THE WEATHER
Wichita Falls and Vicinity: Friday and Saturday, increasing cloudiness; colder Friday and Saturday; rains probable.

Wichita Falls Record News

HOME EDITION

VOL. XI. NO. 122 — (AP) Means Associated Press. (UP) Means United Press. — WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1928 — (US) Means Universal Service. (INS) Means International News Service. — TEN PAGES — PRICE 5c per copy

CROSSING CRASH KILLS 4 TEXANS

New Aviation Sensation Promised By Secret Flying Liner

GERMAN BUILDS LARGEST SHIP EVER FLOWN

Mystery Model Soon Will Be in Service, Carrying Ocean Cargoes

DETAILS ARE SECRET

Two-Story Flying Ship To Have 12 Motors With 6,000 Horse Power

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND
(Copyright, 1928, by Universal Service)

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Dec. 27. —The early part of the New Year promises to be marked by a German sensation in the air as great as the transatlantic flight of the Graf Zeppelin. The world's most gigantic airplane, now being built by Dr. Claude Dornier, of Dornier-Wal fame, on the shores of Lake Constance, is nearing completion.

Ship Has 12 Motors

The Dornier "Mystery X Model," which no foreigner has yet seen, will be a veritable "flying ship" as distinguished from an "airship." Comparatively little has leaked out about the dimensions of the plane or other details, except that it has 12 motors of 500 horse power each.

I have learned some interesting facts concerning this veritable passenger liner of the heavier than air type, the success of which may revolutionize future airplane building. The rooms for passengers are much more spacious and accompanying comforts greater than on the airship Graf Zeppelin.

70 Passenger Capacity

Some idea of the immensity of the boat shaped hull may be gained from the fact that the corridor through the center is 74 feet, nine inches long. On flights up to 1,000 miles it can carry 70, or even 80 passengers with ample room for comfort for all of them.

On long runs, such as to Buenos Aires, when it is designed chiefly as fast mail with passengers as a secondary consideration, it will carry from 15 to 20 passengers with a small cabin, like a pullman compartment, for each. There is a kitchen and dining room.

There is a wireless plant with a wide radius, current for which is furnished by a dynamo independent of the motors.

Flight Repairs Possible

It is the first airplane built where the motors can be repaired while in flight to the extent of replacing spark plugs or valve springs repairing oil and gasoline feed pipes, locating and removing short circuits, and similar mishaps.

The hull is strongly built and is able to withstand the waves in case the plane should be forced down on the water. As a further measure of safety the hull is divided into water tight compartments similar to a ship.

It is the first airplane in history with so large a crew and the first to have a "captain" and a "chief engineer." The crew will number 10 exclusive of the cook and stewards, which will bring the total up to 14.

From the keel to where the pilot sits is about two stories. The motors are still higher up. It is expected that four of he 12 motors can rest at a time. When not too heavily loaded even six can keep the monster plane in the air under good headway

Appearance of Boston Braves Head Delayed

BOSTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—The appearance of Charles F. Adams, vice president of the Boston Braves, before the finance commission to testify in connection with the investigation of his bribery charges, has been postponed until next Wednesday.

Adams agreed to appear before the commission this afternoon but later the hearing was postponed.

Hambone's Meditations



Evangeline Booth Ready For Peace Or War As She Nears 'Army' Headquarters

By ROBERT WELLES RITCHIE
Record News Special Cable

LONDON, Dec. 27 (US)—Miss Evangeline Booth national commander of the Salvation Army in the United States, who is due here tomorrow on the steamship Olympic comes frankly ready for war or peace, however pacifically she worded a wireless message to the American press from the steamship.

After several conversations with officers of the Salvation Army at the international headquarters in London, this correspondent is in a position to say that Miss Booth is prepared to demand that her brother, Gen. Bramwell Booth, either resign voluntarily or be deposed on the ground of general unfitness for service, which will in either case involve scrapping the general's choice of his own successor.

General Booth placed the name of his successor in a sealed envelope in 1904, under the terms of the "Deed poll," which is the only constitution the Salvation Army has ever had. Miss Booth herself does not know the name of the successor named in the envelope, according to high officers of the army.


EVANGELINE BOOTH

There is a possibility that the person named is Miss Booth, but she is not coming here as contender for the throne. Instead Miss Booth represents the entire liberal sentiment in the Democratic American branch against one-man trusteeship.

Miss Booth has been the most active proponent of the reform which Gen. Bramwell Booth has refused to grant, namely election to the office of general instead of family succession. She favors an elective term of five of ten years and possibly reelection, so even if the general voluntarily retires before the high council of the army meets on Jan. 9 and Miss Looth is appointed his successor, it is expected that her first act before the council will be to urge an amendment to the "Deed Poll," providing elective rather than dynastic headship.

STATE SOLONS FACE TASK IN NEXT SESSION

Maze of Proposed Laws Are Already Lined Up For Legislators

FUNDS MUST WAIT

Highway Action Looms As Most Interesting Angle For Lawmakers

By L. D. DILBECK

AUSTIN, Dec. 27 (AP)—Capitol hill, a scenic eminence studded by a mammoth red granite state house, will resound again soon to the tread of the Texas lawmakers, here for a two months session of the sovereign legislature, in the forty-first biennial regular session.

Interspersed with the earnest, measured footsteps of the ordained legislator in and out of the senate and house chambers will be the suave, practiced march of the lobbyists—gentlemen of the fabled "Third House" guardians of the special interests, public and private. They will advise the legislature as to merits and demerits of many of hundreds of bills that inevitably will be introduced.

Convenes Tuesday

The legislature will convene officially at high noon, Tuesday, Jan. 7, with 90 new members in the total of 181 for the senate and house. Soon after the legislature meets, Gov. Dan Moody, will be inaugurated, for his second term of two years.

General laws will be enacted for a huge commonwealth of nearly 6,000,000 people and 265,896 square miles. The two year interim between regular sessions always produces a wealth of proposed legislation. The greater per cent of it never sees the light of day as far as the statute books are concerned for legislative calendars are too crowded. Two years ago, about 1,200 bills were introduced. Less than 30 per cent of them were enacted into laws. Many of them were not new laws, but merely amending existing laws.

Money Bill Delay

It is generally agreed that the appropriation or "money" bills for support of state institutions and departments for the 1929-31 biennium

(Continued on Page 10)

U. S. Army to Enter Irish Jumping Contest

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—The American army will be represented at the international military jumping competitions at the next Dublin, Ireland, horse show, held Aug. 6 to 9, 1929.

The war department announced today the personnel of the army team as follows:

Major Harry D. Chamberlin and Captain William b. Bradford, Ninth cavalry, Fort Riley, Kan., and First Lieut. Edwin Y. Argo, First Field artillery, Fort Sill, Okla.

Gil's Labor Legislation Faces Long Delay

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27 (AP)—The newspaper El Universal said today that the labor legislative project sponsored by President Portes Gil could not be enacted into law before the September session of congress. Enactment of the proposals which were recently discussed by the national conference of employers and employees will necessitate amending two articles of the constitution that refer to labor legislation.

White Man Held for Shooting Two Negroes

LAKE CHARLES, La. Dec. 27.(AP) —Antone Stephens, negro, is probably fatally wounded, J. C. Hayes, another negro, is suffering from gun shot wounds in the leg, and J. J. Roach, a white man, is held without bond as a result of a gun battle near Prien Lake today.

The white man claims the negroes had been poaching on his property and breaking into his house.

Four Die in Gas Filled Rooms in Minneapolis

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27. (UP)—Hilding Borg, his wife and their 1-year-old daughter, Joyce, were found dead in their gas filled apartment here today.

Three burners on a gas range were open.

In another home Verna Gray, 42, was found killed with illuminating gas believed turned on by herself.

Coal Mine Accident Claims Four Prisoners

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 27 (AP)—Four state's prisoners today were dead and seven were injured, victims of an accident in the Carolina coal mine at Sanford, yesterday when the cable on a car bringing a load of prisoners from the mine broke and sent the car plunging back into the depths of the shaft. All were negroes.

Honeymooning in Chicago


Clarence Saunders, chain grocery store magnate, with his bride, Patricia Houston of Tunica, Miss., in Chicago where they are spending their honeymoon. Saunders was divorced Nov. 6 from his first wife who charged him with cruelty.

TWO GIRLS AND THEIR MOTHER DIE IN CRASH

Saratoga Youth Fourth Victim of Auto-Train Collision

ONE ESCAPES DEATH

Young Man Leaps Clear Of Car as Locomotive Bears Down

LAKE CHARLES, La., Dec. 27 (AP) —Four persons were killed and another injured in a grade crossing accident east of Lake Charles late today.

An automobile loaded with Texans returning to Beaumont after spending the holidays with Louisiana relatives, crashed with the "Sunshine Special."

The dead: Miss Eugenia Plaisance, 18; Miss May Plaisance, 16; Mrs. Louise Plaisance, 40, the girls' mother, and Rigby Robichaux, 21, the latter of Saratoga, Texas.

Whitney Gaudet, 22, of Bolling, Texas, was injured.

Mrs. Plaisance, a widow, was returning with her daughters to their Beaumont home from Lockport, La., where they spent the holidays.

Gaudet, sole survivor of the accident, declared the automobile was traveling at a "lively clip" and that when the train suddenly dashed into view there was not time to stop the machine.

Gaudet leaped to safety just before the crash. He was not seriously hurt.

The accident was described as unavoidable.

SIX KILLED IN TWO SMASHES

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Two crossing accidents today killed six and caused injuries to four other persons, three of whom may die.

The dead: Henry Olsen, Berwyn, Ill.; Mrs. Henry Olsen, Halver Olsen, Chicago; Mrs. Halver Olsen, Arnold Olsen 7, Virginia Olsen 11.

The injured: Howard Olsen 6 (may die); Herman Ross, Teasville, Ill. (may die); Mrs. Herman Ross (may die); Raymond Ross 13.

University Oil Lease Bids Expected To Be Higher as Result of Agitation

Moody Hardly Expected to Invoke Legislature Just Now, But Buyers Are More Apt to Loosen Purses

AUSTIN, Dec. 27. (AP)—The return of Governor Moody from a Kerr county hunting trip was awaited here tonight for his decision on the question of an immediate special session of the fortieth legislature, urged by the Texas university board of regents to withdraw 103,000 acres of poential oil producing university land in West Texas from the lease market.

Because of the nearness of the new regular session, it was regarded as unlikely here today that the governor would call a special session.

Whatever is done about the matter, it was believed here that agitation to withdraw the 103,000 acres from the market would serve to boost the bids received between now and Jan. 2.

The governor said by telephone today from Ingram that he had made no decision. Request was made Wednesday through Regent R. L. Holliday of El Paso on behalf of the regents legislative committee with concurrence of the entire board, for the extra session.

The land, the first portion of about 1,500,000 acres advertised, is slated for lease, which is a virtual sale of the mineral rights, on Jan. 2, six days before the new 41st legislature convenes. Several bids had been received today at the office of Land Commissioner Robison, who advertised the sale, under terms of the law regulating such. Holliday claimed that the land is "worth $10,000 an acre" and may be leased for $3.

KING'S ILLNESS TURNS WORSE

Ruler's Progress Halted By Complication

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP)—An authoritative statement from Buckingham palace at midnight tonight emphasized the grave condition of King George, after this evening's bulletin indicating his condition was less satisfactory.

The statement said the king has had and continues to have a very narrow margin of safety and owing to today's lapse that margin has become smaller.

The statement appreciably deepened disappointment felt earlier in the evening at the less favorable report posted by his majesty's physicians then.

The position, it was explained, is that there has been a check in his progress, and in the case of a man in such a weakened condition as the king, such a check is serious.

A bacteriological examination was made by Doctor Whitby at the palace this afternoon and it was understood late tonight that the doctors intend to carry out a further general review of the case tomorrow.

Negro Found Dead Hanging From Tree

HATTIESBERG, Miss., Dec. 27. (AP)—The body of Emanuel McCallum, negro automobile mechanic, was found today hanging from a pine tree near here.

County Coroner W. T. Chapman summoned a jury, which returned a verdict of death by unknown hands. The limb on which the rope had been thrown was only four feet from the negro's head, and the short drop failed to break the neck. He died from strangulation.

Two Boys Drown In Trying to Save Dog

FREEPORT, L. I., Dec. 27. (UP) —Wilson and Arthur Gregarevich, 9 and 13, risked their lives today to save their pet collie. All are dead.

The boys had thrown sticks on the ice of Baldwin reservoir for the dog to chase. The animal broke through, and struggled to reach solid footing.

Wilson ran out to help the collie. He, too, plunged through the ice into the water.

Arthur dashed after Wilson. He was the third to sink.

Second Man on Trial In Misconduct Case

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec. 27. (INS)—G. Ross Lansing, the second of the eight men charged with misconduct with 20 girl students of the South Side Elementary school at Dover went on trial here today. A majority of the girls, who range in age from 12 to 14, are expected to testify against Lansing. The first of the men, Charles A. Niper, was convicted last week.

Solemn Mass Said for Field Marshal Cardona

PALLANZA, Italy, Dec. 27. (UP) —Solemn requiem mass was said for Field Marshal Count Luigi Cadorna at St. Joseph's church here today. Burial was in the Pallanza cemetery.

Brothers Charged In Attack on Tyler Man

TYLER, Texas, Dec. 27. (INS)— Charges were filed here today against Louis Perdue and his brother, Earl, in connection with an alleged attack upon their brother-in-law, E. Q. Tate, here last night. Tate was shot in the thigh and hand.

FAMILY SHOOTING

TYLER, Texas, Dec. 27. (AP)—E. Q. Tate was suffering from two bullet wounds today and his brothers-in-law, Louis and Earl Perdue, were charged with assault with intent to murder.

BOLIVIAN ARMY PIERCES FRONT

Paraguay Reports Advance Of Enemy Troops

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Paraguayan government tonight advised its legation here that Bolivian forces "have occupied anew Fort Van Guardia and have advanced 12 miles farther into the interior."

The dispatch from Asuncion to the legation was as follows:

"Bolivian forces have occupied anew Fort Van Guardia, abandoned after the last happening. The troops (Bolivian) still retain Boqueron (a Paraguayan fort) and have advanced four leagues (12 miles) farther into the interior, threatening the zone occupied by the Mennonite colony. All this took place without hostilities, taking advantage of the order given our troops to cease hostilities.

"As soon as it accepted the good offices of the government at Washington, this government (Paraguay) revoked the order which had been given to re-occupy Boqueron as proof of good faith.

"All the foregoing shows that Bolivia has not complied with its promises and a very grave situation again is created, because Paraguay alone cannot avoid new fighting."

Dr. Juan V. Ramirez, charge d' affairs of the legation, made public the advices from his government tonight and in a statement declared:

"This happening confirms the Paraguayan contention, which has always been held, that Bolivia never respects territorial rights as agreed upon in pacts."

Fort Van Guardia was the scene of the initial encounter between the troops of the two countries which started the present controversy.

The dispatch of the Paraguayan government said that "a very grave situation again has been created."

Oklahoma Sugar Beets Rates High in Tests

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27 (UP) —Reports that a car of sugar beets grown in Oklahoma shipped to Garden City, Kan., had made a sugar content test of 16.5 per cent with a purity test of 83.2 per cent, was received today by Harry Cordell, president of the state board of agriculture.

This report was made after several agriculture experts declared Oklahoma could not raise sugar beets commercially.

20,000 Auto Tags For 1929 Are Delivered

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27 (UP) —Twenty thousand automobile license tags were shipped to Oklahoma City today from the state penitentiary at McAlester where they were made.

The tags will be sold between Jan. 1 and April 1. After the latter date a penalty of 10 cents a day will be imposed on delinquent tag buyers.

Famous German Inn Destroyed by Fire

BERLIN, Dec. 27 (UP)—Fire destroyed the famous Saara Inn, near Leuthen, today. Firemen succeeded in saving only the room which Frederick the Great conducted the battle of Leuthen, Dec. 5, 1757.

Two firemen were seriously injured.

Leuthen is a village of Prussia, in Silesia, 10 miles west of Breslau. In the battle of Leuthen, Frederick the Great defeated the Austrians.

Man Thrown From Horse Lives Nine Days

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 27 (AP) —Nine days after he was thrown from his horse and lay helpless and unconscious in the cold, Hays Hemphill died at Coleman today. He did not regain consciousness.

Liquor Patrons May Be Punished Under Ruling of Federal Court

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27. (AP)—The federal district court today handed down a decision that the buyer of illegal liquor can be prosecuted if he is a party to its transportation.

The decision, regarded by authorities here as of the highest importance in the enforcement of the national prohibition law, was handed down by Judge Kirkpatrick in the case of Alfred E. Norris, New York broker. Norris was fined $200. He will appeal.

Judge Kirkpatrick said that the mere purchase of liquor is not an offense under the national prohibition act, and that the purchaser cannot be convicted of aiding and abetting the sale.

"It does not follow, however," said the court, "that where transportation is required by the agreement, there may not be an indictment of the buyer by the agreement, there may not be an indictment of the buyer and seller for conspiracy to transport, even though what is contemplated is simply the delivery of the thing sold. Transportations of intoxicating liquor is made a distinct substantive offense by the act. It is not necessarily involved in every sale."

Norris, along with Joel D. Kerper, Philadelphia "society bootlegger," was charged with conspiracy to transport liquor illegally.

Young and Dawes Will Fix Reparation Total

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (US)— Owen D. Young and Rufus C. Dawes probably will be the American financial experts to serve on the reparations committee to fix the sum which Germany is able to pay for her participation in the world war.

This appeared practically certain today following the receipts by the state department of dispatches from Paris, where the selections are being made subject to the approval of the United States.

Coolidge Bags Game On Coffin Preserves

SAPELO, Island, Ga., Dec. 27. (AP) —On well-stocked game preserves of Howard E. Coffin, President Coolidge tested his marksmanship today on live fowl, and found it good. Three pheasants and two wild turkeys reposed in the presidential game bag when he returned with his party to the island mansion of the Coffins and there was a satisfied smile on his face as he surveyed the result of his sport.

BLAST KILLS MAN

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (US)— With one man already dead in a power station explosion today that caused $200,000 damage and crippled the municipal electrical system for hours, a second workman was reported by police to be dying tonight of his injuries.

FAMILY LIFE ON DECREASE

Professor Presents Some Rather Startling Facts

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—If the family disintegrates as the corner delicatessen prospers, American family life is decadent, statistics presented to the American Sociological society indicated today.

W. F. Ogburn of the University of Chicago, offered the following "significant changes in family life in the United States." The figures were based on 1920 surveys:

Out of every 11 married women one is working for pay outside the home.

From 1900 to 1920 the number of restaurant waiters increased about three times as fast as the number of families; restaurant owners increased four times as fast.

Delicatessen dealers increased 43 per cent from 1910 to 1920 or about three times as fast as population.

Of the marriages contracted in 1928, Professor Ogburn added, in all probability nearly one in five would end in a divorce court.

Other statistics given by Professor Ogburn were:

About one in 10 go through life without marrying.

At the age period when most men and women are found married, only five out of six are married; one out of every six is widowed, divorced or single.

Of all females over 15 years old, one out of 10 is a widow.

City life discourages marriage about 10 per cent.

Pan-American Treaty Seen in Conference

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The conclusion by the Pan-American conference of a multi-lateral Pan-American arbitration treaty similar to pacts recently negotiated between the United States and European nations appeared likely today as a result of the deliberations of a subcommittee charged with composing the views of the parley's delegations.

Pioneer Nocona Woman Dies

Special to The Record News.

NOCONA, Texas, Dec. 27.—Mrs. J. J. Wood, 85, pioneer resident here who had lived in Montague county for 60 years, died today, following an attack of pneumonia. She had made her home in Nocona for the past 20 years.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed today, though it was said the rites probably will be held Friday.

Surviving are several children, among whom are Frank A. Woods, tax collector for Montague county, and John S. Woods, oil operator here.

Preacher Feels Evil Power of Wife's Curse

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (US)— When the Rev. William Klug's automobile broke down he was convinced the "curse" his wife put upon him was working to her entire satisfaction.

Rev. Klug, a missionary, testified to that effect today when the judge asked him if he believed in the effectiveness of curses. The "curse" and its evil effects on the parson's auto was the principal ground for his divorce petition, which was denied.

Oklahoma Governor Honors Requisition

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27. (AP)— Governor Johnston today honored a requisition of New Mexico for Homer Hamilton, Oklahoma City, who is alleged to have violated terms of a parole in purported implication in the suicide of Mrs. Jean Swain here recently.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Friday and Saturday, increasing cloudiness, becoming unsettled, probably rains Friday night or Saturday; colder in north portion Friday night; cold or Saturday.

OKLAHOMA: Friday and Saturday, increasing cloudiness, becoming unsettled; probably rain and colder Saturday.

EAST TEXAS: Friday, generally fair; warmer near the coast; Saturday, unsettled, probably rain. Light to moderate winds on the coast, mostly southerly.

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls and vicinity for the 24-hour period ending at 5 p. m. Thursday were reported by the Texas Electric Service company as follows:

Maximum temperature 71
Minimum temperature 32
Temperature at 5 p. m. 60
Precipitation 0.00
Southwest breeze; clear.
Average wind velocity 8.0
Maximum wind velocity 20
Barometer .....

Texan Charged With Murder After Fatal Stabbing of Oklahoma Woman

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 27 (AP)— E. E. West, 52, of Denison, Texas, charged with murder in connection with the stabbing yesterday of Mrs. E. V. Tyson, 40, today was reported to be recovering from knife wounds which he asserts the woman inflicted. West was under guard in a hospital.

Authorities said he would be arraigned as soon as he is able to leave the hospital. His injuries consist of a cut on his throat and a slash on one wrist.

West said Mrs. Tyson stabbed herself. J. K. Wright, county attorney, however, asserted the woman was stabbed.

G. L. Fleet, son of the dead woman, said West was Mrs. Tyson's sweetheart. She married Tyson, her second husband, Dec. 11.

OKLAHOMA, Dec. 27 (UP)—D. L. Huey, Oklahoma City, stabbed in a fight here Christmas day, was reported near death today. G. D. Gordon, host to Huey, was arraigned today in justice court on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon.

Rival Ambulances Crash on Way To Slight Wreck—Three Drivers Hurt

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, Dec. 27 (AP)—Three ambulance drivers are in a local hospital today, two of them seriously injured, as result of a collision between two ambulances of rival undertaking companies at a street intersection here today.

Ray Anderson, manager of the Port Arthur Undertaking company, is the most seriously injured of the three. He was driving his own ambulance. B. L. Lively of Grammier-Dismukes Undertaking company, and Weldon Davis of the Port Arthur Undertaking company are the other injured men.

In the automobile accident to the scene of which the ambulances were speeding, three girls were injured, none seriously. The injured girls are Hazel and Marie Fuller, age 7, and 11, respectively, and Irene Manchess, 11.

HOOVER PICKS TINY CHURCH

President-Elect to Worship With Orthodox Friends

By MARTHA STRAYER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—President-elect Herbert Hoover will attend church at the Meeting House of the Orthodox Friends congregation—a tiny, brick structure seating less than 150—at Thirteenth and Irving streets, it was learned today.

The meeting house has been chosen definitely by the Hoovers in place of the little Hicksite meeting house downtown, which was at first expected to be their choice.

It will have a clergyman, beginning March 1, who has known the Hoovers since they were students at Leland Stanford university. He is Augustus T. Murray, now a resident of Palo Alto, Calif., the president-elect's home town. He used to be professor of Greek at Stanford.

Hoover is reported to have arranged for Murray to come here.

Tiny Auditorium

The problem of handling crowds at this church will be the same as at the Hicksite meeting house. It has a tiny auditorium with a seating capacity of only about 150, and a Sunday school room which will seat about the same number.

It has no choir or organ; a piano provides music. There are pews in the auditorium proper, but the Sunday school room, whose seating capacity can be added to the auditorium by throwing open folding doors, has only folding chairs.

Hicksites Not Eager

It is understood that the other meeting house was not eager to be selected by the president-elect, because of its form of service as well as its small size. This is a Hicksite sect, whose service has no regular preacher or preaching; any member of the congregation may rise at any time and speak on any subject he or she may choose, except that it must have some religious bearing.

Embarrassment was feared if "cranks" or others eager to reach the president's ear should take this means of speaking in his presence.

The service at the Thirteenth street meeting house permits the same kind of speaking, but this may be eliminated by the new minister. Spontaneous speaking is not expected to be banned entirely, however, according to church leaders.

The order of worship there permits singing.

Smallest Church

At the Thirteenth street church the congregation files in quietly and sits for a time in silence. Then some one may propose a song, which usually is followed by another silent period. Speaking by any member of the congregation, as the spirit moves him, is then in order, and the service is closed when the leader shakes hands with his neighbor at the front of the auditorium.

This will be the smallest church ever chosen by a president. The next smallest was in the Roosevelt administration, when Theodore Roosevelt attended the Dutch Reformed church.

Specimen From Milk Tree Seen

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (US)—Milk from the famous cow-tree of Guatemala may be all right but Stephen C. Simms, director of Field's museum doubts if it would wean anyone away from the old reliable product as produced by our four-legged wanderers.

A quart of the milk and a specimen of the tree have been received here and placed on exhibition.

"Half a liter of it taken straight produced the same effect in me as a good square meal," Mr. Simms said. "It is all right—but."

Mr. Simms says the tree offers manufacturers of chewing gum great possibilities in that the gum might be extracted from the later and used in place of the chicle which comes from the sapodilla tree, since the latter is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain.

New Express Agency Makes Stock Application

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Application for authority to issue 1,000 shares of new common stock and $35,000,000 in debenture bonds was made today to the interstate commerce commission by the newly incorporated railway express agency. This is the mechanism railroads have set up for taking control of all express business in March.

Dirigible Los Angeles To Florida in January

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—The dirigible Los Angeles has been authorized to make a training flight to Florida early in January, the navy department said today. She will leave Lakehurst, N. J., Jan. 7 and is expected to fly over Miami Jan. 9. The tender Patoka, equipped with a mooring mast, has been ordered to stand by off the East Florida coast.

LOTTERY WINNER MISSING

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27. (UP)—The winner of the December lottery of $300,000 still was undiscovered tonight. The winning number, 8194, was drawn five days ago, but inquiry at the banks showed that the winner had not yet presented his number for collection of the prize money.

RIST MAY RESIGN

PARIS, Dec. 27. (UP)—Rumors being circulated here today said that Charles Rist, assistant governor of the Bank of France and a noted financier, was planning to resign his post to accept a law professorship in a French university.

State Deaths

T. D. KNIGHT

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Texas, Dec. 27.—T. D. Knight, 65, justice of the peace of Childress county, died at his home here Tuesday morning after a very brief illness. His funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the First Methodist church, of which he was an active member.

Mr. Knight was born in Alabama in 1863. He came to Childress in 1890. He has engaged in business here and has been county treasurer three terms. He was entering his third term as justice of the peace. His wife and a son, Bertram, of this city survive.

Houston Mayor Denied Fifth Term



Oscar F. Holcombe, left, who upset precedent by holding office as mayor of Houston for four consecutive terms, was defeated in the Democratic primary by Judge Walter E. Monteith, right. Mayor Holcombe was in charge of arrangements for the Democratic convention last summer.

Traction and Bus Companies Adopt Uniform for Drivers

On and after Jan. 1 all trainmen and operators of the Wichita Falls Traction company and the North Texas Coach company will be dressed up in brand new uniforms, according to an announcement from the offices of the traction company Thursday.

Standard uniforms were selected for both trainmen on street cars and operators on buses. Those engaged in the service within the city will wear blue serge and those operating on the interurban bus line between this city and Fort Worth will have uniforms of khaki colored gaberdine. Coats which will be worn have slightly curved corners, resembling a business suit, are single breasted and have brass buttons. Insignia denoting tenure of service will be worn on the left sleeve, one stripe being given for each three years of service, and above the stripe, a star will indicate five years completed in the service.

During the hot summer months, it was said, light blue shirts in the city and khaki colored light weight shirts on interurban trucks will be worn without coats.

Chicago Prosecutor Appeals for More Cops

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (UP)—Chicago needs more police to stamp out four privileged crimes, State's Attorney John A. Swanson, who recently took office, said in an appeal today. He listed the crimes as booze, racketeering, gambling and organized vice. Police Commissioner W. F. Russell joined in the plea for increasing his force.

11 REBELS KILLED

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 26. (UP)—Eleven rebels were killed in a battle with federal soldiers near Guadalajara, according to advices received here by La Presna today.

BOOZE PROFITS ARE EXPLAINED

Professor Tells How Alcohol Gains in Value

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (INS)—"Ten thousand gallons of denatured alcohol, worth $2,500 to the manufacturer, is worth $600,000,000 to the bootlegger."

And that, Prof. Peter H. Odegard of Williams college told members of the American Political Science association meeting here today, is the "answer" to prohibition.

"There were between 15,000 and 20,000 places selling liquor, many of them more or less openly, in Chicago, in 1926," Professor Odegard said. "The figures are those given by former Mayor Dever. The latter is also my authority for the statement that there were 15 breweries operating in Chicago in 1926 with the connivance of police, and that 60 per cent of the Chicago police department were engaged that year in bootlegging.

"And when I say 'bootlegging' I don't mean accepting bribes or 'protecting' bootlegegrs. I mean that 60 per cent of the members of the police department actually were selling liquor themselves—that is, according to former Mayor Dever's statement.

"Every fair-minded individual must admit that bribery and corruption are rife in prohibition enforcement.

"Conservatively estimated, 13,000,000 gallons of denatured alcohol were illegally diverted in 1926. Split three ways, this amounted to 39,000,000 gallons. And that, at $5 a quart, meant approximately $780,000,000 to the bootleg industry. A pint of alcohol worth two and one-half cents is turned by the bootlegger into liquor that sells for $8.

Two Slain, One Hurt In Arkansas Duel

CROSSETT, Ark., Dec. 27. (AP)—Two men were slain and a bystander was wounded in a pistol duel last night, the result of a family quarrel.

Frank Shipley, a cafe owner, and G. H. Vivian were wounded and died almost instantly. Will Hagen, shot in the neck, is expected to recover.

Jackie Coogan Ill in Berlin With Grippe

BERLIN, Dec. 27. (UP)—Jackie Coogan, American motion picture star, was confined to bed here today by an attack of grippe.

Physicians said the attack was slight and the young actor probably would be able to leave his room by Saturday.

State Weddings

CLOUD-CURRY

Special to The Record News.

RULE, Texas, Dec. 27.—Miss Frankie Curry and Mr. Ed Cloud of this city were married Friday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Curry of the Sweethome community. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles E. Ball, pastor of the First Baptist church of Rule. The bride is a teacher in the Rule public school and has made many friends here the past two years. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cloud, pioneer family of this town, and is a prominent business man of this city. He is vice president and cashier of the First National bank of Rule. Mr. and Mrs. Cloud left immediately after the ceremony for a short wedding tour, after which they will at home to their friends in Rule.

Louis F. Hart Named Lampasas C-C Secretary

LAMPASAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Louis F. Hart, who was elected secretary of the Lampasas Chamber of Commerce at a called meeting of directors here today. Hart will take office Jon. 1. For several years Hart was a member of The Associated Press staffs in Chicago, Louisville, Fort Worth and Dallas, and prior to that time was manager of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce.

VET'S WIDOW LOSES STIPEND

Woman Unfaithful to Memory, Is Charge

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—Contention of the United States veterans bureau, that a soldier's widow who is unfaithful to the memory of her husband is not entitled to his war risk insurance was upheld today by Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson.

The case was that of Corinne Hanna, whose husband, Major Mark Hanna of Kansas City, was killed on Armistice day.

Mrs. Hanna was named beneficiary of the major's $10,000 war insurance policy, and the major's father, Thomas M. Hanna, of Ruthven, Iowa, second beneficiary.

The widow received monthly installments from the government totaling $2,451. The payments were stopped May 22 of this year after an investigation by the veterans bureau, the father being substituted as beneficiary.

The veterans bureau charged Mrs. Hanna had been living with Joe Wagner, now serving a term in the Iowa penitentiary for bank robbery.

Official headlight test station, Eleventh and Burnett. Quick service.—Adv.

Iowan Named Principal Agricultural Economist

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (US)—Clarence L. Holmes of Iowa, today was appointed principal agricultural economist in charge of farm management and costs in the department of agriculture. He will take office March 1.

He will supervise the planning and development of research work in connection with the economic problems of farm management.

'Four Fighting Downeys' Father Dies in Ohio

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 27. (AP)—John N. (Pop) Downey, father of the "four fighting Downeys" one of whom almost became a champion, was dead here today. Three of his sons, Bryan, Joseph and Anthony, won national recognition in the boxing ring, while John was known throughout Central Ohio.

Church's Christmas Offering Is Stolen

SALINA, Kan., Dec. 27. (AP)—A Christmas offering of nearly $500, contributed at a midnight service at Christ cathedral (Episcopal) Monday night, has been stolen. The theft was discovered today when church officials visited the church vault and found the lock had been picked.

Explore the store for special clearance groups during the Thirteenth Month at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

BOSSY GILLIS HAS TO EXPLAIN

Famed Mayor Accosted By Traffic Officer

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 27. (UP)—"Bossy" Gillis, mayor of Newburyport, Mass., nearly was called upon to spend some more time in jail yesterday, soon after being released from a Massachusetts jail.

"Bossy" was here putting on an act with a well known orchestra Christmas night. Yesterday he went down in a hard coal mine and called on Mayor Jermyn. Then he started for Wilkes-Barre.

While passing through the borough of Minooka he tried to jump a line of traffic but as he stepped on the gas, Patrolman Peter Heston stopped him. When "Bossy" made his identity known he was released with a sharp reprimand.

Man Crushed to Death Beneath Elevator Bars

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (INS)—One man was killed and six others injured here today when casting bars placed on racks in the storeroom of the Otis Elevator company became loosened and fell 20 feet to the floor below. Anthony Filas, 42, was crushed to death.

—Fill your Christmas cigar lighters at our filling station in our Hat Department!!!



OVER-COAT Event!!

—165 Over and Top Coats

—Light, medium or heavyweights, Raglans or set-in sleeves. Tans, browns, grays, blues, in solids and mixtures—all sizes, regulars, shorts and longs. A saving opportunity.

—$14.50 Coats
—$18.85 Coats
—$19.50 Coats
—$22.50 Coats
$13.85

—$27.50 Coats
—$29.50 Coats
—$32.50 Coats
—$37.00 Coats
$18.85

—$42 Coats
—$47 Coats
—$52 Coats
$28.85

Boys' Overcoats!!!

Sizes 1 to 8
—$9.85
—$13.95
—$14.95
$7.85

Sizes 10 to 17
—$12.50
—$13.55
—$13.85
$9.85

Sizes 10 to 17
—$16.95
—$18.95
—$22.50
$13.85

Juvenile O'coats
Sizes 1½ to 6
$3.95

THE HUB
$&Q Clothiers
SOL LASKY, Pres.
Seventh and Indiana

See These Fine Coats in Our Windows

FLU

Is Now Epidemic!

Compared with 1918, this epidemic, so far, is mild; and yet, in spite of vastly increased capacity, the Vicks laboratories are once more operating night and day to meet the emergency demand for more and more Vicks VapoRub. Over 432,000 jars now being produced daily.

How Best To Use Vicks VapoRub

1. AS A PREVENTIVE

Several times a day, insert Vicks up the nostrils. Also melt a little night and morning in a bowl of boiling water and inhale the steaming medicated vapors. This helps to ward off germ-infection.

2. IF A COLD STARTS

If possible, go home and go to bed. Take a laxative and a hot lemonade. Apply hot wet towels over throat and chest until the skin is thoroughly reddened. Then rub vigorously with Vicks. Spread on thickly and cover with warm flannel. Leave the bed-covering loose, so that the vapors, released by the body-warmth, may be freely inhaled. At the same time, Vicks acts through the skin like a poultice.

Repeat this treatment every four hours, eat lightly, and stay in bed until the cold is broken. Complete rest helps the body throw off the cold more quickly.

3. AFTER A FLU ATTACK

Physicians advise that the chief danger in this epidemic is **after** influenza. Then, more than ever, colds attacking the weakened system may lead to bronchitis, sinus-trouble or pneumonia. This is especially true of children or old folks.

Heed even the slightest cold as a danger signal. Vicks is especially valuable here, because it is applied externally, and so can be used freely, as often as needed, without upsetting delicate digestions, as too much "dosing" is so apt to do.

432,000 Jars
Every 24 Hours!

VICKS VAPORUB

BAD MAN FROM EAST KILLED

Chicago Police Put Newark Gunman on Shelf

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (AP)—A bad man from the East, come to Chicago to rob, was shot dead by a policeman in the aisles of the Hartman store yesterday while customers and clerks dived under counters to escape the gunfire.

Frank Orlando of Newark, N. J., who was slain, was wanted in New Jersey, police said, for murder.

Orlando, with two other men who escaped, had robbed a lunchroom when victims called Policeman David Griffin and Sergt. Joseph Starshak. The gunman grabbed a clerk and used him as a shield at the same time opening fire. Griffin fell with a bullet in the hip. At this point the clerk wrestled free, and Starshak fired. His first bullet struck Orlando in the head.

Ford Motor Stock in Ascension in London

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Intensive buying attributed to American interests caused a sensational rise in Ford Motor stock on the London exchange today until at one time these pounds sterling shares soared to £4, 1s, 3d.

Speakeasy Habitue Pulls Slapstick Comedy

Stuff and Eats Dozen Sandwiches in Order To Lure Cops Off Booze Scent, but Fails

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 27. (UP)—Walter Benwell, willing to go the limit for a friend, ate 12 ham sandwiches today in an effort to convince two prohibition agents that what he really wanted was something to eat when he entered a suspected speakeasy.

Benwell was standing at the bar when the agents entered. They disclosed their identity, and asked him what he was going to buy with a $2 bill that was lying on the mahogany.

"Sandwiches," said Benwell; "I love 'em."

"Sure," said the bartender. "He often eats a dozen at a time."

As the agents watched, Benwell began eating up the $2. He asked for a glass of water with the eighth sandwich, and after choking over his first bite at the thirteenth, said: "Well, I guess that'll last me till supper time."

The agents then produced a search warrant. They arrested the bartender, claiming they found a store of liquor in the place.

100 Injured in Vienna's Ice-Covered Streets

VIENNA, Dec. 27. (UP)—More than 100 persons were injured here today when a sudden freeze followed heavy rain, turning the streets into slippery, ice-coated paths. A number of broken arms and legs were reported as the victims were checked in at hospitals.

Wreck of Motorboat Is Found; Crew Missing

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 27. (UP)—A searching party today found a wrecked motorboat in which Lawrence Ingerson and Aldon Pettit, high school students, and Arthur Anderson, a Clarkson Technology college student, had started for Gananoque Monday. The wreck was found on Gay island. It was feared its occupants had drowned.

DANCERS MUST DRESS UP MORE

Los Angeles Prosecutor Plans Quiet New Years

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (US)—New Year's eve revelers in Los Angeles are due for a dull evening.

Not only does District Attorney Buron Fitts intend to clamp the lid on drinking parties, but the prosecutor sternly demands that cabaret girls, no matter how alluring their charms, must don more clothes.

The ultimatum was issued by Fitts tonight when he invited the proprietors of all hotels, cafes and roadhouses in the county as well as in the city to cooperate in enforcing a sober and dignified celebration.

His disapproval of the brevity of costumes worn by the fair entertainers was voiced by Fitts when he ordered the owners of a popular Santa Monica boulevard night club to dress up their chorus.

"The girls wear next to nothing," Fitts admonished. "I want you to put more clothes on them before they dance any more."

In meeting both the hotel and cafe men to map out a cooperative plan for law observance on New Year's eve, Fitts also asked Police Chief James Davis, Sheriff William L. Traeger and Frank McReynolds, in charge of the federal prohibition forces here, to attend the conference.

Fitts explained to the proprietors that he did not wish to interfere with their legitimate business and for that reason was willing to go "half way" with them. He warned them, however, that his dry sleuths would be ready to take the situation in hand if they failed to cooperate.

Poison Liquor Victim Enters $100,000 Claim

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27. (AP)—Suit for $100,000 damages has been entered in city court by Clarence A. Myers against Edward Watkins.

Myers charges he went blind after drinking poison whisky served to him at the saloon owned by Watkins on Sept. 24 and 25, 1927.

Special groups of dresses at Thirteenth Month prices at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

WILLIAMS
DEPARTMENT STORE 7th & OHIO

NOT JUST ONE DAY—BUT EVERY DAY—
GREATER VALUES
DON'T OVERLOOK THESE FRIDAY SPECIALS



READY FOR SPRING—
NEW DRESSES
This very smart collection includes all that is new in Spring Dresses. New styles, colors and materials—youthful and lovely—every one attractively trimmed. A most complete assortment of sizes for misses and women. Friday special
10.75

Friday Special--
SAMPLE TOWEL SALE
LARGE TURKISH TOWELS
Plain white and colored borders. A real Williams special—values worth up to 75c each—Friday 9 a. m.



19c
See Our 7th St. Window

HALF PRICE SALE OF
REMNANTS
Remnants of Every Kind—for Every Use
SILKS WOOLENS STAPLES 1-2 PRICE
Pay Just Half Marked Price

CLOSE OUT ONE BIG LOT OF
MEN'S SHIRTS



A complete range of sizes and colors in new, wanted patterns—and solid shades. Full cut—with two pockets—in a regular 1.45 grade—Friday only
95c

Kiddies' Unionalls
HICKORY STRIPE AND KHAKI
All sizes—Friday special 69c

P.B.M.'s 13th MONTH
A Week of Rare Opportunities!

Friday Will Be
CHILDREN'S DAY
Outfit Your Boy and Girl in Smart New Clothes to Start Back to School in!



Girls' Dresses
Originally 8.50 to 10.75 7.85
Originally 16.75 to 19.75 14.85
AT 8.75—Dresses of silk crepe, wool challis, plain and printed jersey, wool crepe and light woolens. Sizes 2 to 14.
AT 14.85—Dresses and three-piece suits of silk crepe, plain and printed jersey and light woolens. Sizes 10 to 17.

Sale of Girls' Coats



THREE 12.75 COATS 9.85
THREE 25.00 COATS 19.85
SIX THAT WERE UP TO 39.75 28.85
The three groups quoted show the savings possible on smart tailored and fur-trimmed coats for girls. Other coats also reduced.

23 Girls' Hats
2.50
These girls' felts and velours were originally 5.00, 6.50 and 7.50.

Sale of Hosiery
Included are girls' English-rib silk stockings, elk hide only, regularly .50; 1.00 silk and wool half hose: and boys' .98 fancy 7-8 hose. Pair 29c

Boys' Wear Savings!



30 Boys' Suits
Were to 29.50. In Three Groups:
8.35 12.85 16.85
Good patterns and new models in this special group of suits for boys 6 to 18 years old. Some sizes are lacking. Buy him a new one for winter months.

Boys' Overcoats
Overcoats of tweed, chevoit, camel hair and fancy fabrics, sizes 1 to 20.
7.75 Overcoats, now 5.15
12.75 Overcoats, now 8.85
18.75 Overcoats, now 13.85
29.50 Overcoats, now 21.85

Half-Price Sweater Group
Group of sweaters, size 2 through 18, formerly 2.45 to 7.85, now, HALF PRICE.

Boys' Flannel Pajamas
Sizes 6 through 16 years.
1.15 Pajamas ..... .85
1.95 Pajamas 1.35

Small Boys' Suits
Suits of jersey and flannel trousers and washable waist, for boys 2 to 8.
3.85 Suits, now 2.85
5.85 Suits, now 3.85
6.85 Suits, now 4.85
12.75 Suits, now 8.85

Small Boys' Trousers
Jersey and woolen trousers, sizes 3 through 7, were to 2.45, now .. 1.00

Two Groups of Caps
Group of larger boys' caps, were to 1.35 ..... .89
Group for smaller boys ..... .39

P.B.M. Co.

AN OPPORTUNITY YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
AFTER CHRISTMAS
SALE
WINTER COATS



Choice of Best Coat in Stock
Values Up to $98.75
$42
The Coat Opportunity of the Season
Never were coats prettier than these! Never were styles more becoming! Never were materials more gorgeous—nor furs more lavishly and flatteringly used! Positively this is the coat event of the season! This is certainly the opportunity of the year for the woman who needs a winter coat. Take your choice for $42.00.
Broadcloth, Cashmeres, Kashmeralda, Velura, Venise, Tweeds
Gorgeously trimmed with badger, red fox, skunk, caracule, baby lamb, fox, wolf, o'possum and fitch. A truly unprecedented selection.

BALANCE of WINTER COATS
GROUPED IN THREE LOW PRICES
COATS Values up to $19.75 $8.00
COATS Values up to $29.75 $15.00
COATS Values up to $39.75 $20.00
REDUCED BELOW COST, EVEN LESS THAN HALF PRICE

Final Close Out Entire Stock
Fall and Winter Dresses
REMARKABLE VALUES



Choice of Best Dress in stock
Values $34.75
$16.00
The Season's Newest Styles
Values up to $24.75
$12.00

NATHAN LYNCH STORES
"LEAD IN VALUE GIVING"
INCORPORATED
WICHITA FALLS, BURKBURNETT, OLNEY, NOCONA, ARCHER CITY, VERNON, ELECTRA

The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

Formal Dance Given at Wichita Club Wednesday Evening Is Lovely Affair

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McGaha and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fain entertained with a formal Christmas dance at the Wichita club Wednesday evening. The hall was elaborately decorated with Christmas colors and suggestions and a beautifully decorated Christmas tree was placed in one corner of the room.

In the receiving line were Messrs. Fain, McGaha, Lamar Fain, Dr. and Mrs. G. T. Singelton, Mrs. J. B. Waldrip of Lubbock, H. P. McGaha of Huntsville, Ala., and Miss Josephine Dixon of Ardmore.

Out of town guests included J. L. Mullin, E. J. Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kilburn, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hammond, W. W. Potter, W. Henry Potter, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Simpson, C. E. Adams and Miss Josephine Wixon all of Ardmore. About 250 guests attended the affair. Due to illness Mesdames Fain and McGaha were unable to attend.

◇ ◇ ◇

WATER SUPPLY BIG PROBLEM

Rotary Club Urged to Aid In Improvements

"I believe that the greatest problem before the city as a whole today is the water situation, and I think the Rotary club should play a prominent part in correcting the situation," declared Luther Hoffman in an address before the Rotary club in its weekly meeting at the Kemp hotel Thursday noon.

Mr. Hoffman devoted the major portion of his speech to the proposition that every civic organization should adopt some particular and specific goal toward which it should direct its efforts for the good of the community. Extolling the fine feeling of friendship which exists among the members and the high ethical standards of business conduct which Rotary teaches, Mr. Hoffman emphasized the fact that the club is not a religious organization, and that definite connection with some church should be made by each member for maintaining the religious elements of his life, and with the chamber of commerce for the opportunity to serve the entire community in a business way.

Regular attendance and prompt payment of club dues were described as being of paramount importance to club members. Mr. Hoffman suggested that assistance be provided for Tom Smock, club secretary, whose work he commended.

Ex-Students To Have Banquet Friday

Members of the ex-students association of Junior college will entertain with a banquet at the Wichita club Friday evening. Charles Weeth, president of the association, will act as toastmaster.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Ex-students of Junior college will entertain with a banquet at the Wichita club at 7:30 o'clock.

High school and Junior college Girl Reserves will entertain with a silver tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Cline, Country Club estates, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

O' These Women

By LEOLA ALLARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (US)—A lady who lost her wealth but retained her extravagant habits was wondering what to do to make her own living. As it happened to be about the holiday season she decided to buy and sell Christmas presents. Her credit is good, so she bought some lovely gifts, let her many friends know, and set up shop in her 85th street apartment, in New York.

Each present was sold for what she thought the buyer wanted to pay and no postage charged, no matter where the gifts were sent. Besides this, she wrapped the packages in pale blue tissue paper, with red ribbon and a spray of holly.

It's all very lovely, but where is the poor dear going to find herself financially after the holidays?

But isn't there something about her you like, just knowing that she had the real spirit of Christmas, in spite of her own reverses? What a person she must be!

A stenographer from the office of one of her friends thought to take advantage of the chance to buy something lovely and went to her apartment. She knew the girl was of very moderate means so she sold her a $5 gift for $3 and put in an extra spray of holly.

Haven't you noticed that people like her somehow manage to get along? Which indicates that God is in His heaven, any ideas to the contrary notwithstanding.

A lady tells me she always like to put that word notwithstanding in a telegram, because the company charges her for a whole word every time she uses an initial and they won't let her say wouldn't. She must use two words. She works in the notwithstandings, and the nevertheless, to even the score.

In 1665 every bachelor in Quebec was ordered by law to marry within a fortnight because the rival English colonies were growing more rapidly. Some ship loads of prospective brides were brought in, and the men went aboard to choose their mates. The men chose the fat girls first, and one reason they gave was that they were less active and couldn't gad so much.

The women are all trying to reduce and statistics say that the number of marriages are decreasing.

Almost all scolds are scrawney.

An Omaha woman came into court and complained that her husband didn't give her enough to eat. He is an artist, and likes sylph like women. But she wanted to eat—he locked up the pantry so she wouldn't get fat.

Judge William Gemmill of Chicago's famous domestic court says a woman came to his court and told that same story and the husband said he couldn't help it, fat women were his obsession. He would divorce her if she got fat.

It's a grand life—all of it!

Burk Rotary Club Welcomes New Man

Special to The Record News

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Dec. 27—The Burkburnett Rotary club met Wednesday at noon in the annex of the Central Christian church, with Paul Browning, chairman of the program committee, presiding over the meeting. Owing to the Christmas occasion of Tuesday there was only a small number of the members present as the meeting had been postponed from Tuesday, the regular meeting date. A new member, Dr. O. C. Egdorf, was welcomed into the club by Secretary Ed Williams, representing the classification of obstetrics. Rotarian Glen Kincaid had migrated from the same state as that of Dr. Egdorf and, being familiar with the customs of the Missourians, told several yarns referring particularly to Dr. Egdorf.

After the meeting hour the members of the Rotary held an extended meeting at the home of Happy Clower, who was suffering a broken leg he received in a grid game Christmas day in which he was a participant.

Easterwood Sponsors Rome-to-Dallas Flight

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Tentative plans for a 5,500-mile flight from Rome to Dallas, Texas, by way of New York for a prize of $25,000 or $50,000 were announced today by Col. William E. Easterwood Jr., of Dallas, chewing gum manufacturer and world war flier.

Colonel Easterwood, who sponsored a proposed 10,000-mile flight from Dallas to Hong Kong for a prize of $50,000, said that project had been abandoned in the interests of safety in favor of the shorter transatlantic - transcontinental journey.

Railroads Seek To Acquire Express Firm

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—Authority to acquire the properties of the American Railway Express company at a cost of $35,000,000 was sought from the Interstate Commerce commission today by a committee of railroad executives.

The property will be taken over on March 1, 1929, and operated thereafter by a new corporation, the Railway Express Agency, Inc., jointly owned by the interested railroads.

Bubonic Plague Hits Famine Stricken Area

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (UP)—Bubonic plague has been added to the sufferings of famine victims in northern China, according to reports reaching the American national committee for China famine relief, here.

Twelve million persons are facing starvation, the committee said, and because of lack of proper food, diseases are prevalent.

Corinne Griffith Signs Contract for Talkies

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (INS)—First National Pictures announcement that Corinne Griffith had signed a new contract, involving more than $1,000,000, to make talking pictures. This is the first starring contract which definitely specifies that a star will appear only in talking productions.

Man Jumps From Hotel Floor; Barely Lives

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—A man police say is James R. Orr, 30, Birmingham High school teacher, jumped from an upper floor of the Roosevelt hotel today and was taken to a hospital barely alive.

"I wanted to die," he said

For inexpensive amusement drive your car over the "Ocean Wave," three miles out Henrietta road. Children 5 cents, adults 10 cents. Open until midnight.—Adv.

Clothing Valued at $500 Taken From Chico Store

Goods valued at $500 was reported Thursday to the local police as having been stolen Wednesday from Chico, northeast of Decatur.

The material, reported to Wichita Falls by the sheriff at Decatur, was stolen from a store at Chico and includes two dress suits, three suits, two pairs of dress shoes, two fur coats, two hat boxes, two suitcases and a quantity of men's and women's hose and underwear.

A local theft was also reported to the police here Thursday. Roy McClure reported the loss of his spare tire from his car at 1402 Britton.

Peddlers Draw Fine In Corporation Court

Two peddlers selling their wares by office to office solicitation in the downtown business buildings of Wichita Falls Thursday met with scant consideration when their activities were noticed by the police, Ellis Summers arrested them. The men were fined $10 each and told that they must have licenses.

KGKO PROGRAM

Zack and Glenn, members of one of the first teams of entertainers with station KGKO, after an absence of almost a month, are on the active personnel of radio artists again and will close Friday night's program, it was announced Thursday.

The bill for Friday night follows:
7:00 to 8:00—The Little Rovers' orchestra.
8:00 to 8:20—George Taylor.
8:20 to 9:00—Pauline Slaughter, piano; Mrs. J. F. Cammack, soprano; Joe Rabinowitz, violin.
9:00 to 10:00—Zack and Glenn.

CHIC CHERIE — Latest Fashions



You may think we've made a mistake showing Christmas parcels today, but if you do you are wrong. These are all Christmas presents to be exchanged. It's almost as important, you know, as exchanging wedding presents. Besides it happens oftener. Sue, at the left, is wearing a simple frock of very lightweight tweed with a white vestee. Dina's wool frock is a chiffon weight covert, or that's what it's called, anyway. Truly it is marvelously light. Cherie's is of the same material. We'd like to remark that heavy woolen fabrics are no longer used for dresses—all dress woolens are almost as thin and light as silk.

This is the sort of thing that always happens to Cherie. She





didn't intend to buy a thing. She was merely going to exchange. Unfortunately she saw this case in the window of a shop for which she had no exchangeable merchandise available and it seems that she'll have to buy it. It's a wardrobe shoe bag and if Cherie does any traveling she will need it. Of course, if she buys it, she will have to travel, too! Cherie's hat is the new black tricorne that's so smart. Cherie's ensemble is also black (velvet) but is saved from any suggestion of mourning by its short scarf of leopard. And before she commits this extravagance we shall leave her!

(Copyright, 1928, King Features Syn., Inc.)

Men, Holding Right of Selection, May Prevent Matrimonial Wrecks

Since Only the Man Has the Privilege of Free Choice in Matrimony, It Is Up to Him to Decide What Qualities He Wants in a Wife Before Marriage, to Choose Wisely and Abide by His Decision.

A man said to me the other day: "The real blame for the mistakes in matrimony that keep the divorce court busy should be laid on men, because they are active agents in marriage. They have the privilege of selection, while women have none; the poor dears have to take what is offered them, or go without. The reason that men make such asinine blunders in marriage is because they are poor shoppers When a woman goes into a store she knows just exactly what she wants and she'll hunt around until she finds it, if she has to comb every one of 57 departments in a big department store. If she desires a hat, she has made up her mind as to the color, and shape, and whether it will match up with the balance of her belongings, and whether it fires her fancy or not, and she will take no other unless she is driven to desperation and feels sure that is her last chance at the millinery counter.

"When the average man goes to buy a hat he takes the first one that he sees, regardless of whether it is what he likes or not, or he lets some glib salesman talk him into buying one that he knows doesn't really suit him, and then he goes home and grouches because he doesn't like his new lid.

"That's about the way men marry. They don't shop around for their wives. They marry the girls next to them, the girls with whom they work, or the girls they are thrown with in a boarding house, or the neighbor girls they have grown up with, just because the girls were handy. Or else they marry the girls who run after them and capture them because they haven't the nerve to run away. Then, when they find they've got wives that they don't really love and who don't interest them, they beef about it just as they do when they find they've got hats they don't like and that don't become their particular style of manly beauty.

"The trouble is that men seldom ever take the trouble to sit down and dispassionately consider the kind of wife that they really want and need. For example, somewhere in the back of their heads is the tradition that the way to be happy, though married, is to get a wife who is thrifty, and economical, and a good cook, just as the most wholesome food is plain roast beef and potatoes. So, likely as not, the poor dub marries on that basis without ever stopping to think that the only thing that ever pques his appetite is caviar.

"Understand I'm not knocking the domestic virtues. On the contrary, I am strong for them. It must be wonderful to be married to a lady who can cook with one hand and play a sonata with the other, and who can look like a daily hint from Paris and yet nourish the savings bank account.

"I fear, however, that admirable crichtons are as rare in the female sex as they are in the male, and my contention is that since men must pick and choose between wives, even as they do between the different dishes in a cafeteria, the mistake they make is in selecting a ham sandwich when really what they wanted was a slice of pie. Or vice versa. Hence these vain regrets and the cry that goes up from so many masculine throats of 'stung.'

"Of course, if, after a man has communed with his innermost self, he decides that the thing that is of most importance in the world to him is his stomach, then he makes a wise choice when he picks out for a wife the girl who is a magician with the pots and pans. He should spend the balance of his days perfectly happy with his feet in the food trough, extolling her to the skies, and blessing heaven for his luck.

"But he doesn't. After he has acquired dyspepsia gorging himself on her salads, and patties, and vol au vents, he begins to complain that she smells of the kitchen and that the only thing she ever reads is the cookbook, and that he is aweary of her and pines for the society of a lady highbrow.

"Then there's the chap who marries a girl because she has a pretty face. Is he content to take her home and devote his days to worshiping her beauty and buying lovely gold frames for his living picture?

"Not on your life. In about six months he doesn't even notice whether she is good-looking or not, and he begins groaning over the upkeep of a work of art, and to find out that you can get mighty tired of looking at a piece of bric-a-brac that has just about as much brains and responsiveness as a wax doll.

"Likewise, there's the intellectual Johnny who marries the cute little trick who rolls big, cowlike eyes at him and asks him fool questions, and who doesn't know whether President Coolidge wrote the latest jazz hit or "Love Me and the World Is Mine," and who thinks that Mussolini is a kind of Italian dish like raviola and spaghetti.

"Is he satisfied with his moron wife? He is bored stiff and he blames the poor little nitwit for not having the brains that the good Lord didn't give her and that she never pretended to have.

"There are the men who marry the wild women with whom they step out, the girls whose idea of life is night clubs and cabarets, and fine clothes and men who are good spenders; the girls who drink, and smoke, and pet, and regard feminine modesty as a mid-Victorian relic, interesting and quaint souvenirs of a bygone day.

"The rounders who marry these gay girls are not content to have them continue that free and easy life. They complain that their wives know more about shaking up a cocktail than they do about making bread and because they prefer to spend their evenings dancing the black bottom to walking the colic.

"And there you are, and that's why I say that the burden of the failure of matrimony is on men. They pick out their wives, and they don't give as much time and thought and intelligence to selecting the woman they will have to live with for the next 30 years as they would to choosing a second-hand flivver.

"If they would only decide on what qualities they want in a wife before marriage instead of afterward it would save them so many heartaches and so much alimony."

—DOROTHY DIX

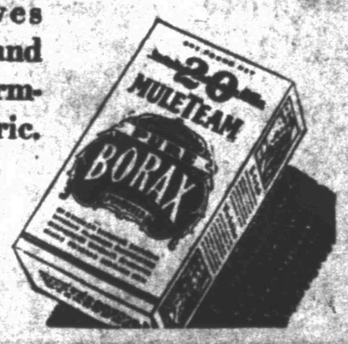
(Copyright by Public Ledger)

yes
Wet Wash 17 lbs. 51¢
Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays.
CITY LAUNDRY
900 Austin Phone 4888



SAFE for fine laundering

20 Mule Team Borax is a great help in laundry work. It softens water, aids the soap, and deodorizes as it cleanses. Whitens clothes, saves hard rubbing and is perfectly harmless to any fabric.



Iodized Salt for the Table



Our Package is Different!
WESTERN SALT COMPANY
GOODNER WHOLESALE GROCERY COMPANY

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Mrs. Sam Spence is reported ill with an attack of influenza at her home, 2210 Taylor.

◇

Mrs. L. C. Tyson was called to Cisco Thursday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Calhoun. Mrs. Calhoun is suffering from pneumonia.

◇

Mr. and Mrs. John Ebner announce the birth of a son, John Charles, Saturday at the Hargrave-Walker hospital. Mrs. Ebner was formerly Miss Hazel Champion.

◇

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Altman of Quanah are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Holland, 1302 Tenth street.

◇

Mrs. E. R. Fain is reported improving from an attack of influenza at her home, 1821 Ninth street.

◇

Mrs. C. P. McGaha is ill with influenza at the clinic hospital.

◇

Mrs. A. B. Booth and children, Alfred and Constance of Chicago, are visiting Mrs. Booth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kemp, 906 Grant.

◇

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dailey and small son, Larry Jr., have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. Dailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dailey of Edmond, Okla.

◇

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Kenley Jr., spent Christmas with Mrs. Kenley's parents in Austin. Mrs. Kenley remained in Austin for a short visit and will return next week. Mr. Kenley returned Tuesday evening.

Russian Grand Duke Reported as Improved

CANNES, France, Dec. 27. (UP)—It was reported today that the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia has improved greatly from a serious illness he suffered, and was able to sit up. Because of his improved condition, no medical bulletins were being issued for the present.

BIG BOOZE HAULS

NEW YORK, Dec. 26. (US)—While city police were seizing $100,000 worth of champagne and Scotch whiskey, prohibition agents raided steamers at the Chelsea piers and got 564 bottles of liquor today.

Girl Reserves to Have Silver Tea At Cline Home Friday Afternoon

Members of the Girl Reserves of the Junior college and high school will entertain with a silver tea from 3 to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Cline, 3100 Hamilton boulevard, Country Club estates, when the proceeds will be used to send delegates to the Y. W. C. A. Girl Reserve convention in the summer.

Miss Pauline Shirley is advisor to the group and Miss Betsy Lee is treasurer and chairman of the committee of arrangements.

In the receiving line will be Misses Betsy Lee, Helen Cline, May Sue Shanklin, Charlotte Joiner, Pauline Shirley, Betty Love Rugeley, Elizabeth Langford, Jane Adams, Juanita Kinsey and Mesdames P. P. Langford, Sarah Martha Kinsey and members of the social, membership, service and program committees and their sponsors, mothers and advisors.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM



The girl-friend says she got a patent lighter for Christmas and now the janitor expects her to keep warm with it.

French Coal Miners Strike for More Pay

SAINT ETIENNE, France, Dec. 27. (UP)—Eight thousand coal miners in the Loire region started a strike today, demanding an increase of five francs (about 25 cents) per day in wages.

The strikers represent about one-half of the miners in the Loire region.

Special measures have been taken to prevent the strikers interfering with the laborers still at work.

McCutchen to San Antonio

W. U. McCutchen, assistant cashier of the First National bank, and president of the seventh district association of Texas bankers, left Thursday afternoon for San Antonio to attend a meeting Friday of the executive committee of the Texas Bankers' association. Arrangement of programs for the various district conventions to be held in February was named as the principal business to be transacted by the committee.

Prince Battles Plunging Mount Before 2,000

MELTON MOWBRAY, England, Dec. 27. (UP)—The Prince of Wales saved himself from a tumble at the hunting here when he exercised great skill in handling a plunging, rearing mount. A crowd of 2,000 persons cheered the prince when he appeared at Oakham, but the cheers frightened the horse which was controlled with great difficulty.

Loire Coal Miners Walk Out on Strike

ST. ETIENNE, France, Dec. 27. (UP)—Eight thousand coal miners representing about 50 per cent of the miners in the Loire coal region, walked out on a strike yesterday demanding wage increases of approximately 25 cents a day.

Special measures to prevent the strikers from interfering with miners remaining at work have been taken.

Oil Driller Killed as Truck and Car Collide

HOUSTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—E. J. Oberly, Houston oil driller, died about noon today of injuries suffered when the automobile he was driving collided with a fire truck less than an hour earlier. Charles Burke, 7, was reported near death. He was run down by an automobile while crossing a street to the scene of the automobile fire truck wreck.

SHERIFF DIES

ALEXANDRIA, La., Dec. 27. (AP)—Sheriff James J. O'Quin of Grant Parish, died at his home in Colfax last night and the funeral will be held at Colfax today.

Groups of hosiery, hats, dresses, piece goods, shoes and many another need at special prices during Thirteenth Month at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

SANDERFORD'S Booterie
911 INDIANA AVE.

Starting This Morning

MID-WINTER SHOE SALE



Fine Booterie Footwear Substantially Reduced

An opportunity to buy smart shoes for late Winter at worthwhile savings. We advise early selection.

Shoes Formerly $10 to $17.50 In Three Groups

$4
Smart materials available in these groups are black, brown and blue suede . . . black patent . . . black, blue and brown kid. Evening slippers of metal, kid and satin also.

$6
There are straps and pumps in patent with hi-lo heels. The brown kids are pumps, straps and oxfords, mostly with low heels.

$8
These shoes are the style successes of the season, reduced because sizes are now incomplete. In the $8 group are included many $13.50 arch-support shoes in brown and black kid.



Hosiery Clearance
A group of $1.95 Booterie silk chiffons $1.55
A group of Booterie chiffons to $2.95 ..... $1.95



House Shoes 20% Off
House shoes in kid, satin and crepe. All colors.
A special group of house shoes, to clear at $1

102 PERMITS IN ELECTRA AREA

Wichita County Leads in New Drilling Operations

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 27.—One hundred and two permits to drill were issued during the month of December by J. Lon Martin, supervisor oil and gas commission for this district. Fifty-eight of these are in Wichita county, 40 are in Wilbarger county and two are in Knox. They are as follows:

Wichita County

W. A. Patterson, No. 4, L. P. Douglas, section 2, S.A.&M.G. survey, 2000 R; Midcontinent Oil and Gas company, No. 20, Burnett, section 7, H.T.&B. survey, 960 C; United Producers company, No. 8-B, W. L. Hodges, H.&T.B. survey, 1880 R; Continental Oil company No. 2, M. A. Love, W. S. Kennard survey, 1900 R; Douglas Bros. Oil company, No. 6, L. P. Douglas, section 2, S.A.&M.G. survey, 1100 C; Morgan and Anderson, No. 12, E. B. Goetze, section 2, S.A.&M.G. survey, 850 C; Morgan and Anderson, No. 13, E. B. Goetze, section 2, S.A.&M.G. survey, 500 C; Ryan Consolidated Oil company, No. 11, George Nance, Fowler survey, deepen to 1400; Ryan Consolidated Oil company, No. 103, George Nance, Fowler survey, 2000 R; Fred B. Widmoyer, et al, No. 1, D. R. Hooks, R. J. Scott survey, 960 C; Mrs. R. A. Lanning, No. 9, McClarty, O. S. Fowler survey, 900 C; United Producers company, W. L. Hodges, H.&T. B. survey, 1850 R; Coppock and Coleman, No. 18, Kemp and Kempner, block 83, H. &T.B. survey, 1850 R; Bridwell Oil company No. 4, Burnett, section 3, H.&T.B. survey, 3000 R; W. B. Omohundro, No. 21, R. J. Scott survey, 1800 R; Ryan Consolidated Oil company No. 104, George Nance, S. O. Fowler survey, 2000 R; Dan F. Whatley, No. 1, Electra Oil company A-278, S.A.&M.G. survey, 700 C; Staley, Wynne & Co., No. 7, Kemp and Kempner, section 82, W.V.F.L. survey, 1200 R; J. E. Dunaway, et al, Allingham, 32-5, H.& T.C. survey, (F14); J. H. S. Bonner, et al, No. 22, J. H. Cole, J. McCool survey, 600 R; Staley, Wynne & Co., No. 8, Kemp and Kempner, section 82, W.V.F.L. survey, 1500 R; Dwight M. Rose, No. 2, J. W. Stringer, section 4, block 23, H.&G.N. survey, 625 C; R. H. Cook, No. 5, Throckmorton, A-312, Torrey survey, 750 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 1, J. G. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20, H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 2, J. C. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20—H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; Staley, Wynne & Co., No. 9, Kemp and Kempner, section 82, W.V.F.L. survey, 1500 R; Dwight M. Rose, No. 3, J. W. Stringer, section 4, block 23, H.&G.N. survey, 625 C; R. H. Cook, No. 5, Throckmorton, A-312, Torrey survey, 750 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 1, J. G. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20, H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 2, J. C. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20—H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; Staley, Wynne & Co., No. 9, Kemp and Kempner, section 82, W.V.F.L. survey, 1500 R; Dwight M. Rose, No. 3, J. W. Stringer, section 4, block 23, H.&G.N. survey, 625 C; R. H. Cook, No. 5, Throckmorton, A-312, Torrey survey, 750 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 1, J. G. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20, H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; J. M. Hamby, No. 2, J. C. Duke subdivision, 20 and 11—9 and 20—H.&G.N. survey, 400 C; Staley, Wynne & Co., No. 8, Kemp and Kempner, section 82, W.V.F.L. survey, 1500 R; Dwight M. Rose, No. 2

WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

PUBLISHED DAILY, MORNING, EXCEPT SUNDAY, BY THE TIMES PUBLISHING CO.
Times Building, Corner Seventh and Scott Streets, Publishers Wichita Daily Times, Afternoon and Sunday

Members of The Associated Press—The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein

Entered at the postoffice in Wichita Falls, Texas, as second class mail matter under the act of March 3, 1879
Telephone numbers, private branch exchange connecting all departments, 4391

Advertising rates furnished on application

National Representatives: E. Katz Special Advertising Agency
307 No. Michigan Avenue.....Chicago 58 West 40th Street.....New York
Monadnock Building.....San Francisco Citizens and Southern Bank Building.....Atlanta
Waldheim Building.....Kansas City S. L. Rosen Mercantile Bank Building...Dallas, Texas

The Wichita Falls Record News and Sunday Times by carrier in Texas and Oklahoma, 60c per month. The Wichita Falls Record News, daily morning, and The Wichita Daily Times, evening, with the Wichita Sunday Times and Record News—12 issues per week—for $1 per month; $12 per year. MAIL—Texas and Oklahoma, one month, 50c; three months $1.50; one year $5. MAIL—Outside of Texas and Oklahoma, 75c per month; $8 per year.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing of reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon the notice of same being given to the editor personally at the office, Seventh and Scott streets, Wichita Falls, Texas.

IN CASE OF ERROR or omission in legal or other advertisements the publisher does not hold himself liable for damages further than the amount received by him for such advertising.

REGULAR CITY CARRIER SERVICE: Should you not receive your copy of The Record News by carrier by 6 o'clock in the morning on week days and 7:30 o'clock on Sunday morning please telephone the circulation department 4391, before 8 o'clock in the morning or before 9:30 on Sunday mornings and a copy will be sent out by special messenger. It is our desire to give subscribers prompt and satisfactory service and we will appreciate your notifying us during the hours mentioned.

One Minute Pulpit

Prepared by
DR. S. S. McKENNEY, Pastor
First Methodist Church, South

"Man has a body, but he is spirit."

The Day Book of a New Yorker

By GRANT DIXON
(Copyright, 1928, by Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

The Power of the Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Of all the newsstands in New York City—and there must be thousands of them—none are more interesting from a human nature standpoint than are those selling out-of-town newspapers. Whether it's a Baltimore Sun or a Denver Rocky Mountain News which you desire, a Nashville Tennessean or a South Bend Tribune, a San Bernardino Sun or the Daily Times from Tampa, away down in Florida—they are all to be had among the neatly folded papers upon the stand. Nor is the United States the only country represented here. The Hamburger Fremdenblatt and the Dublin News from Ireland, the English Manchester Guardian and the London Times—they are all there. And still more varied than the list of publications offered, are the types of persons asking for them.

Here is the well dressed out-of-towner, breezing into the Big City. He is getting away from his home town, because of domestic troubles—wife getting a divorce—corespondent of doubtful character, named—and the husband is asking for a Blanktown Morning News, hoping to get a line on the latest development in his wife's suit for alimony. How he scans the columns of the morning sheet.

Or there's the man whose finances back home are not what they should be. Doubtful transactions and a shaky bank account. Auditors examining the books of the bank where he has been known as a trustworthy official—or going over the ledgers of the firm where he has been respected as a faithful employe. What has the Downtown Evening Journal got to say about it? There is the lonely middle aged woman, married to a man of wealth, but no position, here in New York. She longs for a sight of a home town paper. Who is entertaining who, back home? The church congregation is giving a social. What would she not give to be there—homemade cake and all—just for tonight.

Next—the flashily gotten up girl of blonde beauty—peroxided. She is nearing 30 in years. Living in an uptown apartment, with a companion whose bank roll she shares, and her relations to him are sanctioned by neither priest nor clergyman. She hankers for a line of the town, upon which she turned a shapely back some five years earlier. A short and crisp Evening Gazette or Morning Call and away she trips, the coveted newspaper clenched within nervous hards

Now the girl who came to the Big City to make good. Maybe back home she sang in the church choir, and folks predicted for her the career of a Jeritza or a Mary Garden. Or mayhap in her was recognized the dramatic fervor of a Lenore Ulrich or a Florence Reed. She came and found—disappointment awaiting her. Now she clerks in a second grade department store. The folks back home—they do not know what a time she has, making an honest living in the city. She, too, haunts the stands that feature journals from all over the land.

Finally the gangster, who just "pulled a big job out West." Just blew into town about 24 hours ago aboard a Twentieth Century Limited. He wants the "dope" on the "big noise." Who have they under suspicion? Are they "wise?" Wonderingly, he seeks these stands But beware! Watch out, "Slippery Mike"—the "bulls" love to hang about—the out-of-town newsstands in New York City.

Abe Martin

(Copyright, John F. Dille Co.)



Th' trouble with lots o' us is that we prepare for th' best instead o' th' worst. One o' th' finest accomplishments is makin' a long story short.
(Copyright, John F. Dille Co.)

Bandits Bring Blessing

THE MEXICAN bandit, villain of countless stage and screen thrillers, who has given his country many a black eye in the past, has at last rendered it a service. He has taken a leading part in promoting civil aviation.

It was unintentional, of course. But it seems one of the chief reasons for the spread of air lines to various parts of Mexico is the roving bandit. Trains and automobiles carrying payrolls or important personages often get held up. So Mexican and foreign capitalists are taking to the air. No spurred and pistoled horseman ever yet forced an airplane to stand and deliver.

The Mexican bandit, without at all meaning to, is helping his country along the path of progress.

Sophistication Outdone

NEW YORK, as everybody knows, is the home of the city slicker—the place where sophistication is 100 per cent, where all the old tricks are common knowledge and nobody can be fooled by anything. That, anyhow, is the national theory.

The other day, however, a wandering Yankee blew into New York with a stock of penknives which he had bought for two cents apiece. Daily he would board a subway train, simulate illness, and offer his knives for sale to kind-hearted dupes. And he cleared more than $100 a day, was able to hire a valet, and when finally arrested had upwards of $40,000 in the bank.

New York may be wise and sophisticated. But the old-fashioned Yankee trickster can still find more suckers there than anywhere else in the country.

New Cotton Competition

AMERICAN cotton producers will face serious competition from new cotton-growing regions in Central Africa in the near future, warns a French economist in the current issue of The Living Age.

This writer points out that a whole network of new railways is being planned to make the rich interior of Africa available to the world markets. Cotton production there, he says, is rising rapidly, and will experience a tremendous boom once the new railway systems are in operation.

Just how greatly this will effect the cotton states of this country is not clear at this moment. Scientific management and far-sighted leadership doubtless will enable the American growers to hold their own in the fate of this approaching competition. These things, one may assume, will be forthcoming as they are needed.

A Poor Place for the Young

THE BADLY-scrambled situation in the New York metropolitan area is strikingly emphasized in a current bulletin from the Regional Plan association of New York.

This bulletin points out that the factory towns, where living conditions are poorest, have the highest percentage of children, while residential towns, where conditions are good, have the lowest. In such a manufacturing town as Perth Amboy, for instance, 46 per cent of the population is under 20; in a residential town like East Orange, only 30 per cent are under 20.

A big city and its environs may constitute an inspiring place for adults to live. But this bulletin only emphasizes what has long been obvious: it is apt to be a pretty poor place for the youngsters.

Traffic Officers Needed on the Highways

THE numerous accidents on the county's highways suggest the need of a patrol of the highways by commissioned traffic officers paid by the county to curb reckless driving.

The mere appearance of a traffic officer on the highways would tend to make drivers conform to the traffic regulations and the arrest of those who drive recklessly would be salutary.

At this season with its cool and brisk weather and the spirit of revelry together with the presence of many cotton pickers on the highways many of whom are traveling in worn out cars equipped with worn out tires there is more danger of accidents than at any other time. Lives have been lost and travelers maimed through disregard of ordinary caution. The care of some of those who have been injured has doubtless cost the county more than the salary of a traffic officer who might have prevented the accidents.

One important work of the traffic officer might be to see that those who are mending tires or repairing broken down cars do so entirely off the pavement. And the work of a traffic officer might well be supplemented with signs warning of the danger of stopping a car at any point within the line of travel.

Lease Speculators or the University?

WHEN compliance with the law forces large tracts of University lands on the oil lease markets at a time when there is an overproduction of oil and the leases will bring only nominal amounts for the profit of lease speculators it is time to amend the law governing the leasing of these lands.

Through the operation of the present law 103,000 acres of University lands are to be offered for lease on January 2. They will bring a comparatively small sum to the university. The marketing of such a large acreage at this time will add further to the overproduction of oil and to the depletion of the university's greatest financial asset through forcing its royalty oil on a demoralized market.

The handling of public property must be done in accordance with law and prescribed regulations. There cannot be the latitude allowed in the handling of private property. But a law that operates for the benefit of lease speculators rather than of the university and of the public is a poor kind of a law and ought to be changed.

If there is anything that can be done to prevent the marketing of the leases on Jan. 2 it ought to be done, and before the land is offered for lease there ought to be such changes in the law as would permit the leasing of the land in a business like manner so that the university might obtain the largest possible benefit from the transaction.

The legislative committee of the board of regents of the university has requested Governor Moody to call an immediate special session of the legislature to enact a new law governing the leasing of the university lands for oil development. If there is no other way to prevent the offering of the leases on Jan. 2 this ought to be done.

Two Black Crows



MORAN AND MACK

MORAN—Big Boy, ain't you wishin' me nothin'?
MACK—Yes, I'm wishin' yo' sumthin'. But I LIKE yo' so much I hope it don't HAPPEN to yo.'
MORAN—Well, I wish yo' a Merry Christmas OR a Happy New Year.
MACK—What's that OR bizness?
MORAN—Well, I don't want to be too EXTRAVAGANT.
MACK—Ain't it just as cheap to wish me two things th' same as one?
MORAN—Well, if I wished yo' a million dollars, would yo' give me HALF?
MACK—Ain't you big enough to do yo' OWN wishin'?
MORAN—Is you goin' to celebrate New Year?
MACK—What about?
MORAN—Why it's th' END of th' year.
MACK—WHICH end?
MORAN—Why, th' end we's comin' to.
MACK—Oscar, I'd understan' what yo' wuz talkin' about if it wasn't for th' explanashuns.

Today's Radio Program

FRIDAY, DEC. 28
(By The Associated Press)

Programs in Central Standard time. All time is P. M. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right. Clear channel station programs in detail, with an appended list of some of the more important regional stations.

395.9—KYW Chicago—1020
5:30—Uncle Bob
6:00—Orchestra; Circus
7:00—Old Dances; Quakers
8:00—Review; Orchestra
9:00—Sextet; Little Jack Little
10:00—News; Slumber Music
11:00—Orchestra; Insomnia Club
389.4—WBBM Chicago—770
5:00—Organ Recital; Melodies
8:00—Little Buster
9:30—Dance Music
12:00—Late Dance Hour
344.6—WENR Chicago—870
7:15—Farmer Rusk
11:30—Feature Program (2½ hrs.)
416—WGN-WLIB Chicago—720
6:00—Quin; Nighthawks; Almanak
7:00—Radio Floorwalker
8:00—An Evening in Paris
8:30—Theater Gang
9:00—WGN Opera Company
10:00—Features; Popular (2½ hrs.)
344.6—WLS Chicago—870
6:05—Livestock Service
6:30—Sports; Harmony Team
7:00—Scrapbook; Angelus
7:30—Features
8:00—Silvertone Hour
9:00—Musical Program
10:00—WLS Showboat (1½ hrs.)
447.5—WMAQ Chicago—670
5:15—Topsy Turvy; Orchestras
7:00—WOR Programs (3 hrs.)
10:00—Amos-Andy; Musical
10:40—Orchestra
11:00—Dance Music (3 hrs.)
478.3—WLW Cincinnati—700
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Historical Highlights
9:00—Sextet; Orchestra
10:00—Slumber Hour
11:00—Dance Music (1½ hrs.)
280.2—WTAM-WEAR Cleveland—1070
5:00—Orchestra
6:00—Musical Features
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—Trapiers, Friday Frolic
9:30—Dance Music (1½ hrs)
299.8—WOC Davenport—1000
7:05—News; Travel Lecture
9:00—Banjoists; Tenor & Reader
11:00—Dance Hour
290.8—WHO Des Moines—1000
6:00—News; Orchestra
8:00—Three Jacks; Bean Hole
10:05—Friday Night Follies
306.5—WCX-WJR Detroit—750
6:30—Circus, Old Dances
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Cotton Pickers; Sextet
9:30—Cotton Pickers
10:00—Amos-News; Dance Music
266.5—WOWO Ft. Wayne—1120
5:45—Melodies
7:30—Symphony
8:00—WOR Programs (2 hrs)
323.4—KFAB Lincoln—770
6:00—Concert Orchestra
7:00—Symphony Orchestra
10:00—Studio Program
319.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—810
6:00—Singers
7:00—United Light Opera
8:00—Howard Melaney
8:30—Ramblers
9:30—Quartet
10:05—Dance Program
323—KVOO Tulsa—1140
6:00—Musical Program
6:30—A. and M. College
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
9:00—Sextet
SOUTHERN
405.2—WSB Atlanta—740
6:00—Orchestra; Circus
7:00—Old Dances; Quakers
8:00—Review; Concert
9:00—Sextet
10:45—Hawaiian Ensemble
374.8—WBAP Fort Worth
9:00—Feature; Tenor
10:00—Blues Singer; Feature
11:00—Accordion; Oil Twins
374.8—KTHS Hot Springs—800
6:00—Outdoors; Supper Club
7:15—Vocal; Orchestra
8:00—Vocal; News
9:30—Orchestra
336.5—WMAS Louisville—890
6:00—Great Moments in History
6:30—Circus; Old Dances
7:30—Quakers, Review
8:30—Nightingale Sextet
9:30—Feature Program
10:00—Studio, Hotel Orchestra
461.3—WSM Nashville—650
6:00—Studio Orchestra; Newscasting
6:30—Circus; Old Dances
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Nightingale and Rose
9:00—Symphony Orchestra
233—WOAI San Antonio—1190
9:00—Sextet
353.7—KWKH Shreveport—850
9:30—Musical Programs (2½ hrs.)
WESTERN
461.3—KOA Denver—650
6:00—Great Moments in History
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—Review; Nightingale
9:00—Sextet, Cowboys
10:00—Dance Music
11:00—Lullabies; String Trio
405.5—KFI Los Angeles—640
6:00—Review; Studio Program
9:00—Spanish Hour
10:00—Hour of Music
11:00—Concert Orchestra
12:00—Dance Music Program
287.5—KNX Los Angeles
9:00—Feature Program; Revue
10:00—De-Nuts, Lion Tamers
11:45—Hollywood Legion Stadium
370.6—KGO Oakland—790
8:00—Review; Feature
9:00—Los Caballeros
10:00—Feature Hour
11:00—Mystery Serial; Moon Magic
12:00—Western Artists' Concert
1:00—Dance Hour
234.1—KEX Portland—1180
10:00—Artistic Ensemble; Talk
11:00—Salon Orchestra
12:00—News; Dance Frolic (2 hrs.)
335.5—KSL Salt Lake City—1130
8:00—Review; Feature Program
9:00—Concert Dance; Orchestra
10:00—Utah Trio
11:30—Dance Hour
440.9—KPO San Francisco—680
8:00—Music, Gypsy & Marta
9:30—Tommy and Bob
10:00—Future Hour
11:00—String Quartet
12:00—Dance Music (2 hrs.)
309.1—KJR Seattle—970
9:00—Twilight Hour
10:00—Artistic Ensemble
11:00—Salon Ensemble
12:00—Dance Music (2 hrs.)

Cops Rushed to Diamond Fields

CAPETOWN, Dec. 27. (AP)—Two hundred picked policemen have been rushed by bus to diamond fields of Namaqualand, where defiance of the government's prohibition against prospecting threatened violence.

Reports received here told of clashes between police and the people, desperate because of crop losses from drouth.

No definite information was obtainable.

It was understood that 2,000 at a recent meeting at Port Nolloth demanded that the government throw open 34 acres of state diggings or else employ additional diggers. This demand was coupled with the threat that if it was not granted by Friday the state diggings would be "rushed."

The Namaqualand member of the house of assembly motored from Port Nolloth to interview the ministers of mines and justice. He said poverty was so great in the district that unless the government took immediate and tactful action a serious and possibly bloody outbreak was inevitable.

The government has insisted on its restriction for the benefit of the diamond industry.

Forgers Use Name of Mrs. Douglas Robinson

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—Friends of Mrs. T. Douglas Robinson, wife of the assistant secretary of navy, were defrauded by a woman who used Mr. Robinson's name in obtaining funds for a childrens' home here, it was revealed today.

Mrs. Robinson issued a statement denying any connection with the home and Mrs. Alexander B. Legare, president of the institution, said none of the money collected had been received.

The amount involved is not known.

Railroad's Plan In Express Merger Told

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (INS)—The financial plan of the railroads in acquiring the railroad express business of the country, was outlined today to the Interstate Commerce commission.

Under it the Railway Express Agency, Inc., will take over the properties March 1 at a cost of approximately $30,000,000, and will issue and sell 1,000 shares of stock of no par value and $35,000,000 of debenture bonds. Of the latter, $5,000,000 will be used for working capital.

The Thirteenth Month ends Monday at P. B. M. Co. Visit each department for special values—Adv.

Rita Doran in Jail On Larceny Charges

LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 27. (AP)—Rita Doran, blonde who became a brunet, was in the county jail today on charges of larceny growing out of the abduction and robbery of Russell Troup, state highway patrolman, last October.

Miss Doran was a blonde formerly, state troopers said, but she is now a brunet. She changed the color of her hair as a disguise.

VARE WON'T APPEAR

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26. (UP)—Senator-elect William S. Vare of Pennsylvania is still too ill, after his recent stroke of parlysis, to appear Jan. 4 before the senate committee at Washington investigating campaign election expenditures, his physicians advised Senator Reed of Missouri, the committee chairman, today.

A Strengthening, Invigorating Tonic for Women & Children

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

60c.

HEAR THE NEW

OKeh ELECTRIC RECORDS —at Zale's

JOIN OUR RECORD CLUB
Select 10 Records
Pay $1.00 Down—$1.00 Weekly

ZALE'S
607 Eighth St.

French Farm Workers Sold on Auction Block as Annual Custom Is Observed

By RALPH HEINZEN

SAINT ETIENNE, France, Dec. 27. (UP)—Discontented but sturdy French farm workers—little shepherd girls, boy cattle herders, and strong red-bearded farm hands—went on the auction block here today to be sold to the highest bidder.

They came from the highland pastures and the farms of the Auvergne and stepped on the auction block before excited peasants who carried little bags of coins in their hands. The annual farm labor auction is older than the abolished slave markets of America and differs little from the scenes pictured in Harriet Beecher Stowe's novel.

Labor Shortage

There was a sharp contrast between today's auction and those of previous years, emphasizing the shortage of farm labor in France. There were but a handful of laborers and shepherds who offered their services to the highest bidder, where in former years there had been hundreds.

There were at least eight bidders for every boy or girl who stepped on the auction block and as a result prices rocketed skywards as the peasant farmers shouted their offers. Little girl shepherds of less than 15 years old brought 3,000 francs (about $75) plus two new dresses. Strong adult laborers brought almost twice as much, so great was the demand for workers.

Discontented Ones

Tradition has it that every year after Christmas, the farm workers who are dissatisfied with their jobs may come to Saint Etienne and go on the auction block.

Excited peasants stood around those who offered their services this year, talking rapidly and pinching the biceps of the farm hands as they sized up the discontented men, boys and girls.

The services of the workers are paid for in advance and the sum of auction is held by the auctioneer until the end of the year when, after extracting a good commission, he turns over a lump sum to the workers.

In recent years when there was a shortage of labor, the peasants have sought to make their bids more attractive by offering as sidelines certain holidays, meat twice instead of once a day, a litre more of wine each week or even a share of farm profits. The provisions of the rental specify that all of the auctioned labor is to be well housed with a clean warm, dry place to sleep. The men are given a new suit of clothes and the girls a good dress as part of the bid.

Annual Fete

The laborers make this event a sort of annual fete. They dance and sing during the week before and after the auction and not infrequently—in the days when hundreds of them gathered here—there were a number of marriages which grew out of the holiday.

Fire Destroys Works Of New Orleans Painter

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Fire early today destroyed the art creations of C. W. Halson, 80, who discovered at the age of 70 that he was a painter. The fire broke out in the studio while he and his daughter were at breakfast and all of his paintings were consumed.

Cop Wounded in Chase For Jewelry Robbers

MONTREAL, Dec. 27. (INS)—Four bandits were arrested and $2,000 worth of jewelry was recovered by police today following two exciting chases in which shots were fired. One policeman was seriously wounded.

Anaconda in Market For Cable Company

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Anaconda Copper Mining company today was reported in Wall street to be negotiating for Inland Wire and Cable company of Sycamore Ill.



FRANKIE TRUMBAUER

...he is a master of ultra-modern jazz.

...dancers yield to a revelling in melody when the music is—

Take Your To-Morrow

(And Give Me To-Day) - Fox Trot

LOVE AFFAIRS, Fox Trot

NO. 41145
75c. 75c.

OKeh ELECTRIC RECORDS

OKEH PHONOGRAPH CORP., 25 West 45th Street, New York, N.Y.

HE USED IT

Boy Says He Took Couple of Shots at the Old Man'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—Percy E Glasscock, 17, charged with carrying a concealed pistol, was asked in court today if he had used it. "Yes," the youth replied, "I took a couple of shots at the old man the other day and he hasn't been seen since." The case was referred to the probation office.

Arrival of Babe May Free Mother

DETROIT, Mich. Dec. 27. (UP)—Arrival of a seven-pound baby girl may bring a pardon for Mrs. Elsie Holmes, 20, who is serving a sentence in the Detroit house of correction for shoplifting in Grand Rapids.

The baby arrived Christmas night. Mrs. Holmes has served eight months of a two and one-half to five years' sentence.

Governor Fred W. Green has directed the state parole commission to investigate Mrs. Holmes' case. Her husband, who is 21 years old, was sentenced to a similar term in the Michigan reformatory. Judge Leonard Verdier, who sentenced the couple, is opposed to a parole for Mrs. Holmes.

If no action is taken by state authorities, house of correction officials have intimated the baby will be taken from Mrs Holmes.

Father Aims at Son, Hits Walk, Breaks Arm

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Dec. 27. (UP)—Mike Drustar, 43, trying to chastise his son, George, 20, received a broken arm when George dodged and the father's arm struck a cement walk.

How to Avoid INFLUENZA

Colds Nothing you can do will so effectually protect you against Colds, Influenza or Grippe as keeping your organs of digestion and elimination active and your system free from poisonous accumulations. Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) does more than merely cause pleasant and easy bowel action. It tones and strengthens the system, increasing resistance against disease and infections.

Get a 25c Box at Your Druggist's

NR TO-NIGHT

NOTED SOLONS IN CONTESTS

Several of Prominence to Fight for Seats

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (US)—Several well known figures in the political world will be involved in contests for house seats, when the new congress convenes.

Efforts will be made to unseat at least six members who were certified as elected in the Hoover landslide of November.

These include Rep. John Philip Hill of Maryland, who for many years was the recognized "wet" leader of the house, Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the "great commoner," Rep. Harry Wurzbach of Texas, for several years the only Republican congressman from the cotton belt states of the once solid South; and Louis Ludlow, of Indiana, the only newspaper man elected to congress in recent years.

Wurzbach already has served notice of contest on Augustus McCloskey, who was certified as elected from the 14th Texas district.

The other two expected contests will involve the seats of Rep. Paul J. Moore, Democrat, of New Jersey, and Jacob L. Milligan, Democrat, of Missouri.

BOTANIST DIES

LONDON, Dec. 27. (UP)—Sir William Thiselton-Dyer, 85, eminent botanist, died here tonight.

Guard Against "Flu" With Musterole

Just Rub Away Danger

Influenza, Pneumonia and Grippe usually start with a cold. The moment you get those warning aches rub on good old Musterole.



Musterole relieves the congestion and stimulates circulation. It has all the good qualities of the old Mustard plaster without blistering.

First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief. Have Musterole handy for emergency use. It may prevent serious illness.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

Jars & Tubes

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER

Better than a mustard plaster

Professional Directory

Accountants

SMITH, ALLRED & LAMBERT
Certified Public Accountants
340-343 Harvey-Snyder Building
Phone 4212 Wichita Falls, Texas

J. E. HUTCHINSON JR.
Certified Public Accountant
Member of the American Institute of Accountants
Announces the Opening of His Office
455 Harvey-Snider Bldg.
Wichita Falls, Texas Phone 9545

L. E. CARELL & CO.
Certified Public Accountants (Ohio.)
Valuation Engineers
Lyle R. Sproles, C. P. A., Mgr.
722 Staley Bldg. Phone 4864

Attorneys

BULLINGTON, BOONE, HUMPHREY & KING, Lawyers
Ninth Floor City National Bank Bldg.
Phones 4361-4362

CARRIGAN, BRITAIN, MORGAN & KING
Lawyers
804-14 Hamilton Bldg.
Phone 3135 L. D. 33

C. C. McDonald Geo. W. Anderson
McDONALD & ANDERSON
Suite 209 Hamilton Bldg. Phone 9974

Wm. N. Bonner Josette M. Bonner
George Wm. Fryer
BONNER, BONNER & FRYER
Eleventh Floor City National Bank Bldg.
Phone 7121-7122

PENIX & PENIX
Lawyers
620-22 Perkins Snider Bldg.
Phone 9420

Blue Printing

WICHITA FALLS BLUE PRINT CO.
Blue Prints, White Prints, Negatives and Photostat Prints
Phone 9473 710½ Seventh Street

Chiropractors

R. E. HENDRICKS, D. C.
X-Ray Laboratory 1309 Tenth Street
Phone 9414 for appointment

F. L. MYERS, D. C. T. E. MYERS, D. C.
Myers Chiropractic Service for Better Health. Also X-Ray Service
213-14 Staley Bldg. Phone 9295

W. A. BLACK, D. C.
Palmer Graduate
Phone 6849 808-14 Staley Bldg.
X-Ray Analysis of Spine if Desired.

DR. H. T. AND FANNIE M. BODDA
Naturopathe and Carver Chiropractors
Phone 2-1262
808 Brook

Chiropodists

DR. HORACE H. FURMAN
Licensed Chiropodist—Practice Limited to Diseases and Deformities of the Feet
810 Scott. Manitou Bath House. Ph. 2-1332

Federal Tax Service

PARFET & MARTLEW
Specialists in Federal Tax Matters
Audits and Systems
Suite 230-34 Waggoner Bldg.

Optometrists

GEO. W. L. SPENCER, O. D.
Optometrist
Phone 5643 705 Ohio Avenue

Osteopathic Physicians

DRS. PETERSON & KROHN
Osteopathic Physicians
Suites 3 and 5 Kemp Kort
Phone 5664

Physicians and Surgeons

DR. O. W. WILSON
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
802-4 Staley Bldg.
Phone: Office 4172; Res. Phone 9060

JOE A. SEAY, M. D.
Rectal and Colon Diseases
Hours 9 to 5
Phone: Office 4933; Residence 2818
224 Staley Bldg.

DR. G. H. HAMPSHIRE
301-7 Waggoner Bldg.
Practice Limited to Treatment of Skin and Venereal Diseases
Office Hours: 9-12 and 2-5:30
For Appointment Phone 9419

DR. O. T. KIMBROUGH
Urology
417 Hamilton Bldg.
Office Phone 7501 Residence Phone 7626

JOHN H. FLETCHER, M. D.
Surgery and Diseases of Women
318-20 Waggoner Bldg.
Phones: Office, 9478; Residence, 9192

H. S. BRYDGES, M. D.
Practice Limited to Chronic and Rectal Diseases
727½ Indiana Avenue

THE NORTH-WEST TEXAS CLINIC
306-311 Hamilton Bldg.
Office Phone 7151
Dr. L. Mackechney
Obstetrics and Gynecology; Phone 9462
Dr. J. A. Heyman
Surgery; Phone 3567
Dr. Bailey R. Collins
Diagnosis and Pediatrics; Phone 7648
Dr. Walter B. Adams
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat; Phone 2-4473
Jerry Vinson, Business Manager
Phone 8591

DR. J. T. VICK
Diseases of Women and Venereal
Diseases a Specialty
824 Ohio Avenue Wichita Falls, Texas

Hospitals

WICHITA FALLS CLINIC HOSPITAL
Clinic-Hospital, Phone 2-1123

Dr. Everett Jones	Res. Tel.	9036
Dr. J. B. Lee	"	6896
Dr. O. B. Kiel	"	9826
Dr. J. C. A. Gogel	"	3214
Dr. W. L. Parker	"	3588
Dr. J. B. Nail	"	6456
Dr. A. F. Leach	"	7544
Dr. R. B. Wolford	"	4980
Dr. C. A. Wilcox	"	6371
Dr. W. B. Whiting	"	9236
Dr. J. E. Kanatser	"	2-1411
Dr. P. B. Stokes	"	2-1827
Dr. E. A. Johnson	"	2-1121
Dr. Clayton Shirley	"	2-1182
Dr. P. M. Smith	"	2-1182
Eva M. Watkins, Supt.		2-1123
Ryder D. Thorn, Bus. Mgr.	"	2-1123

For Lease!

BRICK BUILDING, 50x150 at 810 Lamar Street

where old Record News plant was located. Will make a very attractive lease to anyone interested in need of a building this size.

Write or Phone

Times Publishing Company

Wichita Falls, Texas
Seventh and Scott Phone 4391

SIDE GLANCES — By George Clark



"If it's adventure stories you want, I can recommend this."

Health And Diet Advice



By DR. FRANK McCOY

Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

Questions in regard to health and diet will be answered by Dr. McCoy who can be addressed in care of this paper

(Copyright, 1928, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, Dec. 30:

Sunday—Breakfast: Poached egg on Melba toast, stewed figs. Lunch: Baked potato, spinach, string beans, raw celery. Dinner: Roast chicken, cooked cucumbers, asparagus, molded salad of carrots, peas and cucumbers, apricot whip.

Monday—Breakfast: Wholewheat mush with milk or cream. Lunch: Cooked celery, small lima beans (canned), salad of shredded raw cabbage. Dinner: Vegetable soup, salisbury steak, cooked tomatoes, brussels and sprouts, celery and nut salad, stewed apples.

Tuesday—Breakfast: Coddled eggs, wholewheat muffins, stewed raisins. Dinner: Celery, salted nuts, grated carrots on lettuce, roast turkey or chicken, wholewheat dressing, mashed pumpkin, canned hearts of artichokes (reheated), pineapple snow. Supper: Cold turkey or chicken, salad of carrots, artichoke and lettuce left over from dinner.

Wednesday—Breakfast: French omelet, waffle, stewed prunes. Lunch: Macaroni, buttered beets, salad of head lettuce. Dinner: Vegetable soup, roast beef, cooked squash, McCoy salad, baked pear.

Thursday—Breakfast: Cottage cheese, Melba toast, baked apple. Lunch: Stewed corn, parsnips, salad of raw spinach. Dinner: Broiled lamb chops, cooked string beans, asparagus, stuffed celery apple whip.

Friday—Breakfast: Poached egg, small piece of broiled ham, retoasted shredded biscuit. Lunch: Cooked carrots and peas, turnips, cup salad. Dinner: Baked white fish, cooked spinach, beets, salad of sliced tomatoes, Jello or Jell well, no cream.

Saturday—Breakfast: Oatmeal with milk or cream. Lunch: Baked potato, okra (canned), salad of shredded raw cabbage. Dinner: Broiled steak with mushrooms, cooked lettuce; tomato, spinach, asparagus salad; ice cream.

Wholewheat Dressing: Crumble into a large bowl eight or 10 medium sized wholewheat muffins (left over from breakfast) which have been thoroughly dried out in a slow oven, or an equal amount of genuine wholewheat bread which has been slightly toasted. Add about two cupfuls of diced celery, a cup and a half of minced ripe olives, and three-fourths cupful of seedless raisins. Other vegetables which you may prefer may be added in place of or in addition to the celery and olives, such as parsley, spinach, asparagus, etc. Moisten the ingredients with enough milk to bring to the consistency of a stuffing.

Pineapple Snow—To the well beaten whites of three eggs add a nine-ounce can of shredded pineapple from which all juice has been drained. Whip one-fourth pint of thick cream and fold into mixture, adding no sugar. Chill and serve in sherbert glasses. The amount makes about six small servings.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Laxatives

Question—Anxious Rose asks: "Will you please tell me what magnesium carbonate is? About three years ago I was told it was good for constipation and have been taking a bite of it every morning since that time. I seem to crave it—can't get along without it—and my mother tells me it dries up my blood. I would like your advice about it."

Answer—Magnesium carbonate is a mildly aperient antacid. There is no serious harm from its use except that you are liable to neglect the removal of the real cause of your constipation which is either in wrong food or a prolapsed and kinked condition of your intestines. It is unnecessary to become a slave to any drug laxative or medicinal preparation, but they are often temporary lifesavers when you are trying to discover the bad habits or faulty functioning which is producing your disorder.

Darkness Around Mother Darkness Around Mouth

Question—L. J. asks: "Just what causes darkness around the mouth, mostly under the nose. Is it kidney trouble? Also, what causes me to rub my eyes a lot? What wash is good?"

Answer—Darkness of the skin around the mouth usually comes from some liver derangement which is invariably due to faulty diet. Your eyes may itch because of irritation of the mucous membrane of the eyelids from the discharge of irritating toxins, but you may need glasses and should surely consult an eye specialist, who can advise you to put on glasses or use an eye wash which he could recommend.

(Copyright, 1928, Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

FAVORITE JOKES OF FAMOUS FOLK

As Told by Them to

FRANK B. NICHOLSON

By PAUL BERLENBACH

Since Paul Berlenbach, the famous heavyweight boxer, toured California recently he's become such a booster for the Sunshine State that he broadcasts its wonders in his favorite joke.



P. BERLENBACH

"I met up with a friend of mine out there," he told me, "who lives in Florida. I appointed myself a committee of one to show him what a finer place was California than his home State. We went to the beach first, and upon asking his opinion of it, he replied:

"'We have the best beach in the world at Miami.'

"'Well, the sunshine is great,' I suggested.

"'Same as ours—only in Florida it shines 365 days a year!'

"'Aren't these mansions beautiful' I exclaimed as we were driving through Beverly Hills.

"'Pretty small, compared with the ones in Palm Beach.'

"'Lot of fruit raised here.'

"'Well, it's not so good, nor in such quantities as we raise in Florida.'

"By the time we reached home I was ready to murder him. I compromised, though, by playing a practical joke. I found a terrapin and hid it between the sheets of his bed.

"When he turned back the covers he saw it immediately and exclaimed: 'My, my, what little bedbugs they have here—now in Florida.'

Paul Berlenbach

(Copyright, by Public Ledger)

Pope Institutes 'University Day'

ROME, Dec. 27. (US)—The pope has instituted a "university day" for American Catholics, according to a papal letter addressed to American cardinals, archbishops and bishops. The occasion will be for extolling the work of the Catholic university in Washington.

"You will have to sustain competition with non-Catholic universities and will need a great amount of money," writes the holy father. "For obtaining it it may be useful to establish a Sunday for Catholics in the United States that may be called 'university day.' On that day the clergy in all the churches will explain the importance and necessity of the Catholic university at Washington and ask for the greatest generosity in the offerings."

Deaths From Poison Liquor at Low Ebb

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—Deaths from poisoned liquor were fewer this Christmas than ever before since prohibition because of changes in the denaturing formulas used by the prohibition bureau, Commissioner James M. Doran said today.

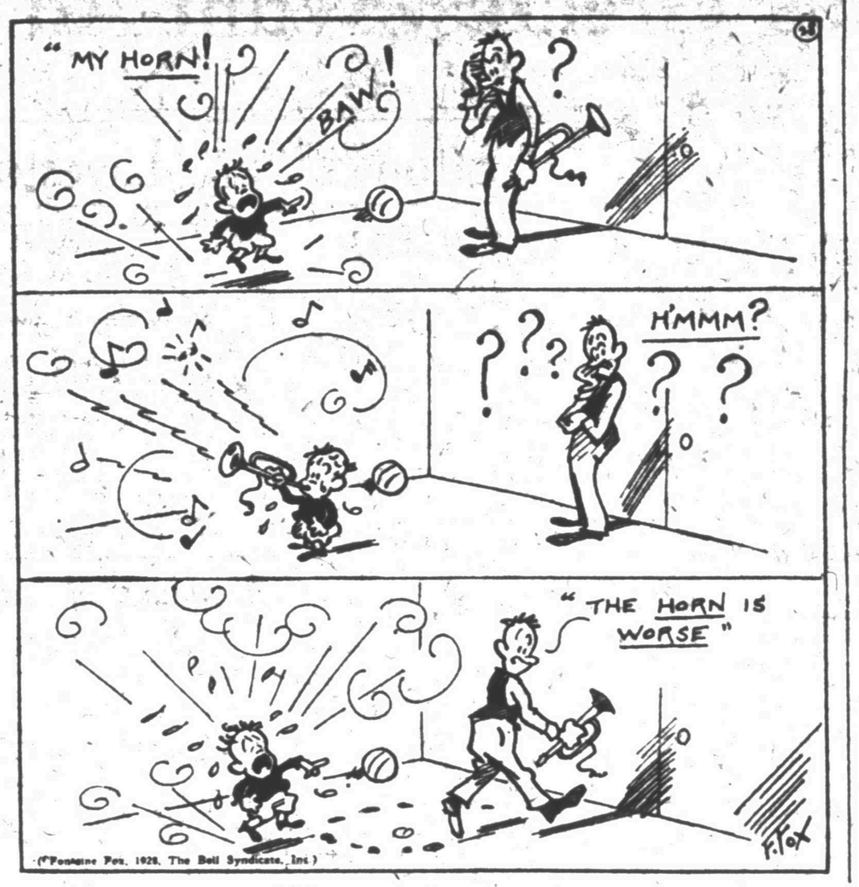
"About a year ago," he explained, "we replaced pyridine with aldohol, a new substance which makes it almost impossible for bootleggers to make the liquor drinkable. We now are getting the full results of that formula change as the old stock of liquor has been exhausted."

Agricultural Experts To Meet on Jan. 2

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (US)—The annual "corn borer conference" of entomologists, farmers and department of agriculture experts will be held here beginning Jan. 2, it was announced today by Dr. A. F. Woods, director of scientific work in the department.

See our windows for Thirteenth Month values. F. B. M. Co.—Adv.

TOONERVILLE FOLKS — Fontaine Fox



("Fontaine Fox, 1928, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

FLYING TO FAME— By Ernest Henderson



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



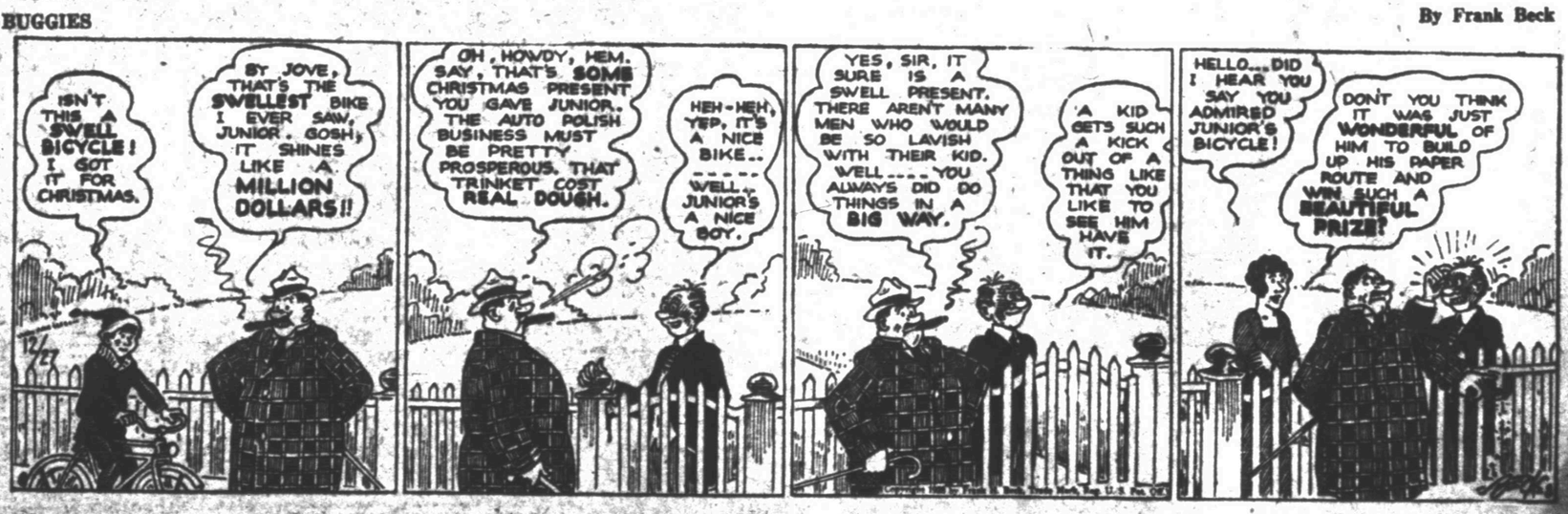
DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



THIMBLE THEATER — By Segar



GAS BUGGIES — By Frank Beck



TELEPHONE SERVICE
For your convenience Want Ads are received by telephone from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone 4391.

Northwest Texas' Greatest Want-Ad Medium

Better Offers — Bigger Circulation — Better Results

COUNTER SERVICE
The Want Ad Counter new Times building, corner Seventh and Scott avenue, is open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Wichita Daily Times (Evening)
Wichita Falls Record News (Morning)
Wichita Sunday Times
Largest Circulation in Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND INFORMATION
24-Hour Service
(Effective April 1, 1928)
(10-Word Minimum)

Minimum charge for first insertion	$0.60
First two insertions, minimum	.50
Three and no more than six insertions, per word	2½c
Seven or more insertions, per word	2½c
White space, per line	.20
Caps, per line	.15
Local readers, per line	.25

MINIMUM RATES

One time	$0.60
Three times	1.15
Seven times	2.10
One month (31 days) (10 words)	8.10

THESE RATES ARE BASED ON CONSECUTIVE INSERTIONS, IRREGULAR INSERTIONS TAKE ONE TIME RATE. ABBREVIATIONS, WORDS, INITIALS COUNTED AS FULL WORDS.

WE DO NOT ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR MORE THAN ONE INCORRECT INSERTION OF ADVERTISEMENT. ALL CORRECTIONS IN CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING SHOULD BE MADE IMMEDIATELY.

Outside Texas and Oklahoma

Rates for advertisers outside of Texas and Oklahoma 3c a word, per insertion flat; no discounts for subsequent insertions other than usual rules applying.

Orders from out of town advertisers are cash with the order.

Ads start in either afternoon or morning paper.

Combination rates for The Daily Times and Record News.

All classified ads taken to run in both papers, with exception of classified display, which is optional.

Phone Your Classified Ads to
4391

Our courteous ad taker will receive your Classified Ad and help you to word it, then our collector will call the next day. These accounts are "accommodation accounts" for the convenience of our patrons in transacting business over the telephone.

Classified Ad patrons desiring to have ads charged must have a telephone listed in their own name. No book record is made by the publishers on account of the great number transactions, hence the necessity of collecting promptly.

Correction of errors in Classified Ads must be made before the second insertion. No allowance will be made for more than one incorrect insertion.

Cancellations and all matters regarding errors should be telephoned to the Classified Ad Department between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Ads accepted for afternoon papers up until 11 a. m. same day.

Morning paper up to 6 p. m. for the following morning.

Sunday paper up to 1 p. m. Saturday night.

Same copy in both papers.

THE CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT IS OPEN ON SUNDAYS

from 4 to 6 p. m. And telephone orders for classified ads may be inserted or to be discontinued will be accepted.

Exceptions: Want ads will be accepted over the telephone for all excepting the following classifications; Situations Wanted and Wanted to Rent. Ads for these classifications must comply with the order and will not be accepted over the telephone.

The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriate headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

3. PERSONAL

MADAM Young, reliable medium, permanently located 1100 Indiana. Phone 2-2705.

EFFICIENT, courteous telephone service is maintained in this office between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. for the convenience of our Classified Ad patrons, who wish to phone their ads in. However, the phone number MUST be listed in the Classified Ad patron's name. You may then have the ad charged for your convenience. Bill will be rendered the following day.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FRENCH oil permanent waves, $4. Mrs. Johnson, 1006 Brook. Phone 2-4972.

PERMANENT waves, $5; shampoo and marcel, $1; finger waves, 50c. Mrs. Manion, 1610 Lucile. Phone 2-2804.

CHRISTMAS special, Eugene permanent, $7.50. Florence's Beauty Shop. Phone 2-4515. Fifteenth at Holliday.

MARCELLS 50c. 1506 Polk. Phone early 9292. Mrs. Sadler.

MARCELLS 50c, retrace 25c, finger waving 50c. Mrs. Johndrow, 401 North Travis; phone 5801.

5. LOST AND FOUND

IF PARTY WHO FOUND brown leather purse downtown Saturday night will return purse and 2 keys to 2307 Avenue O, may keep money. Phone 2-2715.

LOST—Brief case, containing Western National Insurance supplies, W. D. Hilten, Box 212, Childress. Finder please return C. E. Newman, 906 Burnett and receive reward.

STRAYED—One red, white-face cow; one red, white-face heifer yearling, 8 months; one light jersey heifer, 8 months. Reward. Address J. W. Bradley, Route 3-A, Iowa Park, Texas.

LOST—White female spitz dog from 1401 Bell; reward. Phone 2-4209.

FOUND—Three small keys in leather case. Finder may have same by identifying and paying for this ad.

LOST—Female Boston bull, 8 months old. Answers to "Mitzie." Last seen on Speedway. Reward. Call 9075 or 7462.

LOST OR STOLEN—Suitcase, corner Seventh and Indiana, Dec. 22. Finder please call 2-1309 for reward.

LOST—Between union station and 1500 Austin street suitcase containing lady's clothing. Reward for same. Phone 6359.

LOST—Purse containing some money and other articles. Two checks for identification. Phone 8767, Montague Thompson. Reward.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—First class lead burners. Must be able to handle job and qualify physically. Can offer $1.12½ per hour. Apply by letter stating age, experience and qualifications to Employment Supervisor, The Texas company, Port Arthur, Texas.

WANTED—A live distributor or bread broker to sell Betty-Lou cakes. Salary and commission guaranteed. Address Betty-Lou Bakeries, 2019 Congress avenue, Houston, Texas.

WANTED—First class lead burners. Must qualify on job and pass satisfactory physical examination. Can offer $1.12½ per hour. Apply by letter stating age, experience and qualifications to Employment Supervisor, The Texas company, Port Arthur, Texas.

ATTENTION men—If interested work among romantic South America obtain our warranted service offer, with list. South American Service Bureau, 14,600 Alma, Detroit, Mich.

SUCCESSFUL MANUFACTURER has opening for few men who are employed that are not satisfied with present earnings and future. Ordinary men with extraordinary determination considered. None other need apply. Must have clean past record, car and small capital. Men who are interested in $2,000.00 salary and commission with greater opportunity. Phone 2-0455 for appointment.

WANTED—Mexican dish washer. Apply Mrs. Ott's Lunch, 1010 Eighth.

THE CAUSE of promotion. The Fuller Brush company can use two men; must be neat appearance and able to give best of references. Men with cars preferred. Call after 2 p. m. 917 Staley building.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

MA-VI SCHOOL OF BEAUTY CULTURE Positions guaranteed; quality for state examination. 1317 Ninth. Phone 2-1695.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

ADDRESSING envelopes, experience unnecessary. Earn $15.00-$25.00 weekly during spare time at home. Dignified work. Diamond Pen Co., Dept. GY, East Chicago, Indiana.

WANTED—Reliable colored woman for general housework. 1306 Buchanan.

WANTED — First-class electric welders, capable of doing heavy and overhead welding. Must qualify on job and pass satisfactory physical examination. Can offer transportation expenses provided they qualify on job and remain with company 30 days. Apply by wire to Employment Supervisor, The Texas company, Port Arthur, Texas.

COLORED girl wanted for general housework and care for children; references required. Call at 1300 Taylor.

WOMAN TO CARE for 15-month-old boy in your home during day. Write: Box 115, care Times.

WANTED—Single white girl to stay in home and do general housework. 2001 Collins.

WANTED—Middle aged white lady for general housework. Phone 6851. 1305 Monroe.

SETTLED UNINCUMBERED white lady for general housework. Phone or write Postmaster, Ringgold, Texas.

10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANT experienced salesman or saleslady, calling on dry goods trade West Texas; snappy line wash dresses and hosiery; commission basis; reference required. L. F. Pratt Company, 515½ Jackson street, Dallas, Texas.

WANTED—Experienced boarding house cook, colored. Apply 1002 Burnett, after 5 p. m.

11. SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN AND MECHANICS—If you can demonstrate our Hastings Cylinder Grinder and Polisher to garages. Write Alvin Berck, Hastings, Nebraska.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

LAUNDRY, three dozen 50c; blankets 20c. 1009 Seventh. Phone 2-1084.

IF IN NEED of practical nurse call Mrs. Wendt. 3822.

STENOGRAPHER with six years' experience desires permanent position. Phone 2-4525.

YOUNG LADY wishes employment. Clerical work preferred, five years experience, best of references. Write box 129, care Times.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

CLEAN BEDROOMS, two meals if desired; gentlemen only. 1206 Austin.

GOOD BOARD and room at 904 Lamar, good meals served extra.

NICE BEDROOMS, home cooking, private home, 1812 Eighth. Phone 2-4781.

ROOM AND BOARD in private home; reasonable. Phone 6306.

TWO BEAUTIFUL rooms, upstairs, separate from family; sleeping porch, garage, board optional; men. Phone 9756.

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

YOUNG MAN wants roommate; twin beds. 1811 Lucile. Phone 2-4216.

BEDROOM for rent to gentlemen. 1717 Tenth. Phone 2-4542.

NICE BEDROOM—Close in 1604 Austin. Call 9305.

FRONT BEDROOM, convenient to bus, car, meals, garage. 2-1929.

BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED room, nice home, private entrance, car line, garage, 2206 Ninth. Phone 2-4594. Call after 6:30.

BEDROOM with private entrance, garage. 1647 Pearl. Phone 9788.

CLOSE IN UPSTAIRS BEDROOM, 1 or 2 beds. 1302 Tenth. Phone 9479.

BEDROOM—Sealy mattress, and garage; close in. 1105 Broad.

CHOICE FRONT bedroom, private entrance, convenient to bath, close in; garage. Phone 2-2672.

ONE NICE bedroom for rent. 1414 Tenth.

SOUTHEAST bedroom, connecting bath. Phone 4535. 1606 Eleventh street.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE LARGE light housekeeping room adjoining bath. $5.00 per week. 1511 Eleventh.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT HEADQUARTERS
C. Y. Tully Co.
813½ Scott. Phone 9904.
Every telephone in Wichita Falls is a classified Ad salesman.

THREE-ROOM duplex furnished; connecting bath, close in; adults only. Phone 9316. 1005 Grace.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, 1314 Twelfth. Call after noon.

NICELY furnished apartment, built-in features, private bath, garage, location, 1910 Eighth. Apply 1908 Eighth. Phone 8488.

FOR RENT—Three rooms of duplex, unfurnished, 405 Burnett; $25. Call Patton, 9375-9632.

NICELY FURNISHED 2 or 3-room apartment; also 3 rooms unfurnished to couples. 1307 Austin.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, $4.50 weekly. 2320 Kemp. Phone 7444.

FURNISHED two-room apartment, front and back entrance. Telephone 3625. 911 Ninth.

1607 TAYLOR, five-room apartment, extra large rooms, convenient to street car, bus line, school.

NICE 3-ROOM furnished apartment. 2113 Tenth. Phone 6481.

3 ROOM—Furnished apartment on pavement, garage. 1639 Pearl. Phone 3060-3563.

FOR RENT—3 room apartment. Call 7845.

FOR RENT—Very desirable furnished apartment with private bath, in new brick apartment house. Phone 3965-7196.

SOUTH HALF of 8 room duplex at 1611½ Giddings. Call 4454.

THREE NEATLY furnished modern rooms, garage, private entrance, on carlines; rent reasonable, bills paid; adults only. 1703 Fillmore. Phone 4890.

THREE ROOM furnished garage apartment, garage. 2614 Ninth. Phone 9628.

NICELY FURNISHED 5 room duplex apartment, connecting bath, reasonable. 1808 Fourteenth.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, kitchenet, garage, bills paid, $7. 1706 Austin.

TWO ROOM—Furnished apartment, close in. Call 5141. 1106 Burnett.

FURNISHED 4 room bungalow 150h Eighth street. Shown by appointment only. Call Franklin Henderson office 5301. Residence 5712.

EAST SIDE of duplex, four large rooms, closets, fireplace, built-in features and garage; near Junior college. Phone 7827 or 3788.

NICE 3 ROOM apartment, close in, $7.50 week. 1405 Fifth.

THREE ROOM furnished apartment close in. Near schools. Call at 1307 Tenth.

NEW 4 ROOM apartments, private bath, unfurnished, roll-away bed, hardwood floors. 1007 Eleventh. Phone 3843.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment; bills paid; garage. 1312 Thirteenth.

UNFURNISHED four rooms and bath, hardwood floors, rollaway bed, automatic heater, grate, shades and good garage. 1721 Elizabeth.

LOVELY three-room furnished apartment, adults. 1902 Polk.

NICE MODERN 3-room apartment, unfurnished. 2211 Brown; phone owner, 9644.

TWO-ROOM furnished garage apartment, rent reasonable. 1657 Elizabeth; phone 3596.

FURNISHED half duplex, 3 rooms, bath, breakfast room, garage, $40. 614 Sunset Drive; phone 7500.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, two beds, $7 per week; bills paid. 1316 Twenty-fifth; phone 3644.

EVERY TELEPHONE in Wichita Falls is a branch office of The Daily Times and Record News Classified Department. 4391.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, bills paid. 2903 Cumberland. Phone 5641. Liggett.

FOUR-ROOM house, 1201 Twentieth, newly papered. Call Mrs. Carter, 5910 evenings; 4391 days.

UNFURNISHED 7-room modern house, garage. 1418 Eighth.

UNFURNISHED six-room house, close in, two bath rooms, 1600 Austin. Phone 6663 or 8130.

FIVE ROOMS—Modern, close in on Seventh. Phone 5172.

JANUARY 1, 6 rooms, new paint and paper; convenient to town and school, 1304 Burnett. Phone 5583.

FIVE ROOM HOUSE on pavement, close in. Phone 5397 or 2-1863.

FIVE ROOM furnished cottage with garage, one-half block from pavement, in Junior college and Franklin school districts. $37.50 per month. Available, Jan. 1. References. Phone 2-1236 for appointment.

ONE THREE-ROOM furnished house and a few 5-room houses, unfurnished. Apply 304 Travis. Phone 9494.

MARSHALL and Huff, 5-room, unfurnished house, built-ins, garage. Owner, 9858.

THREE-ROOM all modern house; rear of 1909 Taylor. Call 8521.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, nicely furnished, 606 Sunset drive. Phone 2-1386.

WILL LET my 5-room furnished home to reliable parties; reasonable. Call 8783.

SIX-ROOM modern house, 2-room servant quarters, double garage. 2609 Tenth; phone 9756 or apply 1921 Eighth.

SEVERAL houses for rent from $15 to $40. Phone 6690.

FOR RENT—Seven-room furnished, modern home, 1415 Twelfth. Six-room modern unfurnished home, 2206 Eighth. C. C. Jones Sr. 407 Staley building. Phone 6450 or 9572.

FIVE-ROOM house, close in, 1206 Twelfth. Phone 9057.

FOR RENT—Modern two-room unfurnished house, in rear, 1414 Tenth.

FOR RENT—Attractive three-room modern house. Nice for working couple. Apply 1504 Fifteenth.

FOR RENT—Five-room unfurnished house, 2013 Taylor. Phone 9697.

TWO-ROOM furnished house, on pavement, in rear. 1406 Travis.

JANUARY 1, 3109 Cumberland, extra well arranged five-room home, every convenience. Unusual closet space, double garage, on pavement and busline. Phone 5044 or 4826.

1231 NORTH FOURTH—Five-room modern, extra garage apartment; 1416 Seventeenth street. Each $30. Others. Phone 3248 or 2-0179.

MODERN four rooms, sleeping porch; paved. 606 Van Buren; $20 month. Phone 2-4525.

22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

FOR RENT—Brick building 45 by 150 on M. K. & T. trackage. McConnell Brothers. Phone 5723.

23. FOR RENT, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Two large rooms suitable for storage space; $5 per room, per month. 1506 Bridwell.

26. WANTED TO RENT

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

PHONE YOUR RENT worries to 4235.

28. HOUSEHOLD GOODS

BED, BREAKFAST SUITE, cabinet, other household goods, cheap. 1606 Austin.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

WANT TO BUY used furniture. Lewis Furniture Company, 620 Front. Phone 2-2242.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

You've tried the rest, now try the best, PHILCO ALL ELECTRIC RADIO Phone 2-5115. Philco Radio Sales Co., for free demonstration. No obligations.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

SALE OF Baldwin pianos; new pianos, $295; grands, $685 and up. Special terms for Christmas. Moore Music Co., 1113 Monroe; phone 9009.

You've tried the rest, now try the best, PHILCO ALL ELECTRIC RADIO Phone 2-5115. Philco Radio Sales Co., for free demonstration. No obligations.

33. RADIOS

CALL RIPLEY-JONES MUSIC CO. for service and repairs on all makes radio sets. Prompt attention and quick service. J. M. Martin, service-repair department. Phone 9475. 814 Scott.

You've tried the rest, now try the best, PHILCO ALL ELECTRIC RADIO Phone 2-5115. Philco Radio Sales Co., for free demonstration. No obligations.

34. WANTED TO BUY

WE BUY women's, men's and children's second-hand clothing. Phone 2-0297.

42. LIVESTOCK

DR. FRED GROSS, veterinarian, formerly assistant state veterinarian. Phone 8909. 1409 Lamar.

Because It Pays!

THERE'S ONE part of the paper that every reader, no matter what his likes and dislikes are, wants to read — if he's wide awake and up and coming. And that's this Classified Section!

Wichita Daily Times and Wichita Falls Record News

ALL ADS TAKEN TO RUN IN BOTH PAPERS WITH EXCEPTION OF CLASSIFIED DISPLAY WHICH IS OPTIONAL

"WANT AD HEADQUARTERS"
24-Hour Continuous Classified Service

PHONE 4391

TWO PAPERS — TRY CLASSIFIED — ONE COST

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished brick apartment, 4718 Eleventh. Phone 5787 after 6 evenings.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, modern; everything private. 2111 Fillmore. Phone 7042.

NICELY furnished three large rooms and kitchenette; private bath; garage; good location; to adults. Call at 1660 Lucile.

CHOICE unfurnished four-room duplex, at 1318 Giddings; reasonable. Call 4280 or 3013.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

INFORMATION

For Your Convenience—

If you do not know the exact locality of the street or address mentioned in any of the following advertisements just call 4391 and ask for Ad-information. The Times is equipped to render this service quickly and accurately. Of course, it is understood that persons names are not given out where they request answers of ads care Times box numbers.

42. LIVESTOCK

WANTED TO BUY—Four good young mares, weight about 1400 pounds. Want good used farm machinery. Phone Remington 3915—2-2183.

43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

CERTIFIED chicks, from 200-egg cockerels; bloodtested; leading varieties; prices within reach of all; live delivery; catalog free. Dixie Poultry Farms, box 112, Brenham, Texas.

DR. FRED GROSS, veterinarian. Blood testing. Phone 8950. 1405 Lamar.

REGISTERED CHINCHILLAS — Moving East Texas, will sacrifice all or any part. Senior does and bucks. Van Horne, 1403 Britton.

44. DOGS

HOSPITAL AND boarding kennel. Henrietta road; general practice. Drs. Lucey & Gardner, phone 4954.

DR. FRED GROSS, veterinarian. Formerly assistant state veterinarian. Hospital, boarding, bathing. Phone 8950. 1405 Lamar.

45. CATS

DR. FRED GROSS, veterinarian. Hospital, boarding, bathing. Phone 8950. 1405 Lamar.

46. FEED

SPROUTED oats for poultry. Malone's greenhouse, Iowa Park road.

52. MOVING AND STORAGE

ALBRIGHT Transfer and Storage company. Prompt, courteous service, expert movers, crates, storage, carload distributors, long distance moving a specialty. Phone 4946 — 5069.

53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

PLUMBING—All work guaranteed. Davis Black. Phone 3644.

PLUMBING, repairing. Moore Plumbing Co. Phone 6300.

54. SPECIAL NOTICES

EFFICIENT, courteous telephone service is maintained by this office between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. for the convenience of our Classified Ad patrons, who wish to phone their ads in. However, the phone number MUST be listed in the Classified Ad patron's name. You may then have the ad charged for your convenience. Bill will be rendered the following day.

WE CALL FOR and deliver packages and messages. Phone 2-0297.

DRESSED HOGS weighing from 100 to 300 pounds, city inspected, at 14 and 15 cents, at Wichita ice plant, N. F. Grafton. Phone 6065.

55. LUMBER

LUMBER AND building material delivered your station direct from mill at wholesale prices. Blunders Lumber company, box 613, Shreveport, La.

56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

DESIGNING and remodeling hats. Mrs. R. L. Hudson, hemstitching 5c. 921 Scott, phone 2-2447.

HEMSTITCHING—Hemstitching, 5c yard. Special prices on dress making. Phone 9981.

SEWING alterations, relining coats, men's especially. Phone 6716.

59. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

I CAN SAVE you 25 per cent on paperhanging and painting. Oglesbee. Phone 2-1342.

ESTIMATES furnished, work guaranteed. Call Funston. Phone 2-6539.

60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

"INVENT IN REST"

Buy better bedding, mattress renovating a specialty. One-day service, furniture taken in payment. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9930.

MATTRESS RENOVATING, we call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9412.

65. RUG CLEANING

RUGS CLEANED by most scientific and modern way. Best prices; work guaranteed. Phone 3108. Ponds Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

EXCLUSIVE RUG cleaning department and special rug cleaning machinery. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 7171. Wichita Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

66. FINANCIAL

LOANS on city property at low rates with liberal privileges. Blain & Co., 1111 City National building. Dial 3747.

MONEY—Wilson Credit Co., small loans, confidential. 710½ Ohio.

AUTOMOBILE LOANS—Prompt service; refinance your car for longer and easier payments. 903 Lamar. Phone 2-4940.

FARM, ranch loans, 6 per cent. Hendricks, 408 Perkins-Snider. Phone 9092.

LOANS made on Wichita Falls real estate. Terms on monthly payments. 216 Staley Bldg., phone 2-2787.

67. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BEAUTY parlor furniture supplies and equipment; cash, easy terms; catalogue sent. Gibbs Co., 505 No. Seventh, St. Louis, Mo.

FOR SALE—Old established grocery store, doing good business. Old age and failing health compels owner to retire. 306 Oriole street.

A DANDY hamburger stand, doing good business, for sale cheap. Apply at Dixie Pig Stand, 403 Fort Worth street, on Henrietta road.

FOR SALE cheap, small cafe, good location. Phone 4236 for appointment.

HAVE INQUIRY for rooming house, 15 to 20 rooms. Leon C. Taylor, Marchman building.

68. OIL WELL MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES

WANTED to lease by the month, model H or D spudder with good tractor power; must be A-1 condition. Phone 7238.

69. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FORD COUPE for sale by owner, 1926 model, new paint and upholstery; A-1 condition, cheap for cash. Phone 5308 between 5:30 and 8 o'clock evenings.

"INVENT IN REST"

Buy better bedding, mattress renovating a specialty. One-day service, furniture taken in payment. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9930.

MATTRESS RENOVATING, we call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9412.

74. MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES

MOTORCYCLES, new, used, rebuilt, guaranteed. Wichita Cycle Co., 109 Austin. Phone 3223.

Cotton Small Gains Follow Slump — Livestock Lamb Trade Most Active — Grain Selling Wave Sinks Corn

Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE
(By The Associated Press)

Port Movement

	Mdg	Rcpts	Sales	Stock
N. Orleans	19.43	6.490	1.395	372.409
Galveston	19.40	23.688	1.558	658.232
Mobile	19.13	1.293	674	48.924
Savannah	19.58	984	2.056	63.632
Charleston	.....	615	.....	41.616
Wilmington	.....	682	.....	46.049
Norfolk	19.56	1.741	255	110.190
Baltimore	.....	.....	.....	7.094
New York	20.65	424	450	46.841
Boston	.....	.....	.....	1.900
Houston	19.25	13.622	3.046	943.861
Minor Ports	.....	.....	.....	98.619
Total today		49.519	9.434	2,433,807
For week		210.758		
For season		6,998,764		

Interior Movement

	Mdg	Rcpts	Sales	Stock
Memphis	18.80	15.393	3.816	264.657
Augusta	19.31	836	45	81.434
St. Louis	.....	3.857	.....	23.830
Fort Worth	18.70	.....	200	.....
Little Rock	18.75	857	600	29.920
Atlanta	19.40	.....	2.500	.....
Dallas	18.70	.....	2.773	.....
Montgomery	18.70	.....	.....	.....
Total today		21.643	9.124	399.821

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Slight early declines were followed by moderate advances in the cotton market here today on covering, combined with a little trade or commission house buying on relatively steady Liverpool cables and reports that a few additional January notices had been promptly stopped. March sold up from 20.14 to 20.30 and closed at 20.29, with the general market closing at net advances of 3 to 12 points.

The market opened at a decline of 1 to 4 points and showed net losses of 4 to 8 points during the early trading under liquidation and some southern selling. The offerings were comparatively light, however, and the market soon steadied on covering. Trading was quiet at midday, with the fluctuations narrow and rather irregular. Small offerings were absorbed on slight dips, and prices turned firmer in the later trading. January sold up from 20.14 to 20.30 and at one time was 2 or 3 points above March. Its firmer ruling helped the tone of the later months which showed net advances of about 6 to 12 points in the late trading. May advanced from 20.16 to 20.32 and July from 19.84 to 19.98 and the close was within a point or two of the best.

Reports that one of the prominent cotton houses estimated the Indian crop at 6,550,000 bales of 400 pounds compared with last year's crop of 6,450,000 and an earlier season estimate of slightly more than 7,000,000 bales attracted some bullish comment and helped to steady the market after the early decline. According to local estimates January notices issued today represented 1,500 bales. Private cables said that some liquidation had been absorbed by trade calling in Liverpool, and that business in cotton goods and yarns had not been fully resumed following the holiday.

Exports today were 30,213 making 4,672,417 so far this season. Port receipts were 47,150 and U. S. port stocks 2,384,014.

Futures closed steady, 5 to 12 points higher. Spot, setlet; middling 20.65.

	High	Low	Close	P. C.
Jan.	19.63	19.46	19.63	19.56
March	19.68	19.53	19.68	19.63
May	19.70	19.58	19.67-68	19.62
July	19.53	19.45	19.57B-58A	19.51
Oct.	19.15	19.04	19.15Bid	19.05

Opening: Jan. 19.46; March 19.59; May 19.62; July 19.47; Oct. 19.01 bid.

Liverpool Cotton Market

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27. (AP)—Cotton—spot quiet; lower; American strict good middling 11.43; good middling 11.03; strict middling 10.83; middling 10.63; strict low middling 10.38; low middling 10.13; strict good ordinary 9.93; good ordinary 9.63. Sales 4,000 bales, including 3,500 American. Receipts 55,000, American 44,800. Futures closed quiet and steady, Dec. 10.34; Jan. 10.34; March 10.40; May 10.43; July 10.46; Oct. 10.17.

New York Bonds

Foreign	
Argentine 6s 1960 Sept.	100½
Australia 5s 1955	96¼
Belgium 7s 1956	106
Brazil 6½s 1937	94½
British 5½s 1937	103¼
French 7s 1949	107
German 7s 1949	106¼
Italian 7s 1951	96¾
Japanese 6½s 1954	99½
Polish 8s 1950	17½
Rhineibe Un 7s 1946 Ex War	86
Seine 7s 1942	105½
Domestic	
Am Agr Chem 7½s	104¼
American Sugar 6s	104¼
Am Tel and Tel Deb 5s	104½
Anaconda Copper 6s 1953	103
At T and Santa Fe Gen 4s	92¾
Baltimore and Ohio cvt 4½s	97¾
Bethlehem Steel Con 5½s	102
Bklyn and Manhattan Trans S F 6s	98¼
Canadian Pacific Deb 4s	77½
Chesapeake and Ohio cvt 4½s	99¼
Chesapeake Corp 5s 1947	99¼
Chicago and East Ill 5s	83¼
Chic Burl and Quin 4½s 1977	90¼
Chicago R I P Rfg 4s	70¼
Chicago and West Ind 6½s	103½
Chile Copper 5s 1947	80
Cons Gas N Y 5½s 1945	105¾
Dodge Bros Deb 6s	101¾
Erie Rfg and Imp 5s	85
Florida E Coast Ry 4s 1974	76
Gen Motor Accept 6s 1937	103¾
Goodyear Tire 5s 1957	92¾
Great Northern 7s a	113½
Hudson and Manh Adj Inc 5s	83¼
Hudson Coal 5s A 1962	84¼
Int Rap Tran Ref 5s Stpd	78¼
Inter and Gt Nor 6s	80¾
Inter Merc Marine 6 F 6s	100½
Midvale Steel cvt 5s	99¼
Mo Kan and Tex New Adj 5s A	104
Mo Pacific Gen 4s	73¼
New Orleans, Tex and Mex 5½s	103¾
N Y Cent Rfg and Imp 5s	104
Northern Pacific 6s B	113¾
Pan Amn Pet and Tr 6s	104¼
Penn R R Gen 4½s	99¼
Seaboard Air Line Con 6s	73
Sinclair Con Oil Cpl 7s	102
Southern Pacific Rfg 4s	93
Southern Ry Gen 6½s	121¼
Southern Ry Gen 4s	87¾
Southwest Bell Tel 5s	103¼
Union Pacific 1st 4s	102
U S Rubber 5s	89¼
U S Steel S F 5s	107¼
Virginia Ry 5s	103¾
Western Electric 5s	102¼
Western Maryland 4s	83¼

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (AP)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

Am Super 1 P Rts	1¼	1¼	1¼
Can Marconi W	7¼	6¾	7¼
Curtiss Flying Serv	22	21½	21½
Federal Water A	55¾	54¼	55¾
Ford Mot Co Eng	24½	23¼	23¾
Fox Theaters A	36¼	34¼	35¼
Mar Btl Mar	33¾	33¼	33¾
North East Pow	50¾	48¾	50¾
Nor Am Aviation	6¼	6	6¼
Swift Intl	38¾	36¾	38¾
Un Lt & P A	31	30¼	30½
Walt & Bond B	23¼	19¾	23¼
Mining Stocks			
Com Tun & Dr	1⅛	1¼	1⅛
Newmont Mining	206¾	197½	205¾
Noranda	64½	60¾	64½
Ohio Cop	1¾	1½	1½
Uni Verde Ext	23¾	23¼	23¾
Independent Oil Stocks			
Barnsd Deb War	15⅝	14¼	15⅝
Cities Serv N	88¾	86½	88¾
Cities Serv pfd	98	98	98
City Serv rts	2⅛	2	2⅛
City Serv B pfd	93¼	92½	93¼
Creole Pete	9¾	9½	9¾
Tenn O & L	2⅛	2	2⅛
Standard Oil Issues and Former Subsidiaries			
Angio Am Oil	16⅛	15⅝	15⅝
A O vte cod	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
A O non vte	19	15	15
Atl Lobos pfd	4	3¾	3¾
Buckeye P L	66¼	66¼	66¼
Con Oil	18¾	18½	18¾
Gal Sig Oil cod	5¾	5¾	5¾
Gal S O pf wkt	96	96	96
O O O pf ld cod	77¼	77¼	77¼
Hum O & R	99	98	99
Imp O Can	90¾	90	90¾
Inter Pet ltd	17¾	16¾	16¾
Nat Transit	21¾	21¼	21¼
Ohio Oil	73	72¾	72¾
Penn Mex Fuel	42	40½	42
Prairie P L N	52¾	52	52
South Penn O	66¾	66¾	66¾
S O Ind	89¾	87¾	89¾
S O Ky	164½	163¾	164½
S O Ky N	44¾	44¼	44¾
S O Ohio pfd	110¾	110¼	110¾
Vacuum Oil	98¾	97	98¾

Abundance of Available Funds Puts Market on Its Feet Again Quickly

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (US)—Industrial stocks closed strong after more than making up the loss of Thursday despite another 12 per cent call money rate, today.

Irregularity was influenced when the rate jumped to 12 from renewal of 10 per cent and also when the rumor circulated of a higher rate in prospect.

When it became known, however, that there was an abundance of funds available, the entire list rallied with the standard and high grade industrials the outstanding performers.

Radio Recovers

Radio recovered 14 points, Montgomery Ward jumped 5¾, Simmons over 3, American Can 2, while General Motors, steel and other standard industrials gained over a point.

Anaconda held the lead of a strong copper group, gaining over 3 points. Rails and oils were fractionally higher on the average. Volume remained the same as in previous sessions of the week, totaling 3,500,000 shares for the five hours.

Strength in Can and General Motors also enhanced cheerfulness as it was regarded as representing the opinion of the most powerful interests in the market. In fact, this group which is made up of the most important ones in the "Big Ten" have done more to sustain prices in recent sessions than any other. There has been comparatively little public buying as the public is scared of money conditions for the time being and simply trying to hold on to stocks bought before the break of mid-November.

Sales Record Forecast

Coincident with recovery in motors, it was reported the officials had expressed confidence that the first six months of 1929 would break all records for both sales and earnings.

Allis Chalmers again was well taken, due to the knowledge of conditions that point to substantial increase in earnings next year as outlined here over a fortnight ago. Before the middle of 1929, it is believed, Allis Chalmers will dominate the tractor industry.

Hudson Motor was picked up following brokerage advice that its schedule for the first six months of 1929 equals that of the entire 12 months of this year.

Mexican Seaboard continued to play a leading role in the oil department. New buying resulted from knowledge that the company will have another important announcement to make soon after

BIG SIX GRID SQUAD WORKS OUT FOR GAME AT DALLAS

INVADING TEAM IS IMPRESSIVE

Southwest Conference 11 Faces Hard Game

DALLAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Under a sun that made weather conditions almost the same as they encountered early in the season, football luminaries of the Big Six conference, who reached Dallas yesterday for a charity contest Jan. 1 with a Southwest conference eleven, went through two workouts today behind closed gates.

Having been given a series of formations yesterday by Coach Ernest Bearg, former Nebraska university mintor, and Bo McMillin, Kansas State Agricultural college coach, the players pranced through a signal practice that resembled more the workout of a squad that had drilled together throughout the season than an array of all-stars, banded for the first time.

Long distance punting exhibited by Don Cooper, Kansas university quarterback, was a revelation to newspaper men witnessing the workout, and it was apparent that the Southwest conference team, already assembled in Fort Worth, might be overshadowed in this department of the game. Cooper was ably seconded in kicking by Merhle of Missouri university and Anderson, Kansas Aggie player.

The size of the performers from the corn belt whom Bearg and McMillin chose for the representative Big Six team also impressed visitors to the stadium where the 18 men worked out.

The Southwest squad, after playing a team composed of athletes selected from minor Texas conferences Saturday, will reach Dallas to begin training for the benefit game.

Hudkins and DeVos Ready for Battle

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Free from the necessity of working off pounds to make a weight limit, Ace Hudkins went through four rounds of light sparring today and then hung up the gloves until it is time to put them on the ring with Rene DeVos at Madison Square Garden Friday night.

A few blocks away DeVos likewise was putting in his last few licks of glovework but the workout was a stiffer one as the Belgian is only a shade inside the 160-pound mark when down to fighting weight.

Market Miscellany

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (INS)—Produce: Cottonseed Oil—Market quiet; spot 10.00@10.50; crude, southeast, 8.50, bid.

Futures—Jan. 10.18@10.24, Feb. 10.30@10.40, Mar. 10.36@10.40, April 10.30@10.36, May 10.34@10.37, June 10.35@10.70, July 10.70, Dec. 10.05@10.50.

Petroleum—Market steady; crude Pennsylvania 3.80@3.85.

Turpentine—Market easier 61@61½.

Rosin—Market steady; common 9.30.

Wool—Market quiet; domestic fleece unwashed Ohio & Pennsylvania 43@45; domestic scoured basis 85@1.05; domestic Texas clean basis 96@1.13; domestic territory clean basis 93@1.14.

Hides—Market quiet; native steers 22½; branded steers 20½.

Coffee—Market irregular; option opened 10 points decline to 19 advance; Rio No. 7 on spot 18¼.

Rice—Market steady; domestic 3¼@7; foreign 3.00@3.25.

Molasses—New Orleans—Market quiet; prime to ex-fancy 45@71; black strap 17@19 barrels; 11 tank.

Raw Sugar—Market easy; Cubas 3.89@3.91; Porto Ricos 3.99@3.99.

Refined Sugar—Market quiet; fine granulated 5.25@5.30.

Potatoes—Market quiet; nearby white 90@3.00; Bermudas 5.00@5.50; sweet potatoes, jerseys basket 50@3.50; southern barrels 2.00@3.25; southern basket 1.65@1.85.

Beans—Market steady; narrow choice 10.25@12.50; pea choice 10.00; red kidney choice 8.50@8.75.

Dried Fruits—Market quiet; apricots, choice to ex-fancy 13½@20½; apples, evaporated, prime to fancy 11½@18; prunes, 30s to 60s 7½@12; prunes, 80s to 100s 4½@7; raisins, choice to ex-fancy 8½@12; seedless raisins, sulphur bleached 8½@9½; unbleached choice to ex-fancy 6½@8½.

Dressed Poultry—Market steady; chickens 25@48; fowls 16@34; turkeys 27@45; ducks 16@30; geese 18@29; capons 30@50.

Live Poultry—Market steady; broilers 23@45; chickens 25@35; fowls 16@32; turkeys 25@29; geese 20@; ducks 14@32; geese 20@32; capons 30@50.

Butter—Market dull; salted and unsalted creamery higher scoring 49½@61; creamery extras 48½@50; creamery firsts 45½@48; renovated extras 43@48½; ladles, fresh, extras 41@41½.

Cheese—Market dull; state, whole milk flats, specials 27½@29; Wisconsin, whole milk, fancy young Americas 26@28.

Eggs—Market weaker; nearby white extras, closely selected 48@82; nearby brown, henery extras 28½@53; fresh gathered extras 45; fresh firsts 28½@40; Pacific coast white, extras 49@50; extras firsts 36@48; firsts 30@46.

Milk—Unchanged at 3.42.

Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

A. J. Riddle et ux, lots 1 and 2, block 14, South Highland addition, to J. N. Marley.

First State bank of Iowa Park, lot 19, block 4, Burkburnett, to Worth Golden.

W. E. Smith et ux, lot 20, block 3, Spotland addition, to the North Texas company of Wichita Falls, Texas.

Joe W. Marlow, lots 15 and 16, block 24, Sixteen second addition, to Jack Humphries.

T. B. Wright and Mary A. Wright, lot 18, block 29, Hinckley sub-division of the J. A. Kemp addition, to H. H. Hatfield.

Delia Lindley, lot 12, block 1, Grant sub-division of the Bellevue addition, to C. C. Lindley.

T. F. McKenzie, 26 blocks out of the John Goodwin survey, Westwood Garden estate, to J. A. Kemp.

T. F. McKenzie, 20 acres out of section 23 of the H. and G. N. R. R. company survey, to J. A. Kemp.

NEW SUITS FILED

Miss Eunice Jackson, District Clerk

Cordia Huckabee Harles vs. B. L. H. Harles, annulment.

A. M. Flournoy vs. J. L. Story, slander.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

W. C. Sims and Miss Thelma Combs, Charlie.

R. E. Blough and Miss Gladys Lowe, Electra.

J. E. Eaton and Mrs. Francis Bailey.

Nathan Lynn and Miss Leesie Bolton.

Wilmer S. Pettit and Miss Gladys Marie Hammond.

Enoch Everley and Mrs. Johnnie Malone, Dumont, Okla.

G. W. Coulter and Mrs. Cordia Huckabee.

J. E. Evans and Mrs. Ada Cook.

Special values in every department for Thirteenth Month at P. B. M. Co. Savings for clever shoppers.—Adv.

Famous Golf Shots of 1928

Bobby Pulls Out of Trap

By BASIL G. WYRICK
Associated Press Golf Writer

Golfers usually visualize the marvelous scoring of Bobby Jones, national amateur champion, as due to exact propulsion of the ball from tee to cup, but one of his most spectacular shots of 1928 was from a trap.

In fact, while the inimitable Bobby does take the shortest line much of the time, his scoring ability over the long route is due to keeping the tally down when he does stray. And so it was that the champion, playing in a memorial tourney on Aug. 28, for Warren K. Wool, although his ball was never on the fairway, or on the green, or even in the rough, but found two bunkers, scored an eagle 4 on the 483-yard 10th hole at Flossmoor club, Chicago.

This is how it happened: He was playing with Chick Evans, Dr. William Tweddel, captain of the British Walker cup team, and Phil Perkins, British champion, whom Bobby later defeated in the finals of the national amateur meet. Jones, in the midst of a record score of 67, pushed his drive from the 10th tee to a deep trap, 250 yards out.

The ball had such speed that it ran through the sandy pit and stopped on the downward slope of the cop back of the bunker. It was a difficult lie, but the Atlantan got hold of the pellet with an iron, driving it straight for the green, nestled at the bottom of a long grade. A side slope where the fairway dropped off to the carpet carried the ball to the right and it rolled down a bank into a narrow bunker 35 yards from the flag.

Bobby seemed a bit flustered at this misadventure, but he dropped into the trap with his mashie niblick, measured the distance rather carefully and settled his heels in the sand for the shot. So deftly did he hit the ball that it leaped from the barranca in direct line for the cup, kissed the green just short of the tin and dropped in for an eagle 3 as the gallery cheered.



AS THE BALL KISSED THE GREEN JUST SHORT OF THE TIN AND DROPPED IN FOR AN EAGLE 3, THE GALLERY CHEERED.

And that was only one of many subpar holes, for he went on to score a 67 over the course where Max Marston won the national title in 1923 after Jones and Evans had tied for the gold medal at 149.

CATTLE PRICES HOLD STRONG

Receipts Continue Light On Market Here

Prices that have advanced about 1 cent per pound on the average during the past week on different grades of marketable cattle failed to produce any marked movement of such stock in the vicinity of Wichita Falls, according to statements of local buyers Thursday.

Although there has been a slight decrease in the number of cattle and hogs killed during the last few weeks for local consumption, it was said that considerable difficulty had been experienced in finding young beeves suitable for the Wichita Packing company and the abbatoir of the Black Meat market without going into the markets in other cities. About 45 baby beeves and between 90 and 100 hogs are being killed weekly by the two local plants.

At the feed pens of the market, about 200 head of steers and cows are being fed, and will probably be held until after the first of the year, according to Ed Eckert, who is in charge of the buying and selling of cattle for that firm.

Cotton showed no material change in price on Thursday's market, local buyers offering 18.25 and 18.30 per pound on middling basis.

GRAINS
Prices to Growers
J. C. Hunt Grain Company

Hard wheat, No. 1	85c
Oats, No. 2 and better	55c
Wichita Mill and Elevator Co.	
Hard wheat, No. 1	85c
Oats, No. 2 and better	60c

COTTON
Prize to Growers

R. O. Harvey	18.25
O. W. Wiley	18.30

VEGETABLES
Prices to Growers, Cates

Louisiana Yams, bushel	$1.75
Squash, Texas	10c
Cabbage	3½ and 4c
Colorado Celery	5½ and 6c
California White Onions	6c
Onions, Spanish	5½ and 6c
Onions, dozen bunches	60c
Carrots	60c
Beets	75c
Texas Peppers	6c
Potatoes, Idaho White	$3.00
Radishes, dozen bunched	60c
Rhubarb	13½c
Lettuce, dozen bunches	$1.25
Crate	$4.50
Celery, 2 dozen; crate	$6.00
Colorado Celery, dozen	$1.50
Oregon Jumbo Celery, dozen	$1.00
Turnip Greens	60c
Mustard Greens	60c
Green Peas	13½c
Green Beans	25c
Eggplant	12c
Turnips and Tops, Colorado	85c
Colorado Radishes, dozen	60c
Tomatoes, lug	$2.50
Cucumbers, dozen ($1.25); stalk	$1.50
Honey Dew Melons, crate	$3.00
Hot Peppers	17½c
Cauliflower	12½c
Grapes red Emperors	$2.50

FRUITS AND NUTS
Prices to Growers, Cates

Jonathan Apples, box	$2.25
Delicious, box	$2.50
Winesaps, box	$2.00
Cranberries	$5.00 and $8.00
Bananas, pound	8c
Grapefruit, Texas	$4.00 to $4.50
Limes, Bhatot	$1.50
Lemons, box	$7.00 and $7.50
Oranges, California	$5.00 and $4.50
California Bartlett Pears, box	$3.50
Jumbo Roasted Peanuts	9½c
English Walnuts, new crop, A-1	23c
Almonds, Peerless	25c
Brazil	27c
South Texas Honey	12c and 15c
Grapes red Emperors	$2.50
Delicious, box	$3.00

POULTRY AND EGGS
All prices below are paid to farmers and producers:

Hens, 5 pounds up	18c
Hens, 4 and 5 pounds	17c
Hens, under 4 pounds	14c
Broilers	24c
Fryers	26c
Cocks	9c
Turkeys, No. 1, young toms	32c

MILK AND CREAM
(Quotations by Producers)

Butter	80c and 81c
No. 1 Cream	44c
Butterfat (stockholders)	40c
Butterfat	40c

WHOLE MILK
(Prices per pound of butterfat)

James Bros. Creamery	39c
Ferguson Ice Cream company	40c
Lehrack Ice Cream company	39c

KRAFT CHEESE FACTORY

Prices being paid for whole milk for cheese making purposes are based on the percentage of butter fat contained, and are shown on the table below:

Milk Testing	Price of Milk 100 Lbs	Price of Milk Per Cwt
4.0	$2.32	18.92c
4.1	2.38	19.43c
4.2	2.31	19.96c
4.3	2.37	20.38c
4.4	2.43	20.81c
4.5	2.48	21.32c
4.6	2.53	21.76c
4.7	2.58	22.17c
4.8	2.64	22.70c
4.9	2.70	23.23c
5.0	2.75	23.66c
5.1	2.81	24.18c
5.2	2.86	24.60c
5.3	2.92	25.11c
5.4	2.97	25.55c
5.5	3.03	26.06c
5.6	3.08	26.50c
5.7	3.14	27.01c
5.8	3.19	27.45c
5.9	3.25	27.96c
6.0	3.30	28.38c
6.1	3.36	28.90c
6.2	3.41	29.33c
6.3	3.47	29.84c
6.4	3.52	30.26c

Wichita Falls and Dallas Poloists Will Play Here Today and Sunday

Reds Defeat Blues In Close Match, 5 to 4 In Start of Three-Game Series Of Two Fours Here

Wichita Falls and Dallas polo teams will meet here today and Sunday in tune-up games for the state championship tournament to be played in February at San Antonio. The games here will be played at Call field and will start at 2:30 o'clock.

C. H. Featherston, Horace Robbins, Capt. Charles Boyle and Lieut. E. C. Barton of Fort Sill, Okla., will comprise the Wichita Falls four. Jim Minnick, Cecil Atkins, Henry Beck and Dudley Mayer will make up the Dallas team.

There will be no admission charge for the contests.

Teams composed of players here engaged in a game yesterday, the Reds, captained by Featherston, defeating the Blues, led by Robbins, in a closely contested match of six chukkers. The score was 5 to 4.

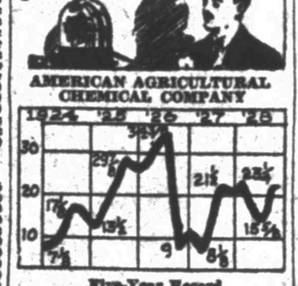
They were playing for individual cups offered by Featherston, and the same team will meet again Friday, Jan. 4, in another contest, for which trophies have been donated by the several special agents of the Robbins company.

In the event the Blues capture the next match, a third and decisive game will be played, with John Fastnow offering another set of silver. Yesterday's lineups:

REDS (5)		BLUES (4)
Jack Fletcher	4	Jim Minnick
Huber Stringer	3	John Barnard Jr.
Horace Robbins	2	Cecil Atkins
Featherston	1	John Story

SIMPSON STOPS KELLY

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 27. (AP)—Johnny Simpson of San Antonio, technically knocked out Spike Kelly of Chicago, in the fifth round of a scheduled 10-round bout here tonight. Simpson weighed 151 and Kelly 150.



Five-Year Record

The American Agricultural Chemical company is engaged in the manufacture of chemical fertilizers, glue, gelatine, bone black and allied products. The corporation owns and operates 26 manufacturing plants in states extending from New Hampshire to Florida and Cuba. It also owns mining plants in North Carolina, Tennessee, Florida and Vermont and maintains offices in 20 large cities. It has large supplies of phosphate in Florida. The company has 37 subsidiaries.

The company's profits have fluctuated with the fertilizer industry in which it is one of the chief factors. They have followed to some extent the prosperity of the cotton districts although a large portion of products are sold outside that area. Good earnings were made during the war and including 1920. For the year ended June 30, 1928 net was $3,287,681 or $2.74 a share, as compared with a deficit of $1,924,128 the previous year.

Funded debt totals $9,834,500 not including $762,000 owed by the company. Capital stock outstanding consists of $28,455,200 in 6 per cent cumulative non-redeemable preferred of $100 par and $33,322,126 in common shares of $100 par. Preferred has equal voting power with the common. No dividends have been paid on either the preferred or common since April 15, 1921, accumulated dividends on the preferred totaling $45 a share.

As of June 30, 1928 total current assets were $28,536,990, current liabilities $1,351,013 and net working capital $24,185,917. Book value applicable to the common stock amounted to $4,211,104 or $12.64 a share after allowing for accumulated and unpaid dividends.

(Copyright, 1928, by Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Baer Facts

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER
(Copyright, 1928, by Universal Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A New York lady of the superior sex bought one of those bargain automobiles last week.

After driving it around the town pump it developed axle canaries, transmission twitterings and a body squeak like an old accordion.

She trundled it back to the dealer and offered to trade it in for a one-passenger radio set.

The dealer was wearing a high hat like a country stove pipe. He put the double chill on her.

She got a severe attack of revenge and decorated the car with festoons of lemons and mistletoe.

Then she parked the car outside of the dealer's garage. Which was all right because there is no law against parking.

Provided you can find the space.

On the car was a big sign, "My $2,000 lemon."

For that price it should have been a grapefruit.

The dealer asked the police to compel the beautiful grouch to unpark herself.

She defied the police, the firemen and subsidiary organizations.

The dealer appealed to a judge and the magistrate asked the dealer where the lady was parking.

The dealer showed him the spot and the judge stole the parking space.

In the meantime the fair individual continues to drive her car past the dealer's garage with the lemon placard taking the place of her 1929 license plates.

The only way to stop her is to give her the $2,000 back. If we were that dealer we would give her $4,000 and ask her to stay away twice as much.

The best advertisement in the world is a satisfied customer.

The worst publicity in this brace of hemispheres is a satisfied customer who is satisfied that the dealer is a bum.

Bible to Be Banqueted By Aggie Ex-Students

FORT WORTH, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Fort Worth A. and M. ex-Students' association will give a farewell banquet for Dana Bible, Aggie coach, who will go to Nebraska, here soon. Plans for the affair, to be a state-wide event, were launched today. The date will be set at Bible's convenience.

Yale Is Mum on Report That Blue Meets Chicago

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 27. (AP)—No comment from Yale university authorities was available tonight on a report from Chicago that Yale's football team would play the University of Chicago at Stagg field, Chicago, in 1931.

CHARLEY DOOIN ARRESTED

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 27. (UP)—Charles ("Red") Dooin, former catcher for the New York Giants and later manager of the Philadelphia National league club, was held in $350 bail today on charges of reckless driving, disorderly conduct, driving while intoxicated and without a license. Dooin's car collided with that of Anthony Petrozzi, who arrested the former big league ball player.

TECH, BEARS RANKED EVEN

Little to Choose in New Year's Day Clash

By MARK KELLY

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27. (UB)—This football classic bobbing up just over the horizon between Georgia Tech and California university is, after all, East vs. West.

Georgia Tech represents eastern football, plays it, has it throughly ground into the mixture that makes up its offense, and under Coach Bill Alexander, handles itself exactly like a Dartmouth, Yale or Army gang.

Tech in Hard Drill

For two hours today at Patterson field the Yellow Jackets went through a rough, tough workout with the second string men trying out the California plays. Their handling of the ball was so ragged and sloppy that the California plays got nowhere. But when the regulars got possession they ripped and snorted all over the place.

Coach Alexander allowed the newspaper folks to peek at practice today. The gang got an eyeful of a wow of a defensive outfit and one that packs a mean punch in its drive. It was odd and rather unique to watch the quarterback squatback to the line with arms between his legs to take the ball from center and direct the play as he did. And it was an eye-opener to see that line charge as hard and as powerfully as any in the nation.

While all this was transpiring at Eagle Rock the Golden Bears were working out at Rose bowl and scrimmaging against the plays that Georgia uses.

Odds Are Even

The California reserves had much more success against the Bear varsity than did the Tech goofs. For one thing they managed to do little fumbling. For another they seem to have more of a line on Tech than Tech has on them.

At the outset California was an established favorite. Then when the reports started coming in from Tech the sentiment seemed to switch to the Jackets. Now it is again tampered with caution to such an extent that the two teams will doubtless take the field even up in gamboleering esteem. A flock of Tech money trickled into Los Angeles today with only even money asked. One local brokerage firm has $50,000 of Tech money to be covered.

The practice switches tomorrow. Rose bowl will house Tech and old Tournament park will be the scene of California's activities. The two teams alternate daily in the use of the field.

East and West Elevens Ready

Teams in Final Drills For Engagement Tomorrow

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27. (AP)—With heavy scrimmage over, coaches of the all-star teams which will meet here Saturday in the East-West charity football game, tuned up their starting elevens today.

A week's practice has claimed several victims for the injured list with the West and the biggest loser. When Coach Hollingbery lines up the Westerners Saturday, two aces will occupy non-playing roles.

Brick Marcus, former California halfback, smashed his left shoulder in scrimmage while Granucci, Santa Clara center, was hurt in an automobile accident. Granucci's elbow was cut and bruised but he may get into the game. Marcus is definitely out.

Morton Kaer, former University of Southern California all-American quarterback, was recruited to take Marcus' place.

The East numbered a casualty in Mitchell, Bucknell, center, who injured an ankle during scrimmage. It was not serious, however, and Coach Andy Kerr expects to have him ready for play by Saturday.

Official starting lineups have not been announced, but close observation indicates the opening kick-off will find the men posted as follows:

EAST

Hayeraft, Minnesota, left end.
Nowack, Illinois, left tackle.
Gibson, Minnesota, left guard.
Aschman, W. & J., center.
Fox, Pittsburgh, right guard.
Getto, Pittsburgh, right tackle.
Johnson, Northwestern, right end.
Harpster, Carnegie Tech., quarter.
Weston, Boston college, left half.
Howell, Nebraska, right half.
Holmer, Northwestern, fullback.

WEST

Franklin, St. Mary's, left end.
Drosnell, Washington State, left tackle.
Diehl, Idaho, left guard.
Fawcett, West Coast Army, center.
Rebosky, Stanford, right guard.
Tobin, St. Mary's, right tackle.
Ford, Olympic club, right end.
Allen, Olympic club, quarter.
Sims, Stanford, left half.
Walker, Texas Tech, right half.
Hoffman, Stanford, fullback.

Two radio hook-ups will be used to describe the game, both on the Pacific coast and nationally. The Hearst Radio service will use the Columbia system for a national broadcast, and the American Broadcasting company's facilities on the coast. The station KPO also will broadcast the game on the coast.

IT'S THE 'BUNK'

Stagg Says Selecting of All-American Teams Is an Absurdity

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Coach Amos Alonzo Stagg of the University of Chicago reached New Orleans today to attend the annual meeting of the National Association of Football Coaches, with the opinion that selection of an all-American team is an "absurdity."

"How can anyone do it?" he asked. "Why, it takes a football coach in intimate contact with his men two or three weeks and sometimes longer to know which is the best player on his own team for a certain position.

"So how can a so-called football expert, who has to pick from the entire United States, know which man in the country is the best for a particular position? It can't be done."

Sharkey Will Fight Stribling Down in Miami, Runyon Says

Jack Won't Pass Up Important Money and Chance to Meet Dempsey, Is Opinion of Damon

Sharkey Signs for Battle

BOSTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—Jack Sharkey, Boston's seafaring heavyweight boxer, today signed to meet Young Stribling of Macon, Ga., at Miami, Fla., on Feb. 26, 1929, in a bout to be staged by Tex Rickard. Johnny Buckley, who handles Sharkey's affairs, made the announcement and said that the Boston tar had been given a guarantee of $100,000 with a privilege of 25 per cent of the gate receipts.

By DAMON RUNYON
(Copyright, 1928, by Universal Service, Inc.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The king of the cane brakes, otherwise Willie Stribling, of Georgia, and the terrible Sharkey man, of Newton, Mass., will be in there pulling and hauling on Miami shore late in February, and you may lay to that, as the ancient mariner says.

When George Tex Rickard, the pugilistic entrepreneur, gets a notion in his noggin with reference to the sour science, it is no use arguing with him. George Tex Rickard has promised Miami to give it a pugilistic presentation this winter, and having promised, he has turned his baleful orbs upon the one heavyweight match that stands out as what you might call a de luxe proposition.

That is the match between the king of the cane brakes and the terrible Sharkey man. George Tex Rickard says it will draw $500,000 in Miami, and only one bad guess is charged to George Tex Rickard in his long promotorial career. That was his lamentable guess concerning the Messrs. Tunney and Heeney.

As an inducement to the participants in the battle of Miami shore, George Tex Rickard will offer them more money than either could get fighting any other man in the country with one exception, and that exception is to meet the winner of the Miami matter. I refer, of course, to William Harrison Dempsey, the illustrious Manassa man mauler.

Jack May Referee

He will probably referee the battle of Miami shore. He has already agreed with George Tex Rickard to fight the winner in New York in June, an incident which I believe will at last close out the career of the old mauler for more reasons than one.

Now a fight with Dempsey will mean at least $250,000 to his opponent, even though said opponent loses. It is a sure thing that Dempsey will draw over $1,000,000 in his next appearance. And as the general idea of the sour science is to get the money, any gladiator in the business would be tickled to death to get in there with the mauler, if only to snatch the loser's end.

As a matter of fact, all the headline heavies of the moment are laying back dodging tough opponents with the idea that the Dempsey financial lightning may strike them. They all want to meet rubbery-blubbery-blubbery John Risko, and then take Dempsey.

Even Willie Stribling, the king of the cane brakes, who is supposed to be willing to fight anybody, anywhere, any time, has manifested a strange reluctance to accept Joe Sekyra, the blonde Bohemian, as a Madison Square garden opponent, which may not be bad judgment, at that. Sekyra has become a mighty tough hombre after a little seasoning out in the tall sassafras.

They Like Johnny

The boys don't mind fighting rubbery-blubbery John because he is wide open, and can't hit. Some of them are quite willing to take Senor Oscray-Umbray, the beezark of the basque. In the belief that he has slowed down to a mild canter. But in the main, rubbery-blubbery John is the popular choice.

I was talking to the pudgy Jawn Buckley, ostensible manager of the terrible Sharkey man in Boston not long ago, and he snorted with some indignation at George Tex Rickard's plan. He gave me the impression that if anybody met the king of the cane brakes, it wouldn't be the terrible Sharkey man.

But Jawn Buckley at that time wasn't informed of certain facts particularly the fact that George Tex Rickard has that agreement with the Manassa man mauler. If Rickard should insert Senor Oscray Umbay as opponent to the king of the cane brakes, the terrible Sharkey man would again be sidetracked, and perhaps lose the opportunity of being recognized as the heavyweight champion of the world.

For I am inclined to believe that the next man who meets Dempsey will beat him, and I am quite sure that the man who beats Dempsey will be regarded as heavyweight champion of the world until the inevitable return of Gene Tunney.

Yes, I still think Tunney will return. For that opinion I have no more evidence or argument than I had for the opinion that Dempsey would make another try, an opinion that was scouted by one and all for months, but which is now accepted as a fact.

Consider this, then:

The terrible Sharkey man can get more money on a flat guarantee, if he demands it, for fighting the king of the cane brakes in Miami, than he can get for fighting two or three other opponents equally tough.

And if he can beat Stribling, he gets the Dempsey match, and a fortune. The terrible Sharkey man has taken far greater chances for a lot less, and I doubt that he is foolish enough to pass up this grand opportunity.

He took on Harry Wills and George Godfrey when no other white heavyweight of any importance would meet them. If he will consult the record of the king of the cane brakes, he will discover that there are no Willses, or Godfreys therein, and you can't go behind the record.

Off his flattening of poor Johnny Squires in Madison Square Garden, Stribling has gone 10 rounds with such as Frankie Wine and Harry Fay. They would scarcely be rated opponents for the terrible Sharkey man. I refuse to consider some of the anonymous loogans Stribling has been belting out down in the cane brakes.

Sharkey Looks Good

I saw the terrible Sharkey man lick Signor Arturo de Kuh, the leaning tower of Italy, in Boston not long ago, and I thought Sharkey looked good in view of a layoff of months with a bad knee.

His judgment of distance was a little faulty, and he looked fat. But he boxed well, and aggressively against a dangerous man. You know Signor de Kuh is dangerous because he might fall on you, and he weighs over 200 pounds.

Sooner Leader



Frank Crider of Durant, Okla., a halfback, is captain-elect of the University of Oklahoma 1929 football team.

AMATEUR-PRO AIRING IS DUE

1929 to See Situation One Of Sport's Main Topics

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (AP)—Put down the amateur-professional situation among the main topics of sport to be well aired in 1929.

Swimming has drawn the latest recruit for the "pro" ranks in Johnny Weissmuller and there is hardly a sport now that isn't interested in some feature of the situation—either in making amateur competition safe for the amateurs, fixing the status of various well-known stars or in finding a clear dividing line between pro's and simon pures.

"I am getting to an age where I must look to the future and try to earn some money, something an athlete in constant training finds hard to do," says Weissmuller, the fastest human fish.

Joie Ray, after quite a few years of medal collecting, expressed somewhat similar sentiments recently when he forsook amateur ranks to go barnstorming for the gate receipts with El Ouafi, another footracer, to yield to commercial persuasion.

"I have a family to support and I must do something about it," commented Vincent Richards, in effect, about two years ago when he took the step into professional tennis, along with such other stars as Howard Kinsey, Mary K. Browne and Suzanne Lenglen.

The intimation was that Richards could do very little about it by playing amateur tennis virtually the year around, especially where the Davis cup campaign alone may now keep its participants engaged from April to August.

Thus there seems to be a freak agreement as to the basic reason for turning pro. Whatever the connecting causes or complications, it is a fact that the turn-over has been increasingly large in the past few years.

College stars such as Bruce Caldwell, Owen Carroll, Ernie Nevers and Benny Friedman had attractive offers awaiting them in professional baseball or football when they quit the campus life. Norman Ross, Ethelda Bleibtrey, Aileen Riggin, Gertrude Ederle and Helen Wainwright, among the swimming stars, have preceded Weissmuller.

Cue Champion Defends Title

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. (UP)—Billiard stars of the world will compete in New York city in an 18.2 balkline tournament starting Feb. 4, the National Billiard association announced today.

Edouard Horemans, the present champion of the world, will defend his title against leading exponents of the game from the United States, Belgium, France, Germany and Japan. There will be seven competitors for the diamond emblem and money prizes, in addition to the titleholder.

Morley Jennings Denies Bid From Texas Aggies

WACO, Texas, Dec. 27.—Morley Jennings, football coach at Baylor university here, denied today that he had considered an offer from A. and M. college of Texas officials to succeed Dana Xerxes Bible, who has accepted a contract with Nebraska. Jennings was in College Station yesterday.

BUFFS AFTER SNYDER AGAIN

Houston Opens Negotiation With Winning Manager

HOUSTON, Dec. 27. (UB)—Fred Ankenman, president of the Houston Baseball club, announced today that negotiations have been opened again to secure Frank Snyder as manager of the club for the coming season. Snyder resigned in a huff at the close of the Dixie series last fall. The Houston club won the series. It was reported at the time that Snyder was dissatisfied with the way in which the money was distributed.

Southwest-Texas Squads Are Set

Clubs Meet Tomorrow In Fort Worth Game

FORT WORTH, Dec. 27 (AP)—Two workouts Friday and the rival squads in the all-star football game here Saturday will be ready.

So, too, will be the fans, who become daily more interested in this clash between two all-star teams, one from the Southwest conference; one from the Texas conference and T. I. A. A.

Granted favorable weather, the Shriners benefit game should draw a large crowd.

Both Teams Drill

The Southwest conference team of 25, under Coaches Bell, Littlefield and James, and the Texas-T. I. A. A. group under Coaches Bridges and Anderson each went through two stiff drills today. Each squad devoted most of one drill to defensive tactics, particularly forward pass defense and the other to running of plays given to the teams Wednesday.

Each was re-enforced by a late arrival on the second day. Tommy Hughes, big Texas back, reported to the Southwest team and Ted Jeffries reported to Coach Bridges. The latter is a Centenary stalwart, rated particularly good on backing up the line.

Co-Captains Named

Co-captains were appointed in the minor conference camp Thursday. Claude Boyd, hard-hitting back from Howard Payne, was named backfield captain, and Al Sarafiny, big center from St. Edwards, was made leader of the line.

Bridges had his men working out behind closed gates at Louis J. Wortham field. The Southwest team has no barred gates and today was observed by a knot of 150 enthusiastics.

Officials were announced today. Bo McMillin, Kansas State Aggie coach, remembered as an all American in his Centre college days, will referee. The other three officials, Charles Reichenstein, Bill Boswell and Ziggy Sears are members of the Moslah Shrine.

Sunday Baseball Is Assured for Boston

BOSTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The Boston city council voted unanimously today to accept the Sunday sports measures recently passed by referendum during the state election. The act of the council will permit professional Sunday baseball in this city.

Sangor Resumes Work For Go With Morgan

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (UP)—Joey Sangor, Milwaukee junior lightweight, arrived here today to resume training for his title scrap against Tod Morgan at Milwaukee New Year's day.

Sangor, after being knocked out in two rounds by Armand Santiago, Monday announced his retirement from the ring, but was prevailed upon to go through with his contract for the Morgan bout.



THE reason we keep focusing attention on *Insurance* is: so you'll all be "sitting pretty"! Fire, Theft, Liability, Health, Accident, Collision... Soundest Indemnity! Our reputation is the reliability of our Companies.

"See us first!"

GREEVER, KEMP & MAER

INSURANCE

SURETY BONDS

879 Ninth St.
Ground Floor Perkins-Snider Bldg.
Telephones 6627 6656

Consult Your Insurance Agent as You Would Your Doctor or Lawyer

TEXAS SOLONS WILL BE BUSY

Vast Amount of Legislation Is Proposed

(Continued From Page One)

will be deferred until the regular 30-day special session. This usually is called to convene about 30 days after the two months regular session.

The coming legislature will be called upon to appropriate at least $43,613,787 from the state's general revenue fund—more than ever before.

This is the net recommendation of the state board of control, and represents a slicing down of requests from state departments and institutions totalling $64,284,840, the largest sum in the state's history Institutions and department grow with the state, which has just closed a prosperous biennium. The requests amount to new heights every biennium.

Highway legislation, of course, will be the main item of the general session. Following it closely in importance will be the prison reform laws. Some of them will call for centralization of the new scattered prison system in line with Governor Moody's ideas. There probably will be a bill to have cement for state highways manufactured by the state's convicts. Another may call for manufacture of automobile license plates by the prison system.

Water Rights Up

Legislation regulating water rights is almost certain to be introduced. It will echo the famous Brownwood case, which involved the priority of rights on the Colorado river, and caused a long standing controversy. It will echo, no doubt, the civil appellate court decision holding unconstitutional the present law providing for creation of water control and improvement districts. It would not be surprising to see proposed laws ironing out the kinks hindering huge districts as the Brazos river district, embracing 55 counties which is now in the process of organization.

An urgent subject of legislation will be the payment of justices of the peace in criminal cases. A recent ruling of the court of criminal appeals held the present fee system of paying justices unconstitutional, because their pay is dependent on a verdict of guilty in criminal cases. Some new way of payment will be sought. On the other hand, the legislature may try to overthrow the entire county and district fee system and substitute it with some other method of payment.

Oil Land Squabble

A mass of recent litigation concerning Texas university and state school lands, mostly in the West Texas oil area, is expected to call for new legislation.

New methods of financing the state highway system will be sought. Governor Moody will submit to the legislature the report of his 31-member highway advisory committee, which calls for adoption of a proposed constitutional amendment providing a state bond issue of not to exceed $225,000,000 at any one time. This bond issue would be retired primarily from taxes on motor traffic, including the money they have spent on roads now a part of the highway system.

Attempts at highway legislation are sure to provoke rights. Proponents of highway legislation have many different ideas. The Moody committee report was adopted by vote of 17 to 10. Some minority members of the committee are expected to present legislation of their own. The majority plan, in its present conception, is also opposed by several organizations. Differences also are expected to develop over the future state gasoline tax, now two cents. As high as five cents has been proposed.

Moody Undecided

Governor Moody has made known that he is not "wedded" to any particular plan of highway imporvement. He wants to see the legislature consider all plans offered and work out the best scheme possible. Policies and practices of the highway department at present, because of restrictions, are freely described as "haphazard." Roads are built as the money becomes available, both to the state and to localities. The result is a "patchwork" road system. Yet the highway department spends more than $20,000,000 a year.

All highway legislation was withdrawn in the 40th legislature because of wide divergence of plans for improvement. Thus the coming legislature will be faced with problems doubly insistent of solution because of delay.

Another subject of proposed legislation is stricter regulation of weights and measures, particularly as applied to gasoline. At a recent session of the state weights and measures inspectors, it was reported that Texas motorists in one year paid for more than $3,000,000 worth of gasoline withheld from them in short measurements. The state department of agriculture, which has supervision of weights and measures probably will sponsor remedial legislation.

10¢ Mission 20¢

Today and Saturday

JACK PADJAN

—in—

"Land of Lawless"

Chapter 4 "Mystery Rider" and Fable Comedy

MAJESTIC

LAST TIMES TODAY

Keith-Orpheum Interstate Vaudeville

BARGAIN MATINEE

50¢—1 to 2 p. m.—50¢

Dixie's Favorite Minstrel Man

Lasses White

in

"THE BLACKVILLE POLAR EXPEDITION"

Assisted by

SLIM VERMONT, JIMMY COCHRAN and GEO. LOWRY

Cameo Capers

A Potpourri of Melody, Song and Dance

W. H. Groh

And His Piano Hounds

Summers & Hunt

Musical Comedy Stars

in

"After the Ball"

On the Screen

"Prep and Pep"

Vodvil at 3:30, 7:00, 9:30

PRICES:

Lower Floor and First Balcony 75c

Second Balcony 50c

Starts Tomorrow

Billie Dove

in

"THE NIGHT WATCH"

Today { At the Theaters

MAJESTIC: Interstate vaudeville. On the screen: "Prep and Pep." Inkwell Imp cartoon. Paramount news.
STRAND: Margaret Mann in "Four Sons." Three vitaphone shorts. Pathe news.
OLYMPIC: Rin-Tin-Tin in "Land of the Silver Fox." Comedy. Fox news. On the stage: Honey Hank Harris in musical comedy.
MISSION: "Land of the Lawless." Comedy.
GEM: "Guardians of the Wild." Serial. Comedy.

Wonder what Longfellow would have thought a few years back if someone would have told him that early in 1929 his poem, "Evangeline" was to be made into a motion picture?

More wonder, too, why the director and producer pick a Mexican girl to play the part of "Evangeline"? If Evangeline was a Mexican, then the writer is a honey bear. If there are no French-Canadians or as the poem calls them "Acadians," why not use American girls for the part? With all the excellent French Canadian actresses today in Canada however, it seems odd that such a noted company as United Artists should obtrusively place this handsome Mexican in the leading role.

The current bulletin of the National Board of Review on pictures it has reviewed in the past week or two, tells us that "The Barker," "The Little Wildcat," "Spies," and "Linda" are good pictures "for the family audience including young people."

The first big musical production to reach the screen in the talkies and sound movies is expected to be Paramount's "The Cocoanuts" which will be started about Feb. 1. This was a New York success and Irving Berlin wrote the excellent music for it. A lavish production is promised.

Rites Held Thursday For Perry Alverson

Funeral services were held Thursday for Perry Alverson, 70, who died early Wednesday at his home, 1606 Fillmore street. Rev. E. F. Bohmfalk of the First Methodist church was in charge of the services which were held from the Merkle undertaking parlor. Burial was in Riverside cemetery.

Mr. Alverson for four years was head of the city sanitary department, and was active in the business and political life of the city until he became ill about two years ago.

The pallbearers were J. H. Patton, J. L. Mears, S. L. Harper, F. Hoover, W. H. Perdue and H. C. Surtzen.

FAMILY RELIEF MEET

The December meeting of the Family Relief association's general board, twice postponed, is scheduled for 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon in the chamber of the city council in the Memorial auditorium.

Drive out Henrietta road four miles for a one-fourth mile of thrills over the Joy Road or Ocean Wave. Children 5 cents, adults 10 cents.—Adv.

STRAND

NOW SHOWING

You'll Hear great music by Roxy's 110-piece orchestra.

You'll See a picture that will dig deep into your heart — a

MOVIETONE Presentation

FOUR SONS

Combining

The Genius of All NATIONS

Feature at 1, 3:15, 5:30, 7:45, 10

3 BIG ACTS VITAPHONE VAUDEVILLE

$25,000 ASKED IN SUIT HERE

Slander Alleged in Claim By Wichitan

Alleging the circulation of false and slanderous reports, A. L. Fournoy Thursday afternoon filed suit for $25,000 damages against J. L. Story, his former employer.

The petition, filed with Miss Eunice Jackson, district clerk, sets forth that the defendant injured the credit of Mr. Flournoy by asserting to residents of Wichita Falls that he had letters written by the young man to a woman which he planned to expose. The petition further alleges that Mr. Story wrote letters to Oklahoma photographers and to photographers in Houston and Dallas, stating that the Mr. Flournoy had misappropriated $500. All of these statements were false and were inspired by malice, the plaintiff declares.

According to the petition, Mr. Flournoy first went to work in the photography studio of Mr. Story in 1922. He worked there two years, he states, then went into business for himself. After three years, he was invited to go back into the Story studio.

The petitioner asks $10,000 actual damages and $15,000 exemplary damages. The plaintiff is represented by Taylor, Muse and Taylor, and Mathis and Caldwell, attorneys.

Funeral Rites Friday For T. N. Harding

Funeral services for T. N. Harding, 35, who died at his home, 210 Bluff street, Wednesday night, will be held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Grant Street Methodist Episcopal church with Rev. E. F. McGaughey officiating, assisted by Rev. W. B. Walker.

Interment will be in Rosemont cemetery. J. H. Wyman, W. H. Black, Joe Counts, E. W. Reed, Ben Baker and L. G. Childs will act as pallbearers.

Mr. Harding is survived by his wife and two children.

U. S.-CANADA PARLEY

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 27 (AP)—Government representatives of the United States and Canada will meet here Monday, Jan. 7, to discuss steps for the control of commercial smuggling, the department of external affairs announced today.

Wichita Falls

Folks, Facts, Fancies

Back From New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Duncan and family of 1911 Seventh street, have returned from Albuquerque, N. M., where they spent the Christmas holidays with relatives.

Kiels Improving

Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Kiel and O. B. Kiel Jr., are all recovering from an attack of influenza. Dr. Kiel is able to go to his office, Mrs. Kiel is convalescent, and the baby, 18 months old, is much improved.

With the Flu Victims

Sam Spence is recovering from a serious attack of influenza.

Judge R. V. Gwinn is convalescing from the flu.

Dick Morris is reported ill with the flu at his home.

W. W. Belcher, who has been quite ill with influenza, is reported improving.

George Garrett is ill at his home with an attack of the flu.

Frank Morgan, who has been confined to his home with the influenza, is reported convalescing.

J. B. Scarbrough is ill with an attack of influenza at his home.

10¢ GEM 15¢

Today and Saturday

JACK PERRIN

—in—

"Guardians of the Wilds"

Chapter 3 "Pirates of the Pines" and Comedy

INVENTORY TIME

We Have the Blanks and Binders

Check your needs for transfer cases and filing supplies; ledgers, ledger leaves, journals, records books, etc.

Our stock is complete and we will gladly help you select your requirements.

WESTERN OFFICE SUPPLY CO.

Phone 2-2733 711 Scott Avenue

REWARD UP IN WRECK INQUIRY

Disgruntled Employes Are Blamed for Derailment

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif., Dec. 27. (UP)—Spurred on by a $1,000 reward offer, deputy sheriffs and special detectives tonight were attempting to pick up the trail of wreckers responsible for the derailment early today of the Missionary, crack Santa Fe railway train.

The wreck occurred at Hesperia, 35 miles north of here, and Mrs. M. J. MacKie, wife of the assistant general manager of the railroad, and W. H. Burbage, attorney for the line, were injured seriously.

W. K. Etter, general manager of the Santa Fe, announced the reward in Los Angeles.

Authorities were convinced that a petty grievance against the railroad led to the wreck, which endangered the lives of 178 eastbound passengers. It was known generally that the MacKie special car was attached to the Missionary, and officers believe some former employe hoped to do injury to the railroad official.

Deputies from the sheriff's office said the work of removing spikes and angle connections had been done with such skill that no danger signal resulted. Therefore, it was assumed that former railroad workers were responsible.

Among those who received minor hurts were Charles Kraus, Elizabeth, N. J., and David S. Flax, San Antonio, Texas. Other passengers escaped injury, although three of the seven coaches that left the track overturned.

Vaudeville Bill Offers Variety

Minstrel Show Takes First Honors

By The Record News Critic

There's a show at the Majestic that has a lot better vaudeville in it than usual. Added to that, it is varied.

Lasses White in "The Blackville Polar Exposition" presents a cross between a one-act play in the arctic and a minstrel show. He and his three assistants, Jimmy Cochran, George Lowry and Slim Vermont, do good work, their best being a novelty vocal quartet.

The second act on the bill also won the approval of the audience with Estelle Hunt and Sam Summers in a comedy skit "After the Ball."

Other folks said that they liked Cameo Capers, a watch fob edition of musical comedy. This act is good, clean and fast. It includes a variety of music and dance and is spiced up with clarinet, banjo and saxophone music.

W. H. Groh and his Piano Hounds formed the other act. It was well received. The feature film is "Prep and Pep" and is O. K.

Archbishop Lang Is Better After Illness

LONDON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, new archbishop of Canterbury, is reported today to have made satisfactory progress in recovery from his illness.

Kiss Slayer Enters On Term at Sing Sing

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 (INS)—Vincent Rice, 17, Staten Island "kiss slayer" was taken to Sing Sing today to start serving his sentence of from 20 years to life for the murder of his sweetheart, Alice Joost, 15.

TRIAL CONTINUED

DALLAS, Dec. 27. (AP)—Trial of Ben Aldridge, 24, and Lee Roy Merriman, 28, each under two indictments charging criminal assault and three alleging robbery, was continued today by order of District Judge Adams until Jan. 14.

JAP DIET MEETS

TOKIO, Dec. 27. (UP)—Emperor Hirohito convoked the 56th imperial diet formally today and read his message from the throne. The message required but three minutes. Police frustrated the sixth attempt of the year of a citizen to appeal to the emperor on the streets in reference to civil problems. A man who attempted to reach the emperor was arrested.

PIG CROP SMALLER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (AP)—The department of agriculture today reported a decrease of about 5 per cent in the total fall pig crop of 1928 from the fall crop last year. Decrease in the 11 corn belt states was only about 1½ per cent but large decreases were shown in the southern states.

Woman, 43, Weds Man, 83 After Court Annuls Ties

Amid Official Congratulations Groom Buys Seventh License

Within ten minutes after her suit for the annulment of a former marriage was granted Thursday afternoon, a woman, 43, and her fiance of 83 stood together while O. L. Gibbs, justice of the peace, pronounced them man and wife.

The pair were surrounded by some 20 courthouse officials who all day Thursday followed their fortunes from the 78th district court room, where the annulment was granted, through a brief pause at the office of the county clerk, where the license was obtained, and then down to the basement where Justice Gibbs was waiting for them. The whole procedure, from the filing of the annulment suit to the final congratulation, required only a few hours.

The prospective gridegroom waited silently outside the court while the bride gave her testimony in the suit. She wore her bridal garments on the witness stand. Surrounded by friends and courthouse well-wishers, she took her turn at waiting while the groom secured the license from Miss Elizabeth Hall, county clerk.

"This is the seventh one of these licenses I've bought," he confided while the names were being inscribed. "The last one was two years ago. Only two of my former wives have died."

The groom is a veteran of the civil war, having fought with the union army in 1864.

"I'm lonely and she's lonely, so we decided to take care of each other," he went on. "I don't want to live in the old soldier's home. I've got a good home and she's got some rent houses. We'll look after each other."

The bride will bring a 13-year-old son to the family, he said, the youngest child of either parent. His own children are all grown, and she has married daughters.

They were the first of a series of three couples, more than usually mature, who were married at the courthouse Thursday afternoon. One groom gave his age as 55 and that of his bride as 28. The age of the third bride was registered as 45 years, and that of the groom as 54.

WHY HE STUMBLED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—A protruding shoe nail caused him to stagger, Tony Williams explained to Police Judge Schuldt today. The judge expressed sympathy and told Williams the fine would only be $10.

140 MILLIONS IN TAX REBATE

Erroneous Returns Entitle Payers to Money

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. (UP)—The treasury department played the part of a belated Santa Claus today and reported to congress the return of $142,393,500 in tax refunds.

More than 168,500 claims, made necessary by erroneous returns, assessments and legal decisions, were approved by the department for the fiscal year ending June 30.

The largest refund—$6,213,808—was dropped into the stocking of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

The American Tobacco company, which pays taxes in New York, received $4,271,290.

Seven other refunds of more than a million dollars were approved by the department. They include the Federal Ship Building company of Kearney, N. J., $3,654,239; Swift & Co., Chicago, $1,496,000; estate of Margaret O. Sage, New York, $1,618,000; The Texas company, Houston, $1,336,500; estate of Verner Z. Reed, Denver, $1,222,000; United Fuel Gas company, Charleston, W. Va., $1,235,900; estate of Peter Brooks, Boston, $1,368,800.

Bandit Killed in Store After Holdup

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. (UP)—An unidentified bandit was shot and killed and a policeman was wounded seriously today in a gun battle which caused a panic among customers and employes in a furniture store. The shooting started when police trailed the bandit to the store after a hold-up a few blocks away.

COUNTESS IN TROUBLE

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 27. (UP)—Pearl Hussey Flannigan—Countess Taurine—encountered more trouble today when George H. Siedhoff, local hotel owner, swore to a warrant charging C. F. Faye, the countess' manager, with passing bad checks in his hotel.

RECEIVED AT FEZ

RABAT, Morocco, Dec. 27. (UP)—President General Theodore Steeg of Morocco, paid a state visit to Fez yesterday and was received by local authorities.

APPLES

$1 per bushel

Hard and Firm

Same apples produce men are trying to sell for $2.50.

Three cars of Washington boxed apples, delicious Winesaps, Jonathans and Roman beauties.

ALL EXTRA FANCY

We will sell them to you for $1.00 to $2.00 per box. Less than produce men can buy them.

Special Sale All This Week

Spuds $1.40 Per Hundred

Fresh Car of Oranges $1.00 Off On Box

Fresh Car Extra Large Roman Beauty Apples — HALF PRICE.

1001 OHIO

STARTS TODAY

OLYMPIC

On the Stage

HONEY (HANK) HARRIS And His Honey Girls

MUSICAL COMEDY CO.

Presenting

"LITTLE MISS BRIGHT EYES"

A bill that will please the kiddies as well as the grown-ups.



ON THE SCREEN

RIN-TIN-TIN

in

"LAND OF THE SILVER FOX"

With Leila Hyams and John Miljan

Also Felix the Cat and News

Vodvil at 3:30, 7:30, 9:30

Site Selected for Opening Of New Music Conservatory Here

Miss Greathouse to Launch Enterprise Jan. 1; Building in Heart of Residence Section

Plans for opening the Wichita Falls Conservatory of Music on Jan. 1, under the direction of Miss Dorothy Greathouse, famous prima donna soprano, late of Chicago, were completed when the studio site was selected and the board of directors chosen. Some of the most prominent citizens of Wichita Falls and West Texas comprise this directorate which will be announced in a few days, it was said. W. B. Hamilton is chairman of the board. The conservatory will be located at Tenth and Brook streets in the heart of the residential district. The building is the former home of L. P. Hammond, Wichita Falls oil man and ranch owner, and is said to be especially suitable for the needs of the conservatory both in location and arrangement.

Miss Greathouse, a girl of the Southwest, decided to come to Texas after singing at the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Fort Worth, and after receiving letters inviting her to locate in the state from Governor Moody; S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent; A. M. Bourland, president and Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; W. B. Hamilton of Wichita Falls and others.

After concertizing throughout the state and making a survey along musical lines in certain cities and sections, Miss Greathouse chose Wichita Falls and it is her ambition to make the conservatopy one of the leading institutions of the kind of the Southwest, she recently declared. As the occasion demands, the conservatory will be added to and ample provisions will be made for out of town students. Miss Greathouse will be assisted by Miss Katheryn Orr, well-known pianist. Other artists will be secured until a complete faculty has been retained.

Following the announcement that the conservatory would be located here, Miss Greathouse has received many inquiries from various sections of this state and surrounding states, indicating widespread interest created by the school.

She is expected in Wichita Falls within the next few days to complete arrangements for the opening of the conservatory. Thursday night she was concert soloist in the production of the "Messiah" at Paris, and was soloist Sunday for the same production by the Goodfellows of Fort Worth in their annual benefit performance.

FIVE HELD IN ROBBERY HERE

Police Arrest Two More In Drug Store Raid

Investigation following two additional arrests Thursday evening is expected to lead to the final solution of all the circumstances surrounding the holdup of the Spoonts Drug store No. 1 Tuesday night.

Arrest of the two new men, being held for investigation, brings the total now held in connection with the robbery to five. Joe Ireland and Freddy Holster, arrested early Wednesday morning, are already under charges of robbery with firearms. Another man, an escaped convict, arrested in the same rooming house, is still under investigation.

Two unmasked men took $50 and various articles of value from the store after forcing two clerks and four patrons to lie on the floor.

Drug Store Damaged In $1,200 Fire Here

Grass fires which set a season's record with 11 on Wednesday again kept the fire department busy Thursday when 10 runs of this kind were made. A fire in the Haley No. 2 drug store in the Marchman hotel building caused $1,200 damage early Thursday. Practically all of the loss was from smoke as the flames made little headway.

CITY LOANS

Dwelling and business property small monthly payments low interest rate. Prompt service.

Phone 4898

O. W. HARVEY

POISON FIEND SEEKS MODEL

Secret Formula Object Of Murderous Intruder

NEW, YORK, Dec. 27. (US)—A spy—a secret formula—a poison draught—murder!

All the thrills and horrors of a mystery story of international intrigue occurred in real life today. Not in some faraway kingdom, but here in New York.

The scene was the Guggenheim Brothers' laboratories where science works out its secrets.

In the early morning hours a man entered the laboratories seeking, police believe, a secret formula for treating copper, and when he left the guardian of the laboratories lay dead.

Poison—potassium cyanide—had been put in his coffee because he knew who the intruder was. He died with his murderer watching his last agonies.

The victim was Henry W. Gaw, 29, a laboratory assistant.

The company's secret files had been tampered with, whether the copper formula had been stolen could not be learned until officials made a thorough checkup.

Meanwhile, police began a hunt for a former employe who was reognized by two men who delivered a truck load of tear gas early this morning.

These men were bound and gagged by the slayer and one of them was knocked unconscious.

The murderer, probably the tool of some interests anxious to obtain the formula, then took $24 from one of his victims and $20 from a cash drawer in an effort to make robbery appear the motive.

The police were told that six months ago the laboratories were entered by persons believed to be seeking the formula.

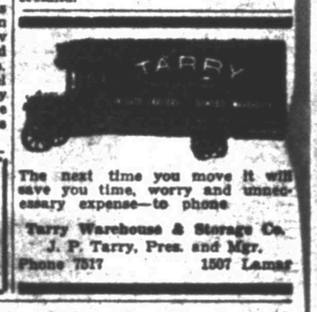
Last Rites Friday For R. J. Waldron

A requiem high mass will be sung by Father Patrick J. F. O'Beirne at the Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock Friday morning by Richard J. Waldron, 66, of New York who died here Wednesday.

Pallbearers will be Clem J. Gallagher, John C. Coffey, C. K. Walsh, T. M. Colligan and C. B. King.

The body will be accompanied to New York on the afternoon Katy train by Mrs. Elizabeth Waldron, wife of the deceased, and by W. F. Brainard, her son-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldron were visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Brainard, 2004 Jones, when he became ill about a week ago. Survivors besides Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. Brainard include a brother, Patrick of New York, and a brother and three sisters who live in Ireland.



The next time you move it will save you time, worry and unnecessary expense—to phone

Tarry Warehouse & Storage Co.

J. P. Tarry, Pres. and Mgr.

Phone 7517 1507 Lamar



ANY cold can mean the flu; *the surest way to avoid flu is to avoid colds.* At the first sign of a cold, take Bayer Aspirin. And at any sign of sore throat, gargle with Bayer Aspirin. It is the most reliable form of relief, and a real safeguard. There is not the slightest harm in free use of this wonderful antidote for colds, neuralgia, headaches, and other pain. Just look for Bayer on the package. That name is important. *There is only one genuine Aspirin.* It has medical endorsement. It comes with proven directions. Learn the many uses of Bayer Aspirin and avoid much needless suffering.

BAYER ASPIRIN

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid