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Wichita Falls and vicinity: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

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# WICHITA VOTES TODAY ON CITY GAS SYSTEM

## *Senate Demos Pledge United Legislative Program With Tariff High On List*

### Are They Married, or Aren't They?



Rex Bell declared last night he and Clara Bow had not been married in Las Vegas, Nev., but the town's officials insisted they had right along. Married or not, here are their pictures.

## *Rex Bell Denies He Married Clara Bow, but Officials Insist*

**Cowboy Film Star Disclaims Taking 'It' Girl As His Bride, Though Nevada Pair Say They Saw Ceremony**

LAS VEGAS, Nev., Dec. 4. (AP)—Rex Bell, cowboy film actor, denied late today he and Clara Bow were married here last night but two men, a deputy county clerk who issued the marriage license, and the district attorney, said they had seen the ceremony. The judge reported to have married them refused to discuss Bell's statment.

Bell, in answering questioners intimated if he and the actress were married, or that knewledge of a marriage became known generally, certain contracts would be endangered.

In the face of Bell's denial, William Schuyler, deputy clerk, who issued a marriage license last night to the couple, and Harley Harmon, district attorney, told inquirers they had seen the ceremony performed in the chambers of the district judge, William E. Orr.

Judge Orr, asked if he had performed the ceremony, said he had nothing to say.

**STORY OF WEDDING TOLD**

LAS VEGAS, Nev., Dec. 4. (AP)—Cupid has finally tripped Clara Bow after probably as many discouraging encounters as the little movie actress ever has faced.

The flame-haired siren of the screen was married secretly last night to Rex Bell, film cowboy, who became one of her many suitors about two years ago.

The ceremony took place in the chambers of District Judge William E. Orr after the couple had induced William Schuyler, deputy county clerk, to reopen his offices about 8 o'clock last night and issue a license.

**Leave for Ranch**

The actress gave her age as 26 and Bell said he was 28. Immediately after the wedding, they left by automobile for Bell's ranch near Searchlight, about 60 miles from here.

Whether they had any plans for a honeymoon could not be learned for there is no communication with the ranch.

The couple has lived on the ranch since early last summer, when Miss Bow temporarily retired from films to recuperate from a nervous breakdown, attributed partly to the trial of her former secre-

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## POULTRY SHOW DRAWS CROWD

### Rabbit and Bird Exhibit Declared Finest Ever

The joint annual shows of the Wichita Valley Poultry association and the North Texas Rabbit Breeders association were declared to be the greatest in the history of the two organizations shortly after the double exposition opened here Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

Judging of the rabbit entries were under way Friday and were expected to be completed by noon Saturday. Judging of the poultry exhibits will begin at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, it was announced.

About 250 rabbits have been entered in the show, while more than 500 birds have been placed on exhibit in the poultry section. Birds are being shown by 100 Breeders of this section. Rabbits have been entered by about 60 breeders.

R. S. Daugherty, secretary of the rabbit organization, and C. O. Smith, secretary of the poultry association, both express satisfaction at the success of the show.

**Many Entries**

Mr. Daugherty was particularly gratified with the section of country covered by the numerous rabbit entries. Breeders exhibited from Home Parks, Mo., Gainesville, Cleburne, Vernon, Fort Worth, Seymour, Belton, Amarillo, Lubbock, Irving, Itasca, Italy and Megargel, Texas and Tipton, Frederick and Oklahoma City, Okla.

Many poultry breeders of the section Friday took advantage of the time limit extension for entries, which closed at 9 p. m. Friday.

C. W. Kerr, Denison, is judging the rabbit entries. He is licensed

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### Sooner Senator Upholds Rights of 'Hunger Army'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Senator Thomas, Democrat, Oklahoma, said today the rights of groups of unemployed who are marching on Washington should be protected.

"They have a right to come to Washington the same as any one," he asserted, "and should be treated with every consideration."

The advance delegation of the marchers, estimated at more than 1,000 was expected Sunday. Elaborate police precautions have been made to prevent disorder.

### Sherwood's Lawyer on Way to San Antonio

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 4. (US)—Burton W. Wilson, counsel for Russell T. Sherwood, wanted for questioning by the Hofstadter investigating committee in New York, left here today for San Antonio, presumably to meet Sherwood. Wilson is due in San Antonio tomorrow.

## COMMITTEES TO LINK WORK WITH HOUSE

### Lower Branch Conference Today Expected to Support Pact

### G. O. P. CRISIS SEEN

### Western Revolt on President Pro Tem Due to Bring Clash

By HERBERT LITTLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (UP)—A united front on legislation by the Democrats was agreed upon today at the senate Democratic conference. Simultaneously Republicans met in a separate conference to formulate legislative plans for the 72nd congress which convenes Monday.

A tariff program will be part of the Democratic legislative program Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi announced after his party's conference. He declined to amplify his assertion except to say that this will be one of the measures taken up by the Democrats of both houses.

**Unity Sought**

The Democratic conference unanimously adopted a resolution to create a new committee to act with a similar house committee to "secure wherever possible unity and concert of action between the two bodies of congress."

The Democratic house conference tomorrow will take up and ratify the proposal, leaders believe. Important rule changes for the house also will be decided upon by the new majority party.

Representative Henry T. Rainey, who will be Democratic floor leader, predicted with certainty the Democratic members of the house ways and means committee, would support the Democrats in this cooperative effort.

**G. O. P. Division**

Decision to force a division of the senate in the revolt among western Republicans against the president pro tem, Senator George H. Moses of "sons of wild jackass" fame, was also reached by the senate Democrats.

They decided unanimously to resist the move of Republicans to stand aside Senator John H. Bankhead, Democrat, Aalabama, which is expected Monday, when he, along with 11 other new Democrats and four new Republicans will be sworn in as senators.

The Republican senate conference met with the "wild western" or progressive members absent, although they had been invited. As did the

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### Chilean Defeated in Challenge to Duel

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 4. (AP)—Gen. Pedro P. Martinez, who came all the way from Santiago, Chile, to challenge President-Elect Sanchez Cerro to a duel, is not going to have the privilege of meeting his man on the field of honor.

The general charged that Col. Sanchez Cerro insulted him last February, but the seconds for both men agreed today that he had waited too long and therefore had lost his right to challenge.

### Italian Film Employe Dies in Blast Fire

ROME, Dec. 4. (US)—Benvenuto Andreoli, 43, head of the Milan office of Fox Film corporation, was burned to death today when the office was destroyed by fire. Police said explosions started the fire in the film storage room.

### Workman Killed by Blow From Steel Beam

DEL RIO, Texas, Dec. 4. (UP)—James F. Ward, 33, whose mother lives in Dallas, was killed today by a steel beam while he worked to unload material for the Trinity Farm Construction company.

**You Can Be $500 Richer in a Very Short Time by Entering "The Game of Names"**

NOW is the time to send in the coupon and WIN in the Game of Names contest. The Wichita Daily Times and Record News is offering $1,000 in CASH and YOU can WIN first prize of $500 in LESS THAN AN HOUR.

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### Members of Governor's Ranch Party Unnamed

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Pat Dougherty, secretary to Gov. R. S. Sterling, said this afternoon that the governor and J. M. West of Houston would spend the rest of this week on Mr. Sterling's ranch near Laredo.

Dougherty was asked if Thurman Hill, public service commissioner of Kansas, Paul Walker of Oklahoma, and others who participated in an oil conference in Tulsa, Okla., Monday, would join the governor on his ranch for a discussion of mid-continent oil problems.

"The governor merely told me he and Mr. West would be at his ranch and if any one else intends to join them he did not mention it," Dougherty said.

**RIVER OVERFLOWS**

ELGIN, Scotland, Dec. 4. (UP)—The river Spey, known as the fastest running river in Great Britain, burst through its banks today near the village of Garmouth. Torrential rans caused the river to rise at the rate of six feet an hour, flooding many acres of land.

## *Oil Men Draft Final Plans in Tariff Battle*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—With arrival here tomorrow of Wirt Franklin, independent oil producers will set in motion final plans for a vigorous campaign in the opening days of congress for an oil tariff.

Franklin, president of the Independent Petroleum Producers association, will go over with aides, who have been here for some time, last-minute preparations in the drive.

Meanwhile, there is growing optimism among congressional proponents of a petroleum tariff.

Some of the senatorial advocates of a crude oil levy expected to recruit help in their foray from westerners seeking a copper tariff.

Senator Thomas, Oklahoma, and Sheppard, Texas, both Democrats, are advocates of a petroleum duty.

Connally, another Texas Democrat, and others also favor tariff legislation to help the distressed domestic oil industry.

Wheeler and Walsh of Montana, and Hayden and Ashurst of Arizona all Democrats, might line up for an oil tariff in exchange for support for a copper tariff.

Franklin and Russell Brown, secretary of the independent producers group, with other oil men waged an unsuccessful campaign at the last session.

## HOOVER'S DUAL AID PLAN AIRED

### President's Business Scheme Involves Credit Pool

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (US)—President Hoover will recommend to congress two proposals to aid banks, business and the railroads, it was indicated today.

The high spot of the president's plan to promote prosperity is the organization of a $1,000,000,000 credit pool along the lines of the war finance corporation.

Supplementing this will be another organization to deal specifically with relief for both the long and short line railroads.

**Officials Silent**

White House officials declined either to affirm or deny that this program would feature Mr. Hoover's plans to throw the full machinery of the government into action to aid in the recovery of business and agriculture. The president called off his usual late afternoon conference with the press because of his work on his annual message.

Mr. Hoover's reported decision to recommend the billion dollar corporation to aid banks in releasing frozen credits in order to stimulate business, it was pointed out, has now become a necessary step. It would supplement the national credit corporations already at work with a $500,000,000 pool to aid banking.

**Rail Plan Secret**

When the president made known his plan at the White House conference with congressional leaders Oct. 6, he declared that, should the half billion dollar organization prove insufficient, he would advocate the billion dollar federal organization. Such an organization can be formed only through congressional action. As a matter of fact the private banking pool of $500,000,000 was intended as an emergency proposition.

Just what the president may have in mind regarding relief for the railroads has been carefully guarded. It is known however that the

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### Young Gene Tunney Has First Photograph

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (US)—First photographs of Gene Lauder Tunney, important arrival of a little more than two weeks ago, were made public today by the proud and smiling father, James Joseph Tunney.

The photographs were taken, the former heavyweight champion, "Gene" Tunney explained by "an amateur" in Sloane hospital. Tunney, emulating Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, personally distributed the likenesses to newspaper men.

In doing so, he confirmed the fact that the infant had been named Gene, the name the father adopted while earning $2,000,000 in the prize ring.

### Ex-Constable Gets 30 Year Term for Killing

PECOS, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—A jury in district court today convicted W. R. Jennings, former Winkler county deputy constable, on a charge of slaying W. M. "Blackie" Loughlin and sentenced him to 30 years imprisonment.

Prosecuting attorneys had claimed that Laughlin, whom they described as a bootlegger, was shot to death at Wink because he refused to pay $50 a week to Jennings and W. K. Wilson, Winkler county commissioner, for "protection."

### Negro Turns Down Ride In Plane for $5 Reward

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (UP)—Ernest Richardson, negro, knows his depression. He chose a $5 bill rather than an airplane ride today, when Reg Robbins, famous aviator offered him a reward for return of Nome, Robbins' husky pup which had strayed from home.

## JUNIOR C-C HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER TONIGHT

### One Speech and Program of Fun-Making Booked for 1931 Frolic

### 500 TO ATTEND

### Membership to Elect Eight New Directors From 24 Nominees

That much heralded event, the Junior chamber of commerce annual banquet, was in the final stages of preparation Friday night, and will be held Saturday night, starting at 6:45 o'clock, at the Woman's Forum, with nearly 500 guests in attendance.

Principals of the entertainment, Dr. George S. Sexton, president of Centenary college, Shreveport; Ruthe Laird, premier Dallas dance teacher, and a host of Publix circuit talent, including the Lone Star Steppers, will arrive here about noon Saturday. Dr. Sexton, widely known humorist and educator, will deliver the one and only address of the evening.

Miss Laird will direct her bevy of stage beauties in numerous dance and musical presentations, declared by junior chamber officials, who have previewed the entertainment, to be of sensational nature.

**Hilarious Program**

In addition, much laugh-provoking comedy is expected to come from several specially prepared skits in which members of the junior chamber are featured. No less than seven "distinguished celebrities" will form a part of this announced "tomfoolery." Various individuals will portray the characters of Mahatma Gandhi, Al Capone, Walter Winchell, King Carol of Rumania, King Joe of Nazilia, Gen. Ma Chan-Shan and Gov. William H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray of Oklahoma.

More than 150 out-of-town guests from Texas and Oklahoma cities will be present. Delegations will

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### Dalhart Man Freed On Murder Charge

DALHART, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—John A. Burrow, farmer, was acquitted in district court today on a charge of murder for the slaying of J. A. Clevenger, a neighbor. He had pleaded self-defense.

Clevenger was shot Feb. 17. Testimony was introduced to show the slaying resulted from a dispute over a fence dividing the Burrow and Clevenger properties.

### Texas Fee Law Aired In Sheriff's Trial

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (UP)—W. B. House of the state comptroller's department, testifying in court here today, said that if the state fee bill were followed literally, sheriffs in counties of less than 40,000 population could collect $3.15 for each mile they travel.

The testimony was given in the trial of Sheriff Clint D. Lewis of Burleson county, charged with fee extortion. The state charges that he collected $553 in connection with two arrests at Dallas and transfer of prisoners and that $410 of that was excess. Under House's testimony he could have charged $630 for one of the trips alone.

The testimony was excluded from the jury. It was taken by a court stenographer in the absence of the jury to be used as a basis for a bill of exceptions should Sheriff Lewis be convicted.

### Gandhi's Farewell to England Has War Hint

LONDON, Dec. 4. (US)—Mahatma Gandhi today paid a friendly farewell call on Prime Minister MacDonald shortly after he had announced his belief that India is being driven toward war with England.

Gandhi plans to start homeward tomorrow. He and MacDonald had tea at No. 10 Downing street, while the Manchester Evening Chronicle quoted Gandhi as stating:

"My last words to England must be 'farewell and beware.' I came as a seeker of peace; I return fearful of war."

### Mesquite Gavel Given To John Nance Garner

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—From the West Texas home land of John Nance Garner a gavel carved from the heart of the native mesquite tree tonight was speeding to Washington by air mail for the use of the new speaker when the first Texan takes his place next week as the presiding officer of the house of representatives.

The gavel is the gift of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The mesquite is the hardest wood known to this section and the mesquite tree is as typical of West Texas as is Garner himself.

**SNOW PLOW**

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 4. (US)—Los Angeles county today bought a snow plow. It will be used to keep open the highways to the city recreation park at Big Pines.

## Mass Meeting Tuesday To Urge Tom Hunter To Enter Governor's Race

A mass meeting petitioning Tom F. Hunter to run for govrenor of Texas in 1932 and endorsing his proposed candidacy was called for next Tuesday night at the Wichita county courthouse by a committee of friends and political admirers at the Kemp hotel Friday afternoon.

Voters in Wichita and surrounding counties were urged to assemble at 7:30 Tuesday night to hear local and out-of-town speakers explain why they want Hunter for governor and to learn what progress the state-wide campaign in Hunter's behalf has already made.

**Many Pledge Support**

Jim Marlow, chairman of the committee meeting Friday afternoon, announced that Henrietta, Electra, Iowa Park, Archer City, and Burkburnett have pledged strong support to Hunter's race; that petitions endorsing his candidacy have gained wide backing in Wichita Falls, and at least 70 communities over the state have already formed the nucleus of organizations in his behalf.

Speakers at the mass meeting next Tuesday will include Judge W. D. Colvin, Ennis and W. L. Hilliard, Taft, secretary and treasurer of the state association of county judges and county commissioners.

A keynote address, outlining Hunter's position in favor of state control of utilities as railroads are controlled; revision of taxes to lessen the burden of real estate; and regulation of chain stores will be made at the mass meeting.

Members of the original committee working to persuade Hunter to make the race and to obtain support for him over the state as well as in Wichita Falls, were urged Friday afternoon to bring their preliminary work to a climax within the next few days, to obtain 10,000 signatures to the endorsement petitions, and to encourage a great crowd from all adjoining counties to attend the mass meeting.

Tom F. Hunter has been a practicing attorney in Wichita Falls for 19 years, all but two of the years since he was admitted to the bar 21 years ago. He has been a leader in political affairs of the state and nation, especially as a representative of independent oil men in the fight for tariff and limitation of imports, although he had held public office but once. In 1921-22 he served as county attorney for a West Texas county by appointment.

**Led Oil Battles**

During the last session of congress he spent most of his time in Washington as un-official representative of the state of Texas in behalf of the producers of raw materials. The committee of 14 governors selected him to close their case in the United States senate for a limitation of oil importation, and made him their spokesman in an appeal to the president.

The Oil State Advisory committee, representing 10 major oil producing states, asked him to represent the independent oil men of the nation in the fight for legislative protection.

In the course of the committee meeting Friday afternoon it was brought out that Ellis county has already enlisted 1,000 members in its "Hunter for governor" club and that counties and cities all over the state are rapidly following the lead.

In an informal address to the committee members Friday Mr. Marlow asserted that Hunter's backers have "pretty nearly got the coon treed and it's time for the others to climb on the band wagon."

Mr. Marlow recalled that while

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### Driver Finds His Two Victims Are Close Relatives

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (US)—"I ran down and killed a man and a little boy last night," said Joseph Komparda as he surrendered today at the Racine avenue police station.

"Why did you run away?" the sergeant asked.

"The mob, the mob—they were so excited I thought they would kill me."

An officer took Komparda to the hospital where the two bodies lay.

"My god!" he exclaimed, "That's my brother-in-law and nephew."

## BANDIT ROBS GROCERY STORE

### Wife of Owner Forced to Give Up $75

A woman attendant at the Willow grocery, 405 Broad, was forced to hand over about $75 in cash to a lone bandit who held up the place early Friday night.

"Make it snappy!" barked the hijacker as he leveled a gun at Mrs. J. C. Dupre, wife of the proprietor. The money in his hand, he fled, running until he turned a corner.

Mrs. Dupre and her daughter, Ann, about 19, were the only persons in the store.

The hijacker, it was said, first purchased a five-cent item of candy. Asking if the proprietor was in, the man was told that Mr. Dupre was out, but that Mrs. Dupre, who was sitting nearby, was in.

"She will do," the bandit answered.

As the woman stepped forward, he pulled a gun, and commanded: "Open your cash drawer and give me the money—and make it snappy!"

Taking the money as it was handed him, the robber threw back two checks. Two five cent pieces dropped from his hand as he started for the door.

Reaching the entrance, he raced around the corner on Fourth street.

Detective Bob Miller and C. S. Carlisle answered the call to the store. A search of the vicinity failed to locate the hijacker.

### J. E. Josey to Control Houston Post-Dispatch

HOUSTON, Dec. 4 (AP)—The Houston Post Dispatch, which grew out out of the famous old Houston Post will have a new publisher—J. E. Josey.

Gov. Ross S. Sterling, present head of the paper, today approved the agreement of a trust estate to sell controlling interest to Mr. Josey a capitalist interested in oil, grain and insurance.

### Supporters of Spanish Pretender Stage Riot

LONDON, Dec. 4. (US)—Supporters of the late Don Jaime, pretender to the Spanish throne, staged a riotous demonstration at Pamplona today, according to Barcelona dispatches. There were numerous casualties.

**PLANT TO CLOSE**

CASSEL, Germany, Dec. 4. (US)—Henschel & Sons, Europe's largest locomotive factory, tonight announced they will close their plant Dec. 31, affecting 2,150 workers. The decision is believed mainly due to the British tariff barrers.

### Methodists at Brenham Hear Group Reports

BRENHAM, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Today's session of the 59th annual meeting of the southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was devoted chiefly to committee reports.

The laymen's conference also opened with a big attendance.

Bishop E. L. Waldorf of Kansas City delivered an address on "Life's Illusions." The chief cause of the depression was held to be lack of faith.

**DOG BITES CHILD**

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Bobby Bowden, 4, was bitten on the hand by an enraged dog here today. The animal was killed by Constable S. P. Dilierd, who said he would send its head to Austin to be tested for rabies.

## COUNCIL ASKS SUPPORT IN RATE BATTLE

### Cheap Gas in Wichita Falls Hinges on Outcome Of Election

### 10 VOTING BOXES

### Polls to Open at 8 a. m. and Close at 7 p. m.; Heavy Vote Predicted

Bringing the entire citizenship for the first time into the thick of the fight now being waged for lower domestic gas rates here, the city of Wichita Falls will hold an election Saturday to determine whether the people of this city are willing to establish a municipal gas distribution system in case such a step becomes necessary.

Saturday's election binds neither the city nor the citizenship, individually or collectively, to any course of procedure. It does not authorize the city council to contract in any way whatever for the purchase or construction of a gas distribution system. It is being held to give the council, and the citizens' advisory committee, a definite and authentic expression of the attitude of local taxpayers toward the matter of municipal ownership of a plant to replace that now operated by the Municipal Gas company.

**Rates Increased**

City officials and members of the advisory committee have urged repeatedly in recent weeks the importance of obtaining the registration of public opinion which is provided by Saturday's election. In case other efforts to obtain a reduction in gas rates fail, the city council will of necessity be unadvised as to the course to be followed unless the citizenship goes to the polls en masse Saturday and records its bona fide attitude toward the municipal plant proposition.

Efforts to obtain relief through

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### Fort Worth Hunter Accidentally Shot

Special to The Record News.

DECATUR, Texas, Dec. 4.—Floyd Gentry, resident of Fort Worth, was accidentally shot in the back of the neck here this afternoon by a companion on a hunting trip. Gentry's companion saw a bird in a pasture and fired at it not knowing that Gentry was lying in the grass between him and the bird.

The charge of buckshot entered Gentry's neck. Gentry was taken to Fort Worth immediately after being shot. Local physicians fear that his condition is serious. John Gentry, the father of the injured man lives in Decatur.

### Alabama Cotton Growers To Reduce 1932 Crop

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 4. (INS)—Alabama cotton growers will voluntarily reduce their cotton crop in 1932 by 25 per cent to assure success of the South-wide restriction plan, Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of agriculture, said here today.

This action, however, will be contingent upon other southern states guaranteeing similar crop reduction, he said.

Gov. B. M. Miller has decided to call a special session of the state legislature to enact cotton restriction laws.

### Prisoner's Acrobatics Bring Fatal Injury

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (UP)—Raymond Jackson, 21, grew tired of the ennui which comes to all prisoners after a while. So to entertain himself and others in the Wise county jail at Decatur, he turned acrobat and walked on his hands.

Jackson lost his balance and his back was fractured in the fall that followed. Doctors brought him to the City-County hospital here, but he died today despite their efforts to save him.

## Record News Cotton Table

### For Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma

Cottonseed prices, which have maintained exceptionally high figures considering the extremely low value of cotton, moved down Friday more sharply than at any other period of the current season.

At Seymour the quotation declined $2 from $11 to $9. One dollar drops, from $12 to $11, occurred at Burkburnett, Iowa Park and Kemp City.

Price ranges of spot cotton generally were consistent with figures of Thursday.

Spot prices, however, declined 9 points. Wichita Falls market quotations, based on January New York at 6.05, were: Strict middling ⅞, 5.54; middling ⅞, 5.29; strict low middling ⅞, 5.04; low middling ⅞, 4.79; 25 points more for 15-16 staple.

The following reports were received from Record News correspondents:

| | Range of Price* | Cottonseed | Friday Ginnings | Season Ginnings |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| FREDERICK | 5.25 | $12.00 | 150 | 15,428 |
| MEMPHIS | 4.50 to 5.50 | 11.00 | 175 | 13,496 |
| VERNON | 4.75 to 5.35 | 10.00 | 55 | 9,933 |
| GRANDFIELD | 5.00 to 6.00 | 14.00 | 79 | 8,948 |
| QUANAH | 5.25 to 5.75 | 11.00 | 68 | 8,068 |
| SEYMOUR | 5.00 to 5.60 | 9.00 | 21 | 6,426 |
| CROWELL | 5.00 to 5.50 | 10.00 | 23 | 2,977 |
| NOCONA | 5.00 to 5.75 | 10.00 | ... | 2,175 |
| BURKBURNETT | 4.60 to 5.15 | 11.00 | 26 | 5,050 |
| ELECTRA | 4.50 to 5.50 | 12.00 | 4 | 4,277 |
| IOWA PARK | 4.75 to 5.75 | 11.00 | 17 | 2,879 |
| KEMP CITY GIN | (Not Quoted) | 11.00 | 1 | 1,527 |
| WICHITA FALLS | 4.79 to 5.54 | 12.00 | 10 | 3,544 |

*Prices listed are the range paid during the day for cotton of all grades and staples.

## WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, slightly cooler in central and northeast portions Saturday.

EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday, somewhat unsettled in extreme south portion, no decided change in temperature. Light variable winds on the coast.

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

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|---|---|
| Maximum temperature | 59 |
| Minimum temperature | 33 |
| Temperature at 5 p. m. | 56 |
| Precipitation, none. | |
| South wind; clear. | |
| Average wind velocity | 2 |
| Maximum wind velocity | 3 |
| Barometer | 29.29 |

# INJURED NEGRO LYNCHED BY MARYLAND MOB

## Wounded Slayer of White Man Hanged on Courthouse Lawn

SALISBURY, Md., Dec. 4. (AP)—A mob of men tonight stormed the Peninsula General hospital here, seized Mack Williams, 35-year-old negro, dragged him from his bed and lynched him in the Wicomico county courthouse yard. The negro late today shot and killed Daniel J. Elliott, lumber man, and then wounded himself.

It was estimated 2,000 persons were in the mob that dragged the negro to the court yard where the rope was fastened around his neck and the other end tossed over a lamp post.

Officers were unable to prevent the hanging.

The negro's head was swathed in bandages from the gun shot wounds he had received, and he was unable to see as he was hustled from the hospital to the courthouse yard, a distance of about three blocks.

The mob yelled as he appeared and the rope was quickly thrown over a lamp post and several men pulled the negro off the ground.

The six men entered the hospital by a side door as officers guarded the front entrance.

There have been 14 lynchings in Maryland in the last 45 years and 12 of the victims have been negroes. The last one occurred in December, 1911.

# Hunter Boomed For Governor

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he was Wichita Falls mayor in 1918 he sought Mr. Hunter's advice when the gas company affixed a $1 service charge to patrons here.

"He told me I could issue a proclamation telling the people not to pay their bills. I did it and the company removed the service charge," the speaker said.

C. B. McConnell, committee member, said he had found no opposition to Hunter's candidacy but that "some people want to wait to grab on to the rear of the band wagon after they see how things are going."

George Hodgins asserted that Mr. Hunter's candidacy is already strong in Wichita Falls and said he would take the mass meeting announcement to the wrestling match spectators Friday night.

C. K. Walsh described the success of a recent visit to South Texas cities, where he and Otto Stehlik Jr. introduced Mr. Hunter and started a campaign for his election.

"We're way yonder ahead of the hounds," he asserted.

Mike Emmert, Iowa Park, declared there would be no trouble in electing Hunter, and Al Ellis described the proposed candidate as "a big and honorable man."

Otto Stehlik Jr. described the response in Ellis county and Waxahachie.

Chairman Marlow brought the meeting to a climax with the assertion that he had no fear of any opposition, but he wanted a lot of men to get in the race," to bring things out on each other and on Gov. Ross Sterling."

Committee members present Friday and others endorsing the mass meeting included P. B. Curd, Fred K. Smith, J. B. Marlow, Otto Stehlik Jr., A. W. King, Shields Heyser, Walter Nelson, Charlie Quarnstrom, John Hampton, T. J. Waggoner Jr., D. M. Perkins, M. K. Emmert, George Hodgins, C. K. Walsh, J. L. Hair, C. A. Rogers, C. R. Krizan, C. B. McConnell, A. H. Murchison, W. S. Langford, Frank Parrish Jr., G. H. Watson, O. M. Pepper, Al Ellis, Floyd Friberg, Walter Caldwell, Leon Deaton, Leslie Humphreys, Grover Bullington, Sam Kruger, W. R. Duke, Frank Burns, J. W. Wilke, John Davenport, K. C. Spell and R. M. Skrehot.

# Rex Denies He Married Clara

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tary, Daisy Deboe, on charges of theft.

The career of the actress has been one of the most sensational in Hollywood. Among her admirers have been Harry Richman, New York night club entertainer; Gary Cooper, film star; Dr. Earl Pearson, Dallas, Texas, physician; Victor Fleming, film director; Robert Savage, once a Yale football player, and Gilbert Rowland, a wealthy Californian.

It remained for Bell, whom she met in pictures, to win her hand for the first time and likewise it was his first marriage.

Bell is a strapping young man with dark hair, which he parts in the middle. He has a ready smile. He is almost the antithesis of his bride, who is at once temperamental and good natured.

Since they met, he has handled her affairs and when her health failed he insisted she go to his ranch for rest. Hollywood has seen them but little, since.

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# Will Our Gas Rates Be Increased?

## Election Today Is Everybody's Business, Says C. A. Rogers in Appeal to Voters to Endorse City-Owned System

The issue to be voted upon today is far more important to each and every citizen of Wichita Falls than any race for office ever held in this county. Shall we continue to pay useless and unreasonable tribute to eastern capital, leaving hundreds of families without gas, or shall we assert our rights? Apparently some of our good people do not understand what has transpired, and the importance of carrying this election. Here are the high points:

When our council asked for a lower rate the gas company offered one that, in the opinion of most everybody who studied it, was an increase in disguise, and said that was their answer. The council then ordered rate revision from 75 cents to 50 cents, and the gas company appealed to the railroad commission, which in turn has not given us the cooperation we know in our minds we are entitled to. Utilities as a general thing want to get into federal court, and, based on what so often happens there, the city must avoid this at all odds. It is a disgrace that things are in such shape that a city can't run its own business, and we cannot say what a utility, thriving on excessive prices we have to pay, shall or shall not charge as a reasonable rate—and that our own railroad commission takes the stand it does.

So our only answer is to get rid of the whole smear—gas company, courts, railroad commission and all—and authorize our council to arrange for a municipal system. With this facing the gas company, they may or may not come to terms. Be that as it may, we are out of the long litigation into which they hope to drag us while sapping the city through continued excessive rates. As it now stands, our council cannot even establish a value on the properties or improvements of the company. State and federal appeals leave the city with responsibility but no authority.

Lone Star's subsidiary is still selling gas in Brownwood at 35 cents and letting the neighboring towns have it at 75 cents. Why the Brownwood rate? It was 75 cents until competition came in. Dropped about time of the raise in Fort Worth. Where will it go when competition is forced to bankruptcy? THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SLAVERY AND FREEDOM LIES WITH THE PEOPLE. Fort Worth tried to get cheaper gas, and Lone Star's subsidiary raised their rate. And Fort Worth answered them just as we are going to do today.

Wonder if they are losing money at 35 cents in Brownwood? Guess not; 17 cents is the usual industrial rate here, and they are not in business for their health—we are sure of that! Taking the statement in yesterday morning's paper, on the Brownwood rate our city would be saving over $250,000 per year now being collected by the gas company. Yet the gas company sacrificed most graciously and paid some $7,500 school taxes this week on the eve of this election. But we victims of excessive profits are, for the most part, not in position to "sacrifice," and should realize that privilege in one form and another will go so far as to close our schools eventually if we don't wake up. The answer to some of our economic ills lies with us at the polls today.

I wish the most brilliant lawyer in our city would tell me what more a city council could do than ours has done in this case. Where could you find newspapers that could more fully champion the cause of the people than ours have done in this instance? Are the voters going to show their appreciation at the polls today? Defeat means the same old story, and perhaps higher rates. If we have excessive bills this winter it will be because we did not go to the polls today and assert our rights. The council will not be to blame. This is everybody's business—let's make it so all day until the last friend has cast his or her vote for justice and the protection of our community. —C. A. ROGERS.

# KETTLES OUT

## Salvation Army Starts Christmas Drive Today

Salvation Army Christmas kettles, which annually catch hundreds of pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters which are used to provide Christmas dinners for needy families, will appear on the streets Saturday morning, according to Ensign A. Shultz, local citadel commander.

Four kettles will be posted on four busy corners Saturday. One will be at Eighth and Scott, one at Ninth and Indiana, one at Eighth and Indiana, and the fourth at Seventh and Indiana. Santa Claus having reported that his task is one of unusual enormity this winter, he will have the assistance of Salvation Army lassies in presiding over the charity kettles.

# Masons at Ryan Elect Officers

Special to The Record News.

RYAN, Okla., Dec. 4.—Ryan Masonic lodge No. 67 elected the following officers last night for the ensuing year:

Worshipful master, Kenneth Alford; senior warden, G. E. Veach; junior warden, C. J. Pickett; senior deacon, Virgil Allen; junior deacon, Will McCorkle; senior steward, Paul Mannin; junior steward, Andrew Willis; tiler, Roy Garrison; secretary, C. E. Cates; treasurer, C. N. Norman.

# HOOVER'S DUAL AID PLAN AIRED

## President's Business Scheme Involves Credit Pool

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president believes that the railroads must have substantial relief and that this relief plays an important part in the business recovery.

**Farm Relief**

It was recalled that when the crash came in October, 1929, the railroads were the first to support President Hoover in his plan to keep business moving by launching huge replacement and expansion projects. They spent millions of dollars on these programs in the expectation that the depression would be of short duration.

One proposal to aid the railroads, is for a $500,000,000 federal loan at six per cent to be authorized by congress.

Other proposals which the president is understood to have incorporated in his relief plans deal with liberalizing of the federal reserve act, aid for federal land banks and aid for farmers in regard to loans and mortgages.

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# DEMOS PLEDGE UNITED ACTION

## Solid Front in Both Houses Is Aim

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Democrats, they re-elected their present leaders, but instead of discussing the Bankhead and Moses situations, they confined themselves to outlining the work of the senate for the first week.

**Calendar Mapped**

President Hoover's intention to send a special message to congress on ratification of the one year moratorium, which has aroused considerable opposition, caused an addition to the senate program. The expected calendar of action now is:

Monday: Both houses meet and the house will organize with John W. Garner, Democrat, Texas, slated to be elected speaker. Both houses will swear in new members. The senate will fight out the Bankhead question of the Republicans try to bar him from membership pending investigation and decision in the contest brought by former Senator J. Thomas Heflin. Then the Democrats will nominate Senator Key Pittman, Democrat, Nevada, as president pro tem. Both houses will adjourn out of respect to deceased members.

**Message Tuesday**

Tuesday: President Hoover's legislative message will be read in both houses. If either the Bankhead or the Moses fights are brought Monday, they are likely to be protracted into Tuesday. Committee assignments also will be made and acted upon by both houses.

Wednesday: The president's budget message.

Thursday: The moratorium message, which will be referred to the house ways and means committee and the senate finance committee for immediate report, which may bring it up for house action by the end of the week.

**Independents Meet**

The house group of western independents held a conference today and reported the support of 19 members. Representative F. H. LaGuardia, Republican, New York, their leader, said they would support the most liberal rules changes offered.

The Democratic senate conference re-elected Senator Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, as leader; Senator T. J. Walsh, Montana, as assistant leader, and Senator Morris Sheppard, Texas, as whip. The Republicans re-elected Senator James E. Watson, Indiana, as leader; Senator Charles L. McNary, Oregon, assistant leader, Senator Frederick Hale, Maine, secretary, and Senator Simeon D. Fess, Ohio, secretary.

Robinson recognized that the Bankhead contest intended by Chairman Daniel Hastings of a subcommittee which investigated his election in 1930 is "an acute situation." It was discussed at length by the Democrats prior to the decision to stand firmly for Bankhead's immediate seating.

The Hastings subcommittee heard arguments on the contest today but adjourned without action. The full privileges and elections committee will meet tomorrow to act on the case, so that it can be presented when it comes time Monday noon for administering the oaths of office.

**ROCKWALL COPS**

ROCKWALL, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Scoring on the fourth play of the game and adding two more touchdowns, the Rockwall High school Yellowjackets beat the Longview Loboes 20-6 today in a class B bidistrict fray. The crowd was estimated at almost 3,000.

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# Poultry, Rabbit Show Opens

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by and affiliated with the American Rabbit and Cavy Breeders association, and is considered one of the most competent judges of this section, it was declared.

I. L. Bandy, Godley, Texas, will judge the poultry events. He is licensed by the American Poultry association, and he, also, is well known for his judgment.

The show rooms, in the Barkley building at 606-10 Scott avenue, were crowded to capacity with the numerous rabbit and poultry entries. Among the many chicken exhibits were birds of the Campines, Australorps, Orpington, Brahma, Jersey Giant, Cornish, black Minorca, black Cochin, white Rock, brown Leghorn, Arcana, white Wyandotte and Plymouth Rock breeds.

Other birds in the poultry division included turkeys, ducks, geese, bantams and guinea fowls.

Rabbit entries included breeds of Chinchilla Rex, New Zealand Rex, and Havana Rex, breeds that have never before been exhibited here, and red and white New Zealand, heavy and standard Chinchilla, black and white Dutch, blue and white Dutch, silver Martin, blue Beveran and Silver Fox.

Scores of persons from Wichita Falls and other towns of this section visited the exhibitions Friday. Many more are expected to view the displays before the show closes Monday, the final day.

**M'GREGOR VICTOR**

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Taking advantage of frequent fumbles and outplaying the home team, McGregor defeated the State Orphans' home aggregation 14-0 today. The Bulldogs thereby won the right to enter the regional finals in the class B high school football race.

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# OIL FLOW AND IMPORTS GAIN

## October Figures Reveal Another Increase

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Production of crude petroleum in the United States increased 11 per cent in October over the September output as a result of reopening of the East Texas and Oklahoma oil fields Imports of crude increased 680,000 barrels while imports of refined products gained 71,000 barrels.

The October output was 73,079,000 barrels, the bureau of mines announced today, a daily average of 2,357,000 barrels. The output in September was 63,636,000 barrels and in October, 1930, 72,893,000 barrels.

The bureau said that the gain which followed a material decline during the preceding two months was "due almost entirely to the opening up of the flush fields of Oklahoma on Oct. 10 and to the fact that the East Texas field was allowed to produce throughout the month."

A record total of 446 wells were completed in the East Texas pools in October but the output was kept under control by progressively limiting the daily output of each well.

Total stocks of crude at the end of the month were 462,000,000 barrels as compared with 465,688,000 in September and 518,736,000 in October, 1930.

Natural gasoline produced during the month was 3,345,000 barrels compared with 3,062,000 in September and Benzol produced totaled 142,000 barrels against 138,000.

Imports of crude petroleum totaled 4,106,000 barrels against 3,426,000 in September and refined products imported were 3,939,000 barrels against 3,468,000.

Stocks of natural gasoline on hand at the end of the month were 2,577,000 barrels against 3,088,000 in September and refined products totaled 151,599,000 against 153,739,000.

The total demand during the month was 90,950,000 barrels against 88,350,000 in September.

Exports of crude petroleum were 2,389,000 barrels against 2,296,000 in September and refined products exported totaled 8,057,000 barrels against 7,816,000.

# Milwaukee Demo To Oppose Hoover If Cost Is Nil

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 4. (AP)—L. J. Chassee of Milwaukee wants to be president of the United States, particularly if it doesn't cost him anything.

It was with this thought in mind that he wrote to Arthur F. Mullen of Omaha, Democratic national committeeman, advising Mullen he would campaign throughout Nebraska for president provided he is guaranteed "chain hospitality."

His plan would be to "have five or 10 individuals have me as a 24-hour guest to have people in to meet me, arrange a public appearance if possible and publicity, and then see me on to the next place about 50 or 100 miles away, where the formality could be repeated."

"I hope you can arrange so that it will cost me nothing and no one will be out for money. I promise I am coming all alone," Chassee wrote.

"He's a stranger to me," Mullen said, "but presidential timber is presidential timber and I will await developments."

# 'Ski Girl' Receives Many Proposals

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (INS)—May Gledhill, the Canadian "ski girl" who lies ill and apparently friendless in a Long Island hospital was cheered and a bit mystified this morning to find more than a hundred offers of marriage in her mail.

The Canadian girl whose romance with William Ernest Conner came to a climax when Conner went to prison for forgery and she with her baby sought protection with Mrs. Conner seemed rather shocked to know that so many men whom she had never met were anxious to marry her.




**BRIDWELL OIL COMPANY**

The Bridwell company No. 21 Oil Investment in section 125, block 5, J. W. Harris subdivision in Archer county, west of Chalk Hill, is cleaning out the hole at 1226 feet after shooting the sand. The test is southeast of No. 20 producer.

**SOUTHWEST ARCHER COUNTY**

After testing a small oil show in a sand from 1316 to 1318 feet in their No. 8 McClure test, located in block 13, Crawford Pasture subdivision southwest Archer county, Burns & Long have abandoned as a dry hole at 1335 feet.

**YOUNG COUNTY LOCATION**

Earl Parker and associates No. 1 J. W. Bullock is a location 250 feet from north, and 150 feet from west lines of east 72 of north 128 acres out of section 261, in north Young county.

**SOUTHWEST ARCHER**

Lowe-Delaney & Carter No. 1 Richardson, located in the northeast part of block 16, J. Scott survey, abstract 374, east of the Swastika pool in south Archer county, is drilling at 1000 feet.

**SOUTHWEST OF IOWA PARK**

C. W. Clark and others have placed their No. A-2 Kemp-Blair well in section 28, W. V. F. L. in south Wichita county, on the pump and it is making 250 barrels daily. Twelve feet of rich sand was drilled, topped at 1042 feet.

**WILBARGER WILDCAT**

Bowman brothers No. 1 L. Johnson, in section 11, block 10, H. & T. C. R. R. survey in north Wilbarger county, shut down for some time, has resumed and is cleaning out the hole at 2997 feet.

Airplane service is said to be taking a million dollars worth of business from railroads entering New York City.

# GUARD CHIEF UPHOLDS CURB

## Wolters Addresses Group at New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Speaking before the National Guard association today, Brig. Gen. Jacob F. Wolters, head of the Texas national guard, said martial law in the East Texas oil field was declared and maintained not for economic reasons but to avert armed strife in the district.

He described the farmer-land owners in East Texas as descendants of pioneer stock who became incensed at the exploitation of the area and who, he said, "were getting down their squirrel rifles to shut down excessive production by force of arms" when the militia took charge.

Wolters, who is facing a federal court contempt proceeding for violation of an junction in connection with his supervision of the East Texas field, told the national guardsmen: "I am obeying the orders of my governor, as any one in my position should do."

He touched on the East Texas situation only briefly after reading an exhaustive technical treatise before the association on "Martial Law and Its Administration" in which he quoted the U. S. supreme court and the high tribunals of the various states in support of a thesis that "the courts are without authority to restrain the military authorities from those acts which they deem necessary to protect life, liberty or property in a district in which the governor has declared martial law."

# Quality of Meat Can't Be Judged By Live Animal

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Don't judge the worth of the carcass by the looks of the "critter" on the hoof.

It won't always come true. Ask the judges of the "before-and-after" contest for steers at the International Livestock show. The awards, made today, disclosed the widest possible variance.

On the hoof, the steers were judged for their apparent meat value; after slaughtering, their carcasses were judged for actual meat quality.

The championship of steers on the hoof was awarded to an Angus yearling from Woodcote Farms, Iona, Mich. Another Angus, from Briarcliff Farms, Pine Plains, N. Y., was adjudged reserve.

Then to the slaughter house. The carcasses were judged—and the results:

Neither the champion nor reserve placed in the judging for quality of the meat.

Although in past seasons there has often been slight variances in the "before-and-after" awards, never before has the difference been so great as at this show.

The championship of carcasses went to the University of Wisconsin, whose entry, an Aberdeen Angus yearling, on the hoof, won only a third place in the summer yearling class.

The meat of another Angus, owned by Harold Brown, of Aledo, Ill., was adjudged for the reseve champion carcass. Brown's calf won second place on the hoof in the summer yearling class.

# Church Council Uses Soft Pedal On Birth Control

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4. (AP)—A disturbing echo of a subcommittee's report on birth control had been stilled and action taken on a comprehensive program of international questions as the executive committee of the federal council of the Churches of Christ in America concluded its annual meeting today.

More than 200 clergymen representing 26 Protestant communions attended the three-day sessions at which the committee went on record as favoring immediate abolition of chemical warfare, actual reduction of armaments, all-around reduction or cancellation of war debts and prompt entry of the United States into the world court.

A flurry was created in yesterday's session when a resolution was submitted urging that the council's administrative committee take full responsibility for its utterances as one result of that committee's approval, for publication only, of majority and minority reports of another group which investigated birth control. Speakers argued that the publication of the reports would create the erroneous impression that they voiced the opinion of the federal council as a whole.

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## Texas Facts

By BILL EDWARDS

Texas furnished almost one-fourth of all the carload vegetable shipments of the United States in 1930—7,364 out of a total of 31,127. California with 6,141 carloads was in second place.

**HELPING BUILD TEXAS**

The Denison peanut factory, now operating on full time, has paid out over $3,000,000 to peanut and pecan growers of Northern Texas and Southern Oklahoma this year, $150,000 in wages to its workers in the past seven months. It has a daily capacity for handling eight carloads of nuts.

Texas produces anywhere from a fourth to a half of the pecans produced in the United States. It has produced as much as 100,000,000 pounds of peanuts in one year—this year's crop is estimated at more than 90,000,000. But plants for the processing of either peanuts or pecans are few in Texas, and supplying the Texas market for peanut and pecan products is done largely from other states.

During the first 10 months of 1931 farmers of half a dozen counties around McLennan have been supplied with much of their cash income by the sale of milk to the big creamery at Waco, established only a couple of years ago with some dubiousness as to the steadiness of its needed supply of raw milk. During those 10 months nearly a half million dollars was paid for milk produced on farms of that section, and overage daily receipts are now exceeding 100,000 pounds.

An additional $2,500,000 worth of contracts for highway construction were let at the November-December session of the state highway commission. Projects included 102.5 miles of grading and drainage construction, 29 miles of concrete slab and 137.3 miles of hard surfaced paving of various types. The end of 1931 will see completion of more miles of hard-surfaced highway than any previous year in that new construction has been made available for use many more miles which theretofore were isolated by gaps that were impassable in bad weather.

### Jimmy Walker Soaks Up Sun in California

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Dec. 4. (AP)—Mayor James J. Walker of New York City was resting here today, endeavoring to absorb some sunshine which he believed would help him get rid of a bad cold.

"Don't turn off the sun," Mayor Walker requested of Santa Barbara's mayor, Harvey T. Neilson, when the latter welcomed him to the city. Walker arrived yesterday from San Francisco, where he had appeared before Gov. James Rolph Jr., as "a private citizen" in behalf of Tom Mooney, convicted bomber.

### More Aliens Leave U. S. Than Enter in 1931

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (INS)—For the first time on record, more aliens left the United States than came into it in a period of nine months, the national industrial conference board reported today.

In the first three-quarters of this year, departing aliens exceeded immigrants by 22,769, it was shown.

### Hambone's Mediations




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### *Record News' Program for Wichita Falls*

1. **OIL**—Place the Wichita Falls district on a parity with other centers in the marketing of both crude oil and refined products.
2. **THE VALLEY**—Systematic, vigorous development of the irrigated valley in keeping with its possibilities as Wichita Falls' greatest physical asset.
3. **WATER**—An ample, assured supply of soft water.
4. **EDUCATION**—Maintenance of a junior college in Wichita Falls to give opportunity for higher education to our youth—the highest standards in elementary schools.
5. **THE LAKES**—Full development of the recreational opportunities offered by the three lakes.
6. **HIGHWAYS**—Early consummation of a highway program covering all the main routes radiating from this city and all the local roads that serve its agricultural community.
7. **DRAINAGE**—Solution of the drainage problem in all three phases; first, in the irrigated valley; second, with regard to Holliday creek; third, in those portions of the city now inadequately drained.
8. **GOVERNMENTAL ECONOMY**—The adoption of such means as may be found most feasible to reduce the cost of local government by elimination of unnecessary offices and consolidation of others.

A Dutch scientist says there are two fundamental forces at work in the universe. Yup. Good liquor and bad liquor, and the more they work the less chance of getting in Dutch.

## As Tattooing Passes

WHAT makes history, anyway—the big stories about world-shaking events, or the little, unimportant items that go almost unnoticed at the time they are printed?

The big stories, of course—the stories of wars, political overturns, revolutions and so on—provide the historians with most of their material. But some of the little ones reflect shifts in the complexion of society with amazing suggestiveness; and among them is a little story printed in a New York paper the other day, revealing that the business of tattooing has gone into a sad decline.

People don't go for tattooing as they used to, it seems. Many "artists" have had to find other jobs; and those still in business have a different clientele. The sailors, backbone of the trade for centuries, are not coming in so much nowadays, and the ones that do come in are mostly from merchant ships. The city tough, too, has lost his fondness for tattooing, and the lady customer has become almost non-existent.

Now all of this, of course, is supremely unimportant as a news item. But it does mirror a change in the habits and customs of society, and to some historian a generation or so hence it ought to be highly interesting.

For one thing, it shows the change that has come over the world of ships. The hard-handed old salt is vanishing; his place is taken by the sons of a mechanical age, who have forgotten most of the old sea lore and who don't care to have the mark of their calling stamped on their skins for life. Navy jack has become more sophisticated, more gentlemanly, and a crimson mermaid on his chest no longer seems to him something to be greatly desired.

The shore folk, too, have changed. The city hoodlum, who used to wear a rusty turtle-necked sweater and look as disreputable as possible, now goes in for sartorial elegance. Instead of trying to look like a tough, he tries to look like a college man.

In other words, we have outgrown a stage of our robust youth. The decline in tattooing speaks volumes about the change.

## Recognizing American Writers

HARRISON SMITH, who recently resigned a junior partnership in the publishing firm of Cape and Smith, is starting his own publishing firm and plans to specialize in the literature of young American writers. The way in which he made this announcement is rather interesting.

"I believe," he said, "that we're on the brink of something really great in American literature. Twelve years ago, when I first went into the publishing business, at least 50 per cent of every American list was written by English authors. Now about three-quarters of the average list is the work of American writers."

There will be plenty of people to share in Mr. Smith's optimism. A surer note, a wider viewpoint, have been apparent in home grown literature during the past decade. Unless all signs fail, we are due to be getting some uncommonly good books from American writers during the next few years.

## Japan's War Machine

ONE important point to remember in studying the movements of the Japanese army in and about Manchuria, is that the Japanese war department operates under a set-up totally unlike that of any other modern nation.

In every other great power, the premier and parliament have complete, continuous control over the actions of their fighting men. Through hysteria or incompetence they may occasionally lose control, of course—as actually happened in at least two European countries when the world war was about to begin; but legally they are in complete charge.

In Japan it is different. The army is answerable only to the emperor. It is a separate department of government. In an emergency like this the cabinet has very little real control. This may help to explain why its actions occasionally fail to jibe with the promises issued at Tokyo.

## A Magnificent Gesture

ONE very encouraging instance of applied altruism in business is that furnished recently by the Edgar Thomson mills of the Carnegie Steel company at Braddock, Pa., where 5,000 men have been given jobs to tide them over Christmas.

These men have been taken back although no new orders for steel have been produced. The plan will cost the steel company in excess of $560,000, it is said—but the workers will not face Christmas with empty pockets.

In the long run, probably, the company will not suffer by this action. Nevertheless, it is a gamble, and the officials who put it into effect deserve high praise. Christmas around Braddock this year will be a good deal brighter than would be the case if they had not had the courage to do the unusual.

## *Quotations Worth Noting*

I've used one cake of soap for three months and it isn't nearly finished yet.—**Gandhi.**

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Believe me, the year 1932 will not be a very good year for sonorous platitudes.—**Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia U.**

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Many of our inhabitants are suffering from unemployment.—**Calvin Coolidge.**

## WALTER WINCHELL *On Broadway*

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**Flashes From Fairyland**

1. Little Red Riding Hood.
A filly, tagged Red Riding Hood, was ankling through the wood;
She had a mess of vittles for her granny—
The aged femme was ailing, and a feed would do her good,
So Red was playing Little Orphan Annie.

A wolf, who muscled in, had put the granny on the spot
And gone to bed, quite full and feeling drowsy;
But Red (and they shell peas!) was slow in doping what was what,
And cooed, "What's wrong old girl? You're looking lousy."

"What teeth you have!" she chirped, and settled down beside the bed.
"Come closer, kid," he growled. "Know who I am now?
Heheh. Some fun!" he gagged, and made a nifty pass at Red.
"A wolf!" she yipped. "I guess I'd better scram now."
—Miller, Newcomb and Miller.

**How to Get Gray Young**

"Dear Mr. Winchell," writes J. Edward Milstein, one of the Italian (we presume) relief managers for Warner Bros. at the Sanford theater, Irvington, N. J., "I saw that newsreel and got a laugh, but Mr. Grandi did not say: 'Col. Limberger,' he said 'Lindbergha.' Many of the Italian race who cannot speak the English language very well, usually add a broad 'a' at the end of words. Considering that Mr. Grandi called Lindy the finest example of American youth, you owe him an apology."

Well, we won't apologize to Mr. Grandi because he called Lindy that at all. We'll apologize to Grandi because we've been a baddie.

O, Signor Grandi! Diss-pee-ah-ja!

**Heheheh**

That Ellinson Person argues that there's a bright side to these bad times. Most of us, he observes, haven't been troubled with breaking in new shoes.

**Haw!**

R. D. Pope of Winter Haven, Fla., writes to learn if what he heard is a fact. Mr. Pope says that down there the natives are saying that in New York parks the signs "Keep off the Grass!" have been changed to read: "Please Don't Eat the Grass!"

**Same Here**

And one of the loyalists, whose initials are W. E. C., wishes that Hoover would make good his promises—so that all those magazine editors could go back to their truck-driving.

**Oop!**

Pete Woodhull, the prominent movie exhibitor, was addressing a convention of cinema theater owners. Mr. Woodhull was asked what he thought of the theater that plays two features on a single program.

"Oh," he replied, "just twice as much bad entertainment."

**Within the Law**

A. B. Comathiere, sepia star of "Porgy," told this one during a lull in the rehearsals of "The Second Coming" at the Provincetown.

In Italy, mashers are fined 50 lires, or something, for flirting. But this doesn't stop amorous sheiks from passing a pretty signorita and saying in a stage whisper:

"Ah, if I only had 50 lires!"

**Of All Things!**

Mrs. A. P. Culver, late of No. 131 E. 66th St., N. Y. C., has a sensayuma. That's why she forwarded to us a copy of the bill she received from a carpenter. In having her piano moved out of her furnished apartment, one of the heavy rollers broke thru a tiny board in the parquet floor. Mrs. Culver left instructions to have it fixed and to send her the bill.

This is what she received: "For patching floor—2¼ hrs., carpenter, $1.62½ an hour. One hour Supt. at $1.75—strip oak flooring .45—1 lb. nails .08—carfare .10—Workmen's Compensation and Public Liability Insurance .29—10% overhead .69—10% profit .76—total $8.32."

What! No lunch expenses?

**The Way and How!**

One of David Murray's pals was amazed. "You mean to say," he gasped that you actually got back stage? Hoja ever get by the doorman?"

"Oh," indifferently replied Murray, "I talked so loud that he thought I was the star."

**Simile**

From Dorothy Verrill, now in New York hospital: "Sexless as a hospital nightie."

**Capsule Critique**

Add to our Crisp Cracks From Caustic Critics Dep't—the one forwarded by S. Kornheiser, who recalls the time in Philly when students heckled a new play.

One of the more intelligent morons stood and yelled: "This show will go down in hissss-tory!"

**Merciless Truth**

Ted Evans, an editor in Columbus, Ohio, hadn't seen Jimmy Jappe since Jimmy had an operation last Summer. They met on the street the other day and Evans remarked how well Jimmy looked. "You look swell," exclaimed Evans, "how do you feel?"

"Twenty years younger—financially," was the snapper.

**Novelette**

It happened in the W. 47th St. Police Station, atop of which a brand new flag now toys with the winds. A drunkee was brought in the other night on a charge of vagrancy (as who shouldn't be?).

As they jotted down his pedigree, the Captain, who would give anything to have us brought in there for a moment (so we could get 10 years!), flung his coat over the railing. He flung it with an angry gesture, being sulky.

Well, sir, to make a short story very comical, the stew's case was held for Day Court, and while being taken from the room he picked up the Captain's coat which had $40 in a pocket. The Captain still is looking for the coat but more so for his coin.

The following day the vagrant was freed and with the Captain's $40 went by-by without even saying ta-ta.

Moral: Never have a guy arrested for vagrancy—you never can tell when you'll lose your only $40 and be held on the same charge!

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - By Robert L. Ripley




**EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON**

THE STRIPED CHURCH OF ROUMANIA—Hermannstadt in Transylvania was formerly part of the kingdom of Hungary which was compelled to cede the town to Roumania after the conclusion of the world war. The Hungarian name of the town was Nagy Szeben, while the Roumanians renamed it Sibiu. Hermannstadt shelters many different faiths within its precincts. The striped Greek cathedral which was erected in 1906 has been so decorated because of the still-unsettled claim of two different religious denominations to worship within its portals.

CHARLIE ROMANO—When Charlie Romano was a child he formed a habit of putting his arms back of his head, and kept at it until he was able to wrap his arms around the back of his neck and clasp hands under his chin. This habit has been so persistently indulged in that he now sleeps in this position.

Romano's home is 7603 101st avenue, Ozone Park, Long Island, N. Y.

Monday—"The Marvelous Mittens."

## "A FREE SOUL" By ADELA ROGERS ST. JOHN

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SYNOPSIS

Jan, the beautiful daughter of Stephen Ashe, well known criminal lawyer, had been taught to live her own life. She defied social conventions and was greatly criticized, yet every one admired her. Jan dearly loves her father and is heartbroken when his career is threatened by drink. At a boxing match, Jan meets Ace Wilfong, a gambler noted for his honesty. As a boy Ace had sold flowers to Jan, and both carried the memory of one another through the years. That night, Ace sends orchids to Jan. Ace's sister, Wennie, disapproves of his interest in Jan. Ace accompanies Jan to court where her father is fighting a case. Stephen, in a stupor, dozes in a chair, to the consternation of every one. Called to argue, he rambles through the evidence and it appears that he will lose. Then he spies the flag.

CHAPTER XXI

"D'you see that flag up there?" he said to them, with a smile of such sweetness that it seemed to light up the muggy place. His voice was tender, and a little deprecatory and as intimate as a lover's, but it was clear and distinct. He made a little reverent gesture toward the flag that hung behind the judge's chair, vivid and imperious as an eagle.

"I wonder if you love that flag as I love it? I've been sitting there looking at it, and remembering some of the times and places I've seen it. I expect maybe you have memories like that, too. My folks have always been pretty keen about that flag.

"Maybe some of you remember that my father fought for it, even though it broke his heart. Because the senator loved the South, where his father and mother were born—he loved it just as Abraham Lincoln loved it, and he suffered when he fought against it, just as Abraham Lincoln suffered, but he fought against it for that flag up there, that it might carry on the glorious freedom of democracy to the downtrodden peoples of this earth.

"I fought for it myself—didn't do much, didn't come home with my chest all decorated with medals or anything—but—I did my best. Some people thought I could do more good staying home and making speeches, or trying my hand at administration, for that had to be done. But—I guess I was selfish. I wanted to follow that flag right out onto the battle-fields and stand under it and say, 'We're here, boys, and you're through, because victory always goes where Old Glory goes.'

"And when I was over there and used to see our birds of war chancing death thousands of feet up in the air, I used to wish I had a son flying one of them. If I'd had a son, I think he'd have been there all right, just as his great-great-grand daddy was at Bunker Hill, and his granddaddy was at Appomattox, and his dad was at Chateau Thierry. But I haven't got a son—I've only got a girl, that's dearer to me than any son could ever have been."

His eyes found Jan. Her eyes were shining through the tears, like a candle flame when a man comes home.

"But she'd have gone, somehow, if they'd let her. That's the one thing I missed, the glory of sending my son to fight, of seeing him march down the street under that flag, ashamed, as we teach our sons to be, of his tears, and ashamed too of his bravery and his patriotism. Grinning at me, maybe, 'Good-by dad'."

Oh, the stir of the music they heard as that regiment passed down the street! If Stephen Ashe's eyes were wet, so were the judge's those stern, contemptuous eyes. That reporter, dashing in hung in the doorway like a traveler caught by some sorcerer's spell.

But it was to the 12 men in the box that Stephen Ashe said, soft and low: "When I was a little boy, my dear old mother, who had all that stern and righteous New Englandism upon which this nation is built, called me to her and pointed to the flag and said, 'My son, remember that the red is for bravery, and the white is for purity and the blue is for truth. Be brave, be pure, be true.' I haven't been all those things, you know. I don't suppose any of you have managed to wear your mother's ideals untarnished through the years. But I want to tell you that when upon a foreign battlefield I thought of that flag in the dawns, any one of which might be may last, it still said to me, 'Be brave, be pure, be true.'

"'And I'd hang the man I thought was guilty of disloyalty to that flag, hang him with my own hands. A law trial is a strange thing. Maybe we've been able amid its intricacies to convince you of this defendant's innocence. Maybe not. But he is innocent. I might have had a son like that boy. And if he were my own son and I thought he was guilty, I'd say to you, 'Gentlemen, do your duty.' If he were guilty, do you believe I would defend him?"

The champion of lost causes had finished. Only the cause was no longer lost. Believe? They believed anything he told them. The old spark had flamed forth once more, the old charm had reached out to bind them helpless. The old magic had done the trick.

When Ashe had got him to bed, like a spent runner whose spurt has burned up the last of his resistance, Jan Ashe came out quietly and closed the door. Her face was gray-white, and her eyes were like jewels gleaming through a mist.

She came to the window where Ace Wilfong stood, watching the lights of the Ferry building. They stood there shoulder to shoulder, motionless, having with Steve Ashe just won another battle against their common enemy, the law.



"My love," he said, and that was a word he had never used before, "my love, my love."

Then she said, "Why does God let things like that happen?"

Her poor voice, so brave, so tortured! The first time she had ever spoken thus of her father to a man, to any one. While her words still hung upon the air, she realized it. What could it mean but that she really loved him—this young man who belonged to that one of her worlds which Stephen Ashe's daughter should most have prayed to escape?

"I don't know, Jan," he said, "but I think perhaps, with a man like that, he is—overbalanced. So brilliant on one side, there is no evenness to his mind."

She shot him a swift look. She looked quite tall, and very sad. "Yes. D'you know, today, Ace, for the first time I thought he—believed all that myself? When he does that, it means that his mind—I don't understand. There's something. He can't face things. He can't bear it. He can face them easily enough for others. He always knows just what other people should do. But for himself, he hates to face things. He hides from collectors. He runs away from—messes. D'you know what I mean?"

She looked at him, and her eyes had grown soft and sad—mother eyes, looking up at him for comfort. Where had Jan ever looked for comfort before?

And then, all in a moment, Ace Wilfong knew that he might speak to her, his high and lovely lady, his star, of that which lay within his heart. She had turned her face to him for help, for comfort. And in the flood of tenderness that swept him were swept away all his fears, all his barriers—or he thought they were all swept away. At least, enough of them were gone so that he might take her in his arms and kiss her.

"My love," he said, and that was a word he had never used before, "my love, my love."

(Continued Monday)

## Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

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**Q.—Is the crystallization of metals the cause of their occasional failure to meet stresses?—H. B. R.**

A.—The term, crystallization, is often erroneously applied to the failure of metals when subjected to cyclic or "repeated" stresses. The failure of metals under such conditions should be referred to as the fatigue or endurance of metals.

**Q.—What is meant by off-side in a football game?—J. E. W.**

A.—A player is off-side when any part of his person is ahead of the ball, his scrimmage or restraining line when the ball is put in play. When a player is off-side his team is penalized five yards.

**Q.—How long does it take for the light of Mars to reach the earth?—E. C.**

A.—The distance of the planet Mars from the earth varies from 35,000,000 to 247,000,000 miles. It therefore requires from 188 to 1,328 seconds for light from the planet to reach the earth, depending upon the relative positions.

**Q.—What is the name for the inside and outside of a loaf of bread?—L. R. B.**

A.—The inside is the crumb, the outside is the crust.

**Q.—What portion of the immigrants who come to this country live in the cities?—J. C. R.**

A.—It is estimated that nearly 60 per cent of the immigrants live at least temporarily in the cities of the United States.

**Q.—When did Rudolph Valentino come to America?—J. S. S.**

A.—He arrived on the Hamburg-American liner Cleveland two days before Christmas, 1913.

**Q.—Is jazz a particular type of music?—G. M.**

A.—The Etude says that Paul Whiteman has defined it most definitely not as a particular type of music but as a method of playing music.

**Q.—How do Brazil nuts grow?—E. K.**

A.—The Brazil nuts are contained in a round, woody pericarp, or seed vessel, almost the size of a man's head, within which there are many of the seeds or nuts. These are packed so closely that it would be quite impossible to replace them, once they were removed.

**Q.—What does the word Sault in Sault Ste. Marie mean?—N. B.**

A.—The name is French and is translated, Falls of St. Mary. Sault is the same word that appears in somersault, meaning leap. The word should by right be pronounced So, but custom has given it the pronunciation, Soo.

**Q.—Who discovered the process for making paper from wood pulp?—N. L.**

A.—Charles Fenerty experimented for many years and in 1841 made public his invention.

**Q.—When was the last cargo of slaves brought to America?—C. H. R.**

A.—In 1859 by the slave-ship, Clothilde. W. H. Blumenthal says that only one of these negroes is still living. He is known as Cudjo Lewis, lives at Plateau, Ala., and is 94 years old.

**Q.—In the West Point class where Robert E. Lee ranked second, who ranked first?—S. M.**

A.—Charles Mason stood first in the class of 1829 in which Robert E. Lee stood second.

**Q.—When did Cuba become a republic?—L. M.**

A.—Cuba attained independence of Spain by the Treaty of Paris, Dec. 1, 1898. A constitution, modeled after that of the United States, was adopted Feb. 21, 1901.

**Q.—What is meant by the "calling of the sea" in Tennyson's Enoch Arden?—F. F.**

A.—The calling of the sea is an old English term for a groundswell. When this occurs on a still night the sound is sometimes heard for miles inland. Inhabitants of seaside towns looked on it as a summons by death. Tennyson refers to this phenomenon again in Crossing the Bar—"And one clear call for me."

**Q.—How were Indian tribes formed?—R. C.**

A.—Indian tribes were formed originally as family units, that is, the members of a certain family banded themselves, maintaining certain customs of life and religion. Various factors afterwards caused the tribes to expand.

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### *The Record News Offers Its Readers Recipes For Candies*

This booklet was prepared to meet a wide demand for a compact volume dealing with the making of candy in small quantities. Many of the recipes are highly prized ones that have been vouched for by their contributors. All have been selected with a view to presenting candies and other sweets which can be made easily at home, and which young folks as well as adults can manage.

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# GRAND OPERA 'WAR' IMPENDS

## Roxy Says Radio City to Hold Concerts

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—A grand opera "war" was seen as a possibility in an announcement today by Roxy, "director-general" of the $31,000,000 Radio City being built on Fifth avenue.

Roxy, who in private life is Samuel L. Rothafel, told a gathering of motion picture advertisers that Radio City would have grand opera whether or not the Metropolitan Opera company decided to cast in its lot with the gigantic amusement center and move into a new home in Radio City.

Radio City is saving space among its 12 huge buildings for an opera house and negotiations have been under way with the Metropolitan but no announcement has been forthcoming. The possibility of competition between a new house and the old, backed by the persons of large wealth who sit in its famous "golden horse-shoe," caused something of a sensation.

Roxy and Radio City's gigantic new talkie house, seating 3,600 people and with provisions for the use of a huge screen, would provide the motion picture industry with a "show window" for pictures of a higher type to win back the proportion of the populace "lost" because of "pandering."

## Lions at Electra Hear Plans for Benefit Ball Game

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 4.—Morris (Monty) McDannald, captain of the 1931 Tiger football squad, and Edward McCracken, captain of the junior team, were guests of the Lions club Thursday at the weekly luncheon. The two captains spoke in behalf of the benefit game which was scheduled for Friday afternoon. The proceeds will go to the athletic fund.

A. I. Glassman gave a report of the show at a local theater which was sponsored by the Lions. It was also announced that Rev. E. M. Francis, former member of the club, had succumbed at Abilene Thursday and a committee composed of G. R. Davidson and L. B. Slaughter was appointed to draft resolutions in behalf of the club.

E. D. Kelly announced that plans were under way for the annual Christmas party sponsored by the club for the children. F. M. Baker stated that the signs, "Don't Kill a Child" placed near the schools were being repainted. J. H. Harris, Roy LeBus, and F. M. Baker were appointed as a committee to confer with a committee from the Rotary club to discuss the probability of a movement to have a block of sidewalk built on East Roosevelt avenue connecting with the school to eliminate the pupils having to walk in the middle of the street in muddy weather. A tree planting committee, J. P. Doherty, Clifford Dodson, and G. J. Gilles, was appointed, and I. D. Craig was voted upon as a new member.

E. V. Haltom was in charge of the entertainment and presented Miss Mable Swafford, accompanied by Miss Armide Keeter, in song numbers. Mrs. Jodie D. Smith was presented in several reading selections.

## Reforestation Urged at Annual Convention

LUFKIN, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—The sixteenth annual convention of the Texas Forestry association was in session here today. Lumbermen from all parts of the state attended.

President Paul T. Sanderson of Trinity stressed the need for reforestation. He said forests should be maintained with the view of developing a paper manufacturing industry.

Texas has ideal resources for creation of such an industry, he said. Abundant labor, water power, electric power and gas were described as state assets which would make the operation of paper mills successful.

O. M. Stone urged lumbermen to go before the state legislature at its next session to ask for an appropriation for the forestry department commensurate with the importance of preserving standing and growing timber in East Texas.

## Additional Taxes for Germany Expected

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Additional taxes for Germany are expected under an emergency decree which the government plans to issue next Tuesday. The decree also will forbid political meetings between Dec. 20 and Jan. 2 so Germans may eat their holiday dinners in peace.

The decree as it stands now provides for raising the rates of sales and turnover taxes and introduction of a capital profits tax. It also plans a reduction of the low income tax limits now fixed at salaries of $35 a month and for the appointment of a price arbitrator.

It is expected to be signed over the week-end after approval of the cabinet.

# Youth Sentenced for Canny Scheme To Secure Medicines for Mother

HOUSTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Fain Fielder, alias Rudolph Fuller, alias R. F. Barnes, 26, formerly of Fort Worth, was sentenced today to a year and a day in the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth and three months in the county jail here for using the mails to defraud.

The prison sentence was suspended for five years, pending good behavior, but the jail sentence becomes effective Jan. 1.

It was charged that Fielder inserted an advertisement for an accountant but that the position was purely imaginary. The government contended that upon receipt of answers Fielder would request a $2 deposit from the applicants.

Fielder told the court he needed money to provide medicine for his sick mother.

# Judge Acquits Brother-in-Law Of Hoover on Prohibition Charge

### C. Van Ness Leavitt Upheld in Contention That He Didn't Know What Was in Whisky Sack

SANTA MONICA, Calif., Dec. 4. (INS)—C. Van Ness Leavitt, brother-in-law of President Hoover, was found not guilty of prohibition charges in police court here today.

Leavitt, who was arrested following a raid on a local grocery store, took the stand and stoutly maintained his innocence, asserting that the sack said to contain liquor that he was found carrying he had taken with no knowledge of what it held.

When asked if he knew what was in the sack, he said.

"No, I didn't. I don't know yet what was in it. I never opened it."

**Judge Upholds Story**

Leavitt's story was upheld by Judge Charles A. M. Spencer, before whom the case was heard without a jury.

"The defense showed conclusively that Mr. Leavitt was unaware of the contents of a sack which he carried from the Dailey grocery store and which proved to contain bottles of liquor," Judge Spencer said in his ruling that acquitted Leavitt.

Judge Spencer invoked "the original law," requiring that unlawful and wilful possession must be shown.

At the finish of his short statement he said:

"I do not believe there is a man or woman in this courtroom who would find this defendant guilty; I find him not guilty."

The crowded courtroom burst into thunderous applause and scores of well wishers milled around Leavitt, seeking a chance to shake his hand.

**Court's Statement**

Judge Spencer's statement follows:

"In a case in which a charge similar to this is involved, an unlawful possession must be proved. The defendant showed how he obtained possession and it reverts back to the original law—that testimony must show possession unlawful and wilful.

"The defendant has sworn that he did not know what was in the sack.

"There must be intent, either expressed or committed, to commit this crime. Under the testimony in the case, there is absolute proof that the defendant did not know what was in the sack."

The prosecution summoned three witnesses, all prohibition agents, to begin Leavitt's trial before Police Judge C. A. M. Spencer on a charge of possession of liquor.

"Thomas (Tommy) Carr, known as the "demon dry agent of Santa Monica," testified that Leavitt showed little, if any, surprise when confronted with the fact that the sack contained liquor.

Carr said that after he had examined the contents of the sack, he said to Leavitt: "Well, I guess I know who that belongs to."

"Well, you're right," he quoted Leavitt as replying.

Carr also said that after Leavitt was arrested and had been taken temporarily to a nearby drug store, that he admitted to the officers he had taken a drink in the rear of the grocery store where the seizure took place.

Carr was succeeded on the stand by Early Wolham, federal dry agent, who made the actual arrest.

Wolham testified he was standing behind a billboard approximately 25 feet from the rear door of C. R. Dailey's gorcery store when he saw Leavitt walk through the rear door with the sack, hesitate for a moment outside, drop the sack and begin to walk away.

He stepped forward then, Wolham said, and asked Leavitt what was in the sack. He said Leavitt replied: "I don't know," then opened the sack, surmised its contents and placed Leavitt under arrest, he said.

## Freed



C. VAN NESS LEAVITT

## Woman Seeks to Manage Affairs Of Aged Tycoon

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4. (AP)—A battle for control of the millions of Jonas Bloom, 80-year-old San Francisco banker and Central American financial power, is in prospect here.

A petition for appointment of Mrs. Evelyn L. Neizer, 65-year-old widow, as Bloom's guardian was filed in superior court yesterday. It alleged Bloom is incompetent and seeks the guardianship to "protect his fortune from designing persons." It said Mrs. Neizer had been Bloom's friend 40 years.

Bloom's attorneys, saying Bloom had terminated his friendship with Mrs. Neizer some time ago, gave notice they would resist the petition. Dec. 17 was set for the hearing.

The banker's attorneys also served Benjamin Bloom, a nephew, with a suit charging him with conversion of $880,000 worth of stock, belonging to Jonas Bloom, in the Banco Occidental of San Salvador. Until a year ago uncle and nephew were partners in the banking firm, Bloom brothers.

Jonas Bloom came to California in 1860, and became a financial power here.

## Former Insurance Head Held for Mail Fraud

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 4. (INS)—Arrest of Joe F. Little, former president of the Citizen's Life Insurance company, of Huntsville, Ala., and three other officials, on charges of fraudulent use of the mails, was announced here today by the federal district attorney.

The men were taken into custody at Fayetteville, Ark.

Others arrested were W. T. Patterson, A. J. Ingalls and Larry Moore. The concern is in the hands of a receiver.

Little and Moore were released under bond. Patterson and Ingalls are being held in default of bail.

## Actress Recovering From Injured Shoulder

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4. (AP)—Ann Harding's dislocated shoulder was improving today and it pained her no more, but she was still unable to use her left arm.

The film actress is still puzzled as to how she was injured and when. En route from California to Venice, Fla., to photograph scenes for a film in which she will appear, she left her train here Wednesday night with intense pain in her shoulder. She didn't know what caused it until a doctor found the dislocation.


## Periodical Pains Relieved In 3 Minutes

Month after month some women still suffer needless pain, but those who know simply go to a drug store or soda fount, get a package or dose of "B-C," and get perfect relief in 3 minutes, continuing their duties in pain-free, easy comfort.

"B-C" is the formula of two North Carolina druggists, contains several ingredients that function together for the relief of headache, neuralgia and periodical pains, accomplishing in a few minutes what no one drug formula can do under 1 to 3 hours.

"B-C" stops the pain, quiets the nerves, is perfectly harmless. No other preparation like it. Nothing else gives such profound relief. Ask your druggist, he knows.—Adv.

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Most complete line of Toys in Northwest Texas. Entire second floor displayed with Toys of every description. Our lay-away plan enables you to buy now to avoid the rush later; 25 per cent down will hold any toy until Christmas eve.

**Saul's** "Famous For It's Values"

Listen in every morning at 10:15 for Saul's radio broadcast over KGKO from Saul's second floor Toyland. You are invited to come to our store and hear the program also.

# GREAT SAVINGS at SAUL'S

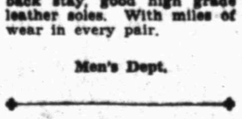
*Shopping at This Thrift Store Means Extra Savings for You*

**SPECIALS SATURDAY ONLY**

*Shoe Department*

**Ladies' Novelty Shoe Sale**

$4.95 and $5.95 values



$2.98

Over 200 pairs in this special group.

Brown suede pumps . . . brown reptile oxfords . . . black patent pumps . . . black kid and calf one straps . . . black satin pumps . . . Short lots of new fall shoes. Not all sizes in every style, but all sizes in this group.

Main Floor

*Men! Look This Over*

**SALE MEN'S WORK BOOTS**

Never sold under $9.95 before. They go on sale Saturday only.

$7.50

Black and tan. Full 16" height. Plain toe. Carries storm welting. Reinforced back stay, good high grade leather soles. With miles of wear in every pair.

Men's Dept.

*Saturday Only*

**SALE LADIES' SHOES**

Sold to $4.95



$1.99

Shoes in December at January prices. Black kid straps, pumps and ties. Plain and reptile trim.

Black satin pumps . . .

Brown kid pumps . . .

Patent straps and pumps . . .

Many other combinations. All heels. All sizes, in the lot.

Annex Shoe Dept.

Watch This Column Every Day for More Bargains

*Women's Lovely*

**COATS**



The first time such dressy coat quality has been offered at this popular price. Our entire line of . . .

$19.75 $49.75 $59.75

*Coats Go on Sale Saturday*

$17.95

Spongy woolens and broadcloths in black, brown or green. Sizes 16, 18, 20, 40, 42, 44.

New assortment of glove silk undergarments, tailored and lace trimmings. Teddies, French panties, bloomers and dancettes. All sizes $1.00 and $1.95.



*Children's Camel Hair*

**COATS**

$8.95 Values

$7.95

Fur pile collar and cuffs. Interlined with French flannel. Sizes 7 to 14. Saturday only.

Main Floor

**PURE THREAD SILK HOSIERY**



79c

Sheer chiffon and service weight, full fashioned, picot tops, cradle foot. Every pair perfect. In all new shades. Ideal for gifts.

**TURBAN AND ASCOT SETS**

Ladies' or misses' all wool turban with scarf to match. Colors are Spanish tile, royal blue, green, brown, scarlet and white . . . . . $1.19

**GIFT HANDKERCHIEFS**

Be Sure to Visit Our Gift Handkerchief Booth
Packed, three beautiful handkerchiefs in each gift box. Assorted colored borders or plain whites . . . . . 29c

Main Floor

**SATURDAY PIECE GOODS SPECIALS**

18x36 Cannon Both Towels. Snow white with colored borders . . . . . 10c

81x105 fine quality Rayon Bed Spreads in rose, gold, green, lavender or blue. Splendid for gifts . . . . . $1.95

Imperial Chambray in small and medium check and solid colors. Regular 29c value. All guaranteed fast colors . . . . . 19c

Main Floor

**WOMEN'S FUR TRIMMED**

**COATS**

$10.95



Smart styles, warm fabrics, fur collars and fur trimmed cuffs. Sizes 16 to 46.

**Women's Outing Flannel Gowns**

79c

Full cut and well made from warm outing in plain colors or fancy patterns. Sizes 16 to 20.

Women's Full Fashioned
**SILK HOSE**

Substandards from $1 and $1.50 values. Sheer chiffon or semiservice weights in the current season's newer shades

69c

Bargain Dept.



**RIBBON HATS**

The New Midseason Hats That Whisper . . . Spring

Black Bright Colors $2.95

You'll Wear One to Brighten Dull Winter Days



**TAM SETS**

for yourself—and gifts—packed in holiday boxes.

$1.95

Other Sets $1.00-$1.49

Main Floor

**CHILDREN'S HIGH SHOES**

Sizes 5½ to 8 . . . . . $1.95
Sizes 8½ to 11½ . . . . . $2.45
Sizes 12 to 2 . . . . . $2.95

A two-tone shoe with patent vamp and silk top, neat in appearance and serviceable for dress and school wear.

Main Floor

All That's New in
**MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS**

Good grade black calf uppers. The best of leather soles. Plain, wing tip and regular toes . . . . . $3.95

New Men's Dept.

Just Received
**BOYS' HIGH TOP SHOES**

Leather soles, good black calf uppers. Sizes 1 to big boys' 6 . . . . . $1.98

Bargain Dept.

**CHILDREN'S SHOES**

High Top black calf. Full lined. Sizes 8½ to 2 misses' . . . . . $1.49

Bargain Dept.

**BOY SCOUT SHOES**

Sizes to big boys' 5½ . . . . . $1.49

Bargain Dept.



**BOYS' 2-PANT SUITS**

$4.85 and $7.85

Stylish new suits in assorted dark shades. Well made from sturdy fabrics that will stand lots of hard wear. Sizes 7 to 14.

Boys' Fast Color
**Broadcloth Shirts**

Full cut, well tailored, new patterns, fast colors. Sizes 6 to 14 . . . . . 69c

Boys' Dept.

**MEN'S SUITS**

$11.85



Extra Pants $3.00

The current season's newer styles, well tailored, sturdy hard finished fabrics that will hold their shape and give lots of wear. New shades to choose from. Sizes 35 to 44.

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**

$1.49, $1.95, $2.45 values. Fine broadcloth and woven madras fabrics, tailored by Perfecto, Manhattan and other well known makers . . . . . 94c



MEN'S ALL WOOL
**TOPCOATS**

$9.85

A wide variety of patterns or plain blues to choose from.

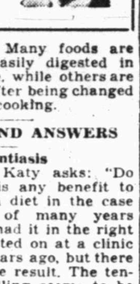
New Men's Dept.

# Health and Diet Advice

Author of "The Fast Way to Health"
By DR. FRANK McCOY

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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**Study Food Selection**

The business man of New York rides to his office in his automobile or on the elevated after eating a breakfast of orange juice from California, cornmeal from Iowa, and eggs from Illinois. For lunch he may have salmon from Alaska, celery from Michigan, Virginia potatoes, and tapioca from the tropics. He then may ride 25 to 50 miles to his home and have a dinner with roasted beef from Kansas, Arizona lettuce, Florida tomatoes, Wisconsin peas, and melon from Colorado.

What a different kind of life we enjoy now from that of the early settlers. For many years we have been entirely free from anxiety about a shortage of food or about its transportation from the producer to the consumer. More, of course, would be happy if we could solve the problem of a more equal distribution of the money with which to purchase the food needed. Our dietary habits have changed far more since the colonial days than they did in the entire time from the Babylonian times until the discovery of America. With our abundance of all kinds of nourishing food it should be within the realms of possibility that we could develop the finest race of strong, healthy men and women that have ever lived. Much depends on how seriously we make a study of food and its effect on our bodily chemistry. The producer of any food products, is not selling his goods for either his or the consumer's health, but as a business in which he can make a profit. The farmer and the restaurant proprietor offer the most tempting foods which you will purchase and, of course, are not seriously concerned about the healthful qualities of such food.

Pure food laws protect the buyer only to the extent of making the manufacturer print the truth about the contents on the outside wrapper. It is entirely left to the consumers' judgment and intelligence as to whether the food purchased is good food for his body, and it is also necessary for him to understand how much of it to use and how to combine it with other foods.

There are nearly a hundred elements which have been discovered by chemists, and, although most of these have been found in the human body, only about 20 seem to be of great importance. Some of these are oxygen, hydrogen, carbon, phosphorous, sulphur, and calcium. A good mixture of ordinary foods contains an abundance of these and all necessary elements. The elements from the animal and vegetable foods are transferred to our blood through digestion and assimilation. The power to make this conversion varies a great deal with the individual. One who may be said to have a strong digestion may without much apparent difficulty digest a large amount of many foods at one meal. Another with a deficient power of digestion may need to be very careful as to both the quality and quantity of the foods digested and likewise cautious as to how the different foods are combined at meals. Many foods are nourishing and easily digested in their natural state, while others are of greater value after being changed and prepared by cooking.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**Elephantiasis**

Question—Miss Katy asks: "Do you think there is any benefit to be derived from a diet in the case of elephantiasis of many years standing? I have had it in the right leg and was operated on at a clinic in Rochester 10 years ago, but there was no appreciable result. The tendency of the swelling seems to be increasing, but it is only in this one leg."

Answer—Elephantiasis is a difficult condition to correct. Surgery is sometimes used, but it is not very satisfactory and diet is only partially so. There are two kinds of elephantiasis, one caused by a parasite and the other caused by inflammation similar to milk leg or phlebitis. I have had many cases of this type of elephantiasis in my office. It occurs mostly in women, and usually affects only one leg, and seems to be the type present in your case. About the best dieting regimen and treatment I could advise for you without seeing you would be similar to that outlined in my articles on phlebitis and the cleansing diet. The fast could be repeated at intervals of about a month apart. It may be possible to reduce the leg to some extent by this method.

**Oxygen Starvation Causes Yawning**

Question—Arthur writes: "I yawn very frequently throughout the day even though I get plenty of rest. What causes this?"

Answer—The desire to yawn frequently comes from oxygen starvation. Sometimes this is due to a lack of red blood corpuscles that is found in anemia; if so, dieting would be necessary. If anemia is not present, you should take deep breathing exercises morning and evening and occasionally throughout the day so that you will supply your lungs with enough extra oxygen to care for your body's needs.

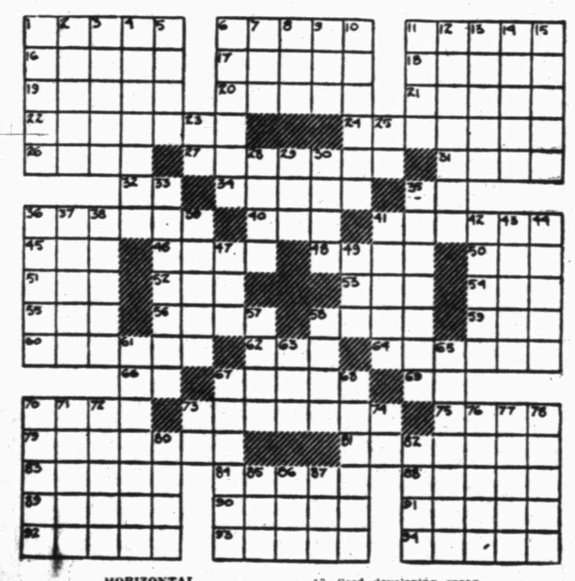
## Attorney Advocates Tax on Land Only

NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Frank V. Voight, Comal county attorney, advocated taxing land values only in an address today before the opening session of the state association of county tax assessors.

Steve Heffington of Austin discussed a new statistical book for use by assessors in gathering information. He expressed belief farmers would not welcome a detailed questionnaire. Frank Scotten of El Paso said farmers opposed the questions on the grounds that such particular information was "nobody's business."

J. W. Stewart Jr., deputy state comptroller, advocated a new form of tax rolls under the "split tax" system.

# CROSSWORD PUZZLE



**HORIZONTAL**

1. Was concerned.
6. Became wan.
11. Waste and dirty water.
16. Dull yellowish green.
17. Nimble.
18. Snowy.
19. Split.
20. A work with two par pets.
21. Empty.
22. Parried.
24. Gradually diminished.
26. Lithuanian.
27. Fluttered over or about.
31. Yeas.
32. Son of Judah.
34. Rover.
35. Biblical king.
36. Present for acceptance
40. Pull laboriously.
41. Grass shoots.
45. Unnecessary activity.
46. French city and health resort.
48. Part of a tire.
50. Breed; progeny.
51. Place.
52. Greek vowel.
53. Deviate from the path of restiture.
54. One (Dial. England).
55. Refrigerate.
56. Acquires.
58. Cause of uremia.
59. By means of.
60. Rush-like herbs.
62. Analog of the Roman Aurora.
64. Let fall loosely and irregularly.
66. Assumed cause of mesmerism.
67. Sword.
69. Babylonian deity.
70. Environs.
73. Sacred honor.
75. Ninth day after the nones.
79. Glorified or extolled.
81. Porridge.
83. Nest or brood.
84. First appearance.
88. Reddish-orange.
89. Printed calico.
89. Toothed irregularly.
91. Implant.
92. Coach.
93. Fresher.
94. 35.31 cubic feet.

**VERTICAL**

1. Calcareous secretion of marine zoophytes.
2. Animate.
3. Short, soft, metal bolt.
4. Overthrown.
5. Indent.
6. Amnesty.
7. In draw-poker, the eldest hand.
8. Movable cover.
9. Highest note in Guido's scale.
10. Made indentations.
11. Clip.
12. Ancestral line of descent.
13. Seed developing organ.
14. Pawnee.
15. Sleighs.
23. Interrogative interjections.
25. Colloquial term for public notice.
28. Mouse-like rodent.
29. Australian ostrich.
30. Tatters.
33. Failed to follow suit.
35. Run.
36. Tapestry.
37. Evolve.
38. Celebrated.
39. Ceremonies.
41. Painful or diseased parts.
42. With mouth open in wonder or expectation.
43. Regenerate.
44. Severe or austere.
47. Domesticated carnivorous mammal.
49. Pronoun.
57. Aquatic carnivorous mammal.
58. Employed.
61. Young domestic fowl.
63. Japanese sash.
65. Wearing apparel.
67. Depress.
68. One who digs with his snout.
70. Amasses.
71. To put forth effort.
72. The Virgin Mary (Latin).
73. Pronoun.
74. Parent.
76. Stupid or obtuse.
77. Yeaner.
78. List of candidates.
80. Head or headdress (Fr.)
82. Demonstrative pronoun.
85. Sooner than.
86. Forward part of a vessel.
87. Custom.

**Answers to Yesterday's Puzzle**

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## Wichita Falls

**Folks, Facts, Fancies**

**At the General Hospital**

Homer Smith, 1821 Tenth street, is at the Wichita General hospital, where he is to undergo a major operation Saturday morning.

G. B. Hall, 923 Ninth street, was received as a patient Friday at the Wichita General hospital. He will undergo a major operation Saturday, according to the report of attendants.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jennings of Electra, underwent a major operation Friday at the Wichita General hospital, according to the report of attendants.

# TEACHERS GET HALF OF PAY

## Only $6,500 Now Needed For Full Payroll

Checks for a half month's pay, instead of the month's salary that is due, will be issued to Wichita Falls school teachers Saturday, it was announced Friday.

Members of the board of education said funds on hand were insufficient to pay the full wage, and that teachers would be paid the balance of their salaries as soon as sufficient taxes had been received.

Collections Friday totaled $1,068.40, bringing the total for this week to $14,643.40 and the total of 1931 taxes paid this fall to $137,408.60. The board announced last Monday that it lacked $21,000 of having sufficient funds to meet the $48,000 pay roll due Dec. 5. Less than $6,500 is now needed to reach the $21,000 goal, and board members said they expected payments within the next day or two to total that amount.

Of the taxes received Friday, the largest amount was from A. B., W. E. and R. E. Huff Jr. for a total of $600.31. Others on the "honor roll" Friday were the Iten Biscuit company, Wayne Roberson, J. H. Lippard, J. R. Munkres, E. M. Crump, Life Insurance company of Virginia, J. C. Newson, Mrs. Lottie LeBlanc, R. H. Temple, F. L. Randle, O. C. Biggs, R. Vaughn Ray estate, R. C. Ackerman and G. C. Biggs.

**ATTEND OSTEOPATHIC MEET**

Dr. R. H. Peterson and Dr. Ted R. Krohn are in Fort Worth to attend the North Texas Osteopathic association, convening Saturday afternoon. Dr. Peterson will read a paper on "Rheumatic Heart Disease and Its Relation to Focal Infection."

Carnations are the favorite flower of King George of England.

## KGKO PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

**Radio station KGKO will broadcast the following program on Saturday:**

**7:00—Breakfast brevities, news.**
**7:45—Kakuna Hawaiian Royalists.**
**8:30—Shopping and Home topics.**
**9:30—Opening markets — grain, cotton, stocks.**
**9:45—KGKO Fun club.**
**10:15—A Trip to Toyland.**
**10:45—Church of the Air.**
**11:30—Markets.**
**11:35—Musical Moments.**
**12:00—Vagabond and His Gang.**
**12:30—Closing Markets.**
**12:35—Hits of the Day.**
**1:00—Amateur hour.**
**2:00—Afternoon musical.**
**5:00—Tea Time melodies.**
**5:30 — Etchings in black and white.**
**6:00—Dinner hour concert.**
**7:15—Al 'n A Piano Twins.**
**7:30—Junior chamber of commerce program.**
**8:00—Yuletiders.**
**8:30—Glen Sanders.**
**9:00—Mountaineers—fiddle band.**

# ELECTRA BANK SALE ASKED

## Building Inyolved in Plea for Court Permit

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 4.—A notice was placed on the door of the First State bank building announcing that James Shaw, banking commissioner of Texas, had filed an application with the district court of Wichita county for an order to sell a certain specified amount of the bank property on Dec. 9 for the listed price of $14,000, unless the duly appointed special agent in charge of the bank is offered a higher and better bid on or before Dec. 9.

The property referred to was the two-story brick building, a part of lots 13, 14, and 15 of block 64 which was formerly occupied by the bank. Other items listed were the properties used in the bank.

## Nenoff Winner In Wrestling Show

Steve Nenoff of Poland, captured the main event of the local wrestling card Friday night at Bob Connor's wrestling arena, by taking the first fall in 14 minutes and seven seconds with a headlock, Wiedner won the second fall in 11 minutes and 19 seconds with a cross body leg bar, then Nenoff won the third fall with the same hold as the second in nine minutes and 39 seconds.

Silent Condell, the deaf and dumb Scotchman, and Lee Meyers, the Kansas City bad man, drew in the 45-minute semifinal.

In the special match, a 30-minute preliminary, Jack Brown and Jean Callet wrestled to a no-fall draw

China's population now stands at 474,787,000.

WASH TUBBS By Crane




GAS BUGGIES By Frank Beck




THIMBLE THEATER Starring POPEYE By E. C. Segar




THE NEBBS By Sol Hess




TAILSPIN TOMMY By Glenn Chaffin and Hal Forrest



# MASONS MAUL OLNEY'S CUBS IN BI-DISTRICT BATTLE, 47-6

## Orphans Choke Off Big Stars Of Bear Attack As McCall Runs Wild

By FRED THOMPSON
Record News Sports Editor

OLNEY, Texas, Dec. 4.—The Olney Cubs tasted defeat here today for the first time in three years of class B competition, bowing to the mighty Masonic Home eleven of Fort Worth by the overwhelming score of 47 to 6 in the bidistrict game.

It was the most crushing defeat an Olney team has suffered since the regime of Coach Albert Acker started in 1928. That year the Cubs won the district 3 crown but lost in the bi-district to Mineral Wells by the score of 26 to 14. Since that game the Cubs had not lost a league encounter until today when the sheer power of the Masons proved too much to cope with. A crowd of about 3,500 saw the game.

The Masons by winning today earned the right to play the winner of the Clarendon-Lamesa game for the regional championship held in 1929 and in 1930 by the Olney aggregation.

**Cubs Outplayed**

The Masons ran rough shod over the Olney Cubs from start to finish today and the Cubs averted a complete shut out by the brilliant work of Truman Elmore. Elmore on two occasions returned kickoffs 60 and 70 yards respectively.

The 70-yard return occurred late in the fourth quarter and the Cubs showed their only defensive punch of the game, then bucking through the Masons line for their only touchdown. Rue took it over and Duckworth's placement failed.

**Stars Smothered**

Elmore was practically the only backfield star on the Cub machine as the Masons had Duckworth and Graves, the big men of the Cubs ground gainers, smothered most of the time. Elmore's sensational return of punts was well matched by the work of the Masonic backfielders who time and again got off for long gains. McCall, Masonic captain, rang up six touchdowns and place kicked five extra point, while Black, Masonic halfback, provided the biggest thrill of the day when he split the Cub line in the third quarter and raced 50 yards for a touchdown.

The Mason's passing attack was brilliant from start to finish but they had plenty of line buckers to gain ground and used few heaves. Olney was forced to take to the air from the very start and while some passes were completed for long gains, the advantage was eaten up by Masonic intercepting. Thorp shining in this respect. Pass interceptions accounted for several of the Masons' counters.

Masonic Home clicked off 23 first downs to 12 for the Cubs. The Cubs got inside the Masonic 20-yard zone three times while the Masons got in theirs six times. The Cubs were roundly outplayed but lost to a team far superior to any that has been seen in this section of the class B world.

**Teams Banqueted**

Tonight the Masonic team and the Cubs were guests at a banquet given by the local Masonic lodge. A party of Wichitans headed by William E. Huff invited the Masons to play the regional championship game in Wichita Falls. The matter will be taken up with the winner of the Clarendon-Lamesa game, it was said.

Lineup and summary:

| OLNEY (6) | Pos. | MASONS (47) |
|---|---|---|
| R. Wright | L.E. | Adams |
| Sloan | L.T. | J. Sellman |
| Vaughn | L.G. | L. Pickett |
| O'Brien | C. | C. Kelsey |
| Brown | R.G. | Wright |
| Ellis | R.T. | Hickey |
| Gilmore | R.E. | Stages |
| Graves | Q.B. | McCall, c |
| Elmore | L.H. | Black |
| Rue | R.H. | Roberts |
| Duckworth, c | F.B. | B. Sellman |

Olney scoring: Touchdown, Rue.

Masonic Home scoring: Touchdowns, McCall 6, Black. Points after touchdown, McCall place kick 5.

Score by periods:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Masons | 7 | 6 | 13 | 21—47 |
| Olney | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6—6 |

Passes, Olney completed six of 18 attempts for 56 yards. Five intercepted.

Masons completed two of four attempts for 50 yards.

Punts, Olney punted four times for average of 31 yards. Masons punted two times for average of 35 yards.

First downs by periods:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olney | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2—12 |
| Masons | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6—33 |

Twenty-yard penetrations by periods:

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Olney | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1—3 |
| Masons | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1—6 |

Yardage gained from scrimmage: Olney 163; Masons 379.

### Crushing the Cubs
### PLAY-BY-PLAY

**FIRST QUARTER**

Olney won the toss and elected to receive defending the east goal. McCall of the Masons kicked off to Ellis who returned about seven yards to his 36-yard line. Duckworth gained only four yards on two smashes and his pass to Wright failed. He then punted to McCall who returned about 10 yards to his 35-yard line. McCall was stopped on the first play after gaining a yard but on the next play Black made a first down on his 45-yard line. Black took it on the next play and was thrown for a five-yard loss. After another line play McCall punted to Duckworth who was downed on about his 15-yard line.

On the first down Duckworth got off a bad punt which McCall returned over the Olney goal from about 30 yards out but he stepped out of bounds and the Masons were given the ball on about Olney's 19-yard line. On the first play McCall fumbled and Olney recovered on its 25-yard line. Graves slipped and lost a yard. Duckworth passed to Wright for a gain of 15 yards and a first down on its own 41-yard line. Duckworth fumbled on the next play and Adams of the Masons recovered on Olney's 30-yard line.

Black circled his right end for 15 yards. They took it out of bounds for no gain on the first play. Black picked up about two and then McCall circled his left end to take it to the three-yard line, on the next play McCall fumbled but recovered for no loss and he then took it over for a touchdown. he place kicked for extra point. Score Masonic Home 7, Olney 0.

McFall kicked off to Graves who returned about 25 yards to his 30-yard line. Duckworth passed to Graves for a total gain of 15 yards and a first down on Olney's 45-yard line. Duckworth, Elmore and Graves bucked the line for a first down on the Masons' 45-yard line. Three line tries failed to jerk the chain again and Duckworth punted over the goal line. The Masons took the ball on their 20- yard line. Black circled his right end for 11 yards and a first down. Black and B. Sellman chalked up another first down on three plays. Black sailed around his right end for five more yards as the first period ended with the score Masonic Home 7, Olney 0.

**SECOND QUARTER**

Painter for J. Sellman, Masonic Home. The ball was on the 50-yard line as the new period opened. Black dove off left tackle for five yards and a first down. McCall and Black failed to gain. McCall's pass to Stages was knocked down by Duckworth and McCall punted to Duckworth who was downed on his 20-yard line. Duckworth picked up a yard, his pass to Rue was knocked down and the Masons drew a five-yard off side penalty. Duckworth passed to Wright for a 10-yard gain and a first down on Olney's 30-yard line. Duckworth picked up three through the middle and then passed to Graves for a first down on the 40-yard line.

Duskworth was thrown for a slight lass on a plunge. Olney received a 15-yard penalty. Graves picked up two through the middle. Ducworth's pass was intercepted by B. Sellman who returned 10 yards to Olney's 25-yard line. B. Sellman circled his right end for 15 yards. They took it out of bounds on the next play. McCall and Sellman ate up the remaining yardage. McCall bucking over left tackle for the touchdown. His placement kick for extra point was wide. Score Masonic Home 13, Olney 0.

McCall kicked to Sloan who was downed on Olney's 35-yard line after a nice return. A line play failed . Elmore got around his right end for 11 yards and a first down on Olney's 45-yard line, they took it out of bounds on the first down. Duckworth went around his left end for eight yards and Rue slashed through the middle for a first down on Masonic Homes 45-yard line. Thorp of the Masons knocked down Duckworth's pass to Gilmore. Graves bucked off right tackle for five yards. Stages knocked down Duckworth's pass to Graves and Olney drew a five-yard penalty for two incomplete passes. Duckworth punted to McCall who returned through a broken field about 10 yards to his 15-yard line. Black sailed around his right end for 15 yards. On the next play O'Brien recovered a Masonic Home fumble on the Mason's 30-yard line. Four tries at the line netted only nine yards, however, and the ball went over to the Masons on about their 20-yard line. McCall swept around his left end for 10 yards and a first down. McCall picked up eight yards on two plunges. While for L. Pickett, Masonic Home. McCall passed to Adams for about a 20-yard gain. McCall, picked up about three through the middle as the half ended with the ball in Masonic Home's possession near Olney's 35-yard line, score at half, Masonic Home 13, Olney 0.

**THIRD QUARTER**

McCall kicked off to Graves who returned to his 25-yard line. Rue picked up two through the middle. Duckworth's pass to Gilmore failed and the Masons drew a five-yard penalty. Rue and Graves made it first down on their 35-yard line. Elmore tore around his right end and raced 40 yards down the sideline to the 25-yard line. Graves made a basket pass to Duckworth fora five-yard gain but two other line bucks failed and Duckworth's pass to Wright was intercepted by Thorp of the Masons on his own 10-yard line. Black on two tries made a first down and then ripped around his left end for about a 25-yard gain. McCall on two plays made another first down this time on Olney's 30-yard line. On two more plays he made another first down. He picked up another five yards. Gibbs for White, Masonic Home. McCall on three more plays ripped through for a first down on about the Olney six-yard line. McCall took the ball three times going over on the third attempt. His placement for extra point was good. Score Masonic Home 20, Olney 0.

McCall kicked off to Elmore who took the ball near his own goal line and returned about 60 yards to the Masons' 38-yard line. Two line plays netted about two yards and the Masons drew a five yard penalty. Graves was hurled for a yard loss, a pass failed and Duckworth punted over the goal line.

The Masons took the leather on their 20-yard stripe. McCall sailed around his right end for 13 yards. They took it out of bounds and McCall on two bucks off tackle made another 12 yards. Black slashed off tackle, evaded the Olney secondary and raced 50 yards for a touchdown. McCall's try from placement failed. Score Masonic Home 26, Olney 0.

McCall kicked off to Elmore who took the ball near his goal and returned about 30 yards. Elmore went off tackle for about five yards as the third quarter ended with the ball in Olney's possession on their 34-yard line. Score at end of third quarter, Masonic Home 26, Olney 0.

**FOURTH QUARTER**

Graves and Rue made enough for a first down but Olney drew a five-yard penalty. Graves' pass was intercepted by Hickey of the Masons who returned it about 15 yards to Olney's 15-yard line. A triple lateral failed to work but three line plays took the ball over for another touchdown, McCall taking it over. He place kicked for the extra point. Score, Masonic Home 33, Olney 0.

Allebooks for Gibbs, Masonic Home. McCall's kickoff went out of bounds and he did it again, Elmore returning 25 yards to his own 40-yard line. Graves' pass to Rue was knocked down by Black. Graves picked up a yard. Graves' pass intended for Gilmore was intercepted by Thorp on Masonic Home's 45-yard line. P. Pickett for Black, Masonic home. Adams on an end around and B. Seltman on a straight buck made a first down on Olney's 45-yard line. McCall got off a sensational pass to B. Seltman for a gain of about 43 yards, landing the ball on the one-yard line. McCall took it over and place kicked for extra point, score, Masonic Home 40, Olney 0.

McCall kicked off to Graves who returned about 25 yards to his 30-yard line. Thorp of the Masons intercepted Graves' pass and was downed on Olney's 30-yard line. B. Seltman got around his right end for about 15 yards. Wallace for Adams, Masonic Home. Three plays gained about five and the Masons drew a five-yard penalty. Walraven for Gibbs, Masonic Home. Thorp went around his left end to about the five-yard line. McCall on the second try took it over and then place kicked for extra point. Score, Masonic Home 47, Olney 0.

McCall kicked off to Elmore who took the ball on his goal line and returned about 70 yards through a broken field to the Masons' 30-yard line. Wallace threw Graves for a slight loss. Rue failed to gain but Elmore went off tackle for 10 yards. A triple pass, Graves to Duckworth to Elmore, made a first down 10 yards away. L. Pickett for Walraven, Masonic Home. The Cubs took it out of bounds on the first down. Graves picked up about four and Cleve Rue bucked through for an Olney touchdown. Duckworth's placement was wide and before the teams could line-up the final gun sounded. Final score, Masonic Home 47, Olney 6.

### T-U TOP SERGEANTS

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Ernest Koy of Sealy and Wilson Cook of Austin, were elected co-captains of the 1932 University of Texas football team today. Koy was selected all-Southwest conference fullback and Cook all-Southwest guard for the season just closed.

### CROCKETT RULES

LUFKIN, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Crockett defeated Timpson here today 13-0 in their clash for the bi-district gridiron supremacy of class B. The regional title game likely will be played here next week.

### FROGS ARE FINISHED

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—Texas Christian university will not play a post season football game this year, it was announced this afternoon.

## Clarendon Takes Close Battle From Lamesa By 12-6

## WILD HORSES ATTAIN TITLE

Treadway Leads Brilliant Losing Aggregation

By SAM BRASWELL JR.
Record News Correspondent

CLARENDON, Texas, Dec. 4.—A little 128-pound bundle of greased lightening in the person of Captain Treadaway who caught passes and shot through the line failed to offset the terrific plunges of Capt. Raymond Nichols and the swift jaunts around end by Fred Reid here today and the Lamesa Golden Tornadoes were defeated by the Clarendon Broncoes, 12 to 6, for the bi-district title. The win for the Broncoes sent them into the regional playoff next week against Masonic Home, conquerors of Olney, in the other bi-district clash.

**Broncs Start Strong**

Starting out with a fury which rushed the Tornadoes off their feet and demoralized the visitors' defense the champions of district one scored on the fifth play of the game. Clarendon received and brought the ball to the Lamesa 48-yard line. Captain Nichols ripped off tackle for 15 yards and Reid swept right end for 15 more. Six more were added by drives through the line by Andis and Nichols to plave the ball on the Lamesa 12-yard line. Captain Nichols plowed through the line carrying three Tornadoes across the goal for the first tally. Reid failed to kick goal.

Lamesa received and was held for downs. Cox's punt was partially blocked and Nichols returned 22 yards before being run out of bounds on the three-yard line. On the first scrimmage the powerful Nichols smashed through for the second score of the game. The extra point fizzled when Behrens dropped Andis' heave behind the goal line.

At this point Captain Treadway rallied his shattered Tornadoes and really made a ball game out of what appeared to be a slaughter. This gallant little field general aided by splendid defense work by Borden at guard, Boswell and Addison, tackles, stopped the crushing attack of the Broncoes and personally insured a Lamesa threat every time he tucked the hide under his arms.

**Pretty Play Void**

The remainder of the first half was played in Lamesa territory, but no serious scoring threat was exhibited except on two occasions when Martin dropped a pretty 30-yard aerial for a score and when Behrens was called back after taking a pass and running 20 yards for another six points. Both teams were declared offside nullifying the play.

In the third period the mighty midget Treadaway started a personal invasion into Bronco territory with a series of sensational quick opening thrusts into the Maroon secondary. As a fitting climax to his threat he took a heave from Marr off the tip of his fingers and slipped through a broken field 26 yards for the only Lamesa tally of the clash and the first counter registered against the Broncoes this season. Kick for the extra point was blocked by a swarm of Bronco jersies. The Broncoes were decidedly slowed down in this half by a painful hand injury sustained by Captain Nichols, the burden of the line smashing falling upon the shoulders of Andis and Reid. Clarendon kept the ball deep in Lamesa territory, only the sensational punting of Cox keeping the Bronco off of pay dirt.

**Lamesa Holds**

As the fourth quarter started Clarendon was driving deep into Lamesa territory but the Tornado defense proved equal to the occasion and held on the 14-yard stripe. An exchange of punts again pushed the visitors back to their 12-yard line where a quick gained 65 yards. At this point the heavy drives of Captain Nichols again were brought into play, shattering Lamesa's forward wall time after time for long gains and slipped in a few neat cut back gains to drive into visiting territory again and finally punted out of the 15-yard line.

With three minutes to play, Quarterback Marr ripped his bag of tricks and began to issuing the leather to Treadaway. This small package of dynamite thrilled the 2,000 fans with his brilliant play against unsurmountable odds as he grabbed the aerials and darted here and there, leaving a string of disgusted Maroon tacklers shaking the dust from their suits. However this frantic last-minute drive was halted on the 80-yard line when Easterling dropped back and intercepted a pass as the game ended.

For their third successive contest the Broncoes have played without a single substitution. Behrens, Martin, Morris, Benson and Watson stood out in the line for the Broncoes on the defense.

Summary—Clarendon made 11 first downs, Lamesa 6. Clarendon attempted five passes, completed one for 22 yards, one intercepted and three incomplete. Lamesa attempted eight, completed four for 66 yards, one intercepted and three incomplete. Clarendon on 50 plays from scrimmage gained 240 yards and lost 31. Lamesa on 34 plays from scrimmage gained 115 yards and lost 17. Clarendon penetrated Lamesa territory four times and Lamesa one.

### POST SEASON PLANS

STILLWATER, Okla., Dec. 4. (AP)—The Oklahoma Aggies and Texas university may play a charity football game at Dallas Dec. 12.

Queried today by a Texas committee, Dr. C. H. McElroy, Aggie athletic cabinet chairman, said the Cowboys would agree to the game provided Texas guarantees team expenses and gives a portion of the gate to the Oklahoma relief fund.

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## 7,000 TO SEE QUANAH-LUBBOCK TILT

*Indians Ready for Battle of Life Against Powerful Westerner Crew*

**Rated As Second Best in Today's Contest, Tribe to Depend On Fight for Bi-District Victory**

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Texas, Dec. 4.—The Quanah Indians, champions of district No. 2, and the Lubbock Westerners, who emerged champions of district No. 1 by defeating Amarillo and Pampa, meet here Saturday afternoon in a bi-district contest to decide which shall take another step in the direction of the state championship. The game will start at 2 o'clock.

Quanah today was prepared to accomodate a crowd of approximately 7,000 expected to watch the game. The Lubbock rooters will arrive on a special train, and hundreds of fans from both districts were expected to make the trip here in cars. Roads in the Quanah vicinity are in excellent shape and regardless of weather conditions are capable of accommodating traffic.

**Extra Seats Provided**

The city of Quanah has made plans to be the perfect host to its guests from Lubbock and all towns in this section. Seating accommodations at the local football field have been increased, extra bleachers having been built on either side of the gridiron, and at the last minute it may be found necessary to erect more temporary bleachers in the end zones, it was announced.

The covered parts of the grandstand will be given over to the Lubbock fans, while the local boosters occupy the unsheltered bleachers, it was announced.

Coach Dan Stallworth's Braves, who marched to the district two title with nothing worse than a tie game with Vernon, went through their final workout today and were pronounced by their mentor in top physical condition for the bi-district game. The physical fitness of the teams is likely to prove a deciding factor, as the Westerners will be playing their fourth tough game in little over a week, while the Quanah Tribe has had nearly a full week's rest. However, the fighting spirit of the Westerners has been tested under brutal fire in its last three engagements with Amarillo and Pampa, and Stallworth's Indians are fully prepared to meet a formidable foe.

**Jersey Question Solved**

The much-discussed question of Quanah's jerseys has been ironed out, it was announced today. Before the deciding game in district one Thursday, Coach Stallworth conferred with coaches of both Amarillo and Lubbock schools, both of which use golden jerseys much like those of the Indians. It was agreed that if Amarillo defeated Lubbock Thursday, the Indians would have to obtain different colored jerseys for use in the bi-district game; but that if Lubbock defeated Amarillo, Lubock would have to use different jerseys. So the Westerners will take the field here Saturday attired in blue jerseys, obtained through the courtesy of Texas Tech officials in Lubbock, while the Indians will appear in their usual gold and black sweaters.

**Courtesy Assured**

The chamber of commerce is taking the lead in matter of extending utmost courtesy to visitors here for the game. More than 100 courtesy cars are being arranged for to be on hand at the chamber of commerce rooms in the city hall, corner of Mercer and Third streets, and to meet the special train, to convey visitors to Athletic field, or any place they desire to go.

Visitors are urged to hail cars with "courtesy car" stickers on them, whereever they are seen.

Sheriff Hawkins, City Marshal Hagood, and Councilman Frank Hendrix state the city is to be turned over to the visitors Saturday. Traffic rules will be dispensed with for the day, and visitors may neglect to obey the little regulations, but will be asked to use discretion and not drive recklessly.

Warm rooms, at the city hall, court house, and other points in town are being provided where visitors who arrive by auto earlier in the day may be comfortable until game time. Local merchants are throwing their stores wide open with invitations to "make our store your stopping place while here."

**"The Host City"**

"Remember, we want our team to win the bi-district championship," said George Sager, manager of the Quanah Chamber of Commerce, "that is everything good sportsmanship will permit. Quanah is the host city for this very important game and above all else we want our visitors to leave with a feeling that nothing has been left undone to show them every courtesy possible to good citizenship."

The pep squad held a rally Friday night on the courthouse square. Pep meetings were held during the week to practice yells and formations to be used by the squad between halves.

Admission to the game will be $1 for adults, and 50c for all school students.

## HERE IS APEE'S ALL-AMERICAN

Weldon Mason Lands on Third Eleven

Herewith is the Associated Press all-American football team.

Notre Dame and Northwestern, Midwestern leaders, again hogged the honors.

Thanks to S. M. U.'s ambitious intersectional schedule, the Southwest gained a certain amount of recognition in the placing of Weldon Mason, S. M. U. back, on the third team. Otherwise, the Southwest grabbed off three honorable mentions out of the whole army of players who received votes.

**FIRST TEAM**

Gerald Dalrymple, Tulane, end.
Dallas Marvil, Northwestern, tackle.
Clarence Munn, Minnesota, guard.
Thomas Yarr, Notre Dame, center.
Frank (Nordy) Hoffman, Notre Dame, guard.
Paul Schwegler, U. of Washington, tackle.
Vernon Smith, Georgia, end.
W. Barry Wood Jr., Harvard, quarterback.
Marchmont Schwartz, Notre Dame, back.
Erny Pinckert, So. California, back.
*Ernest Rentner, Northwestern, back.
*Has one more year of competition.

**SECOND TEAM**
**Player and College**

Henry Cronkite, Kansas Aggies, end.
Joseph Kurth, Notre Dame, tackle.
James Evans, Northwestern, guard.
Ralph Daugherty, Pittsburgh, center.
John Baker, So. California, guard.
James MacMurdo, Pittsburgh, tackle.
John Orsi, Colgate, end.
William Morton, Dartmouth, quarterback.
Donald Zimmerman, Tulane, back.
Eugene McEver, Tennessee, back.
Bart J. Viviano, Cornell, back.

**THIRD TEAM**
**Player and College**

Garrett Arbelbide, So. California, end.
Hugh Rhea, Nebraska, tackle.
Herman Hickman, Tennessee, guard.
Haynard Morrison, Michigan, center.
Gregory Kabat, Wisconsin, guard.
John Price, Army, tackle.
Fred Felber, U. of N. Dakota, end.
Carl Cramer, Ohio State, quarterback.
Albert J. Booth Jr., Yale, back.
Weldon Mason, Southern Methodist, back.
Orville Mohler, So. California, back.

Southwesern players who received honorable mention were Vaught, Texas Christian, and Blanton, Texas, tackles; Stafford, Texas, back. Oklahomans mentioned were Oates, Oklahoma Aggies, guard; Young, Oklahoma university, center; Pilkington, Tulsa, back.

### SNYDER WINS

SNYDER, Texas, Dec. 4. (UP)—Snyder High school's team won the class B championship of districts 8 and 9 here today, defeating the team from Stanton High, 38 to 12.

## ELECTRA CUBS DEFEAT ZUNDY

'B' Team Outplays Juniors In 12-6 Battle

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 4.—Electra High school Cubs roundly outplayed the Zundelowitz Junior High school of Wichita Falls this afternoon, winning by the score of 12-0. The Cubs had the upper hand from the beginning but the invaders' defense was strong enough to halt the Cubs' running attack after advancing within scoring distance.

Allison led the locals' attack, netting both of the Cubs counters, and his all round playing was the main factor of both teams. This midget quarterback was rivaled in the Electra backfield by the McCracken brothers, with Curfman lending his ball carrying ability in the final period. Able and Lindop were the main cogs of the Cubs forward wall with Curfman furnishing plenty of power in backing up the line.

Rice, Zundelowitz halfback, was the only member of his team to threaten the Cubs defense, furnishing practically the entire offensive power, but his playing fell short of ever threatening the Electra goal line. Merchants played an excellent game in the Wichita Falls line, taking on the duties of a roving center, that played havoc with the Cubs backfield at intervals.

Allison netted the initial counter in the first minute of play in the second quarter when he intercepted a pass on the 29-yard line and ran the remaining distance untouched. The final score came in the last play when a series of first downs through Zundelowitz's line placed the ball within nine yards of the final chalk line. Allison plunged through the center of the line for the entire yardage and a touchdown.

Starting lineup:

| CUBS (12) | | ZUNDY (0) |
|---|---|---|
| Lindop | L.E. | Hunn (c) |
| Byrd | L.T. | Tollett |
| Curry | L.G. | Beard |
| Curfman | C. | Merchants |
| Able | R.G. | Wallace |
| Blakely | R.T. | Christian |
| Smith | R.E. | Hurd |
| E. McCracken (c) | R.H. | Marshall |
| Cryer | F.B. | Rice |
| Allison | Q.B. | James |
| | | Maag |

Substitutions: Zundy—First half, Majors for Christian; Hancock for Hunn. Second Half—Weidman for Marshall; Hancock for Hunn; Christian for Beard. Electra: Second Half—E. McCracken for Blakeley; Jones for Smith; Miller for Cryer; Choate for Byrd; Ratliff for Lindop.

### Burk All-Stars Drop Close Game to Munday

MUNDAY, Texas, Dec. 4.—Munday's American Legion All-Stars nosed out a close hard fought 7 to 0 victory in the closing minutes of their game here Friday with the Burk All-Stars. Paul Pruitt, flashy Munday quarterback, carried the ball over for a touchdown after three attempts had been wasted from the two-yard line, where Munday had made a first down after recovering a fumbled punt. The stalwart Burk line held Munday at bay in their only other threat at the goal line after the locals had pushed the ball down to the seven-yard line for a first down. Both teams depended largely on passes for their gains, but Munday flashed a brilliant running game by spurts. Paul and Earl Pruitt and Rex Holder stood out for Munday. Johnson, Patterson, Gilmore and Morgan were outstanding for Burkburnett.

### High School Football

Mexia 19, Bryan 7.
Snyder 33, Stanton 12.
Mason 19, San Saba 7.
Abilene 21, Sweetwater 6.
Clarendon 12, Lamesa 6.
El Paso (Austin High) 0, Austin 21.
Beaumont-Humble 7, Dayton 14.
Megregor 14, State Orphans Home 0.
Longview 6, Rockwall 20.
Lufkin 13, Timpson 0.
Floydada 6, Plainview 13.

## PONIES BARE ALL 'SECRETS'

Mustangs Run Plays Before All Who Care to See

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4. (UP)—By a single gesture of its coach, the Southern Methodist university football team won many supporters after its arrival here today and will have a large cheering section when it meets St. Mary's of Moraga tomorrow afternoon.

Coach Ray Morrison welcomed sports writers to his final workout before the game at Kezar stadium this afternoon. Thus Southern Methodist was the first team to invade Northern California this season that has not insisted on secret practices.

Morrison's invitation to sports writers was interpreted here as indicating Southern Methodist had such strength that it could work out in public without fear of losing any of its chances against St. Mary's.

The galloping Gaels of St. Mary's remained favorites, however. Despite two defeats this year, they have an impressive record with victories over University of Southern California, California and University of Oregon.

Immediately after the visitors arrived this morning they were taken to the city hall and given "keys" to the city.

Then the players began demanding an opportunity to see the Pacific ocean. Most of them have been raised on the plains of Texas and they showed more interest in the ocean than they did in questioning the strength of their opponents tomorrow.

Morrison announced that every member of the squad was in good shape except Koontz, an end.

### FIGHT APPROVED

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—The New York state athletic commission today formaly approved plans for a 10-round bout between Christopher (Bat) Battalino, featherweight champion, and Al Singer, former lightweight titleholder, at Madison Square garden, Dec. 11.

## ABILENE TRIMS S'WATER 21 TO 6

Eagles Enter Quarter-Finals; Austin High Victor

ABILENE, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Opportune passes were mixed with an irresistible power attack here this afternoon to defeat the Sweetwater Mustangs 21 to 6, and to send the black-shirted Abilene High school football team into the quarter-finals of the state race.

After a thrilling 83-yard dash by big Mike Hicks, Sweetwater left halfback, had put the Eagles behind for the first time this season, they rallied for a touchdown in the second period, and tacked on two more in the fourth to make it a decisive victory.

Abilene drove 70 yards for its first counter, 60 for the second, and then shoved over the last in a hurry following Sheridan's weak kickout on his own 17-yard stripe.

Having spent their strength in the first quarter bid for victory, the Mustangs were unable to score a first down after the opening quarter, and Abilene rolled up an advantage of 20 to 3 in this department.

Sixty-five hundred persons saw the game, more than 2,000 of them coming from Sweetwater.

### AUSTIN HIGH WHIPS EL PASO ELEVEN

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Austin High school's Maroons won their way into the quarter-finals of the Texas Interscholastic league high school football championship race here today when they defeated the Austin High school of El Paso, 21 to 0.

The Maroons scored early in the first period, were held scoreless in the second period and scored once in each of the final quarters.

El Paso threatened to score once and then only when they got the ball on the Maroon 25-yard line as the result of a 25-yard penalty for clipping. A pass worked the ball to the 20-yard line where the Maroons held and took the ball on downs.

Both teams played ragged football. Only in one period did the El Paso eleven outplay the Maroons, making five first downs to the Maroons' two. Both teams were even in the number of total first downs, each making seven.

### CLASS A TITLE GAME

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Secret practice featured final workouts of the Tyler and Corsicana High school football machines here today in preparation for their crucial bi-district clash tomorrow. Tyler won the state championship last year. Corsicana was the 1930 semi-finalist.

HATS! HATS!! HATS!!!
Men's Cleaned and Blocked.....50c
Ladies' Cleaned and Blocked.....35c
MASTER HATTERS
1103 Tenth Phone 2-0806

AS THE HEBREWS SAY:—
היינטיגע ווערטהען זיינען
די העכסטע אין דער געשיכטע
פון געשעפט
Christmas Special—
HATS CLEANED AND BLOCKED.....50¢
Men's Suits Cleaned and Pressed 75c—Ladies' Plain Silk Dresses $1—at your favorite cleaner and dyer.
(SEE SUNDAY'S TIMES)

AS THE FRENCH SAY:—
Les Prix D'Aujourd'hui Sont Les Plus Remarquables Dans L'Histoire Des Affaires
Business Men's Lunch with Drink or Dessert at Wichita Falls' Leading Coffee Shop.....40¢
SEE SUNDAY'S TIMES

## Professional Directory

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Certified Public Accountants
647-650 Harvey-Snider Building
Phone 4312 Wichita Falls, Texas

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

A. R. Carrigan Bert King
Russell Surles Joe B. Carrigan
CARRIGAN, KING & SURLES
Lawyers
807-11 Hamilton Bldg.
Phones 2136-2136 L. D. 33

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T. H. Myers, D. C. — 810 Staley Bldg. Phone 7266
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Diseases and Surgery of Genito Urinary Tract
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Diseases: Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
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Optometrist
Phone 5645 613 Eighth Street

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Dr. Everett Jones, Surgery, Gynecology.
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Dr. O. B. Keil, diagnosis, Medicine.
Dr. J. C. A. Guest, Obstetrics, Gen. Prac.
Dr. W. L. Parker, Obsetrics, Gen. Practice
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*The Times and Record News New Cartoons Feature Starts Monday!*

# The Game of NAMES

*An Entertaining New Game for Everybody . . . With*

# $1000 in Prizes



What's His Name?



What's Hers?



Of Course You Know This Fellow



You Know Who This Girl Is

## *Here's the Idea*

Here's what to do to win! Look at the cartoon at the right.

This cartoon represents the name of a popular song. You've heard this TITLE announced on the radio more times than you realize.

The correct name for this cartoon can be found in the list below the cartoon.

Of course, the correct title is "Baby's Birthday Party." But this particular cartoon is printed only to give you the IDEA of the game.

The Game of Names consists of 30 CARTOONS. Each cartoon represents the name of a song. And with each cartoon there is an accompanying list of names. In each list you can find the correct title.

Beginning Monday, The Times and Record News will print one of its official 30 cartoons each day.

You can see ALL 30 CARTOONS BEFORE YOU START IN THIS GAME.

You may have all 30 pictures merely by mailing the coupon printed in the lower right corner of this page. There is no charge.

There are no tricks. SEE ALL 30 CARTOONS BEFORE YOU START.

**WHAT IS THE *Name* REPRESENTED BY THIS CARTOON**

*The correct title can be found in the list printed below the cartoon.*




"CAROLINA MOON," "DIXIE," "LITTLE BROWN JUG," "BABY'S BIRTHDAY PARTY"

## 15 CASH PRIZES

| | |
|---|---|
| 1st Prize | $500.00 |
| 2nd Prize | 250.00 |
| 3rd Prize | 100.00 |
| 4th Prize | 50.00 |
| 5th Prize | 25.00 |
| 6th Prize | 10.00 |
| 7th Prize | 10.00 |
| 8th Prize | 10.00 |
| 9th Prize | 10.00 |
| 10th Prize | 10.00 |
| 11th Prize | 5.00 |
| 12th Prize | 5.00 |
| 13th Prize | 5.00 |
| 14th Prize | 5.00 |
| 15th Prize | 5.00 |

## *No Tricks! No Catches! No Subscriptions Required!*

*You don't have to wait for the cartoons to appear day by day in the paper . . . Just Mail This Coupon*

## *Get all 30 Cartoons at Once!*

Game of Names Editor
The Times and Record News
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Please Send All 30 Cartoons to

Name .....

Address .....

City ..... State .....

Telephone Number .....

(12-5)

**Telephone Service**

For your convenience Want Ads are received by telephone from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. weekdays; 4 p. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays. Phone 4391.

# Northwest Texas' Greatest Want-Ad Medium

Better Offers — Bigger Circulation — Better Results

**Counter Service**

The Want Ad Counter, Times building, corner Seventh and Scott avenue, is open from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. weekdays; 4 p. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays.

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 | .70 |
| Three and no more than six insertions, per word | 2½c |
| Seven or more insertions, per word | 2¼c |
| White space, per line | .20 |
| 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.

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**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 paper up until 11 a. m. same day.

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

Sunday paper up to 7 o'clock 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 excepting 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

LADIES' leather heel taps 15c; rubber 25c. Paul's, 916 Indiana.

CHRISTMAS photograph specials, four different size photographs, $1. Shamlian's, 710½ Indiana.

WANTED—Some one to win a prize in the Game of Names. You can win by mailing the coupon printed elsewhere in this issue.

### 4. BEAUTY PARLORS

RINGLET PERMANENTS—$2 and up. Wave set, wet 25c, dried 35c. Mrs. Caraway and Mrs. Dawson, 814 Bluff; phone 2-4359.

GUARANTEED croquignole permanents, ringlet ends, $1.50 up. 1006 Burnett, 9881.

DECEMBER special on croquignole oil waves. $10 waves $5; $7.50 waves $3.75; $5 waves $2.50; $3.50 waves $1.75. Phone 6285. 1415 Twelfth.

DECEMBER SPECIAL—Hot oil, manicure and facial for $2; croquignole permanents, $1.75 and up; combination permanent, $4. Mrs. Bartlett's Beauty Shop, 721 Indiana; phone 6812.

### 5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Keys in leather case, 1800 block Ninth street. Phone B. L. Bryans, 3203 or 2-2183. Reward.

LOST—Between Fletcher's barber shop on Eighth and Kress', three pair silk hose in McClurkan package. Finder phone 6206 or 1821 Huff; reward.

LOST—Red game rooster. Suitable reward. Phone 2-1058.

### 6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION

$1,700 TO $2,300 YEAR. Steady work. Mail clerks—mail carriers. Men 18-45. Common education sufficient. Paid vacation. 25 coached free. Write today sure for full particulars. Box 1297-P care Times.

### 8. MALE HELP WANTED

TWO MEN willing to work hard learning new business. Must be satisfied $20 week. Apply 301 Staley Bldg. 4 p. m.

WANTED—Some one to win a prize in the Game of Names. You can win by mailing the coupon printed elsewhere in this issue.

### 9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

VAN BUREN BEAUTY SCHOOL. Beauty culture taught by competent instructors. Special price on students' work and free marcels. For information, call 2-4771. 2302 Ninth.

SORORITY girl between 22 and 30 for special work with national organization. State age, sorority affiliation, phone. Address Box 107, care Times.

WANTED—Some one to win a prize in the Game of Names. You can win by mailing the coupon printed elsewhere in this issue.

### 10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Some one to win a prize in the Game of Names. You can win by mailing the coupon printed elsewhere in this issue.

FOUR REPRESENTATIVES—Men or ladies with good address. This is not a peddling proposition, but opportunity for one with determination. Applicants give name, address, telephone, and references. Address 193 Times.

### 14. WORK WANTED, FEMALE

YOUNG LADY desires position as housekeeper and as common food cook. References furnished, if desired. Dial 8690.

MIDDLE-AGE lady wants work. Will accept good clothing as pay. 513 Bluff. Mrs. A. E. Dunning.

GERMAN experienced girl wants work. Call 4676.

COLORED girl with good reference; must have work; maid work or cooking. Apply 704 Travis.

UNINCUMBERED lady wants housework or practical nursing. Phone 2-0121.

WIDOW with two children desires housekeeping in respectable, motherless home. Apply 705 Austin street.

YOUNG lady wants any kind of housework, good cook, references. Phone 6576.

RELIABLE unincumbered colored girl wants work; will cook or maid; references. Apply at 912 Burnett street.

LADY WANTS any kind of work, 1512 Eighth. Phone 7460.

GERMAN GIRL wants housework; references. Phone 2-0526.

### 16. ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM AND three meals, $7 week; private home. 1206 Austin.

WHEN YOU know what you want but don't know where to get it, try the Classified Ads.

IF YOU ARE looking for dependable help you can depend upon a Classified WANT Ad in the Daily Times-Record News.

### 17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

KEMP KORT, attractive bedrooms, steam heat. Reduced rates. Phone 5473.

BEAUTIFUL room, private entrance, instantaneous hot water, garage. 1209 Taylor.

LYNN HOTEL—Attractive bedrooms, private bath, steam heat. Telephone 8101.

### 18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE REAL nice housekeeping room; $3, $3.50 weekly. 1205 Burnett.

### 19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. C. Y. Tully Co., 813½ Scott, phone 9902.

KEMP KORT — Attractive apartments, steam heat, reduced rents. Phone 5473.

TWO AND three-room apartments, nicely furnished; reasonable. 1310 Eighth.

NEATLY furnished apartment, 1406 Monroe. Also 502 Austin with garages.

FURNISHED four-room duplex apartment, beauty rest mattress, tile bath. 1801 Collins.

NICELY furnished four-room apartment, 2107 Taft, $20. Call 9744.

FOUR ROOMS furnished, reduced, couple. 2161 Avenue G; phone 7568.

SPLENDID unfurnished duplex apartment, four rooms and bath; high school and Junior college district, 1617 Britain, $17.50. Phone Rogers, 2-0711.

1651 PEARL, four large rooms, tile bath, hardwood floors. Phone 5233.

POLHEMUS APARTMENTS—Nicely furnished, refrigeration, kitchenet, incinerator. Reasonable. 1679 Speedway.

NICELY furnished apartment, built-in features, private bath. 1910 Eighth. Phone 8488.

NEWLY furnished duplex apartment, 2101 Avenue B. Phone 2-2663.

1808 SEVENTH, lovely furnished apartment, extra good others. Ammann-Jordan.

FOUR-ROOM duplex apartment, electric refrigerator, very desirable to couple. 1500 Kemp boulevard; phone 6149.

M'DOWELL APARTMENTS—Nicely furnished, $25. Dial 3362.

THREE-ROOM furnished brick garage apartment. 1501 Tilden. Phone 9705.

BRICK DUPLEX, furnished or unfurnished. Four rooms and bath; private. Phone 9093.

VERY ATTRACTIVE, nicely furnished duplex apartment, 1407 Fillmore. Large rooms, nice floors, extra rollaway bed. To adults. $25. Bills not included. Telephone 3176.

VERY DESIRABLE four-room modern duplex apartment; garage; pavement; car line. 1701½ Collins; phone 6810.

IT'S EASY to find what you want in the conveniently and neatly arranged Classified Section of the Daily Times-Record News.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, bills paid. 1511 Seventh; telephone 6789.

WELL FURNISHED two-room apartment, garage, close in, to couple, $15. 1514 Seventh.

NICELY furnished 4-room duplex apartment. 1655 McGregor.

### 20. HOUSE FOR RENT

WE RENT houses and apartments. Home Rental Service. Brannan, 4519.

RENTALS—Houses and apartments, any location. Williams-Dwyer company, phone 8131.

HOUSES and apartments, desirable locations, furnished and unfurnished, reasonable rents. Mytinger & Walker Realty Co. Phone 6900.

UNFURNISHED houses for rent, excellent condition, variously located. Phone 6040.

CHOICE clean houses, 1510 Westlake, lovely six rooms; 3110 Tenth; 3109 Ninth; others and apartments. Ammann-Jordan, owners.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house, rent reasonable. 2308 Yale.

FURNISHED four-room house, garage, meters up. 1507 Tenth.

FIVE ROOMS, 1405 Twenty-first street, $12.50; hardwood floors, newly repapered; graveled street. Phone 3009.

3110 TENTH, real home, servant house. Must see to appreciate. 5480—2-4401.

1631 PEARL street, $10. Phone 3966.

FIVE-ROOM house and triple garage, 2186 Avenue K, $18; 5-room house, newly decorated, 2301 Kings highway, $15. Charles R. Daniel, 2-2412 or 5482.

1107 ALMA—Six rooms, servant house, garage. C. Y. Tully company.

### 28-A FURNITURE WANTED

WANTED—To buy secondhand furniture to ship to East Texas. E. F. Riley, 514 Indiana.

PAY CASH for used furniture. John Hughes Furniture; phone 2-2242.

### 30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

FRESH PORK; home raised, city inspected. Homemade sausage. Phone 4995.

MEN'S HALF soles 65c; ladies 60c. Paul's, 916 Indiana avenue.

APPLES—600 bushels to be sold Friday and Saturday. Winesap, black twigs, Ben Davis, Spitzenburg. Good Porto Rican yams 40c basket. 517 Indiana avenue. J. Gullahorn.

WANTED TO TRADE—Dodge touring car, first class shape, just overhauled and painted, for Texas Power and Light or North Texas Building and Loan stock. Phone 5541, after 6 o'clock.

BROWNING automatic, 12 gauge, almost new, $30. 1514 Seventh street.

### 33. RADIOS

PHONE TURNER—2-0487 or 2-4692, for guaranteed radio repairing and tubes.

### 42. LIVESTOCK

JERSEY cow and 22 white Leghorn hens for sale, 1319 North Eighth.

### 43. POULTRY, EGGS, PET STOCK

FRYERS FOR SALE—Phone 9624, 2200 Taft street.

EXTRA GOOD Barred Rock pullets, ready to lay. Phone 7224 except Sunday.

### 44. DOGS

RABBIT hounds, coon hounds, spaniels, airedales sold on trial. Correspondence promptly answered. LaRue Kennels, LaRue, Ohio.

### 50. FLORIST-NURSERYMEN

### 51. REPAIRING

FURNITURE REPAIR CO., 720 Ohio, refinishing, upholstering, etc., Covington. Phone 2-0215.

ANSWER the burning question of where to get the best fuel at the lowest price, by consulting the Classified Ads of these TWO newspapers.

### 53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

J. H. CASTLEDINE, phone 4420, better plumbing. Plumbing prices reduced.

### 54. SPECIAL NOTICES

SHINE NOW 5c. Paul's, 916 Indiana avenue.

IF YOU have a listed telephone you may telephone your Classified Ad NOW. Just step to your telephone and dial "Classified" 4-3-9-1 and ask for Miss "AD-TAKER."

### 56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

SEWING—Coats remodeled a specialty. 1232 Holliday street; phone 8769.


# PHONE YOUR AD

*For Sunday Classified Section*

## BEFORE 9 P. M.

*Classified Ads WILL NOT be accepted after this hour for regular Classified Columns*

Use WANT ADS for results

**Wichita Daily Times and Wichita Falls Record News**

Wichita Falls' and Northwest Texas' Greatest Classified Medium
"WANT AD HEADQUARTERS"
PHONE 4391
24-Hour Continuous Classified Service

TWO PAPERS — Try Classified — ONE COST


### 58. CLEANING AND PRESSING

LADIES' LONG FUR-TRIMMED COATS

Cleaned and Pressed, 75c and ....... $1.00
Overcoats Cleaned and Pressed ....... 50c
Any Kind Sweater ....... 25c

Delivery Service

PALACE CLEANERS
618 Seventh Phone 2-0148

### 60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

MATTRESS RENOVATING—We call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co., phone 9412.

MATTRESS RENOVATING, one day service; will take furniture in exchange on mattress work. Patton Mattress and Furniture. Phone 9930.

RENOVATING specials; new mattresses to order reasonable. Shaw's Shop, phone 4733.

MATTRESS renovating, quality work, best prices. American Mattress Factory, 9473.

### 63. FINANCIAL

WILL pay cash for North Texas Building & Loan stock. Box 106, Times.

### 64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

TO TRADE—Splendid cafe in Fort Worth for cigar, fruit or cafe in Wichita Falls; 463 South Main, Fort Worth, Texas.

### 68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

1926 BUICK COUPE for sale, bargain. Bridwell garage, phone 2-5395.

### 70. AUTOMOBILES TO EXCHANGE

CAR TO TRADE for furniture. Call 2-4491.

### 71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED

CASH FOR late model used cars. Ray Puckett, 803 Lamar; telephone 7076.

LET A Classified WANT Ad solve your selling problem.

### 72. TRUCKS, TRACTORS, SUPPLIES

SAVE PLENTY—All model motorcycles; all bargains. Harley Davidson, 1204 Lamar.

### 75-A. BATTERY CHARGING

BATTERY CHARGING, 50c; radiator repairing, 924 Ohio. Phone 2-1928. Free delivery.

### 82. HOUSES FOR SALE

EXCELLENT conditioned houses for sale variously located. Phone owner. 6040.

### 102. LEGAL NOTICES

CHARTER NO. 4248; reserve district No. 11—Report of condition of the City National bank of Wichita Falls, in the state of Texas, at the close of business on Sept. 29, 1931.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, $4,547,438.24; United States government securities owned, $1,802,000.00; other bonds, stocks and securities owned, $220,532.31; banking house, $300,000.00, furniture and fixtures, $207,000.00; $507,000.00; real estate owned, other than banking house, $41,440.79; reserve with Federal Reserve bank, $4,037.38; cash and due from banks, $776,573.95; outside checks and other cash items, $37,593.98; redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. treasurer, $50,000.00; other assets, $33,682.38. Total, $8,020,299.03.

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in, $1,000,000.00; surplus, $200,000.00; undivided profits—net, $53,644.60; circulating notes outstanding, $1,000,000.00; due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding, $559,765.44; demand deposits, $2,899,959.02; time deposits, $1,169,885.65; United States deposits, $261,423.28; bills payable and rediscounts $875,621.04. Total, $8,020,299.03.

State of Texas, county of Wichita, ss: I, Oral Jones, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—Oral Jones, cashier. Correct—Attest: W. L. Robertson, J. T. Harrell, C. E. Basham, directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of October, 1931.—M. Lacy, notary public.

## New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES
(Copyright, 1931, Standard Statistics Co.)

| | 20 Inds | 20 RR's | 20 Ut's | 60 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Friday | 69.8 | x71.8 | x87.0 | x76.2 |
| Previous day | 70.1 | 73.0 | 87.3 | 76.5 |
| Week ago | 73.5 | 74.4 | 88.8 | 78.9 |
| Month ago | 74.1 | 81.6 | 90.9 | 82.2 |
| Year ago | 88.7 | 101.4 | 99.2 | 96.3 |
| 2 years ago | 92.5 | 106.0 | 98.7 | 99.1 |
| 3 years ago | 94.8 | 105.7 | 100.0 | 100.2 |
| High 1931 | 90.4 | 105.7 | 101.4 | 98.7 |
| Low 1931 | 69.7 | 72.0 | 87.3 | 76.5 |
| High 1930 | 94.9 | 109.8 | 101.4 | 101.9 |
| Low 1930 | 88.3 | 97.3 | 98.6 | 92.0 |
| High 1929 | 95.3 | 106.0 | 99.8 | 99.9 |
| Low 1929 | 90.4 | 100.3 | 96.0 | 96.3 |

xNew 1931 low.

Foreign

| | |
|---|---|
| Argentine 6s of June | 56⅝ |
| Austria 4½s | 41½ |
| Britain 3⅞, 5½s | 85½ |
| France 7½s | 114½ |
| Germany 7s | 45 |
| Italy 7s | 83¾ |
| Japan 6½s | 91½ |
| Panama 5s A | 59½ |
| Poland 8s | 52 |

Domestic

| | |
|---|---|
| Am Smelting 5s | 98 |
| Am Sugar 6s | 103¼ |
| A T & T 5½s | 104¼ |
| A T & S F Gen 4s | 87½ |
| B & O Rf 5s | 63 |
| Beth Steel Rf 5s | 99 |
| Can Pac Deb 4s | 65 |
| Ches Corp 5s | 75 |
| C & O Rf 4½s | 92 |
| C & G W 4s | 45½ |
| C R I & P 4½s | 32 |
| Erie Rf 5s | 37 |
| Gen Motor A C 6s | 100 |
| Goodyear 5s | 74 |
| Great North 7s A | 85 |
| Hud Man Rf 5s | 82 |
| I & G N Adj 6s | 14 |
| Int Match 5s | 54 |
| Int T & T 4½s | 55 |
| K C S Rf 5s | 60 |
| Loews Inc 6s | 89½ |
| M K & T Adj 5s A | 38 |
| Mo Pac Cen 4s | 31 |
| Nat Dairy 5¼s | 90¾ |
| N Y C Rf 5s | 67½ |
| N Pac 6s B | 77½ |
| Pan Am Pet 6s | 101½ |
| Philip Pet 5¼s | 55½ |
| Pure Oil 5½s | 77 |
| Sinc Oil Col 7s | 83 |
| S P 4½s | 67 |
| Sou Ry Con 5s | 73¼ |
| Southwest Bell 5s | 103 |
| T & P 5s 80d | 65½ |
| U S Rubber 5s | 46 |
| West Elec 5s | 99¾ |

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Foreign exchanges easy. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain demand, 3.34¾; cables 3.34⅞; 60 day bills, 3.28; France, demand, 3.91 13-16; cables, 3.91⅞; Italy demand, 5.09; cables 5.09¼.

Demands—Belgium 13.90; Germany 23.59; Holland 40.33; Norway 18.34; Sweden 18.49; Denmark 18.44; Switzerland 19.37; Spain 8.33; Portugal 3.15; Greece 1.28¾; Poland 11.30; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96⅝; Jugoslavia 1.79¼; Austria 13.99; Rumania .59⅝; Argentine 25.78; Brazil 6.25; Tokyo 49.16; Shanghai 31.50; Montreal 85.75; Mexico City (silver peso) 33.75.

Note—Demand rates nominal.

TEXAS VEGETABLES

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 4. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Carlot shipments of fruits and vegetables from Texas Thursday: Grapefruit 11, mixed citrus 3, potatoes 1, cabbage 7, carrots 2, beets 5, spinach 49; mixed vegetables 24, greens 2, tomatoes 9, sweet potatoes 2.

Spinach at Chicago today: Market about steady; Texas flat type mostly around $1.25; Savoy 75@90c.

Tomatoes at Chicago: About steady; Texas lugs $2.50@3.00.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cotton goods were quiet today. Small sales of overcoatings for spot delivery were reported. Rayon producers were doing more business on viscose yarns in multifilament types for knitters and weavers, while silk mills were buying acetate yarns for lacy weaves. Burlaps continued fairly steady, with trading light.

The first electric street car line in America was opened in Appleton, Wis., in 1886.

## Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK REVIEW

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4. (AP)—(U.S.D.A.)—Cattle trade at the eleven market circuit found 11,300 offered as compared with 27,898 last Friday. Trade resolved itself into largely a cleanup affair at about steady prices considering the week's full decline of 50c@$1.00 on short fed steers, yearlings and heifers. Offerings of strictly good to choice quality were practically lacking. Stockers and feeders were very scarce.

Steady to 15c lower figures prevailed in the hog trade. With the advance of new low levels which were effected for hogs this week desirable butchers scaling 170 pounds and above sell within a very narrow spread and it is not unlikely that some markets will begin to split nickles as was the custom some years back. Receipts numbered around 111,900 as against 134,619 last Friday.

Lamb trade was generally steady with spots showing some strength on the better grades. Arrivals totalled 45,200 against 95,181 last Friday.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts, 35,000; market 10c lower; top, $4.30; bulk, $3.80@4.25; heavy, $4.00@4.25; medium, $4.10@4.30; light, $4.10@4.30; light lights, $3.90@4.25; packing sows, $3.60@3.90; pigs, $3.50@4.00; holdovers, 3,000.

Cattle—Receipts 1,500, calves 1,000; market steady; beef steers, good and choice, $9.50@12.50; common and medium, $5.00@9.50; yearlings, $9.00@11.50; butcher cattle, heifers, $3.50@9.00; cows, $3.00@5.25; bulls, $3.25@5.25; calves, $5.00@6.00; feeder steers, $4.00@6.50; stocker steers, $3.50@6.25; stocker cows and heifers, $3.00@4.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market steady; lambs, $5.00@6.00; common, $3.50@4.50; yearlings, $4.00@5.00; feeders, $4.50@5.00; ewes, $1.00@2.00.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 700. Calves—Receipts 300; steady; fair-medium short fed steers, yearlings, $3.50@5.00; some sales, $6@6.25; fat cows, $3@3.50; butcher heifers, $2.50@4.00; bulls, $2.50@4.00; bulk good heavy calves, vealers, $4@5.00 or somewhat weak; medium good calves, $3@4.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1,400; 20c lower; packer top, $4.35; outsiders, $4.45; sows, stags, unchanged.

Sheep—Receipts 200; steady; top native lambs, $4.75.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Hogs—Receipts 400; truck hogs to small killers steady, packer market on rail and truck hogs 10c lower; truck top, $5.00; better 180 to 260-pound rail and truck hogs, $4.65@5.00; packing sows scarce.

Cattle—Receipts 1,700. Calves—Receipts 500; slaughter yearlings slow at full recent declines, $5@6.25; choice fed yearlings held in $9.00 range; other cattle and calves steady; stocker trade nominal; slaughter steers, $3.25@5.00; grassers, $3.25@4.35; fat cows, $3.25; good fat cows, $3.50; butcher grades, $2.50@3.00; bulls scarce; weighty slaughter calves, $4@4.60; small lots heavies on short yearling order, $4.75@5.00; cull sorts, $2.50@3.00.

Sheep—Receipts 1,800; steady; fat lambs, 25c higher; medium to good fat lambs, $4.25@4.75; fat yearlings, $4.00; 2-year-old fat wethers, $3.00; aged fat wethers, $2.25.

DALLAS PRODUCE

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Poultry and eggs: Hens, pound 10@14c; young chickens, pound 12@20c; turkeys, pound 13@18c; guineas, dozen $3.60; eggs, dozen 20@21c; packing butter, pound 9@10c; ducks, pound 7@8c.

## Records

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD
Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk

J. A. Kemp estate, lot 7, Westlake addition, Wichita Falls, to L. E. Whitham company.

Richard Nix et ux, lot 4, block 15, Floral Heights addition, Wichita Falls, to A. C. Moline.

NEW SUITS FILED
Mrs. A. B. Eichelberger, District Clerk

V. W. Mills vs. J. M. McFall et al., debt and foreclosure.

Mrs. Blanche Cashion vs. T. A. Cashion, divorce.

The Industrial Naptha and Solvent company vs. Harry E. Clark, debt.

Georgia Borah vs. W. W. Borah, divorce.

# Cotton — Prices Lose Early Gains. Livestock — Cattle In Low Supply. Grain — Selling Hits Price Rise

## Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement

| | Mdlg. | Repts. | Sales | Stock |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N. Orleans | 6.00 | 8,591 | 2,819 | 810,779 |
| Galveston | 5.85 | 6,757 | 658 | 953,404 |
| Savannah | 5.80 | 408 | 575 | 339,573 |
| Mobile | 5.65 | 1,815 | 139 | 245,587 |
| Charleston | .... | 777 | ... | 176,966 |
| Wilmington | .... | 124 | ... | 22,928 |
| Norfolk | 6.00 | 256 | 116 | 69,205 |
| Baltimore | .... | 305 | ... | 1,381 |
| New York | 6.15 | ... | 700 | 225,250 |
| Boston | .... | ... | ... | 9,200 |
| Houston | 5.65 | 26,367 | 3,229 | 1,673,287 |
| Minor ports | .... | 10,613 | ... | 172,258 |
| Corpus Christi | .... | 362 | ... | 111,163 |
| Total today | .... | 56,115 | 8,236 | 4,810,979 |
| Total for week | .... | 322,012 | | |
| Total for season | .... | 5,365,405 | | |

Interior Movement

| | Mdlg. | Repts. | Sales | Stock |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 5.50 | 9,262 | 11,730 | 484,727 |
| Augusta | 6.00 | 422 | 60 | 135,035 |
| St. Louis | .... | 1,200 | ... | 1,228 |
| Fort Worth | 5.30 | ... | 720 | ...... |
| Little Rock | 5.35 | 1,340 | 1,231 | 69,666 |
| Atlanta | 5.85 | ... | ... | ...... |
| Dallas | 5.35 | ... | 9,879 | ...... |
| Montgomery | 5.45 | ... | ... | ...... |
| Total today | .... | 12,223 | 23,620 | 630,565 |

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cotton rallied slightly from an opening decline today but prices weakened again in the later trading. January contracts, after selling up from 6.08 to 6.16, or 3 points net higher, broke to 6.05 and closed at that figure. The general market closed barely steady at net declines of 6 to 8 points.

The opening was steady unchanged to a decline of 3 points in response to relatively easy Liverpool cables and some local or Liverpool selling.

Except for the increased activity toward the close, trading was quiet during practically the entire day and prices seemed to move in response to comparatively small orders either way. Two more of the private crop reports were issued, one of them pointing to a yield of 17,270,000 bales and estimating 15,410,000 bales ginned prior to Dec. 1. The other estimated the ginnings at 15,150,000 bales and the crop at 16,925,000. According to a canvass, cotton exchange members, on the average, are expecting a crop of 17,214,000 bales.

Liverpool cables reported local and foreign buying in that market but the advance was not sufficient to offset the decline in sterling.

Exports today 68,793 bales making 3,051,235 so far this season. Port receipts 55,614.

Futures closed barely steady, 6 to 8 points lower. Spot quiet; middling 6.15.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 6.05 | 5.98 | 5.98-99 |
| Jan. | 6.16 | 6.05 | 6.05-06 |
| March | 6.34 | 6.22 | 6.22-24 |
| May | 6.52 | 6.39 | 6.40-41 |
| July | 6.68 | 6.55 | 6.57 |
| Oct. | 6.93 | 6.84 | 6.84 |

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cotton showed decided prebureau tendencies today and was sluggish most of the session. Price fluctuations were narrow.

The market turned easier with stocks in the late trading and made new lows for the day 11 to 13 points below the highs but recovered 2 to 3 points at the end. The close was steady at net declines for the day of 5 to 9 points. Liverpool was due to come in tomorrow 1 to 3 penny points down on New Orleans.

Liverpool cables came in 1 to 2 penny points better than due but sterling exchange was easier. Private cables stated that there was local and foreign buying on easier sterling. Manchester cabled improved cloth demand from China and South America.

Two private authorities issued estimates during the day one making the crop 17,270,000 bales and ginnings to Dec. 1, 15,419,000 while the other made the crop 16,925,000 and ginnings 15,150,000. The average guess of 95 members of the New York cotton exchange as to the probable government estimate was 17,214,000.

New lows for the day were made at 6.04 for January and 6.22 for March with January closing at 6.07 and March at 6.24, or 5 points net down for the day on both active months.

Port receipts 56,115; for week 322,012; for season 5,365,405; last season 6,224,760. Exports 70,892; for week 315,999; for season 2,974,305; last year 3,264,045; port stock 4,810,979; last year 4,182,458. Combined shipboard stock at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 178,650; last year 118,356. Spot sales at southern markets 31,156; last year 17,200.

Futures closed steady at net declines of 5 to 9 points:

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec. | 6.08 | 5.97 | 6.00 |
| Jan. | 6.15 | 6.04 | 6.07-08 |
| March | 6.35 | 6.22 | 6.24-25 |
| May | 6.54 | 6.40 | 6.42 |
| July | 6.68 | 6.55 | 6.55 |
| Oct. | 6.88 | 6.80 | 6.80 |

Holidays in Markets

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—The board of managers of the New York cotton exchange has voted that the exchange will be closed both the Saturday following Christmas and the Saturday following New Year's day, giving the exchange two successive weekends of three days each.

CHICAGO COTTON

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cotton developed moderate strength in late morning, but eased in the afternoon. The close was steady with December 2 points net higher; but other months were 3 to 7 points net lower. Cables were slightly higher than due and sterling was a few points off. Opening prices at Chicago were 1 to 3 points down. Stocks were higher early but weakened in the afternoon.

PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (INS)—Butter—Receipts 7,572 tubs; creamery extras 29c; standards 26½c; extra firsts 27½@28c; firsts 25½@26½c; packing stock 14@16c; specials 29½@30c.

Eggs—Receipts 3,069 cases; ordinary current receipts 20@22c; graded firsts 24c; extra firsts 23@26c; dirties 12@15c; checks 12@15c.

Cheese—Young Americas and Longhorns 13@13¼c; brick, fancy 15½c; daisies 13¼@13½c; double daisies 13@13¼c; prints 13½c; twins 13@13¼c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys 20c; old toms 16c; No. 2 14c; hens, 4½ pounds and up, 17c; No. 2 8c; Leghorn hens 12½c; spring chickens 15½c; No. 2 10c; Leghorn chickens 13c; roosters 11c; No. 2 8c; ducks, 4½ pounds and up, 17c; geese 13c.

Potatoes—Receipts 94 cars; on track 202; U. S. shipments 710; Wisconsin white No. 1 80@85c; ungraded 72½@77½c; Idaho russets No. 1 $1.50@1.60; commercials $1.20@1.27½c.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Call money steady, 2½ per cent all day.

Time loans steady, 60 days, 3½; 90 days, 3¾@4; 4-6 months, 4 per cent.

Prime commercial paper 3¾@4; bankers' acceptances unchanged.

United States Bonds

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Government bonds: Liberty 3½s 99.27; first 4¼s 100.20; fourth 4¼s 100.26; treasury 4¼s 104.13; 4s 100.30; 3¾s 99; 3⅜s 97.9.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 4.00. Prime crude 3.25@3.37½.

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Prime cottonseed unquoted.

Prime cottonseed oil, 3½@3¼c.
Prime cottonseed meal, 43 per cent, $16.
Prime cottonseed hulls, $5.
Linters, average mill run, ½@3c.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed barely steady. Prime summer yellow 3.95@4.05; prime crude 3.25@3.37½. Dec. 4.00; Jan. 4.00; Feb. 4.08; March 4.18; April 4.20; May 4.23; June 4.30; July 4.38.

CASH GRAIN

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4. (AP)—Wheat up ½@2c. No. 2 dark hard 60¼@71½c; No. 2 hard 53½@62½c; No. 2 red 57½@58½c; close, Dec. 48¼c; May 50⅝c; July 50c.

Corn—Unchanged to ½c higher. No. 2 white, nominal, 42@42½c; No. 2 yellow, nominal, 43@43½c; No. 2 mixed, nominal, 42@42½c; close: Dec. 38c; May 40¼c; July 41⅝c.

Oats—Unchanged. No. 2 white, nominal, 27½@30½c.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks weak; leaders actively sold in late trading.
Bonds irregular; German issues weak.
Curb heavy; electric bond and share at new low.
Foreign exchanges easy; German marks weak.
Cotton barely steady; local selling.
Sugar easy; poor spot demand.
Coffee lower; European selling.

CHICAGO

Wheat easy; good rains central west; poor export demand.
Corn easy; heavy Argentine shipments; large country offerings.
Cattle irregular.

## Fears for Gold Standard in Germany Bring Nervous Selling

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (US)—Persistent rumors questioning Germany's ability or intent to maintain the gold standard today reintroduced nervousness into the securities markets.

As a result of frigthened selling, some additional liquidation and perhaps some scattered short selling, stocks dropped back from their higher levels of Wednesday. But bonds did not suffer so badly, except in isolated instances of further sharp declines in issues suffering from specific worry, or which seldom are traded in.

As usual, a great many stocks dropped down to new lows. Yet, on the whole, the market did not seem to reflect revival of that broad fear which had swayed its movements for some time. And this despite most persistent broadcasting of Germany's troubles. Not a brokerage house or bank was beyond hearing of the German difficulties. Break in German bonds to new lows accentuated the stories, yet every endeavor to check the rumors failed to bring confirmation. It is not to be expected of course that official Germany would admit imminent abandonment of the gold standard.

However, interests who would most likely be informed if such action were just ahead were inclined to disregard the talk. One of the very best-informed men on Germany thought that February would be the earliest logical date for such action.

Nevertheless, the speculative markets were inclined to take the stories seriously for the day. Volume of offerings did not materially expand.

Germany continues the great cloud over the market. At the same time it is to be remembered that Germany's prospects have been fully known to the banking community for a long time. It seems safe to assert that, generally speaking, the United States is prepared for almost any eventuality in Germany, including the extreme of a receivership. Prices of her bonds emphasize how far the securities markets have gone toward discounting the worst. It is not a pleasant prospect to view a German receivership, but "be prepared for the worst" has been the working rule in American banking for some months.

One of the most significant facts of the past few days in the stock market has been the steady withdrawal from the bear side of powerful interests previously short of stocks. This tendency continued today.

American Can suffered the sharpest decline among the most prominent issues, breaking 4¾ points net to a new low. However, as has been so persistently hammered home here, Can has been one of the few issues which could not be considered as having been deflated.

Earnings this year, it is now admitted, will not equal earlier estimates and next year's profits are not expected to show material betterment. The remainder of the market, as a unit, was not inclined to follow Can in its sharp dip. Steel common was another issue to slump breaking down to a new low, and closing off 1¾ net. There is general agreement now that the dividend is none too secure.

Among rails relatively moderate reactions were the rule. Receivership for the Ann Arbor was to be expected, in view of the close relationship with the Wabash. Some selling came into bank stocks on the German news, but the burden of carrying German credits and her securities no longer is concentrated.

Generally speaking, losses in stocks were not particularly large, especially when contrasted with the insistent bearish gossip. Again today, it appeared that the public short interest has been further increased. If that is so, then the buying must be characterized as better than the selling.

The fact is that powerful interests are inclined to look to next week as possibly bringing some favorable developments. Of course, many programs for direct relief are under consideration, including the suggested revolving credit for railroads. The latter are admittedly in bad shape and any concrete assistance forthcoming midst the dense bearishness might bring a sharp recovery even if predicated mainly on technical conditions.

Incidentally, the size of the short account in the market is now known to many more people than heretofore.

STOCK AVERAGES
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| | 50 Ind's. | 20 Rrs. | 20 Utils. | 90 Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Friday | 9.4 | 37.0 | 109.7 | 71.6 |
| Previous day | 71.1 | 38.2 | 111.8 | 73.3 |
| Week ago | 72.3 | 37.7 | 111.4 | 73.9 |
| Month ago | 84.1 | 40.1 | 124.9 | 85.9 |
| Year ago | 128.7 | 90.0 | 184.7 | 130.0 |
| 3 years ago | 224.1 | 131.7 | 190.6 | 189.9 |
| 5 years ago | 107.0 | 103.7 | 104.3 | 105.1 |
| High, 1931 | 140.2 | 106.2 | 203.9 | 144.3 |
| Low, 1931 | 67.8 | 36.7 | 101.5 | 70.0 |
| High, 1930 | 232.4 | 141.6 | 281.3 | 205.8 |
| Low, 1930 | 112.9 | 89.4 | 145.5 | 114.7 |
| High, 1929 | 272.8 | 167.8 | 353.1 | 278.8 |
| Low, 1929 | 141.3 | 117.7 | 156.3 | 140.3 |

Call money renewed at 2½ per cent.

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| Abitibi P & P | 3 | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| Advance Rumely | 1 | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| Air Reduction | 35 | 57¾ | 54⅞ | 54⅞ |
| Alleghany | 34 | 2¼ | 2 | 2 |
| Al Chem & Dye | 426 | 78¼ | 71⅞ | 73¼ |
| Amerada | 1 | 15½ | 15½ | 15½ |
| Am Can | 585 | 67⅞ | 61 | 62⅞ |
| Am Car & Fdy | 5 | 8½ | 8¼ | 6⅝ |
| Am & For Pow | 274 | 10½ | 8⅞ | 8⅞ |
| Am International | 14 | 6⅞ | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| Am Loco | 8 | 8 | 7 | 7 |
| Am Metal | 11 | 6 | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Am P & Lt | 39 | 17¼ | 16 | 16½ |
| Am Rad St San | 50 | 7⅞ | 7¼ | 7⅞ |
| Am Roll Mill | 16 | 11⅞ | 10¼ | 10¼ |
| Am S & R | 29 | 22 | 20⅝ | 20⅝ |
| Am Steel Fdrs | 24 | 8 | 6½ | 6¾ |
| Am T & T | 699 | 130¾ | 125 | 126½ |
| Am Tob | 2 | 80 | 78 | 78 |
| Am Wat Wks | 12 | 32¼ | 30¾ | 30¾ |
| Am Woolen | 14 | 4⅛ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Am Wool pf | 20 | 24 | 21½ | 21½ |
| Anaconda | 109 | 13¾ | 12 | 12 |
| Archer Dan M | 3 | 12¾ | 12¼ | 12¼ |
| A T & S F | 79 | 95¾ | 89¾ | 91 |
| Atlantic Ref | 28 | 11¾ | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| Auburn Auto | 534 | 116¾ | 107¾ | 110¼ |
| Aviation Corp | 2 | 2½ | 2½ | 2½ |
| Balt & Ohio | 109 | 25½ | 22½ | 23 |
| Barns A | 30 | 5½ | 5⅛ | 5⅝ |
| Ben Aviation | 152 | 19¼ | 18¼ | 18¾ |
| Beth Steel | 133 | 27¾ | 25 | 25½ |
| Bohn Alum | 10 | 22¾ | 21¼ | 21¼ |
| Borden | 99 | 43¼ | 41½ | 42 |
| Briggs Mfg | 30 | 10½ | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| Bulova Watch | 8 | 4½ | 4½ | 4½ |
| Burr Ad Mach | 10 | 12 | 11¾ | 11¾ |
| Butte Cop & Z | 2 | 1⅝ | 1½ | 1½ |
| Calif Pack | 3 | 10¼ | 10¼ | 10¼ |
| Calumet & Hecla | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Canada D G Ale | 2 | 16¾ | 16¾ | 16¾ |
| Can Pac | 30 | 14⅝ | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| Cannon Mills | 2 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| Cerro de Pasco | 39 | 14 | 12¾ | 13¼ |
| Certain-teed | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Chesa & Ohio | 150 | 30 | 28 | 28¼ |
| C M St P & P pf. | 11 | 4⅝ | 3⅞ | 4½ |
| Chicago & N W | 24 | 8⅛ | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| Chicago Pneu T | 1 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| C R I & P | 19 | 11¾ | 9¾ | 9¾ |
| Chrysler | 201 | 14⅞ | 13⅞ | 14 |
| Coca-Cola | 37 | 114 | 110½ | 111⅝ |
| Col Fuel & Iron | 1 | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Colum G & E | 88 | 20⅛ | 18⅞ | 19 |
| Coml Solv | 41 | 10 | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| Congoleum Na | 6 | 9⅞ | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| Cont Bak A | 9 | 6⅛ | 6⅛ | 6⅛ |
| Cont Can | 30 | 36¾ | 34⅞ | [illegible] |
| Cont Motor | 6 | 1¾ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| Cont Oil Del | 48 | 6⅞ | 6⅛ | 6⅝ |
| Cont Shares | 4 | 1⅝ | 1⅝ | 1⅝ |
| Corn Prod | 40 | 47 | 44⅛ | 44⅛ |
| Coty | 15 | 4 | 3⅞ | 4 |
| Curtiss Wright | 38 | 1⅞ | 1½ | 1½ |
| Drug Inc | 59 | 54⅛ | 52¼ | 53 |
| Du Pont de Nem | 309 | 57⅞ | 53 | 54¾ |
| East Kod | xd76 | 96 | 90¼ | 91¼ |
| Eaton Ax & S | 2 | 8¼ | 8¼ | 8¼ |
| El P & Lgt | 235 | 15¼ | 14⅛ | 15 |
| Eng Pub Serv | 1 | 23½ | 23½ | 23½ |
| Erie R R | 8 | 9⅜ | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| Fisk Rub | 5 | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| Follans | 1 | 5¾ | 5¾ | 5¾ |
| Fox Film A | 26 | 4⅜ | 3⅝ | 3⅝ |
| Freeport Tex | 6 | 17⅞ | 16⅞ | 16⅞ |
| Gen Amer Tank | 14 | 39⅞ | 38⅞ | 38⅞ |
| Gen Asphalt | 4 | 14¾ | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| Gen Elec | as30,055 | 27¾ | 26⅛ | 26¾ |
| Gen Foods | 130 | 36⅝ | 33⅞ | 33⅞ |
| Gen G & El A | 25 | 2½ | 2½ | 2½ |
| Gen Mills | 3 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| Gen Mot | 884 | 24 | 22⅛ | 23⅞ |
| Gen Pub Ser | 13 | 4½ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Gill Safe Raz | 26 | 14 | 13⅛ | 13⅛ |
| Glidden Co | 5 | 6⅞ | 6 | 6 |
| Gold Dust | 26 | 19⅞ | 18⅞ | 18⅞ |
| Goodrich | 8 | 5⅝ | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| Goodyear Tire | 15 | 19½ | 17⅞ | 17⅞ |
| Graham Paige | 19 | 3 | 2⅞ | 3 |
| Granby Con M | 1 | 6⅛ | 6⅛ | 6⅛ |
| Grant W T | 3 | 33⅛ | 33⅛ | 33⅛ |
| Great North Ry pf. | 20 | 23⅞ | 21 | 21 |
| Great West Sug | 19 | 7⅛ | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| Grigsby Grun | 5 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Hartman B | 2 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Houston Oil | 14 | 24 | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| Houston Oil new | 11 | 4⅞ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Howe Sound | 2 | 14 | 13⅝ | 14 |
| Hud Mot | 4 | 11⅛ | 11 | 11⅛ |
| Hupp Mot | 9 | 5 | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Ill Cent | 34 | 12⅞ | 11⅛ | 11½ |
| Inspirat Cop | 3 | 3⅛ | 3⅞ | 3⅞ |
| Int Comb E | 1 | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Int Harv | 46 | 28¾ | 26⅞ | 26⅞ |
| Int Hydro El A | 7 | 13¾ | 13 | 13¾ |
| Int Match ptc pf | 26 | 23¼ | 19⅞ | 21 |
| Int Nick Can | 78 | 8⅞ | 8⅛ | 8⅞ |
| Int T & T | 123 | 12 | 10⅞ | 11 |
| Johns Man | 81 | 21 | 18⅞ | 19 |
| K C South | 4 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| Kayser J | 1 | 8⅛ | 8⅛ | 8⅛ |
| Kelly Spring | 3 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅛ |
| Kelsey Hay Wh | 5 | 4⅛ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Kelvinator | 49 | 8⅞ | 8 | 8⅛ |
| Kenne | 96 | 12⅛ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ |
| Kresge S S | 13 | 19⅞ | 19⅛ | 19⅛ |
| Kreug & T | 501 | 5⅞ | 5 | 5 |
| Libbey O Ford Gl | 25 | 8 | 7⅛ | 7⅞ |
| Ligg & My B | 21 | 52¼ | 50⅛ | 50⅛ |
| Loft | 7 | 3⅞ | 3⅛ | 3⅞ |
| Lorillard P | 96 | 16⅛ | 15 | 15 |
| Louis G & E A | 6 | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| Ludlam Steel | 2 | 7⅛ | 6⅞ | 7⅛ |
| Mack Trucks | 3 | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 16⅛ |
| Magma Cop | 5 | 8 | 7⅞ | 8 |
| Math Alkali | 5 | 16⅛ | 16 | 16 |
| May Dept Stores | 21 | 27 | 21⅞ | 21⅞ |
| McKeesport Tin | 43 | 54⅞ | 51⅞ | 52⅞ |
| Mid Cont Pet | 7 | 6⅛ | 6 | 6 |
| Midland Steel | 1 | 8⅞ | 8⅞ | 8⅞ |
| Mo Kan Tex | 8 | 7 | 6⅛ | 6⅛ |
| Mo Pac | 39 | 11½ | 9⅞ | 10⅛ |
| Montgom Ward | 125 | 9⅞ | 8⅞ | 9 |
| Murray Corp | 6 | 8 | 7½ | 7½ |
| Nash Mot | 26 | 17⅞ | 16⅛ | 13⅞ |
| Nat Bis | 55 | 44 | 41 | 41 |
| Nat Cash Reg A | 16 | 14⅛ | 14 | 14 |
| Nat Dairy Prod | 112 | 26⅛ | 24⅛ | 24⅞ |
| Nat Lead | 1 | 91½ | 91½ | 91½ |
| Nat P & L | 40 | 14⅞ | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| Nat Surety | 9 | 14⅛ | 13 | 13 |
| Nat Tea | 1 | 9¼ | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| Nev Con Cop | 22 | 5⅛ | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| N Y Cent | 905 | 33⅞ | 30 | 31⅛ |
| N Y N H & H | 32 | 28⅛ | 25 | 25¼ |
| Norfolk & W | as450 | 130½ | 128½ | 128½ |
| North Amer | xd74 | 37⅛ | 34⅞ | 35½ |
| North Pac | 20 | 18⅞ | 17⅛ | 17⅛ |
| Ohio Oil | 43 | 7⅞ | 7 | 7 |
| Otis Elev | 7 | 22⅛ | 21⅞ | 21⅞ |
| Pac G & E | 14 | 35⅞ | 34⅞ | 34⅞ |
| Packard Mot | 23 | 4⅞ | 4⅛ | 4½ |
| Param Publix | xd78 | 9⅞ | 8⅞ | 9 |
| Pen & Ford | 1 | 26⅞ | 25⅞ | 23⅞ |
| Penney J C | 12 | 32 | 31⅛ | 31⅛ |
| Penn R R | 129 | 23 | 22 | 22 |
| Phillips Jones | 2 | 11 | 11 | 11 |
| Phillips Pet | 25 | 6 | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Pills Flour | 1 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| Poor & Co | 4 | 4⅛ | 4⅛ | 4⅛ |
| Prair O & G | 7 | 7 | 6⅛ | 6⅛ |
| Prair Pipe L | 5 | 8½ | 8⅛ | 8⅛ |
| Proc & Gam | 28 | 44⅛ | 43⅞ | 43⅞ |
| Pub Ser N J | 70 | 62½ | 59 | 59½ |
| Pullman | 16 | 20⅛ | 19 | 19 |
| Pure Oil | 5 | 5⅛ | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Radio | 203 | 6⅞ | 5⅛ | 5⅞ |
| R K O | 86 | 1⅛ | 1⅛ | 1⅞ |
| Reading Co | 1 | 43 | 43 | 43 |
| Reming Rand | 24 | 4 | 3⅛ | 4 |
| Repub Stl | 26 | 7 | 6⅛ | 6½ |
| Rio Gran Oil | 8 | 1 | ⅞ | ⅞ |
| Roy Dut Sh | 15 | 13¼ | 13 | 15 |
| St L San Fr | 23 | 5⅛ | 4 | 4 |
| Schulte Ret | 12 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Seaboard Air | 2 | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Seaboard Oil | 19 | 7⅛ | 7⅛ | 7⅛ |
| Sears Roe | 71 | 38⅞ | 35⅞ | 35⅞ |
| Seneca Cop | 10 | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Shell Un | 18 | 4⅛ | 4 | 4⅛ |
| Simmons | 22 | 9⅞ | 8⅞ | 9 |
| Simms Pet | 2 | 5⅛ | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| Sinc Con | 79 | 6⅛ | 6 | 6 |
| Skelly Oil | 7 | 3⅞ | 3⅛ | 3⅞ |
| Socony Vac | 71 | 11⅛ | 10⅞ | 10⅞ |
| South Cal Ed | 9 | 33¼ | 32½ | 32½ |
| Sou Pac | 77 | 11 | 9⅞ | 9⅞ |
| Stand Brands | 38 | 14⅞ | 14⅛ | 14⅛ |
| St G & El | 33 | 35 | 32¼ | 33 |
| Stand Oil Calif | 57 | 30⅞ | 29⅞ | 29⅞ |
| Stand Oil Kan | 2 | 10⅛ | 10⅛ | 10½ |
| Stand Oil N J | 142 | 32⅛ | 31⅛ | 31⅛ |
| Stewart Warner | 13 | 6⅛ | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Stone & Webster | 12 | 13⅞ | 13 | 13 |
| Studebaker | 18 | 13⅞ | 12⅞ | 13⅞ |

## Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cash grain demand, good.

Quotations ranged as follows, basis carloads delivered Texas gulf ports, export rate, or group three points, freight paid:

Wheat—No. 1 ordinary hard milling, 59@60c; No. 2 hard 13 per cent protein 60½@61½c; 14 per cent 64½@65½c; 15 per cent 68½@69½c; 16 per cent 72½@73½c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 43@44c; No. 2 white 44½@45c; No. 2 yellow 48@49c.

Barley—No. 2 nominally 41@45c.

Sorghums—No. 2 milo per 100 pounds 72@73c; No. 2 kaffir 72@73c.

Delivered Texas group three—Oats No. 2 red 26@27c.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Too much selling on price advances led to late setbacks in the wheat market today, despite enlarged demand from overseas for North American bread material. It was estimated that 1,000,000 bushels of wheat, mostly Canadian, had been bought to be shipped abroad. With late weakness in the stock market, however, working against the bulls, advances were hard to hold, and wheat values broke sharply in the final 30 minutes of trading.

Wheat closed nervous, ⅛@1 cent under yesterday's finish, corn ⅛@1 cent down, oats unchanged to ⅛@1 cent off, and provisions at 5 cents decline. Wheat showed gains, influenced by reports of storms and of harvest delays both in Argentina and Australia, and by advices that the Russian government grain collection campaign was a complete disappointment. It was asserted that the total of Russian grain uncollected was far greater than acknowledged, and that Russian exports in the new year would dwindle owing to acute shortage of foodstuffs and other essentials. There were denials, though, of yesterday's reports that Russia had made important purchases of Australian wheat.

Corn and oats gave way with wheat, despite unfavorable weather over the corn belt and notwithstanding increased shipping demand here for corn.

Provisions reflected downturns in hog values.

Closing indemnities—Wheat: Dec. 52c, 53¼c; March 53⅝c; bids; May 55¼@⅛c, 53⅛@58c; July 55⅛@⅝c, 58¼@⅝c. Corn, Dec. 24½c; 36⅛c; March 38⅛c, 40c; May 39⅛@⅝c, 42c; July 41⅝c, 43⅝c.

| | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | |
| Dec. | .55⅛ | .53⅛ | .54 |
| March | .57⅝ | .55⅛ | .55⅞ |
| May | .59⅛ | .57⅛ | .57⅞ |
| July | .58½ | .56⅝ | .56⅞ |
| Corn— | | | |
| Dec. | .38⅝ | .35⅞ | .36⅛ |
| March | .40⅛ | .39⅞ | .39⅞ |
| May | .42⅝ | .41¼ | .41⅞ |
| July | .44½ | .43¼ | .43⅞ |
| Oats— | | | |
| Dec. | .25⅛ | .24⅞ | .24⅞ |
| May | .27¼ | .27 | .27 |
| July | .26⅝ | .25½ | .26⅛ |
| Rye— | | | |
| Dec. | .42⅞ | .41⅞ | .41⅞ |
| March | .45⅛ | .45¼ | .45¼ |
| May | .47⅝ | .46¼ | .46⅞ |
| July | .47⅞ | .46¼ | .46⅞ |
| Lard— | | | |
| Dec. | .... | .... | 5.80 |
| Jan. | 5.80 | 5.77 | 5.77 |
| March | 5.90 | 5.87 | 5.87 |
| Bellies— | | | |
| Jan. | .... | .... | 5.75 |
| May | .... | .... | 6.12 |

PIT NOTES

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (US)—Wheat sentiment had been rather bullish most of the day, but switched when the late selling came from the East along with the news that Germany was to abandon the gold basis. While this selling had a depressing effect, some traders were inclined to the view that increased foreign purchasing might follow the German action which as it did England's gold action two months ago.

Broomhall says that trade in foreign wheat in France is slow with holders trying to sell but finding few buyers. Native offerings are scarce and at a higher price level.

A tendency to recover readily from the dips for the first time in many days led traders to view the corn market as fairly well liquidated. With prices at their present level, however, sentiment is not bullish owing to the relatively small discount under wheat.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 5 points down. Sales 2,819; low middling 5.30; middling 6.00; good middling 6.40; receipts 8,591; stock 810,779.

Chicago Cotton Futures

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Cotton futures closed Dec. 6.19; Jan. 6.16; March 6.34; May 6.52.

TEXAS SPOTS

GALVESTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 5 points down. (15-16 inch).

Low ordinary 4.55; ordinary 4.80; good ordinary 5.05; strict good ordinary [illegible]; low middling 5.55; strict low middling 5.80; middling 6.05; strict middling 6.30; good middling 6.45; strict good middling 6.55; middling fair 6.75. Sales, spots 8; f. o. b. 650.

NEW YORK STOCKS—Continued

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Telauto | 5 | 13 | 12¼ | 13 |
| Texas Corp | xd28 | 17½ | 16¼ | 16⅞ |
| Tex Gulf Sul | 28 | 25⅞ | 24⅞ | 25⅛ |
| Tex Pac C & O | 2 | 2⅝ | 2⅝ | 2⅝ |
| Tex Pac Land Trust | 12 | 5⅞ | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Timken Det Ax | 15 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Timken Roll B | 16 | 22 | 20½ | 20⅞ |
| Tob Prod | 26 | 3⅝ | 2⅞ | 3 |
| Union Carbide | 144 | 33½ | 31½ | 32 |
| Union Oil Calif | 2 | 15⅛ | 15 | 15 |
| Union Pac | 76 | 83 | 78 | 79⅞ |
| United Aircraft | 84 | 14 | 12¼ | 12⅞ |
| United Carbon | 2 | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ |
| United Corp | 185 | 11½ | 10⅞ | 11 |
| United Gas Im | 79 | 21⅞ | 20⅞ | 21 |
| U S Ind Alcohol | 168 | 31⅞ | 28⅞ | 28⅞ |
| U S Real & Im | 6 | 8¼ | 8 | 8 |
| U S Rubber | 23 | 5 | 4⅝ | 4⅝ |
| U S Steel | 926 | 54¼ | 51 | 51⅝ |
| Util P & Lt A | xd34 | 12⅞ | 11⅞ | 11⅞ |
| Vanadium | 21 | 16¼ | 15¼ | 15⅞ |
| Warner Picture | 112 | 3½ | 2⅞ | 3 |
| West Mary | 11 | 6⅞ | 6¼ | 6¼ |
| West Union Tel | 54 | 49½ | 42½ | 44 |
| Westgha Air Brake | 13 | 16⅞ | 16¼ | 16½ |
| West El & Mfg | 211 | 34 | 30⅞ | 30⅞ |
| Willys Overland | 9 | 2⅝ | 2½ | 2⅝ |
| Woolworth | as9650 | 47⅞ | 44⅞ | 45⅞ |
| Yellow Truck & Cab. | 20 | 4½ | 3⅞ | 3⅞ |

## Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Am & For P | 6⅜ | 5¼ | 5⅜ |
| Am Sup Power | 5 | 4⅞ | 5 |
| Appalach Gas | ⅝ | ½ | ½ |
| Armstrong Ch | 9 | 9 | 9 |
| Cities Service | 6¾ | 6⅜ | 6⅝ |
| Cities Service B P | 5⅛ | 5⅛ | 5⅛ |
| Com Edison | 133 | 137 | 137 |
| Com & So War | ⅝ | ⅝ | ⅝ |
| Con G & E Pr P | 71 | 71 | 71 |
| Cord Corp | 8 | 7⅞ | 7⅞ |
| Derby Oil | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| El Bond & Sh | 13¼ | 14⅜ | 14⅜ |
| El Bond & Sh Xd | 16½ | 15 | 15 |
| El P & Lt Pd P A | 49⅜ | 48⅜ | 49⅜ |
| Ford Mot Can A | 11 | 10⅜ | 10½ |
| Ford Mot Ltd | 5⅜ | 5⅜ | 5⅜ |
| Golden Cent Min | ⅝ | ½ | ½ |
| Coldman Sachs | 2⅜ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| Gulf Oil Pa | 44 | 42⅜ | 42⅜ |
| Hecla Min | 5¼ | 5¼ | 5⅛ |
| Hud Bay M & S | 2¼ | 2¼ | 2¼ |
| Internat Pet | 10⅜ | 10½ | 10⅜ |
| Lion Oil | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Mohawk H 1 P | 95¼ | 95 | 95 |
| Nat Invest P | 17½ | 17⅜ | 17½ |
| Nor Euron Oil | ⅝ | ⅛ | ⅝ |
| Ohio Oil P | 73 | 70 | 70 |
| Pandem Oil | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Pennroad | 2⅜ | 2⅜ | 2⅜ |
| Pa P & L 7 P | 99½ | 99½ | 99½ |
| Pitts Lake E | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| Pub Ut Hold | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |
| Smith A O | 55 | 54 | 54 |
| Stand Oil Ind | 19 | 18¼ | 18¼ |
| Stand Oil Ky | 16 | 15⅞ | 15⅞ |
| Swan F Oil P | 17 | 16 | 17 |
| Swiss-Am El P | 53 | 53 | 53 |
| Teron Oil | 6⅛ | 5⅞ | 5⅞ |
| Unit Found | 2½ | 2⅜ | 2⅜ |
| United Gas | 3¼ | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| Y Oil & Gas | ⅛ | ⅛ | ⅛ |

# COUNCIL ASKS HEAVY VOTE

## Municipal Plant Only Hope For Cheaper Gas

(Continued From Page One)

the Municipal Gas company itself, and through the state railroad commission, thus far have availed nothing. Last spring the city council called upon the gas company for a downward revision of rates within 30 days. Just before the expiration of that period, the Municipal Gas company sent certain of its officials before the council with a new rate schedule. That schedule offered a small reduction to a small group of industrial users, but represented a considerable increase in rate to about 90 per cent of users in this city. The proposed schedule was promptly rejected by the council. In subsequent weeks there was no apparent disposition on the part of the gas company to give further consideration to the council's request for lower rates.

**Policy of Obstruction**

Late in the summer, the council passed an ordinance recommended by the citizens advisory committee, headed by J. T. Montgomery. It provided for a reduction from 75 to 50 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, eliminated the present 50-cent monthly ready-to-serve charge, provided for 10 per cent discount for prompt payment, and established a minimum monthly charge of $1.00. That ordinance was passed to become effective on Oct. 1.

A few days before Oct. 1, the Municipal Gas company appealed to the state railroad commission for suspension of the ordinance pending final determination of its legality. The suspension was ordered by the commission when the gas company posted a bond to guarantee reimbursement of customers here in case the lower rates provided by the ordinance ultimately should be declared binding upon the gas company.

According to officials representing the city in the fight, the state law stipulates that matters at issue in such petitions as that filed by the Municipal Gas company with the railroad commission shall be settled within 60 days. Approximately 70 days have passed since the suspension was ordered, but there has been no intimation that the commission has done anything whatever toward a solution of the question involved.

**10 Election Boxes**

The city council's next step, at the suggestion of the citizens advisory committee, was to call the election for Saturday. Attention has been called to the campaign waged successfully in Oklahoma in recent months for lower gas rates, and to the fight by which Amarillo obtained a reduction to 27 cents per 1,000 cubic feet. In the latter case, all plans had been completed for prompt installation of a municipal gas distribution system.

Ten boxes are to be provided Saturday. With one exception, qualified voters of the city will vote at the same boxes at which they cast their ballots at the last two city elections. That exception is in the vicinity of the Fannin school. Voters formerly balloting at the Fannin school building will vote at 600 North Broadway. There are approximately 7,000 persons in this city holding 1930 poll tax receipts, and each of them is being urged by city officials to register his opinion on the gas plant issue Saturday.

The ballot will contain a question, asking the voter whether he is willing to support the city council in providing a necessary municipal gas distributing system, which shall in no wise impose taxation, and which shall be paid for without drawing upon city tax revenue. Below the question the words "Yes" and "No" will be printed. He will be asked to strike out one of those words, leaving unmarked the word "Yes" if he favors the council's proposal; or leaving unmarked the word "No" if he opposes the council's proposal.

Boxes will be located at the Central Fire station, Wichita county courthouse, Reagan Junior high school, Giddings street fire station, Sam Houston school, Buchanan street fire station, P. P. Langford garage, and 600 North Broadway. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

## School News

By HELEN BROODO

**Assembly Program**

Urging students of the high school and junior college to improve their own school paper, the Wichitan, A. F. Edwards addressed the students at a general assembly Friday morning.

The entire program was given by faculty sponsors of the Wichitan staff. After Mr. Edwards' talk, R. O. Jonas, news sponsor, told students how to write and how to get the news. Miss Chella Hendrix, newly selected feature sponsor, told the students that she had chosen Miss Lona Belle Spruiell as her coworker. The sponsor of the feature department also mentioned some facts concerning feature writing.

## Death Claims Mother Of Wichita Women

Mrs. Jessie Masters, mother of Mrs. W. P. Morgan and Mrs. Otis E. Nelson of Wichita Falls, died Friday morning at her home in Sherman, Texas, according to word received here.

Funeral services, it was said, will be held in Sherman Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Nelson were at their mother's bedside.

## DEATHS

**MRS. P. M. MARSH**

The body of Mrs. P. M. Marsh, 53, was forwarded Friday to Ballinger, Texas, her home, by the Hines mortuary. Her husband accompanied the body. Funeral services will be held at Ballinger. Mrs. Marsh died at a hospital here late Thursday night after a brief illness.

**ELIZABETH FITZGERALD**

The body of Elizabeth Fitzgerald, 8, daughter of E. R. Fitzgerald, Iowa Park road, who died Thursday following a brief illness, was forwarded Friday by the Hines mortuary to Newport, where funeral services will be held. The father accompanied the body.

# *Precinct Boundaries, Voting Places And Officers of Election Saturday*

Polling places and presiding officers in Saturday's city election have been announced as follows by W. E. McBroom, city clerk:

Central police station box: Nat L. Inge, presiding judge; Paul Goldsticker, B. L. Trevathan, Geo. H. Hodgins, clerks.

Wichita county courthouse box: E. P. Murrell, presiding judge; Roy A. Jones, Mrs. R. M. Morrow, Lee Terry, clerks.

Reagan Junior High school box: Irvan Deaton, presiding judge; Mrs. J. E. Ramee, C. C. McMurray, J. H. Patton, clerks.

South Side Baptist church annex box: J. W. Nicholson, presiding judge; W. B. Irvin, Mrs. W. C. Perkins, Mrs. Ruth Karrenbrock, clerks.

Alamo school box: E. S. Whitelaw, presiding judge; J. Will Gray, M. L. Tittle, W. G. Bralley, clerks.

Avenue H and Giddings street fire station box: J. C. Owen, presiding judge; Mrs. C. C. McMurray, B. L. Baltz, Mrs. Oral Staples, clerks.

Sam Houston school box: S. D. Harper, presiding judge; Anna M. Jensen, John Elder, H. J. Awker, clerks.

Buchanan street fire station box: P. S. Richardson, presiding judge; S. M. Gose, Paul Ringle, J. L. Lea Jr., clerks.

P. P. Langford garage box: Grover Bullington, presiding judge; J. E. Thorne, C. K. Harrison, E. J. McWilliams, clerks.

House No. 600 North Broadway box: J. B. Scarborough, presiding judge; Weldon Johnson, Mrs. Jno. W. Schiller, clerks.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 40, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north and east by the Wichita river and city limits; bounded on the west by the Fort Worth and Denver railroad track from Wichita river to center of Seventh street, thence west along center line of Seventh street to the center of Lamar street, thence south along the center of Lamar street to Mill street, thence south along the center of Mill street to the center of San Antonio street, east on San Antonio street to the center of Mississippi street, south along the center of Mississippi street to Underwood street, thence east along the center of Underwood street to California street, thence south along the center of California street to the city limits," shall vote at the central police station box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 10, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north by the Wichita river; on the east by the Fort Worth and Denver railway from Wichita river to Seventh street; bounded on the south by Seventh street from the Fort Worth and Denver railway to Lamar street, thence along center line of Lamar street from Seventh to Ninth streets, along the center line of Ninth street from Lamar to Broad streets, along center line of Broad street from Ninth to Eleventh streets, along center line of Eleventh street from Broad street to Brook avenue, and bounded on the west by Brook avenue from Eleventh street to Wichita river," shall vote at the Wichita county courthouse box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the east by Lamar street from Ninth to Seventeenth streets; bounded on the south by the Wichita Valley railway; bounded on the west by Brook avenue from Wichita Valley railway to Eleventh street; bounded on the north by the center line of Eleventh street from Brook avenue to Broad street, along center line of Broad street from Eleventh to Ninth streets; and the center line of Ninth street from Broad to Lamar streets," shall vote at the Reagan Junior High school box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precinct No. 17, which is included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north by the Wichita Valley railway; bounded on the east by the center line of Mill street from Seventeenth to San Antonio streets, along the center line of San Antonio street from Mill to Mississippi streets, along the center line of Mississippi street from San Antonio to Underwood streets, along the center line of Underwood street from Mississippi to California streets, along the center line of California street from Underwood street to the city limits; bounded on the south by the city limits; and bounded on the west by Brook avenue from the city limits to the Wichita Valley railway," shall vote at the South Side Baptist church annex box at 2206 Holliday street.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 14, 15 and 18, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the east by Brook avenue from the Wichita river to Elizabeth street; bounded on the south by the center line of Elizabeth street and Avenue G, bounded on the west by the center of Monroe street from Avenue G to Tenth street, along the center line of Tenth street from Monroe to Taylor streets, along the center line of Taylor street from Tenth to Fifth streets, along the center line of Fifth street from Taylor to Fillmore streets, along the center line of Fillmore street from Fifth street to the city limits; bounded on the north by the city limits and the Wichita river," shall vote at the Alamo school box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 16, 19, 44 and 43 east of Kemp boulevard, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north by the center line of Avenue C and Elizabeth street; bounded on the east by Brook avenue from Elizabeth to the city limits; bounded on the south by the city limits; bounded on the west by the center line of Kemp boulevard from the city limits to the Wichita Valley railway, along Wichita Valley railway from Kemp boulevard to Monroe street, along the center line of Monroe street from the Wichita Valley railway to Avenue C," shall vote at the fire station box located at the corner of Avenue H and Giddings street.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 24 and 43 west of Kemp boulevard, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north by the center line of York avenue and center of Santa Fe street from York avenue to Cumberland avenue, along the center line of Cumberland avenue from Santa Fe to Grant streets, along the center line of Avenue M from Grant street to Monroe street; bounded on the east by the center line of Monroe street from Avenue M to Wichita Valley railway, along the Wichita Valley railway from Monroe street to Kemp boulevard, along the center line of Kemp boulevard from Wichita Valley railway to the city limits; bounded on the south by the city limits; bounded on the west by the city limits from Arthur street to York avenue," shall vote at the Sam Houston school box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 23 and 45, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the east by the center line of Monroe street from Avenue G to Avenue M; bounded on the south by the center line of Avenue M from Monroe to Grant streets, along the center line of Cumberland street from Grant to Santa Fe streets, along the center line of Santa Fe street from Cumberland to York avenue, along the center line of York avenue from Santa Fe to the city limits; bounded on the west by the city limit; bounded on the north by the city limits and the center line of Beverly drive from the city limits to Seymour road, along the center line of Seymour road from Beverly drive to Hayes street and the center line of Avenue G from Hayes street to Monroe street," shall vote at the Buchanan street fire station box.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 20, 21 and 22, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area bounded on the north by the city limits; bounded on the east by the center line of Fillmore street from the city limits to Fifth street, along the center line of Fifth street from Fillmore to Taylor streets, along the center line of Taylor street from Fifth to Tenth streets, along the center line of Tenth street from Taylor to Monroe streets, along the center line of Monroe street from Tenth street to Avenue G; bounded on the south by the center line of Avenue G from Monroe to Hayes streets and Seymour road from Hayes street to the center line of Beverly drive; bounded on the west by the center line of Beverly drive and the city limits," shall vote at P. P. Langford garage box in the rear of house No. 1300 Tilden.

All voters living in Wichita county voting precincts No. 13 and 41, which are included within the following boundary: "Being that area of city lying north and east of the Wichita river to the city limits on the north and east," shall vote at house No. 600 North Broadway box.

Section 3.—The election shall be held in accordance with the general election laws of the state of Texas and all qualified voters in said city shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4.—That the form of the ballot to be used in said election shall be, respectively, as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Are you in favor of the city of Wichita Falls owning and operating a plant, system of pipe lines, and properties for distributing natural gas to domestic and industrial consumers, provided the cost of said plant, system and properties is paid out of the revenues derived from the operation of said gas properties and other utilities owned by the city and such cost is in no event to be paid from the proceeds of taxation?

ANSWER: "YES." "NO."

**There are 30,000 persons in London living in cellars or basements.**

# JUNIOR C-C DINNER TONIGHT

## All Tickets Sold for Annual Banquet

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be here from Dallas, Houston, San Angelo, Waco, Oklahoma City and Tulsa, in addition to some 35 towns in this immediate territory.

Among honor guests will be Lee B. Thompson, Oklahoma City attorney, who will represent the United States Junior chamber at the banquet as a vice president of the national organization, and J. Howard Hayden, Dallas, director of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Chief among the business to be transacted at the meeting is the election of directors to fill eight places on the board which will be vacated the night of the banquet. Seven 1931 directors are retiring, although an additional membership will be filled due to a recent rearrangement in the method of filling board vacancies.

The new board of directors will hold its first meeting almost immediately, probably Monday, and will elect various officers of the organization at that time.

**Election of Directors**

Nominations for the eight vacancies are J. Will Gray, Fred M. Greer, Woody Featherston, Dumps Lesley, Ralph Eyer, C. E. Deaton, Frank Wolf, H. B. Dudley, Jim Durnal, Russell Kolp, Carl Smith, J. Paul Montgomery, Don T. Haynes, William B. Swint, Ralph Pond, J. Vernon Leggett, Fay Hooker, William McKemei Jr., Tom Vague, Roy E. Carter, Bob Flechtner, J. W. McVay, Ewell F. Noe and Jack M. Jeffus. Several present board members have been renominated. Further nominations, if any, will be received from the floor at the annual meeting, it was said.

Directorate places to be refilled are those now occupied by Robert K. French, J. Will Gray, Frank Haley, Darrold A. Kahn, Sam B. Spence, Jerry Vinson and Overton Abernathy.

All tickets for the affair have been sold, it was announced Friday, and no tickets will be available for purchase at the Forum building Saturday night. The "sell out" assures a capacity house for the banquet. All available space in the club building has been taken for the placement of seats at the banquet table.

**Program**

The complete banquet program follows:

Invocation—Dr. H. T. Wood.
Dinner.
Music by Gordon Shay orchestra.
Announcements.
Balloting for new directors.
Introduction of Guests—"Distinguished" and otherwise.
Cabaret Capers—The Lone Star Steppers.
Just Fooling Around—With Hub and Web.
The Cabaret Continues—The Lone Star Steppers.
Introduction of Speaker—Walter D. Cline.
"Civic Organizations and Present World Affairs"—Dr. George S. Sexton.
"Bleatings From the Bovine Barracks"—With Don (Hired Man) Haynes in charge.
Announcement of new directors.
Adjournment.

The program of the Lone Star Steppers and individual members of the troupe follows:

The Strut—Lone Star Steppers.
Tap Dance—Audrey Fredericks.
High Kick—Norman Sisters.
Rodeo Rythm, Marian Cade.
Songs—Lois Nixon.
Gypsy Tambourine Dance—Lone Star Steppers.
Russian Dance—Anita Thompson.
Hub and Web.
"The Cabaret Continues—"
Cuban Rhumba—Lone Star Steppers.
Broadway Rythm—Audrey Fredericks.
Hub and Webb.
Soft Shoe Dance—Anita Thompson.
Fiesta—Norman Sisters.
Songs—Lois Nixon.
Do the New York—Lone Star Steppers.

Margaret Stanford will be accompanist throughout.

# HUNT GIVEN PRISON TERM

## Judge Also Assesses Fine And Jail Sentence

Culminating a series of hearings which began on Nov. 16 and which have held predominating interest during the three-weeks' term of federal district court, sentence on two felony convictions was imposed by Judge William H. Atwell upon Kelly Hunt Friday morning.

The defendant was sentenced to two years in the federal penitentiary for perjury, to six months in jail and a fine of $250 for maintaining a common nuisance and for a second offense violation of the national prohibition laws. The court stipulated that the jail and penitentiary terms are to run concurrently. An order from Judge Atwell will provide for the transfer of Hunt to Texas authorities at the expiration of his penitentiary term. He is under a 10-year sentence following his conviction at Archer City last week on a charge of burglary in connection with the robbery of the bank at Dundee last January.

**Wife Fined**

State authorities have agreed to Hunt's serving his term in the federal penitentiary before being imprisoned by the state on the Archer county conviction, according to Judge Atwell's announcement.

Marie Anchor Hunt, jointly indicted with Hunt on the liquor charge, was fined $100 and sentenced to serve 90 days in the Wichita county jail.

Charges against Hunt and his wife resulted from a raid made upon their home near the Seymour road west of this city last July 24, and from purchases of gin and rum said to have been made there by a prohibition "under cover" man on July 24. Possession and sale of gin, rum and whisky were charged as a result of those visits by officers to the Hunt home. Barroom furniture and equipment for serving drinks allegedly found there on July 24 were the basis for the charge of maintaining a common nuisance. Charges that he had paid bribes to two federal prohibition officers, made by Hunt first during padlock proceedings, resulted in the indictment for perjury.

Hunt was tried Thursday on the perjury count and was found guilty by a jury late Thursday night. On Friday morning, the two defendants were placed on trial on the charge of maintaining a nuisance, and on the possession and sale charge.

Ten talesmen were summoned by the court Friday morning for the trial. Hunt pleaded guilty to the charge of possession and sale, and not guilty to the common nuisance count. Marie Anchor Hunt entered a plea of not guilty to all three charges.

**Conspiracy Charge Dropped**

An indictment returned by the grand jury against the two defendants charging conspiracy to violate the national prohibition act, was dismissed by the government on the grounds that no conspiracy can exist between husband and wife.

The verdict of guilty against the two defendants was returned by the jury shortly before noon Friday.

The charge that Hunt's alleged violation of the liquor laws was a second offense referred to his conviction for possession and sale in federal court on March 27, 1928, when he was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail.

A charge of receiving and concealing government evidence and records also was included in the indictments brought against Hunt. That charge remains on the docket, but will be continued to the next term of federal court by virtue of Judge Atwell's dismissal of the jury Friday for the present term. Two brief hearings on civil motions Saturday will close the November term, it was said.

**To safeguard your life, fall in love. That's the advice of Sir Arthur Thompson, famous British biologist.**

# *Wichita Falls Stores and Streets Handsomely Decorated for Holidays*

**Unusual Displays Carry Out Theme of Christmas Spirit; Seasonable Merchandise Crowds Windows**

Wichita Falls merchants Friday were putting finishing touches to attractive Christmas displays at their various shops.

Practically all stores in the city had displays characteristic of the holiday season, either in windows or on the front of buildings. Strings of gaily colored lights and hundreds of small trees lined the streets.

Several unique attractions have been completed and were drawing the interest of the daily increasing crowds of Christmas shoppers that throng business streets.

One store has mounted on the marquee over its entrance several huge Christmas "candles," from four to six feet in length. Incandescent bulbs, 8 or 10 inches in diameter, crown the candles, which are of many colors. Melted "tallow" is shown to have accumulated on the candle base and down the side of the candles, from previous "burnings." Lighted at night, the group of candles make an unusual display.

A second store has a flashing arrangement of stars mounted on the face of its building. Centered by a major star, numerous other stars spread fan-wise over the face of the building. The same store has in a window several cut-out Christmas trees on which are mounted various items of attractive seasonal merchandise.

A large number of shops here are confining their window attractions to simple but beautiful centerpieces of silvered figures. One such store has a silver Christmas wreath for the background in each of its windows. A second shop shows silvered trailing leaf plants standing upright on the show window floor, with Christmas placards tastefully designed forming a background for holiday merchandise.

Practically all shops have one or more small Christmas trees located at various places on or about the buildings or windows.

## *TRAGIC FUN*

### Woman Laughs Herself To Death Watching Film Comedy

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 4. (INS)—Mrs. Mary D. Armstead, 58, laughed herself to death in a Hollywood theater while watching a comedy, according to a report today of physicians who said Mrs. Armstead previously had suffered from high blood pressure.

## Obermeyer to Speak Before Open Forum

Dr. Charles G. Obermeyer, noted psychologist and lecturer, will speak on "America and Europe—a Psychological Study," at the opening program of the current Open Forum season here Dec. 16, according to the announcement Friday of Dr. O. T. Kimbrough, forum director.

Dr. Obermeyer is the only speaker who lectured here last season to be brought to Wichita Falls for a return lecture this year, it was said. Dr. Kimbrough expressed the belief that Dr. Obermeyer was the most generously received speaker of the several who appeared here last season.

His return engagement here, it was predicted, will meet with wide approval. The site of the 1931-32 Open Forum is as yet unselected, Dr. Kimbrough said.

## Wichitans Honored at Masonic Convention

Three Wichita Falls men received important Masonic appointments at the annual session of the grand lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M., which closed Thursday at Waco, it was announced Friday on the return here of the Wichita Falls delegation to the meet.

Walter H. Caldwell, Wichita Falls attorney, was reappointed as a member of the grievances and appeals committee, which is the senior court of the Texas grand lodge. This is the third term that Mr. Caldwell has served on the committee.

J. D. Avis was named to the Masonic education and service committee, and W. E. Brothers was appointed district deputy of this Masonic district.

## Electra Welcomes New Minister

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 4.—Rev. and Mrs. James Wiginton of Bethany, Okla., have arrived in Electra where they have been called by members of the Nazarene church. They were connected with the local church several years ago and have many friends in Electra. Rev. J. W. Hipp, who has been the pastor for the past four years, recently went to Bowie to assume a similar position.

## Crime Investigators Threatened by Hatchet

DETROIT, Dec. 4. (AP)—Detectives from a prosecutor's office, conducting an investigation into crime conditions in the suburb of Wyandotte, were threatened by a man with a hatchet when they entered a house in search of a witness today.

The man was overpowered and was taken to the county infirmary at Eloise. The officers said he appeared to be violently insane.


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