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TOM SHOOK JURY STRIVES FOR VERDICT

Renewed Blizzard Brings Winter's Low Temperature To Area

Home Town Talk

By B. D. D.

Mutterings of independence come from a meeting of automobile dealers of Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma.

Between the upper millstone of the manufacturers' requirements in the matter of quotas of cars and the nether millstone of the purchaser's trade-in the auto dealer feels that he has been ground too fine—so fine that his assets at the close of the year have too often been a lot full of unsalable used cars.

It does seem strange that for the key men—the dealers who sell the cars and give the service—there has been so little prosperity in the country's biggest industry.

Too often the dealer's profits are represented in used cars. Sometimes that's where his assets have gone. Too often these are unsalable.

In nine cases out of ten the dealer must sell two cars to have any profit in the car he sells you; first he must sell you the new car and then sell the used car you have traded in and sometimes there is a third car to be sold—the car that's been traded in on the car you have traded in.

And then it isn't the dealer who determines how many cars he shall stock for the season. Somebody up in Detroit or some other center equally distant takes the prerogative of doing that, maybe, upon the theory that the farther away a man is the more he knows about local conditions.

Is is any wonder that dealers are getting tired of having somebody else telling them how many new cars they must stock and somebody else telling them how much they must allow on a trade-in?

Changed conditions have made the reputable dealer a more important factor than was the case formerly. The time was when the manufacturer had a sort of take it or leave it attitude. But manufacturers have at last found that isn't so profitable to be switching dealers continually and that a successful automobile dealer is a prize worth keeping on handling their cars; and that the successful dealer doesn't have any great trouble in finding another good line of cars to sell if the old line is taken away from him.

And why should a dealer allow you more for your old No. 348 than he can expect to sell it for, even after he has paid out some money for labor and materials to fix it up?

Of course, in the three or four years you have been driving old 348 you have become more or less attached to it; you understand its eccentricities better than anybody else ever can. The moment comes for parting and the old car assumes a value in your eyes that it had back in the freshness and vigor of its youth.

The big job is not to sell you the new car but to get you to accept a value on the old car that will permit the dealer to take it in and handle it at a profit.

Automobile dealers ought to make a decent profit. They must if they are to give the proper service to you as a car owner and they must if the automobile industry as a whole is to continue prosperous. The dealer end of the automobile industry is too important a factor and affects too many people not to have its measure of consideration and a position of respectable independence.

The Democratic state executive committee in Alabama votes to keep the name of Senator Tom Heflin off the primary ballot next year. Off or on any ticket Heflin would probably be re-elected in Alabama, but the action of the Democratic committee has made what was a probability seem like a certainty.

Of course, you have observed the politeness of the elevator boy in your building. Its a case of eventually, why not now.

Salvation Army lassies stand by the pots on the coldest day of the winter. Such fortitude would be worthy of recognition even if there were not 300 Christmas baskets to be filled for the needy of Wichita Falls.

Pals are coming forward to help Santa Claus provide Christmas cheer for the 100 neediest families in Wichita Falls. There are a number of families that have not yet been assigned to some pal. You can find out what you want to know about them by calling Mrs. McHam of the family relief association. Her number is 2-2183.

Our congratulations to Miss Minnie Baker and the pupils of the Zundelowitz High school on the excellent cantata given by that school Tuesday night under the direction of Miss Baker. That was a program of real enjoyment and was a creditable exhibition of what is being done in the way of musical training in our schools.

Twenty years ago little attention was given to education in music in the public schools. Now there is hardly a school that does not give some musical training. Appreciation of music opens up a much wider and more beautiful world to every child fortunate enough to enjoy it.

Our enjoyment of the program at the Zundelowitz High school was the greater through the realization that during this week and next similar programs would be put on by scores of schools in this territory.

The other day we said something about the Christmas decorations in the downtown district of Wichita Falls. We would now urge a drive through the Country Club Estates any night between now and Christmas. There, the trees on almost every lawn and in the parkways are hung with brightly colored lights reminding us of the line: "Low hung with candle lights of Shade."

Named in Suit



Mrs. Henry H. Rogers, wife of the Standard Oil magnate, is named in a $750,000 suit filed by Edward E. Kern, Roger's former secretary, who charges a conspiracy to secure the divorce of Rogers from his first wife.

260 SAVED AS LINER SINKS

Fort Victoria Rammed By S. S. Algonquin

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (US)—A few minutes of cool-headed work in the worst fog New York has known in years saved 260 passengers from the Furness-Bermuda liner Fort Victoria which was rammed off Sandy Hook late this afternoon by the Clyde liner Algonquin.

In the midst of all this murk and confusion all the passengers of the Fort Victoria, which sank at 7:30 o'clock tonight, about three hours after the collision, were transferred safely to pilot boats. Not even an injury was reported by Capt. A. R. Francis of the Fort Victoria.

The Algonquin, a hole in her side above the water line, was able to make port under her own steam with all of her 190 passengers aboard. She was bound for Miami and Galveston.

Fortunately the sea was calm at the time of the collision. However, the fog had reduced the visibility to 25 feet and it was hazardous business transferring the passengers to life boats and thence to pilot boats which brought them back to shore.

Passengers were high in their praise of Captain Francis who personally superintended the taking of the passengers from the crippled ship.

With orderly precision, and without undue excitement, the passengers were taken into the lifeboats. Many of the passengers, who were bound for Bermuda, took their hand luggage with them.

The radio operator, together with Captain Francis and members of the crew stuck with the ship until it went down.

Mother and Two Babes Killed in Explosion

BOONVILLE, Mo., Dec. 18. (AP)—Victim of a coal oil explosion which also took the lives of her two babies, Mrs. W. O. Wineinger, 24, died here last night. The children, Betty, 2 years, and J. O., 9 months, died yesterday. Mrs. Wineinger was kindling a fire.

San Marcos to Get Government Airport

SAN MARCOS, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—The U. S. government will establish an emergency landing field here on its Brownsville-Fort Worth route, local chamber of commerce officials announced.

DISTRICT FEELS STRONG WIND OUT OF NORTH

Temperature Falls to 18 Degrees on New Blast Of Cold Wave

PANHANDLE CHILLED

Fresh Drop Threatens To Plunge Mercury To Lower Level

Wichita Falls snuggled into bed Wednesday night with the assurance of being greeted Thursday morning with another shattered low temperature record.

A new record for the season was on the books at 1 a. m. Thursday when the temperature reading was 18 degrees above zero, two degrees lower than the record set Wednesday morning. At the early morning hour the temperature had fallen three degrees in three hours, making almost any prediction for today's minimum a safe one.

General Cold Wave

Temperature records in neighboring towns likewise went spiraling Wednesday, the mercury at Vernon dropping to 20 degrees, and that at Clarendon, early in the day, reaching 15 degrees. At Quanah late Wednesday night the temperature was reported to be 18 degrees.

Other localities in this section of Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma were experiencing relatively higher temperatures, according to train dispatchers, and the heavy north wind of Tuesday had lessened somewhat in its intensity. But in Wichita Falls the wind appeared to be increasing.

The Fort Worth and Denver railroad dispatcher reported the following temperatures at 6 p. m. Wednesday: Fort Worth, 26; Decatur, 29; Bowie, 27; Vernon, 23.

31 at Stamford

The following temperatures were reported by the Wichita Valley dispatcher early Wednesday night: Abilene, 29; Stamford, 31, and Spur, 27.

The Katy dispatcher early Wednesday night reported the temperature at Woodward, Okla., to be 11 degrees, the lowest anywhere in this section of the country. The temperatura at Altus was given as 20 degrees.

Electra late Wednesday reported a temperature of 26 degrees, with a moderation in the intensity of the cold north wind. Henrietta early Wednesday night reported a temperature of 25 degrees.

A temperature of 8 degrees above zero was predicted for Lawton, Okla., Wednesday night, the mercury there having gone as low as 16 degrees Wednesday morning.

State Legion Head To Be at Burk Tonight

Special to The Record News

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Dec. 18—Ernest O. Cox, state commander of the American legion, will be the guest of the local post at its regular meeting Thursday evening, it was announced today. A special program for the reception of the commander has been arranged. A parade will march through the streets at 7:30 o'clock. An entertainment program and luncheon at the American Legion hall will follow. The committee in charge of the reception is composed of J. J. Jordan, post commander, and the following past commanders: D. J. Carey, S. B. Crissey, C. E. Dace, and Dr. W. P. Martin.

Tom Vernon Given Life For Wrecking Train

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18. (UP)—Tom Vernon, convicted five times previously, escaped death on the gallows today when he received two life term sentences for wrecking and robbing the Southern Pacific West Coast limited near Saugus last month. Superior Judge William Tell Aggeler characterized Vernon as an habitual criminal and ordered that he never be released from Folsom prison.

HOLBROOK IMPROVES

GALVESTON, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Senator T. J. Holbrook, who underwent a serious operation yesterday, was reported resting comfortably today. Senator Holbrook had just returned from a duck hunting trip.

Christmas Buyers See Man Slain

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (UP)—A shop lifter armed with a pistol terrorized a large department store here late today, killed one man and wounded two others before he escaped to the street only to be captured in the swirling crowds of Christmas shoppers.

The man, James Grant, was caught taking a pair of gloves from a counter of the Boston store, one of Chicago's largest department stores. Store detectives took him to the sixth floor to await arrival of police.

Grant suddenly whipped out his revolver and shot and killed Douglas Richardson, superintendent of a department. Still shooting, Grant dashed through the store while crowds of shoppers dodged behind counters to escape his bullets.

John Tomcannon, a clerk, was wounded by a flying bullet and Joseph Freeman, private detective, was shot in the hip when he attempted to give chase.

Grant, smoking revolver in hand, finally reached the ground floor and rushed out into the street to be engulfed in the unusually heavy throngs crowding State and Madison streets, "the world's busiest corner."

BONES SHOWN IN OZARK TRIAL

But Important Skull Piece Is Missing

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Ark., Dec. 18. (UP)—A skull bone did great destruction tonight to the state's charges that Connie Franklin was murdered.

The bone was not wielded by defense counsel in hacking state's witnesses, however, in the manner that Samson smote Philistines with the jawbone of an ass. It was employed with effect in the hands of a curiosity seeker.

This particular bone, said to have been a human skull, was supposed to be in a collection of bones found in an ash pile where Hubert Hester, Herman Greenway, Joe White and Bill Younger were alleged to have killed Connie Franklin, near St. James, on March 9.

When Dr. C. W. Garrison, head of the Arkansas health board went on the stand to testify, the bag on bones were piled on a table. But the principal one, the skull bone, blackened and burned, was missing.

Doctor Garrison testified that the charred skull was in the collection of bones which Sheriff Sam Johnson brought to him in Little Rock for identification a few weeks ago. He said he had examined it and was positive it was a human bone.

Sheriff Johnson then went on the stand and said that scores of curious people have examined the bones, since their discovery in September, and that some curiosity seeker must have taken the skull.

The bone was an important link in the state's case against the five accused of murder, since it was to have proved that a murder actually was committed.

A second bone in the collection, with a big tooth in it, played another big hand, in favor of the de-

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House Approves Hoover's Haiti Recommendations

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (US)—President Hoover's recommendation for a thorough probe into conditions in Haiti was approved by the house today. The Porter resolution providing for appointment by the president of a commission to visit Haiti and investigate the economic and political problems of the turbulent republic was adopted by a voice vote overwhelmingly.

BODY FOUND

OCEAN PARK, Calif., Dec. 18. (UP)—The body of a man, believed to be Harrington B. Munroe, of Beverly Hills, prominent Hollywood physician, was washed ashore in the surf today. Dr. Munroe disappeared from his home Tuesday after a long illness.

BLIZZARD HITS

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (US)—A northeastern blizzard beat over Chicago today.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Fair, continued cold Thursday; Friday, fair, slowly rising temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Fair, not quite so cold in north portion Thursday; Friday, fair, rising temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Fair, continued cold Thursday; Friday, fair, slowly rising temperature. Fresh northerly winds on the coast, diminishing.

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

Maximum temperature	38
Minimum temperature	20
Temperature at 5 p. m.	28
Precipitation, none.	
Clear.	
Northwest wind.	
Average wind velocity	6
Maximum wind velocity	15
Barometer	29.80

BEN ALDRIDGE DIES IN CHAIR FOR ATTACKS

Dallas Youth Calmly Surrenders Life for Crime He Confessed

FOLLOWS PARTNER

Roy Merriman Was Executed First for Assault On Highway

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Dec. 19. (Thursday)—After expressing the wish that his life might be the last taken by the electric chair in Texas, Bennie Aldridge, 26, died calmly in the state penitentiary execution chamber here early Thursday.

He was executed for his participation in the criminal assault of three Dallas girls.

Aldridge was the second man to pay with his life for the crime, Lee Roy Merriman having been executed the day after Thanksgiving. Both were arrested several days after the crime.

The girls were attacked by the men after they had been forced at the point of guns from their male companions on a highway near Dallas last winter.

With the philosophy of despair, Aldridge expected no earthly clemency as he prepared for death in the prison electric chair, but he clung to the hope that he "will make it into the better land."

The 26-year-old convicted participant in an assault on three Dallas girls, told that the insanity affidavit filed in his behalf by his wife at Dallas had not moved the judge to grant him a hearing, said slowly: "that's no more than I expected."

To Sheriff Hal Hood of Dallas, he declared his repentance in these words:

"I have made my peace with God and think I will make it into the better land."

Just as last Thanksgiving night was ending Aldridge saw his companion in crime, Lee Roy Merriman begin the death march.

The first grim reminder of the imminence of his own last walk came to him when a convict barber shaved his head. It is the first rite in the last performance of a condemned man and as it was about to begin Aldridge held up two crooked thumbs and there was a sardonic note in his voice.

"These crooked thumbs is how a state witness identified me," he said sadly.

MOODY REFERS PLEA TO JUDGE

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—The responsibility of staying the execution of Ben Aldridge of Dallas scheduled to die in the electric chair early tomorrow for criminal assault, rests with Judge Grover Adams of the Dallas county criminal court, Governor Moody wired Judge Adams to this effect late today.

"Your wire advising that affidavit has been filed in your court alleging that Aldridge is insane has been received," Governor Moody told Judge Adams. "Heretofore when such affidavits have been filed it has been the procedure for the district judge to enter an order restraining the execution of sentence until after the trial on the insanity affidavit. The responsibility of granting or denying a trial on the insanity affidavit rests with you. The defendant was sentenced in your court. Any order that you make respecting the sentence will be obeyed by the prison authorities."

Two Men Rob Kansas Bank and Escape

STAFFORD, Kan., Dec. 18. (AP)—Two well-dressed men today robbed the Farmers National bank here of $6,000 after locking seven persons, including three employes, in the vault. An hour later they apparently had made a clean get-away.

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Electra Woman Prepares Claim to $60,000,000 Estate Left by English Nobleman

Special to The Record News

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Della Lee Smith, 311 East Gibson avenue, this city, has revived her claim to title of her share of a vast English estate, said to amount to approximately $60,000,000, and has taken legal steps to establish her claim, it was learned here today.

Mrs. Smith is joined in the action by her sister, Mrs. I. G. Whitley, also of Electra. Some 10 other claimants to portions of the estate, all of whom reside in Texas and Oklahoma, may take steps to recover their share, it was indicated.

Rich English Estate

Mrs. Smith announced that she had retained C. P. Engelking, local attorney, to represent her in the establishment of her claim.

The estate in question, according to Mrs. Smith, is that of Lord George Sutton, said at one time to have been one of the wealthiest landowners in England. He died nearly a century ago. The estate passed on to several heirs, finally coming into the possession of the late Wesley Sutton, who though born in England, lived some years of his life in New York. Mrs. Smith, according to Mr. Engelking, claims she is a descendant of a brother of Wesley Sutton.

Wesley Sutton, it was said, returned to England from the United States about 1905, and died a bachelor. Shortly after his death a legal representative of the estate came to the United States in search of the vast fortune, but none was found. Other Suttons later came to this country from England, it is claimed.

North Texas Heirs

Other supposed heirs besides Mrs. Smith and her sister, include: R. W. Sutton, Knox City; Frank Sutton, Best; Charles Sutton, Waco; B. B. and H. C. Perry, Goldthwaite, Texas; Anna Bell Moss and Mrs. Lulu Williams, Fort Worth; George Moss, White Deer; Mrs. A. J. Tice, Maud, Okla.; and James B. Moss, Elmer, Okla.

The claim is an old one and has not been pushed recently, according to Mrs. Smith. Now, however, she said, attorneys both here, in Houston, and in London, England, are working on the case.

The fortune is said to be on deposit in the Bank of England, at London.

Texas Woman Sells Washington Letter for $525

LONDON, Dec. 18. (US)—Mrs. Washington Elam, of Denison, Texas, a descendant of Lawrence Washington, who was a nephew of George Washington, was the owner of an autograph letter of the first president of the United States which was sold for $525 at Sotheby's today.

This is the second day of an unusual auction of ancient books, manuscripts and autograph letters. Yesterday the sale brought a total of $30,000, with J. J. Audubon's "Birds of America" bringing the highest price. The sale today realized a total of $26,985.

The George Washington letter was addressed to George's brother, Col. Samuel Washington, and dealt with tenant properties. It was dated July 28, 1772. A letter by Napoleon, written while he was in exile on St. Helena, brought $500.

Plainview Host To West Texas Officials

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Officials from 14 West Texas counties met here today for the first semi-annual meeting of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners' association. State Senator Clint C. Small of Wellington addressed the meeting, advocating the creation of a state tax commission to equalize taxable values. He said a bill for such a commission probably would be offered at the next session of the legislature.

Druggist's Prescription Whisky Case Emptied

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 18. (UP)—Proprietors of a drug store here found a note on their door today saying "thank you," and an empty prescription whisky case. "It looked like preparations for a Christmas party," the manager of the store said, in announcing burglars had taken 72 pints of liquor and $325 worth of cigars and cigarets.

Non-Stop Flight Attempt Ends In Death of Fliers

TUNIS, Dec. 18. (UP)—Two crushed bodies and a broken plane in the arid mountain region of Zagheuan, Tunis, marked the end today of one of the most ambitious long distance flights ever attempted.

The bodies were those of Squadron Leader A. G. Jones-Williams and Flight Lieut. N. H. Jenkins of the British Royal Air forces, and the plane was one in which they hopped off from Cranwell airdrome near London yesterday morning on a projected non-stop flight to Capetown, South Africa.

The plane crashed into a mountain during a storm last night.

MINE CLEARED OF 59 VICTIMS

Rescue Workers End Search For Dead Men

M'ALESTER, Okla., Dec. 18. (AP)—The bodies of 59 miners, many seared and broken by the violence of the explosion which yesterday made a tomb of the Old Town Coal company mine here, and some the victims of after-damp; the poisonous gas which follows such a blast, taxed morgues here to the utmost tonight.

Weary rescue workers for a time continued the search for two bodies, at first believed to be buried in debris, and then were called out, leaving the mine deserted. Hugh Rice, owner and manager of the mine, announced that all men known to have been in the mine were accounted for.

Only five of the men who were in the workings when the explosion, apparently caused by a spark from a cutting machine, had survived; two having fled to safety before the onrushing billows of smoke and gas and three having been rescued from a chamber of the mine in which they had been imprisoned for hours.

The rescue work, which proceeded slowly in the gas-filled chambers, was not without its casualties. Bob Rutherford of McAlester, dis-

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Texan Killed as Car Strikes His Horse

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 18. (INS)—John L. Ingram, of Frost, died here today of injuries received when his horse was struck down by an automobile, throwing him to the pavement where he was run over by the machine. Mrs. Paul Kesinger, of Corsicana, was driving the automobile.

State Road Aid Given 19 Texas Counties

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—The state highway commission today allotted $1,120,119 aid on projects in 19 counties. The counties to participate in the division are Limestone, Matagorda, Brooks, Aransas, Guadalupe, Wharton, Waller, Hardin, Orange, Jefferson, McLennan, Falls, Sterling, Motley, Lubbock, Potter, Jones, Webb and Eastland.

Regulation of Bus Lines Is Advocated

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (US)—Federal regulation of interstate bus lines was advocated by Representative James S. Parker, Republican, of New York, chairman of the house interstate commerce committee in a conference with President Hoover today.

TRIAL CLOSES AFTER BRIEF TESTIMONIES

Arguments End at 8 p. m. And Jury Retires To Ponder Facts

SHUMATE ASSAILED

Motive for Confession Is Attacked by Defense Attorneys

By MARJORIE MATHIS
The Record News Staff

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 18.—After several hours of deliberation, a jury in the 30th district court here late Wednesday night had reached no decision as to the guilt or innocence of Tom Shook, former Electra police chief, charged as an accomplice in robbery with firearms in Electra after his retirement from office. The state has sought to prove largely through Henry Shumate's confession, that Shook and Ed Pryor, then constable at Electra, encouraged and commanded Shumate in the robbery of the Jefferson hotel in June, 1928.

The jury received the case at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening at the close of three hours of argument which followed only 20 minutes of the defense testimony. The trial, which attracted wide attention and was marked with unusual preliminary maneuvers, came to an abrupt close at 2:35 in the afternoon, when the defense rested after the introduction of the testimony of just two witnesses, only one of whom took the stand in person.

Arguments Limited

The preparation of the charge required little more than half an hour and Judge Allan D. Montgomery limited the arguments on each side to one hour and a half. Sam Spence, attorney, opened the arguments for the state, leaving Fred Weeks, special prosecutor, and the

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Henrietta Boy Seriously Hurt in Car Accident

Special to the Record News.

HENRIETTA, Texas, Dec. 18.—Wayne Robinson, 14-year-old son of Mrs. W. J. Robinson, who lives two miles east of here, was seriously injured in an automobile accident near his home late today. When the front wheel of the family automobile, on the fender of which he was riding, came off, young Robinson was thrown under the car, the rear wheel passing over his hips. The right hip was shattered. He was in a hospital here tonight, his injury regarded as serious.

Supreme Court to Review Suit Against Waco

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—Judgment of the district court and of the court of civil appeals in awarding $10,000 damages for personal injuries to Hazel Darnell against the city of Waco will be reviewed by the supreme court, which granted a writ of error today. The plaintiff alleged she was injured while riding in an automobile which collided with a stump in a street in Waco.

Calles Given Ovation At Mexico City Station

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—Former President Calles returned to Mexico City today after a five-months' absence to be greeted in the Colonia station by one of the most imposing receptions ever accorded here. Practically the entire Portes Gil cabinet and members of the senate and chamber of deputies were present along with all high ranking military officers in the federal district.

Hambone's Meditations



Suburban Day and Men's Night

Today is Suburban Day and as an added feature, the merchants will keep open house from 7:30 until 9:00 tonight that the men folks can do their holiday buying particularly of women's apparel unmolested. Many men want to buy gifts of this character and have not the time during the day or do they care to go into the stores where they are liable to meet the person for whom they are getting the gift. By keeping the stores open for the men Thursday evening, they can buy and inspect the splendid stocks of merchandise and receive the help and suggestions of the clerks in the stores, so a real Christmas buying service is being afforded men patrons on Suburban Day.

The Wichita Falls stores are laden with Christmas merchandise.

Out-of-town shoppers will be accorded every courtesy by the police department as far as parking is concerned.

If your home town merchant is unable to supply your needs, you are invited to Wichita Falls to complete your Christmas shopping.

Come, everybody will be ready to give you courteous and prompt service Thursday.

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Record News Cotton Table

For Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma

Ginnings in Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma Wednesday took the largest drop yet this season, many towns reporting a complete stop in activity and others showing greatly decreased output. Memphis, which reported daily averages of more than 250 bales last week, had fallen to 40 bales Wednesday and Frederick, second in the total ginnings for the season, reported no ginnings. Wichita county's five leading gins reported only five bales Wednesday. The season apparently is drawing rapidly to a close. Seed prices and middlings remained steady. The following reports were received from Record News correspondents:

	Range of Price	Wednesday's Cottonseed	Wednesday's Ginnings	Season's Ginnings
MEMPHIS	14.00 to 16.00*	$35	40	21,732
FREDERICK	12.00 to 14.00	31	0	14,484
CHILDRESS	16.00	33	47	13,944
QUANAH	13.50 to 16.00	34	1	11,337
ALTUS	14.00	31	14	10,361
VERNON	12.50 to 14.75	31	1	9,895
BURKBURNETT	14.00 to 15.00	30	0	6,620
HASKELL	14.75	25	19	5,686
ELECTRA	12.00 to 15.50	32	1	5,048
IOWA PARK	13.50 to 13.50	31	4	4,276
WICHITA FALLS	14.50 to 17.25	30	0	4,016
KEMP CITY	No Sales	29	0	2,148

*Premium for pound bales at Memphis.

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SHOOK FROLICS WITH HIS CHILD

Defendant's Family Stays In Courtroom

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closing addresses between the two other defense counsel. T. A. Hicks, defense counsel, made a long, impassioned plea for the acquittal of his client.

The closing speech for the state followed the recess for dinner. The large crowd which had filled the courtroom during the morning did not disperse until the case was in the hands of jury. The arguments of the attorneys on both sides had been accorded especial interest and had absorbed the interest of several hundred men who had followed every move in the case.

Family Remains

Mrs. Shook and the two little daughters of the defendant, who have been seated just behind him through the hearing, remained until he was taken back to the jail, when the jury received the case. Since the examination of the jurors on Monday afternoon and Tuesday, Shook took little interest in the proceedings but has listened intently and without any change of expression to the evidence marshaled by the state. His only moments of animation were centered around the children, especially the smallest girl, and his wife. The baby, not more than 5 years old, graced by fair curls and a diligent full smile, is apparently a great favorite with her father. The two have played together during every court intermission.

Beyond a vigorous cross-examination of each of the state witnesses in turn, the defense offered only the testimony of Jim Tom Wofford, Electra hotel man and of Gage McDermitt, assistant district attorney at the time of the arrest of Shook, Shumate and Prior.

Testimony Read

The testimony of Mr. McDermitt, who is in California, was read by Mr. Hicks from a transcript from the records of the earlier trial of Pryor which much of the testimony was identical with that offered here during the past two days.

In the earlier trial Mr. McDermitt testified that Henry Shumate, star witness for the state, had announced his willingness to tell everything about the robbery if he could have his "feet put on the ground." The transcript as read Wednesday went on to say Mr. McDermitt could make no such promise and that the assistant district attorney did not hear any one else offer the inducement.

The testimony was offered in connection with the defense theory that Shumate, who has confessed three times to the commission of the actual robbery, turned state's evidence and involved Shook and Prior on the promise of immunity for himself.

Tells of Robbery

Mr. Wofford, the other defense witness, told the jury that Shumate had told him of robbing a Mr. Williams in the Armildo hotel in Electra and showed him a handful of diamonds which he, Shumate, said he had secured in a hold-up of an Amarillo jewelry store.

Beyond the brief evidence, the defense placed its reliance on Shumate's alleged self-interest in taking the stand. In political enmity claimed to have existed between Pryor and Shook on the one hand and the Electra police force on the other, and on a bitter denunciation of the witnesses supporting the state's theory. All the evidence offered by the state through the Wednesday morning and early afternoon session of the court was in corroboration of the circumstances described in Shumate's confession, the back-bone of the state's case. The prosecution was conducted by Mr. Spence, Mr. Weeks, George W. Anderson and Mike Anglin, assistant to the district attorney.

The morning session opened Wednesday with the testimony of Duke Martin, Electra garage man, who told of loaning a car, which he said belonged to Mrs. Maude Sherman to Shook, supporting a part of Shumate's evidence. The defense cross-examination brought out that Martin is under indictment for selling whisky and sought to show that the case against him has not been pressed since his testimony in the Pryor trial.

Mrs. Sherman, who lives with her mother in Matrin's house in Electra, testified that Shook returned the car to her when Martin was not at home. She said the car belonged to Martin, but was registered in her name. On cross-examination, she said she and her mother paid no rent to Martin.

Roy Hart, night chief of police at Electra, told the story of finding an old police commission issued to Tom Shook in the car which took Shumate to the police station on the night of his first arrest. Shumate Tuesday said Shook gave him the commission for protection and that he tried to conceal it in the car after his arrest. The slip of paper, later delivered to Sheriff W. G. Bralley, is alleged by the state to have been the basis of the investigation which led to the implication of Shook and Pryor in the robbery.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Hicks, the officer admitted that some enmity existed at that time between Shook and Pryor against Jim Taylor, Shook's successor in office, and L. S. Tinnon, running against Pryor in the constable's race. The testimony of Fred Houser, city secretary at Electra, and Mayor George Ragsdale, in identification of the alleged commission, followed. Houser said the commission, signed by him, was not returned to him after Shook's retirement. Both witnesses admitted political feeling between the two factions when they were questioned by defense counsel.

Woman on Stand

The state next called Mrs. Lillian Blair, carnival owner, to give her version of the story already told by Shumate of the events immediately following his escape from the Wichita county jail two days after his first arrest on the robbery charge. Mrs. Blair told of driving to Electra and meeting Pryor on a by-road to tell him that Shumate wanted to see him. She told, too, of getting Shumate's baggage from the Union station and taking it to him at night on a road leading off the Seymour highway. Shook, Pryor and Shumate all met her there, the witness declared. Answering an attack by Mr. Hicks attempting to show that she knew of Shumate's arrest and escape, Mrs. Blair said that she supposed "there was something" but she "didn't know what." She denied that she and Shumate were "sweethearts" but said they continued to be good friends. Later in the day, Warren Belcher, deputy sheriff, and Sheriff W. G. Bralley, both gave detailed accounts of having re-arrested Shumate as he slept in bed with Pryor after the night of his escape from jail. The arrest of both of Pryor and Shook followed on the same night, and a few days later Shumate made his first statement to the district attorney's office, the evidence showed.

Mr. Bralley, questioned by Mr. Spence, declared that no political feeling motivated his investigation of the case, and the arrests that followed. Mr. Belcher also denied any political interests or any connection with the feud alleged to have been in progress in Electra. Similar testimony was given by L. S. Tinnon, the Electra officer who was sent to watch the homes of Shook and Pryor while the investigations were under way.

Bralley Closes Case

The state closed its case with the testimony of Mr. Bralley, and with evidence, offered through Mr. Anderson, of the forfeiting of Shook's bond several months ago while he was a fugitive. The state made no attempt to introduce evidence of Shook's escape from the Wichita county jail or his later indictment on two murder counts, one in Wichita county and the second in Tennessee last September.

The close of the trial Wednesday afternoon left uncompleted the state's investigation of an alleged conspiracy on the part of Shook and his friends to delay the trial by the calling of three fictitious witnesses. Judge Allan D. Montgomery Wednesday morning set Dec. 24 to hear the voluntary statement of A. L. Shook, cousin of the defendant, named as the man who asked Constable W. W. Hopper of Harrold, to pretend to serve the subpoenas and to make false return. Shook came to Graham of his own accord Tuesday night and told Sam Spence that he wanted to tell the whole story. Citations already prepared, charging him with contempt of court, were not formally served; the witness waiving the formality and agreeing to answer the charge voluntarily on Dec. 24. Constable Hopper is already serving a three-day jail sentence and is under a $10 fine imposed by Judge Montgomery after the officer had admitted his part in the alleged conspiracy.

RECORD NEWS

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

Dec. 19—Rotary club meets noon Kemp hotel.
Dec. 21—Archer City highway scheduled to open.
Dec. 23—Kiwanis club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Christmas party, Church of the Good Shepherd.
Dec. 24—Real Estate board meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Ad club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Municipal Christmas tree, Memorial auditorium, 5:30 p. m.
Dec. 25—Christmas day.
Dec. 26—Rotary club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Dec. 30—Public schools resume classes.
Jan. 2—City B. Y. P. U. federation meets Lory Memorial Baptist church, 7:30 p. m.
Jan. 7—Harry Lauder, Scotch entertainer, Memorial auditorium, 8 o'clock
Jan. 10—Seymour road pavement open to traffic.

Today

At the Theaters

By W. L. UNDERWOOD

STRAND: "Sweetie," Musical comedy overplayed to a delightful burlesque. Helen Kane, Nancy Carroll, Jack Oakie, and William Austin. Paramount news. Screen singsong. Last day.

MAJESTIC: "On With the Show," starring Sam Hardy, Joe Brown, Betty Compson, and Arthur Lake in techni-color extravaganza. Spectacular. Movietone news.

OLYMPIC: Ben Lyon, Shirley Mason and Jason Robards in "The Flying Marine." Comedy, "Taxi Scandals." Pathe news.

GEM: Doug MacLean in "The Carnation Kid." Prepare to laugh. Comedy.

QUEEN: Griffin melodramatic company in "My Aunt from Utah."

CHRISTMAS CHEER

Reagan Students Give Baskets of Food To 19 Families

Pupils of the Reagan Junior High school, particularly members of the Girls' club, added materially Wednesday to the great amount of charity being practiced by citizens of this city to bring some measure of Christmas comfort and cheer to needy families.

Nineteen families received large baskets well filled with staple groceries such as flour, sugar, canned fruit, vegetables, etc., and in each basket was a dressed chicken. The chickens were purchased by members of the Girls' club with accumulated club dues.

The Christmas charities of the school were supervised by Mrs. Patricia Smartwood, sponsor of the Girls' club, and were distributed through the Family Relief board of the Welfare association.

VISITS WIFE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18. (UP)—Alexander Pantages, multimillionaire showman held in jail pending his appeal from a prison sentence, visited his sick wife for a "business conference" today. Pantages was convicted of an attack on Eunice Pringle, 17-year-old dancer.

SUIT CONTINUED

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18. (UP)—Olive Ann Farnum's suit for separate maintenance of $2,500 monthly from her actor-husband, William Farnum, was continued until Thursday because of congested court calendars today.

LAST OF MINE VICTIMS FOUND

Death Toll Stands at 59 In McAlester Blast

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trict mine inspector, was overcome by gas in the seventh west entry, but was brought to the surface and revived. Tom Newton, foreman of the Pierce Coal company, and a volunteer to aid in the recovery of bodies, also suffered from the gas. He was taken to a machine house, and given first aid treatment. His condition was not dangerous.

Miller D. Hay, chief state mine inspector, who worked 13 hours in the depths of the mine, returned to the surface today to express the opinion that the explosion had been occasioned in the western part of the mine, where burned and mutilated bodies were found, when dust in the vicinity of a cutting machine was ignited by a spark. This explosion, he thought, created dust, which, in turn exploded with terrific violence centered in the region of the seventh entry.

Pitiful Sight

"The interior of the mine," said Hay, "was a pitiful sight. Bodies were in all postures. None of them showed signs of any death struggle. Their expressions revealed that they had gasped but once, then died. Some of the bodies were wrapped around the upright props. One was practically naked, with a cable, used in connection with his cap lamp, wrapped five times about his arm."

The condition of the bodies indicated that the western part of the mine had been swept by the flame of the blast. In that region, notably in the sixth and seventh entries, debris, jarred loose by the explosion, made rescue work slow.

Arnold Kissinger, Joe Ponsella and Frank Gonzales, the three men who were taken alive from a room in the mine after they nearly had succumbed to the on-creeping gas, were in an improved condition today.

Identification Uncertain

The bodies lay in rows in the chapels of two undertakers. Although most of them had been identified, the undertakers expressed relief that the identification was not authentic, because of the confusion. Efforts were being made, with the aid of the members of miners' families and neighbors to correct any errors prior to burial. A plan to draft convicts of the state penitentiary here to dig graves for the mass burial was under contemplation.

Mrs. C. V. Shuman of St. Louis, field representatives of the American Red Cross, took charge of relief work today among the families of the dead miners.

A plea was circulated for $20,000 for a relief fund. Mrs. Shuman said that the families, while not suffering at this time for want of food and shelter will need money to ride over subsequent requirements.

The name of O. M. Mackey was eliminated from the list of the dead when it was established by mine officials that Mackey did not work yesterday and identification of a body as that of Mackey was found to be a mistake.

Relatives of the dead men were barred tonight from the morgues because of hysteria, among negro women.

Bodies embalmed and positively identified were being placed in caskets, rushed here by manufacturers, and sent to the miners' simole homes or placed in undertaking company chapels to await funeral services. Many funerals will be held tomorrow and Friday.

'Murdered Man' Stands by Guns

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fense. Dr. A. Matthews, dentist, identified it positively for the jury as a tooth and bone of a dog.

And a third important bone, or really pair of bones these were, proved to be a pair of dice. Horace Pester, who yesterday identified the man the defense has produced as the murdered Franklin, said these dice undoubtedly were the ones he and Franklin had shot with at Oneal in January.

Thus in the night session, the defense scored heavily with bones.

During the day, Judge S. M. Bone, who is hearing the weird case warned defense and state that the case must be speeded up.

"A blizzard is approaching," said Judge S. M. Bone who is hearing the weird case. "I want this trial brought to completion before snow and ice make the mountain trails impassible."

Today the defense brought a man to the stand who says he is Connie Franklin. Yesterday a mountain girl, Tiller Ruminer, engaged to marry Franklin last March, testified four men had slain him and the man here was not her former sweetheart.

Judge Bone said he would hold his court open tonight until the defense brought the last of its witnesses to the stand in its effort to prove Franklin, referred to by the state as the deceased, still lives.

Final arguments then will be heard Thursday and the case will go to the jury. Judge Bone believed the jurors would be home in ample time to prepare for the Christmas season.

The Stone county courthouse was teeming with farmers and woodsmen when the returned. "Connie Franklin" sauntered to the witness chair. They filled the benches, stood in the aisles and peered through the windows.

"Connie," a large-boned man in worn grey trousers and white shirt answered in a loud voice to attorneys' questions.

He admitted his true name was Marion Franklin Rogers, that he served a term in the state insane asylum.

Mrs. Lillie Baker previously identified the man as her son by a former marriage and said he was Connie.

"I wasn't hit in the head with no rock, like they say," Connie began. "I just fell off my mule and on my head. I laid in the road a while then went on to town. I was mad at Tiller so I went up to Morrilton and then to Humphrey and worked on farms."

Tiller had testified she saw Connie attacked and slain by the defendants, Herman Greenway, Joe White, Hubert Hester and Bill Younger.

"You see I wanted to marry Tiller Ruminer," the witness said. "She wanted to marry me. We decided to go to St. James that Sattidy night and get Justice Finis Ford to hook us up. But he wasn't in and Tiller got mad.

"'I guess I don't want to get married nohowse,' she said, 'we'll wait till fall.' So I just pulled out."

"Connie" stood his ground under cross-examination. Then there followed a procession of mountain people who said they believed the real Connie was before them. It appeared the night session would be a continuation of this testimony.

The defendants testified that they accompanied Connie near the scene where Tiller said the murder occurred last March 9.

"We'd been drinkin' right smart," they testified, "and Connie was full of mountain dew. He fell off'en his mule, all right."

The mountaineers loitered in the courthouse when the dinner recess was given. They discussed the struggle between the two brothers who are acting as opposing attorneys, Ben Williamson, defense counsel, and Hugh Williamson, prosecutor.

Some of them passed the pleasantries typical of their insular community.

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AIR RATES

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Holiday rates of fare and a third for round trips over all divisions of the Safeway airlines will be placed in effect next Saturday and will continue until Tuesday, Dec. 31, it was announced Wednesday by J. Glen Groves, district traffic manager of the lines.

Two tickets will be issued, one showing regular fare, one way and the other for return trip showing one-third of the regular rate. Passage over any of the lines out of Wichita Falls operated by the Safeway will be available at these rates for the time specified, Mr. Groves said. As an example, the regular one-way fare to Dallas is $13. During the holiday season, round trip passage may be had for $17.33, a saving of more than $8. These rates include transportation to and from airports and allow 30 pounds of baggage per person.

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE FRIDAY

County and City Pupils Are Free for Holidays

Christmas vacation, that mid-winter break in the tedium of class rooms and studies, will begin next Friday and last until Monday, Dec. 30 in all schools in Wichita Falls and Wichita county, it was announced Wednesday.

School children, including all of them from the lower grades in grammar school to high school and Junior college, are happy in the realization of the advantage of having Christmas come in the middle of the week. Officials of the city and county educational systems have announced a week's vacation, but to the students it means nine whole days of freedom for the enjoyment of the season's happiness.

Programs at all county schools have been planned for Friday, according to Burl Bryant, county school superintendent. Christmas trees, parties and schoolroom entertainments will mark the close of the school session and the beginning of vacation.

City schools have also planned programs for Friday, special entertainments in many classes having been arranged, according to J. W. Cantwell, city school superintendent. Many of the schools have held programs during the week and several will give entertainments Thursday at assembly periods. Teachers have made plans for "grab bag" parties and exchange of small gifts in many class rooms. Art classes in the grammar schools have been devoting periods to the making of Christmas cards, posters, calendars and drawings and English classes have been devoting time to the study of Christmas stories and carols.

Mrs. J. J. Hines, 85, Dies at Bridgeport

O. W. Hines left Wichita Falls Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. J. J. Mines, 85, who died at her home in Bridgeport about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning. The services will be held Thursday. Interment will be in the Bridgeport cemetery.

Mrs. Hines was the widow of Rev. J. J. Hines, who was for many years a Methodist minister in Archer county before his death eight years ago. She was herself a pioneer resident of Archer county.

Death Claims Father Of Wichita Falls Men

E. H. Hampton, father of J. C. and W. R. Hampton of Wichita Falls, died early Wednesday morning at his home in Gatesville, according to word received here. The two brothers left to attend the funeral services upon receipt of the message.

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PRISON ISSUES UP TO SOLONS

Concentration and Centralization Suggestions Made

By R. W. BARRY
Associated Press Staff Writer

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—Now that the prison centralization commission has decided what Texas should do to reorganize her penitentiary system along modern lines, it is up to the legislature to act.

The matter of concentrating the penitentiary and modernizing it has been before the legislature for almost a decade and not until last spring was it able to get together in a move towards accomplishment. Always, there was contention over "plenary power," which a majority of the house wanted retained in the legislature, while a strong minority was willing to leave the matter of acting on recommendations of a commission to the good judgment of the governor. Finally the legislature was given "plenary power" and it is to be seen what it will do.

Moody for Centralization

There is not any doubt but that Governor Moody favors centralization of the system near Austin. The majority report of the prison centralization commission apparently gives Governor Moody everything he desires toward reorganization and reformation of the prison system, since all nine of his appointees to the prison board acquiesced in its recommendations; in fact they dictated it.

There is considerable significance in the action of a majority of the legislative members of the commission voting against the majority report. They agreed with virtually all recommendations except the proposed site near Austin.

Many see in action of the legislators an indication that the legislature will put its foot down on the proposal of purchasing 1,000 acres of land near Austin for a prison, when the state has some 87,000 acres now.

Controversy Certain

There will be a warm controversy over the prison centralization and many contend Governor Moody will veto any legislation that calls for concentration anywhere except near Austin.

Some predict that should the legislature fail to vote for the majority report of the prison commission the governor will refuse to accept a compromise and take the issue to the people with a request that they return him for a third term and elect a legislature in accord with his prison views.

Some of those of a more pessimistic turn of mind have already predicted that the governor might as well save the state the expense and himself the trouble of calling the legislature into special session to consider prison reformation. They prophesy the legislature will not agree to the majority program.

Inspection Authorized

The law which created the centralization commission authorized it to make an inspection of existing conditions and appropriated $25,000 to pay expenses incident to such a survey, does not make it obligatory—as many seem to think—on the governor to call a special session to consider the matter. The law merely states that the commission "shall compile its report for submission to the 42nd legislature or any special session convened prior to that time."

However, there isn't any doubt but that Governor Moody intends to put the report up to the legislature immediately. He probably believes that since it was the 41st legislature that directed the survey it should be the 41st legislature that acts upon findings of the commission.

It will be the first time in many years that a proposition of the kind has not been allowed to get cold before receiving consideration of the legislature.

Poor Ruth, Just as She Gets Break Jail Doors Again Clank Behind Her

DALLAS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Ruth Barnett, 19, who said they call her "Baby Ruth" back home in Hugo, Okla., is again in jail although a jury gave her a suspended sentence.

Arraigned on a charge of breaking into a filling station at Greenville, Miss Barnett took the stand and admitted her guilt. She was, she said, hitch hiking "here and there." Last Friday night she landed in Greenville, "broke and hungry."

A kind motorist helped her get into a locked wayside filling station. She ate some pies, appropriated a wrist watch and a new pair of shoes, and proceeded afoot. Then she was arrested.

The prosecutor, judge, and jury, apparently felt sorry for her. The jury was instructed to return a verdict of five years suspended sentence. The judge gave her two one-dollar bills; the prosecutor handed her a bill. Members of the jury contributed, and several spectators added to the pot.

With her suspended sentence in one fist and the currency in the other, "Baby Ruth" started back to jail to get her belongings. She got inside the jail door.

"I'm glad to see you," the jailer said. He showed her a telegram, signed by Sheriff Hal Hood, who is in Huntsville. It said:

"Hold Ruth Barnett; wanted elsewhere."

Frederick Poultry Men Win Premiums

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—Although Tillman county birds had to travel a considerable distance to be exhibited at the Western Oklahoma Poultry association show held at Clinton last week they were awarded a number of premiums. The following won premiums:

Adult department—W. S. Drumm, first pullet, second cockerel, fourth and fifth hen in White Plymouth Rocks and fourth on brown eggs. Drumm was also awarded a silver loving cup on champion pullet shown, a White Plymouth Rock.

Ralph Holloway, first pullet, Dark Cornish.

Junior department—Ralph Holloway, first trio, Dark Cornish.

Clyde Neumeyer, first trio, Golden Laced Wyandottes; first trio Anconas.

Clarence Harper, first trio, White Faced Black Spanish.

Rodney Longacre, first trio, Silver Spangled Hamburgs.

Ferris Bynum, first trio White Leghorns; champion cockerel, junior department, White Leghorn.

Frederick Man Wins Promotion in Company

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—After serving the New York Life Insurance company as agency organizer the past three years at Tulsa, Will P. Stagg, formerly of Frederick, has been promoted to agency director at the office at Columbus, Ohio. Last year Stagg led his company in the United States and Canada as organizer and his record this year is said to be as good. Stagg, who has been visiting here the past few days, departed Tuesday for Columbus from which place he will go to the agency convention at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Some time next month Stagg will return to Frederick where he will get Mrs. Stagg and child who will accompany him to their new home at Columbus.

Stagg began his career with the New York Life at Frederick seven years ago.

Court Refuses to Hold Removal Law Valid

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—An effort to have the court of criminal appeals reverse itself and hold the tenant removal law constitutional was unavailing today when the appellate body overruled the state's motion for a rehearing in the test case.

Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers. —Adv.

Artificial Leg Contains Dead Man's Wealth

VIENNA, Dec. 18. (UP)—Acting upon the request of relatives, officials today re-examined the belongings of Noah Goldberg, a Polish-American who died recently, and found $86,000 concealed in an artificial leg.

Friberg News

Miss Thelma Lovell was hostess to the girls of the Friendship club Thursday afternoon when they met in regular session at her home.

Mrs. Harry Geyer, president of the club, had charge of the business meeting which was opened with song and prayer. A motion was made to pay $10 on the church budget pledge for the new year. Readings were given as follows: "In Memorium," an original poem by Miss O. Roediger and "Purpose" by Edgar A. Guest were read by Miss Ollie Roediger and "Radio" by Mrs. A. F. Hensel.

Plans were perfected for the collection of a box of toys and clothing as a charity gesture to the poor at Christmas and following adjournment the girls dressed dolls for that purpose.

Miss Lovell served a dainty refreshment plate to the following: Misses Katherine Singletary, Ollid Roediger, Millie Roediger, Alena Hurdt, Annie Bryan, Hazel Roediger, Catherine Geyer, Mae Jones, Bernice Geyer, Thelma Lovell, Geraldine Perkins and Mesdames Johnnie Calloway, Bruce Perkins, Harry Geyer, Ethel Bryan, Ben Roediger, A. F. Hensel, J. W. Lovell and Edwin Horace Perkins.

Miss Catherine Geyer assisted by her brother, Carlton Geyer, entertained for a few of their friends at their father's home Thursday evening. Corn popping, candy-making, games and music furnished diversion for the guests until a late hour when the hostess served refreshments to the following: Florene Neumann, Alma Hurdt, Thelma Lovell, Glada Fugate, Lois Manford, Frank Hurdt, Emmett Wright, Kenneth Bryan, Troy Hurdt, Byman Geyer and Carl Geyer.

"The Old-Fashioned Mother," the three-act drama recently presented to local audiences in the school auditorium under the direction of Rev. Albert F. Hensel and John Calloway, will be presented for the second time on Friday evening, Dec. 20, at the City View school, several miles west of Wichita Falls. Those taking part in the play are said to be unusually well fitted for the characters they portray and have been well trained. The proceeds from the presentation Friday night will be applied on the local Methodist church budget. An admission charge of 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children will be asked.

Miss Bernice Bryan, who is attending school in Wichita Falls, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ethel Bryan and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Harry Geyer and daughter, Bernice, and Miss Catherine Geyer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Steadman and family at City View Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Bishop and sons, Homer and Carroll, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roediger and family on Sunday.

House paint. Decorators.—Adv.

R. I. EXTENSION GETS APPROVAL

Road Plans Total of 326 Miles in Panhandle

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Authorization for the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf railway to construct a line from Dalhart through Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Hutchinson counties, to Morse, immediately north of the Canadian river, brings a total of recent and proposed construction by that company in the Panhandle to 326 miles.

Construction in the Panhandle comprises a big part of the company's 1930 building program of $59,000,000.

The newly authorized line, which will be 57 miles long, will connect the main line of the Rock Island at Dalhart with the new Amarillo-Liberal branch at Morse. The territory traversed is a rich agricultural section, devoted mostly to grain. The connecting line will serve mainly as a feeder of freight traffic.

The Rock Island is asking for a permit to build from Shamrock, in Wheeler county to Quanah in Hardeman county, under which plan a new trunk line would be opened up between Amarillo and Fort Worth and Dallas. A 153-mile branch was recently completed between Amarillo and Liberal, Kan.

Radio Station Burns At Wichita, Kansas

WICHITA, Kan., Dec. 18. (UP)—The transmitting radio station KFH, Hotel Lassen-Wichita Eagle Broadcasting company, burned to the ground here today. Loss was estimated at about $60,000 and the station probably will be off the air about 60 days, owners estimated.

The fire was discovered in the living quarters of Operator Otto Brisman, who barely escaped from the building in time to save his life.

Kincaid Miners Vote To End Coal Strike

TAYLORVILLE, Ill., Dec. 18. (UP)—The end of the mine strike in the central Illinois coal fields was seen today when miners at Kincaid voted to return to work tomorrow.

The coal diggers have been out slightly more than a week.

The Kincaid mine is virtually the only one in the state still tied up.

Kinnikinnik wreaths, holly wreaths. Morgan Floral company. Phone 7500.—Adv.

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Clubs to Give Holiday Program at Altus

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Ten Jackson county home demonstration clubs will present a joint Christmas program at 8 p. m. Friday in the city auditorium.

Music for the program is being directed by Ben Holdridge. Numbers on the holiday program will be sponsored by Miss Pauline Blair, Olustee, president of the county federation; Mrs. R. M. Hensley, Victory, vice president; and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert, Elmer, secretary.

Clubs which will take part in the program are Headrick, Ozark Valley, Friendship, Martha, Victory, Olustee, Harmony, Elmer, Hess and Humphreys.

Oklahoma P.-T. A. Head Speaks at Altus

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Charles D. Johnson of Tulsa, state president of the Parent-Teacher association, was the principal speaker and a special guest in Altus Tuesday afternoon when the Washington Ward School Parent-Teacher association entertained members of the city federation and Wilson Ward School Parent-Teacher association in the basement of the Methodist church.

The meeting was attended by a large number of persons.

FUND VOTED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (INS)—An emergency appropriation of $1,290,000 to continue the campaign against the Mediterranean fruit fly in Florida, was voted unanimously by the house today.

500 Poinsettia plants for Christmas in Bebb's greenhouses.—Adv.

Picture frames at Decorators.—Adv.

VALUE OF FARM OUTPUT GAINS

Total Harvest to Be Worth $8,580,000,000

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—This year's harvest of important farm crops including fruit and commercial truck corps, was valued today by the department of agriculture at $8,580,528,000 compared with $8,495,788,000 last year.

Corn production was placed at 2,622,189,000 bushels and valued at $2,048,134,000 by the department, the values being based on Dec. 1, or seasonable prices paid to farmers.

The combined winter and spring wheat crop was 806,508,000 bushels, valued at $840,921,000.

The cotton crop, combining the value of lint and seed was valued at $1,426,128,000.

Oklahoma Press Group Lays Convention Plans

NORMAN, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—Tentative arrangements for the annual convention of the Oklahoma Press association were announced today by Harry B. Rutledge, secretary.

The state daily editors will meet in Oklahoma City, the night of Jan. 9. The next day the group will hold sessions here, and the following day meet again in Oklahoma City. The meeting closes Saturday night in Oklahoma City with a gridiron banquet.

George B. Dolliver, Battle Creek, Mich., publisher, will be one of the main speakers in Oklahoma City Friday.

Woman Recounts Attack to Jury

LUFKIN, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Mrs. Minnie Wood, 32, widow and mother of three children, told a jury today her version of the attack for which three men have been indicted.

She said the three men, Charlton White, Bob Lester and Doc Brown, dragged her from her house to a wood about 100 yards away where the attack occurred.

On cross examination, Mrs. Wood said she had been divorced twice and that for a number of years she and her three children lived in the little two-room log cabin here.

She was approached twice on the night of the alleged attack, she said, but each time the men were frightened away when she screamed.

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60c Zonite	49c
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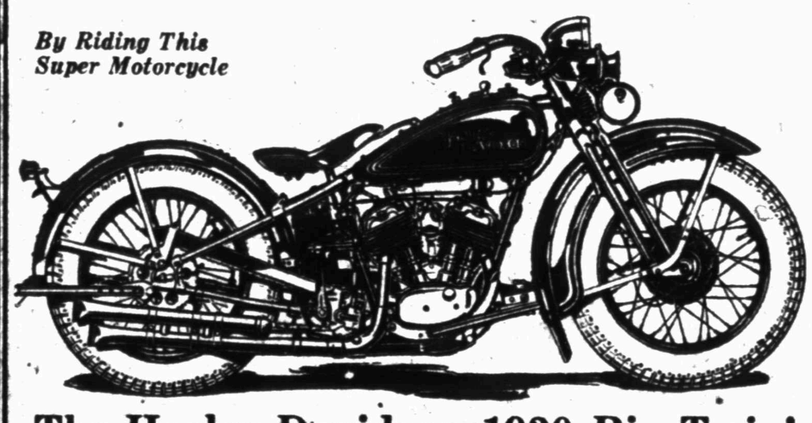


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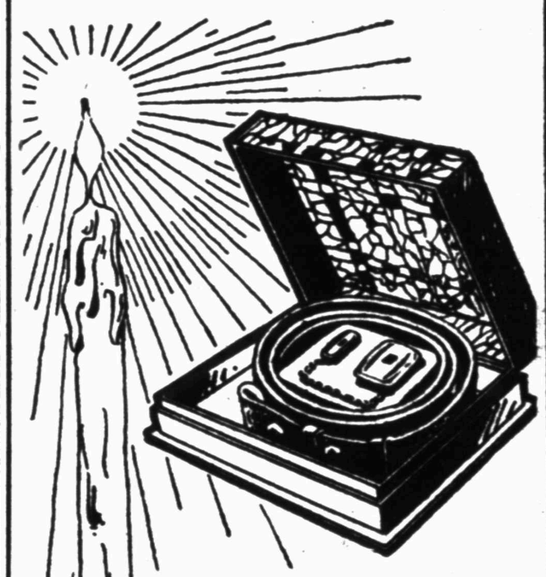
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Junior Travel Club Gives Pretty Christmas Party

A last Christmas meeting before the adjournment for the holidays was featured by the Junior Travel club members Wednesday as a luncheon at the residence of Mrs. Wayne Somerville, with Mrs. G. K. Wilson and Mrs. Grover C. Johnson as assistant hostesses.

Mrs. Somerville's home was a pretty holiday scene with an abundance of mistletoe and many red candles. Luncheon was served at small tables, each cenerted with a red candle tied with red tulle and place cards were miniature Santa Claus pictures. In a nut shell at each place was a small map of Germany with the cities numbered so that each member might follow Mrs. Somerville's "Around the Reich in Thirty Days."

As the program for the day was on Germany, a typical German luncheon was served. At its conclusion, Mrs. Somerville took charge of the program and gave her paper in the form of a diary kept while going "Around the Reich in Thirty Days." The little maps given the guests and the personal touches in the paper made it particularly clever and interesting to the club members.

A surprise feature was the talk given by a special guest of the club, Miss Elizabeth Brown, who took her hearers on a trip to Oberammergau and to Potsdam and Heidelberg and down the Rhine, places she knew and could vividly describe.

A lovely Christmas tree was well covered with gifts, and with Mrs. O. W. Wilson playing Santa, each member received a pretty present.

Members present were Mesdames O. T. Ailes, W. H. Caldwell, F. T. Datson, E. A. Deaton, E. T. Duff, J. J. Fennessy, D. G. Gray, Sam Holliday, Grover C. Johnson, R. O. Kenley Jr., A. L. Lane, Thelbert Martin, W. A. McCarty, J. A. McFall, W. J. Morgareidge, I. R. Sheldon, W. P. Smith, Wayne Somerville, G. H. Watson, G. K. Wilson, O. W. Wilson, D. O. Johnson and John Humphrey with Miss Elizabeth Brown a special guest.

PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

Little Christmas trees lie all along the streets and garlands are blown loose by the fickle wind that pretends to be a friend of Santa Claus.

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But who can trust the wind? Particularly the Texas wind. In the summer, it burns our crops and weathers our skin and in the winter it pierces the marrow of our bones.

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"Who knows whence it listeth?" It can be gentle as a woman with a baby in her arms and as fierce as a hurricane.

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It plays jokes. The reason why no one knows, but everyone laughs when the wind takes a man's hat sailing down the street. And it is funny, without reason, when one sees a great ball of tumbleweed come sailing up the street.

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One might as well try to diagram the wind as to diagram a child's mind. From the time a baby begins using his brain until he becomes a grown person, he is a mystery because so few people realize he is merely another human being.

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He is particularly human because he does not hesitate to ask any question on earth that comes into his mind and half the time the parent can't answer the question.

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For instance, we were dumb-founded, after reading the story of the creation of the world to an 8-year-old youngster, to have him ask, "Well what was there before God created the world?" And what was there before God?"

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There's one comfort; so long as there are developing and alert minds about the house, there's no danger of other minds growing old.

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They have to stay young and keep up with the times to be able to answer half the questions.

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Speaking of young and old re-minds us of a scene we saw this morning. A big gray cat has reared a family of kittens beneath our servant's house. We see her playing with them quite often.

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Wednesday morning, a foxy little black pup nosed round the steps, looking as if he intended to make friends with the kittens.

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We've seen pictures of a cat's back humped in anger but we saw the real cat this time; she went bounding across the yard and touched the pup once; halted and jumped at him again, and we've never seen anything make better time than he did leaving the yard, for more pitiful wails.

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The little kittens evidently had not yet asked mother cat about pups.

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Business Girls Club Has Christmas Party

Honor guests for the evening when members of the Business and Professional Girls entertained with their annual Christmas party in the clubrooms of the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday evening, were Mrs. Mack Huffaker, who before her recent marriage was Miss Opal Ballew, and Mrs. O. L. Dixon, the former Miss Helen Fowler. Both guests were presented with lovely madeira luncheon cloths.

A beautifully decorated Christmas tree, lighted with varicolored lights was the center of attraction. Mrs. Joella Terrill Butler as Santa Claus, distributed the gifts placed around the tree by each member, after which Christmas carols were sung.

Following the distribution of gifts, refreshments were served to Miss Zula McKay, Eldora Bunnenberg, Cleo Bowers, Mrs. W. E. Millican, Glenna Miller, Johnnie Hanson, Mayme Kuhfuss, Joella Terrill Butler, Anna Seiplemeyer, Mrs. N. Nabb, Mrs. H. F. Weldon, Elizabeth Cole, Doris Hall, Erma Schnelle, Ethel Glasgow, Mrs. G. E. Crane, Osie Blackwell, Nina McDowell, Eunice Jackson, Cora Hargrove, Catherine Walker, Mima Bringer, Mrs. Howard English, Mrs. T. A. Hicks, Jewel Mayes, Mary F. Lyons, Helen Nixon, Dewight Maddox, Eugenia Staber, Mrs. Ray Kincaid and the honor guests, Mrs. Huffaker and Mrs. Dixon.

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Century Club Has Last Meeting of 1929

Mrs. Almond Gates was hostess Wednesday to members of the Century club in the last meeting before the holiday adjournment. Her home was prettily decorated in a holiday motif and a Christmas tree carried presents which were interchanged between the guests.

Mrs. Dick Davis was leader in the program and gave a brilliant review of "Hello Towns," by Sherwood Anderson.

The club will not meet again until Jan. 9, the hostess to be announced later.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Warner Zimmer, Jimmie Allred, John Barnard, Dick Davis, H. B. Dudley, J. C. Foster, Almond Gates, Darrold Kahn, Anderson Kemp, Van Lesley, Cecil Autty, J. C. Straus Jr., Misses Anabel Couper, Mary Jo Kell, Thelma Fisher and Helen Grisham and two guests, Miss Leah Belle Duff and Mrs Roland Bond.

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Royal Neighbors To Have Christmas Party

Members of the Royal Neighbors of America will entertain with their annual Christmas party at the I. O. O. F. hall Thursday at 12 o'clock. A luncheon will be served at noon followed by a business meeting and program in the afternoon. The feature of the program will be the Christmas tree when gifts will be exchanged.

CALENDAR

THURSDAY

Royal Neighbors of America Christmas luncheon and meeting at Odd Fellows hall.

Meeting of eleventh district nurses' association at clinic hospital, 1:15 p. m.

B. O. P. Sunday school class of the First Methodist church Christmas party for husbands and children in basement of church at 7:30 p. m.

Meeting of the Pi Omicron sorority at Episcopal parish house at 7 p. m.

Faith chapter 713 O. E. S. Christmas party at home of Mrs. W. B. Baldwin at 8 p. m.

Travis school P.-T. A. at 3 p. m.

Business and Professional Women's club benefit dance at Camp Noble, evening.

Twain Study club with Mrs. C. E. Martin, 1411 Britain, at 2:30 p. m.

Evelyn-Earline Sunday school class of Floral Heights Methodist church Christmas party at home of Mrs. C. M. Goodwin, 2009 Taft street, at 3 p. m.

Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church, Christmas party at the home of Mrs. E. W. George, 1922 Speedway, at 2:30 p. m.

Fellowship Sunday school class of the First Baptist Sunday school Christmas party at the home of Mrs. W. Daniel on Hiawatha boulevard at 2 p. m.

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Mrs. Addis Hostess To Club Tuesday

Mrs. J. W. Addis was hostess to members of the Jolly Forty-two club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Christmas decorations were noted throughout the house. Each member brought a gift and numbers were drawn and the gifts distributed.

In the games Mrs. W. R. South was presented with the gift for high score and Mrs. J. R. Sampson received the low score prize.

Lovely refreshments suggestive of the approaching holiday season were served to Mesdames W. R. South, W. R. Dameron, E. O. Britain, L. J. Bailey, F. Massier, Alex Fisher, H. L. Williams, J. E. Tidwell and J. B. King. Guests were Misses Fannie Rice, Aline Flannigan and Mrs. J. R. Sampson.

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Personals

Mrs. J. O. Ammann, 1704 Pearl street, is in Fort Worth on a short visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Gates have just returned from a visit to the Rio Grande valley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack P. Rayzor announce the birth of a son, Joseph Akin, at the Wichita Clinic hospital Saturday, Dec. 14.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stanford announce the arrival of a daughter, Peggy Yvonne, at the General hospital Sunday, Dec. 15.

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Mrs. Jimmie Anderson of San Antonio is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Kahn. She will be here through the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger and son, Alfred Jr., and P. J. Pronger of Stratford are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming and family, 1706 Tenth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George S. Bancroft motored to Fort Worth Wednesday where they will spend a few days shopping and attending to business matters.

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Mrs. Ralph DeShong has received word that her brother, who underwent a major operation in Memphis, Tenn., is in a critical condition.

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Forum Department Cancels Program

Mrs. Guy Raley, chairman of the health and home department of the Woman's Forum, announced Wednesday that the program to have been given Thursday has been cancelled on account of previous engagements at the forum.

Most Women Are Poor Pickers of Their Life Mates

Why Habit of Saving Must Be Begun in First Two Years of Marriage—Tested Recipe for a Happy Marriage—Should a Father of 55 Marry Again?

Dear Miss Dix—I have been married a little over a year and my husband and I are always arguing over the question of saving money to buy a home. I tell him that I want a good time for a few years while I am young, and he thinks we should save and buy a home. Which is right? —V.

Answer—Your husband is right. If you don't begin saving now when you are first married, you will never save and you will go through life one of those shiftless couples who spend as they go, who live up to every cent of their earnings and who end their days in poverty and want. Little as you think it, these first two years of your marriage will determine what your future will be. If you start systematic saving either to buy a home or to buy some good stock or bond or put regularly so much in the savings bank, by the time you are middle-aged you will be independent, you will be sitting pretty on the sunny side of Easy street and you will be honored and respected in your community and looked up to as successful people.

But if you blow in all you make on having a good time now, when you are middle-aged you will have no home, you will be drifting about from house to house with only a few pieces of battered furniture that will tell the tale of your many movings. You will be looked upon as ne'er-do-wells for whom people have a little contempt because they have never been able to get along.

When sickness or any misfortune comes you will be a borrower, for you will have nothing laid by for the rainy day that is sure to come to us all and you will live in dread of the man of the family losing his job, as he is bound to do when he grows old. And you will shudder as you think of the terrible fate that awaits you, and that nothing but death can save you from, of having to spend your old age as a parasite on your family.

Of course, you think that this won't happen to you because you don't intend always to spend all you make. After a while you are going to begin saving. Not just now when you want pretty clothes and a car and to run around to parties and shows. But later on when you are older you will cut down on your expenses and commence to hoard the pennies. But, dear child, the time to save never comes to the spendthrift. You will always want things. You will always want to indulge yourself. There will always be parties to go to and new hats and gowns in the shops and this year's model of car with new gadgets.

So if you don't start saving right now you will never do it. It is now or never. So begin today tucking away a certain percentage of your income. And very soon you will be unhappy unless you do it, for saving is just as much of a habit as spending, and when once you have acquired it you will find that it is just as thrilling and exciting to make a deposit in the bank as it is to pay it on your account for some foolishness you have bought. And in the one case you have something to show for your money and in the other case you have nothing.

The other day I read in the paper that 80 per cent of the people over 60 years old were dependent either upon their children or public charity. You don't want to be one of those miserable old people who have to live with in-laws who do not want them or who realize that they add a crushing weight to the already heavy burden of their own families under which their children stagger along.

Save yourself from that drear fate by denying yourself a few good times now and laying up something for your old age that will make you free and independent and happy.

—DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—My husband and I have been married for a number of years and we have been unusually happy. Here are the rules I laid out for my guidance when we were first married and which I have followed religiously ever since, and as they seemed to have worked out all right, I pass them on to other women. I never nag. I say a thing once and then forget it. I never worry him with trifles. I settle all my little difficulties off my own bat. I try to be cheerful and an interesting conversationalist and a good listener. I am always primped up for my husband and have the house neat and clean when he comes home. I set a good table and cater to his taste in food. When I buy new clothes I tell him I got a certain dress because he likes me in fussy things or certain colors. I never fail to tell him how good-looking he is, and how much superior he is to some other man he admires. Nor do I fail to express my appreciation of all that he does for me. If another man compliments me I let him hear of it through some third party. This strengthens his belief that I am still good looking and attractive. I wait on my husband but not enough to spoil him. Just enough to let him know that I consider his comfort and happiness and make him feel he couldn't do without me. I see to it that his clothes are always in order. Not being able to find a clean shirt will upset the best disposition. I consult him about everything, knowing that he likes the gesture of the clinging vine in women and that I will really do as I please anyway. I am always at home when he comes in at night and have never left him longer than a week at a time. What do you think of my plan?—HAPPY WIFE.

Answer—I think it will work on any man at any time, oh, daughter of Solomon, and that if more women would use the same tact and unselfishness in dealing with their husbands there would be fewer men wandering away from their own firesides and that the divorce courts would have to shut up for lack of business.—DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—My mother died about four years ago and for the last year and a half my father, who is 55 years old, has been going out with a lady who is nearly 20 years younger than he is. I believe he is madly in love with this woman, but if he marries again it will break my heart. All of his children are married and he could easily sell out his business and make his home with any one of us, but he is not willing to do this. Can't you tell me something to say or do to keep my father from marrying this woman and show him how much better it would be for him to be free to go and come as he pleases after being tied down so many years? There is no objection to the woman personally, we just don't want our father to marry again.

—DESPERATE.

Answer—I think you are very wrong to try to stop your father from marrying again. If he marries a good woman who is fond of him, it will be far better for him and far better for all of his children, for then he will be able to go along and live his own life in his own way, in his own home, instead of becoming a disturbing factor in yours.

And let me tell you that to take a raging lion into your house as a pet wouldn't be a bit more upsetting to it than it would to have a middle-aged man who has been busy all of his life and who has been master of his own home suddenly deprived of all occupation and thrust into the role of guest in his children's home. Why, he would be cross and surly and you couldn't rub his fur the right way to save your life! He would sit around and interfere with everything you did and criticize your husband and the way you raised your children and poke his fingers into your pie because he had nothing else to do, and you would be sorry enough you hadn't let him marry and stay put where he was.

You think of your father as an old man who would sit in the chimney corner and be quiet and placid while he waited for death. But that is nonsense. A man of 55 is young now and he has no reason to retire from business and he has a perfect right to get married if he wants to and his children have no right to interfere with him. So give him your blessing and welcome the bride. She will save you a lot of trouble and you should receive her with open arms.

—DOROTHY DIX.

COMPENSATION DEADLINE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18.(UP)—Thousands of Oklahoma world war veterans who are entitled to adjusted compensation should have their applications in the mail by midnight, Jan. 2, the deadline for filing, R. W. Moyer, American Legion service officer, said today.

Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers. —Adv.

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Country Club to Give Elaborate Dinner Dance

Announcement is made of the dinner dance to be given at the country club Thursday evening, Dec. 26, beginning at 8 o'clock. The huge fireplaces will be filled with log fires and the clubhouse will be beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif. The Bluebird orchestra will furnish the music.

Wives of the board of directors will be special hostesses, including Mesdames W. B. Hamilton, Harry Hines, T. L. Hunter, C. E. McCutchen, T. P. Duncan, Fred T. Couper, R. O. Harvey and Horrace Robbins.

Mesdames Claude Woods, O. B. Kiel, John Hampton, Staton Bonner, Harry Weeks, Newton Maer, W. P. Golding, W. S. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolen, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMahon and Harry Hines are the entertainment committee.

Reservations are already being received at the clubhouse, according to the hostess, Mrs. Helen Kendall.

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Durland Grove No. 1487 Given Pretty Party

Mrs. J. R. Young, captain of the drill team of Durland Grove No. 1487, Woodmen circle, complimented the entire grove with a Christmas party at her home on Thirteenth street Wednesday afternoon.

The house was beautifully decorated with mistletoe and Christmas colors and each member of the grove received a present from a large tree.

A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames B. L. Holder, C. W. Stearman, G. T. Putty, Ina Waggoner, H. A. Williams, W. M. Mackechney, Artman Davis, Lucy Faubion, Edna E. Jacobs, W. F. Wallace, H. C. James, W. O. Hudgins, John Revier, Coralee Marshall, Martha Taylor, J. H. Douglass, H. C. Power, R. P. Walsh, Alwina Prang, J. R. Parker, A. G. Berry, Kate Milliron, G. W. Jackson, W. T. Roark, Clemmie Johnson, Rufus Johnson, C. D. Bowmer, Jim Young, J. H. Gibson, Misses Vivian Berry and Moselle Revier and the hostess, Mrs. J. R. Young.

Sixty per cent of the homes in Kansas are served by power lines. The other 40 per cent are largely in the rural districts.

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Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers. —Adv.

Council of P.-T. A. Hears Talk by Aid Society Head

The feature of the meeting of the Wichita Falls council of Parent-Teacher associations at the Memorial auditorium Tuesday morning was a talk by Miss Katherine Henricle, secretary of the Children's Aid society of West Texas.

Miss Henricle, who started her work in Wichita Falls 11 years ago in a pioneer field, stressed the point that "a child is what that child's environment has made it." Miss Henricle also touched upon the child labor laws and explained why no publicity can be given to her work for fear of hurting the children who are under her supervision. "Early marriages are blamed for more disasters that befall children than any other thing," Miss Henricle said. "However, fewer infants have come into the care of the society this year than ever before."

During the business session reports were heard from officers and committees of the council. A two-minute summary of the work done by each P.-T. A. of the unit was given by the presidents of the various organizations.

The devotional was given by Miss Ellen Newby, junior high school student, after which a group of three Christmas carols, "Silent Night," "Babe in the Manger" and "The First Noel," was given by Misses Florence Sturm, Ruth Tucker, Helen Hanks, Laura Fritz and Ben Dell Sullivan. Miss Roberta Lincoln accompanied the group at the piano.

Mrs. R. D. Ford, librarian of the Zundelowitz Junior high school gave an interesting talk on "The Value of Good Books."

An intelligence test proved to be a surprise feature of the program and provided a clever way of announcing that refreshments would be served.

Those present were: Mesdames W. G. Smith, H. R. Cloughley, Harry ten Brink, A. J. Newby, I. R. Sheldon, Otis Nelson, John M. Fox, G. Galmiche, J. Z. Steinkoenig, T. W. Lawson, R. D. Ford, Alex Michael, M. E. Sansbury, H. W. Conn, R. P. Willis, W. H. Goodson, E. C. De Montel, O. H. Karr, J. L. Ware, and Misses Katherine Henricle, Pearl Rorabaugh, Matilda Thuman, Florence Sturm, Ruth Tucker, Helen Hanks, Laura Fritz, Ben Dell Sullivan, Roberta Lincoln and Ellen Newby.

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Miss Smith Hostess To Modern Study Club

Miss Lucille Smith was hostess to members of the Modern Study club Wednesday afternoon. Miss Adele Jarrell led the lesson and gave an interesting paper on "Guy de Maupassant's Life." "Outstanding Points in His Writing," a paper which was prepared by Mrs. H. N. Seevers, was read by Mrs. Ernest Robertson. Roll call was answered with "His Short Stories."

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames George Arma, Dick Carpenter, Ralph Frame, Miss Adele Jarrell, Mrs. Robert Mathis, Miss Emma Elizabeth Miller, Miss Lucille Smith, Mrs. Gose Waggoner, Mrs. John Willis, Miss Marjorie Bright and Miss Mary Tancred.

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Pieria Club Meets At Forum Wednesday

Members of the Pieria Study club answered roll call with "Spanish Colonies" and Mrs. T. D. Moore conducted a short parliamentary drill when they met at the Woman's Forum Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The feature of the lesson was a paper on "Ferdinand and Isabella" given by Mrs. W. D. Bratton. Mrs. J. E. Hall led the club discussion on "Unknown Lands" by Blasco Ibanez.

Those in attendance were Mesdames W. D. Bratton, O. L. Carrico, Ralph DeShong, J. E. Hall, T. D. Moore, J. G. Oakley, and Mrs. J. E. H. Bailey.

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Lamar Baptist Y.W.A. Has Banquet Honoring Friends

The Young Woman's auxiliary of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church entertained their friends with a banquet in the basement of the church Tuesday evening. A delicious dinner was served, and a very interesting and entertaining program was given. The program included readings by Miss Mabel Capps, piano numbers by Miss Jack Elkins, toasts by various members of the Y. W. A., special solos by little Miss Beulah Mae Dashiells, and the principal address of the evening by Rev. W. H. Townsend of Olney, former pastor of the local church. Mrs. W. H. Townsend, who was formerly counselor of the Y. W. A., gave a toast entitled "To My Garden of Girls." Rev. Sidney F. Martin presided as toastmaster.

The dining room and banquet table were decorated with appropriate Christmas suggestions. The program was highly enjoyed and was a most successful event, having been made possible through the faithful cooperation of the W. M. U.

Covers were laid for the following guests: Misses Mabel Capps, Jack Elkins, Nannie Mae Parrish, Ruth Biles, Elizabeth Nicholson, Jessie Lee O'Dell, Ozella Foster, Mary Huffhines, Opal Thornton, Sammy Webb, Daisy Streaky, Mildred Gibbs, Leona Chewning, Mildred Davis, Delois West, Gladys O'Neill, Charlotte O'Dell, Vera Moore, Mae Vaden, and Bobbie Wheat, Y. W. A. president; Messrs. R. J. Brown, Erwin Cawley, J. D. Reins, John Cawley, W. M. Nicholson, William McKinley, Walter Ruby, J. R. Davis, Marshall Miller, Eugene Ferrell, C. T. Temple and Truett Cone; Messrs. and Mesdames W. H. Townsend, S. F. Martin, H. D. Biles, Jess McLarry, and little Miss Beulah Mae Dashiells.

$5,100 Suit Filed In Injury of Wichita Boy

A suit for damages amounting to $5,100 was filed with the district clerk Wednesday growing out of the alleged injury of Billy Wade in an accident on Nov. 19 in which a car driven by the boy's father collided with a truck belonging to the Mitv Nice Baking company.

The accident occurred, according to the petition, on the Burnett street bridge. It is claimed that the driver of the baking company truck was negligent. The boy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wade.

Knights Templar To Name New Officers

Annual election of officers will be held by Wichita Falls commandery No. 59, Knights Templar, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock, at the Masonic temple, Tenth street and Scott avenue, according to George W. Lawler, recorder.

All members of the order are urged to be present for the election, Mr. Lawler said.

What is claimed to be the smallest rose in the world was recently exhibited in London; in full bloom its flowers were the size of a small buttercup.

Framed photographs. Decorators. —Adv.

Christian Group Gives Shower To Division Leader

Mrs. J. E. Strong, leader of division eight of the First Christian church Woman's council, was honored by members of the division Wednesday with a pretty handkerchief shower, when they met at the home of Mrs. L. E. McConnell with Mesdames J. H. Sides and Charles Pridgen, joint hostesses.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Jack Dale, following which a short business meeting was held.

In a lovely musical program, Miss Virginia McConnell gave a piano number and a string ensemble, composed of Misses Lucile Snyder and Merle Strong with Homer Donahoo, accompanied by Miss Laurette Erwin, gave several pretty numbers. Miss Frances Wise also gave a piano solo.

After the handkerchief shower, delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Mattie Bain, B. P. Boyer, J. E. Haggard, A. R. Prothro, Jack Dale, M. S. Thomas, T. D. Wiley, J. H. Sides, Charles Pridgen, L. E. McConnell and Mrs. J. E. Strong.

Publix Theaters Add Two to Staff Here

Publix theaters' employed personnel in Wichita Falls has been increased by the arrival of D. L. Johnson from Fort Smith, Ark., and C. C. Holbrook from Dallas this week.

Mr. Johnson, who has been with the Publix system for a long period, will have charge of the Olympic theater, and also will be advertising manager for all local Publix theaters, it was announced. Mr. Holbrook comes from the Brannon studios of Dallas to do poster art work for the Majestic theater, according to Victor B. Lowrey, manager.

Two Killed When Train Strikes Motor Truck

TRINIDAD, Colo., Dec. 18. (INS)—Foster Rosebush and Roy Faust, employed by the Helium Company, Inc., at Thatcher, north of here, were instantly killed today when a truck they were driving was struck by an eastbound Santa Fe railroad train near here.

Indications were that the men failed to see the approaching train and drove onto a grade crossing.

The Helium company is a New Jersey corporation supplying helium gas to the United States government for dirigible ships.

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ALTUS DEBATE SCHEDULE MADE

Six Verbal Bouts Planned For Season

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Six teams of the Southwestern Oklahoma conference will be met by the Altus debaters in the schedule just completed for this season, according to announcement here. These teams will be met on three different dates.

The Altus affirmative will go to Snyder to meet the negative team there Feb. 18 and the Carnegie affirmative team will meet the Altus negative team here the same date for the opening debate with Altus.

The second date on which debates are scheduled for the local team is March 4 when Altus' negative will go to Hollis and the Mangum negative will come to Altus.

March 18, two debates will be held for the Altus teams when the affirmative side goes to Hobart and the negative side is met in Altus by the Frederick affirmative.

The winner of the northern division and the southern division will meet April 1 to determine the final championship team of the conference.

The entire schedule for the southern half of the conference follows:

Feb. 18, 1930

Affirmative, negative—
Hobart at Frederick.
Hollis at Hobart.
Snyder at Hollis.
Altus at Snyder.
Carnegie at Altus.
Mangum at Carnegie.
Frederick at Mangum.

March 4, 1930

Negative, affirmative—
Hollis at Frederick.
Snyder at Hobart.
Altus at Hollis.
Carnegie at Snyder.
Mangum at Altus.
Frederick at Carnegie.
Hobart at Mangum.

March 18, 1930

Affirmative, negative—
Snyder at Frederick.
Altus at Hobart.
Carnegie at Hollis.
Mangum at Snyder.
Frederick at Altus.
Hobart at Carnegie.
Hollis at Mangum.

The complete schedule for the northern half of the Southwestern Oklahoma conference is as follows:

Feb. 18, 1930

Affirmative, negative—
Cordell at Clinton.
Clinton at Elk City.
Elk City at Erick.
Erick at Sayre.
Sayre at Thomas.
Thomas at Weatherford.
Weatherford at Cordell.

March 4, 1930

Negative, affirmative—
Cordell at Elk City.
Clinton at Erick.
Elk City at Sayre.
Erick at Thomas.
Sayre at Weatherford.
Thomas at Cordell.
Weatherford at Clinton.

March 18, 1930

Affirmative, negative—
Cordell at Erick.
Clinton at Sayre.
Elk City at Thomas.
Erick at Weatherford.
Sayre at Cordell.
Thomas at Clinton.
Weatherford at Elk City.

Airport Notes

J. L. McElreath was relating a story Wednesday to his friends of a thrilling flight and a forced landing which he made Tuesday while returning to this city from Dallas. Mr. McElreath reported that a terrific windstorm struck him near Decatur and that he was barely able to bring his ship safely to earth at Bowie. The wind was tossing his ship about at will, he said. He waited at Bowie until the storm had spent its force and then took off to continue his journey to Wichita Falls, landing at Staley field. Mr. McElreath was flying a new Eaglerock OX5 which he received Sunday at the factory in Colorado Springs.

Two landings were reported at Staley field Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. George Law in a Challenger J6 landed during the morning to refuel while en route from Santa Fe, N. M., to Dallas. Roy Thrush in his Swallow OXX from Perryton, Texas, also landed Wednesday morning. He took off on the return trip after a short visit.

The administration building at the Municipal airport was reported almost completed Wednesday, only a few minor touches on the interior work remaining before the structure will be ready for occupancy. Plans are being made by the airport officials and those of the airlines and aviation companies to establish their offices in the building. Every modern convenience in addition to a general ticket office, waiting room, lounges and telephone and telegraph communications will be provided.

1,202 IN SCHOOL

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—Total enrollment of white pupils in the Frederick schools is 1,202, according to Superintendent J. O. Shaw. Enrollment by schools: Senior high 184 boys, 216 girls; junior high 86 boys, 93 girls; Whittier, 138 boys, 151 girls; Lowell, 127 boys, 122 girls; Emerson, 53 boys, 52 girls.

"PLOT" IS FRAUD

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18. (UP)—Investigation of a "plot" to kill former President Plutarco Elias Calles upon his return here today disclosed that the so-called conspiracy had no basis in fact, Mexico City officials announced.

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City Adds First Block To New Signal Zone

The first of the city's additional traffic signals was installed and in operation Wednesday at the intersection of Ninth street and Ohio avenue. Work was being done at the Tenth and Eleventh street crossings on Lamar avenue Wednesday and it was expected that these two lights would be in operation before the end of the week.

With the completion of the entire system of additional traffic lights, the city will have 25 electric signals. It will probably become necessary to add several men to the traffic department of the police force within the near future in order to keep check on the greatly increased signal area, according to Traffic Captain Johnny Sewell.

DEATHS

CLARA BYNINGTON

Clara Byington, 21, of Iowa Park, died at her home near that city about 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. The body was brought to Wichita Falls and taken in charge by the Albert's funeral home. Funeral services will be held at the grave in Riverside cemetery at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

College Head Guest At Childress Exes Banquet

Special to the Record News.

CHILDRESS, Texas, Dec. 18.—Over 30 ex-West Texas State Teachers college students took advantage of the presence of President J. A. Hill of the college to stage a get-together banquet here tonight. Guests swelled the total to over 40.

President Hill and Dr. Albert Barnett, head of the rural education department at the college, are spending a few days in Childress county visiting the rural schools. A permanent organization of Childress county ex-students resulted from the meeting. Ross A. Buckner was elected president of the organization; Miss Montie Draper, head of the public speaking department of the high school here, secretary-treasurer, and W. M. Hale, local contractor, vice president.

Rites for Mrs. Keyes Are Held at Lawton

Special to The Record News

LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Frances E. Keyes, who came to Oklahoma from Texas 35 years ago and whose span of life had extended into the 86th year, was laid to rest in Highland cemetery this afternoon, following impressive funeral services. Death occurred Tuesday night. She had resided in Lawton for the past 12 years and was widely known for her church activities. She is survived by two daughters who reside here and six grandchildren, two of whom reside in Texas, Mrs. P. A. Hope of Palo Pinto and Mrs. A. R. Pitts, Fort Worth.

Morgan Floral Co. has those beautiful Kinnikinnik wreaths from Colorado. Phone 7500.—Adv.

LOBBY LEARNS OF WAR PLANS

'Leak' Supplies Secrets Of General Staff

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (US)—Secret war plans of the United States army general staff were "leaked" to the Cuban sugar lobby here for use in their campaign against a higher sugar tariff, the senate lobby committee revealed today.

Gen. Enoch H. Crowder, former ambassador to Cuba and now a lobbyist here for the Cubans, was given as the source of this war plan information by Herbert C. Lakin, of New York, one of his fellow lobbyists.

These lobbyists were reporting their activities directly to President Machado and other officials of the Cuban government.

The "strategy" of their campaign included a drive to have congress limit the importation of Philippine sugar. In this connection, Lakin wrote on April 20 to M. C. Rionda, a New York sugar broker, a letter which astounded the committee. It read in part:

"General Crowder has written a fine memorandum on this subject. He has also learned that the plans of the general staff provide that in case of war any attempt to keep a traffic lane open between the Philippines and the United States would be promptly abandoned.

"We plan to use this memorandum and this information when we can do so to the best advantage—probably later after the matter gets into the senate."

Dallas Fugitive May Face Trial in Altus

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Possibilities that T. F. Lehman, who is being held as a fugitive from justice in Dallas, Texas, may be brought here to answer charges of obtaining money under false pretenses, were seen today. A requisition has been granted by Gov. W. J. Holloway for his return to Oklahoma. County Attorney Lonnie Yates left today for Dallas, where Lehman's hearing on fugitive charges is scheduled for Saturday.

Gov. Dan Moody will be asked to honor Lehman's requisition, in order that he may be returned here. Lehman is alleged to have represented himself as an agent for a china and hardware company to J. K. Williams, of Altus, and to have promised to deliver for a consideration of $200 a certain amount of china sets and advertising cards.

Comanche County Poultry Show Opens at Lawton

Special to The Record News

LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 18.—The 12th annual Comanche County Poultry show opened in Lawton today with approximately 300 birds on exhibition, a number of them blue ribbon winners in district and state shows. The showing of Belgian hares and Chinchilla rabbits is an added feature this year.

Drunken Man Kills Three, Wounds 3

ROMNEY, W. V., Dec. 18. (US)—Reeling with bootleg liquor, Walter Crabtree, 35, went murder-mad today.

Before he was finally taken into custody he had killed three men and wounded two women and an 11-year-old girl, all of whom he shot with a shotgun.

H. B. Inskeep, 50, justice of the peace who had sentenced him to six months in jail for possession of liquor, and Ben A. Miller, 55, who had been his jailer, were two of Crabtree's victims. The third was Asa Wolford, a world war veteran.

Two others whom Crabtree is believed to have marked for death escaped. A list of five names was found scrawled upon a sheet in his pocket. Three of the names were Inskeep, Miller and Wolford.

Crabtree laughed and joked with his captors following his arrest. It was evident that in his condition he did not realize the orgy of death in which he had indulged.

Promise of Christmas Dole Ends Rioting

FRANKFORT-ON-MAIN, Dec. 18. (US)—Seven men were seriously injured in riots which disturbed this city tonight. Police finally broke up the demonstrators when they informed the crowds the city council would grant a Christmas dole for the unemployed. Each of the jobless will receive about $3.50.

Export Debenture Plan Urged by Brookhart

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (US)—Farmers of the nation can be put on a parity with industry only through adoption of an export debenture plan, Senator Smith W. Brookhart, of Iowa, declared today.

I. C. C. Reports on Texas Rail Rate Request

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Application by railroads serving south Atlantic and gulf ports for permission to establish and continue application of export and import rates to and from those points on northwestern traffic without regard to long and short haul provisions of the interstate commerce act was favorably reported on today to the interstate commerce commission. M. L. Boat and R. V. Pitts, commission agents, recommended that the carriers be enabled to make the rates desired, in order to put the export and import business through south Atlantic and gulf ports on a par with rates through north Atlantic ports.

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POLICE REVUE PLAYS TO 1,000

'Sketches of 1930' One of Best Local Productions

(By The Record News Critic)

A crowd of almost 1,000 persons Wednesday night witnessed the presentation of "Sketches of 1930," the police relief fund benefit revue at the Memorial auditorium. The production was declared one of the best home-talent shows ever staged in Wichita Falls. Variety and color blended to make the revue a modernistic interpretation of the latest and most novel types of entertainment.

The song numbers were especially good and the dancing performances of several of the city's most talented children dancers brought prolonged applause. The entire production displayed the diligent efforts of Art LaMan, director, and the other directors to make it a worth-while revue.

A list of those taking part in the "Sketches," follows: Dale Carter, Ralph Brown, Johnnie Reed, Walter Bernard, John Flynn, Leo Malacord, Bill Farmer, Barton Dunning, Joe McMakin, James Giddings, Bob West, Orville Medford, Bob Murrell, Martin Mann, Ned McDaniel, Dick Hambrick, Marvin Lawler, Bob Godfree, C. M. Goodwin, Jack Ernest, Guy Hawkins and L. D. Lile.

The dancing chorus was composed of Goldie Combs, Evelyn Johnson, Myrna Hendrix, Winnifred Hudgens, Boots Ashton, Evelyn O'Rourke, Mildred Herring, Bernadine Stallings, Katherine Corbin, Helen Hamilton, Louise Ramey, Clara Masaier, Estena French, Lorraine Hambrick.

The girls vocal chorus included Betty Ann Taylor, Nadine Loofburrow, Huldah Cole, Betty Dean Rinehart, Virginia Rose, Frances Randolph, Kathryn Fletcher, Margaret Kendall, Lurlene Moore, Dello Gail Morgan, Doris Cook, Dorothy Hamilton, Kathryn Haggard, Anna De Busk, Theo Mae Bryne, Virginia Hogg and Babetta Joseph.

The men's vocal chorus was composed of Roland Dills, Darwood Curlee, Barney Ashton, Olan Dickey, Bob White, Johnnie White, Earl Hutchinson, Leo Davis, Ed White, Buford Hambrick, Zack Taylor, George Kelber, Paul Dickey, Clarence Elmore, Jack Pitman, Jack West, Wellcome Newman, Charles May and Roy Burgeon.

Soloists were Misses Macie McClure, Lillian McAbee and Kate Early Parker. Solo dancers were Marion Mendenhall, Elizabeth Gaffield, Faith Galmish, Anna Marie Menke, Allene Morrison and Betty Jo Wright.

Pupils of the Knickerbocker school who took part were Annette Adair, Artie Neva King, Margaret Standifforth, Vilma Pauline De Busk, Helen Marie Northcott, Betty June Hefley, Alice Hanley, Eunice Ann Lanphere and Marilynn Nolen.

Students of the Cato school in the revue were Lucile Hodge, Phyllis Lesh, Anna Fay Williams, Mary Louise Yeargin, Imogene Vallee, Ruth Elnor Bess, Onieda Reynolds, Roberta Graham, Jane Rahl, Beverly Nan Witherspoon, Betty Shaw, Jane Lesh, Mildred Eichard, Virginia Proctor, Shirley Kaufman, Doris Thorne, Erline Tate, Connie Jo Menke, Patsy Jo Keller, Dorothy Kirk, Doris Hipp, Mary Lee Buchanan, Mary Katherine Stephens, Susie Williams, Betty Bynum, Maggie Jo Bell, Frances Mayer, Ruthelene Rader and Caroline Remay.

Piano players were Misses Eleanor Pitman, Lorene Tucker, Frances Krouse, Mildred Anderson and Vilma Vaughn. The orchestra was composed of Mrs. Loraine Franklin, C. Cook, Barton Dunnins, F. Malacord, J. Schneider, H. Courcier, M. Muehlberger and E. Harrison.

Robert Crocker New Captain of De Molay

Robert Crocker was elected captain of the patrol of Hope chapter, Order of DeMolay, at the reorganization meeting and smoker held Wednesday night in the auditorium of Maskat temple. About 40 DeMolays were present at the meeting.

Other officers elected were Fred Husbands, first lieutenant; John Cameron, second lieutenant, and John Cole, secretary. B. D. Ewing was appointed drill master. Mr. Ewing has been connected with the patrol for several years and has been an active worker in the order. It was decided that meetings of the patrol would be held each first, third and fifth Wednesday night of each month. Plans for drill work will be begun when the permanent organization of the patrol has been worked out.

NEW STORE MANAGER

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—K. I. Austin of Altus arrived last week and is the new manager of the C. R. Anthony store, taking the place of C. E. Thornberg. The latter and family have moved to Okmulgee. Mr. and Mrs. Austin, their 7-year-old daughter and 2 months' old son are residing in the 400 block on South Fourteenth street.

Federal Agent Leads Seizure of Distillery

A still with a 50-gallon capacity, 100 gallons of mash and complete apparatus for the distillation and bottling of whisky were seized by federal and city prohibition officers in a raid in north Wichita Falls late Wednesday night. Two men were arrested. Federal charges will be filed Thursday morning, according to the government officer.

If names mean anything, real red whisky was, until last Tuesday, being manufactured in Hardeman county, according to the prohibition officer, who returned Wednesday from a trip in the Panhandle. He told of destroying a 100-gallon still concealed in a cave in Bearcat gulch near Devil creek in the bottoms of the Pease river. The names were suggestive of the old days of the West, when cow hands demanded their "whisky red—and straight!" No arrests were made, the case having been left in the hands of Hardeman county officers for investigation, he said.

State Officials Confer With Fee Committee

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—Representatives of county collectors, assessors, sheriffs, and county and district clerks conferred today with the committee headed by Senator Pink L. Parrish of Lubbock which will propose a limit to earnings of county officials under the fee system, and require a strict accounting of all fees collected.

R. Neil Campbell, tax collector of Bexar county, as spokesman, told the committee that the officers were anxious to cooperate.

Vasconcelos Says His Revolution Has Begun

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—The revolution to install him as president has started, and with "100 men to every gun, will be practically 'bloodless,'" Jose Vasconcelos, defeated candidate in the November election, said today before leaving for Tucson, Ariz.

Vasconcelos said he would go from Tucson to Los Angeles and spend the holidays with his family there, returning shortly after Christmas to Mexico to lead the revolt.

JAILER SAVES SIX PRISONERS

Turnkey Frees Men as Fire Threatens Cells

STILLWELL, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—Special Deputy C. G. Ashley lead six prisoners to safety early today when they were trapped by fire in a steel cell on the top floor of the Adair county courthouse.

The building, including all tax rolls, land titles and county records, burned to the ground. Loss was estimated at $40,000.

Ashley was in the building when the fire of undetermined origin broke out. He rushed to the top cell and unlocked the iron gates. The prisoners promised they would not flee.

Quickly knotting several blankets together, the seven men slid down to the ground in safety after a mishap at the first. Robert England, an Indian, fell to the ground and broke his arm when the rope ladder broke. It was repaired and the others escaped.

The six prisoners surrendered after they reached safety. Ashley was the last to leave.

Other than England, the prisoners were: Luney Goss, Silas Cribbs, Fred Kirk, John Hendricks and W. P. Weaver.

Lambert and Cherokee Banks Consolidate

CHEROKEE, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—Merger of the Farmers bank of Lambert and the Cherokee National bank, Cherokee, making the consolidated bank the largest financial institution in northwest Oklahoma, has been completed, officers announced today. National bank examiners have approved the merger, officers said.

The capital stock of the two banks will not be consolidated under terms of the combine but resources will be pooled. Paul Stokeberry, former cashier of the Lambert bank, became assistant cashier with the Cherokee National.



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Sport Coupe with rumble seat and leather upholstery. Original paint job and good tires with spare. This car is worth $895 and we are going to sell it at $278 down and the balance in 10 monthly payments of $48.64 each. SALE PRICE $695

1927 Studebaker Dictator Coupe Worth $695

Reconditioned motor, new paint, good tires, large luggage space in rear. A peach of a car, ready to go. Worth $695 and our new price is $190 down and the balance in 10 monthly payments of $35.81 each. SALE PRICE $495

1928 Studebaker Commander Six Coupe Worth $775

Practically new rubber and good spare. Good paint and fine mohair upholstery and disk wheels. Motor in good condition and this car is a genuine bargain at $226 down and the balance in 10 monthly payments of $39.90 each. SALE PRICE $565

1927 Master Six Buick Coach Worth $795

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Six good tires with fender wells and trunk rack. Motor in good condition and the upholstery is good. The paint is very good. This car worth $1195 and it's yours—ready to run—at $358 down and the balance in 10 monthly payments of $63.50 each. SALE PRICE..... $895

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New rubber, good spare, fine paint job and mohair upholstery. Has rumble seat and the motor is perfect. You'll get a real bargain that's good for many thousands of miles now for only $230 down and the balance in 10 monthly payments of $42.61 each. SALE PRICE $595

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Daily Editorial

IN 1916, DR. ROSENAU, of Harvard, at a session of the American Medical association, in Detroit, announced that the polymorphous streptococcus, theretofore regarded as a clown and mimic among microbes, was not the harmless impersonator of other germs which bacteriologists generally had thought, but a sort of Dr. Jekyll-and-Mr. Hyde, constantly changing disguises and in all probability the source of many infections that were then baffling research.

Two years later, civilization was swept by a very Attila of scourges, which slew internationals by millions, and continues to collect a heavier toll of lives than Yellow Jack, bubonic or tuberculosis.

Promptly identified as a malignant form of la grippe, the utmost resources of curative and preventive medicine were concentrated upon its check.

But laboratory inability to isolate the deadly organism has largely postponed the establishment of effective controls.

In 1923, Dr. Simon Flexner, in collaboration with the great Noguchi, prematurely stated that the mystery was in process of solution—confiding his hopes on the development of filters fine enough to sequestrate a creature too infinitesimal for then-existing equipment.

But for once Caesar seemed to have nodded. Nothing further happened from that quarter—a further case of experts on the wrong scent.

Meanwhile, a young professor—in another Rockefeller institution, the University of Chicago—Dr. Isadore S. Falk, now only 30 years old, obviously inspired by Rosenau's conclusions, proceeds on a different track, turns his lens upon the protean streptococcus and verifies his Harvard confrere's vague prognosis.

Or, translating the situation into layman English, Dr. Falk finds that the breeding ground for flu is present in everybody's membranes—always ready to cultivate a crop of wheezes, sneezes and pulmonary disorders.

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THERE'S no question of his facts—Falk has them—in a bowl of sheep broth, where he has succeeded in propagating the virulent mite—and, by swabbing the throats of various assistants, conclusively tags the handkerchief manufacturers' and undertakers' best friend.

The rest is easy. When we know what we're dealing with, it's merely a matter of time, patience and application to handle any problem.

The inoculating medium will be provided in due course—doubtless before this very winter is over.

The ancients builded better than they realized when they attributed so many magic qualities to crystal.

We can thank the Chinese for half our knowledge of everything. We owe them for printed books, cheap paper, gun powder, silk, and at least 50 per cent of the ingenuities credited to races who simply adopted their notions and patented them in history, under thieves' names.

A valuable people, the Chinese—they furnish so many examples for the edification of our young folk.

Studying the story of the kingdom which had the knack of laying hands on principles, and of never profiting from any opportunity—we can the easier demonstrate the difference between originating a good idea and getting the full benefit of it.

The Chinaman was centuries ahead of everybody else in ascertaining the strange qualities inherent in the lens, and, true to form, used it for a play-toy and fortune-telling gazing ball—instead of creating telescope and microscope.

It's one thing to have, and another to hold an advantage. The thorough alone inherit the earth and overcome its devastations.

Builds Big Bridge

MONTREAL.—One of the largest bridges in Canada is about ready for its formal opening. It is the Montreal South Shore bridge, which is two miles long and has accommodations for vehicular, street cars and pedestrian traffic. There is room for four cars abreast. The longest is 1,937 feet.

Mrs. Gladys Eye of Chicago told a judge Dr. Charles H. Eye was still married to Mrs. Doris Eye when he married her. Well, three eyes are a bit unusual.

Modern dancers that are not too heavy on their feet are not so bad as those who are too heavy on their partners'.

A pedestrian does not have to apply for a license, but often uses one.

Talking motion pictures are proposed by a minister to swell the attendance in the church. Maybe one plan might be to offer a course of golf lessons on Sunday mornings.

What some after-dinner speakers need is not a watch—but a calendar.

Advocates of early shopping advise us to be on our toes. Might just as well—everybody else is on 'em.

The department of labor says 500,000 Americans have moved to foreign lands in the last 12 years. That's abroad statement. And it's one case where it wasn't cheaper than paying rent.

It's fine for little folks to go sledding now, if they don't try to coast through life when they grow up.

In Pennsylvania's compulsory inspection, 1,322,000 autos were found to require repairs. Now it wouldn't be a bad idea to inspect the drivers.

Oftentimes holding hands can result in a misdeal.

Women are not going in for business life more, says a writer, because they cannot endure being shut up in an office. You can't shut them up at home, either.

The latest fur neckpiece style has the animal holding a rouge compact in its mouth. It can swallow it as far as we're concerned.

We'll Keep Ours, Thank You

"THE GENTLEMAN AT THE KEY HOLE," official observer for this and that for Collier's magazine, finds material for a column of comment in a recent issue of the work of Senator Sheppard of Texas. He concludes that while the Texan is not a great senator, he is the most thorough "little senator" of any in the upper house of congress. Senator Sheppard's chief work is retaining office, Collier's asserts, and his voice is seldom heard on important questions of the hour.

While Senator Sheppard needs no defense from key hole comments, there are times when Texas is grateful that the senator is what he is, and still would be grateful if he deserved no better estimation than that given by the Collier's writer. When we observe that the "king lobbyist" of them all, Joseph Grundy, is now senator from Pennsylvania, we feel kind of proud that Senator Sheppard, as the magazine asserts, is not above running helpful errands for the common people who may be among his constituents. When Senator Heflin of Alabama takes the floor of the upper house to be heard on some of the momentous questions before congress, Texans can be thankful that the senator is the "gentleman from Alabama" and not from Texas. Senator Sheppard's meticulous regard for what is proper and fitting seems a fine thing as compared to the record of Senator Bingham, who allowed a manufacturer's representative in secret sessions of the tariff committee as his personal secretary.

It is quite likely that Collier's may have Senator Sheppard's "number" in the belief of the remainder of the nation. It is also quite likely that Texas will continue to be pretty well satisfied with its choice so long as the senate continues to exhibit its current brand of statesmanship.

Jonah and the Whale

JONAH and the whale cost another educator his job. Dr. Horace Calvin Day, professor of biology at Howard college, a Baptist institution near Birmingham, Ala., made this comment while addressing his class:

"There are some people so ignorant they still believe Noah crowded two of each species of animals into the ark during the flood. During my years of biological experience I have studied two kinds of whale and found it is impossible for either of them to swallow a man whole and anyway, no man can live inside a whale. These references seem illogical, but God is logical."

Dr. Horace Calvin Day is out in the cold world as the holiday season draws near. President John G. Dawson of the college fired the young professor who refused to believe the story that a whale swallowed Jonah.

Dr. Day has a Ph.D. degree from Leland Stanford university. He holds a A. B. degree from Lawrence university. He is without a job but he has excellent prospects. He has been offered positions, one coming from Leland Stanford university and the other from the University of Indiana.

Dr. Day made a mistake. Noah crowded two of each species of animals, which included the whale family, into his ark during the flood. Perhaps the third of the whale species traveled alone, ark or no ark, and survived the flood. It is impossible for a professor to know it all.

Another Billion Dollar Bank Merger

ANOTHER billion-dollar bank merger has taken place in the city of Chicago—the amalgamation of the Foreman Brothers bank and the State bank, the new institution to be known as the Foreman's State National bank.

Transfer of truck loads of glittering coin from the two old banks to the new banks did not arouse the hostility of gunmen, hijackers, racketeers or million-dollar rum runners.

There is a real Chicago which stands for peace and prosperity and a papier mache Chicago which is the Chicago of the fiction makers.

Chicago has its criminals and the daily readers of the Texas newspapers knows to a certainty that there are as many killers in Texas per capita of population as the court records of the second American city on the banks of Lake Michigan disclose to an impartial searcher for truth.

Quotations Worth Noting

"Dictatorship is always merely an aria, never an opera."—Emil Ludwig.

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"I do not count unlaid eggs."—Prof. Albert Einstein.

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"I am not governed by principals; I am inspired."—Bernard Shaw.

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"A bad conversationalist always talks about the things that interest him, and not about the things that interest others."—Ben W. Levy.

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"In large cities, people can hide themselves when they want to; in small places, they can hide only their sentiments."—Leonard Ide.

WALTER WINCHELL

On Broadway

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Things I Never Knew Till Now

That there is such a scarcity of women in Tibet that in many parts of the country one woman is the wife of several men.

That Winchell Smith is the richest playwright in the world.

That Mickey Seiden, the gel in the Marlow Murder case is in the touring "Whoopee" of which Al Siegel (who was also innocently mixed up in it) is the stage manager.

That the way to tell if your gold-back $100 bill is good is to rub the gold side on paper and the gold will come off.

That William "Sherlock Holmes" Gillette operates his own miniature railroad choo-choo on his Connecticut estate.

That when they play the National Anthem in Britain even the actors in their dressing rooms must stand at attention.

That Olga Petrove's real name is Muriel Harding.

That Tina Meller (Raquel's sister) found a robin in her hotel room one day which she fed and now it follows her wherever she goes. And that when Tina comes here with Arch Selwyn's "Wake Up and Dream" show, she will also be the lone attraction (besides the orchestra) at the Central Park Casino.

That Police Commissioner Whalen who has the whitest molars in town has never had an offer to advertise them in the dentrifice ads.

That Lon Chaney's parents were deaf mutes.

That Greta Garbo's real name isn't Garbo Gustavson, but Greta Gustafssen, the Garbo name being suggested by Mauritz Stiller, who discovered her.

That there are two Plaza hotels in New York. The other a less expensive place is on the Bowery.

That the sec'y for the White House News Protographers' Ass'n in Washington resents the remarks here that the P. & A. representative prevented other hocus-focus men from snapping shots of Harry F. Sinclair leaving jail, and that the ankle camera stunt (which got that Ruth Snyder in the electric chair picture) failed when focused on the privileged Sinclair.

That, according to the offended Washington group the P. & A. man did not threaten his confreres if they took a picture of Sinclair coming out of the jail but that all concerned were satisfied with the arrangements. What we resent is the rich Sinclair getting the break that less influential men like you, you, you and I would hardly rate.

That one of the hottest jazz bands in Europe plays at the Hotel Tokatlyan in Const . . . Constan . . . Constanti, oh, in Turkey!

That during the first day of her married life a Korean bride must not speak—even to her husband.

That fish turn pale in sickness, and that when they are frightened or mad as anything at you they erect their scales in the fashion that hair stands upon terror-stricken animals.

That the Theater Guild, which is keeping it a secret, has purchased Denney's "Lysistrata," never done here in English.

That in Boston it is against the law to play music after 2 a. m., or after midnight on Saturdays.

That the Shubert theaters on the road (except in Chicago) are closing down until after Christmas, which gives you a rough idea.

That postage stamps that have stuck together can be separated by placing a hot iron on them. This melts the gum, allowing them to be pulled apart.

That there are no plums in plum pudding—the stuff contains raisins, currants and other bleh-bleh.

That in the play "Cross Roads," vanity case, the only clue to an accident witness' identity, was blissfully handed over to an unofficial person. This never happens in real life—for less than $5,000.

Abe Martin

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One would think that a great big brainy nation like ours, with its matchless statesmen, writers an' inventors, would figure out some other way to help the farmer 'cept by loanin' him money. "I don't believe I'd like to live in great big jakey New York where they're green enough to pay $2 to see a movin' picture," said Lon Moon, today.

DAVID BRANCH'S DAILY FILOSOFY

"He who seeks something for nothing usually gets nothing for something."

The law of compensation is as definite as the law of gravity or any other universal law and balance is essential to harmony in all things.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - By Robert L. Ripley



SEND IN YOUR OWN "BELIEVE IT OR NOT" AND GET RIP'S BOOK!

Everyone must have encountered in his own experience some unique person, event or fact which would be an excellent subject for Robert L. Ripley's "Believe It or Not" cartoon. Readers are invited to send such suggestions to Mr. Ripley through this newspaper. Every suggestion must be accompanied by references or proofs that will authenticate it. For every suggestion he accepts Mr. Ripley will give an autographed copy of his book, "Believe It or Not." All that is necessary to get the book is to watch for the Ripley cartoon in which your winning suggestion appears, clip the cartoon from this paper and send it to Mr. Ripley in care of The Record News.

Marriage for Two--By Arthur Somers Roche

THIS HAS HAPPENED

Shortly after an interview in which Helen Wilson tells Larry Tracy that she wishes to break their engagement so that she can marry the wealthy, middle-aged Frank Burton, and Larry swears, in pique, to marry the first girl who will have him, he rescues from a park bench a starved but beautiful girl, Joyce Carroll.

A few days later they are married, agreeing that the marriage shall in reality be nothing more than a friendship.

Shortly they sail for Biarritz, where Joyce gains great popularity and—where Larry finds himself falling in love with her despite evidence of her strange past. A man named Ratty Rogan, in New York, tries unsuccessfully to tell Larry something of his wife and in Biarritz Joyce gives 40,000 francs to a woman of the demimonde and tells Larry she lost the money at the gambling tables.

During a party given by Billy Valdemagara, a red-headed Spaniard and Larry's best friend, Larry comes on Helen Wilson on a high cliff overlooking the sea, and, feeling all his old love for her revived, takes her in his arms. They are seen by Paul Weedon, who threatens to spread the story. Larry goes at once to tell Joyce and is suddenly overwhelmed by the realization that it is Joyce he loves, not Helen. Joyce, however, refuses to credit his love for her.

The Police!

A couple of hours after he had met her, Tracy had seen this girl, who was now his wife, in bed. As she stared up at him now he saw something that had not been in her eyes, when, starving, she had intrusted herself to his care. Then he had marveled at the courage that could summon mockery to the black eyes with the deep shadows beneath them. She had even jested at the fact that she, who had spoken of her virtue, should have been in his bedroom an hour later.

That was because, he knew, she had trusted him, had no fear of him. But now there was stark alarm in her expression. The intimacies that had sprung up between them since their marriage, intimacies that despite their strange bargain necessarily arose between two who traveled in the same suite on an ocean liner, who shared the same hotel apartment and villa, had never frightened her.

But this morning—yesterday morning it had become—he had underminded her confidence in him. Gifted with a knack of self-analysis, he had little understanding of the ways of others. Further, he was romantic, the sort of man who must enshrine the object of his love. It was this that had held him back, always, from sordid affairs with women. And one does not learn about women, unfortunately, from avoidance of them. The spectator may learn the rules, but he does not learn to play the game.

Always examining into his own heart, questioning his own motives, he had great incapacity for understanding the motives of others. Chivalry, after all, unhappy though the realization may be, consists usually of one part decency to nine parts of unsophistication.

For, had Larry Tracy been able to look coldly at the spectacle of himself and Joyce, he would have said that she was deliberately provocative. When normal people enter in an abnormal arrangement they must act abnormally if the arrangement is to persist. But Joyce breakfasted with Larry in her own dressing or bedroom. he let him see her in various stages of negligee that did not tend to decrease her charm. She was either the most natural woman that ever breathed, or else she was a most deliberate coquette, but he, being what he was, merely thought her natural. He believed that her trust in him was so profound that it never entered her pretty head that he would think of violating their agreement.

Her limp coldness in his embrace yesterday morning had tended to confirm this belief of his, and now the horror in her eyes made this belief more definite.

He felt an ache of self-pity. Yesterday morning she might have thought that she was rejecting something unworthy of him and her, but when, at the Reserve tonight, he had told her of his love, that should have convinced her that he would never again offer her anything less than all a man could offer.

Did one impulsive kiss damn a man? Was he, who professed to have suffered at the hands of men, so quick to judge? Pity for himself gave way to quick resentment at her misunderstanding of his visit, and that, in turn gave way to the situation.

"Understand?" he repeated.

"They Know You Struck Him?"

Her first impression seemed to leave her. The fear in her eyes gave way to bewilderment. Then their black depths lightened as the fog of sleep rolled away. She sat up in bed, drawing closer an open pajama collar.

"Weedon is dead?" she said.

"Murdered, Billy says," he told her.

"And you—you want me to deny that I was out on the cliff?"

He nodded.

"But why," she demanded. "What possible difference does it make whether I was out there or not?" Then an interpretation of his excited insistence came to her, and she laughed aloud. "Surely you don't think I murdered him?"

"Good God, no," he exclaimed. "But the French police . . ."

"You mean they'll think so? Larry, don't be ridiculous. Why should they think that?"

"I don't know that they'll think anything," he protested. "But—the scandal—they'll ask questions, be suspicious . . ."

"What scandal? Oh!" she colored slightly, "you mean that his seeing you with Helen Wilson. . . ."

The agony in his eyes made her stop in the middle of the sentence.

"I mean that he told about seeing us," he blurted. "The police probably know all about that; or why would they be on their way here? They've seen Billy—questioned him—if you say you were out on the cliff. . . ."

She eyed him closely. "Do they know that you struck him?"

"Probably," he admitted.

"Then you don't want them to know that you were out there and found me?"

He looked reproachfully at her.

"Please, Joyce. You know I wouldn't ask you to lie to save me from anything."

Some imp of perversity prompted her response.

"How do I know that? A man who will go to the woman who jilted him, makes a spectacle of himself for all Biarritz—"

"Now that," he interrupted, "is the first unworthy thing I've ever heard you say."

"How do you know it's unworthy? And unworthy of whom—and what? Unworthy of you? How do I know what's worthy of you? And how do you know what's unworthy of me?"

"How do I know," he countered, "that the sun will rise in the morning?"

"For 3 o'clock in the morning—it's about that, isn't it?—that is a pretty speech," she smiled. "Well, for a man who can be gallant at such an hour, one must make concessions. It was unworthy of me, Larry. I know you're not trying to protect yourself from any accusation. At least," her eyes narrowed, "I wouldn't want to think so, Larry, you didn't by any chance kill Weedon, did you?"

"I'd Comit Perjury—"

"If you know I'm not trying to protect myself from an accusation, why do you ask that question?" he inquired.

"I don't know," she replied. "I shouldn't have. Only—"

"Suppose I had killed Weedon?" he asked.

Her reply frightened him, almost, in its intensity.

"Then," she said, "I would commit every perjury for you."

"You'd do that?" He could not keep amazement from his tones.

"Why not?" she retorted.

"Why!" was all he could counter.

She shrugged slightly, and threw strain away from her as lightly as she might have discarded a cloak.

"After all, you know," she reminded him, "we're married to each other."

"But perjury—Joyce, do you—care for me?"

She laughed and none who overheard the gayety of her voice could have dreamed that a moment ago it had been searing in its intensity.

"Larry, what a child you are! Wouldn't any woman lie to save her husband from the charge of murder? After all, to be a murderer's wife—or widow—is not exactly an entrancing prospect."

"So that's it?" His voice was adolescent in its hurt surprise.

"Well, it could hardly be the other, could it?" she jibed.

If, for a moment or so, she had seemed to lose command of the situation, she was mistress of it now. He wondered, vaguely, if there would ever arise any occasion in her life when she would admit defeat, when she would be so far from mockery—of herself and of life itself—that she would be unable to inject into any situation her own gay, defiant courage. For even when she had been starving, there had been savage mockery of herself in her speech.

The Alarm

He abandoned side issues.

"You'll say you weren't out there, then?"

She shook her head.

"Larry, you want to avoid scandal, don't you?"

"That's pretty evident," he said stiffly.

"But you can't, my dear boy. We can't. Weedon told too many people—I'm not chiding, or scolding, or reminding you now—but the fact is that practically every one at the Reserve tonight knows that you and Helen—well, knows about it. And be sure that all of them didn't resent Weedon as Billy Valdemagara did."

"What did he do?" demanded Larry quickly.

"What you did struck Weedon."

"Did he tell you?"

She thought a moment.

"No-o, he didn't exactly say so. At least, I don't remember that he said it in so many words. Perhaps he did, though. Anyway, his head was bleeding and—he didn't deny it when I guessed. Why?" The question was an after-thought prompted by his strange expression.

"I don't know—Billy struck him, eh? When was that, do you know?"

"Before we went swimming. At least, he told me about it before we went to the Casino. Larry, you aren't thinking—"

"I don't know what I'm thinking," he interrupted.

"Billy isn't the type to do murder," she said.

"I haven't said he was, have I?" She was exasperated.

"Larry, say what you do or don't mean, please," she cried.

"But I'm telling you—I'm too bewildered. Of course, Billy didn't do it. But—some one did, and—"

Through the house reverberated the tones of a bell. Rosaurie's owners had not been able to resist, at some antique shop in nearby Bayonne, the attractions of a bell that once had graced some monastery high in the Pyrenees. They had placed it, most incongruously, in the arched doorway of the villa. No one ever used it. An obvious electric button drew the modern finger even more quickly than the ancient bell drew the beauty-loving eye.

But tonight some one was lifting the great clapper and letting it swing against the brazen sides. Joyce thought the high-flown passages in romantic literature where bells heralded doom . . .

"What on earth is that?" she gasped.

On the door of Larry's room sounded excited knocking. He called a question, received a reply and turned to Joyce. But she had caught the words, "Monsieur le Prefect," and understood them.

(Continued in Friday's Issue)

The Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

The Telephone Sea Chanties

(Now possible to phone ships at sea.—News item).

(After Allen Cunningham)

A wet sheet and a flowing sea,
A wind that follows fast
And fills the white and rustling sail
And bends the gallant mast;
And bends the gallant mast, my boys,
While like . . . oh, pardon me . . .
I hear the phone bell ringing and
I guess the call's for me.

Oh for a soft and gentle wind!
I heard a fair one cry;
But give to me the howling breeze
And white waves heaving high;
And white waves heaving high, my boy,
The good ship . . . damn it all!
That phone is ringing once again,
I'll have to take the call.

There's tempest in the horned moon
And lightning in yon cloud;
And hark the music, mariners!
The wind is piping loud;
The wind is piping loud, my boys,
Oh, listen to its moan . . .
I would but I must answer, boys,
The blank-blank telephone!

(After John Masefield)

I must go down to the seas again to the lonely sea and the sky,
And all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by;
And the wheel's kick and the wind's song and the white gulls winging—
And a gray mist on the sea's face, and a phone bell ringing.

I must go down to the seas again, for the call of the running tide
Is a wild call and a clear call that cannot be denied;
And all I ask is a windy day with a strong breeze moaning
And the flung spray and the blown spume, and the telephoning.

I must go down to the seas again, to the vagrant gypsy life,
To the gull's way and the whale's way where the wind's like a whetted knife,
And all I ask is a merry yarn and the right to choose it,
And a night call on the ship's phone and a "Please excuse it."

No Sunday Drivers, Either

Soviet Russia has abolished Sunday, the idea being, no doubt, to avoid the automobile congestion found in more civilized countries.

How It Must Be Done

Clerk—There's a man outside to see you.

Employment manager of department store: What's he look like?

Clerk—He's very tall and thin, quite emaciated, cross-eyed, red-headed and has an enormous red mustache.

Employment manager — Good! He's just the type for our store Santa Claus.

Today in Texas History

DECEMBER 19

1836—Act of congress of the republic declared the Texas boundary to extend to source of Rio Grande, thereby including parts of present New Mexico, Colorado and Kansas.

1937—Frank Hardin was appointed by President Houston surveyor for Liberty county.

1859—Death of Mirabeau B. Lamar, veteran of San Jacinto, and third president of Texas republic.

George E. Huckins Eludes Pursuers

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Dec. 18. (INS)—George E. Huckins of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, wanted by Cedar Rapids authorities in connection with the investigation of a mysterious business which paid investors from 26 to 52 per cent interest, played a hide-and-seek game with local officers today.

Deputy Sheriff William Payne, who was requested yesterday to arrest Huckins, expected Huckins to surrender at noon today. When Payne appeared at the hotel where Huckins and his nurse registered two days ago, Huckins was not to be found.

Dr. J. M. Baird, local physician, who admitted he had been treating Huckins for a "serious ailment" intimated that Huckins was "near at hand."

"Mr. Huckins is in no condition to be taken any place," Dr. Baird said.

Contracts for 14 Road Jobs Made

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18 (UP)—The state highway commission today let 14 contracts for grading, drainage and bridge work, rejected all bids on one project and held two projects in abeyance.

The project on which all bids were rejected was on three-fourths of a mile of grading and drainage in Wagoner and Rogers counties on state highway No. 11. Commissioners said these bids were above the estimates.

One of the projects held in abeyance was the building of three bridges on highway 41 in Washita county. The other was grading and drainage work on four and one-half miles on highway 10 in Pushmataha county. The latter project was held in abeyance as protestants of the proposed route obtained a restraining order in Oklahoma county court. Hearing was set for Saturday.

Safety Zones Called Menace in Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 18. (INS)—The safety zone in front of St. Mary's hospital where a motorist killed another person who darted out for a street car was the object of much discussion today among city officials, who are seeking a way to check the rapidly rising toll of deaths at this spot in the city.

Mrs. W. H. D. Burgess, 55, died soon after being struck by the automobile of William H. Kinley, 19, who stopped immediately.

EARTH TREMOR

TOKYO, Dec. 12. (AP)—The seismograph at the Tokyo central observatory today registered a distant heavy earthquake lasting two hours and believed to be in the direction of the Aleutian Islands.



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COTTON PALACE GRIDIRON GROOMED FOR SATURDAY GAME

The Sportlight

By GRANTLAND RICE

The Interfering Back

"Why, Oh, why, don't writers give more space and attention to the 'interfering back' in football?" asks F. G. "He makes the ball carrier. He is responsible for most of the runs."

Which is true enough. You can put it down often enough that this axiom stands: "For football players, look in front of the ball." For example, Ralph Welch of Purdue, was certainly as valuable as any back in the country this last fall. Welch could run, block, kick and pass—which he did. But it was his value as an interfering, road-clearing back that made so many coaches wish they had him in place of star ball carriers. Welch weighed well over 200 and he could clear the way for a troop. "That big Texan," said Dick Hanley of Northwestern, "could go out and hunt bears with his fists."

Good interfering backs are far rarer than good ball carriers. Rockne and Notre Dame usually have the highest sort of quality along this line and this accounts for a big part of Notre Dame's success—this and able line play. One fine interfering back can make an average ball carrier look like a star.

"Give me a Pest Welch," remarked Hanley, "and I won't worry about the ball carriers."

The Left Hand in Golf

Golf is a two-handed game, but to most golfers the left hand and left arm are merely ornaments, not to be employed in directing traffic.

The average golfer always thinks he is using his left hand and arm; in fact, he is sure of it, but about 98 per cent of them don't. They may let the left side start to do some work, but when the down swing starts the left side usually collapses as the stronger hand and arm, hitting forward, take over most of the job. Correct use of the left hand, in team play with the right, is one of the foundations of correct swinging which few follow. And yet without this fundamental the swing has almost no chance of producing anything worth banking on.

Covering a Championship

Note: George Ade shows his idea of how two other writers would have written about Purdue's recent conference triumph:

Abe Martin—Ex Pash hez got a boy named Orville thet's got to be a synthetic Soph'more ever since he went one term to Mohler's Barber College in Chicago. He's got an $8 Ford thet he bought from the Elite Garage; two dollars down and six dollars mebbe. Him an' Artie Fluhart painted th' ole bus up with a lot o' wise cracks an' went to LaFayette to see Purdue wallored around in th' mud by Loway, both of 'em bein' anti-Purdue an' loyal to old Mohler. All the way from Lebanon on they whizzed along on two patches an' two rims, arrivin' in time to git some dandy standing room out toward Montmorenci. They couldn't make out the players, but they heard both bands. Orve wore a rabbit coat, a fried-egg hat an' some ribbons he got off a box o' candy, the Mohler colors bein' blood-red an' talcum. He looked so blamed much like one o' them frat boys thet a dry sleuth watched him all afternoon, hopin' to git sutbin' on him. It seems that Orve wuz a little lumpy around the hips, but that wuz his lunch. After he got home, the followin' Tuesday, he reported thet th' Purdue line wuz too heavy for our boys.

George Ade—Once there was a school that boasted a Football Team, but for a matter of Thirty Years the Boasting came in September and the Weeping was done in November.

The Band was good all the Time, but the Team usually ran out of Reserves in the first Quarter and was then gradually reduced to Hamburger. The boys could throw a Scare into Stagg every Fall, but they were always in the Cellar when it came time to figure Percentages.

Finally a square-jawed little Irishman got them to one Side and explained that the Idea was not to hold the Enemy to a Low Score, but to make so many Touch-Downs that the Opposition would become non-plussed and discouraged. The Players hadn't thought of that before. So they casually rared up and won the Big Ten Championship.

And all of the Crape-Hangers came out of their Caves and said "Well, we finally put it over."

Moral: If you want to be Popular, be Invincible."

Speed and Balance

"I don't get your idea," writes K H. F., "about speed and balance being directly related. I can't see what they have in common. Speed is getting somewhere in a hurry. Balance is being able to control one's actions."

For one example, suppose you spin a top. While the top is whirling at top speed its balance is perfect. The faster it spins the more upright it remains. But watch the top when the speed of the spinning begins to die away. It begins to wobble, off balance, before it finally falls over.

Balance must always be connected with the idea of motion, not of fixed stability or immovability.

"There is one thing about these fouls in the ring," comments an on-looker. "They bring the fights to a quicker finish and when you figure how terrible most of these boxers or fighters are these sudden finishes are a great help."

ADVERTISE IT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18. (US)—While the Northwest and eastern states shivered and shook, citizenry of this southland city basked in the warmth of old sol today.

Art material. Decorators Co.—Adv.

FOREIGN TEAMS WILL BATTLE

Historic Events Pulled In Waco

WACO, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—The historic Cotton Palace gridiron, scene of more championship high school battles than any similar plot of grass in the state, is being groomed for Saturday's title bout between the Breckenridge Buckaroos and Port Arthur Yellowjackets.

It will seem strange for a yellow-jerseyed Waco eleven not to be among those present when Referee "Dutch" Meyer blows the starting whistle. The Tigers, eliminated by Breckenridge last week, will be forced to sit in the stands and watch two sturdier teams tussle across the turf they have defended so well for 10 years.

Some Past History

Not since the interscholastic league was organized has a Tiger eleven been defeated at the Cotton Palace. In 1926 and 1927 the Bengals brought Oak Cliff and Abilene here to defeat them in the state finals. All that, however, is past history, and two "foreign" teams will dig their cleats into the home field of the Tigers Saturday.

The game here will mark the fourth time that a state championship bout has been played on neutral ground. Waco and Abilene played at Fort Worth in 1922, and the following year at Dallas. Back in 1920 Cleburne and Houston Heights fought to a scoreless tie at Austin.

Vast Crowds Expected

Great interest is being shown in the schoolboy classic here. The crowd is expected to be almost as large as if Waco was represented on the field. The fans are interested particularly in seeing the Buckaroos, who put the Tigers out of the picture. Officials of the game are receiving many requests for tickets from points throughout the state.

Sentiment here favors Breckenridge to win the state title, but a majority of observers expect it to be closely fought. Breckenridge will have a slight weight advantage.

Officials chosen for the game are "Dutch" Meyer, T. C. U.; Harry Viner, Missouri; Charlie Braun, Sewanee, and L. C. Proctor, T. C. U.

JACKETS DRILLED TO MEET BUCKAROO ATTACK

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Coach Tom Dennis put his Yellow Jacketed charges, contenders for the state high school crown, through their first and only stiff scrimmage today against the reserves, who had been drilled in the Breckenridge Buckaroos' plays.

Thursday he will give them a light workout before time for leaving for Waco.

A light workout on the Cotton Palace gridiron Friday afternoon will close their training period.

Jacket Star Injured

Although Dewitt Knight, Jacket candidate for all-state end, is still on the injured list, it is believed that he will be in condition to take his place in the starting lineup Saturday. Minor injuries, suffered in the Denton game here last Saturday, prevented Dennis from scrimmaging his charges yesterday. Clifford Domingue, Jacket quarter, was back in uniform and will be in perfect condition by Saturday.

Manuel Iglesias, halfback, Jackson Moore, giant 265-pound guard, and Don Blanton, reserve linesman, have returned to uniform for the first time in two weeks. All three were cut from the squad for jumping classes.

A special train, leaving here early Saturday morning, will bring at least 500 Port Arthur fans to Waco. Aboard this train will be the pep squad and the Maroon and Gold bands.

HOLIDAY AIR RATES

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (US)—Special holiday rates of round trips for one-way fares were announced tonight by the Universal Aviation corporation.

Motor cars, hitherto banned, are to be allowed on the Island of St. Helena.

Framed photographs. Decorators.—Adv.

Aggie-Husker Game Next Fall Renews Coaches' Feud Between Bible and Bell

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Dec. 18.—Though the Texas Aggie-Nebraska Cornhusker game at Lincoln, Neb., next fall will be the first gridiron meeting in history between the two schools, to Matty Bell and Dana X. Bible, coaches of the rival elevens, it will mean the renewal of a football feud which began in 1924 and which continued uninterrupted until the past season.

The gridiron rivalry between the two mentors began six years ago when Bell was head coach of the Texas Christian Horned Frogs and Bible, coach of the Texas Aggies. The first interruption came with the past season when Bell came to Aggieland to replace Bible, who had resigned to take up his duties as head coach of the Cornhuskers.

Victories Scored

In that five-year period, though the Aggies won two Southwest conference championships, they were able to defeat the Horned Frog charges of Bell only one time, that on their first meeting in 1924. The Horned Frogs scored two victories over Coach Bible's elevens and two of the games were played to tied scores. The T. C. U. victories came in 1925, when the Aggies won the Southwest championship, and in 1928, Bible's last year at A. & M. and Bell's last at T. C. U. In 1926 and 1927 the scores were tied although the 1927 Bible team, which is still acclaimed the strongest eleven in the history of the Southwest, won the conference title.

Changed Locations

In each of these games Coach Bell's charges were rated the underdogs by a majority of the scribes and critics of the Southwest, and it will be interesting to note whether the "jinx" his T. C. U. teams had over Bible's elevens will hold now that both coaches have changed locations.

Interest for S. W.

The game will likely hold particular interest for Southwest conference fans in that it will be the first time that Bible has ever opposed the Texas Aggies. The veteran mentor was coach of the Aggies 11 years, during which time he brought five Southwest conference titles to Aggieland and put College Station on the map of the football world. This year, his first at Nebraska, he won the Big Six championship.

Three Title Games

The Aggies' game with Nebraska will be one of the three they play against teams who this year won championships in their conferences. The Tulane Greenies, who nosed the A. & M. gridsters out, 13-10, early in the past season, were the undefeated and untied champions of the Southern conference. The Aggies will meet them as a feature of the opening day of the State fair of Texas at Dallas next year. The third championship team on the 1930 A. & M. schedule is T. C. U., winner of the Southwest title this year, with whom the Bellmen are scheduled to open the conference season. These three games will be played on consecutive Saturdays.

Bowlers Roll Big Tallies Wednesday At Spudder Alleys

The Producers Creamery bowlers outbowled the Ludlam & Riggs topplers for three straight games Wednesday night at the Spudder alleys. Cinderella Boot Shop was also good and took three games without missing a roll from Huff Insurance. Buick company bowlers were not to be outdone and humbled the Ferguson Ice cream rollers for straight victories.

Swede Johnson of Buick company was high three point game man with a grand total of 680 points. Harry Davis of Cinderella had high singe game with 264 points.

Producers Creamery

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Total
Bevel	214	145	209	568
Stokes	148	155	146	449
Deitrich	211	134	174	519
Donohoe	164	196	182	542
Lundien	174	178	183	535
Handicap	64	64	64	192
Totals	975	872	958	2,805

Ludlam & Riggs

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Total
Turgeon	157	137	162	456
Stewart	206	211	180	597
McGregor	191	171	182	544
Christie	179	164	174	517
Laughlin	203	179	229	611
Totals	936	862	927	2,725

Cinderella Boot Shop

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Total
Katz	146	146	162	454
Flake	150	228	186	564
Ehlert	170	174	180	524
Davis	254	171	179	604
Galloway	152	163	197	512
Totals	872	882	904	2,658

Huff Insurance Company

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Tota.
Jennings	121	169	180	470
Straw	138	145	163	446
Coffey	185	166	165	516
Burch	154	143	155	452
Merkle	145	162	182	489
Handicap	32	32	32	96
Totals	775	817	877	2,469

Ferguson Ice Cream Company

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Total
Mount	151	163	151	465
Reed	147	155	160	462
Riggins	149	143	178	470
Coulter	109	156	135	400
Sternberg	158	159	146	493
Handicap	12	12	12	36
Totals	736	788	782	2,326

Buick

Players—	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	Total
Langford	148	166	148	462
Ellis	174	174	138	486
Allen	160	130	133	423
Kurtz	214	180	198	592
Johnson	211	240	224	680
Totals	907	895	841	2,643

CITY LEAGUE
Standing

Teams—	G	W	L	Pct.
Hub Clothing	24	15	9	.625
Elks Club	24	14	10	.583
Producers Creamery	27	15	12	.555
Buick	27	14	13	.518
Ludlam Riggs	27	14	13	.518
Cinderella Boot Shop	27	13	14	.481
Huff Insurance	27	13	14	.481
Oil Magnates	24	11	13	.458
Ferguson Ice Cream	27	12	15	.444
Spectralite, Inc.	24	8	16	.333

Burk High Grid Team to Play Team of Former Stars

BURKBURNETT, Texas, Dec. 18.—One of the most outstanding treats for the people of Burkburnett during the Christmas holidays will be a football contest between Coach N. P. Craig's high school gridsters and former members of the team and business men of the town. The former star gridders and men of the town who wish to join the squad are combining their efforts to down the moderns. The following aspirants will probably compose the ancient makeup: Rex Gilmore, Harvey Moore, Mitchell Wolfe, Johnny McDonald, Bill Harding, Butler Westerfield, Rev. Hubert A. Allen and Douglas Tiffin, former members of the high school teams; H. R. Hayes, S. E. Crissey, D. J. Carey, Jack Jordan, F. T. Felty, Fuzzy Jordan, William Thomas, Bob Coyle, Walt Burgess, Dewey Pence, Roy Coburn and Milt Gleason, business men of the town.

The high school team will be strengthened at this game, with Coach Craig and Jesse Johnson in the squad.

Milk is an essential part of the diet of little children.

Wall paper sale. Decorators.—Adv.

ARMY TEAM IS OFF FOR COAST

Special Train Carries 150 Aboard

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 18. (UP)—Army's varsity football team boarded its special train here today, plunged into a murky fog, and soon will emerge in the sunshine of California, there to play Leland Stanford at Palo Alto on Dec. 28.

The 13-car special train left the point at 3 o'clock, with a party of 150 aboard. Of this number, 107 were football players.

This was a virtual holiday at the point. The wildest send-off ever given to a departing army sports team ended when the special whistled its way from the station.

Maj.-Gen. William R. Smith, superintendent of the military academy, and half a dozen officers of his staff are among the officials making the trip.

The trip will require four days, with stops scheduled at Galesburg, Ill., Syracuse, Kan., Needles, Calif. The train is scheduled to reach Palo Alto Dec. 22. Practice will be held during the stops en route.

The morale of the Army team was at its highest point of the season. Injuries received during the regular season have been healed. Army will be able to throw its full strength against the strong California eleven. Its only handicap will be that of weather, but a full week of workouts on the coast should go a long way towards acclimating the Easterners.

The Army train is one of the most elaborate ever used by a football team. It consists of six Pullmans, two dining cars, two baggage cars, an observation car, and two specially equipped cars, one a dressing room and the other for shower baths.

Part of the trainer's duffle is a half car load of spring water. Until the game has been played no cadet player will drink any other.

Cashion Basket Ball Team Beats Iowa Park 26-18

Special to the Record News.

IOWA PARK, Texas, Dec. 18.—The Cashion high school basket ball team journeyed over here Wednesday night and walloped the Iowa Park quintet by the score of 26 to 15. Owens of the winning team was high point man by looping 18 points. Lancaster, also of the winning team, made seven points. Burney made 10 points for Iowa Park.

It is notable that the first period of the game ended scoreless for both sides. Most of the scoring was run up in the third period of the game. No other games will be played until after the holidays.

Ardmore Golfer Is Elected President Okla. Amateurs

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—Walter S. Critchlow, of Ardmore, state amateur champion, today was elected president of the Oklahoma Golf association, succeeding J. F. Darby of Tulsa and Muskogee, who had served in that capacity four consecutive years.

James A. Kennedy, Tulsa, was elected vice president, and Jay C. Painter, Tulsa, was named secretary-treasurer, succeeding William "Bill" Nichols, Muskogee, who also had served four consecutive years.

House paint. Decorators.—Adv.

'Wild Bill' Lyons Is Noted Authority Wherever Sports Make Conversation

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (INS)—He may be Senator William Lyons in political and social circles but he's just plain "Wild Bill" to sport fans throughout every hamlet, city and town in the land.

"Wild Bill" Lyons, prince of peregrinators, is the national envoy of the sporting fraternity and wherever his business explorations as representative for one of the largest merchandising firms in New York take him "Wild Bill" is bound by some second sense of duty, to take time out to orate on the sporting situation.

And one would have to sover thousands of miles of territory, indeed, were he to attempt to locate a more dependable authority, for Bill has cast his eyes upon everything and everybody noteworthy in the realm of soprts for more than a score of years.

Always Jovial

Lyons is well into middle age but he is still the identical jovial, energetic and lively individual he was when he first grasped the cudgel in the interests of sports and politics. Today, his unflagging interest in athletics—especially in matters fistic, has made every declaration of his enlightening.

Boxing, perhaps, because it combines a fighting heart with stamina and natural ability, characteristics that he has himself in abundant qualities, has always appealed more than any other sport to "Wild Bill." There have not been many fights of importance that have been reeled off without the presence of Bill Lyons in a ringside seat for this unique character is in a position to witness the cream of the nation's fistic events.

Fight Opinions

Jack Sharkey and Phil Scott are, in his opinion, the best of the lot in the heavyweights; Mickey Walker ranks on a par with the Ketchels and Grebs of the middleweights; Al Singer is more brilliant a boxer and as hard a hitter as Benny Leonard among the lightweights; Jackie Fields and Jimmy McLarnin are the best of the welters; and there is not one feather or bantam deserving of more than passing observation.

"Wild Bill" Lyons may not be listed in the social register or the Who's Who of 1929 but he certainly can be found in the warm spots of every sport fan's heart in the country for Senator "Wild Bill" Lyons has more than done his share toward linking sports and politics as the premier topics of conversation in American home life.

Grandfield Plays Post Season Game With Frederick

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Dec. 18.—The alumni and letter men of Grandfield and Frederick have formed teams and will tangle in a New Year's Day football game at Frederick. The tussle is being sponsored by the athletic associations of both schools and is expected to attract thousands of persons from all over Southwest Oklahoma. The luminaries of high school teams will represent the "Big Pasture." Practicing is to start here Monday. Grandfield will have such former stars as Johnny Hosch, Caldwell, and Hassenmeyer on their eleven.

Duke High Awards Fifteen Letters to Football Men

Special to the Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Fifteen members of the 1929 football team of Duke, have been named by Pete Montgomery, coach, as winners of letters.

Seven of the 15 are to receive letters for the first time including Tip Perry, Lester Minor, Roy White, Lois DeForde, Homer Hollars, Clovis Patton and Allen Bobbitt.

The other eight who again received letters are Daymond Perry, John Roberson, Paddock Ferguson, Ickie Patton, Howard Darby, Haem Solloway, Roy Clemons and Cecil Holley.

CAGERS LOSE AND WIN HERE

Indians Too Good for Church Team

In a program that rolled up the season curtain on Wichita Falls basket ball the Coyote quintet dropped a warmly contested match with the Lone Star Independents of Petrolia Wednesday night at the Junior college auditorium court but the Indian basketeers of the Junior college came right back and evened up matters for the school and defeated the First Presbyterian Church Athletic club's team by a 20-7 count.

The outcome of the Coyote-Petrolia game was never certain until the final whistle blew for it was nip and tuck, first one and then the other in the lead, until the last minute when a couple of fast ones turned the trick and copped the game for Petrolia. At the whistle both teams were trying hard.

The Indians early took the lead in their game with the Presbyterian Athletic club boys and held on to it throughout the game. The young collegians were never in serious trouble but were kept on their toes most of the game. Babe Anderson was the individual best player. He looped up two field goals and a foul goal for a total of seven points. Phillips Blacklock and M. Allred, the lanky center, each rung a pair of field goals. After putting up a good defensive game to hold the opposition's point making down, Bill Habern finally found the basket and succeeded in looping a field goal. Bill looked good on that play. Ramee made one field goal and a foul goal for the team, and Grant made a foul goal.

Both Coach Baggett and Coach Holton made free and easy use of their substitutes and continually shot them into the game in order to give them experience and to make the game fast.

PRESENTS CREDENTIALS

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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

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Laxative Apple Cider

Real apple cider is one of the finest quick "pick up" drinks known. While it is not a heavy, concentrated food, its nourishing qualities are quickly assimilated, with almost no digestive effort.

The delicious flavor of the natural sweet of the apple has caused cider to be a deservedly popular drink in the United States and Canada. It appeals instinctively to children to whom it makes a very fine drink, one that is rich in mineral elements, and because of its milky laxative nature, is a very good help to prevent constipation. This laxative effect of the apple juice is often demonstrated during a fast on apple cider. On this regime one glassful of apple juice is used every two hours during the day. While ordinarily a fruit juice fast will not cause the bowels to move and the enema must be employed, the patient on the apple juice fast frequently has several daily movements.

When the juice is taken on a regular diet, it should be used in place of a meal or between meals rather than at meal time, although a small amount can be used with a protein meal if no starch is used. It is the best policy not to use apple juice with any form of starch, since this combination sets up a fermentation in the intestines.

The fall and winter apples make the most delicious cider, as a good cider apple must be firm and tart. The longer the apple has hung on the tree without the frost touching it, the better its flavor. For this reason all the old cider dances at which the farmers of the countryside gathered to celebrate the apple harvest, the late apples of October and November were used, since these were thought to make the finest cider.

Cider is best when used as soon after pressing as possible. It should be kept in a cool place, as it ferments readily. The apples used in making the cider should be firm and well ripened and any which have started to spot should be discarded. One bad apple may impair the flavor of a large batch of cider.

If it is desired to keep cider for a long time it can be pasteurized in cans or bottles without the addition of any preservative. Prepared in this way it will keep indefinitely, but should be used after opening, as it will spoil the same as fresh cider.

The usual temperature for pasteurizing is 175 degrees Fahrenheit, and then the juice is placed in sterilized bottles, and the tops placed on with a capper.

Those who like apple juice may drink it freely since it is beneficial and when taken without cereals makes a healthful and delicious fall and winter drink.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Poison Shots

Question—S. G. W. writes: "My doctor tells me I have low blood pressure but that it can be raised by shots of three different kinds of poison to be injected into the arm. I would like to know what you think about it."

Answer—Low blood pressure is due to a poisoning of the system with toxic wastes, and more poison would surely not help. A permanent cure of the low blood pressure condition depends upon the cure of enervation through the elimination of poisons from the system and building up the muscular structure through systematic exercise.

Onions

Question—Mrs. O. J. writes: "I would like to ask why you never mention onions. I have always been under the impression that the onion was a healthful vegetable."

Answer—The only practical use to the human that I have been able to find for the onion is to fry it in grease and apply it as a poultice over irritated lungs. The irritation produced by the onions on the skin is sufficient to act as a counter-irritant in much the same way as the mustard plaster acts, but this irritating effect is not desirable inside the stomach or intestines.

Spots Before Eyes

Question—M. asks: "Will you tell me the cause of flying cobwebs in front of the eyes? Some days I think I will go wild with them, they make me so nervous. I have glasses but they do no good. I am 46 years old."

Answer—The condition you complain of is due to some derangement of your system, probably caused by a sluggish liver. A fasting and diet treatment to correct such sluggishness will bring about a quick temporary relief, but it will take a long time for all of the "cobwebs" to disappear.

'Alfalfa Bill' in Attack on Utilities

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18 (UP)—W. H. "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, tentative candidate for governor, today renewed his attack on public utilities in Oklahoma.

He declared if elected governor, he would veto the proposed revision of house bill No. 4, the revocable permit law recently held unconstitutional by the state supreme court.

Referring to public utilities, he said:

"I would drive them out of retail trades. They now sell furniture, sheet metal, radios, wiring, stoves and hardware, electrical supplies and so forth for the sole purpose of 'juggling' on the cost of these wares so as to charge unreasonable rates for fuel and lights. If let alone they will assume all trades and make hirelings of all people.

"It is fundamental that no corporation should be permitted to engage in any business, except that for which it was chartered, just as railroads are not allowed to dig and sell coal nor banks become bond brokers."

State Deaths

MRS. MARY B. STALFORD

Special to The Record News.

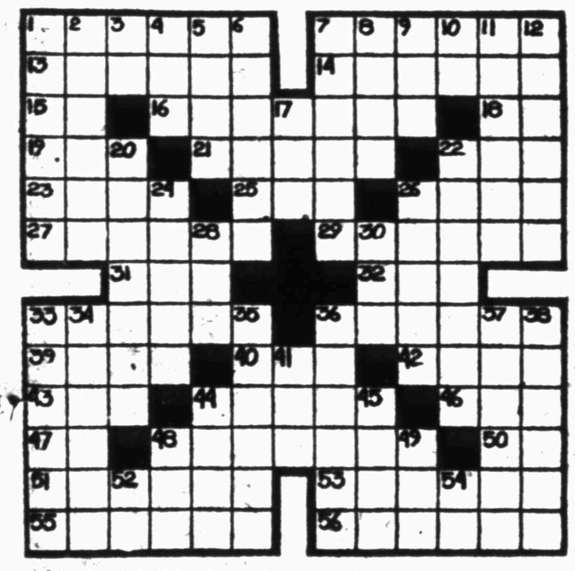
FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—Several women of this city who had been associated with Mrs. Mary B. Stalford who died at Oklahoma City Dec. 12, attended the funeral services which were held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Bernice Merton at Guthrie, at 3 p. m. Saturday. Burial was in Summitview cemetery. Six of her nephews acted as pallbearers.

Those in attendance from here were Mrs. Chester Perkins, Mrs. R. C. Briggs, Mrs. Cenie Anderson, Mrs. Donald Mann, Mrs. Jackie Means, Mrs. Wade Caldwell and Mrs. Tom Manning, all of Frederick; and Mrs. C. N. McLeroy, Davidson.

The millinery establishment of the late Mrs. Stalford is being managed by Mrs. Chester Perkins until other arrangements are made by the heirs. She died without executing a will, her nearest relatives being her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Massey of Guthrie and several sisters.

Morgan Floral Co. has those beautiful Kinnikinnik wreaths from Colorado. Phone 7500.—Adv.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



This puzzle took 22 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

HORIZONTAL

1. Steeples.
7. Channel.
12. Country of America.
14. Rester.
15. Conjunction.
16. Thick broth.
18. Exclamation.
19. To fit out.
21. Aspects.
22. Cot.
23. Aromatic plant.
25. Being.
26. At this place.
27. Bed covers.
29. Loses freshness.
31. Prefix: new.
32. Age.
33. Embarrasses.
36. Fight.
39. Seed containers.
40. Jutting rock.
42. To appear.
43. Before.
44. Fashion.
46. Small quantity.
47. Article.
48. Revived.
50. To art.
51. To contradict.
53. Musical studies.
55. Declares.
56. Those who rant.

VERTICAL

1. Disdains.
2. Outcast.
3. Within.
4. To knock.
5. Biblical country.
6. Glossy fabric (pl.).
7. Inclines.
8. Parts of body.
9. To employ.
10. Exists.
11. To stick.
12. Wears away.
17. Mound.
20. Explosive shell.
22. Delayed.
24. Judges.
26. Kind of deer (plural).
28. Part of shoe.
30. Afternoon party.
33. Weapons.
34. Insect.
35. Rocks.
36. Beer maker.
37. Conductor.
38. To ornament with raised work.
41. Poem.
44. To allot.
45. Bristle.
48. Wheel track.
49. Excavated.
52. Musical note.
54. Prefix: down.

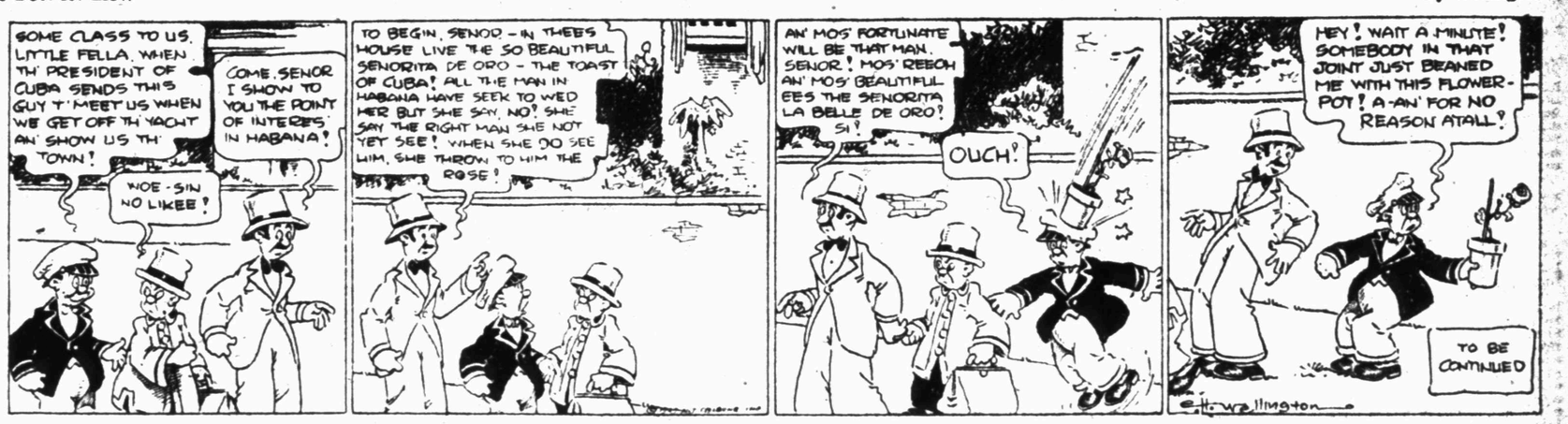
Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle



THE NEBBS By Sol Hess



PA'S SON-IN-LAW By Wellington



THIMBLE THEATER By Segar



DUMB DORA By Chic Young



GAS BUGGIES By Frank Beck



FLYING TO FAME By Ernest Henderson



PECOS RETAINS FIRST POSITION

West Texas Field Produces 10,711,362 Barrels

Special to The Record News.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 18.—When some 30 fields in 15 counties in the West Texas Permian basin produced approximately 10,711,362 barrels of oil in November, the famous Yates field in eastern Pecos county remained in the van, contributing 4,056,970 barrels, of which amount 174,312 barrels was seepage oil gleaned from the river itself, from trenches dug by steam shovels and wells only 40 to 60 feet deep. The Hendrick field in Winkler county ranked second with production of 3,125,158 barrels and the Chalk-Settles-Roberts pools in Howard and Glasscock counties third with 1,232,324 barrels. These were the only districts that produced over 1,000,000 barrels last month.

Pipe line runs totaled 10,684,528 barrels. Pecos county was first with 4,380,549 barrels, Winkler county second with 4,077,703 barrels, Howard and Glasscock counties third with 1,196,943 barrels and Crane county fourth with 1,033,243 barrels. Pipe line runs by none of the counties reached 1,000,000 barrels.

Individual Figures

November production swelled total recovery in the Yates pool to 64,986,393 barrels. Of this amount, Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental jointly had produced 29,229,066 barrels, the California company 8,786,470 barrels, Gulf Production company 7,962,463 barrels, Simms Oil company 4,176,450 barrels, McMan Oil & Gas company and Continental Oil company, jointly, 3,687,003 barrels, Shell Petroleum corporation 3,410,205 barrels, Humble Oil & Refining company 2,050,106 barrels and McMan Oil & Gas company 1,987,334 barrels.

Totals by other companies, each less than 1,000,000 barrels, follow: Continental Oil company 919,207 barrels, Phillips Petroleum company 512,245 barrels, Moncrief and Savoy 350,580 barrels, Grayburg Oil company 244,357 barrels, Kirby & Edson 155,682 barrels, Cosby and others 139,453 barrels, Grayburg Oil company (Thompson lease in Crockett county) 106,672 barrels, Skelly Oil company 69,799 barrels, Kirby Petroleum company 33,152 barrels, Plymouth Oil company 4,109 barrels and Dixie Oil company 2,840 barrels.

Counting the acreage which is covered by producing 100-acre units under proration, the Yates field on Dec. 1 comprised 17,990 acres, each of which had produced 3,610 barrels.

Yield by Counties

Production by counties in November follows:

Yates field, Pecos county, 4,056,970 barrels; Hendrick field, Winkler county, 3,125,158 barrels; Chalk-Settles-Roberts fields, Howard and Glasscock counties, 1,232,324 barrels; Church & Fields, McCamey-Taylor fields, Crane county, 629,557 barrels; Big Lake field, Reagan county, 501,275 barrels; McElroy field, Crane county, 436,531 barrels; McCamey-Taylor field, Upton county, 267,474 barrels; Taylor-Link field, Pecos county, 232,441 barrels; Westbrook-Latin field, Mitchell county, 68,365 barrels; Powell field, Crockett county, 49,242 barrels; O'Brien-Hutchins field, Ward county, 34,956 barrels; Wheat field, Loving county, 24,660 barrels; Hayzlett field, Ward county, 9,043 barrels; Skelly field, Reagan county, 5,044 barrels; Bennett field, Ward county, 4,787 barrels; Pecos Valley field, Pecos county, 3,582 barrels; Phillips Pryor field, Pecos county, 3,120 barrels; Penn-Humble field, Ector county, 2,690 barrels; Waddell field, Crane county, 1,182 barrels; Ira field, Scurry county, 750 barrels; McMillan field, Runnels county, 738 barrels; Grandfalls field, Ward county, 630 barrels; grand totals, 10,711,326 barrels.

Pipe line runs by counties, during November were as follows:

Pecos county, 4,380,549 barrels; Winkler county, 3,077,703 barrels; Howard-Glasscock counties, 1,196,943 barrels; Crane county, 1,033,243 barrels; Reagan county, 505,787 barrels; Upton county, 261,124 barrels; Crockett county, 70,680 barrels; Mitchell county, 66,211 barrels; Ward county, 57,190 barrels; Loving county, 24,660 barrels; Ector county, 7,950 barrels; Scurry county, 750 barrels; Runnels county, 738 barrels; grand totals, 10,684,428 barrels.

Electra Personals

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 17.—Adolph Wiendenbaum of Seymour was an Electra visitor Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sandler of Burkburnett were Electra visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Knott and children of Harrold were Electra visitors Saturday.

Herbert O. Rupnow of Wichita Falls was in Electra over the week-end selecting the characters for the first Little Theater play "For All of Us" which he will direct.

Little Miss Howard Simmons visited Mrs. Sam Ballard at Wichita Falls last week.

Mrs. Regan Adams was a Vernon visitor Saturday.

Miss Thelma Burger of Harrold was an Electra visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Adams and Mrs. Adams' brother, C. R. Tanner, spent Sunday in Holliday.

Rev. E. B. Crump, pastor of the Assembly of God church, is reported improved after a slight case of influenza.

Mrs. T. B. Williams and her mother, Mrs. L. Herndon, have returned from a two months visit with Mrs. Herndon's brother in Birmingham, Ala. They returned by the way of St. Louis where they visited friends and relatives several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pearlman are visiting Mrs. Pearlman's father, Joseph Wiendedbaum, at Borger this week.

Harold Sally was a Wichita Falls visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Gladdens of South Harrold transacted business in Electra Monday.

P. E. McClain of Wichita Falls transacted business in Electra Monday.

Tommie Blakely Jr. is suffering severe pains from bruises received Monday when his right hand was caught in a washing machine.

Miss Madeliene Harding of Byers is the guest of her cousin, Miss Peggy Harding.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Rosenstein and little son were Wichita Falls visitors Sunday.

Miss Sadie Wiendenbaum has returned to her home in Oklahoma City after several days visit with relatives.

Lady Astor's Daughter Thrown While Hunting

LONDON, Dec. 18. (US)—Miss Nancy Astor, daughter of Lady Astor, escaped serious injury in a hunting accident today.

Miss Astor was thrown from her horse while following the Pytchley hounds. She suffered bruises and was severely shocked.

SPOT COTTON PRICES

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 9 points up. Sales 4,919; low middling 51.43; middling 16.93; good middling 17.48; receipts 9,957; stock 510,923.

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Spot cotton middling 16.15; Galveston 17.15; Houston 17.05.

What's on the Air Today?

Programs of local, state and distant stations with chain hook-ups. (Hours given in central standard time.)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

[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.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)

7:00—Sunshine Hour, Rudy Vallee Orch.—Also WGY KSD WFJC WHO WOW WDAF WWJ WTMJ WJAX WIOD WHAS WMC WSB WSMB WKY WSAI KPRC WEBC WOAI WSM KTHS WBAP WAPI WJDX WIBO
8:00—Singers, Male Quartet & Singing Violins—Also WGY WTAM WWJ WSAI KYW KSD WHO WOW WDAF KSTP WTMJ WHAS WIOD WSM WMC WSB WSMB WAPI WOAI WBAP KPRC WKY
8:30—Melody Moments, Oliver Smith, Tenor—Also WGY WWJ WSAI WLS
9:00—Recorders' Program—Also WFJC WWJ WSAI KSD WOW WEBC WHO WKY KPRC WOAI KOA KSL WTMJ WFAA WJAX WIOD WHAS WSM WMC WSB WSMB KYW WDAF KVOO KTHS WTAM KSTP
10:00—Grand Opera—Also WTAM WWJ KSD WOW WHAS WMC WEBC

348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain)

6:30—Ensemble—Also WKRC WLAC WBRC WKBN WOWO WISN WDOD WADC KLRA KOIL KMBC WREC
7:15—Talk by Frederic W. Wile—Also WCCO WREC WLAC WISN WHK WADC WDOD WKRC WKBN KFH KOIL KMBC WOWO KLRA
7:30—Manhattan Moods—Also WBRC WADC WGHP WISN WDOD WKRC WKBN KFH KOIL WAIU WLAC WOWO KLRA KMBC WREC KMOX
8:00—Detective Mysteries—Also KMOX KOIL WSPD WHK WADC WGHP WBBM WOWO WFBM WKRC WISN WCCO KMBC
8:30—Around the Samovar—Also WADC WLAC WISN WGHP WHK WBRC WOWO WREC WDOD WKRC WKBN KFH KOIL KMBC KLRA
9:00—Music of the Air—Also WADC WGHP WBBM KMOX KMBC KOIL WSPD WHK WCCO WKRC WOWO
9:30—National Forum—Also WLAC WISN WHK WADC WREC WDOD WKRC WBBM KMOX KFH KOIL KMBC KLRA WOWO
10:00—Dream Boat—Also WBRC WFBM WISN WDOD WGHP KFH KLRA
10:30—Dance—Also WISN WCCO WREC KFH KOIL KLRA WFBM KMBC

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)

6:30—The 7-11's—Also WJR WEBC KFAB WOAI WKY WREN
7:00—Serenade—Also KYW KWK WREN WBAP KPRC WOAI WKY WLW
7:30—The Sparkers—Also KDKA WLW WLS KWK WREN WJR KFAB
8:00—Lambert and Hillpot—Also KDKA WJR WIBO KWK WREN WCKY
8:30—Mendoza Orch.—Also KDKA WJR WLW KSD WDAF KSTP WTMJ WEBC WHAS WBAP WSM WMC KPRC KOA WHO WOW WSB KYW
9:00—AK Midweek Hour—Also WGN KDKA WJR KWK WREN WCKY
10:00—Slumber Music, String Ensemble (1 hr.)—Also KDKA WREN
10:30—Amos 'n' Andy—Only to WMAQ KYW KWK WREN WTMJ KSTP WEBC WKY WFAA KPRC WOAI WDAF

Vernon entertainers will present a 30-minute program on Thursday broadcasting from station KGKO, which will be as follows for the day:

8 to 9:30 a. m.—Reproductions.

9:30 to 10 a. m.—Eleanor Thrift home hints.

10 to 11 a. m.—Church of the air.

12 to 1 p. m.—Musical program.

5:30 to 5:45 p. m.—Local press paragraphs.

5:45 to 6:30 p. m.—KGKO ensemble.

6:30 to 7 p. m.—Reproductions.

7 to 7:10 p. m.—Mose and Hambone.

7:10 to 7:15 p. m.—Cy and Melissa.

7:15 to 7:45 p. m.—Reproductions.

7:45 to 8 p. m.—Frank Dinkins, pianist.

8 to 8:15 p. m.—Frank Bird and His Bluebirds.

8:15 to 8:30 p. m.—Four aces, all six.

8:30 to 9 p. m.—Frank Bird and his Bluebirds.

9 to 9:30 p. m.—Vernon, Texas, entertainers.

9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Frank Bird and his Bluebirds.

Celebration of the fifth anniversary of its opening has been announced by station KTHS, Hot Springs, Ark., for Thursday, Dec. 19, with a program beginning at 7 a. m., and lasting until the roosters crow Friday morning.

The day's program has been provided by Campbell Arnoux, director of the station since its origin. Walter Campbell, director of station WAPI, Birmingham; Johnnie Frankel, director of station WCOA at Pensacola, Fla.; A. L. Childton, manager of KRLD, Dallas; also representatives of station KLR at Little Rock, Ark., will be on hand as guest announcers and artists of the occasion.

Many presents will be given to radio listeners by KTHS and Hot Springs during the course of the program, it was announced, one of which will be a free vacation trip to Hot Springs with all expenses paid. Station KTHS is owned by the chamber of commerce of Hot Springs.

Christmas music will be featured by station WLW, at Cincinnati, on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when a mixed chorus will present a cantata, "The Angelic Choir," by Carrie B. Adams. Mrs. Adams does not rank with great composers but is the most prolific writer in the country in the field of anthems for amateur choirs. Protestant churches of the United States use more of her compositions in choral numbers than those of any other writer. The cantata to be given Thursday from Cincinnati is one of her best efforts. It will consist of 11 numbers.

In the matinee players' concert from the same station at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Moret and Kreisler compositions will be grouped with some of the latest popular song hits.

Southwest Stations

333.1 Meters—KYW—900 Kilocycles OKLAHOMA CITY

6:30 to 7 a. m.—Early Risers
7 to 7:10 a. m.—Morning devotional.
8 to 9 a. m.—Around the town.
9:30 to 9:45 a. m.—Aunt Susan.
9:45 to 10:00 a. m.—NBC. Washburn Crosby.
10 to 10:15 a. m.—NBC. Your child.
10:15 to 10:45 a. m.—NBC. Radio institute.
10:45 to 11 a. m.—Markets.
12 to 12:45 p. m.—NBC. National farm and home hour.
12:45 to 1 p. m. Markets.
2 to 2:15 p. m. Arthur Weltz.
2:15 to 2:30 p. m.—Final markets.
2:30 to 3:30 p. m.—Matinee hour.
6 to 6:30 p. m.—WKY orchestra.
6:30 to 7 p. m.—Fireside bulletin board.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—NBC. Lehn-Fink serenade.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—NBC. Fleischman Yeast company.
8 to 8:30 p. m.—NBC. Seiberling singers.
8:30 to 9 p. m.—Dierks Kay Dees.
9 to 10 p. m.—NBC. Radio-Victor corporation.
10 to 10:30 p. m.—T. E. Swann company.
10:30 to 10:45 p. m.—NBC. Amos 'n' Andy.
10:45 to 11 p. m.—Weather, sports.
11 to 12 p. m.—WKY orchestra.

These Might Interest You

12 noon—Pat Gillick, organist, WLW, Cincinnati, popular program.

2:30 p. m.—Christmas cantata, "The Angelic Choir" (Adams) the Crosley singers, WLW, Cincinnati.

4 to 4:30 p. m.—L. E. Shackelford, baritone; Paul Powell, pianist, WFAA, Dallas.

7 to 7:30 p. m.—Gondolier's male quartet, WRR, Dallas.

10 p. m.—Hollingsworth Hall, baritone, old songs program, WLW Cincinnati.

10 to 10:30 p. m.—Gebhardt Mexican players, WOAI, San Antonio.

374.8 Meters—WFAA, WBAP—800 Kilocycles DALLAS, FORT WORTH

7:05-8:05 a. m.—WFAA, Breakfasters, Bera Meade Grimes, Otto Strid.
9-10 a. m.—WBAP, markets (15 minutes); farm reporter (15 minutes); Betty Crocker Gold Medal kitchen (15 minutes); markets.
10-11 a. m.—WFAA, markets (5 minutes); Woman's hour, Frances Bothwell conducting; orchestra; talks (40 minutes); C. A. M. A. highway report, U. S. weather bureau forecast, markets (12 minutes); U. S. N. observatory time.
11-12—WBAP, Home hour (45 minutes); markets.
12-1 p. m.—WFAA and WBAP National Farm and Home hour, NBC network (45 minutes); markets.
1-1:30 p. m.—WBAP, markets.
1:30-2 p. m.—WFAA, Tal Henry's North Carolinians, Baker hotel orchestra; markets.
2-2:30 p. m.—WBAP, Bess Adams, pianist; markets.
2:30-3 p. m.—WFAA, Word Craft time; markets.
3-3:30 p. m.—WBAP, tea dansant; port of missing men.
3:30-4 p. m.—WFAA, studio program.
4-4:30 p. m.—WBAP, George Landry's Vagabonds.
4:30-5 p. m.—WFAA, Paul Powell, pianist; L. E. Shackelford, baritone.
5-5:30 p. m.—WBAP, Prissy and Jack, music.
5:30-6 p. m.—WFAA, Twilight trio.
6-6:30 p. m.—WBAP, music (15 minutes), National Protective association.
6:30-7 p. m.—WBAP, J. W. Miller Ideal orchestra.
7-7:30 p. m.—WBAP, Lehn & Fink scentful program, NBC network.
7:30-8 p. m.—WBAP, Fleischmann hour, NBC network.
8-8:30 p. m.—WBAP, Seiberling singers, NBC network.
8:30-9 p. m.—WBAP, Maxwell House Melodists, NBC network.
9-9:30 p. m.—WFAA, Sylvania Foresters.
9:30-10 p. m.—WFAA, Radio-Victor entertainers, NBC network.
10-10:30 p. m.—WFAA, Bill Boggess, tenor; Sydney Smith, crooner.
10:30-10:45 p. m.—WFAA, Amos 'n' Andy, NBC network.
10:45-11 p. m.—WFAA, Betty Lou and Bobby Lee.
11-12 m. n.—WFAA, studio music; Tal Henry's North Carolinians, Baker hotel orchestra.

234.2 Meters—WRR—1190 Kilocycles DALLAS

12 to 12:30 p. m.—Who's who in radio.
12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Andrew Lewis and his melody boys.
6 to 7 p. m.—Who's who in radio.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—Watch tower program; International Bible students.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—The Gondolier's male quartet.
8 to 9 p. m.—Montgomery's studio program.
9 to 10 p. m.—Gus Hielig and his orchestra.

288.3 Meters—KRLD—1040 Kilocycles DALLAS

8:30 to 10:30 a. m.—Aunt Mary's cookey jar; Barbara Gould perfume.
11:00 to 11:30 a. m.—KRLD-SMU college of the air.
12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Radio revival.
2:00 to 3:00 p. m.—Adolphus hotel string quintet; U. S. department of agriculture; news casting; markets; weather.
3:00 to 3:30 p. m.—Loralei Rapley and Mrs. Herman Bearer, pianists.
4:30 to 6:00 p. m.—Sadie Flateau, contralto; lost and found from Times Herald; Sears-Roebuck Santa Claus program; E. Iverson, guitar; sleepy time travels; flashes from Times Herald; Bulova correct time.
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.—Program of three kings and a queen; in the spotlight; weather; Bulova correct time.
7:00 p. m. to 7 a. m.—KTHS anniversary program.

252 Meters—WOAI—1190 Kilocycles SAN ANTONIO

9:30-9:45 a. m.—Weather forecast, opening markets and news service from the studio.
9:45-10 a. m.—Betty Crocker's home program from New York through NBC.
10:15-10:30 a. m.—Radio Household institute from New York through NBC. (period runs 30 minutes every other week.)
10:45-11 a. m.—F. W. Fitch program from the studio.
12-12:45 p. m.—National Farm and Home program from New York and Washington, D. C., through NBC.
12:45-1:15 p. m.—Orchestra from the Gunter hotel (local).
1:15-1:30 p. m.—Coleman Lamp and Stove Co. program (studio).
1:30-1:45 p. m.—Music from the studio.
1:45-2:15 p. m.—Orchestra from the Gunter hotel (local).
2:45-3:15 p. m.—Closing markets, livestock and vegetable market news service from the studio, the U. S. bureau of agricultural economics, Texas department of agriculture and San Antonio Chamber of Commerce cooperating; news items, sports results and weather forecast.
3:15-4 p. m.—Music from the studio.
5:45-6 p. m.—News flashes and weather forecast (studio).
7-7:30 p. m.—Lehn & Fink serenade from New York through NBC.
7:30-8 p. m.—Fleischmann's Sunshine hour from New York through NBC.
8-8:30 p. m.—Seiberling singers from New York through NBC.
8:30-9 p. m.—Wolff & Marx program from the studio.
9-10 p. m.—Victor program from New York through NBC.
10-10:30 p. m.—The Gebhardt Mexican players (studio).
10:30-10:45 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy from Chicago through NBC.
10:45-11:15 p. m.—The Gebhardt Mexican players (studio).

Log of Stations Received Here

	Meters.	Kilo-cycles.
WFAA, Dallas	374.8	800
WBAP, Fort Worth	374.8	800
KDKA, Pittsburgh	305.8	980
KFAB, Lincoln, Neb.	389.4	770
KFI, Los Angeles	468.5	640
KGKO, Wichita Falls	526	570
KMOX, St. Louis	275.1	1090
KPO, San Francisco	440.9	680
KOA, Denver	361.2	830
KPRC, Houston	325.9	920
KRLD, Dallas	288.3	1040
KTHS, Hot Springs	288.3	1040
KSL, Salt Lake City	265.3	1130
KVOO, Tulsa	263	1140
KWKH, Shreveport	352.7	850
WBAW, Nashville	201.2	1490
WBBM, Chicago	389.4	770
WCCO, Minneapolis, St. Paul	370.2	810
WDAF, Kansas City	491.5	610
WHB, Kansas City	315.6	950
WENR, Chicago	344.6	870
WGN, Chicago	416.4	720
WHAS, Louisville	365.6	820
WHO, Des Moines	300	1000
WJR, Detroit	399.8	750
WJZ, New York	394.5	760
WKY, Oklahoma City	333.1	900
WLAC, Nashville	201.2	1490
WLW, Cincinnati	428.3	700
WLS, Chicago	344.6	870
WMAQ, Chicago	447.5	670
WOAI, San Antonio	252	1190
WOW, Omaha	508	590
WRR, Dallas	234.2	1280
WSB, Atlanta	405.2	740
WSM, Nashville	461.3	650
WTFF, Mt. Vernon Hill, Va.	205.4	1460

TEXAS FRUITS LEAD MARKET

Poultry Sales Light In Wichita Area

Pennsylvanians and other chestnut-loving northeasterners now living in Wichita Falls will be privileged to enjoy chestnut-roasts during the coming few days without sending to the old home for supplies. Ten barrels of chestnuts direct from Italy, by way of New York, arrived at the Wichita Produce company's warehouse Wednesday morning.

These nuts are of the same variety as those roasted regularly in large ovens on the waterfront in Genoa, and munched by denizens of that district throughout the day much as popcorn or pecans are enjoyed in this section of the United States. They are also marketed extensively on a similar plan in Philadelphia.

Due to the retention of quarantine restrictions in Florida, Texas' Rio Grande valley is supplying a great portion of the Christmas fruit supply this year, it was said. Oranges, satsumas, and grapefruit comprise the principal products of South Texas for this season. Vast numbers of apples, chiefly Delicious, Winesap, and Jonathan are being received daily from the Northwest. Other nuts stocked in abundance for the Christmas festivities include filberts, walnuts, pecans, almond, and many others.

All fruit available for the market now is of unusually good quality according to local dealers, and the demand is generally better than they experienced in 1928.

Movement of poultry was slow in Wichita Falls, according to reports from local buyers, but from outlying districts greater activity was reported. A carload of hens and turkeys from the Memphis territory arrived at the local Armour creameries' plant Tuesday, and another arrived early Thursday morning. Prices remained steady.

Cotton ginning in the county totalled just five bales. The energetic ginners—or farmers—accounting for that number gave the Valley gin at Iowa Park four bales, the Red river gin at Electra one.

TURKEYS

(Prices paid by Armour Creameries, delivered at plant)

No. 1 young toms, 14 lbs. and up 18c
No. 1 young hens, 9 lbs. and up 15c
Old toms 10c
No. 2 turkeys 8c

COTTON

Price to Growers

D. W. Wiley 15.45c
R. O. Harvey .....14.50 to 17.25c

Cotton ginned in Wichita county to date
Burkburnett 6220
Electra 5,048
Iowa Park 4276
Wichita Falls 4016
Kemp City 2148

Total, Wichita county 21,708

Cottonseed, price to growers, per ton $32 to $33.

Prices at gin to growers, 12 to 17¼c per pound.

POULTRY AND EGGS

All prices below are paid to farmers and producers:

Colored fryers 17c
Leghorn fryers 13c
Stags 10c
Hens, 4 lbs. and up 18c
Hens, under 4 lbs. 15c
Roosters 08c
Eggs, No. 1 .....45c
Eggs, No. 2 .....28c
Green hides 4c

MILK AND CREAM

Sour cream, per pound of butterfat....35c
(Quotations by Producers)
Butter .....47@48c
No. 1 cream 34c
No. 2 cream 29c
Butterfat (stockholders) 70c
Butterfat 65c

WHOLE MILK

(Prices per pound of butterfat) (Grade A)

Southwest Dairy Products company 70c
Ferguson Ice Cream company 70c
Lehrack Ice Cream company 70c

GRAINS

Price to Growers

J. C. Hunt Grain Company
Hard wheat, No. 1 .....$1.03
Wichita Mill and Elevator Co.
Hard wheat, No. 1 .....$1.03

Higher Courts

SUPREME COURT

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—The following proceedings were had in the supreme court today:

Applications for writs of error granted: J. M. Radford Grocery company vs. City of Abilene et al., Taylor; State of Texas ex rel vs. J. B. Etheridge, et al., Scurry; Joseph Higgins et al., vs. South Texas Development company, Brazoria; G. R. Ryan vs. G. C. Kent, Navarro; the City of Waco vs. Hazel Darnell, McLennan; Angelita S. De Ramon et al., vs. Thomas Worsham Jr., in the matter of the estate of Eugenio T. Ramon, deceased, Webb; M. T. Gogley et al., vs. Eliza R. Welch et al., Webb; Eliza R. Welch et al., vs. M. T. Cogley et al., Webb; H. J. Barron vs. Texas Employers Insurance association, Crane.

Applications for writ of error refused: Eula Little et vir, vs. B. Y. Chambers and company, Inc., Eastland; City of Corsicana vs. H. L. Albritton, et ux, Navarro; the Texas and Pacific Railway company vs. Charles Chandler, et al., Taylor; W. D. Malone vs. El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, El Paso; C. E. Willis vs. First National bank of Littlefield, Lamb, (two cases); Central Texas Mutual Life association vs. Mayme C. Beaty et al., Hill.

Amarillo Civil Court

AMARILLO, Texas, Dec. 18.—The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the seventh district at Amarillo today:

Motions overruled: M. H. Lewis, et al., vs. H. D. Simmonds, et al., rehearing; Henry Evans, et al., vs. Galbraith-Foxworth Lumber Co., et al., rehearing; R. L. Vineyard vs. Joe Wasson, to file record; W. A. Bettis vs. Wm. Albers, et al., for rehearing.

Motions granted: J. E. Williams vs. Wisdom & McKnight, for certiorari; S. S. Forrest vs. V. C. Winford, for certiorari.

Affirmed: J. E. Williams vs. Wisdom & McKnight from Gray; W. T. Waggoner estate vs. J. V. Townsend, county judge, et al., from Wilbarger.

Reversed and remanded: John Morgan vs. Moe Steinberg, et al., from Hutchinson; H. L. Mathis, et al., vs. Huey & Philip Hardware Co., from Wilbarger.

Appeal dismissed: Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Co. vs. W. H. Puett, from Hale; Oscar Brooks vs. Maryland Casualty Co., from Potter.

Submitted: Alliene Kelly, et al., vs. C. D. Shamburger Lumber Co., Inc., from Wilbarger; American Surety Co. of New York vs. Axtell company, from Lubbock; M. E. Norfleet, et al., vs. H. H. Berryman, et al., from Hale; Hal H. Vaughn vs. M. M. Miller, from Wheeler.

Set for submission on Jan. 8: Williams Sign Co. vs. J. A. Rodgers, et al., from Potter; Scott Stimpson vs. Bartex Pipe Line Co., from Hutchinson; T. C. Stimpson vs. Bartex Pipe Line Co., from Hutchinson.

Set for submission on Jan. 15: J. T. Martin vs. Leland W. Abbott, et al., from Hale; Fritz Fluhman, et al., vs. E. G. Mathewson, from Wilbarger; W. T. Wilson vs. A. J. Hagins, et al., from Dickens; John Maynard Lumber Co. vs. V. T. Brazelle, from Potter; James C. Vick vs. Mobeetie Land Co., from Wheeler; N. L. Green vs. M. A. Scott, from Lubbock.

Set for submission on Jan. 22: Lizzie Wayland vs. A. W. Worsham, from Lubbock; Dale Oil and Refining Co. vs. City of Tulia, from Swisher; J. C. Branon vs. M. A. Scott, from Lubbock.

Court Criminal Appeals

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—The following proceedings were had in the court of criminal appeals today:

Affirmed: William Pruett Jr., Dallas; Gertrude Sanford, Taylor; O. B. Jackson, Potter.

Reversed and remanded: Ardell Landers, Dallas; Howard Gossett, Hall; Charley Chadd, Potter; Annie Ragsdale, Smith; Eugene Johnson, Bowie; W. H. Stroud, Wilbarger; O. G. Kelley, Dawson; Jose de Pena, El Paso; Dewey R. Hunt, Dallas; F. L. Eaves, Wichita.

Appeal dismissed: Lorain Pope, Cherokee; Jim Jasper, Cherokee.

Appeal dismissed at request of the appellant: W. O. Burns, Bosque; Bennie Shaw, Hunt.

Appeal reinstated and judgment affirmed: L. A. Scroggins, Lamb.

Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled without written opinion: James Sowers, Henderson.

Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled: Elzie Taylor, Polk; Bill Stone, Erath; Antonio Perez, Atascosa; R. S. McDonald, Midland.

State's motion for rehearing overruled: Ex Parte Dillie Lane, Harrison.

Appellant's motion for rehearing granted, judgment of affirmance set aside, reversed and remanded: M. J. Jenkins, Taylor.

State's motion for rehearing granted, judgment of reversal set aside, judgment affirmed: Elwell Satterwhite, Brazos (Morrow, P. J., dissents).

Send flowers by wire from Bebb's.—Adv.

BOSTON WOOL

BOSTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Trading in wool is very slow and business consists of small lots. While some buyers continue to make inquiries, they are not making any commitments.

Cotton Sales Active By Spurts — Livestock Texas Trade Fairly Active — Grain Late Setback Floors Wheat

Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement

	Mdlg	Repts	Sales	Stock
N Orleans	16.93	9,957	4,919	510,923
Galveston	16.75	10,539	1,361	509,750
Mobile	16.30	1,130	900	61,463
Savannah	17.03	1,063	310	85,322
Charleston	.....	90	.....	46,361
Wilmington	.....	861	.....	39,747
Norfolk	17.00	1,274	352	72,098
Baltimore	.....	.....	.....	1,171
New York	17.15	50	900	92,928
Boston	.....	.....	.....	1,100
Houston	16.15	17,617	7,036	1,163,623
Minor Pts	.....	.....	.....	91,248
Corp Chris	.....	263	.....	31,145
Total today	.....	42,842	20,778	2,706,989
For week	.....	189,877	.....	.....
For season	.....	6,450,245	.....	.....

Interior Movement

	Mdlg	Repts	Sales	Stock
Memphis	16.10	14,267	7,046	397,013
Augusta	16.75	1,278	174	109,940
St. Louis	.....	2,691	.....	10,863
Ft. Worth	15.90	.....	900	.....
Little Rock	16.07	106	1,055	45,711
Atlanta	16.45	.....	700	.....
Dallas	15.75	.....	2,836	.....
Mont.	16.15	.....	47	.....
Total today	.....	18,342	12,728	563,527

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Early advances on covering and trade buying accompanied by reports of a somewhat better business in cotton goods and relatively steady Liverpool cables, was followed by partial reactions under some southern selling and realizing in the cotton market today. After selling up from 16.94 to 17.06 for January or 19 points net higher than delivery closed at 16.97 with the general market closing steady at net advances of 10 to 12 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of 5 to 8 points on covering which appeared to be combined with some foreign and domestic trade buying which offerings were comparatively light. The relatively steady showing of the Liverpool market was one of the factors on the upturn, which was also promoted by the more favorable trade advances. Last prices showed reactions of about 6 to 9 points from the best.

Reports of an improved business in the cotton cloth market here and of a rather better demand in Manchester came in for considerable attention on the early advance. There was also some comment on the predictions of an improved trade demand after the turn of the year which were reported to have been made before the cotton investigating committee on Tuesday and were regarded by raid traders as a contributing factor in the better tone of the market.

	High	Low	Close	P. C.
Jan.	17.06	16.94	16.97	16.87
March	17.35	17.24	17.28	17.17
May	17.59	17.46	17.52-53	17.40
July	17.78	17.65	17.71-72	17.59
Oct.	17.74	17.65	17.69-72	17.59
Dec.	17.00	16.90	16.94-N	16.84

Opening: Jan. 16.94, March 17.24, May 17.46, July 17.65, Oct. 17.65, Dec. 16.90.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—The cotton market was fairly active during periods today with the trend of prices upward on improved Liverpool cables and cold weather following general rains in the cotton belt. Favorable reports on cotton goods also lent early support.

After advancing 17 to 18 points prices eased off 7 to 8 points in the early afternoon on realizing and some January liquidation. The market became fairly steady in the late trading but failed to recover the ground lost through earlier realizing.

January opened at 16.92, up 8 points, advanced to 17.02, up 10 points and closed at 16.93, or 9 points net higher for the day. The general market closed steady at net advance of 9 to 19 points.

Liverpool cables came in 2 to 5 points better than due and influenced first trades in New Orleans to make gains of 7 to 10 points. Prices continued to advance early in the bad weather which induced covering and by the end of the first hour January traded up to 16.96, March to 17.23 and May 17.46, or 10 to 11 points above the previous close.

The market further strengthened on favorable reports on the Christmas trade until near noon January went to 17.02, March 17.30 and May 17.53, or 17 to 18 points above the close of yesterday.

The market then eased off in the early afternoon on January liquidation and realizing and with moderate trading the closing figures were January 16.93, March 17.22 and May 17.45.

Port receipts 42,842, for week 189,877, for season 6,450,245, last season 6,757,150. Exports 40,460, for week 178,985, for season 3,773,387, last season 4,325,338. Port stocks 2,706,989. Last year 2,353,389. Combined shipboard stock at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 122,019. Last year 129,377. Spot sales at southern markets 27,636, last year 26,862.

	High	Low	Close	P. C.
Jan.	17.02	16.91	16.93	16.84
March	17.30	17.20	17.22	17.12
May	17.53	17.43	17.45-46	17.36
July	17.70	17.62	17.62-*	17.54
Oct.	17.64	17.54	17.57-**	17.47
Dec.	16.90	16.88	16.88-B	16.81

*17.62 bid, 17.63 asked.
**17.57 bid, 17.58 asked.

Opening: Jan. 16.91, March 17.21, May 17.43, July 17.63, Oct. 17.53b, Dec. 16.82b.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18. (INS)—The cotton market was quiet here today with prices steady; sales were 4,000 bales; receipts were 25,000 bales.

Middling fair was quoted at 10.62d; strictly good mids 10.17d; good mids 9.77d; strict mids 9.57d; mids 9.37d; strictly low mids 9.13d; low mids 8.77d; strictly good ordinary 8.42d; good ordinary 8.02d.

Futures were quiet, but prices were steady. January was at 9.10d; March 9.21d; May 9.31d; July 9.36d; October 9.33d.

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

Agfa Ansco pfd	77⅞	77⅞	77⅞
Am Cigar	101¼	101¼	101⅛
Am Cont Oilfields	⅝	⅝	⅝
Am Cyan B	26⅝	25⅝	25⅝
Am Superpower	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Anglo Am Oil	16⅝	16⅛	16⅝
Argo Oil	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Ark Nat Gas A	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛
Ark Po & Lt P	104½	104	104
Cent Pub Serv A	37	36¼	37
Chief Cons Min	1⅝	1⅜	1⅜
Cities Service	27	25⅞	25¾
Cities Service pf	89¼	89⅛	89⅛
Colon Oil	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Cons Gas B P A	100	100	100
Cusi Mex Min	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
De For Radio	5⅝	5⅝	5⅛
Durant Mot	5⅛	5	5¼
Earl Radio	7-16	¼	5-16
El Bond & Sh	84⅝	82¼	82⅝
Eng Gold Mines	⅝		⅝
Fajardo Sugar	56	56	56⅛
Falcon Lead Min	3-16	3-16	3-16
Ford Mot Canada A	31½	30⅝	31
Ford Mot France	8⅛	7⅝	7⅝
Fox Theater A	8⅛	6⅝	7
Galena Sig Oil old	82	75	82
Goldman Sachs	40⅝	40	40¼
Gt Atl & Pac 1st P	117	117	117
Hudson Bay M & S	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Humble Oil & Ref	86¼	85⅛	86¼
Illinois Pipe Line	310	309	309
Imp Oil Can new	27	27	27
Kerr Lake Mines	3-16	3-16	3-16
Lehman Corp	73½	72⅛	72½
Louisiana L & E	3⅛	2⅝	3
Mohawk Min	45	45	45
New Eng Pow	103	100	103
Newmont Min	115	113¼	113⅛
Niag Hud Pow	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
Noranda Mines	34⅞	34⅛	34⅞
N Am Cement	3⅛	3	3
Ohio Cop	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Oil Stocks A	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛
Pac Western Oil	14⅝	14	14
Pantepec Oil Venez	3⅛	3	3⅛
Parker Pen	37	37	37
Pennroad Corp	14⅝	14	14⅛
Penn O Ed 6 pc pf	96⅛	96	96⅛
Plymouth Oil	29½	29⅛	29½
Prince & Whitely	12⅝	11	11⅛
St Regis Paper	20⅛	20	20
Savoy Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Selected Indust	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
Sonora Products	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
South Penn Oil	41	40⅛	40⅛
Stand Oil Indiana	54⅝	54⅛	54⅝
Stand Oil Kansas	27	26⅝	26⅝
Stand Oil Kentucky	35⅝	34⅝	35⅝
Stand Oil Exports Co P	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
Sunray Oil	7⅝	7⅛	7⅝
Unity Gold Min	⅛	⅛	⅛
Utah Apex Min	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Vacuum Oil	98⅝	97⅛	97⅛
Wenden Cop Min	⅝	⅝	⅝

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks irregular; General Electric rallies 10 points.
Bonds firm; U. S. Governments ease.
Curb irregular; Cities Service under pressure.
Foreign exchanges easy; Latin-American currencies rally slightly.
Cotton higher; firm cables and trade buying.
Sugar lower; easier spot markets.
Coffee easy; European selling.

CHICAGO

Wheat easy; lower northwest markets.
Corn steady; smaller receipts.
Cattle steady.
Hogs higher.

Very Light Turnover Marks Day Of Irregular Trading in Stock Issues

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (US)—Irregular and rather meaningless stock market was experienced today in very light turnover. Prices simply backed and filled for most of the session. Short covering influenced advances in a few issues during the afternoon but part of the gains were wiped out in heavier offerings of the final moments of trading.

Operations were almost entirely professional. Steel finished unchanged at 171¼, American Telephone declined 1⅛. Standard of New Jersey 1¼, Anaconda 1⅜, Fox 3⅜, Repblic Steel 4⅝, American & Foreign Power 3¼, and Combustion preferred dropped 7 points. General Electric advanced 2, Case gained 1¼ and Texas & Pacific Land Trust advanced 2⅛. Turnover fell off to near the 2,000,000 share level. Call money was held at 4½ per cent.

Extreme dullness, indicating lessening public interest in dealings, was moaned by professionals but welcomed in banking and other quarters. The professional stock market operator of importance is lost without his public. That's why many are planning on taking extended vacations this winter. The professional never buys to hold but is one of the most active in Wall street's main business of selling securities. Bankers regard the quieting of the market, in the face of two weeks of bearish pressure and organized raiding, as one of the most pleasing developments of recent weeks. They look upon it as proving that liquidation of importance has ended—for a while to come—and believe that if a quiet market is experienced for the next few weeks the foundation will be laid for general advance after the turn of the year. Of course there is quite a little salvage stock held by banks and others but there is no thought of passing it on at present, according to report.

Heaviest selling of Fox was handled by one of the best known veteran operators on the big board. He is specialist in one of the oldest food stocks but is almost as well known for his activity on the day that the capital stock of Manhattan Electric was sold several times over. In so far as could be learned the Fox committee trustees remained hopeful of working the situation out. There were disturbing rumors in flotation regarding Combustion again. The market indicated the pool formed recently had given up the ship.

Official announcement of the Republic, Central Alloy Steel merger influenced momentary interest in some other steel companies. It is felt that organizations now associated with these companies may be brought into the fold before long. If so it would result in the second largest steel company in the United States. New group was formed to take active interest in Rossia Insurance, it is claimed. Earnings have stood up in recent weeks, it was reported, and asset position remains comparable to that of any similar organization with stock on the exchange. Durant was reported active in Nickel, his recent plays have not been the long-pull operations such as witnessed in the Coolidge bull market.

One of the most active stock exchange firms that turned bearish on the market in late September issued special advice to clients advising the purchase of good securities. The firm stated that the same powerful interest who influenced their bearish position of three months ago had advised that it was time to turn on the market. No sensational advance nor excessive increase in trading was expected but it was thought that the bad situations had been ironed out and that increasing investment buying of good stocks would be witnessed over the next several weeks. This character of absorption, it was stated, should gradually influence increase in speculative trading activity.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES

	50 Inds.	20 Rrls.	20 Utils.
Today	170.0	131.8	201.5
Previous day	171.4	132.5*	201.9*
Week ago	177.1	134.5	219.4
Year ago	194.8	128.9	186.3
Two years ago, weekly av.	148.0	123.1	127.1
Three years ago, weekly av.	108.3	107.5	103.7
High, 1929	252.5	167.5	353.1
Low, 1929	141.3	117.1	156.6

Total sales, 2,284,850 shares.
*Revised.

Sales, in hundreds, high, low and closing quotations:

Ahumada Lead	105	¾	½	¾
Allegheny	101	27⅝	26⅛	26⅛
Al Chem & Dye	2	257	257	257
Amer Bosch Mag	14	44½	42½	42½
Amer Can	120	117⅜	114⅝	115½
Amer & For Pow	450	94	90½	90½
Amer Internat	22	39½	38½	38⅝
Amer Metal	5	48	48	48
Amer Pow & Lt	20	83⅛	81	82
Amer Rad	47	32½	31⅝	31⅝
Amer Roll Mill	17	87⅜	85	85⅝
Amer Smelt	20	73⅝	73	73
Amer Sug Ref	7	62	61¼	61¼
Amer Tel	46	224	220¼	220⅝
Amer Wat Wks	42	91	88	88
Anac Cop	110	78	77⅝	77⅝
Andes Cop	1	34⅝	34⅝	34⅝
A T S F	2	228½	227	227
Atlantic Ref	33	40¼	39⅝	40½
Baldwin Loco	14	31½	30½	30½
B & O	5	117⅝	116½	116½
Bendix Aviation	32	35⅝	34½	35
Beth Steel	48	94½	92	92
Bur Add Mach	33	47⅝	45⅝	46⅝
Calu & Ariz	36	90	87	87
Calu & Hecla	1	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Can Pac	25	193⅝	190⅛	190½
Cannon Mills	2	31⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Cerro Pasco	16	63⅛	62⅝	62⅝
C M St P pf	45	49⅛	47⅝	47⅝
C N W	25	87⅝	86⅛	86⅝
Chrysler	120	36⅝	35⅛	35⅝
Colo Fuel	34	39	36⅝	38
Colu Gas & El	96	73⅝	70⅝	71⅝
Colu Grapho	426	32⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Cons Gas	180	98⅛	95⅛	95⅛
Cont Can	31	51⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Cont Oil	21	26	25⅝	25⅝
Corn Pdts	30	95	92⅝	92⅝
DuPont	12	118½	115⅛	115⅛
Elec Pow & Lt	91	48⅝	46⅝	47⅛
Eng Pub Svc	6	39⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Erie	24	62⅝	60⅝	60⅝
Fox Film A	451	33	34⅛	35
Freeport Texas	127	38⅝	37⅝	37⅝
Gen Am Tank	9	98⅝	95⅛	97⅛
Gen Elec	87	241	231	236
Gen Foods	70	49	47⅝	47⅝
Gen Gas & Elec A	7	76	75	75
Gen Motors	128	41⅝	41⅛	41⅛
Goodyear Tire	33	69⅛	68⅛	69⅛
Graham-Paige Mot	41	10⅛	9⅝	10
Grant W T	81	40	39	39¼
Houston Oil	21	59⅝	57½	58½
Howe S D	49	41⅝	40	41⅝
Hud Mot	31	53⅝	52⅝	53
Hup Mot	21	22⅛	21⅝	21⅝
Inspir Cop	11	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Int Combus Eng	265	12⅛	10⅝	10⅝
Int Harv	5	142⅛	141⅛	142⅛
Int Hydro El	1	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛
Int Match pf	6	66⅝	65⅛	65⅛
Int Nickel	281	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛
Int Tel	198	76⅛	74⅛	74⅛
J Manville	50	127⅝	123	123⅝
K C S	2	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛
Kennecott	79	59⅛	58⅛	58⅛
Kreuger & Toll	34	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛
Loft Inc	9	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Mack Truck	9	74⅛	74	74
Magma Cop	4	52⅛	52	52
Magma Cop	4	52⅛	52	52
May Dept Stores	27	55⅝	54	54⅝
McKeesport Tin	2	65⅝	61½	65
Miami Cop	4	28	27½	27⅞
M-K-T	38	51	49	49
Mo Pacific	16	90	89⅝	90
Mont Ward	103	58⅝	58	58
Nash Motors	66	55⅛	53⅞	54
Nat Cash Reg A	14	76⅝	74¼	74¼
Nat Dairy Pdts	3622	49⅛	48¼	48¼
Nat Pow & Lt	27	32⅝	31⅛	32¼
Nev Cons Cop	49	32	31	31
N Y Central	12	176	174¼	175
N Y N H & H	13	115	113⅝	114⅞
North Amn	18	92⅝	91⅝	93
Pac Gas & Elec	42	74⅝	74	74
Pan Am B	1	60	60	60
Paramount	33	50½	49¾	50¼
Penn R R	28	81	80½	80½
Phil Pet	9	36	24⅝	35⅛
Pub Svc N J	67	78	76½	76⅝
Pure Oil	30	24	23⅝	24
Radio Corp	1158	46⅝	44⅝	45⅝
Radio Keith	24	20¼	19½	19½
Reading	7	128½	128	128½
Rem Rand	36	29	28¼	28⅝
Rep Ir & Stl	35	83	78½	78⅝
S T & S F	1	110¼	110½	110½
Sears Roebuck	90	104⅝	102¼	103¼
Seneca Cop	2	2⅝	2½	2½
Shell Union	20	23¼	23	23
Simms Pet	1	26	24⅝	24⅝
Sinclair	72	26	25½	25⅝
Sou Pacific	1	123	123	123
Sou Ry	4	135¼	134	134
Standard Brands	58	28⅝	27⅝	27⅝
Stand Gas & Elec	95	118¼	114⅝	115
Stand Oil Calif	2	62⅝	61½	61½
Stand Oil N J	315	65⅝	63⅝	64⅝
Stand Oil N Y	172	34⅝	33⅝	33⅝
Stew Warn Speed	4	40½	39⅝	40
Studebaker	29	44⅝	43¼	43½
Texas Corp	32	57	56½	56½
Texas Gulf Sul	37	56⅝	55⅝	55⅝
T P Coal	3	11⅝	11⅛	11⅝
T P Land Tr	281	15⅝	13⅝	15¼
Timkin Axle	25	75⅝	73⅝	73⅝
Trans Oil	3	9⅛	9	9
Union Carbide	85	78⅝	76½	77½
U P Ry	1	216⅛	216	216
Uni Aircraft	138	49⅝	46⅞	47⅝
United Corp	4	48	47½	47⅝
Uni Gas & Imp	347	32⅝	31⅝	32½
U S Freight	11	96⅝	96	96
U S Realty	3	63⅝	63	63⅝
U S Rubber	5	28⅝	27⅝	27⅝
U S Steel	390	173⅛	169⅝	171¼
Util Pow & Lt	20	33⅝	32½	32⅝
Warner Pix	30	42⅝	41⅝	42
West Union	2	203¼	200⅝	203¼
Westghs Airb	2	46⅛	46⅛	46½
Westgh El & Mfg	310	138⅝	135	135⅝
Woolworth	30	75⅝	74⅝	75⅝
Yellow Truck	88	15½	14½	15

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cattle and calf receipts were fairly liberal here today with trading fairly active at steady prices. Bulls active, steady to 25c higher. Fat cows and steers were very slow, tending lower. Calves steady; hogs active, uneven to 10-25c higher; light supply of sheep steady.

About a dozen loads of slaughter steers were offered, with some good ones to go around $12.

Bulls active, $6.75@7.50; common light bulls $5.25@5.75.

Slaughter yearlings slow, steady. Common packages $7 down.

Canner and cutter cows steady, fair demand. Bulk canners $4 to $4.50; good strong canners up to $4.60. Cutter cows around $5, fat cows $7. Very narrow demand for good fat cows.

Calves were steady; bulk of butcher cows of better kind $8.50@9.00, few $9.50. Culls around $5.

Order buyers took some of the better heavy calves at $9.50, good heifer calves for stocker purposes at $9.50 and stocker steer calves up to $10.50. Stocker steers and yearlings brought $9.00@10.00, steady, fair demand.

Hogs, rail and truck top $9.25. Very few sales under $9. Packing sows $7.75@8.25; butcher pigs $7.50@7.75.

The light supply of sheep moved at steady prices.

—Hogs—Receipts 2,300; 10 to 25c higher; rail butchers $9.25; truck top $9.25; bulk $8.90@9.15.

Cattle and Calves—Receipts 4,800; best fed steers value up to $11.75; heifer yearlings $7.00@8.50; cows $6.00@7.50; stock steer yearlings $10.00; slaughter calves $8.75@9.50.

Sheep—Receipts 400; feeder lambs $10.00@10.25.

MID-WESTERN REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—(USDA)—Livestock trade around the 11-market circuit was featured by a 10@30c advance in hog rices. Strengthening factors were curtailed receipts and the prospect of limited loadings the balance of the week, due to cold weather. Total offerings were around 99,400, a decrease of 32,000 from a week ago and 37,500 short of the corresponding day last year.

The sheep supply approximated 38,700 against 42,480 last Wednesday and 48,533 a year ago. Killing classes moved slowly at steady to weak prices.

Killing classes of cattle met a slightly improved demand. Better grades of fed steers and yearlings ruled steady to 25c higher, and in some instances slight upturns were registered on the less desirable grades. Adverse weather conditions slowed down trade on the less desirable grades.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs—Receipts 7,500; 10@20c higher; top $9.50 on choice 225 to 270 pounds.

Cattle—Receipts 5,000; calves 1,000; steady to strong; slaughter steers, good and choice 950 to 1,500 pounds $10.75@13.25; cows $7.00@10.00; stocker and feeder steers $9.50@12.25.

Sheep—Receipts 6,000; lambs steady to weak; sheep steady; lambs $11.00@12.25; ewes $4.50@6.00.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 900 calves 300; steady; plain grass steers $6.50@8.50; grass cows $6.50@7.00; heavy bulls $7.50; fancy veals $11.50; best heavies $9.00.

Hogs—Receipts 800; 15@25c higher; top rail hogs $9.45; truck top $9.35.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts 22,000; market 15 to 25c higher; top $9.65; bulk $9.25@9.60; heavyweight $9.35@9.65; medium weight $9.30@9.65; lightweight $9.25@9.60; light lights $9@9.50; packing sows $7.65@8.65; pigs $8.40@9.40; holdovers 5,000.

Sheep—Receipts 15,000, market steady; medium and choice lambs $12.50@13.50; culls and common $9@11.50; yearlings $8@10.50; common and choice ewes $3.50@5.50; feeder lambs $11.50@12.50.

Grain

TEXAS CASH PRICES

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—Fair demand at 1c reduction was reported for wheat on the Fort Worth cash grain market today with oats and barley slow. Corn and sorghums were fairly well absorbed.

Exporters bid $1.28½@1.29 basis No. 1 ordinary export wheat delivered Texas gulf ports.

Other bids and offers, basis delivered carlots, freight paid to T. C. P.:

Wheat—No. 1 ordinary hard milling $1.29@1.30; No. 1 hard 13 per cent protein $1.30@1.31; 14 per cent $1.34@1.35; 15 per cent $1.38@1.39.

Corn—No. 2 mixed $1.04@1.05; No. 2 white $1.07@1.08; No. 2 yellow $1.06@1.07.

Oats—No. 2 red oats $58@59c; No. 3 white delivered Texas group 1 points 55½@56c.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo per hundred pounds $1.65@1.66; No. 2 kaffir $1.34@1.36.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Wheat prices underwent a late setback today, influenced by correct surmises that the government crop report showed almost 15,000,000 bushels more wheat was harvested this season than had previously been forecast from Washington. However, notwithstanding this excess, the total United States wheat production for 1929 is 108,000,000 bushels below the 1928 output.

Closing quotations on wheat today were unsettled, ¼c to 1c a bushel lower than yesterday's finish. Corn closed unchanged to ¼@⅜c off, oats a shade to ⅜c down, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 5c.

The market earlier had averaged higher owing largely to uneasiness displayed as to possible effects of a sudden severe drop in temperatures over domestic wheat territory. Snowfalls were widespread, but considerable uncertainty prevailed as to whether as a rule the blanket which was thus provided for the growing wheat had come in time to avert damage.

Corn and oats eased toward the last, influenced by wheat weakness. The government crop report as to corn was virtually the same as had heretofore been indicated. Oats production, however, is about 11,000,000 bushels more than the latest prior official estimate.

Provisions were firmer in sympathy with hogs.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
Dec.	1.22⅝	1.21¼	1.21¼
March	1.29⅛	1.28	1.28⅛
May	1.33⅝	1.32¼	1.32⅜
July	1.34⅛	1.32⅝	1.33
Corn—			
Dec.	.91⅛	.90⅞	.91
March	.94⅛	.94⅛	.94⅛
May	.97⅛	.96⅝	.96⅝
July	.98⅛	.98	.98
Oats—			
Dec.	.46	.45½	.45⅝
March	.48⅝	.48¼	.48⅛
May	.50	.49⅝	.49½
July	.48⅞	.48½	.48½
Rye—			
Dec.	1.06½	1.05⅝	1.05⅛
March	1.06⅛	1.05¼	1.05¼
May	1.04⅛	1.03½	1.03½
Lard—			
Dec.			10.17
Jan.	10.45	10.42	10.42
May	10.87	10.85	10.85
Bellies—			
Dec.			11.37
Jan.	11.75	11.70	11.75
May	12.35	12.30	12.32

New York Bonds

Foreign

Argentina Sf 59 June	91⅛
Austria 4½s	83¼
Belgium 1n 7s	108⅛
Britain 37, 5½s	102⅛
France 7½s	104⅛
Germany 7s	106⅛
Italy 7s	94⅛
Japan 6½s	101⅛
Panama 5s A	90⅛
Poland 8s	91

Domestic

American Smelting 5s	100⅛
American Sugar 6s	103
A T & T 5½s	107⅛
A T & F Gen 4s	94
B & O Rfg 5s	103⅛
Bethlehem Steel Con 6s A	104⅛
Chesapeake Corp 5s	100⅛
C & O Cvt 4½s	99⅛
C B Q 4½s	98⅛
C G W 4½s	93⅛
Dodge Deb 6s	94
Erie Rf 5s	96⅛
Gen Mot A C 6s	101⅛
Goodyear 5s	91⅛
Great Northern 7s A	110⅛
Hudson Man Rf 5s A	97
Humble Oil 5s	100⅛
I G N Adj 6s	88⅛
Int M Mar Sf 6s	97
Int T & T Cvt 4½s	124⅛
Kansas City Southern Rf 5s	100⅛
Missouri-Kansas-Texas Adj 5s A	103⅛
Missouri Pacific Gen 4s	75⅛
Phillips Petroleum 5½s	91⅛
Pure Oil 5½s	100⅛
Southern Pacific 4½s	99
Southern Railway Con 5s	107⅛
Southwestern Bell Telephone 5s	103⅛
Texas & Pacific 5s B	100⅛
Union Pacific 4½s	97⅛
United States Rubber 5s	81⅛
Westinghouse Electric 5s	104⅛

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow 8.60@8.85; prime crude 7.12½@7.25. Jan. 8.80; Feb. 8.78; March 9.05; April 9.15; May 9.23; June 9.28; July 9.40 Dec. 8.00; sales 11,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow 7.75; prime crude 7.12½@7.25. Jan. 7.93. Feb. 8.00, March 8.11, April 8.12, May 8.26. June 8.29. July 8.38. Dec. 7.90.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Call money steady, 4½ per cent all day. Time loans steady: 30 days 4¾@5; 60-90 days 4¾@5; 4-6 months 4¾@5. Prime commercial paper 5@5½. Bankers acceptances unchanged.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Wheat—No. 5 hard $1.10; No. 2 mixed $1.22.

New Corn—No. 4 mixed 82c; No. 5 white 84c.

Old Corn—No. 2 yellow 94@95c.

Oats—No. 2 white 46c.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—Wheat: No. 2 dark hard $1.22; No. 2 hard $1.20@1.21½; No. 2 red, nominally, $1.29@1.32; December $1.17⅝; May $1.25; July $1.25⅝.

Corn: No. 2 white, nominally, 86@88c; No. 2 yellow, nominally, 88@88c; No. 2 mixed 84½c; December 86⅝c; May 94⅛c; July 96c.

Oats: No. 2 white, nominally, 45@46c.

Wall paper sale. Decorators.—Adv.

When you buy tubes SAY Cunningham RADIO TUBES

Royalty Wanted

Cash paid for small producing royalties. If it pays as much as $2 per month we will buy it.

Security Royalty Co.

Phone 7070 817 Eighth St.

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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

BATTLE CREEK health, herbal baths, magnetic massage reducing. 1316 Eighteenth street; dial 7840.

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts made by anyone except myself. B. Williams.

EASTWOOD BEAUTY SCHOOL prepares you for state board examinations. Now open. Students taught all branches of beauty culture. Appointment before enrollment necessary. Margaret Eastwood, Kimberlin's Balcony, 918 Indiana; telephone 9814.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

SPECIAL French oil wave, one for $3 or two for $5; guaranteed. Mrs. Johnson, 1006 Brook. 2-4972.

MALONE'S Christmas special: Permanent waves, $3.50 and up. Open evenings by appointment. The oldest, largest and best equipped bob and beauty shop in Wichita Falls. Phone 5873. Basement Staley building.

MARCELING 50c. 1209 Broad; phone 2-4350.

5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Large white liver spotted pointer, 5 years old; answers to name of Chief; reward. 2-5177.

LOST—Large white and liver spotted pointer; 5 years old; answers to name of Chief. Reward. 2-5177.

A REWARD is offered for the return of the medicine case taken from Dr. C. E. Mangum's car. No questions asked. Phone 2-2172.

LOST OR STOLEN—Black and brown coon dog, weighs about 70 pounds; answers to name of "Big Boy." Liberal reward. Dr. Kimbrough, phone 7501 or 7828.

LOST—Between McGregor and Eleventh on Holliday, pair of horn-rimmed spectacles in leather case. Phone 3689.

LOST—Brown female pointer, short hair. Reward for return. Phone 7933.

6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION

LEARN BARBERING—It is simplicity itself. I furnish practice in beginners department by free work—my students earn $100 in pay departments while learning. Write. Moler, 912 Main street, Dallas.

DANCING taught in six lessons. Graham Studio; phone 4572.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

25 BOYS wanted to sell Christmas specials. Can use young man with car as assistant manager. Call 511½ Mississippi, in person.

TWO MEN willing to work hard for 80c per hour, advancement if you show ability. Apply 917 Staley Bldg., after 2 p. m.

WANTED—Experienced boilermaker and welder to work in oil field near Vernon. Phone 2-4424.

TWO MEN TO help in rush of new year's business, pay to start about $25 per week. Chance for permanent position with advancement, good character and neat appearance essential. See Mr. Ryan, 409 Perkins-Snider building.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

MA-VI SCHOOL BEAUTY CULTURE. Guaranteed position. State examination. Phone 2-1698.

WANTED—White woman, age 20 to 35, to do gin house work and stay on premises. 1005 Seventeenth street.

LARGE servant room to desirable employed couple. 1819 Seventh.

TEN DEMONSTRATORS wanted at once. Room 732 Kemp hotel. Margaret Garret.

FOR RENT—Servant room, woman to cook evening meal. Apply after 6 p. m. 1800 Ninth.

10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

POSITIONS

The best positions go to the ones with the best training.

Young men and young women have found the Draughon's college an excellent institution in which to train for business, because of its business reputation, present-day method, equipment and strong faculty.

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Cline's Commercial College.
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14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

ROUGH DRY 17 pounds $1.00; quilts 25c; delivered; phone 2-0403.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position, can furnish good references. Phone 5656 or 3792. Carolyn Valcik.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

CLEAN bedrooms, meals if desired; also garage. 1206 Austin.

NICE BEDROOMS, ladies or gentlemen, two meals. 1407 Thirteenth; phone 6264.

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

CLEAN BEDROOMS, with Sealy mattress, garage, close in. 1105 Broad.

KEMP KORT—Lovely bedrooms, steam heat, walking distance. Phone 5473.

BEDROOM for rent, connecting bath. Phone 4535. 1606 Eleventh.

EXTRA NICE front bedroom, private entrance; garage; bus lines. 1103 Brook; phone 5397.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE NICELY furnished housekeeping room, on pavement and bus line. 2104 Yale.

ONE NICE light housekeeping room, furnished. 300 Burnett, $4.50 week.

ONE NICE light housekeeping room, $4 week; close in. 1011 Seventh.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. C. Y. Tully Co., 813½ Scott; phone 9902.

ONE SMALL furnished apartment, bills paid. 1204 Grace; phone 2-2538.

TWO ROOMS, furnished, private bath. 1404 Fifteenth. Inquire 1406 Broad.

THREE LARGE rooms, modern, clean, nicely furnished. 1310 Eighth.

FURNISHED apartments. Apply basement office. 1504 Eighth street. Call Franklin 2-4785 or 3960.

THREE-ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, private bath. 2101 Avenue B. Phone 2-2663.

ONE-HALF unfurnished four-room duplex. Phone 5982. 1416 Fourteenth.

BEAUTIFULLY new furnished four-room apartment, newly papered. 2107 Taft. Phone 6578.

THREE rooms, private bath; three rooms, connecting bath. Phone 9218.

NICELY FURNISHED 4-room apartment, close in on pavement. Phone 8319.

ADULTS—Two-room furnished apartment, private bath, bills paid. 2308 Tenth.

THREE ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, private bath. 1310 Eighth street.

LARGE BEDROOM, kitchen, breakfast room, beautifully furnished, all bills paid. Call after 12. 2156 Avenue G.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartments, bills paid, phones 5329, 2-5856. 2210 Bullington.

BROOK MANOR, nicely furnished apartment, Frigidaire. Phone 2-4724.

THREE FURNISHED rooms, 1914 Fillmore. Apply after 7 o'clock. Phone 6519.

NICELY FURNISHED 2-room apartment, 1308 Clark; phone 6689.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, private home, garage. 3107 Miami.

FOUR-ROOM modern apartment, unfurnished, all built-ins, garage, pavement, $30. Phone 5049.

GARAGE apartment, three rooms and bath, to refined couple. Nicely furnished, $35, bills paid. Phone 5556.

BUSINESS girl would like to share apartment in Lamar apartments. Phone days 3912, evenings 2-5598.

FURNISHED apartment, bedroom, kitchenet, breakfast cove; also cottage, 1310 Thirteenth.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

HOME RENTAL service. Call L. G. Hodges, 8171-3023; 813 Tenth.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, all newly papered, close in; phone 5824. 1205 Sixth.

MODERN five-room house and garage; pavement. 1307 Twenty-fourth. Phone 9536.

FIVE-ROOM house, modern conveniences, 411 Seymour. Phone 6660. John L. Jones Furniture Co.

FIVE-ROOM house, garage, servant quarters, Junior college district. Call 8521.

FIVE-ROOM house, modern. 1302 Polk, $35. Call 3654.

ON COLLINS street six rooms, two bath rooms, double garage. Phone 4454.

NEWLY decorated six-room house, Junior college district. Phone Rogers, 2-2104 or 4736.

DUPLEX apartment, four rooms and bath, garage, unusually large and attractive grounds. No upkeep. 1815 McGregor.

UNFURNISHED home, duplex style, on carline, 1508 Seventeenth, $30. Phone 9176.

FOR RENT—Six-room brick home completely furnished, modern, servant house, garage. Have four, five and six-room houses to rent. C. C. Jones Sr., 407 Staley; phone 6450-9372.

FOR RENT—My nicely furnished home, two baths, three bedrooms, double garage. Call 2-1041.

FIVE-ROOM unfurnished house, built-in features. 1304 North Second; call 9837.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, $20 month, garage, pavement. Phone 5956.

1807 BRITAIN—Five rooms, $35; 1503 Travis, duplex, $15; 514 Mississippi, four rooms, $12.50; 2123 Bluff, four rooms, $10; modern five-room house, one acre tract, $20; 1904 Grant, six rooms, redecorated, strictly modern, built-ins, garage, $27.50. Cone & Hill. 4484-3748.

1906 Taylor, 5 rooms, $25.
3104 Cumberland, nice 6 rooms, $45.
907 Bluff, 5 rooms, furnished, $50.
1616 Fourteenth, 5 rooms, nicely furnished, $55.
Staton, 5328.

FIVE ROOMS, oak floors, pavement, $25, unfurnished. Phone 7700.

FIVE-ROOM brick veneer house, unfurnished, double garage, A-1 condition and location. 2006 Tilden, $50. Call 8171 or 3023.

22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

FOR LEASE—Orange color stucco filling station, one-fourth mile out on the Henrietta road.

FOR LEASE—Desirable store building Marchman hotel building (fire proof); reasonable rent. O. F. Marchman. Phone 8171-4440.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

BEDROOM and living room suits complete, Kelvinator, gate-leg table and Winsor chairs, bird cage, gold fish, rugs, B tenor saxophone, violin. 701 Wofford. Phone 2-2779.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Four-room boxed house, ceiled throughout, in good condition. See owner on property. 1018 Bass street.

DUCK HUNTER — 14-foot non-sinkable, non-leakable boat, duck blind connected, 8 decoys, 5 live and 8 blocks. Loaded on trailer, ready to go; bargain. Phone 6037. 3119 Eighth.

FOR SALE—Boy's 28-inch bicycle, good condition. Phone 6481; 2113 Tenth.

FOR SALE—Oak bridge plank and 6 by 8 14 pine $2.50 hundred. Some odd doors and windows and builders hardware cheap. 1110 Ohio.

BEAUTIFUL handmade crocheted shawls, baby Afghan robes, automobile robes. Phone 67. Henrietta, Texas.

"BOOK OF LIFE" 8 volumes, nice for religious home; half price. 1317 N. Ninth. Phone 8955.

31. AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE—Complete farming implements, 6 head horses, 10 head Jersey cattle. All sales under $10 cash, all over that amount 10 months time bearing 10 per cent interest from date, Thursday, Dec. 19. 10 a. m. 2½ miles west, 1 mile south Bacon, known as the Evert place. Arthur Evert.

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31. AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE at Cameron Gardens dairy northeast of town Friday, Dec. 20; sale starts 10:30; 20 head cattle, 800 bales good hay, 150 bushels corn, team mules, farm machinery, everything goes. W. L. Cameron, owner.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE—E flat alto saxophone. Call 5220 or 9944.

WE HAVE some small second-hand pianos at a real good price. Terms, $10 monthly. Moore Music company, 1113 Monroe. Phone 9009.

33. RADIOS

REPOSSESSED Crosley radio, same as new; was $114, balance due, $64; $10 payments. Several other repossessions to sell for balance due. Wichita Music Co.

BARGAINS

Victrol, walnut cabinet model, cost $125 when new, complete with 24 records, $37.50.

Freshman radio, table model with built-in speaker, complete with 5 tubes, cost $125 new, $32.50.

Will accept trade-ins.

Ask for Mr. Haley, phone 7719.

34. WANTED TO BUY

WANTED to buy used furniture. Patton Mattress and Furniture company. Phone 9930.

BEST PRICES paid for men's clothing, shoes, hats. Phone 2-0282.

36. SEEDS, PLANTS AND FLOWERS

BEAUTIFUL carnations, hardy pot plants, reasonable. Mrs. Powell, 2208 Brown.

42. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Spotted pony and collie pups; cheap. Phone 3644.

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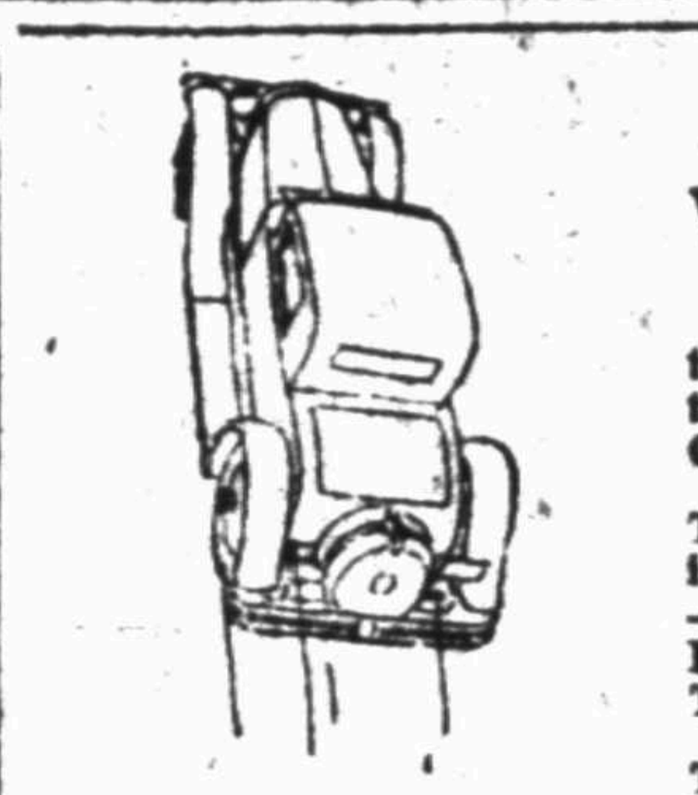
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B. M. Moreau of Olustee, was the first county property owner to make a payment.

HOSPITAL BILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The senate finance committee today favorably reported the Rogers hospitalization bill and added $1,950,000 to the $14,000,000 authorized for new veterans hospital construction in the bill passed by the house.

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Resignation of Altus Legion Head Accepted

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—The resignation of Carl Haynes, American Legion post commander in Altus, was accepted this week by the membership. Henry Robinson, vice commander of the group, will be acting post commander until another election or appointment is held in January.

John R. Gordon Heads Merchant Fleet Corp.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—John R. Gordon of New York has been named president of the Merchant Fleet corporation, succeeding to the post which had been filled by Chairman T. V. O'Connor of the shipping board.

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Iowa Park Society

Special to The Record News.

IOWA PARK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Mrs. J. C. Thurber, assisted by Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. W. F. George and Mrs. B. L. Turner, was hostess to the Pollyanna and T. & T. classes of the Methodist Sunday school at her home Tuesday evening. The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas wreaths, festoons and evergreens. Games for the evening were 42 and dominoes. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O. Sehon, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Bogey, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hester, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. George, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hines, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pace, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Coppick, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Clark, and to Mrs. C. C. Boyd, Mrs. S. L. Denney, Mrs. Elsie Rhea Orr, Mrs. John Tidwell and Mrs. G. J. Tooles.

Pleasant Valley Club

Mrs. I. W. Corder, assisted by her mother, Mrs. C. C. Burrows, entertained the Pleasant Valley home demonstration club at her home Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was the celebration of their annual Christmas party, and an appropriate program was rendered by Mrs. W. C. Williams and Mrs. C. C. Burrows, after which the guests were led to a beautifully decorated tree from which gifts were distributed to all present. A dainty plate of sandwiches, salads, olives and cakes was served to the following: Mesdames W. C. Williams, Jim Cowden, Walter Scott, G. G. Hathaway, Cleone Davis, Eva Davis, Ernestine Fielder, Emma Davis, Ada Butcher, Miss Mabel Noland, C. C. Burrows, and the hostess, Mrs. I. W. Corder. Also, to the following children, who participated in the event: Dorothy Davis, Marie Scott, Margaret Cowden, and Eleanor Hathaway; Masters Thomas William Davis, Thomas Clinton Fielder, Milton Hathaway and Joe Burrows.

Lions Club

Iowa Park Lions club has as its guests Tuesday noon six visiting Lions from Wichita Falls, Jim King, P. B. Curd, Bart McGee, Jim Gantt, M. Fiddler and Mr. Robinson. Features of the hour were talks by local and visiting Lions on the great opportunities for organizations such as the Lions club, also an extemporaneous address by one of the local high school boys, Maurice Monroe, who touched upon the economic conditions of the day. A musical program was rendered by Misses Catherine Sue Relaton and Jewell Thompson. It was stated that plans for quiet distribution of Christmas baskets to worthy families had been made and that the Lions were going to do their share in helping make Christmas a happy time for ones less fortunate than themselves.

HELD IN ROBBERY

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18. (UP)—A. L. Evans, 22, charged with robbing six drillers in the City oil field, today awaited trial in district court. Peace Justice Powers ordered him bound over for trial at a preliminary hearing on a charge of robbing with firearms late yesterday. Bail was denied. The state will ask the death penalty, prosecutors said.

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No. 37—"11 o'Clock Katy," Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Austin ...... 6:15 a. m.
No. 31—"Texas Special," St. Louis, Kansas City, Galveston, San Antonio, Austin and Dallas .... 2:10 p. m.
No. 53—Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points .... 7:35 p. m.

Departures To—
No. 32—"Texas Special," Kansas City, St. Louis, Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, Houston and Galveston ...... 6:00 p. m.
No. 38—"11 o'Clock Katy," Dallas, Houston, Austin and San Antonio ....11:00 p. m.
No. 54—Forgan, Wellington and intermediate points ... 7:15 a. m.

WICHITA FALLS & SOUTHERN

Arrivals From—
No. 4—Dublin, Breckenridge, Graham, Olney and intermediate points ....11:20 a. m.

Departures To—
No. 3—Olney, Graham, Breckenridge, Dublin and intermediate points ...... 3:00 p. m.

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Arrivals From—
No. 1—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ... 2:00 p. m.
No. 2—Denver, Amarillo and intermediate points ..12:25 p. m.
No. 5—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ...1:00 a. m.
No. 6—Amarillo and intermediate points .... 3:33 a. m.
No. 7—Dallas, Fort Worth and intermediate points ... 4:40 a. m.
No. 8—Denver, Amarillo, Lubbock, Plainview and intermediate points ...... 1:45 a. m.

Departures To—
No. 1—Amarillo, Denver and intermediate points ... 2:15 p. m.
No. 2—Fort Worth, Dallas and intermediate points ...12:40 p. m.
No. 5—Amarillo, Plainview, Lubbock, Denver and intermediate points ... 1:10 a. m.
No. 6—Fort Worth, Dallas and intermediate points ... 3:45 a. m.
No. 7—Amarillo, Denver and intermediate points ... 5:00 a. m.
No. 8—Fort Worth, Dallas and intermediate points ... 2:00 a. m.

WICHITA VALLEY

Arrivals From—
No. 2—Abilene and intermediate points ....12:05 p. m.
No. 8—Abilene and intermediate points ....12:35 a. m.
No. 9—Waurika, Byers, Petrolia and Dean .... 4:30 a. m.
points .... 1:25 a. m.

Departures To—
No. 1—Abilene and intermediate
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Confirmation of the election of Frank Kell as chairman of the board of directors and N. H. Martin as president of the Deep Oil Development company, election of two vice-presidents, a treasurer, and a temporary secretary, and the creation of an executive committee empowered to complete the company's incorporation and appoint a manager, featured the meeting of the directors held in Mr. Martin's office Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Martin and Mr. Kell were declared elected to their positions in accordance with recommendations made last Saturday by the stockholders. Vice presidents chosen Wednesday are J. J. Perkins and J. S. Bridwell. Sam Householder of Byers was named treasurer, and J. D. Bright as temporary secretary. Mr. Bright recently has been in charge of the company's offices on the first floor of the Hamilton building.

The executive committee consists of Mr. Kell and Mr. Martin, ex-officio members: J. F. O'Donohoe, James E. McKanna, W. B. Hamilton, Harry Hines, J. S. Bridwell, and J. J. Perkins. This committee was authorized to proceed with the capitalization campaign, which already has produced subscriptions to more than $700,000 worth of stock in the concern. The goal of $1,000,000 will be reached soon, according to Mr. Martin's prediction Wednesday.

A telegram from W. T. Knight, local oil man, stating that he has just sold $5,000 worth of Deep Oil Development company stock to a friend in Chicago, was read by Mr. Martin.

Seventeen of the 20 members of the board of directors were present at Wednesday's meeting. Harry Hines is out of the city, and frigid weather prevented the attendance of E. W. Hunt and O. T. Anderson, of Olney. Those present were:

From Wichita Falls—Mr. Kell, Mr. Martin, Mr. Perkins, Mr. McKanna, Mr. Hamilton, John Hirschi, J. I. Staley, W. M. McGregor, Mr. Bridwell, J. T. Harrell and Mr. O'Donohoe.

From Wichita county at large—Will Hodges of Iowa Park and A. T. McDannald of Electra.

From Archer county—T. L. Wilson and S. G. Helm.

From Clay county—Dr. A. B. Edwards of Henrietta and Mr. Householder.

Land Owner Sues Oil Company for $2,900

A suit for damages amounting to $2,900 was filed with the district clerk Wednesday by W. M. Dodson of Burkburnett against the Tidal Western Oil corporation on a claim that his land had been injured to that extent by a ditch from the refinery which crosses his land about a half mile south of Burkburnett.

Various refuse matter from the refinery was allowed to run down the ditch, the claim stated, causing an obnoxious odor and damaging the land and sub-surface water. Wells on Dodson's farm, it was claimed, had been rendered unfit for use.

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Retired Plainview Business Man Takes Orgatone and His Troubles Disappear

C. B. Davis, a wealthy retired business man, residing on 1605 W. Seventh street, Plainview, Texas, is still another prominent citizen of the community who comes forward with his endorsement of Orgatone. In a conversation with the Orgatone representative, Mr. Davis said:

"No one semed to know what my trouble was, but I haven't been a well man in 20 years. I suffered from a very bad case of stomach disorder, and got to where I didn't have any appetite and what I did eat would disagree with me, and my food would lie in my stomach sour and undigested, which caused gas to form and bloating spells. I was so nervous and upset I could not hardly get any restful sleep at all and simply felt badly all the time, and suffered from severe, intense headaches and had a bad case of constipation.

"My nephew had taken Orgatone and received good results and insisted that I try it. I have just taken two bottles and honestly feel better in every way than I have in the past 20 years. I am completely relieved of all my trouble, and simply eat like I did when a boy. What I eat seems to give me nourishment and strength and doesn't bother me at all. I rest fine every night and wake up in the morning feeling as if I had a new lease on life. I now recommend Orgatone because it has brought back my health after everything else had failed. I want to recommend Orgatone to my friends."

Genuine Orgatone is sold in Wichita Falls exclusively by the Allison Drug store, 716 Indiana avenue.—Adv.

Girls From "Five And Ten" Get Chance At Vacation In Theater Contest Here

FIVE TO WALK ACROSS STAGE

32 Girls Seek Holiday With Pay in Contest

Five sales girls of the Woolworth store in Wichita Falls are going on the Publix theaters' stage next Monday night, Dec. 23.

They may make only this one appearance, but one of the five will emerge from that brief promenade before the footlights as the recipient of a seven-days' vacation on full pay and a three-months' pass to the Majestic theater, which will be a considerable inducement following the trying rush of Christmas shopping.

Monday night's stage novices will be selected by the public during the coming four days, by deposit of voting coupons to be clipped from The Record News, or obtained from sales girls at the Woolworth store, in ballot boxes in the foyer of the Majestic and at the local store. Votes are to be counted Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock, and the five highest contestants among the 32 girls on the Woolworth sales personnel will be certified for appearance before the 10 o'clock audience Monday night. Selection of the winner will be determined by comparative applause, as measured by a committee of judges to be appointed for the affair.

Sales Girl's Story

The popularity contest is being sponsored by the Majestic theater management through The Record News in connection with the showing of Alice White's latest starring attraction, "The Girl From Woolworth's," which plays at Majestic Sunday and Monday. In the talking picture, Miss White enacts the role of a Woolworth store sales girl who finally makes the grade as a dancing songster, and puts her name on the big electric signs on Broadway.

Coupons will appear in The Record News until Monday morning, and will also be distributed by Woolworth sales girls on Friday, Saturday and Monday with all parcels delivered to customers. Ballot boxes are to be located in the store and in the foyer of the Majestic theater for receipt of votes beginning Friday morning.

Aside from the week's vacation and three-months' Majestic theater pass offered to Monday night's election as the most popular "Wichita Falls Woolworth Girl," five passes for Majestic bills will be given to each of the other four contestants in the finals, it was announced.

Girls Enter Contest

The following girls will compete for the election—and for the vacation and pass:

Misses Blanch Russell, Edith Gray, Madeline Zeliff, May Deiterman, Ella Wells, Drucilla Taylor, Lucille Hibbs, Vera Vanwey, Alice Allen, Katherine Smith, Marie Bindel, Nelda Green, Willie Dell Owens, Pauline Abbott, Nona McKeon, Opal McPhail, Viola Burno, Madie Thompson, Opal Thornton, Edith Powell, Juanita Collins, Ollie Webb, Cora Anna Mitchell, Ruby Painter, Nettie McDonald, Velma McDonald, Lottie Huffman, Marie Lewis, Francis Bindel, Dora Riley, Virginia McDowell, and Lorene Burnett.

Altus Library Attracts Scores of Readers

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—One thousand eight hundred and eighty nine books were checked by visitors of the city library during the month of November.

One thousand four hundred and seventy-eight of the books were read by adults and 411 were juvenile books. One hundred forty-three of the total checked from the library were non-fiction books.

Senate Passes Bill Extending Oil Permits

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The senate passed today and sent to the house a bill introduced by the late Senator Warren of Wyoming, to extend for three years oil and gas prospecting permits already issued by the government for use on public lands.

KING RESOLUTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (UP)—The King resolution proposing a congressional inquiry into the price manipulations on exchanges will be taken up after the holidays by the senate banking and currency committee, Chairman Norbeck announced today.

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DAIRY SCHOOL PLANNED HERE

Southwest Dairies to Bring Experts to Wichita

R. L. Pou of Dallas, production manager of the Southwest Dairy Products company, is in Wichita Falls laying plans for a series of dairying schools which will be held by the company in this section from Jan. 13 to 24. Mr. Pou is working with O. K. Barnes, manager of the agricultural department of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Five of the schools will be held in this county, according to preliminary plans. The schools will also be held in Baylor, Archer and Clay counties.

Dairying experts who will be here during the school include D. T. Simons of Fort Worth, president of the American Jersey cattle club; R. Reece of Dallas, agent for the M.-K. T.; W. B. Barney of Chicago, secretary of the Holstein-Fresian association and M. B. Oates of the Fort Worth and Denver railway.

Girls Sing Carols At Lions Club Luncheon

Members of the Lions club in their regular weekly meeting at the Kemp hotel Wednesday noon heard Christmas carols sung by a sextet of girls from the First Southern Presbyterian church and were told by Dr. F. R. Collard of tubercular prevention work done with Christmas seal funds, and donated a considerable amount to the Salvation Army's Christmas basket fund after a short talk by Ensign A. Shultz of the local citadel.

Misses Margaret Fleming, Kathleen Colligan, and Nancy Lou Jamison, sopranos, and Misses Eleanor Fleming, Sarah Beth Hall, and Olivert Castile, altos, sang "Joy to the World," "God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen," and "The Glad Noel," unaccompanied. They are members of the 25-voice Christmas carol choir of the First Southern Presbyterian church.

Bart McGee and James King, president, reported visits to the Iowa Park and Burkburnett Lions club meetings, respectively, on Tuesday.

The program was arranged by Dr. Gaines B. Hall, pastor of the First Southern Presbyterian church.

ACTRESS IS FREED

PARIS, Dec. 18. (AP)—A magistrate today dismissed complaints that Roszika Dolly, actress, had obtained $280,000 in pearls under false pretenses from Parisian jewelers. Two necklaces have been placed under sequestration. She claimed the necklaces were given her by her estranged husband.

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School And College Notes

By MARGARET FLEMING
The Record News Staff

The Junior college Spanish club held a special Christmas program Wednesday morning in the auditorium. The main feature of the program was "El Belen de Pepita," a short play showing how children celebrate Christmas in South America. The characters are as follows: Pepita, the little boy, Sylvia Smith; godfather, Emil Hutto; godmother, Annie Wright; Pepita's uncles and aunts, I. D. Brown, Ansley Grant, Ada Jane Castner, and Ruth Brice; his grandmother and grandfather, Elmer Parish and Marion Staton; and the postman, Stafford Helms.

John Flynn, Jack Pitman, Orville Medford, and Bob Murrell, members of the Junior college quartet, sang "Noche de Pay." "Venid Pastores" was sung by a girls' chorus, and Jack Pitman gave a reading.

Letter Men

High school and college football letter men will be announced at the regular assembly hour Thursday morning, according to Coach Barry Holton.

Euclidian Club

O. J. Didzun, economics instructor of the high school, will speak for the members of the Junior college Euclidian club at their regular meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, according to Zack Taylor, chairman of the program committee.

Annual Makes Progress

Work on the Wai-Kun, Junior college yearbook, is well under way, according to R. O. Jonas, faculty sponsor. The motif of the annual is the Texas bluebonnet, and the theme is the history of Texas poets.

Special Wichitan

Members of the Wichitan staff have announced a special Christmas edition of the paper to be issued Friday morning during the 30-minute period. It will be one of the largest in the history of the paper, containing a magazine section and several special features.

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PARENTS SUE FOR $50,500

Company Is Negligent In Death, Suit Claims

Damages amounting to $50,500 were claimed in a suit filed Wednesday with the district clerk by J. C. Thomas and wife against the Postal Telegraph and Cable company following the death of their son, who had been an employe of the company.

A physician appointed by the telegraph company to treat the youth when he became ill while working as a messenger boy made an incorrect diagnosis of his sickness, the claim stated, and allowed the boy to return to work under the false impression of a minor illness. The doctor stated the illness was a "light case of influenza" and after two days told the boy to return to work, according to the claim. Permanent illness resulted when it was discovered that the youth was suffering from tonsillities instead of influenza, the claim said, and an operation on the diseased tonsils came too late to save his life.

The claim asks $25,000 for the mental anguish caused by the boy's suffering and death, $25,000 for the loss of his earning power and support and $500 for medical fees and treatment.

YOUNGEST STUDENT

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Youngest junior high pupil in the Frederick school is Wildon Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Simpson, of 512 North Twelfth street. He was born Oct. 2, 1918, and is in the seventh grade. Mrs. A. M. Dennis, principal, says he is an excellent student.

Send flowers by wire from Bebb's.—Adv.

Eulogy Given To Civic Club Work

Dr. R. H. Graham, former president of the Lions club, eulogized the motives of civic service clubs in a short address before members of the Optimist club at the Kemp hotel Wednesday noon.

The annual Christmas tree party for club members was conducted by Jimmie Allred and Joe Richker. All members received various toys and noise-makers, and indulged in juvenile merry making during the party. V. N. Armstrong was awarded a special gift provided by the Texas Electric Service company for the occasion.

Brief talks on behalf of the Christmas seal campaign of the Wichita County Tuberculosis association were made by Oral Jones and A. A. Spencer. Rev. Patrick Henry, pastor of the Highland Heights Christian church, announced that the junior Optimists will be given a Christmas party at the First Christian church Saturday evening, Dec. 21. A singsong was led by R. D. Ford.

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10:35 a. m.	Lv. Springfield	Lv.	2:15 p. m.
12:50 p. m.	Lv. Tulsa	Lv.	12:30 p. m.
2:05 p. m.	Lv. Oklahoma City	Lv.	11:15 a. m.
3:20 p. m.	Lv. Wichita Falls	Lv.	10:05 a. m.
4:35 p. m.	Lv. Fort Worth	Lv.	8:40 a. m.
5:00 p. m.	Ar. Dallas	Lv.	8:15 a. m.
4:45 p. m.	Ar. Sweetwater	Lv.	8:30 a. m.

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