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BANDITS KIDNAP ASHER BANKERS

All Wichita County Schools Face Influenza Suspension

HEALTH CHIEF HOPES SPREAD CAN BE HALTED

Gain of Epidemic Causes Threat to Close City Institutions

IMPROVEMENT SEEN

Cantwell Says Situation Has Improved During Past Week

Closing of all the public schools in the county, including the Wichita Falls institutions, will be ordered if the influenza epidemic becomes any more serious, Dr. M. A. Beckman, county health officer, announced Thursday night.

Dr. Beckman said he feared the suspension of all classes would be necessary if present indications of an increased spread of the disease materialize.

"I hope it will not be necessary," he declared. "But if the situation grows as bad as most physicians fear, I will order the closing of every school until the epidemic is checked."

Three Schools Close

Three county schools have already closed their doors because of the epidemic. The Burkburnett schools did not reconvene after the Christmas holidays, and the schools at Clara and Fairview dismissed sessions Monday afternoon because of the large percentage of absentees. Burl Bryant, county superintendent, said Thursday that the institutions hoped to re-open on Monday of next week.

A few cases of small pox, as well as numerous flu cases, are reported at Valley View and at Clara. Dr. Beckman said physicians had failed to obey the law in reporting them to his office. His records show only three cases of small pox at K. M. A., reported a fortnight ago.

Cantwell Sees Improvement

Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent of city schools, said Thursday night that he regarded the situation in the city schools somewhat improved over the report given when the classes reconvened after the holidays Monday. At that time, he said, there were between 700 and 800 cases of influenza among the students. He added that he did not believe the schools would have to be closed.

Preventative measures are being taught the students in all the health classes, the superintendent went on. The children, he said, are interested in stopping the spread of the epidemic and are cooperating in all the measures suggested.

Hoover Ship Ploughs Into Home Waters

U. S. S. UTAH, Jan. 3 (AP)—In home waters once more, the Hoover party today began packing up in preparation for leaving the battleship Utah Sunday to go ashore at Hampton Roads for a brief railroad journey back to Washington.

An extra baggage car is to be attached to the special train leaving Old Point Comfort Sunday morning, in order to take care of the gifts received by the Hoovers. Among these are many of almost untold value, such as a gold Inca death mask and a piece of Inca tapestry dating back before the birth of Christ.

'Father of Westbrook' Dies in Colorado, Tex.

COLORADO, Texas, Jan. 3 (AP)—G. J. McKinney, 82, widely known as a pioneer in this section and "The Father of Westbrook," died here today. He had lived here 25 years, and once owned the land on which the town of Westbrook now is situated.

Hambone's Meditations



RACE IS ON

Syncopating Grandpas And Jazz-Mad Grandmas Held to Blame

EVANSTON, Ill., Jan. 3. (US) Life is getting to be a race between grandfather and grandson, with the old man setting the pace, according to W. E. J. Gratz, editor of the Epworth Herald.

Syncopating grandpas, jazz-grandmas and fast-stepping mammas and papas—not youth—are to blame for the present-day alleged waywardness of youth, was the startling message brought to 600 Methodist church workers in world service conference by Mr. Gratz.

"Youth is rebelling against the program that old age has been setting it," Mr. Gratz said. "Many young people are more moral than their parents. If the older people really want to help you, let them straighten out themselves first."

TWO NAMED IN CROWELL RAIDS

Youths Charged With Burglary and Auto Theft

Special to The Record News.

CROWELL, Texas, Jan. 3—Mike Doyle, 16, of Houston, and Dickey Denton, 18, of Dallas, waived preliminary hearing in justice court here today, and were remanded to jail to await action of the grand jury on three charges of burglary and one of automobile theft which face each of the youths.

The two are being held in connection with the robbery of three filling stations and the theft of an automobile here last night.

Arrested After Chase

Their arrest followed a nip and tuck chase over two counties by Sheriff T. R. Miller and City Marshal Orville Thomas for persons who entered the Fox-Harrel filling station last night. While investigating this robbery, two men were apprehended in the act of robbing the Quick Service station.

The men fled in a car bearing a Dallas county license. They headed toward Margaret, but officers reaching that point gave up the chase. Returning to Crowell, they discovered the car that had borne the bandits was parked near the Crowell filling station.

They also learned that this latter station had been robbed of about $30 while they were on the futile chase, and that a Ford coupe belonging to M. S. Crowell, owner of the station, had been stolen.

Again officers took up pursuit. They headed toward Paducah, but soon returned empty handed.

Car at Paducah

Then, early this morning, two youths were arrested in a third automobile, which proved to belong to a Paducah man, and Paducah authorities, learning of their apprehension, informed officers here that the Ford belonging to Mr. Crowell had been abandoned in Paducah.

When arrested, the two were asleep in a car parked by the side of the road.

After preliminary hearing had been waived today, Denton was taken to Vernon and lodged in the Wilbarger county jail. Doyle was kept here.

Government Attorney To Probe Alien Smuggling

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (US)—Harry I. Tetlow, an attorney of the department of labor, arrived here today to take charge of an investigation into alien smuggling. The inquiry was said to be the outgrowth of evidence introduced in the trial of the kidnapers of little Billy Ranieri which prompted Assistant United States District Attorney F. A. Tappy to conduct a preliminary investigation after which he sought aid from Washington.

Judge Takes Oath For Third Six-Year Term

GALVESTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—Associate Justice George W. Graves today completed 12 years of service on the first district court of civil appeals without having lost a day on account of ill health, and then took the oath of office for his third elective term of six years before Chief Justice Pleasants.

FOX PLANS THEATER

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (UP)—William Fox, movie magnate, was reported today to be negotiating for property in the white light district with the intention of building the greatest movie theater in New York as part of a 40-story office building.

Chas. Weeks To Return Here Early Next Week

Farm Colonization Expert Leaves Owensmouth, Calif., Home for Wichita Falls Thursday

Charles Weeks, farm colonization expert, left his home at Owensmouth, Calif., Thursday morning and expects to reach Wichita Falls the first of next week, according to a telegram received Thursday by Hubert M. Harrison, manager of the chamber of commerce.

Mr. Weeks closed a contract with a number of land owners here about Nov. 1 for the colonization of portions of the irrigated districts of the Wichita valley. The Weeks' plan involves intensive development of small tracts. A permanent office will be opened by Mr. Weeks upon his arrival here, it was said.

According to the message received Thursday, Mr. Weeks has been delayed in coming to Wichita Falls because of his personal activity in getting out a large amount of advertising matter from California in the interest of the colonization project here. He also has been engaged in the reorganization of his marketing association.

During the last two months, Mr. Harrison stated, the local chamber of commerce has given wide publicity to the plan for colonization, including the distribution of several thousand extra copies of the Community Builder in which the Weeks intensive farming plan was featured. The publicity department already has received numerous inquiries from all parts of the United States, it was said.

Le Bouef and Dreher May Win Time For Hearing to Judge Their Sanity

Condemned Pair Believed by Some to Have Won Delay by Action of Judge Who Heard Case

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3 (AP)—With their clients near the gallows, defense lawyers today were attempting to forestall the hanging, scheduled for Saturday, of Mrs. Ada Bonner LeBouef and Dr. Thomas E. Dreher, sentenced to die for the murder of the woman's husband.

Mrs. LeBouef would be the first white woman to pay the extreme penalty in Louisiana. Last night Governor Long announced he would not interfere, overriding the state pardon board's recommendation that the sentences be commuted.

The defense won its skirmish today when James D. Simon, trial judge, ordered a hearing to be held at Franklin, La., tomorrow to determine whether a sanity commission should be appointed to inquire into the present mental condition of the condemned pair.

In some quarters, the action of Judge Simon in granting tomorrow's hearing is interpreted as automatically postponing the hanging under the Louisiana law.

Dr. Dreher and Mrs. LeBouef were reported in collapse in the Franklin jail after hearing the news of Governor Long's refusal to commute their sentences.

The governor's action caused a rupture with his lieutenant governor, Paul N. Cyr, member of the state pardon board. In a public statement the lieutenant governor accused the governor of "double crossing" him and declared the hanging of the pair would be nothing short of "judicial murder."

He charged Governor Long with showing favoritism in commuting the sentence of John Pleasant Harris, gambler, who killed a woman in New Orleans, and refusing to help the doctor and the woman.

Red River Tolls Are Ordered Reduced

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Complaints by the highway commissions of Oklahoma and Texas against excessive tolls charged for passage over the Gainesville Red River Bridge company bridge across the Red river near Gainesville, Texas, and over a bridge of the company across the Red river near Denison, Texas, has caused the secretary of war to direct a reduction of tolls.

Investigation by the war department found the complaints justified and the action of the secretary was taken under authority of an act of congress approved March 4, 1927.

Alleged Slayer Denied Bond Second Time

VICTORIA, Texas, Jan. 3 (AP)—P. B. Robidoux, trapper, charged with murder in the death of Willett and James Moore, brothers of Port Lavaca, was denied bond for the second time after habeas corpus proceedings here today.

The brothers were shot and clubbed to death several weeks ago at Robidoux's cabin on Keyon island and their bodies thrown into the Guadalupe river. Robidoux surrendered to officers.

Cain Anderson Appeals Conviction in Flogging

AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (AP)—Cain Anderson, convicted in Van Zandt county last September of entering a private house while masked, in connection with the alleged flogging of J. H. Richardson, and sentenced to eight years, appealed today to the court of criminal appeals.

Anderson, wealthy planter, was tried twice in Smith county, the juries failing to agree.

AIR ENDURANCE RECORD MADE

Question Mark Rides Through Fog Blankets

EL CENTRO, Calif., Jan. 3. (US)—Another record was beaten at 9 o'clock tonight by the Curtiss wings of the Question Mark when it surpassed the endurance flight with refueling mark of 60 hours and seven minutes, set last June by the Belgian airmen, by a safe margin of more than an hour and a half.

The giant plane has already set a new American endurance record, and if no onlooked for trouble develops will set a new world mark tomorrow morning.

METROPOLITAN AIRPORT, Los Angeles, Jan. 3. (AP)—Dodging fog blankets and rough air gave the crew of the army endurance plane Question Mark busy moments today as the big ship rode Southern California skies for the third day and neared a new world's record for sustained flight by aerial refueling.

Fog forced the fliers to remain in this vicinity, over the San Fernando valley, until late in the morning.

Before noon, however, the Question Mark pierced the fog to the south and arrived over Rockwell field at San Diego where the weather had cleared enough to successfully accomplish another transfer of fuel from a supply plane.

As the hours wore away it appeared that the Question Mark easily would eclipse the world's record of 60 hours and 7 minutes for sustained flight by refueling.

A note dropped by Major Carl Spatz, flight commander, said:

"Everybody is well aboard. We see no reason for coming down unless forced down by weather or motors. The latter are running smoothly."

Jaw Wiggling Caused Facial Beauty, He Says

DALLAS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Ninety million years of jaw functioning has brought the human face to its present state of beauty as compared with the monkey's face, Dr. Martin Dewey, New York, related today to delegates at the second day's session of the Southwestern Society of Orthondontists here.

Whether another 19,000,000 years of sustained activity of the human jaw will evolve facial beauty in progressive or reverse ratio Dr. Dewey said he would leave to the imagination.

Rio Grande Bridge Bills Are Favored

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—The tee reported favorably today on house interstate commerce committee four bills providing for construction of bridges across the Rio Grande on the Texas border.

The measures would authorize the Rio Grande City-Camargo Bridge company to bridge the stream at Rio Grande City; the Los Indios Bridge company to construct a bridge at Donna, and the Rio Grande Del Norte Investment company to bridge the river at San Benito.

MONEY BILL PASSED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (UP)—The state, justice, commerce and labor department appropriation bill carrying $111,901,527 was passed today by the senate. This was an increase of $68,648 over the bill as passed by the house.

Banker Shouts Blackmail in Reply To Woman's Charge in $150,000 Suit

GALESBURG, Ill., Jan. 3 (AP)—Allegations that C. C. Craig, former Illinois supreme court justice and wealthy banker, is the father of her 12-year-old son, Richard, and that he failed to carry out a verbal agreement for the boy's support, were made by Miss Fern Yates, 30, of Chicago, and Los Angeles, in an amended declaration to her $150,000 damage suit filed today against Mr. Craig.

"She is making charges that are blackmail and absolutely false," said Mr. Craig.

Miss Yates alleged that Mr. Craig promised to pay her $100,000 and to establish a $100,000 trust fund for the boy to be given him when he became 21.

LEASE BIDDERS TAKE ACTION TO FORCE SALE

Fort Worth Attorney Will Seek Mandamus In Supreme Court

ROBISON TALKATIVE

Aged Official Gives His Side of Case to 'Boys' From Newspapers

AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (AP)—A definite move was made today to seek a mandamus in supreme court to compel issuance of oil leases on university land advertised for sale Jan. 2.

Land Commissioner J. T. Robison announced he would begin preparation of his motion to dissolve the injunction brought against him. Meanwhile, Attorney General Pollard declared Robison had violated the injunction in opening some of the bids.

Mandamus Planned

Lloyd E. Price, Fort Worth attorney, and member of the senate in the 40th legislature, announced he would bring mandamus proceedings to compel Robison to make awards to his clients, bidders for the leases in yesterday's advertised, but postponed sale. He said an application for a mandamus would probably be filed tomorrow.

Robison said he would seek seclusion tomorrow to begin preparation of his motion to dissolve the temporary injunction issued New Year's day by district court here on application of the state joined by Texas university regents.

Officials Disagree

The injunction restrained him from opening bids on any of the land advertised for sale, according to Attorney General Pollard, while Robison asserted it affected only the bids received on the tracts he had refused to postpone. He opened three envelopes containing bids on tracts he had agreed to postpone but made no sale, formally rejecting the offers, but filing them for consideration on Jan. 22, the new date under the postponement.

Robison said today that he had received offers of help from attorneys who volunteered their services in his resistance to the injunction. He was undecided whether he would accept the proffered aid.

Robison Talkative

"I may accept assistance if I can obtain the lawyer of my choosing," Robison said.

"I will start immediately preparing the petition asking for a dissolution of the injunction and after I complete it I may submit it to an attorney to be whipped into shape.

"I want you boys to be on hand when the hearing comes up so you can hear Judge Calhoun say: 'The injunction is ordered dissolved'."

Pollard said that while he is of the opinion Robison violated the terms of the injunction, "no useful purpose would be subserved by having him cited for contempt and punished therefor, as I feel the in-

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Missing Students Rescued on Mount

ESTES PARK, Colo., Jan. 3. (INS)—Three Colorado agriculture college students who had been missing since last Sunday when they started to climb the treacherous, snow-laden sides of Long's peak, were rescued shortly after noon today. The three had been snowbound but suffered only slightly from exposure. A rescue party of experienced mountain climbers who started in search of the missing students this morning reported all three safe.

Permit Granted For New Church Building

A permit for the construction of the new Church of Christ at 1814 Buchanan street was taken out Thursday.

The new church is to be built by day labor and it will take about six months to complete it, according to the permit which was taken out by J. A. Ramsey. It will be one story high, 36 by 70 feet, and of brick veneer construction.

New Apportionment Of Congressmen Is Asked

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (UP)—Immediate reapportionment of representatives in the house was requested today in a bill introduced by Senator Vandenberg, Republican, Michigan. The measure was submitted in the form of an amendment to the pending 1930 census bill.

California U. Chemical Laboratory Is Destroyed

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3. (AP)—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the chemical laboratory of the University of California at Los Angeles this morning, with a loss estimated at $100,000.

To Wed Boyhood Sweetheart



Christian Cagle, all-American halfback and next year's captain of the Army football team, said he would marry after graduation his boyhood sweetheart, Marion Halle, of New Roads, La.

'Ape Man's' Attorney Argues About Nearly Anything to Cause Delay

Lawyer for Northcott Prevents Speedy Selection of Jury by Frequent Objection

COURTROOM, RIVERSIDE, Calif., Jan. 3. (AP)—Selection of a jury to try Gordon Stewart Northcott for the murder of three boys on his chicken ranch, near here, was delayed today by frequent motions and objections by his attorney, Norbert Savay.

At one time Savay's objections brought a threat of punishment for contempt.

Failing yesterday to obtain postponement of the trial until Jan. 7 and denied permission to enter a plea of "not guilty by reason of insanity" in addition to the previous plea of "not guilty" for his client, Savay sought to obtain a commission of experts to examine young Northcott as to his sanity and to inspect physical evidence in the case including "hair, bones, rifle bullets and other things."

The judge said he would permit such examination if testimony created reasonable belief that it is necessary.

Savay then attacked the jury panel because it contained no women. The court held the jury legal. Savay then filed a motion asking that Mrs. Sarah Louise Northcott, the defendant's mother, be brought from San Quentin prison to testify. Mrs. Northcott was sentenced to life imprisonment after pleading guilty to murdering Walter Collins on the ranch.

The court ruled Savay must amplify his reasons for requesting Mrs. Northcott's presence.

Northcott is charged with killing Lewis and Nelson Winslow and an unidentified Mexican boy.

Couple Burned In Beaumont Gas Blast

BEAUMONT, Texas, Jan. 3 (AP)—A gas explosion in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Landry burned severely N. D. Richardson, brother of Mrs. Landry, and damaged the residence about $1,000 today. Richardson was hurled to the ceiling. Fire following the explosion was extinguished. Mr. and Mrs. Landry were uninjured.

Farm Aid in Present Congress Is Unlikely

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Farm relief legislation appears unlikely during the present session of congress, Chairman Snell of the house rules committee, advised President Coolidge today. The president did not comment, Snell said.

Former Georgia Solon Dies of Pneumonia

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (AP)—William C. Adamson, 74, former Georgia congressman who sponsored the railroad act named after him, died of pneumonia tonight.

Slight Earthquake Felt in Sumter, S. C.

SUMTER, S. C., Jan. 3. (INS)—An earthquake of slight intensity was felt here shortly after 7 o'clock today. The tremors lasted only a few seconds.

KIDNAPED GIRL RETURNS HOME

Atlanta Student Unable To Tell of Experiences

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 3. (AP)—Her hands tied and a gag in her mouth, Doris Turner, 16, high school student, for whom a city-wide search has been in progress, since yesterday, staggered into an outlying filling station early tonight. After informing the operator of her identity, she collapsed.

The girl, who disappeared yesterday and wrote her parents a letter saying she had been "kidnaped by a kind old man, with a cane," was taken to her home where she was placed under care of a physician. He said her condition was such that she could not reveal details of her disappearance.

The proprietor of the filling station who called the girl's father, O M. Turner, a dairyman, said she did not give him any information concerning how she made her way to his place.

A $500 reward for information concerning the whereabouts of the girl had been posted by her father a few hours before she reappeared.

FIVE HELD IN OHIO KIDNAPING

ORRVILLE, Ohio, Jan. 3. (AP)—Search for 4-year-old Melvin Horst, who disappeared a week ago, was intensified tonight as authorities held five persons alleged to have aided in the child's abduction.

The five, in jail at Wooster in default of $10,000 bond, were charged with child stealing. They are Elias Arnold, 65; William, 30, and Arthur, his sons; Mrs. Dorothy McHenry, 27, his daughter, and her husband, Bascom McHenry.

Meanwhile, authorities tried to learn whether Melvin is dead or alive. Prosecutor Mougey feared that the boy had been killed, while Mayor Weygandt was hopeful that the child would be found safe.

Desire for revenge because Marshal Roy Horst had arrested the men on previous occasions was considered as a motive for kidnaping Melvin, a nephew of the marshal.

Texarkana Flu Epidemic Mild but Widespread

TEXARKANA, Jan. 3. (AP)—An epidemic of a mild form of influenza has attacked Texarkana and vicinity, reports today indicating at least 500 cases in the city proper.

Futility of Life Causes New Mexico Student to Drink Fatal Potion

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 3. (UP)—A university sophomore who was "tired of life" committed suicide by drinking poison here today and left a note inviting his roommate to follow him into death.

J. Max Patton, 19, son of a trainmaster at Gallup, N. M., drank poison at his fraternity house at the University of New Mexico. Fraternity brothers said Patton had complained about the futility of existence. He also had quarreled with a sweetheart, but this was not taken seriously by the other students.

The note was addressed to Van Duzen Clark, Patton's roommate.

"Dear Van," it said. "Well, I'm sorry you think I'm a coward for doing this but it's the only way. At least it looks that way to me. If you want to follow me you will find the bottle under my pillow. So long now, and I regret nothing. MAX."

TWO OFFICIALS CARRIED OFF AFTER HOLDUP

Posse Follows Trail of Two Hijackers But Finds No Trace at Once

EMPLOYES ALONE

Amount of Money Taken By Bandit Pair at Asher Undetermined

ASHER, Okla., Jan. 3 (AP)—W. M. Hampton, cashier of the Canadian Valley bank, and Carl Cochrane, bookkeeper, kidnaped by two men who robbed the bank of between $2,000 and $3,000 today, were freed by the robbers tonight near Vamoosa, Okla.

ASHER, Okla., Jan. 3 (AP)—Kidnaping W. M. Hampton, cashier, and Carl Cochrane, bookkeeper of the Canadian Valley State bank here, two men late today robbed the bank of an undetermined amount of money.

Hampton and Cochrane were the only persons at the bank when the two men entered. Forcing the two employes into their sedan, the robbers sped out of Asher in a northerly direction. A posse of Asher citizens and a number of officers from the sheriff's office at Tecumseh had found no trace of the robbers and their victims after the holdup.

It was the third time the bank had been robbed.

TEXAN KILLED IN MISSOURI ROBBERY

MEXICO, Mo., Jan. 3 (AP)—Of three men who held up the First National bank here this afternoon and robbed it of $21,500, one was dead, a second in jail and the third surrounded by a posse in some wooded hills near Auxvasse, Mo., tonight.

It was learned the man captured, John Matthews, is from Dallas, Texas. The dead bandit was identified as Willy Hightower of Fort Worth, Texas. The third bandit who escaped was said by Matthews to be Tom Davis of Chicago.

Pardon for Miller Gets Disapproval

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Attorney General Sargent announced today he has disapproved the parole board's recommendation for parole of Thomas W. Miller, former alien property custodian, convicted in New York of conspiracy in connection with settlement of German property claims and now serving an 18-months sentence at Atlanta penitentiary. He was tried jointly with Harry M. Daugherty.

Miller began serving last April 24, and with the customary three months off for good behavior he will be released July 7, 1929. Sargent gave no reasons for his action in disapproving the recommendation.

Fisher County Man Gets 35 Day Reprieve

AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (UP)—Robert F. Blake, under sentence for electrocution Jan. 10 for murder in Swisher county was granted a 35-day reprive by Gov. Dan Moody upon recommendation of the state pardon board.

Brownwood Man Hurt In Fall Into Trench

DALLAS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Tony Estell, 43, of Brownwood, received a broken leg here last night when he fell into a trench which workmen had been digging for underground wires.

NEW PUPILS

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 3.—Four students have been recently added to the enrollment of the Altus high school, bringing the total to 304 for the year.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Cloudy, probably showers in east and north portions Friday; Saturday, partly cloudy, colder.
OKLAHOMA: Cloudy, probably rain Friday; Saturday, partly cloudy, colder.
EAST TEXAS: Showers Friday; Saturday, mostly cloudy, rain in east portion; colder in northwest and north-central portions; moderate to fresh southeast to easterly winds on the coast.

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

Maximum temperature	57
Minimum temperature	31
Temperature at 5 p. m.	55
No precipitation.	
East breeze.	
Partly cloudy.	
Average wind velocity	5
Maximum wind velocity	5
Barometer	29.43

DEMO WALLET CONTAINS $000

And Even Less Than Nothing Report Reveals

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (UP)—The Democratic national committee closed 1928 facing a deficit of $1,497,392, detailed campaign statistics from the committee to the clerk of the house of representatives showed today.

The committee received $5,444,958 from June 1 to Dec. 31, and spent $5,342,394, leaving a paper balance of $102,608.

The committee, however, borrowed $1,500,000 through the New York County Trust company and $100,000 from Chairman John J. Raskob, which has not been repaid.

How this huge Democratic deficit is to be met is a question that is causing party leaders serious concern. Southern members of congress, who were opposed to Governor Smith's nomination in the first place, are inclined to "leave it to Raskob."

The deficit, in fact, is inextricably woven with the question of Raskob's continuation as national chairman. There have been several incipient movements among anti-Smith Democrats since the election to replace Raskob, but they have come to naught because no one is willing to see him supplanted until this deficit is made up—even if somebody could be persuaded to take the job with a burden like $1,500,000 attached to it.

When the size of the Democratic deficit became known today, soon after the report was filed at the capitol, Democrats of all shades of opinion concurred in the opinion that the party machinery will remain "as is," with the Smith-Raskob forces in the saddle, until some way is found to make it up. The southerners are willing to "leave it to Raskob."

King's Wound Now Reported Healing

LONDON, Jan. 3. (INS)—The wound in King George's right side where an operation was performed for empyema is now clean and is diminishing in size, according to an authoritative statement which will appear in the medical journal tomorrow. There has been no necessity for using the Dakins solution, brought from the United States, it will be stated.

The patient's disinclination to take food, dryness of the tongue, low blood pressure and weakness from the wasting exhaustion of illness, though slowly improving, will long be an anxious problem, according to the writer.

Williams Head Ozark Valley Four-H Club

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 3.—Holland Williams was named president of the Ozark Valley Four-H club in the annual election of officers this week.

Other officers were Harrold Peterson, vice president; Jessie Robison, secretary; Vina Mae Harris, executive committee head; Tennie Robbins, captain of sewing and handiwork division; Velma Abernethy, food preparation and home improvement captain; Thelma Lee Barnes, canning and gardening captain; William Shive, horticulture; John Shive, crops captain; Floyd Riley, livestock captain; Hazel Doss, song leader; Bufford Williams, yell captain; Leo Plew, leader of games, and Tom Bessier and Miss Nema Roulston, coaches.

New Frederick Eastern Star Officers Installed

Special to The Record News.

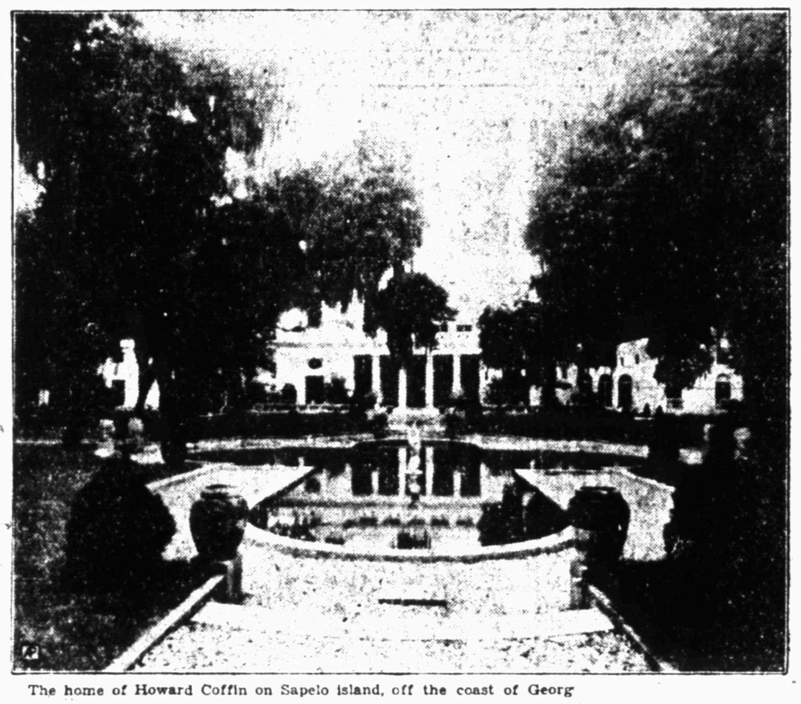
FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Officers of Frederick chapter No. 203, Easter Star, were installed Monday night, after which Mrs. Gertrude Garrison and Miss Louise Moore were initiated. Officers installed: Mrs. Senora Johnson, worthy matron; Lynn Harris, worthy patron; Mrs. Bessie Harris, associate matron; George Burkhardt, associate patron; Mrs. Maude Dillingham, conductress; Miss Blanche Hall, associate conductress; Mrs. Dora Holloman, secretary; Mrs. Augusta Beaty, treasurer; Mrs. Myrtle Haas, chaplain; Mrs. Vivian Ent, Ada; Mrs. Josie Ruch, Ruth; Mrs. Elizabeth Shout, Esther; Mrs. Ruby Greenfield, Martha; Mrs. Evaleta Shelton, Electa; Mrs. Ella Ford, warder; Sam Mitchell, sentinel; Mrs. Cora Phipps, marshal; Mrs. Lola Allen, organist.

FLU AT GRANDFIELD

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 3.—A large number of cases of influenza, many of them severe, is reported in this community. There is also a small number of sicknesses due to pneumonia, but not as widespread as illness from flu.

Where Coolidge Spends Holiday Vacation



The home of Howard Coffin on Sapelo island, off the coast of Georg

Noted Mexican Bandit Leader and 1200 Of His Men Give Up Their Weapons—But On Condition That They Be Given Farms!

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 3. (UP)—Benjamin Mendoza, bandit leader, who shares notoriety with the outlaw, Maximilliano Vigueras, surrendered to the government today with 1,200 of his men, according to the Cuernavaca correspondent of the newspaper La Prensa.

One condition was imposed by the bandit chief, a demand that he and his men be granted their liberty and be given farm lands.

The bandit gang had been concentrated near Cuernavaca, in the state of Morelos, recently and the offer to surrender follows by less than a week the capture and execution of Vigueras, known as the most desperate outlaw in Mexico.

Mendoza was responsible for many fierce attacks on trains and automobiles and many charges of murder was laid to his band. He had often dared to approach close to the capital and was said to have been involved with Vigueras in the attack last summer on an automobile caravan which included American Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow's party.

Another assault in recent months was Mendoza's attack on a dozen or more automobile loads of weekend visitors to a famous cave near Cuernavaca. Several of the women in the tourist party were brutally treated, reports said, and all of the victims were robbed. The bandits stole the automobiles and attacked a nearby town before fleeing.

Mendoza's crimes have put him almost in a class with the notorious "El Catorce" who once terrorized sections of Mexico. At one town an entire garrison of federal soldiers was wiped out and the bandits stole the military uniforms and entered another town in the guise of federal troops. They asked for volunteers to aid in hunting down bandits and 27 men volunteered, according to a tourist who was in the town at the time.

The disguised bandits led their victims outside the town and killed them.

Million to Fight Animals Asked

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Secretary Jardine asked congress today for $1,378,700 to control predatory animals which he said were causing an annual loss of $30,000,000 in the United States.

The secretary wants to embark on a 10-year program which he termed feasible and a most tangible form of relief to agriculture. Coyotes, wolves, mountain lions, bobcats, bears and rodents were named among those guilty of preying upon stock. The coyote was called a carrier of rabies by the secretary.

Grandfield Church To Present Comedy Tonight

Special to The Record News

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 2.—Mrs. C. C. Allard, Mr. Ed Burke, Mrs. Dick McLain, Mr. A. N. Short, Mr. Harry Patterson, Mr. Martin Boone, Miss Mae Frances Lawson, Mrs. Earl Gregson, Mr. Wayne Barritt and Miss Fairie Bell Fox make up the cast of 10 in "Deacon-Dubbs," a three-act comedy which members of the First Christian church will present in the high school auditorium Friday evening.

Besides the play, there will be a male quartet, dances and other musical numbers during the evening. "Deacon Dubbs" is being directed by Mrs. E. D. Burke and Mr. Harry Chambers.

TWILL SOON BE OVER

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Jan. 3.—Only a small amount of cotton yet to be picked remains in the fields surrounding Grandfield. All picking is expected to be completed within the next few days.

Women to Attend C.-C. Fete at Vernon Tuesday

Special to The Record News

VERNON, Texas, Jan. 3.—Women will attend the annual banquet of the Vernon Chamber of Commerce to be held next Tuesday, according to Grady Shipp, secretary. Only men attended last year, but arrangements are being made to take care of as many women as will attend this year. President Colley has prepared his annual report, and it will be read, and five new directors for the organization will be elected at the banquet.

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Just drop in at the tax assessor's office and in a few minutes we can take your rendition and have it off your mind.

MAX SHUMAKE

County Tax Assessor

Rebels Threaten Persian Outpost

JERUSALEM, Jan. 3. (UP)—Reliable advices telling of continued fighting and military movement on a wide front between Meshed and Kurman near the Salt and Lut deserts were received today.

Persian government troops are conducting a campaign on a wide front against the rebel leader Dost Mohammed, who was reported to have poinoned all wells in a large area 100 miles south of Kurman. The rebel troops were threatening Duzdap, an important railway terminal.

The reports indicated that Shah Rhiza Khan, who until recently was supreme ruler in the land of Iran, is having trouble with insurgents, and travelers from eastern Persia told of the feeling of unrest which led Dost to become an avowed enemy of the central government.

The Shah previously had directed operations against the rebels from the town of Ahwaz, when he "happened" to appear on the scene of conflict while on a royal tour. After airplanes forces and troops had defeated the rebels, the dissatisfaction apparently spread to other sections.

Aviators are supporting troops in the desert area.

BEAUTY INSURED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (UP)—Scenic beauty of Niagara Falls will be maintained and improved, under an agreement signed today by United States and Canada, the state department announced.

BALLYHOO FOR LON AND CLARA

'It' Specialist and Multi-Man Are Most Popular

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Jan. 3. (INS)—Clara Bow, the "It" girl of the movies, is the most popular actress in pictures.

And the first honors among the actors goes to Lon Chaney.

This was revealed here today in results of the annual popularity contest conducted by the Exhibitors Herald and Moving Picture World, film trade publication.

Miss Bow ousted Colleen Moore, who led last year and was second this year. The next 1929 honors go to Billie Dove, Bebe Daniels, Dolores Del Rio, Mary Pickford, Marion Davies, Laura La Plante, Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, Janet Gaynor, Greta Garbo and Norma Talmadge in the order named.

Among the actors, Chaney displaced Tom Mix, last year's idol and second this year. After them come John Glibert, Harold Lloyd, Richard Dix, William Haines and Richard Barthelmess.

Sophie Has Fatty Tissue Cut Away From Pretty Face

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Sophie Tucker stopped in Chicago yesterday "to have a little fat taken off my face" and incidentally to reveal that she had been married, for the third time, last Dec. 14 at Newport, Ky.

Reporters found her at the office of a plastic surgeon, strips of tape plastered in front of each ear.

"The operation? Just a little fat and loose skin off the face," she explained. "Only a small cut in front of each ear. Had to look a little younger for the films." Miss Tucker is 40 years old.

"Sure, I'm a bride," she confided. "His name? Oh, nobody in Chicago knows. He's A. Lackey, a small merchant in New York. Sells dresses; lives at the Park Central; 38 years old, and never before married."

Influenza Reported On Decline in Iowa Park

Special to The Record News

IOWA PARK, Jan. 3.—The entire town of Iowa Park has had a halt called in almost all activities owing to an epidemic of the flu which began raging here last week. It is reported that there is scarcely a family that has not had some sickness. About half of the population of the town has been sick, but physicians report the form milder than of previous years, and that it is now on the decline.

BUS PERMIT ASKED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 3. (UP)—An application for a permit to operate a passenger busline between Oklahoma City and Fort Smith, Ark., was filed with the State Corporation commission today by Byrd and Vaughn of Oklahoma City.

Gnarled Sea Rover Finds it Easier To Buck Seas Than Live in Gotham

By PEARL GROSS

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (UB)—Hardships of the frozen north cannot compare with the hardships of earning a living in New York City today, admitted Capt. Bob Bartlett, world famous sea adventurer who is now in America.

In 1898, the captain started his exploration work with Perry. He was with Peary when he failed to reach the north pole and with him when he succeeded. Although every nook and corner of the world has seemingly been explored, there are still worlds to conquer, according to Captain Bartlett. He adds:

"Several millions of square miles of unexplored territory still exist. That in the Polar basin is most important where metereological observations are needed for the tracing of the causation of storms, where they start and why."

In 1790, Russians discovered a freak island which they named Bogosloff island. It is one of the Aleutian group. At intervals this island has been known to disappear under the bed of the ocean and mysteriously re-appear.

Captain Bartlett made the important discovery that Bogosloff is five miles in variance with its location on the chart. Upon his recent return with the Stoll-McCracken expedition to Siberia, Captain Bartlett recorded his 40 years of adventuring and observations of the Aleutian islands in a book, "The Log of Bob Bartlett."

Among present expeditions to polar regions, Captain Bartlett considers the Wilkins-Hearst flight to the south pole as one of the most interesting and important in a decade.

There are some drawbacks in a seadog's life, opines the captain. After 40 years of sea roving he has never married. He says he's sorry, but this enables him to run off to strange places with an easy conscience.

McMullen Steps Out As Nebraska Governor

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 3. (INS)—Gov. Adam McMullen, who has occupied a prominent place in the political spotlight during the last two years and particularly during that period prior to the national party conventions last summer as the leader in the Middle West of the farm relief movement, stepped out of office today with the inauguration of the new Nebraska governor, Arthur J. Weaver.

McMullen will return to his home in Beatrice, where he will resume the personal management of his several farms.

New Deputy County Superintendent at Altus

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 3.—Miss Maude Bailey will be the new deputy Jackson county superintendent of schools, according to an announcement by Miss Mattie Henry, county superintendent. Miss Bailey will succeed Miss Martin Fancher, who has been deputy in that office for the past year and a half.

Miss Bailey recently completed a business course at Abilene, Texas. While this will be her first time to be connected with a county office, she has been an employe of different firms in Altus for several years and is well known here.

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

Late Race Horse King Leaves Old Sweetheart $25,000

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan 3. (UP)—Tucked away in the $500,000 will of Joseph P. Murphy, late New York race horse handicapper, filed here Tuesday, was a cryptic bequest of $25,000 reading:

"To Jean McDermott if she still is alive.

The will likewise set aside $300 "for masses to be said at St. Louis cathedral," and a total of $101,000 to relatives and institutions.

Relatives of the deceased said here today they never had met "Jean McDermott," but understood she was an old sweetheart of Murphy's.

Residue of the estate will be divided equally among six brothers and two sisters, although $1,000 is left to St. Joseph's hospital, Memphis, Tenn., "in memory of my wife."; $1,000 to St. John's hospital, St. Louis, "in memory of my mother"; $200 to the Associated Professors of St. Mary's seminary, Baltimore, and $1,000 to Bon Secours hospital, Baltimore.

ROOST TRAP KILLS PROWLER

Jail-Breaker Killed at Farm During Night

WETUMKA, Okla., Jan. 3. (UP)—Bill Brady, 25, escaped jail-breaker from Okmulgee, was shot and killed here by an automatic gun trap last night when allegedly attempting to steal chickens on the farm of Tom David.

Identification of Brady was made today by officers from Henryetta and Okmulgee. A coroner's jury was investigating the death.

The trap was set by David, farmer living two miles south of here. The shotgun, placed at a window, fired automatically when Brady tried to crawl through.

OIL BIDS OPENED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (UP)—Five bids for government royalty oil in the Cat Creek, Mont., field, were opened today by Secretary of Interior West and referred to the geological survey for investigation.

It's a Wonderful Way To Relieve Ugly Eczema

In 20 years, soothing, invisible Zemo has seldom failed to relieve even the most stubborn cases of Eczema and itching skin. Also the way this remarkable antiseptic liquid quickly banishes pimples, itching rash and other skin irritations, will delight you. If you want a clear skin, never be without safe Zemo. All druggists—35c, 60c and $1.00.—Adv.



When Pain Comes

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Special for Friday
79c

BUSTER BROWN SHOES FOR CHILDREN GUARANTEED

CITY ATTORNEY CONFAB TODAY

Two-Day Program Opens At State Capital

AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (AP)—City attorneys of Texas will swap ideas in Austin Jan. 4 and 5, when the Texas City Attorneys association meets in its first annual convention.

The association was organized at Waco last May, with the membership open to the city attorneys in each of the 468 incorporated villages and towns and cities of Texas. All city attorneys, whether they now hold membership in the association or not, have been invited to the Austin meeting.

Officers of the association are John McGlasson, Waco, president; Rhinehart Rouer, Fort Worth, first vice president; Hamp B. Abney, Sherman, second vice president; J. H. Painter, Houston, treasurer, and Harvey Draper, Houston, executive secretary.

Program Announced

The program will be as follows:

Friday, Jan. 4—Meeting called to order by President McGlasson; address of welcome, Mayor P. W. McFadden, Austin; response, President McGlasson; "Legislation Which Will Be Sought by League of Texas Municipalities at 1929 Session of Legislature," City Manager E. E. McAdams, Waco, vice president League of Texas Municipalities; "What Legislation, Repeal or Otherwise, Is Needed in Order That Our Home Rule Amendment to the Constitution May Function?" T. D. Cobb Jr., assistant city attorney, San Antonio, with discussion led by City Attorney Sewall Myer, Houston, and City Attorney James I. Collins, Dallas.

Saturday, Jan. 5—"What Is Necessary to Protect Cities Against Recent Tendency of Texas Courts to Hold Cities and Towns Liable in Cases Growing Out of Operation of Parks and Cases Where Charter Provisions Exempt Cities From Liability?" City Attorney Rhinehart Rouer, Fort Worth; "Other Needed Legislation With Reference to Matters Affecting Cities and Towns of Texas," City Attorney J. Bouldin Rector, Austin; discussions led by City Attorney W. O. Seale, Lufkin; report of Secretary Draper; election of officers; selection of next convention city.

Association Members

Members of the association are as follows: Abilene, H. L. De Busk; Austin, J. Bouldin Rector; Belton, Clem C. Countess; Dallas, James J. Collins; El Paso, W. H. Scott; Fort Worth, Rhinehart Rouer; Grapevine, B. R. Hall; Greenville, L. L. Bowman Jr.; Houston, J. H. Painter; Lubbock, E. L. Klett; Lufkin, W. O. Seale; Marshall, William Cavin; San Antonio, Joseph Ryan; Sherman, Hamp B. Abney; Sweetwater, Earl Earp; Texarkana, W. W. Brown; Waco, John McGlasson; Wichita Falls, Thelbert Martin.

Former Frederick Woman Dies In Chattanooga, Tenn

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Tillman county relatives and friends were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Robert J. Taylor, formerly of this place, who died at her home in Chattanooga, Tenn., Monday, following a major surgical operation performed 10 days before. Although Mrs. Taylor had resided in Frederick but five years, her pleasing personality and rare talent in music and organization won her an unusual number of fast friends. She was a teacher of a large class of adults at the First Baptist Sunday school in Frederick.

She was born at Valley Mills, Texas, where she lived until grown. In 1918 she was married to Mr. Taylor at Fort Worth. For about a year they resided in New York, and then moved to Frederick, living here with the T. A. Raley family until 1924 when they moved to Tennessee. They had recently returned from a three months' tour in Europe.

Her husband and these relatives survive: C. Loutherback, father, Manitou; E. H. Loutherback, D. W. Loutherback and E. P. Loutherback, all of Manitou, and Sam Loutherback, Valley Mills, Texas, brothers; Mrs. Charley Andrews, Snyder; Mrs. Tom Sears, Brownwood, Texas; Mrs. T. A. Raley, Frederick; Mrs. D. T. Harris, Valley Mills, Texas; Mrs. J. J. Baer, Fort Worth; and Mrs. T. W. Morton and Mrs. Cressie Emmick of Frederick, nieces.



A Man of Rare Professional Attainment

The originator of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery was the late Ray V. Pierce, M. D. At first he practiced medicine in Western Pennsylvania and his unusual ability and success were soon recognized there. Then he moved to Buffalo, N. Y., and established the World's Dispensary where his famous remedies have ever since been made.

Each succeeding year the sale of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been greatly increased. Evidently people appreciate the fact that it increases the appetite, stimulates the digestion, helps to enrich the blood, clears the skin of eruptions and blemishes, and makes both men and women feel as they did when they were young. It contains no harmful ingredient.

Ask your druggist for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, tablets or liquid; or send 10 cents for a trial package to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, in Buffalo, N. Y.

Write for free medical advice.—Adv.

Army Appropriation Bill Asks for $35,000,000 Increase in Expenditure

Largest Gain Recommended Is for Pay to Allow New Air Officers and Purchase of New Planes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Carrying large increases for flood control, army pay, aviation expansion and new construction at military posts, the army appropriation bill was reported today to the house.

Calling for the expenditure of $435,428,415 by the war department during the next fiscal year, the measure was the fifth of the nine regular annual supply bills to come before the house this session, four having been passed before the holidays.

The total, providing $328,388,815 for the national defense and $107,069,600 for non-military purposes, represents an increase of $35,111,774 over the current fiscal year appropriation and an increase of $256,608 over budget estimates.

Big Army Payroll

The largest military item in the bill is $123,550,368 for pay of the army. This is an increase of $3,215,-905 over this year's pay fund and is recommended to take care of 200 additional second lieutenants for the air corps, advancement of officers to higher pay periods, longevity increases, and retired list expansion. The measure contemplates no change in the enlisted strength of the army, now 118,750, but would raise the officer strength from 11,-738 to approximately 12,000.

In the non-military provisions, $50,000,000 is included for maintenance and improvement of more than 500 rivers and harbors works, while $30,000,000, an increase of $20,000,000, is provided for Mississippi flood control.

The projects to be covered by the rivers and harbors item are the same as those submitted to congress by the chief of army engineers and made public Dec. 3 last.

Other big items in the measure include $24,374,552 for army subsistence; $14,441,950 for construction at military posts; $3,408,002 for seacoast defenses; $33,578,683 for the air corps; $32,319,796 for the national guard; $5,533,129 for the organized reserves; $5,418,975 for civilian military training camps; $10,011,000 for the Panama canal; $8,091,600 for the national home for disabled volunteer soldiers, and $356,378 for national military parks.

297 New Planes

The air corps appropriation, an increase of $8,730,121 over current funds, would enable the army to purchase 297 planes next year for the regular branch, organized reserves and national guard, 72 of which would go to the latter and be paid for out of guard funds. This would bring the five-year construction program up to within 106 planes of the total planned.

For seacoast defenses, provision is made toward the installation of 16-inch guns and for completing construction of emplacements for a number of 240-millimeter howitzers in Oahu, Hawaii; for continuing construction of emplacements for 16-inch guns at Bruja Point, Canal Zone, as well as for certain minor armament in the Canal Zone, including anti-aircraft batteries.

The national guard item provides for increasing the authorized strength by 2,000 to 190,000, a total of $97,000 for construction at guard camps, and $11,541,168 for drill pay.

School at San Antonio

The bill provides $796,500 for construction work at the primary flying school, San Antonio, including $440,000 for hangar; $126,000 for field shops and warehouses; $100,000 for headquarters and operations buildings; $61,000 for photo-radio, parachute and armament buildings; $40,000 for school buildings; $9,500 for gasoline and oil storage quarters; $5,000 for a paint, oil and dope warehouse and $15,000 for installation of a night flying system.

For Fort Bliss: Non-commissioned officers' quarters, $150,000.

For Fort Sam Houston the measure provides $870,000 for barracks and $30,000 for a post signal communication center building.

At Randolph field $180,000 is set aside for barracks, $540,000 for non-commissioned officers' quarters and $1,250,000 for officers' quarters.

Wheat Growers' Head To Speak in Frederick

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—A series of lectures will be delivered in Tillman county next week by John Manley of Enid, manager of the Oklahoma Wheat Growers' association. Meeting dates follow: Monday night, Jan. 7, Loveland; Tuesday night, Hollister; Wednesday, 2 p. m., courtroom, Frederick. Meetings may also be held at Grandfield and Chattanooga.

A. C. Potts, Grandfield, director in the association, invites farmers and others interested in the matter to attend.

LOWER RAINFALL

Special to The Record News.

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 3.—Plainview had 21.38 inches of rainfall during 1928, which is 2.26 inches lower than the average rainfall for this point over a period of 14 years since 1915.

W. J. Klinger, official weather observer at Plainview, says that May was the wettest month of the year, 6.05 inches falling.

NOT TO BLAME

Unlucky Dry Prize Entry Accuses Borah, Who Wasn't Judge

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (US)—Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, was named on the board of judges in the Durant $25,000 prohibition essay contest, but was unable to serve.

Today he received a rather tart letter from a contestant who did not win a prize declaring the writer did not believe Borah had read his contribution.

Borah, who took no part in the contest, replied respectfully that the contestant's surmise was correct, since the senator did not act as a judge.

Suggests Court For Government Cases

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Establishment of a United States court of administrative justice "to expedite the hearing and determination" of suits against the government was proposed in a bill today by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska.

Jurisdiction over claims against the government now exercised by the court of claims, the court of customs appeals and the board of tax appeals as well as certain powers now vested in the supreme court of the District of Columbia would be transferred to the new court. It would be composed of a chief justice and 12 associates appointed by the president.

Cubic measurements of the General Motors building, Detroit, are 20,411,000 feet.

RUSSIA WANTS CAR FACTORIES

Soviet Emissaries on Way To Talk With Ford

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3. (US)—Two emissaries from soviet Russia were due to leave Hamburg today en route to the United States to arrange with representatives of the Ford and General Motors interests for the establishment of American automobile factories in Russia.

The two soviet economic leaders are A. L. Scheinman, president of the State bank, the leading financial authority in the republic, and V. I. Meshlank, vice chairman of the supreme economic council.

They will have full power to open the Russian automotive market to American enterprise on a basis of operation to be decided after conferences with representatives of the industries here.

Attractive Field

Russia presents an extremely attractive field for the inauguration of either assembling or manufacturing transportation plants due to the relatively small ratio of automobile owners in that country. In a population of 150,000,000 there are but 22,000 automobiles and 40,000 tractors.

The U. S. S. R. at the present time, with her inadequate system of roads, can absorb 100,000 automobiles per year, it was estimated at the office of the soviet information bureau here. With but one automobile for every 6,800 inhabitants, Russia presents the lowest ratio of motor cars for population of any great power.

An exhaustive study of the economic conditions prevailing in the communist republic has just been made by General Motors in anticipation of the entry of the automotive industry in that country. Both the Ford interests and the General Motors group have signified their willingness to open assembling plants and, where operation can be assured over a number of years, to begin manufacturing under the soviet regime. With the United States furnishing the capital, leaders of the communist industry promise to take care of labor.

Oil Field Aid

The great increase of oil production in the famous Baku region of the soviet republic is expected to materially assist the automobile production, as soon as actual work gets under way.

Drive out Henrietta road four miles for a ¼-mile of thrills over the Joy Road or Ocean Wave. Children 5 cents, adults 10 cents.—Adv.

Better Than Whiskey For Colds and Flu

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories: tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as 10 times as quick and effective as whiskey, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk 60c for a bottle of Aspironal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonfuls. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

Take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and the most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—Adv.

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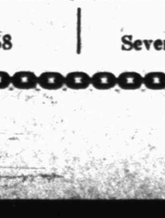


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The Social Side—Wichita Falls' Woman's Interests—Clubs and Churches

Michel Jacobs, American Painter, And Mrs. Ailes Give Art Program

Michel Jacobs, painter, author and lecturer, visiting American artist, and Mrs. O. T. Ailes were the speakers before the art department of the Woman's Forum Thursday afternoon at the clubhouse in the January meeting of that group.

Mr. Jacobs gave a series of interesting anecdotes on "People I Have Painted," and Mrs. Ailes discussed "Religion in Art," and illustrated her lecture with a group of Medici prints.

Mrs. Luther Hoffman, chairman of the department, presided and introduced the speakers.

She announced the next meeting of the department to be held jointly in connection with the health and home department Jan. 17, with Marian Long of C. I. A., Denton, to lecture on "Beautiful Homes."

Mrs. Hoffman also announced the organization of the Little Theater and of the desire for cooperation of the art department of the Forum with that group. This department has been asked to assist with the stage craft. The director who is to be connected with the Little Theater is to give four lectures while here and one of these will include stage craft, especially for the art department members. An open house to honor him is to be held Jan. 12 and an invitation to meet the director was extended.

Exhibit at Club

Mr. Jacobs is having an exhibition of pictures while in Wichita Falls, and the art department was asked to invite their friends and those interested to see them Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Wichita club. Mr. Jacobs said he would be at the club from 12 o'clock until 2 p. m. each day and would be glad to explain his pictures during those hours.

Those attending the meeting included Mesdames R. H. Peterson, L. Adrian Buzby, J. C. Russell, Electra; Jason S. Walker, L. C. Ulrich, J. R. McKinney, H. A. Decker and A. Fisher of Electra; W. M. Cason, B. C. Nicholson, L. E. Trout, Grundy Shapard, T. J. Brock, J. E. H. Railey, G. Taylor Buckhanan, F. L. Mercer, J. V. Howell, Hoffman, T. M. Conrey, Misses Jennie Roberson, Ida Moore, Dorothea Jeffries.

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CALENDAR

FRIDAY

The New Century club with Mrs. W. D. Cline, 3100 Hamilton boulevard, 3 p. m.

The Modern Study club with Mrs. Frank Wood, 1200 Kemp boulevard, 3:30 p. m.

Coterie club with Mrs. A. G. Holmes, 1717 Huff, 3 p. m.

Sironcha Sunday School class of Grace Methodist church, to elect officers, evening, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Chafin, Petrolia Gardens.

Twentieth Century club, 3 p. m., with Mrs. F. P. Warren.

Alamo P.-T. A. at the school, 3 p. m.

The Unity club, Forum clubhouse, Mrs. C. Joline, hostess, afternoon; election of officers.

Meeting of Wilson grove, 1751, Woodman circle, at I. O. O. F. hall, 2:30 p. m.

Durland grove, 1487, Woodman circle, at Eagle hall on Eleventh street, 2 p. m.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Mrs. N. B. Chenault is reported improving from an attack of influenza at her home in Indian Heights.

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Mrs. John Harris Jr., who is ill with influenza, is reported improving. Her father, J. L. Harper of Birmingham, Ala., has returned to his home after being called here because of his daughter's severe illness.

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Miss Oscar Lillian Bilbro has returned home from Bowie where she spent the holidays with her mother.

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Mrs. Edward R. Barcus, wife of the Rev. Edward R. Barcus, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, is reported ill with influenza at her home, 2210 Tenth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hicks are in Mineral Wells where they expect to spend several days.

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Mrs. Hubert Harrison is reported ill of influenza.

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Mrs. C. W. Gilliland is reported recovering from an attack of influenza.

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Johnny Sewell of the traffic department is reported ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ernest Deaton, 2106 Eighth street.

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W. B. Hamilton Jr., small son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Clinic hospital this week, is reported resting well.

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Mrs. H. F. Wilson is reported ill at her home on Elizabeth.

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Ard-Hartman Marriage Anounced

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ruth Ray Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hartman, and J. C. Ard of Dallas, which took place Dec. 25. Mr. and Mrs. Ard will make their home at 1317 Eleventh street.

The bride is a student at Junior college and is a member of the Junior Woman's Forum and is a popular member of the younger set. Mr. Ard is associated with the Texas News company at Dallas, with headquarters in this city.

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Tuttle Bible Class With Mrs. Allen

The Tuttle Bible class of the Episcopal church was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Allen. Gifts were distributed among the guests and three absent class members, Mesdames R. J. Goodale, S. D. Lynch and W. H. Godfrey, were remembered.

A refreshment plate was served to Mesdames Frank H. White, Mollie McElroy, Louis Gould, M. J. Bashara, Nat L. Inge, R. T. Crawford, J. M. Childress and J. M. Sammons.

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Hunt-Vantrease Wedding Announced

Mr. and Mrs. James Broadrick announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Christine Mae Vantrease, to Carlton Weaver Hunt, the wedding taking place Monday evening with Justice O. L. Gibbs reading the ceremony at his home on Buchanan street. The young people were attended by Miss Jewell Vantrease, sister of the bride, and Johnnie Tate.

Mr. Hunt is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hunt on the Fort Worth road.

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Musicians Club Has Regular Study

Members of the Musicians club studied "Music as Expressed by the Modernists," with Miss Erma Nala Voss leading the lession Thursday morning at the Episcopal parish house. The program was illustrated and those taking part included Miss Lucile Smith, Joseph Rabinowitz, Mrs. Phillip Oviatt, Mrs. W. C. Hamilton, Mrs. Cortes Slaughter and Miss Ruby Murrell.

Announcements were made concerning the annual luncheon to be held at the Forum clubhouse Jan. 17, and of the program to be given by the Wichita Falls Symphony orchestra, directed by Ethel Allen Nelson, the evening of Feb. 7 at the Junior college auditorium.

Attending the meeting other than those appearing on the program were Mesdames C. E. Beavers, Fred Barron, T. B. Greenwood, Lucile Brooks Huff, J. E. H. Railey, E. E. Fischer, Howard Renfro, Emory Morgan, D. H. Allday, J. V. Howell, Charles Borland and C. A. Rogers.

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Mrs. Bass Hostess To Sunday School Class

Members of the Sunday school class taught by Mrs. Fred Barron at the First Baptist church were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. P. Bass on Ninth street. The house was attractively decorated with cyclamen and poinsettias.

Election of officers was held with the following chosen: Mrs. E. P. Bass, president; Mrs. A. F. Kimmell, first vice president; Mrs. C. D. Shamburger, second vice president; Mrs. O. L. Dale, third vice president; Mrs. Arch Collins, press reporter; Mrs. H. B. Gilbert and Mrs. Dave Shepherd, captains, and Mrs. John G. Lane, lieutenant.

A dainty salad plate was served to Mesdames J. L. Fooshee, Fred Barron, R. W. Black, Shamburger, Kimmell, Dale, Gilbert, Shepherd and Lane.

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Coterie Club To Study Greek History

Topics on Greek history from the fourth century through the Macedonian conquest will be taken up for discussion by members of the Coterie club Friday afternoon in the first 1929 meeting at the home of Mrs. A. G. Holmes on Huff avenue.

Mrs. E. P. Bass will talk on "Alexander the Great," and Mrs. Lester Jones on "Demosthenes."

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Unity Club to Elect Officers at Clubhouse

Members of the Unity club will meet at the Forum clubhouse for election of officers Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. C. Joline, hostess, according to announcement Thursday. Due to the illness of Mrs. J. A. Kemp who was to be hostess at her home, this change was made, it was announced.

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She was thoroughly splashed before she got home. Nasty muddy weather and she got her shoes wet, too. Nice shoes—three tones of black, if you please. Made of black suede, black patent and black boroso. One of the newest of the shoe fashions is the fashion for tri-toned footwear. Three tones in the same color.

Somehow it all reminds her—there are places where one doesn't get one's feet wet or one's new stockings splashed with mud and slush. There are places where one needn't shiver. Places where one can wear the dress shown at the left, out in the open air with no wrap around it. A dress, please note, of pale yellow chiffon with a pleated pointed skirt, full draped sleeves and a bloused bodice trimmed with radiating pin tucks. Or the dress to the right—of silk shirting, with a tailored gilet, a belt, a pleated skirt and no sleeves. The sort of dress to play tennis in. The matter is settled! Now how soon can she get away?

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Forum Members Asked To Pay 1929 Dues

Owing to illness of a great many members of the Woman's Forum, the board has granted an extension of time to those who have not paid their dues for 1929, according to Mrs. F. L. Mercer, membership chairman. Mrs. Mercer asks that those interested please pay their dues as early as possible.

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Mrs. Frank Wood To Entertain Club

Election of officers will feature the meeting of the Modern Study club Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wood on Kemp boulevard. No program other than the business session is scheduled, it was announced.

Bond Denied Suspect In Holdup Attempt

DALLAS, Jan. 3 (INS)—John Wesley Myers, who was arrested after a daylight attempt to rob a local department store during the Christmas holiday season, today was ordered to jail without bond following an examining trial before Justice of the Peace John Baldwin.

BANQUET POSTPONED

Special to The Record News.

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 3—The annual Kiwanis installation program and banquet to have been held Thursday night of this week, has been postponed two weeks on account of the grip and flu epidemics. There is much sickness in the community at this time.

Plans Being Prepared For New Quitaque Hotel

Special to The Record News.

QUITAQUE, Texas, Jan. 3.—The "Hotel Quitaque," which will be financed and owned by W. O. Stroup, is now under consideration, plans and specifications are being prepared by an architect, states Claud Holley, secretary of the chamber of commerce. Mr. Holley says work will be rushed to completion as speedily as possible.

RAINFALL SLUMPS

Special to The Record News.

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 3—Only 26.66 inches of rain fell at Lawton during 1928, a deficiency of 5.52 inches below normal, according to records of H. W. Osborn, director of the station. Average daily temperature was 53, compared to the normal figure of 50. December temperatures averaged slightly above normal.

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTN M



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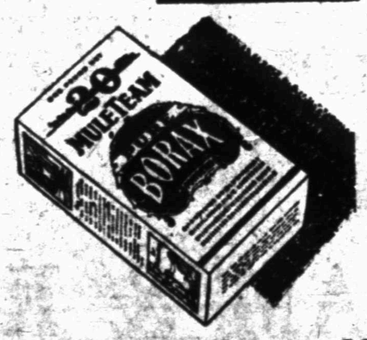


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Forum Board Gives Unanimous Support To Little Theater

The organization of the Little Theater for Wichita Falls, perfected Wednesday night, was given the unanimous endorsement of the board of directors of the Woman's Forum in a meeting at the clubhouse Thursday morning, following the report of Mrs. James P. Bowen, vice president and business manager of the Little Theater.

The board pledged its support to the group and opinions were expressed that the Little Theater is one of the most worthy and most needed things in Wichita Falls just now, and that a great future is anticipated.

Mrs. Ben G. Oneal, president of the forum, presided.

Mrs. William Cason, editor of the Forum News, house organ of the Woman's Forum whose first issue is to be published Feb. 1, and Mrs. B. C. Nicholson, advertising manager of the publication, both made reports. The Forum News will carry announcements of the month's work as outlined by the department chairmen, news of the general forum in detail, and is to be distributed to all members of the forum.

The matter in regard to the election of officers of the forum was discussed. The fact was brought out that a straw vote is to be taken in the department in their January meetings for officers and four new directors.

It was announced that Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin is chairman of the nominating committee and was elected in the December board meeting.

Those attending the meeting included Mesdames Oneal, T. T. T. Reese, W. W. Silk, Hamlin, H. B. Patterson, W. N. Maer, P. P. Langford, Carrie Joline and those reporting to the board were Mesdames Bowen, Cason, Nicholson and C. P. Burton.

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O' These Women

By LEOLA ALLARD

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (UP)—The reducing fever has led women to this diet which they tell me is successful, even if it isn't particularly satisfying. One hard-boiled egg and one fresh tomato three times a day. It takes off a pound a day, so they tell me and I asked a doctor and he pronounced it good.

"Oh, but do I get sick of it!" exclaimed a lady who says she has decided now, to lose only two pounds a week and eat that way two days each week. They say it works when you merely set aside a few days for that strong diet. There is something about the tomato and the hard-boiled egg that is fat fighting.

"The only way to be happy," says Nellie the black cook, "is to be forever courtin'. If I had my life to live over again, I'd just keep 'em courtin' me all the while and never marry nobody."

Nellie has had three husbands.

A new York wife gave her husband to wife number two, withdrew her bigamy charges, and he hoped he would treat her better than he treated the doner of this strange gift.

Doesn't look like such a glad New Year for number two, somehow. If anything would jolt a woman out of her somnambulistic state, a remark like that from number one, ought to do it.

The best bet I've seen for a wife, one guaranteed not to argue, is one of those girls who occupies the little coops at the entrances of the big department stores. Have you ever watched one of them will along toward evening, after answering all day, as fast as she can say the words, 1,456,789,344 questions? Her idea of heaven, would be a place where there was quiet, and no questions asked.

Mistletoe was cheaper than usual this year and there was an increased demand. And besides there are all the people who don't need any suggestion! It was a grand holiday.

Breckenridge Knights Templar Install Heads

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, Jan. 3—Officers for the Breckenridge conclave of Knights Templar installed this week are as follows:

Eminent commander, R. G. Miller; generalissimo, W. E. Foster; captain general, R. E. Loomis; senior warden, Herman Patterson; junior warden, E. E. Thompson; prelate, A. J. Morgan; recorder, W. H. McCampbell; treasurer, Raymond Walker; standard bearer, A. B. Allen; sword bearer, H. W. White; warden, F. H. Stearns, and sentinel, Roy J. Martin.

He Laughed When He Shouldn't Have—So She Couldn't Marry Him

The Best Way to Judge People Is By the Things They Laugh at—They May School Themselves to Say the Correct Thing, But They Show Their True Natures in the Things That Amuse Them

"I thought you were going to marry John So-and-So," I said to a young woman of my acquaintance. "So did I for a while," she responded. "He is some sheik and it is balm to the eyes to look at him. He is intelligent and carries a peppy line of conversation. He is a go-getter and the girl who marries him will have plenty of butter on her bread, to say nothing of caviar, but when it came to marching to the altar with him I couldn't risk the grade."

"What was the matter with him," I inquired.

"Oh, he laughed at the wrong things," returned the girl. "The things that touched me to tears moved him to mirth. He would laugh his head off at anything that was tender and full of sentiment. We used to go to the theater together a lot, and he would give a loud guffaw at the scenes that were simply depicting the naked souls of men and women at some crucial hour in their lives.

"I couldn't stand that. The end came after we had been to see a play in which a poor drab of the street, whose baby has died, goes to a shop and steals a fine little dress, although she knows she will be caught and punished as a shoplifter, because she cannot bear for the wretched little creature, who has had nothing in life, not to be as well dressed as the other baby angels. My boy friend simply roared over that episode, and that evening was the auspicious time he took to ask me to marry him.

"If he had proposed to me before we went to the theater, I should have said 'Yes and thank you, too,' but he waited until we got home, and I turned him down good and hard. He asked why? I replied that it was because he laughed at the woman in the play and her dead baby, and he said he didn't see what that had to do with us, and I said it had everything to do with us, and he finally went away thanking heaven that he had escaped marrying a crazy woman.

"I didn't want to marry a man who would only see something ridiculous in any act that wasn't logical and sensible, for I knew there would be many times when I would be guided by my heart instead of my head. I didn't want to marry a man who would make a mock of holy things and who would make a joke out of the things that were the most sacred to me. I didn't want to marry a man who could never understand the impulses that move a woman. I didn't want to marry a man without fineness of perception and without sympathy, and that is the sort of a man who laughs in the wrong places."

"To my way of thinking," the young woman went on, "there is no better way of judging people than by the things they laugh at. They can school themselves to say the correct things. The lowbrow can learn the patter of the highbrow. Hypocrites can pose as saints. The mean and stingy can make the grand gesture of generosity.

"I know women who neglect their own children, who simply overflow with noble maternal sentiments when they speak before mothers' clubs. I know lots of people who are just as careful always to express the popular sentiment of the day as they are to wear the latest style in clothes.

"So you can't always tell what manner of men and women they are by their speech, but you can get a close-up of their souls by noting the thing that amuses them. Their laughs are a dead give away.

"Look at the people who are simply convulsed with laughter when somebody falls down and gets hurt, or a poor man ruins a suit of clothes that he has gone hungry to pay for by sitting down on a freshly painted bench. Watch the people who laugh at a cripple, or a deformed person, or who find it killingly funny to see a decrepit, deaf old man or woman painfully trying to hear what is said to them. Observe the people whose wit is like a two-edged sword, that stabs to the very heart of some weakness or peculiarity of its victim.

"There are plenty of people who never think that anything is amusing that does not bring pain or humiliation to some one else. They never laugh with you. They always laugh at you. Beware of them. They have not an atom of human kindness in them. They are cruel. They gloat over the spectacle of suffering. They would have been among those who turned their thumbs down in the old Roman amphitheater when they brought on a fresh martyr for the beasts to tear to pieces.

"Then there are those whose idea of a good story is a vulgar story. Their idea of wit is smut. They laugh themselves sick at anything that is filthy. Outwardly they may seem to be ladies and gentlemen, refined and cultured, but their minds and hearts and souls are nothing but cesspools.

"Then there are those who think it excruciatingly amusing to play a sharp trick on some one, to take advantage of some one's ignorance or credulity. All of their good stories center around their having duped some one.

"I have heard men roar with laughter as they told of having given counterfeit coins to blind beggars, and of having flattered some poor old-maid school teacher by making love to her and sending her violets until they induced her to put the hard savings of her lifetime into some worthless investment.

"I have heard women tell with chortles of glee of how they had had hats and cloaks sent up from department stores on approval and had worn them and then sent them back as unsuitable. I have wondered that these men and women did not realize that every one of their side-splitting anecdotes showed them up as thieves, utterly lacking in any sense of honor or honesty.

"I know lots of husbands, whose favorite form of wit is holding their wives up to ridicule, and who will take any little mistake their wives have made and dress it up until it makes them look like perfect idiots. I know parents who will set the table in a roar when they are giving a dinner party by revealing the secrets their children have told them while the poor youngsters writhe in humiliation and every guest with a heart in his bosom longs to use the carving knife on his callous host.

"So that is why I say that the funny-bone is the test of character. Let me see what a man and woman laugh at, and I will tell you how understanding, how sympathetic, how tender, how cruel, how honest or dishonest they are."

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PASTORS TALK OF BLUE LAWS

Memphis Conclave to Fight Races and Sunday Shows

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, Jan. 3.—Fifteen ministers from various denominations throughout Hall county, in response to an invitation from the Memphis Ministerial association, were present at a meeting in the parlors of the First Methodist church Thursday, with Dr. J. Hardin Mallard, vice president of the local association, presiding. The ministers were luncheon guests of the Lions club at noon.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss impending legislation which, it is learned on good authority, will go before the coming session of the Texas legislature. Included in the number of bills will be those seeking to prevent race-track gambling and the operation of moving picture theaters on Sundays.

Threatens to Return

Doctor Mallard says racetrack gambling has been barred from the state of Texas for a number of years, but it has proven such an easy way to grab money in other states that certain forces are seeking its return in this state.

In speaking of the Sunday picture shows the minister pointed out that certain interests are seeking to gain control of a number of shows in this state just as they have done in Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas, and to operate Sunday shows regardless of restrictions imposed by laws. He recited the fact that shows are permitted to hold open on Sunday in Amarillo by paying fines.

Ministers Aroused

"The ministers are going to bring pressure to bear to try and prevent a wide open Sunday," Doctor Mallard said. "We expect to form a permanent organization as a result of the meeting Thursday, so that concerted action may be taken when it becomes necessary.

"The meeting Thursday had representatives from the Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Christian and Nazarene churches. We hope to have an organization that will meet at least quarterly so that we may present a united front in all matters involving religious and civic welfare."

To Plan Work

A meeting is to be held next Monday morning, it is stated, to reorganize the local Ministerial association, at the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. C. E. Jameson was elected president of the body, and since his removal to Canyon, Doctor Mallard has taken charge in his capacity as vice president. At the meeting Monday new officers will be elected and a plan of work outlined for the new year.

CHICAGO BEATS BELOIT

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (UP)—Chicago university's basket ball quintet, after nearly a month's inactivity because of influenza, got into action tonight, nosing out Beloit by the narrow margin of 20 to 16.

Premier Mussolini and His Family



For the first time on record Benito Mussolini, the Italian dictator, posed for a picture with the family when they came to Rome from Milan for the Christmas holidays. Left to right: Mrs. Mussolini holding Romano, youngest son; Bruno and Vittorio, Signor Mussolini and their daughter, Edda.

Achievement by Detroit Doctor Wins Scientific Body's Highest Award

By COLEMAN B. JONES
Associated Press Science Editor

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—A chemical achievement which may reduce the age-old suffering of childbirth and help save the lives of surgical patients and victims of severe burns, was recognized today by the American Association for the Advancement of Science with its highest award.

It was the isolation and analysis of the two hormones of the posterior pituitary gland by Dr. Oliver Kamm, head of chemical research in the laboratories of Parke, Davis & Company, at Detroit.

For his achievement Dr. Kamm was awarded the annual "association prize" of $1,000.

This is the first time that science has been able to obtain from any of the mysterious ductless endocrine glands of the body two specifically different hormones, the chemical messengers which enter the blood stream as it passes through the glands, and enables them to perform their functions of controlling life processes throughout the body.

The "pituary twins," as the hormones isolated by Dr. Kamm are called, have been named alpha and beta. Although they are almost identical in chemical structure, he told the chemical and medical sections of the association, they control vastly different physiological processes of the body.

The function of the alpha hormone is confined to controlling the speed of certain physical actions in childbirths, and costs about $3,000,000 a pound in its pure state. The beta hormone is only one-third as expensive. Its function is to raise the blood pressure and control retention of water in body cells.

By separating the two, scientists believe, Dr. Kamm has opened up a field of medical progress revolving around loss of water by the tissues in cases of severe burns and shock from surgery or anesthesia, and has made it possible to eliminate undesirable effects obtained in childbirth by the use of pituitrin containing both hormones.

Dozen Convicts Gain Liberty; 11 Recaptured

HOUSTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Another of the 12 convicts who made a dash for liberty from the Imperial state prison farm at Sugarland this morning, was captured early this afternoon. With his capture only one convict remained at large.

Bebb's flowers for the sick room. Wichita Floral company. Flowerphone 3300. — Adv.

Kansas City Wins Her Way to Fore In Air Industry

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3. (INS)—Kansas City is rapidly taking its place among the leaders of the aviation industry, according to an announcement from the American Eagle Aircraft corporation today.

Already a total of 707 airplane sales orders, valued at more than $2,500,000, are on the company's books for 1929 delivery.

Since Jan. 1, orders for 126 additional planes have been received by the company, which in the past year built and sold nearly 400 planes.

With such a volume of business under way the company plans to build between 1,200 and 1,500 new planes in its factory in Kansas City, Kan., which will open Feb. 1, according to E. E. Porterfield Jr., president of the company.

MENDEZ AT BOGOTA

BOGOTA, Colombia, Jan. 3. (UP)—Lieut. Benjamin Mendez, who started a flight from New York to Bogota in November, arrived here in an army plane. Mendez' plane was badly damaged in a test flight at Girardot, his last stopping place before flying here. An army plane piloted by Lieutenant Daza brought Mendez and his mechanic here at 4 p. m.

MEMPHIS C.-C. FETE JAN. 24

Johnson, Ely and Shep Invited to Speak

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Texas, Jan. 3.—Cone Johnson of Tyler, and Judge W. R. Ely of Abilene, both members of the state highway commission, and R. E. Shepherd, former mayor of Wichita Falls, have been invited to appear on the program of the annual banquet of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce, which is scheduled to be held on Jan. 24, according to George A. Sager, secretary. No arrangements have been perfected for the banquet yet, but plans are under way to make the event an outstanding one in the history of the chamber of commerce.

The program committee consisting of J. H. Read, Thomas E. Noel and Olin V. Alexander are busy outlining the events, but all plans thus far are tentative.

The Year's Work

Many worthwhile things have been accomplished during the past year under the administration of President J. A. Brewer. The water works system has been improved, which gives a lower insurance rate than was the case heretofore. A material increase in dairy herds has been noted over the entire county. The chamber sponsored the series of inspirational lectures delivered here last spring by Dr. Dean C. Dutton. Due to the cooperation of the chamber of commerce, the Hall county district fair was an outstanding success last year. Equally, this organization was responsible for the fine exhibits sent to the Tri-State fair at Amarillo and the state fair at Dallas.

PROFITEERS NABBED

LONDON, Jan. 3 (UP)—Secret service agents in Moscow and Leningrad raided a number of bakeries and arrested 16 alleged profiteers, according to Exchange Telegraph dispatches received here today. The raids, in which large quantities of butter, tea and rye were confiscated, were for the purpose of combating purported shortages of foodstuffs.

Coolidge Back at Desk After Georgia Vacation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (AP)—Back from his Christmas vacation in Georgia, President Coolidge lost no time today in tackling the pile of business accumulating during his absence.

With Mrs. Coolidge, the chief executive arrived in Washington in the middle of the afternoon, a little less than 24 hours after leaving Sapelo Island, where for a week they had been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Coffin.

Under-Ground Tanks Dispute Up to Court

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3 (UP)—The Standard Oil company and the Sinclair Refining company today were granted a review of the validity of the Marysville, Kan., ordinance requiring all large quantities of oil and gasoline to be kept in under-ground tanks. Many cities have ordinances similar to this one, which was upheld by the eighth circuit court of appeals in this case.

Two Bandits Sentenced To Hang But Appeal

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3 (AP)—Two bank bandits today were formally sentenced to be hanged Feb. 11, but their attorney filed an appeal which automatically holds up the sentence nine months. The two bandits were John Messino and Tony (Lollypop) Mangiarcina, convicted in the hold-up of the Home Trust company and the murder of James H. Smith, patrolman, here last June.

Mother of Frederick Women Dies in Tennessee

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Following injuries received two weeks ago, Mrs. W. M. Harris, 79, of Yuma, Tenn., died there Sunday. She was the mother of Mrs. A. H. Pritchard and Mrs. E. C. Crabb of this place, who did not learn of her death until Monday. Neither were able to attend the funeral.

Bebb's flowers for the sick room. Wichita Floral company. Flowerphone 3300.—Adv.

BACK FROM VACATION

Special to The Record News

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 3.—Miss Emma Burgess, county home demonstration agent for Jackson county, returned today from a two weeks' vacation.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsilitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either. One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please, no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store.—Adv.

How to Escape FLU

1 Avoid so far as possible the places where flu germs are most apt to be; crowded cars, public meeting places, warm, stuffy rooms.

2 Be careful of close contact with others and beware of all coughers and sneezers. Breathe through the nose.

3 Get lots of rest. Eat plenty of citrous fruits. Keep the bowels open. Take every precaution to keep in good physical condition, so your system will have high resistance against germs.

4 Above all, avoid catching cold. Any cold may be the forerunner of flu. Take Bayer Aspirin at the first sign of a cold and you can ward it off. Gargle with Bayer Aspirin at first sign of sore throat as this will remove the infection.

5 If you have any reason to suspect even a touch of flu, call your doctor.

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One Minute Pulpit

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To save any man requires the same amount of grace as to save all men.

The Day Book of a New Yorker

By GRANT DIXON
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NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—In the neighborhood of Broad and Wall streets the subway builders are tunneling past billions of dollars' worth of cash and securities. The new loop which is to connect the various branches of the B. M. T., with the line which passes under the municipal building and with the tunnels of the East river presented some of the most peculiar and difficult problems that subway engineers ever encountered.

The physical difficulties were staggering. The deep ditch had to be cut under Nassau and Broad streets between the foundations of some of the greatest skyscrapers in New York. The foundations of those enormous structures had to be protected beyond any possibility of danger to their thousands of tenants. At the same time measures had to be taken to safeguard the treasures of gold and silver and of securities that were stored in the vaults along the line of the loop.

At the very beginning of the work the banks and trust companies were ordered by the board of transportation to vacate all of their sidewalk vaults because the subway engineers planned to excavate clear up to the foundation of all buildings on either side of Nassau and Broad streets.

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These sidewalk vaults, it might be explained, are rented by the city of New York to the owners of abutting buildings and for a nominal sum, but on the definite understanding that they must be surrendered on demand. Many if not most of these sidewalk vaults were connected with the banks and trust companies by doorways, so that all along the line of the great cut there were hundreds of such holes to be stopped up—holes through which thieves might creep into incalculably rich treasure houses, or through which damage might enter. All such doorways and entryways were plugged up, therefore, by brick and re-enforced concrete, or heavy ramparts of hollow tile.

The giant temples of finance needed little or no re-enforcement in their astounding foundations, because when they were built, from a year to a score of years ago, the excavation and its consequent dangers were anticipated. The foundations of the taller, bigger buildings were laid enormously strong and thick. As one walks through the mighty ditch under Nassau and Broad streets one comprehends for the first time the vast underground labor that is necessary to the making of a skyscraper. The new Equitable Trust company, for example, rests upon a solid cofferdam of re-enforced concrete which dips down 56 feet to the solid rock. Its retaining wall is eight feet thick.

It would take a gang of expert drillers, equipped with the most modern tools, 24 hours to break through that wall. Assuming that they were burglars of the most advanced type, their preliminary movements would be announced at police headquarters by the jangling of electric signal buzzers.

The House of Morgan at Broad and Wall streets rests also upon caissons which go down to the solid rock. So does the New York stock exchange across the street, and the new monumental buildings of Broad street all have foundations which are built of brick, steel, granite and concrete within retaining walls that are eight feet thick. Nothing like such solidity of construction has ever been seen outside of the pyramids, possibly.

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The Federal Reserve bank, between Liberty street and Maiden Lane and Nassau and William streets, guards one of the world's greatest treasures and is amply equipped to protect it. It is probably one of the strongest treasure houses in the whole world. It too, goes down to bedrock, with an eight-foot retaining wall. Beyond the massive underpinnings are the huge steel vaults resting on concrete beds and surrounded by a shell of masonry.

There is something almost appallingly impressive about the elaborate strength with which the bullion and bonds of Wall street are guarded. It is not concrete and steel, merely, or bedrock foundations. It includes a marvelously developed and sensitive electric alarm system. It is almost impossible to lay an inexperienced hand upon the mechanism of one of the great vaults of the federal reserve bank or the Equitable Trust company without setting off an alarm.

Making the Grade

"Make it short and snappy," cried the city editor. "Boil it down!"

And when they handed the new rewrite man the Ten Commandments, to try him out, he wrote:

"Don't."—Life.

Hubby Has 'Em

"Do you suffer from cold feet?" the doctor asked the young wife.

"Yes," she replied.

He promised to send her some medicine.

"Oh!" she said, nervously. "They are not—not—mine"—Tit-Bits.

Using What We Know

IT IS quite possible that our scientific knowledge is moving so fast that it will leave our ability to use it properly far behind. If it does, we may be in for some very serious trouble.

This thought is suggested by a strange play, "Wings Over Europe," recently presented in New York.

In "Wings Over Europe" a scientist discovers the secret of releasing atomic energy. This secret will give mankind power greater than it ever dreamed of before. All of the work of the world can be done offhand; people everywhere can be released from poverty and drudgery; all of the material barriers to progress and happiness can be knocked down overnight.

Fired with enthusiasm, the inventor goes to the British cabinet and offers his discovery in the belief that the statesmen will know better than he how to use this miraculous power for the good of mankind.

But the statesmen can see only the vast destructive power of his discovery. With it they could blow a continent off the map. So they plan to accept it and use it as an instrument of war. They will be able to annihilate their enemies, and the nation will be invincible forever after.

Dismayed and shocked at this perversion of his great discovery, the scientist concludes that mankind does not deserve to be given the tools with which it can raise itself to new heights of achievement; so he uses his secret to blow the whole world to bits and destroy the entire race.

This fanciful tale contains material for some serious thought.

During the last century and a half, mankind's knowledge has advanced prodigiously. There seems no good reason for doubting that it will make a similar advance in the next 150 years. Every research scientist assures us that we are only on the threshold of knowledge, and that what we have discovered is only a fraction of what we shall discover in the near future.

Thus we—the race—are getting into our hands the means for completely remaking the earth. The revolution in human affairs brought by the steam engine, electricity, the gasoline motor and chemistry will be carried infinitely farther. We are, quite conceivably, at the dawn of a golden age.

But these new inventions are double-edged affairs. Along with the automobile, science has given us the torpedo. With insulin it has handed us poison gas. The air mail has developed beside the aerial bomber. Hand in hand with the radio has come the machine gun.

We are developing new means of making life comfortable and enjoyable, but we are also developing new means of making life unbearable. And the question is: are we going to be wise enough to use our new knowledge for our own good—or shall we, like the cabinet members in the play, be blind and stupid and prove our unfitness for advancement?

This is not a mere academic question. It is, perhaps, the foremost issue of the age. If we cannot outgrow some of the passions, superstitions, prejudices and meannesses that we have brought up with us from the jungle, our golden age may turn out to be a reign of terror surpassing anything in human history.

Tomorrow's Reality

TWENTY-FIVE years ago, when news came to Dayton, Ohio, that the Wright brothers had successful flown in their new flying machine, a Dayton resident said:

"I don't believe it. I don't believe men will ever fly, and if anybody ever does I don't believe it'll be anybody from Dayton."

We trust that gentleman was alive to see the big 20-passenger airplanes come soaring down to the field at Dayton the other day in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the flight in which he disbelieved. His little experience might warn the rest of us, once more, that this is an age in which almost anything is possible. Whatever else you may say of the present era, it surely is not a time for skeptics. There is too much chance that today's dizzy dream may be tomorrow's business-like reality.

New Bonds for Three Years

ACCORDING to a New York financial publication, new bond offerings of all descriptions in the last three years made in the New York market are estimated at approximately $15,000,000,000 face value. Domestic corporation bonds aggregated $16,000,000,000; foreign bond listings aggregated $18,000,000,000. Bond issues of all kinds totaled $165,450,000,000. Since time began no republic has existed that has traveled so fast as the republic of the United States and no people have ever accumulated wealth as the American people in recent years.

Herbert Kaufman's Daily Editorial

NOAH WOULDN'T KNOW IT

IF NOAH WEBSTER could see a late edition of his book (which celebrates its first centenary this year) he'd be amazed at the number of definitions that a hundred years of discovery and invention have added to the original work.

And probably shocked by some of the once unrespectable expressions that have seeped therein.

But nations that aren't making new words aren't breaking new ground.

That's how slang becomes a weed patch from which we gather vigorous flowers of speech when emergency lacks a colorful phrase.

In time the dictionary transplants these wild words into its formal garden and domesticates them.

Thus some of our most popular vernacular, like many of our "best" families, is of very vulgar extraction.

Vocabulary and botany have the same habit of enriching themselves from obscure sources. Both search the jungles for fresh material.

Orchids begin in tropical marshes and end in hothouses, and thousands of socially approved phrases also sprang from the muck.

The highbrow mind is seldom a verbal Burbank; it usually carries a sufficient ready-made stock to answer all requirements.

But semi-literate folk experience so many situations and emotions beyond the interpretative resources of a simple education that they are compelled to occasional originality.

And if it's uniquely graphic or pictorial, the community adopts the waif utterance and makes it a common servant of thought.

Thieves, gypsies and tinkers, as well as scholars, scientists and thinkers, have regularly laid stones in the Tower of Babel, called the English language—a helter-skelter structure with no definite plan—filled with material collected all the way from the academies of ancient Greece to Broadway night clubs.

Pure English hasn't been spoken since the Romans landed in Britain.

And the prigs who pride themselves that they speak it, are self-confessed ignoramuses before history.

The VICARION by Gardner Hunting

The Astounding Story of an Invention Greater Than the Movies

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In the year 1935 there gathers in the studio of Radley Brainard a group consisting of his sweetheart, Phyllis Norman; her father, mother and brother, John; John's sweetheart, Carol Gould, and Radley's Aunt Relief. By means of an invention which he has just perfected Radley projects on to a gauze curtain the beginning of a murder which occurred three years previously, with the "actors" seemingly real persons speaking with their natural voices.

"Well, of course I don't believe a word of it!" announced Miss Relief Brainard, getting up from her chair. "But if it is so, the first thing you'll need is a restoration of the censorship we used to have on pictures."

Brainard laughed. "The world has outgrown censorship, Aunt Rel, But what would you do with a censor, when you are dealing with actual events?"

"Events, nonsense! This is either a clever hoax, as John says, or it's clever motion pictures. But it's altogether too near to life to go on—uncensored."

"That's the argument, merely in reverse, Miss Brainard, that ultimately killed the censorship," said Mr. Norman.

"Yes—it became too hard to find anybody who wanted to be a censor, as pictures grew closer to life. It will be impossible when they see what I have to show them," said Brainard.

"But, Radley," said Phyllis, too much stirred to trifle, "tell us about it. There's a joke of some sort in this, isn't there? What you say implies altogether too terrifying things—pictures of real events that were—unwitnessed! Too terrifying to believe! I—" But she lost the thread of what she had wanted to say, in the sudden overwhelming conviction of the reality of the thing. The rolling surf, and the breath of spray, the yielding, whitening, blood-lined flesh under those blackened fingers!

"Yes," echoed Mrs. Norman, "you don't want us to believe—"

"It's not a question whether you believe or not," said Brainard a little harshly. "But you don't have to take my word for it; nobody does. It's all—here."

He opened a closet door beside his switchboard. The place was covered, like all other usually visible features of the studio, in white sheeting. He took out a small, globular object about the size and shape of a baseball but obviously heavy and the color of blued steel.

"Here in this little bomb," he went on, "I have——" He paused and inspected the label, hand-written, pasted on, as simply as he might have read the label on a home-filled fruit can. "This is a fragment of the notorious Whippleton dinner—a nine-day scandal, even in Hollywood, last winter."

"Oh, great!" cried Carol. "I can just see your line of talk on the billboards! Why, Rad, you've got something, assuredly! It's going to knock old Complete Illusions, Inc., into the dim, dead past—beyond recall! This is a sensation!"

"Isn't it?" replied Brainard, who had lost his appearance of agitation now. "I'm thinking of naming my rival enterprise Universal Sensations, Inc. Only I doubt if I shall incorporate."

"Oh, yes you will! I want some stock—in on the ground floor!"

The light talk fled past Phyllis' mind like cloud-shadows on a whirlpool. She was back again among the frightened speculations that Brainard's statements had roused. She knew him too well to think that he was merely playing with their credulity; and she had watched him too closely these past months, as he had been changing gradually under her eyes, to think that the thing with which he was dealing was a mere matter of public entertainment. If what he said of his discovery—his invention—whatever it was—if what he said of it were true, it staggered the imagination. Her groping fancy swooned among the bewildering vistas flung open to it by the bare idea.

The Whippleton Dinner

But he had slipped the little "bomb" into a niche in the wall, hidden now by a falling fold of white. He looked around at them and, without a word, snapped off the electric lights. Again the flare of blinding red from behind the curtain struck at her eyes, then softened and turned to rose tint. But instead of daylight, here was suddenly a multicolored radiance—filling a room walled with roses—which seemed to shed at once perfume and soft music, intoxicating as might be the breath of opium! Confusion of white napery, bare shoulders, glistening silver, wreathing smoke, staccato laughter, tipsy singing, whirling dancers—an indistinguishable mixture of sights and sounds in a single sensuous impression sprawled before her senses! Then the babble of human voices, that is like nothing so much as the babbling of water!

Phyllis might have been flung into the midst of that riotous banqueting scene, air-cushioned from physical shock, but mentally paralyzed by the impact of its actuality.

Again a hundred details sprang into outstanding relief in fashion that no stereoscopic photography ever approached. A slender hand, a glittering glass, a wet forehead, a cigar's red coal, whites of eyes, dangling jewels, sagging lips!

No conceivable counterfeit of the real could produce such a result. No consciously acted scene ever contained a fraction of this kaleidoscopic effect. No staged production ever made such an artful attempt to mask human sordidness. Variety no mere imagination could fabricate, detail in shadow no camera ever penetrated! Atmosphere inflamed with the odors of incense, the fumes of wine—and the magnetism of human presence!

And there!—there was Julia DeLorme! Julia DeLorme, who had been found drowned only last week at Catalina! There—putting out her little live red tongue saucily at the man whose bulk hid her slender, nestling figure! And Ollie Rand—young master of the violin—who lost his priceless left hand at the Haviland hotel fire—there lifting a glass with it as he tossed a sly smile to——

One does not doubt the evidence of the senses when the senses conspire to convince. But when all one's senses conspire to contradict themselves! Phyllis Norman knew she was looking at the Whippleton dinner. Yet she sat in Brainard's studio! She had been in the Whippleton house—she knew this room. A dozen faces at the table she knew now among the strange ones. But that dinner had occurred months ago and passed into the annals of notorious affairs—that dinner whose very scents came pungently now to her nostrils!—whose very guests——But Radley Brainard's voice broke across its din, raised to make itself heard, like that of an operator above the clatter of a machine!

"Shocked, Aunt Rel?" he asked.

Phyllis turned faint. "Stop, Radley!" she called to him desperately. She covered her eyes and tried to steady herself. It was as if the sense of equilibrium were lost. For a moment, as the sounds about her suddenly died away, she had the sense of consciously losing consciousness. Then she heard her mother abruptly over her, calling to her in alarm—and she uncovered her eyes again to the white room.

They were all up about her—disturbed, concerned. She must have fainted in reality. Reality! She looked about at them. Their anxious inquiring eyes, their questioning lips, were no more truly flesh and blood to her perception than had been the eyes and lips of Julia DeLorme a moment ago. If they were here, where was that woman who had been found drowned a week ago?

Phyllis caught at her mother's hand. The older woman dropped down beside her.

"Why, child, what is it? You—surely, you——"

"I can't endure it!" cried Phyllis, her mind whirling. "I can't bear it!" she reiterated, aware that sudden belief in what Radley had said of the miracle he had wrought was what robbed her ideas of all stable foundations; and still conscious that such a conviction stored up a long account for reason to reckon with when reason could find its bearings again!

All the known facts of time and place were thrown into chaos by the only assumption that could fit the conditions.

Her mother was crooning over her, her father almost sharply commanding her attention, John trying to reassure her, with her hand in both of his; Carol trying to laugh away with her lips a thing that left awe in her usually cynical eyes, Radley himself frowning slightly, but laughing, too, and telling her to remember that the science which could produce such a phenomenon could explain it in a way to set reason at rest. The healthy blood in her young body took up again its normal flow from her heart; and humor threw a mask of absurdity over the whole affair.

"Of course! Of course!" she said.

"Remember," Radley was telling her, "its' really no more amazing than the radio was at first, or the X-ray. You just have to accept it and get used to it. People will. Though I think it's going to upset some of 'em, just as it has you."

"Well, it's upset me too," said John, turning on Brainard. "Of course it's a reproduction of some sort that you have shown us, made from records taken at the time of the event. But it's the most destroying thing I ever experienced to my faith in my normal critical powers. I'm as much lost, I guess, as Phyl is, only I know there must be some natural explanation."

"There is," Brainard answered. "So natural that you won't believe that, either, till I convince you by force."

"But aren't you going to finish that dinner scene?" asked Miss Brainard, coming up behind him.

Her nephew looked at her over his shoulder for an instant, curiously; then he laughed.

"Aunt Rel!" he teased.

"Well," protested the maiden lady, "it's the most interesting thing I ever saw—scientifically!" And then she herself laughed, honestly.

"I'm sorry to disappoint you," Radley, "but the rest of that scene also has escaped. I think you saw most of what I had, however."

"What do you mean—escaped?" asked John, impatiently for him.

"I mean that, when I once release a scene, it all goes," Brainard told him, smiling. "It's not film. It's not like anything you've been used to, or anything you are likely to have in mind. It's—well, I can only call it what it is: life!"

His eyes glowed anew as he finished. Phyllis, reassured somewhat by the manner of the others over what had seemed to her a derangement of the natural order, thrilled again in response to the look in his face. He was dealing with forces that had been out of men's reach—and mastering them! That was what was changing him—enough to change any man! The hurt which his seeming indifference to her had inflicted was somewhat soother. She could not be jealous of his achievement; she loved him.

But Aunt Relief had asked a question which Phyllis had missed. Radley was answering.

"No, not ghosts exactly," he said. "Ghosts are supposed to be departed spirits, aren't they—out of the flesh? I think you will all admit that the people you have seen tonight have been very distinctly still in the flesh."

Carol shivered slightly; Phyllis noticed the movement. She got up from her chair. "Radley," she said, "I think we've all been more frightened than we like to admit. I assure you I didn't admit it voluntarily. Now explain. What is it we've seen?"

"It's something that's thrown on a curtain by a light!" insisted Carol, as if trying now to reassure herself in a tardy reaction from skepticism.

"No," returned Brainard, drawing up a chair for himself, "it's not even thrown on a curtain. You could see it without the curtain, under proper conditions."

"Human transparencies!" exclaimed Aunt Relief, abruptly.

"In one way, certainly, that's what it is," said Mr. Norman meaningly.

"But ghosts," began Brainard again, thoughtfully studying his dead cigaret and then beginning to light it once more, "ghosts gave me my first idea."

"What?" cried Aunt Relief.

"Revelation from across the border, then, Rad!" Carol commented with a note of disappointment. "Now I know you're joking!"

"No, no! Don't jump to conclusions. I got my first idea from the fact that people have for centuries been seeing ghosts, or have thought they did—which some philosophers say is the same thing. I used to scoff at the idea. I don't now."

"You—believe in ghosts, Radley?" queried Mrs. Norman, uncomfortable again.

"Yes," said Brainard gravely; "but not just the sort you mean, or that people have meant who claimed they saw them. Maybe that sort exist; I'm not in a position to deny it. In fact, I don't feel much like denying anything, these days."

"Go on, Radley!" demanded Aunt Relief.

"I believe," said Brainard, smiling at her again, "that what we see—all of what we see—is dependent mainly on two things: light—and density of what I may call the etheric substance."

"Oh, words of one syllable, Rad!" interrupted Carol.

"I don't know," went on Brainard, "whether what a man still is, after death, can come back and show itself to us, under any circumstances. But I do know that what he was can come back, and does, visibly, audibly, tangibly to every sense—no, tangibly is not the word, for I haven't succeeded in touching him!"

Phyllis sought her chair again. She began to be angered at the effect this thing was having upon her. She was assuredly not superstitious; yet this fear at the demonstration of unknown laws could be called nothing less. She sat down, determined to take herself in hand.

What had been more ghostly in their time than the discoveries Radley had mentioned—the ray by which a camera sees through things opaque to the eye—the device which brings sound across distance and through barriers that otherwise deaden it to the ear? And these had become commonplaces. Still, here was something more. Was it then the fact that Radley assured them they had looked back at life that was past—or was it the undefined implication against which her nature rebelled? The sense of menace in it seemed inexplicable, as she listened to the voices of the others; but her lithe young muscles went weak before it at every glimpse her imagination allowed itself.

But Radley was continuing. "No," he was saying again, "nobody acts these scenes; can't you grasp that? The day of actors is past." He laughed. "What will our friends of the colossal Complete Illusions say to that?" He glanced at Phyllis but his eyes again were full of other things. "No, no actor can compete with life; and no audience, having once seen life relived as here, will tolerate anything else. As for material—try to realize that everything man has done is to be accessible to us. That's a big order isn't it? I can't grasp it myself, though I've been spending sleepless nights over the conception—seeing it demonstrated here every day for months!"

The white room was still again.

"You have seen enough so that you will begin to place some credence in more startling things. Suppose I tell you that I have looked into the secret sessions of the peace conference at Versailles! Suppose I shock you by asserting that I can look into my neighbor's bedroom, across the street. Suppose I show you—yourself, as you see yourself in the mirror in the privacy of your own chamber—no, not as you see yourself in the mirror in the privacy of your own chamber—no, not as you see yourself, but as you actually were at a given moment, or during a given hour, when you supposed you were alone!"

He stopped, looked from one to another of them, the triumphant sense of power flaming in his face. Again his gaze came to Phyllis and lingered on her. But now it was with a strange inquiry. It was as if he had asked her to look at a transformation in human relations that might touch their own.

It was like a challenge. A challenge to her. The sense of weakness fled out of Phyllis Norman; fierce resentment sprang up in her. The swift crystallizing of vague apprehensions which had come with his first suggestions in this revealing speech formed a substantial, concrete thing to face. Her character arrayed all its forces instinctively to meet that.

But he seemed to read things in her face also. "Don't dream that I have outraged anybody's privacy," he said rather hastily. "I am only asking you to think—"

"Radley Brainard, I'm ashamed of you!" cried his aunt.

"You needn't be—yet, Aunt Relief," he answered her. "Besides," he added with a slow grin, "suppose we do all get to looking at one another's private lives! Who will have the nerve to throw the first stone?"

"Horrible!" exclaimed Aunt Relief.

"You'd find it unspeakable, dear. If you had anything to hide," said Carol sapiently. "I think, Rad, you're getting in a little deep. Do you remember a chap called Frankenstein and the thing he did?"

"I have distinctly shown you that I hold what I have under a key," said Brainard.

"But," said John quickly, "you said that what you did not show us escaped from you."

"Well, I'm no male Pandora, either. But just reflect that all knowledge is a dangerous thing, unless controlled, like all force."

"If I believed you have what you said you have, I'd be scared into convulsions!" exclaimed Carol suddenly.

"Wait a minute," put in Mr. Norman. "People have been known to get into trouble by confining forces."

"Ignorantly, yes," replied Brainard, with a touch of impatience again tinging his tone. "But confining a force doesn't mean controlling it."

"Exactly," asserted Mr. Norman quietly. "The two are easily confused."

"Don't you think a man who can show you what I've shown you in this studio tonight has the forces he deals with under control?"

"Some of them, undoubtedly, Radley," Mr. Norman answered. "I admit, though, that I would prefer not to believe you have all the power you say you have. And there may be powers in this you do not know."

Rrainard tried to laugh pleasantly; but he did not make a pleasant sound.

"Go on, Radley!" urged his aunt again.

The others laughed uneasily. A restraint was upon them all now. Brainard shrugged away some of his irritation.

"Forgive me for being hypersensitive to suggestions of criticism," he said, with a return of one of the qualities in him that Phyllis loved. "Too many late hours—and cigarets instead of food!" he added and smiled across at her.

But Phyllis was watching him as some one she hardly knew. A momentary return of the old Radley could not efface the impression of the challenging look. An aching sense that he was changed indeed made her unable to respond. Then anger flamed up in her again; not at the fact that he might have stumbled upon power, but at the use of it which had first occurred to him. Why had it occurred to him? What sort of a man who did not instinctively respect the privacy of others?—not mere physical privacy, on which any Peeping Tom might intrude, but the infinitely more intimate thing, to spy upon which was violation.

And yet, if this thing he had shown them tonight were a genuine phenomenon, product of newly discovered laws controlled and manipulated, what was the essence of the result? Again the girl's temples throbbed.

But a rude interruption broke in upon her thoughts. A clatter arose at the entrance door of the studio. It was flung open, and all the little group within turned to look. Brainard's Japanese servant, Ushigi, rushed in, his dusky eyes wide with excitement, his prominent teeth gleaming white through wide-open lips.

"Lock! See! Quick!" he cried, and whirled to point back at the open door.

In contrast to the light within the white room, that in the entrance hall outside was dim. The open door offered a dark rectangle to Phyllis' eyes, like an opening abruptly flung wide to the outside night itself. Ushigi was clearly frightened. But nothing came in at the door.

Brainard strode across to the Jap. "Look here!" he demanded. "What's the matter with you? What have you seen?"

But Ushigi was trembling. He pointed again at the door. "There!" he whispered. "'S there!" His sibilant hiss alone would have sent chills over the spine.

"Don't be a fool!" Brainard flung him aside and started toward the door himself. "What the devil do you think you've let in out of the night that scares—"

But he stopped short as he came opposite the open entrance. For a moment he stood still, staring. Then slowly he took a backward step.

Miss Brainard screamed. A chair fell with a crash as some one leaped up. It was John. He rushed across to Brainard's side. There he, too, stopped, and stood gasping at something invisible to the rest.

"What—what is it?" he gasped.

Wave upon wave of cold swept over Phyllis. All the bizarre occurrences of the night seemed uniting to some climax that made the blood congeal. Carol, at her side, caught her arm; and the contact brought a cry from her. Then the two girls clung frankly to each other in terror.

"Whoever you are—" It was Radley's voice calling out through that dark rectangle over there. "Whoever you are—or whatever you are, come in here where we can see you!" he demanded.

No sound came in from the hidden hallway. Nothing appeared to justify the tense attitudes of the two young men who seemed to see. Then both abruptly drew away another step from the door. Something stirred there. Phyllis' straining eyes caught a glimpse of a gray figure, swaying wavering, as the outlines of heat waves waver above a flame. Then it took form, as it drew slowly into better light. Human form—the figure of a man! Or something that had been a man!

It had feet—knees—hands—a mouth—eyes! It had the beard of a pictured troll hanging in a matted cascade over its breast. Its slowly moving limbs were half covered with the tatters of some wasted garment that merely clung in shreds. Its flesh was gray as sunbleached dust. But it moved—and its hollow eyes blinked blindly in the light and stared at them from under its ragged hair.

But Brainard relaxed and took a step forward.

"Look here," he said, "what is this? A masquerade?"

The strange being stood still and his gaze slowly centered upon the young man.

"For—for God's sake," he whispered huskily, "tell me—where I am!"

"Tell me who you are," demanded Radley, clearly believing that some trick was being practiced on him now, "and maybe I can. Don't try to get away with anything here."

The smoky eyes in the gaunt face turned slowly and went over them all. As they encountered Phyllis' gaze they stopped. To be so singled out had the effect of steadying the girl, as definite demand upon her always did.

"Who Are You?"

"Who are you?" she asked, unconsciously usurping the questioner's right.

"I—don't know," came back the husky answer.

The figure groped for the door post, with a thin hand. Then a pitiful thing showed itself. A flicker of an ingratiating smile crossed the creasing face.

"Nobody seems—to know," he added, his voice clearing slightly as if with use.

"I guess he isn't dangerous," Mr. Norman said from behind Phyllis. "He looks to me like a man in the extremity of distress—starvation, maybe."

Brainard went toward the visitor. "Where did you come from?" he asked. "Do you know that you are a strange looking object to come thrusting yourself——"

He had reached out and taken hold of the thin arm, his fingers closing around it with an unsure grasp that instantly conveyed to Phyllis the thought in his mind. He had suspected that here was something that he could see and hear—but could not touch! Something out of control!

(Continued in Saturday's Issue)

Today in Texas History

JANUARY 4

1823—First Mexican colonization law offering liberal inducements to American colonists was passed.

1835—Santa Anna's congress passed amnesty law by virtue of which Stephen F. Austin was eventually released from detention in Mexico.

1898—The death of Dr. R. L. Dabney, distinguished professor at University of Texas and biographer of Stonewall Jackson.

1899—Death in Havana, Cuba, of Col. W. H. Mabry, commanding first Texas infantry in the Spanish-American war.

Abe Martin

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"Next t' givin' women th' right t' vote, th' biggest mistake that's been made lately wuz givin' pedestrians th' right o' way. It's a cinch they'll abuse it," declared Squire Marsh Swallow, t'day. "Fate is about th' only thing we have left that money can't fix.

APPEAL FILED IN HOTEL SUIT

Higher Courts to Pass On Contract

Judge P. A. Martin Thursday denied the motion of the plaintiff for a new trial in the suit of O. F. Marchman against the McCoy Hotel Operating company for cancellation of contract. The plaintiff immediately gave notice of appeal.

Mr. Marchman was awarded $12,000 as a "reasonable rental" on the Marchman hotel properties when the case was first tried before Judge Martin three months ago. His petition for the reformation of the lease contract was denied at the same time the rental was granted. The new legal effort is an attempt to break the contract under which the company operates the property for the owner.

Mr. Marchman contended in his petition that the operating company was without power under the contract to transfer the management to the Hilton hotel organization.

Escaped Lunatic Jailed for Theft

A lunatic who escaped from the Wichita Falls state hospital several months ago is in jail at Lubbock on charges of stealing an automobile, according to word received by Sheriff W. G. Bralley Thursday.

Charged with a number of forgeries here, the man was acquitted on the defense of insanity. He was later convicted of lunacy in a hearing before former Judge E. W. Nicholson, and sent to the hospital for the insane.

After his escape from the hospital, his first act of freedom was the purchase of an automobile from the Birch Motor company. Investigation proved that he had no bank account.

The car was found next day in a local garage, its motor burnt out, and its 48-hour owner fled. A wire from the sheriff at Midland Thursday said he was held at Lubbock charged with stealing a Buick coupe there.

CHEST MEETING

Reports of all member organizations of the Wichita Falls Community chest will be audited and other financial business of the chest discussed at the first 1929 meeting of the finance board in the directors' rooms of the City National bank at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Abilene Capitalist Praises Orgatone

Mr Jake Zabloudil Feels That He Has Taken a New Lease on Life—Suffered Six Months

Mr. Jake Zabloudil, a prominent capitalist, oil man and banker who resides at 802 Orange street, Abilene, Texas, comes forward with his unqualified endorsement of Orgatone.



MR. JAKE ZABLOUDIL

"Not in years," said Mr. Zabloudil, while in Harvey Hays Drug store at Abilene, recently, "have I enjoyed such good health or felt so well generally as I do since I began taking Orgatone. One bottle of this medicine has done me more good than all the other treatment and medicines I have taken in the last six months combined.

"At the time I began taking Orgatone my stomach had been in bad shape for at least six months. My food would invariably sour and I would suffer from a dull ache or a burning sensation in my stomach. Occasionally gas would bother me after eating and I would have cramping pains. I was also in a run-down condition and knew that I wasn't up to par.

"Well, I tried a good many things but nothing helped me until I got Orgatone and now I am just like a new man. Before I took Orgatone myself I did not believe half they were saying about it, but I had not been taking it but a few days until I was convinced of its value. I do not have that soreness or dull pain in my stomach any more and I can eat just anything I want without the slightest trouble from it. In fact, I just feel like I have been given a new lease on life, and I feel that I owe it to the public to tell my experience with this meritorious remedy."

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called secret or patent remedy but a new scientific treatment containing no alcohol or other false stimulating drugs and is sold in Wichita Falls exclusively by the Allison's Drug store, 716 Indiana avenue, under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative. Out-of-town customers are being supplied promptly by mail upon receipt of price, one bottle $1.25 or six bottles for $6.25.—Adv.

A Body Builder for Pale, Delicate Children

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

etc.

Another From Broadway



Since the talkies came into such vogue, the address of many Broadway stars has been changed to Hollywood, temporarily at least. Among those signed is Ina Claire, above, who has stimulated quite a bit for the last 10 years on this Broadway stage and that. Pathe has acquired the services of Miss Claire, and no less a person than W. Somerset Maugham is going to write a starring play for her.

Soft Water and Four-Year College On Rotary Program of Work for '29

An open discussion in which individual members suggested planks for the platform of Rotary activities for 1929 comprised the program at the regular weekly meeting of the club Thursday noon at the Kemp hotel.

The importance of the Rotary club and all similar focal organizations joining hands with the chamber of commerce in an effort to secure an adequate supply of soft water for the city was the burden of talks by L. L. Albritton and J. C. Hunt.

Dr. J. W. Cantwell and Jack Barnard devoted their speeches to a discussion of the proposed four-year college for Wichita Falls. Dr. Cantwell emphasized the cultural value of such an institution to the community, while Mr. Barnard expressed the hope that Wichita Falls would develop the best football team in this section of the country, "when the college gets under way."

Better attendance and greater fellowship were the theme chosen by Julian Montgomery and Tom Smock. Horrace Robbins urged the erection of signs on the highways entering the city which would advise touring Rotarians the day and hour of local Rotary meetings.

Walter Cline announced that the local club will be special hosts to the delegation from Belgium at the convention of Rotary International in Dallas, beginning May 25, and urged the largest possible attendance.

Guests were introduced by John Thomas. Ernest Reeves, "yodeling tenor," sang two solos with accompaniments by Mrs. R. E. Shepherd.

Radio to Assist In Celebration at Opening of Tunnel

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (INS)—Thirty-seven stations in the National Broadcasting company system will be linked in an elaborate "shifting" on the night of Jan. 12 when the new $14,000,000 tunnel of the Great Northern railroad through the Cascade mountains, east of Seattle, is dedicated, it was made known here today.

The voice of Mme. Schumann-Heink, in San Francisco; George Olsen and his orchestra, in New York, and the speeches of world famous figures at Washington, New York and at the tunnel's mouth will be heard during the time the railroad's transcontinental flyer, the Oriental limited, makes its first journey through the tunnel. The broadcasting points will be governed by the second hand of a stop watch, synchronized with electric clocks in New York and San Francisco. Graham McNamee, N. B. C. announcer, will be on the train and will speak before and after the flyer enters the tunnel.

City Taxes Due Before Feb. 1, Hyer Declares

Time for the payment of city personal and real taxes for 1928 is nearing its end, according to a warning sounded Thursday by W. R. Hyer, city tax assessor and collector.

"All city taxes must be paid by the last day of January," Mr. Hyer said. "Under the law, those not paid by that time go on the delinquent rolls. All taxes unpaid by the end of this month will automatically be increased by the addition of the penalty provided. In addition to the penalty, interest is added from the time the taxes become delinquent."

FOUL HALTS FIGHT

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Norman Brown, Chicago, 147, won on a foul in the fifth round of a 10-round fight from Meyer Grace, 149, Philadelphia, here tonight. Grace was winning handily at the time of the unintentional foul.

FOUR HURT IN COLLISION

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Jan. 3. (AP)—G. C. Richardson, manager of the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce, said today that four persons were injured and other passengers shaken up when passenger trains 22 and 21 on the Missouri Pacific lines collided head-on near Lovelady, Texas, today.

Many Get Back Young Appetite



Quick lunches, usually cold, gulped down so the "dinner hour" will not be over before you can do a little playing, is the best way to ruin your stomach, and you suffer from indigestion, heartburn, bloating, nervousness, headaches; and, worst of all, you get thin, pale and weak.

If you must eat that way, always keep a package of Pape's Diapepsin handy so you can chew one of the pleasant-tasting tablets after your meals. It keeps the food sweet so your stomach can digest it.

Follow the experience of thousands who again have a young appetite. All druggists recommend and guarantee Pape's Diapepsin to relieve indigestion and sweeten the stomach in 5 minutes.—Adv.

BEWARE THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

CREOMULSION

FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

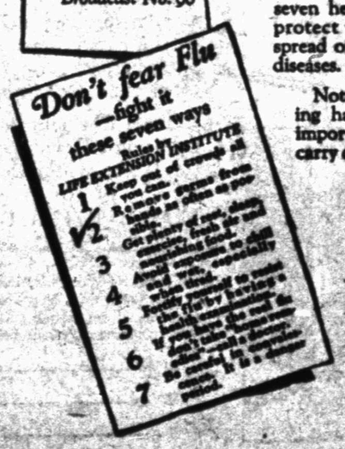
Don't fear *flu* — fight it!

Wash hands often with the purifying toilet soap that *removes germs*

What U. S. Public Health Service says:

"If a germ could talk, it would tell you that nothing pleases him more than to get a free ride from someone's soiled hands to some other person's mouth."

—*U. S. Public Health Service Broadcast No. 96*



KEEP flu away by *fighting* it, not fearing it, leading health authorities urge. Help protect yourself and your children by taking *every* precaution against its attack.

Always remember that hands may spread influenza, just as they carry and spread the germs of other serious diseases. Note statement of the U.S. Public Health Service on the danger of hands spreading germs.



The money you handle every day—whose germ-laden hands touch it before yours?

For hands pick up all sorts of germs from things you *have* to touch, *unavoidable* things that many other hands have touched before yours—door-knobs, car-straps, banisters, money, public telephones.

The Life Extension Institute has compiled seven health rules—listed below—to help protect you and your family against the spread of influenza and other serious germ diseases.

Note especially Rule No. 2 about keeping hands *germ-free*—one of the most important rules of all, yet so simple to carry out. No extra trouble, no extra expense. Just wash the hands oftener—always before eating—with Lifebuoy, the toilet soap that removes *germs* as well as dirt.

Splendid for complexions

Quite aside from its purifying action, Lifebuoy is a delightful toilet and bath soap—wonderfully cleansing, invigorating, fine for preventing odors of body and perspiration—and for keeping complexions clear, smooth and fresh.

But, best of all, Lifebuoy helps protect health. Its mild and abundant antiseptic lather removes germs as well as dirt.

Its hygienic scent says "greater protection"

Lifebuoy's reassuring, pleasantly hygienic scent, which vanishes as you rinse, tells you it gives greater protection. *Yet it costs no more—probably less than the soap you now use.*



You MUST touch car-straps regardless of germs

You can get Lifebuoy wherever soap is sold. Start using Lifebuoy today as a common-sense health measure.

Lifebuoy

HEALTH SOAP

Removes germs—protects health

Lever Brothers Co.
Cambridge, Mass.

DODGE BROTHERS

Announce

The complete line of Trucks, Buses and Motor Coaches which Dodge Brothers have been manufacturing and selling under the name of Graham Brothers now take the name of their makers—Dodge Brothers.

These Trucks, Buses and Motor Coaches have always been powered by Dodge Brothers engines. For years they have been built of Dodge Brothers parts in Dodge Brothers plants according to Dodge Brothers standards.

These Trucks, Buses and Motor Coaches are sold, as they always have been sold, by Dodge Brothers Dealers everywhere.

For Power, Speed, Safety, Economy, Fine Appearance and Dependability, Dodge Brothers Trucks, Buses and Motor Coaches will continue to merit that high public regard which impels keen businessmen to purchase them at a rate of more than a million dollars' worth a week.

DODGE BROTHERS TRUCKS

BUSES AND MOTOR COACHES

800 EXPECTED AT C.-C. DINNER

KGKO to Broadcast Entire Program

Extensive efforts are being made by the chamber of commerce to include, by means of radio, the business men of more than 100 cities in Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma in the audience which will hear the program to be given at the annual banquet of the organization next Friday evening, Jan. 11, at the Junior College cafeteria, according to statements of officials here Thursday.

Announcements of the program have been sent to secretaries of chambers of commerce in those cities, with invitations to them to organize radio parties among the business people of their communities to listen to the speeches of Josh Lee, Frank Kell and Charles I. Francis and musical selections which are to be broadcast through station KGKO beginning at 8 o'clock. Solos by Miss Dorothy Greathouse, soprano, and a male chorus of 30 voices directed by Dr. L. D. Parnell are included in the musical entertainment for the occasion.

The banquet last year was attended by 816 persons and with the sale of tickets progressing rapidly, at least an equally large number is expected next Friday night, it was said. More than 100 Wichita Falls women, wives of prominent business men of the city, volunteer their services in connection with serving the dinner.

Mrs. J. L. Jackson Jr., and Mrs P. A. Welty are in general charge of the committees. Mrs. K. R. Keith, manager of the Junior college cafeteria, who has supervised preparation of the dinner in former years, will have charge of that feature again. Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent of city schools, and W. W. Brown, secretary of the school board, have cooperated in preparing for the banquet, it was said.

The cafeteria will seat 500 of the guests, and the remaining number will be seated at tables in the gymnasium, returning to the cafeteria for the program. Tickets for the banquet are selling at $1.50.

School and College News

Miss Pauline Pruett, a senior, was adjudged the school beauty of the Wichita Falls high school in a contest conducted by the Coyote staff Monday afternoon. Her identity was withheld from students until Thursday morning, when a picture and announcement bearing details appeared in the weekly edition of the Wichitan, the high school and Junior college weekly newspaper.

Kenneth Mills, a mid-year senior won the distinction of being the most popular boy in the high school during the same election. Mills is perhaps best known for his athletic accomplishments, having made a name for himself on the gridiron track, basket ball court and other sports of the high school.

Both students are excellent scholars in the high school, both having passed every subject each six weeks period of the school term.

Other high contestants for the title of school beauty were: Camille Avis, Louise Carpenter, and Lida Lee. High contestants for the title of most popular boy included Pete Powell, Coyote football captain of last season, Phillip Kourl, and Henry Helgerson.

The contest this year is to be carried on for a period of three weeks. Next Monday votes will be balloted for the handsomest boy, and most popular girl; while the week following will be for the determination of the most representative boy and girl in the high school.

Pictures of all winners of the contest will appear in the annual edition of the Coyote, the high school year book.

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Aaron Kruger entertained members of the Coyote staff with a banquet at the Wichita club Wednesday night. The guest included: Miss Louise Kelly, sponsor of the annual; Dorothy Smart, Dorothy Allison, Elizabeth Langford, M. B. Harrison, Margaret Bone, Dell Hatchitt, Ralph Harvey, Otto Juhl, Mathilda Donnell, Walter Cline Jr., Aaron Kruger, Bertha Mae Kruger and Henry Helgerson. Kruger is humor editor of the annual.

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Mid-year and spring seniors of the high school received their class rings throughout the day in the cafeteria of the school.

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A Romanesque theme will be followed this year in the high school annual, the Coyote, according to Miss Louise Kelly, sponsor. The cover for the annual this year will be a dull red and will be the prettiest cover for the book yet, stated Miss Kelly.

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Maurice Allred, a graduate of the high school last year, was a visitor at the school Thursday. Allred is now attending Southern Methodist university at Dallas and will leave on next Sunday for the university.

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The number of absences from school resulting from illness showed a great decrease Thursday, according to reports from the office. This may be partly accounted for by students returning late from the Christmas holidays.

Raymond McPhail, a member of the Indian football squad of the '28 season, was awarded the honor of receiving the Hub sweater that is awarded annually for the hardest working man on the squad.

One sweater is also offered annually to the hardest working man on the Coyote squad of the high school.

Winning men of the squads are determined by a vote taken by the entire squads.

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Word has been received here that Carlton Bowman, former Junior college student, was the featured artist at the opening of the new Granada theater in Chicago Sunday, Dec. 22.

OIL CHECKS MAILED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 3 (UP)—Checks totaling $24,859.29 were mailed by A. S. J. Shaw, state auditor, today to 32 oil producing counties for their share of the December gross production tax.

Last year 2,199 divorce cases were absolute in England; this was 66 more than in 1926.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Ask your maw if you can come over and watch our kitchen leak."

"This Is Rough on Me!" Says Aged Salvation Army Leader of Strife

Gen. Bramwell Booth Shocked by News of Movement to Rid Him of Power Over Organization

LONDON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Shocked by first information that the high council of the Salvation Army had been summoned and likely will depose him as commander in chief, General Bramwell Booth today received the news with this exclamation:

"I have loved the army and have done my best for my people. Whatever other people may think about the government of its affairs, they must feel that this is rather rough on me."

His sister, Commander Evangeline Booth of the United States, conversed with her niece, Catherine, today for the first time since her arrival in England.

It was intimated that the American leader was given no indication that her brother knew she was here nor was she told when she might see him.

Evangeline Booth, supported by the American section of the army, seeks to have General Booth unseated on the ground that he is incompetent physically. It also is proposed in some quarters to eliminate the historic plan of allowing a retiring chief commander to name his successor.

It was said that the 72-year-old leader naturally would consider that the whole work of his life was threatened. He has been an active Salvationist since at the age of 18, when he began his organization work under the tutelage of his father, the General William Booth who founded the movement.

Today's Radio Program

FRIDAY, Jan. 4
(By The Associated Press)
Programs in Central Standard time. All time is p. m. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right. Clear channel station programs in detail.

298.9—KYW Chicago—1020
5:30—Uncle Bob
6:00—Orchestra; Circus
7:00—Old Dances; Quakers
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:00—Sextet; Orchestra
10:00—News; Slumber Music
11:00—Orchestra; Insomnia Club

389.4—WBBM Chicago—770
5:45—Melodies
8:00—Little Buster
9:30—Royal Canadians
12:00—Late Dance Hour

344.6—WENR Chicago—870
7:15—Farmer Rank
11:30—Feature Program

416.4—WGN-WLIB Chicago—720
6:00—Quinn; Nighthawks; Almanak
7:00—Radio Floorwalker
8:00—An Evening in Paris
8:30—Theater Gang
9:00—WGN Opera Co.
10:00—Pictures; Popular (2½ hours)

344.6—WLS Chicago—870
6:05—Livestock Service
6:30—Sports; Harmony
7:00—Scrapbook; Angelus
7:30—Quakers
8:00—Silvertone Hour
9:00—Musical Program
10:00—WLS Showboat (1½ hours)

447.5—WMAQ-WQJ Chicago—670
5:15—Topsy Turvy; Orchestras
7:00—WOR Programs (3 hours)
10:00—Amos-Andy; Musical
10:40—Orchestra
11:00—Dance Music (3 hours)

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Light Opera
9:00—Sextet; Orchestra
10:00—Slumber Hour
11:00—Dance Music

298.5—WTAM-WEAR Cleveland—1070
6:00—Hour of Features
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—Fur Trappers
8:30—Friday Frolic
9:30—Dance Music (2½ hours)

296.8—WOC Davenport—1009
5:00—News; Newscasting
5:30—Broadcasters' Club
6:45—Cost Cutting
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—An Evening in Paris
8:30—Light Opera
9:00—Concert Bureau Hour
10:00—Dance Music (2 hours)

306.9—WCX-WJR Detroit—730
6:30—Circus; Old Dance
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Light Opera
9:00—Sextet; Cotton Pickers
10:00—Amos-Andy; Dance

288.5—WOWO Ft. Wayne—1160
5:45—Melodies
7:30—Symphony
8:00—Story Hour
9:00—United Opera Co.

389.4—KFAB Lincoln—770
6:00—Concert Orchestra
7:00—Symphony Orchestra
10:00—Studio Program

379.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—810
6:00—Singers
7:00—Crystal Gazer
7:30—Then and Now
8:00—Howard Melaney
8:30—Merry Ramblers; Musical
9:30—Quartet
10:05—Dance Orchestra

360—KVOO Tulsa—1140
6:00—String Trio; Laboratories
6:30—A. & M. College
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—Review
9:00—Sextet

SOUTHERN

468.2—WSB Atlanta—740
6:00—Orchestra; Circus
7:00—Old Dances; Quakers
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:00—Sextet
10:45—Hawaiian Ensemble

374.8—WRAP Fort Worth—800
9:00—Feature; Bill Pennington
10:00—Blues Singer; Feature
11:00—Accordian; Oil Twins

374.8—KTHS Hot Springs—800
6:00—Outdoors; Supper Club
7:30—Harmony Four
8:00—Pianist; Baritone
8:30—Orchestra

322.6—WHAS Louisville—929
6:00—Great Moments in History
6:30—Circus; Studio Concert
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Light Opera
9:00—Symphony Orchestra

383—WOAI San Antonio—1190
8:00—Review
9:00—Sextet
9:30—Dance; Orchestras

461.3—WSM Nashville—650
6:00—Orchestra; Newscasting
6:30—Circus; Old Dances.
7:30—Quakers; Review
8:30—Light Opera
9:00—Symphony Orchestra

332.7—KWKH Shreveport—850
9:30—Musical Programs (2½ hours)

WESTERN

361.2—KOA Denver—830
7:00—Orchestra and Cavaliers
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:00—Sextet; Cowboys
10:00—Dance Music
11:00—Music Album; String Trio

468.5—KFI Los Angeles—640
9:00—Spanish Hour
10:00—Hour of Music
11:00—Concert Orchestra
12:00—Dance Music Program

395.5—KNX Los Angeles—1050
9:00—Feature; Do-Nuts
10:00—Lion Tamers
11:45—Hollywood Legion Stadium

379.5—KGO Oakland—790
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:00—Los Caballeros
10:00—Hour of Music
11:00—Mystery Serial
12:00—Western Artists' Concert

254.1—KEX—Portland—1180
10:00—Artistic Ensemble; Talk
11:00—Salon Orchestra
12:00—News; Dance Frolic (2 hours)

286.9—KSL Salt Lake City—1130
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:00—Orchestra
10:00—Utah Trio
11:00—Dance Hour

440.9—KPO San Francisco—680
8:00—Review; Light Opera
9:30—Tommy and Bob
10:00—Chain; String Music
12:00—Dance Music (3 hours)

309.1—KJR Seattle—970
9:00—Twilight Hour
10:00—Ensemble; Salon Orchestra
12:00—Dance Music (2 hours)

M. P. Bus Application Hearing Is Scheduled

AUSTIN, Jan. 3 (AP)—Application of the Missouri Pacific Transportation company to purchase three Rio Grande valley motor bus runs operated by the Black Diamond Bus company, will be heard here the afternoon of Jan. 8, Mark Marshall, motor bus transportation chief of the state railroad commission, said today.

The runs are Brownsville to Mission, San Benito to Rio Hondo and Brownsville to Port Isabel.

Iowan Dies on Visit To Son in Lawton, Okla.

Special to The Record News.

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 3—Mrs Belle Donnell, 71, resident of Ireton, Iowa, who came to Fort Sill some weeks ago to visit her brother, Frank Foulk of the Quartermaster corps died at noon Tuesday following a week's illness of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at the Post chapel Friday afternoon and interment will be in the Fort Sill cemetery.

Rainfall Record At Dalhart Is Smashed

Special to The Record News.

DALHART, Texas, Jan. 3—Dalhart's rainfall record for 1928 amounted to 25.83 inches. This is the greatest rainfall for the past 10 years, with the exception of 1923, when the precipitation was 33 inches.

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THREE JUDGES TO HEAR SUIT

Water District Case In Court Again

Because of the local importance of the questions involved and in order to set an unanimous precedent, the three district judges will sit "in banc" Friday morning in a hearing on the suit of Mrs. D. M. McGrath against the Wichita county water improvement district No. 1, asking $65,000 damages for alleged injury of a 346-acre farm adjoining Country Club estates.

Judge P. A. Martin Thursday morning set aside a ruling by Judge E. G. Thornton which held with the defendants that the statute of limitations barred the action. A new hearing, with Judge W. W. Cook, Judge Allan D. Montgomery, and Judge Martin sitting in full authority, was set for Friday morning.

Counsel for the plaintiff contends that the action is not barred, since the statute of limitations can only obtain in reference to the date upon which the damage was discovered. The plaintiff further contends for the right of successive action, asserting that she has the right to sue for damages accruing up until the time of the action, and that further action can be taken when and if further damages are suffered. She takes the position that it is not possible to sue for future damages, so that the final amount of injury cannot be named or sued for.

The allegations assert that the land has been injured from leakage due first to negligent construction and second to excessive use since the new district assumed control of the ditches on Jan. 1, 1924.

Mrs. McGrath is represented by former Judge E. W. Napier. The firm of Carrigan, Britain, Morgan & King is counsel for the water district.

State Weddings

GROSS-COLE

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Byron Gross and Miss Maurice Cole surprised their many friends by getting married Sunday, the ceremony being performed at Tipton. The Rev. W. E. Wood, pastor of the First Baptist church of that place, officiated.

Mrs. Gross is the daughter of Noble Cole of this place and has been living in Frederick all her life. She is a charming young lady and was a brilliant student while attending the local school. She graduated from the Frederick high school in the class of 1925. She attended the Oklahoma Woman's college at Chickasha two years.

Gross is the son of Mr. and Mrs T. A. Gross of this city. He graduated from the local high school in 1925. He attended the A. & M. college at Stillwater one term and attended the State university at Norman in 1926-27. He is a singer of considerable ability and has appeared on numerous programs here and at the colleges he attended.

The newly-weds will reside in Frederick.

HARTWIG-DeYONG

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Charles Hartwig and Miss Lena DeYong, two of the best known and most popular young people of northwest Tillman county, were united in marriage at the First Methodist church at Tipton Friday evening, the Rev. R. A. Lewelling, formerly pastor, but now pastor at Walters, officiating. Following a brief honeymoon trip they will make their home on Hartwig's farm near Tipton.

ANDERSON-M'COLLUM

FREDERICK, Okla., Jan. 3.—Miss Jessie McCollum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCollum from west of Frederick, and John Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, residing southwest of this city, were united in marriage Sunday, the ceremony being performed by Rev. K. C. Moser, pastor of the Church of Christ, in the Moser home. The bride formerly attended the local high school. The groom attended school at consolidated No. 2. Following the ceremony the newly-weds left for a honeymoon trip to Wichita Falls and other Texas points. On their return they will reside on a farm southwest of Frederick.

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REAL WINTER AIRS LIKELY TO STRIKE THIS LOCALITY SOON ACCORDING TO REPORTS

Thermometer may take big drop in this section, it is predicted

Those who complain that the old-fashioned seasons have changed will have a welcome bit of old-time weather soon, if general reports are to be believed. Real winter temperatures are due here shortly, according to many predictions, and folks who are sensitive to cold had better prepare to bundle up. Warm clothes for the family and a ration of denatured alcohol for the old family bus is the order of the day.

During the last cold spell a good many car owners discovered that water freezing into ice has enough force of expansion to crack an expensive motor from end to end, and that means repair bills that aren't exactly a joke. Garage men were kept busy patching up broken radiators and cracked cylinders. Denatured alcohol is a mighty inexpensive form of protection against that sort of misfortune and more auto more car owners, according to reports are taking advantage of it.

As an anti-freeze, denatured alcohol is approved by every car manufacturer and by the largest makers of automobile radiators. The reason for this universal approval is said to be the fact that in the past few years other anti-freeze preparations have appeared containing chemicals that are injurious to a motor, while experience has shown that denatured alcohol is not only reliable and inexpensive but also harmless to a motor.

Important correct anti-freeze solution be employed

Expensive motors likely to be injured by certain preparations — Denatured alcohol recommended as safe and effective

Car owners who get ready for the coming colder weather will be safest if denatured alcohol is used for anti-freeze. Many chemical preparations fail to give the proper protection and frequently cause serious harm to the cooling system. Prominent auto men say the wrong anti-freeze may prove costly.

Statistics show the vast majority of motorists use denatured alcohol and water as an anti-freeze mixture because they know this to be the safest, surest method.

My new car cost $100. more because my old car froze



"$90 *was the first cost, but not the last,*" writes Keith Babcock, of Fleetwood, New York.

"On a trip to Washington we stopped off in New York for dinner. We lingered some time over the meal and when we came out we found that the weather had suddenly turned cold. I had a pretty uneasy feeling then, and determined to stop at the first convenient place and get some Denatured Alcohol.

"The car started all right, but before we had gone a mile the motor suddenly became enveloped in a cloud of steam. When it subsided we found the cold had cracked the cylinder block and head.

"That was the end of our trip, of course. We were towed home. Three days later I got a bill for $90 in repairs.

"But that wasn't the end of the grief. When we turned our car in for a new one this spring $100 was deducted from the original allowance because the cylinder block had been welded.

"I certainly paid until it hurt for my carelessness. But believe me, while there's Denatured Alcohol to be bought, I'll never get caught that way again!"

THERE are five definite reasons why most experienced car owners prefer Denatured Alcohol to all other anti-freeze preparations.

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2. *Denatured Alcohol is more convenient* to buy. You don't have to shop for it. Any dealer can supply you.

3. *Denatured Alcohol does not seep out* as other preparations have a marked tendency to do.

4. *Denatured Alcohol does not corrode* or eat the metal and rubber of the cooling system as many-chemical preparations do.

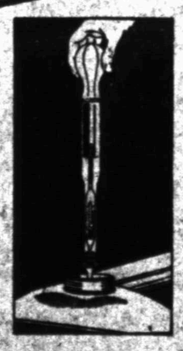
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RUTH STARTS TRAINING IN PREPARATION FOR NEXT CAMPAIGN

BABE IS NEAR PLAYING FORM

Bambino Is Only 15 Pounds Over Normal Weight

By ALLAN J. GOULD

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—"Wham!"—the little rubber handball, propelled by the swinging southpaw of a big man with a bigger waistline, smacked the end of the court and streaked back.

"Wham!" Perspiration streamed down his face as he lunged for a low one.

"Think I'm getting too old, hey? or too fat and slow? Watch that one."

"Wham!" Another point for the big fellow.

Starts Work Early

That's a cross-section of the way Babe Ruth started off the new year today with his first workout in preparation for the 1929 baseball campaign. It is the earliest he has begun any systematic training since 1926, when he made the big comeback.

It was apparent that Ruth already is close to playing condition. He weighed 234½ pounds. That is 15 pounds from his best playing weight, but low enough to testify that his golf and hunting have helped keep him in condition. The waistline is ample but no unusual.

Between vicious swipes at the handball and growls at the trainer massaging his girth, Ruth grew a bit indignant.

"Did you see that piece in the papers about me fattening up to 250 pounds, being about through and that this would be my last year? That's hot stuff. And a fine lot of bunk.

"Better Than Ever"

"Say. I feel more like a kid than ever. I'm not getting any younger but I will only be 35 next Monday and I've got a lot of baseball left."

Ruth doesn't think much of the 10-man team proposal under which an extra man would bat for the pitcher, although it has been suggested that such an invitation would give the Babe almost a lifetime job.

"That would take a real scientific feature away from the game, I think, and spoil a lot of strategy," said Ruth.

"It would make it too touch for the opposing pitcher. He's entitled to at least one break in the lineup. With a regular hitter in there, he would never get a soft spot."

Wichita Poloists Play Here Today

Team in State Tourney To Meet Picked Four

The Wichita Falls polo team which will engage in the state championship tournament starting Jan. 13 at San Antonio will meet a picked four today at Fairgrounds field at 2:30 o'clock. The game is part of entertainment for special agents of concerns represented by the Robbins Insurance company, who have donated trophies for the contest.

Capt. Boyle, No. 3 and Lieut. Borden, No. 1, of Fort Sill, Okla., and Horace Robbins, No. 2 and C. H. Featherston, No. 4, makeup the crack Wichita Falls team that will play for the state title. They are to be handicaped 10 in today's match.

The team to oppose that four will be chosen from Jim Minnick, Alex Dickey, Dr. Fletcher, Hubert Stringer, John Barnard and John Fastnow.

The same teams will play Sunday at Fairgrounds field, 2:30 o'clock, to provide further practice for the tournament four, and for cups offered by John Fastnow.

A dinner will be given by the Robbins company to its special agents tonight at 6:30 at Wichita Falls Golf and Country club.

Here's Ballyhoo For Jack's Fight

By ED FRAYNE

The New York American prints the following:

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (US)—Jack Dempsey, the most popular boxer the world has ever known, has definitely agreed to make one more effort to win back the heavyweight championship he lost to Gene Tunney at Philadelphia in 1926.

Formal announcement that the man mauler has pledged his word to meet the winner of the 1929 heavyweight elimination tournament will be made by Promoter Tex Rickard from Miami next week.

Dempsey is now in Chicago en route to Miami, where he expects to start light training this month.

In a statement which, the New York American learns, Rickard has already prepared for the press, the promoter will say:

1—That Dempsey has agreed to meet the winner of the impending elimination tournament, and that the match will decide the rightful owner of the championship left vacant by the retirement of Gene Tunney.

2—That the match will be staged at New York during August or September, depending on the length of time it requires Dempsey to get in shape.

3—That he feels the public will agree that Dempsey as a former titleholder should not be required to fight his way through the tournament.

Although Rickard has no intention of divulging the remainder of his program at this time, the New York American learns that he intends to limit the field of contenders to four men. They are Jack Sharkey, Paulino Uscudun, William (Young) Stribling and Tom Heeney, who was defeated by Tunney in the former titleholder's last appearance.

DEMPSEY ADMITS
RETIRE FIGHT AGAIN

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 3. (AP)—The Tennessean tomorrow will say that Jack Dempsey, in an interview today, announced it was almost certain that he would attempt to regain the world heavyweight title which he held from July, 1919, when he defeated Jess Willard until he lost it to Gene Tunney in Philadelphia in 1926.

Famous Golf Shots of 1928

Keeping One-Stroke Lead

By ALAN J. GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor

When two golfers of the championship caliber of Bobby Jones and Johnny Farrell get together in a little battle great shots fly about in rapid succession. There was no exception to this in the tussle they waged for the open crown of the United States at Olympia fields last June.

Perhaps the way they performed at the 17th, or rather the 35th, hole of the match revealed this mutual greatness better than any. At the time Farrell had just acquired a one stroke lead over the Georgian, with two holes to go in the playoff. There were no particularly insurmountable obstacles going to the 17th green, but Johnny hooked his drive into the rough, while Bobby was straight and well on the green, some 25 feet to the left of the pin, in two.

Farrell faced the loss of his slim margin but, from the thick grass, fired a beautiful No. 4 iron shot dead to the pin. The ball stopped three feet from the cup, for a certain birdie 3, and the fate of Jones appeared to be sealed. But Bobby, fighting as gallantly as he ever has done, rammed that long putt home in the pinch to match the birdie.

Here were two master shotmakers at work, neither yielding at the critical moment. Both bagged birdies again on the 18th and deciding hole, but Farrel, to win by his one stroke margin, had to make another and even greater recovery.



PORKERS MEET PONIES TONIGHT

Conference Champions And Runnersup Open Season

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Jan. 3. (AP)—Trying for their fourth consecutive Southeast conference basket ball title, the Arkansas university Razorbacks left here today for Dallas, where Friday night they open their cage campain against Southern Methodist university, last year's runnerup.

Ten players, all six-footers, will make the initial trip, Coach Schmidt said.

Tex's Popularity Shown in Illness

Sports World Is Concerned Over His Condition

By GEORGE KIRKSEY

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 3. (UP)—The concern the sporting world has shown for George L. (Tex) Rickard since his operation here Tuesday night for acute appendicitis, speaks eloquently of the position the stricken promoter holds in professional sports.

From the plains of Texas, where he started his colorful career as a cow puncher, Rickard has risen to a place where he virtually rules the boxing game and his fortune is estimated in seven figures.

The promoter spent his 56th birthday on a hospital cot here today, surrounded by flowers and telegrams from every part of the country. Even an adjoining room was filled with floral remembrances as night fell.

Condition Favorable

He is progressing very nicely, his physicians report, and there seems to be no reason for doubt as to his immediate recovery.

A relapse might rob the sporting world of one of the most colorful figures it ever has known, as well as one of the most able executives that ever had a part in the direction of its affairs.

He has been a cowboy, a gold miner, a cattle raiser, a gambler and always, a promoter.

His wanderings have carried him throughout the western hemisphere, from the Klondike to the Argentine pampas, from a rude outdoor ring in Goldfield, Nev., to the great Madison Square garden in New York—one of the finest sports arenas in the world.

His early fights attracted only a few score of spectators. His latest presentations have been witnessed by crowds that may never again be equaled.

First Fight in 1906

His career as a fight promoter began in Goldfield in 1906, when he matched Joe Gans and Battling Nelson for the approval of a hard-boiled mining camp.

His successes include the famous Jeffries-Johnson fight at Reno, the Willard-Moran bout at New York, the Dempsey-Willard scrap at Toledo and Dempsey's famous fights with Carpentier at Jersey City, with Firpo at New York, with Tunney at Philadelphia and Chicago.

There have been others—scores of them—but these are outstanding. His only great failure was the Tunney-Heeney bout at New York last summer.

A great deal depends on the recovery of the mild-mannered, soft spoken patient at the Allison hospital, who is fighting for health as he fought for success. His place in the sports world would be hard to fill.

His recovery seems almost certain, however, and it is likely that two or three weeks more will see him again at his desk, directing plans for his latest feature fight—the Jack Sharkey-Young Stribling battle here next month.

WOLVERINE FIVE COPS

EAST LANSING, Mich., Jan. 3. (UP)—The Michigan Aggies defeated the Penn State basket ball quintet here tonight, 18 to 14.

Harry Katz Sets Bowling Record

Cinderella Boss Rolls 694 At Spudder Alleys

Harry Katz is an ardent sports enthusiast. Last year he donated a trophy for boxers here. But he is something more than an "arm chair" sportsman. Indeed, Mr. Katz is quite a bowler.

Yesterday at the Spudder alleys, the manager-captain of the Cinderella Boot shop five of the City league set the high mark for the alleys. Katz rolled a 694, for an average of 231 1-3. His scores were 228, 227 and 219.

Hack Miller, the slugging outfielder, who pastimed with Dallas early last season and finished the campaign with the Minneapolis Millers of the American association, was a caller at the alleys. Hack whaled at a high clip with the Millers.

He paid his call at the Spudder alleys to greet Skipper Jim Galloway and Pete Turgeon of our ball nine.

Arthur Salmon and K. C. Spell also were bowling yesterday. It was intimated that they were practicing for a match that may result as a challenge by the latter. Neither man would comment on the proposed match, however.

Baer Facts

By ARTHUR (BUGS) BAER

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—No news is more startling than the itemized industrial bomb just touched off in Detroit.

Henry Ford is compelling 30,000 more men to go to work.

If Mr. Ford continues at his present reckless rate of prosperity, bums will become so scarce that he will erect statutes to them.

It is peculiarly impossible to visualize 30,000 men all banging away at the same rivet.

With the recent addition of industrious flivver students, the standing army of the U. S. A. is outnumbered by the banging army of the f. o. b.

These 30,000 men all work. There are no kibbitzers in the Ford factory.

The complete muster for Henry's eruphive bungalow is now 150,000 citizens.

We would hate to be in the middle of the prosperous huddle when those 150,000 men start telling each other what to do.

And that's only a few of the men employed by Henry. He owns his own railroads, his own mines and the men get together every year to elect their own postmaster and secretary of labor.

To this army you must add 150,000 wives. There's a city of 300,000.

We will allow four children to a family, making 600,000. A sum which is at least three sizes larger than a total

There's 900,000 people. Don't forget the police force, the letter carriers, the drugxists, the grocers and the tradesmen essential to supply the folks with merchandise.

And you will find that Henry is the mayor of a town that isn't on the map.

Well, Henry may not know history.

But he certainly can make it.

U. S. G. A. Will Open Annual Meeting Today

NEW, YORK, Jan. 3. (UP)—Prominent delegates from distant parts of the United States as well as from the metropolitan area will attend this week's meetings of the United States Golf association, Prescott S. Bush, its secretary, announced today.

The U. S. G. A. green section committee will hold its annual meetings Friday and Saturday, while the regular annual meeting of the association takes place Saturday.

Definite decision regarding the proposed lighter and larger golf ball may be taken at this time.

YANKEES PLAY TEXAS TEAMS

Champs' Itinerary Also Includes Oklahoma Towns

By BILL SLOCUM

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.(US)—Training plans for Miller Huggins' world champs for 1929 indicate that neither the Cardinals nor the Pirates have been convinced. Both are coming back to take another swing at Babe Ruth & Co., or perhaps it is simply to ascertain if the Yanks really are as wild ordinarily as they have appeared in the last two world series.

This 1929 spring training schedule puts the champs on display in more cities than ever before saw Mr. Ruth perform in a single spring. It looks from here, as the winter winds whistle past the window, to be a great victory for the railroads of the South. The Yanks may, or may not, do as well as other major league clubs in those spring days, but they will hold their own in mileage with any club.

27 Games Scheduled

Mark Roth built up this one while Ed Barrow hunted in the wilds of Canada last fall, and Mark didn't skip many villages along a path which stretches from Florida out to Oklahoma, back to North Carolina and then to Brooklyn. Clubs of six different leagues are included as opponents. Twenty-seven games are on the card, of which number 10 are to be played at St. Petersburg, and two in other Florida cities before the Yanks break camp on the evening of March 29. Seventeen games will be played en route homeward.

The schedule includes seven games with the Braves, two with the Robins, two with the Cards and one each with the Reds and Pirates. Home teams will be met at Mobile, Little Rock, Birmingham and Atlanta, of the Southern league; at Fort Worth, Waco and Dallas of the Texas league; at Tampa, Jacksonville and Pensacola of the Southeastern league; at Oklahoma City and Tulsa of the Western league, and at Charlotte of the South Atlantic league.

Plenty of Traveling

There will be comparatively little bus riding over Florida roads for the champs. From the time the Yanks reach training camp in late February until they depart on March 29, they will make only two trips away from the home base. A game with Tampa, just across the Gandy bridge, is scheduled for March 12, and the usual trip will be made to Avon park, where the Cardinals train. All other contests will take place at St. Pete.

But once the traveling starts, there will be plenty of it, with one stop in Florida, then halts in Alabama for a day, Texas for four days, Oklahoma for three, Arkansas for one, then back to Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina and home. The complete schedule follows:

March 12, Tampa; 13, 14 and 15, Boston Braves; 16, Cincinnati Reds; 19, 20, 21 and 23, Boston Braves; 25, Avon Park, with Cardinals; 28, St. Louis Cardinals at St. Petersburg; 30, Jacksonville; 31, Pensacola.

April 1, Mobile; 2 at Houston with Pirates; 3, Fort Worth; 4, Waco; 5, Dallas; 6 and 7, Oklahoma City; 8, Tulsa; 9, Little Rock; 10, Birmingham; 11, Atlanta; 12, Charlotte; 13 and 14, Brooklyn Robins at Ebbets field, 8.

Western Association To Convene on Jan. 10

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 3. (AP)—Western association directors will meet within the next week to make plans for the 1929 baseball season, President Dale D. Gear announced today. Four of the six cities have already signified their intention of playing this year, with only Springfield and Muskogee left without having taken definite steps.

The annual reorganization meeting is scheduled for Thursday, Jan. 10 at Joplin.

BUTLER FIVE WIN

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 3. (UP)—Butler's smashing offensive overran the North Carolina Tarheels, Southern conference champions, here tonight as the Bulldogs took a well-played game, 43 to 20.

COYOTES OPEN PLAY TONIGHT

Pack at Altus; Gould to Be Met Tomorrow

Wichita Falls high school basketeers will open their season tonight at Altus, Okla. After meeting the Altus Bulldogs the Coyotes will move on to Gould, Okla., for a clash Saturday night.

Coach Bud McCallum's squad making this week-end trek is to be made up from leading candidates, which includes Captain Anderson, Hodgkiss, Bray, Krueger and Bell, guards; Beaty, center; Curtis, Dickey, Malone, Rexford, Sharp and Clayton, forwards.

DAILY DOPE

By LARRY DAILEY

IT SEEMS that Joplin, Mo., is to continue to have representation on the Spudder baseball club. Lyman Lamb, a first citizen of the Jasper county metropolis in Missouri, which incidentally is also the home of J. Stanislaus Maxwell, the world's greatest oil editor, pastimed well and loyally for the Spudders several seasons. Lamb goes to Beaumont next spring in a deal consummated last fall. But another Joplin product—at least he played baseball there—is coming to the Spudders, and Prexy Gardner is enthusiastic over the newcomer.

He is Jack Crouch, the catcher drafted by the Wichita Falls club. Gardner's enthusiasm over the young man is easily explained by a perusal of Western association averages contained in The Sporting News of today's date. All Jack did was to lead that loop in batting, a prodigious feat for a catcher, and to be virtual leader in receiving.

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CROUCH BATTED for the high figure of .358 in 108 games. He smacked four home runs, 12 triples and 25 doubles and with his one-base knocks included smote 199 total bases out of 138 hits. Jack purloined 13 bases, which indicates he is pretty fast for a maskman.

Crouch topped the catchers who played in more than 100 games in defensive work. He fielded .980, a very high mark, in 106 games. He had 441 putouts, 92 assists and only 11 errors. Gardner is so keen over Jack that he disposed of Doc Smith to Tulsa at the Toronto meeting and says the catching staff is set, with good ol' reliable Pete Lapan and Crouch as the men to make up the mask corps.

If Crouch performs to expectations there will be far worse catching staffs in the Texas league than this duo. Lapan is a steady catcher, smarter than generally rated, and one of the most dangerous hitters on the club.

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A PARAGRAPH at the end of this column the other day, just a couple of lines, has stirred up the W. K. hornets' nest. The paragraph was to the effect that K. C. Spell has challenged Arthur Salmon to a bowling match. The answer to that defy is contained in the following letter from Mr. Salmon:

"Mr. Larry Dailey.
"Care of Daily Dope,
"The Record News.
"Dear Larry:

"I note in your column of more or less wit and wisdom, that Mr. K. C. Spell wishes to meet me in a bowling match. I have no desire to dodge the issue. I have met Mr. Spell in many other sorts of matches, such as arguing over politics. Modesty compels me to refrain from mentioning the result. Suffice it to say that I won.

"Mr. Spell does not go into details about the proposed bowling match with me. A man of Mr. Spell's acquaintance with such affairs should know that one can't just say 'I challenge you to a bowling match.' No no, and another no. Such matters must be handled in a businesslike manner.

"When Dempsey and Tunney fight, they don't just say, 'let's fight.' They get a promoter, an arena, a referee, etc. Now, if Mr. K. C. Spell wishes to meet me at glorified ten pins, I should be pleased to accommodate him. But name the conditions, Mr. Spell; name the conditions. Where shall it be played; for what stakes; who shall referee, etc.

"Yours for more steaks and stakes,

ARTHURS SALMON."

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PANCHO SANCHO SNYDER returns as manager of the Houston Buffaloes, which won't cause any great rejoicing in other cities around the Texas loop. Not that Frank is disliked personally. No, he's a jolly good fellow, is Pancho. And our friend. At least, in the winter. But when they're fighting out there on the diamond, I hate to see the burly figure of Pancho amble up to bat, or squat behind the plate.

Snyder not only is the best catcher in the circuit, but he showed in his first year as manager of the Buffs that he is a capable leader. Snyder resigned his job after winning the Dixie series, disgruntled over the financial returns received by the athletes from that affair. Apparently Fred Ankenman or Branch Rickey or whoever had the say in the matter decided Frank was more necessary to the Houston club than the Houston club was to Frank.

Anyhow, he's back at the helm, and with the assistance of the parent club, the St. Louis Cardinals, may be depended upon to present another flag contender.

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VERNON MAY be the training camp of the Des Moines club of the Western league. President Lee Keyser of the Iowa nine is negotiating with the Vernon chamber of commerce with the idea of bringing his athletes down to that city for their spring work. If Lee decides to pitch his camp at Vernon it will be to the mutual benefit of all concerned. Lee and his men will find a splendid little city in which to temporarily live; the weather in this section is eminently suitable for baseball training, as the Spudders lost only two or three days work all last spring. The publicity attending to the presence of the Des Moines club should also be of benefit to Vernon.

Incidentally, if the Boosters, as the Iowans are known, train at Vernon it would afford opportunity for the Spudders to engage in exhibition games with them, here and at Vernon.

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Brave Officials Charge Bribery Attempt by Boston Councilman

Baseball Magnates Testify of "Shakedown" Threat to Assure Passage of Sunday Sports Measure

BOSTON, Jan. 3. (AP)—Charles F. Adams, vice president of the Boston National league baseball club, told the City Finance commission today thta before the Sunday professional sports bill came before the city council for action he had received a telephone warning from an anonymous person.

The warning was that "certain members of the council were trying to get $5,000 each and if they didn't get it would delay until the bill had cobwebs on it."

Adams, also president of the Boston Bruins Hockey club, was the second witness called by the commission in its investigation of his charges that a member of the council sought a bribe for obtaining passage of the order to permit Sunday professional sports, thereby making it possible for the Boston Braves and Red Sox to play games in the city seven days a week.

President Emil Fuchs of the Braves, first witness, had told the commission that Councilman William G. Lynch informed him that a "bloc" of 13 of the councilmen could prevent passage of the order and "believe that we ought to get something out of it" if they passed the order. Fuchs quoted Lynch as saying it had been suggested that the members of the "bloc" ought to receive $5,000 each.

The Braves' vice president also testified that Myles MacSweeney, Boston sports writer, had told him that he had evidence that "would hang at least two of the councilmen," and that MacSweeney had two witnesses to testify that these councilmen "were going to hold up the bill until the Braves paid tribute."

Blackburne Says Cissell Will Be Star

Lena Opines Kid's Faults Can Be Corrected

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (UP)—Manager Lena Blackburne of the Chicago White Sox, along with his other worries, has taken over what appears to be the man's sized job of making Shortstop Chalmers Cissell worth the $123,000 paid for him.

Blackburne believes he can make Cissell one of the leading shortstops of the majors. He thinks this can be done by correcting a few faults in both his fielding and batting.

The youngster's greatest fielding drawback seems to be his tendency to fight the ball. He covers plenty of ground but pushes his hands into the ball instead of allowing the ball to hit his glove while his hands were on a backward motion which would put him into position to throw immediately.

Spoils Double Plays

This fault constantly was evident on double play chances. Cissell would field the ball and find himself with his hands sticking straight in front of him instead of in position to throw.

The fault was so great that many persons expressed the opinion he was muscle bound. Blackburne says this is not true and that Cissell fielded in the "fighting the ball" manner simply because he had not been taught differently. Cissell's manner of fielding also caused bad throws because he was forced to hurry after awkward fielding.

As to hitting, the young shortstop looked excellent when he first appeared in a White Sox lineup.

Batting Work Slumps

He hit well over the .300 mark during part of the post season, but opposing pitchers soon found his weakness and his average had sunk to .260 when the season ended. He apparently could not hit a high fast one and Blackburne believes his trouble lay in the swing.

The White Sox manager thinks Cissell can be made into a mighty tough "chop hitter" to face. Cissell can time them at the plate and he should develop into a good "puncher" of short hits.

Blackburne may find it hard to make Cissell worth the $123,000 purchase price, but—the shortstop can cover ground and if he corrects the fielding faults he will greatly strenthen the White Sox infield.

HUB CAGE FIVE WANTS TALENT

Team Strong but Could Use More Basketeers

Players are wanted for the Hub Clothing company team of the Commercial Basket Ball league. The Hub quintet has won 20 out of 22 games played this winter but needs a few more players to round out the squad. Cagers desiring to join the Hub team are asked to communicate with Mike Goldstucker at the Hub store.

The Hub's most recent victories was a double win over Petrolia high by scores of 59 to 15 and 18 to 10.

Members of the Hub team include Sisk, Caskey, Kirkwood, Bennett and Hogan, forwards; Disaway and Howard, centers, and Hennessey and Brown, guards.

Big Ten Coach May Succeed Dana Bible

DALLAS, Jan. 3. (AP)—The Dallas News said today that a head coach of the Big Ten conference was at College Station, Texas, all day inspecting the plant with a view to accepting the position as athletic director at Texas A. & M. college to succeed Dana X. Bible, who resigned last week to sign a Nebraska university contract.

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Snyder Signs To Again Lead Buffs

Differences Adjusted, Pancho and Club Head Say

HOUSTON, Jan. 3. (INS)—Fred Ankenman, president of the Houston baseball club, announced today that Frank Snyder will again manage the team this year. Snyder resigned last october.

Statements today from both parties said that previous differences had been adjusted. Snyder piloted the Buffaloes to the Dixie series championship last year.

HOWARD PAYNE LOSES

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Jan. 3 (AP)—The Southwestern Oklahoma Teachers of Weatherford, Okla., ran roughshod over Howard Payne college in a basketball game here tonight to win 55 to 14.

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Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Pin Ave.
Continental	3	0	1.000	739
Cinderella	3	0	1.000	852
Parfet-Martlew	3	0	1.000	765
Panhandle	2	1	.667	800
Hub	2	1	.667	811
First National	1	2	.333	782
Elks	1	2	.333	822
Texas Electric	0	3	.000	613
Montgomery	0	3	.000	818
Texas Co.	0	3	.000	657
Glass Co.	0	0	.000	...
Spudder Alleys	0	0	.000	...

Cinderella Boot Shop and Parfet and Martlew went into a three-cornered tie with Continental by winning straight games in their opening matches last night in the City Bowling league at the Spudder alleys. Cinderellas beat Montgomery company and Parfet and Martlew disposed of Texas company.

Hub clothiers defeated the Elks in the closest match of the night, taking the first two games and losing the third. The Hub won the first game by five points and the second by . ir.

Sheffield of Montgomery was high individual scorer with 581.

The Wichita Window Glass company was admitted to the league yesterday in place of the Wichita Daily Times, and will meet the Spudder alley team tonight to finish the first week's play. Last night's scores:

Cinderella				
Kurtz	196	201	178	475
Christe	194	151	162	517
Katz	157	113	180	490
Davis	169	158	180	507
Johnson	161	151	177	489
Totals	877	804	877	2558
Team average—852 2-3.				
Montgomery				
Smith	165	148	170	483
Kilgore	172	158	163	493
Street	148	143	156	437
Clagett	150	143	157	450
Sheffield	207	167	207	581
Totals	842	759	853	2454
Team average—818.				
Parfet and Martlew				
Patterson	121	160	194	475
Bell	136	152	151	439
Hembloom	162	157	146	466
Soliday	128	183	135	446
Martlew	165	148	158	471
Totals	732	780	784	2296
Team average—765 1-3.				
Texas Company				
Alexander	95	100	132	327
Albitz	115	123	103	341
Gordon	130	141	133	404
Lawrence	108	177	122	407
Blackerby	186	171	165	492
Totals	604	712	655	1971
Team average—657.				
Hub Clothiers				
Cardwell	157	167	141	465
Reisen	151	174	196	521
Constantine	193	130	143	466
Ossenbeck	156	149	200	505
Mooney	170	164	162	496
Totals	827	784	842	2453
Team average—811.				
Elks				
Fruechte	156	171	180	507
McGee	176	113	192	481
Richards	172	134	140	446
Steinkoenig	165	156	188	509
Jehle	153	186	183	522
Totals	822	760	883	2465
Team average—822 1-3.				

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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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Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, Jan. 6:

Sunday—Breakfast: Coddled egg, Melba toast, baked apple. Lunch: Asparagus soup, cooked string beans, celery and ripe olives. Dinner: Baked chicken with Melba toast dressing, cooked spinach, mushrooms en casserole, head lettuce with olive oil if desired, ice cream.

Monday—Breakfast: Cottage cheese, toasted shredded wheat biscuit, pear sauce. Lunch: Oranges or apples as desired. Dinner: Vegetable soup, roast beef, steamed carrots with parsley, cooked celery, salad of chopped raw cabbage, Jello or Jell-well with cream.

Tuesday—Breakfast: French omelet, crisp bacon, Melba toast, stewed raisins. Lunch: Mashed turnips, cooked beet tops, celery and nut salad. Dinner: Broiled lamb chops, baker squash, boiled beets, salad of chopped raw spinach and celery, stewed apricots.

Wednesday—Breakfast: Oatmeal with milk, cream or butter (no sugar). Lunch: Baked squash, string beans, shredded lettuce. Dinner: Roast pork, cooked tomatoes and okra (canned), combination salad of celery, cucumbers and cold beets, baked apple.

Thursday—Breakfast: Poached egg on Melba toast, stewed prunes. Lunch: Dish of cottage cheese with 10 or 12 dates. Dinner: Vegetable soup, salisbury steak, cooked lettuce, mashed turnips, raw celery, pineapple sponge.

Friday—Breakfast: Coddled eggs, small piece of ham, crisp waffle, pear sauce. Lunch: Baked parsnips, cooked celery, salad or grated raw carrots. Dinner: Jellied tomato consomme, baked halibut, cooked spinach, tomato-spinach, asparagus salad, no dessert.

Saturday—Breakfast: Whole-wheat muffins and peanut butter, stewed figs. Lunch: Potato soup, string beans, cauliflower salad. Dinner: Roast veal, mashed turnips, small peas (canned), salad of cold cooked asparagus, dish of berries (canned).

"Baked squash—Remove the seeds from a moderate size, quartered Hubbard squash and bake under cover until tender. Scoop the pulp from the shell and mash thoroughly or press through a colander. Add two tablespoonfuls of cream and a lump of butter; beat well and serve immediately. Or, if preferred, the pulp may be piled lightly on the shells and returned to the oven until thoroughly browned.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Epilepsy and Diet

Question—Mrs. G. H. writes: 'Please advise the diet you would recommend in a case of epilepsy."

Answer—The diet must be one of good combinations and, for a time, all starches and sugars should be excluded. Everything should be done to increase normal bowel movements, the patient using enemas if necessary until this can be accomplished. With these cases it is often found that proplapsus of the colon exists, with sometimes a definitely "kinked" colon. This often requires manipulative treatment or treatments with certain electrical modalities.

Honey

Question—L. P. asks: "Will bee honey take the place of sugar for sweets?"

Answer—Honey may be substituted for other sugars, but I do not consider it superior in any way. If your diet excludes the use of sugars it would also exclude honey, maple syrup or any of the other so-called natural sugars.

Anger and Digestion

Question—John B. writes: "Please answer in your column the effect of anger on the digestive system. Could a severe spell of indigestion be attributable to eating when angry?"

Answer—It is quite apparent that certain toxins are generated when one becomes angry, although such toxins have never been isolated. This may be due to the excitement of some of the ductless glands such as the adrenals, or it may come from the enervation which results from the outbursts of anger, using up so much nerve force. Certain it is that destructive emotions are important factors in the development of not only acute but chronic indigestion.

FAVORITE JOKES OF FAMOUS FOLK

As Told by Them to

FRANK E. NICHOLSON

By LOU TELLEGEN

Lou Tellegen, known a few years ago as "the perfect lover" of the speaking stage, finally went west to make "East Lynn," a bigger and better movie. That was during the girlie days of the film business, and Tellegen has never since felt a yen to quit the celluloids. It seems that he fell under the spell of the cinema capital, and the place made a Hollywood bungaloafer out of him.



LOU TELLEGEN

"I've an actor friend here in Hollywood," he told me, "who had been receiving anonymous letters. Nasty ones.

"Though the handwriting was decidedly individual, detectives had not been able to trace the poison-penner.

"He went to a masquerade ball recently. In asking for a dance from a fair damsel, he noticed on her program a signature with the exact handwriting of the anonymous letter writer. He waited. Soon a fellow dressed as a lion came along.

"Things are now even more anonymous. All he knows is that a fellow dressed as a lion socked him."

Lou Tellegen

Saturday—George Manfredi.

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Star to Ditch Texas Gusher and Derrick Man

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (US)—As soon as the courts unsnarl the knot that makes Lorelle McCarver of "Showboat" technically Mrs. Harold Swisher, the Ziegfeld beauty will wed Billy Moore.

And Billy, to allot him to his proper place in the Broadway sun, is the adventurous son of "Dinty" Moore, corned beef and cabbage king.

The bride-to-be said:

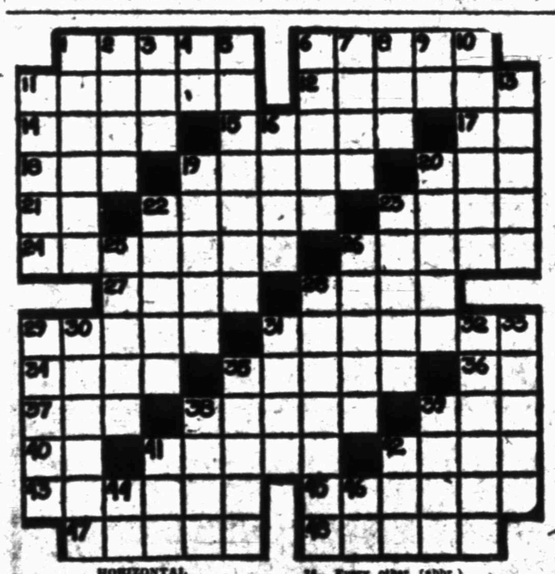
"I don't know when we shall marry because I haven't got my divorce yet, but I hope to have the absolute decree by the end of January."

Her suit for divorce, she explained, so far is undefended by the big gusher and derrick man from Texas whose name she legally bears.

The bearings of a modern bicycle contain about 250 balls.

"Fast Way to Health" by Dr. McCoy on sale at Lovelace Book Store. —Adv.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

1. Compact.
6. To expect.
11. To contrive.
12. Outdoor feast.
14. Among.
15. A fruit.
17. Symbol for sodium.
18. A color.
19. To entertain.
20. A tree.
21. Spanish article.
22. To bombard.
23. To run away from.
26. Farthest down.
29. Coquette.
27. Final.
28. Mexican peasant.
29. Newly married woman.
31. Laden.
34. Musical instrument.
35. Keenly watchful.
36. Every other (abbr.).
37. A number.
38. Scheme.
39. Scotch cap.
40. Upon.
41. To be protuberant.
42. Roof edge.
43. Discoverer of Mississippi.
45. Famous Persian ruler.
47. To cook.
48. Part of court dress.

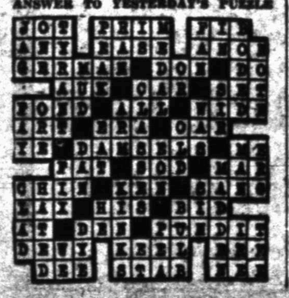
VERTICAL

1. Mother of Dionysus.
2. Latin poet.
3. Cover.
4. Exists.
5. Most beloved.
6. To terrify.
7. To droop.
8. High card.
9. Within.
10. Smaller.
11. Ventured.
13. Mark denoting omission.
16. Hide.
18. The ones here.
20. To cast.
22. A suit in cards.
23. To scoff at.
25. Social elect.
26. Dreads.
28. Plotter's motive.
30. Vital fluid.
32. Monogram.
34. To whip.
35. Paradise.
38. Large blocks.
39. To distribute.
40. Places.
42. Public vehicle.
44. Large serpent.
45. Apt.
46. Thus.
48. Comparative ending.

This puzzle took 18 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE



TOONERVILLE FOLKS — Fontaine Fox



FLYING TO FAME— By Ernest Henderson



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



THIMBLE THEATER — By Segar



GAS BUGGIES — By Frank Beck



Cotton Advance of $2 Bale Noted — Livestock Wheat Values Go Downward — Grain Yearlings In Good Demand

Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE
(By The Associated Press)

	Prev. Mdg.	Net Movement Rcpts.	Sales	Stock
N. Orleans..	19.20	6,241	722	358,570
Galveston ..	19.15	20,911	1,472	670,810
Mobile	18.80	439	117	49,933
Savannah ..	19.31	276	511	52,929
Charleston ..	.....	335	.....	42,155
Wilmington .	.....	665	.....	49,072
Norfolk	19.31	292	105	109,035
Baltimore ..	.....	.....	.....	1,106
New York...	20.35	848	200	53,050
Boston	.....	.....	.....	2,100
Houston	18.95	10,260	3,481	923,299
Minor ports..	.....	.....	.....	105,209
Total today		40,284	6,808	2,417,268
For week		154,208		
For season		7,216,169		

Interior Movement

	Mdlg.	Rcpts.	Sales	Stock
Memphis	18.55	17,080	3,738	281,784
Augusta	19.06	734	686	78,577
St. Louis....	.....	3,154	.....	23,417
Ft. Worth....	18.45	.....	732	.....
Little Rock..	18.55	389	836	29,129
Atlanta	19.15	.....	3,500	.....
Dallas	18.45	.....	4,868	.....
Montgomery	18.45	.....	.....	.....
Total today		20,337	14,360	413,007

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—A further decline in early trading in the cotton market today was followed by sharp recoveries on covering or rebuying by recent sellers, coupled with a moderate trade and commission house demand. March contracts advanced from 19.70 to 20.09 and closed at 20.05. The general market closed firm at net advances of 26 to 30 points.

Prices opened steady at a decline of 2 points to an advance of 8 points, with old crop months relatively steady in response to rather better Liverpool cables than due on the New York close of yesterday. There was a continuation of yesterday's liquidating movement, however, and prices sagged off shortly after the opening, with January selling down to 19.65, and July to 19.38 or 3 to 8 points net lower. Offerings then subsided and the market seemed to attract some trade buying as a result of which prices turned steadier.

Covering or rebuying by recent sellers became more active later, while there also appeared to be a renewal of Wall street demand, which included considerable buying supposed to be for western and Wall street account. Offerings were comparatively light after the early selling had been absorbed, as if the liquidation of old long account had pretty well run its course, and the market was firm in the late trading with the active months selling 27 to 35 points net higher, with January advancing to 20.03 and July to 19.74. Closing quotations were within a point or two of the best.

The advance was accompanied by reports of a slightly firmer basis on low grade cotton and the South, which may have promoted the buying, although some brokers attributed the upturn to a reassertion of the bullish sentiment noted in the market before the holidays.

The new crop October contract maintained about the same relation to the old contract as yesterday, closing 12 points under compared with a difference of 14 points at the close of the previous day. Private cables said that London and American liquidation had been absorbed by Continental and Bombay buying in Liverpool but that the demand for cotton cloths was disappointing and that farm sales were below production.

Exports today 57,693, making 4,874,386 so far this season. Port receipts 40,284. U. S. port stocks, 2,361,513.

Futures closed very steady, 23 to 30 points higher. Spot quiet; middling 20.25.

	High	Low	Close	P. C.
Jan.	20.03	19.65	20.01	19.71
March	20.09	19.70	20.05-07	19.78
May	20.11	19.70	20.06-10	19.76
July	19.74	19.38	19.72	19.51
Oct. (old)	19.44	19.12	19.43-44	19.17
Oct. (new)	19.28	18.92	19.31*	19.03

*Nominal.

Opening: Jan., 19.80; March, 19.83, May, 19.77; July, 19.48; Oct., 1919.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Good trade buying and covering by shorts probably induced by the stronger technical position was responsible for an advance of approximately $2 a bale in the cotton market today. After trading off to 19.03, March contracts rallied to 19.46 and closed at 19.43, or 23 points net higher. The day's general market closed very steady at a net advance of 33 to 35 points.

Liverpool cables came in 4 to 6 points better than due and the market here opened 2 to 6 points higher in response. The initial bulge, however, brought out a renewal of liquidation and some short selling which carried January contracts down to 18.99, March 19.03 and May 19.06, or 3 to 7 points below yesterday's close.

Offerings appeared well absorbed at the decline and good trade buying followed. There was also considerable covering and price fixing and prices advanced steadily until by noon, January sold at 19.27, March 19.30, May 19.32, or 27 to 28 points up from the lows. Some realizing developed at these prices but was absorbed at setback of a few points and the market promptly turned upward again in active trading on reports of an urgent spot demand and the large exports for the day as well as some speculative buying.

The highs of the day were made in last trading when January sold at 19.40, March 19.46 and May 19.49, or 41 to 44 points up from the lows. Final prices were 1 to 3 points under the top.

Receipts, 40,284; for week, 154,208; for year, 7,216,169; last year, 6,215,716. Exports, 57,693; for week, 172,984; for year, 4,763,723; last year, 3,885,720. Stocks, 2,417,268; last year, 2,509,963. Stock on shipboard, 163,993; last year, 125,069. Spot sales, 20,998; last year, 10,808.

CHICAGO COTTON

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—After recording new low records for the downward movement, cotton prices on the board of trade rallied sharply today, along with the outside markets. Business was more active than for several days. The close was steady, 17 to 35 points net higher. With cables 2 points lower to 9 points better than due, opening prices at Chicago were unchanged to 4 points up. Selling pressure soon brought a slight decline, when January traded at 19.16, or 8 points net lower. Sentiment then turned and prices advanced during the remainder of the day.

Cotton futures closed very steady at net advance of 33 to 35 points.

	High	Low	Close	P. C.
Jan.	19.40	18.99	19.39-40	19.06
March	19.46	19.03	19.43-45	19.08
May	19.49	19.05	19.46-48	19.11
July	19.38	18.95	19.35-36	19.01
Oct.	18.87	18.65	18.96-*	18.66

*18.96 bid; 18.97 asked.

Opening: Jan. 19.08; March 19.12; May 19.13; July 19.02; Oct. 18.62-b.

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 3. (AP)—Cotton spot increased demand; lower. American strict good middling 11.14; good middling 10.74; strict middling 10.54; middling 10.34; strict low middling 10.09; low middling 9.84; strict good ordinary 9.64; good ordinary 9.34. Sales 6,000 bales, 3,400 American. Receipts 15,000, American 14,600. Futures closed steady; Jan. 10.12, March 10.19, May 10.24, July 10.22, Oct. 10.04, Dec. 9.99.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Foreign exchanges mixed. Great Britain, demand 484⅝; cables 485 2-32; 60-day bills on banks 480 13-16. France, demand 3.90⅝; cables 3.90⅝. Italy, demand 5.23⅜; Belgium 13.89½; Germany 23.77; Tokyo 45.90; Montreal 99.73 7-16.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Call money easier; high 10; low 7; ruling rate 10; closing bid 7; time loans easier; mixed collateral 90-90 days 7½; 4-6 months 7⅛; prime mercantile paper 5¼@5½.

Bankers acceptances unchanged.

United States Bonds

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (AP)—Government bonds: Liberty 3½s 99.28; 1st 4¼s 100.4; 4th 4¼s 100.6; treasury 4¼s 111.16; 4s 106.1; 3¾s 103.15; 3¼s 98.17.

Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk
A. D. Winsor, lots 10 and 11, block 39, Burkburnett, to F. C. Carter.
R. E. Tucker, lot 12, block 37, Floral Heights, to J. M. Herron.
Lloyd Swanson, lot 3, block 25, Sibley Taylor addition, to R. J. Claypool.

NEW SUITS FILED"

Miss Elizabeth Hall, District Clerk
O. A. Crowell vs. T. L. Crowell, annulment.
M. H. Chism vs. Dora Chism, divorce (transferred from Young county.)

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk
W. S. Johnson, Childress, and Miss Ollie Vaughn.
W. L. Page and Miss Fern Hicks.
Fred Morgan and Miss Elizabeth Johns.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE
By The Associated Press
NEW YORK:

Stocks irregular; General Electric declines 15 points before rallying.
Bonds irregular; Public Service of New Jersey 4½'s again advance.
Foreign exchanges mixed; sterling weak.
Cotton advanced; trade buying.
Sugar easy; lower spot market.
Coffee declined; easier cables.

CHICAGO:

Wheat easy; increased Argentine offerings.
Corn steady; small receipts.
Cattle steady to lower.
Hogs lower.

Increased Brokers' Loans Puts Fear In 5,000,000 Share Stock Session

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Jan. 3 (US)—Fear of increase in the brokers' loans, forecast here yesterday, turned the market irregular, in another 5,000,000 share session, today.

The call money rate eased from a renewal of 10 to 7 per cent. Some further stimulus was given by knowledge that loans were made outside of regular channels during the afternoon at as low as 6 per cent but buying influenced thereby was more than offset by the continued wave of profit-taking.

Montgomery Ward dropped 4¾, General Electric 10, Texas Gulf 7, Radio 2¼ and Packard 3¼.

Copper shares enjoyed the best demand as a group with American Smelting and Anaconda both gaining over three points while Cerro de Pasco and others held fairly steady.

Lower Rate Forecast

A renewal rate of 8 per cent or less is forecast for tomorrow and a 6 per cent rate is expected for over the week-end. The lower rate simply reflects the amount of Jan. 1 money returning to the banks. Many who received such funds are wary of reinvesting right away so that the banks get the benefit of putting their money to work for the time being. However, the lower rate is offset in good part by the growing expectation of another corrective reaction of consequence in the general market.

There was some belief that this would be influenced by the increase in brokers' loans but the general expectation was that it would be experienced later in the month when money grows tighter again. In the meantime brokers continue to advise clients to confine commitments to "individual stocks."

Tobacco Sells Well

There has been good buying of the tobacco shares recently. In this connection it is pointed out that Union United is as much of an investment trust now as it is a tobacco stock. It holds securities of almost a hundred companies and incidentally is the largest individual holder of United Cigar Stores stock. Studebaker interests advise those who are thinking of buying motor shares to take a look at their exhibit at the motor show that opens Saturday. The new year finds the company among the leaders of those displaying new models and bookings already indicate a record first quarter.

Columbia Picks Up

Columbia Graphophone was quietly picked up by important banking interests coincident with the rumor that a merger announcement would be forthcoming in the near future. Chile Copper is being analyzed by one of the leading stock exchange firms which during the past year made similar surveys of more than a dozen stocks which ultimately took place among the market leaders.

Oils gave one of the best performances during the moments of heaviest profit-taking for their most powerful sponsors are of the belief that leading stocks of the group have hardly commenced discounting the benefits expected during the current six months as a result of stabilization of output.

Power Stocks Strong

Power stocks have become one of the outstanding features of the market as was forecast here just before the election. While interests active therein are always trading against their original position they express themselves more bullishly now than they did before the voters voiced their decision in November.

Merger developments are the main influence to buying in the group with added stimulus given by knowledge of increasing earnings of practically all companies. One of the first combinations expected is that of Public Service of New Jersey and United Gas and Improvement. Exchange of the stock on a two for one basis is talked of.

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Jan. 3. (AP)—While the receipts are about double Thursday's offering of last week they are only about half those of the corresponding day in 1928 for grown cattle. The other classes of livestock about normal in the matter of supply.

Common light weight steers dominated the supply of eight cars that arrived for the day's trading, sales ranged from $9.35 to $11.00, or barely steady on the better kind of cattle.

The supply of bulls was very light. The common light bulls sold around $6.25, better kind around $8.00 with one very good heavy bull at $9.00.

The supply of cows was light. Canners and cutters slow, with more of the thin canners at $4.00. Better cows found a better demand at about steady values with sales in carlots up to $7.75, during the early session and packers around $8.00.

More slaughter yearlings and heifers on hand than usual, with values about in line with the week's trade. The common kind sold around $9.00, others in the $10.00 range and two cars at $11.50 and one load on the heavy calf order at $12.25.

The supply of calves light and quality generally lacking in the bulk of the supply with values fully steady. Carlots sold ply of stocker cattle light; few cows sold up to $11.25, others at $10.75. The supply $8.25.

Hogs obliged to sell at a decline of 15c to a quarter; rail top $8.90; top in the truck division $8.40; bulk 170-240 pound butchers $8.80 to $8.70; packing sows $7.25 to $7.75; butcher pigs $6.00 to $7.00.

Fat wooled lamb values showed strength when sales reached $14.50 and fall shorn fat lambs reported at $13.00.

MIDWESTERN REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 2. (AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle trade around the 11-market circuit was somewhat spotted due to the uneven distribution of receipts; most points had normal supplies and reported further declines on the inbetween grades of weighty steers; yearlings were in broad demand at most markets with prices firm; Kansas City, with limited receipts, had a fairly active steer and yearling trade at strong to 25c higher values; slaughter cows were unevenly steady to 25c lower, but packers continued to show an active interest in desirable lightweight heifers; aggregate receipts were estimated at 29,000, an increase of 7,700 over last Thursday but 10,500 short of a year ago.

Hogs were tendered another decline of 10c to 20c; packers, bearish at most centers and shaving prices 20@30c; the day's extreme top of $8.15 was paid at St. Louis, total offerings were around 130,000 as compared with 138,327 a week ago and 178,283 the same day last year.

No material price changes were registered on fat lambs; the early undertone at a few points was weak; but closing trade rules active at firm values; aged stock was steady to slightly higher; choice lambs in Chicago stopped at $16.25, while best native lambs at St. Louis realized $15.50; the supply approximated 44,000 a decrease of 2,500 from a week ago and 16,000 more than a year ago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Hogs—Receipts 50,000; 10c to 15c lower; top $9.00 for a load of around 200 pounds; packing sows $7.80@8.10; pigs, medium to choice 90-130 pounds $7.25@8.00.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; calves 3,000; fat steers and fat cow trade steady to 25c lower; slaughter steers, good and choice 1300 1500 pounds $13.25@16.50; 1100-1300 pounds $13.25@16.50; 950-1100 pounds $13.50@17.00; fed yearlings, good and choice 750-950 pounds $13.25@16.25; heifers, good and choice 850 pounds down $11.50@14.00; cows, good and choice $8.75 @11.50; vealers, good and choice beef $9.50 @11.75; vealers, milk-fed, good and choice $14.50@17.25.

Sheep—Receipts 19,000; steady to lower; fat lambs $15.50@16.00; sheep steady; ewes, medium to choice 130 pounds down $6.75@9.25.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3. (AP)—Hogs—Receipts 9,000; 15c to 20c lower; top $8.70 on choice 170-310 pounds; butchers, medium to choice 250-350 pounds $8.10@8.60; 200-250 pounds $8.25@8.70; 160-200 pounds $8.25@8.70; 130-160 pounds $8@8.65.

Cattle—Receipts 3,000; calves, 400; steady to 25c higher; slaughter steers, good and choice 1300-1500 pounds $12.25@15.75; 1100-1300 pounds $12.25@16.00; 950-1100 pounds $12.50@16.50; fed yearlings, good and choice 750-950 pounds $12.50@16.25; heifers, good and choice 550 pounds down $11.25@14.00; cows, good and choice $8.25 @10.50; vealers, milk-fed, medium to choice $9.50@15.50.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000; slow; steady; lambs, good and choice, 92 pounds down, $14.50@15.30; medium, $13.25@14.50; ewes medium to choice, 150 pounds down, $6@ 8.35.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 3. (UP)—Hogs—Receipts 1100; market 15 to 25c lower; top $8.90, paid for load good to choice 215-pound butchers; truck top $8.40, two loads good light and medium weight butchers, $8.55 and $8.70; bulk desirable 175 to 230 pound truck hogs, $8.25@8.40; packing sows steady to weak, mostly $7.25@7.75; fat pigs weak, bulk, $6.25@7.25.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000; low cutter cows extremely dull, weak to lower; bulls strong; other classes cattle mostly steady, few loads slaughter steers $9.25@11.00; two cars desirable heifer yearlings $11.50; other sales around $9.00@10.75; desirable fat cows very scarce; butcher grades mostly under $7.

Sheep—Receipts 500; few sales strong; deck good to choice wooled fat lambs, $14.50; deck good fall shorn fat lambs, $13.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 34 points down. Sales 722 bales; low middling, 17.70; middling, 19.20; good middling, 19.60; receipts, 6,241 bales; stock, 358,570.

State Carries Reserve Fund in City Banks

AUSTIN, Jan. 3 (INS)—Outstanding warrants amounting to about $1,500,000 are being carried by reserve depositories at Austin, Fort Worth, Dallas and San Antonio, in order to prevent the state from operation on a deficit, State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher announced today.

The cash balance to the credit of the general revenue fund amounts to $1,337,198 while warrants drawn against the fund total $1,474,839, it was stated.

TRAFFIC DEATHS WANE

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (UP)—Traffic fatalities were reduced in 1928 in the United States, the National Safety council estimated today on the basis of reports for the first 11 months of the year. The 1927 record total was 25,800 while in the first 11 months of 1928, only 23,000 persons were killed. Statisticians based their estimate for the whole year on the report.

Grain

FORT WORTH MARKET

FORT WORTH, Jan. 3. (AP)—Wheat—Export bids $1.21@1.21½ basis No. 1 hard delivered gulf ports. Delivered Texas common points, No. 1 ordinary milling $1.23½@1.24½; 13 per cent protein $1.27 @1.27½; 14 per cent $1.32@1.32; 15 per cent $1.36@1.37; 16 per cent $1.42.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 96@96c; No. 2 white 97@98c; No. 2 yellow 96@97c; basis delivered gulf ports.

Grain Sorghums—No. 2 milo $1.46@1.47; No. 2 kafir $1.37@1.40. Maize heads $24.50@25.50; kafir $23.00@23.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Word that Argentina is underselling North American wheat in Europe by as much as 9c a bushel went far today to send wheat values here downgrade. In decided contrast, the corn market tended upward, owing largely to evidence of active transatlantic demand for corn from the United States.

Closing quotations on wheat were unsettled, ⅛ to 1c net lower, corn finished at ¼c to ½c advance, oats unchanged to ¼c up, and provisions varying from 20c decline to a rise of 5c.

Announcement was made that world stocks of wheat show a further increase of nearly 10,000,000 bushels.

Faced by such conditions, export business today in wheat from North America was estimated as amounting to only 400,000 bushels. Meanwhile, buying of wheat future deliveries in Chicago to wind up spread trades with Winnipeg had but little effect here in stimulating price rallies.

Corn was relatively strong all day. Messages from the seaboard indicated that a good-sized volume of corn export business had been put through, and that inquiries were being made for liberal quantities in addition.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
March	1.16¼	1.15¼	1.15½
May	1.18⅛	1.17¼	1.18¼
July	1.20⅛	1.19⅛	1.19⅛
Corn—			
March	.88¼	.87½	.88
May	.91	.90⅝	.91
July	.92⅝	.92	.92⅝
Oats—			
March	.47¾	.47⅜	.47⅜
May	.48¼	.48⅛	.48¼
July	.46½	.46⅛	.46⅛
Rye—			
March	1.03¾	1.02¼	1.02⅝
May	1.06¼	1.05⅛	1.05⅝
July	1.05⅝	1.04¼	1.04¼
Lard—			
Jan.	11.67	11.60	11.62
March	11.85	11.82	11.85
May	12.15	12.07	12.10
Ribs—			
Jan.	.....	.....	11.85
May	.....	.....	12.55
Bellies—			
Jan.	.....	.....	12.62
March	.....	.....	12.87
May	13.30	13.12	13.20

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 red $1.37; No. 2 hard $1.15.

Corn—No. 3 mixed 83½c; No. 4 white 82@85c.

Oats—No. 3 white 43@46¼c; No. 4, 43⅛ @44c.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 3. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 dark hard, nominally, $1.08@1.23; No. 2 hard $1.07@1.11¾; No. 2 red $1.25; May $1.11¾; July $1.11.

Corn—No. 2 white 80½c; No. 2 yellow, nominally, 80@81c; No. 2 mixed 79¼c; May 86c; July 88⅛c.

Oats—No. 2 white, nominally, 47@48½c.

FORT WORTH, Jan. 3. (AP)—Wheat—Export bids $1.21@1.21½ basis No. 1 hard delivered gulf ports. Delivered Texas common points, No. 1 ordinary milling $1.23½@1.24½; 13 per cent protein $1.27 @1.27½; 14 per cent $1.32@1.32; 15 per cent $1.36@1.37; 16 per cent $1.42.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 96@96c; No. 2 white 97@98c; No. 2 yellow 96@97c; basis delivered gulf ports.

Grain Sorghums—No. 2 milo $1.46@1.47; No. 2 kafir $1.37@1.40. Maize heads $24.50@25.50; kafir $23.00@23.50.

Market Miscellany

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (INS)—Produce: Cottonseed oil—Market quiet and steady. Spot 9.90@10.80; crude, mill basis, 8.50b.

Futures—Jan. 9.95b, Feb. 10.05@10.30, March 10.24, April 10.25@10.35, May 10.43 @10.46, June 10.48@10.60, July 10.58@ 10.60, Aug. 10.70@10.76.

Petroleum—Market firm; crude Pennsylvania 3.80@3.85.

Wool—Market quiet; domestic fleece unwashed Ohio and Pennsylvania 45@57; domestic territory scoured basis 98@1.02; domestic Texas clean basis 93@1.14.

Hides—Market quiet; native steers 25½, branded steers 20½.

Coffee—Market weak; option opened 15 to 25 points decline; Rio No. 7 on spot 18¼.

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

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

Raw Sugar—Market dull; Cubas 3.80; Porto Ricos 3.80.

Refined—Market steady; fine granulated 5.25@5.30.

Potatoes—Market firm; nearby white 1.00@3.10; Bermudas 3.00@8.00; sweet potatoes Jersey basket 65@75; southern basket 1.25@2.00; barrels 4.00; crate 2.00@ 2.25.

Beans — Market dull; marrow choice 10.25@12.50; pea choice 10.00; red kidney choice 8.50@8.75.

Dried Fruits—Market quiet; apricots, choice to ex-fancy 13¼@25½; apples, evaporated, prime to fancy 12@15¼; prunes, 30s to 60s 7½@12; prunes, 60s to 100s 4½@7; peaches, choice to ex-fancy 8¼@12; seedless raisins, sulphur bleached 6¼@9½; unbleached choice to ex-fancy 4½@5¼.

Dressed Poultry—Market quiet; chickens 21@48; fowls 16@33; turkeys 27@46; ducks 18@30; geese 18@29; capons 30 @48.

Live Poultry—Market steady; broilers 35 @50; chickens 30@35; capons 32@50; turkeys 25@38; ducks 16@32; roosters 20; geese 13@25.

Butter—Market steady; salted and unsalted creamery higher scoring 49@51; creamery extras 48¼@50; creamery firsts 43½@46; renovated extras 43@43¾; ladies, fresh, extras 46@41½.

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

Eggs—Market easier; nearby white extras, closely selected 46@49; nearby brown, hennery extras 28@48; fresh gathered extras 40@43; fresh firsts 27½@36. Pacific coast white, extras 47@48; extras firsts 34@40; firsts 30@43.

Milk—Unchanged at 3.42.

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Jan. 3. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

Cities Service	10¼	9⅝	9⅞
Curtis Flying Serv	23	22½	22⅝
Durant Mot	18⅛	17½	17⅝
El Bd & Sh Cor	184½	178⅛	178⅝
Elm Pow Cor	49⅛	44⅛	49⅛
Ford Mot Co Can	747	710	730
Ford Motor Ltd	17½	16⅝	17⅛
Fox Theaters A	36⅛	35¼	35⅝
Gen El Ltd Reg	13	11⅛	12
Marconi Intl M	23	22	22⅛
Marc Wire Lon	22	19½	19⅝
No Am Aviat	17	16¼	17
Selected Ind wi	23½	21	22
Serv El vtc	16¼	16	16⅛
Serv El vtc pfd	63½	63⅛	63⅝
Uni G Imp C	173	168	172½
Uni Lt & P A	34	33⅝	33⅝
Mining Stocks			
Hud B M & S	21¾	21	21⅜
Mason Val	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Noranda	66⅛	65	65¼
Ohio Cop	2	1⅞	2
Shattuck Denn	23½	23⅛	23⅜
Uni Verde ext	24⅜	23⅝	23⅝
Wendon Cop	2	1⅞	2
Independent Oil Stocks			
Barnsd deb war	23½	20½	20⅝
Cities Serv n	94⅝	93¼	94
do 7s D	3½	3¼	3¼
do pfd	98¼	96	98⅛
do rts	3⅛	2⅝	2⅝
do B	9¼	9⅛	9⅛
Creole Pet	11⅝	11¼	11⅝
Darby Pet	25⅝	24⅞	25¼
Stand Oil Iowa and Former Subsidiaries			
Anglo Am Oil	13⅝	13	13
A A O non vtc	15	15	15
Borne Scrym n	46	46	46
Chesebrough Mfg	149	143	143
Cont Oil	20	19½	19⅝
Gal Sig Oil	8	8	8
Hum O & R	103¼	101¾	102
Ill P L	292	292	292
Imp Oil Can	103½	100⅝	101
Ind P L	88	88	88
Int Pet Ltd	57⅛	54½	54½
Nat Transit	23⅞	23⅜	23⅝
Northern P L n	92	92	92
Ohio Oil	74½	73¾	74
Penn Mex Fuel	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝

New York Bonds

Foreign	
Argentine 6s 1960 Sept	99½
Australia 5s 1955	98⅝
Belgian 7s 1936	106
Brazil 6½s 1957	94½
British 5½s 1937	103½
French 7s 1949	107¾
German 7s 1949	106⅛
Italian 7s 1951	97¼
Japanese 6½s 1954	101⅛
Polish 8s 1950	99
Rhinelbe Un 7s 1947 ex war	96⅜
Seine 7s 1942	106⅛
Domestic	
Am Agr Chem 7½s	104⅛
Am Smelting 5s	101
American Sugar 6s	104⅛
Am Tel & Tel deb 5s 1960	104⅛
Anaconda Copper 6s 1953	105⅝
A T T & San Fe Gen 4s	93
Baltimore & Ohio cvt 4½s	98
Bethlehem Steel con 5½s	103
Bklyn & Manh Trans s f 6s	98⅝
Can Pac deb 4s	85⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio cvt 4½s	99¼
Chesapeake Corp 5s 1947	99⅞
Chic & Alton 3½s	68
Chic & East Illinois 5s	84⅛
Chic Burl & Quin 4½s 1977	98⅛
Chic R I P Rfg 4s	94⅛
Chic & West Ind 5½s	103⅜
Chile Copper 5s 1947	95
Den & Rio Gr West Gen 5s	94⅛
Dodge Bros deb 6s	103
Erie Rfg & Imp 5s	98⅛
Florida E Coast Ry 5s 1947	79
Gen Motor Accept 6s 1937	103
Goodyear Tire 5s 1957	93½
Great Northern 7s A	112⅛
Hudson & Manh Adj Inc 5s	82
Int Rap Trans Ref 5s stpd	78¼
Inter & Gt Nor Adj 6s	91½
Int Merc Marine s f 6s	99⅛
Midvale Steel cvt 5s	99⅛
M-K-T new adj 5s A	104⅛
Mo Pacific Gen 4s	76
New Orins Tex & Mex 5½s	103
N Y Cent Rfg & Imp 5s	107¼
Norfolk & Western Con 4s	92
Northern Pacific 6s B	113
Pan Am Pet & Tr 6s	105⅝
Penn R R Gen 4½s	100⅝
Seaboard Air Line con 6s	73
Sinclair Con Oil Cor 7s	102½
Southern Pacific Rfg 4s	92
Southern Ry Gen 6½s	121⅝
Southern Ry Gen 4s	87⅞
United Pacific first 4s	94⅛
U S Rubber 5s	99⅛
U S Steel s f 5s	107½
Virginian Ry 5s	104⅝
Western Electric 5s	102⅝
Western Maryland 4s	81¼

State Bonds Are Purchased

AUSTIN, Jan. 3 (INS)—Purchase of $1,000,000 in state highway bonds by a syndicate headed by the Harris Trust and Savings bank of Chicago was announced today by Governor Dan Moody.

The bonds will be delivered to the purchasers on January 15, the governor said.

Cotton Recovers 25 Points on Mart Here

Cotton recovered on Thursday's market 25 points of the 40 points decline chalked up Wednesday. Local buyers offered 18.05 and 18.10 per pound Thursday.

GRAINS

Prices to Growers
J. C. Hunt Grain Company

Hard wheat, No. 1	90c
Oats, No. 3 and better	55c

Wichita Mill and Elevator Co.

Hard wheat, No. 1	89c
Oats, No. 3 and better	60c

COTTON

Price to Growers

R. O. Harvey	18.05
O. W. Wiley	18.10

VEGETABLES

Prices to Grocers, Cafes

Louisiana Yams, bushel	$1.25
Squash, Texas	10c
Cabbage	2½ and 4c
Colorado Onions	5½ and 6c
California White Onions	6c
Onions, Spanish	5½ and 6c
Onions, dozen bunches	60c
Carrots	85c
Beets	75c
Texas Peppers	8c
Potatoes, Idaho White	$2.00
Radishes, dozen bunches	60c
Rhubarb	12½c
Lettuce, dozen bunches	$1.25
Crate	$4.50
Celery, 2 dozen; crate	$3.00
Colorado Celery, dozen	$1.50
Oregon Jumbo Celery dozen	$2.00
Turnip Greens	60c
Mustard Greens	60c
Green Peas	12½c
Green Beans	15c
Eggplant	15c
Turnips and Tops, Colorado	1.00
Colorado Radishes, dozen	60c
Tomatoes, lug	$3.50
Cocoanuts, dozen $1.25; sack	$8.50
Honey Dew Melons, crate	$2.00
Hot Peppers	17½c
Cauliflower	12½c
Grapes red Emperors	$2.50
White Grapes	3.00

FRUITS AND NUTS

Prices to Growers, Cafes

Jonathan Apples, box	$2.25
Delicious, box	$3.50
Winesaps, box	$2.00
Colorado Apples	$3.00 and $3.50
Bananas, pound	8c
Grapefruit, Texas	$4.00 to $4.50
Limes, basket	$1.50
Lemons, box	$7.00 and $7.50
Oranges, California	$3.00 and $4.50
California Bartlett Pears, box	$3.50
Jumbo Roasted Peanuts	21c
English Walnuts, new crop, A-1	33c
Almonds, Peerless	29c
Brazil	27c
South Texas Honey	12c and 15c
Grapes red Emperors	$2.50
Delicious, box	$3.50

POULTRY AND EGGS

All prices below are paid to farmers and producers:

Hens, 5 pounds up	20c
Hens, 4 and 5 p. pounds	17c
Hens, under 4 pounds	15c
Broilers	24c
Fryers	30c
Cocks	8c
Turkeys, No. 1 young toms	20c

MILK AND CREAM

(Quotations by Producers)

Butter	50c and 51c
No. 1 Cream	43c
Butterfat (stockholders)	65c
Butterfat	60c

WHOLE MILK

(Prices per pound of butterfat)

James Bros. Creamery	70c
Ferguson Ice Cream company	60c
Lehrack Ice Cream company	70c

GRANT CHEESE FACTORY

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

Milk Testing	Price of Milk 100 Lbs	Price of Milk Per Gal
4.0	$2.20	18.92c
4.1	2.26	19.43c
4.2	2.31	19.86c
4.3	2.37	20.38c
4.4	2.42	20.81c
4.5	2.48	21.32c
4.6	2.53	21.75c
4.7	2.59	22.27c
4.8	2.64	22.70c
4.9	2.70	23.23c
5.0	2.75	23.65c
5.1	2.81	24.16c
5.2	2.86	24.60c
5.3	2.92	25.11c
5.4	2.97	25.54c
5.5	3.03	26.06c
5.6	3.08	26.50c
5.7	3.14	27.01c
5.8	3.19	27.45c
5.9	3.25	27.96c
6.0	3.30	28.40c
6.1	3.36	28.90c
6.2	3.41	29.33c
6.3	3.47	29.85c
6.4	3.52	30.28c

Fines in Vernon During 1928 Totaled $2,288

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Texas, Jan.

Start the New Year Right, Use Daily Times-Record News Class Ads More Often

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

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

Minimum charge for first insertion $0.60
First two insertions, minimum ..... .50
Three and no more than six insertions, per word 2½c
Seven or more insertions, per word 2½c
White space, per line ..... .30
Caps, per line ..... .25
Local readers, per line ..... .25

MINIMUM RATES
One time $0.60
Three times 1.15
Seven times 2.10
One month (31 days) (10 words) 8.10
THESE RATES ARE BASED ON CONSECUTIVE INSERTIONS, IRREGULAR INSERTIONS TAKE ONE TIME RATE. ABBREVIATIONS, WORDS, INITIALS COUNTED AS FULL WORDS.

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

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

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

Ads start in either afternoon or morning paper.

Combination rates for The Daily Times and Record News.

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

Phone Your Classified Ads to
4391

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

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

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

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

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

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

Sunday paper up to 7 p. m. Saturday night.

Same copy in both papers.

THE CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT IS OPEN ON SUNDAYS from 4 to 6 p. m. And telephone orders for classified ads to be inserted or to be discontinued will be accepted.

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

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

3. PERSONAL

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

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

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

FRENCH oil permanent waves, $4. Mrs. Johnson, 1026 Brook. Phone 2-4978.

PERMANENT waves, $5; shampoo and marcel, $1; finger waves, 50c. Mrs. Manion, 1610 Lucile. Phone 2-2864.

PERMANENT WAVES, $5; marcels, 1815 Lucile, Mrs. Rice. Phone 3071.

MARCELS 50c, 1506 Polk; phone early. 6393. Mrs. Sadler.

MARCELS 50c, retrace 25c, finger waving 50c. Mrs. C. Jondrow, 401 North Travis. Phone 6801.

SPECIAL—A regular $15 wave for $6.50. New improved Vita Tonic $10. Every wave is assured. Oran Deshazer Beauty Shop, Marchman Hotel. Phone 2-2266.

PERMANENT waves $5; shampoo and marcel $1; finger wave 50c. Mrs. Manion, 1610 Lucile. Phone 2-2864.

5. LOST AND FOUND

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

LOST—Between Roy Lumber Co., Iowa Park road and junior college, hand-bag containing boy's Christmas gifts. Phone 5295 or 3-2531, receive reward.

LOST—Between Magnolia and Ninth street, black handbag containing girl's clothing. Call J. M. Simmons, 1615 Magnolia. Phone 6276. Reward.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—By local concern, man with general knowledge of accounts; must be good on phone conversations and able to handle men. Write; Box 134, Times.

WANTED—Two men for special work; references required; permanent, congenial; excellent opportunity for right man, willing to start at $30 per week; earn more as you get experience. Apply after 3 p. m., 917 Staley Bldg.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

MA-VI SCHOOL OF BEAUTY CULTURE. Positions guaranteed, qualify for state examination. 1817 Ninth. Phone 2-1698.

FOR RENT—Servant house. 1816 Ninth.

WHITE WOMAN wanted for general housework, $7 per week. J. E. Grimes, Route 1, Brinkman, Okla.

10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Middle aged colored couple. Cook and yard man. Must be first class cook. Know how to serve and furnish references. Phone 2-2775 or apply 3010 Avondale avenue, Country Club estate.

11. SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMAN and collector, good reference and bond required. Phone 2-4047 for appointment.

WE CAN SHOW you positive evidence that our representatives are earning from $100 to $200 per month. If you are looking for permanent, profitable work, apply or write 200 Perkins-Snider building, at once.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

LAUNDRY, three dozen 50c; blankets 20c. 1009 Seventh. Phone 3-1084.

YOUNG LADY wishes employment; clerical work preferred; five years experience; best of references. Write; Box 120, care Times.

WANTED by unincumbered middle age lady housekeeping; motherless home, where company is desired. Mrs. B. Lewis, Route 1, Box 67-A, Margaret, Texas.

EXPERIENCED secretary - stenographer now employed; with present employer six years; desires change after January 15; accustomed to supervision full routine large office; expect salary commensurate with ability. Best references furnished anyone interested. Address Secretary, Box 3, Care Times.

MIDDLE aged white woman wants general housework with reliable person in modern home; will give reference. Phone 3-3205.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

IF IN NEED of practical nurse, call 3032, Mrs. Wendt.

YOUNG LADY stenographer, six years' experience, desires position. Phone 2-4593.

LAUNDRY wanted, 25c dozen, called for and delivered. Call 3-1617.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

CLEAN BEDROOMS, two meals if desired; gentlemen only. 1306 Austin.

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

ROOM AND BOARD for men, 1507 Twelfth. Phone 6947.

HAVE ROOMS for three boys. 1313 Eleventh. Phone 2-1217.

NICELY furnished bedrooms, with evening meal. 1819 Tenth. Phone 4794.

DESIRABLE room and home cooked meals, 1610 Tenth. Phone 4816.

CONVENIENTLY located rooms for boys, meals if desired. Phone 3094.

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

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

BEAUTIFULLY furnished room, private entrance, connecting bath, garage. 1309 Taylor.

FRONT BEDROOM, nicely furnished, adjoining bath, in private home, on carline. Phone 3690. 1511 Seventeenth.

NICELY FURNISHED bedroom. 1713 Ninth.

CLOSE IN, upstairs bedrooms. Phone 5697. 1109 Travis.

FRONT BEDROOM, private entrance; must be seen to be appreciated. Phone 2-4174.

TWO BEDROOMS, nicely furnished, each room adjoining bath, quiet home. Two or four men. 1202 Holliday.

FOR RENT—Large comfortable bedroom, adjoining bath, for couple or business girls. Garage free if desired. Apply 802 Grace. Phone 3557.

COMFORTABLE bedroom to young lady. Very moderate price. Reasonably close in. 1610 Burnett. Call 5614.

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

NICELY furnished bedroom, garage. 1716 Collins.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished room, nice home, private entrance, carline; garage; 2306 Ninth. Phone 3354 or 2-4594, after 6:30 p. m.

WE NEED two more boys and two more girls to room with us; plenty music and home privileges. Phone 2-4972; 1006 Brook.

NICE UPSTAIRS bedroom, all conveniences. 1410 Eleventh street. Phone 9232.

FRONT BEDROOM, private entrance, near carline, two meals if desired. Phone 3595. 1623 Lucile.

BEDROOM WITH kitchen privilege, to couple, very private. 1404 Harrison. Phone 6459.

KEMP KORT, lovely bedrooms, steam heat. Phone 5472.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

TWO LIGHT housekeeping rooms, with garage, 1314 Tenth.

TWO HOUSEKEEPING rooms, private entrance, garage; pavement; carline. 2308 Ninth. Phone 9711.

CLOSE-IN One or two furnished housekeeping rooms, rent reasonable, garage if desired. 305 Scott.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT HEADQUARTERS
C. Y. Tully Co.
813½ Scott. Phone 9902.

THREE-ROOM duplex furnished; connecting bath; close in; adults only. Phone 9219. 706 Grace.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished brick apartment, 1718 Eleventh. Phone 5787 after 6, evenings.

TWO THREE-ROOM furnished apartments, private baths. 2304 Eighth. 1306.

1407 TAYLOR, three-room apartment, extra large rooms, convenient to street car, business, schools.

FURNISHED two-room apartment and garage. Couple preferred. 1000 Fillmore.

UNFURNISHED apartment, four rooms, private bath, garage; $35. 1710 Fillmore.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, in home; garage, bills paid. Phone 5311.

NICELY FURNISHED 4-room apartment. 1514 Twelfth. Call after noon.

FURNISHED duplex apartment, 1407½ Fillmore. Very desirable. Adults only. Phone 5856.

NEW FOUR-ROOM apartments, private bath, unfurnished, roll-away bed, hardwood floors; adults. 1007 Eleventh. Phone 5843.

FOR RENT—West side duplex, all built-in features and fireplace. 2145 Avenue J. Call 7827.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, on pavement, garage. 1620 Pearl. Phone 3050-3563.

DESIRABLE 4-room, unfurnished; pavement; reasonable. Phone 9618.

TWO OR THREE rooms, well furnished, reasonable rent. 1307 Eleventh.

FOUR-ROOM furnished bungalow at 1508 Eighth. Call 2-4785.

FURNISHED half duplex, 3 rooms, breakfast room, bath; garage; $45; bills paid. 614½ Sunset. Phone 7500.

APARTMENTS with or without bath; also 1 bedroom. 2308 Tenth.

HALF DUPLEX unfurnished; modern, close in, on bus line; garage. 1707½ Seventh; phone 5680 after 6 p. m.

FOR RENT—Very desirable furnished apartment with private bath, in new brick apartment house. Phone 3065-7196.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

REAL HOME for two congenial girls or couple. Call 7695.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment. 2004 Johns street. Phone 9777.

FURNISHED four-room apartment on pavement, to couple, no children; garage. Living room 16x22, with fireplace, Victrola. This is something nice. 1507 Travis.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, breakfast nook; bills paid. Phone 5641. Liggett.

NICELY furnished apartment, built-in features, private bath; garage; location 1910 Eighth. Apply 1908 Eighth. Phone 8463.

APARTMENTS, bedrooms furnished; bills paid. 1513 Eighth street. Phone 9730.

FURNISHED 4-room duplex, private bath, garage, on pavement, one block busline; couple only, with references. 1807 Dayton. Phone 2-4297.

LA CASA APARTMENTS
NINTH AND DENVER
Completely furnished lower floor, corner apartment, electric refrigeration, garage. Phone 5365.

FURNISHED half duplex, three rooms, bath, breakfast room, garage, $50, bills paid. 614 Sunset drive. Phone 7500.

FURNISHED lovely 3-room modern apartment in new brick; special price to couple. 2302 Holliday; phone 2-4525.

FOUR-ROOM apartment, furnished, garage; also two-room furnished apartment. 1706 Bluff.

TAYLOR STREET—Furnished garage apartment, three rooms, bath, hardwood floors, clean, modern. Phone 3654.

TWO-ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, with garage. 1406 Fourteenth.

FURNISHED one and two-room apartments; bills paid. 1305 Eleventh street.

TWO ONE-ROOM apartments, hot and cold water. 901 Austin.

1400 LAMAR—Three large nicely furnished rooms, close in, private entrances. Phone. Bills paid.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

INFORMATION
For Your Convenience—

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

VACANT Jan. 1, 5 rooms, breakfast room, beautifully furnished, up Dayton. Apply Riley Hotel, 1016 Scott.

FOR RENT—Strictly modern new six-room house, near Alamo school, on Tenth street. Phone 3024 or 3278.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, well furnished. 1905 Polk. Phone 3583. $30 per month.

SEVEN-ROOM house for rent, partially furnished. Rent reasonable. Phone 5794.

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

FOUR-ROOM house for rent. Phone 5844.

FIVE-ROOM house for rent. 1507 Lucile. Phone 4620.

SIX-ROOM plastered stucco house, garage, modern, and street paved. Shades and linoleum furnished. 1425 Twenty-fifth.

FURNISHED three-room cottage, 2308 Ninth. Apply 1411 Twelfth. Phone 5922.

UNFURNISHED 7-room house, bath; garage; servant house; $45. 1515 Tenth. Phone 7500.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 5-room house on pavement, near school; references. Phone 6813.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, garage, 1110 Monroe; $35. Phone 5719.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, 2805 Avenue L. Phone G. R. Pate, 4489.

FIVE-ROOM house, furnished, garage. 2006 Burnett.

ALMOST NEW 4-room, modern house, 2008 Giddings; pavement, driveways, garage, $22.50. Call 6578.

$15. FIVE rooms, modern, close in on Seventh. Phone 5172.

NEW FIVE room unfurnished house, modern, hardwood floors. 2411 Polk; phone 2-4878.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, 2225 Yale. Phone 4676; $35 month. Inquire 2220 Yale.

CLOSE-IN, 1315 Tenth, 3-room modern house.

1110 TENTH, $55, seven rooms; 3107 Ninth, $47.50, six rooms; both new, shades furnished. Ammann & Jordan. Phone 5486.

FOR RENT—Eight-room furnished home, on pavement; near car and bus lines. Phone 3711 or 9619.

FOR RENT—Seven-room house and sleeping porch, 1004 Broad. Call 7827.

RENT—1511 Taylor. For particulars call phone 2212.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, good location, close in. Phone 9091.

22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

FOR RENT—Brick building, 45x150, on M. K. & T. trackage. McConnell Brothers. Phone 5723.

24. FOR RENT OR LEASE

18-ROOM ROOMING house. Inquire 720 Tenth. Reference required.

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26. WANTED TO RENT

WANTED—Well-furnished house, five rooms or more. Must be in one of the better residence districts. Might buy if priced right, Address Box 126, care Times-Record News.

28. HOUSEHOLD GOODS

SIX ROOMS of household furniture for sale. Inquire 1901 Kemp boulevard.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—At bargain, two beds, three chairs, one rocker, two stoves. West side. 802 Third street.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

NEW ELECTRIC cabinet sewing machine, knee control, latest model, for sale cheap. 906 Ninth.

Every telephone in Wichita Falls is classified Ad salesman.

FOR SALE—Three-pocket billiard tables, A-1 condition, price reasonable. W. E. Benson, 1300 Westlake drive. Phone 2-1580.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

SEVEN-DRAWER mahogany Singer sewing machine for sale cheap. Phone 3-5804. 1321 North Eighth.

SEVEN-DRAWER mahogany Singer sewing machine for sale cheap. Phone 2-3857. 1321 North Eighth.

MODERN barber fixtures; cash or terms. Apply 819 Scott Ave.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

WANT TO TRADE radio for piano, battery set. Phone 9009.

33. RADIOS

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

34. WANTED TO BUY

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

39. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Hunting and fishing cabin near Wichita colony, Lake Kemp, completely furnished; also boat, trailer and outboard motor. Cost $1,200, will sell half price; cash or terms, or trade for auto or other desirable personal property. Leaving city. Address Box 121, care Times.

42. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—20 registered bred Duroc Jersey gilts; also few registered Poll Hereford bull calves, ready for service. At my farm, lower Charlie road, R. O. Harvey.

WANTED TO BUY—15 horses, between 5 and 6 years old; from 1100 to 1400 pounds; 15.1 to 16.2 hands high. See O. E. Nelson at 725 Staley Bldg., or Sergeant Lancaster at National Guard stable, north end Van Buren street.

FOR SALE—Litter of registered greyhound pups. Papers furnished. J. P. Stone, Foard City, Texas.

43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Turkeys, giant bronzes with golden back; one and two-year-old toms, and a few young hens. Also thoroughbred Toulouse geese. Verse Farm, 7 miles out Petrolia road.

43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

THOROUGHBRED Rhode Island cockerels, Coffman strain. H. J. Bruce, Seymour road. Phone 9694.

FOR SALE—Few choice White Leghorn hens at $1 each. Phone 2-2280.

SIXTY-FIVE White Leghorn hens for sale; first house west of High-Line Filling station, Iowa Park road. Mrs. Houston Hodges.

FOR SALE — Eighteen Silver-Spangled Hamburg chickens cheap. 1114 Marion Ave.

44. DOGS

HOSPITAL AND boarding kennel, Henrietta road; general practice. Drs. Lacey & Gardner, phone 4464.

DR. FRED GROSS, veterinarian, formerly assistant state veterinarian; hospital, boarding, bathing. Phone 5900. 1605 Lamar.

46. FEED

BUNDLE FEED for sale. M. J. Bruce, Seymour road. Phone 9694.

51. REPAIRING

QUICK SERVICE furniture repair. Work guaranteed. 1508½ Broad. Phone 7990.

52. MOVING AND STORAGE

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

HEAVY EQUIPPED moving company in Southwest Texas. White Transfer & Storage. Phone 5365-5358.

53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

PLUMBING, repairing. Moore Plumbing Co. Phone 9300.

PLUMBING, David Black. Work guaranteed. Phone 2044.

54. SPECIAL NOTICES

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CALL 2-1961 for good fertilizer, sand, for plowing and yard work.

"FLU" ARRUM $1; protect yourself. Dr. Brevoort, 727½ Indiana Ave.

56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

DESIGNING and remodeling hats. Mrs. R. L. Budiong, hemstitching 5c. 921 Scott, phone 3-2447.

RIBBERLINE, hemstitching 5c yard; special prices on dressmaking. Phone 6921.

PLAIN SEWING, reasonable; work guaranteed. 2007 Avenue O.

ALBITZ SHOP—Special prices in dressmaking, hemstitching 5c; buttons covered. Rhinestone settings. 706 Tenth; phone 6974.

58. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

PAPERHANGING and painting, prices reasonable. Phone Thomas, 3-1667.

60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

"INVEST IN REST"
Buy better bedding, mattress renovating a specialty. One-day service, furniture taken in payment. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9920.

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

62. RUG CLEANING

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

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

63. FINANCIAL

AUTOMOBILE LOANS—Prompt service. Refinance your car for longer and easier payments. 903 Lamar. Phone 2-4949.

FARM, ranch loans, 5 per cent. Hendricks 408 Perkins-Snider. Phone 9092.

LOANS MADE on Wichita Falls real estate. Terms or monthly payments. 218 Staley building. Phone 2-2787.

64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BUS LINE for sale. Address box 103, care Times.

CAFE AT A bargain, take some trade. 503 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Midway filling station, very reasonably priced. Phone 2SF11.

NICE LITTLE GROCERY STORE
Nicely located, cash business, low rent, near three schools. Scarcely any fixtures; absolutely clear. Trade for enclosed car. Will assume some debt. No junk wanted. A. A. Vernon, City View store, Iowa Park road.

FOR SALE—Domino parlor doing good business in town 7,000 population in Wichita county; rent reasonable. Write Box 2, Care Times.

68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

AUTOS FOR SALE—Chevrolet truck for $250; Ford truck for $100; in running order. Keystone Pipe & Supply Co.

1927 CHEVROLET coupe, good condition. Must sell by Saturday. Phone 2-1262.

1927 FORD, PICK-UP, excellent condition, cheap. Phone 6181, station 82, or call 1607 Travis.

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102. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Co., Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held in the office of the company on Tuesday, January 8, 1929, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting. James Howard Secretary-Treasurer

CITY POUND NOTICE—Taken up and impounded by the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, under the provisions of ordinance No. 461, to prevent certain stock running at large: One bay horse about 6 years old, about 14 hands high, long mane and tail, sear on left hind leg, white hind foot, spot in forehead. Dog branded. If the owner of said animal does not apply for same within five days from the date of this notice, I will proceed to sell said animal to the highest bidder for cash at the gate of the city pound, as provided in ordinance first aforesaid.—W. J. Tucker, city pound keeper. Dated: Jan. 1, 1929.

LEGAL NOTICES

NO. 756—Notice by guardian for application for mineral lease for real estate of ward. In re: guardianship of the estate of Geneva McCarty, a minor. Notice is hereby given that I, Annie V. McCarty, guardian of the estate of Geneva McCarty, a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the county judge of Wichita county, Texas, authorizing me, as guardian of the estate of said ward, to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct, or the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said ward, to-wit: An undivided 1-32nd interest in and to the following described land in Wichita county, Texas, being 17.000 acres of land out of the E. McCarty Sr. farm, out of the W. R. Hayes survey, abstract No. 447, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point in a fence line separating the E. McCarty farm, located in the W. R. Hayes survey, abstract 447, and the John and Jeff Waggoner farm, located in the G. C. & S. F. survey No. 1, abstract 722, said point being a 20d stake denoting the northeast corner of an oil and gas lease of 40 acres, more or less, owned by W. F. Hamilton, et al, said stake identified and acknowledged by said parties as their corner, and more particularly located at 1,804 feet east of the fence line established as the east line of the E. D. Fowler survey, abstract 76, Wichita county, Texas; thence south 20 degrees east with east line said 40-acre tract 605.1 feet to their southeast corner on bank of Wichita river; thence with the following meanders: North 66 degrees, 11 minutes east 179 feet; north 67 degrees, 30 minutes east 720.7 feet; south 76 degrees, 45 minutes east 136.4 feet to stake in fence line on bank of river; thence north 2 degrees, 45 minutes west 1284.1 feet to stake, fence for corner; thence south 89 degrees, 35 minutes west along fence 1849 feet to an angle in fence; thence west with fence 781.66 feet to place of beginning, containing 17.005 acres. Said application will be heard by the county judge at the courthouse in the city of Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, on the 12th day of January, A. D., 1929. Dated this the 2nd day of January, A. D., 1929.—Annie V. McCarty, guardian of the estate of Geneva McCarty, a minor.

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LEASE BIDDERS TAKE ACTION

Attorney Seeks to Force Sale of University Lands

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terest of the state can and will be properly protected by legal methods which I propose to pursue, as the occasion demands."

Robison was in a talkative mood today.

"I guess I will not be able to see you boys for a few days beginning tomorrow, unless you are obliged to ask me some specific question," he told reporters in announcing that he would devote his time to preparation of an answer to the injunction and ask its dissolution.

Details of Conference

He talked freely of the controversy and gave many details of his conferences with the governor, attorney general, and board of regents in connection with the effort that was made to get him to postpone sales of the leases.

"I despise acrimonious controversy and for these to get into the newspapers is nauseauting to me," he said. "Why the other night at home I got my pencil and started writing a statement giving my side of the controversy and detailing what took place, but decided it was silly and threw my pad into the fire.

"I am 67 years old and in all my life and through all my political campaigns I have never taken offense publicly at the meanest, ugliest things that were said about me. I have always had a friendly feeling towards the other fellow.

Defies Accusers

"But, if they want me to get my fighting clothes on just let them infer that there is something wrong about my position in this land lease matter and that the big oil companies have a string on me."

He read from letters he had received from large oil companies beseeching him to postpone the sale of the oil leases.

"The big oil companies are on the other side of the controversy," he said.

He said he believed that if bids received by him were opened, bonuses offered likely would prove to the legislature the efficiency of the present leasing law and cause it to spurn the movement now on foot to amend or repeal it.

"If the regents are given absolute power to handle the leasing of this land they will be forced to set up an expensive organization," he said. "The constitution requires that all records with reference to public lands be placed in the archives of the general land office, and they would be forced to comply."

Values May Drop

Reiterating belief that it was unwise to halt the sale of the leases, Robison said wells now are drilling on land adjacent to some of the tracts offered, and that if they should prove to be "dry holes" within 10 days from now "you could not get 10 cents an acre" for the leases.

Robison declared Governor Moody in attempting to get him to postpone the lease sale, had threatened him with investigation by the legislature. He quoted the governor as saying that unless he postponed the sale he would withdraw all co-operation of the governor's office with Robison's department.

"I merely told him that would be nothing new, since my department had never been able to obtain co-operation with his office," he said.

Members of the attorney general's department said later that Robison was in conference today with Judge Calhoun, who issued the injunction, but Robison did not refer to such a meeting.

The land disagreement arose when Texas University Regent R. L. Holliday of El Paso, asking a special session of the legislature for repeal of an act under which Robison proposed leasing the acreage, asserted the institution might get no more than $3 an acre on land whose mineral rights were worth, he declared, $10,000 an acre.

ROBISON "CLEARED" BY HAMILTON

Commenting on the sale of the university oil leases by Land Commissioner J. T. Robison on Wednesday, W. B. Hamilton of this city, chairman of the oil and gas bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Thursday issued a statement which he said was "in fairness to Mr. Robison." This statement was issued by Mr. Hamilton also in view of the fact that this bureau has been opposed to the sale of these leases in such large quantities at this time, the bureau contending that it is a conservation measure to delay the sales.

Believes in Repeal

Mr. Hamilton's statement follows:

"In all fairness to Land Commissioner Robison the public should know, while we do not agree with him in his views on the sale of these leases, that his work is of a ministerial nature and the legal side should be determined by the legal department of this state. We believe that the law of 1925 should be repealed and a new law passed in its place. In this we believe the vast majority of the people in this state will agree. But, there are other laws which are equally in need of being repealed as this one, which governs the leases on university lands, one of which instructs the land commissioner to issue permits to drill for oil and gas in navigable streams.

Permits Refused

"The suit of the attorney general on the so-called navigable streams of the North Fork of the Red river, after two Austin citizens had filed on the river bed for drilling permits was not at the instance of the commissioner of the land office. On the other hand he refused to issue any permits on this so-called navigable stream. The public should also be advised that the commissioner refused the application of Trigg and others to file on the Whittenburg land and issued a statement that no vacancy existed on this land. This suit is brought by the attorney general's department itself and is not based on a permit having been granted by the commissioner of the general land office. It is his contention that no vacancy existed there."

Today { At the Theaters

MAJESTIC: Lou Tellegen and five acts Interstate vaudeville. On the screen: Adolphe Menjou in "His Private Life." Comedy, Paramount news.

STRAND: Madge Bellamy and Barry Norton in "Mother Knows Best," a sound picture. Three vitaphone vaudeville acts. Pathe news.

OLYMPIC: Sid Chaplin in "Skirts." Comedy. Fox news. On the stage: Honey Hank Harris in musical comedy.

MISSION: "Beauty and Bullets." Serial. Comedy.

GEM: "Captain Careless." Western. Comedy.

Saturday will be the last day of Madge Bellamy in "Mother Knows Best" at the Strand.

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Sunday will see the opening of an unusual show at the home of the talkies here in "Submarine," a Jack Holt picture of the sea.

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Adolphe Menjou in "His Private Life" appears in another great role.

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Fanny Brice's great talkie, "My Man," is due at the Strand soon. The exact date of this presentation has not been announced, but it will be eagerly awaited. Fanny Brice is one of the greatest attractions the vaudeville and legitimate stages ever had. She never liked the movies and wouldn't go in for the movies until the talkies came along. According to the big league critics of the East, Miss Brice has scored a greater success in the talkies than she ever did on the stage.

Funeral Services Saturday at 2:30 For Wichita Falls School Girl

Funeral services for Edith Earline Stuckey, 14, who died at the family home, 2012 Taft street, Thursday morning, will be held at the Floral Heights Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Survivors of Miss Stuckey are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stuckey; a sister, Miss Ruth Nathalee Stuckey; Mr and Mrs. W. A. Stuckey, grandparents; Clyde Stuckey, an uncle; Mrs. Warren Sparks and Mrs. Grace Higgins, aunts, all of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Clyde Fisher, Mrs. L. C. Turner and Mrs. W. B. Thompson, aunts, all of Tulsa, Okla. The last three named are expected to arrive Friday for the funeral.

Active pallbearers will be P. O. Jett, George Truitt, S. M. Gose Jr., C. M. Goodwin, M. T. Clements and George Winburne.

The following were named as honorary pallbearers: W. B. Chauncey, P. B. Cox, Otto Stehlik, C. E. McCutchen, Horrace Robbins, W. W. Richardson Jr., R. H. Collier, H. W. Whitney, Dan Boone; T. L. Looney, W. E. Forgy, John P. Fleming, J. F. Hayes, Frank Powers, all of Archer City; Misses Ida Jane of Archer City; Misses Ida Jane Collins, Ella Mae Underwood, Mattie Lee Underwood, Davida Olinger who were Miss Stuckey's teachers in the high school; Mrs. C. M. Goodwin, and members of Mary Martha Sunday school class of the Floral Heights Methodist church; members of Mrs. W. L. Calvert's division of the "Rainbow Girls."

Services will be conducted by Dr. E. R. Barcus, pastor of the Floral Heights Methodist church, and Dr. S. S. McKenney, pastor of the First Methodist church. Interment will be in Rosemont cemetery.

Wichita Falls

Folks, Facts, Fancies

Scout Leaders Return

Frank Creighton, Boy Scout executive, and Harry James, field worker for the organization, have returned from Dallas where they held a conference with James Fitch, regional director for the scouts.

Five Periods Listed In KGKO Program

Five periods of one hour each during the day which were recently allotted to station KGKO are being devoted chiefly to programs of phonograph reproductions, it was announced at the radio offices Thursday.

Selections of band music, orchestral renditions of popular airs, sacred and classical music, both vocal and instrumental, will be included, it was said. The temporary schedule for day time programs was announced as follows:

8 a. m. to 9 a. m.—Band; instrumental and vocal classical numbers.
10 a. m. to 11 a. m.—Sacred and classical selections, vocal and instumental.
12 noon to 1 p. m.—Luncheon program, orchestral.
3 p. m. to 4 p. m.—Matinee program.
5 p. m. to 6 p. m.—Pipe organ; late release records.

The program for Friday night was given as follows:

7 to 8—Little Rovers' orchestra.
8 to 8:30—Honey Boy and Sassafras.
8:30 to 9—George Taylor.
9 to 10—Zack and Glenn.

STRAW BLAZES TWICE

One little bunch of straw in an old frame shack between the railway viaduct and the bridge over the Wichita river on Ohio street blazed up twice Thursday night. The fire alarms were about an hour apart, and the damage in each case was negligible.

GRAIN CROPS IN GOOD SHAPE

Farmers Prepare Land For New Plantings

Winter wheat and oats, planted early last fall and comprising a large acreage in Wichita county, are in good condition and promise better than average yield next spring if favored with even normal rainfall during the next few weeks, according to G. C. McGown, county farm demonstrator.

The soil has retained a fair degree of moisture, according to Mr. McGown, and should afford satisfactory growth for the winter plant of small grain for some time yet, but additional rains will be needed soon to give the crops a maximum chance for heavy yield, it was said.

Many large tracts are in readiness for sowing of spring wheat and oats, Mr. McGown said, which will begin during the latter part of January. Farmers all over the county were said to be preparing considerable acreage for cotton, sorghum and other row crops, and are finding the ground in very good condition at this time. It was estimated that the amount of feed grown in the county this year would show a considerable increase over past years, due partially to the great increase in the number of cows being milked by farmers generally over the territory.

Miss Hall to Receive Notary Applications

Applications for appointment as notary public should be mailed at once to the clerk's office in the court house, Miss Elizabeth Hall, county clerk, announced Thursday. The applications are sent through the office to Austin for the action of the state legislature, she explained.

The names of the notaries public already appointed are already listed for a renewed application this year, she said, but all new applicants must send in their names and addresses. The county has about 800 qualified notaries public, according to her records. Each appointee must make a bond and must pay a $2 qualifying fee.

Deaths

WANDA JOLINE GOMER

Funeral services were held Thursday for Wanda Joline Gomer, 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Gomer, 2218 Princeton street. The services were from the Merkle Undertaking parlor and burial was in Rosemont cemetery.

MRS. ROBERT BLACK

Funeral services were held in Fort Worth Sunday for Mrs. Robert Black, mother of Mrs. Grady Taylor of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Black died in Fort Worth Dec. 24, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor went there from Wichita Falls for the funeral. They returned home Thursday.

MRS. MARY J. HENRY

The body of Mrs. Mary J. Henry, 78, who died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Stephens, 1652 Pearl street, will be forwarded by the Hines mortuary to Altus, Okla., at 7:15 o'clock Saturday morning. Funeral services will be held there at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and burial will be in the Altus cemetery.

MRS. ZERA DONAHOE

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Jan. 3—Mrs. Zera Donahoe, age 31, of Electra, Texas, died Monday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Briscoe, five miles northeast of Altus, following an illness of several days.

Mrs. Donahoe came here to spend the holidays with her parents, and while here became ill with influenza which later developed into pneumonia.

Funeral arrangements have been postponed awaiting word from other relatives.

She is survived by her parents and seven children.

First Winter Storm Claims Many Lives

PARIS, Jan. 3. (UP)—Many deaths were reported today as Southern Europe, particularly France, struggled against the first severe storms of the winter.

Trains were delayed, shipping impeded and many roads and mountain passes made impassable by rains and snows which, in most instances, were accompanied by high, violent winds. Four persons died of the cold in Paris and two deaths were reported from Lyon.

VARIETY IN "ROSE MARIE"

Comedy Mixed With Plenty Romance

"Rose Marie," one of the most prosperous musical plays in years, will be presented for the first time in Wichita Falls Monday night at the Memorial auditorium.

In the pit there will be a special orchestra of solo musicians to play the popular tunes by Rudolph Friml and Herbert Stothart. These include, of course, "Rose Marie," and "The Indian Love Call."

Described as a musical melodrama, "Rose Marie" is the work of Oscar Hammerstein II and Otto Harbach. It is a romantic story of the great northwest, where the little French-Canadian girl, Rose Marie La Flamme, meets and loves the engaging, irresponsible Jim Kenyon, who is unjustly accused of murder.

There is said to be an abundance of comedy in this production, as well as a large variety of catchy songs. And the dances include the new famous "Totem-Pole" number.

Paul Donah has the role of Jim Kenyon and Virginia Fox is cast as Rose Marie. Others in the company include Charles Meakins, Mira Nirska, Houston Richards, Peggy Pates, Sano Marco, Daisy Gibson, Ross Gibson and Russell Griswold.

10c—GEM—15c

Today and Saturday—BUZZ BARTON in "THE YOUNG WHIRLWIND." Chapter 4 of "Pirates of the Pines" "They All Fall," comedy

10c-Mission-20c

Today and Saturday
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NO FUNDS

So Hijackers Get Nothing When Dusky Gent Is Held Up

Two white men were arrested by police Thursday night after a negro reported he had been hijacked.

"How much money did these white boys get from you?" police asked the colored boy.

"Nothin a-tall, suh," said the negro. "You see, Ah is broke and without funds."

The men arrested are being investigated by the officers.

SCHOOL HOUSE AT DEAN BURNS

Fire Damages New Building And Destroys Equipment

Special to The Record News.

HENRIETTA, Texas, Jan. 3—The school building at Dean, Texas, 18 miles northwest of here, burned last night with an estimated loss of $7,000. Origin of the fire was undetermined.

Included in the loss was equipment valued at $2,000 which was to have been moved into a new brick school building, located close by, next week. Fire from the wooden structure badly damaged the new building, which was only recently completed, it was reported here.

Tellegen Heads Vaudeville Bill

By The Record News Critic

Lou Tellegen is such a good actor and does such excellent work in headlining the present vaudeville bill at the Majestic theater that he makes the rest of the bill look like an amateur performance. And that is not panning the other acts on the bill, for they are good. It is simply stating a fact ts to the marvelous acting ability and appearance of the talented star of the stage and screen.

Eve Casanova and Dilion Deasy appear with Mr. Tellegen in "Drinks For Three," a tense dramatic sketch. After the act, Mr. Tellegen makes a short talk which goes over like a million dollars and makes everyone like him.

Dorris Rue and her "Sugarfoot Strut" go over well, as does the work of Happy Roy Thomas, her accompanist. Happy used to live here and is known to many Wichitans.

Polly and Oz do mighty well with their comedy despite a bad cold Oz fights in a praiseworthy effort to make the audience laugh. Herbert Fay and company, songs and dance, and Wulff and Jerome, tumblers, complete the vaudeville. The movie is Adolphe Menjou in "His Private Life," and it is a great little picture.

Police Find Auto Stolen at Midland

Co-operation between a citizen and the police Thursday night led to the recovery of a coupe which is believed by police to have been stolen from Midland, Texas. It had been stripped of spare tires and minor accessories and was standing at Sixth and Travis when John Lowrey, motorcycle officer, investigated it. The car was brought to the police station to await the owner.

Drug Victim Goes to Jail To Break Habit—Now Regrets Trade

Enlisting the services of the sheriff's office, the constable's department, and R. V. Gwinn, justice of the peace, a melancholy youth, desirous of being cured of the drug habit, had himself put in jail Thursday. It happened this way:

Chief Deputy H. M. Hawkins looked up from his ledger to find the wistful eyes of the would-be prisoner turned upon him.

"How long," the man began, "would my sentence be if I pleaded guilty to vagrancy?"

Mr. Hawkins judged it would last from 10 to 12 days.

"Well, I'm a vag, all right," the aspirant went on, hopefully.

Mr. Hawkins decided the man must be hard up for food.

"Hungry?" he asked him.

"No, I want to get off the hop," the eager candidate for imprisonment explained. "If they shut me up I can't get it. I'll be ready to take my sentence in a little while."

He walked away, and in his wanderings reached the office of Constable Frank Morgan down stairs. Mr. Morgan also was willing to oblige. In accommodating mood, he took his willing charge before Judge R. V. Gwinn and accused him of vagrancy.

"Anything to oblige," says the judge and sticks him ten days.

So far everybody happy. But Mr. Morgan was called to Burkburnett on official business late Thursday afternoon and on the bulletin board in his office were the words that the happy prisoner has already had enough and pines for the open road again. Deputies were wondering just what nice legal points are involved in the question, and waiting to see if the machinery will work as smoothly in getting him out as it operated welcoming him in.

Principal Clue in Death of U. T. Student Collapses After Inquiry

AUSTIN, Jan. 3. (AP)—The possible connection of a blood stained automobile with the unsolved death of Lawrence Lumsden, former Texas university student, 10 days ago, was removed today when officers found that the machine was stained in a fight between four boys and a bootlegger they had visited the night Lumsden was shot.

Lumsden's body was found in another automobile. A pistol was close to his hand. The coroner's verdict was that Lumsden had been shot by some one "unknown."

Elimination of the other car from the case resulted from questioning of a university student.

J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center, who has gained a reputation as a criminal tracker, said tonight that he has reached no conclusion in the case, which he is investigating at request of the boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lumsden of Wilson.

Temperature Here Is Above Freezing

The thermometer dropped from 55 degrees above zero at 5 o'clock to 40 above at 10 o'clock Thursday evening, and remained at 40 until early Friday morning.

Meantime the weather forecast for Friday, as carried from the weather headquarters at Dallas by the Associated Press, indicated cloudy weather with probably showers for Friday, and possibly colder weather for Saturday.

A fog made the lights in the business district of the city seem bleary early Friday morning, and the sky was heavily hung with clouds.

25,000 Cases of Grippe In Monterrey, Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 3. (AP)—A dispatch to El Universal today from Monterey stated that there were 25,000 cases of la grippe in the city, that 90 per cent of the school children were ill and that schools, theaters and all other public meeting places had been closed.

Woman Who Killed Husband Is Pardoned

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 3. (AP)—Mrs. Myrtle Schaude, Whitewater, Wis., woman who went to prison in 1924 for the poisoning of her husband and attempts upon the life of her children, today was granted a conditional pardon and parole by Governor Zimmerman.

The poisoning of her husband climaxed a love affair Mrs. Schaude had with Ernest Kafahl, a boarder at the Schaude home.

Rites at Altus For Sam Sloan

Funeral services will be held at Altus Saturday for San Sloan, who was killed in an airplane crash at Colorado on New Year's day. Harvey Sloan, a brother, will arrive in Altus with the body from Midland Saturday morning.

Mrs. W. E. Huff of Wichita Falls will go to Altus with Mrs. C. C. Hartong Jr., a sister of the deceased for the services.

SMALL FIRE

Defective wiring caused a small blaze at 2205 Shepherd street Thursday night. No damage was reported.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

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