largest of its kind in Texas, is to start within five months.

AUSTIN, Dec. 18—(AP)—Christmas observance at the University of Texas will start tomorrow with Christmas carol singing by the University's Girls' Glee Club. The carols will be sung at noon on the campus.

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Blanket robes in assorted patterns. Well-shaped, cut full and attractively trimmed. Roomy pockets.

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A 5-Piece Shaving Set

This Aywon Shaving Set contains full-size packages of Shaving Cream, Talc, After-Shaving Lotion, a Genuine Gillette Razor and 5 Moredge Blades. In holiday box. Useful, inexpensive.

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Handsome Towel and Wash Cloth Sets

Color plays such an important part in every room in the house that these attractive turkish towel and wash cloth sets are especially acceptable for gifts.

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For Christmas

No matter what his age or his taste, you can be sure to find something to please him among our wide range of patterns and colors at

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Hosiery Plays a Star Role

On the Gift Program

Whenever there is a feminine gift to be selected, hosiery is sure to be considered—here is a suggestion for your most particular friends.

Pure Silk Hose in Harmonious Colors

$1.49

Service weight and lovely sheer chiffon—hose with lisle top and sole —or fine hose, silk to the top. Here is an answer to many a gift-problem.

OPEN NIGHTS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

Cotton Growers To Ask Returns For Restrictions

Western Cotton Growers' Committee To Meet In Big Spring Today To Consider Program

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18—The Legislative Committee of the Western Cotton Growers Cooperative Association will meet in Big Spring at the Chamber of Commerce office on Wednesday December 19th where they will outline a program by which information will be furnished to the Legislature of Texas in their January term asking for renumeration to the cotton growers who have been compelled by the State and Federal Governments to sterilize and fumigate all cotton seed and cotton products in a restricted aread.

The ginners of Howard county, the cotton buyers, Manager of the Big Spring compress will attend this meeting and will compile information as to the cost of this fumigation to the farmers and giners and compress company. Entomologists and informed farmers are convinced that the sterilization requirements are as much protection to the eastern farmers as to the farmers of western Texas where climatic conditions are extremely unfavorable to the perpetuation of any farm insects. High altitude and dry climate make it practically impossible for insects to survive through the winter.

Texas Matrimony Has Rushing Time

DALLAS, Dec. 18—(AP)—A department of commerce bulletin from Washington says there were 74,042 marriages performed in Texas during the year 1927, as compared with 69,902 in 1926, representing an increase of 4,140 or 5.9 per cent.

In 1916 there were 54,103 marriages performed.

But while Cupid was busy bringing loving youths to the altar, other forces were at work destroying tried marriages. During the year 1927 there were 17,290 divorces granted in Texas as compared with 15,472 in 1926, an increase of 11.8 per cent. In 1916 there were 8,504 divorces granted. There were 115 marriages annulled in 1927 as compared with 103 in 1926.

Estimated population of Texas on July 1 1927 was 5,297,000 and on July 1 1926 5,313,000. On the basis of these figures the number of marriages per 1000 of the population was 13.7 in 1927 as against 13.2 in 1926; and the number of divorces per 1000 population was 3.20 in 1927 as against 2.91 in 1926.

CAR REGISTERED

Two New Licenses and 32 Re-Registrations Sold

Two new automobile licenses were issued Tuesday by I. F. Holland, county tax collector, to O. H. Parker, Chevrolet coupe, and D. A. Hobbs, Ford coupe, both of Lubbock. Passenger car licenses issued this year, to date, number 8,952.

There were 32 re-registrations made Tuesday for 1929 licenses, bringing the total of these issued to date up to 228. You can see whether or not there will be a rush after January first, with 9,000 licenses to be paid and only about 30 or 40 people paying them now. Better get in now and save standing in line along about the time for the last days in which to pay them arrive.

Pet Dog Uncovers Mystery Slaying When Posse Fails To Dig Up Truth

Dr. J. P. Horton, Memphis preacher, with his dog, Jack, and, inset, Mrs. Mary Irene Meath Taylor.

By EUGENE TRAVIS
Staff Writer for Central Press and The Avalanche

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 18.—Somewhere along the gulf coast a fugitive hides, close-lipped and wary, dodging the law for a crime uncovered by a pet collie where sheriff's officers failed.

That is the picture painted by W. Tyler McLain, Memphis state's attorney, who has been directing a man hunt through the south for the slayer of Mrs. Mary Irene Meath Taylor, 40, wife of a baritone soloist, whose body was found in a trunk in a room of the Taylor home.

Police have been seeking Charles S. Taylor, the husband, for questioning in connection with the case.

When the slayer is found, if at all, he can blame Jack, the pet collie owned by Dr. J. P. Horton, Baptist minister, for uncovering the crime. For Jack proved his animal sagacity keener than the wits of a posse of sheriff's deputies, who had searched the Taylor home a week before and had failed to uncover any evidence of the crime.

"I was out for a morning jaunt, walking leisurely by the little bungalow, when Jack, my dog, scooted around the house," Dr. Horton has told sheriff's deputies.

"He began to bark. I strolled on in the crisp air. His barking and growling grew louder. I whistled, called and coaxed in vain. But Jack was obstinate. Then I retraced my steps and found him in the backyard. He was standing resolute over a pair of blood-stained towels, half-hidden beneath the back steps.

"When I approached Jack sprang at the back door, and his growling frightened me. I called to two men across the street and asked them to join me in an investigation. We crashed in the door.

"My dog leaped past us and was upon the trunk with his paws, still growling. Feminine apparel was strewn topsy turvy over the room and on a bed behind which the trunk stood. We tried to lift the trunk. It was heavy. So we ripped off the lock—and there, jammed in the trunk, was the body of a fine-looking woman."

The crime was discovered 10 days after Taylor and his wife had been reported missing. Sheriff's deputies had been called to the house, serached it and overlooked the blood-stained towels in the yard and the corpse in that old trunk.

The Taylors married in Memphis 11 years ago. They had lived in Savannah, Ga., Port Gibson, Miss., and at Florida points. They returned to Memphis five years ago. He ceased his musical activities and was dabbling in suburban real estate operations.

New Laundry Is Opened In Lubbock

With the intealllation of new equipment, making possible an increase in output, Paul Smith has opened a laundry at 611 Avenue N. to do very kind of laundry work for the public, it was announced Tuesday.

Mr. Smith has been doing laundry work for a number of large concerns in Lubbock for quite a time and has expanded his business to such an extent that public demands made it necessary that he enlarge his plant.

"With my new equipment, which is the latest manufactured," said Mr. Smith, "I am now ready to take care of any and all laundry work for the people of Lubbock."

WOMAN FALLS 6 FLOORS

Wealthy Widow Dies In Plunge From Hotel

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Kneeland, 70, wealthy widow, fell six floors to her death today from her palatial suit in a local hotel. She is believed to have leaped from a window during a fit of despondency over ill health, which started when her hip was broken seven years ago.

Chevrolet Dealers Of District Hold Meeting In City

Chevrolet dealers of the South Plains territory spent the day in Lubbock Tuesday attending a business management conference, conducted by W. F. Doyle, of Oklahoma City, zone sales manager for the Chevrolet Motor company; G. S. Spriggs of Oklahoma City, zone accounting manager, and T. L. Mullican, factory representative of the company.

Practically every dealer attending the conference brought along his firm's accountant and banker, the purpose of the conference stated as being a means of improving the dealers' facilities in rendering more efficient service to customers, in keeping with the rapid improvements being made by the Chevrolet car itself. At noon Tuesday the visitors were given a luncheon at the Lubbock hotel, their sessions having been held in the Up Town Dance palace. Following is a list of those present:

Roy Abell, Lorenzo; C. C. Burkholder, Ralls; Ed Lieske, Crosbyton; Mr. Jackson, Slaton; Dayton O'Keefe, Post; Mr. Snowden, Tahoka; Mr. Wilder, O'Donnell; T. F. Vaughan, Lamesa; R. W. Carter, Brownfield; C. W. Avery, Meadow; G. H. Tubb, Levelland; W. W. Gillette, Littlefield; K. K. Smith, Muleshoe; G. E. Moss, Earth; Ed Hutto, Sudan; T. C. Shepard, Plainview; Mrs. Crow, Abernathy; C. E. Martin; Petersburg; G. P. Kuykendall, Lubbock; T. L. Mullican, W. F. Doyle and G. E. Soriggs, of the company.

NEGRO GETS DEATH

Electric Chair Is Penalty Assessed Killer of Girl

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Death in the electric chair was the sentence pronounced today for David Shanks, negro, who last August brutally beat and killed Miss Jennie Meta Constance, post graduate student of Northwestern University, after waylaying her at night.

Judge Denis J. Normoyle overruled a motion for new trial and set the execution for February 15.

LOCAL MEN INJURED

L. A. Ryan and Pierson Couch Hurt In Wreck

L. A. Ryan and Pierson Couch, of Lubbock, were found unconscious at the side of the highway near Breckenridge, when their car collided with a concrete bridge, it was reported here Tuesday, both being in a serious condition. Couch is said to have received a fractured skull and Ryan was injured about the legs and body. The accident occurred last Saturday.

ORGANIZE SCOUTS

BORGER, Dec. 18. —(AP)— Four Boy Scout troops, consisting of a roll call of 100 boys, will be organized before the end of the year, according to J. D. Miller, organizer of the first scout troop here.

On Trial for Husband's Death

No, testified pretty Mrs. Frances Glenn Kirkwood in a blind rage against his alleged infidelities. They had quarreled, she said, and when she attempted suicide he struggled with her and was stabbed accidentally. Mrs. Kirkwood is pictured here with a police matron at the trial in Queens, Long Island.

Texas Insurance Is Benefited By Decision of Court

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—Texas has taken a froward step in insurance more or less by accident, the annual report of Chairman R. B. Cousins, Jr., and the State Board of Insurance Commissioners point out.

The "accident" was a supreme court decision that no distinction could properly be drawn between fire and casualty insurance companies and that one corporation could do both classes of business.

This has resulted in both casualty and fire companies amending their charters and taking up both lines. Heretofore, Cousins says, it has been the general custom to divide insurance into three distinct lines, life, fire and casualty. Prior to the court decision that had been the practice in Texas and was generally thought to be necessary by law.

Confusion Results

"The result has not been bad from an insurance standpoint," Cousins reported though some confusion has resulted in supervision. The rule followed has been to enforce the more stringent regulation where a company takes up both lines.

Post Morton insurance assessment is not recognized, the report says, calling it a fallacious plan against which the attorney general's department has been requested to take action by the insurance department. Regulation of mutual insurance associations is urged. Mutual insurance is sound. Cousins, but companies should not be begun on insufficient capital. After a concern has weathered its first few years, he says, it can reasonably hope for success thereafter.

"The automobile insurance law as written is far from satisfactory," says the report. "It is very doubtful if the Casualty Insurance Division can ever satisfactorily administer the present automobile law and the workman's compensation law together as they are built on separate principles."

Complete codification of the insurance laws by a committee between the 41st and 42nd legislature is suggested.

STUDIES AIR LINES

Chicago Man Plans Lines In Texas

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—Possibilities of establishing several air passenger routes in north Texas will be studied by Paul Meng, pilot of a Ford tri-motored all-metal plane owned by the Gray Goose air line corporation, of Chicago, who arrived here yesterday.

Meng will remain in the southwest from 30 to 60 days, preparing an exhaustive report on conditions in this part of the country. A number of passenger lines are operated out of Chicago to nearby cities by the Gray Goose corporation.

APPOINTED ASSISTANT

Miss Hattie L. Henenberg To Fill Vacancy.

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—Miss Hattie L. Henenberg of Dallas has been appointed assistant attorney general to succeed Mrs. Cone Johnson, resigned. She will take office on January 8, Attorney General Claude Pollard announced.

Miss Henenberg was admitted to the bar in 1916 and has been practicing law continuously since.

Nine Texas Towns Comply With Rule

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—Nine additional towns are equipped now with standard fire hose threads, prescribed by the fortieth legislature, J. W. Deweese, state fire insurance commissioner, said today.

They are Bangs, Celina, Eagle Pass, Farmersville, Frisco, McKinney, Van Alstyne, Wichita Falls and Wylie.

Wichita Falls completed standardization with its own tools. The commissioner has been advised that the cities of San Antonio, Sherman, University Park and Highland Park will soon do their own standardization work.

LONG CHARTER GRANTED

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—A 500 year charter for the Rio Grande National Life Insurance company of Harlingen, capitalized at $100,000 was approved today by the attorney general's department. Incorporators are J. M. Doss and R. W. Baxter of Cameron county, and James B. Davis of Hidalgo county.

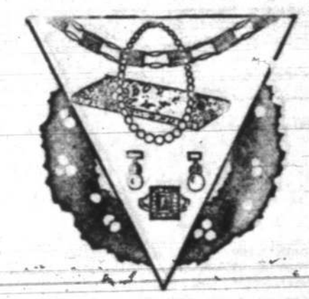
Winter Scout Camp Is Abandoned Here

Due to the fact that there is so much extra expense needed to place the camp in order, there will be no winter camp held by the Boy Scouts of the South Plains area, it was announced Tuesday by Rev. L. G. H. Williams, scout commissioner and president-elect of the council.

The winter camp had been scheduled for December 26 to 31, and a number of scouts had already sent in their registrations for the event, and considerable disappointment will be prevalent when the news is received that the camp has been called off.

MORSE TO RETIRE

BORGER, Dec. 19—(AP)— Charles Morse, chief engineer of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific since June, 1919 and for 48 years a railroad engineer, is making his last tour of inspection of the Rock Island lines and will retire from active service January 1, 1929, his 70th birthday anniversary.



Small Items That Are Ideal For Gifts

Time is now short for the completion of your gift lists. Possibly you have numerous names still remaining that you expect to remember with a small well chosen item. If so, you will likely find a suggestion here.

Inexpensive -- Appropriate Remembrances

For Ladies	For Men
Jewelry	Dressing Gowns
Underwear	Shirts
Handkerchiefs	Pajamas
Toilet Goods	Underwear
Linens	House Shoes
Hosiery	Handkerchiefs
Gloves	Neckwear
Robes	Ties
House Slippers	Hosiery

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NORTH PLAINS COACHES—ARCH TYLER, OWNER
Cars leave Lubbock at 8:00 A. M., 10:30 A. M., 2:00 P. M. and 5:00 P. M. Connections made at Amarillo for Panhandle oil fields, Oklahoma and Colorado.

LUBBOCK TO SWEETWATER LINE
SOUTH PLAINS COACHES—DICK ABBOTT, OWNER
Cars leave Lubbock at 7:30 A. M., 12:00 Noon, 2:30 P. M. and 5:00 P. M. The following connnections are made: At Sweetwater, for Fort Worth 7:30 A. M., 12:00 Noon, 2:30 P. M. and 5:00 P. M. cars out of Lubbock. At Sweetwater for San Angelo 7:30 A. M., 12:00 Noon and 5:00 P. M. cars out of Lubbock. At Snyder, for Colorado on 2:30 P. M. Car out of Lubbock.

LUBBOCK TO BROWNFIELD AND ROSWELL
PIONEER MOTOR LINES—GARNETT ABBOTT, OWNER
Cars leave Lubbock for Brownfield and Roswell, N. M. at 8:00 A. M. and 2:00 P. M.; Arrive Roswell 2:00 P. M. and 10:00 P. M. Mt. Time. Cars leave Roswell 7:45 A. M. and 12 noon; Arrive Lubbock 2:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. Connections made at Roswell for El Paso, Phoenix and Los Angeles.

LUBBOCK TO LEVELLAND AND MORTON
PIONEER MOTOR LINES—GARNETT ABBOTT, OWNER
Car leaves for Levelland and Morton at 10:30 A. M. and for Levelland at 5:30 P. M.

LUBBOCK TO CLOVIS
SUNSET COACHES—LOO RANDAL, OWNER
Cars leave Lubbock at 8:15 A. M., 12:30 P. M. and 4:30 P. M. Connections made at Clovis for Roswell, El Paso and Hereford.

LUBBOCK TO LAMESA AND BIG SPRING LINE
RED STAR COACHES—BILL WATSON, OWNER
Cars leave Lubbock at 7:30 A. M., 10:30 A. M., 2:00 P. M., 5:00 P. M., 10:00 P. M. Connections at Big Spring for San Angelo, San Antonio and Austin, Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Oil Fields and El Paso, Colorado, Sweetwater.

LUBBOCK TO CROSBYTON AND STAMFORD LINE
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Cars leave Lubbock for Stamford at 7:45 A. M. and 12:00 Noon. Car leaves Lubbock for Spur at 5:00 P. M. The following connections are made: At Stamford, for Fort Worth on 7:45 A. M. and 12:00 Noon cars out of Lubbock. At Ralls, for Floydada, Quanah and Vernon on 7:45 A. M. and 12:00 Noon cars out of Lubbock. Connections also made at Stamford for Abilene, Cisco and Austin; at Dickens for Wichita Falls and Okla., points and at Quanah for Childress, Wellington, Shamrock, Altus and Oklahoma City.

Beginning Sunday, Dec. 23, in The Avalanche-Journal and continuing daily in The Lubbock Morning Avalanche

THE MORNING AVALANCHE'S PAGE OF NEWS

In The "WOMAN'S REALM"

BLANCHE E. BEAN — PHONES 13 AND 14

Mexicans Will Be Sent Cheer Boxes

Presbyterian Women Pack Box Yesterday To Be Sent To Taft Mexican School For Christmas

A Christmas box was packed yesterday to be sent to the Presbyterian school for Mexicans at Taft. Mrs. T. R. Prideaux, chairman, in the First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary packed the box which is to go to 13 girls in the school.

Articles for the box were collected Monday afternoon when the auxiliary met in circles.

Circles 1 and 6 did not meet. Mrs. R. W. Amick was hostess to Circle 2 and Mrs. Joe Wilson led a lesson, assisted by Mesdames J. J. Clements, O. V. Adams, Ed Reaville, J. G. Coon and Amick. Mrs. C. C. Logan was a visitor at the meeting and 10 members were in attendance. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mesdames Prideaux, J. S. Johnson and H. A. Davidson had parts in the Circle 3 study. This meeting was with Mrs. Prideaux.

Circle 4 met with Mrs. R. W. Matthews and Mrs. John Ewing conducted the mission study. Refreshments wer eserved.

Mrs. R. V. Kimmell was hostess to Circle 5 and Mrs. R. D. Sterne conducted the devotional lesson Mrs. Howze sang a solo and talks were made by Mrs. H. J. Bower and Mrs. F. W. Newell.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Clarence Symes, C. S. Wilson, Bower, Newell, J. A. Pressley, W. E. Lyle, Sterne, Sam Hodges and A. Lesosky.

FAMILY IN REUNION

J. J. Chauncey Home Scene Of Dinner Today

The Chauncey family is gathering in reunion today in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chauncey, 1624 19th Street, celebrating the birthday of Mrs. A. G .Chauncey of Abilene. Among those who are here from out of town are Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Chauncey of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McClendon of Melrose, N. M., Elzy McClendon of Wichita Falls, W. B. Chauncey of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eppler of San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. McClendon are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Murfee. There is to be a reunion dinner today in the J. J. Chauncey home.

PARTY FOR TEACHERS

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Matthews To Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Matthews will entertain teachers in the high school Thursday evening in their home, 2109 18th Street, with a Christmas party.

BAPTISTS AT MEET

Monthly Meeting Yesterday Is In Slaton

A conference of the First Baptist church attended a monthly workers conference in Slaton yesterday. Dr. W. R. White, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Provence and Rev. W. M. Lawrence were on the program for the day. Among the others who attended the meeting were Mrs. T. M. Sawyer Mrs. C. P. Litton, Mrs. William Lowrimore, Mrs. Erle Studeman, Mrs. W. M. Lawrence and Mrs. George Duval.

SOCIETY HAS PARTY

Mary Helm Society Members Enjoy Xmas Social

A Christmas party was given Monday afternoon for the First Methodist Mary Helm society following a regular "Voice" program which was led by Mrs. Will Tucker. The party and meeting were in the church parlors which were prettily decorated for the occasion.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames J. P. Giles, David S. Martin, W. E. Humphries, J. H. Reed and L .L. Kelso.

Talks were made during the afternoon by Mesdames A. L. Schoolcraft, R. S. Williams, and H. W. Richardson. Mrs. T. A. White gave two readings, Mrs. Marvin McLarty sang a solo and the society quartet, composed of Mesdames Ed O'Sullivan, White, McLarty and Tucker, sang.

Each adult and child attending received gifts from the tree.

Misses Cornelia Ratliff, Melba Crawford, Juanita Haney and Lilian Ferguson have returned from Reserve, N. M., where they are teaching this winter.

Today in Lubbock Theatres

LINDSEY

"The Way of the Strong" with Mitchell Lewis and Alice Day. Also "Sailors Beware" and news.

REX

Montana Bill in "Secrets of the Range" and comedy.

LYRIC

"Danger Street" starring Warner Baxter and Martha Sleeper.

PALACE

Alice White in "Show Girl."

She May Be Future Queen of England

NEA London Bureau.

Lady Anne Maude Wellesley, 18-year-old beauty, daughter of the Marquis Douro of England, is being mentioned in gossip as the future Princess of Wales and ultimately Queen of England. Efforts to obtain conformation or denial of the rumors have failed. Lady Anne made her debut at the first royal court this year. It was noticed that at social events this season the prince has danced with her frequently and found much pleasure in her company.

How to Achieve Beauty

BY MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

MME. RUBINSTEIN

Every skin needs regular beauty treatment, and there is no better way to proceed than by mapping out a simple routine for yourself. Once you have established the daily habit of caring for your skin (as you should whether you are 16 to 60) it will become as fixed in your mind as the daily bath or the use of your toothbrush.

There are usually three distinct steps in every beauty treatment; namely, cleansing, stimulating and toning.

First of all, take a mirror to the strong daylight and study the texture of your skin. Unless you are that somewhat rare "combination type," you can classify your complexion as either normal, dry or oily.

The normal skin is firm in texture, the pores inconspicuous. It is esastic and the general tone healthy and fine. The fortunate possessor of this type of complexion never has to worry about shine, and powder adheres smoothly to its surface. Usually the igr lbetween 15 and 25 has a normal skin.

From 25 on we find the dry skin more prevalent. The dry skin is fine, thin, sensative and often fragile in texture. It is usually an exquisitely beautiful skin but it always shows a tendency to premature lines and wrinkles. This type requires constant counteractive treatment and must be carefully protected from the summer suns and winter snows!

Last of the group is the oily skin, and this is an easily recognizable condition. Shine, large pores blackheads and acne are only a few of the unpleasant aftermaths of this condition. It can, however, be easily cured so don't despair if you possess an oily skin. I suggest that you take a pencil and paper and plan your beauty treatment in just as common sensible a way as you plan the evening menu.

YOUR CHILDREN

by Olive Roberts Barton

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The ladies of the missionary society were preparing to pack the annual Christmas box to go to the Orphan's home designated by the Central Board.

In the letter that came from the secretary was this suggestion.

"This Home is in a very poor section of mountain country and is greatly in need of the commoner necessities of life. We suggest that your gifts for the children take the form of clothes and food. You need have no fear that the children will be disappointed for most of them haven't the slightest conception of toys. Anything you send will be appreciated."

When the corresponding secretary of the society had finished reading the letter she sat down and the president rose to ask for remarks.

They were forthcoming to the effect that twenty-nine of the ladies agreed most emphatically. Some of them even went a step further and suggested that if the place were as poor as it was painted, old clothes would be as welcome as new, and why not send the cash to the heathen across the sea, and forage all their contributions to the orphans' Christmas from the clothes closets at home.

Ladies! Ladies!

It was then that Mrs. Riley got up. Mrs. Riley was janitress of the church. She had eight children, no husband, and washed for the missionary ladies on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays of each week. On Fridays she washed for herself, on Saturdays she cleaned the church, and on Sundays she alternately fired up the cellar, and slipping off her big apron, sat and dozed in the back pew during the service.

Today was Wednesday. She worked for Mrs. Adams only half a day on Wednesdays which gave her time off for the missionary meeting and to dust up for prayer meeting.

Mrs. Riley got up ponderously, and looking round slowly at the circle of ladies she fixed them with an accusing eye.

"Ladies!" she said simpy, folding her ample hands over her ample stomach. "Ladies!" Then she sat down.

Up popped the president, "Mrs. Riley is right," she said. "If those children never had a toy it's time they had some. We'll pack two boxes."

And thanks to the Irish woman those orphans in the distant mountain home got the taste of Christmas magic that all children have a right to. Don't be too matter of fact in what you give to children. Christmas should be gay.

H. S. Football Boys Guests At Affair

Home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bradley Is Scene of Gay Party On Monday Evening; Many Attend

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bradley at 1006 Avenue M was the scene of a lively affair on Monday evening when the High school pep squad entertained the football squad and a few other guests.

During the evening a burlesque radio program was given with Vivian Doss as announcer and talks were made by Raymond Barton, Ernest Dowell, Yancy Prince, Hiley Boyd, Jack Fryar, Paul Squyres, Joe Bailey Power and Maxine Bradley.

A number, "That's My Weakness Now," was given by a group of girls in football attire. In this group were Louise Garrison, Maxine Clark, Rowena Scott, Frances Gunn, Vivian Doss and Maxine Bradley.

School songs were sung and music was furnished by Margaret Dell Prym, Virginia Lee Finley, Edgar Neal, Mrs. Johleirah Clem Beard, Mrs. M. C. Bradley and Mary Cosby.

Punch was served to Ruby Seale, Hazel Forte, Faye Hague, Kathleen Conrad, Ethel Murfee, Eunice Cone, Leora Davies, Lula Cone, Louise Lawson, Mary Cosby, Maurine Morris, Myrtle Shaw, Alyne Dean, Latrille Bishop, Louise Garrison, Opal Hawes, Patti Hopping, Martha Alice Penny, Ada Ruth May, Amy Brock, Pauline Edwards, Frances Gunn, Rowena Scott, Vivian Doss, Virginia Lee Finley, Margaret Dell Prym, Martha Spencer, Montez Snyder, Maxine Bradley, Charles Wilson, Leon Welsh, Roscoe Clark, S. M. Wilson, Bill Snyder, Robert Strickland, George Pierce, Hiley Boyd, W. D. Lawson, Jr., Homer Hall, Dallas Chester, Yancy Price, Ernest Dowell, Carroll Weaver, Ed Pangburn, Mood Smith, Carl Alverson, John Crawford, Joe Powers, Luther Tannery, Rob O'Hair, Jack Fryar, Ovie Teal, Mina Watkins, T. L. Patterson, Marcus Huff, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bradley.

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Officers Elected At Party Tuesday

Jolly Dozen Club Members Attend Christmas Party Yesterday In A. H. Travis Home

New officers were elected, gifts were exchanged, entertaining dates for next year were drawn and a lovely party was enjoyed yesterday afternoon by members of the Jolly Dozen club in an annual Christmas part with Mrs. A. H. Travis at 2122 14th street.

Mrs. Harry Hall was elected president, Mrs. Frazier McCrummen first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Trice secretary-treasurer and Mrs. F. K. Mitchell, reporter.

The house was beautifully decorated for the party and gifts were hung on a tree to be distributed by a Santa Claus. In addition to the other presents, toys were distributed and sacks filled with pop corn, roasted peanuts and candies. Forty-two was played.

Members of the club attending were Mesdames Harry Hall, A. L. Hawkins, W. H. Trice, J. M. Denman, J. G. Biffle, F. K. Mitchell, Wesley Branch, J. M. Bishop, D. H. Mansell, R. L. Goad and Frazier McCrummen.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Harvey and son, Robbie, are leaving for oFrt Worth for Christmas. Mrs. Harvey will remain for a longer visit.

Palace

Last Times Today

VIVACIOUS ALICE WHITE

—in—

Says: "You've got to admit there's something in this sex-appeal they're all talking about. Look how it's hung on through the year, and then look what's happened to those other crazes, Mah Jong and cross word puzzles."

STAN LAUREL, OLIVER HARDY

—in—

"SAILORS BEWARE"

NEWS

On The Stage Tonite 8:45

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PUPILS OF MRS. MOBLEY'S SCHOOL OF DANCE

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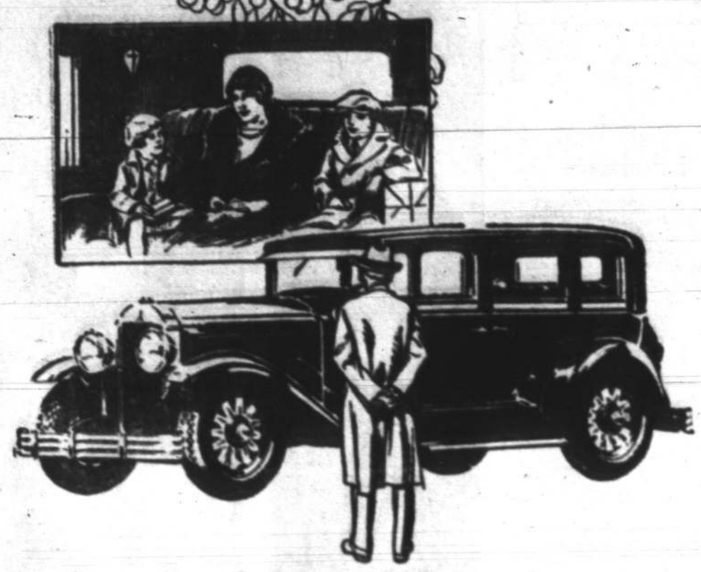

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Bits Of News And Personal Mention

Dr. R. H. Thornton left yesterday for Galveston where he will spend a two week's vacation visiting friends and relatives.

Dr. J. R. Anderson of the Lubbock Sanitarium clinic will leave tomorrow for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he will sepnd a two week's christmas vacation.

W. T. Calhoun, Jr., of Amarillo, was a visitor in Lubbock Tuesday.

J. H. Ellis of Tahoka was among the visitors in Lubbock during the early part of the week.

G. E. Bennett of Plainview visited friends in this city Tuesday morning.

W. A. Gill, Wright Landers, and P. Fowler of Morton were members of a visiting party in Lubbock yesterday

L. C. Morgan of Big Spring was in Lubbock on business Tuesday afternoon.

Ben Sylle of Silverton visited friends in Lubbock Tuesday.

Alf Hill of Wilson was a visitor in the city Tuesday morning.

D. W. Carlson of Dallas visited professional friends in Lubbock Tuesday.

L. E. Parks of Slaton was here on business Tuesday, while here he visited with friends.

W. O. Thomas of Tahoka was among the out-of-town visitors in Lubbock yesterday.

R. L. Kelly of Idalou visited friends in Lubbock yesterday.

Mrs. L. J. Cook of Slaton was among the Christmas shoppers in this city yesterday.

C. L. McKinley of Sudan was in Lubbock on business Tuesday morning.

W. E. Lyle and son, Billy, and Charles Bacon have returned from a hunting trip to Brady.

Roscoe Parks is to return from Fort Worth this week and will be accompanied back to that city by his family who are to spend the holidays there.

Carroll Weaver is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Weaver. He is a student in the New Mexico Military Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gamel are expecting as their guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cobb and family of Jacksonville.

Today In Society

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn E. Wilson will be hosts to the Hi-Lo club at 8 p. m. at 2406 22nd street.

Alathean class members of the First Baptist church and those who are eligible to the class will attend a Christmas party at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Fred Graham at 1906 Main street.

George M. Hunt school P.-T. A. is meeting for a Christmas program at 3 o'clock. Each parent is to bring clothing, fruit or food for charity distribution.

District 2 of the First Methodist W. M. S. is meeting at 2 o'clock with Mrs. A. B. Ellis to finish a mission study book.

1928 Bridge club members and their husbands are to attend a holiday party at 7:30 o'clock in the evening at 2212 17th street with Mrs. O. A. Terry and Mrs. R. W. Crowley, jr., as hostesses.

A Couple of Hints for Santa

By MME. LISBETH

Everyone is glad to give the pretty girl a hand, but it is something more than a hand she is looking for at Christmas. So how about a swanky pajama suit or a comfy lounging robe.

The two models illustrated here are in particularly intriguing guise. At the left Alice White, one of our screen flappers, wears a pair of pajamas in the very latest mode. They are made of satin with hand-painted decorations. The high collar is the newest thing.

At the right, Nancy Carroll, another of the little girls of the cinema, is on the lookout for Santa in a particularly cuddly knee-length bathrobe made of soft angora.

Burnt orange is being used in some of the latest pajamas, combined with peach and other tones.

The Morning Avalanche Menu for the Day

By SISTER MARY

BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal, cream, liver and bacon patty cakes, creamed potatoes, reheated rolls, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Sausage rolls, spiced apple sauce, creamed celery, cornstarch prune pudding, milk, tea.

DINNER — Fricassee of veal, mashed potatoes, scalloped tomatoes and onions, banana and nut salad, steamed graham pudding, milk, coffee.

Fricassee of veal is an excellent dish to serve when the cook has got the afternoon out. In the morning the meat is cooked slowly in boiling water seasoned slightly with carrot, celery and onion. When ready to serve dip meat cut in slices for serving in flour and brown in hot drippings and butter. Remove meat and brown flour in fat remaining in frying pan. Slowly add the strained veal stock and bring to the boiling point stirring constantly.

Steamed Graham Pudding

Three tablespoons butter or lard, 1-2 cup molasses, 1-2 cup sweet milk, 1-2 cup white flour, 1 1-4 cups graham flour, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 1-2 teacpoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1-4 teacpoon cloves, 1-4 teaspoon ground nutmeg, 1-2 pound dates stoned and chopped.

Melt shortening and beat in molasses. Mix and sift flour, soda, spices and salt. Add to first mixture. Add milk and beat until smooth. Add graham flour and prepared dates and mix thoroughly. Turn into a buttered mold, cover and steam 2 1-2 hours. Serve warm with whipped cream, hard sauce or lemon sauce.

This recipe will make six large servings or eight medium sized ones.

The Woman's Day

By Allene Sumner

Allene Sumner

"The woman question" pops out in the new books. Not the old question as to whether woman may have home and career or home or career; not lambastings at "the new woman" and a showing of the bogs into which her tender feet will fall. The autumn novelist merely seems to be more interested in women than men, and weaves all sorts of themes about her.

Quite the most interesting of them all to me is Mary, known in her community on the gulf as "Si-May-e," in "Scarlet Sister Mary", by Julia Peterkin. Mary is apricot colored, maybe a little darker than that—more like a lusciously ripe purple plum, and "Si-May-e" has more abundant personality than any heroine encountered in fiction for a long time.

The love of Mary's life is one July, loafer and roustabout, and much less of a catch as a husband than his brother, June. But Mary loves July and weds him to the incense of corn pone and possum in the gravy. Her cup of happiness is running over when her little son christened Unexpected or Unex for short, is born.

DESERTING PARENT

Paternal responsibilities set too heavily upon July's broad shoulders and he hies himself away from the plantation to the river boats. Fiction offers no competition to Julia Peterkin's presentation of Mary, a woman crushed by loss of love, the futility of living grips Mary in its clutches.

But Mary is the terrenal mother, she is maternity so incarnate that even the plantation does not question over-much her right to what she calls a "cabinful of younguns." The plantation knows that "Si-May-e's young-uns" are the strongest, periest kids on the gulf and that's that.

Mary has her progeny in singles doubles, even trebles, never does she make any moan about one more child. They are her reason and only reason for living. Her vitality, her super-maternity, her come-back from the land of crushed spirits to a land of joy where she, too, sings at the cotton picking and jokes even when turned out of church, make Mary an unforgettable figure, and her strength of character as she slams the door in July's face when, years later, he comes back, is one of the finest scenes in fiction.

Then, in another scale of living is Patricia Gordon, in Hamilton Gibb's "Harness." This is a story of one of those made-in-heaven marriages, with the newlyweds ensconced in a made-in-heaven cottage with flagstone walk and brass knocker on a door as old as King Alfred with pewter and brass and a yellow cat. It's a story of what happens when too much idyllic love makes men and women cry for roast beef rare in the way of a job.

Pat gets her job and Michael has his; at first, it's hunky-dory till Pat's job gets to be much more important to her than the cottage and Michael and his job, though he glories in her achievement on the stage. But it all works out.

ANOTHER CLASS

Then there's Lily Christine in Michael Arlen's book by that name, also called "A Good Woman." Lilly's tragedy is one, too, of blind love lavished on a husband whom other men do not hesitate to dislike and call "no good." Pat Somerset, the husband, falls terribly in love with "a good woman"—a brittle, scheming, conventional-minded woman who insists that Pat divorce Lily. She will not marry a man whom another woman has divorced.

Lilly Christine's heart is broken, not so much from personal grief and hurt pride as from her complete appreciation of the fact that Pat himself is miserable and baffled and caught in the grip of something he resents, but against which he is powerless.

Lily Christine is a significant heroine because even like "Si-May-e," she does not cry out but takes her dose even though she can't take it.

Interesting heroines, all three!

DELPHIANS MEET

Mrs. F. W. Groce Hostess To Daleth Chapter

"The Figures [illegible] Have Shaped Modern Europe" was the topic for study [illegible] noon when Daleth Delphian chapter members met with Mrs. F. W. Groce at 2309 18th Street. Mrs. Ed O'Sullivan resigned as correspondin gsecretary of the society.

Mrs. John R. Hall was leader of the program yesterday and talks were made by Mrs. R. I. Tubbs, Mrs. Alex McDonald and Mrs. O'Sullivan. The next meeting is to be with Mrs. Hall at 2018 Main street.

POPULATION INCREASE SLOW

AUSTIN, Dec. 18—(AP)—One hundred per cent increase in appropriations in the period from 1920 to 1928 while the population has increased only 16 per cent is pointed out by Former Representative John T. Smith in the current issue of the Texas Tax Journal.

The pudding can be reheated and used several days later if only half is used. Steam one-half hour to reheat.

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CHILDREN IN PLAY

Mrs. Mobley Is Presenting Class This Evening

Mrs. Henry L. Mobley is presenting her class of children in "Santa Claus Shop" this evening at 7:45 o'clock at the Palace Theatre and will entertain the group later with a Christmas party in her home, 1705 13th street. She will be assisted by Miss Margaret Baskin in the play.

Those who will be presented will be Roberta Myrick, Mary Frances Slaton, Frances Roderick, Doyle McLeod, James Nislar, Marjorie Ann May, Harriet Mathis, Annie Claire Hule, Virginia Nislar, Etoile McLeod and Marie Peterman.

GET FAR OFF INQUIRIES

BEAUMONT, Dec. 13—(AP)—From far-away Australia has come a request for information as to the operation of the city manager plan of government as carried out here.

William Brooks, former alderman of Sydney, but now a member of the parliamentary body, seeks the information to work out a method of city rule in that country.

How Doctors Treat Colds and Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsilitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nauses nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv.)

NOTICE

Lubbock-Brownfield-Roswell Stage Changes Schedule!

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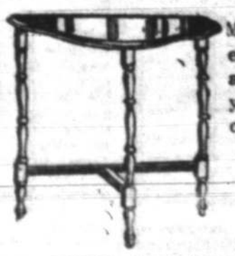

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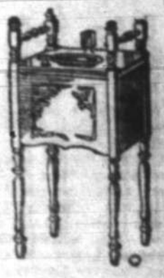

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No. 18 Radiant $9.50	No. 48 Clay Back $32.75
No. 19 Radiant $12.50	No. 50 Clay Back $36.75
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No. 34 Radiant $14.50	
No. 35 Radiant $16.50	
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Vaughn Corley Named Captain Of 1929 Matador Eleven

Abilene Eagles Have Decisive Weight Advantages Over Port Arthur Eleven

Tech Letter Men Hold Annual Feed At College Cafe

Leader for Next Season's Grid Team One of Outstanding Performers On Gold and Black Machine

Without the traditional blare of trumpets, and, in fact, without even so much as a single advance announcement, the letter men of the 1928 Texas Tech grid squad silently stole away to the college cafeteria yesterday at noon, initiated the new letter wearers and elected a leader for the season of 1929.

CORLEY

The newly chosen chieftain is Vaughn Corley, of Lubbock, husky center and for the past two seasons one of the outstanding performers of the Scarlet and Black machine.

In addition to electing the captain for next season, the Matadors voted to present Frank Skinner, mascot of the Tech eleven for the past four seasons with a scarlet and black sweater with a mascot design.

Freeland Speaks

Coach E. Y. Freeland and W. L. Stangel were the speakers. The head Matador coach spoke briefly concerning the season just past and the outlook for 1929. Stangel included in his address an interpretation of Southwest Conference rules as directly affecting the local institution.

Letter men who were present for the occasion were: W. H. Carpenter, Bruce Reed, H. C. Dewitt, Jack Durham, Vaughn Corley, Sidney Knowles, Dennis Vinzant, Ameral Payne, Waymond Westerfelt, Levi Walker, Charlie Wooldridge, J. D. Waller, Paul Marr, Clarence Hodges, Orville Brothers and Clayton Barfoot. Ransome Walker, retiring captain, and Henry Hempel, end, were the only letter men who were not present. Walker is on his way to San Francisco to take part in the East-West football game on Dec. 29.

Sandies To Meet Hollywood Team

AMARILLO, Dec. 18—(AP)—Amarillo High School's "Golden Sandstorm" will meet the Hollywood, Calif., High School football team in a post-season game at Hollywood December 29, local school officials announced today.

Previous announcements had said that Central High of Fort Worth would meet the coast team, but Amarillo was selected, according to school officials here, because the "Sandstorm" reached the bi-district flight of the state championship race while the Fort Worth team was eliminated early in the season.

Strolling Down Sports Lane

With Allan Carney
Avalanche Sports Editor

With the baseball season scarcely more than two months gone, the winter stove league has begun to roar at full blast with a number of sensational trades that have revamped the lineup for almost every major league club. The annual trade involving Rogers Hornsby, the erstwhile St. Louis Cardinal, New York Giant and Boston Brave, broke before the magnates were ready to spring the big news. It seems that the talkative "Rajah" couldn't keep mum on the matter and an "inquiring reporter" got the news from him before he realized the boner he had pulled.

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Planned at the outset to be the most sensational deal of the winter season, the trade was first hinted, reassured and then officially announced by William Wriggley, the chewing gum magnate and owner of the Chicago Nationals. The ill-tempered Hornsby went to the Cubs in exchange for Percy Jones, pitcher, Freddy McGuire, infielder, several rookies and a nice sized roll of cash. Despite the fact that he is one of the greatest right handed hitters of all times and led the senior circuit in batting for six seasons, Hornsby apparently has something in his makeup that doesn't go so well with the bosses. His fiery nature and general cockiness has given him the name of the most traded personality in the big show.

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Still there is no denying the fact that Hornsby is an asset to any baseball club and probably the most dangerous offensive threat in the National League. And in spite of his bearing, he is still sought after and is able to draw the largest salary in the National loop. Since the name of Hornsby has been added to the Chicago Cubs' lineup, Joe McCarthy's outfit is considered as an outstanding favorite to lead the league next season.

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Buddy Myer, sensational third baseman of the Boston Red Sox, was the center figure of the latest and, most startling deal. Leading his team in hitting last season and ranking among the best in stolen bases, Myer was traded by the cellarites of the American League to the Washington Senators for the scant sum of five players. These include pitchers Horace Disenbee and Milt Gaston; infielders Grant Gillis and Bobby Reeves and Ed Bigelow, slugging outfielder with the Birmingham club of the Southern Association last season. Myer goes back to the club he left in 1927 when he failed to deliver to the satisfaction of Bucky Harris, Detroit boss, who at that time was directing the destinies of the Senators from second base.

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Considered as one of the best third basemen in the junior circuit, Myer has rapidly gained in prominence until he has become one of the most sought-after infielders in the loop. Naturally one wonders why he left the Washington club. There is a story connected with his slump while playing with the Senators which if true throws considerable light on the matter. It so happened that Harris and Myer were both married at about the same time. In the club house one evening after a ball game, Myer suggested to Harris, who married a prominent debutante of Washington society, that he (Myer) bring his bride over that night for a visit with the other couple. Harris promptly informed the third baseman that they were on the same social plane only on the baseball field, that they lived in entirely different worlds off the field. After that incident Myer never played his best for Harris, according to the story.

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Another deal which has all the critics talking was that which sent George Uhle, veteran hurler of the Cleveland Indians to the Detroit Tigers in exchange for Rabbitt Tavener, former Fort Worth shortstop, and Kenneth Holoway, right handed hurler. At one time Uhle was the ace of the Indians' pitching staff, but last season failed to deliver up to standard and as a result the critics have pronounced him through. Bucky Harris, the new Tiger pilot, evidently has it figured out otherwise. Uhle has been dubbed the "in and out" pitcher on the Cleveland team and the season of 1929 may be his season to be "in."

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A trade which sent Glenn Wright, Pittsburgh shortstop, to the Brooklyn Robins in exchange for Harry Riconda, infielder, and Jess Petty, pitcher is the other deal which has caused considerable. The passing of wright breaks up one of the greatest infields of all time.

Powerful Abilene Line Expected To Handicap Jackets

Backfield of Contending Teams are Apparently On Par; Lines of Both Teams Are Well Coached

DALLAS, Dec. 18. (AP)—A comparison of the average weights of the Abilene Eagles and Port Arthur Yellowjackets today revealed that the West Texas would have an advantage of approximately 10 pounds to the man over the Jackets in their game at Abilene Friday for state high school football championship.

Abilene's line is said to average about 175 pounds to the man, while Port Arthur's forward wall averages only 157. The rival backfields apparently are on a par, each averaging 157 pounds.

While critics who saw Port Arthur win from Marshall in the semi-finals last week were impressed by the fine play of the Yellowjackets line, they were doubtful that it could be as effective against the hefty Eagle wall. Abilene's line, they pointed out, was just as well coached in the fundamentals as the Jackets.

American League Magnates Hold Powwow

Here are the American League magnates who held their winter session at Chicago recently. They are, reading left to right: Standing, E. S. Barnard, president of the league; L. C. McAvoy, vice president St. Louis; William Harridge, secretary of league; Robert Quinn, president Boston; Alva Bradley, Cleveland head; Connie Mack, vice president Philadelphia; E. B. Eynon, secretary at Washington; Walter McNichols, Cleveland. Seated: Alfred Austrian, Chicago attorney; Ed G. Barrow, New York business manager; Phil DeC. Ball, St. Louis owner; Colonel Jacob Ruppert, New York owner; Frank Navin, president Detroit, and Thomas Shibe, president Philadelphia.

Eningeers Defeat Liberal Arts Five

Intramural Championship Is Decided In Hard Fought Battle On Tech Court Last Night

The fast-stepping School of Engineering quintet played basketball like veterans on the Tech gymnasium court last night to defeat the Liberal Arts aggregation 35 to 25 and win the intramural cage championship of Texas Tech in one of the fastest class games seen here in many moons. Hitting the basket from all corners of the court and passing the ball uncanny skill, the Engineers took the lead in the early periods and romped away with the game in a decisive fashion.

Leading 15 to 10 at the half and increasing their margin to a greater degree in the third period, the winners were met by a determined comeback on the part of the Arts five in the last quarter that threatened their lead but the final whistle found them with a 10 point advantage.

Robertson, forward on the Engineers' quintet, led both teams in scoring with 15 points. Marshall, Liberal Arts forward came next with eight points.

The box score:

Engineers	F.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Robertson, f	6	3	15
Wood, f	2	1	5
Baker, c	4	0	8
Crites, g	3	0	6
Matheny, g	0	0	0
Stockwell, f	0	1	1
Worley	0	0	0
Moore, c	0	0	0
Waldrop, g	0	0	0
Totals	15	5	35

Liberal Arts	F.G.	F.T.	Pts.
Marshall, f	4	0	8
Sowell, f	0	0	0
Wilkins, c	0	0	0
Hardberger, g	0	1	1
Jones, g	0	0	0
Cullough, f	0	0	0
Rainwater, f	2	1	5
Taylor, f	1	1	3
Inlimark, c	0	0	0
Waller, g	0	0	0
Pincher, g	3	0	6
Cocanougher, g	1	0	2
Totals	11	3	25

Cagers Of Slaton Start Hard Work

(Special To The Avalanche)

SLATON, Dec. 18—Although it is likely no regularly scheduled games will be played before the Christmas holidays, Coach Paul W. Wright has his cagers working hard. The Tigers are to be in trim for the seasons schedule which will begin the first of the new year.

The Tigresses, girls' high team, are also working hard, and expect to annex several splendid victories this season.

New Assistant To Tex Rickard Is Stranger to Boxing Game But Not To Professional Hockey Contests

Col. John S. Hammond Is Drafted to Aid Rickard In Managing Madison Square Garden; Hopes to Learn

The Nut Cracker

By Joe Williams

Joe Williams

Hot Stove Note: George Uhle, who has been spending several years on vacation in Cleveland, has been given a position with the Detroit Tigers. George says he doesn't know how it will feel to be back at work again.

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Just to show how fearless this department is, it is hereby publicly recorded that the golfer, Miss Virginia Van Wie, who recently moved to Florida, has decided to spend the winter in California.

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The battles for the Muldoon-Tunney trophy cup continue merrily on, with the chosen people getting knocked off by the Homer Hendersons out in the timberlands. Why not put a good name like John L. Sullivan or Jim Corbett on th ecup and file it away in the Smithsonian Institution?

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A new code of sportsmanship has been adopted at Illinois university. The code forbids beeing and hissing and all abusive and irritating remarks form the side lines. What are the spectators supposed to do? Throw things?

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William Muldoon invented the shower bath, according to a new story of the Odl Roman by Ed Van Every. Now if he'd just think up some way of saving a man's neck from the slippery soap.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Col. John S. Hammond, soldier of Uncle Sam, banker and aide to Tex Rickard as the new general manager of Madison Square Garden, hasn't missed a big fight since 1912—but he likes hockey better.

That isn't strange when you consider that the colonel, a graduate of West Point and commander during the world war of Camp McClellan and its 40,000 rookies at Anniston, Ala., introduced professional hockey into New York with the Rangers, now the world champions. The tall, straight, white-haired soldier is a business man with a first sport love in hockey. Now he has been drafted to make the entire Garden, and not just the ice rinks his business.

"I don't know anything about boxing," he said as he pored over the masses of figures that mean so little to the sports fan and so much to the promoter, "but I hope rubbing elbows with Tex Rickard may do some good."

There's been a Hammond in every war since the battle of Lexington and this lean stately soldier has signed for the duration of the struggle to bring boxing out of the depression that followed the disintegration of the heavyweights.

INDIANS ELECT CAPTAIN

ABILENE, Dec. 18. —(AP)—Howard Miller of Abilene was elected captain of the 1929 McMurray College football team at the team's annual banquet tonight. Miller, a guard, is a three letter man.

BOXING CHAMP DIES

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18—(AP)—August Gotto, 24, national amateur bantamweight boxing champion in 1926, died here yesterday morning. Death was caused by meningitis.

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Tilden Confers With Net Chiefs

Tennis Officials Silent On Outcome of Hearing Allowed Once King Of Amateur Sport

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 18—Big Bill Tilden was in town today and went into a huddle with representatives of the United States Lawn Tennis Association for the first time since he was barred from amateur courts by that body August 25.

The huddle took place quietly in the offices of the U. S. L. T. A. and lasted for an hour. It was generally peaceful but Tilden did his share of the talking. As to exactly what took place and what understanding was reached both Tilden and the tennis solons were silent.

"You'll have to ask the tennis association about it," said Tilden when questioned about the conference, although he was perfectly willing to talk about his stage tour from which he is having a week's holiday.

Members of the amateur rule committe of the U. S. L. T. A. which conducted the interview, were fully as non-committal, pointing out that the information can not be made public until the committee presents its report to the executive committee at the meeting in Boston in February.

Today's confab with Tilden was arranged in accordance with the resolution of the executive committee adopted here Dec. 8 when it was decided not to reinstate the stormy petrel of the game at once but rather to have the special guardians of the amateur rule confer with Tilden to learn his attitude.

Bearg Will Coach At Topeka School

Nebraska Football Mentor Goes to Washburn College As Director Of Athletics And Football Coach

TOPEKA, Kansas, Dec. 18—(AP)—Ernest E. Bearg, who resigned the position of head football coach at the University of Nebraska early this month, will direct the new physical education program of Washburn College. Bearg will be director of athletics and head of the department of physical education and also will have direct charge of the football team.

Announcement of Bearg's acceptance of the new post was made by Dr. Parley P. Womer, president of the school, at a dedicatory program for Washburn's new $200,000 field house tonight preceding the Washburn-University of Kansas basketball game.

The announcement confirmed rumors that have been flying since Bearg announced two weeks ago that he would not return to Nebraska, where he had successfully coached the football teams for four seasons.

Georgia Tornado Trains For Game

ATLANTA, GEORGIA, Dec. 18—(AP)—Georgia Tech's Golden Tornado gathered strength today as it whipped across Grant Field in preparation for a trip across the continent to Pasadena, California, where on New Year's Day, it will lash out against California's Golden Bears.

The Tornado's bag of pass plays was opened up during the afternoon. Two elevens were sent through stiff signal drills while a third squad continued its study of Bar formations in preparation for scrimmage tomorrow. It was announced today the squad would begin its western journey Thursday afternoon, arriving at Pasadena Sunday.

MEETING CALLED OFF

OAKLAND, Calif., Dec. 18—(AP)—A scheduled meeting at West Baden, Ind., January 10 between representatives of the major and minor leagues, to discuss revision of the present draft rules was called off today by J. Cal Ewing, chairman of the minor leagues committee. Action was taken following the refusal of big league officials to attend.

ball banquet marking the last official meeting of the San Angelo football team, Betz Baker, 1928 captain, was re-elected for the next season, and Red Haley, stellar end, on this years club, was named alternate captain. To Gene Grimes, tackle, went the most valuable player award.

On Ocean Hop

When the giant German monoplane, the Rohrbach "Roma," takes off from Berlin for a non-stop hop to New York City, the only woman passenger aboard will be Miss Mildred Johnson. She, pictured here as she attended the International Aeronautical Conference at Washington, is a Philadelphia aviatrix.

CONTRACT SUIT FILED

L. C. and A. D. Montgomery Sue T. M. Nowlin

A suit on a contract, involving the sale of a transfer and storage business, was filed in the Ninety-Ninth district court Tuesday by L. C. and A. D. Montgomery against T. M. Nowlin. The business is said to have been sold for a consideration of $16,145, and the original petition alleges that the defendant owed a number of notes and $300 a month rent for three months.

Another suit was filed in the court, that of R. Ricken versus A. A. Hopson, J. W. Whittle, C. E. Moudy and N. W. Smith, a suit on debt and forclosure of a chattle mortgage.

INDUSTRIAL EXPANSION

High prices being paid for industrial stocks in the East and the high rate of call money there centers the attention of the financial world on New York. Stocks are being sold at as high as three and one-half for one with as low returns as six per cent on the face of the stocks. The high rate of interest is concentrating much money in New York banks and the effect of this concentration, a condition the Federal Reserve system was designed to prevent, is being watched with no little interest.

It is a notable fact that local capital is finding ample places for investment and that the deposits of local banks are confined largely to the Federal Reserve District.

As time goes on there will be a surplus of capital in the South Plains country. Much of it now is bing used in various forms of expansion in business and in farming. This section produces wealth. It will not be many years before our people will be looking for investments. Good vendor's lein notes are becoming scarce due to the first leins created through loans from the Federal Land Bank, the Joint Stock banks and the organized loan and the insurance companies. In larger sums safe investments with reasonable returns will always be available, but there is an opening for the investor of small sums. Our own building and loan and similar associations provide an outlet for those who wish to invest small amounts to make systematic investments.

But a thing which we are overlooking is the organization of small industries, which can be based on the careful survey of our conditions and fields of distribution. In the north such companies have proven profitable in many instances and from small beginnings have developed into real factors in the industrial world.

By pooling our capital in worthy undertakings none of us need take great risk yet we can get started in this way many small industries which will expand in keeping with the field, the merit of the product and our initiative in producing and distributing.

We long for industries in our section. We wish some Santa Claus would come along and give them to us. We are willing in many instances to pay a bonus for a good industry. Why not use that bonus money that we might raise for factories and a little more, too, and start small industries and stay behind them?

We have the business acumen and the organizing genius in many of our citizens to start them right. Let's study our field and try to develop and reap the financial reward that will follow judicious and businesslike investment.—Plainview Herald.

UNDERHILL GETS BID

Modern Implement Company To Build

Successful bidder for the construction of a modern implement business house at Plainview has been awarded to the Underhill Construction company, of Wichita, aKs., according to an announcement made Tuesday. The contract was awarded last Saturday, the building to be erected for the Jarvis-Tull company, power machiner distributors.

A floor space of 75 by 140 feet will be available when the building is completed, the contract price being $52,000 and construction is to begin immediately.

AUSTIN, Dec. 18—(AP)—"Please send me a copy of the pardon issued to me from the Texas penitentiary in 1922," an Alabama convict wrote to Secretary of State Jane Y. McCallum this week.

"I am trying to get a parole," he explained.

Billiard Champs Leading Tourney

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Johnny Layton, the fisherman from Missouri and Ralph Greenleaf, the 28-year-old eight times pocket billiard champion, demonstrated today the type of billiards that will have to be excelled if they are to be dethroned as three-cushion and pocket billiard champions, respectively, in the combined championship tournament.

Playing the same steady billiards that carried them to national titles last spring, Layton defeated Otto Reiselt, Philadelphia, former holder of the angle title, 50 to 40, in 38 innings while Greenleaf took the measure of Ervin Rudolph, Chicago, 125 to 95 in 14 innings.

The great development of the Southwest is attracting a great deal of attention among railroad builders in West Texas. Eastern New Mexico and other portions of the country, but the main building program seems to be in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. The biggest building program of the United States was put on in the building of the Denver extensions, on the Plains, and now there is another project that will in all probability eclipse the building programs of the United States this year and next, and that is the extension of the Santa Fe lines into New Mexico, the probable building of the line of railroad from Roswell to a connection with the railroad at Rotan, in Texas and the extension of the Texas and Pacific from Monahans to Kermit, thence to Jal and then possibly to Lovington, New Mexico, and then another line from Rankin to Sheffield in Pecos county. This extension program of rails will likely be completed within the next twelve months.

PAYS $23.40 FOR FIGHT

The manager of a local dry goods store paid a fine of $1 and costs, amounting in all to $23.40 for a charge of simple assault, by Judge Charles Nordyke in county court Tuesday. The charge grew out of a fight between the manager and a customer of the store, following an argument over an account. The customer had not been arrested.

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The Woman's Day

By Allene Sumner

Allene Sumner

I wish that parents would learn to pay more attention to a child's motives if he tells a lie, rather than the lie itself.

John lied! They can't get over that. All they see is the great big lie hung around John's neck like a millstone.

He was afraid of them or he wouldn't have told it in the first place. And the more they make him afraid of them the more lies he will tell in self defense.

About 99 out of a hundred lies are pretty harmless, at least in the beginning. They are usually not malicious but are caused by weakness. That is why I say, instead of attaching too much importance to the lie, look behind it and see what the motive was in telling it. And try to correct the motive. It may begin with yourself.

Let us follow the evolution of a white lie.

John's mother has baked a batch of doughnuts and put them in a covered bowl in the pantry. Then she writes a note and lays it on the kitchen table. "Have gone to the dressmaker's. Will be back at 5. Don't touch the doughnuts."

John comes in from school starving hungry. He smells the delicious tantalizing odor of the doughnuts. He follows his nose. The trail leads through the kitchen. He sees the note—and reads. His face falls. No doughnuts!

First Temptation

He'll just take a look. Oh, how tempting and beautiful they look. He lifts one to his nose and sniffles. He licks at a fleck of sugar. Now if he had chosen the other way and gone through the pantry first, he'd have eaten one before he saw that old note.

He is very hungry. Now just suppose—. He falls. He eats two.

"I'm sorry, Mother! I—I—you see, I ate two doughnuts and then I saw your note afterwards. I was awfuly sorry, but it was too late.

But circumstantial evidence gave him away. He had dropped the note in the doughnut bowl. His mother found it under the lid.

A hard whipping. John had told a terrible lie! Horrible!

How foolish! In the first place no sensible mother would write such a note. Why couldn't John have had a doughnut, or two? It wasn't a malicious lie that John had told.

When I got John by himself I'd given him a man to man talk on trust, and sportsmanship. I'd have said, "See here, son John, a fib has no place around here. You see we come of a family that trusts its members. If you ever do what you shouldn't come and tell me about it. We'll talk it over. No more lies, John.

But that whipping made John more afraid. Later on he got expert at covering his tracks. Then his lies turned gray—then black.

Try a want ad for what you want. Just phone 13 or 14.

START BIG CAMPAIGN

TYLER, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The campaign to raise the stock for the erection of the Tyler Milk Products plant has been successfully completed as the required $100,000 as Tyler's part of the capital stock having been subscribed by local citizens. A site for the new industry will soon be picked and erection of the plant will commence soon afterward. It is estimated that the plant will cost approximately $30,000, the installation of machinery about $145,000, leaving the sum of $25,000 for operating expenses and to finance the campaign to get business. A large block of the stock in the plant is held by the Douthitt Engineering company of Chicago.

HOLD BABY BEEF SHOW

TULIA, Dec. 18—(AP)—Swisher county's first baby beef show will be held here February 2, according to announcement by the agricultural committee of the Tulia chamber of commerce.

C. B. Martin, county agent, has 34 34 baby beves on balanced rations among the club boys and girls in Swisher county. All of them will be shown in the show.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Jake Schaefer registered a big gain on Welker Cochran today in the third block of their special 4,800-point 18.2 balkline billiard match here. Schaefer ran up a total of 784 points in the afternoon block before his opponent got the necessary 400. At the end of the third block Cochran led by the score of 1200 to 960. The block went to 21 innings.

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SCRIPTURE: For all this I considered in my heart, even to declare all this, that the righteous and the wise, and their works, are in the hands of God: no man knoweth either love or hatred by all that is before them.—Ecclesiastes IX, 1.

RED TAPE AND FLU

The people of the United States are looking on with a good deal of interest to see just what this special "board of strategy" is going to do toward stopping the epidemic of flu that seems to be sweeping some portions of the United States. This is one of the precautions of the Federal Health Department, and we wish them all the success possible. We believe it will be a mighty good thing if we can only keep from getting too much red tape mixed up in the program. The main trouble with things that the government takes charge of is this celebrated red tape, that makes the machinery work so slow that a thing like the flu will have taken a toll that would be appalling before the preventatives could reach the spot. From the newspaper reports that have been put out the past few days as coming from the Federal Health Department there seems to be a mild form of this disease working its way through a number of states.

Fortunately the disease is of a much less violent character than that which spread over the United States and Europe during the war. Fewer deaths have been reported, and it appears that in some communities the epidemic ran its course within a few days.

There seems to be no substantial agreement as to the nature of the disease. It is called influenza or grip or a bad cold. But the communities afflicted have enough experience to justify the conclusion that it is probable that the epidemic spread from a central point. The question arises as to whether the country can be so organized as to discover incipient epidemics of infectious disease and check them before they spread. In attacking virulent communicable fevers in tropical countries, medical expeditions financed principally by Amercan have been especally successful. They have, however, had the advantage of dealing with a native population which travels little except by sea, and rigid harbor quarantine regulations overcome this channel of distribution.

The surgeon-general of the public health service conceded that the weight of scientific opinion favored isolation, even to the extent of closing schools and other places of public assembly but counselled against this extreme expedient largely on the ground that relaxation of normal activity breaks down much of the discipline essential to the well-being of most pepole, especially school children. The individual can do much to fortify himself against infection by observance of the few essential health rules with which everyone is familiar. He can follow the advice of practically all authorities that if a mild cold is conquered by a few days n bed, there is much less chance of serious illness. This appears to be as far as the country can go in its present state of social organization. Business goes on as usual. Each epidemic inspiring closer study of the problem of confinement to a small area about the source. It seems probable, in the light of recent progress in medical research, that all epidemics will be checked in time, either by barriers at the source, or immunization of the ndividual.

A couple recently celebrated their tin wedding by paying for their car that they had bought on the installment plan. That's fine anyway, for a great many people never pay for them at all.

A South Plains club boy earned $1.60 an hour for every hour he put in raising feed the past year. This youngster has figured the proposition down to a pretty fine point, but we suppose that is just the detail of the situation.

Game hogs are getting into it these days, and they should. They know the laws before they start out to hunt, and if the allowance for each hunter is not sufficient they should not start out. We notice that the wardens are getting pretty hot on the trail of some fellows, and it cost a North Plainsman $110 per each a few days ago, when it was found that they had too many quail for the day. Some guy will howl, however, that the punishment is too severe for the crime.

Feline Amenities.

Mrs. Blank—My husband always remembers my birthday.

Catty Friend—He ought to. You've had the same one for so long.—Sydney Bulletin.

Titters In Court.

English Magistrate—You say the plaintiff's a relative of yours?

Witness—Yes, by bigamy.

Pertinent Question.

Solicitor (at Shoreditch)—How much does your husband earn?

Woman—Now I ask you; would you tell your wife?

Long-Time Credit.

Western Paper—Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Simpson celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday by paying the last installment on their engagement ring.

Goes Double.

"I believe," says a specialist, "that singing is extremely beneficial in certain cases of deafness."

And vice versa.

Not So Accommodating.

His car was reduced to junk when the train hit it at the crossing, but by a miracle he was practically uninjured. After he had crawled from under the wreck, an officer said witheringly. "You deliberately drove your car in front of that train. Did you expect it to jump the track and pass behind you?"

"I didn't know but it might," returned the victim with a sheepish grin. "I understood it was an accommodating train."

A Washington Bystander

BY KIRKE L. SIMPSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. — "Army Blue," sung to the tune of "Aura Lee" used to be West Point's favorite ditty. Jazzy comment on the order restoring blue pre-war garrison uniforms for military social affairs, if desired, justifies the suggestion that the song be revived for army use, revised to read "Army Blues."

About 60 per cent of the army commissioned strength came in during or since the war. Those officers have no blues.

The swanky two-shade combinations in fatigue and dress uniforms and the open face effects with gold shoulder knots and highly colored lapels which were the proper caper at regimental mess or army "hops" went out of the picture in 1917. Surviving speciments have been in the mothballs for 11 years, except for military attaches and aides to the president at White House high ceremonies.

Army's Glory Revived.

It is these ancient trappings of military glory Secretary Davis, aided and abetted by General Summerall as chief of staff, has authorized for nonformation wear at the pleasure of the owners. Or, of course, officers who possess no blues, but have $600 and up to spare, may order new outfits. What advantage will be taken of the permissive authority to dress up in colorful regimentals when a big party like the White House Army-Navy reception on New Year's day is being thrown remains to be seen.

Unquestionably the army nose has been out of joint for a decade. The land heroes, however high their rank, looked quite coolness in their sober olive drab field uniforms as they lined up for the annual White House show.

The navy, draped in long dress coats resplendent with brass buttons, encircled with golden sword belts and wearing cocked beavers in which John Paul Jones himself would have felt entirely at home, completely outclassed the land warfare contingent. A complete admiral, even a temporary one like Admiral Hughes, chief of naval operations, who will head the navy contingent on New Year's day, is goldbraided from wrist to elbow to carry all the cargo of distinction he rates. He's a four-stride admiral in navy parlance.

Glamorous To The Ladies.

General Summerall, heading the army column, aside from his impressive collection of war and campaign medals and perhaps an added touch, lost to the seadogs, given by clanking spurs, can show only diminutive twin stars of silver on either shoulder and an inch-wide black band on tunic sleeves to denote his military premiership.

The mothball blues, even, wouldn't help him. He was an artillery major yhen they went out of fashion and is now a major-general.

He rates, under the new roder, a many buttoned, double breasted coat, gold epaulettes and sword belt and a very fancy feathered cocked hat. But will he so appear January 1 to dazzle all beholders?

The Bystander's guess is that the army ladies will have the last say in this matter, as in others. Military hubbies are as subject to domestic discipline as civilians, and the dods are in favor of a return to swanky styles.

Your Health

LEAD IS ONE OF WORST INDUSTRIAL POISONS

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first of an informative and valuable series of three articles on Industrial Poisons. Tomorrow: Arsenic and Mercury.

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
Editor Journal of the American Medical Association And of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

Before the Fifth International Congress for Industrial Accidents and Occupations, held recently in Budapest, Sir Thomas Oliver, one of the most widely known authorities on industrial diseases, considered the influence of industrial poisons on the different bodily organs.

One of the most serious of industrial poisons is lead, toward which human being react in different ways.

Factors In Lead Poison.

Much depends on the speed with which the lead is absorbed in the body; the age of the patient is important, since young persons are more likely to be affected by lead than older ones; women also seem to be more seriously affected by lead than are men. In one case a healthy girl, 18 years of age, died from the effects of the lead on her brain after working in a white lead factory for six weeks.

The more delivately organized the tissues of the body, the less resistance to poisons; hence alcohol and lead affect the nerve centers of the brain earlier than the other tissues of the body. Among the earliest tissues affected by lead poisoning also are the blood and the blood forming organs.

In most cases under the conditions of industry, the worker receives small doses of lead day after day, so that symptoms of poisoning may not arise for several years. However, because of the effects of lead on the blood, the possibility of lead poisoning may be determined by examining the blood long before the obvious symptoms develop.

It is the general opinion that workers in the lead industry in the course of time develop changes in their blood vessels and are likely to have high blood pressure. Their death rate from brain hemorrhage is larger than that of workers in other occupations.

The constant absorption of the lead also affects the kidneys, and these changes may be responsible for the changes in the blood vessels.

Frequent Examinations.

A single dose of lead seldom gives rise to symptoms, but if small quantities are repeatedly passed into the body, chronic changes develop. After death lead can be found in the liver, the kidneys, the brain and the bones.

It is because of the danger of small doses taken in repeatedly over long periods of time that modern industries in which lead is employed arrange for frequent examinations of all workers so that the dangers may be offset before permanent changes take place in the body.

Laughs

Slow All Right.

Father (at 11:30 p. m.)—You were a long time saying goodnight to that young Slowboy. I hope you didn't let him kiss you.

Daughter—Let him! I had to help him.—Passing Show.

The Set-Up.

The clubs and balls are costly,
The dues take heavy toll;
But the real expense of golfing
Is at the nineteenth hole.

—Collier's.

Their Only Hope.

"In God We Trust" is seen most frequently on money and in the conduct of pedestrians.—Colorado Springs Gazette.

"Post-Office"

SO THINK WE

We think it sounds mighty bad when the police records of the county show a number of drunks every day, but the thing that we believe is the worst feature is that the world knows about the drunks, but they do not take into consideration the large number of sober people in the city. It is said that one skunk in a cage with five hundred rabbits will create more excitement and attention that all of the rabbits, though they are five hundred to one. It was said of one school institution one time that there were more drinking students than there were sober ones, which statement was resented by the Superintendent of the schools, and well it might have been. The head of that institution said that one drunken student would attract more attention than all the balance of the number and it just seemed that there were more drunks than there really were. The same applies to the drunks in Lubbock. It sounds like there are more than there really are. We doubt if the publicity is the proper thing after all.

We think since Governor Dan Moody has lassoed a wild cat, which the newspaper reports say he did a few days ago, that he will possibly be in condition to grapple with the next session of the State Legislature which no doubt will not be a tame affair itself. There is a lot of legislation to be put over, so the people think, and of course every new representative, and every new State Senator will have a bunch of measures that they will want to put over, so that the slate will be full, and the regular session will not near be able to work it out.

We think that times have changed. Santa Claus was always pictured in our minds as being a person who had something to give away, but we have noticed the past few days that he has been taking up a collection on the important corners of the Square in Lubbock. We do not object one minute to the old fellow taking up this collection, but we were just remarking that times have changed some. We hope the Salvation Army gets barrels full of money instead of only a kettle full. They will spend it judiciously we are sure, and will possibly use it to a better advantage than you would yourself. Make Christmas a cheerful time for more of the poor people that the Salvation Army is looking after, and it will be a brighter Christmas to you.

We think if all the business men were late to their store or to their office, as regularly as they are late to their Sunday School Classes business would not go forward at the rate that it does.

We think that the use of tallow candles in the homes at Christmas time is a mighty good way to bring about a very sad Christmas. Fires might be started that would bring grief to many hundreds of people. The thing is to be careful. The best thing to do is not to use tallow candles at all.

We think that facts are like a great many people that we know they are awful stubborn.

We think grocerymen like newspapermen get into some very embarassing positions sometimes. We hear of one groceryman getting thoroughly bawled out by a recent bride, because the flour the groceryman sent up was to tough that her hubby could not eat the biscuits that she made out of it.

We think we law-abiding citizens are a bunch of inconsistences. We want the officers to enforce the laws, and then we refuse to testify to anything that we have seen or heard, and will not take the time to serve on juries. Now is the time for all good men to put up or shut up.

We think with the millions of people in the United States that there should not be a soul left dreary on Christmas. Let's make happiness nationwide this Christmas. Begin at home and let the ripple spread like it does when you toss a pebble in the lake.

We think that prosperity is a something that big business men create and the politician is wise enough to take advantage of.

The Way Of The World

BY GROVE PATTERSON

SATURATION?

Let's not worry about the saturation point in business whether we are producing motor cars or what not. Listen to Major Carson, of N. W. Ayer & Son, advertising people. He says:

"As long as men die and babies are born there will be ever changing market. Six thousand new babies in the United States every day mean 25,000,000 new customers for every ten years. There are about 1,000,000 marriages every year, meaning a new untouched market for homes and all their appurtenances.

"Changing styles are constantly creating new demands. The car you thought so wonderful this year will take a back seat for a new model in a new color next year. The same this is true of sewing machines, lead pencils, and vacuum cleaners. The American family is always ready to buy newer things."

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KNOWING WHERE IT IS

Howard C. Dunn, of the United States bureau of commerce, tells store keepers some facts about their business. The facts come from analysis.

"One grocer," said Mr. Dunn, "carried forty-two kinds of tea, six of which made up half his total sales in tea.

"According to this grocer's trading area 43 per cent of his customers live within half a mile of his store and their purchases make up 50 per cent of his sales. Analysis of his deliveries showed the minimum use of a truck was to deliver two cakes of yeast to a customer living three miles away.

"Analysis of toilet goods sales in a city drug store for six months showed 74 per cent of total sales made on 150 items of 474 carried.

"Idle merchandise stocks on the shelves of retailers constitute one of the outstanding wastes. Merchandise which sleeps on the shelves gradually accumulates costs, such as storage, interest, insurance, taxes, shrinkage, depreciation of obsolescence. Furthermore, it ties up a retailer's capital and depreciates his credit."

Few who read this column are grocers, but the idea, the pinciple is sound. It is wise to know where the money comes from and where it goes. It is very wise to know where our time goes and what we are doing and why. The lack of analysis of our business and ourselves is one of the major reasons for failure.

WRITE IT OUT

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It is a help to clear thinking to know rather definitely what you believe about the few important fundamental matters of life. Would it not be a good thing if we were to write out our own philosophy of life, what we honestly think about things? Not many of us would produce a piece of writing that any publisher would care to buy but we would clarify our thinking and prepare ourselves for more thoughtful living. Few live thoughtfully.

PRESS COMMENT

THE SANTA CLAUS TAX

A ban has been placed upon collection of funds from employes of the various departments in the capitol in Austin, for the purpose of purchasing Christmas gifts for the state officials. Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum, Secretary of State, started this movement to abolish the "Santa Claus tax" and other officials promptly gave it their endorsement. Needless to say, employes in the several departments have given silent but emphatic approval.

The idea of taking up a collection to buy a Christmas present for the "boss" is as old as the hills, but is not compatible with modern ideas. The "boss" usually is somewhat embarassed by the gift, and the employes frequently regard it as something that must be done grudgingly; therefore the custom is contrary to the true Christmas spirit. There have been administrations at Austin that sanctioned the "Santa Claus tax" and also insisted upon department employes subscribing to certain newspapers and otherwise paying indirectly into the coffers of department heads; but that day, happily, has gone and we hope it is to be gone forever. Employes of the several state departments in the capitol at Austin do not receive large salaries; but if there are any who can afford it, and who want to do so, they will be privileged to present individual gifts to their chiefs. Mrs. McCallum and other officials are to be commended for having served notice that gifts bought by "passing the kitty" will be declined.—Brownwood Bulletin.

OUR ASSORTED PAPER MONEY

The amalgamation last week of the note issues of the British Treasury, and the Bank of England, brings out the contrast between the uniformity prevailing in European countries and the great variety in our own. In the United States there are now seven different kinds of paper money. Since they are freely interchangeable and readily convertible into gold, their variety offers no problem in ordinary cash transactions. For the average citizen it is immaterial whether he handles silver certificates or Federal Reserve notes, and few people take the trouble to ascertain which they are handling.

If any of these issues is to be withdrawn in the near future it is most likely to be the national kank note. This type of currency, secured by a deposit of Government bonds, once rendered the country a valuable service by displacing the hetergeneous issues of scores of State banks. On the other hand, it has always failed in times of financial stringency to serve the business community as a good banking currency should. It has been perversely inelastic, expanding when business conditions favored its contraction, and vice versa.

The passage of the Federal Reserve Act has removed the further need for this type of bank note, and its discontinuance was contemplated and even provided for in that legislation. But for some reason the national banks have hung on. The question of their retirement will be brought to the fore again when the federal bonds with the note-circulation privilege mature in 1930. The only argument which can be advanced for the retention of the bank notes is the fact that their sustaining bonds bear a lower coupon rate than others, and the note issue thus saving the Treasury something in the way of interest charges. Every other consideration favors the retirement of this obsolete currency.

HIGH FLIGHT

BY RUTH DEWEY GROVES — AUTHOR OF "WHEN A GIRL LOVES" "LOVE FOR TWO"

1928 By NEA Service Inc.

THIS HAS HAPPENED

Fate introduces JERRY RAY to ALESTER CARSTAIRS when he crashes his airplane into the camp she is sharing with her roommate. She likes his pilot, DAN HARVEY, but Alester showers her with attention.

Dan tries to win her, but when he proposes she tells him she does not believe in love but hopes to marry money.

Jerry loses her job on Alester's account, and he gets her a place in a chorus. She works hard and Alester drives her to Atlantic City for the opening, but she angers him by refusing to attend a midnight chorus party.

But she wins promotion to a special dance number. The second week of the show is in Boston and Alester insists on driving her there. But he delays starting and then stops at a notorious roadhouse for dinner.

Jerry begs him to hurry but before she can get him away, it is night and raining. Car trouble spoils her slim chance of reaching Boston on time. Then Alester thinks of the airplane, but Dan refuses to go up on account of the weather. Alester stubbornly prepares for flight, and when Dan sees they are determined he takes the wheel and goes up in the storm.

He runs into an electric storm. Tragedy threatens when lightning sets fire to a plane wing, but the heavy rain smolders it and he gets the machine down to a safe landing. They catch a train on into Boston but arrive too late for rehearsal.

The press agent wants to play up the story using Alester's name, but Jerry objects. They persuade him to tell the truth—featuring Jerry for show publicity and Dan for his bravery.

By the time the show reaches New York, Jerry has become quite a finished dancer and Alester is more enamored than ever. He asks her to marry him—deciding to risk the family wrath.

She begs him to wait before announcing an engagement and objects to going to a party at LEONTINE LEBAUDY'S but he insists.

Dan comes to attend the show and Jerry calls him back stage for a visit. Alester finds them together and brutally informs Dan they are going to a party to announce their engagement, and invites him to go along.

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NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XLVI

Dan was plainly dumfounded by Jerry's words. She saw indecision, amazement and anger struggling to take control of him, though she understood only that he was disturbed.

He wheeled upon Alester and in a cutting voice asked him if it were true. "Are you taking Jerry to Leontine Lebaudy's place?" he demanded.

Alester did not answer him directly. He spoke to Jerry. "Please go and get dressed," he said. "Dan and I will wait for you in the car."

"Wait a minute," Dan spoke up as Jerry started to leave them. Then, to Alester, "Surely you aren't in earnest? You can't take the girl you're going to marry out there."

Alester's eyes shifted furtively, then settled upon Dan's face with a challenging defiance. "Well, are you coming?" he asked gratingly.

Dan studied him at length before replying. He recognized a desperate bravado behind Alester's defiance—knew that Alester was not to be turned from his purpose—a purpose that held a menace.

"All right," he said tersely. "I'll go."

Jerry turned away without a word and hurried to the dressing room, where she slipped into her new evening frock. She had thrilled to the purchase of the lovely satin creation, but tonight she did not give it a thought.

Here makeup had been removed quickly, but now that she stood before her mirror, ready, except for the drop of perfume on her delicate eartips, she was reluctant to return to Dan and Alester.

"I'll wait here for Evelyn," she said to herself, and sat down to polish her nails.

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Evelyn joined her shortly "don't sit in here," she cried when she saw Jerry. "Run along to Alester. I'll be out in two minutes."

"I'll help you," Jerry said, and began getting Evelyn's things ready. She handed her a folded towel to pin around her head and removed the top from the cold cream jar.

"You won't have to ride with Alester and me," she said as she pushed the stack of tissue cleansing towels within Evelyn's reach. "There's someone to share the rumble seat with you."

Evelyn's eyes had been closed, to permit the removal of the blue paint from their lids, but at a soft note in Jerry's voice she opened them and looked at her.

"Who?" she said, and waited anxiously for the information.

"Dan."

"Oh," was all the Evelyn said to Jerry. But to herself she added, "I knew it!"

Once when Jerry had gone home with her to spend the night Evelyn had sought to draw her out in regard to her feeling for Alester, but Jerry had shown no willingness to take her into her confidence.

Evelyn had, perforce, to drop the subject, though she was convinced that Jerry was unhappy. And she suspected that Dan Harvey was responsible . . .

She had consented to go to Leontine's party only because Jerry had entreated so earnestly that she could not refuse. But she was not at all pleased that Jerry had accepted.

However, she hurried through her dressing as thought she were speeded by pleasant anticipation. She knew that Alester had wanted Jerry to leave at the end of her act and that only Jerry's insistance upon having her along had kept him waiting.

Too, she wanted to see Dan and Jerry together. She was still ignorant that Jerry's engagement was to be announced at Leontine's party, and she hoped that she might find a way to make Jerry look searchingly into her own heart.

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Nothing happened on the way to the inn to indicate to her the state of mind under which her three companions were laboring. There had been a hurried greeting between herself and Dan and then a hasty departure.

Upon their arrival they found the party in full flower. Guests were gathered at the tables. There was one, however, that was unoccupied. It was laden with costly blooms and sparkling glass.

Leontine welcomed them in the hall and when they had left their wraps in the dressing room she led them to the reserved table and told them to find their places.

Evelyn saw with a sinking heart that the favors and place cards were dolls dressed as brides and grooms, holding bits of cardboard. She leaned over to read what was written on one of them:

"Miss Lebaudy invites Miss Estelle Agnew to sit her and partake of the pre-nuptial feast she is giving in honor of Miss Jerry Ray and Mr. Alester Carstairs."

Evelyn straightened and looked at Jerry. But the latter was standing before a place where Leontine had laid a spray of orange blossoms. Her eyes were downcast, staring at the significant decoration.

Evelyn moved on in search of her own card. A waiter was placing an extra chair for Dan. Shortly Evelyn found herself beside him. She wondered how he felt over this surprise. But his face was a dead mask that revealed nothing.

Leontine had greeted him with no sign of displeasure at his unexpected arrival. Dan would not have minded had she protested. He was no longer sensitive over small matters.

Leontine made a supreme effort to bring a festive spirit to the occasion. Her guests immediately took up the cue, except those she was honoring and their friends.

Jerry was frightened. Full realization of the meaning of her promise to Alester seemed to come to her here. And marriage—marriage was no longer an indefinite thing, but a concrete fact that she was fully aware of at last.

She could not touch the food before her, and only the mineral water that she had requested could she force down her dry throat.

She dared not look at Dan or Evelyn lest they divine her terror. Once she spilled a few drops of water on her gown. Leontine witnessed the little accident and smiled.

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Soon afterward a waiter appeared at Jerry's elbow with a note on a silver salver. She glanced at Alester and saw that he likewise was receiving a message.

She read the contets. Leontine wished her and Alester to go upstairs during the next dance and receive in the privacy of her boudoir the gift she had prepared for them.

Down the table Leontine smiled to Jerry's interrogating glance. Alester, too, sent his hostess a questioning look . . . she smiled at him with serene mockery.

Dan and Evelyn had not been dancing, but when the music blared out again she jumped impulsively to her feet and exclaimed: "Let's dance. I can't sit still another instant!"

Her voice was raised, almost in shrillness with suppressed hys-

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THIS DATE IN AMERICAN HISTORY

December 19

1806—John Jay declined chief justiceship.
1864—President Lincoln called for 300,000 additional volunteers.
1889—Warships sent to Rio de Janeiro to warn against interference with American shipping.
1913 — Woman suffrage lost in Michigan by 760 votes.

Today's Poem

Fair pledges of a fruitful tree,
Why do ye fall so fast?
Your date is not so past
But you may stay here awhile
To blush and bently smile,
And go at last.

What! Were ye born to be
An hour or half's delight?
And so to bid good-night?
'Twas pity Nature brought you forth
Merely to show your worth
And lose you quite.

But you are lovely leaves, where we
May read how soon things have
Their end, though never so brave;
And after they have shown their pride,
Like you awhile, they glide
Into the grave.

High Flight

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teria. She knew now, beyond a question of doubt, that Jerry had got herself into a mess. The girl's face was white, and utterly devoid of its usual bright glow . . . It made Evelyn's heart ache to look at her.

"And she's such a quixotic little fool!" she thought she said to herself as Dan swung her into the rhythm of the dance. Actually she was speaking aloud, just barely escaping broken utterance.

Dan bent his head nearer but made no reply. "Oh, well," Evelyn thought, realizing that he had caught what she had said, "what's the difference?"

"What do you mean?" Dan asked as she remained silent.

She made no attempt to evade "I mean that Jerry is just idiotic enough to stick to her word when she's already given it if she finds out that she's made a horrible mistake."

"She's had plenty of time to make up her mind," Dan returned dully. "I guess she knows what she's doing."

"I'm sure she didn't really know before tonight," Evelyn exclaimed "Don't forget that she's just an untrained kid who longed for the moon. Alester is the moon and the stars, too, in his world. You can't blame Jerry for being dazzled."

"I'll never forget anything about her," Dan replied miserably. "I happen to love her."

"Yes, I know," Evelyn said softly, "but don't say 'happen.' It might sound sappy, but I do believe that real love is ordained Some of us can't escape it."

"Or, get over it," Dan replied "I've tried to."

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He looked across her shoulder at the table they had left and saw that Jerry was not there. His gaze swept over the room, he did not see her among the dancers.

Evelyn felt him lose step and glanced up to catch him frowning.

"What's the matter?" she asked.

"Jerry's not around," he said and I don't like it. To tell you the truth, Miss Starr, I've had a queer feeling about Alester all evening. He's not himself."

"I've noticed it, too," Evelyn admitted. "Do you suppose we ought to look for them?"

"Let's take a turn around the grounds," Dan suggested, and they walked over to one of the half open French doors that looked upon the garden.

They did not go about stealthily, but they covered the grounds thoroughly before starting back to the inn. There had been an intermission and another dance since they had come out. They could see the dancers through the French doors, and Jerry and Alester had not returned to join them.

"Let's sit here just a moment," Evelyn said as they neared a bench "I'm not entirely sure that we should be trying to intrude into other people's affairs."

Dan did not sit down beside her. Instead he leaned against a pedestal that upheld a small Bacchus and touch a match to ligrt a cigaret. As he flipped it away he chanced to raise his eyes upward.

Evelyn saw him stiffen. They were in the direct rays of an outside lamp . . . she could discern even the intentness of his gaze as he continued to stare at the upper part of the building.

She turned her head and looked in the same direction. All that met her eyes was a lighted window. That couldn't be all that Dan had seen, she thought, for he was now running toward the inn and calling back over his shoulder for her to follow him.

(To Be Continued.)

GIVE JAIL PROGRAM

HOUSTON, Dec. 18—(AP)—When a blues yodeler delivered his version of the "Jailhouse Blues" to 98 convicts in the Houston jail, the jailbirds could not confine their enthusiasm for the entertainer and admitted that the number was as "hot at jail house coffee."

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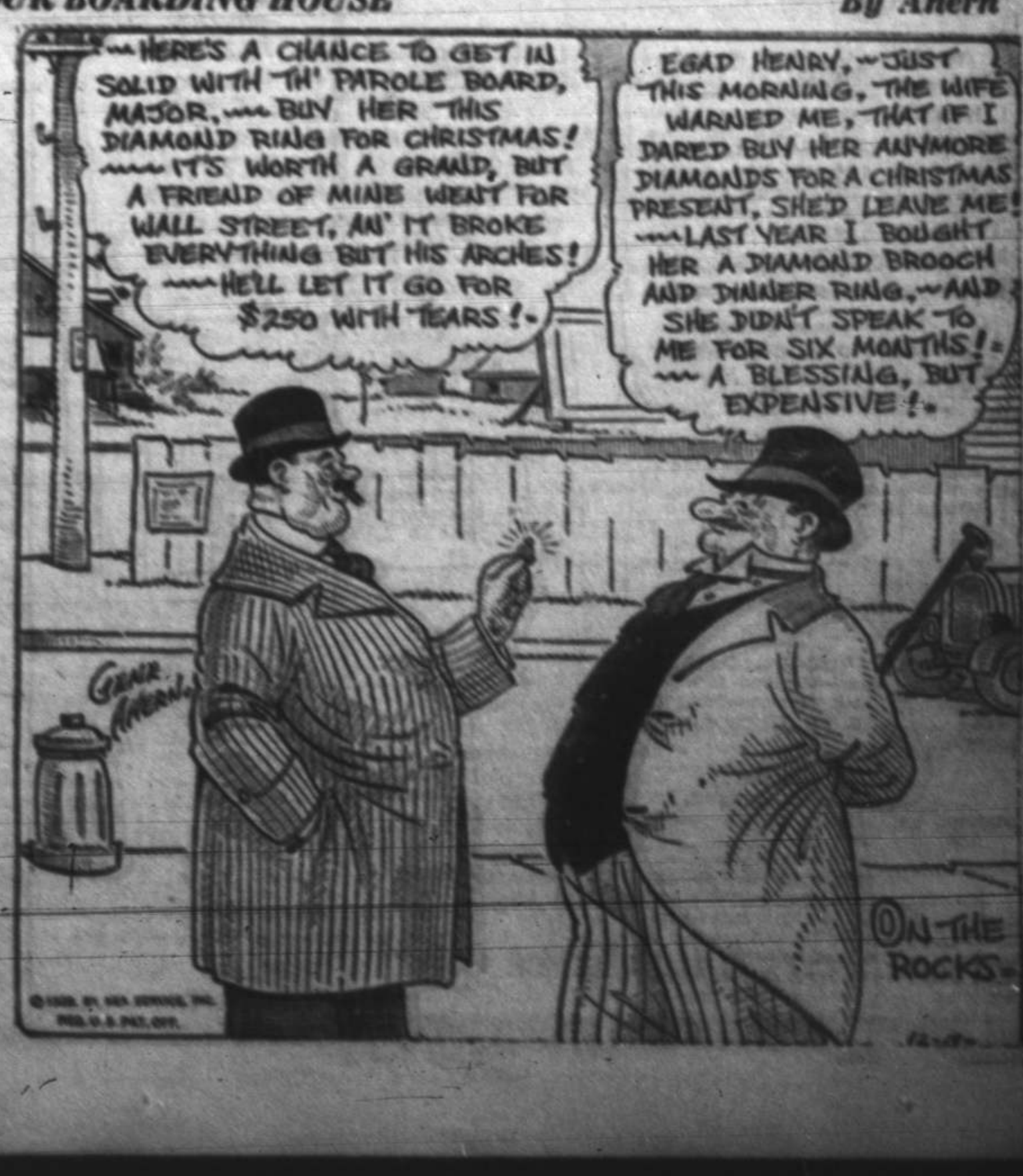

Local Prices On Farm Products

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

POULTRY

Heavy hens	16.00
Light hens	13.00
Colored broilers	16.00
Colored springs	13.00
Leghorn broilers	13.00
Leghorn springs	11.00
Light spring chickens	18.00
Roosters	6.00
No. 1 tom turkeys	20.00
No. 1 hen turkeys	15.00
No. 1 old toms	12.00
No. 2 old toms	10.00

EGGS

Per dozen	.50

CREAM

Butter fat, per pound	.45

GRAIN

Good quality maize heads, ton	16.50
Kaffir heads, good quality	14.50
Threshed kaffir, per hundred	1.00
Threshed milo maize	1.10
Sudan seed	3.10

LIVESTOCK
(Furnished by McDonald Packing Company)

Cattle, calves, best	9.00@9.50
Cows, choice	5.50@6.00
Yearlings, best	7.50@8.50
Bulls, best	5.50@6.00
Packing sows, top	6.50@7.00

Cotton Market Report

By Norman-Mayer & Company
1310 Texas Avenue

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	19.56	19.65	19.50	19.60-F
Mar.	19.65	19.73	19.60	19.69-70
May	19.57	19.67	19.54	19.63-64
July	19.39	19.46	19.37	19.46-F
Oct.	18.89	19.02	18.82	18.96-98
Dec.	19.45	19.56	19.45	19.52-F

Closing tone steady.

Close Monday:—Jan. 19.60; Mar. 19.67; May 19.60; July 19.42; Oct. 18.92; Dec. 19.52.

NEW YORK FUTURES

Month	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	20.21	20.28	20.13	20.26-27
Mar.	20.24	20.33	20.15	20.30-32
May	20.18	20.26	20.11	20.24-26
July	19.85	19.92	19.76	19.88-90
Oct.	19.44	19.51	19.33	19.44--T
Dec.	20.33	20.40	20.22	20.39--T

Closing tone very steady.

Close Monday:—Jan. 20.23; Mar. 20.25; May 20.19; July 19.83; Oct. 19.40; Dec. 20.34.

LIVERPOOL FUTURES

Close:—Jan. 10.39; Mar. 10.42; May 10.44; July 10.41; Oct. 10.17; Dec. 10.35. Due one to six penny points higher Wednesday. Sales 6,000 of which 3,300 were American. Receipts 38,000 of which 25,700 were American. Middling cotton 10.62 vs. 10.39 Monday. Spots tone steady.

AMERICAN SPOTS

New York 20.55, sacls 700. New Orleans 19.40, sales 1,602. Dallas 19.00, to arrive 7,188. Houston 19.65, to arrive 4,705. Galveston 19.70, sales 22, f. o. b. 1,000. Ft. Worth 19.00. Waco 18.85. Memphis 18.80.

Local demand remains slack, one or two of the larger firms buying most of the cotton. Basis is around 200 off for middling, 300 off for strict low, 400 off for low middling and 300 off for strict good ordinary.

SUMMARY

Market up three to five points in New York trading, unchanged to three points in New Orleans trading. The opening was steady showing slight gains but soon sold off of the issuance of a bearish estimate of the ginnings to Dec. 13 by the Fossick Bureau of Memphis. The bureau placed its figures at a total of 13,270,000 bales ginned or 708,000 bales for the period. Trading again was very light and the market was a dull, sluggish affair. The undertone however, seems to be very strong and the smallest incentive causes a rally. We continue to advise buying on any break.

Two private estimates on the ginnings to Dec. 13 were issued today, the first, that of the Fossick Bureau, said 13,270,000 bales or 708,000 bales for the period and the second, that of a Chicago brokerage firm said 13,122,000 bales or 561,000 bales for the period. Ginnings to Dec. 13 last year were 12,074,100 bales and for the same period last year were 32,000 bales.

Liverpool cabled, "Continent bought cotton."

Manchester cabled, "Encouraging cloth sales to China and South America. Improved turnover in yarns."

The New Orleans News Bureau wired at nine-thirty: "Cotton very steady. Weather over belt wet and cold and trade fears much cotton will be lost."

McCrory, Ark.:—About 90 per cent of cotton ginning done. Not many weevils in this section.

Strington, Okla.: — Picking and ginning of cotton about over. No plowing.

Rosedale, Miss.:—Picking of cotton at an end but no new crop plowing done. Heavy hibernation of weevils.

Livingston, Ala.:—Cotton gins all shut down. Not much field work will be done until after the first of January.

Stanley, S. C.:—Cotton nearly all picked and ginned. Soil too dry to plow.

The New Orleans and New York Cotton Exchanges will be closed on Tuesday, December 25 and Tuesday January 1.

Cotton on shipboard:—New Orleans 44,368 vs. 46,424. Houston 23,251 bales vs. 33,416. Galveston 94,000 vs. 51,500.

New Orleans:—Total spot cotton sales in southern markets yesterday 24,938 bales vs. 17,115; for season 4,822,767 bales vs. 2,[illegible]6,439.

Exports of cotton:—All ports thus far this week 208,134 bales vs. 164,793. For season 4,325338 bales vs. 3,570,906.

WEATHER

The weather map showed dry weather in extreme west of cotton belt and considerable rain elsewhere. At noon the western belt weather belt was mostly clear, the central belt generally fair and the eastern belt clear to cloudy. Forecast. Eastern: fair and somewhat colder, light frosts in some localities. Western: generally fair and continued cold. West Texas generally fair and continued cold, probably freezing in southeast portion Wednesday morning.

R. E. STRONG, Mgr.

WARNS ABOUT FIRES

AUSTIN, Dec. 18—(AP)—State Fire Insurance Commissioner J. W. DeWeese has forwarded a letter to each of the 424 fire marshals in Texas urging them to be alert during the Christmas holidays to keep down fire hazards. "Do not use lighted candles on Christmas trees. Use electric lights and be sure they are perfectly connected" is the principal Christmas warning together with an admonition for care about fireworks.

She Has Accurate Aim In Life

Out west where men are men, not a few of the ladies are crack shots with the rifle. Miss Dorothea Moore, above, a member of the coed team at the University of Southern California, is shown practicing for a busy season of shooting—not at the men, but at targets.

Daily Markets

LUBBOCK LIVESTOCK

The following report furnished by McDonald Packing company:

Cattle: Calves, choice white face 9.00@9.50; good medium 8.00@9.00; Common and dogies 5.00@7.00.

Yearlings and heavy heifers: Choice 7.50@8.40; good medium 7.00@7.50; common 5.00@7.00.

Cows: Choice 5.50@6.00; good medium 4.50@5.50; common and cutters 2.50@5.00; canners 2.00@4.00.

Bulls: Heavy butchers 5.00@6.00; heavy bolognas 5.00@5.50.

Hogs: Choice butchers 7.50@7.80; choice light weights 6.50@7.25; choice heavies 7.25@7.80; packing sows 6.00@7.00.

FT. WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18—(AP)—An unusually light supply of cattle and calves was listed for today's trading, but they met with a rather indifferent demand and buyers were inclined to bid a bit lower on some classes. However, the total number listed was so light it did not fully levelop the tone of the market. The tone of the market suggests that a normal supply would have found a lower close.

One car of steers included in the day's receipts. It was light in weight and rather commond and sold at the noon hour.

Trading in bulls limited to a few odd head that came as part of mixed loads with the common light bulls around 6.25 and the heavies one around 7.00.

Slaughter yearlings and heifers were scarce. The common kind sold at 6.50 to 7.50. While one desirable trucked in yearlings sold at 13.50.

Even the supply of cows was light and consisted mostly of mixed loads. The canners and cutters were slow and unevenly lower in spots. The bulk of the sales around 5.00 on canners with a few at 4.50; cutters sold up to 5.50, while a few butchers sold in the 6.00 range and one car of cows sold at 7.15 with package lots at 8.30 and a few choice cows at 9.25.

Hardly enough calves on hand to make a market and those here were rather common. Buyers, however, displayed little interest in them and bid a little lower. Cull calves sold mostly around 5.50. No good loads offered.

Early sales in the sheep division consisted of a few truck lambs at 13.00, other receipts consisted of feeder lambs and yearlings but unsold.

Hogs sold 5 to 10. quality considred. rail top 8.85, paid for 2 loads. truck top 8.55. Packing sows sold at 7.25 to 7.75 and bulk of the 175-225 pound averages at 8.00 to 8.85; bulk pigs sold around 6.50, or about in line with yesterday's recline.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—(AP)—Unaware that the United States government crop report issued this afternoon would prove bullish, most wheat traders leaned to the selling side of the market today. In this connection an increase of 9,061,000 bushels in the world's available stocks of wheat counted as a special influence tending to pull values down, and the close was at the day's bottom level.

Final quotations on wheat were unsettled, 3-8c to 1 1-2 c net lower, with corn 1-8 to 3-8 and 1-2c off, oats at 1-8 and 1-4 to 3-8 and 1-2c decline, and provisions varying from 5c setback to a rise of 15c.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Further strength developed around the 11-market circuit in fot lambs; prices were steady to 25c higher; most points outside of Chicago in a strong to 25c higher basis; Chicago had a top of $14.75, while at Kansas City, St. Louis and St. Joseph $14.00 was realized. Aged stock held fully steady with a moderate upturn at Kansas City; the supply approximated 43,500 against 43,461 late Tuesday and 41,132 the same day a year ago.

After steady to 15c higher opening trade on hogs a new undertone developed at several centers and at Chicago closing prices were steady to 10c lower than Monday; the days top of $9.00 was paid both at Chicago and St. Louis, total offerings were around 116,200 a decrease of 34,000 from a week ago but 20,500 more than the same day last year.

Cattle trade was marked by considerable uneveness, most markets either maintained Mondays advance on fed steers and yearlings or scored a moderate gain, but at Kansas City packers were quick to take advantage of more liberal supplies to erase the upturn of Monday, fat she stock was generally steady to 25c lower while low grade cows were firm to slightly higher; price fluxuations on killing cattle may be expected as ong as the distribution of recelipts remains uneven and the eastern dressed beef markets continue suggish; Chicago scored $17.10 on one load of choice 925-pound steers, aggregate receipts were estimated at 31,400 as compared with 50,534 a week ago and 29,467 a year ago.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—(AP)—The stock market made substantial headway today in another quiet session reminiscent of midsummer. As most traders are marking time until after the holidays, specialists books were thin, and it was difficult to buy or sell except at substantially higher or lower prices.

Although bankers had generally predicted that the expected money stringency would make itself felt today, call money renewed at 7 per cent and again dropped to 6. This encouraged pool operations in the hgih priced specialties, and prompted accumulation of dividend-paying issues by investment trusts.

A wide assortment of issues advanced from 4 to 23 points, with copper and merchandising shares prominent in the upturn. Total sales aggregated 2,268,900 shares, a shade higher than yesterday's total. The Associated Press average price of 20 industrials advanced about 4 points cancelling the losses of the past two sessions, while the rails gained nearly a point.

The drop in the call money rate failed to inspire any ambitious undertakings, with 30-day time money at 8 1-4 per cent, the highest rate in years. Bankers explained that the abundance of call money was not surprising, in view of the credit resulting from the unexpected large government overdraft at the reserve banks, estimated at $250,000,000, in connection with the treasury refinancing Saturday. The treasury will withdraw about $86,000,000 of its deposits tomorrow, and it is expected to pay off the entire overdraft within the next few days.

National Tea, one of the more volatile issues, shot up 23 points in a small turnover. Montgomery and Ward displayed more activity than at any time since the rights came off last week, mounting nearly 13 points to 128 3-4 but a fraction under the high price for the present stock. The rights sold up 25 points to 220.

National Bellas Hess touched a new peak at 185, up 10, and Associated Dry Goods and Sears Roebuck closed about 4 points higher.

Strength of the coppers was accompanied by predictions that the price would soon reach 17 cents a pound, as a result of the heavy demands from the electrical trade. Greene Cananea touched a new peak at 174 7-8, up about 11, and closed at 172.

Automotive issues were accumulated in the exp ectation of the upturn in this group that normally precedes the automobile show. Chrysler and Packard gained about 3 po'nts, and General Motors nearly 2. Pierce Arrow touched a new high at 26, New York tractions went forward on announcement that Charles E. Hughes had been retained as counsel in the interborough's case before the supreme court for a 7-cent fare.

Columbia Carbon, Detroit Edison, and McCall Corporation mounted 7 to 12 points to record high prices, and Wright Aero jumped nearly 13 points. Standard Sanitary Manufacturing lost about 4 points in profit taking and By-Products Coke, and Eastman Kodak were under pressure. Gloss Sheffield Steel lost 7 points.

Foreign exchanges were generally higher reflecting the buying of holiday remittances for friends abroad. Sterling cables mounted more than 1-3 of a cent to $4.85 5-16. Japanese Yen, however, practically cancelled yesterday's gain of 20 points.

PLAN TRANSCONTINENTAL LINE

DALLAS, Dec. 18—(AP)—Establishment of a transcontinentl air mail line between Louisville, Dallas, El Paso with Los Angeles as the western terminus awaits only the carrying out of an official survey and the awarding of contracts for the service. Postmaster John W. Philp announced on his return from Washington this week.

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Moore Bros Hdw. Co. 908 Main St.
Hub Grocery Co. 1719 Ave. H
Lubbock Beauty Shop 1115 Ave. K and 1606 Broadway
Good Year Shoe Shop 1018 Broadway
Brewer Grocery 1413 7th st.
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2. MALE HELP WANTED

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WANTED—Good blacksmith at Old Emma, good place for good man. See or write. J. Garrison Store, Ralls, Texas.

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3. FEMALE HELP

Woman experienced in general housework. References required. Phone 1382-J after 7 p. m.

5. SITUATIONS WANTED

Neat reliable middle aged man wants work. Salesman or anything. Box H. C. care Avalanche-Journal.

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WANTED—Ride to Waco or Dallas about December 22. Tech student. Will share expenses. Phone 1079-W or call Jenkins at Avalanche-Journal.

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See Madam Powell for life readings present, past, and future told. Help you in business and trouble. 1402 Ave N.

6. HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished three room house. Close in. Phone 547.

FOR RENT—South half of duplex. 616 Ave L. Phone 1121-J.

East side of duplex. Four rooms. 1319 Thirteenth. Phone 1232.

Nicely furnished house or apartment. Close in. Must rent now. Apply 1512 10th street. Phone 1443-J

FOR RENT—5 room brick veneer. $35.00 per month. L. H. Holt, 1111 1-2 Ave J. Phone 1974.

Small furnished house for rent. 1201 17th street.

FOR RENT—Two room house. Apply 1418 Texas Ave.

FOR RENT OR LEASE—Nice 6 room house at 2316 16th street. All conveniences. Phone 675.

Two room house, also front bedroom. Call at 1616 Ave N. Phone 279-W.

FOR RENT OR TRADE—For smaller place, 7 room house in O'Neall Terrace. Brick. See owner 1912 9th street.

FOR RENT—Modern 6 room house, nicely located. $40.00. Call or see R. S. Williams, Citizens Bank.

FOR RENT—6 room new brick home. Modern, gas. Lease if desired 2003 19th street.

10. FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

Two light housekeeping rooms in private home. Modern. Private entrance, garage. Reasonable. 1914 17th street. Phone 1443-W.

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11. UNFURNISHED APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOR RENT — One half duplex, Phone 1016-W. Harry Miller.

Duplex apartment. Every convenience. On pavement. Close in. Phone 190.

FOR RENT—To couple only. Half of strictly modern new brick duplex. See L. C. Hunt or Phone 42.

FOR RENT—Three room unfurnished apartment, Newly finished, private entrance. See Hardin, 711 13th street. Phone 419.

12. FURNISHED APTS. FOR RENT

Nicely furnished three room apartment. Very desirable. Adults. 1409 Ave N.

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Four room apartment, couple only. 2303 14th street. Phone 963-W.

FOR RENT—Single room apartments or bed rooms in downtown modern fire proof building, steam heat, gas, etc. Call at office of—

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Nice two room furnished apartment. Private entrance. Modern, close in. Arid garage. Adults only. Also cottage unfurnished. 1516 Ave. G.

Two room furnished apartment. Gas. 620 Ave. M. Phone 1114 W.

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment. Everything furnished. Reasonable. Phone 955-W. 514 Ave. M.

13. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

Nice modern bedroom. Close in. Gas heat. 1511 Main.

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Room and board, approved for girls 2621 20th street. Phone 1838-J.

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18. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR RENT—Warehouse 30x100 on track and pavement. Phone 1675. J. A. Rix.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—My 145 acre farm located 9 miles S. W. from Slaton. In the Union community. One mile from church, school, store and gin. See or write A. J. Payne, Slaton, Texas.

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28. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Five room brick home, close in. 1625-7th street.

29 FINANCIAL

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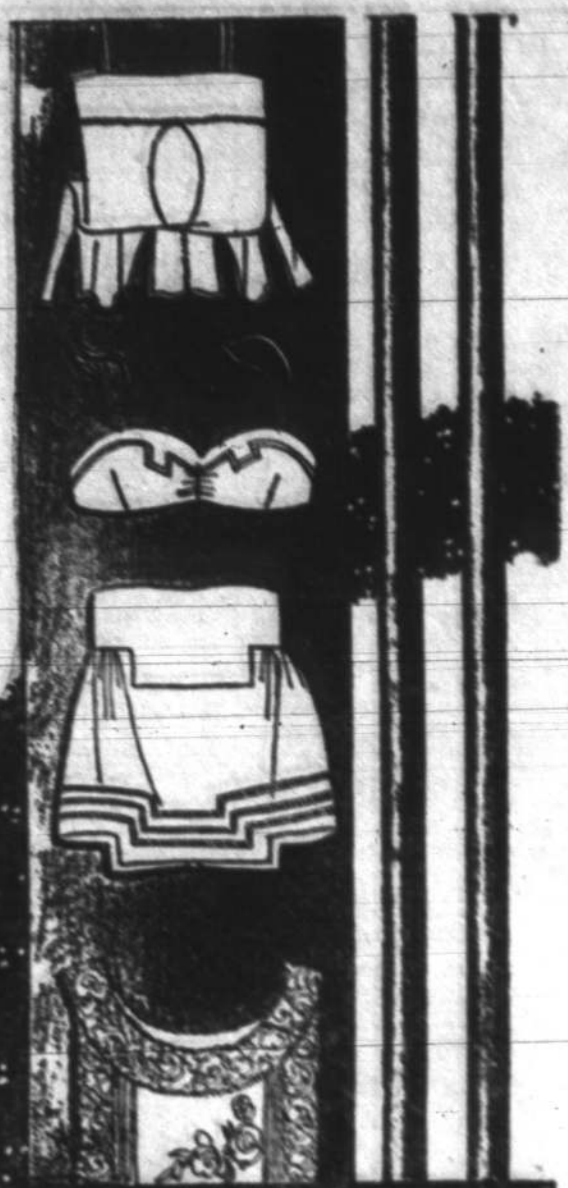

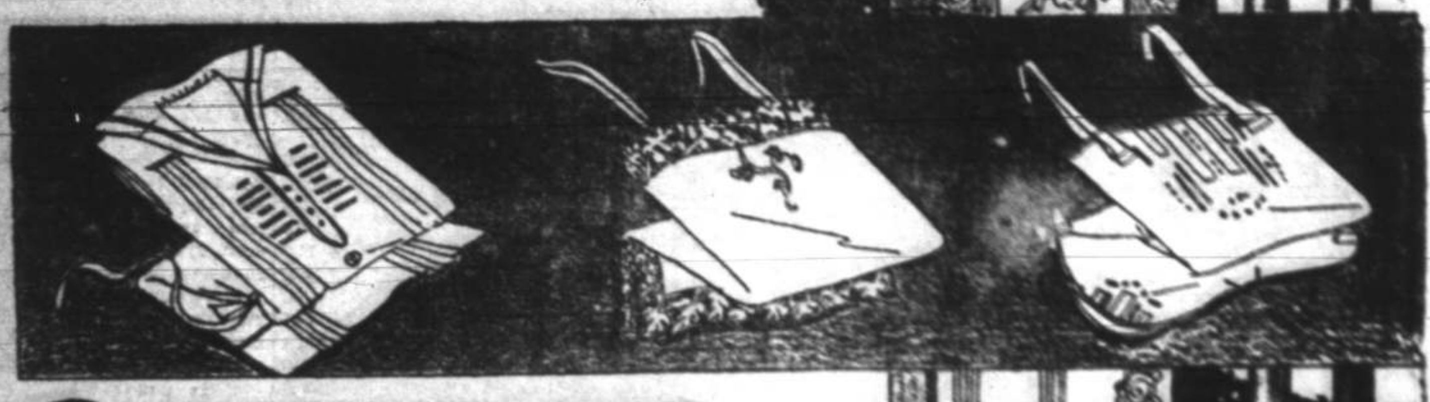

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Houston Robber Is Non-Chalant as He Weilds His Pistol

Man Strides Into Jewelry Store, Loads Gun and Begins Shooting; Captured Later With Loot

(By Associated Press)

HOUSTON, Dec. 18.—A man strode leisurely into the Crown Loan and Jewelry company store in the heart of the business district here tonight, purchased cartridges for his pistol, loaded it, kicked in the show cases, shot Jake Shainock, proprietor over the heart and ran with hands full of watches and jewelry.

Shortly after an unidentified white man was shot by an officer. The man was said to have had a number of watches in his possession and he was reported to have been shot after he fired at the officer who commanded him to stop.

Both Taken to Hospitals

Both Shainock and the man shot by the policeman were taken to hospitals.

The jewelry shop, contained three customers when the bandit staged his robbery.

After the man had purchased the cartridges and had begun loading his automatic in full view, Shainock is said to have remonstrated "you can't do that."

"The hell I can't", the man was reported to have replied, and swinging his gun on Shainock and two other people in the store, commanded: "stick 'em up."

Witnesses stated that the bandit then began kicking in the glass front containing diamonds and on seeing one of the men strat for him began firing wildly. In the resulting confusion the bandit sprang out of the door and disappeared in the large, crowd which had been attracted by the shots.

Search

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gas mail air port tonight and swing out above the Grand Canyon tomorrow. Lieuts. W. G. Plummer and J. Q. Adams, accompanied by a mechanic each, piloted the planes.

At Grand Canyon, Robert C. Francy, Jack Harbin and P. P. Papraw, assistant superintendent of the national park, made up the crew of a small boat which was launched to follow the Hydes down the stream. Papraw will disembark at the edge of the park while the other men will attempt to bring their boat to Needles, the announced destination of the Hyde scow. Indians living between here and Mojave reservation, 50 miles north, were searching on foot the meandering course of the river through the desert, since it was believed that the scow might have been stranded on a sand bar because the low flow of the river has made it virtually impassable by boat below the canyon mouth.

Cheer Fund

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Holland, Kiwanis secretary, at the tax collector's office.

Donations announced yesterday include the following:

Painters Union, 39 members	$10.00
Gus Kallas	$10.00
Plumbers and Steam Fitters Union	$20.00
G. W. Scott	$5.00
Kennedy M. Clapp	$10.00
H. B. Davis, Jr.	$2.50
J. M. Curran	$53.00

Federal Court

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These three cases are in equity. J. D. Gambill, et al. versus Matador Land & Cattle Co., Ltd., a case at law. Criminal cases continued are, the United States versus Edgar I. Hall, the United States versus Kirk F. Albright, and the United States versus Grover Cleveland Allen, J. H. Shubert.

The case of W. H. Beatty versus General Laundry Machine Corporation was dismissed on motion of the plaintiff.

Mrs. Northcott

Jointly accused with her son, Gordon Stewart Northcott, with numerous murders on the alleged Northcott "murder farm" at Wineville, Calif., Mrs. Sarah Louise appeared shortly after she was Northcott is pictured above as she taken to Riverside, Calif., to await trial.

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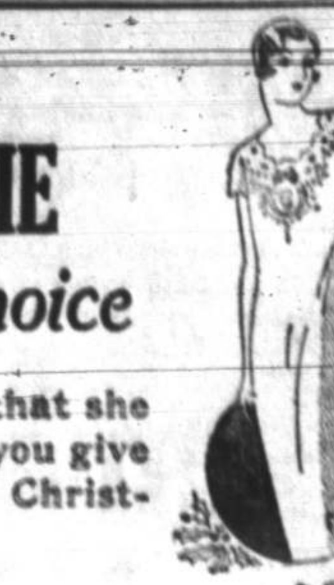

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Wink Raid

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prisoners for a time. Several of the prisoners were being closely questioned by specialists on the Dyer act. It was reported that the men were unable to establish ownership of several fleets of automobiles which have been operating from Winkler county to the Mexican border.

Half Dozen Are Held In Kidnaping of Cafe Man

WINK, Dec. 18—(AP)—Half a dozen men were arrested and more arrests are expected as a result of the rescue here today of P. C. (Denver Blackie) Burcham, Wink cafe proprietor, who claims he was lost three days on the desert after being kidnapped, bound and deserted by rum-runners.

Those arrested were H. E. "Red" Heaton, 23, charged with kidnapping; L. M. Rikle, 21, charged with kidnapping; Burcham, who is 50 years old and who is charged with robbery and auto theft in connection with the hold-up of the liquor trucks; R. W. Craig, 50, held under the same charges; and a youth who is known as "The Blue Punk" who was freed because of his part in Burcham's rescue. The name of the sixth man was not announced.

Confessions are Made

Deputy Sheriff Wood said tonight that confessions had been obtained from some of the prisoners. Heaton and Rikle were held without bail. Trials in the cases will be held in Kermit after the grand jury meets.

Bursham was found this morning by "Winkler Walt" Wood, deputy sheriff of Winkler county who spent two days and one night in the saddle, dismounting only six times, when Burcham's plight became during them an hunt which started known.

When found Burcham was unable to talk coherently because of exposure, but later charged several men in the community with complicity in his kidnapping. Those he accused retaliated by charging that Burcham held up a $500,000 cargo of liquor bound from Juarez to the West Texas oil fields Friday, took the liquor and hid it. They asserted that they had not intended to allow burcham to die of exposure, but had bound him to a fence rail and thrown him into an empty water tank in an effort to make him divulge the location of the liquor cache.

Deputy Sheriff Wood said that the confessions in his hands quote Burcham's abductors as taunting him, after he had been thrown into the tank:

"That is where you will live the rest of your life, but that won't be long."

AGED CONGRESSMAN DIES

ENID, OKLA., Dec. 18—(AP)—W. A. Calderhead, 84 years old, for fourteen years a member of congress from the fifth Kansas district, died at his home here following a long illness.

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Highway Contracts

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Star; $7,603.60 also 9.47 miles construction and widening roadbed highway 67, E. F. Bucy and Son, Rising Star, $23,306.64.

Calhoun county—Six timber trestle bridges highway 57, Dodds and Wedegartner, Inc., San Benito, $31,928.49.

Carson county—24.28 miles concrete pavement highway 33, J. W. Zempter and company, Inc., Galveston, $565,993.62.

Johnson and Parker counties—7.17 miles gravel surface course highway 10, Tibbetts Construction company, Fort Worth, $37,617.53.

Jackson county — Grading and drainage structures through Lavaca river bottom highway 12, Charles K. Horton, Houston, $8,897.62, and Sullivan and Davis, Granger, $99,995.64 for bridge, also 1.57 miles grading and drainage structures Navidad river bottoms highway 12, J. D. George Construction company, Donna; $14,326.39 for grading and Sullivan and Davis, Granger, $99,114.43 for bridge.

Leon county—15.55 miles grading and drainage structurss highway 32, J. S. Moore and Son, Lufkin, $134,534.44.

Sterling county—12.29 miles grading and drainage structures highway 9, D. H. Buchanan, Temple, $37,073.48 for small structures and $70,964.78 for large structures.

Throckmorton county—15.42 miles grading and drainage structures highway 23, R. B. Stroup, Sherman, $54,067.50 for small structures, and L. M. Mackey, Britton, Oklahoma, $34,901.77 for large structures.

[illegible] county—14.48 miles of grading and drainage structures and concrete pavement highway 32, F. P. McIlwraith, Corsicana $452,864.63 and John Thompson and Son, San Augustine, $55,297.24.

El Paso county—Two bridges highway 1, Ware-Rainey company, El Paso, $11,[illegible].

Brown county's application for the state to take over highway 128 for maintenance was referred to the state engineer.

A. A. Allison of Corsicana headed a delegation from Navarro county seeking to have the location of highway 14 established on the west side of the railroad track through the town of Richland, instead of the east side. The application was refused.

A request for an allotment of $10,000 to complete a concrete road in Navarro county to the Emhouse road, abandoned as a part of the route of highway 14, was turned down on the grounds that it is strictly a county road and the department cannot legally give state aid to county highways.

A tentative designation was given Crane county from Crane to some point on highway 1 in either Ector or Midland county, and the project referred to the state engineer for surveys.

AMARILLO, Dec. 18 — Wallace [illegible], motion picture star, left here early before noon Monday in his monoplane which he is taking from the plant in Wichita, Kan., to Los Angeles.

Find Wild Spot
Two California Men Visit Wierd Place

BERKELEY, CALIF., Dec. 18—(AP)—Two University of California men have just returned with a tale of discovering a spot in New Mexico more remote from the general current of civilization in the United States than the wildest spot in Africa or Borneo.

In their report, made public today, Professor C. L. Camp, curator of amphibians and reptiles in the museum of vertebrate zoology, and V. L. Vanderhoof, museum collector, said that in one spot in northwestern New Mexico one could stand on a promontory and survey the history of the world since time, perhaps 75,000,000 years ago, when the first fourfooted animals walked the earth.

The location, the university men say, is one of the richest fossil fields yet found on the American continent.

Rotary Club

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of the First Christian church. Next was the address of Dr. Horn, then selections from the Student Prince. First, by Harry Blocker and chorus, "Deep in My Heart, Dear," by Mrs. Lynn Williams and Dorrance D. Roderick; "Drinking Song," by the chorus; "Golden Days," by Mrs. Violet Grayum McKnight and Warren Clements; "Student March Song," by chorus; "Just We Two," by Mrs. Lynn Williams and Bert Brown and the address by H. C. Pipkin.

An orchestra, composed of Misses Beulah Dunn, Ruth Dunn, Mary Mendor, Mrs. Merlin Smith, Howard Hunt, and W. W. Rix, played for the program. The chorus was composed of: Mrs. Lynn Williams, Mrs. Walter Royalty, Mrs. Violet Grayum-McKnight, Mrs. Homer Grant, Mrs. Jed Rix, Miss Nell Parlee, R. B. Campbell, Mrs. Harry Blocker, Mrs. Warren Clement, Harry Blocker, Warren Clement, Bert Brown, Ed Inmon and Dorrance Roderick.

The arrangements committee was composed of Byron Dickinson, Ross McWhorter and Don Mitchell. The program committee was Sam Dunn, Hubert Allen, Charles A. Guy, Bill Jackson, W. W. Rix.

YOUTH IS KILLED

Michigan Boy Falls Under Wheels of Train

DEL RIO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Apparently hoboing his way from Clio, Mich, his home, to California, Raymond Burgess, 18, was injured fatally when he fell from a train at Shumla, 50 miles west of Del Rio. He died in a hospital here today.

Advises Spending
Henry Ford Says to Spend In Youth

DETROIT, Dec. 18. (AP)—Declaring that nobody will develop leadership by "putting money in the bank", Henry Ford today reiterated his advice to boys to "spend for leadership," the statement was an amplification of the one made in Washington recently and which occasioned considerable comment.

"A boy's job is not to accumulate dollars but to use them to prepare himself with the training, knowledge and experience which every leader needs. If a boy saved, it should be with some such expenditure in view," Mr. Ford said.

"The last thing a boy needs is this idea of hoarding money. The one great thing he does need is to learn how to spend money—All the money he can get—for self-improvement.

"To know how to spend money is one of the qualifications of any business man. I don't see how anyone can learn how to spend money wisely except by spending it. No man ever built a productive institution of any kind by saving money. That is done by knowing how to spend money wisely. Invest in yourself until you are forty. It is time enough to save when you can earn more than you can spend wisely. But you will never get to that point by saving."

VIEWS OIL TERRITORY

State Supervisor Takes Ride In Plane Over Luling

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. — (AP) — Leslie McKay, chief deputy surviser of the state railroad commission's oil and gas division, inspected the new oil fields in the Luling territory, from an airplane today to get a birds-eye view of the new development with respect to its location in reference to the old fields.

He was accompanied by C. F. Lytles, oil operator, of Mexia, owner of the cabin plane, a Ryan monoplane and others.

MRS. CREWS DIES HERE

South Plains Pioneer To Be Buried at Slaton Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Crews, 59, South Plains pioneer settler, who died at her residence in this city at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, from the First Methodist church at Slaton this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Thompson, of Wilson, officiating.

Survivors are, two sons, Vernon and Walter Crews of Wilson; one sister, Mrs. Eva Chamberlin, of Rush, and one brother, John Green, of Little Rock, Ark.

Wichita Gets Big Discovery of Oil

Kansas Town Holds Jubilee In Honor of Bringing In Of 7,000 Barrel Gusher; Ceremonies Are Held

(By Associated Press)

KICHITA, Kansas, Dec. 18.—Celebration of "Gusher Day" in honor of the discovery of oil near here continued tonight as crowds were attracted by the spectacle of drilling operations under a regulation steel derrick at the intersection of two downtown streets.

After the crowning tonight of Miss Arlene Goodrich, whose father owns the farm where the Goodrich 7,000 barrel gusher was brought in recently as "Queen Petrolia" the celebration was to continue with old time fiddler contests and dancing until dawn.

Earl Rowland, transcontinental air derby winner who was named "King Aviation" for the day and Miss Goodrich were proclaimed rulers over the day's events.

One proposed stunt of the day, flight of an airplane from the roof of a hotel was cancelled when it met the disapproval of Arch Merriam, Kansas governor for the national aeronautical association.

KING HAS PROGRESS

Good News Comes From Bedside to Nation

LONDON, Dec. 18—(AP)—Good news came from the king's bedside tonight. It was all the more welcome to British hearts after the disappointment caused by the Monday night announcement. The bulletin, timed 9:10 p. m., said:

"The king has passed a quiet day and the progress noted this morning has continued."

SOUTH PLAINS, Dec. 18.—Two armed bandits Sunday night robbed the Thornton Drug company.

Ten minutes before all money except about $25 had been put under time lock. After forcing Thornpton and his wife and one customer to the wall and searching them, the robbers rifled the cash register, then tried to open the safe but finding a time lock on it they warned the occupants not to move and rushed into the darkness.

BIG SPRING, Dec. 18.—Julius Neel, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Neel, was shot in the mouth Sunday afternoon while playing with a toy pistol in which a .22 calibre cartridge had been placed. The pistol was fired by his brother. His injuries are not considered serious.

BAIRD, Dec. 18.—Bert Lacy, local trapper, caught 48 wolves, five coons, 35 possums, 20 skunks and one fox in two months and five days.

What is believed to be one of the largest wolves ever killed in this part of the country was one of Lacy's catches. It weighed 82 pounds.

Had Easy Time
Newsie Makes Good With Fraud

NEW YORK, Dec. 18—(AP)—A 23-year-old Boston newsboy who was said by police to have bragged that he had "taken New York Suckers" for sums ranging up to $500 a week by selling them 2-cent penknives for 10 cents, today posted $1,000 bond to guarantee he would leave town before tomorrow.

The policeman who arrested Samuel Ansel of Revere, Mass., said his "racket" was to pass through crowded subway trains, shaking as with the palsy, and offering for 10 cents the cheap penknives.

Investigators said they found him living in a rooming house with another man to who mhe paid $10 a week to act as his valet and secretary. They also found that he had deposited $1,448 in the Seventh national Bank between September 4 and December 10, and still had $480 to his credit there today. He told his landlord he was intending to start a newsland and had offered him $75 a wee kto run it for him.

The landlord told detectives Ansel had boasted to him he had $40,- in first mortgages and that he owned several newstands in Boston. Ansel was said to have bragged that he was going to "take things easy" as soon as he had thoroughly "taken" the "New York suckers."

SHAMROCK, Dec. 18 (AP)—An early arriving Christmas present in the form of a 80,000,000 foot gas well came to Hal Vaughn and Walter Pendleton, Shamrock operators, today.

The producer, one of the largest in the Panhandle, was drilled to total depth of 1,836 feet. It is located 14 miles northwest of Shamrock.