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Good Morning!

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Santa Claus Comes To Lubbock Tomorrow; See His Wonderful Parade!

Crosbyton Youth Finds Father Dying Of Wounds

Hoover-Mellon Program Is Threatening Taxpayers

Demos Eye Plan Distrustfully With Determination To Devise Own Method For Aiding Nation

Administration Program Would Touch Practically All Of American Public With Heavy Increase In Taxes Carded To Begin Next Month; Lower Exemptions Are Asked

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Confronted with a Hoover-Mellon plan for new and heavier taxation, congressional Democrats were determined tonight to devise their own plan for replenishing the treasury.

Members of both parties gave a close and doubting scrutiny to the proposals for fractional advances on small income levies, steeper ones on big incomes and miscellaneous taxes such as those on tobaccos, automobile and radio sales, amusement tickets and telephone and telegraph messages.

Reach Whole Public

The administration program would reach practically the whole public beginning the first of next month. President Hoover and Secretary Mellon agreed it was imperative.

On capitol hill there was little challenge of the need. Next year's federal budget was submitted calling for slightly less than $4,000,000,000. If more money is not obtained, the president warned, the government a year from next June will be $4,442,000,000 behind.

One feature of the plan already certain to be stoutly contested is that which would make the higher scales apply on 1931 incomes. Senator Harrison, a Democratic spokesman on revenue legislation, termed it "unfair."

To Form Proposition

The senate-house policy committee of the Democrats will begin to formulate that party's revenue proposition later this week.

Secretary Mellon estimated 1,700,000 more people would have to pay on their incomes, if the lowered exemptions asked are granted.

He said the law suggested would add $2,230,000,000 to government revenue between January 1 and June, 1934, when the administration wants it terminated.

The essence of the administration program follows:

Program Outlined

Individual net incomes up to $4,000, now taxed one and one-half per cent, would pay two per cent.

Second $4,000 net, now three per cent, jumped to four per cent.

Net incomes above $8,000 now five per cent, advanced to six.

Surtaxes would start at one per cent for more than $10,000 net income, gradually increase to 37 per cent for between $100,000 and $200,000 and reach 40 per cent on incomes of more than $500,000.

Personal exemption levels would drop from $1,500 to $1,000 for single persons and from $3,500 to $2,500 for heads of families. Exemption for each department would be $400.

Corporation income tax would be increased from 12 to 12 1-2 per cent and the $3,000 exemption eliminated.

Miscellaneous Taxes

Miscellaneous tax recommendations:

Increase of one-sixth in present

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Immortal Mary Dies Wednesday

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Mary Hughes, who said she was the immortal Mary of the immortal little lamb that went to school, died at Worthing, England, today.

The London Express said she was 91 years old, but according to her friends she had a heart as young as when the fleecy lamb followed her to school that day.

Her often repeated story of the writing of the famous verses by the wife of Senator Horatio Hale was that a lamb followed her to school when she was eight years old. At that time, she said, Mrs. Hale, then Miss Sarah Buel, and her sister were staying with the Hughes family at Tyisss farm in Vale Llangollen, North Wales.

Miss Buel was so amused at Mary's adventure with the expelled lamb that she promptly embodied the incident in verse.

Former Pastor Facing Charge

Self-Styled Former Methodist Evangelist Is Arrested For Alleged Disposal Of Auto; Walked Out Here

Once again, J. W. Cole, self-styled former evangelist who walked out of Lubbock police headquarters at City hall last July 21, faces charges as a result of alleged disposal of mortgaged property.

Following his arrest here on a charge of disposing of mortgaged property in Potter county, Cole left police headquarters unnoticed after conferring with an attorney. He was arrested at Abilene the following day in the offices of a credit company.

Trades Automobile

Cole now is under a suspended sentence imposed in the Potter county case, it was reported at Abilene. Testimony was presented at an examining trial for the former minister Tuesday at Abilene to show that he had traded a mortgaged automobile. A man holding a $25 mortgage on the car said Cole disposed of it without his consent.

Following the episode here, Cole said he had worked in the Northwest Texas Methodist Episcopal conference but never had been assigned a pastorate.

State Completes Its Case In Sam Day Murder Trial

TEXARKANA, Ark., Dec. 9 (AP) The state completed its case today at the murder trial of Sam Day, 20, accused slayer of Sheriff Walter Harris. Two negro moonshiners concluded state testimony with rescriptions of the liquor still raid on which the Miller county officer was shot to death. The raid occurred last July.

One of the negroes, John Perkins, declared that Day was bare-headed at the time of the raid. The defense previously had exhibited a shot-riddled hat which was assertedly knocked off the defendant's head by a charge from Sheriff Harris' shotgun.

Smiles Replace Frowns As Students Go Back To Class

LARAMIE, Wyo., Dec. 9. (AP)—Smiles replaced frowns today as the student strike at the University of Wyoming was called off after a truce had been reached by faculty members, a student committee and Laramie business men.

Students, including university coeds who said they would not go back to school until Dr. A. G. Crane, university president apologized for statements he made concerning "petting" and drinking, returned to their classes. Dr. Crane did not apologize but withdrew his order expelling all striking students.

National Credit Branch Is Formed At Santone Meeting

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 9. (AP)—The National Credit association number 3 of the eleventh federal reserve district was organized at a meeting here today. Six charter banks subscribing a total of $686,000 to the capital of the new organization.

The association is the San Antonio district branch of the National Credit corporation, proposed by President Hoover, as a means of relieving credit conditions throughout the country and releasing frozen assets of member banks.

Whisky Is Seized By City Officers Wednesday Night

Eleven half gallon jars of whiskey were seized by police and a Mexican placed in city jail as the result of a raid last night in the 900 block on Fourth street.

Liquor law violation charges will be placed against the Mexican today. The whisky was found in a house rented by the Mexican. Officers H. B. Brown and Grady Harris made the arrest.

Woman Escapes Death In Slaying Of Lover's Mate

Once Condemned To Die, Mrs. Julia Maude Lowther Now Faces Life Term In Prison

(By The Associated Press)

WOOSTER, Ohio, Dec. 9.—Once condemned to be the first woman to die in Ohio's electric chair, Mrs. Julia Maude Lowther, confessed slayer of her lover's wife, was sentenced by Common Pleas Judge George A. Starn, today to life imprisonment in Marysville reformatory.

After a brief second trial which concluded yesterday, Judge Starn gave a verdict today that Mrs. Lowther was guilty of first degree murder, with mercy, in the killing of Mrs. Clara Smith, 28, of Ashtabula.

Saved from the previous sentence of death by an appelate court order, granting her the second trial, Mrs. Lowther, 24, a quarter-breed Indian, pleaded guilty Monday to a general charge of homicide and waived trial by jury.

Although Tilby Smith, husband of the slain woman, was electrocuted Nov. 20, for his part in the killing, Judge Starn explained there was a difference between the degree of his crime and that of Mrs. Lowther. The judge said Mrs. Lowther did not know Mrs. Smith, and that her part in the killing therefore was impersonal.

Prosecutor Howard Nazor had contended that Smith and Mrs. Lowther together planned the crime, in order to remove Mrs. Smith as an obstacle to their illicit love.

Conference Of World Powers Now Advocated

Investigation Of All Causes Of World's Economic Ills Is Contemplated; England Is Assuming Lead

(By The Associated Press)

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A great "conference of governments" to investigate all causes of the world's economic ills is contemplated by the British government, Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald told the house of commons today.

Declaring flatly the conference would be held, Mr. MacDonal said the government would like to have it convene immediately after the banking experts now meeting at Basel send in their report.

One of the specific tasks of the gathering of governments, the prime minister said, would be to examine "questions of international debts which lie at the base of our currency problem."

Spirit of Realism

"It is the view of this government," Mr. MacDonald said, "that there should be such a conference and that it should approach its work in a spirit of realism."

The governments should examine all the facts, he continued, and should aim at an agreement "which will not merely tide over these difficulties temporarily but will establish the whole world, now linked together by increasing social, political and economic deterioration, on a footing of hopeful endeavor."

Melton Is Released After Posting $1,000 Bail Here

S. E. (Slick) Melton, indicted Tuesday for violation of the prohibition act, was released on $1,000 bond Wednesday afternoon. Melton, arrested Nov. 4 near Shallowater, had been at liberty under $1,000 bond until his re-arrest yesterday. City and county officers confiscated 18 gallons of whisky in an automobile alleged to have been driven by Melton.

Emily Hawkins, a negro woman, indicted for theft from person, and Martinez Alvarez, a Mexican, for assault to murder, also were arrested Wednesday by the sheriff's department. They had not made new bonds late yesterday.

Tarrant Grand Jury Not To Make Early Report In Case

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (AP).—The Tarrant county grand jury, which today continued its investigation of an alleged Mansfield bank burglary plot, will not make a report to criminal District Judge Hosey until Friday of next week.

Two or three witnesses in the Mansfield case were heard by the jury today. The alleged plot is woven around the filing of robbery with firearms charges and kidnapping charges against Schuyler Marshall, jr., former Dallas county sheriff, Herbert Scales, Roy Thornton, Bud Mace and three suspects named Bob, Mack and Clarence.

Fort Worth Man Is Injured In Plane Crash Near Vernon

VERNON, Dec. 9. (AP) — Henry Woods, Fort Worth, suffered a broken ankle and a broken arm in a plane crash on the Waggoner ranch near here this afternoon. He was flying alone in a plane said to have been owned by A. B. Wharton, jr., of Fort Worth. Persons at the ranch were non-commital regarding details of the accident. The plane was badly damaged.

Demos Launch Brisk Attack On Wednesday

Hoover Legislative Policies Are Torn To Pieces; House Leaders Engage In A Bitter Battle Of Words

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 — House Democrats pulled President Hoover's legislative recommendations to pieces today, told the country what they thought of the fragments and heard themselves accused of sponsoring the dole.

Oratory pent up behind the walls of a nine-months congressional recess was unloosed in a forensic outburst that ranged from soft-spoken pleading to the shouted response of heated debate.

The Democrats started it by calling the president's message up for discussion, while the house awaited completion of committee organizations. Huddleston of Alabama, a Democratic independent, was the first to speak and it was his remarks that brought out the dole charge.

Bankhead of Alabama, a regular Democratic spokesman, came back at his Republican opponents later with a scoring speech in which he claimed the G. O. P. was responsible for the economic slump and said his party would soon have a carefully prepared legislative program to present.

Huddleston assailed President Hoover with charges he had failed to care for the unemployed. He advocated passage of his $100,000,000 relief bill introduced in the last con-

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Mrs. A. W. Evans Injured In Car Accident On Wednesday

Mrs. A. W. Evans suffered a minor head injury, a lacerated nose and severe shock when the coupe which she was driving west on Sixteenth street was struck by a sedan in which three school boys were riding Wednesday afternoon. The accident occurred at the intersection of Avenue T and Sixteenth.

Clifton Caraway was driving the sedan. With him were Billy Barkham and Emmett Burch, police said. The trio was not injured. Mrs. Evans was being treated last night at Lubbock sanitarium, where she was taken in a Rix ambulance. Mr. Evans is head of the education department of Texas Technological college.

MISHAP COSTS THUMB

O. D. Shadden of Abernathy lost the thumb of his right hand and received other injuries when the member was caught in a belt Wednesday afternoon. After treatment at Lubbock sanitarium, Shadden was dismissed. The finger next to his thumb was severely lacerated, the attending physician said.

Powers Weeps At Lurid Tale Of Misfortune

Unhappy Story Of Marriage Is Revealed; Accused Murderer Says He Sought Solace For His Broken Life

Two Men Blamed

Both State And Defense Rest Cases; Powers Names Others As Slayers; Jury Likely To Get Case Today

BY ROBERT ST. JOHN
Associated Press Staff Writer

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 9. (AP) Sitting in the center of a brilliantly lighted stage with eyes of 1,200 spectators upon him, Harry F. Powers today wept as he told of an unhappy married life and blamed two mysterious strangers for the murder he is charged with committing and for which he is on trial.

His marital difficulties extended over four years, he said, and led him to join a matrimonial bureau, to send his picture and impassioned love letters to many women, and finally to call on some of his older sweethearts.

"My troubles had driven me nearly crazy," he sobbed.

Hushed Audience

For a full minute, a hushed audience in the opera house courtroom watched the pudgy man make a futile effort to control himself and continue. Both state and defense rested their cases during the day. The third session of the most bizarre murder trial these hills have ever known, ended with the prosecution seeking to break through the mass of alibis built around Powers by defense witnesses.

It is considered probable the jury would retire late tomorrow to decide whether the small town Casanova should be sent to the gallows for the first of the five killings he is charged with perpetrating in the subterannean death chambers of his

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Americans Are Prize Winners

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler And Jane Addams Named As Nobel Peace Prize Winners; To Divide Money

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The Nobel peace prize for 1931 was awarded today to Jane Addams, Chicago social worker, and Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, the consul-general of Norway announced tonight.

At a meeting of the Nobel institute at Oslo, Norway, today, Prof. Frederik Stang, president of the Nobel committee of the Norwegian parliament, announced each would receive one-half of the prize.

The amount of each prize varies with the income from the fund established under the will of A. B. Nobel. In recent years the amount has been in the neighborhood of $40,000.

Five other Americans have won the peace award—Theodore Roosevelt in 1906; Elihu Root in 1912; Woodrow Wilson in 1919; Ambassador Charles G. Dawes in 1925, and former Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg in 1929.

Dallas Tourist Revived At El Paso; Suffered Of Gas

EL PASO, Dec. 9 (AP).—Miss Mary Malone, Dallas tourist, was revived at a hospital here today after being found unconscious in a gas filled room at a tourist camp. A leaky gas pipe and lack of ventilation was blamed. Her condition was not serious, hospital attendants said.

Santa Claus Nears City For Huge Xmas Pageant

GIFTS OF EVERY KIND — **Polar Telegraph** — FOR GOOD BOYS AND GIRLS

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EN ROUTE TO LUBBOCK
DEAR CHILDREN:
I'll be in Lubbock at 11 o'clock Friday with my Reindeer Dancer, Prancer, Dunner, Blitzen, Hopper and Jumper and a long train of marvelous sights from Santa Claus Land. Eskimos and workers from my big toy shop will be with me too. I hope each and every one of you will be down town and see me and my Santa Claus parade.
Be sure to be on hand to meet me. SANTA CLAUS

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Final Details For Entertainment Of Big Crowds Friday To Be Outlined Today

LINE-OF-MARCH of the mammoth parade of the Santa Claus pageant here Friday will be mapped this morning at 9 o'clock when members of the parade committee meet. The session was called by E. L. Robertson, general chairman.

Co-chairmen of the parade committee are Riley Huie and J. W. Gamel.

Number of floats to be entered in the spectacle was mounting steadily Wednesday. A survey revealed 20 local floats, two out-of-town and 17 brought here by Santa Claus himself. Bands to march are Lubbock High school, Texas Technological college, Oiton and Anton.

Floats Are Listed

The floats include: American Legion auxiliary, city federation of women's clubs, Camp Fire girls, Shakespeare club, Daleath and Lubeta Delphian clubs, Atheaneum club, Sorosis club, Tech agricultural school, Junior 20th Century, Rotary, Lions, Kiwanis, American Business clubs, home demonstration clubs, Four-H clubs, Boy Scouts, American Association of University Women, American Legion, Salvation Army, Oiton and Hurlwood. Other groups include Texas Tech riding class, the Tech guard unit, color guards and division marshals.

Accompanying Santa Claus will be floats representing: America, Queen Isabella, the sacred parrot, peacock, rainbow, Chinese goddess, Japanese jinricksha, Italian, Prince of Love, Star of Faith, funny head features, Mary Christmas, the three wise men, Santa Claus, Holland Dutch family, clowns and Italian family.

To Complete Details

Details of the parade and final arrangements will be made this morning. Other committee members are: Ross Edwards, W. W. Rix, J. A. Hodges, Richard Borders, Dr. O. W. English, C. B. Powell, Fred Litton, Webb Cammack, A. T. Cocanougher, Morgan Dickinson, I. A. Stephens, A. S. Darby, R. D. Prophet, Sam Korensky, Marvin

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Jury Of 12 Farmers Picked To Hear Draper Murder Case

IDABEL, Okla., Dec. 9 (AP)—A jury of 12 farmers was sworn in late today to hear the trial of Charles Draper, burly mountaineer, charged with killing two men and a boy near Ultima Thule last October 18.

Completion of the jury ended three days of monotonous examination of veniremen, more than 150 men being questioned before 12 were accepted. All are from remote mountain homes where details of the triple killings were not brought by newspapers. The youngest juror is 21, the oldest 65.

Jury Fails To Agree Upon Penalty In Trial Of Negro

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (AP).—Reporting a hopeless deadlock on the penalty, the jury in the trial of Carter Rollins, 19, negro, charged with murder, was discharged by Judge Hosey of criminal district court late today.

District Attorney Martin announced the case will be set for a second trial early in January. He said trial this month is impossible due to insufficient time for summoning a venire.

Students Storm Mayor's Office

(By The Associated Press)

SHANGHAI, Dec. 10 (Thursday)—Five thousand students stormed the offices of the mayor in the Chinese portion of Shanghai today and held him prisoner because he refused to release students arrested in demonstration against the government's Manchurian policy.

While the mayor was captive in his barricaded office, the rioting students stormed several Chinese municipal offices, wrecking furniture and destroying records in a drive against city officials, whom the students accused of opposing their efforts to force the Nanking government into a stronger policy toward the Japanese in Manchuria.

Moore County Joins Battle

Support Of Royalty Movement In North Panhandle Sought As Higher Gas Price Fails To Be Forthcoming

(By The Associated Press)

DUMAS, Dec. 9. — Moore county commissioners have written to officials of the Texoma Natural Gas company to state definitely whether the company is a public utility.

"On May 13," the letter states, "we granted your company rights to cross our public highways with gas pipelines, with the understanding that you were a public utility. We are informed now that you claim your company is not a public utility.

Support Campaign

"If our information is correct we do not feel that the right formerly granted should be held by you, and no other such rights will be granted."

The letter, signed by County Judge F. S. Makeig, was written in support of the campaign launched by gas royalty owners of the Panhandle in protest of the two-cent price arbitrarily set by the company for Panhandle gas, the commissioners said.

Jury In Kentucky Case To Resume Deliberation Today

MOUNT STERLING, Ky., Dec. 9. (AP)—After almost four hours deliberation without reaching a verdict, the jury trying William B. Jones, Harlan county mine union leader charged with conspiracy and murder, was ordered late today to cease its efforts until tomorrow.

The case of Jones, first of more than a score of miners and union sympathizers to be tried in connection with Harlan county's labor controversy, went to the jury at 1 o'clock today.

Negro Given Life Term For Slaying Of Man At Paducah

PADUCAH, Dec. 9. (AP)—Arthur Adams, negro, was given life imprisonment by a jury here today for the killing of R. L. Autry, on Nov. 21.

Adams was captured last week in Quanah after he had hidden in the Pease river breaks until he was forced to seek food.

Autry's home was in Aquilla, Tex. He was buried there.

Wife Is Near Death; Tragic End Silenced

T. K. McDaniel, Gin Owner, Is Dead Of Head Wound Believed Inflicted By His Own Hand Late Wednesday

Verdict Rendered

Son Hears Shot And Rushes To Father's Room; Small Rifle Is Used; Mother Not Told Of Husband's Death

(Special to the Avalanche)

CROSBYTON, Dec. 9.—While his wife lay near death in an adjoining room, T. K. McDaniel, about 61, gin owner sent a .22 calibre rifle bullet crashing into his head at his home here this afternoon. He died 40 mnutes later without regaining consciousness.

Mrs. McDaniel, in ill health for several weeks, had not been told late tonight of her husband's death.

Cecil McDaniel was in his room at the home, heard the shot and found his father. County Judge Edgar Hutchins, who conducted an inquest, returned a verdict of suicide. No reason was given for the act.

Was Well Known

Funeral arrangements had not been made late Wednesday.

McDaniel at one time had owned considerable Crosby county property and at the time of his death owned a gin here and some real estate. A resident of Crosbyton since, 1919, he was well-known in this section. One son, Roy McDaniel, is Crosbyton manager of a utilities company.

Mr. McDaniel also is survived by four other sons, Jimmy, employed at his father's gin, Cecil, Joe and "Buddy," 14, and five daughters, three of whom are at home.

Methodists Hold Slaton Gathering

SLATON, Dec. 9. (Special.)—The initial meeting of the Lubbock Methodist district for the new conference year was held here today with Rev. C. A. Bickley, presiding elder, in charge.

Pastor, district stewards and lay leaders gathered at the First Methodist church where the sessions were conducted.

Rev. Mr. Bickley made the opening talk and Rev. J. O. Haymes, pastor of the First Methodist church, Lubbock, and Rev. W. H. Wallace, pastor at Lamesa, spoke on benevolences. O. H. Cline of Lubbock talked on the work of a layman. Lunch was served at the church. Rev. J. W. Watson of Lubbock spoke to the group in the afternoon.

General Jacob Wolters Will Confer With Governor Today

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP).—General Jacob F. Wolters, in command of military forces occupying East Texas under martial law arrived here tonight. He said he would confer with Governor Sterling tomorrow.

General Wolters said he did not know when another military order would be issued reducing the per well allowance in the area. Governor Sterling had issued an order reducing the output from 125 to 110 barrels per well daily 10 days ago, but rescinded it several hours later.

The Weather

West Texas—Increasing cloudiness followed by local rain late Thursday or Friday, slightly cooler Friday.

Abilene Pep Squad And Band Are To Ride "Eagle Special" Here Saturday

SPECIAL train from Abilene for the West Texas district championship game here Saturday between Lubbock and Abilene was assured Wednesday night, messages received here said.

The 40-piece Eagle band and 60 members of the Abilene High school pep squad will accompany the fans.

Ticket sales here continued brisk Wednesday and a record crowd was in sight for the clash. Bowen's Hilton pharmacy, handling reserved seats, had sold 2,188 to last night, the firm reported. Abilene received 1,000 reserved seat tickets and 250 general admission tickets.

Tech field last night reposed under some fifteen to 20 tons of canvas as a special precaution against rain. The covering arrived Wednesday from Dallas by truck. Rain and bad roads delayed the caravan bringing the tarp here from the State Fair association and the canvas was soaking wet when placed on the field.

The covering consists of 11 strips, each ten-yards wide and 165 feet long. When dry each strip weighs 1,850 pounds, or a total of ten tons for the entire canvas. Value is $7,000 and the

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Royalty Body Is Organized

United Effort In Drive To Get Reasonable Royalty Prices For Panhandle Gas Is Being Sought By Owners

AMARILLO, Dec. 9 (AP).—Gas royalty of the Panhandle organized here today "to present united front in a drive to get reasonable royalty prices for gas."

A committee of ten was appointed to conduct an investigation into operations of the pipeline companies, employ legal counsel, and file a test suit, if necessary, to establish a fair price for Panhandle gas.

Approximately 100 attended the meeting, representing Gray, Carson, Hutchinson, Potter, Moore and Wheeler counties. The committee will make a report some time next week.

M. T. Johnson, Hutchinson county landowner, presided.

"Major pipelines have a monopoly in the Panhandle field," Johnson said. "They are attacking the state's ratable taking laws through the federal courts, claiming they are not public utilities. They are confident of winning that royalty checks are figured on arbitrary on a two-cent basis, while oth- fields are receiving from six to cents. We must organize now if are to get a fair price.

The Texhoma company has filed statemnt with the Illinois public mmission saying that six cents is ng paid at the wells, plus 25 per t of the gasoline extracted. ey are paying this to the Prairie and Gas company, and they uld be paying it to us. A sworn tement filed with the state mptroller shows taxes are being d on two and one-half cents at wells."

The committee voted to demand nt cents at the wells, and recmended that no one in the field n a contract for less than that ount. Johnson was named irman of the committee, and lbur C. Hawk, vice-president of West Texas Chamber of Comrce, was named to represent that anization.

ickens Farmers Feed Out Cattle

(By Staff Correspondent)

PUR, Dec. 9. — Bob McAteer, rmer of the Elton community in kens county, is feeding out 86 d of cattle on his home-grown n sorghur crop this winter.

r. McAteer is following the cat- with hogs. He is using a ration cottonseed cake, with chopped dies for roughage and ground at. He has a self feeder for his le and tells Grady Lane, county nt, that so far the results have good.

ul Braddock, of the Afton comity, is feeding out 80 head of e. He plans to use a self feeder. o Speers, a club boy near Dick- has a number of hogs. He got for a self feeder from the y agent and made one.

veral other club boys are using feeders. Claude and Hardy sh, of the Croton community, have two calves they are feedt. They help their father with his livestock program also.

Riley Rogers is another club boy in the Croton community who has a bunch of hogs. He has also built a self feeder.

"Fat Old Man"

Lowell Sherman, prominent stage and screen star, is a "fat old man" and a "ham actor" in the opinion of his wife, Helen Costello, with whom he is shown here, the actor said in filing suit for divorce at Los Angeles. Miss Costello, film actress, sneered at him, called him names, flew into a rage and made life so hectic that their romance lasted only a year and a half, he said.

Civil Appeals Proceedings

AMARILLO, Dec. 9 (AP)—Proceedings in the seventh court of civil appeals.

Motion granted: Laura Lee Lindsey vs. Panhandle Construction Co., et al, for certiorari.

Affirmed: Annie Jones vs. Equitable Building and Loan Assn., from Lubbock.

Affirmed in part and reversed and rendered in part: Concordia Fire Ins. Co. vs. McCarty Motor Co., et al, from Potter.

Reversed and remanded: Zeke Bell vs. R. N. Beckum, from Hall.

Appeal dismissed: W. W. Pollard et al, vs. Bert Chitwood, et al, from Lubbock.

Use Of Gas At Amherst Is Increasing, Reports Show

By Staff Correspondent

AMHERST, Dec. 9. Every months sees a few more gas meters connected up as residents of the town in the center of Lamb county turn from coal to natural gas.

M. L. Payne, city secretary, says that property owners are beginning to pipe their houses for natural gas and to change their heating systems.

Amherst was one of the towns to get gas connections in 1930.

Mexico is to have a new coast-to-coast auto highway.

Criminal Appeals Proceedings

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP).—Proceedings today in the court of criminal appeals:

Affirmed: Ed Archer, Montague; John Reece, Polk; D. W. Davidson, Rusk; N. E. Perkins, Orange; L. B. Lovell, Wise; Willie Dollar, Wichita; C. S. Bartlett, McLennan; G. Moore, Liberty; Taft Spigner, Deaf Smith.

Reformed and affirmed: B. Russell from Trinity.

Appeal dismissed: Boyd Echols from Smith; H. B. Echols, Smith.

Reversed and remanded: T. C. Johnson from Wheeler; Oscar Privett, from Eastland; Sam Louder from Tarrant; Alvis Graves, Lubbock.

Appellant's motion for rehearing granted; reversed and remanded: A. E. Grippon from Jefferson.

Appellant's motion for rehearing overruled: G. H. Grissom from Lubbock; Bob Long, Van Zandt; John R. Cudd from Collin (two cases); Henry J. Brady, Grayson.

Submitted on brief and oral argument: A. B. Davis from Montague; Terance Bishop McGuffey from Collin; Cecil Adaire from Fannin; Oscar Scroggins, Fannin; Bonnie Cass, Taylor; M. J. Jenkins, Taylor; E. A. Click, jr., Taylor.

Submitted on brief for both parties: Elmer Robertson, from Taylor; Sadie Patillo, Jefferson; Alvis Snider, Throckmorton (two cases); Charles Orr, Grayson.

Submitted oon brief for both parties: Olam Maney from Wilbarger; J. T. Ford, jr., Wilbarger.

Submitted on state's brief: M. J. Gunn, Brown; Oran Jackson, Oldham.

Submitted on the record: M. T. Boyd, from Smith; Omes Jackson, Oldham.

Submitted on affidavit to withdraw appeal: Irvin Davis, Harrison; Tony Davis, Harrison.

Submitted on Appellant's motion for rehearing: V. S. Cardwell from Taylor; C. S. Colvin, Lubbock; Tom Harris, Jefferson; Eddie Franklin, Harrison; Bob McPherson, Harrison; C. B. Jones, Midland; Alfred Jones from Gregg; Jack CVolbert from Henderson; Claude Ray from Travis (five cases); L. T. Ray from Falls.

Workers' demands for higher wages in Denmark are meeting with refusal.

King And Il Duce Celebrate Royal Day

The royal ruler of Italy and the real governing power of the nation solemnly walked their beautiful mounts past several miles of Italian troops on dress inspection when the birthday of King Victor Emmanuel III was celebrated in Rome with a huge military display. The King (extreme right) and Premier Mussolini (center) are shown reviewing a line of small tanks drawn up in honor of the sovereign's sixty-second birthday. The ceremony was one of the most colorful held in Italy since pre-war days.

Bonham Physician Is Named Head Of North Texas Group

DALLAS, Dec. 9. (AP)—Dr. John E. Nevill of Bonham was elected president of the North Texas Medical association in semi-annual convention today. He succeeded Dr. A. B. Small of Dallas.

Other officers elected were Dr. J. S. Dimmitt of Sherman, vice-president; Dr. R. S. Usry of Dallas, secretary and treasurer.

Dr. T. J. Crowe, secrtary of the Texas board of medical examiners, said unethical, criminal and immoral practitioners were being driven out of Texas by the annual registration law.

He asked for co-operation in support of the law, saying it had the approval of a majority of the physicians in Texas.

PAROLES GRANTED

AUSTIN, Dec. 9. (AP)—General paroles were issued by Governor R. S. Sterling today to seven inmates of the Texas penitentiary.

They were: Cliff Vaughn, Crosby county, violating prohibition law, two years; Willie Tatum, Grayson county, transporting liquor, one year; Tom Hardison, Childress county, violating prohibition law, one year; Mike Easton, Harris county, transporting liquor, one year; Allison Bell, Rusk county, driving an automobile while intoxicated, two years; Ervin Ellis, Rockwall county, Robertson county, receiving and concealing stolen property, two years.

Furloughs were issued to Jose Galvez, Caldwell county; Rodolfo V. Aripe, Bexas county; Pauly and George Smothers, Travis and Williamson counties; Elmo Reasoner, Brown county; J. A. Pryor, Anderson county.

Amherst Cotton Ginnings Just Below 10,000 Mark

(By Staff Correspondent)

AMHERST, Dec. 9.—Cotton ginnings for the 1931 season are just below the 10,000 mark. They would have passed that figure had not wet weather delayed picking.

Up to the first of the week the total was 9,450 bales. Friday and Saturday of last week were good days for the four gins here and both did a rushing business.

Cotton men predict the season total will reach 12,000 bales. At least one third of the crop is yet to be ginned. Picking will last u pto the middle of February, or later if weather conditions are adverse.

Farmers are now sledding their crop.

CONDUCTOR DIES

BIG SPRING, Dec. 9 (AP)—John D. Taylor, 65, veteran Texas and Pacific railroad conductor, died last night. He had planned to retire from service in a few weeks.

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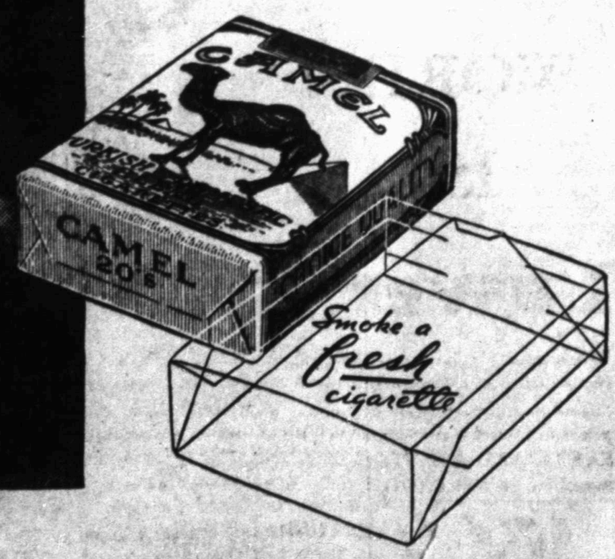

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Asphalt Route Favored Here

Commendatory Resolutions Are Forwarded Commission After Meeting; Faith Is Expressed By Members

Resolutions commending the work of the state highway department on Lubbock county's hardsurfacing project are being forwarded to members of the commission at Austin, following a meeting of a joint-committee representing the county commissioners court and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce highway committee.

The resolution sets out that both groups are satisfied with asphalt construction on state highway No. 7 running from Lubbock through Shallowater to the Hockley county line northwest of the city. The groups also expressed faith in the honesty, integrity and ability of the highway department, and faith that the department will "construct in Lubbock county the kind of roads that will serve the best interest of our citizenship both for the present and in years to come."

Six On Committee

Members of the committee which drew up the resolution are:

E. L. Pitts, chairman; and Joe Bowman, secretary; J. H. Hankins, ex-officio member; J. T. Pinkston, W. R. Blake and Jed A. Rix.

The resolution, in full, reads as follows:

Be it remembered that the Commissioners' court of Lubbock county, Texas, with all members present, met jointly with a quorum of the Highway committee of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce in the office of the local Chamber of Commerce on December 8th, 1931, and among other business transacted, voted unanimously to have a joint committee draft resolutions, which are as follows, to-wit:

Whereas, at an election held in Lubbock county, Texas, on December 17th, 1929, to determine whether or not a majority of the qualified voters desired to bond themselves in the sum of $991,000 for the purpose, as the original petition reads, of "the purchase of district roads and the further construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof throughout such county," and the proposition carried overwhelmingly, and

Whereas, the Commissioners' court, over which the Honorable Robert H. Bean presided as county judge, realizing that the type of road built would ultimately be determined by the State Highway commission, earnestly endeavored, both before and after the bond election, to get the State Highway commission to commit themselves to a concrete type of road for Lubbock county, but the State Highway commission steadfastly refused to commit themselves to any particular type of road for Lubbock county; and

Whereas, the state Highway commission has seen fit, after passing through a long school of experience in highway construction, to deliberately change their policy and type of highway construction in Texas from that of concrete to an asphalt surface on a firm base where material for a base can be found, for the reason that concrete buckles, gets rough and cannot be maintained with any degree of success whereas asphalt can be easily and adequately maintained, and for the further reason that the first cost of asphalt on a solid base is less than half the cost of concrete, and especially is this true in Lubbock county; and

Whereas, several members of this joint body have made an exhaustive investigation of both concrete highways and asphalt type of highways on a firm base, including a caliche base, in many parts of Texas, more particularly in West Texas, to our own satisfaction in the face of facts as we find them; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED that we, by a unanimous vote, on behalf of Lubbock County Commissioners' court and the Highway committee of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, express our most hearty approval of the action of the State Highway commission in changing the type of highway surfacing in Lubbock county from that of concrete, after having built forty-six miles of concrete in this county, to that of triple asphalt on a firm caliche base for the reason that we believe it will be far more economical for our tax payers, more durable and thus more satisfactory; and we further express our appreciation for the speedy and efficient manner in which our road program has been carried out thus far; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express to the State Highway commission and their working staff our complete and absolute faith in their honesty, integrity and ability to construct in Lubbock county the kind of roads that will serve the best interest of our citizenship, both for the present and in years to come; and we hereby pledge to said State commission our continued hearty co-operation in the furtherance of our road program; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to each of the State Highway commissioners, to the Honorable Gib Gilchrist, State Highway engineer, and that a copy be given to each of the local papers for publication.

E. L. PITTS,
Chairman of Joint Committee.
JOE BOWMAN,
Sec. of Joint Committee.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce Highway committee are:

J. H. Hankins, chairman; J. A. Rix, W. R. Blake, Charles H. Read, E. L. Pitts, Joe Bowman, B. Sherrod, Walter W. Royalty, C. A. Sheffield and M. C. Butler.

Members of the County Commissioners court include E. L. Pitts, county judge; J. T. Pinkston, Claude Burrus, W. L. Brashear and L. C. Denton, commissioners.

Bridge Under Water

A high pressure game—that's what this is! If you're skeptical take cognizance of the fact that these bridge players, or maybe it's poker, are under 35 pounds of pressure. For they are spending a few minutes in a decompression lock before emerging into normal atmospheric conditions following their labor in the tubes under the East River, New York. Pressure of air in the tubes is 38 pounds and if the men, working in hour-and-a-half shifts, were to go direct to the surface, they would suffer from the formation of nitrogen bubbles in their blood.

Supreme Court Proceedings

AUSTIN, Dec. 9. (AP) — Supreme court proceedings today:

Judgment of court of civil appeals reversed; that of district court affirmed: Alex M. Ferguson vs. Alvah Ferguson, Haskell; (opinion by special Associated Justice A. E. Amerman, sitting instead of Associate Justice Pierson, disqualified. Chief Justice Cureton dissents and will present his views later.)

Applications for writs of error granted: J. D. Good vs. H. E. Chiles, Hill.

Applications for writs of error refused: David J. Frey et al vs. Texas Indem. Ins., Co., Hutchinson; Keystone Production company vs. George L. Pace, Wichita; A. Baker Duncan vs. Marlin Motor company et al, Falls.

Applications dismissed for want of jurisdiction: J. C. Davis vs. Pearl Davis, Jefferson; H. H. Berryman vs. M. E. Norfleet et vir, Hale.

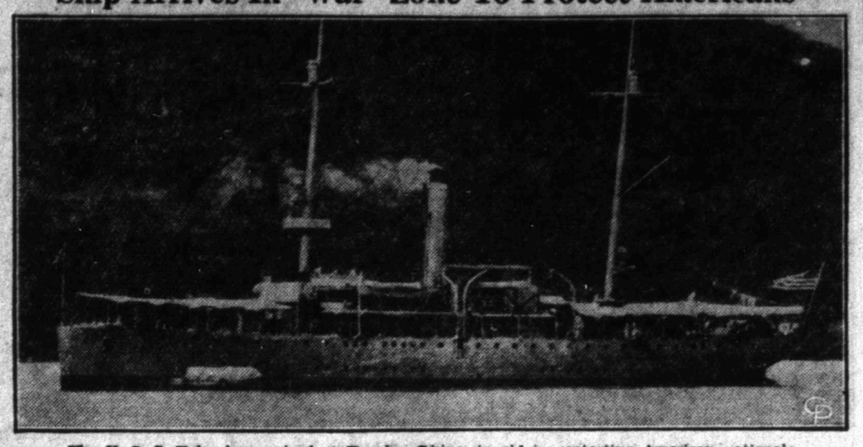
Motions for rehearing of causes overruled: J. A. Cavers et al vs. Sioux Oil and Refining company et al, Wichita; J. A. Cavers et al vs. Sioux Oil and Refining company et al, Wichita; Clarence E. Linz et al vs. Eastland county, Eastland; Continental Oil company vs. City of Wichita Falls et al, Wichita; J. H. Zachry et al vs. City of Uvalde, Uvalde.

Motion for leave to file petition for mandamus overruled: G. A. Holland vs. Robert I. Jackson et al.

Motion to advance submission overruled: City of El Paso et al vs. Rudolph Jackson et al, El Paso.

Motions for leave to file petitions for mandamus granted: Harry A. Dolan vs. J. H. Walker, land commissioner; T. T. Word Supply company, inc. vs. W. G. Russell et al.

Ship Arrives In "War" Zone To Protect Americans



The U. S. S. Tulsa has arrived at Tangku, China, to aid in protecting American nationals.

Skrill Whistles Will Open Drive For Old Clothes Here

Lubbock residents will be reminded Saturday by wide-open whistles of three local plants that Boy Scouts and representatives of the United Welfare association have started a drive for old clothing.

D. T. Jennings, South Plains Area Boy Scout council executive, said Wednesday the Lubbock Cotton Oil mill, the Lubbock laundry and the Lubbock compress had agreed to sound their whistles. Too often, said the scout chief, individuals wait until those collecting bundles arrive and then ask them to return for the donations.

Local people who have old clothes to donate to the association for charity work this winter are urged to place bundles on their front porches.

Sir Arthur Keith, the scientist, has been elected Rector of Aberdeen, University, at Aberdeen, Scotland.

Products from Soviet Russia are being introduced into Australia.

HE'S STOPPING IN LUBBOCK FRIDAY AND THE PASS WORD IS

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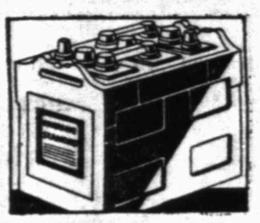

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First Year Girls At Tech Are At Home During Tea Hours Wednesday

The Woman's Angle

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BY BLANCHE E. BEAN
Avalanche Woman's Editor

MY education for another year is being cared for now. We have a new almanac and the bits of wisdom that are being acquired are worth taking the afternoon off for reading. Here are a lot of things I have learned, for instance, that you probably didn't know either:

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On a hot dry day, a fair sized beech tree will use 65 gallons of water. An oak tree will use much more (and, in all probability, the amount that a black locust will use is past calculation.)

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A deck of cards can be distributed into 53,644,737,488,792,839,237,400,000 combinations in contract bridge. (And, the first 1,000,000,000 hands are bum because I have't passed that number yet.)

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Winter comences at 90 degrees longitude at 1:15 a. m. December 22.

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In 1929 the people of the United States spent 50 billion dollars in retail stores and 3 billion dollars for goods sold direct by manufacturers and other producers.

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"Evening red and morning gray,
Two sure signs of one fine day."

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The queen bee usually remains active for 4 years. She can lay more than 3,000 eggs a day at the height of the season.

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In 1932, a total eclipse of the sun will be visible in eastern Canada at nearly sunset on August 31. This eclipse will be visible in most parts of the United States as a partial eclipse at nearly sunset.

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The average person spent more than 100 times as much for cosmetics, toilet preparations and perfumes in 1929 than in 1894.

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Only about one-tenth of what a man positively knows is true. (Which leaves some of us knowing practically nothing.)

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THERE is something else I learned this week and that is that 1932 is a Leap Year and that a lot of us had better make use of the moonlight nights because in another four years another crop of young women will be deciding to make most of opportunity and marching down the aisles.

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ANOTHER REFORM

THIS talk of a new year always suggests reforms and there is another that I want to see put over in 1932, along with pockets for women's clothes. That is a system whereby people will identify themselves when they meet.

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There are a lot of ways in which the system could be installed and some of them could be used to put business back to the old good days. If everyone wore a name-plate, for instance, think of how business would pick up! Just like that for automobiles except that they could be offered in different styles to suit the fancies of the owners. Tin plates for the common herd; silver or gold or even platinum for those who go in for the finer looks of a thing in a big way. Sign makers and printers could offer the public in fancy types for names and that sort of thing.

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And, in addition to helping business out, it would be a big boon for many of us who can never remember what name goes with a face. It is pretty embarrassing never to know your best friends and it gets worse when one meets a face on the street that looks somehow familiar and eventually turns out to be a member of the family who has been sitting across the breakfast table for the last 20 years.

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Something should be done about this thing, anyway, to save half the people all this trouble over knowing people. Perhaps you are one who

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Group Entertains At Annual Fete At Close Of Fall Term

Special Guests Are Present Together With Members Of Class; Theme Of Yuletide Is Featured

One of the delightful occasions of the pre-Yuletide season was the tea given Wednesday afternoon by a group of freshman girls of Texas Technological college. The affair was in the home of Mrs. E. B. Adcock at 2601 19th street and guests called between 3:30 and 5:30 o'clock.

The young women have been taking a course in orientation as a part of their class scheduled and the tea was given as a courtesy to other women students and a few invited guests.

First year students greeted callers at the door, composed the receiving line, were in the house party and presided at the refreshment table.

Misfletoe and red carnations lent an atmosphere of the Christmas season. A winter scene was arranged on the refreshment table with a miniature rock garden a feature of decorations. The table was lighted with green tapers.

Upperclassmen Call

Freshman girls from the orientation class in the school of home economics and several young women students who aided in class work were included in the guest list. These latter were Misses Frances Ford, Jean Shelley Jennings, Hazel Gruver, Frances Wiginton, Estella Welch, Imogene Gordon, Helen Jennings, Lyra Armeling and Camille Stobaugh.

Mrs. Mary W. Doak, Miss Margaret Weeks, Mrs. Dude Buster, Mrs. R. M. Chitwood, Miss Jonnie McCrery, Miss Johnnye Gilkerson, Miss Sylva Wilson, Miss Mabel Erwin and Dr. Lula M. Jenkins were special guests.

Those on the general committee for the tea were Misses Lorene Childers, Martha Alice Penney, Virginia Baker and Melba Gilbert, Miss Marion Dederick and Miss Helen Stephenson were members of the invitation committee; Miss Ernestine Herndon had charge of the decorating and Misses Rebecca Goodloe and Julia Davis were on the refreshment committee.

About 250 women called during the afternoon.

is able to remember everyone you meet. Life must be a pleasant sort of thing. But there are a lot of us who never can remember people for more than a half-hour at a time and whose years are ruined by inability to know whether this man on the left is an old beaux or a total stranger who has features resembling someone who has been met before. Speaking to every one one meets does not solve the problem because occasionally it becomes necessary to make an introduction.

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Things would be a lot simpler if we adopted a system of stepping up to everyone we met with "I'm Miss Blank." What if he is your best friend. Perhaps he is of the tribe that can't remember either and in that way the friendship will continue.

OES Officers Are Guests For Party

Officers of the local chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bell, 1911 Avenue K. Tuesday evening. Games of forty-two were played. Hostesses were Miss Ruth Bell and Mrs. Ray Allen.

During the evening, the officers planned for an annual homecoming next Tuesday.

Those who were present were Mesdames Willie D. Watson, W. N. Nabors, A. G. Odom, Ernest Nelson, Russell Hardin, A. T. Cocanougher, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Montgomery and Tom Garrard.

Collegians Enjoy Supper And Party

Meeting for the final time before "dead week", members of Los Camaradas club of Texas Technological college attended a buffet supper at Hotel Lubbock Tuesday evening. Later the group went to a theatre.

Members present were Joe Harter, Clarence Bobo, B. E. Snyder, James Dominy, Jason Gordon, Bill Stubbs, Billy and Lyle Holmes, Marshall Formby, Earl Hobbs and Arnold Schofield.

Guests were Edgar Close, Wallace Simpson, Curtis Williams, Ben Baldwin, Earl Dodd, Claude Barker, Walter S. Pendleton O. Forbess and C. E. Russell. Mr. Russell is the sponsor.

Postpone Annual Reception Sponsored By Local A.A.U.W.

An annual reception planned for Saturday afternoon by members of the American Association of University Women for other college women in the city has been postponed until some time in January. This announcement was made following a meeting of the A. A. U. W. executive board with Miss Jonnie McCrery, president. The reception was postponed because of a conflict with the Lubbock-Abilene high school football game.

Today's Events

A bridge tournament, to be held in the afternoon in the F. R. Friend home, 2005 Broadway, will benefit the Camp Fire funds. Auction and contract bridge will be played, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mesdames E. L. Klett, F. R. Friend, George Field and Hub Jones.

The Spanish club at Texas Technological college is having a party at 7:30 o'clock in the evening at 2420 9th street.

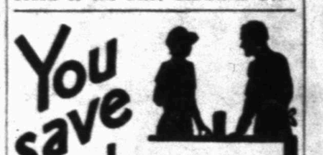
Miss Margaret Weeks is to talk on "Nutritious Diet for Children" at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon when the K. Carter Parent-Teacher association meets at the school. A children's program will be given by Miss Mabel Duke's room. There will be special music.

Members of the Maggie and Jiggs club are meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trice, 1921 16th street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Thomas will entertain for the Coo Coo club at 8 o'clock this evening in their home at 2009 26th street.

Members of the First Baptist W. M. S. will meet at the church at 3 o'clock for a week of prayer program on foreign missions.

Mrs. R. A. Mills, 2627 22nd street, is entertaining with a one o'clock luncheon today in her home. Guests will be members of the executive board of the First Christian General Aid society and members of the official board of that church.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Evening Party Benefits Poor

Second In Series Of Parties Is Given Tuesday Evening By Auxiliary To NALC For Needy In City

The second in a series of benefit parties scheduled for the week was given Tuesday evening in the Hodges building, 807 Broadway, by members of the auxiliary to the National Letter Carriers association. More than 100 people were in attendance.

Proceeds from the affair were $22.50, a part of which will go the Salvation army with the remainder staying in the auxiliary treasurer.

A musical program was given by the letter carrier's auxiliary as follows: Guitar solo, Howard Kidwell; reading, Mary Alice Scott; piano solo, Frances Claye; vocal solo, Doris Slover; reading, Mrs. E. D. Parris; accordion solo, Mrs. H. W. Wylie; reading, Catherine Royalty; piano duet, Estaline and Ernestine Herring; tap solo, Christine White.

Weymouth, England, has a new life-boat which will hold 100 people.

Golf Match

Here's the climax of a romance that began on the golf links. Johnny Farrell, former open champion, and the former Miss Theresa Hush of Old Greenwich, Conn., are pictured above after their wedding in Bronxville, N. Y.

Mrs. Elmo Caudle of Hale Center and Mrs. Ray Agnew and daughter, Edith Ray, of Rising Star, are visiting friends and relatives here this week. Mrs. Agnew is a guest in the home of Mrs. J. A. Phillips, 1905 Broadway. She will be remembered as the former Miss Alta Burrus of this city.

Club Members Attend Affair

Mrs. Harry Blocker Gives An Annual Christmas Fete In Her Home And Exchange Of Gifts Is Made

Mrs. Harry Blocker was charming hostess to the Lindy Needle club in her home Wednesday afternoon when the anuual Christmas party was enjoyed. Gifts were exchanged among the members and guests.

During the afternoon the women dressed dolls, which will hang on the Christmas tree at the Sanders Union Sunday School.

Members present were Mesdames N. L. Peters, W. L. Bradshaw, H. L. Allen, Homer Pharr, W. L. Stangel, H. D. Woods, W. G. McMillan, R. L. Stephenson, Allen T. Stewart, Vaughn Wilson and D. D. Cross.

Guests were Meedames Don L. Jones, D. T. Jennings and G. W. Stevens.

A collision with a cow on a dark night near Inverness, Scotland, recently caused the death of William Frazer, a motorcyclist.

Alabama farmers this year shipped 1,228 cars of truck crops from the state under federal and state certificates.

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December 9th and 10th
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Mrs. C. J. Branch Is Hostess To Needle Society In Her Home; Number Of Children Are Guests

An annual all-day meeting of the Loyal Sisters Needle society was held Wednesday when members met in the home of Mrs. C. J. Branch, 1220 18th street.

Members in attendance were Mesdames J. A. Hodges, Mike Fry, D. A. Davis, M. B. Cross, Fred A. Owens, R. E. Swain, V. H. Venable, C. A. Paulger, J. G. Oslin, Ralph Moore, W. G. Lofland, John R. Hall, and E. F. Huff.

Guests included Mesdames J. W. Branch, R. B. Lafan and Louise Dollahite and the following children: Lessie BeRue Owens, Irene Hallmark, Rena Mae Adams and Renelle Lafan.

P-T A Here Is To Sponsor Pie Sale

The Parent-Teacher association of the Sanders Ward school is sponsoring a benefit pie supper on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the school. Proceeds will go into the treasury of the organization to carry out the child welfare program.

Plans for this supper were made Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the P. T. A. Carols were sung by children in rooms of Miss Alberta Rowley and Mrs. D. Jarrett. Mrs. C. E. Corbin talked on "The Mental and Moral Training of Children."

Ting Ta Ta Camp Fire Unit Elects Officers Wednesday

Reorganization of the Ting Ta Ta Camp Fire group was accomplished Wednesday afternoon when girls met at the home of the guardian, Mrs. Thomas J. Foster, 1708 10th street. The unit has been disbanded since the summer months.

Evelyn Bull was elected president; Eileen Upton, vice-president; Avey Leach, secretary and Ardelle Ragland, reporter.

Others present at the meeting were Nancy Hardgrave, Montrue Ragland and Vera Stanton.

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Evening Club Has Party On Tuesday

Vestel Lott and Mrs. J. D. Shaw scored high in bridge games at a party gven by Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Traylor, 1621 10th street, for an evening bridge club Tuesday night.

Those who attended were Messrs. and Mesdames E. Paul Carter, C. W. Ratliff, Lott, Shaw, Allan Moses, Neil Vanzant, Misses Wayne Atcheson, Margaret Turner, Sallye and Blanche Bean, Mrs. Lucile Smith, Roy Hall and Wayne Henley.

Superintendent Of Schools At Idalou, Miss T. Hall Wed

IDALOU, Dec. 9. (Special.) —Announcement has been made of the marriage of Superintendent A. C. Davis and Miss Thelma Hall, instructor in home economics at the Clauene school, which took place in Carlsbad, N. M., Thanksgiving Day. After a short tour of points of interest in that state, they returned home Sunday and reported for duty on Monday.

The bride's home is in Idalou.

Annual Christmas Fete Is For Club

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Tubbs, 2410 20th street, was the scene of a Christmas party given Tuesday evening by members of the 1916 Needle club for ther husbands. Games of forty-two were the diversion.

Those who were present were Mesdames Willie D. Watson, W. N. Nabors, A. G. Odom, Ernest Nelson, A. T. Cocanougher, Russell Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Montgomery, Tom Garrard.

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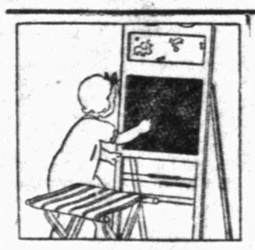

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Abilene Eagles Intend To Retain Edge Over Panhandle

Burleigh Grimes Goes To Cubs For Hack Wilson, Southpaw Teachout

Westerners In Defense Drill At Fair Field

Watson And Welch Still Missing From Workout; Team In Slightly More Spirited Work Yesterday Afternoon

What ails the Westerners? Injuries? A let down? Overconfidence? Lack of ambition? Too much work? Fear? Cold weather?

So far as their agent has been able to discover, the Westerners, on the verge of a West Texas football championship, are suffering from two of the above causes and possibly another one or two. Injuries have taken a lot of spunk and spirit and two first class players from the ranks this week. The club is in the throes of a natural let down following a strenuous district and bi-district campaign.

No Cockiness Let

The first sign of cockiness or overconfidence has yet to show itself this week. But then there have been only two workouts. No telling what the remainder of the week may bring. Coaches Chapman and Huffman are fighting the demon and hoping it be known that the Westerners certainly have nothing about which to be cocky unless it is their fast, clean uniforms.

The Westerners meet the Abilene high school Eagles on the Texas high field Saturday afternoon in the high school classic of all West Texas, the winner to meet a north Central Texas team in the state semi-finals. The teams of Abilene and Lubbock high schools have never met on a football field. There is nothing of rivalry between the clubs except that which arises at this particular time. Neither team can rely on historical events for inspiration.

Coaches Have Rivalry

But maybe, for a change, the boys will fight for their coaches, as their coaches say and seek for for their respective mentors. All this year and for the four previous years Coaches Weldon Chapman of Lubbock and Dewey Mayhew of Abilene have crossed cleats in the Oil Belt district, the former as head man of athletics at Lubbock High and the latter in his present situation. It will make the annual meeting of these men. Chapman must win the next two games to even the score. He trails, 2 to 1, behind Mayhew at present. Ed Watson, regular end, and Welch, sensational little guard, were still on the outside of things yesterday. Watson reported for practice but was unable to do much. Welch did not come to the field. He is being treated by a physician this week and has been ordered to lay off as much work as possible. Watson is troubled with a badly sprained ankle which may keep him out of the lineup Saturday.

Abbott And Brown Play

Homer Abbott, versatile guard and tackle, was at a guard position yesterday and Gene Brown, lanky lad, was wearing Watson's jersey at left tackle. Both of these lads played the game of Saturday's game against Abilene and turned in nice cards. There is reason to believe they will be used quite extensively against the Eagles.

Bert Williams, right tackle, is hobbling about yesterday with a charley horse. A charley horse, it seems, is a kind of sore place where a muscle becomes contracted and is obstinate about becoming relaxed. There are several in the squad of the Westerners. Welch, in addition to being bothered with them, Louis Williams, the defensive hero tackle against Amarillo in the last game of the season, is not in the pink of condition, however he was able to do his stuff yesterday and is sure to see service Saturday. Dalton Hooper rested last Saturday and is ready at right end as fit as the proverbial fiddle, if his actions mean anything. Melvin Griggs will be in readiness to play at the other guard and Captain Bob Crawford appears to be in fine fettle. It is well.

Backfield All Set

The Westerners backfield appears to be in fair condition. Britton, Mercoggin and Barnett are all right or they looked that way yesterday in a workout that was somewhat an improvement over Monday's. Particularly pleasing is the work of Gene Barnett, plunging fullback, spinner and passer. He has been in good condition for the last four games but seems to be fully recovered.

The team put in a good day yesterday stopping after a period of signal practice for setting up exercises after which they drew up on defense against the first line of reserves. With Bill Davidson, Charley Crawford, Joe Nelson and J. D. Hooper in the opposing backfield to which Abilene plays from their own short punt formations, the Eagles had about all they could do to stop the on rush and the aerial attack.

It will be another good workout today and a tapering off tomorrow. Rated as the underdogs by most dope statistics, the Westerners undoubtedly will have their hands full Saturday with Abilene's Elphanis.

NAVY-NAVY BROADCAST

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 9. (AP)—The Army-Navy football game here today will be broadcast over a nation-wide networks of the Columbia and National broadcasting chains, Major P. B. Bernay graduate manager announced today. More than 150 radio stations will participate.

"Fire Our Coach? Well, How About Canning Your Debate Coach," Says O. U. Athletes

NORMAN, Okla., Dec. 9. (AP)—With a petition asking removal of Walter Emery, debate coach, and Josh Lee, head of the public speaking department, University of Oklahoma football players today parried the agitation for a shakeup in the athletic department.

The petition, worded similarly to one in circulation which seeks to oust Bennie Owen, athletic director and Ad Lindsey, football coach, points out that the debate team "has not made any money this year" and "allowed an obscure team from Turkey to tie them in a debate Monday night."

President W. B. Bizzell took occasion to emphasize that members of the athletic staff "are employed on a full-time basis, and the terms of their employment are not contingent on their success in turning out championship teams."

Slaton To Hold Girls' Tourney

SLATON, Dec. 9. (Special)—Only seven teams will participate in the Slaton girls' basketball tournament which begins at the Slaton gymnasium Friday night of this week, it was reported today. Bad weather conditions is thought to have prevented the registration of a larger number.

But the tournament will go on, regardless of the number of entries, and play will start at 7 o'clock Friday night. Three contests will be played. Second round games will begin Saturday afternoon and the finals and consolations will be played Saturday night.

In the drawing for games, Hale Center drew Slaton, Anton was matched with Brownfield and Shallowater drew Southland. Ropes, the other entry, drew a bye and will meet the winner of the Hale Center-Slaton game in the second round Saturday.

Texas Relays For 1932 Eliminated

AUSTIN, Dec. 9. (AP)—The athletic council of the University of Texas voted today to eliminate the Texas Relays, usually held in the spring, next year.

It was decided not to hold the relays on account of the Olympics on the Pacific Coast. It was understood, however, that only 1932 would be skipped.

A memorial to those who lost their lives in the R 101 disaster is to be erected at Bedford, England.

A toy typewriter which really writes has appeared in Germany.

Rents in Columbia are soaring to new high levels.

Elephants May Revise Lineup For Game Here

But At That They'll Be Ready To Give Westerners Battle For West Texas Supremacy; Quarterback Will Be Ready

(Special To The Avalanche)

ABILENE, Dec. 9.—Ground and atmospheric conditions were again unfavorable to outdoor workouts yesterday by the Abilene High School football team, and inside the school's gymnasium the coaches started mapping out plans for a new lineup to face the Lubbock Westerners out at Texas Tech's plaza de toros Saturday.

A new lineup is in demand because Sad Sam Jones was over exercised against Cisco and against Sweetwater, and because various other members of the club have had their usefulness curtailed. The answer to this problem may be the installation of Lennon Blackmon at fullback, and of Layton Airey at right half, and another change or two.

Blackmon for two years has busted the tackles, and whirled his hips into the ends. There exists the suspicion, however, that he can transport the mail about as capably as any man on the ball club. He is certain of several chances this week. Mighty Pool, whose broken finger has healed again, and Frank Cogdell are other possibilities to start in the backfield.

The General Improves

Quarterback Wyatt's neck is responding nicely to treatment, and it begins to look as if he will be there directing the attack again. There's likelihood yet of Fats Allen getting to make a start at end.

From one tackle to the opposite end the Eagle line is all ship shape, and that counts a lot, or has so far. There is the warning, however, that the Elephant brigade will bump the stiffest forward opposition yet encountered. What happens when that Abilene line really meets its equal is something to create wonder among the natives.

Down in this country Stanley Smith is considered the state's best high school center. Up on the plains Bob Crawford, captain of the Westerners, is rated the best center in the state. The argument may and may not be settled by that struggle. It seems almost a certainty, however, that the two best snapperbacks of the league will be meeting, and that it's going to be one of those fur-flying scraps.

Welch Best Guard

Coach Chapman has a star guard in Cotton Welch. He has an aggressive but little wingman in Dalton Blagg, and maybe he has some more front line stars whose fame has not spread to this point.

In the backfield there are Gene Barnett, Mack Scoggin, and Cecil Merrill, the offensive aces. Barnett did not get to play against Quanah, he being injured and there being no necessity for aggravating the wound. It is supposed that Gene is booked for duty against the Eagles. Barnett incidentally, had hoped that the game would be played in Abilene, so he could spend the week-end at home, down at Melvin.

Coach Dewey Mayhew announced yesterday the Eagles will move out Friday morning by bus, taking the train from Sweetwater, and arriving at Lubbock Friday afternoon at 4:10, in time for a workout. The squad will be quartered at the Hilton hotel. The entire first squad which will probably number 27 athletes, will make the trip.

Train Plans Pending

Plans for a special train from Abilene were still incomplete. A committee composed of D. G. Barrow, L. E. Dudley and Dr. Hugh B. Tandy is in charge. Railway officials have announced the special will not be run unless a passenger list of 200 can be secured.

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They've juggled the districts around quite a lot since 1920, but not enough to keep the sections now numbered 1 and 3 from meeting almost every year in championship competition. The only skips occurred in 1921 and in 1926, leaving a grand total of eight encounters.

Until last year the laugh had always been on the same side of the mouth. Then it was transferred as the Breckenridge Buckaroos went to Amarillo and before a whole park full of fans dropped a decision of 13 to 0. That makes it necessary for the Abilene club to take the game seriously. The time was that the Oil Belt champions just took the district 1 clash for granted and started practicing for the semi-finals.

Best One In 1928

Last time an Eagle eleven met up with the region now represented by Lubbock was in 1928. There was the best game on the records between these districts—Abilene leading 26 to 7 right down to the wire, and then the Messrs. Kenneth Travis and Robert Walker, who now do their stuff for S. M. U., whipping over a lot of passes to leave the final 26 to 21. Don't get the wrong impression. The Elephants were not nearly whipper, and were thundering toward the opposition's goal just before it all ended.

Just to relieve the suspension here are all the scores:

1920—Abilene 52, Amarillo 7.
1922—Abilene 33, Amarillo 0.
1923—Abilene 48, Amarillo 0.
1925—Cisco 76, Amarillo 0.
1927—Abilene 46, Amarillo 6.
1928—Abilene 26, Amarillo 21.
1929—Breckenridge 13, Amarillo 0.
1930—Breckenridge 0, Amarillo 13.
Total—Oil Belt 304, District 1 47.

Wholesale commodity prices in Germany are almost back to those of 1913.

Chile has appropriated extra funds for road, rail and irrigation projects.

Denton Teachers Beat Daniel Baker 32 To 13 For T.I.A.A. Championship

DENTON, Dec. 9. (AP)—The Denton Teachers college won the 1931 Texas Intercollegiate Athletic association football championship here today by defeating Daniel Baker college, 32 to 13, in a post season game.

An unexpectedly strong offensive by the Eagles took the visitors by surprise. Wright of Denton was outstanding as he scored 18 points. His long runs featured.

Tied 13-13 at the half, the Eagles came back strong after the intermission. They made 20 points while holding the Hill Billies scoreless.

Walker scored early for the Eagles after the game began and kicked point. Penalties and passes gave Daniel Baker its first chance to score, and after the ball went to Denton's one-yard line, Weaver went over right guard to score while Linkenhauger kicked for point.

Walker repeated for the Eagles, after a pass and line plays carried the ball to Daniel Baker's one-yard line. He scored over center. The count was tied when Blades crossed the Eagles' line to a pass, Weaver to Blades. Wright scored the Eagles' three touchdowns in the second half. Point was kicked twice.

Wright and Walker were offensive stars for Denton, while Smith and Adkins stood out on defense. Blades, Linkenhauger and Prescott were Daniel Baker's defense bulwarks while Smith, Weaver and Snodgrass led the offensive work.

Wolfforth Cage Tourney Planned

WOLFFORTH, Dec. 9. (Special)—The second annual Wolfforth semi-pro basketball tournament for South Plains teams will begin December 14 and continue through five or six days. Approximately sixteen teams are expected to enter.

Fred Rich, promoter of the tournament, won last year by a Lubbock team, announced yesterday that four cash prizes will be awarded the winners. A total of $64 in prizes will be given the four top teams.

By process of elimination, the teams will be matched for first round games, winners to play winners and losers to play losers thereafter until all but one team has been eliminated by two defeats, Rich stated.

Spalding officials will referee the games, the promoter said, thus assuring fans and players of real uptown officiating. The officials are registered men.

Due to the limited seating capacity and the size of the court, only a certain number of tickets will be sold for each evening's program. Four hundred and fifty tickets will be on sale daily and no more than that number will be permitted inside the gymnasium, Rich said. There was so much congestion and crowded conditions last year that a limit had to be placed on the attendance.

All games will be played at night, there being five full games scheduled each evening. The program will begin nightly at 7 o'clock.

Fox And Wolf Hunters Enjoy Another Day Of Big Chasing

CAMP REYNOLDS, POLK COUNTY, Tex., Dec. 9. (AP)—Jesse Carter of Fort Worth was re-elected president of the Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters' association, whose 39th annual meeting is under way here.

J. W. Elliott of Mexia was re-elected secretary and Carey Cochran of Livingston was named to succeed Dr. John R. Lister of Houston as vice-president.

Today was another fine day for hunting. Judges believed the hounds would equal their performances of yesterday when two foxes were caught, three treed and three circled until the dogs were called off.

Two Walker hounds, owned by Mack Maxwell of Houston, were among high point scorers in the all-age stakes of yesterday. They ran until 9 o'clock last night in a great race with a red fox.

New South Wales has passed a law to reduce rents.

Horton Smith In Lead At Amateur And Pro Tourney

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Blazing a brilliant trail over the long and tricky Lake Merced course today, Horton Smith posted a 68, four under par, to set the pace in the first eighteen of the 36-hole qualifying test for San Francisco's second annual $7,500 national open match play golf championship.

A stroke behind the leader came Gene Sarazen, Great Neck, L. I. Sarazen was out in 35 and home in 34.

Two others cracked par in the opening round. They were Frank Walsh, Chicago, with 70 and Al Espinosa, Akron, O., with 71.

Sioux City High School Grid Player Succumbs To Injuries

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Dec. 9. (AP)—Jack Gorchow, 14, North junior high school pupil, who was injured several weeks ago while playing football, died yesterday.

The boy was injured when he ran against a parked lumber truck while chasing a football.

Chicago Nationals Tickled To Remove Pitching Nemesis, But Hack Receives A Cool Welcome

Cards Already Offering Hack As Bait; Other Big Deals Made In Annual Parley; To Continue Sacrifice Rule

By PAUL MICKELSON
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP).—Chicago's Cubs solved two of their most perplexing baseball riddles today by trading Hack Wilson and Pitcher Arthur "Bud" Teachout to the world's championship St. Louis Cardinals for their notorious pitching nemesis, Burleigh Grimes.

Burleigh Grimes

The deal, a straight trade with no cash involved, turned the big major league player mart into a lively one as the Cardinals immediately offered Wilson to either the Brooklyn Robins or the Cincinnati Reds.

In trading their dethroned home run champion, the Cub chiefs satisfied Owner William Wrigley, jr.'s ultimatum that Wilson must go; in obtaining Grimes, they obtained the one pitcher who has ruined more baseball games for them than probably any two pitchers in the National League.

Hornsby Is Pleased

"Why it would be a great deal for us even if we just locked Grimes up so he couldn't pitch against us," said Manager Roger Hornsby, who recounted Grimes' pitching success against the Cubs. "But I think he is just the man we need to bolster our pitching staff into one of the best in the major leagues. He has several good years yet and will win a lot of games for the Cubs."

As far as the Cardinals were concerned, Wilson will never play a game for the Red Birds but will be used as bait for a deal with either Brooklyn or Cincinnati. The Cardinals admitted they were willing to trade Wilson and either Outfielder George Watkins or Outfieder Ernest Orsatti to the Reds for Outfielder Este Crabtree or to Brooklyn for Johnny Frederick.

The Cardinals were certain they would keep Teachout, however, as they regard the 27-year old southpaw as one of the best pitching prospects in the majors.

When Grimes dons the Cub regimentals next spring, he will have seen service on six National and one American League clubs.

His first major league service was with the Detroit Tigers in 1913 after which he pitched for Pittsburgh, Brooklyn, New York's Giants, the Boston Braves and the Cardinals. His longest residence on one club was at Brooklyn where he starred from 1918 to 1926. He is 39 years old and one of the four remaining "spit ball" hurlers.

Hack Wilson

Several deals still were on the fire tonight as the club owners of both leagues continued their business sessions. Cincinnati attempted a big deal by offering Jersey Joe Stripp, and Pitcher Larry Benton to Brooklyn for Frederick, Dazzy Vance, Catcher Ernest Lombardi and Outfielder Ike Boone; Detroit attempted to gain Joe Judge from Washington for a catcher or a pitcher, while several clubs were dickering for Outfielder Ralph Kress of the St. Louis Browns. The New York Yankees admitted they were ready to peddle Tony Lazzeri and John McGraw of the Giants was looking for at least one good pitcher.

The Boston Braves completed a big deal with the minors group by buying third baseman Fritz Knothe from Seattle of the Pacific Coast League for cash and players to be named later.

There will be no chance in the Sacrifice fly rule or any reductions in the umpiring staffs of the majors next year, it was learned from an authoritative source. President John Heydler of the National League also announced his circuit would continue with the 1931 baseball as all clubs were satisfied with the sphere.

The two leagues will hold their annual joint session tomorrow.

HACK IS PLEASED

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 9. (AP)—Hack Wilson, traded today to the St. Louis Cardinals by the Chicago Cubs, said "that's great" when informed of the deal at his home.

"Why shouldn't I be tickled? The treatment I received in Chicago was terrible, especially from the club officials.

Wilson said he has been trying to get in shape for a "big season" in 1932.

Britian's cost-of-living figure is 45 per cent above that of 1914.

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Midwest Students Cry Against "Big Business" Of Grid

Big Six Title School Fusses With Football

Student Newspaper Says Game Is Nothing But Advertising For School; Agitation Felt Over Country

BY CHARLES A. GRUMICH

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9. (AP)—Rebellion against the big business and showmanship trend in football has flared up among college students of the midwest.

Added to the perennial scalp hunting for coaches of losing teams, the agitation at this season's close strikes at both winners and losers and is directed at management of the sport in general.

At the University of Nebraska, where the 1931 Big Six title resides, the student newspaper Daily Nebraskan declares editorially "the football team has become nothing except an advertising agency for the university." The editorial pleads for reform of inter-collegiate athletics, principally football.

Budgets Are Cut

Concern over student apathy toward spectatorship and preference for sports in which they may compete themselves was manifest at the big six conference annual meeting here this week, at which, significantly, athletic budgets were cut to the bone to meet an average reduction of 20 per cent in football gate receipts last season.

Searching for reasons other than the economic conditions for the reduced revenues, the directors almost unanimously agreed student interest had waned and that the "hysteria" of the prosperity decade in athletics was passing.

Nebraska struck a cross section by selling football tickets to students at cut rates in a certain section. Athletic directors Herb D. Gish said at least half the occupants of the section were "old graybeards" to whom students obviously had sold their tickets.

Campus newspapers, petitions, counter petitions and hand-bills figure as ammunition and the Wisconsin State senate has voted to investigate the scale upon which athletics disbursements were made at the Badger institution.

Columbia And Cornell Take Honors In 4-Cornered Grid Tourney For Charity

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (AP)—In a pouring down rain that turned the gridiron into a quagmire and all but washed out charity's benefits, four of the east's football old guard battled for an hour in the mud today, with Columbia and Cornell gaining the honors.

Because of the weather and playing conditions that were the worst of the eastern season, the round-robin program originally planned was cut to a double header, with each game consisting of two 15 minute periods.

Columbia furnished the only scoring thrills of the affair by skidding to victory over Princeton, 13 to 0, in the first game, opened by a sensational 80-yard run back of the kick off for a touchdown by Manjel Rivero.

Cornell and Pennsylvania, renewing their Thanksgiving Day duel, waged a scoreless mud battle, but Cornell was declared the winner by the judges under an official point scoring system adopted for these charity contests. The points were 279 to 206 in favor of Cornell, which had beaten Penn by a touchdown in their regular season game.

No official figures were announced but Reynolds Benson, Columbia's graduate manager, estimated 8,000 spectators attended. The receipts, for the benefit of the unemployed, were estimated at $15,000.

Mustangs Vote Not To Play Post Season Football Game

DALLAS, Dec. 9. (AP)—Members of the Southern Methodist University football team, 1931 Southwest Conference champions, have voted not to participate in any post-season game this year. Coach Ray Morrison, who returned with the Mustangs today from San Francisco where his team lost a 7 to 2 game Saturday to St. Mary's, made the no post-season game announcement at noon today.

All margarine plants in the Netherlands are operating at capacity.

Charlie Malone Honored As Most Valuable Aggie Gridder

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 9. (AP)—Charlie Malone, all-Southwest Conference end, has been awarded a trophy honoring him as the most valuable player on the Texas A. & M. college football team this season. Malone came to the Aggies from Dallas.

Walter Davis, star half back from Fort Worth, was given a trophy in consideration of his selection as the best blocker on the Aggie team.

A committee of coaches and donors of the awards selected Malone and Davis for the distinctions.

Rumania has prohibited the importation of all goods of Russian origin.

Electric-current production in the Netherlands is greater than a year ago.

Mushrooms shipped from Soviet Russia in the last year weighed 123 tons.

Gliding clubs are being formed throughout Scotland.

Dana X. Bible Names Men For All-West Team

Weldon Mason Of S.M.U. And Walter Johnson Of Haskell Named On Bible's Team To Play At San Francisco

(By The Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 9.—Twelve members of Pacific Coast college football varsities were invited today by Islam Temple Shrine of San Francisco to become members of the west team which will play here New Years' Day in the annual east-west Shrine charity game.

The twelve players, with the eight selected by Coach Dana X. Bible of the University of Nebraska today, bring the west team strength to 20. A lineman and a backfield man still are to be chosen, Shrine officials said.

Those invited here were: Neil, Stanford University end; Fisher, St. Mary's college guard; Hurley, Washington State guard; Ehrhorn, Stanford University tackle; Edwards, Washington State tackle; Bican, Olympic Club (San Francisco) center; Hammer, Oregon State center; Toscani, St. Mary's college backfield; Davis, Olympic Club backfield and Hufford, Washington University backfield.

Coach Bible's selected list includes: Conrad Fisher, Oklahoma A. & M. end; Basil Wilkerson, Oklahoma City University tackle; Charles Justice Nebraska guard; George Koster, Nebraska guard; Weldon Mason Southern Methodist back; Ishmael Pilkington, Tulsa University back; Elvin McCoy, Emporia, (Kas.) Teachers college back; Walter Johnson, Haskell Institute back.

Players considered but not available because of injuries included Hugh Rhea, Nebraska tackle; Henry Cronkite, Kansas State end; Louis Weller, Haskell halfback and Marion Hammon, Southern Methodist fireman.

More than 1,000 Chinese in Manila, P. I., joined the anti-Japanese boycott.

Twelve women in Great Britain have qualified as veterinary surgeons.

Lost Balloonist Home Again

After an 82-hour sleepless vigil, Mrs. Jennie Vanik is seen here reunited at Cleveland, O., with her son, Milford Vanik, 25, who was believed lost after he disappeared on his initial solo balloon flight. He crossed the Great Lakes and came down in Canada after fighting a severe storm high in the air.

AUTO LOANS

Why not borrow money on your automobile to take care of those added expenses which come along at Christmas time and tax paying time? You can pay back in small monthly installments.

LEFTWICH-NORTON FINANCE CO., INC.
1308 Broadway Phone 202
(Located Across Street From Lubbock Sanitarium)

SALE 10 BIG DAYS

Lowest Prices In South Plains History!

Closing Out All Merchandise

We are manufacturing now, bringing to you merchandise direct from factory, cutting out middlemen's profits.

Boys' Coveralls 2 Suits For $1

Boys' Work PANTS 97
All patterns and sizes. Popular known brands

SHOP COATS $1
Grey, Tan and Coverts, all sizes

Paints 97
Including the well known lines as Pool's, Dicken's Best, Hawk Brand and Rodeo work pants and our own make "Caprock" for

Boys' Heavy Khaki, Military styled, 2 for SHIRTS 97

MEN'S Corduroy Pants
ALL SIZES $2.47
Boys' 6 to 17 $1.47

Boys' Kangaroo Coveralls and other brands 2 for $1

Chamois Skin Reindeer Color Jackets $5.95

Big Smith Overalls Kangaroo, Pools, Dickens Best, all for 97c

If we don't have what you want we will get it for you!

Don't forget our men's and women's riding pants—Also the remarkable values in all kinds of boots, for ladies, too.

FACTORY AND STORE COMBINED

Caprock Uniform & Emb. Co.

815 Broadway Phone 2120
Across Street From The New Postoffice

THE END IS NEAR

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READ THIS
Garza sheets, size 81x90. You know the quality. While they last, only ____ 64c

A BARGAIN
Garza 9-4 sheeting, another home grown product which needs no introduction ____ 22c

You Miss It--If You Miss It

We are talking about our final QUITTING BUSINESS SALE which opens Thursday morning at 8:30. Our store was closed all day Wednesday to give us an opportunity to rearrange merchandise and mark goods at a still lower price. As many of you know, our stocks are getting low—small quantities here and there, so we urge you to come early so you won't be disappointed. Many good practical gifts can be bought at a saving, so it won't be a bad idea to have Christmas in mind when you come to this GREAT SALE.

My, My, My
Just look at the price we are closing out that good Hope Domestic, at, yard ____ 7½c

Don't Wait
Good 40-inch brown Domestic. You'll look a long time before you beat it 5½c

Here's Something Worth Reading

Pure silk full fashioned hose, new shades	79c
Ladies' rayon bloomers, worth 39c, choice	19c
Assortment of brassieres, worth to 39c	19c
All wool shawls, pretty colors, $3.95 and	$2.45
Women's outing gowns, 69c, 59c and	47c

You Don't Find Bargains Like These Every Day in the Year

Yard wide outing in white, pink, and light stripes	8c
Assortment of outing, 27 inches wide, stripes, etc.	6c
A splendid outing for quilt lining, lights and darks	5c
Check gingham, another good quilt lining cloth, yard	5c
Pretty prints at the old calicoe price, new colors	5c

Values Worthy of Your Attention

Boys Hickory stripe Coveralls, 2 to 8	39c
Men's blue work Shirts made coat style	29c
Boys school moleskin Knickers, 7s and 8s	25c
Men's moleskin pants, worth to $2.00, choice	99c
Men's good heavy Union Suits, $1.00 grade	79c

Just Look at These Shoe Prices

All ladies dress shoes including our entire stock of high grade footwear, worth regularly up to $8.50, choice	$3.95
Table of women's slippers, most all styles represented	$1.95
Table of misses and children's slippers, in assorted styles	99c
Table of child's slippers in first step styles, sizes 1 to 5	59c
Choice of any man's calf skin oxford in our entire stock	$3.95
All men's kid oxfords divided into two lots. $4.95 and	$3.95

Crepe de Chine Underwear
Table of pure silk underwear, assorted garments, in values that once sold at $1.00 and $1.95. Look this lot over. You might find just what you want for personal use or for a gift. Choice of one big lot ____ 29c

Men—You'll Save Here

Good line men's fast color broadcloth shirts, mostly in solid colors. All sizes are represented. Choice	79c
Men's college corduroy pants, light colors, choice	$1.95
Extra heavy wool sweaters, worth to $10.00, now	$3.95
Men's plaid overshirts, an extra good value, now	67c
Men's two-piece ribbed underwear, per garment	43c
Men's heavy wool mixed work sox, 29c grade	17c

Women's Dresses
We only have a few coats and dresses left and have placed almost a give-away price on them. Don't come expecting to find just any color, style or size you might want, for we are afraid you will be disappointed. We will say this—if you find one of these dresses that you like and the size you want you will certainly get a bargain. Divided into two lots, $7.15 and (none higher) ____ $5.15

Children's Coats
As we have stated elsewhere in this ad, our stocks are beginning to get broken, but lots of good bargains are left. We have some good coats for juniors and children that are carried over styles but will make the girl a splendid coat to wear to school. We have priced them so low that it might look as if we had stolen them. $5.49, $3.49, $2.49 and ____ $1.49

Quitting Prices
Men's Campus sport Topcoat, a sporty flannel belted model, formerly sold at $15.00, high colors, only three left. Choice ____ $8.95
Men's fancy fast color broadcloth Pajamas made up in attractive styles, choice of one big lot ____ 97c
Only four handsome trunks left in 38 and 40 inch. These are not "shorts," but regular trunks worth to $24.50. Choice ____ $9.95

Men's Suits
Men, we have only a few of these good suits left and we have re-marked most of them for a quick close out. If your size is here and you are looking for an honest-to-goodness value in a serviceable suit you surely will not pass them up. They are not this year's models but good-looking suits priced at a fraction of their real worth. Divided into two lots. $14.75 and (none higher) ____ $9.75

BE HERE WHEN THE DOORS OPEN 8:30

MINTER-GAMEL CO.

Quitting Business In Lubbock—— It Won't Be Long Now

SALE OPENS THURSDAY MORNING 8:30

Poultry Show In Readiness

nual Panhandle-Plains Af- fair Will Open Today With Judging Scheduled To Start At 9 O'Clock

(Special to the Avalanche)

SLATON, Dec. 9.—Doors of the cond annual Panhandle-Plains oultry show here will swing open hursday morning at 8 o'clock, and ight everything was in readiness r the opening events.

More than 500 birds, finest fowls the Panhandle-Plains section, re housed here tonight and others re to be entered before 10 a. m. hursday. Bad roads probably will e the number of entries to fall ewhat short of the expected 1,- birds. One exhibtor, who last showed 300 birds, was forced eep his chickens at home this because of road conditions.

Judging Opens Today

e showing is being held in the n garage building on Texas ue. Judging will be started nday at 9 o'clock by R. P. Gal- of Amarillo and C. Murphy of ock.

mbers of the Panhandle-Plains ry association will gather at nual dinner at 7 o'clock to- w night at the Slaton com- ty club house. Officers for the g year will be named.

EWS BRIEFS

l Sargent was acquitted of a of vagrancy by a jury in court Wednesday afternoon. t appealed a conviction on the from corporation court.

h Jordan, a negro, pleaded to a charge of carrying a pis- d was sentenced to 30 days He also drew court costs. ting to $23.15.

sheriff's department this week nd to Memphis, Texas, for Watson, one of nine men caped city jail here last sum-

on faces a charge of car Sheriff Wade Hardy said. He seventh of the group break- l to be recaptured and only w are at large.

ock city commissioners will is afternoon at the city hall. business will be discussed ls paid.

rt Fitzgerald of Sweetwater brother, Walter, hopped off Lubbock airport Wednesday ir home after the Fitzgeralds ent regular health examina- nd their ship, OX-5 Robin, spected for re-licensing by Delaney, inspector from the ment of commerce.

Chase and Clinton Ponder Amarillo Wednesday after- Chase's Stearman.

ock Kiwanis clubs members as nchcon today will honor Technological college foot- ermen, J. M. Lewis said day night. Coach Dutchey ill be in charge and besides adors, Head Coach Pete will be a guest.

k officers last night re- o arrests in connection with ing of altered currency dnesday

asser of the bills splits a r bill and a five dollar bill es the pieces together. He the five dollar side of each w pieces to the merchant. cafe, 1218 Texas avenue. one of these bills passed ier there Wednesday.

County Library To Located In Courthouse

SA, Dec. 9—Dawson coun- public library will be lo- a room adjoining county W. W. Evans' office in the of the county court house. announced recently by Roy

Bench to Bench

Judge Walter Steffen, Cook County (Chicago) Circuit Judge, who has announced that 18 years of coaching Carnegie Tech football squads has been "enough" and that he will retire from the field at the end of the present season. Steffen, who was one of the greatest stars at the University of Chicago, has commuted for 18 years between Chicago and Pittsburgh to coach Carnegie.

Legionnaires To Discuss Additional Funds Thursday

Members of Allen Brothers post, No. 148, of the American Legion and other former service men of Lubbock county will discuss additional payments on compensation service certificates when they meet Thursday night at the legion hall. A vote is expected to be taken and if the majority favors the payments a resolution will be drawn and forwarded to the national Legion's legislative committees at Washington, D. C.

Officers of the Lubbock post said they desided attendance by every world war veteran residing in Lubbock county. A program of music and speaking will be presented. Reports of a membership drive will be made.

Automobiles passng through the Panama Canal in the year ending June 30 weighed 104,000 tons.

G. Loveless, president of the new association sponsoring the library.

The library will be open to the public once each week following a drive for books to be conducted by Miss Sue Goree, state organizer, during the second week in December. Civic organizations in Lamesa working through committees are sponsoring this worthwhile enterprise.

Patrolmen Get Highway Posts

Change In Personnel Is Made In Lubbock; Other Sections Throughout West Texas To Get New Members

New assignments for members of the state highway patrol and addition of new patrolmen will cause one change in the staff working out of Lubbock, Austin reports last night said.

J. L. Croft, formerly patrolman here, has been transferred to Graham and E. C. Dorris, new member of the state force, is being sent here. Jack Reaves will remain on duty here. He and Dorris are expected today from Austin, where they attended a week of training school.

Other Assignments

Abilene: Captain Martin N. Koonsman, W. M. King and W. B. Dixon, the last named a new member.

Amarillo: Sergeant R. H. Routh, L. T. Keffer and Boyce Long, who is a new patrolman.

Alpine: Joe Fletcher and J. N. Thompson, both new members.

Eastland: Morgan C. Myers and Ernest Daniel, both new men.

San Angelo: Lieut. J. B. Draper, E. L. Posey and G. L. Morahan, the last named being a new patrolman.

Big Spring: C. L. Schuck and W. W. Logge, both new patrolmen.

Pecos: H. B. Mathews and Dan Abbott, the latter a new man.

Wichita Falls: John Lowry and R. L. Wood, the latter a new man.

Farmers At Enochs Holding Cotton For Boost In Price

(By Staff Correspondent)

LITTLEFIELD, Dec. 9. — The Enochs gin, at Enochs, about 25 miles west of Littlefield, in the center of the I. C. Enochs lands, has ginned about 2,100 bales of cotton this season, J. H. Lucas, manager of the land company, reports.

"I do not think over 50 to 60 percent of the cotton ginned there has been sold," he said. "Farmers are holding cotton and only selling what they have to."

There is a considerable amount of cotton in the Enochs community yet to be picked, Mr. Lucas said.

Selling of cigarettes after eight o'clock at night has been banned in Large, Scotland.

As U. S. Ship Went Aground In English Channel

Aground in the English Channel, the American steamship Hybert is shown here as it listed and slowly settled into the sands. The lifeboat (at left) is standing by ready to take off members of the crew.

Avalanche-Journal Want Ads Pay

Littlefield Postal Receipts In November Reveal Increase

(By Staff Correspondent)

LITTLEFIELD, Dec. 9—Postal receipts for the Littlefield office during November exceeded those of the same month in 1930 by about $100, J. E. Bannen, postmaster, reports.

November receipts this year were $1,290.05. Both October and November were much better business months than had been expected, the postmaster added.

Gravel from the old "grasshopper" railroad that wig-zagged from Kingman to Fort William, O., is being used to resurface highways.

COLA-MINT for COLDS
STOPS THE ACHY, BAD FEELING
—runsnish from the nose and eyes and soothes the tickling throat
Lubbock Drug Company

LEVINES PRICES TALK

SANTA

SENDS A MESSAGE TO ALL OF HIS LITTLE FOLKS

"MEET ME IN LUBBOCK. I SHALL ARRIVE WITH ALL MY REINDEER AND SLED. I WANT YOU ALL TO BE ON HAND"

While Waiting Step In To LEVINES PRICES TALK See The Wonderful Display Of Christmas Items

WOMEN'S SHOES

One huge table of women's shoes, your choice

$1 A Pair

While we think of it, how about a tie for dad or brother?

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

We have just received about the finest selection in men's really dressy shirts, just the type a man would wear . . . and everyone guaranteed fast color showing all the very latest details in shirtcraft they make wonderful gifts.

$1 EACH

DOLLS DOLLS DOLLS

One huge special lot of dolls in values up to $1.50, for Santa's day only

$1 Each

MEN'S DRESS GLOVES

Men's black and brown dress gloves with fleece linings, are just the things to gladden a man's heart on Christmas—they are very neatly constructed.

$1 A Pair

Men's SOX

Men's Coopers Sox, all brand new holiday patterns

5 PAIR FOR **$1**

Men's Ties

We have by far the most wonderful selection in men's ties ever offered. These ties are all full length, hand tailored, with wool linings and silk facings. Every pattern decidedly new and values that sold for $2 last Holiday season.

$1 EACH

And we are offering some very fine values in this lot at only

2 For **$1**

HATS

A new line of men's felt dress hats that are attracting much favor—snappy styles—good wearing felt—and all the shades of the new holiday season. Bring dad or brother and buy him one for Christmas

$2.45 To $4.95

COATS

Before Christmas markdown on ladies' coats. Here you will find the unusual. Values of $22.50 in all the best of materials, fur trimmings, good wearing linings and sizes to fit all. Buy her a coat for Christmas on ready-to-wear balcony

13.88

WOMEN'S **HATS**

or the holiday season a host of new omen's hats in new metallics and atins. Visit our ready-to-wear balcony too.

$1.95

DRESSES

Special purchase of new holiday dresses in regular $12.50 values of silks, knitted dresses and wool dresses. Your unrestricted choice

$5.95

On ready-to-wear balcony

LEVINES PRICES TALK

MEET SANTA IN LUBBOCK, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11TH

LEVINES PRICES TALK

GARZA SHEETS

The famous Garza Sheets, 81x90

69c Each

Mother would like a box of hose.

WOMEN'S HATS

One lot of women's hats to close out. Values here to $3.95

69c Each

Third Floor

Have you thought of silk undies for sister?

CAR ROBES

Imported car robes in bright colors and attractive patterns, very special

89c Each

A silk scarf for brother would be very appropriate.

DRESS PRINTS

New patterns in dress prints, beautiful new designs and solid colors. All guaranteed fast colors and our regular 14c material. Special for Santa's day

10c A Yard

COTTON BATTS

Three pound full size for comfort, very special

25c Each

House shoes make useful gifts.

CHILDREN'S UNIONS

Winter weight button on tape unions for children, good values

39c Each

Your friends would appreciate a box of handkerchiefs.

BEDSPREADS

Rayon bedspreads, large size, good quality and a variety of colors

$1.49 Each

Just gobs of men's shirts for Christmas gifts

PLAID BLANKETS

Single cotton plaid blankets, good size, very special

49c Each

Did you know that Kangaroo Overalls make very useful gifts?

Part Wool **Blankets**

Large size plaid blankets and part wool, neatly bound, very warm for these cold nights

$1.69

Brown Domestic

Extra good grade domestic in a regular 10c value for Santa's day

6c A Yard

And see the many other items of value we are showing.

Bath Towels

Large size bath towels with colored borders and a very special value at this low price for Santa's day

15c Each

How about Dad? Have you found his gift yet? See Levines.

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Friday
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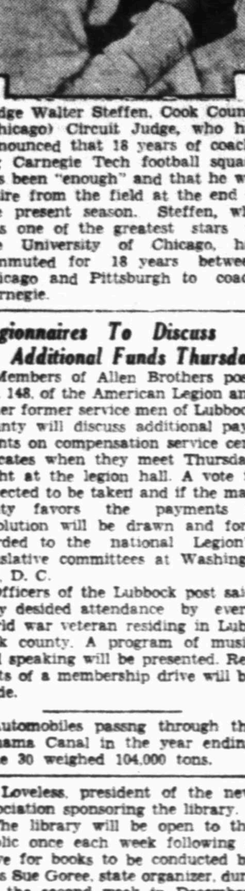

All New Fall Styles—
Woolens
Crepes
Satins

DRESSES

Group 1
$5.00
Values to $12.75

Group 2
$6.95
Values from $12.75 to $16.75

Group 3
$12.95
Values from $16.75 to $29.75

ABNEY APPAREL SHOP
Lubbock Hotel Building

SPECIAL
FRIDAY
AND
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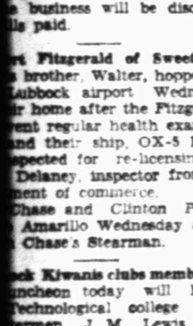

One Group
w Fall Hats
$1.00

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(By Staff

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Crosbyton Has Prospects Of Business Gain

Weather Conditions For Last Two Weeks Keep Farmers Out Of Fields; Ginning Total May Reach 6,000 Bale Mark

(By Staff Correspondent)

CROSBYTON, Dec. 9. —Despite inability of farmers for the past two weeks to get into their fields to pick cotton due to weather conditions, it is thought business will be better following the Christmas buying season.

More than 4,300 bales had been ginned up to the past week here, with prospects of between 1,000 and 1,500 bales more. Many in close touch with the situation declare the total will pass the 6,000 mark.

To Retain Money

Picking will last until in February it is generally believed. The rest of the work will be done by home folks, with the assurance that all of the money paid by farmers for picking will be retained in this territory.

Little outside picking was reported until late in October when a few outsiders came in. Mexicans were here also, but they have now moved toward south Texas.

Farmers will meet the winter in much better shape than last year. "I think that nearly every farmer has a meat hog or two," Wade Cooper of the Citizens National bank, said. "They all have canned up a lot of vegetables and fruits.

"We are reducing our loans and farmers are paying off their obligations well. I think the government loans will be just about all paid. Deposits are increasing and with the payment of loans there will be more money in the bank."

Farmers Get Cash

W. T. Dunn, secretary of the federal farm loan organization for the county and also secretary of the Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce, pointed out that the present cotton crop was bringing the farmer more real cash than any crop in the past three or four years.

"This is the first real crop we have had, you might say, in three or four years," he explained. "Of course the price is low, but then the farmer was not out as much for labor and other things this year as other years. His living expenses are less. He has food in the pantry and hog meat on the farm.

"There will be as much wheat, if not more sown this fall. Not all of our wheat has been sown for the farmers have been unable to do much for the past two or three weeks. We may get a good price for wheat next summer."

Season Is "Good"

W. M. Curry, editor of the Crosbyton Review, said farmers had told him that the season was "the best in the history of the county." He added that it looked like there would be more wheat than ever before, with a lot more planting to be done.

"Farmers have feed and food and there will be a lot of work this winter." Mr. Curry added. "This road building contract will help us a whole lot. Then, too, farmers are holding cotton expecting the price to go up in the spring."

Christmas trade has begun. Business men believe that the trade will exceed that of last year.

Cattle and livestock feeding in the Crosbyton territory has begun and there will be more fed this year than last. The number of hogs and cattle is larger.

Swept Into Office

From sweeping chimneys to ruling the London suburb of Bethnal Green is the startling rise in fortune just recorded by this humble Englishman. He is Councillor P. Brooks, who has lived in the same house for 40 years. During the whole of his working life he has carried on the trade which his father and grandfather followed before him. Here he is just after completing his morning rounds.

WILLIAM W. CONDRAY
Certified Public Accountant
OFFICE 516 MYRICK BLDG. PHONES 847 and 1926

Supreme Court To Meet On Tuesday

AUSTIN, Dec. 9 (AP).—The next meeting of the Texas supreme court will be held next Tuesday. It was believed likely the court would hand down an opinion on that date in the mandamus action instituted by Moses Jones to compel the Travis county tax collector to accept delinquent taxes without payment of the penalties and interest.

The suit was filed to test the constitutionality of the law passed by the legislature releasing penalties and interest on all delinquent taxes of record October 15, 1931, provided the taxes were paid by January 31, 1932.

The law was passed in an effort to clear the books of delinquent taxes.

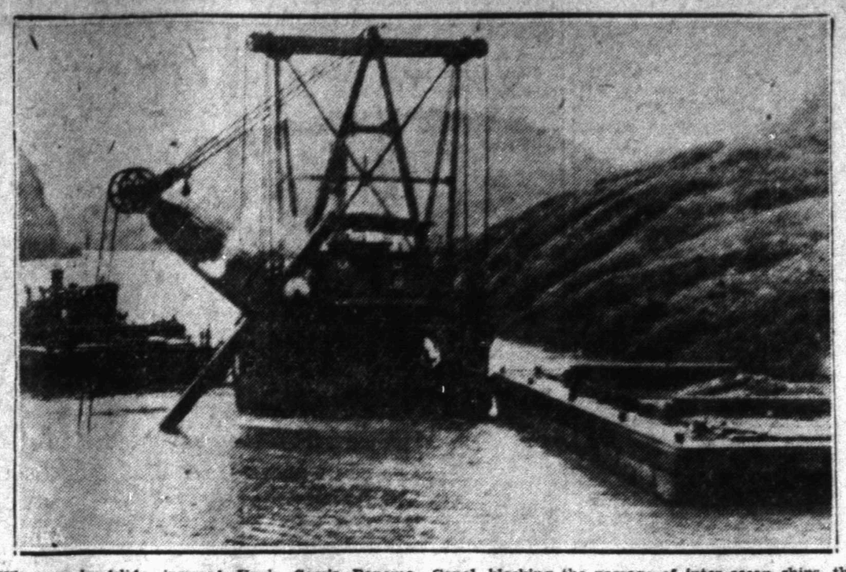
On the advice of Attorney General James V. Allred, the Travis county tax collector refused to accept the taxes unless the penalties and interest also were paid.

APPROVE CONSTITUTION

MADRID, Dec. 9 (AP).—Spain's new republican constitution was formally approved by the national assembly tonight.

The Port of London has 320 pilots, who earn about $5,000 a year.

Clearing Path After Panama Canal Landslide



When a landslide jammed Uncle Sam's Panama Canal, blocking the passage of inter-ocean ships, this big dredge was put to work to clear the way. Torrential rains had undermined a hill in the Gaillard Cut.

Explosion Of Gas Echoed With Suit

Transcript of the case of Clarence Goins vs. the West Texas Gas company, Inc., a suit for damages as a result of injuries alleged suffered by the plaintiff in a gas explosion at Muleshoe last March, has been filed in U. S. District court here. The case was transferred from Bailey county district court.

Goins seeks $25,000 damages, refund of $65 for medical bills already incurred, and payment of $500 hospital and medical bills per year for additional treatment for a period of not less than two years.

The plaintiff's petition sets out that Goins was blown through the window of a newly constructed dwelling house in Muleshoe by a gas explosion March 5 and that he suffered injuries to his lungs which have resulted in his contracting tuberculosis. Goins alleges the gas company installed equipment in the building, and turned on the gas without informing him. While he was working in the building accumulated gas exploded, the petition sets out.

More than 9,400,000 barrels of petroleum were exported from Venzuela in a recent month.

Bananas shipped from Honduras to the United States in a recent month totaled nearly 2,000,000 stems.

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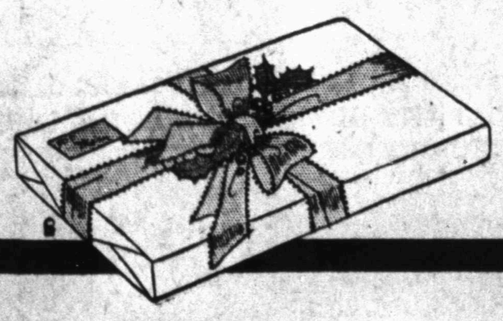

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Hill Outlines Objectives Of Teachers Body

Moral Reconstruction And A Well-Integrated System Of Education Are Aims Of New Texas Association Head

CANYON, Dec. 9. (AP)—Two major problems, moral reconstruction and a well-integrated system of education, have been selected by Dr. J. Hill, recently elected president of the Texas State Teachers' association, as objectives for his administration.

"Our state and nation are in great need of moral reconstruction," Dr. Hill said. "Economic prosperity is not nearly so essential as higher personal ideals, objectifying themselves in conduct. 'Our country' is suffering more from the bad morals of good citizens than from the bad morals of bad citizens.'

Seek High Asperations

"With the support of our executive committee, we shall try to arouse and stimulate the moral and spiritual aspirations of our people through the teachers and children of Texas schools.

"Texas needs a well-interested system of education. We shall seek the counsel of all good citizens in an enterprise that involves the welfare of all the people of the state. Economy is important, but a highly effective system of education is the only economy that is possible now."

Texas teachers were told during a recent convention in Amarillo that they were spending too much on education, and that the elementary and secondary school systems were obsolete. Dr. Hill expressed the belief that economy should not be practiced now, but that the educational system should be rounded out and perfected so that money spent for education may be more effective.

Dr. Hill is the first Panhandle man to become president of the state organization. He has been a leader in the professon of teachng more than 20 years, eight years as an instructor in a teachers' college and 13 years as president of West Texas State Teachers' college, Canyon. He began his career in a one-teacher school. He is also a civic leader, a qualification for teachers that was stressed during the recent convention.

Head-On Crash Saves Lives!

Quick thinking and action of a veteran engineer saved the lives of his passengers when these two locomotives crashed at Pittsburgh, Pa. The engineer brought his train to a sudden stop when he saw the 200,000-ton freight engine, left, skid past a block signal and bear down on him. He took the crash head-on rather than risk clearing a switch and having the freight engine strike a passenger coach. Twenty-five were injured, none seriously.

The New Zealand Railways Commission has asked for legislation for the coordination of road and rail traffic.

Many farmers in Manchuria are reported deserting their farms without harvesting their bean crops.

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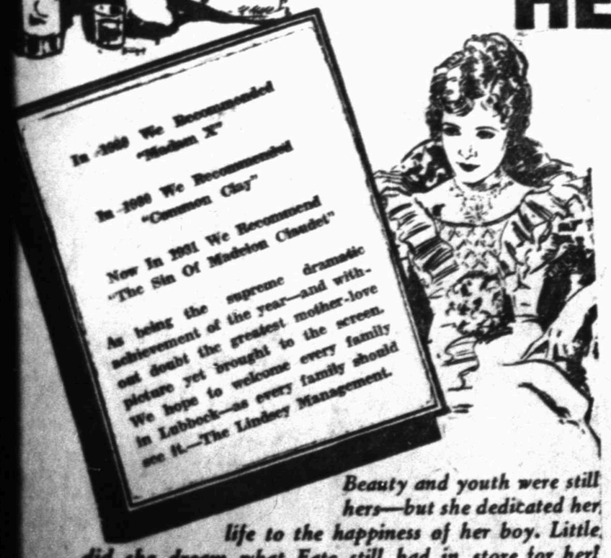

Beauty and youth were still hers—but she dedicated her life to the happiness of her boy. Little did she dream what Fate still had in store for her!

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The acting was superb. I think it a picture everyone should see.
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—Mrs. Peters.

Wonderful picture—Mrs. Ed. Allen.
Truly a great picture.
—Mrs. S. J. McFarland.

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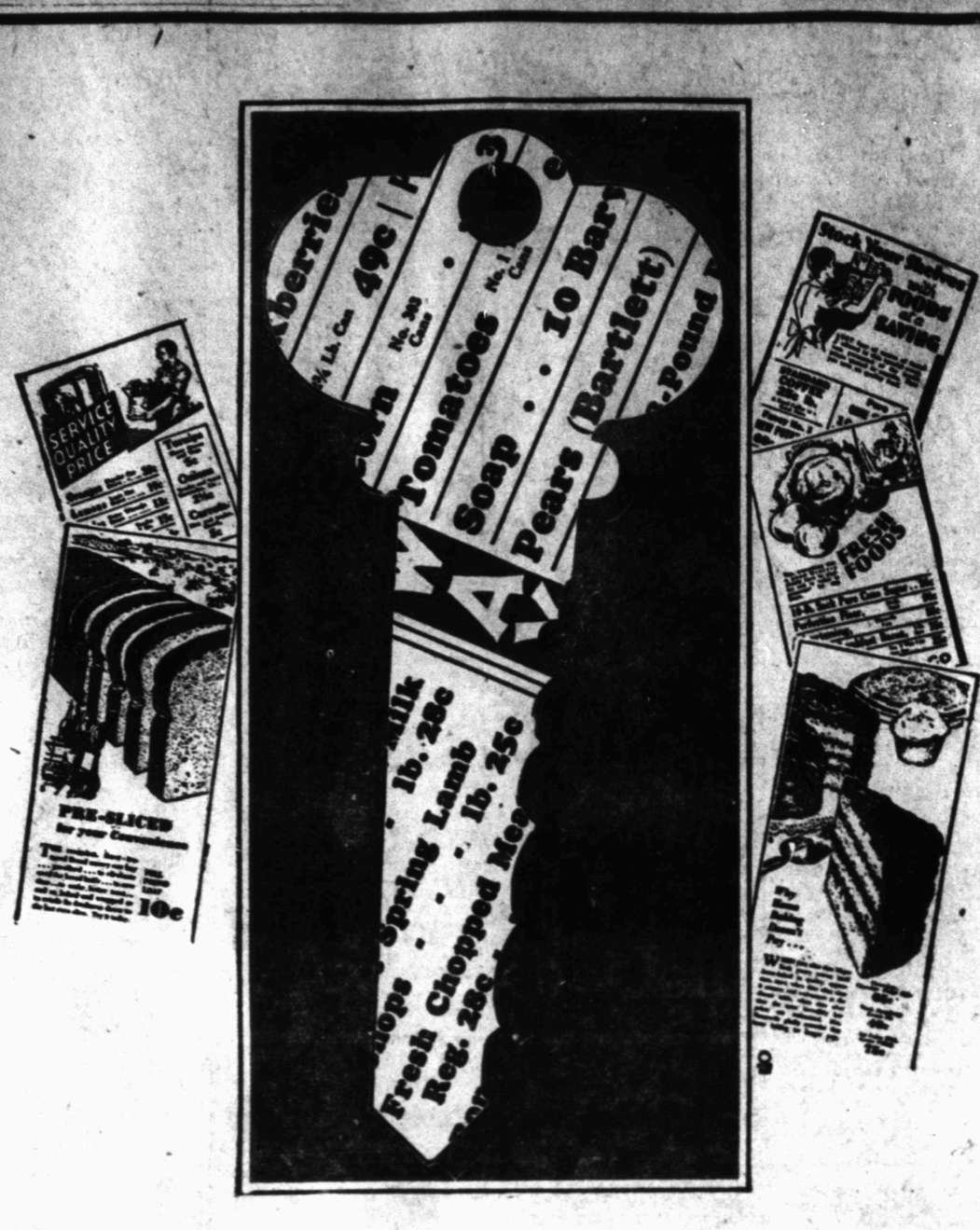

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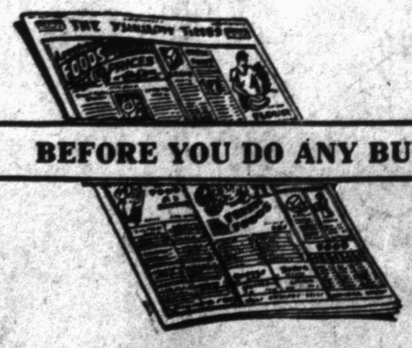

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One Vote Margin Wins Beauty Crown For Co-Ed

Although she won by only one vote there won't be a recount demand, at Hendrix college, Conway, Ark., over election of Miss Willine Forrest, left, over Miss Ina McKeehan, as prettiest co-ed.

Three Cities Showing Race

Ralls, Crosbyton And Lorenzo Are Running Neck And Neck In Cotton Ginning Totals; Other Reports In

(By Staff Correspondent)

RALLS, Dec. 9. — With Crosby county showing 23,732 bales of cotton ginned up to November 14, it is believed that not to exceed 25,000 bales has been ginned up to this date. Rain for two weeks has kept pickers out of the fields to a great extent.

Ralls, Crosbyton and Lorenzo are running neck and neck in total ginnings, each with approximately 4,500 bales.

The county is expected to produce better than 30,000 bales this season. The total may run as high as 33,000, depending upon weather conditions and prices. If the price goes up, more farmers will clean out their fields. Otherwise the crop will be light.

RACE INTERESTING

(By Staff Correspondent)

RALLS, Dec. 9.—The race between Lubbock and Lamb counties for first place among the South Plains counties in cotton production this year, is interesting to C. E. Dean, Ralls cotton man and gin owner.

"I noticed that for the ginnings up to November 14, Lamb county was about 9,000 bales below Lubbock county," Mr. Dean said. "I think that when the totals are announced, the two will be much closer than that figure."

Mr. Dean owns several gins in Lamb county. He has been keeping a close watch on reports from that county.

"In Lamb county the last I talked to any one, I figured that 60 per cent of the crop was picked," he said. "I think we have about 75 per cent here. Lubbock county has about the same per cent picked."

MATADOR REPORTS

MATADOR, Dec. 9. (Special.) — More than 2,500 bales had been ginned by the three gins here up to Wednesday noon. Totals were: West Texas, 427 bales; Spears, 1,239 bales and Farmers, 901; total, 2,567.

FOURTEEN AT LORENZO

LORENZO, Dec. 9. (Special) — Fourteen bales of cotton were ginned the past week by the two gins operating here, making a total of 4,832 bales for the season. Two other gins have closed.

4,430 HALE CENTER

HALE CENTER, Dec. 9. (Special.) Season ginnings for Hale Center up to this week total 4,430 bales. By gins the totals are: Burgess, 1,175 bales; Caudle and Dean, 1,560; C. J. McMillan, 965 and Meetz gin, 730.

TOTAL IS 12,344

LEVELLAND, Dec. 9. (Special.)—One thousand one hundred twenty-eight bales of cotton were ginned by the four Levelland gins during the two weeks ending Thursday, making the total 12,344 bales of the season.

County ginnings for 15 out of the 21 gins up to November 20 were 33,837 bales. Cotton men here estimate the total now is between 45,000 and 50,000 bales for the entire county. On November 14 the federal census showed 36,559 bales.

As soon as weather conditions permit, ginning day and night will be resumed. There are many farms where from 25 to 200 bales are reported on the ground, awaiting ginning.

In some sections as high as 90 per cent of the cotton has been picked and in others the percentage is as low as 60. Average for the county is placed at 75 per cent. Weather conditions of the past two weeks has cut down the estimated county total and also the quality.

Here Is Amount Of Income Taxes You Would Have To Pay Under Mellon Plan

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP)—The amount of income tax a married person with one dependent wih pay on 1931 income under the increases proposed by the administration is shown in the following table in which it is assumed that all income under $10,000 is earned and half of all income between $10,000 and $30,000 is earned.

Net Income	Present	Proposed	Increase
$ 3000	None	$ 1.50	$ 1.50
4,000	1.13	16.50	15.37
5,000	12.38	31.50	19.12
10,000	92.25	153.00	60.75
15,000	336.25	455.75	119.50
20,000	706.25	869.50	163.25
25,000	1,198.75	1,405.75	207.00
50,000	4,573.75	5,549.50	975.75
100,000	15,753.75	22,029.50	6,275.75
500,000	115,753.75	199,029.50	83,275.75

Daring Arctic Salvage Job Complete As Passenger Goes After Rich Cargo

POINT BARROW, Alaska, Dec. 9. (AP)—Using dog sleds for bridges over cracks in ice and ropes to pull themselves over huge bergs, O. D. Morris, one of the marooned passengers of the steamship Baychimo, and three Eskimo trappers have completed one of the most daring salvage jobs in Arctic history.

Morris and the natives, after a disheartening struggle for 15 miles over the ice to the Baychimo, frozen in when the Arctic winter caught her before she could escape to open water in the south, brought back 10 bales of valuable furs.

Dog teams were forced to halt half a mile from the goal. The men required four hours to complete the journey to the ship. Exhausted by the struggle, they returned here with the bales last night.

The Baychimo was frozen in the ice 60 miles south of Point Barrow two months. Members of the crew, encamped on the shore nearby, gave it up for lost after it disappeared in a recent storm.

An Eskimo, however, sighted the drifting ship more than 40 miles away and Morris then determined to go after part of the rich cargo with natives as his assistants.

State's Case Is Near Completion

BEEVILLE, Dec. 9 (AP).—The state had virtually completed its circumstantial case today at the murder trial of Newton Yarberry, accused of slaying his sweetheart, Miss Dorothy Dorcas Symons. Prosecuting attorneys indicated they would rest their case late today.

Sheriff S. F. Hunt of San Patricio county, a major state witness, was subjected to severe cross-examination by defense attorneys. Testimony he had submitted regarding his investigation into the death of the pretty, 18-year-old choir singer, was closely checked.

Sheriff Hunt had related in chronological order every move he made and all conversations in which he had engaged, from the time he was notified of the girl's disappearance, July 30, until all clues had been investigated. Her body was found August 1, hidden in a tangle of seaweed and mud near the Aransas Pass breakwater. She was clad in a bathing suit.

The officer said Yarberry displayed marked nervousness when shown Miss Symons' body. There was nothing in his conversations with the 23-year-old defendant, the officer testified, which was calculated to frighten him. Yarberry was so nervous "he could hardly talk," the officer declared.

Charity Program On Friday Night Near Completion

Arrangements have been completed for the American Business club charity forty-two, bridge and dance Friday night at the Hotel Hilton ballroom. Club members are in charge of advance ticket sales.

Funds from the affair will be used to purchase Christmas baskets of food and necessities for indigent Lubbock families. Distribution of the baskets is an annual event for the club. Prizes will be received by women making high scores both in bridge and forty-two.

The charity program will begin at 9 p. m. Friday and music will be provided by Frank Stone. Admission will be $1.50 per couple and that sum entitles the couple to participate in the three divisions of the entertainment. Clinton Lackey is chairman of the dance committee; and J. Ray Dickey of the bridge and forty-two committee.

Low Market Deals Blow To Farmers Near Littlefield

(By Staff Correspondent)

LITTLEFIELD, Dec. 9.—The low market for all kinds of agricultural products dealt a severe blow to farmers of this section of Lamb county who had planted a thousand or more acres of broomcorn.

In spite of a record crop, the price was considerably lower than in other years. At that, the farmers made good returns on their work, it is said by local men.

Twenty one cars of broomcorn were shipped from Littlefield this fall instead of the normal number of eight to ten. The price averaged between $40 and $60 a ton.

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Alvis Graves' Case Reversed

Error In Trial Here Is Cited By Appeals Court; Graves Was Under 99-Year Sentence For Murder

The state court of criminal appeals Wednesday reversed and remanded the case of Alvis Graves of Lubbock, sentenced to 99 years in the penitentiary for the murder here January 11 of Horace L. Smith, Graves was sentenced in 72nd district court by Judge Homer L. Pharr here March 17.

The appeals court ruled testimony to show illicit relations between Graves and Smith's wife should have been submitted by the trial judge to show cause for the appellant to fear for his life, according to Associated Press reports. Graves pleaded self-defense in his trial. Vickers & Campbell, who defended Graves, said last night that complete information as to why the case was reversed would not be available here until papers were returned by the appeals court.

Two men were wounded fatally and another man, a woman and a child less seriously as a house dance broke up at a Lubbock residence. Robert Averett, who like Smith lived here, was the other to die of bullet wounds. Graves subsequently was tried for murdering Smith.

Motion of G. H. Grissom, fined $75 in county court here for maintaining a nuisance as a result of operation of an alleged dumping ground, was overruled by the appeals court. A motion for rehearing of the case of C. S. Colvin, who received a three-year penitentiary sentence in 99th district court here for liquor law violation, was submitted Wednesday.

"Better, Thank You!" Says Patsy

"Feeling fine, thank you," said Patsy Ruth Miller, above, recuperating in a Hollywood hospital, as this picture was taken. The noted movie actress is believed to have contracted her illness on a recent trip to Tahiti, an island in the south Pacific.

Membership Drive Is Now Underway

(By Staff Correspondent)

AMHERST, Dec. 9.—Members of the local American Legion post are engaged in a sprited drive for members for the coming year and already over half of the total 1931 membership have signed up for 1932, Lee Payne, adjutant, reports.

"We have over 30 members signed up for 1932" Mr. Payne said. "Our total membership this year was 57. I think that we will get our quota and possibly a few more. There is a lot of interest in Legion work and our new commander, H. L. Phelps, is taking hold and pushing the work."

The Amherst post has only been organized about two years. It is one of the two in Lamb county, the other being at Littlefield.

The five-day working week is being adopted in Czechoslovakia.

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$10.00 Houbigants Au M'Atin	$8.95

Tooth Paste, Squibbs	50c value	33c
Tooth Paste, Orliss	25c value	18c
Cream of Almond	Lotion 50c value	33c
Cold Cream	$1.00 value Perfection	69c
Aspirin Tablets	$1.00 Bottle Walgreen	47c
Cod Liver Oil	$1.00 Bottle	69c
Atomizer	De Vilbbs for Nose and Throat	98c
Analgesic Baume	75c value	39c
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Don't Let Them Miss It!

THIS editorial is addressed principally to the mothers and fathers of Lubbock and the South Plains. It has to do with the educational value of the Santa Claus parade and the Pageant of Christmas, being brought here tomorrow by the Avalanche-Journal and the Chamber of Commerce. Very frankly, it is an urge to mothers and fathers to see that their children have the opportunity to view this spectacle—outstanding of its kind and the finest Christmas feature available in the entire United States.

Beginning at 11 o'clock Friday morning this huge parade and pageant will start its trek over the business area of Lubbock. It includes, of course, Santa Claus and his 12 live reindeer; three Wise Men, riding live camels, and Mary Christmas, a fictitious character, astride another camel. While the reindeer and the camels attract childish imagination, there are ohter features in the parade of vastly greater interest and import.

There are floats from foreign lands, depicting the methods of other countries in observing Christmas—or what we call Christmas. They are correct to the smallest detail, having been brought by the production company from the lands they represent. Throughout the spectacle, the spirit of the Yuletide is carried out in its entirety, flanked by bands and funny features appealing alike to young and to old.

The Christmas parade annually visits the larger cities, where school authorities, realizing the educational value of the event, dismiss classes to permit the children to view it. Last year, when the parade was first staged in Amarillo, schools over the Panhandle area were dismissed and at least one superintendent is quoted as saying, "it was worth more to our children from an educational standpoint than a whole week's work in the classroom." Upon its return to Amarillo this year, Panhandle school authorities welcomed the event for their youngsters' benefit.

The Santa Claus parade and Pageant of Christmas is no "dinky" affair. The likes of it have never before been seen on the South Plains. It is free as the air—it costs no spectator a cent for the Avalanche-Journal Publishing company is bringing it to Lubbock as a city and section-wide educational feature.

Mothers and fathers, don't let your children miss it! To do so is to rob a child of the biggest pre-Christmas event in his life!

SLATON'S POULTRY SHOW

South Plains people interested in poultry — and they are legion—should not fail to attend the annual Panhandle-Plains Poultry show which opened its doors yesterday for a three-day run. Judging of birds begins today and the feature gathering is a banquet, set for 7 o'clock tonight.

This is a hard year for shows of all kinds.

Lubbock discovered that fact in its annual Panhandle-South Plains fair and many county and sectional fairs over the country, intimidated by the times, did not stage their expositions.

But Slaton, like Lubbock, chose to "stay in there and pitch" and because of the fact is entitled to even more generous support than in usual years.

The Slaton poultry show is just as much a South Plains event as the fair at Lubbock or the Panhandle-Plains Dairy show at Plainview.

It is an institution "born and bred" right here in these environs.

Just because "the going has been tough" for many people is no reason why established institutions should be shelved or that support of them should be weakened.

Attend the Panhandle-Plains Poultry show at Slaton today or tomorrow!

Practical Health Problems

AMOEBIC DYSENTERY

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
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AMOEBIC dysentery, one of the most serious diseases that afflicts mankind, is the infestation of the human body with the organism called the entamoeba histolytica.

The disease is common in the United States, but there are records which indicate that it can occur in every state, and it does occur more frequently in the country districts of the far southern states.

Not long ago there were several cases in one hotel due to the fact that an individual who was infected was put in charge of fixing the salads for the dining room, and through contamination of the food several other people became infected with this disease. The organism is spread through the bowel discharges of infected people or through handling of food by infected people who have not properly taken care of their hands.

Flies have been incriminated for spreading the disease, but that is not the common method of spread. When a person becomes infected it is the bowels that are chiefly attacked. The patient suffers with bloody discharges, intermittent pain in the abdomen, gradual wasting and sometimes intoxication from the intoxication from the infectious products.

Once the disease gets into the body, it is eliminated with considerable difficulty and chronic cases are not rare. Not more than 10 per cent of those who are infected die of the disease, if the case is diagnosed early and proper treatment promptly administered.

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THE control of amoebic dysentery is a relatively simple matter where there is capable health administration. Every civilized community must provide for sanitary disposal of human excretions and for protection and purification of water supplies.

Food handlers in public places should certainly be properly supervised and thorough washing of the hands with soap and water at frequent intervals should be demanded.

If all foods eaten raw, particularly the leafy vegetables, are given proper supervision, which means inspection before purchase and thorough washing and cleansing before serving, the chance of infection with amoebic dysentery will be relatively slight.

What Other People Think

You seldom see wars on the horizon. You get embroiled overnight.—Major General Hanson E. Ely.

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We learn practically nothing from a victory. All our information comes from a defeat.—Coach Chick Meehan of N. Y. U.

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I merely happen to have a face that looks as if I knew about women.—Adolphe Menjou, movie star.

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A college graduate is not a man, but an intellectual infant.—Professor Gordon J. Laing, U. of Chicago.

Today's One Minute Sermon

A friend loveth at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.—Proverbs, xvii, 17.

Ritchie Gives His Views

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Staff Writer

State, War and Navy Building

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—When Governor Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland announces his candidacy for the Democratic presidential nomination, as he is scheduled to do at the Concord club's Jackson Day banquet in Baltimore, January 8, it will be the merest formality.

Ever since there have been any candidates at all for the Democrats' 1932 nomination Governor Ritchie has been one.

Indeed, he has been the only one who has admitted it in plain terms.

The Marylander has a lot of fine things about him, but nothing finer than this absolute freedom from affectation. If he is too conservative for some folk, they know it; what he stands for economically he proclaims, for the enlightenment of anyone who is sufficiently interested to give ear. No dry need ever ask him to clarify his views on prohibition; he stands for state's rights as his motto, emblazoned for all men to see.

Being, in point of actual fact, extremely desirous of first place on the Democratic ticket next year, he says so openly.

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POLITICIANS generally agree that, at the present time, the "Free State's" executive is Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt's most formidable single Democratic rival.

Owen D. Young was, but was too patently the choice of "big business."

Former Secretary of War Newton D. Baker's prospects loomed up as the General Electric magnate's dwindled. Now the ex-secretary's are dwindling in turn, perhaps due, as Senator Clarence C. Dill of Washington expresses it, to his "inability to dramatize himself."

It became evident early that no very dry aspirant would do.

Thus Governor Ritchie forges into leadership of the field (versus Governor Roosevelt), passing ex-Secretary Baker.

He has his handicaps.

Progressives who indorse the New Yorker disapprove of the Bourbon Marylander. Drys who accept the former turn thumbs down on the latter. Just why the state's rights Ritchie should class as wetter than Roosevelt, with his recognition that "prohibition has been a tragic failure," is not altogether obvious to a bystander, but that many drys draw a distinction in the Empire State candidate's favor there is no question.

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EVEN looking ahead six or seven months, it looks like an almost fool-proof prediction that Governor Roosevelt will enter the Democratic convention with a considerable majority of the delegates pledged to him; Ritchie probably with not half so many. But if he has more than any other one of the ruck of candidates he will be in a strong position, provided Roosevelt lacks a two-thirds majority on the initial or a very early ballot.

In the nature of things, the New Yorker will start at or near his maximum capacity; the Marylander, assuming that he makes a good getaway, will tend to gain.

It is true, Governor Ritchie has reached the front of the field by overtaking and passing Owen D. Young and ex-Secretary Baker. He himself may be overtaken and passed presently, but it is hardly apparent who is to overtake and pass him. It is doubtful whether either Owen D. Young or ex-Secretary Baker has another spurt left in him. No bone-dry, like Senator Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas, can do it. It will have to be a dark horse, if any kind.

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I SAW Governor Ritchie at his office in the Maryland capitol at Annapolis recently. If there is a handsomer man in public life today, I haven't met him. In every inch he looks the thoroughbred. There is not, as I verily believe, a trace of political false pretense in his composition.

Of course one asks a presidential possibility what his remedy is for the depression.

"If I had one—an infallible one—" he answered, "I wouldn't have to be a candidate for anything. The people of this country would be falling over one another to put me into the White House. Why, any man would be sitting on top of the world, who could prove he could cure its depression."

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AT ALL EVENTS, I wanted to know what the governor thinks should be done to relieve agriculture. Coming originally, myself, from the west's great open spaces, I always am suspicious of an easterner's competency to prescribe for the farm belt. I pushed this issue somewhat urgently.

"I'd like to think about it first," said the Marylander. "Then I'll dictate the result and send it to you."

He did, and on reading it, I found he had touched on the agricultural problem rather briefly. Nevertheless, he did touch on it.

WHAT he dictated covers this galaxy of national problems:

"I think we should all be slow in volunteering opinions as to what our attitude in world affairs ought to be, because it is obvious that the government is now discussing these questions with other nations, and those of us who are not connected with the government and who cannot know just what is going on owe it to our country to say and do nothing which may be prematurely critical.

"We can, however, recognize certain fundamental facts.

"One is that while we should, of course, take no part in European political questions, yet we can no longer avoid considering European economic questions. The economic conditions in almost every country of Europe are having their reactions on us. Just here lies one difficulty. How draw the line between politics and economics? Where does one stop and the other begin? National boundaries are no longer economic boundaries, and it is becoming more and more clear that, from an economic point of view, the countries of Europe and ourselves are almost limbs of the same tree.

"ANOTHER FACT is that, as a practical matter, the connection between the reparations Germany owes the allies and the debts the allies owe us is a very direct one. If the German reparations stop, very few people now believe that the payment of our foreign debt will continue.

"Still another fact, it seems to me, is that the moratorium ought to be continued for another year at least, because the ultimate decision on our own foreign debts depends on developments which are now occurring, and the question ought not to be settled on the basis of depression values and prices.

"Again, if we ultimately decide to revise the Young plan, then this should not be because of altruism or idealism, because the interests of the American people are too vitally concerned for those conditions to control. If the plan is to be revised so far as the money due us is concerned, this should only be because our future welfare requires it."

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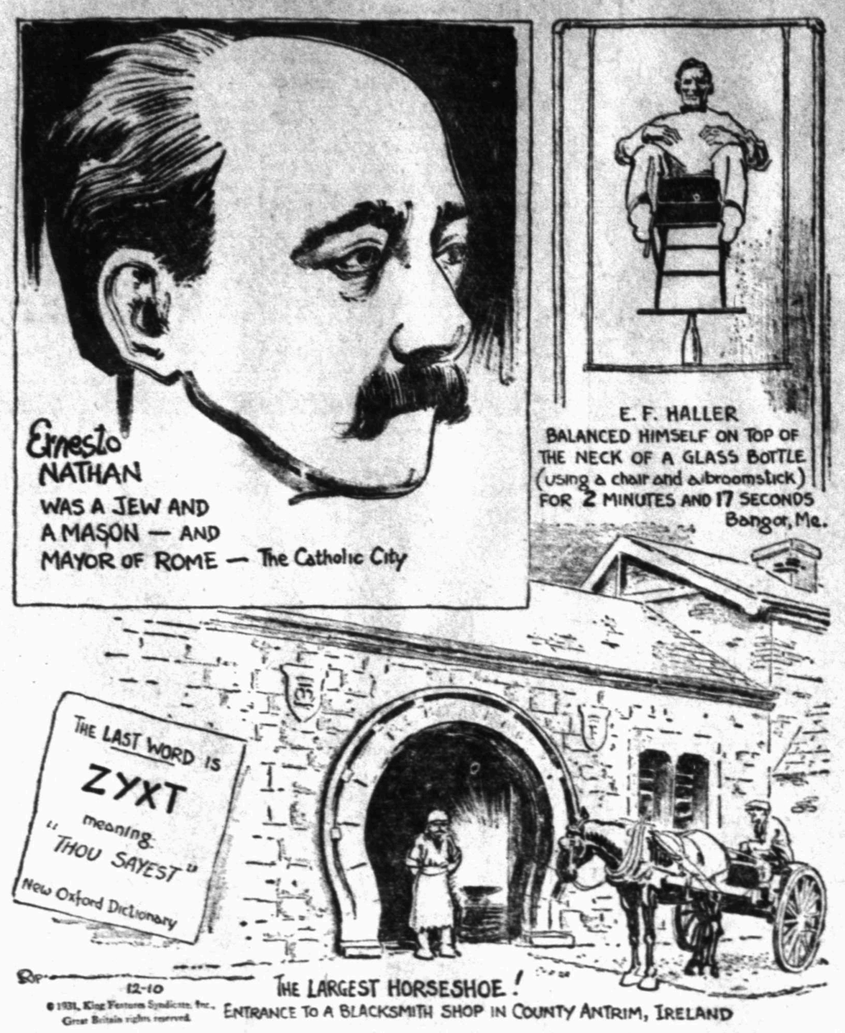

EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

TOMMY DOWLER OF COLGATE:
Dowler played so spectacularly early in the season of 1929 that W. A. Reid, Graduate Manager of Colgate University, kept accurate record of his performance during the balance of the season. His season record is remarkable, but the most astounding part of it is that he scored within the first five minutes in every game he played—eight out of Colgate's nine games—five times on triple reverse plays, twice on passes, and once from a punt received on his own 55-yard line.

THE FUEL COST OF A TON-MILE OF FREIGHT:
Scientific research of fuel consumption on railroads has shown that locomotives of the modern type, with pushers and tender-engines, burn comparatively little coal for the amount of freight they move. A one-and-two-thirds ounce lump of bituminous coal will move one ton of freight one mile, and at that rate it would cost only forty-eight cents for fuel to move one ton from New York to Los Angeles.

THE PRISONER OF OAHU:
The unusual prison record of Oriemon ("Happy") Fujihara started at Honokaa, Hawaii, in July 1900, when he was sentenced to be hanged at the Hilo jail for the murder of one of his fellow Japanese farm hands. On the day before he was to be executed Happy escaped—no one knows how—and he then spent eight peaceful years in Waimea. After his capture there the death sentence was commuted to life imprisonment, and in 1919 he was pardoned. But on October 24, 1931, Happy was convicted of arson and again sentenced to life imprisonment—thus having been sentenced twice to life imprisonment and once to be hanged.

OLD ENGLISH MONEY:
Before the invention of modern coin, people's fortunes consisted of gold and silver formed into various ring-shaped ornaments which they could carry on their person. The horn-shaped money dates from that ancient period in the history of exchange. The wedding ring now placed on the finger of the bride is a survival of that period when the ring constituted the price paid in wife purchase.

TOMORROW: "A REAL FAMILY OF NEWSPAPERMEN."

Gems of Peril by HAZEL ROSS HAILEY

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MARY HARKNESS undertakes to trap THE FLY, who she believes "framed" her brother, EDDIE, with the murder of MRS. JUPITER, and later ran Eddie down and killed him to keep him from telling. As bait she plans to use the famous Jupiter necklace of rubies, which the murderer failed to get.

She is aided by BOWEN of the Star. Mary's fiance, DIRK RUYTHER, and his family stop the official investigation, objecting to the notoriety. They believe Eddie guilty.

BRUCE JUPITER, absent many years, returns from Europe with a woman friend. His father orders him out and makes Mary his heir. Bruce swears to rout Mary, who he thinks is a gold-digger. Mary and Dirk quarrel because Dirk is jealous of Bowen and refuses to believe in the existence of The Fly. Dirk goes about again with his former sweetheart, CORNELIA TABOR, who is trying to win him back.

Dirk is torn between his love and belief that Bruce's suspicions are correct. He quarrels with Mary when she will not promise not to go on his yacht, the "Gypsy." Mary goes because Bowen tells her The Fly will be at Hialeah to see his horse run. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXVIII

As the rented roadster spun along the white Florida road toward Miami late in the afternoon of October 16 Mary was uneasily conscious of Bruce's presence beside her. He still wore his cynical air, but now with some reason, as she realized with vexation.

This visit to the Hialeah racetrack from which she had hoped so much had turned up exactly nothing. "The Fly will be there if he's alive," George Bowen had said. Well, they had spent the afternoon looking for him and obtained not so much as a glimpse. It was almost an impossible task to find anyone in the huge crowd and it was made more exasperating by the constant feel of Bruce's mocking eyes upon her.

In self-defense, Mary had kept her eyes glued to field-glasses—turned not upon the track, however, but upon the boxes. Satisfied that her quary was not there, she had systematically raked the stands, tier by tier. But The Fly, if he was present, had eluded her. What her next move should be, she did not know.

If silence prevailed in the front seat, however, there was compensating animation behind. The countess and Bates, who was a private detective when not posing as an inventor of a new form of air-craft, anxious to win Jupiter backing had evidently found the enforced proximity of the rumble seat conducive to quick acquaintance. They laughed and chatted like two children.

The countess was unduly pleased over her winnings on a horse which she had chosen by the simple process of shutting her eyes and poking at the list of entries with a pencil. The horse, a 10 to one shot, had come home in the money. The countess seemed to regard her luck as a good augury, or perhaps she needed the money. At any rate, her gayety rasped Mary's nerves. Mary had watched the little black filly, La Mosca, who was touted as the favorite, stumble when the race was half won and lag home far in the lee. She was not superstitious, but she almost believed in signs, too, for the moment.

Well, anyway, there it was on the chart —"La Mosca, filly 3-year-old, trainer, K. Jones, owner, H. D. Loma." At least, she had a name to go on. Had Bowen been there today to see the race run? She wondered where Bowen was and if he had given up the chase altogether. If he had come, as he said he might, she had seen nothing of him as yet but the 'Gypsy' had docked only the day before.

She sent the car along at breakneck pace, swinging past car after car on the crowded road in her hurry to get back to Miami and ask for mail at the hotel. Dirk had not

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Side Glances —By George Clark

"No, thank you. I'd rather be single and holding a job than staying home all day with a bunch of brats."

From Depths—And It's Human

This strange figure being pulled up from the watery depths is n more exciting than a man—even though the general effect ma more resemble an undersea monster than a human being. The m encased in one of the new metal-shell diver's outfits, a new dep in the business of exploration far under the surface. The diver is the new Italian salvage ship "Artigio," which is seeking buried tre

Catholics Oppose Christian Bodies

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 9. (AP) — A motion urging all priests and lay Catholics to wage a campaign against the young men's Christian association, the Young Women's Christian association and other similar organizations brought to Mexico from the United States was passed by the national Guadalupe congress here.

The congress is in session in connection with the celebration of the 400th anniversary of the supposed appearance of the virgin of Guadalupe.

The motion accused the societies named of injecting an anti-nationalist spirit into the country and encouraging athletic parades of both sexes where the participants "appear in public half nude."

Other motions passed condemned motion picture films "contrary to Christian morality," as well as "immoral fashions," alcohol and divorce.

TO SELL CHRISTMAS TREES

PLAINVIEW, Dec. 9. (Special.)—The American Legion post here will sponsor the sale of Christmas trees for decorations during the annual Christmas holiday season.

A car load of trees was ordered and will be sold.

Of 6,000 veterinary students in Soviet Russia, 2,400 are women.

Terracing Schools May Be Held In Dickens

(By Staff Correspondent)

SPUR, Dec. 9.Numerous f have spoken to Grady Lane, agent, concerning a series racing schools over the coun

"I hope to get some star January and February," Mr. said. "I am urging all the f who talk terracing to stay from countouring their land racing is a permanent work contour work is at best a tem affair and the work has to b over in a year or two."

Schools probably will be h half a dozen communities.

TO OPEN MINES

HENRYETTA, Okla., Dec. Coal mines in the Henryett triet will be reopened Friday ing.

Operators reached that last night after arbitration between them and miners' sentatives had failed to e strike which went into effe than a month ago when 800 quit work because the daily scale was reduced from $5 to

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written but she had not given up hoping. The party had discarded the idea of staying on the "Gypsy," and had taken rooms at the Ambassador. Already the busy pens of society reporters had broadcast the party's presence. If Dirk had been uncertain where to write her, he need be no longer. Now if he did not write she would know why.

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At the hotel Mary went immediately to ask for her mail and as she turned away from the window disappointed found Bates at her elbow.

"They've gone into the bar," he said. "Listen, have you got a camera?"

"No. Why? Heaven knows this is no pleasure trip for me!"

"Can you get one? And cook up some excuse for taking that woman's picture? I want to send it back to the police department in New York. I've seen her face somewhere, either in the line-up or maybe on one of those posters the Surete sends over for us to look at."

"Maybe you've just seen her in the roto sections," Mary suggested indifferently. "She's a sort of minor nobility, you know. At least, her husband was."

"Yes. Very minor." Bates agreed dryly. "Well, how about it?"

"I'll get one, of course, if you think it worth while. But hadn't you better forget the Countess and think of The Fly? Crook or no crook, you seemed to enjoy yourself with her this afternoon," she rallied him.

"Sure, I kid her along," he answered, unsmiling, "and you'd better, too. I'll bet she's a mean baby when she's riled."

Mary did not appear to be listening. Inside, she felt as if she were slowly turning to stone. If Dirk did not write tomorrow—if he didn't write at all—

Bates saw that she was not paying attention. He touched her arm. "You listening?" he said sharply. And when she gave him her attention he added, "What I mean is if anybody copped her boy-friend, now, she'd shoot—get me?"

Mary laughed.

"Nothing is further from my thoughts," she waved him away. Obviously he had misunderstood the mock gallantry with which Bruce treated her. Angrily, she resolved to free herself of Bruce. It was a nuisance, having him always at her heels and besides it meant associating with the Countess which was more than she could stomach.

Mr. Jupiter had included the woman in the party, partly as a gesture of conciliation toward Bruce, partly because her normal status as a matron gave Mary chaperonage, of a sort. Mary wondered whether he had not regretted his hospitality since for that lady, with a quick eye to her own advantage, had immediately set about winning over Bruce's father with the most unctuous coquetry at her command.

Well, he did not seem to be recoiling from it too visibly, she decided, as she glimpsed the white linen clad form of the old man seated on a divan in a far corner of the lobby, the Countess beside him. Although there was ample room on that long couch, she sat closely at his side, her plump white hand patting his arm. Bruce stood, looking about in a bored manner. With an effort Mary forced herself to go forward since they were evidently waiting for her.

"Ah, there you are!" the Countess cried as Mary and Bates came up. "You will come with us, yes?" She dislodged one hand from Jupiter's arm to place it supplicatingly upon Bates tweed sleeve. An expression of exaggerated eagerness lighted her face, the heavy red lips were parted childishly. She seemed to be asking some priceless boon, when as a matter of fact she was merely asking him to dinner. Mary looked away in disgust.

"We celebrated my winning," the other woman prattled on. She cuddled the old man's arm within her own, lowered her voice coquettishly. "These people must be made gay. They are very bad gamblers, these foolish ones—they bet on the favorite!" She lifted sleepy, malicious eyes to Mary, let them slip over the girl insolently, before turning to the old man again. "One should never bet on the favorite to win, Monsieur Jupiter, isn't that so?"

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Bruce interrupted smoothly, addressing no one in particular. "Louise proposes a dinner - party. She is entranced with the Ambassador roof which is all dressed up for tomorrow nights' fete. As a commentary upon her taste, I regret to say the decor consists principally of red balloons." The Countess and he exchanged a quick, unreadable glance. Mary was sure there was unfriendliness in it, but she had no interest in the love spats of such a disagreeable pair.

"Old Man" Jupiter lifted his stiff frame from the divan with an effort. "Let's go eat,' he said, shortly.

The Countess pouted. "Oh, but we must dress first!" she wailed, in mock dismay. Jupiter said, "Well, hurry up," and sank down again. The Countess' eyes glittered for an instant but she took Bruce's arm and departed. Evidently Jupiter meant to cling to his linens but Bates agreed cheerfully. He was enjoying himself.

Mary said wearily, "I'll go, too. I've quarts of dust down my back." She did not want to report her failure to Mr. Jupiter just then.

Under the door of her room she found a slip of paper, a printed blank headed "Telephone Calls." Beneath was written: "Call Mr. Bowen at Shore 61." So he was there! Happily she heard him answer her pleased "Hello!"

"Were you at the track this afternoon?" she asked. It seemed incredible that she could have missed him. Her eyes burned, her head ached, she was almost sun-blind from that constant searching, searching of faces. "Where were you?"

"Where was I? Back in the paddock, sister, getting an earful. Want to buy a horse?"

"A horse? What on earth for?"

"For the price of her oats. She won't be much good as a racer. De Loma kicked hell out of her for throwing the race, I understand. He must have had a wad of jack on her. Listen, is it true you've got the knick-knack with you?"

Mary hesitated. "What about it?"

"Well, he's flat. Stony. I hear the hotel's dogging him for the room rent. He tried to give them the old racket that his title gave the joint social glitter. He's calling himself Count De Loma. That's a laugh! The Ambassador's thrown out better titles than his. If it is his!"

"The Ambassador? He's here?"

"If they haven't chucked him out, bag and baggage. Better get the necklace out and give him a flash of it, quick. He'll lean at it. But lay your plans first, kid, for he'll mean business when he strikes!"

A slim hand encircled the girl's throat, where a pulse beat chokingly.

"You've got me—rattled," she gasped. "Come and tell me what I ought to do. I hadn't dreamed he was here! Why, he may be next door, right now, or—" She looked about fearfully and lowered her voice.

"Oh, no. He's in Parlor C. Throws a front, that guy. Where'll I see you? I am not stopping at the Ambassador, need I say? I'm here on my own; the paper wouldn't send me, so I quit."

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A bellboy stuck his head in the door in response to her "Come in," and said, "Your party's gone upstairs, Miss Harkness. They ask you to join them on the roof."

Mary nodded. She told Bowen her immediate plans, and arranged to slip away and meet him as soon as possible after dinner.

Trembling with suppressed excitement, she tugged at her big wardrobe trunk, hastily conning her small array of evening dresses. Her hand fell on the Paris dress. Well, if the C_ntess wanted a party, she should have one. She dressed with great care. She always felt like a schoolgirl beside that experienced lady, anyway, but it would help some to know she was looking well.

When she stepped out of the elevator she found Bates—a surprisingly altered Bates, resplendent in evening clothes—pacing the lounge, waiting for her.

"That dame gives me the creeps," he considered in an undertone as he met her. "I've tailed some shady propositions in my day, but—" he shook his head to indicate bafflement. "It's just like I said," he added disgustedly. "They're fighting already."

"Fighting? Who?"

"Him and her. Young Jupiter and the Countess. They went at it hot and heavy the minute she got in her room and he in h's. Their rooms are connecting, you know. He thinks she's making too much of a play for his father and she says what's he always hanging around after you for, if he hates you so much. You've got her going, kid!"

Mary's laugh bubbled up and over. "Oh, that's too funny!"

Still smiling, she followed the head waiter across the room toward the balcony table at which their party was seated. Heads turned as she passed. The room was only half filled, owing to the early hour, but within a moment after the first lackadaisical diner had looked up to see who was coming in, the last man in the farthest corner had received, by a sort of electric current, the word that a strikingly pretty girl was crossing the room and he was craning his neck to catch sight of her.

What he saw made him pause open-mouthed, and put down his fork. He recognized the girl instantly and sat for a few minutes wrapped in deep thought. When he could without making himself conspicuous, he managed to see who her companions were . . . and a fresh shock awaited him. The women in the silver dress . . . who was she? . . . could she possibly be . . . and what was she doing with the Harkness girl who was his own special prey?

He finished his meal hurriedly and looked again. It was she! The Countess, looking up just a moment later, missed the look that crossed his face and as quickly erased itself—the look of a particularly vicious dog who sees another running away with his bone. After the first surprised instant of recognition she smiled and cried out, in her usual note of false gaiety, "Enrique!" and half rose to greet him.

The man came forward, a mask settling down over his own features, and bowed over her hand. An odd flush came into her sallow cheeks as she presented him to the others.

"This is my most dear friend, Count Enrique De Loma!"

(To Be Continued)

More Than $20,000 In Money Orders Sent By Littlefield

(By Staff Correspondent)

LITTLEFIELD, Dec. 9. — More than $20,000 in money orders was sent from this city during November, a substantial increase over the same year in 1930, Miss Ruth Courtney, money order clerk, said.

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Live Down Town
Save Time—Avoid Exposure
Enjoy a room or suite in pleasant surroundings with every comfort and convenience. "It Really Costs No More."
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In Lubbock It's the
HOTEL LUBBOCK
Special attractive rates for permanent guests.
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Yellowhouse Lodge No. 941 A. F. and A. M. Stated communications the First Friday night each month. Will confer the Masters Degree at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, December 10. We invite you to come.
A. W. LOGAN, W. M.
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CEDAR CHRISTMAS TREES
3 ft. to 6 ft. in height
EXTRA NICE TREES
75c to $1.00
Trees decorated if desired.
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Large variety of Evergreens adaptable to this climate. All grown at our nursery at Brownfield, Texas. Call at office, Hotel Graham.
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Corner College Ave. and 8th St.
Years Experience in on the plains.

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4—Personal Notices

OUR New Menu

"WITH BUTTERED TOAST"

Chicken Sandwich	15c
Chicken Salad Sandwich	15c
Egg Sandwich	15c
Lettuce & Tomatoes	15c
Ham, (Fried)	15c
Ham, (Baked)	15c
Goose Liver	15c
Cheese	15c
Calf Bar-B-Q Sandwich	15c
Hog Bar-B-Q Sandwich	15c
Chili	15c
Tamales	15c
Hot Dog	15c
Hamburger	10c
Hamburgers, 3 for 25c to go	

Same Quality And Service

TAMALES 15c Dozen

Inside And Outside Service

"We Deliver" 50c Orders or More

Phone 1979

CALF STAND

Corner Main Street & Ave. Q

3—Lost and Found

$5.00 REWARD

For return or information leading to return of "TOKON" Fine German Police Dog. Dark gray wolf, tan feet. Age 14 months. Notify Avalanche-Journal or phone 2063 or 2702-21st. St.

LOST—Grey hat, on bank of canyon, on east Broadway, front of Roy Montgomery's shop. Return to Avalanche-Journal.

LOST—Sack of clothing, between Lubbock and Seymour. Finder notify Mrs. Ethel Wooten, Seymour, Texas. Reward.

LOST: Bunch of keys and padlock Saturday. Reward. Phone 1192-W.

LOST—Eastern Star Ring. Liberal Reward. Mrs. O. L. Davis, Sudan, Texas.

Avalanche-Journal Want Ads Phone 13 To buy, sell or exchange anything, use or 14

4—Personal Notices

Don't Forget
that we will give
REPORTS
on the
Lubbock-Abilene
Foot Ball
Game
Saturday
PHONE
2700
TECH TIME SERVICE
Phone 2700

TRIPLOIL
Change your motor oil often this winter. It becomes contaminated with gasoline, water and carbon. TRIPLOIL is inexpensive and will Lubricate your car at a low cost per mile. .15c per Quart. .50c per Gallon. .35c per gallon for 5 gallons or more.
LUBBOCK TRIPLOIL CO.
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MRS. DAVIS the great Psychologist and Reader, of Amarillo, at Lubbock Hotel, room 1005.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

4-B—Travel Opportunities

LUBBOCK TRAVEL BUREAU
Share Expenses Plan
References Required
909 1-2 Broadway Room 3 Phone 1661

6—Beauty Parlors

EUGENE PERMANENT WAVE
$1.48
(Shampoo and set included)
ALL WORK GUARANTEED
BAILEY BEAUTY SHOPPE
Phone 2211 1630 15th St.

BUSINESS SERVICE

10—Tailors, Hatters, Dyers

Special
Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays
DAMP WASH
3c PER LB.
MINIMUM BUNDLE 50c
SUITS & PLAIN DRESSES C. & P. & DELIVERED 50c
LUBBOCK LAUNDRY CO.
PHONE 614

12—Woman's Column

DRESSMAKING

Excellent sewing at depression prices.

See
MRS. WILSON
720 Ave. K.

12-A—Washing Wanted

HOME laundry service. Bring laundry to 1809 19th St., or call Mrs. D. W. Fortenberry.

FOR QUALITY LAUNDRYING — Call Harvey and Brinlee. Phone 2245 2102 Ave. O

EMPLOYMENT

14—Situations Wanted

MUST EARN ROOM AND BOARD

Young lady must have place to earn room and board or will be forced to discontine college work. Good housekeeper and willing to work.
Call
Phone 335
COLLEGE DRAUGHON'S

POSITION WANTED

Salesman familiar with Lubbock trade territory calling on grocerias, cafes, etc., desires connection with local firm. Experienced making sale and delivery calls. Telephone 73.

LADY desires position, housekeeper. Phone 1655.

FINANCIAL

15—Insurance & Investments

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY

Gilt first mortgage notes. Lubbock property. $2,000 bearing 10 per cent interest, 5 per cent bonus to handle by January 1st.
ADDRESS P. O. BOX 2408

An INSURANCE Check Might "Save the Day" Don't Wait a Day—Call
REED INVESTMENT COMPANY
INSURANCE City and Farm Loans
1310 AVENUE J Phone 824

AGENTS WANTED

Life, Health and Accident protection in one contract. Age 35, standard risk, $2,500.00 life protection and $50.00 month for disability from sickness or accidents, for quarterly premium of $14.16. Provident Life and Accident, 1209 1-2 Broadway, Lubbock.
CALVIN HENSON
General Agent

A Want Ad in time saves many a dime—Rent your Apartment—Phone 13 or 14.

EXTRA XMAS MONEY

Have extra money for Christmas, rent that SPARE BEDROOM . . . . . or Apartment . . . . . or sell that old furniture, that you haven't used in years. Someone may want exactly what you wish to dispose of.

IN BUYING YOUR XMAS GIFT—USE THE "SHOPPERS GUIDE"

To Buy, Sell, Trade or Rent Anything, Use

Avalanche-Journal WANT ADS

Phone 13 or 14

FINANCIAL

16-A—Automobile Loans

AUTO LOANS
Any amount, twelve months to pay. Low rates. Prompt service. Out-of-town loans solicited.
NOLAN E. WHITLOW
410 Myrick Bldg Phone 612

AUTO LOANS
Prompt, Courteous, Confidential Service
GUY L. McAFEE
Insurance Loans Bonds
1313 Texas Ave Phone 896

AUTO LOANS
CASH IN TEN MINUTES
LEFTWICH NORTON FINANCE CO
1308 Broadway Phone 202
(Across street from Lubbock Sanitarium)

AUTO LOANS
QUICK SERVICE
Notes refinanced, more money advanced also small loans $10 to $75
INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS
L. E. DAVIS
1308 Texas Ave Phone 261

MISCELLANEOUS

18—Furniture For Sale

We Buy and Sell
USED FURNITURE
SPIKES BROS.
1212 Ave H. Phone 860

TECH FURNITURE CO.
Victor and Columbia Phonograph records 10c each. Silver Tone table model phonograph and 25 records $5.00. Used Axminister rugs, 9x12 $45.00 values, same as new, $17.50. Used Fern stand, $2. Odd buffet in walnut, $10. New unfurnished 5 piece breakfast set, $9. Your credit is good. 19th and College. Phone 2114.

WE BUY AND SELL SECOND-HAND FURNITURE
MILLER
Second Hand Furniture Store
1309-A Ave. G

BARGAINS
—IN—
SECOND-HAND FURNITURE
MORGAN
Furniture Shop
2215 19th Phone 2418

19—Livestock For Sale

FOR SALE: Full blood German police dog, or would trade for good electric radio. Box 276, Post, Texas.

20—Musical Instruments

RARE OLD VIOLIN

Authentically genuine. For sale at a very reasonable price. If interested write—
BOX F. W. F.
Care Avalanche-Journal

21—Miscellaneous For Sale

SLIGHTLY used frigidaire. Bargain. Inquire Star Hotel or 1301 23rd.

RENTALS

23—Board and Room

NICE warm room, good board, close in. Pavement. 1212 16th.

NICELY furnished room. Board by day or week. 1622 13th.

WANTED to buy, Good used bookcase, Phone 235-W.

RENTALS

24—Furnished Houses For Rent

5 room house, nicely furnished. College Ave. and Ninth. See owner, 905-B College Ave.

24-A—Unfurnished Houses For Rent

PARTLY furnished 4 room modern house with garage. 2605 14th. Phone 381.

SIX-ROOM brick plastered, 1111 19th St., $30.00. See Mrs. Milam next door or write Dr. J. R. Lemmon, Amarillo.

MODERN 6 room house. Close in, newly decorated. Call 1417-J.

FOR RENT: 5 room modern house 2314 10th. Apply 2312 10th or 1819 14th.

5 ROOM brick, plastered, pavement, garage, $35.00. 1111 19th St. See Mrs. Milam, next door.

25—Bedrooms For Rent

NICE FRONT BEDROOM

Prices reasonable. Prefer two ladies. On paved street, near boarding house. Phone 933-M, or call at 2205 10th street.

2 NICELY furnished light housekeeping rooms, $15.00. Bills paid. Garage. 2214 Main.

NICELY furnished bedroom, private, brick home, close in. Phone 190.

FURNISHED southeast bedroom, all modern conveniences, with or without garage. 2131 18th. Phone 1014

ELEGANTLY furnished bedroom with garage. 1901 17th street.

PRIVATE furnished room with or without kitchen privilege. 1611 Ave. M.

26—Furnished Apartments

FURNISHED light housekeeping room, $12.50. Bills paid. 2130 26th St.

FURNISHED 2 room apartment, $18.50. All bills paid. Phone 558.

3 ROOM modern apartment upstairs, frigidaire, all bills paid, $25.00. 2501 22nd. Phone 1815-J.

DESIRABLE furnished apartment for rent with garage. On paved street. Private entrance. 1919 14th St.

3 ROOM furnished duplex, Garage. Couple preferred. 2219 15th. 2287-J.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment. Near schools. 1819 17th St.

FIVE-ROOM furnished brick duplex, on pavement, close in, near schools. Phone 1672-W.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment. Private bath, garage. 1007 Ave. S.

YOUR money's worth, nicely furnish brick duplex. Frigidaire, bill paid. 1901 17th. Phone 1411-J.

3 ROOM furnished apartment, near schools, $4.00 week. 1909 Dixie Drive.

FURNISHED apartment, private entrance, close in, bills paid 1320 Ave. O.

FURNISHED downstairs brick duplex. 905-B College Ave. Phone 276-W.

26-A—Unfurnished Apartments

NICE DUPLEX

Lovely furnished or unfurnished 4 room brick duplex, east side. On pavement. Close to schools. Rent very reasonable. 1713 14th St. Phone 1672-W. Apply 1620 Ave. Q.

3 ROOM brick duplex. 1806 Ave. K. Phone 69 or 433-J.

27-A—Farms For Rent

GOOD FARM

320 acre farm, one mile from city limits, with nice six-room house with running water, bath. Four grazing patches planted in barley, 30 acres of wheat. Prefer to rent for money. See—
HOMER GRANT
Panhandle Construction Company
Lubbock

FOR RENT
321 acres, the finest farm in Cochran county, 3 miles of the county seat, if will buy rent feed. J. A. Henson, Tourist Hotel, Lubbock, Texas.

Shopping bargains—pleasant evenings—reading Avlanche-Journal Want Ads.

Shoppers Guide for GIFT BUYERS

For Her

"Many Nice Gifts" FOR HER —at— CORNER DRUG 13th St. and Ave. H

MANY, MANY GIFTS "FOR HER" See Our Choice Selection CAMMACK DRUG Broadway and Avenue G

"THE HELPFUL GIFT" FOR HER A Thorough Business Training Course DRAUGHON'S COLLEGE Phone 335

"THE SUPREME GIFT" FOR HER —in— FURNITURE —from— SPIKES BROS. FURNITURE COMPANY 1212 Avenue H

GIVE "HER" YOUR PHOTOGRAPH The Nicest of All Gifts BROWN STUDIO 1205A 13th Phone 872

"The Best Isn't Too Good" FOR HER So Give Her a "FRIGIDAIRE" The cash payment doesn't amount to as much as you would spend for Xmas Gifts, anyway. Convenient terms. DAVIS BROTHERS 1105-07 Main Phone 1425

"The Best of Gifts" FOR HER A PERMANENT WAVE $6.50 to $12.50 Oldest Beauty Shop in Lubbock MI-LADY BEAUTY SHOPPE 1107 Ave. K Phone 873

A GIFT FOR HER THAT PROTECTS "A Providential Life and Health INSURANCE POLICY" CALVIN HENSON, Gen. Agt. 1209 1-2 Broadway

THE GIFT OF GIFTS FOR "HER" YOUR PHOTOGRAPH Nicest, But It Is Inexpensive At— DANIEL STUDIOS Bush Bldg. Phone 1244

"THE GIFT SHE HAS BEEN WANTING" "AN ELECTRIC SINGER SEWING MACHINE" SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. 1214 Texas Ave. Phone 651

"ELECTRICAL GIFTS" Are Always Appreciated By "Her" Buy Something Useful This Year FLETCHER ELECTRIC SHOP 1214-A Texas Ave. Phone 569

LUBBOCK'S BIGGEST SALE In Furniture Now On At LUBBOCK FURNITURE CO. 1106 Texas Ave Phone 833

A PERMANENT WAVE FOR HER $3.00 to $7.50 No Delays—Five Competent Operators BOBBER BEAUTY SHOPPE 1118 Ave. K Phone 1196

For Her

"AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT" "PERMANENT WAVE" All Lines Of Beauty Culture HUB BEAUTY SHOP 1218-A Texas Ave. Phone 726

"THE CHOICE OF ALL GIFTS" FOR HER FURNITURE And You'll Find Bargains At GRIGG'S FURNITURE COMPANY 1106 Main St.

GIVE "HER" YOUR PHOTOGRAPH "The Gift of Gifts" ART STUDIO 1308 Ave. K Phone 301

THE GIFT OF GIFTS "FOR HER" A PIANO Small down payment, and convenient monthly payments at the— SOUTH PLAINS MUSIC CO. Next Door to Postoffice

For Him

AN UNDERWOOD PORTABLE TYPEWRITER Just What He Wants UNDERWOOD-SUNDSTRAND COMPANY Phone 337 1115 Ave. J

"REMINGTON NOISELESS PORTABLE" FOR HIM $5.00 down—$5.00 month —at— REMINGTON-RAND, INC. 1303 Texas Ave. Phone 944

"MANY DANDY GIFTS" FOR HIM —at— CORNER DRUG 13th St. and Ave. H

JUST THE GIFT FOR "YOUR BOY" A CHOICE STAMP COLLECTION $1.50 to $50.00 LELAND J. MAST Phone 1672-W

FOR "HIM" YOUR PHOTOGRAPH He Will Be Pleased DANIEL STUDIOS Bush Bldg. Phone 1244

"THE HELPFUL GIFT" FOR HIM A THOROUGH BUSINESS TRAINING COURSE DRAUGHON'S COLLEGE Phone 335

"THE CHOICE OF GIFTS" FOR THAT BOY OR GIRL A GOOD USED BICYCLE We Have Them LUBBOCK BICYCLE SHOP Phone 948 911 13th St.

Give "Him" A TAILOR MADE SHIRT He'll Appreciate a Made-to-Order Suit New Low Prices COLLEGE TAILORS 1109 College Ave. Phone 1696

For Him

JUST WHAT "HE" WANTS A PHOTOGRAPH OF YOU BROWN'S STUDIO 1005-A 13th Phone 872

"HE" WANTS YOUR PHOTOGRAPH It's "The Gift of Gifts" ART STUDIO 1308 Ave. K Phone 301

A HALF-SOLE JOB Is a nice gift for anyone YELLOW JACKET SHINE PARLOR O. A. Woody, Owner 1118-A Broadway

"JUST WHAT HE WANTS" A ROYAL PORTABLE TYPEWRITER $10.00 Down—$5.00 Month TYPEWRITER SALES CO. Phone 76 1008 13th

Miscellaneous

LET ME HELP
I can loan you money on your automobile to help take care of the needless Christmas expenses.
NOLAN E. WHITLOW
410 Myrick Bldg. Phone

For the Family

A RADIO OR VICTROLA "FOR THE FAMILY" Convenient Terms At MEIER MUSIC COMPANY 1103 Main St. Phone

"THE PLEASING GIFT" FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY A HOME Many Bargains in Re-Possessed Homes See Me P. H. SAMMONS Leader Bldg. Phone

"THE WHOLE FAMILY" Will Enjoy "A BUICK EIGHT" (As Buick Builds It) With the Wizard Control RATLIFF-ROGERS BUICK COMPANY 10th at J Phone

A ROYAL PORTABLE TYPEWRITER In The New Duo-Case $10.00 down—$5.50 per month TYPEWRITER SALES CO. Phone 76 1008 13th

For the Home

"WE SELL SLEEP" A Very Good Christmas Gift Old Mattresses Made New— New Mattresses Made to Order DIRECT MATTRESS CO. 1715 Ave. H Phone

For the Car

AN XMAS GIFT FOR THE CAR "A NEW EXIDE BATTERY" CONNER BATTERY COMPANY Phone 1704 812 13th

"JUST THE GIFT FOR YOUR CAR" A SET OF NEW FISK TIRES They're Cheap At BEARD'S SERVICE STATION Broadway and Avenue G

REAL ESTATE

29—Houses For Sale

JUST FORECLOSED
8 ROOMS
This fine two-story Brick 100 ft. lot. (Two lots), Oak floors throughout, located in O'Neal Terrace. Loan Co. says sell for $3500, small cash payment.
FOR RENT
Houses furnished and unfurnished, all kinds.
J. W. BAZE
Leader Bldg. Phone 269
Res. 334-W

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Look at this list of homes and come talk with us about them.
2223 9th St. extra nice six room brick $3500.00, $200 cash balance $30.00 per month.
1726 27th St. extra nice five room brick $2750.00, $125.00 cash $20.00 per month.
2117, 13th St. six room stucco, heart of the city at $2500.00 the lot sold for $1500.00. $200.00 cash $25.00 per month.
This is just a few of our special bargains. We have others and will be glad to show them to you.
GREEN BROS.
Hotel Lubbock Bldg. Phone 145
We have the best bargains in homes in Lubbock. Make us prove it.

REAL ESTATE

29—Houses For Sale

REPOSSESSED HOMES

We will sell these re-possessed homes at a sacrifice to responsible people. Practically no down payment required and balance in monthly payments.

"The Price and Location are the Things that Count."

These houses have all been thoroughly reconditioned and if you ever expect to buy a home, now is the time to do so. See—
P. H. SAMMONS
214 Conley Bldg. Phone 707

SACRIFICE

Beautiful new grey brick veneer home. Between College Ave. and Ave. Q, on prominent street. Five rooms, oak floors over sub-floor. Best construction; shingle roof. Only 6 months old. Make price of $2350.00, with down payment of $600.00. Tel. 2494-J or 446. Write Box No. X-46, Avalanche-Journal.

ATTRACTIVE BRICK VENEER HOME

Will sell attractive 6 room brick veneer home well located at 2422 22nd street for bargain price. Will take $400.00 cash to handle deal. See owners at 308 Myrick building.

Don't depend on the "For Rent" sign in your window, rent that room by using a Want Ad.

REAL ESTATE

29—Houses For Sale

TODAY'S BARGAINS

No one can sell you better bargains in repossessed homes than I can.
No. 1—A six-room and a four-room house, veneer on one corner lot, garage for two cars, paved street. Actual cost $4750.00. Price $4,500.00; only $750.00 cash, and I have several other bargains like this.
SEE—
T. W. SAWYER
Phone 205

FOR SALE OR TRADE

$1750 equity in $4,000 5-room residence, on paved street, near High schools. Balance $28.36 monthly. Will sell cheap or trade for clear lots or cheaper place, or acreage near city. Write
BOX B L N
Avalanche-Journal

NOTICE

I have a client that wants a well constructed and modern brick veneer home, about six rooms. Well located between Broadway and Nineteenth Sts., and west of Avenue Q. Price must be right. See me.
T. W. SAWYER
Phone 205

33—Real Estate

DON'T READ THIS

Radio—trade for milk. Edison Graffanolla, trade for money. Bargains in houses, lots, acreage. Several medium priced houses to rent. See—
O. V. BAGWELL
1207 Ave. G

PROMPT EFFICIENT SERVICE
WILSON ABSTRACT CO.
"Oldest Abstract Plant In Lubbock"
"Ask Us About Title Insurance"
904 13th St. Phone 328

Cotton Trading Is Light On Cotton Market Livestock Steers Sell At Steady Levels Grain General Sales Cut Wheat Price

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 9 (AP)—Trading was light in the cotton market today and price fluctuations were narrow most of the session with a slight downward trend mainly because of weakness in the stock market. Cables were lower but little attention was paid to foreign news. There was some trade buying on the scale down which helped to support the market and it is reported that there were buying orders under the market. The close was steady at net declines for the day of 5-7 points.

Jan. closed at 5.92, down 5 points net for the day, March at 6.09 down 7 points net and May at 6.28, down 6 points net.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Cotton was generally lower today under further liquidation of long accounts combined with some southern and scattered selling.

January contracts sold off to 5.88 in the late trading making a net decline of 8 points and closed at that figure, with the general market closing barely steady at net losses of 6-10 points.

The opening was steady 2 points lower to 1 point higher. Closing quotations were at the lowest price of the day. At 89 for January the price showed a decline of 117 points from the high level touched on the rally of late October and was within 31 points of the low record of the season.

Official Records

Warranty Deeds

Filed in the office of the county clerk Tuesday, Dec. 8. Compiled by Wilson Abstract company, 994 Thirteenth street.

Carl W. George to Eva Herd, Nov. 18, 1931, $300 and other consideration, lot 6, south one-half lot 5, block 4, South Slaton addition.

O. H. Jones to H. D. Talley et al, Feb. 12, 1929, for cancellation of notes, lots 1 and 2, block 91, original town of Slaton.

M. H. Adkisson et ux to R. B. Ribble, Sept. 6, 1929, $800, lots 21, 22, 23 and 24, block 4, Acuff heights.

R. Parker to J. F. Anthony, Dec. 7, 1931, $10 and other consideration, lot 10, block 54, McCrummen second addition.

New Autos Registered

Buick sedan by R. A. Watson of Lubbock, owner.

Courts

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, LUBBOCK DIVISION

Clarence Goins vs. West Texas Gas company, Inc., suit for damages.

COUNTY COURT

Lubbock National Bank vs. C. B. Yarbrough, suit on note.

Lubbock National Bank vs. Citizens National Bank, garnishee, and C. B. Yarbrough, garnishment.

Report On Roads

This report is furnished daily by the South Plains Automobile club, local branch of the American Automobile association.

Roads throughout South Plains are passable but rough in spots.

Highway No. 137, 21 miles detour from Lubbock to Hockley county line on account of paving—good when dry, difficult when wet.

Route recommended to Oklahoma City, due to detours on U. S. Highway 66. Follow State road 53 to Dickens, State road 108 and 24 to Seymour. No. 277 from Seymour to Wichita Falls, State road 79 to Devol, Oklahoma, same road to Waurika, Oklahoma, U. S. highway 31 to Chickasha, going to Oklahoma City by way of Amber, Tuttle and New Castle. Paving east to Chickasha, detour mostly gravel.

Best route to Dallas: Follow Highway No. 7 to Post, No. 84 from Post to Clairemont, No. 84-A from Clairemont through Rotan to Roby. State road 83 to Anson, No. 18 from Anson through Albany to Breckenridge, No. 1-A to Mineral Wells and U. S. No. 80 to Dallas.

Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (AP)—
STOCKS weak; many prominent issues at new lows.
BONDS heavy; rails weak.
CURB heavy; several leaders touch new lows.
FOREIGN exchanges firm; sterling advancing.
COTTON barely steady; Wall street selling.
SUGAR steady; trade buying.
COFFEE higher; Brazilian support.
CHICAGO—
WHEAT weak; bearish Kansas state reports; forecast beneficial rains.
CORN easy; prediction larger receipts; weakness other grains.
CATTLE weak to lower.
HOGS lower.

Security And Commodity Markets Are Going Downward; Stocks Touch Lows

By JOHN L. COOLEY
Associated Press Financial Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Security and commodity markets reacted again today, stocks finally breaking through the October 5 lows, as measured by the averages.

Emergency tax plans of the federal government to help meet the deficit, a gloomy crop of trade reports and further unfavorable railroad dividend news appeared to bear down the spirits of traders and investigators who dribbled their offerings into a market that offered feeble resistance at best. The volume of 2,372,180 shares was the largest in just a month, but nevertheless too small to indicate a "selling climax."

The Standard Statistics - Associated Press composite of 90 issues closed at 69.7 compared with the old low of 70, the day's net loss being 1.9. Final prices generally were up from the mid-afternoon minimums. Bonds weakened and wheat lost more than 2 cents a bushel.

Local Markets

These prices are furnished by the following Lubbock firms: Poultry — Lubbock Poultry and Egg company, delivered Lubbock; Dairy Products—Ball Ice Cream company; Grain—S. E. Cone Grain and Seed company, following prices being asked by Lubbock grain dealers. Cotton—Slocker Cotton company. All prices subject to change during day.

POULTRY	
Hens, 4 lbs. and up	11c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	9c
Colored springs	12c
Leghorn springs	9c
Stags	7c
Corks	6c
Capons, 8 lbs. and over	17c
Capons, under 8 lbs.	14c
Slips	12c
No. 1 Young Tom turkeys, 14 lbs. and up	16c
Old toms	11c
No. 2 and light turkeys	9c
No. 1 Hen turkeys, 9 lbs. and up	16c
Geese and ducks	6c
Guineas, each	20c
Fresh country eggs, per dozen	25c
Green hides, No. 1	1c
Green hides, bulls and damaged	1c
Horse and mule hides, each	25c
DAIRY PRODUCTS	
Butterfat, station price, No. 1	18c
Butterfat, station price, No. 2	15c
Butterfat, direct shippers, No. 1	23c
Sweet cream, butterfat	30c
GRAIN	
Threshed milo maize	35c-37c
Threshed kafir	35c-37c
Maize heads	$4-$4.50
Kafir heads	$4-$4.50
Wheat	33c-36c
Corn, No. 2 white	32c-33c
Corn, No. 2 mixed	30c-30c
COTTON	
Middling, 7-8 staple	5.10c
Middling, short staple	4.80c
Lower grades	3.30c-4.30c

Wednesday's local grain receipts:
Sudan — 2 cars
Kafir — 1 car
Oats — 1 car

Santa Claus

(Continued from Page One)

Collier, A. W. Brewer, George Moore, L. E. Davis, L. G. Haynes, M. B. Hilburn, J. C. Sanders, Overton Ribble.

Plans for keeping open streets during the parade and for general control of crowds and vehicular traffic here Friday were discussed Wednesday at a meeting of Police Chief John Lemond, Executive D. T. Jennings of the Scouts, Charles Whitacre of the Lubbock scout committee and members of the chamber of commerce staff.

Several hundred Boy Scouts from Lubbock and other South Plains towns will be here to aid peace officers in controlling the crowds.

Debate Is Scheduled Friday Night At Farm Bureau Meet

Six members of the Texas Technological college cooperative marketing class of the agriculture school will debate the question, "Resolved, that the agricultural marketing act should be repealed," at the Lubbock county Farm Bureau federation meeting Friday night at Acuff. N. H. Payne is chairman of the program committee.

The debate will last 50 minutes. Team members are: Affirmative, E. C. Cauble, jr., captain; Fred De Lashaw and Silas Williamson; negative, James Potts, Milton Lee Campbell and E. C. Keuble. Dr. J. O. Ellsworth is instructor of the class.

"Soil Resources" will be discussed by Sterling C. Evans, district county agent leader, and H. J. Bower, professor of agronomy at Texas Tech, will speak on "Soil Formations." George C. Cooper is president of the federation.

Man Is Indicted For Murder After Electra Girl's Death

WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 9 (AP).—An indictment charging R. H. Page of Electra with murder in connection with the death of Miss Evelyn Patton of Electra in an automobile accident Nov. 13 was returned here today by the 89th district grand jury.

Miss Patton died of injuries after Page's car crashed into the rear end of one in which she had been riding. Her escort, Eschol Holbrook, was injured.

Toy Democrat Donkey Takes Place In Garner's Office

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP) — A well stuffed toy Democrat donkey, with hide and mane like a mustang, was the first thing to be installed in the speaker's office today as Texas Jack Garner started moving in.

This symbol was given to Garner last Christmas by little Harry Floyd Sexton, 5-year-old son of the minority clerk.

Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 9 (AP)—Strictly good and choice fed steers and yearlings sold at mostly steady levels. General bulk of supply consisted of medium to good short feds at steady to 25 lower levels with most of them at 5.00-7.75 and an occasional load of strong weight steers at 8.00-8.50. Inclement weather has played an important part in bringing about a slow, narrow trade for stocker and feeder steers. Today's trade maintained a dull, weak trend. Around 40,600 cattle were estimated at eleven markets as compared with 14,700 last Wednesday.

Steady to 10 lower figures characterized general hog trade with best butchers in Chicago and St. Louis up to 4.35.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (AP)—Hogs—300; truck hogs steady; no rails hogs offered; truck top 4.75 to small killers; bulk good to choice 180-270 lb truck butchers to packers 4.50-4.55.

Cattle—2,400; slaughter steers and yearlings dull and weak at full recent declines; slaughter steers around 4.00-5.50; better grades fat yearlings very scarce, some fairly good grades around 5.00; butcher heifers 3.00-4.25; other classes cattle mostly steady; few good fat cows 3.50; butcher grades 2.50-3.00; stock steers and yearlings 4.00-4.50, about steady; demand for stock calves and yearlings rather slack; mixed stock calves 5.00 and less; slaughter calves weak to 25 lower; heavies 4.00-4.50; cull sorts 2.50-3.00.

Brisk Attack

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gress. Huddleston said the president would lend money to railroads, banks and building companies but would not help needy people.

Quick to seize the opening, three New England Republicans, Beedy of Maine and Luce and Underhill of Massachusetts, charged the Democrats sanctioned the dole.

Only One Opposed

Beedy asked the Democrats if any of them opposed Huddleston's stand. Only one, Lamneck, a new member from Ohio, said "no." Bristling, Representative Oliver, Democrat, Alabama, charged Beedy had asked a "cheap demagogic question, that is unfair.

"You can't saddle the dole on us by our silence," Oliver shouted to Beedy. Oliver asserted Huddleston was speaking his individual views and not the party's policy.

Underhill leaped into the fray with a charge "the Democratic party has abandoned the entire principles of Thomas Jefferson for the principles of Karl Marx."

Luce shouted he hoped his Republican colleagues would tell the country, "the keynote speech of the Democratic party delivered by the gentleman from Alabama (Huddleston) advocated the dole. The Democratic leader knew what he was going to speak about and endorsed the speech."

Denies Knowledge

Turning on the trio, Huddleston denied the Democrats knew what he intended to discuss, adding:

"They attack me as a demagogue because their mental poverty keeps them from arguing my ideas," Huddleston said. "They talk about Karl Marx—why some of them don't know the difference between socialism and rheumatism."

Defending Hoover, Representative Tilson of Connecticut, former Republican leader, said the proceedings were an "unusual exhibition and one which will not bring much encouragement to the country as to what to expect from the party now in control of the house."

Moratorium Message Will Be Given Congress Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP)—While a contest against President Hoover's moratorium proposal brewed today in the senate, the chief executive put the finishing strokes to a special message asking its ratification, which he will submit tomorrow.

It was the understanding on capitol hill that the president's special message, dealing with foreign relations in general, will center particularly upon the moratorium. Mr. Hoover feels the economic situation in Germany is of primary importance in settlement of American economic problems. He was reported ready to urge that all reasonable and possible aid be given that country.

German Business Realizes That Independence Is Gone

BERLIN, Dec. 9. (AP)—German business realized today its independence was gone.

Twenty-four hours of meditation on the drastic emergency decree issued last night by President Von Hindenburg brought home the fact that two men now rule Germany, economically as well as politically.

These men are Chancellor Heinrich Bruening and Dr. Carl Goerdeler, the "price dictator" who has absolute control over all business, from the most mighty to most minute.

BAYLES IS BURIED

NEWTON, Ill., Dec. 9. (AP)—The body of Lowell Bayles, 30, noted aviator, was burned today in the little Newton cemetery close to the Embarrass river, where he swam and fished as a boy.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 9 (AP)—More than 2 1-2 cents new slash in wheat values today came about from extensive general selling that accompanied crumbling of securities. Contracts for May wheat the principal future delivery, went as low as 84 3-8 cents a bushel, compared with 92 cents just a month ago. Export buying of United States wheat was virtually at a standstill, with Canada capturing the only North American overseas business, and with Liverpool noting urgent offerings of new crop wheat from Argentina.

Wheat closed nervous 2-3 3-8 cents under yesterday's finish, corn 7-8@1 3-8 down, oats 1 1-8@1 3-8 off, and provisions unchanged to 12 cents decline.

Tax Program

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rates on tobaccos except cigars.

Increase of one cent in stamp tax on sales or transfers of capital stock.

Extension of the present tax on admissions through reduction of the present exemption to 10 cents.

Tax on manufacturers' sales of automobiles, trucks and accessories at five, three and two and one-half per cent, respectively.

A stamp tax on conveyances of realty of 50 cents for each $500 of value in excess of $100.

A tax of five per cent on manufacturers' sales of radio and phonograph equipment and accessories.

A stamp tax of two cents on each check and draft.

A tax on telephone, telegraph, cable and radio messages of five cents for charges of 14 to 50 cents and 10 cents for charges of over 50 cents.

Secretary Mellon also recommended a super-tax on inheritances to bring in $11,000,000 for the last half of the 1933 fiscal year and an increase in postal rates to provide $150,000,000 a year.

Republican independents in the senate refused to accept portions of the plan. Senator Borah said he wants "some radical changes" before it gets his vote.

Late in the day Representative Hawley, Republican chairman of the ways and means committee in the last congress, explained the income tax proposals to the house. He said these would affect 3,600,000 persons, of whom less than 300,000 would pay 90 per cent of the taxes.

The ways and means committee may get under way next week on putting the legislation into bill form. Protracted hearings are likely.

Powers Weeps

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windowless garage—that of Mrs. Dorothy Pressler Lemke, divorcee of Northboro, Mass.

Two Others Named

Powers' laid responsibility on the shoulders of "two other fellows" whom he named as Cecil Johnson and Charles Rogers.

Rogers had a key and free access, the defendant claimed, to the so-called death house near the ditch where the bodies were disinterred.

He accused Johnson of stealing Mrs. Lemke from him in Uniontown, Pa. He never saw the divorcee after that, he said with a slight sob.

He had met Rogers near Canton, Ohio, in 1925, he explained, and "he was such a nice fellow," that the unhappy Powers told him the story of his marital difficulties.

List Is Shown

The pudgy little defendant, who pictured himself as a dashing cavalier in the love letters he sent around the country, told how Rogers showed him a matrimonial bureau list bearing the names of Mrs. Lemke and Mrs. Asta Buick Eicher, Park Ridge, Ill., who also was slain and buried near the Quiet Dell garage, along with her three children.

He joined the matrimonial society and described himself in the application as a handsome civil engineer. He said he could not estimate the number of women to whom he had written, after receiving their biographies and descriptions.

He denied he had made any promise of marriage to Mrs. Lemke.

The deposits of nearly $4,000 he made in a local bank after Johnson allegedly had made off with the divorcee—money the state claims he obtained by cashing checks Mrs. Lemke gave him—Powers said consisted mostly of money he had "around the kitchen at home."

Eagle Special

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association sent handlers and guards to take care of it.

A dry field was in sight for the game yesterday, when sunny skies and a south wind drew moisture from the field. Forecast for Thursday calls for cloudy weather.

Choice seats in the middle of the field sold early and only west side seats are available between the 20 and ten yard lines at each end of the field. Only 958 of these seats remained unsold last night. Bowen's report 210 of the 360 box seats sold and the remaining group is between the 10 and 35 yard lines.

Wires and telephone calls have been received from nearly every Panhandle and South Plains town for tickets. Reservation was made Wednesday for a group of Wichita Falls fans, while other reservations have been made for Fort Worth and Dallas sportsmen.

Workmen were busy at the field Wednesday installing a new entrance to prevent a recurrence of the congestion experience in the Amarillo game. The new gate is just west of the car gate and only holders of west stand tickets will be admitted there. East stand ticket holders will be admitted through the regular gate.

Pick Up Parents' Broadway Trails

Like father, like son seems to have held true this season on the Broadway stage, where four children of theatrical celebrities have been appearing. Helen Cohan (upper left), youngest daughter of George M. Cohan, supported her father in "Friendship." Margalo Gillmore (upper right), daughter of Frank Gillmore, has been in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." Owen Davis, jr. (lower left), was in "Just To Remind You," written by his father, and Ethel Barrymore Colt (lower right) is in George White's "Scandals."

COWBOY NAMED

SALINAS, Cal., Dec. 9 (AP)—Johnnie Schneider, Livermore, Cal., will be declared world's champion cowboy at the convention of the Rodeo Association of America at Tucson, Ariz., Feb. 18-19, 1932, Fred S. McCargar, secretary of the association was informed here today.

Cordial Smiles Fade When Senate Deadlock Continues

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP).—A tinge of grimness attached itself today to the senate deadlock arising from the silent, unyielding opposition of western Republican independents to the reelection of Senator Moses as president pro tempore.

The smiles of apparent cordiality which yesterday wreathed the faces of the principals in this deep-seated personal row faded as four more ballots failed to produce a majority for any candidate.

New Orleans Racing Pilot Plans For A Record Flight

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9. (AP)—J. R. Wedell, New Orleans racing pilot, arrived here at 2:16 p. m. today after a flight from Alameda which he said had taken one hour and 29 minutes. The previous record between the two cities was one hour and 36 minutes. Wedell said he will await suitable weather conditions in an effort to set a transcontinental speed record from Los Angeles to New York.

Mahatma Gandhi Will Sail For India On Liner Monday

VENICE, Italy, Dec. 9. (AP)—Having reserved the cheapest form of passage, Mahatma Gandhi will sleep on deck 17 nights when he returns to India aboard the liner Pilsna, and will bring his own food.

Second class cabins have been reserved for four of his followers. He has announced he will sail from Brindisi next Monday.

TEXAN ELECTED

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Sol Mayer, San Angelo, Texas, was reelected today as president of the National Wool Marketng assocaton at the close of the organzation's annual convention here.

FLEET INJURED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP)—A high ranking admiral boldly said today the admistration policy of reducing naval expenditures was injuring the fleet.

Unidentified Fishing Craft Disappears In Heavy Gales

CAPE HATTERAS, N. C., Dec. 9. (AP) — An unidentified fishing steamer disappeared in a 40-mile gale late today as coast guard surfboats tried in vain to reach Diamond Shoals, six miles off the coast, where it was driven aground several hours earlier.

Guardsmen said they were unable to approach nearer than half a mile to the vessel because of mountainous seas, but they believed they saw five or six members of the crew on board the boat. They believed the crew was lost with the vessel.

Friends Of Merchant Appeal Case To Mexican Consulate

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec. 9. (AP)—Friends of Juan Encisco, Mexican merchant here arrested last Friday at Nagales, Mexico, for alleged inflamatory statements against the Mexican government appealed to the Mexican consulate today for aid in obtaining his release.

The consul, Fernando Alatore, said there was nothing he could do.

Farm Bureau Closes Meeting With Its Decade Old Demand

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Turning a deaf ear to Secretary of Agriculture Hyde, the American Farm Bureau federation closed its annual meeting today by reaffirming its decade old demand for the equalization fee principle for crop surplus control.

The delegates were unanimous for the fee and for the accompanying demand that the agricultural marketing act should be amended in this session of congress to include its use.

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These cars must be sold at once. Good allowance on your car. Reasonable amount financed.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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CONSTABLE'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
LUBBOCK COUNTY.

WHEREAS, by order of sale issued out of the 99th District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1931, in favor of W. D. Green and against J. A. Rix, No. 4662 on the Docket of Said Court, and to me, as Constable, directed and delivered, I did, on the 9th day of December, A. D. 1931, at three o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described real estate situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to J. A. Rix, to-wit:

Lot Thirty-four (34) in Block Two (2) of the Hankins Addition to the town of Lubbock; said judgment being for $938.50 and costs of suit, and on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1932, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. of said day, at the courthouse door of Lubbock, County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. A. Rix in and to said property.

WITNESS my hand, this the 9th day of December, A. D. 1931.

J. C. ROBERTS,
Constable, Precinct No. 1, Lubbock County, Texas.

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35c
Cake Boxes

35c

Hand Painted Pictures
$1.00 to $4.75

Picture Prints
10c to $1.45

Dump Trucks

Heavy Steel
79c to 98c

Tricycles
$2.79 to $5.95

DOLL BEDS
69c to 98c

TRUNKS
50c to $1.25

Dolls
5c To $12.75

Toy Dish Sets

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Toy Auto

$4.95

Doll Buggies
89c to $4.95

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Hemphill-Wells Co.

Young School Girl Missing

Daughter Of Millionaire Now Sought After Disappearance From Home; Honeymoon Flat Broken By Father

MONTCLAIRE, N. J., Dec. 9. (AP)—A 15-yaer-old school girl, daughter of a millionaire and wife of a truck driver, was reported missing today from her father's home in which she had been secluded since she was forcibly removed from a honeymoon flat in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., six weeks ago.

The girl, Beatrice Barclay Pickerel, disappeared from her home Monday night, her father, John C. Barclay, former vice-president of the Western Union Telegraph company, told police.

Bevis T. Bickerel, her 29-year-old husband, was taken to police headquarters today for questioning but later was released.

Police said Pickerel and the girl were married last August. She was said to have given her age as 18. After the wedding the couple went to Dobbs Ferry to live and did not communicate with the girl's parents.

Six weeks ago, police said, the father located the couple and went to Dobbs Ferry with Mrs. Barclay and their son, Robert. The girl, protesting, was returned to Montclair.

Girl Wins Life Battle With Infantile Paralysis Attack

BOSTON, Dec. 9. (AP) — Violent Vedder, 19-year old Derry, N. H. girl who has spent the best part of the past 13 months encased in a respirator at the Massachusetts general hospital, appears to have won her battle with infantile paralysis

Authorities at the hospital said she had been taken from the machine and now was breathing normally.

She was admitted to the hospital September 11, 1930 and she was kept in the machine day and night except for brief intervals.

TRAYLOR TO APPEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP).—Melvin Traylor, Chicago banker, will appear Friday before the senate manufactures subcommittee studying proposals for creating an economic council. Several other witnesses also are expected.

Augustus Thellusson's collection of old coins was sold in London recently for $13,600.

glass imported from the Orient are on sale this morning in the east rotunda of the administration building. The sale is for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. and under the direction of Mrs. Fred Sparks and Mrs. Jack Boyd.

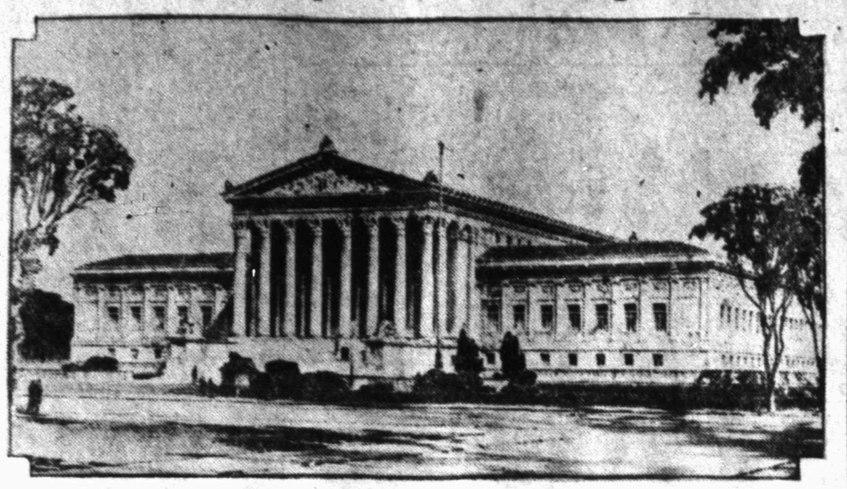
Sponsors of the sale invite students to stop and see the articles, which they consider especially suited for Christmas gifts. Prices range from 35c to $35.

REQUESTS EXTENSION CLASSES

W. A. McIntosh, superintendent of the Amarillo city schools, has recently requested the organization of an extension class from Tech in "Character Education." It will be taught by Dr. W. A. Evans during the winter term.

The county superintendent of Terry county has also requested the director of extension, J. F. McDonald, to confer with the teachers of Terry County Institute in reference to organization of an extension class there during the winter term.

New U. S. Supreme Court Building-to-Be



The beautiful new home of the United States Supreme Court, on which work will begin shortly, as it looks in an architect's drawing to Cass Gilbert, the architect of the structure, which will cost $8,330,000. The building is part of a plan which, when carried out in its entirety, will make the national capital the most beautiful city in the world. The exterior of the Supreme Court building will be of Vermont marble, the facing of the open court in the rear will be of Georgia marble. Interior of the structure, with the exception of the court itself, is to be of Alabama marble. The court will be done with the use of foreign stone.

Merry Program Is Given At Rotary Club On Wednesday

Rotarians and their guests at luncheon Wednesday at Hotel Lubbock were in a riot of laughter from the start to finish of an unusual program in "lighter" vein. The discussions ranged from bridge to the Sino Japanese situation and were directed by B. C. (Daddy) Dickinson.

Starting with "Coach" Jack Parsons who gave information on the high school football team, Chas. A. Guy voiced his opinion on the best system of bridge; H. L. Allen told why the city plant pays; Coach Weldon explained the Sino-Japanese struggle; Dick Smith told of more football; Dr. P. W. Horn talked on "Irrational relations and the sixth objection to Rotary"; George Dupree explained the dunkling and crumbling problem; Neil Wright told of his visit to the Plainview Rotary club; George Langford and Jack Durham told of Cawthon's coaching weaknesses; Lloyd Wicks of Ralls complimented the program; Dr. Jackson explained the latest proposal of the president and Coach Pete C... thon charged "proselyting of ... coaching staff." The program ... a riot of laughter from start ... finish.

Ross Ayres, Tech football pla... er, W. L. Betts and Mr. Wicks ... Ralls; M. Bozeman of Moline a... J. A. Elliott of Slaton were gue...

OIL OPERATOR DIES

CORSICANA, Dec. 9 (AP).—W. C. Baker, 76, pioneer oil operator, died at his home here last night. He was the discoverer of the Powell shallow oil field a quarter of a century ago.

PROBE PROPOSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 (AP).—An investigation of labor conditions at the Hoover dam on the Colorado river was proposed in the senate today by Senator Ashhurst, Democrat, Arizona.

A woman recently sued at W...worth, England, for a debt of ... was said to have incurred ... debts of $5,000.

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COLLEGE COLUMN

By LOIS JACQUES, TECH CORRESPONDENT

FRESHMEN GIVE TEA

Girls in the liberal arts freshmen orientation classes entertained at the home of Mrs. Mary W. Doak Wednesday afternoon with a tea from 3:30 to 5:30. Home economics freshmen faculty members and students who have had a part in directing the orientation work this term were guests.

Decorations in the reception rooms carried out the Christmas theme.

The tea was given by the classes in order that they might put into practice some of the principles they have studied this year.

TO INITIATE MEMBERS

New members of the rifle club are to be initiated tonight, and practice will also be held. L. W. Chapman, president, requests that all dues be paid before the initiation.

The meeting will be held in room ... at 7 o'clock.

SPEAKS TO TEACHERS

Prof. W. P. Clements of the education department will go to Brownfield today to address the teachers' Institute of Terry county. He will speak on "School Tests and Measurements."

HAVE CHIRSTMAS PARTY

All members of the Spanish club, Hispanos y Espada, are to be guests at the home of Prof. C. B. Qualia, 20 Ninth street, tonight for the annual Christmas party of that organization.

Singing of carols and the "pinata," or Spanish Christmas tree, will be the featured entertainments.

SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY MEETS

Students who are eligible for membership in the Southern scholarship society this year are to be listed soon, according to plans made at a recent meeting of the group. Juniors and seniors who are in the ranking ten per cent of their class are eligible to join.

A committee to draw up a constitution for the local chapter was also appointed, consisting of: President Conner, Canon Clements, and Allison Seely. They will report at the next meeting of the society, which will be January 12, 1932.

Announcement was made of the appointment by President Horn of W. A. Jackson to serve as secretary to the organization. Other officers include: Carl McAdams, president; Preston Conner, vice-president; Allison Self, assistant secretary; Fred Seely, treasurer; Faye Bumpass, reporter.

STUDENT'S FATHER DIES

Miss Louise Creighton, senior ..., was called to her home in ... this week because of the ... of her father. Her sister, ... P. Smith, who also attends ... had already gone to be with their father, who had been ill since Thanksgiving.

SPEAKS TO P.-T. A.

Miss Margaret W. Weeks, dean of the home economics school, is to address the members of the K. Carter school Parent-Teachers association this afternoon. She will talk on the subjects of "Foods for School Children."

BEGINS NEW CLASS

Dr. R. E. Garlin this week began an extension class at Dickens, which will meet once a week. The course is "Classroom Tests and Measurements."

BEGIN CAROL SINGING

The singing of Christmas carols, which is becoming traditional at Tech at the close of the fall term, was begun Wednesday. W. R. Waghorne is directing the singing and every student is invited to join between classes. A piano has been placed near the east stairway on the third floor and large sheets of paper with the songs printed on them hang on the walls so that everyone may know the words.

SALE OPENS TODAY

Hand-embroidered linens from a girls' school in China, unique carved jewelry and silks from Japan, perfumed wooden cases and bits of

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