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Colquit Davis Is Captured Near Hereford Monday

Texas in Grip of Wintry Weather

Cold Wave Sweeps Across State And Drives Mercury Downward; Snow Is Reported

UNLESS the weather forecaster miscalculated, few sections of Texas were without freezing temperatures today, since a cold wave came to Texas Sunday night was able to beat down the mercury in thermometers from the Panhandle and Plains country to the southernmost tip of the state at Brownsville.

The official forecast was for freezing weather "nearly to the coast." Ice and in some places snow, already had penetrated deep into Texas and the freezing and below-freezing line was steadily falling back last night.

Amarillo and Pampa and other points in the Panhandle and Plains sections reported snow flurries, surmounting a fall Sunday. Amarillo's minimum Sunday night was 16 degrees and the mercury hovered around the freezing mark most of Monday.

While Brownsville did not anticipate colder weather than 40 degrees, Laredo, also on the Rio Grande and the center of the state's

bermuda onion region, was expecting freezing temperatures.

The section around Dallas was told a minimum of 26 degrees was probable and the eastern part of West Texas was in for a "hard freeze."

Beaumont's minimum Monday was 42, but a drop to 32 to 36 was probable during the night. Houston reported a minimum of 42 yesterday with a "light freeze" forecast for today. Austin's minimum yesterday was 40. Corsicana's low was 41, but the mercury was falling steadily as night came on.

Colder weather was expected in Lubbock Monday night and Tuesday with "a hard freeze" forecast for that section Tuesday. The mercury dropped to 29 degrees early Monday and never climbed beyond the 35-degree mark during the day.

An almost frigid wind swept into Lubbock from the north Monday and reports from other parts of the state indicated that winter temperatures and in some instances conditions conducive to snow had arrived.

Rock Island Opens Fight On T.-P. Plea

Testimony on Behalf of T-P Project Ended

Witnesses Center Fight on Part of Proposed Railway from Dimmitt to Vega; Two Branches of Line Sought

Claim Area Served

Rail Hearing Becomes Battleground for Olton, Pumpkin Center and Earth in Fight for Location of Line

BY HARRELL E. LEE
Associated Press Staff Writer.

DIRECT testimony on behalf of the applicant of T. and P. railroad to construct the Texas and Pacific Northern from Big Spring to Lubbock, Amarillo and Vega, was concluded yesterday.

Soon after the intervenors for the Texas and Pacific rested, Haskell C. Davis, examiner for the Interstate Commerce Commission, began viewing the other side of the picture as drawn by witnesses of the Rock Island. The Port Worth and Denver and Santa Fe likewise are opposing the project.

The Rock Island centered its fight on that portion of the new line which would extend from Dimmitt to Vega. Its witnesses contended Oldham and Deaf Smith counties would be adequately served with the construction of the Rock Island branch from Vega to Forrest, N. M., already authorized.

Two Branches Sought.

From Dimmitt one branch of the proposed T. and P. N. would go to Amarillo and the other to Vega. C. B. Davis of Amarillo, Rock Island division freight agent, said that with the construction of the Rock Island branch, no part of Deaf Smith county would be farther than 17 miles from a railroad.

He stated much of Oldham and Deaf Smith counties would be in both Rock Island and T. and P. N. territory. He introduced population and agricultural development figures to show the tonnage to and

Durham Re-Named Tech Grid Captain As Lindsey Honors Two Local Teams

Leads Matadors



CAPTAIN JACK DURHAM "Praised by Cawthon"

High School and Tech Players, Coaches, Banquet Guests

JACK "BULL" Durham, of Hamilton, liberal arts junior at Texas Technological college, will lead the Matador football team again in 1931. Head Coach P. W. Cawthon announced last night.

Coach Cawthon's announcement, greeted with a roar of applause, was the first of the season's teammates and members of the 1930 grid squad of Lubbock High school, was made at Hotel Hilton, the climax of a dinner party at which CHIT C. Lindsey, general manager of the Lindsey Theatre Enterprises, was host to both teams and their coaches.

In making his announcement Coach Cawthon paid deep tribute to Durham, whose play at center has been a feature of Matador teams for the past two seasons.

Durham's Aid Praised.

"I always appoint as captain," Coach Cawthon said, "the player who is my greatest aide. For that reason I am reappointing the 1930 captain, Jack Durham, as captain for next year." The mentor stressed particularly the work Durham had done off the field and during the playing season. At the conclusion of last night's program the Westerners of Lubbock High and the Matadors of Tech gave rousing cheers for Mr. Lindsey and his publicity director, James Lucas, then flanked by their coaches, trooped at the court house in honor of Mr. Lindsey's assistant, Eddie Carter's antics in the stage and screen success "Whoopie!"

Program Voted.

Charles A. Guy, editor of the Avalanche and Journal, acted as toastmaster at the banquet. The gridsters fell to with a will, after City

Demos Defeat GOP Move on Drouth Relief

Attempt of Administration to Put Through \$30,000,000 Program in Preference to \$60,000,000 Bill Downed

Garner Takes Lead

Democratic Party Lines Are Held Rigid as Republican Strugglers Are Separated from Majority in House

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Holding their own lines rigid, the House Democrats separated enough Republican stragglers from the majority today to beat back an attempt by administration leaders to put an altered \$30,000,000 drouth relief program through that branch in preference to the senate's \$60,000,000 fund.

By 205 to 159, the move to suspend rules and pass house measure was defeated, it requiring two-thirds of those voting to secure passage.

Garner Takes Lead.

The dispute was the most spectacular of this session in the house. Led by Representative Garner of Texas, the Democrats lost only one vote—Black of New York—to the Republicans while sixteen Republicans and the lone Farmer-Labor, Kvale of Minnesota, joined them. Seventy one either failed to vote or were paired.

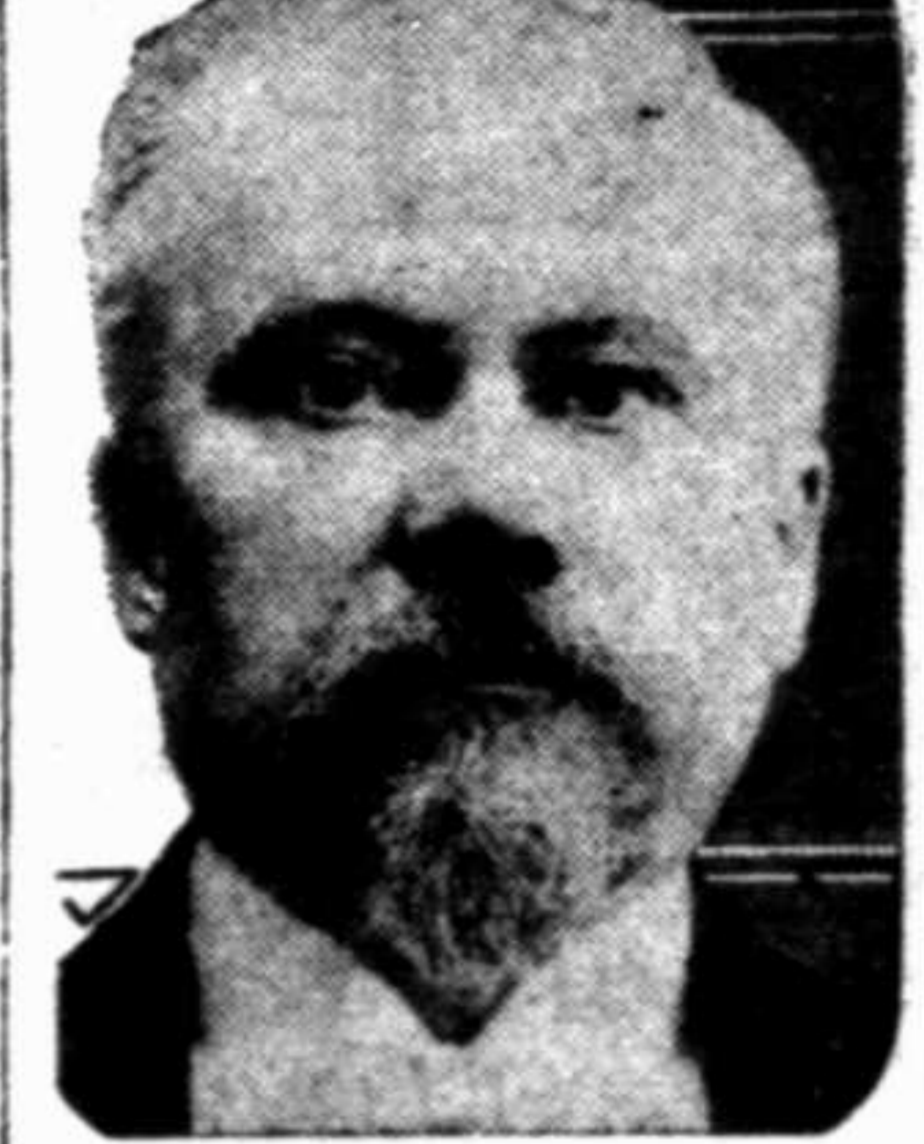
Although blocked in their attempt to prevent a vote on the senate's \$60,000,000 proposal, the Republicans plan to seek action again under a more liberal procedure later in the week.

The house agriculture committee proposes to consider the senate proposal with a view to attempting to eliminate the provision for loans for food and clothing to which the administration objects.

Meanwhile, the position of the administration for a \$25,000,000 limitation came up for debate in the senate where the \$60,000,000 was voted last week without even a recorded vote.

In a defense of President Hoover's relief program Senator Watson, of Indiana, the Republican leader, asserted the rights of Mr. Hoover to \$410 million in late session recommendation for \$25,000,000. He also defended the right of the senate to fix its own figure, which it did.

Seriously Ill



PARIS, Dec. 15. (AP)—The condition of Raymond P. McCarry, above, was worse tonight, and friends were apprehensive of the 70-year-old statesman fought an illness which one report said had developed into partial paralysis.

Places Blame For Murder on Slain Brother

Prisoner Held in Amarillo Jail After Capture in Field; Says D. I. Davis Shot Con Kearsy to Death

Issues Statement

Arrest Ends Manhunt in Three States; Davis Implicates Himself in Robberies but Denies Slaying McCarrick

(By The Associated Press)

MARILLO, Dec. 15.—Placing the blame for the murder of Con Kearsy, Ardmore, Okla., deputy sheriff, on his dead brother, D. I. Davis, who was killed in Wichita, Kansas, by officers last Friday night, Colquit Davis is in jail in Amarillo.

Davis was captured in a field three miles east of Hereford Monday afternoon, Emmett Hale, a Hereford city officer, taking him prisoner after covering him with his gun and making him get up his hands.

Officer Alone.

Hale was alone when he ran onto Davis, who had quit the railroad, and was proceeding across country. Davis also was alone.

Amarillo officers, receiving word that Davis was "spotted" at Hereford, rushed there in two automobiles to arrest him.

On the way back from Hereford, Davis denied any connection with the slaying of Harold A. McCarrick, Amarillo grocer, near his home.

"I never fired a shot," was his statement to Sheriff W. E. Thompson and Chief of Police W. R. McDowell.

Later on the trip back, Davis expressed a wish to make a statement to District Attorney Edward W. Thompson, and early Monday night the prosecutor was waded by Oklahoma, Texas and Kansas officers since the fatal gun fight at Wirt, Okla., on last Wednesday night.

After the Davis boys left Wirt, they drove to Ringling, where a doctor was forced at the point of a gun to dress the wounds of D. I. Davis, who was shot in both arms.

They came into Amarillo on Thursday, and that night two robberies were committed here in which the Davis boys and a man appearing to be a half-breed Indian were identified as the principals.

Davis says he is unable to remember the name of his Indian companion other than that he was called "Pakey." He says he left Pakey in Kansas after the Wichita shooting.

Colquit admits he and D. I. Davis committed six robberies with firearms in the city recently, including the two on Saturday night a week ago.

Prosecution's Witnesses Turn to Shepard Defense

To Speak Here



Dr. Truett to Speak Tonight

Dallas Minister to Be Here in Interest of a "Greater Baylor" Campaign; Dr. S. F. Brooks on Tour of State

Dr. George W. Truett, of Dallas, is to preach at the First Baptist church in this city tonight at 7:45 o'clock in the interest of a "Greater Baylor" campaign. He is touring this part of the state and will arrive in Lubbock this afternoon, according to the Rev. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the Lubbock church.

Dr. Truett, who is pastor of the First Baptist church in Dallas, formerly was president of the Southern Baptist convention and is generally recognized as one of the greatest living Baptist ministers. Several years ago he was chosen as one of the 10 outstanding preachers in America.

Dr. S. F. Brooks, president of Baylor university at Waco is accompanying Dr. Truett on the tour which is made in the interest of raising \$300,000 in cash before December 31 for the university. If this amount is realized, all of the institution's debts will be paid.

Medicine of Another Doctor Blamed in Woman's Death

(By The Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 15.—Some of the prosecution's own witnesses were turned to the defense of Major Charles A. Shepard in his trial for the alleged poison murder of his wife today and testified it was possible Mrs. Shepard died from medicine prescribed by another army medical officer.

When court adjourned for the day the records contained testimony that in Mrs. Shepard's fatal illness at Fort Riley, Kan., in June, 1928, a solution of bichloride of mercury (the poison which the government contends caused death) was used as a mouth wash at the direction of Major M. A. Rose, a dentist.

Major G. R. Callender, an army pathologist, contributed the testimony that Mrs. Shepard could have absorbed enough of the mercury from the mouth wash to cause death.

It was further testified it was possible Mrs. Shepard may have swallowed some of the mouth wash through carelessness, and it was intimated there was a possibility she may have used the medicine to commit suicide.

Both Major Rose and Major Callender were placed on the stand by the defense, although subpoenaed as prosecution witnesses. The prosecution did not call either of the officers.

Opening up its medical testimony, the defense immediately began to blast away at the circumstantial case presented by the government, which alleges Shepard poisoned his wife so he would be free to wed Miss Grace Brandon, young stenographer of San Antonio, Tex.

Identify Victim Of Shooting Fray

AMARILLO, Dec. 15. (AP)—A man shot to death at a farm home nine miles west of Clarendon last night has been identified as Frank Parker of Oklahoma City, Clarendon officers said Monday afternoon.

Dick O'Neil, who was with Parker when the shooting occurred, is held in jail at Clarendon. A third man escaped in an automobile.

Tom Naylor, the farm owner, is said to have surprised the men prowling about his garage at 9:30 o'clock Sunday night. They said they were looking for a place to sleep. Naylor took them inside the house and went to the telephone to call the Donley county sheriff. It was said. One of the men fired when Naylor went to the telephone and the farmer called for help.

Joe Moss, hired hand on the farm, came to his rescue with a shotgun and Parker was shot. No charge had been filed against Moss.

Chute Jumper Is Unchanged

Louis Tjaden Is Unconscious in Hospital Here Following Unsuccessful Parachute Jump Near City Sunday

The condition of Louis Tjaden, exhibition parachute jumper of Bismarck, North Dakota, who was injured seriously in a parachute leap Sunday afternoon, was unchanged and Tjaden still was unconscious Monday night, according to attaches of West Texas hospital.

Tjaden's injuries were believed by physicians to be confined to severe concussion of the brain, although a fracture of the skull first had been feared. The accident occurred near here at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. During early hours of Monday morning, Tjaden was reported to have stirred only to fall short of regaining consciousness.

Has Chance To Recover.

Attending Monday morning believed his condition was improved slightly but Monday night indicated that there had been virtually no

Second Revolt Is Crushed by Spanish Army

Artillerymen Turn Guns on Aviator-Insurgents Monday to Defeat Military Uprising, the Second in Four Days

(By Clarence Durose)

MADRID, Dec. 15. (AP)—Loyal Spanish artillerymen turned their guns on aviator-insurgents today and crushed, in a half hour's bombardment, a new military revolt, the second in Spain in four days.

About thirty of the insurgents were captured. A leader, Major Ramon Franco, Spanish flying ace, surrendered to Portuguese air forces at Lisbon.

Martial Law Declared.

In the meantime the government proclaimed Spain in a state of siege, with martial law in force throughout the country.

Before they surrendered the mutineers had proclaimed Alcala Zamora "president of the republic," announced the setting up of a revolutionary committee, and flooded Madrid with circulars threatening dire consequences to any who opposed them.

Alcala Zamora, a member of the 1923 cabinet which preceded the dictatorship of General Primo de Rivera, was already under arrest, having been taken in custody yesterday during a wide roundup of suspected persons following Friday's abortive revolt at Jaca.

Disorders Break Out.

Strikes and disorders broke out at Bilbao, Santander and San Sebastian. At San Sebastian two policemen and several rioters were killed. One man was reported killed at Bilbao, where policemen charged a mob of demonstrators who had proclaimed a republic.

The censorship once more occurred. Knowledge of any but the most meager details, and these were from official sources.

Sen. Parrish Talks

Senator from Lubbock Heard On Farm Relief

Senator Pink L. Parrish, of Lubbock, spoke to about 150 Cochran county farmers Saturday afternoon at the court house in Morton in connection with efforts to assist them in presenting to the national farm relief committee a report of their needs for the coming year.

Another meeting will be held in Morton at 1 o'clock next Saturday afternoon, when farmers need assistance will fill questionnaire petitions to be forwarded to Senator Parrish, who will turn them to the farm relief committee, according to George E. Lance.

Mr. Lance was elected chairman of the Cochran county committee to carry on activities in connection with the national farm relief scheme. Committees of the four commissioners districts of the county attended Saturday's assembly, at which Mr. Lance presided.

REQUEST REFUSED.

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 15. (AP)—Gov. R. C. Dillon today appealed to the eighth corps area at San Antonio for blankets, tents and cot for use by unemployed men at Albuquerque, N. M. The request was refused by army officials, who said the act was beyond their rules.

Robbery Here Is Frustrated

Hand-to-Hand Encounter Follows Discovery of Two Men Sacking Loot at Wrecking Company by A. D. Stanley

Two men who were sacking intended loot in the yard of the Denver Wrecking company quarters at 2410 Avenue E late Sunday afternoon were surprised by A. D. Stanley, who operates the wrecking company, and escaped after a hand-to-hand encounter with Stanley.

Report of the attempted robbery and subsequent battle was kept from the press by police, to whom Stanley said the incident was reported. Officers scoured the area about the wrecking company yard but found no trace of the escaped suspects so far as was learned.

One Man Armed.

Stanley said he entered the yard at about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and saw the two men, who were putting automobile parts and similar articles into a sack. One of the thieves was armed, according to Stanley, although the weapon was hidden in the man's apparel that Stanley was unable to determine whether it was a knife or gun.

Hitting their loot, the robbers stood their ground as Stanley approached. After a fight, in which Stanley was said to have wrenched himself from the grasp of one of the men and struck one of them in the mouth with his fist, the two men fled on foot.

The wrecking company operator's willingness to meet the two and their fear that attention would be attracted to the scene was believed to have caused the thieves to run, leaving the sack of loot behind.

Stanley said he possibly would be able to identify the men if he saw them again, although he never had seen them before Sunday's encounter.

Allotment of Chest Quotas Is Authorized

Fifty Per Cent of Totals to Be Given Organizations Affiliated with Chest; Drive to Be Continued Here

Allotments of 50 per cent of respective quotas for October, November and December to organizations affiliated with the Community Chest were authorized Monday night at a meeting of the Chest board of directors in chamber of commerce officers.

A total of \$12,573.14 has been subscribed and payments of \$4,997.89 made in the second annual Community Chest campaign, which occupied the last three days of last week and will be continued this week.

Actual renewal of the drive is expected today or Wednesday. The group of 809 subscribers obtained thus far has pledged only slightly more than half of the goal of \$25,730.

Amounts authorized for allotment to Chest agencies Monday night will be paid to the member-groups upon presentation of reports of their October and November activities and approval of the reports by the Chest officers.

At least 1,000 persons, including children, have been aided by United Charities since December 1, and requests of 200 others turned down as not justifying aid, according to J. T. Trigg, president of United Charities.

Following Monday night's meeting, Mr. Trigg said that about 20 families daily were reported to United Charities as being in need. Donations of clothing for children, enabling them to remain in school, are needed particularly, Mr. Trigg said.

Dr. Standefer Is Pneumonia Victim

Dr. Fred W. Standefer, specialist, on the staff of West Texas hospital and prominent in civic club circles, is seriously ill at his home, 2207 16th street, a victim of pneumonia.

Doctor Standefer, who is a former president of both the Kiwanis club and the Lubbock Country club, became ill while at his home Sunday morning. He went immediately to bed and medical care was summoned.

An attending physician said last night that Doctor Standefer was resting as well as could be expected and seemed to be holding his own nicely. He said the patient's recovery appeared certain although it is yet too soon to exactly forecast a pneumonia convalescence.

Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday, sunny in the Panhandle Tuesday night, warmer Wednesday.

Central Labor Union Head Continues Plea For Jobs; Co-Operation Needed

"Create Employment Campaign"

Unemployment Editor, Avalanche-Journal:

The undersigned has some work for some unemployed man in Lubbock and agrees to pay at least 40 cents per hour for the work.

The type of work is _____

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

(Mail or bring this coupon to the Unemployment Editor, Avalanche-Journal)

SAYS BRITAIN LEADS

See Power Superior to U. S., Admiral Pratt States

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. (AP)—The highest ranking naval officer testified today Great Britain retains sea power superiority over the United States despite technical parity under the London treaty.

Admiral William V. Pratt, chief of naval operations, told the house naval committee Great Britain's numerous great bases gave that country a sea power that could not be equalled until the United States builds up its merchant marine.

What do you want?

CHINA?

8 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

FLOATING PEN BLASTED

LA ROCHELLE, France, Dec. 15. (AP)—A blinding explosion shattered the bow of the floating penitentiary La Martiniere today, killing an engineer; wounding a fireman and giving 500 convicted criminals a respite of several weeks before they depart for Devil's Island.

MOTHER DOESN'T NEED AUNT COAT FOR CHRISTMAS, EITHER. NOT ONE A WRAP!

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Baptists Will Gather Today

Monthly Workers' Conference of Lubbock Baptist Association Will Be Held at Slaton; Expect 300 to Attend

SLATON, Dec. 15. (Special)—Monthly Workers' conference of the Lubbock Baptist association, which includes Lubbock, Garza, Hockley, Cochran and Crosby counties, will be held Tuesday at the First Baptist church here.

A group of probably 300 Baptists from the five counties is expected to attend the conference, according to Rev. W. F. Ferguson, pastor of the First church here.

Flavor-Protected By New Methods



Yeast and candy taste better because of the new Aluminum Foil Flavor-Protection. M-J-B Coffee tastes better because of its patented Hi-Test Vacuum Flavor-Protection.

Start with this new, richer coffee today.

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Lipton Gets Good Will Trophy



"For the greatest loser in the history of mankind" was the silver trophy which Sir Thomas Lipton (right), persistent but unsuccessful challenger for the America's Cup, here is pictured receiving from Mayor James J. Walker of New York.

BURNS TO DEATH

Texas Man Killed in Fire in Dallas Bath Room

DALLAS, Dec. 15. (P)—James Cassel, 24, was burned to death in the bath room of his home today.

ENGINEER KILLED

LA ROCHELLE, France, Dec. 15. (P)—A terrific explosion aboard the convict ship La Marinere, which carries prisoners to the penal colony of Devil's Island, today killed the fourth engineer and injured one fireman, perhaps fatally.

CANTATA PRESENTED

First Baptist Church Offers Annual Xmas Program

Annual Christmas cantata was presented Sunday night by members of the First Baptist church choir in the church auditorium under direction of J. D. Carroll.

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LUCKY TIGER, world's largest seller of Dandruff, Barbers and Beauty Preparations. A Proven Germicide, Corrosive Dandruff and Hair Irritant. Safe for entire children. Guaranteed.

TO PRESENT PLAY

Community Players Are to Stage Production

Benefiting the athletic fund at the Canyon school house, the Community Players are presenting "The Nobody" this evening at that school east of Lubbock.

Chocolate vending machines are being placed in London subway trains.

Rayon manufacturing is developing extensively in Yugoslavia.

Riot Caused When Germany Shown In Cinderella Role

NUREMBERG, Germany, Dec. 15. (P)—Poor little Miss Germany, attired in a Cinderella's rags, incited a riot in the Apollo theater here last night just by being on the stage in the midst of girls of other nations dressed up in fancy clothes.

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TEXAN FATALLY SHOT

Brother-in-Law Surrenders to Officers After Slaying

HILLSBORO, Dec. 15. (P)—Francis Cepica was fatally shot at the home of his brother-in-law, Oscar Andrey, four miles from Mount Calm, yesterday. Andrey surrendered to officers and was placed in jail here.

BANK HELD UP

WARRENTON, Mo., Dec. 15. (P)—A man about 38 years old held up the Bank of Pendleton, five miles west of here, today, slugged Cashier Otto F. L. Hoake and locked him in the vault, and escaped with all money on hand.

CHICHESTERS PILLS

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\$2.98

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Women's Hose

\$1.00

Service Hose for Mother, Sister or Sweetheart. Pull-fashioned. Pure silk.

Bloomers

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Chardine rayon that looks and feels like glove silk. Choose a pair in each color: flesh, peach or Nile green.

Gift Ensemble

\$3.00

A Christmas gift that will make a subtle appeal to her love for nice things! Perfume, Face Powder, Talk. Compact... in velvet-lined box.

Silk Step-In Sets

\$2.95

You could shop for weeks, and not find a more perfect gift than these lace-trimmed crepe de chine Step-Ins. Choose flesh, pink, or Nile.

HOUSE FROCKS

Are Always Acceptable

77c

As gay as their Christmas wrappings are these becoming new style House Frocks. Novelty cottons, and foulard prints with collars, cuffs and inserts of pique or fine broadcloth. Neatly tailored... deep hems... set-in sleeves. Women's and Misses' sizes. Choose one for Mother or Sister!

HOUSE SLIPPERS

89c

A gift of comfort for Mother or Sister! Fine kid slippers with padded chrome soles and heels. Colored pompons. In colors... and black patent.

Talking Doll

\$4.98

A cute, cuddly doll that any little girl would like! She talks and sleeps. Pretty lace trimmed dress.

Electric Train

\$5.00

43-inch Passenger Train with 120-inch oval track. Electric headlights on locomotive, and electric lights in coaches.

Men's Shirts

\$1.88

If you can read a man's mind you'll be sure to give him shirts. See are smart broadcloths. Styles every man likes.

Silk Mufflers

\$1.00

Every man on your list will appreciate a good looking muffler. Here is a group of all silk crepe in a variety of the smartest colors.

Men's Robes

\$3.98

What man won't welcome a big, warm blanket cloth robe like these! Bright clear colors, harmonizing cord trim.

Talking Doll

\$1.19

Adorable little doll that will make Christmas day happy for any little girl. Her eyes close, and her baby voice cries.

Silk Ties

98c

Smart gifts for every taste. Conservative shades, and patterns as gay as the Christmas tree. Non-wrinkle linings.

Turnover Toaster

\$2.29

A gift the Entire Family will enjoy! Toasts two slices of bread a lovely brown and turns them automatically. Nickel-plated, with convenient red handles and red cord—to give a note of holiday cheer.

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Miss Ritcher Named Head of Charity Group

Office of Executive Secretary to Be in Labor Temple; Record of United Charities to Be Kept at Office

Miss Evelyn Ritcher, of Lubbock, was selected as executive secretary of United Charities at a meeting of the United Charities directorate Saturday night at chamber of com-

merce offices. It was announced Monday by J. T. Trigg, president of United Charities. Office of the executive secretary will be in the Labor Temple at 710 Thirteenth street. All records of cases and materials for welfare work will be kept at the office, which will be opened this week. Miss Ritcher has resided here the last three years and formerly was employed in the business offices of Lubbock sanitarium. She will be employed full time and have charge of all United Charities activities. Plan Old Clothes Drive Lubbock citizens will be called upon by United Charities for additional aid when a city-wide old clothes drive will be conducted by the organization Monday, December 22, according to Mr. Trigg. "Directors of the body, realizing the scarcity of funds for charity

work during the coming year, have decided to conduct this drive as a house to house canvass," the president explained. "Women of the city, together with Boy Scouts will canvass every home next Monday and citizens are urged to give them any old clothes, shoes, or bedding which they might not have use for. We will not have enough money to purchase clothes this year for unfortunates and it is through this method that we expect to supply the demand." Directors attending Saturday night's meeting included Rev. D. C. Ross, Mrs. Paul B. Williams, Mrs. T. R. Campbell, J. D. Carroll, Mrs. A. T. Biggers, A. M. Scott, Mrs. Tom Foster, J. T. Trigg, Mrs. George Meiser, Rev. H. C. Ziehe, S. C. Wilson, Mrs. W. B. Price, H. R. Pluke, Rev. R. M. Hooper, Mrs. F. E. Friend, J. O. Jones, Glen Hess, John Dalrymple, E. L. Pitts, Mrs. I. C. Enoch, J. M. Black, Mrs. Jim Fulton and Roscoe Wilson.

Texas Tech Topics

BY MARSHALL C. FORMBY College Correspondent

EXAMS HELD Fall term examinations in the college started at 8 o'clock yesterday morning and will continue through Friday, although many students will finish earlier. Each exam takes up two hours and three exam periods are scheduled each day. No classes will be held this week, the entire time being given to examinations.

NO PAPER THIS WEEK There will be no Foreword, Tech weekly paper, issued this week, according to an announcement from the Foreword staff. The next issue will be the week following winter term registration.

WORKS IN EL PASO Riley Alexander, Breckenridge, is in El Paso employed as a plant quarantine inspector for the U. S. department of agriculture. He received a B. S. degree in agriculture from Tech in 1929 and kept the

college greenhouses while a student here. His sister, Ruth, is a junior in the college this year.

CONSIDER PARKING PROBLEM Architects of the college are considering a parking plan which will eliminate the parking of cars in front of the college building, according to Pres. Paul W. Horn. During the Armistice day program no cars were allowed to park in front of the administration building, and many students were heard to comment upon the improved looks of the building. It is probable that the square block of land between the administration and engineering building will be converted into a parking space and that students and faculty members who drive cars to

school will be assigned a parking place. The latter plan is working in many of the northern colleges and universities, it is said.

PLANS NEW YORK TRIP Miss Cecile Horne, sophomore in the college, plans to accompany her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Kaufman of Little Rock, Ark., to New York during the Christmas holidays. Miss Horne will leave here following completion of her exams, and will meet her aunt in Dallas where they will go to Galveston.

BOOKS DUE WEDNESDAY All library books in the college are due in the library not later than Wednesday, 17th, according to Miss Emma L. Main, librarian. After this date no books will be taken out except reserve books which may be kept out during the holidays.

ENROLLMENT BEGINS JAN. 2 Registration for the winter term of school in Tech will be held Fri-

day and Saturday, January 2 and 3. After these two days a late enrollment fee of two dollars will be charged. Official Christmas recess begins in the college next Saturday and practically all the students and faculty members will spend the holidays out of the city.

APPOINTMENT APPROVED WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. (AP) — The appointment of Charles D. Mahaffie, of the District of Columbia, to the Interstate Commerce Commission was approved without objection today by the senate Interstate Commerce Committee.

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Scout Heads Talk Council Work Here

Plans for expanding the work of the South Plains Area council of the Boy Scout organization and for enlisting the aid of additional adults throughout the area were discussed at a called meeting of the council Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist Episcopal church.

A group of 22 leaders in South Plains scouting attended the meeting. Tom A. White, president of the council, presided. Several interesting addresses were included on Sunday's program, principal of which were those of George W. Dupree on the Value and Necessity of Adult Cooperation; R. J. Murray, "Value of Scouting in Combating the Crime Wave"; Dr. Paul W. Horn, all of Lubbock; Edd McLaughlin of Ralls, and L. A. Wilson, of Slaton.

Those who attended the conference were Tom A. White, K. N. Clapp, Dr. Paul W. Horn, T. E. Buckner, R. J. Murray, A. H. Leidigh, Clayton Gammill, Vaughn Wilson, J. T. Trigg, George W. Dupree, J. W. Hodges, Dr. P. B. Malone, J. M. Gordon, Pete Cayton, O. H. Cline, Rev. O. N. Bayoum, Dr. J. M. Lewis, Neil H. Wright, D. H. Jennings and Rev. J. O. Haynes. All of Lubbock; Men D. Thaxton, J. D. Dyer and M. E. Boren of Lamesa; F. G. Sadler, of Littlefield; Will Taylor, Jap McClure and Ed McLaughlin, of Ralls; A. Krasel, J. W. Hood, H. G. Sanders and L. A. Wilson, all of Slaton; O. A. Brafield and W. S. Anglin, of Tahoka.

AMENDMENT OFFERED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. (AP) — To speed up the administration's unemployment relief program, Senator Smoot today offered an amendment to the treasury appropriation bill to make immediately available the \$169,000,000 it provides for public buildings.

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Seven Are Hostesses With Christmas Party For Mary Helm Auxiliary

Parlors of First Methodist Church Are Scene of Gaiety And Seasonal Entertainment

Following a Program Hour of Stories and Piano Numbers Gifts Are Distributed from a Christmas Tree

Christmas decorations made an attractive setting for the party given Monday afternoon in the parlors of the First Methodist church when seven matrons entertained members of the Mary Helm auxiliary. Hostesses were Mesdames J. B. Galland, Joe Bowman, Will Morgan, Ralls, J. B. McCauley, C. A. Bickley and Gerald Wren.

Today's Events

- The High School Honor society is having a progressive dinner party during the evening.
- The New Era Study club is to meet with Mrs. Clyde Tatum, 2013 1/2 street, at 3 o'clock.
- A Christmas party is to be given by members of Mrs. A. W. Evans' Sunday school class at 7:30 o'clock in the First Methodist parlors.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mowery, of 2116 Broadway, are to be at home between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock honoring Miss Mary Mowery.
- The Daletch Delphian chapter is to meet on the mezzanine floor of the Hilton hotel at 2:30 o'clock.
- Members of the Junior Twentieth Century club are to meet in the home economics building of Texas Technological college at 3 o'clock.
- Installation of officers in the General Aid society of the First Christian church will be held at a meeting in the church at 3 o'clock.

Asbury WMS Meets Monday

Christmas Program Is Held in Clem Gause Home; Mmes. Bond and McCullough Are in Charge

A Christmas program was given at a meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Asbury Methodist church Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clem Gause, 2014 18th street.

Mrs. Paul Womack Speaker At Circle

Members of Circle 2 of the First Presbyterian auxiliary met Monday afternoon with Mrs. R. V. Kimmel. Mrs. E. L. Robertson had charge of a devotional lesson and a talk, "Christian Achievements in Korea," was made by Mrs. Paul Womack.

BOOK IS REVIEWED

Mrs. E. L. Dohoney Reports On "For the Defense"

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ITS THE SENSIBLE THING

MRS. M. H. DUNCAN would like for me to mention something in this column that Miss Dorothy McFarlane brought out in a talk last week before the Dupre Parent-Teacher association. It concerns the children who are allowed to attend school during cold weather wearing half-hose or socks.

Exposing so much of the child's leg to the cold endangers his health. Miss McFarlane told the mothers, although she recognized that many children prevail upon their mothers to allow them to wear this scant clothing in the winter because it is the popular thing to do.

I didn't hear Miss McFarlane's talk and can't quote her on it, however, it seems to me that a year ago I heard a doctor say that children who expose their knees to the severe cold in winter are apt to suffer from rheumatism and other ailments later in life. Whether or not that is an authoritative opinion, I do not know, but judging from the way I would feel that the cold wind half-hose on and kneeling at children with bare knees to school in the winter seems to me that here that cover the knees are much more available for

Engagement of Miss N. Richmond And Bob Crump Is Made At A Party Given For Primary Faculty Club Members

Coming as a surprise to their friends here is the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Novella Richmond and Bob Crump, which was made at a party given Saturday afternoon for the Primary Faculty club of the Lubbock Public schools.

Personals

Garland Woodward, former Lubbock attorney, who is now living in Big Spring, spent the week-end with Mrs. Woodward, returning here Sunday night. Mr. Woodward is in Lubbock to attend the Interstate Commerce Commission hearing.

Mrs. Campbell Is Leader in Mission Hour

Christmas Carols Are Sung and "Following the Star" Is Presented at Society Meet Monday

"Following the Star" was the theme of a program which was given at a meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church Monday afternoon under the direction of Mrs. Tom Campbell.

Christmas Tea In Roberds Home

One of the social events of the week-end was a Christmas tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Roberds, Jr., 2009 9th street, which was attended by Pan Hellenic club members.

South Plains Teachers in Meeting Here Elect Mrs. M. E. Ware Secretary of Association

A report on the recent state meeting of music teachers was made Saturday afternoon when members of the South Plains Music teachers association met in the home of Misses Mary and Beulah Dunn, 1807 29th street.

TO VISIT HERE

Miss Margaret Dupre Is to Return for Holidays

INITIATION PLANNED

Eastern Star's to Have Christmas Program

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Nominations of Hoover Okehed

Senate Interstate Commerce Committee Approves Four on Power Commission; Action on McNinch Is Delayed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. (AP)—The senate interstate commerce committee today approved four of President Hoover's nominations to the power commission, but postponed action on the fifth, Frank R. McNinch of North Carolina.

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Garsaud, Louisiana; and Claude L. Draper, of Wyoming. There were votes in committee against several of the nominations and indications that at least two of them would be opposed on the senate floor. Williamson and Draper were approved without objection. The vote on Garsaud was 13 to 4. Smith was approved 11 to 1, but several members of the committee who did not vote against him indicated they might oppose him in the senate. Consideration of the McNinch nomination was postponed until tomorrow, to await the arrival of the newly appointed Senator from North Carolina, Cameron Morrison.

Former Editor Will Get Wish

Desire of Prisoner that He Be Buried Beside Wife He Killed Twelve Years Ago to Be Carried Out

OSWING, N. Y., Dec. 15. (AP)—Charles E. Chapin was granted his last wish—to sleep in oblivion beside the wife he killed twelve years ago. Chapin, one-time city editor of the Evening World, died Saturday night in the Sing Sing death house after serving eleven years of a 20-year sentence for the slaying of Mrs. Nellie Beebe Chapin, a grand-niece of Mrs. Russell Sage. He was 72.

In his will he expressed a desire to be buried in the family plot in Glenwood cemetery at Washington, D. C. In "the least expensive casket obtainable." He also asked that no service be held. Warden Lewis E. Lawer received a letter last night from Miss Marion Chapin, the dead man's sister, requesting that the body be sent to Washington, and he planned to comply today. William Halton, a prison guard, and Chapin's friend, will accompany the casket. Chapin shot his wife while she slept because, he always maintained, he was in financial difficulties and he loved her too well to see her suffer from want. As "No. 62,990" he became editor of the prison paper and later the prison guard. He lived in the death house at his own request and never applied for a parole.

SUSPECT IS RETURNED
W. C. Childress Held Here on Car Theft Charge

W. C. Childress was returned to Lubbock from Yuma, Ariz., late Saturday on an automobile theft charge and was placed in the county jail to await examining trial. Deputy Sheriff Will Ernest and Policeman H. B. Brown returned Childress here. The automobile which Childress is charged with stealing here, was recovered at Yuma, Deputy Sheriff Earnest said.

BANKER SUICIDES
KANSAS CITY, Dec. 15. (AP)—Charles S. Davis, 62, cashier of the closed State bank of Brush, Mo., committed suicide in a hotel room here today.

BANK IS CLOSED
PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 15. (AP)—The American Exchange Bank of Pierre, with deposits of approximately \$145,000, failed to open for business today.

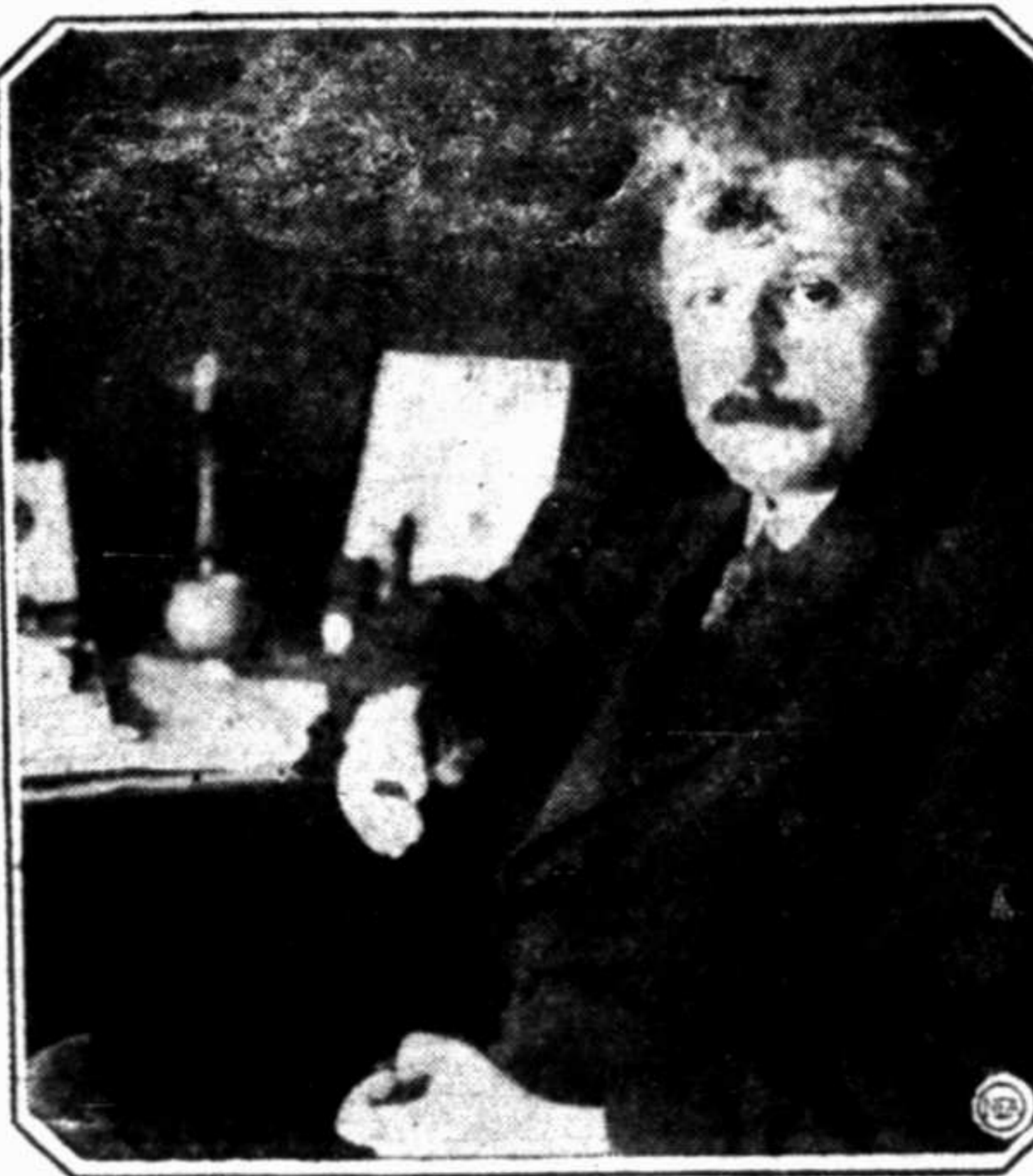
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Howard.

Dear Santa: I am a little boy eight years old and I want you to please come to see me Xmas. I want a dump truck, some fireworks and some mixed nuts.
Byron Galbraith
Box 515.

Dear Santa: How are you? I am fine. Do you know what I want for Xmas? I

want a headlight, speedometer, Golden Arrow racer, long handlebars and a fountain pen. My little sister wants a doll and buggy. Love,
Jack Giles,
2517 20th street.

Dear Santa: I am a little girl eight years old and I'm in the second grade. I have tried to be good and I want you to bring me a little stove, a toy piano and some candy, nuts and fruits.
Love to you,
Patsy Levy,
Route 4.

Dearest Santa Claus: I hope you will remember the poor folks and little girls and boys. I will tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a baby doll and a big box of dishes. I would like to

have a little tiny dresser and not so tiny but a pretty good size. I want a game of kind that is for girls. A pair of bloomers and a silk petticoat. And that is all, and a merry Christmas. Love,
Amy Gladys Wilhelm
1615 9th street.

ROBBERS GET \$1,200
DALLAS, Dec. 15. (AP)—Nearly \$1,200 in cash and checks was taken last night by two robbers who held up P. C. Montgomery, employe of the Magnolia Petroleum company, after he had collected receipts from filling stations of the company. He reported to police. He said the men followed him in a small coupe and "curbed" his automobile. One man entered his car and forced him to drive to an unfrequented spot, then robbed him, took the key of his automobile and departed.

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West Texas' Newspapers

WEST TEXAS, generally, and West Texas newspapers, particularly, will be overlooking a pretty compliment if they fail to take cognizance of a recent dissertation, written by George I. Seitz, editor of "Editorials of the Month."

Editor Seitz, whose "Editorials of the Month" recent journalistic endeavors in Texas, has turned over the first column of his Editorial Digest to West Texas. A concise review of the opinions of Texas newspaper editors upon problems of the day, reveals the following: "Somebody is always speaking of the peculiarities of West Texas."

"West Texas, it seems, was 'peculiar' when, resentful of the misrepresentation contained in the texts of certain geographies, she filed a peremptory demand for revision. For a time other sections of the state snickered up their sleeves. Then they discovered that they, too, suffered at the hands of pseudo-geographers who were long on imagination and short on facts."

"As a result of this particular West Texas 'peculiarly,' publishers have agreed to place in the hands of school children in Texas and other states revised geographies which will be no less interesting because they are more accurate."

"West Texas 'peculiarities' frequently prove to be of that kind, West Texas is willing to take the initiative, to throw aside the shackles of custom and bias trails. It would be a difficult task to determine whether her chief peculiarity lies in her penchant for starting things, or, having started them, in seeing them through."

"There is one West Texas 'peculiarly,' however, which deserves more mention than is accorded it. It is her newspapers. Daily or weekly, West Texas newspapers have a wonderful amount of independent thinking, of fearless expression, of aggressive leadership. Berger, Cisco, Pampa, Lubbock, San Angelo—they are too many to enumerate, yet each of them is the home of daily newspapers which would credit cities much larger population. Of West Texas weeklies, the same observations hold true. In newspapers, as in other things, West Texas achieves far more than might reasonably be expected."

"If newspapers really reflect the communities they serve, and that such is the case is universally admitted, a file of current West Texas newspapers would dispel any doubt as to the extent of West Texas' growth and her preparedness to capitalize upon the era of industrial development which the future promises."

"All in all, it appears that the rest of the world would be the gainer if it contrived to acquire some of the 'peculiarities' which, while setting West Texas apart, also have a wonderful effect. The Morning Avalanche believes Editor Seitz has paid West Texas a decided compliment—West Texas newspapers included. And for the nice things he has said about us—we like that too!"

An escaped lunatic posed successfully as an alienist. Well, alienists have passed for scientists.

When a dentist has a busy day at the office, you might say he has put in a full day's work.

What's in a slogan—that 1928 slogan, "Keep Happy With Hoover," for example?

If all the motor cars were placed end to end it would be Sunday afternoon.

Practical Health Problems

POTENCY, NOT QUANTITY, CAUSED "JAKE" PARALYSIS, TESTS SHOW

By DR. MORRIS FISHER
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine
Investigations undertaken by the United States Public Health Service finally revealed the cause of the paralysis resulting from the taking of bootleg ginger extract, as the substance called triorthocresyl phosphate.

While it was thought at first that the symptoms were due to phenol or carbolic acid, the tests that have been made have finally narrowed the responsibility down to the special form of phenol that has been mentioned.

In the studies made it was found that the quantity of the ginger fluid consumed was not the important factor in the occurrence of the symptoms. One drink seemed to produce the same effects as those following prolonged use.

Usually the symptoms did not appear until 19 days after the taking of ginger extract. The person developed what is called wrist drop and foot drop with paralysis of the muscles of the arm and leg, indicating that in some manner that portion of nervous system involving the control of muscular action had been damaged by the poison.

Whereas ordinarily cresols, such as carbolic acid, act promptly when taken into the system, the action of the cresol phosphate responsible in the case of the ginger extract poisoning is slow. It also seems to have a special affinity for the parts of the nervous system that have been mentioned.

Nobody seems to know exactly why the manufacturer of the bootleg ginger put in the triorthocresyl phosphate, whether it was done accidentally or on purpose. Probably it was added in order to aid in producing intoxication, and probably without any knowledge by the chemist who made up the formula that the drug would have the effects that have occurred.

What Other People Think

A woman who has work to do cannot get on with it if she has a man hanging about all day.—Mrs. Stanley Baldwin.

If there is one fair city on this American continent wherein decency controls, wherein honesty obtains, it is right in the city (New York) that I have the distinction, and the pleasure, and the honor of presiding over.—Mayor James J. Walker.

In order to be successful a certain amount of courage is necessary.—Adolph Laisohn.

Probably archeologists of the future will spend more studying the exhausted remains of Tom Thumb folk stories and trying to relate them to a symbolic form of sun worship.—Elsie McCormick.

Determined that prohibition shall have the fair trial which it merits, and believing the national law to be enforced by even means, I in sympathy with its professors, business men of the highest standing and standing in a more active and greatly increased support of the 18th amendment.—P. Scott

U. S. Seeking Work Figures

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—By pleading one morsel of information and another together, at last it begins to be possible to arrive at a conclusion as to the reason why it is so difficult for the government to cope with unemployment.

In the first place, the number of the unemployed is uncertain. This admission is Colonel Arthur Woods' contribution toward an answer to the problem.

Secondly, the folk at the head of affairs in Washington are fearful of any form of relief that the working classes might fall into a habit actually of expecting from the government.

This is the contribution of Congressman Willis C. Hawley. COLONEL WOODS is President Hoover's unemployment director.

Congressman Hawley, of Oregon, is chairman of the house of representatives committee on ways and means. The ways means committee frames all laws relating to taxes. Large scale unemployment relief would cost lots of money. It might even increase taxation. As chairman of this particular committee, Hawley was consulted on the subject by everyone who is interested in the unemployment situation (and who isn't?)

Thus Woods and Hawley are in positions to know what they are talking about. IT PERHAPS will seem strange to many people that Colonel Woods cannot get all the unemployment statistics he requires from the labor department, which runs a service especially to gather just such information.

For that matter, the commerce department's census bureau only recently completed an unemployment count, too. True, chronic kickers have found a deal of fault with both the labor and commerce departments' unemployment records. They have complained that the figures are not accurate.

Secretary of labor, kept his unemployment figures scaled down about half, because the real ones were too large to look well during a "prosperity administration"—also that the census bureau's tally was carefully fixed in advance, to make it equally conservative.

"Administration spokesmen," however, have indignantly denied these insinuations again and again. UNEMPLOYMENT DIRECTOR WOODS does not in so many words question the labor and commerce departments' employment totals.

Nevertheless, some observers of the colonel's activities sensed a soupçon of skepticism on his part toward these departmental showings, and, realizing that he was in a position to do the big life insurance companies to ascertain for him how many involuntary idle workers there actually are in the land.

And, for a fact, if the government's unemployment reports do not look dubious to the colonel, it is difficult to believe that he would be so unceremoniously and appealed to a private corporation to do the job all over again.

CONGRESSMAN HAWLEY expressed himself in plain terms. It would be "dangerous," he said, for the government to institute a relief program that might ultimately become permanent—it would tend to destroy the people's initiative.

Indeed, their permanence is the quality to which the administration's supporters in the house of representatives object (as they made clear at the last session of congress) in such unemployment proposals as Senator Robert F. Wagner's.

The New Yorker yet only aims at unemployment's relief now, but at its prevention in future—and would make the government responsible for preventing it. Such a plan, to the stand-patters, almost hints at socialism.

As Congressman Hawley explains, the remedy for economic depression and unemployment rests with the people, not the federal government.

DISILLUSIONED MARXIAN? Among the working classes of Europe the standard of living is higher than before the war. The improvement, however, is not due to the war but came about in spite of it. Contributing to the general lift must be reckoned better business methods, increased technical skill, mass production and scientific management. This is tantamount to saying that labor has been profiting from an increase in the social product—a claim which responsible labor leaders do not deny, although they stress other factors.

Extreme Socialists are distressed. For 30 years some of them have preached the Marxian dogma of a working class sinking deeper and deeper into destitution and servitude, and almost as hard as seeing 30 years of work threatened with destruction is the abandonment of a dogma 30 years antiquated. It is a bitter pill to confess pursuing a fallacy for a score and 10 years.

Responsible and intelligent Socialists have not left it for "capitalist" investigators to proclaim that life has been growing easier and fuller for the workers. Higher wages, shorter working hours, the security of social insurance, larger opportunities for recreation—these are undeniable facts which have convinced Socialists in every country that the Marxian "truth" of 1864 stand in need of serious revision.

Who remembers the day when motion picture audiences ducked the head-on fast express or villain's bullets?

THREE INJUNCTIONS Shop early! Mail early! Buy Christmas seals! Three injunctions are these which all should heed at this season, if they would spread health and happiness. The third is not least.

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No one can forget the three important pre-Christmas injunctions. Every store window and newspaper advertisement suggests early shopping. Every package suggests early mailing. And every package and trip to the postoffice or mail box suggests Christmas seals.

Today's One-Minute Sermon

For God is not unrighteous to forget your work and labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, and do minister.

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THE INDIANS WHO SOLD MANHATTAN ISLAND WERE NOT CHEATED.—When Peter Minuit purchased Manhattan Island from the Indians in 1624 he paid them the equivalent of \$24 for this highly desirable piece of property. The astounding fecundity of mathematical progression is again illustrated in the fact that had the Indians invested the purchase price of \$24.00 at 7 per cent interest, compounded annually, the "improved principal" would not amount to almost twice the assessed valuation placed on Manhattan Island by the Department of Taxation of the City of New York. The real estate value of Manhattan Island has been assessed at \$9,092,001.833 for 1930. The legal rate of interest in 1624 was 10 per cent.

Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON," "THE AVEGUNG PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS" GOSWORTHY SERVICE, INC.

BEGIN HERE TODAY When "BONNIE" DUNDEE, former member of Hamilton's homicide squad, now attached to the district attorney's office, intrudes on PENNY CRAIN, district attorney's secretary, he has no idea that he will remember later with keen interest everything she talks about. Penny forms him that she is going to the movies with the handsome son of the Forsyth Alumnae Bridge Club, which is being given by an honorary member, JUANITA SELIM.

Dundee learns from Penny the story of her father's unfortunate attempt to start a subdivision in Primrose Meadows. In addition, his failure, and subsequent flight. The house he had built is now rented by Nita from JUDGE MARSHALL. Dundee drives Penny out to the luncheon, curious to see the "lovely Nita." When he meets her, she flirtatiously asks him for cocktails after bridge, but is frightened on hearing he is a detective. Dundee is interrupted in his work late that afternoon at the office by Penny, on the telephone, who informs him that Nita Selim has been murdered at bridge.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER II As Special Investigator Dundee drove through the city of Hamilton at a speed of 60 miles an hour, his way being cleared by traffic policemen warned by the shrill official siren which served him as a horn, he had little time to think connectedly of the fact that Nita Selim had been murdered during a bridge game in her rented home in Primrose Meadows.

Even after the broad sweep of Sheridan Road stretched before him he could do little more than try to realize the shock which had numbed him. "Lovely Nita," as the society editor of The Morning News had called her, was—dead! How, why, he did not know. He had asked no details from Judge Crain. "Funny, thorny little Penny!" "Judge Marshall has telephoned police headquarters," she had told him breathlessly over the telephone "but I made him let me call you as soon as he had hung up. I wanted to be in on this right from the first."

Beautiful, seductive Nita Selim, almost cuddling under his arm, within three minutes of meeting him—dead! A vision of her black eyes, so wide and luminous and wistful as they had looked sideways and upward at his, pleading for him to join her after-bridge cocktail party, nearly made him crash into a jumbering furniture van. Those eyes were luminous no longer, could never again snap the padlocks of slave chains upon any man—as Penny had expressed it. Dead! And she had been so warmly alive even as she had recreated from him at his mention of the fact that he

Side Glances —By George Clark



"I wish those kids would stop looking at me like it was my fault."

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Forty Sign Legion

A total of 40 men, including 17 new ones, Post No. 148, of whom, had been elected Monday, first day membership campaign, according to reports, chairman of committee.

Final plans made at a meeting of the legion, held at 2 o'clock on Monday at the Legionnaires Monday afternoon, which included Tom J. Jones, J. Dunkin, W. G. L. A. Howard, H. H. Standefer, Durr, Raley, Chas. W. George, H. D. Stidwell, George Rain and Ben.

TWO WOMEN Prisoners Held With Them

Two young women from Cleveland were questioned day night in connection with a robbery in a Lubbock store.

A man arrested at Plainview Friday also is held in connection with the robbery. The woman taken to Cleveland who were working cooperation with Police Officer Deputy Sheriff the women held.

SERVICE Funeral for Ralls

Funeral services for Ralls were held Monday night by Ralls. Mr. Wilson of Lubbock on Sunday morning of three o'clock. His mother, Mr. Wilson, of Fort

Forty Signed In Legion Campaign

A total of 40 memberships, including 17 new ones, in Allen Brothers Post, No. 145, of the American Legion, had been obtained by noon Monday, first day of the annual membership campaign of the Lubbock post, according to Tom H. Carter, chairman of the membership committee.

Final plans for the drive were made at a meeting of campaign workers at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Legion home. Legionnaires Monday morning expressed confidence that Allen Brothers Post's 1931 membership quota of 250 would be passed. Membership of the post this year totaled 220.

Members of the committee and workers appointed to aid in the drive, which will last indefinitely, include Tom Baber, Glen Burson, J. E. Jones, J. O. Grisham, J. C. Dunkin, W. G. Does, C. M. Eoff, L. A. Howard, Hamp Spiller, L. G. Hanes, H. D. Stanley, Dr. F. W. Standefer, Durwood Bradley, J. A. Raley, Chas. Whitacre, Dr. J. E. George, H. D. Woods, Dr. H. H. Edwell, George Meiser, W. H. Wain and Benjamin Kucera.

TWO WOMEN ARRESTED

Prisoners Held in Connection With Theft of \$100

Two young women were returned here from Clovis, N. M., Monday and were questioned by police Monday night in connection with theft of about \$100 from a man's trousers in a Lubbock hotel recently.

A man arrested last Wednesday at Plainview and returned here Friday also is being held in the city jail in connection with the theft. The women suspects were arrested Saturday night at Roswell and were taken to Clovis by Clovis officers, who were working on the case in cooperation with Lubbock police. Policemen George Eubanks and Deputy Sheriff Joe Rieger returned the women here.

SERVICES ARE HELD

Funeral for J. A. Wilson of Ralls Monday

Funeral services for J. A. Wilson, 40, of Ralls, who died here Sunday, were held Monday at Justin, to which the body was sent Sunday night by Rix-Sanders funeral home. Mr. Wilson died of pneumonia in a Lubbock hospital at 8 o'clock Sunday morning following an illness of three days. Survivors include: His widow and father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, all of Ralls, and a brother, J. C. Wilson, of Fort Worth.

Boy Prince and His Aides



Crown Prince Michael lost the throne of Roumania when his father, prodigal King Carol, returned from exile. But he still has a "court" of his own, composed of young fellow cadets. This picture shows him surrounded by his military-looking, even if youthful, staff. The boy prince, who once ruled his native country as king, still usually attends important state ceremonies.

Einstein Advocates War Of Militant Pacifism To End All War; Makes Talk

NEW YORK, Dec. 15. (AP)—Dr. Albert Einstein advocates a war of militant pacifism to end all war. Speaking before the New Historical society last night, he said: "In our political situation it is the duty of man to commit crime in the name of his state or his country. It seems to me that it is more his duty to wear mankind from this sort of thing. There are two ways in which this can be done. The first, which has already been practiced in many countries, is to refuse military duty in time of war. If only two per cent of the men liable for war service were to refuse, there would not be enough jails in the world to take care of them. The second method, he said, lies in the formation of a 'war resis-

DEMONSTRATION HELD

Meat Specialist Shows Methods Of Slaughtering Here

Meat demonstrations conducted in the county Monday afternoon by Roy Snyder, meat specialist of Texas A. & M. college, will be continued today for Lubbock county farmers and other interested persons. Two hogs and a cow were to be slaughtered Monday afternoon at the John C. Hart farm, a mile east and a mile south of Hurlwood, as the first demonstration. Proper methods of cutting and canning will be demonstrated this morning.

RETURN TO HOMES

Mrs. G. A. Sandlin, Mrs. R. I. Tubbs, Miss Lulu Jones, Mrs. L. G. Haynes, Mrs. G. A. Burrus and Mrs. Joe Baldridge returned to their homes in Lubbock Sunday afternoon from Pearl where they attended the funeral services of their mother, Mrs. R. F. Jones, who died in that city December 10 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Collier.

Mrs. Jones had been in failing health for some time. She is survived by her widower and, in addition to her children living here, Miss Laura Jones, of Fort Worth; Syd Jones of Carona, N. M.; Dan D. Jones, of Hall Town, Mo.; Mrs. E. E. Conner, of Bee House, and Mrs. J. H. Conner, of Bee House.

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AUSTIN, Dec. 15. (AP)—Chartered: Gray County Gas company, Amartillo; capital stock \$10,000; merchandising, R. E. Underwood, R. E. Nuckols and R. C. Underwood. Angelo Drug company, San Angelo; capital stock \$11,000; merchandising; Sam H. Jones, Carter G. Gibson, and Carl W. Jones. First Christian church, Pampa; no capital stock; maintenance of

church properties. Ivy E. Dunagan, C. L. Thomas, and H. L. Ledrick. Bankers Securities company of Harlingen, Houston; capital stock \$250,000. Real estate and loans. Will F. Miller, V. Baden and J. E. Stack. Mattheu, who was largely responsible for the famous retrial of his brother, Lieut. Colonel Alfred Dreyfus, has died in Paris at the age of 73.

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Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSIN

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stretched across the front of the gabled brick house and extended half way along its right side, past a room which was obviously a solarium, with its continuous windows, gay awnings, and visible through the glittering paneled-orange-and-tan wicker furniture.

It was easy to swing himself up to the floor of the porch. Strawn flung open the door which led into the back room, remarking with a grin:

"Don't be afraid I'm gumming up any fingerprints. Caraway has already been over the room. The Selim woman's bedroom, he explained. 'The room she was killed.' 'You have been on the job.' Dundee complimented his former chief, and shook hands heartily. It was very necessary that a well grounded friendship should not be marred by any undue officiousness on the part of the district attorney's special investigator.

"Sure!" Strawn acknowledged proudly. "Can't be too quick on our stumps when it's one of those high society murders. Dr. Friar will be the part of the district attorney's special investigator."

"Although Mrs. Selim had taken the house furnished, it was obvious that this big bedroom of hers was not exactly as the Crain family had left it. A little too pretty, a little too aggressively feminine, with its plush lounge headrest with silk and fur pillows, its superfluity of big golden-yellow taffeta, its dressing table—

But he could not let critical eyes linger on the triple-mirrored vanity dress. For a tiny figure, the head bowed so low upon the lace-and-gold-silk covered top that some of the black curls had fallen into a large open box of powder. She was no longer wearing the short brown silk coat whose open front had given him a glimpse of pale yellow chiffon.

He saw the dress now, a low-cut, sleeveless, fluffy affair, but he really had eyes only for the brownish-red hole on the left side of the back of the dress, halfway between shoulder and waist—a waist so small he could have spanned it with his two hands, including its hand of fuchsia velvet ribbon. There also had been a lace and straw hat she had swung so charmingly less than five hours ago.

"Shot through the heart? I guess, Strawn commented. "Took a good man to find his heart, shooting her through the back. . . . Funny thing, too. Nobody heard a shot—always none of that crowd panned up in the living room will admit they did. They'll all hang together, and lie like a team to keep from finding out anything that might point to one of their precious bunch. But if a gun with a Maxim silencer was used, as it must have been if that whole crew ain't lying the gunman must have good because you can't sight with a Maxim screwed onto a rod, you know."

"Have your men found the gun?" Dundee asked.
"Of course not, or I'd know whether it had a Maxim on it or not," Strawn retorted. "My theory is," he added impressively, "that somebody with a grudge against this dame hired a gunman to hang around till he got her head in a right, then—bang!" and he imitated the soft, thudding sound made by the discharge of a bullet from a gun equipped with a silencer.

"Doesn't it seem rather strange that a professional gunman should have chosen such a time with men arriving in cars, and the house full of women who might wander into this room at any minute—to bump off his victim?" Dundee asked.
"Well, there ain't no other explanation. Captain Strawn confessed, flushing. 'Outside of the whole house and grounds without finding the gun, I've got other evidence it was an outside job. . . . Look!'"

Dundee followed the chief of the homicide squad to one of the two

SWIFTY

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The Great Moment!

By VERD

BIG SISTER

"HELLO, HOW ABOUT THIS NOW? WHIMM SAYS YOU DID NOT GET A PICTURE OF THE MOOSE, THAT YOU'RE SAYING YOU DID JUST TO STALL ME TILL WE GET HOME!"



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"AND TO CAP IT ALL WE'RE SKOWED IN HERE AND OUR FOOD SUPPLY IS MIGHTY LOW! I'M THINKING OF BUDDY. WAS I RIGHT IN BRINGING HIM. HE'S MISSING MONTHS OF SCHOOL, AND WORSE CHRISTMAS IS JUST A FEW DAYS OFF! WHAT AN UNHAPPY CHRISTMAS IT WILL BE FOR HIM!"



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Shaken Faith

By Les Forgrave

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What's This? A "Gas Hound"?

By Swan

"A DOG HOUSE?—WHAT SIZE?"



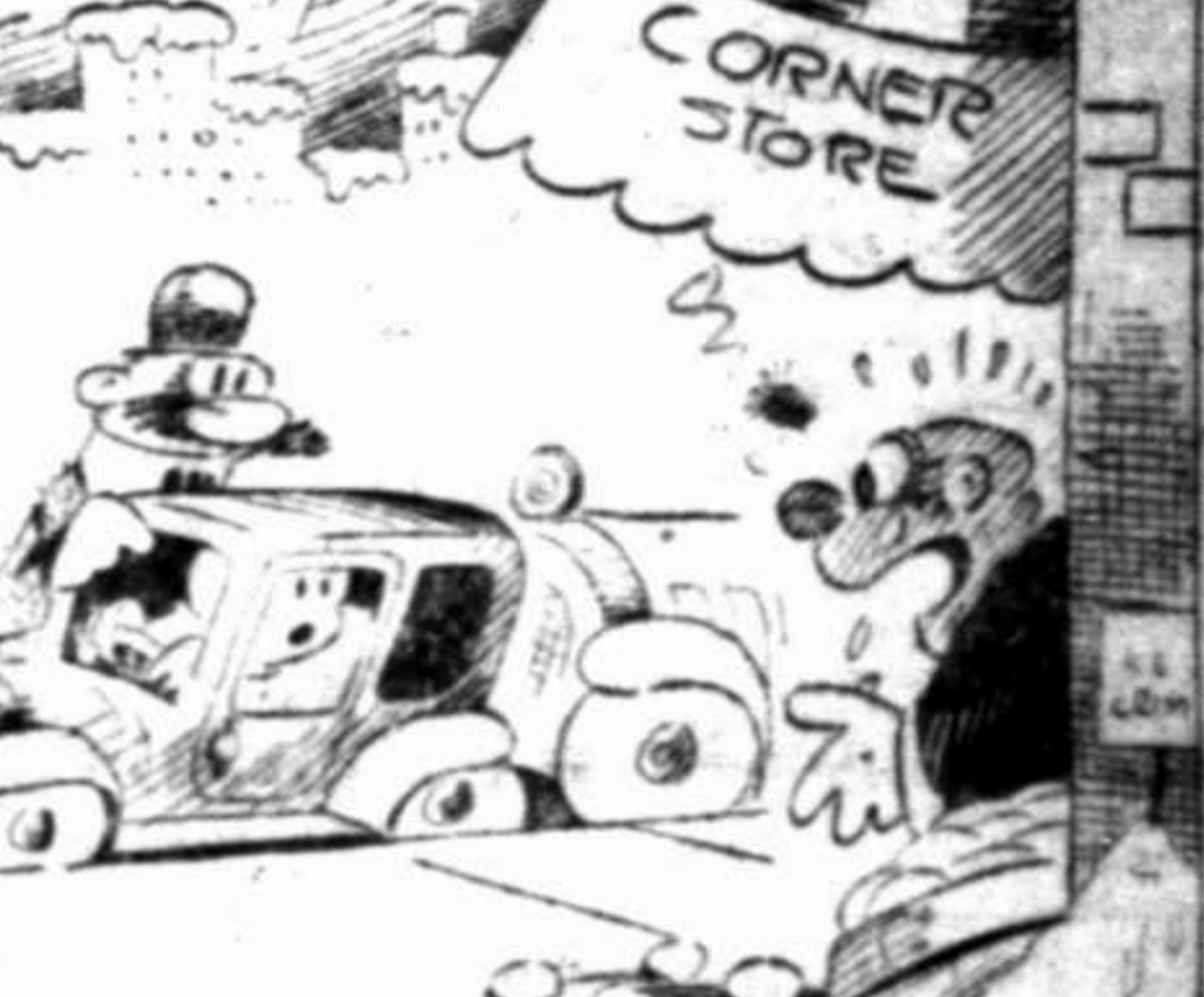
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ETTA KETT

I'll Say They Thought It Over!

By Paul Robinson

"HEAD THE NEWS—THE GUY'S ARE GOING TO BUY THE PROSELYTOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT—THEY WANT TO BE INDEPENDENT!"



"WE'VE ALL GURIED—ANY MAN WHO EVER HEARD OF A GIRL HAVING ANY MONEY TO GIVE AWAY?"



"LISTEN FELLOWS—ETTA IS ON THE PHONE—SHE SAYS THE GUY'S HAVE TALKED IT OVER AND HAVE DECIDED IT ISN'T RIGHT NOT TO LET US IN ON THAT GUY—THEY THINK IT'D LOOK STRANGE IF WE ALL CAME TOWARD IT."



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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern

OUT OUR WAY—

By Williams

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Cotton Prices Rally After Livestock Markets At A Glance

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Grain CHICAGO, Dec. 15. (AP)—Wheat, corn, soybeans, and rye. Wheat closed at 1.18 1/2, corn at 47 1/2, soybeans at 1.12 1/2, and rye at 1.00.

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PLAN AIR MAIL LINE Route to China, Japan via Alaska Is Proposed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15. (AP)—A direct air mail and trade route to China and Japan through Alaska and Soviet Russia is the next big objective of the postoffice department. Mutual operation of this route by the United States and Canada is the aim.

This information, together with plans for the immediate future establishment of a Winnipeg-Twin Cities air line, was brought back to Washington today by Assistant Postmaster General Glover from Canada air mail negotiations.

Rail Hearing

Continued From Page One. from those counties was not given and insisted the T. and P. N. would divert from 30 to 50 per cent of the traffic which would otherwise go to the Rock Island. He stated the total population of Oldham county was only 1,404.

Gresham Cross Examined. T. D. Gresham of Dallas, general counsel of the T. and P. N. who had been in the background, took charge of the cross questioning when the other railroads began their testimony. He wanted to know if the Rock Island would not gain some traffic through interchange between its main line and the T. and P. N. at Vega.

J. L. Adams, locating engineer for the Rock Island, refuted the charge that had been made that the Rock Island changed the routing of its Forrest branch had been surveyed to run south of Vega for 15 miles before the T. and P. N. application was filed. The two roads would be less than three miles apart for that distance.

Answering a question by Gresham as to when construction on the Forrest line would be started, Adams replied he did not know.

Three Towns Clash. Prior to the start of Rock Island testimony, the hearing had been the battleground for a clash in which the towns or communities of Olton, Earth and Pumpkin Center in Lamb county were involved. Witnesses from Olton, the county seat, insisted the proposed T. and P. N. should be rerouted to pass through their town. They stated such a route would be only six miles longer.

They said Olton had a population of 684 and the country within a seven-mile radius a population of 2,000. Olton has 67 business houses, they said. Pumpkin Center, which would be the nearest station on the Forrest line, was pictured in contrast as a town with one or two families, one or two filling stations, a garage, a store and a cotton gin. Pumpkin Center is 13 miles from Olton, they said. Earlier in the day representatives of Earth had announced their intention of moving their town five miles east to Pumpkin Center in order to be on the new line.

The Rock Island finished its testimony last night. T. H. Wilhelm of Fort Worth, general freight agent, was the last witness. He stated construction of the T. & P. N. would make it doubtful that the Forrest branch of the Rock Island would earn a fair return on the investment.

N. L. Callens, assistant general freight agent, said the Forrest branch would lose \$100,000 in gross revenue a day to make a profit. He would not be in competition for more than 17 or 18 miles.

S. J. Cole, traffic manager of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, who arrived late Monday night, stated that he would have a witness to place on the stand early Tuesday morning in favor of the T. & P. N.

Following this the Fort Worth and Denver will present its witnesses with probably P. W. Williamson, president of Chicago, one of the group. J. H. Aycoff, general manager, and J. W. Mada, superintendent, are expected to testify.

The Santa Fe is expected to place a number of witnesses on the stand, including R. J. Hitchcock, vice-president and general manager of the Panhandle and Santa Fe; E. H. Shauffer, assistant general manager; W. W. Kelly, chief engineer; T. B. Callahan, general freight agent; J. S. Gillies, special division superintendent; A. E. Meyer, auditor and others.

T. D. Gresham, T. & P. N. general counsel, indicated his road would have about a day to make rebuttal testimony. The hearing is expected to close some time Wednesday. It was indicated last night.

Withdrawal of the Plainview Board of City Development's intention in the application of the Texas and Pacific to build 333 miles of line in West Texas was partially confirmed by telephone conversations with Plainview officials.

Charles Rankin, president of the board of city development, in a conversation with the Lusk Morning Avalanche, said that he had been out of town and could not give the latest details on the report.

"We sent a delegation to Lubbock last week to make certain reservations. Mr. Rankin stated, 'I have not heard what their report was. I was very understanding if these reservations were accepted, we would withdraw our intention. I cannot say what progress these negotiations have made.'

Captain William H. Haddock, chairman of the railroad committee of the Plainview board of city development, could not be reached for a confirmation of the president's statement. President Rankin had the negotiations in hand and that he would give the status of the negotiations.

Local Markets

These prices are furnished by the Lubbock Live Stock and Poultry Commission. Live Stock—Cattle, 100 lbs. live weight, 10c; hogs, 100 lbs. live weight, 10c; sheep, 100 lbs. live weight, 10c.

Poultry—Cocks, 6 lbs. and over, 14c; hens, 4 to 5 lbs., 12c; turkeys, 10 lbs. and over, 12c; broilers, 4 to 5 lbs., 10c; Leghorns, black-legged broilers, 10c; and springs, 10c.

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Fine Handkerchiefs and Ties Ideal Christmas Items

Gifts for men, in many cases, resolve themselves into choosing some small item of apparel. What could be more appropriate for this type gift than these unusual Handkerchiefs and fine hand made ties.

Handkerchiefs

Men's drawn thread linen Handkerchiefs in solid white—from fine Irish Linen, priced only **25c**

Men's patch work, hand made Handkerchiefs in 1-4 inch and hand rolled hems, priced— **50c**

Men's Silk Top Pocket Handkerchiefs, Fancy Embroidered and bordered colors, priced— **\$1.00**

Initial Handkerchiefs—made on fine Irish linen—neat hand initialed, 1-8 inch hems, priced— **\$1.00**

Men's Boxed Handkerchiefs from drawn thread linen—three assorted colors to box, priced **\$1.50**

Fine Ties

Men's Phoenix Silk Ties—hand made—good patterns—a large assortment priced now— **\$1.00**

"Mor-wear" Hand made Ties—Christmas assortments in fine colorings and designs—priced **\$1.50**

Mens imported silk Ties—full wool lined—in unusual designs, silk lined—priced— **\$2.00 to \$5.00**

Memphill-Wells Co.

Slayer, Woman Companion Are Object of Hunt

Search Extends Over Four States After Man, Woman Shoot Officer to Death in Effort to Open Jail

CARTHAGE, Mo., Dec. 15. (P)—Sheriff Harry Stevens directed a search over four states today for a young man and a woman who yesterday entered the Jasper county jail, killed Othel E. Bray, 50-year-old peace officer with his own revolver, and fled after failing to open the women's cellblock.

A hat and a woman's shoe heel, lost in their flight, were clues. No prisoners escaped.

Search covered the converging sections of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Slayer Escapes
A trusty and John Dyer, 17, son of George Dyer, jailer, were fired upon by the slayer, who, with his woman companion about 24 years old, escaped in a small coupe bearing Kansas license tags.

Young Dyer, sitting with Bray, said the attack was without warning. The killer and his girl companion, he related, asked to see Bill Daggett of Joplin, Mo., who had been released Friday after questioning in a petty larceny case.

As Bray, acting jailer, turned to the jail record, the man seized Bray's revolver.

"Here," Bray cried, "You can't do that."

The visitor shot three times when the turnkey attacked, two bullets piercing Bray's heart. Young Dyer fled to the jail arsenal. A bullet struck as he slammed the door.

The slayer and the girl seized Bray's keys, unlocked one door and raced upstairs, where seven women were confined. However, after rattling the corridor door there a moment, the couple fled.

A special deputy sheriff, Jesse Dome, arrived at the scene.

"You keep out of this," the slayer ordered.

Dome heeded the advice of the man with the gun.

A trusty attracted by the shots, scaled the barbed wire jail yard fence as the killed fired once at him.

SECRETARIES MEET

WACO, Dec. 15. (P)—Boys' work secretaries from the section met here yesterday and split the Central Texas Older Boys conference, sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. of the state into two sections. Sherman was selected for holding the north central sectional meeting, on February 13, 14, 15, and Lufkin for the south-central sectional meeting on February 20, 21 and 22.

CONTROL CLAIMED

MADRID, Dec. 15. (P)—Leopoldo Matos, minister of the interior, today declared that the government had absolute control of the revolutionary situation in Spain.

EIGHT SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

Attend This Store-Wide Sale and Save

On Ready-to-Wear, Shoes, Dry Goods, Men's Wear, Notions.

These Dresses Are New in Materials, Colors and Styles

Many of these 170 dresses have been received since this sale started last week. Bought at ridiculously low prices and re-marked accordingly for our Christmas Sale.

COATS Reduced!

Drastic reductions have been made throughout our winter coat stock and it will be a wonderful opportunity to save one-third and in most instances more, on the purchase of one.

New Merchandise Arrived and Put on Sale for the Remaining Days

Negro Unable to Make Bond Here

Appearing Monday on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated, Louis Wesley, 25-year-old Lubbock negro, Monday waived preliminary hearing in the court of G. R. Scott, justice of the peace, and was returned to the county jail in lieu of bond fixed by Justice Scott at \$750.

Wesley was arrested about three miles southeast of Elston early Saturday morning after an automobile



Grollman's

170 Dresses

SACRIFICED At Less Than Cost During Grollman's Store-Wide

CHRISTMAS SALE

Hurry! Buy Now And Save!

In this vast assortment you will find the new silks, crepes, silk and wools in this seasons very newest styles. Loose hanging sleeves and tight waist lines vary as your wishes would have them. Lengths are stylishly long or shorter as you would like them. The colors are greens, blues, grays, tans, browns, and prints. Every wanted color trimmed neatly for your approval. Also, you will find an assortment of knitted suits in the lowest price range.

Exactly—
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ORDERS PLACED TODAY OR TOMORROW CAN BE DELIVERED XMAS

GIVE HIM A SUIT HAND MADE TO HIS MEASURE



It's the best present you could buy for dad or brother.

You may select any pattern in the house and have it made to measure for only

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These patterns have been selling all season at \$29.50 to \$89.50.

IF YOU WANT TO SURPRISE HIM XMAS JUST BRING IN A SUIT THAT FITS HIM AND WE CAN TAKE THE MEASURE FROM IT. OR POSSIBLY WE HAVE MADE HIM A SUIT AND HAVE HIS MEASUREMENTS.

"SPECIAL DISCOUNT ON ALL BOLT CLOTH"

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Pioneer Residents Of Plains Are Ill

Law partners and intimate friends for more than half a century, John R. McGee, 77, of 1501 Avenue G, and George L. Beatty, 82, of 2317 Avenue N, now are confined to adjoining rooms at Lubbock sanitarium. Both are pioneer residents.

Mr. McGee received a badly fractured hip Sunday morning when he tripped and fell over a wire while on his way to Sunday school. Not realizing the extent of his injury he

continued on his way and attended both Sunday school and church services. Following the service he became ill and was taken to the sanitarium for treatment. An examination by physicians revealed a badly fractured hip.

Mr. Beatty, following a short illness, was brought to the sanitarium this morning. Physicians stated that both men will be transferred to their homes in the near future.

Argentina's corn crop is so large this year that it has been a problem to find enough ships to carry it to other countries.

CONSTRUCTION STARTS

MULLENBORO, Dec. 15. (Special)—Construction of the toll line of the State Telephone company between Muleshoe and Earth, in western Lamb county, is underway. Jimmie Stinger, district manager, announced. The service is expected to start the latter part of the week.

THREE ROB PATROLL

SCHANTON, Pa., Dec. 15. (P)—Three men today held up Edward V. Loftis, secretary of the Ham-bert Coal company, and robbed him of a mine payroll of \$1,428.

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