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Kidnapers Left Milne on Road Like This



When Caleb Jones Milne 4th was found lying in the darkness by a roadside near Lahaska, Pa., where he evidently had been hurled from a speeding car by the abductors who had kept him prisoner for five days, this is how he appeared—tape over eyes and mouth, his overcoat loosely tied around his shoulders, knees and ankles bound, sockless and with only one shoe on. A newspaper reporter posed for this re-enactment of Milne's plight.

NEW BRIDGE ON PARKER CREEK ABOUT FINISHED

WPA Project Uses
Fifty Men on New
Bridge and Fills

Structure of the wooden bridge that is being built across Parker Creek northeast of the city is rapidly taking shape.

Fifty men are working at the bridge every day, and it is thought that the construction will have been completed within a week. Eight WPA workmen are working on the "dump" or "fill" the approach to the bridge.

The structure, when completed, (Continued on Page 8)

LOCAL PTA TO BE ON RADIO

Local Bodies Will
Participate in
PTA Radio Series

According to advices received from Mrs. J. E. Griggs, Eighth District president of the Parent-Teachers Association, the Memphis P.T.A. bodies will participate in the regular series of programs being broadcast each Thursday over Station KGNC at Amarillo.

Representatives from the three (Continued on Page 3)

CYCLONE SQUAD TO BANQUET

Mothers of Team to
Give Banquet for
Squad Men Tonight

Lettermen and squadmen of the Memphis High School Cyclone Football team will be honored by their mothers tonight with a banquet, to be given at the Memphis Country Club at 7:00 o'clock.

All Cyclone members, football coaches and invited guests will attend. Coach Chesty Walker might leave tonight for Pasadena, Cal. (Continued on Page 8.)

EMPLOYABLES BEING DROPPED

Relief Offices Close
January First Says
State Director

AUSTIN, Dec. 27.—Names of all employables were being eliminated from rolls of the Texas Relief Commission this week as officials prepared to close all district administrative offices January 1, it was announced today by Adam R. Johnson, state director.

Johnson said relief grants will be made after January 1 only to families of unemployables—those who will not, for various reasons, be employed by the Works Progress Administration and other federal agencies operating public works projects.

Limited relief funds will be available, it was estimated, until April 1, at which time it is expected all money will have been granted and the relief organization discontinued.

Counties were requested to submit by December 20 lists of unemployables to be used as the basis for distribution of the remain- (Continued on Page 8)

Promotion Makes Him NEC Head



With the resignation of Frank C. Walker, Lyle C. Anderson (above), who had been solicitor of the National Emergency Council, was named acting executive director by President Roosevelt.

WORK BEGUN ON TAX SURVEY IN HALL COUNTY

Name Judge Hoffman
Manager of WPA
Rural Tax Survey

A. C. Hoffman, past county judge and former relief administrator of Hall County, received notice yesterday of his appointment as manager of the government WPA rural tax survey in Hall County.

Holt Bownds, county tax collector and assessor, had been acting as temporary county manager until a permanent supervisor could be named.

Preliminary survey work began here this morning. Ten WPA workers have been assigned by the NRS office to assist in the survey.

The rural tax survey is a state-wide project and is being carried forward under the direction of the State Tax Board; it is financed by \$2,644,000 of Work Progress Administration funds.

It is designed to provide employment for 4,184 persons now on the relief rolls, most of them (Continued on Page 3)

MAY RECEIVE N. Y. A. PROJECT

Local College Center
May be Instituted
If Plans Mature

Calvin Hazelwood, district National Youth Administration representative from the district headquarters in Lubbock, was a visitor in Memphis today, conferring with Frank S. Ebevins, NRS clerk, Supt. W. C. Davis and Hall County officials.

Mr. Hazelwood is interested in securing WPA jobs for all Hall County youths between the ages of 16 and 25 who are on relief before the National Reemployment Service local office closes January 1.

Mr. Hazelwood was also trying this morning to resurrect plans whereby Memphis might be given a freshman college center.

OFFICERS MEET TO PLAN FOR POULTRY SHOW

Ask Poultry Fanciers
to Complete Plans
for January Show

A meeting of the recently-elected officials of the Hall County Poultry Association and interested poultry fanciers of the county is to be held in the courthouse tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Object of the meeting is to make final plans for the mid-January poultry show that is to be held here. The show is to be the first staged in recent years. Plans are being laid to make the show a success in every way and to revive interest in the poultry industry in the county.

Entries will not be confined to Hall County poultrymen alone but may be made from any place within a radius of 20 miles of Memphis. No cash prizes are to be given at the show. Local business. (Continued on Page 3)

MUST REPOOL CERTIFICATES

Today the Last Day
Certificates May
Enter Special Pool

Today is the last day for repooling the surplus 1934 and 1935 government tax exemption certificates by county cotton producers in the special pool created by the federal government.

Only about 60 per cent of the cotton growers in Hall County have repooled their cotton tags. John Myers, assistant county agricultural agent, stated this morning. Several of the farmers in the county have reported that about 95 per cent of the farmers in their sections have repooled their exemption certificates.

The reason for the smaller per- (Continued on Page 3)

JUSTICE COURT IS BUSY PLACE

Holiday Grist Keeps
Mill of Justice
Busily Grinding

Business boomed yesterday in the Precinct No. 1 justice court. Christmas celebration, coupled with bad whiskey, kept local officers busy hauling in drunks and men charged with affray.

Of the 20 men who appeared before Justice of the Peace W. L. Wheat yesterday, half of them pleaded guilty to fighting, Mr. Wheat said.

"It's the bad whiskey they are getting," Mr. Wheat said in explaining the large number to be arrested for fighting.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; rain in south-east tonight; warmer in east tonight and southeast Saturday.



Ed Foxhall bowl five straight "strikes" yesterday afternoon, to top the list of local bowlers for the week. A "strike" in bowling is equivalent to a "home run" in baseball.

Raymond Powers complaining because Santa Claus didn't bring him that big pencil that he asked for.

John Clark wearing a big "M" sweater with four service stripes on the sleeve.

Norma Ruth Cole telling everybody who would listen all about the advantages of T.W.C. We wonder which one of the government agencies the T.W.C. is, anyway? The name seems familiar, but we can't place it just at the moment.

Tommie Mae Boren, Ruby Lee Stinger, Wendell Harrison and Cearley Read Kinard telling everybody in town about the "Sun Bowl." It seems that the Sun Bowl is a football stadium at El Paso. It also appears that all the above mentioned persons attend Hardin-Simmons University, and that the latter's football team has been invited to play in the Sun Bowl on New Year's day.

Which reminds us that Estelline should start a "Sand Bowl." If they did, maybe Memphis might get invited to play down there next year if they improve a bit.

Puty "Sandstorm" Williams of Lakeview hail two local citizens into court yesterday for matching quarters. Wonder if they ever match any quarters at Lakeview, and if they do, if "Sandstorm" is ever around to arrest them.

A little boy about six years old on Bradford Street yesterday, wearing a cowboy suit and swinging a lasso. We asked him if Santa Claus brought him the outfit, and he said "H—I no, my old man gimme it."

A person on the south side yesterday pull that clever remark about "Christmas Gift . . . give it here." Gee, some folks are sure original.

Doc Hicks quite indignant because Doc Odom accused him of stealing the latter's cow.

Which reminds us that Chief Bill Huddleston also got on his ear yesterday when we mistook him for Doc Odom. But, then, to prove we weren't far wrong, he told us about one time some woman mistook him for Doc and began telling him what a sorry doctor he was.

Some of the Democrat force take advantage of the publisher while he is ill, and have his car washed. So far, the car apparently hasn't caught cold.

The same bunch of guys taking tickets at the Country Club dance the other night that tend the door at the Legion dances. We wonder if Morgensen and Drake have a monopoly on this racket.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Mundy in a local dry goods store the other day shouting at each other at the top of their voices. At least we thought they were shouting, but a clerk told us they talk that way all the time.

Zeb Moore, E. N. Hodgins, Tommie Potts and other local business men carrying calendars around to business establishments in the city this morning.

A Brilliant Play, But . . .



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The Democrat may not always be right in the stand it takes; it may not always be wise in standing for what it believes; but, right or wrong, wise or unwise, the Democrat will stand for the things it believes are for the welfare of the community.

PRESIDENT APPEALS TO MOTORISTS

RECOGNIZING the fact that automobile accidents today constitute one of the gravest menaces confronting the country, President Roosevelt, in the January issue of The Reader's Digest, issues an appeal to the motoring public to help remedy the situation.

His message, in full, is as follows:

"Accidents constitute one of our gravest national problems. To reduce their numbers, I have appointed a committee under Secretary Roper and Senator Moore, and this committee is making a national study in the interest of preserving life and property.

"Fortunately, through wide dissemination of articles and other information depicting the horrors of reckless driving, the facts have been made vivid to millions of motorists. To them I make a personal appeal, for the solution of the problem must finally depend upon all of us as motorists.

"Let us but work to make the New Year safer and it will be safer.

Pledging ourselves, and our families, to avoid carelessness, discourtesy and recklessness on our highways, we can put a stop to thousands of sudden deaths."

When the President of the United States realizes the appalling annual toll of auto accidents, doesn't it seem foolish for the average motorist to say to himself: "Oh, that applies to the other fellow. Of course, I drive fast, but nothing like that will ever happen to me?"

Mr. Motorist, will you not make the pledge that the President suggests, to the end that the thousands of dead and maimed people may be reduced during the coming year?

Why not head your New Year's Resolutions with this one . . . and let it be one of them you will keep for the coming year.

You are horrified at the spectacle of Italy killing thousands of Ethiopians, but you and your car, if you are a reckless driver, are more destructive than all the tanks and airplanes on the battle front.

BEHIND THE SCENE IN WASHINGTON

By RODNEY DUTCHER
N. E. A. Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON — With humility which most lawyers is becoming to a layman, suggested that many of the attorneys have long been behind that fed them and the hand now has bitten back.
More than 2500 suits have been filed against the government as a result of New Deal legislation. You were to guess that the average cost of fighting such cases and through the supreme court was \$50,000 (some cost less than that, some more than that), you could that there was a possible 600,000—mostly in legal fees for the lawyers of the government scramble for.

Anyway, that's the idea, though the figures may be eyed.

Now comes the government through Attorney General Homer S. Cummings, in a move that is likely to take millions of fees out of their reach. With 50 widely scattered suits against the public utility companies act and the threat more, Cummings asked the district court here to hold the thing until the government get a U. S. Supreme Court decision on its main case, the Electric Bond & Share Co. "Of course," said Cummings, "many attorneys will be financially disappointed."

What he meant was that attorneys would be financially agonized. For the big money in these cases comes from the in the circuit courts of appeal and the supreme court. His plea was calculated to hit the hearts of some of the biggest and best corporations in New York, Washington, Philadelphia, and other places.

There's some heavy gas going on here because this is the first time an attorney general ever appeared in a mere court, because this was the time the government he fought back in such a manner against a myriad of laws because Cummings made a precedent promise that the federal district courts were deny his plea, the government would let the utilities go on with their injunctions they liked contest while it kept coming on the Electric Bond & Share case.

It was a bad shock for the holding companies. Spokesmen had been boasting the government would have together with them and a four or five suits as test cases.

Those lawyers were explaining why, since they sided the act be voided constitutional in its own straight clear-cut test case had in a case involving known and most widespread company.

John C. Higgins, of the famous and expensive Wall Street firm of Sullivan & Crandall, even told the court it had no right to do any such thing as so many aspersions against some of the utility companies. The geniuses of New York in "doming down to the earth" and saying the wrong thing.

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will give suitable premiums to assist in making the success. Location of the and other particulars will be later.
Ewen, Memphis, is president of the Hall County Poultry Association, and Riley W. Carl, Memphis, is secretary.

Just Repool—

Continued from page 1)

of Hall County farmers is ascribed to the fact

that this county is producing considerable late cotton.

Several farmers in this section were hasty in repooling their tax exemption certificates. They underestimated their yield for this year, and they now find themselves with cotton to gin and no tags to cover the government tax. Consequently they are having to hold their cotton on purchase tags.

Local PTA To—

(Continued from page 1)

local organizations will be on the program to be broadcast Thursday, January 16, at 2:30 p.m.

Other nearby cities which will participate in the broadcasts are

as follows: Childress, January 9; McLean, March 5; Samnorwood, April 30; Lakeview, May 21; Wellington, May 28.

Work Begun On—

(Continued from page 1)

"white collar" workers.

Aims of the survey, as set forth by sponsors of the project, are the discovery of land now escaping taxation, the elimination of duplicate assessments, and the classification of lands with reference to their productivity in order to establish a basis of fair evaluation for tax purposes.

Get it at Tarver's



Cellophane wrapped
in paper bags
Keeps it FRESH!
ADMIRATION Coffee
BUY THIS PACKAGE AND SAVE THE DIFFERENCE

PRE- INVENTORY

FOOD Sale!

We want to get out of as much work as possible in taking inventory so we are offering values unheard of in order to clear our shelves of stock.

FLOUR		
KON'S BEST		
100 lbs. ---	\$2.10	
48 lbs. ---	\$1.05	
WESTERN		
48 lbs. ---	\$1.85	
24 lbs. ---	95c	

8 lbs.	\$1.05
48 lbs.	\$6.15
Great West, 20 lbs.	49c
10 lbs.	29c
10c package	6c
as, pintoes, 100 lbs.	\$3.75
20 lbs.	79c
isins, 4-lb. package	25c
ffee, Schilling, 2 lbs.	55c
1 lb.	29c
lger's Coffee, 2 lbs.	58c
1 lb.	29c

MOTHERS	
COCOA	
2-LB. PACKAGE	15c

Admiration Coffee, 3 lbs.	83c
1 lb.	29c
ffee, Bright & Early, 3 lbs.	57c
1 lb.	19c
ffee, Arbuckle, 8 lbs.	\$1.00
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rn, Case of 24 No. 2 cans	\$1.90
comalt, large can	35c
pcorn, Jolly Time, can	11c
oe Polish, Jet-Oil	10c

SPUDS	
100 LBS.	PECK
\$1.50	25c

CANE		
SUGAR		
100 LBS.	25 LBS.	10 LBS.
\$5.00	\$1.39	55c

Mustard, quart jars	11c
Pickles, quart, sour	15c
Pepper, black, 1 lb.	25c
Syrup, sorghum, gallon	59c
Ribbon Cane, gallon	59c
Syrup, Mary Jane, gallon	49c
Oranges, 2 dozen	25c
Apples, Delicious, dozen	25c
Lemons, dozen	25c
Cocanuts, 2 for	15c
Grapefruit, dozen	35c

BULK	
APPLES	
BUSHEL	\$1.00

Walnuts, pound	15c
Celery, stalk	10c
Lettuce, head	5c
Turnips, bulk, lb.	3c
Steak, lb.	15c
Roast, Rib, 2 lb.	25c
Sausage, pound	20c
Bologna, 2 pounds	35c
Weiners, 2 pounds	35c
Bacon, sliced, pound	29c
Cheese, cream	25c

CABBAGE	
GOOD FIRM HEADS	
10 LBS.	25c

DAIRY MAID	
BAKING POWDER	
2-LB. CAN CUP AND SAUCER FREE	19c

Hamburger, 2 lbs.	25c
Chili, 2 lbs.	25c
Pork and Beans, doz. cans	60c
Peas, No. 2, dozen	90c
Beets, No. 2 1/2	15c
Pumpkin, No. 2 1/2 cans	15c
Honey, gallon	85c
Soap, Big Ben, 6 for	25c
Soap, Limo, 50 bars	\$1.00
Matches, Diamond, 6 boxes	25c
Post Toasties, box	10c

GOLD BAR	
PEACHES	
NO. 2 1/2 CAN	15c

Oatmeal, Mother's, box	25c
Corn, Del Monte, No. 2 cans,	
2 for	25c
Grapes, Concord, gallon	35c
Blackberries, gallon	39c
Peaches, gallon	39c
Apricots, gallon	49c
Prunes, gallon	29c
Pickles, gallon	60c
Catsup, gallon,	50c
Yams, peck	25c
Onions, 5 pounds	19c

WHITE SWAN	
COFFEE	
FREE DEMONSTRATION SATURDAY AND MONDAY	
3 Lbs.	83c; 1 lb. 29c

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NORA TIPTON, Society Editor, Phone 461M

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Sodolitan Christmas Party

One of the most elaborate and beautiful holiday festivities was the annual Christmas party of the Sodolitan Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church which was given Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. M. Lane, with Mrs. W. W. Williamson, Mrs. Joe Webster and Mrs. B. Smith joint hostesses. Holiday decorations were used throughout the house. The blue and silver scheme popular for the season was emphasized.

A crystal, blue and silver color scheme decorated the dining room. Silver white bells tied with silver ribbon and ornamented with red berries hanging from a crystal candelabrum. Blue candles burned in crystal holders, and a lace cloth over blue was used on the table, with a cellophane tree lighted in blue as a centerpiece.

The console table was centered with a round mirror edged with silver leaves reflecting a flat mound of poinsettias with red tapers burning in silver holders on either side. On the mantle was an attractively arranged snow scene. The festive attraction was the beautiful silvered Christmas tree with tinsel and blue lights.

A program was given as follows: Devotional, Mrs. W. C. Davis; Reading, "Anthony Scarlets" Christmas Eve, by Marget Weymouth Jackson; Solo, "Night of Nights," by Van De Water, Royse Brooke, with Mrs. L. B. Madden accompanying. Reading "The Beat of Both," Mrs. T. M. Harrison, in costume. As the concluding number Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. W. W. Williamson and Mrs. J. H. Smith sang as a quartet, "Silent Night," wearing white vestments and holding lighted candles, with Mrs. Madden playing the accompaniment.

After the program, and dainty refreshments in the Christmas colors were served, gifts were exchanged from the beautiful tree.

Those present were Mrs. R. C. Householder, Mrs. Oattie Jones, Mrs. Jim Fullington, Mrs. E. T. Prater, Mrs. J. W. Sanders, Mrs. C. G. Baskerville, Mrs. Bill Smith, Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, Mrs. Minnie Grey, Mrs. H. H. Lindsey, Mrs. Creed Lamb, Mrs. H. W. Stringer, Mrs. Joe Webster, Mrs. T. M. Harrison, Mrs. Jack Joyce, Mrs. O. K. Webb, Mrs. W. W.

Entertains Friends

Miss Mary Helen Kinslow, charming and gracious daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kinslow entertained friends Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at her home, 803 South 25th street, with a supper.

The delectable supper was served buffet style. After supper Miss Audre Lofland entertained with piano selection and jokes were told, after which the group went to the Memphis Country Club and enjoyed dancing.

Those present were Audre Lofland, Guthrie Bennett, Betty Dale West, Gayle Greene, Tommie Mae Boren, Cearley Read Kinard, Mary Gardner, Roy Forkner, Marcille Dickson, Jack Stitton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bowerman, Bill Greene, Geraldine Watson, Martha Draper, Lewis Foxhall, Nell Walker, Russell MacMillan, Billy Cosby, T. W. Harrison, C. W. Crawford, Edwin Thompson, J. R. Bartlett, Georgene Saxauer, J. W. West, Ruby Lee Stringer, Mary Helen Kinslow, N. A. Hightower, Jr.

SALISBURY

The Stamps quartet from Lubbock gave an excellent performance at the school house Friday night. The attendance was not large because of various Christmas celebrations over the community.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Neely and small daughter, Tommie Sue, went to Denton to spend the holidays.

Travis McGuire and Harlie Taylor of Harrell went to Amarillo Saturday to attend the football game between Amarillo and Wichita Falls.

Miss Mary Hardy of Childress visited Miss Louise Williams of this community Sunday evening.

Williamson, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. H. B. Estes, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Mrs. Sam Foxhall, Mrs. R. W. Carlton, Mrs. H. L. Nelson, Mrs. W. J. Bragg, Mrs. Ed Bourland, Mrs. B. B. Smith, Mrs. A. W. Howard, Mrs. Claude Johnson, Mrs. H. M. Lindsey, Mrs. C. C. Dodson, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. Julia Smith, Mrs. Rilla Martin and Mrs. Jennie Adams, Mrs. L. B. Madden, Mrs. Hope Swann.

Capital Fashion



Senior C. E. Christmas Tree

The Senior Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church met Sunday, Dec. 22, at the church at 6 o'clock for a Christmas tree.

The program for the evening was as follows: "O Little Town of Bethlehem," followed with prayer by Dr. MacMillan. He made a talk about Christmas. To conclude the program "Silent Night" was sung, followed by the Mizpah benediction.

After the gifts were distributed apples and candy were served to members and visitors, Lucille Rascoe, R. E. Martin Jr., Tommie Noel, Geraldine Lewis, Willie C. Wilson, Marie Rascoe, Joe Miles Kinard, Eva Logan, Temple Deaver, Jr., Ruth Logan, Dugan King, Roy Logan, Pat Noel, Billie Kinslow, Emo Gammage, Bill Anthony, Jim Bob Brewer, Maggie Capwell, Joe Peddy, Russell MacMillan, Mrs. Gerald Sensabaugh, Nell McNeely, Dr. and Mrs. MacMillan, Dr. and Mrs. M. McNeely and Ruth Gammage.

BETHEL

Charlie May and wife and Vida May were guests in the home of G. W. Carter and family Saturday night.

Johnnie Knight and Edna May were united in marriage Saturday night.

Charlie Carter visited with Robert Welch of Lakeview Saturday night.

S. A. Welch and family of Lakeview were guests in the home of G. W. Carter and family Sunday afternoon.

Bob Hughes and John Reed from Lakeview were business visitors in the community Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Churchman from Clarendon was a business visitor in the community Tuesday afternoon.

Bob Hughes and John Reed from Lakeview transacted business on Bell's ranch Wednesday morning.

Jack Perkins from Brice visited in the community Sunday morning.

Farmers of the community are almost through gathering their fall crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carlton of Hobart, Okla., are here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stewart of Clarendon, Mrs. F. E. Simmons of Dallas and Mrs. R. E. Koner of Tampa visited Miss Jo Ella Stewart here yesterday.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White and sons, Jimmie and Jack, returned to their home in Eldorado, Okla., yesterday after spending Christmas here with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cassel. Mr. Cassel accompanied them to Eldorado.

Mrs. Bettie Franks left this morning for Houston for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Quinton Shelton and her sons, Frank and Coleman Dcke. She will visit her son, James Duke in Fort Worth en route. She accompanied her grandson, Duke Moreman, who had spent Christmas with his father, Elmer Moreman at Lubbock.

Turkey Pupils in Recital

Special to The Democrat
TURKEY, Texas.—Miss Marie Drake presented her pupils in a Christmas recital at the home of Mrs. Williams Wednesday afternoon, 6 o'clock.

Decorations were in with the Yuletide style by candles. Old fashioned English punch was served, cakes to parents and friends.

The following pupils on the program: Alleen Evelyn Coker, George A. Ball, Wilma Beeson, Norma Walker, Elnora Russell, Ruth Beeson, Peggy Jackson, Georgia Faye Bely, Markker, Vivienne Adams, Turner and Estelle Cole.

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business in the second half is 14 per cent above the latter part of 1934.

In his prediction for 1936, Mr. Babson is taking a more bullish position than at any time since 1928.

Highlights of the 1936 outlook, which will be published in its entirety tomorrow, are as follows:

A 10 per cent gain in business; elections no obstacle to recovery; building beginning to boom; more "Help Wanted" signs; bull market in stocks not over; farm prices spottier but higher total income; two billion dollar deficit in budget; high-grade bonds at ceiling; best retail sales in five years; mild raise in living costs but food bills down. Prosperity by 1937.

Mrs. Jack Boone has gone to Temple for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Fort Worth arrived in Memphis the first part of the week for a visit with Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McElreath.

Miss Grace Montgomery, a student of the nurses training class at the Worley Hospital at Pampa spent the Christmas holidays near Plaska with her mother, Mrs. E. T. Montgomery.

WEEK SPECIALS

No. 1 grade, peck	27c
Pure Cane, 10-lb. sack	57c
DRIFT, large bucket	\$1.07
E, Folger's, 2-lb. can	56c
EE, Maxwell House, 3-lb. can	81c
MAXWELL COFFEE, pound	29c
VP, Big Ben, 6 bars	25c
LP, Lux or Lifebuoy, 3 bars	20c
WHITE KING, large package	31c
KING POWDER, 25-oz. K. C.	18c
ACKERS, 2-lb. Saltine Flakes	30c
E, 2-lb. pkg. White House	17c
GHETTI or MACARONI, package	4c
TOASTIES, large package	10c
SHMALLOWS, 8-oz. package	8c
LO, any flavor, 2 packages	13c
CE MEAT, 2 packages	17c
WDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 1-lb. package	8c
CORN, Jolly Time, 2 cans	23c
CANS, Shelled halves, pound	35c
TCHES, 6 boxes	19c
TES, 10-oz. package, pitted	13c
SINS, 1-lb. package, seedless	9c
PARAGUS, picnic, can	14c
MATO SOUP, Campbell's, can	8c
MATO JUICE, Campbell's, 2 cans	15c
NACH, No. 2 cans, Hearts Delight	11c
AN, No. 2 cans, Primrose or White Swan, 2 for	25c
AS, No. 2 cans, Mission, 2 for	25c
ERRIES, No. 2 cans, red pitted, 2 for	25c
APPLE, No. 1 cans, 3 for	25c
PEFRUIT, Texas seedless, 5 for	16c
LET PAPER, ScotTissue, 3 rolls	23c

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Locals and Personals

J. G. Gardner, Jr., returned to his home in Quanah this morning after a visit here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Casel.

Miss Penny Pennington left yesterday for her home at Clovis, N. M., after a visit in Memphis as the house guest of Miss Gladys Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. George Broome of Littlefield, who spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Broome left this morning for Austin for a visit with relatives.

Miss Amilda Thomas has gone to Vernon for a visit with relatives.

John Hammond returned to Clovis, N.M., yesterday after spending Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Brown went to Jacksonville Tuesday night to spend Christmas with relatives. Mr. Brown returned as far as Mundy yesterday to assist in taking inventory of the Perry Bros. Store there. Mrs. Brown remained in Jacksonville for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Thomas returned to their home in Amarillo

yesterday after spending Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Palmer returned to their home at Perkins, Okla., yesterday after spending Christmas here with her father, Jim Nail.

Mrs. W. E. McGlocklin is here as the guest of her son V. L. McGlocklin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harrison spent Christmas Day in Amarillo as the guests of Mr. Harrison's sister.

Ottie Jones and S. S. Davis went to Fort Worth yesterday on a business trip.



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COCOANUT

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White Swan, 3 packages

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CANDY

Fresh bars, 3 for

10c

PECANS

Nice size, 3 lbs.

25c

IRISH POTATOES

Fresh small, No. 2 can

10c

TOMATOES

No. 2 can, 12 for

90c

GREEN BEANS

No. 2 can, 2 for

19c

MACKEREL

No. 1 Tall, 3 cans

25c

HOMINY

No. 2 can, 2 for

15c

TOMATO JUICE

Phillips, No. 1 can, each

5c

SHORTS

100-lb. sack

\$1.35

EGG MASH

Big Five, 100 lbs.

\$2.00

HAY

Alfalfa, per bale

50c

SPUDS

No. 1 Red, per peck

25c

WALNUTS

No. 1, 2 pounds

35c

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Ponca's Best, 20 lbs.

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Ponca's Best, 48 lbs.

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Forces are at work that threaten the happiness of lovely DANA STANLEY and her attractive husband, DR. SCOTT STANLEY, a struggling young physician.

Dana's grandmother, who had hoped she would marry rich RONALD MOORE, is eager for the marriage to go on the rocks. PAULA LONG, who has been hopelessly in love with Scott for years, also hopes the marriage will fail.

Dana's half-sister, NANCY, is deeply in love with Ronald. Knowing he loves Dana, she masks her feelings behind antagonistic attitude.

Paula goes to Scott's office and asks him to prescribe for a severe headache. Scott is puzzled by Paula's hysterical description of her suffering.

Paula tells Dana about having luncheon with Scott, and Dana and Scott almost quarrel when she questions him later.

Scott attends a convention. Returning, unexpectedly, he finds Dana has gone to a dinner party. He accepts Paula's invitation for bridge.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXIX

Paula's bridge party had increased to three tables by the time Scott arrived. The big living room looked cheerful and inviting in comparison to the lonely room he had just left.

Paula's apartment was attractive in a gay and colorful way. It was like Paula herself, vivid and insistent. Strips of lavender and green gauze hung at the windows. There were deep purple velvet hangings, pillows of green and lavender and gold. Bowls of dogwood blossoms made one forget that it was a rainy, dreary April night outside.

There was a great deal of cheerful chatter. And Scott, who had forgotten his resentful deserted husband feeling of a short while before, created a mild uproar when he related his story—with humorous embellishments—about his own state of mind when he learned Dana was not sitting disconsolately at home, but having a swell time without him.

Drinks were served. Scott thought that Paula was drinking too much. Perhaps that was the reason her bridge game was going so badly. She appeared to be playing mechanically, lost in a vague sort of haze. Scott tried to warn her tactfully, "You'll be calling me tomorrow to prescribe for a real headache, Paula."

"What do you mean tomorrow?" Sam Winchester said, smiling. "It's 2 a.m. now."

"It's not possible!" Scott exclaimed. "Sorry to break up the game, but my wife's at home alone."

"If she was at the Richardsons, you can count on beating her home at that," Sam said. "Lots of times their guests stay for breakfast."

"Please don't go until we finish

this rubber," Paula put in.

It was a long drawn-out rubber but it ended finally. Then the living room was quickly deserted. Scott and the Winchesters were last to leave. As they were entering the elevator, Paula called, "Just a moment, Scott."

He went back to the door, with an important look toward the elevator as it shot downward. And he resigned himself to a five-minute interlude with Paula. She looked queer, excited.

"What's on your mind?" Scott asked.

For answer, Paula caught his hand, and drew him inside the room.

Since he had left the apartment, five minutes earlier, all the lights except a few shaded wall lamps had been turned off. The room was bathed in a soft glow. Paula was running close to Scott. Suddenly she put her arms around his neck, pulled his head down toward her face, his lips toward hers.

Scott loosened her arms quickly. "Paula, you've been drinking too much, and don't know what you're doing," he said.

"I do know!" she cried wildly. "Oh, Scott, don't leave me now. Stay, Stay!"

Scott's voice was cold and stern. "Go to bed, Paula, and sleep it off." He opened the door and stepped into the hall. Her deep sobs were following him. Not waiting for the elevator, he ran down the steps. He couldn't get out in the clean, bracing air soon enough.

Dana had come home from the dinner at 12. And now it was 3. She had stretched a tentative hand toward the other pillow several times during the night. She had turned on the light as often.

But Scott was simply not here beside her. He hadn't come in quietly and crawled into bed without

disturbing her. Could there have been an accident? No, she couldn't bear such a dreadful thought. Scott drove rapidly lots of times, but he was always careful. Maybe there had been a blowout. Or perhaps the medical meeting had broken up so late that Scott had decided to stay overnight.

But surely, in that case, he would have telephoned. Dana couldn't discard the thought of an accident. By this time she was wide awake, definitely alarmed.

The key grated in the door. Scott entered, tip-toeing in the darkness in clumsy man-fashion, with the hope, Dana realized, of not waking her.

"Scott," she said, switching on the light by her bed.

"Oh, You are awake, honey." Scott halted in the act of shedding his coat, came over and kissed her.

"I was so worried I couldn't sleep," Dana said. "Where on earth have you been?"

"Where have you been, you mean?" Scott countered genially. "I came home—all the way home—and found that you had been running around to parties, young woman."

Dana laughed. "You didn't stay for the meeting?"

"No. I phoned Bill from the office. I was trying to get up a bridge game, and he told me you were there."

"Didn't he ask you to join us?" "Yes, but I decided to come home."

"You didn't stay long, did you?"

"No, It was lonely as the devil

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without you."

"So you went out to find amusement?"

"What do you think?" Scott grinned at her. His face was slightly flushed, Dana noted, and there was a smell of liquor, too. She said, "I know! It must have been real entertainment to keep you out after 3."

"There's no reason for you to keep guessing," Scott said lightly. A little too lightly. The episode at Paula's apartment had left him more uncomfortable than

he had believed possible a queer, guilty feeling he didn't know why.

"It was at Paula's," he said. "At Paula's," he said.

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CORN, White Swan, No. 2 can, 2 for
TOMATOES, No. 2 can, 2 for
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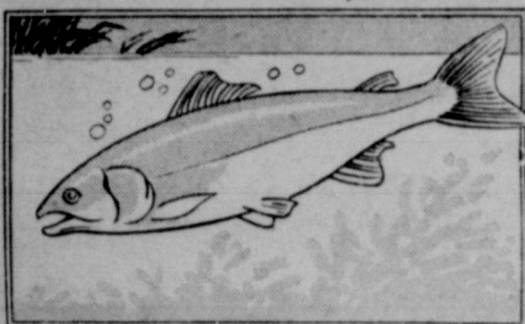
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BY BLOSSER



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THE Italian plan of campaign may prove an insidious one. If so, after building those roads, they'll sell Ethiopians motor cars.

"Ohio plans campaign against Japanese beetle." China might watch the results for a possible drive against the Japanese borer.

A Kansan, paralyzed from the waist down, was arrested for posing as a war veteran. And not, as might be imagined, a CWA worker.

Now we understand why those nasal radio ditties are called "cowboy" songs. They resemble the bawling of a cow's little boy.

New Jersey alcohol commissioner launches war on half-pint liquor containers. Still, it doesn't seem fair to pass up entirely the big drunks.

ALLEY OOP



THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

By COWAN



OUT OUR WAY

By "Cowboy" Williams



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which had been beating quite normally a moment before, missed a beat. She repeated, "At Paula's."

"That's what I said." Scott found himself becoming angry. It wasn't like Dana to act like a little shrew. What if he had objected to her running around with Ronnie? Ronnie had been in love with Dana. And Scott himself had never pretended to be in love with Paula, even slightly. She had been—until tonight—just a companionable friend. It was drinking too much that had suddenly made her silly and emotional.

Dana was still staring at him. Her face was white.

"I came home," Scott explained, in a low, gravelly tone, "and I found you gone. When Paula called asking me to come over for bridge."

"So you went to Paula's instead of coming to the Richardson's as Bill asked you to do."

"I didn't know how formal Bill's party was, and I didn't feel like dressing."

"You stayed away until past 3," Dana said. She was ashamed of herself, but the long wait, the odor of liquor and something in Scott's eyes combined to make her feel terribly shaken. Tears rolled down her face.

"If you don't believe me, call Irene Winchester and ask her what time we left," Scott suggested coldly.

"I suppose they were last to leave," Dana said.

"We left together—" Scott hesitated, checking himself.

"Well?"

"Look here, Dana, I'm sick of this infernal questioning."

Dana's face was so stricken that he added, "If you must know, I was leaving with them, when Paula called me back for some idiotic reason."

"What did she want?"

"Not a darn thing!" By this time Scott was raging. It was

pretty hard when a man definitely, unequivocally put suspicion and distrust. Tempted, in the guise of an with with all her defenseless, throwing herself head, had been no temptation. Scott had been rev Paula's exhibition. Yet Dana, surveying him with py, accusing eyes.

"Dana," he said, reaching toward her.

"Don't kiss me, Scott!" cried. "Don't come near me."

"If that's the way I feel about it, I won't," he retorted grilly.

Dana heard him go to the closet in the hall. He came into the room with a light. Then he turned light.

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Royce Brooke went to yesterday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brooke.

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The Works Progress Administration is paying for all material that is going into the construction. Cloyd Messer is in charge of the WPA project.

Cyclone Squad—

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ifornia, to attend the Rose Bowl football game. Otherwise, he will attend the mothers' banquet tonight.

Tonight's feed will be the second banquet of the current year, having been feted recently by members of the pep squad and their mothers. Mothers of the football players are furnishing and preparing the food for the banquet tonight.

Employables—

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ing relief funds, estimated to total \$2,500,000. Checks will be mailed directly to recipients from the state relief office, Johnson said.

The state director said closing district offices and other retrenchment steps will reduce administrative personnel for the final quarter's operations by 3,000 persons and costs from \$375,000 to \$150,000 per month.

Unemployables include mothers unable to take jobs because of children at home, and persons unable to work because of old age or other interfering factors such as mental or physical handicaps. Relief officials have estimated that there are 50,000 households in the state within this classification. An inflexible budget of an average of \$15 per household for unemployables only will be allocated to the counties through March, 1936, after which unemployables will become the responsibility of the communities in which they live, Johnson said, unless unforeseen public grants are made for them between now and April 1.

Llewellyn Stout has gone to Oklahoma City for a two-week visit with his uncle, H. E. Howell.

Special Notices

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

In the matter of Ira Edgar McDaniel, Bankrupt.

No. 1028 in Bankruptcy.

FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

To the creditors of Ira Edgar McDaniel, of Memphis, Texas, Hall County, in said District.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of December, 1935, the above named Ira Edgar McDaniel, of Memphis, Texas, was duly adjudged a bankrupt, under section 75, Subsection (s) of the Bankruptcy act, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Memphis, Texas, on the 6th day of January, 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Memphis, Texas, December, 26th, 1935.

J. M. Elliott, Conciliation Commissioner & Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

In the matter of the estate of J. B. Bruce, deceased, Bankrupt, No. 1023 in Bankruptcy.

THE FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

To the creditors of the estate of J. B. Bruce, deceased, in the county of Hall, Texas, in said district a Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of December, 1935, the above named Estate of J. B. Bruce was declared a bankrupt and the first meeting of its creditors will be held at my office in the city of Memphis, Texas, on the 6th day of January 1936 at 10 o'clock a.m. at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the executors of said estate, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Memphis, Texas, this December 26th 1935.

J. M. Elliott, Conciliation Commissioner and Referee in Bankruptcy.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS.

In the matter of James Franklin Long and Wife, May Long, Bankrupts, No. 1022 in Bankruptcy. To the Creditors of James Franklin Long and Wife, May Long, of Memphis, Texas, Hall County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of December, 1935, the above named James Franklin Long and wife, May Long, of Memphis, Texas, was duly adjudged a bankrupt, under section 75, subsection (s) of the Bankruptcy Act, and that the first meeting of the creditors will be held at my office in the city of Memphis, Texas on the 6th day of January, 1936, at ten o'clock forenoon, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Memphis, Texas, December 26, 1935.

J. M. Elliott, Conciliation Commissioner and Referee in Bankruptcy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stout had as their Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Howell and sons, Robert and John, of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Berry and Mrs. J. C. Thomas of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Howell of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd and daughter, Nita, and Martha Thompson returned last night from Corpus Christi where they spent Christmas as the guests of Mr. Cudd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Cudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greene and sons, Paul and Bill, of Clarendon were guests of Mr. Greene's mother, Mrs. S. O. Greene, Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Johnson returned to their home in Sudan this morning after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson formerly resided in Memphis.

Mrs. Henry Ellis and children, Eulaine and Leroy, of Lefors are here this week as the guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Moore and son Zeb Jr., spent Christmas at Pampa with Mr. Moore's mother, Mrs. D. C. Moore.

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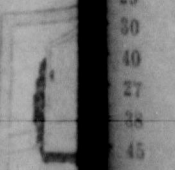
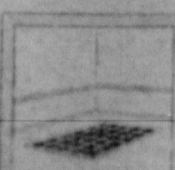
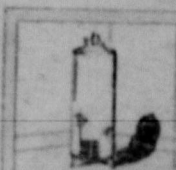
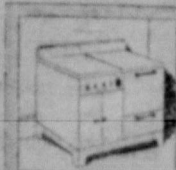
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fore being picked arrested on o. He is being held. He will be ar.

FOR SALE—Good (long) oil stove. Mrs. 1515 Bradford.

FOR LEASE—Cafe at E. B. Stamps, Serv-U Memphis.

FOR SALE—Reliable on, harness and cul, quire at Gulf Service highway at Kakeview.

FOR RENT: 2 rooms, apartment. Deposits, Dover St.

WRECKS FACTORY

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INGTON, Dec. 27, been invited resident and Mrs. he comes here to League dinner Smith, a critic has not yet expected he would invitation.

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