

CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO, TEXAS—1,614 feet above the sea, 5 lakes of water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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WAR PLANES ASK GENERAL'S RELEASE

Duke of Windsor Makes Appeal for Privacy

HOPE WANES FOR RELEASE OF PRISONER

Held for Threat To Ginger Rogers



Charged with attempting to extort \$50,000 from Ginger Rogers, dancing star of the films, James F. Hall, 29, above, was captured in a Long Beach, Calif., cafe, where federal operatives said he was waiting for the money. Letters to the screen actress threatened her with death if she did not pay. Hall is a sailor on the U. S. aircraft carrier Lexington.

Social Security Slips Placed in Mail Today

Postmaster Luther McCrea announced today that 155 social security identification cards were sent out on the first delivery this morning and about 75 more would go out during the day. These slips are important means of identification for the future as a means of securing the benefits of unemployment insurance, and retirement pensions after reaching the age of 65 years.

Boggs No. 3 Sets Eight-Inch Casing

The Boggs No. 3 is drilling at 2,130 feet in the shale, said O. G. Lawson, of the Gallagher & Lawson drilling contractors. The pay is expected at 3,600 feet, Mr. Lawson said, a long way to go yet, he added. They have just finished setting 8 1/2-inch casing in the hole. The Seaboard Oil Company well between Hamilton and Hico which these contractors are drilling, is now at 3,450 feet, shut down on account of a broken sand reel. Mr. Lawson is getting this matter arranged and expects to resume drilling on that well, which must go around 4,000 feet to the pay.

Presbyterians to Have Xmas Program

The Presbyterian church is one of the many churches of the city planning a white Christmas which will be the twenty-third of the month.

The various classes of the Sunday School and other organizations of the church will furnish food and gifts for needy families. Also those families where there are children, will be furnished with gifts of toys for the younger members.

Much interest is being shown in this method of giving and a program will be presented by the younger members of the Sunday School. The tree will be decorated by the Young People's League, and the Senior Sunday School classes. Santa Claus will make his annual trip to the program and will have gifts for the young and fruit for the others.

PING OCTOPUS FOUND

SYDNEY (U.P.)—One of 10 "vampire" octopuses, known by scientists to have been captured to date has been found on Manly beach of this city. These exceedingly rare creatures are about four feet across, having a pink body with eyes almost human but of a brilliant violet color.

LADY SENDS MESSAGES TO EAGER LOVER

ENZEFELD, Australia, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The Duke of Windsor, nerve wrecked by the ordeal which he has been through since his abdication from the throne of Great Britain, issued a public appeal for privacy today and received consoling messages from Mrs. Wallis Simpson.

Lord Brownlow, who was gentleman in waiting when Edward was king and has been looking after Mrs. Simpson, arrived today from Cannes.

It was said he brought loveletters and verbal messages from Mrs. Simpson to the former king.

The ex-king displayed the eagerness of a young man in love as he questioned Lord Brownlow.

"How is she looking? What is she doing? What is she saying?" tumbled from his lips.

The Duke issued a statement in which he said:

"I am staying at Enzesfeld until after Christmas. I hope I will be accorded the same consideration of my privacy as on previous visits."

Crowds of sightseers flocked all day long to this tiny village, joining a small army of newspaper correspondents. Bluecoated police presented bayoneted rifles at all strangers.

ELECTORS MEET TO CAST VOTE FOR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Presidential electors met today in 48 states to re-elect President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner.

The result will be Roosevelt and Garner, 523; Governor Landon and Col. Knox, republican nominees, 8. Maine and Vermont will cast the republican vote.

TEXAS' 23 VOTES CAST FOR ROOSEVELT-GARNER

AUSTIN, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Twenty-three Texans today cast the State's electoral vote for President Roosevelt and a native Texan, Vice President Garner.

Mrs. Horace Soule, of Houston, was the only woman elector.

ROOSEVELT ELECTED OVER LONDON 11,070,433 VOTES

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The count of every ballot cast November 3 revealed today that President Roosevelt was elected over Landon by 11,070,433.

LONDON received 9,179,907 more votes than did former President Hoover in 1932, but he lost to Mr. Roosevelt by 4,000,000 more votes than Hoover.

The total vote reached a new high at 45,746,248 compared with 39,816,522 in 1932.

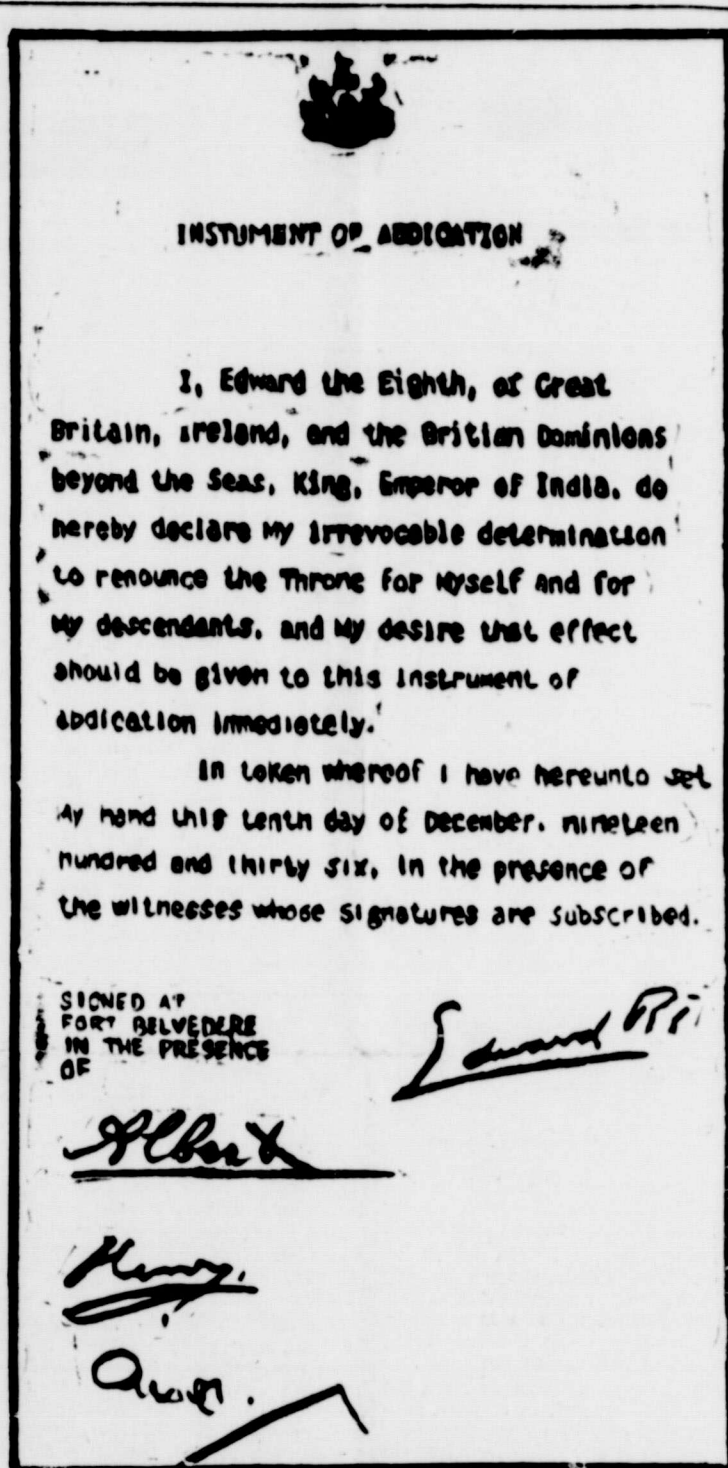
Cox Succeeds Brown In Health Office

AUSTIN, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Dr. Geo. Cox of Del Rio today was elected State Health Officer by the State Board of Health here. Cox formerly was a member of the Board. He will succeed Dr. J. W. Brown.

Robt. Wyatt Dead in Refrigerator Car

WELLINGTON, Kan., Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Robert Wyatt, 37, of Amarillo, Texas, was found dead in a railroad refrigerator car here today. Police said a compartment lid fell on him and killed him.

Historic Document Ending Edward's Reign



This radio picture, transmitted from London to New York, shows in facsimile the instrument of abdication which King Edward VIII signed in the presence of his royal brothers, Dec. 10, bringing to an end his reign of 327 days.

Garrett and Officials Inspect Park Site

Plates for 150 guests are being laid by the Laguna for the Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet tonight when recognition of Cisco's infant industries will be given, and an effort to stimulate cooperation between them and the buying public will be a feature of the program.

Hon. Clyde Garrett, congressman-elect, from the 17th district will be present as will State Park Board.

SUPREME COURT REMANDS TEST FOR RE-TRIAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The Supreme Court today ordered the Duke Power Company test of the New Deal PWA Power Loan policy back to the lower court for a retrial.

The court acted without passing on the constitutional questions raised by the company.

The decision was expected to postpone indefinitely a final test of the constitutionality of the policy of granting federal loans to municipal and other local government power projects by the PWA.

REFUSES TO PASS ON RADIO DISPATCHES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The Supreme Court today refused to pass on the question of whether radio stations may take dispatches from newspapers to use in radio broadcasts.

OFFICIALS SAY RAMON FRANCO AIR ACE, SHOT

MADRID, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—An official government statement claimed today that the airplane of Major Ramon Franco, Spain's premier flyer and brother of the rebel commander, had been shot down.

The war office reported that loyalist ships cornered Franco in a "dog fight" and his plane crashed in landing. Two persons were in the plane. One was killed and one escaped, the report said. The government admitted it had been unable to identify either men.

Franco became a national figure in 1926, when he flew across the Atlantic from Spain to Buenos Aires, over the route followed by Columbus.

TRAPPED SOLDIERS STILL REFUSE TO SURRENDER

MADRID, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Grim rebel soldiers played a game of death today with a company of militia trapped in the sewers under University City.

Trapped two weeks ago, facing thirst and starvation underground, and bayonets above, the desperate loyal unit still refuses to surrender.

ENEMY ALLIES BLAMED FOR SINKING SUBMARINE

MALAGA, Spain, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Three survivors of the loyalist submarine C-3, sunk off Malaga Saturday with a loss of 39 lives, blamed today a plot by "those helping the enemy."

All Employers Must Fill Out Form SS-4

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Regional Director Oscar M. Powell of the Social Security Board today urged requested employers who have not returned the "employer's application for identification number" (form SS-4) to fill out these applications as soon as possible and return them to the Social Security Board at Baltimore, Maryland.

Delinquency in the return of these forms was attributed by Powell mainly to the fact that in the Region Ten States of Louisiana, Texas and New Mexico, federal unemployment compensation tax forms, The 940 tax form relates to employers of eight or more persons.

"As a result," Powell said, "some small employers have felt that they are not required to fill out Form SS-4 unless they have eight or more employees. The fact is, of course, that by authority of Treasury Decision 4704, every employer who had one or more persons less than 65 years of age actually in his employ on November 16, 1936, within the United States, Alaska or Hawaii in any but the specified exempted employments, is required to fill out an SS-4 form."

"We understand that the Post Office Department has issued instructions to postmasters to submit names of all employers who are delinquent in returning these forms. It is our belief that as soon as employers in this region clearly understand their obligations, the list of those who have failed to respond will be substantially eliminated."

Loboes Eliminated By Rhome Quintet

The Cisco basketball team, was eliminated by the strong Rhome team in the preliminaries at the basketball tournament at Loving, Texas, Saturday. The score stood 20 in favor of the Rhome team, which with the Loving team, went to the finals.

Coach W. E. Cooper took ten men and says he was well satisfied with the account his men gave of themselves, however, he would have been better pleased had they beaten their opponents.

The Loboes will play two games with Brownwood this week, Cooper said, but games have not been definitely scheduled today.

PRUNE BEER TO BE MADE

HOLLISTER, Cal. (U.P.)—California has a new kick in store for the rest of the United States. Its first prune beer brewery is being erected here. The formula for prune beer has been perfected. It will be made from substandard prunes. The initial capacity will be 200 barrels a day.

Bundle Babies In Cellophane



When babies at the Memphis, Tenn., Baptist hospital go "culling," they are bundled in a cellophane baby-ho and trundled out before fond parents and friends. The baby-ho is a wheeled rack with an eight-baby capacity. Each infant has a compartment, cellophane-covered to prevent infection.

Above, a nurse has just placed a baby in its berth in the vehicle.

TEXAS SEEKS INFORMATION ON GREEN TAX

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The State of Texas today asked the Supreme Court to determine which of four states may properly impose inheritance taxes on the estate of Edward H. R. Green, son of the famous Hetty Green.

The estate has been estimated at between \$50,000 and \$80,000. Inheritance taxes in Texas might total between \$10,000.00 and \$14,000.00. New York, Massachusetts and Florida have made claims to tax the estate.

The move came as a surprise in what threatens to be complicated litigation.

In addition to naming sister states as defendants, the bill of complaint named Green's sister, Hetty Sylvia Ann Howland Green, and Mabel Harlow Green, his widow.

Christmas Pageant To be Presented

Sunday afternoon marked the first rehearsal of the Christmas pageant "The Vision of The Christ Child," which is being presented the Sunday before Christmas by the First Presbyterian church.

The play is under the direction of Mrs. Lucille Gragg and characters have been carefully chosen. Thirty church members, assisted by the senior choir, will take part in the pageant which is an annual affair.

Taking part are such as: readers, candle bearers, ushers, Joseph and Mary, the widow and three children, preacher, three kings, gift bearers, two angels and the choir, which will be hidden and only the soft sweet music throughout the entire presentation will be heard.

STUDENTS RENT BICYCLES

NEW WILMINGTON, Pa. Pa. (U.P.)—Two Westminster college students have succeeded in business in a small way—while carrying out their senior class studies. Russell Leiby, Youngstown, Ohio, and Richard Morris, Warren, Ohio, opened a bicycle-renting business. They give free lessons to novices.

BULLETIN

SHANGHAI (Tuesday) Dec. 15. (U.P.)—Thirty war planes sent out by the Central government today flew over Sian-Fu and dropped leaflets demanding the immediate removal of Generalissimo Chiang to a safe neutral place.

TOKIO, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—The American and British Consulates at Shanghai today sent urgent advice to their nationals in Shensi Province, far western China, to evacuate as soon as possible, the Domei Japanese news agency reported.

Fighting was expected in the vicinity of Sian-Fu, provisional capital where Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek is held prisoner.

HOPE FOR RELEASE ALIVE OF CHIANG WANES

SHANGHAI (Tuesday) Dec. 15. (U.P.)—How for the early release alive of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek from his captors at Sian-Fu, capital of Shensi province in China's far west wane today.

His captors, Marshall Chang Kueih-Liang, youthful commander of the so-called communist suppression drive, apparently feared to make a compromise lest he himself be executed.

The "young general" promised Madame Chiang Kai-Shek at Nanking he would be responsible for the safety of the general, but continue to hold him hostage until the central government in the capital advises his demand for war with Japan will be met.

A persistent report in Chinese military circles at Nanking that Marshall Chang had been the victim of a counter-revolt, and that the Generalissimo had escaped in an airplane was denied officially.

Troops were rushed to the theatre of the latest skirmish of rescue the "strong man" of Nanking. Sharp fighting was expected.

ITALY WILL DEFEND ETHIOPIA BY THE SWORD

ROME, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Italy, having gained an empire, will defend it with the sword, Premier Mussolini declared today in a speech opening a session of the senate.

F. D. Roosevelt, Jr. Reported Improved

BOSTON, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., cheered by visits of his mother and his fiancée, was reported "greatly improved" today.

Jamestown Youths Killed by Truck

MINEOLA, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—Three youths of Jamestown, Texas, were killed Sunday when the truck in which they were riding collided with a T & T passenger train.

Merchants Warned Of Gyp Rackets of A Woman Solicitor

In the current bulletin of the Texas Daily Press League, the following letter, which is self-explanatory, was carried as a warning to publishers and merchants:

"Recently we printed, and were paid for the work, a blotter order for a woman. The woman was of middle-age, with a northern accent."

"She extracted approximately \$85 from our merchants for a job that cost \$10 to print. . . and I'm afraid the merchants were gyped because the blotters are still here unclaimed."

"The woman, we believe, has left town."

"It was a church blotter but my opinion is that a newspaper also should protect its friends, and we apparently slipped up on this (1) not seeing that the church sanctioned such a scheme and (2) not being more careful about the delivery."

"You might warn our member publishers about this, inasmuch as I know the \$85 spent on these blotters might eventually have been spent for good advertising."

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

Christmas at Mount Vernon

By ANNE S. LEE

The coach turned into Mount Vernon road. Martha Washington slipped her coat into her husband's warm clasp. Happy tears filled her blue eyes as she murmured, "Welcome home, George, at last!"

George Washington agreed. "At last! Nearly nine years since I rode away to take command of the army—a long time for a man to be away from his home! I hope that never again shall I be called on to leave it."

The following day, the Christmas dinner climaxed days of preparation. Before going to Annapolis to meet the general, Mrs. Washington had prepared all the ornamental confectionery—a duty which in every Virginia household devolved upon its mistress. With a paper cone she had festooned the cakes with pink-and-white icing in intricate designs.

At three o'clock Christmas day, before her at the table stood a leg of mutton for her carving. In front of Colonel Humphrey was a small roast pig with a red apple in its mouth. Before Colonel Smith was a great crispy brown roast of beef. Platters of turkey, canvasback duck, fried chicken, venison, rock-fish, and perch-perfectly filled the table.

After this course, the cakes by Mrs. Washington were placed on the table together with syllabubs. With much ceremony the blazing plum pudding was carried in. Toasts were in order. General Washington drank separately to the health of every one at the table. Each guest drank to every other guest. So for a time the dining room echoed with, "Your health, sir," "Your good health, madam," "Thank you, sir," "With great pleasure, sir."

Finally, all guests standing, the general gave his invariable toast, "To all our friends." The ladies immediately withdrew to the drawing room to exchange neighborhood news and to discuss babies and servants.

Not long after, the gentlemen joined them. For the enjoyment of all each guest contributed his bit of cheer. Mrs. Washington began by playing a selection on the harpsichord, Betty Lewis, the daughter of the general's only sister, and her friend Sally sang a duet. Colonel Smith, a lively young gentleman, shyly shifted from place to place a sprig of mistletoe, thus contriving to claim a kiss from all the blushing young women.

The Virginia reel ended the evening—a dance adapted in Virginia from one long used in England—"The Hemp Dressers." The couples glided from side to side, and over and under like a shuttle, thus portraying the process of weaving. The final figure broke up with cries of "Good night," "Pleasant dreams," "Until tomorrow." Bedroom candles were taken from the hall table. The Christmas of 1783 had come to an end.—The Progressive Farmer.

OUT OUR WAY



EMPTY SUCCESS

UNDER THE DOME AT AUSTIN

By GORDON K. SHEARER

United Press Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Dec. 14 (U.P.)—State game preserves are likely to get considerable airing at the January session of the Texas legislature.

Comparison of John and Luther Garrison, in the neighborhood of a 45,000-acre preserve in Wilcox county has directed the spotlight on them.

Complaint has come to those in high authority that game preserves have been established strategically about the border of large tracts and are not always held in-

validate to favored persons although kept strictly closed to those who hunt for fun.

A state game preserve under the law is closed to all hunters. This includes the owner of the land designated as a preserve, the owner's friends, game wardens, officials and everybody.

The particular preserve along the Gulf Coast was once considered a site for a federal bird sanctuary. Negotiations for its purchase for that purpose were begun. Instead, it was closed to hunting by being made a state game preserve. The area is described as rendezvous for migratory birds on their way south. Another such preserve is planned by the Mexican government. Texas is the greatest winter haven for migratory birds. More than 700 varieties have been found in the state.

Game preserves are distinct from shooting preserves. Shooting preserves are leased to hunters by owners. The owners then are required to keep records of the game shot.

An invitation to Texas' governor

to deliver the principal address at a farewell banquet for Governor Paul McNutt of Indiana has considerable Texas background. Governor McNutt married a Texas girl. He was stationed at San Antonio when he was in the army. At San Antonio he was elected national commander of the American Legion. He has visited Texas repeatedly since he became Governor of Indiana.

Whether Governor McNutt's next step will be into President Roosevelt's cabinet or into the presidency of the University of Indiana is interesting persons who follow national politics. Potential presidential timber for the 1940 campaign, McNutt's career in the intervening years will be followed closely. Some believe that, like the late Woodrow Wilson, he may find collegiate activities a stepping stone to the White House.

John T. Smith, Austin editor of the Texas Tax Journal casts an optimistic eye on the tax future of Texas. Intimidated by a state general revenue fund deficit of ap-

HALF-ACRE in EDEN

BY ROBERT DICKSON

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MARIA CANFIELD, daughter of wealthy Philip Canfield, who died shortly after the mysterious appearance of FRANK KEN-

Eden, a bank built up and police commander the Canfield are to follow the hand. The car is wrecked and both Maria and her father are injured. McDougall, living with Dorothy Osborn, arrives on the scene and takes Maria to his father's home. Although Maria's arm is in a sling, she takes part in a short time after a car in his next production.

There is a party for Dorothy Osborn, but the misunderstandings between him and Maria are increased instead of cleared.

Bruce and MIKE BRADFORD, newspaperman, decide to buy the local newspaper.

HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXIX

SOMETHING, said Miss Sellers to her aged mother, should be done for the entertainment of their tenant.

Since McDougall passed so much time over his drawing board upstairs, outdoor exercise in the form of ice skating was exactly what he needed.

What Miss Sellers planned she usually accomplished, and though McDougall had brought home a new book in preparation for an idle Saturday afternoon, a rare treat now that the Gazette demanded so much time, they were on their way to Mill Pond at the moment when, if left alone, he would have turned Page 29 and found the first body of a series of six.

There had been a February thaw a few days before, so that skating had feared for their sport, but now the weather was colder. The pond was crowded with children, eager to take advantage of the day, for the season could not last many weeks longer, and Miss Sellers and McDougall had only arrived when she, alert through long experience as a teacher, saw that adult authority was needed in the group. Many of the youngsters were skating too close to a danger sign stuck in the far end of the expanse of ice, where the pond was fed by a brook.

"Watch me, Miss Sellers," a fat youth called. "It must be all right; it's holding me up."

"I do wish they'd leave this end of the pond," the teacher said apprehensively to McDougall.

BUT she was a bit amused even as she worried, and McDougall could not help laughing at the youngsters' antics.

Afterward he could not remember his desperate reaching, Rabbit's efforts to help in being helped, and the hands that reached again from the edge of the ice and, after a little, pulled the boy from the water.

Nor could he remember that then his own hands failed and he fell back. Back and under the ice, so that those on the surface all but failed to bring him out in time.

THERE was a considerable period when McDougall knew nothing of the world, and another

period when he dreamed awfully and talked wildly.

And much later he awakened in a strange room and, though feeling very weak, was slowly aware of things about him.

One of the things he noticed as he gradually grew stronger and looked around with more interest was the view from the window. It was, he told himself mockingly, a little tough for fate to compel a sick man to look out on a distant hilltop where he had once, ages ago, built a dream.

Half an acre, half an acre—half an acre in Eden!

The view was still there when, later, with a pencil and sheet of two of paper discovered on his bedside table, he tired of inaction and—in a purely practical mood, he insisted—he began a sketch.

"HELLO," said Joan Bradford from the doorway. "You've had us scared to death—or is that the proper thing to say in a sick room?"

Mere sight of her cheered McDougall immensely.

"What were you doing? Here, let mother see. Oh, Bruce, it's charming! If I could have a house like that—but we're buying a newspaper instead, aren't we? What's it for, practice? Or are you really planning to build? Tell mother, who's the lady?"

"There isn't any," said McDougall shortly.

"I know some nice ones. How about Helen Waddell?"

McDougall smiled faintly.

"Or Ruth Peterson, or Catherine Archer?"

He was only amused.

"Or Marcia Canfield?" asked Joan.

His face went red.

"How about minding your own business?" he demanded, much more fiercely than he had intended.

"Excuse me, I'm sure," said Joan primly. "Well, how's tricks? How have they been treating you? Have you everything you want? How's the view?"

She looked out the window.

"You had that hilltop site in mind?" Joan asked in an odd voice.

"Well, yes—what of it?"

"Do you know anything about the place?"

"I know it's for sale, that's all. It has a sign on it. What the heck are you talking about?"

Joan buttoned her coat.

"It's an omen," she said. "That's what it is. An omen."

She dashed out, leaving McDougall definitely tired from the struggle to understand her.

approximately \$14,000,000. Smith will say in December Journal:

"It is our belief that by the close of the incoming administration, the financial condition of the state government will be better than it has been for the last several years and all without the passage of a single new tax law."

Smith said the general fund is in the red because it has been made a "grab bag" in recent years, supplying the money for various extra appropriations besides shouldering its primary purpose of meeting general expense of the government.

The general fund is being drawn on at a rate of more than \$2,000,000 a year to pay off \$20,000,000 of "bread bonds" issued in depression days. That drain will end in 8 years, Smith points out. The general fund provided a \$3,000,000 Centennial appropriation. It is providing rural school aid. That need he thinks is being ended by school consolidations.

Deficit in the Confederate Pension fund, Smith says, is being wiped out by "Father Time" as many more are passing on than are being pliged on its rolls.

Above all, he thinks the bright outlook for increased business means more taxes will be paid under present tax laws and many delinquencies will be settled.

"The Odyssey of Mrs. Brown" is the strange title selected for a pamphlet issued by the State Department of Education in behalf of changes in study courses in Texas schools. The title reveals how the old idea of classics sticks in the minds even if those who are the "progressives" in education.

Despite the title, the pamphlet is strong in its announced purpose of presenting the case for need of curriculum (another term the educators cannot forget) revision.

Mrs. Brown's Odyssey (travel to you brings her into contact with pupils, teachers, Parent-Teacher organizations and home influences. She is delighted with the teacher who explained her modern method by saying:

"I went through a canning factory once and after that I never could think of those long rows of shining cans moving up to a feeder on endless belts without thinking of school children."

The teacher had decided that school children were not just so many sacks to be stuffed full of facts to pour out at periodical examinations whatever was called for in exactly the same size and shape in which it was stuffed into them.

More than a fourth of the \$54,000 post-election Democratic fund allotted to Texas has been raised and Director Roy Miller is hopeful that by January, the state will have a clear slate.

Texas' \$50,000 is to help remove a Democratic party national deficit of \$500,000.

No refund can be expected by the state from the Dallas central exposition, the state auditor has informed Governor James V. Allred. Terms of the appropriation act required return to the state of 75 per cent of the net receipts from all sources, after paying all debts of the exposition including an exhibition bond issue not to exceed \$2,500,000.

Payment was specified to be made within six months after the official closing, which was Nov. 29. The act defined net receipts, to mean all profits from admissions, concessions, privileges, rentals, leases and any other sources from which any funds might be derived. Though there will be no such net receipts to pay to the state, the centennial corporation is required to file a certified public audit with the state treasurer within six months.

The state Board of Control also can have an independent audit made, under terms of the Centennial act. To show that the state did not intend to profit from the Centennial, a maximum payment of \$5,000,000 was set. That was the amount of the Centennial appropriation, not only for the Dallas exposition but for all celebrations.

Oil Belt Gun Club Holds Turkey Shoot

The poor boy Christmas turkey shoot will be held at the Oil Belt Gun club, 1 p. m. December 20. Both pistols and rifles will be used in the match.

The program will include: Turkey Prizes, Skeet Matches, Turkey Prizes, Lucky Target (Shot gun), Turkey Prizes.

No Ground Fees, Rifles and regulations posted on grounds. Ammunition and targets (except skeet) furnished free.

Members are asked to please assist committee by making reservations early.

Address reservations to: P. O. Box 128, Eastland, Texas.

State Gets \$735,000 For Social Security

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 14 — The Social Security Board today certified to the Treasury Department a grant of \$735,000 to the state of Texas to be used to match state assistance grants to the needy aged during the month of December. It was announced today by Oscar M. Powell, Regional Director.

The amount included a grant to cover administrative expenses of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission during December, Powell said.

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1. Famous inventor.
12. Telegram.
13. Faint.
16. Part of pedal-
17. Wrath.
18. Chanted.
20. Male cat.
21. Northeast.
22. War flyer.
23. At this moment.
25. Second note.
26. To nod.
28. Spigot.
30. Outer garment.
32. Flat plate.
34. Paying guest.
36. Nothing.
37. Merchant.
39. Father.
40. You and me.
41. Secular.
43. Fruit of oak.
46. Pronoun.
48. French soldier.
50. Tennis stroke.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. LIZARD
2. EROSION
3. PROCURE
4. DINED
5. IRATE
6. TENOR
7. SEA
8. CLOCK
9. RED
10. TROTTED
11. WHITTET
12. SET
13. AS
14. ARA
15. SLET
16. SO
17. LAYERS
18. APSES
19. LINEATE
20. ASTRIDE
21. RUNNY
22. TO
23. AH
24. ANA
25. ELIZARD
26. OK
27. CO
28. Y
29. RAIN
30. SHOE

VERTICAL

5. Myself.
6. One of his numerous inventions.
7. Paradise.
8. Structural unit.
9. Perched.
10. Smell.
11. Systems of names.
12. One of a pair.
13. To employ.
14. Cow.
15. Half an em.

Nine True Bills Returned by Jury

Jesse Casey, charged in two of nine indictments returned by 91st district court grand jurors Friday, had made bond Saturday. Sheriff

The sheriff stated Casey, charged by the indictments with burglary and theft, made bond of \$500 in each case.

Indictments returned by the grand jury charged three cases of burglary, three of theft over \$50, one arson and two cattle theft.

LOS ANGELES (U.P.)—California orange growers have started a vigorous war with their Florida competitors. The former have produced analyses to show that California oranges have 22 per cent more Vitamin C in them than their Florida rivals.

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W. C. DANIEL, Post Adjutant
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RIGHT YOU COULDN'T UNCE!

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IT USED TO BE, BUT I'M AFRAID YOU'RE GOING TO BE THE OTHER!

YOU DO SAY NICE THINGS, FRECKLES!

I NEVER SAID THINGS LIKE THAT TO A GIRL BEFORE... IT JUST SORTA POPPED OUT BEFORE I KNEW IT, MISS PEYTON!

CALL ME 'MISS' IS IT GOING TOO HARD FOR YOU TO REMEMBER TONI?

NO, I'M AFRAID IT'S GOING TO BE TOO HARD TO... TO FORGET!

LET'S KNOW TEXAS

IN THIS COLUMN ANSWERS WILL BE GIVEN TO INQUIRIES AS TO TEXAS HISTORY AND OTHER MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE STATE AND ITS PEOPLE. AS EVIDENCE OF GOOD FAITH INQUIRERS MUST GIVE THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES, BUT ONLY THEIR INITIALS WILL BE PRINTED. ADDRESS INQUIRIES TO WILL H. MAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

Q. What was the immediate result of General Johnston's appointment? B. L.

A. Gen. Felix Huston, charging his removal to trickery, challenged Johnston to a duel, which was fought, February 7, 1837, at Chalk Bluff on the Lavaca River. General Johnston being severely wounded. They made friends and Huston named a son for Johnston. Huston remained in Texas for several years and commanded in the 1840 battle of Plum Creek, returning soon afterward to Mississippi. He died near Natchez in 1857.

Q. Did Gen. Huston come to Texas with a view to becoming a citizen? O. H.

A. Although reports have been circulated while he was with the Cherokees that he planned an expedition for the conquest of Texas, he came in 1832 with no other plan than to attempt at the request the Comanches to stop their raids across the United States border. He liked Texas, became interested in its struggles and decided to cast his fortunes with those of the new country.

Q. On what island of the Texas coast was Cabeza de Vaca shipwrecked? R. W.

A. It is not definitely known, but is believed to have been Matagorda Island.

Q. Why was de Vaca's life spared so long by the Indians? R. W.

A. He was able to live for six years with the cannibalistic Indians because they believed him to be a child of the sun and a medicine man of supreme powers.

Q. By what name was the territory that is now called Texas first known to Spaniards? D. S. D.

A. Maps dated prior to 1722 gave it the name Nuevas Filipinas, the New Philippines.

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YES, WHAT'S LEFT OF IT, COMRADE... LEW WEN HAS MANY FRIENDS HERE.

YOU MAY STOP AT THE SIGN OF THE MANDARIN, DRIVER.

THIS WAY, IF YOU PLEASE, COMRADE

OH NO YOU DON'T... YOU GO FIRST!

MEANWHILE, BACK AT NEW SCOTLAND YARD, MYRA IMPATIENTLY WAITS IN INSPECTOR EMPREE'S OFFICE FOR JACK TO RETURN.

I SHOULDN'T HAVE LET HIM GO ALONE!

WELL HAVE THOSE MOULAGE MASKS READY SOON, MISS NORTH.

JACK HAS GONE TO CHINATOWN WITH HIS MYSTERIOUS COMRADE TO FIND LEW WEN... HE SUSPECTS FOUL PLAY, BUT...

I'M GRIEVED THAT YOU DISTRUST ME, COMRADE, BUT I'LL SOON PROVE THAT YOUR FEARS ARE GROUNDFLESS.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR GAME IS, MR. BREESE, BUT I WARN YOU—THERE IS A REVOLVER IN MY POCKET AIMED AT YOUR BACK!

SAY, I HEAR LEW'S VOICE, NOW!

SEE? I TOLD YOU I WAS ASSIGNED TO COVER THE ACTIVITIES OF YOUR PARTY...

MEANWHILE, AT NEW SCOTLAND YARD.

COME, MISS NORTH... STOP WORRYING ABOUT SERGEANT LANE... HERE ARE THE MOULAGE MASKS YOU REQUESTED.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Ranger, Texas
December 5, 1936

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl eight years old and I am in the third grade. For Christmas I want a doll that has hair and talks. I want a piano, gloves, manicure set and that is all for me. My little sister wants a rubber doll and dishes, piano and tricycle.

With all my love
MARJORIE POUNDS,
BETTY JOE POUNDS

Dear Santa:
I am a boy 11 years of age and I want you to send me a bicycle and wagon for Christmas.

With Love
BILLY POUNDS

230 Teachers at Meeting Foreseen

Over 230 are expected to attend Saturday the winter meeting of the Eastland County Teachers' Association at Eastland.

State educational laws rule that all teachers must attend an institute two days during the school term. The Eastland County Teachers' Association recently supplanted the former county teachers' institute. The association meeting is held each winter and spring.

There are approximately 230 teachers in the county.

The Saturday meeting will begin at 9 a. m. in the Eastland high school auditorium.

Drilling Report

Records sent to Oil & Gas Division R. R. Commission, Austin from Eastland headquarters, listed as follows for week ending Dec. 12, 1936.

Application to Drill

Ray T. Hoff No. 1 Brashear Heirs Leagues 3 and 4 McLennan county school lands Eastland county. Depth 1500 feet. 178 acre lease.

F. J. Estes & Lane Wilson, J. A. Gentry No. 1 Durocher Pool. Eastland county. Depth 3200 feet. 108 acre lease.

Ports & Rogers et al. No. 1-B Mrs. H. G. Hagan, section 18, block 279 Kerr county school lands. Brown county. Depth 625 feet. 230 acre lease.

Application to Plug

W. K. Gordon, No. 1 Sam Caney section 44, block 2 T&P Ry survey. Palo Pinto county.

T. P. Coal & Oil Co., No. 2 Higginbotham Heirs, section 33 block 4 H&T C Ry survey. Eastland county.

Grass Roots Oil Co., No. 1 Mrs. Susan McDermott, Anthony Bates Survey, Coleman county. Total depths 465 feet.

Application to Shoot

Anderson-Drewery Corp., No. 2 L. J. Griggs, Antonio Miller Survey. Eastland county. Shot with 50 quarts nitro from 3040 feet to 3056 feet.

The Hoffman & Page Co. No. 1 H. Brashears, Elizabeth Finley survey. Eastland county. Shot with 50 qts. nitro from 3193 feet to 3218 feet.

Hickok Producing & Development Co., No. 2 City of Cisco, section 84 block 4 H&T C Ry survey. East-

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ONE SHOT KILLS 3 CROWS

SULPHUR, Okla. (U.P.)—If W. B. Jones isn't the best shot in Murray county he at least boasts one of the best records. He sat at the window of his home and with one shot killed three crows and also wounded a fourth.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS

WHERE'S YOUR GIRL, NUTTY?

DON'T CALL HER MY GIRL! SHE'S TALKING TO THE CHAPERONE! I WISH THERE WAS SOME WAY TO GET HER OFF MY HANDS!!

AND I MAY ADD, MY FEET! SHE DANCES LIKE SHE'D JUST KICKED OVER A HIVE OF BEES, AND WAS DODGING THEM!

PERHAPS I COULD HELP YOU!

GIRLS HATE TO BE CONSIDERED CLUMSY, SO WHY DON'T YOU SORT OF DROP A FEW HINTS ALONG THAT LINE, AND SHE'LL LEAVE YOU VERY MUCH ALONE!

NOT THAT DUMB BUNNY!

I TRIED IT! I TOLD HER I WAS AFRAID SHE WAS LOSING HER EQUILIBRIUM, AND SHE SAID: OH, MERCY, I HOPE IT DOESN'T SHOW!

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Father-Son Banquet Reported Success

The Scranton F. F. A. father-son banquet given Friday evening, was reported to have been a big success.

Members of the Home Economic class, under supervision of Miss Cook prepared and served the food for the banquet. Mrs. Farris decorated for the occasion.

R. R. Bradshaw led the invocation, after which the delicious meal was served. Following dinner, two boys were initiated into the F. F. A. club. The initiation was followed by Rupert Starr, vice president, introducing each father present.

The objectives of the club were explained by Johnnie Evans, followed by a talk from T. G. Caudle, who used as his subject "The Future Farmers of America and Its Purpose." Tip Ross of Eastland was one of the speakers for the evening and spoke on "What I am Going To Do or Try to do for the Rural School and Farmers." Other speakers for the evening were: J. E. Spencer, secretary of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Hubert Seale of Cisco, Mr. Hughes of Scranton and O. B. Larner, vocational teacher in the Woodson school.

Everyone had a nice time and the fathers were given an opportunity to observe work done by their sons during the year.

Reporter
RUSSELL A. OWENS

Too Warm Houses Is Winter Hazard

AUSTIN, Dec. 14.—It is an illogical fact that many people complain about the heat of Texas summers and yet sit indoors during the winter months in a temperature about as high as that about which they complained in the summer season. In the view of Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer:

"If the average person would realize the definite hazard in developing and maintaining an indoor temperature above 70 degrees, or at most 72 degrees, when the outside thermometer registers around freezing," he said, "there would be fewer colds, less bronchial conditions and less pneumonia than there are today."

"Fresh air is one of the body's basic needs and no amount of luxury or artificial pleasure can be substituted for it. It may be a comfortable feeling to be warm, especially with the consciousness of the tough weather outdoors, but it is quite another matter to achieve this comfort at the probable cost of health."

"Winters in the Temperature Zone are sufficiently trying upon the human system, their sudden and sharp temperature changes, without adding to the burden by making a hothouse of one's home. Of course, colds and other respiratory affections can be acquired in many different ways, but one of the easiest methods of becoming victims of such hazards is the overheated house."

"To become overheated and perspire, though the latter condition may not be perceived, and in this softened state to brave the cold winter blasts, is to take a thoroughly unwarranted chance with health."

"The wise householder therefore will check up on his artificial heat problem. He will resolve to keep his thermometer within safe limits."

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MEDICAL ENCYCLOPAEDIA

MOSCOW (U.P.)—The publication of the large Soviet Medical Encyclopedia undertaken nine years ago has been completed. The encyclopedia consists of 36 volumes containing 6,396 articles and 80,000 scientific terms which cover 96 medical and kindred subjects.

YAM BEATS DROUTH

LAWRENCE, Kas. (U.P.)—George S. Smith has a 3 1/2 pound sweet potato which attests to the effectiveness of rain. The part that grew during the drouth is 3 inch in circumference. The part that grew after the fall rains is 18 inches in circumference.

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About Our Friends

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John Harrison and Weaver of Eastland were shopping in Cisco today. Mrs. Claude C. Wild and son, Claude, Jr., of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Laura T. Wild and family.

I. O. O. F. LODGE

I. O. O. F. Lodge meeting every Monday night, 7:30, I. O. O. F. Hall. Rebekas every Thursday night, 7:30. I. O. O. F. Clements, N. G. Mrs. Ruth Powell, Rebekah N. G. Coe McElroy, and Mrs. Edith Rainbolt, secretaries.

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POISONOUS SPIDER IN CRIB

WATFORD CITY, N. D. (AP)—C. A. Schofield, of McKenzie county, brought to Watford a large black spider which he found in his baby's crib. He said a search of the house resulted in discovering another spider of the same species, but considerably smaller.

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SOCIETY

LAURA RUPE, Editor, Office Phone 80.

Social Calendar For Week

Monday

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church will meet in the home of Miss Vada Bell Tomlinson at 400 West Tenth street at 7:30 o'clock.

Tuesday

Circle Two of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the home of Mrs. S. E. Hittson at three o'clock.

Circle Three of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 3 o'clock at the church.

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet in Circles as follows: Circle One with Mrs. Grover Eppeler at 1206 West Ninth street Tuesday at 3 o'clock; Circle Two with Mrs. T. M. Moore in her home at 102 Avenue I; Circle Three with Mrs. Lee Elkins at 1105 West Ninth street; Circle Four in the home of Mrs. W. E. Cooper, 635 West Fifth street; Circle Five in the home of Mrs. Jack Jones, Humboldt; and Circle Six with Mrs. J. J. Butts at 711 West Seventh street.

The W. M. S. of the First Methodist church will meet in the home of Mrs. C. R. Sanford at 3 o'clock in the last meeting of the year.

Wednesday

The Subbeans will meet at 3 o'clock in a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. E. S. James.

The Junior G. A. S. of the First Baptist church will meet at 4 o'clock at the church.

The Delphian club will meet at 9:30 a. m. at the clubhouse.

The Men's Bible class of the First Methodist church will have a Christmas supper at the church.

Thursday

The Friendly Twelve Forty-two club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haley in their home at 613 West Eleventh street.

Friday

The Twentieth Century club will meet at 3 o'clock in the clubhouse.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Oscar Weise of Moran was a visitor in Cisco this morning.

Mrs. John Shertzer has returned from an extended visit with relatives in parts of Ohio and Michigan.

gan. Guests in her home this week are Mr. and Mrs. John Neely of Lima, Ohio.

Mrs. Leith Morris has returned to her home in Big Spring after a visit in the homes of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Auda Wheeler of Mineral Wells were in Cisco Sunday at the bedside of Mrs. Zola Witherspoon, sister of Mr. Wheeler. Mrs. Witherspoon has been quite ill for the past few days. Her condition is reported improved.

Miss Marie Pratt of Eastland was week-end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Robinson of Rising Star visited with relatives and friends in Cisco this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Osburn visited friends in Ranger Sunday afternoon.

Miss Florence Fielder, who underwent operation in the Baptist hospital at Abilene last Wednesday morning, is improved and has been moved to Cisco to the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. LaRoque.

Mrs. Vera McElroy was a Cisco visitor Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Farmer and son, Will Frank, of Breckenridge, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Van Eman.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Armstrong are at home after a few days trip to Fort Worth.

N. D. Gallagher is expected to return tomorrow from a business trip to Corpus Christi and Austin.

Charles Brown of Midland, former Ciscoan, was guest of friends in Cisco this morning.

Walter Baker and Mrs. Beal of Abilene, Mrs. W. H. Hawk of Buffalo and Miss Maggie Hawk of Salsberry, North Carolina were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rupe this weekend.

Eastern Star to Have White Xmas

The Eastern Star chapter of Cisco will have their white Christmas tree and program Tuesday evening, it was announced today by Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal.

All officers of the chapter are urged to be promptly on time at 7:30 in order that all business arrangements will be completed before the program hour. Those on program will come at 8:15.

A feature of the program will be presentation of Miss Wilda Drago and chorus from Eastland. All Eastern Star members and families are invited and are to bring gifts not exceeding 15 cents.

Baptists to Have White Christmas

The First Baptist church is arranging for the White Christmas

program for next Sunday morning at which time baskets filled by the classes of the adult department and the departments of lower groups will be given to certain needy individuals designated by the groups themselves.

A short program to be held in connection with the ceremonies and the decorations of the church and Christmas trees, is in charge of Miss Cora Harris, teacher of the T. E. L. Class.

Old Age Assistance Opens Office Dec. 18

Texas Old Age Assistance Commission will open a sub-office for Eastland county on Friday, Dec. 18, on the second floor of Court House. This office will be open every Friday thereafter except Christmas and New Year's day.

An investigator will be in the office each Friday and persons desiring to make application for Old Age Assistance should come to Sub-office at Eastland and have investigator fill out their applications. By order from state office all applications must be filled out by an investigator.

In making investigations, if applicant owns any real estate, they should know Abstract Number Survey, Lot and Block Number and number of acres owned. Cost of same, present value and indebtedness, if any, and state and county rendition for taxes.

If they have sold any property in the last three years they must be able to give legal description of same from whom purchased, to whom sold and amount received for same.

They should also bring an itemized statement of all 1935-36 income, whether it be cash or otherwise. On Friday applicants can get information concerning their applications, and it will not be necessary for them to call at homes of investigators for this information unless absolutely necessary as he will be busy with investigations on other days.

All information and records that are in the hands of investigators at present will be kept in the sub-office and not at homes of investigators.

In the near future, a record of all Eastland county cases will be kept in the files of the sub-office at Eastland.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS

By TOMMY LA MORE

The Home Economics Department of the high school held a baking contest which was sponsored by a baking powder company. The contest produced two winners which were chosen from each class.

In sponsoring the contest the baking company furnished the home economics classes with baking powder, score cards and ribbons for the winners. Miss Martha Graves and Miss Esther Bradshaw, judges of the contest, said that the choosing of the winner was a hard task.

Winners from the fourth period

Beauty That Rocks an Empire



A serene beauty, her direct gaze seemingly fixed on far-off visions, Mrs. Wallis Simpson shows in these poses her undeniable charm—the charm for which a king was willing to relinquish a throne, threatening the course of empire.

class were: Helen Cook, Bobby Grace Shirley, Vada Belle Tomlinson and Charnell Boggs. Winners from the sixth period class were: Ruby Garrett, Gladys Finley, Oleta Spoon, Charline Cooper.

Rotary Club

The Rotary club, with Dr. J. T. McKissick in charge, gave the program this morning at the regular chapel period.

Rev. Applewhite led the student body in singing "America the Beautiful," after which he sang a solo entitled "Nancy Lee," a piano duet by Miss Clark and Miss Steele of Randolph College; Miss Little, also of the college, sang a Christmas song, "Glory to God in the Highest."

Golden Gloves

The Golden Gloves tournament

will be held tonight at 7:30. Admission is free.

DRIVER RUNS DOWN COYOTE

COTTONWOOD FALLS, Kas. (AP)

Carl Park has found a new way to hunt coyotes. Driving his car near here, Park saw a coyote leaping down the highway in front of him. Park gave chase and soon overhauled the animal. The car bumper struck and killed the coyote.

FOOTPRINTS MORE ACCURATE

BERKELEY, Cal. (AP)—The university of California has demonstrated that footprinting constitutes as sure a method of identification as finger printing. Finger prints of identical twins showed intimate relationships but still a difference.

Season's Greetings

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Marshall Field
Mont Ward
Nat Dair
Ohio Oil
Packard
Pennycy J
Phelps Dodge
Phillips P
Pure Oil
Purity aB
Radio
Sears Roebuck
Shell Union Oil
Socony-Vacuum
Southern Pacific
S O Ind
Stan Oil N J
Studebaker
Swift & Co
Texas Corp
Tex Gulf Sul
Tex Pac C & O
Und Elliott
Un Carb
Un Avn Corp
United Corp
U S Gypsum
U S Ind Ale
U S Steel
Vanadium
West Elec
Worthington