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WIDESPREAD MEXICAN UPRISING BALKED

Mysteriously Choked Chimney Sends Deadly Gas Through Apartment

Home Town Talk

By B. D. D.

It won't be long now.

Just two more shopping days and Santa Claus will be here.

There are those of us who profess to see a burden in Christmas and we pretend that we are glad when its past but those are not our real feelings. Deep within our hearts we are just as glad to see Christmas come as the happiest child to whom Santa Claus is a very real person.

Of course, our joy isn't as keen as in the years ago when on Christmas morning we found that brightly colored book, that toy, those mittens that Santa Claus had left in our stocking, but the years and experience have smoothed and rounded and dulled all the impressions that come to us and we feel nothing quite so keenly as in childhood, but nevertheless there is a fullness and mellowness that we could not know then.

Speaking of Christmases in the long ago, we'll never forget that book, Colonial Days, Santa Claus left us one Christmas eve. That book was about the colonists and Indians. It fired our imagination as nothing has since. From it we learned that not all Indians were bad Indians and our desire to go out and slaughter Indians thereafter was on a less wholesale basis.

Maybe that book made an impression upon us that has made us a little careful about wholesale condemnations thereafter. The thought has always been with us that there are some good Indians, judged even by the standards we set up ourselves.

To say nothing about the Indian's standard of a good Indian.

This is an inappropriate season for scolding and we hope we are only reminding of duty that has just been overlooked amidst the many things that have been crowded in upon us when we call attention to the fund that is being raised for the families of Smiley Turner and G. L. Anderson, the two firemen who lost their lives in the Antlers hotel fire.

As we write, this fund is still under $1,700. It ought not be closed under $2,000. You had intended to write a check, we know. Do it now. Make it to Firemen's Relief Fund and mail it to this office or hand it to Lester Jones at the Wichita State bank.

About this time of the year it comes along in the day's work in a newspaper office to record the death of somebody from carbon monoxide gas either from heating stove or radiator without a flue connection or from the exhaust of a motor engine.

Beware of an unventilated room where a gas stove is not connected with a flue and never run your engine in a closed garage. Carbon monoxide, a product of natural gas combustion or from the exhaust of a gasoline motor, is a deadly poison—especially dangerous because it cannot be smelled and cannot be seen.

Here's something about Texas highways from the Public Service News: Of the 11,691 miles of federal designated highways in Texas 6,064 are classified as "improved" with 567 miles of graded and drained earth roads, 90 miles of "sand-clay," 519 miles of water bound macadam, 2,987 miles of graveled, 886 miles of bituminous macadam, 884 miles of concrete and 29 miles of brick roads.

The report of the Texas railroad commission for 1928 showed that 442 towns and cities in the state were served with natural gas and that the consumption during the year was 185,717,238,000 cubic feet. For 1929 the report is expected to show a large increase both in the number of towns served with natural gas and the amount consumed.

A good illustration of the force of habit is the number of drivers who start to drive through the new lights in the business district. It is not that they are disregardful of traffic signals but years of driving through the intersections where the new lights are without any restrictions has become so much a habit that it's hard to break.

The next time you see somebody starting to drive against a red light at the corner of Seventh and Lamar, Tenth and Lamar, Eleventh and Lamar, or Ninth and Ohio put it down as more than likely it's some good law abiding citizen who has been driving that route for years and who hasn't yet broken an old habit.

Haskell county came through with that Christmas gift for the rest of us in this section when its voters Saturday authorized a bond issue for highway improvements. That's nice and fine.

Come to think of it, the state and federal governments will now be in line to make Haskell county a nice gift in the form of state and federal road aid. We are for all that Haskell county can get.

Rio de Janerio Gives Ovation to Airmen

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 22. (US)—Continuing their triumphal journey toward Montevidio and the honors that await them there, Tadeo Larre-Borges and Lieut. Leon Challes, the two airmen who last week crashed on the Brazilian coast in an attempted non-stop flight from Seville, Spain, to the Uruguayan capital, were today given a tremendous ovation here.

Arriving at the Campo Dos Affonsos at 2:43 p. m. they were met by Olionision Ramos Monteiro, the Uruguayan minister to Brazil, who headed a large welcoming committee made up of a number of military and civil officials.

COAL FUMES FATAL TO ONE, OTHERS HURT

Sunday's Newspapers Are Found Near Top of Chimney of Big House

INVESTIGATION MADE

Police Inspect Flues in Tenements Located Near Scene of Death

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. (AP)—A bundle of newspapers stuffed into a chimney of a Bronx apartment house today caused coal gas to fill several apartments, killing one woman and overcoming several others. Police believe the papers were placed in the chimney by a maniac.

Mrs. Mildred Blinder, 54, was found dead in the bathroom of her second floor apartment. The other tenants in the house were saved because a woman on the fourth floor smelled gas and summoned aid. The seven women overcome were revived and were pronounced out of danger.

The newspapers, of today's date, had been stolen from a delivery boy's wagon. They had been tied together with rope and stuffed into the chimney, which rises 12 feet above the roof of the five-story apartment house. The papers were found about three feet below the roof level.

Fearing that the same person may have stuffed other chimneys, District Attorney McGeehan of the Bronx set a police emergency squad to work on all the tenements in the vicinity. The squad dropped grappling hooks into many chimneys but found no more papers.

PRISON KEEPER'S FAMILY KILLED

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 22. (AP)—The wife and three children of Charles E. Culp, keeper at Sing Sing prison, were found dead of gas poisoning at their home today. Police said the woman apparently had stuffed paper around the doors and windows and turned on the gas jets of the kitchen stove.

When Culp returned from work he found the kitchen door locked and barricaded. With the aid of a neighbor he broke it down, and found the bodies of his wife and three daughters, Marjorie, 9, Verona, 6, and Kathryn, 2½ months, lying dead on the kitchen floor in their night clothes.

Culp said his wife had been in ill health.

'War' Between Mexico And Laredo Marks Time

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—The fifth day of retaliation measures by the Mexican government against the port of Laredo for the Valle-Calles incident brought no new developments here today.

Export business to Mexico was reported unabated, and it was said that exportation of American goods into Mexico through Laredo has not been affected by the embargo against Laredo merchants.

The Mexican consulate remained closed. Three minor employes were transferred to San Antonio, but otherwise the consulate is the same with the Mexican vice consul and the consular clerks remaining in Laredo.

Duke of York to Attend Humbert-Marie Nuptials

LONDON, Dec. 22. (US)—The Duke of York, King George's second son, will represent his father at the wedding of Crown Prince Humbert of Italy and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium in Rome on Jan. 8, it was announced today.

Ambassador Edge Pays Visit to Poincare

PARIS, Dec. 22. (AP)—United States Ambassador Walter E. Edge today called on former Premier Raymond Poincare. He found the statesman completely recovered from his recent operations and they had a long talk together.

East Central Texas Digs Out of Snow as Old Sol Smiles Upon Whole State

(By the Associated Press)

The Lone Star state, whose changeable weather has forever been the Nemesis of weather prognostigators, Sunday experienced a bright, cool day after an unprecedented snow fall had deluged many square miles of its broad expanse Saturday.

Although several inches of snow continued to mantle sections of Central and South Texas where, in some cases, the fall measured more than two feet, a bright sun brought relief and conditions slowly returned to a normal trend.

Highway traffic was affected. Some roads in the Hillsboro and Corsicana areas were reported impassable. Trains ran only a few minutes behind schedules. Little damage was reported to vegetation.

The coldest spot in the state was Kerrville, where the thermometer unofficially was reported to have registered four below zero early Sunday. The temperature, however, rose rapidly later in the day.

Only a few inches of the more than 25 inches of snow that fell in Hillsboro, the greatest depth reported, remained on the ground. Despite the tremendous fall, little or no damage was recorded.

Edinburg, in the lower Rio Grande valley, had a maximum temperature of 52 degrees after a light freeze that did little damage to vegetation.

Laredo experienced the fourth consecutive day on which the thermometer dropped below the freezing mark. The citrus and vegetable gardens were believed to have suffered no great loss.

In the Panhandle and parts of West Texas, which escaped the brunt of the storm, it was another clear, pleasant day. Similar conditions prevailed in the north section.

Continued cool, clear weather for the whole of the state was in the offering for Monday.

TRAINS TIED UP BY MIDWEST BLIZZARD

CHICAGO, Dec. 22. (US)—A pall of fog and smoke settled over Chicago today. The sun, which shone yesterday, was blotted out and grave fears were entertained that a fresh snowstorm would break, adding to the 14 inches of snow that fell last week.

The country has not recovered from last week's blizzard. Railroads have not succeeded in restoring normal traffic.

Trains of the great arteries of commerce leading North, South,

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Is This Texas?

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 22. (AP)—Weather records appear to have been shattered in the hill country section of Southwest Texas by the cold wave spending its final force further eastward. According to long distance telephone messages from correspondents of The San Antonio Express the mercury dropped as low as 11 degrees below zero—equivalent to 43 degrees below the freezing point—at Junction, in Kimble county, early Sunday morning.

Below-zero readings also were recorded at half a dozen other points in the hill country when unofficial reports showed 7 below at Llano, 4 below at Boerne and Comfort, 1 below at Kerrville and zero at Fredericksburg.

The data indicated that the most intense cold extended from Junction eastward to Llano, and thence southward to a point converging upon Kerrville, to within 70 miles of that point which is north by west of San Antonio.

MAJOR PARTIES IN HOT JOUST

Hoover's Lobby Connection Subject of Dispute

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. (AP)—The national Republican congressional committee and the bureau of publicity of the Democratic national committee came to open warfare today over whether President Hoover had taken a hand in shaping the sugar tariff.

Replying to a statement issued two days ago through the Democratic national committee by Representative Garner of Texas, the Democratic leader, Representative Wood of Indiana, chairman of the national Republican congressional committee, said there was nothing reprehensible in the action of the president in discussing public questions with individual callers. He added that no one familiar with official procedure could hold the president responsible for "what some third party says someone told him the president said to someone else."

At the same time, Garner in a second statement through the Democratic national committee, followed his earlier assertion by making public an "analysis of some of the startling testimony and correspondence" brought out by the senate lobby committee in its questioning of H. C. Lakin, president of the Cuba company, and Edwin P. Shattuck, a New York attorney. In his first statement, the Texan asserted that if Alfred E. Smith had been in the White House and similar disclosures had been made concerning him, impeachment proceedings would have been discussed in congress.

The controversy arose from testimony by Lakin that he had employed Shattuck to aid in a campaign for a low sugar duty partially because of the latter's friendship with the president. Shattuck said he had not discussed the sugar tariff with Mr. Hoover, but that he had discussed the duty and the proposed sliding scale with Walter Newton, one of the president's secretaries.

West Pointers Leave On Vacations Today

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 22. (US)—Six hundred cadets will leave West Point tomorrow for a nine-day Christmas vacation.

The academy will be almost deserted over the holidays. The football team and 110 cadets are en route to Palo Alto, Calif., for the Army-Stanford game on Christmas day. The plebe class and a few upper classmen will be the only ones left at the academy.

Election Results In Young Plan Victory

BERLIN, Dec. 22. (AP)—The national referendum on the nationalist bill "against the enslavement of the German nation" which denounces the Young plan for reparations payments apparently was even less popular today than the plebiscite last October which paved the way for it.

On returns from 26 of the total of 35 election districts it was forecast that barely 10 per cent of the electorate of 41,000,000 was voting, which made it extremely unlikely that the sponsors of the bill could obtain the 21,000,000 necesary to carry it. The reichstag last month defeated a similar bill by an overwhelming majority.

Search for Carl Eielson Takes Favorable Turn

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 22. (AP)—The search for Pilot Carl Ben Eielson and Mechanic Early Borland, missing since Nov. 9, somewhere in the Siberian wastes between Teller, Alaska, and North Cape, Siberia, took a more favorable turn over the week-end.

Two Alaskan pilots, Harold Gillam and Joe Crosson, had reached the ice-bound fur trading ship Manuk at North Cape, to which Eielson and Borland were flying when they became lost, while the coast guard cutter Chelan was steaming north with three large cabin planes and complement of Canadian fliers to engage in the search.

Auto Kills Traction Worker in Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, Dec. 22. (AP)—While unreeling wire to repair the trolley of North Main street, Thomas M. Cunningham, 44, employe of the Northern Texas Traction company, was struck by an automobile and instantly killed early Sunday.

Charles W. Parsons, San Angelo, was driver of the automobile.

Today is The Right Day . . .

—To advertise for those articles you may have lost during the Christmas rush. Our readers who found such articles are watching the "Lost and Found" classification in The Daily Times-Record News Classified Section for the announcement of owners.

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CHINO-RUSSIAN PROTOCOL ENDS STATE OF WAR

Plenipotentiaries of Two Nations Make Peace in Siberia

STATUS IS RESTORED

Long and Bloody Dispute Over Manchurian Railway Settled

MOSCOW, U. S. S. R., Dec. 22. (AP)—The foreign commissariat today announced that Simanovsky and Tsai Yun-Shen, Plenipotentiaries of the Soviet union and Muken governments, had signed a protocol at Khabarovsk, Siberia, restoring the status quo ante on the Chinese Eastern railway and immediately restoring Soviet consulates and commercial organizations in Manchuria and Chinese consulates and commercial organizations in the Soviet Far East.

It was stated that peace would follow on the frontiers to be followed by withdrawal of the troops of both sides. All persons arrested in connection with the six months dispute over the railway are to be released and the Chinese have promised to disarm white guard Russian and deport organizers of these foes of the communist regime.

Relations Restored

The announcement said: "Full restoration of diplomatic relations between Soviet Russia and China are left open until a Russian-Chinese conference to be held in Moscow on Jan. 25 at which all outstanding questions will be settled."

The new Russian general manager of the railway and his assistant are leaving for Harbin to assume their duties in connection with the joint operation of the railway in accordance with the terms of the treaties of 1924.

The agreement announced today appeared to have ended practically all points in dispute which led to almost an open state of war on the Manchurian borders and which had led the United States and other signatory powers to warn both China and Russia of their obligations under the Kellogg-Briand pact for renunciation of war.

Raids on Consulates

The trouble began when the Chinese in raids on Russian consulates in Manchuria alleged that they found evidence that railway officials were using their offices to further communist propaganda. They detained many Russians and expelled others from the country.

Both Russia and China massed armed forces of the borders but the Nanking government was soon preoccupied by serious revolts which broke out in Central China. Negotiations with the Soviet were then left to the provincial government of Manchuria of which Governor Chang Hsueh-Liang is the head.

The Chinese were defeated in border skirmishes and the Russians occupied a considerable section of western Manchuria. Soviet officials stated that this action was to protect Siberian villages from border raids by irresponsible white Russians and Chinese.

An agreement was finally reached to replace both Russian and Chinese officials of the railway with new men mutually acceptable. Negotiation of the protocol announced today followed.

Japanese News Agency Choked by Nationalists

SHANGHAI, Dec. 22. (AP)—Nippon Dempo, Japanese news agency operating in China, has fallen under the displeasure of the Nationalist government.

Charging the news agency with circulating "ill reports specifically intended to undermine public confidence in the Nationalist government" the foreign office today announced it had withdrawn telephone, telegraph and radio communication privileges from Nippon Dempo.

School Teachers At Chicago Are Broke

CHICAGO, Dec. 22. (UP)—Unless some kind hearted and prosperous Santa Claus comes to Chicago with $2,477,115 in his sack, the stockings of 13,000 school teachers likely will be empty Christmas morning, William H. Caldwell, president of the board of education, admitted tonight.

Caldwell spent the week-end scurrying from one bank to another in a vain effort to borrow that amount to pay salaries due last Friday.

World Turkey Show To Open January 1

DALLAS, Dec. 22. (AP)—Announcement of the opening of Jan. 1 of the all-world turkey show in the poultry building at the state fair grounds here has been made by Mrs. Walter Burton, manager of the exhibition. Competition is open to breeders from all parts of the nation. The show will last through Jan. 5.

SIX KILLED

FRESNO, Calif., Dec. 22. (AP)—Six persons were killed on the state highway five miles south of here late today when a light touring car crowded with eight motorists ran head-on into a Corcoran-to-Fresno interurban car.

'Little Poker Face' Weds Today



Helen Wills, world's tennis champion, will be married today to Frederick S. Moody Jr., San Francisco broker.

Honeymoon Plans Remain Secret On Eve of Helen Wills' Marriage

BERKELEY, Calif., Dec. 22. (AP)—Helen Wills will be married tomorrow to Frederick S. Moody Jr., in rustic little St. Clements chapel at the foot of the Berkeley hills.

Miss Wills will promise to "love, comfort and honor" Moody, and "keep him in sickness and health, forsaking all others," but she will not promise to obey.

And Moody will not promise Helen "with all my worldly goods I thee endow."

The new Episcopalian service will be read by the Rev. Lindley H. Miller, pastor of St. Clements. The word obey and the endowment promise were eliminated by the Episcopalian church a little over three years ago.

Reverend Miller, after a hurried trip from the East, where he was called by news of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Hoffman Miller, was due in Berkeley today. He was on his way to New York when he learned at Ogden that his mother had died. In New York, where he had gone to attend his mother's funeral, he received a telegram asking him to return and officate at the wedding of Moody and Miss Wills.

The ceremony tomorrow will be attended only by parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Moody Sr., parents of the bridegroom and by the younger Moody's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs Corbitt Moody of Burlingame.

Plans for the honeymoon and where it will be spent are closely guarded by the two families.

Child Slightly Burned As Gown Catches Fire

Betty Hill, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hill, 2107 Seventh street, who suffered painful burns when her night dress caught fire last Thursday morning, was reported resting well Sunday night at her home.

The accident occurred when the child brushed near a stove soon after she had awakened, it was reported. The light night gown caught fire and enveloped her body in flames before her mother had rushed to her side. The burns were not of serious nature, it was said.

Gangsters Riddle Body Of Man With Bullets

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. (US)—Gangland took another victim "for a ride" today. Seven bullets in his body, William Papper, 30, former Sing Sing convict, was found dead on the sidewalk in front of 385 East Third street. Nobody had heard any shots. The police believe the man was murdered elsewhere and his body brought to the spot at which it was found.

'TWO-GUN' MEN SHOOT IT OUT

Kentucky Mountain Town Scene of Slaying

PAINTSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 22. (AP)—A two-gun man from the mountains, veteran of half a dozen pistol battles and survivor of almost as many gunshot wounds, today had made good his boast that if an officer arrested him again "I'll have to kill him," but it cost him his life.

The two-gun man, Joe Castle, former constable, last night "shot it out," with Patrolman Jess Dills, on the main street of this mountain town while hundreds of Christmas shoppers scurried for cover. Dills, with two ".44 specials" spitting bullets, dropped dead almost in his tracks, shot through the heart. Castle, a .45 in each hand, went down mortally wounded. He died in a hospital this morning. John Marshall, Johnson county jailer, also involved in the shooting, is locked in his own jail. Officers say he probably will be charged with murder.

Trouble between Castle and Patrolman Dills started a month ago, local officers said, when Dills arrested Castle on a charge of drunkenness. Castle, who had been a constable for almost 20 years, was removed from office and received a jail sentence and a fine. He was

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Railroad Unification Plan Splits Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. (US)—Congress will split wide open when, after the holiday recess, it takes up consideration of the railroad unification plan submitted yesterday by the Interstate Commerce commission.

This became apparent today after members of both houses had had an opportunity carefully to scan the commission's proposal for unifying the roads into 19 independent systems, five of which would serve the eastern, or trunk line area.

President and Mrs. Hoover Lead Capital in Christmas Holiday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. (AP)—Led by President and Mrs. Hoover, official Washington today set about making last-minute preparations for the holiday season.

While congress voted itself a Christmas present of a two-week vacation, the president dispatched a message to the disabled veterans of the world war in the hospitals of the country to assure them that their nation in its holiday season had not forgotten those who fought for it in a time of danger.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover laid plans for a quiet holiday season at the White House. The regular Tuesday press conference was called off, and two Christmas trees were set up, one in the private quarters of the presidential family, and a second downstairs in the east room where official receptions are held.

Of their two sons, only Allan Hoover will join his parents for Christmas. Herbert Hoover Jr., his wife and their two youngsters are in California. To offset the absence of their own son, however, Mr. and Mrs. Hoover planned a Christmas party for the children of their official family, including the secretaries and cabinet members.

President Hoover also will participate in the community observance of Christmas Tuesday evening when he switches on the lights at a tree set up in Sherman square, and Mrs. Hoover will pass out the first baskets of food to be distributed Tuesday afternoon by the Salvation Army to the poor.

DOCUMENTS ON REVOLT PLANS ARE CAPTURED

Government Announces Forestallment of Scheme Against Rubio

SOLDIERS INCITED

20 Arrests Made in Sweep Of Vasconcelos' Base at Vera Cruz

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 22. (AP)—Documents seized in a raid on Vasconcelista headquarters in Tampico disclosed a plot for an uprising, the general headquarters of which were to have been at Guaymas, Sonora, according to information given the press by the government here tonight.

The raid was made Wednesday and 50 prisoners were taken, several of whom have been brought here. Among the documents were proclamations to the army inviting the troops to participate in the uprising. A number of military commanders also were approached.

It was stated that all of the officers had rejected the invitations and had advised the government of the plot. Through these denunciations the government was enabled to begin its investigation and raided the headquarters of the party which had supported Jose Vasconcelos in his unsuccessful candidacy for the presidency. He now is in the United States.

The raid was made while a meeting of the alleged plotters was going on in the building. A cordon of troops was thrown about the structure to prevent the escape of any. The 20 alleged leaders who were brought here are being held as military prisoners although the cases have been turned over to the department of the interior for disposal since all of them are civilians.

Tennessee Singer To Warble for Movies

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. (US)—The lovely lyric soprano voice of Miss Grace Moore, lass of the Tennessee mountains who leaped from musical comedy to international operatic fame by the very intensity of her determination, has been captured for the sound films.

The diva, who recorded a new triumph Saturday night in the title role of Massent's "Manon" at the Metropolitan, will sign a three-year contract Monday in the New York offices of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

Title Ass'n Votes To Meet in Mineral Wells

FORT WORTH, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—Mineral Wells was selected today as the 1930 meeting place of the Texas Title association, at a meeting of the executive committee here with Herman Eastland Jr., Hillsboro, president, in charge.

The convention at Mineral Wells will be held June 23 and 24.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Monday and Tuesday. Warmer in north portion Tuesday.

OKLAHOMA: Fair Monday, Tuesday; partly cloudy, warmer.

EAST TEXAS: Fair, slowly rising temperature in east and south portions Monday, Tuesday, probably fair, warmer in northwest portion. Light to moderate north, erly to easterly winds on the coast.

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

Maximum temperature	42
Minimum temperature	18
Temperature at 5 p. m.	39
Precipitation, none.	
Clear.	
Southeast breeze.	
Average wind velocity	3
Maximum wind velocity	5
Barometer	29.63

Hambone's Meditations



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Officials Mark Time in Studying Revived Desmond Taylor Murder

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22. (AP)—Officials who yesterday re-opened the seven-year-old murder mystery of William Desmond Taylor, noted film director, marked time today.

Asa Keyes, former district attorney, now in the county jail pending decision on an appeal from a prison sentence for bribery in connection with the Julian Petroleum debacle, was the only one who had anything to say. He reiterated what he said yesterday—that the statements of former Gov. Friend W. Richardson and District Attorney Buron Fitts that the slayer was known were for political purposes.

"Richardson is shaking the bones of the Taylor case for political purposes," Keyes repeated. "Why doesn't he produce his evidence now? Why didn't he produce it when he first obtained it? I used my office and greatest efforts to solve the Taylor mystery and punish the murderer."

Richardson said he was told by a former Folsom penitentiary convict known as Otis Hefner and Otto Nelson that Taylor was slain by a motion picture actress.

Hefner, or Nelson, first told his story in 1923 in Seattle, Wash. He told police there five men killed Taylor and led officers to a spot near Washington City where, he said, $200,000 in loot was buried, including Taylor's diamond ring. The officers failed to find the loot. Later Nelson told Richardson, the latter said, that an actress had slain the director and on another occasion he told the then governor that Taylor had been slain by members of a narcotic ring who feared he knew too much about their activities in Hollywood.

TEXAS THAWS AFTER SNOW

South, Central and East Portions Relieved

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East and West continued to operate from 2 to 10 hours behind schedule.

Thousands of passengers, most of them holiday travelers, congested railway stations waiting for trains to depart and for incoming trains. Veteran railroad men described conditions as being the worst on record.

Crack trains like the Twentieth Century Limited, the Golden State Limited and the Panama Limited—trains that are usually put through on time at all cost—were hours late, both in departing and arriving.

Crippled switching facilities in Chicago railroad yards was blamed for much of the delay. Automatic switching devices were put out of commission by the blizzard and despite constant work of an army of snow shovelers and repair men service had not been restored in some of the yards up to a late hour tonight. A fresh snow would prove disastrous.

To get passengers into Chicago railroads unloaded trains at suburban stations, passengers with their baggage making for slow-moving street cars, taxicabs that floundered through snow-filled streets and motor busses.

Passengers arriving in Chicago told of trains running through cuts 15 feet deep, with snow piled higher than the car windows on either side of the track. Trains moved slowly over long stretches of snow-covered tracks.

SUN THAWS OUT SOUTH TEXAS

HOUSTON, Dec. 22. (AP)—South Texas was thawing out Sunday under a welcome sun.

For Houston the weather man predicted freezing temperature early Monday but said the day would be fair and warmer. Snow and ice, which made traffic hazardous, was disappearing Sunday although lawns and housetops still were cloaks of snow.

Over this section generally some damage resulted to winter gardens. However, heavy loss of cattle anticipated Saturday in the gulf coast area did not materialize, most of the herds having weathered the storm with frozen animals reported only in scattered sections of the open range.

LAREDO SUFFERS RECORD FREEZE

LAREDO, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—Laredo suffered the coldest weather of the present cold spell today when the mercury dropped to 24 above zero along the Rio Grande. It was the fourth consecutive day on which the thermometer dropped below the freezing mark.

Little if any damage was believed to have resulted to citrus and other crops in the Laredo district.

CORSICANA THAWS

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—Under a bright sun the heavy snow fall of yesterday in this section melted slowly today.

VALLEY WARMER

EDINBURG, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP) A warm sun shone here today to send the mercury soaring to 52 degrees after a light freeze last night. Only slight damage to vegetation was reported.

SUNSHINE AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, Dec. 22. (AP)—The sun beamed brightly on Austin Sunday, and snow melted away at its touch. Near freezing temperature continued through the day, and subfreezing was expected Sunday night.

EL CAMPO CHILLED

EL CAMPO, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—The coldest weather of the year was experienced here last night when the temperature dropped to 20 degrees. Sleet and snow covered the ground.

FREEZE ON COAST

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Dec. 22. (AP)—A temperature of 28 degrees was recorded here today. Snow flurries fell last night.

Negro Held Here In Robbery at Electra

After two weeks of dodging the law, a negro accused of burglarizing the Butler Tailor shop in Electra and arrested in Memphis, was lodged in the Wichita county jail Sunday night, according to an announcement from Sheriff W. G. Bradley. The prisoner was brought to Electra by Memphis authorities and turned over to Dick Morris, deputy sheriff Sunday afternoon. Formal burglary charges will be entered against him Monday, Mr. Bradley said.

Two suits of clothing and an overcoat, a part of the goods taken from the Butler shop, have been recovered, the officials reported.

Deaths

W. N. WILSON

The body of W. N. Wilson, 60, who died in a local hospital Saturday morning, will be taken overland to Joy, Texas, Monday morning by the Merkle Undertaking company. Funeral services and interment will be in Joy Monday afternoon.

Mr. Wilson is survived by his widow, five sons, A. L., Jesse, V. E., R. L., and A. V. Wilson; and one daughter, Mrs. Rose Howell, all of Wichita Falls.

MRS. J. E. TUTTLE

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 22.—Mrs. J. E. Tuttle, formerly a resident of near Manitou, died at her home at Lawton Tuesday. She was the mother of Mrs. W. A. Stellman, residing east of Manitou. Mrs. Tuttle and husband left this county four years ago and moved to Oregon, later moving to Lawton.

FRANK D. ONEIL

Frank D. Oneil, 71, died about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family home near Randlett, Okla. Funeral services will be held from the Rabbit Creek school house near Randlett at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The body will be brought to Wichita Falls for burial in Riverside cemetery.

Mr. Oneil is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary C. Oneil, and two step-sons, William Mansfield, who lived at the family home, and Charles Griffin, of Wichita Falls.

500 Poinsettia plants for Christmas in Bebb's greenhouses.—Adv.

House paint. Decorators.—Adv.

SOMETHING NEW

Syncopated Sermon Plan Of Humanist Society In New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. (UP)—Something new in the way of sermons will be offered by Dr. Charles Francis Potter, founder of the first humanist society of New York, at the society's services in Chalif hall next Sunday, he announced today.

The sermon of the day is to be preached, sung and danced. Doctor Potter will do the preaching, on the subject "Is Personality Immortal?" The same theme will be developed by Walter Mills, lyric baritone, accompanied by Bernard Gabriel, according to the announcement. Then Ruth St. Denis and Ted Shawn, famous dancers, will give their interpretation of the idea in the way of a dance, Doctor Potter said.

SANTA VISITS NEWS WORKERS

Times Publishing Company Tree Draws 200

Approximately 250 employes of the Times Publishing company, their families and friends gathered in the lobby of the publishing building Sunday evening for an old-time Christmas tree party. Gifts were distributed by Santa Claus (himself) who called out the names of recipients in tones usually employed by Boy Scout commanders.

A musical program opened the party, a stringed orchestra composed principally of employes playing appropriate numbers. Apples and oranges for the occasion were furnished by the Busy Bee fruit store.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson, R. E. Huff and Edgar Scurry.

Two Automobiles Stolen In Short Time Here

Automobile thieves were busy in Wichita Falls Sunday night when two machines were stolen within a few minutes near the same locality in the business district, according to police.

B. M. Foster, 1616 Elizabeth street, reported that his Chrysler roadster had been taken from the 700 block on Ninth street shortly before 11 o'clock. While Mr. Foster was at police headquarters reporting the theft of his car, J. G. Heard, 1316 Fifteenth street, entered to report that his Chevrolet coupe had also been taken. Mr. Heard's machine was parked near Ninth street on Scott avenue and was also taken sometime before 11 o'clock.

Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers.—Adv.

Art material. Decorators Co.—Adv.

'TWO-GUN' MEN SHOOT IT OUT

Kentucky Mountain Town Scene of Slaying

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released on bond pending an appeal.

At the conclusion of his trial, officers said, Castle remarked that when he served his sentence, "Paintsville won't be large enough to hold the two of us," referring to Dills.

Last night Castle, fatally shot, told his story of the gun play to Dr. E. B. Archer, attending physician.

"Elmer Conley, John Marshall and me had supper," said the wounded man, as life slowly ebbed away. "We all started down the street and Policeman Jess Dills came across the street and took hold of John Marshall and told him he would have to take him to jail. Marshall drew his pistol and as they were in a scuffle, I hit Policeman Dills over the head with my pistol. Dills backed off a couple of steps and began to shoot at me. I emptied my pistol at him and was reloading it again. I think Dills took John Marshall's pistol away from him."

Witnesses, of which there were many, said Dills approached Marshall and Castle, who apparently had been drinking, to arrest them for drunkenness. As the Patrolman took Marshall's arm, Castle stepped up.

"I'll have to take Marshall to jail," Dills said, according to witnesses.

"You don't have to go unless you want to," Castle replied.

With this, Dills and Castle both backed off a pace or two and guns barked.

An element of mystery entered the shooting today when officers reported that bullet holes in a window at the scene of the shooting appeared to have been made by a pistol of .32 calibre, while all of the participants were using bigger guns. They advanced the possibility that a fourth person figured in the battle, apparently firing from across the street.

Feeling against Marshall was running high here tonight, as Dill, a war veteran, was well liked in the community.

Castle had figured in a number of shootings and was known as one of the most fearless men in the Kentucky mountains.

Pope Pius Venerates Relics of St. Peter's

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 22. (AP)—Pope Pius XI this afternoon descended from the vatican into St. Peter's to venerate the relics and to pray for the repose of the soul of John Ogilvie, Scotch Jesuit who was hanged as a traitor in Glasgow three centuries ago.

Say Merry Christmas with flowers. Morgan's. Phone 2-2166 or 7500.—Adv.

Rookwood pottery. Decorators.—Adv.

GETTING GOOD

Youth of City Gives Juvenile Officer Christmas Vacation

Children in Wichita Falls are believers in Santa Claus in general and in his eagle eye on their before-Christmas behaviour in particular, according to the observation of Juvenile Officer James A. McDonald. For more than a week now the mischief telephone on his desk has been strangely silent and he has been allowed to spend all of his time investigating charity cases instead of reprimanding young miscreants. They've been going to school without a murmur and refraining from throwing rocks and chasing neighbor's chickens for the past 10 days, the officer's records show.

HASKELL SINGS TRIUMPH SONG

After Three Failures, Road Improvement Passes

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Texas, Dec. 22.—Haskell county sang its triumphal song over the passage of a $985,000 road bond issue which three times had failed.

The iss ueto be used in paving construction on highways 30, 51, 120 and 18, carried in the election Saturday by a vote of 1,847 to 729. The paving which this election assures will provide a through paved highway across Texas on the federal project which extends from Canada to the Rio Grande river. This road, designated as highway 30, will give Wichita Falls a through paved road to Del Rio, over the rich plains section. The bond issue will provide for paving of this highway from the Knox county line to the Jones county border.

Other work in which the bond issue will be used:

Paving of highway 51 from the Knox county line through Rule to connect up with No. 18 at Sagerton.

Paving of highway 126 through Haskell county to join Throckmorton and Stonewall counties.

Saturday's successful election was the fourth in three years, the remainder having gone down in overwhelming defeat.

Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers.—Adv.

Bebb's flowerphones 3300, 2-2128, 2-2129.—Adv.

CRITIC OKEHS VODVIL BILL

Too Bad He Couldn't Find Names of Performers

By The Record News Critic

One Mr. McLallen and his two assistants—a woman and Tony the accordion player—headline the vaudeville bill at the Majestic this week.

This critic is sorry he cannot furnish Mr. McLallen's first name or initials, or the woman's name, or Tony's last name—but Manager Victor B. Lowrey of the Majestic, neglected this week to furnish programs for his bill, so how could we know? The only way we got the halves of names that we did is that they were said on the stage. In the rest of the acts we didn't get that much.

Mr. McLallen and the woman and Tony got off some good jokes and Tony massacred the accordian in a way that got much applause.

The rest of the bill is pretty good. A woman, in the first act, did some jig dances. So did a ukelele artist and a blackface comedian in the second act, only they went further and pulled some clever tricks. In the third act a rather fat woman appears with a slim and slimly dressed woman. They crack a few good jokes and then the slim woman disappears, to reappear dressed slimmer than ever. Their wisecracks about cabaret life, and the slim woman's slim costume, received good applause Sunday night.

The last act was staged by a quartet of dancers and acrobats—two women and two men—and we wish we had their names, because they did some good wire-walking and dancing.

Electrans Give Christmas Party

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 22.—The Electra Lions club gave a Christmas party Thursday for the children whose Christmas cheer would have otherwise been limited. A Christmas tree was set up in the center of the banquet hall and about 30 members of the club were responsible for the entertainment. A bountiful turkey dinner was served. Each child received a gift.

The meeting was presided over by the president, W. A. Asbill. Rev. C. L. Bounds offered the invocation and each member introduced his guest to the assembly. The Lionesses present were Mesdames G. R. Davidson, S. B. Marchant, C. C. Klingman, J. M. Hemby, H. A. Decker and G. J. Gillis.

Sam Hill and W. L. Horn were in charge of the program and H. A. Decker, chairman of the standing committee, acted as master of ceremonies in introducing the most celebrated guest of honor, Santa Claus. He distributed the gifts from the tree, making the children happy with their gifts and stockings filled with nuts, fruits and candy.

Huge Parole Fraud Bared in California

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22. (US)—A gingantic parole fraud, in which the name of a congressman was alleged to have been forged to recommendations to release criminals from San Quentin and Folsom prison, was unearthed by police today.

Framed photographs. Decorators.—Adv.

Bebb's flowers, the perfect gift.—Adv.

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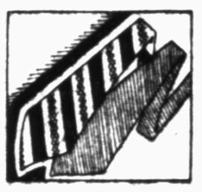
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Mothers Of Joy Girls Are Honored At Pretty Party

Mrs. J. C. Mytinger was hostess at her home on the Seymour road Friday night when her class, the Joy Girls of the First Baptist church, honored their mothers with a Christmas party.

The yuletide spirit was shown in the decorations and in the Christmas tree that was a pretty outstanding feature. It was hung with gifts for the girls and their mothers.

A program arranged by the program committee followed the presentation of the gifts. Mrs. Fred Barron made an inspirational talk on "What It Means to Be a Mother," and Clara Carter responded with "What It Means to Be a Daughter." Marion Proctor gave a reading, "Motherhood," and the class quartet, composed of Misses Mary Virginia Barron, Kathryn Keller, Lonita Smith and Stella Evans, sang several lovely numbers.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Bernice Jeter, Velma Jane Meyers, Gladys Ragland, Esther Frances Hager, Eileen Stagg, Mary Jane Covington, Lonita Smith, Kathryn Keller, Mary Virginia Barron, Virginia Evans, Stella Evans, Barbara Juckaby, Marjorie Campbell, Margaret Newsom, Josephine Kelly, Helen Box, Alta Wilkes, Clara Carter, Marion Proctor, Janie Hawthorn, Anna Ruth Cowart, Ruth Etta Martin, the members of the class and their guests, Mias McKay and Mesdames T. L. Coplin, J. B. Hager, Stagg, S. A. Covington, W. E. Smith, J. W. Keller, Fred Barron, C. H. Evans, Huckaby, R. D. Campbell, J. M. Kelly, O. H. Box, H. D. Smith and L. W. Proctor.

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PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

Some one asked a leading Wichita Falls citizen Friday where his wife was and he replied that she was busy returning things she had purchased Thursday.

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We understand there is a great deal of that done just before Christmas. The merchants bear it in peace—at least outwardly.

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Beginning Friday and on until after Christmas, there will be another feature of Christmas festivity well done, the nativity act. We wonder just how many "babes" have been discovered in the manger; how many girls have taken the part of Mary and beardless boys acted the part of Joseph.

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But Sunday school parties and Christmas trees are as much a part of the Christmas season now as hanging up one's stocking used to be.

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All over town trees are lighted and trying to out do the brilliance of the skies. It cannot be done. It is a lovely sight to see the glow and glitter of red and blue and green strung across the streets, gleaming in the trees and outlining roofs, but one look up into a clear, starry, deep blue sky gives a sense of of the real Christmas spirit.

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The idea of living Christmas trees is a pretty one. It makes one's heart ache to think of the thousands of little evergreens that are sacrificed each year for a morning's gladness.

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But on the other hand, we remember the thrill we used to have over our Christmas trees of holly, strung with popcorn in white wreaths and adorned with apples and oranges and sweet balls of popcorn.

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There were no gay lights; we had little tapers all over our trees and had to watch carefully to see that none caught fire. But the apples and oranges and the tarlatan sacks in all colors filled with candies and nuts were every bit as beautiful.

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Christmas was a time when everyone had eggnogg then. The children had a light helping and wanted nothing but a very light one.

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The eggnogg is different now. The eggs may be just as good.

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But around this season many eyes begin to look as if they had looked upon something in the form of liquor.

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We heard one man say he wished he could have a drink but he could not on account of his mother. When someone suggested a drink that did not smell so loud as "prescription," he said she could smell anything; she could even smell anyone's idea of taking a drink.

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Pocketbooks are strained at this season. So many people try to give in proportion to what is given them when the only measure that should be used at this season is one made of love.

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Personals

Miss Daisy Wharton of Laramie, Wyo., Mrs. J. E. Tandy of Grant City, Mo., and Mrs. W. H. Welch Jr., of Pontiac, Mich., will spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wharton, 1810 Huff avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Anglin of Clovis, N. M., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Anglin, 1809 Fillmore.

Silverton Man Owns Valuable Cattle

Special to The Record News.

SILVERTON, Texas, Dec. 22.—W. L. Jewett, 79, can boast of owning the highest priced cattle in Briscoe county. His bull is the grandson of the world's champion long distance production cow, Tormentor strain. In the cow class Mr. Jewett owns two valued at $650, one of which will be put on official test as she is already recorded in the registry of merit roll in New York.

Bebb's flowers, the perfect gift. —Adv.

Rookwood pottery. Decorators.—Adv.

Substitute For Marriage Lacks Harmony Note

It Is All Very Well to Talk About Finding a New Relationship to Take the Place of Matrimony, but How Can Harmony Be Founded on the Fundamental Antagonism Between Man and Woman?

A correspondent writes: "Whether we like it or not mankind and womankind have gotten to a very restive condition on the whole subject of marriage. You try to analyze the trouble and suggest remedies for the unhappily wed, but they are all on the old lines of matrimony. What we want is some one to tell us how to start an entirely new plan of sex relationship, cutting out all the sob stuff that lies behind the divorces."

Alas, dear sir, to devise a new plan of sex relationship will require some genius who possesses the art of making omelettes without breaking eggs and who can perform the feat of eating his cake and having it, too, and so far no such miracle-worker has appeared upon the scene.

The relationship of men and women is one of the problems in relativity that no Einstein has solved. You can't work it out from the purely spiritual angle because there are the passions of men and women to consider. Nor can you make the matings of men and women a purely animal affair because there is the complication of the human heart with its strange and inexplicable love and desires.

Granted that old-fashioned, until-death-do-us-part marriage is a somewhat ponderous and archaic and creaking vehicle in which to start on a life journey in this fast-moving age and, moreover, one that breaks down only too often. Still and all no satisfactory substitute has been found for it, though many have been tried.

For, you see, the trouble is there are both men and women to consider in the sex relationship, and the kind of marriage that would simply be pie for the men would be poison for women and the sort of pie that women would find just too sweet for anything men couldn't abide. Also, there is the complication of children, which turns marriage from a merry experiment into a grim reality.

There is free love, for example. A perfectly beautiful theory. A man and woman bound together by silken bonds that they can break with a finger flip as soon as they begin to chafe. A man and a woman living together only so long as they are madly, passionately in love with each other and thrill to each other's touch and then kissing and parting when their affection cools down from fever heat to subnormal.

Fine. What could be nicer? Except, unfortunately, that love is never free. It is always the heaviest obligation on earth and we mortgage our souls to those from whom we receive it. Also, unfortunately, the two high contracting parties in the free-love union don't quit loving each other just at the same time, so hearts are broken and tears are shed and the while-love-lasts marriage proves no more satisfactory than does the until-death-do-us-part marriage.

And then there is the companionate marriage, which eliminates brats and makes the wife pay her own bills and which can be terminated as easily as you can break a pie crust. A perfect cinch for men, but all that the woman gets out of it is a kind of gossamer cloak of respectability. Except for her thinly gold-plated wedding ring she is not as well off as a man's mistress because she has to earn her own board and keep.

Her husband assumes no financial responsibility for her. He can discard her whenever he gets tired of her, and it is a safe bet that if companionate marriage should become popular mighty few women at 45 would have a husband. The flappers would have a monopoly on the matrimonial market.

Then there is a polygamy, which has its points for men with a roving eye and a catholic taste in women. But one wife at a time is all the average man can support in these days of the high cost of imported hats and snake-skin shoes. So, better is one wife even if she has lost her figure than a bevy of houris who would be demanding imported frocks and to be taken to night clubs.

So there you are, with all the old forms of relationship between the sexes tried out and found wanting. What the men and women of today want is an entirely new plan of sex relationship that will have no drawbacks to it.

But they ask the impossible, for what they really want is to be single yet married, free though bound, to have all the pleasure and perquisites of marriage and none of its responsibilities. They want to dance without paying the piper.

A man wants a wife who will be loyal and devoted to him, who will nurse him in sickness and stand by him in trouble, who will work and crimp and save and help him to get a start in the world, but he doesn't want to have to be faithful to her. He doesn't want to have to be a fireside companion. He doesn't want to spend his money supporting her. He wants to be free to have affairs with other women and be able to stay out at nights and to blow in his money on wild parties, and when his wife grows old and unattractive he wants to be able to dump her into the divorce court.

—DOROTHY DIX.

Mrs. Adams Presents Pupils in Recital

Piano students of Mrs. Maurice J. Adams were presented in recital at her studio, 2142 Avenue H, Friday evening, Dec. 20. The program follows:

PART I

Piano solo:
(a) Moonlight Fairies ....Krogman
(b) An Indian Village ..... Dixie
Geraldine Griffin
Piano solo Maiche .....Boildieu
Mrs. A. H. Edwards
Piano solo, On the Briny Deep—
.....Englemann
Scott Griffis
Piano solos:
(a) Hanging Gardens ..... Bendel
(b) Revelry .....Reuben Davies
(c) La Gondole ..... Bohm
Lena Mae Leslie
Piano solo:
Pastorale ..... Concone
Laurie Glenn Patillo
Piano solo:
Echoes From Colorado.....
.....Reuben Davis
Frances Gardner
Piano solo:
The Storm ..... Von Weber
Elizabeth Gaffield
Piano solo:
La Fontaine ..... Bohn
Mrs. A. F. Hamner
Piano solo:
Prelude in G Minor..Rachmaninoff
Maurine Adams

PART II

Class demonstration:
(a) History....Studying Beethoven
Paper .....Beethovens Early Life
Mrs. D. G Gray
Piano solo:
Minute in G ..... Beethoven
Mary Eleanor Clement
Paper..Humorous Events in....
.....Beethoven Life
Mrs. A. F. Edwards
Paper.....Beethovens Handicaps
Laurie Glenn Patillo
Piano solo:
Adagio, from Moonlight Sonatas
..... Beethoven
Mrs. Maurice J. Adams
Piano solo:
Adagio, from Sonata Pastorale..
..... Beethoven
Maurine Adams

Class demonstration of harmony and theory with original compositions by the students.

Piano solo:
Gliding O'er the Snow.....
..... M. Eleanor Clement
Mary Eleanor Clement
Piano solo:
Woodland Breezes..Maurine Adams
Maurine Adams

Floral Heights S. S. Classes Have Party

Mrs. J. Alvin Gardner was hostess Friday evening at her home on Eleventh street to the senior department of Floral Heights Sunday school with her sister, Mrs. Hollis, assisting.

The house was beautifully decorated in the Christmas motif with mistletoe and red bells especially featured.

Members of Mesdames C. M. Goodwin's and J. Alvin Gardner's classes and those from the classes of Clyde Tittle and J. W. Doneheo, were intertained with an interesting program.

Mrs. John B. Rhea gave a Christmas reading from "Ben Hur," and Miss Charline Kinder sang two lovely vocal numbers. Miss Mary Hamilton closed the program with two readings.

After the program, everyone sang Christmas carols and delicious refreshments were served to about 25 guests.

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Real Daughter Of Revolution Rests In Wichita Falls

Mrs. Willie Day Padgitt of Coleman, Texas, state chairman of publicity of the Daughters of the American Revolution, announces that Mrs. Armand Kainer, regent of Alexander Love chapter, D. A. R., Houston, Texas, had the honor of marking the grave of a real daughter of the American revolution, the great grandmother of Mrs. M. C. Turner of Dallas.

There is a real daughter of the American Revolution buried in Riverside cemetery, Wichita Falls, and the Major Frances Grice chapter has erected a marker there and places flowers each year upon the grave.

Mary Jane Frazee Skidmore was born April 28, 1833 and died May 21, 1923. She lived in Wichita Falls 10 years. During her life in the city, she was most appreciative of the interest taken in her by the Major Francis Grice chapter, D. A. R.

A new method of whale-catching makes use of electricity. The harpoon, to which an electric wire is attached, is fired at the whale, and when a hit is made, current is passed through the wire and the creature is electrocuted.

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Epworth League Group Has Interesting Program

William Donnell played the violin accompanying the Epworth young people of Floral Heights Methodist church when they sang carols in the opening of their meeting Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe Richker gave the Christmas story from Luke, making a beautiful talk in telling how the Christian spirit brings peace where it reigns on earth, while without it, constant warfare rages.

A number of sentence prayers were given and at their conclusion, little Helen Loofbourrow sang "Luther's Cradle Hymn."

Mrs. Milo Connelly gave an interesting talk on facts about Christmas in different lands, touching on the history of Christmas carols and telling how Christmas had changed from an individual affair to a community one. She told the story of the first community Christmas tree and named trees noted for their beauty.

At the close of the program, reports were made by the representatives of the social service committee on the Christmas tree given for the colored day nursery. They stated that 18 children were given toys, fruit and candy.

At the meeting on Sunday, Dec. 29, new officers will be installed in the Epworth League.

Those present were Estelle McPhail, George Thorburne, Thomas C. Scott, Leroy Farabee, Leon Deaton, William Donnell, Mary Allen Newton, Fred Sehman, Helen Berry, Dorothy Johnson, Mildred Johnson, Phoebe Jane Filgo, Dorothy Cline, Albert Moller, Dick Mallard, Helen Berry, Addie Lee Bladenharn, Will McKinney, Helen Ruth Connelley, Katherine Hawley, Frank Hunter, Jerome Jenkins, Lucille Baggett, Emmaline Lewis, Mary C. Boone, Lois Corbin, Mary Hyatt, Mabel Roe, Frances Gardner, Elizabeth Albritton, Lena Mae Lesley, Helen Simpson, Johnnie Green Hawkins, Reilly Wilkinson, Tom Husbands, Twing Humphrey, Joe Long, J. I. Staley Jr., Mrs. George Truitt, Joe Richker and Milo Connelley.

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Herbert Kaufman's
WITH BANNERS FLYING
Daily Editorial

IN Grover Cleveland's administration, fifty million dollars was such a vital sum to the government, that when J. P. Morgan organized a bankers' syndicate to underwrite treasury bonds to that amount, the institutions which participated in the transaction were lauded in terms of national saviors.

In Herbert Hoover's administration, such trifling items as a congressional grant of two hundred and fifty-three odd millions for new federal buildings, is such a casual fiscal gesture, that announcement of the appropriation is tucked away among inside pages, without exciting a single grandiose phrase.

Nor does type indulge in the least emphasis when allied debtors transfer to United States account approximately a hundred million to apply against war loans.

Nowadays, promoters like Hatry—whose house of marked cards just collapsed in London—defraud customers of almost as much, and scarcely vibrate the structure of local finance.

But nothing is so indicative of the world's cash position as stock market reaction to the senate's ratification of the Mellon-Berlanger agreement, under the terms of which France admits indebtedness of $4.025,000,000, plus stipulated interest.

Ten years ago, tickers would have responded like seismographs to the affirmative vote—but, with an income exceeding a hundred billions annually, America's speculative pulse doesn't quicken an average point at the deal.

As in the past, individual fortunes will continue to remain at the mercy of economic drifts, industrial adjustments and managerial adeptness. No system will ever be perfected to keep a fool and his money together—or to prevent an incautious gambler from over-betting his cards.

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CROP surpluses and shortages will affect agricultural prosperity so long as nature refuses to adopt schedules.

Merchants who over-estimate their requirements and maintain reckless inventories; shops that don't study changing street signs or follow crowd wends, will regularly pass into creditors' hands; builders who bite off more than shoe-strings can chew, are due to render unto Caesar and his mortgages.

Over-production will keep writing red pages on unwary balance sheets and robots displace human labor, wherever further accuracy and lessened expense may be secured through the introduction of time and cost-saving automata.

Progress and competence will be served irrespective of personal consequences.

A certain percentage of business and trades must always retire before stronger and more alert competitors.

But minor factors cannot abort the favorable trends and auspicious conditions persistently pushing factory output and retail consumption to unprecedented peaks.

The Hoover survey attests healthy fundamentals throughout commerce and fabrication.

The immediate future is admittedly spotted with clouds, but they are largely seasonal. Hay can't be made every month in twelve and different sections are bound to reflect the variations of commodity prices-current.

Bull and bear movements and the fluctuations of exchange have nothing to do with it.

Profits and loss are subject to the ebbs and flows of supply and demand. But sporadic group distress and purely regional depressions are not sufficient to halt the confident thrusts of the mightiest and heaviest capitalized concern on the face of the earth—the Associated Enterprises of the United States of America.

We're marching into 1930 with banners flying and war-chests ready for any engagement, regardless of Wall street sentiment and the bleat of shorn lambs. Enlist with the optimists and come along, too!

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All that is needed now to make the British situation complete is for some hard boiled old Tory land owner to issue a statement blaming England's recent severe storms and floods on the radical Labor government.

A congressman is indicted for alleged use of the mails to defraud. When his trial comes, however, we'll doubtless discover that the suitcase really belonged to his brother.

They have stopped censoring plays in New York. Quite a blow to the show business.

The stock market sometimes is bitter to the last drop.

No Dust on This Bench

WERE politics and government severed from a certain literary romanticism, they would be drab indeed. It remains for a few quick witted senators and judges to occasionally spice their harangues or court edicts with highly polished phrases and juicy utterances. The latest comes from Judge O. S. Lattimore of the court of criminal appeals at Austin, who a few days ago was quoted by the Austin Statesman, energetic Central Texas news organ, as distinguishing between immorality and petting.

Said Judge Lattimore:

"Young America in 1929 seems not as averse to hugging and kissing friends of the opposite sex as may have once been the case but this would hardly justify the legal conclusion that such conduct tends to show lack of chastity.

"Nor is the fact of one becoming under the influence of strong drink, even if deplorable, to be held in law to involve immorality or even tend in that direction.

"To call hugging and kissing lewd or lascivious is a serious error in a legal conclusion. The word 'fondle' carries no immoral meaning. Webster says it means to 'handle tenderly'."

Of course there's not a thing new in all of that, as some of us know, but it is refreshing to hear our intimacies discussed so freely from a bench that usually exudes dust every time the robed and learned gentlemen start to talk.

If by Their Pleasures Men Are Judged . . .

COUNSELORS and philosophers have always said that if you would judge a man, look more closely at his methods of recreation than his conduct of business. The moral being, of course, that a really wise man amuses himself in manners pleasurable, sane and profitable.

Behold, then, what category would those persons who amuse themselves by backfiring their automobiles fall in? Were we in charge of their destinies, we freely admit, we would push them into the deepest category, or something, possible, and pray that they might never escape.

Living, unfortunately, within a few blocks of the business district, we have had available many nights to study the pleasures of these persons. Oh, yes, it is mainly at night that they make whoppee, or rather, explosions. It generally begins about 2 a. m. when sleep is supposed to relieve us of the burdens of civilization. But this particular product of our civilization, the backfire maniac, like the witches of old, pulls all his devilment under cover of night, far from the light of any sun. And in this he shows that his brain, if any, is penetrated by at least one sane thought. For if we were ever to meet him in the full light of day we would launch upon him one furious and immemorial attack, and we don't mean editorially speaking, either.

Those Luxurious Bathrooms

ANNOUNCEMENT that Americans use 3,000,000,000 pounds of soap a year seems to indicate that the Saturday night bath is becoming a nightly institution in practically every American home; and we are inclined to agree with the New York World in giving most of the credit to the manufacturers of American bathroom fixtures.

A few decades ago the bathrooms lacked tiled floors and enameled walls. Tubs were apt to be of shiny tin or zinc. Hot water could be obtained from the faucet only after considerable trouble. The scene of the weekly ablutions, in other words, just naturally wasn't attractive.

But now? The bathroom, in most houses, is the most attractive room in the building. It is luxurious, gleaming in its cleanliness, efficient to the utmost degree. It fairly begs the householder to climb into the tub. Small wonder that the bath is more popular.

Our Biggest Problem

AUTOMOBILE casualties this year are far above last year's, according to preliminary estimates made by the U. S. Census bureau. The national death toll for the year is liable to reach 27,000. With 2,500,000 automobiles added to our traffic stream during the year, the situation continues to grow worse—and nothing effective is being done about it.

Nothing in all American life is more astounding than the complacent way in which we take our traffic fatalities. If some epidemic should visit the country, taking 27,000 lives a year, with no prospect that it would end, we should have state and federal appropriations to fight it. The whole nation would be alarmed. But we let our automobiles kill that many and we do absolutely nothing about it.

This thing is rapidly becoming the very biggest problem we face. It is far past time that we rolled up our sleeves and tackled it in earnest. That we have let it go so long is a burning disgrace to the nation.

Socialism Out of Faucets

GOVERNOR FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT of New York cannot see why the word "socialism" should carry so much fright with it. "Every time you turn on a faucet of cold water in this city, you get flowing out pure, unadulterated socialism," he told an audience in New York the other night.

That is good sense. So, also, is the following from the governor:

"One of the benefits of the Wall street crash may be that people will now pay closer regard as to how much they are being charged for utilities such as gas and electricity. In boom times they do not seem to care. That is what has been called—prosperity."

Quotations Worth Noting

"Life would be horrible if we all thought our next-door neighbor was going to slap our face. That is the way we have been living."—Sir Oliver Lodge.

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"We older folks are willing to be taught, if youth has anything to teach, but the best way to do it is to be respectful at least of the things we have been taught. Ease your notions into us, but do not stand off and laugh at us."—William W. Wheeler, advertising manager of the

WALTER WINCHELL
On Broadway

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This Town of Ours

Wm. Rhinelander Stewart is Evelyn Laye's Chief Problem . . . Mrs. A. Jolson is a red-head now . . . Sidney Solomon is busy denying the persistent rumor that E. Ray Goetz will replace him as Head Man of the Central Park Casino . . . Ralph Hayes, of the Chatham and Phenix Bank, will become exec ass't to the Pulitzers . . . S. W. Strauss' daughter, Harlette, was secretly sealed last wk to a Russ who once had a title . . . Helen Morgan has made her last flicker for Paramount . . . Josephine Rotch Bigelow, who was murdered last wk, was in the cast of "Mystery Square," the flop . . . What prominent moom pitcher chief is in a Greenwich sanitarium?

Geo. M. Cohan's dotter, Georgette, and Phil Plant (just divorced from Connie Bennett) won't middle-aisle it . . . Constance Bennett will be Gloria Swanson's successor as soon as Gloria has the handcuffs melted from Marquis Hank . . . The Literary Guild has bought the mag, Plain Talk, which tilts its circulation an extra 70,000 . . . Some time this month it will be announced than a foremost Yankee film firm has merged with a Britain firm, the American group furnishing the sound equipment in return for exclusive scenarios from Basil Dean, Galsworthy, Shaw and other British aces . . . The bankers are bolstering at least one dep't store and a smart 5th Ave. shop which is On The Brink . . . Charles Hand, the Mayor's secretary, just inherited $100,000 from his Mammy.

Alice Foote MacDougall's new ass't gen. mgr., is ex-housekeeper of the White House . . . Margaret Shea and Bob Johnson (of the New Brunswick Johnsons) are Cupiding again . . . Gertrude Lawrence is tenanting in Mrs. H. H. Frazee's Park Avenue shack . . . Sidney Blackmer no wear underwear . . . That Swedish massaging place on Central Park West where eyefilling blonds juggle your vertebrae is a gold mine . . . In Germany, Mary Nolan, the cinemactress, is billed as Mary Robertson, her real tag, which she used in the Fatherland following her Tinney romance . . . The J. Murphys (Sugar O'Neill of "Hold Everything!") anticipate a blessed event . . . Will Hays called all producers to urged them never to make another "Cock-Eyed World" . . . The reason some taxi meters cost $225 is that they work faster on the waiting time.

Goodman, the Matzoth King, went gay on the Great Tight Way last wk . . . Jed Harris had "Berkeley Square," the hit, in his desk for two yrs . . . Steve Stevenson, of Universal Service, inherited $175,000 last wk from his late grandpappy . . . Among other donors to the families of the Pathe fire victims was Edsel Ford, who gave 5 yards . . . Babe Bacon, the terpsichorine of Cleveland, will be wedded to a hometown merchant soon . . . It's a girl at the Julius P. Witmark Jrs. . . . Gerard Collins, ass't mg. of the 5th Ave. Hotel, and Joan Patterson, former "G. V. Follies" femme, are plotting an elopement . . . Lady Astor Virginia'd Paul Robeson when she met him at a London soiree.

Recommended to diversion seekers: "King's Pleasure" by Ida Zeitlin (Harper's) . . . The Irish Playhouse at 125th and 8th . . . Ginger Rogers in the forthcoming "Top Speed" show . . . "You've Got That Thing," from "Frenchmen" . . . Myra M. Waterman's verse on Love in Life on p. 25 . . . Lili Damita's charm in "Suns o' Guns" . . . Covarrubias in the January Vanity Fair . . . The chorus of Creoles at New Plantation Club on 126th, opening Chewsday . . . Patrick Hamilton's "The Midnight Bell" (Little, Brown) . . . Leo Reisman's recording of "Needin' You Like I Do" . . . and the critic who tells others Where To Get Off, with his frightened look and stale quipps in a forthcoming newsreel at the Embassy Theater.

Katharine Brush, who had it abrogated in the sticks the other week-end, is now Mrs. H. Charles Winans . . . They will "Fannie Hurst it" in the same E. 57th street dwelling, however . . . The boys who look for irony point out that two Pathe fire victims were named Byrnes and Sparks . . . Ned Wayburn is beating the field with the first American revusical in Germany . . . Ralph Hitz of The New Yorker Hotel, who is the highest paid managing hotel director of them all, was a waiter 12 yrs ago . . . Muriel Kirkland of "Strictly Dishonorable" is a better actress than you think . . . That amazing Southern dialect is talent, the gal being a New Rochelle belle . . . What local lawyer's son lost his Charles of London job because of his father's front page sins?

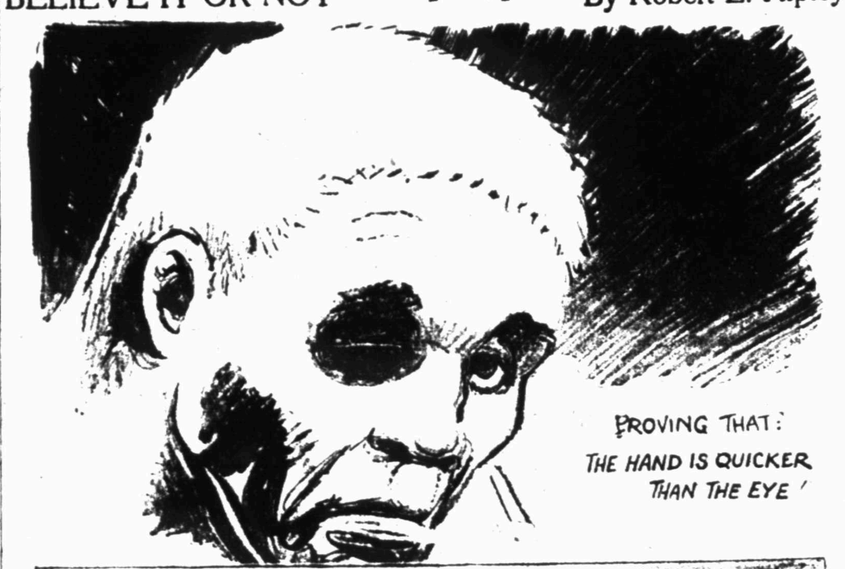
Equity and "Street Scene" are Having It Out over its sudden plan to switch to Chi., because $15 per wk members will have to play a week there and pay their fare back . . . The Scribners and Hemingway have reconciled . . . One of the town's biggest bootleggers is fed up with the racket, retiring Jan. 1 to write his confessions, in which he will fry the local and federal sleuths . . . The John Gunthers were Stork'd in Paree again, the other day . . . The Paris Times folded up quietly, the only ones noticing it being the staff . . . The most profane of the 4-syllable cusswudds, allowed in almost every play, book or drawing room, is behned in any mag that goes through the mails . . . W. H. Vanderbilt and Ann G. Colby are uh-huh.

Today in Texas History

DECEMBER 23

1820—Moses Austin reached Bexar, province of Texas, on his quest for a permit to bring Anglo-American settlers.
1821—The "Lively," bringing colonists from New Orleans for Austin's settlement, arrived at mouth of the Brazos.
1835—Death of Maj. James Kerr, pioneer settler of southwest Texas.
1839—Mexican traders from Rio Grande with cattle and "peloneses" had come to the new city of Austin.
1898—First Texas volunteer infantry landed in Cuba for Spanish-American war.

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Marriage for Two--By Arthur Somers Roche

A Quarrel

When he had escorted the prefect and his two companions to the front gate, where they parted with many bows and expressions of esteem, Larry returned to the house. In the hall at the foot of the stairs were the cook, butler, the chambermaids and the kitchenmaid. They scattered at Larry's entrance, with many a backward glance. Only the butler retained presence of mind.

"We did not know but that monsieur and madame, awakened thus, would require something to eat," he suggested.

Larry shook his head. He knew that the servants, anticipating an arrest, had gathered together that they might witness the delectable spectacle and ascertain its reasons. But that was natural. So he thanked the man and went upstairs.

The door opening into Joyce's room was ajar, and she called to him as he entered. Her maid had lighted a fire and before it his wife sat, smoke trailing from a cigaret in her fingers.

"So you talked with Miss Novel, eh?" she greeted him.

He had felt, all evening, upon the defensive, and when a man has offered apology for a wrong, and the apology has been waved aside, resentment soon usurps humility's place in his heart.

"I believe you talked with her first," he said.

"Did she volunteer the information or did you discover it by—spying?" she asked. "Of course," she mimicked the prefect, "that gallantry which is inseparable from frequenting the casino * * *"

Her black eyes had blazing depths in them now, points of fire that scorched his soul.

"Practice in Deceit"

"I asked nothing about you," he defended himself. "But if I had, I'd have found out that you lied to me about her."

"Oh, that," she shrugged. "After all, this is France, and you are a husband. And where gentlemen find it inseparable from gallantry to buy champagne for women who keep men, perhaps it is only natural that wives should lie to their husbands."

It was childish, this quarrel, and he knew it. Perhaps its original causes might have some dignity—if recriminations can have such a quality—but their words were juvenile.

"I'm inclined to believe that you've had practice in deceit," he retorted. "The convincing way in which you said that you knew of no other quarrel in which Weedon had been involved * * *"

"Would you have liked it better if I'd told the prefect that Billy had struck him?" she challenged.

He colored at this. "You know perfectly well that I wouldn't. I'm only stating that falsehood comes naturally to you."

"Which is, of course, a gallantry inseparable from such an occasion as this," she jeered. "And you are a man of gallantry. Miss Novel in the afternoon, and Helen in the evening. You didn't, by any chance, honor Miss Novel with an embrace? I should hate to think so. Helen might not like that."

"Joyce, please," he begged. "This is intolerable."

"Intolerable for whom?" she cried. "For me, or for you? Did I enter your room and denounce you for a harmless falsehood that saved a friend from great embarrassment? You don't believe Billy killed him, do you?"

"Of course not," he said.

"Then why object because I saved him from suspicion by a white lie? For that matter, you lied about it yourself. And did you object to my pretense of affection for you? That was false, false as anything I ever did or said in all my life. Would you prefer it if I told the police that I did not like your kissing your exfiancee? Would you prefer it if I said that I hated you?"

On that first time when he had met her, he had asked if she were ill. Her eyes had blazed at him.

"Damn you," she had said, "I'm hungry!"

The same rage, a rage so great that it seemed impersonal, as though its scope embraced the whole world and was too great to center on any one single individual, shone in her eyes now. It was as though she rebelled against the very fate that had caused her to be born. A moment ago Larry had found humility unendurable and had disclosed his own anger. But that anger of his was a puny thing; before the blast of her wrath it shriveled.

"Do you hate me?" he asked.

"That," she said, "is a matter that neither of us could help, isn't it? So why discuss it? I'm sleepy," she announced.

There was nothing for Tracy to do but leave her then, and he did so with what grace he could muster, and with the unaccountable feeling that he had been in some way worsted by her.

Her door was closed when he awoke next morning, and there came from her room no invitation to breakfast, so he drank his morning coffee—most dreadful stuff it was, too; he could never become accustomed to French coffee—and ate his rolls alone. It suddenly came to him that, little as Joyce had granted, it would be unendurable if she withdrew that little.

Not to be permitted those innocuous intimacies which had begun to mean so much to him; to be denied that camaraderie which had become sweeter than even the kisses that Helen had permitted * * * He fell into that self-pitying revery which sometimes leads to rashness, and might indeed have been led into a renewal of his quarrel with Joyce had it not been for the arrival of Billy Valdemagara.

That red-headed scion of Spanish aristocracy was in a high state of excitement.

"The police—they came here?" These were his first words as Larry met him in the salon.

"What did they have to say? Did you tell them anything?"

Larry stared at him. "What could we tell them, Billy?"

"About my striking him? Not that I'd blamed you if you had. After all, when there is a murder—whew!" He mopped his forehead.

"But we didn't," Larry assured him. He told the marquis what had transpired last night.

"And your wife—Valgame Dios, but she is glorious, Larry. Any other woman would have blurted out that I had hit him—where is she?"

"She'll be down any minute, Billy," said Larry. How could he tell his friend that he had not ventured to enter his wife's bedroom, and that he was unaware whether or not she had yet awakened, even.

"This Is Serious"

But Joyce entered the room as he was professing an intimacy that didn't exist. She greeted the marquis warmly. He bent over her hand.

"I was just telling the unworthy man who has the great good fortune to be your husband of my gratitude at your silence last night," said Billy.

Joyce laughed. "Did you think we'd tell of your quarrel with Weedon? Billy, how little you regard us."

The marquis vehemently shook his red head.

"Not so," he protested. "But, as I was saying to Larry, when there has been murder, the little discretions frequently disappear."

Joyce smiled upon him, but her voice was hard:

"But I had to pretend that the—er—pretty little incident on the cliff, between Larry and—well, I had to pretend that that was nothing but a fraternal and sisterly salute. If you, as well as my husband, had resented Weedon'a telling what he had observed, it might naturally occur to the prefect that perhaps I didn't take it very lightly after all."

"I don't think that follows at all," protested the marquis. "You were just—magnificent—as always." His voice grew serious. "My children, this affair—is serious."

"Murder is never a light matter," said Joyce.

"Of course not," assented Billy. "But I mean—for all of us."

Now what he said was so obvious that Larry wondered that the marquis had thought it necessary to voice it. But Valdemagara was not the sort to talk idly save when he flattered some pretty woman.

"What are you driving at, Billy?" he inquired.

"A cause celebre; that's what the French public is always demanding, and what the French police are always trying to supply," said the marquis. "High life scandal—you know what I mean. Rich American—titled Spaniard—get it?"

(Continued in Tuesday's Issue)

Abe Martin

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Folks who travel on their looks allus limp back. "If heaven's anything like it's cracked up to be nobuddy would come back here," said Joe Kite, as he left a spiritualist seance last night.

Navy Will Test Out Radio Communication

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22. (US)—Experiments in long distance radio communication between aircraft and permanent ground stations will be conducted by the army air corps next month, it was announced today.

The tests will be made in connection with the winter maneuver of the first pursuit group over a 3,000-mile "battle front" stretching from Detroit to Spokane and back. The battle will be against snow, ice and sub-zero temperature.

One purpose of the flight is to measure the endurance and efficiency of the corps and personnel and equipment in a section of the country where the thermometer drops to 40 below zero. The other is to test the value of short-wave radio as a means of contact between army air units operating in isolated regions and remote posts of command.

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The Once Over
By H. I. PHILLIPS

Just 'Fore Christmas
(With Apologies to Eugene Field)

Some folks call me Patrick, others call me Joe,
S-A calls me Eddie an' 6-B calls me Moe!
Mighty glad I'm what I am, an elevator boy,
Especially this time of year when all is peace an' joy;
Love to run right past folks and never heed a bell,
Like to keep 'em waitin' an' sputterin' likell!
'Most all the time the whole year round they don't get much from me—

But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

Got a gate I like to slam, shuttin' people out,
Like to make a sudden stop, flingin' folks about;
Got an elevator dial, never buzzes nor
Does a thing to indicate third, of fourteenth floor;
An' sometimes when a tenant is worrited an' cross
He shakes his finger in my nose an' sez he'll see the boss,
An' then I laff an' let him know he's just a joke to me—
But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

II

Some folks call me "Major," others call me "Cap;"
Others call me "General," and one guy calls me "Nap;"
I'm the doorman of the house; uniform is swell;
Greet the people at the door (if I'm feelin' well);
Do as little as I can nine months in the year,
Cultivate a manner grand and a haughty sneer;
I "ritz" the whole kaboodle and make 'em like it, see—
But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be.

I like to lounge inside the door and seldom condescend
To help folks with their bundles, as it hurts me to unbend;
I sometimes give the door a shove to let a lady through,
But always with the manner that it's what I shouldn't do;
An' when folks want a taxicab an' it is rainin' hard
I do my best to show 'em all a proper disregard;
I love to show 'em one an' all they're nuthin' much to me—
But jest 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be.

III

Some folks call me Maggie and some folks call me Mae;
5-B calls me Isabelle and 6-D hollers "Say!"
I'm the maid that comes to do the housework when they call,
Although I give 'em little in the summer, spring and fall;
I love to leave chairs dusty an' to overlook the dirt—
What little work I ever do won't do me any hurt;
I'm sloppy an' I'm lazy, as each tenant will agree—
But just 'fore Christmas, why, I'm
Miss Efficiency.

Betsy Ross Gets a Break

George M. Cohan has gone over to the movies, and at last Betsy Ross will get a break on the screen.

Mr. Cohan will get a million dollars from United Artists under his contract, it is said. "For he's a Yankee Boodle dandy."

Racehorse Heaven

("Fair Play, sire of Man O' War is dead."—News item.)

Up in the rich green pastures,
Where all great horses go,
He's running now and racing
As in the long ago.

Winning the Flash and Montauk,
The Lawrence, the Jerome—
Just a vague streak of chestnut,
Showing the best way home.

Then, when he's feeling lazy,
Grazing serenely glad,
Hearing his buddies whisper,
"That's Man o' War's great dad!"

Briscoe Nearly Through With Cotton Season

Special to The Record News.

SILVERTON, Texas, Dec. 22.—The cotton season is practically over in Quitaqua, the part of Briscoe county which produces the bulk of the cotton. Slightly over 5,000 bales have been turned out at the four gins, and it is estimated that the 1929 crop will fall one-third short of normal. In spite of the short crop, bankers and merchants in the territory report a fair financial condition, with farmers in better shape to enter the year 1930 than they were a year ago. Increases in dairy stock and poultry have added materially to the farm's resources.

Davidson Schools Close for Holidays

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 22.—Davidson schools dismissed Friday afternoon and several of the faculty members will visit relatives during the Christmas holidays. Miss Wilma Haigh, primary instructor, and Miss Priscilla Haigh, third-grade teacher, together with their mother, will visit Mrs. Haigh's husband, residing at Clinton. Mrs. Edna Dean, fourth-grade teacher, will visit at Atoka. Miss Othella King, sixth-grade teacher, will spend the holidays with home folks. R. L. Scholt, science and history teacher, will visit at Electra, Texas.

Silverton Cattleman Buys More Cattle

Special to The Record News.

SILVERTON, Texas, Dec. 22.—In addition to large herds of young cattle on grass and feed in different sections of the county, J. L. Francis, stockman and farmer, has 770 head, coming two-year olds, in feeding pens at Plainview, for which feed has been purchased in lots of hundred of tons. Recently Mr. Francis bought $30,000 worth of yearlings to carry through the winter.

Silverton Lions To Install Incinerators

Special to The Record News.

SILVERTON, Texas, Dec. 22.—A committee of the local Lions club is at work to have all business houses provided with incinerators for burning papers and trash in the rear of the lots and waste containers placed at strategic points along the sidewalks for the use of the public in disposing of debris.

Art material. Decorators Co.—Adv.

Health and Diet Advice



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

Questions in regard to health and diet will be answered by Dr. McCoy who can be addressed in care of this paper

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Why the Tonsils Enlarge

The tonsils, as a part of the lymphatic system, are always larger in childhood than they are normally in adult life. From the time the child is born until about the age of 15, the lymph glands in his body will grow about 20 times heavier. As this period subsides the glands are less active, and they will always shrink and become smaller until they should hardly be visible in the throat of an adult.

Healthy tonsils must be regarded as glands which have a positive use in the body. They are one of the glands whose work it is to keep the germs out of the blood stream.

The tonsils guard the rear door of the mouth, and form a combination of two "bouncers" whose job it is to attack unwelcome visitor bacteria who have entered through the mouth and are trying to crash the gate into the blood stream. Sitting on either side of the throat, they lie in wait for any adventurous bacteria that come along looking for an easy living, and are ready to deal with them in short order. Due to the fact that the tonsils, themselves, are outposts for squads of the white blood cells, those police cells of the blood stream which the body has invented as a method of destroying or eating up bacteria, the tonsils thus have a vital place in defending the body and are one of its finest protectors when they are in health.

By screening or filtering out the germs coming from the mouth they prevent them from entering the general blood stream. From the folding of the tonsil tissue back upon itself, the tonsillar crypts or depressions are formed. If the tonsils are swollen these crypts show as white spots due to being filled with the cheesy substance. As the attack goes down the swelling leaves and the tonsils become normal.

Any condition of poor feeding and particularly the eating of a great deal of starch will contribute to the diseased tonsils. The right way to reduce 100 per cent of all diseased tonsils is to clean up the blood stream with a fruit fast, using the enema twice a day according to my instructions. When the toxic material is gone the tonsils reduce in size, normally and naturally, and in a very satisfactory manner. The tonsil has only increased in size because there was an over-amount of waste in the blood and it became enlarged in an effort to handle its share of the toxic poisons.

Remember that your tonsils are useful to you, and instead of trying to decide whether to have them in or out, decide right now to keep them in your throat, and if they need to be reduced in size do it in a painless way with a fruit fasting regime, the instructions for which I will be glad to send to anyone who is interested if they will write me in care of this paper and enclose a large self-addressed stamped envelope.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Lack of Thyroxin

Question—G. B. J. asks: "Could anyone (never having undergone an operation for goitre) lack that which is supplied by the thyroid gland and get fat and feeble-minded? What would you recommend as a cure?"

Answer—Many people gain weight very easily because they do not have a sufficient production of the secretion of the thyroid gland. Such a condition can usually be corrected through the proper fasting and dieting methods. I especially recommend quick reduction of weight through fasting with all those people who seem to be deficient in thyroid secretion, as the fasting seems to have a definite effect upon the thyroid gland so that after the fast this gland seems to work more efficiently.

Smoking

Question—C. E. W. writes: "Since I have stopped smoking for about three months my left eye has seemed to go dull or color blind, and I have been advised to start smoking again, and I want your advice about it."

Answer—Many authorities believe that smoking is bad for the eyesight, but I never heard of an eye specialist recommending smoking to improve the vision. The best thing for you to do is to build up your system through proper dieting and exercising, at the same time wearing correcting fitted glasses.

Morton's Toe

Question—M. A. writes: "I have been to a chiropodist and he said that I had a Morton's toe. It is painful when I am walking or when my foot gets warm, otherwise it doesn't hurt me. What causes this, and what could I do for it?"

Answer—There is no reason why the trouble with your toe cannot be cured. You should have massage treatment of the entire foot, and soak your foot in hot water twice a day for 30 minutes at a time. It is also helpful to regulate your diet in order to create a better condition of the blood stream.

Texas and Louisiana To Construct Bridge

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 22. (AP)—The highway commissions of Louisiana and Texas, acting jointly, will shortly build a bridge over the Sabine river as a new link between the two states, according to notices sent out by the Louisiana commission. The project will be advertised next week and bids will be opened simultaneously by the two state bodies on Jan. 21. Bidders were advised to submit identical proposals to both boards, which will share equally in the cost.

The proposed bridge, consisting of 250-foot and 140-foot steel fixed spans with trestles and approaches, will link Beauregard Parish, La., with Newton county, Texas, and will be located west of Deridder and near Merryville in south central Louisiana, opening up a new interstate highway link.

Olustee Schools Give Christmas Programs

Special to The Record News.

OLUSTEE, Okla., Dec. 22.—Teachers and pupils in the grade school at Olustee decorated Christmas trees for each room and gave programs Friday afternoon with patrons of the school as special visitors.

The Methodist church and the Baptist church will each sponsor a large Christmas tree Tuesday evening for their respective Sunday schools. Christmas programs will precede the disbursing of presents. Business houses have decorated their windows for the holiday season but no street adornments have been placed.

Plains Ranchers To Have Cattle Tested

Special to The Record News.

SILVERTON, Texas, Dec. 22.—Practically every dairy cow owner on the plains section of the county has arranged to have his herds tested for tuberculosis, following the detection of this disease in one of the herds in the south part. Several hundred head have since been tested by a veterinarian, but so far no further unfavorable reactions have been noted.

Jacksboro Man Buys Sunset Bank Interest

Special to The Record News.

SUNSET, Texas, Dec. 22.—Alvin J. Reierson, cashier of Sunset State bank, has sold his interest in the bank to E. T. Wilson of Jacksboro. Mr. Wilson and wife have moved to Sunset and he has taken charge as cashier. Mr. Reierson and family will move to Walnut Springs, Texas.

Sunset Officers Find Mash Hidden Away

Special to The Record News.

SUNSET, Texas, Dec. 22.—Deputy J. C. Campbell and Constable Luke Rhyne destroyed 150 gallons of mash about 12 miles northwest of Sunset last Friday evening. The mash had been hidden in barrels in a large pasture.

The site for the White House at Washington, D. C., was selected by President Washington and Major Pierre L'Enfant when they laid out the city of Washington in 1791.

Most folks prefer Bebb's flowers. —Adv.

25 years ago today

By C. KESSLER



THE NEBBS — By Sol Hess



PA'S SON-IN-LAW — By Wellington



THIMBLE THEATER — By Segar



DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



GAS BUGGIES — By Frank Beck



FLYING TO FAME — By Ernest Henderson



JACKETS AND BUCKS CONTENT AS CO-HOLDERS OF TITLE

The Sportlight

By GRANTLAND RICE

A Few Gift Suggestions

One Christmas gift I'd like a lot
Would be a Perfect Mashie Shot.

Or, almost any heavyweight
Who did not wholly concentrate
With almost too uncanny sense
Upon "The Art of Self Defense."

A football fan who did not scream
For more headlines about his team.

Extending the Argument

By way of extending the field of football argument, as if it was not too extensive already, a reader wants to know what state university had the strongest football team this fall.

A few leaders would have to include Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Tennessee, Texas, Florida, Georgia, California, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Nebraska, etc.

Tennessee had slightly the better record but it would have taken an extra strong state university team to have stopped Illinois through November. A battle between Tennessee and Illinois would have been one of the best with such stars as McEver, Hackman and Dodd thrown against the powerful Orange and Blue defense.

Pittsburgh undoubtedly won the city university championship with no one else close.

But the situation was complicated enough without introducing these outside debating elements, calculated to throw more fuel on the flames.

The almost complete determination of most of the professional fighters not to do any fighting has given some of the outside trades a chance. Such, for example, as Shires, the ball player. These outsiders may not know much about it, but they are at least willing to fight. Which is something.

To a Friend—At Christmas

Let me give you a gift, as this
Christmas Day nears,
Not the kind you will get from the
crowd;
But just this to know—that when
darkness appears
You'll find sunshine behind every
cloud.
Let me give you the thrill of the
game's winning swing . . .
Of the plaudits that go with the
prize;
But before these, my friend, you
must learn this one thing . . .
How to lose . . . and without alibis.

Should you travel alone on a road
that is long,
In the dusk of a day that is drear;
Or if whimsical Fate, like a thief,
steals your song . . .
Steals your romance . . . your laughter . . . and cheer;
Will it help you to know, that as
shadows descend,
And your last drifting dream fades
from view,
That my heart holds a permanent
place for a friend . . .
And the friend that I mean . . . is
you. —HOWARD A. HERTY.

Purdue has lost Jimmy Phelan, Pest Welch and Red Sleight. But it still has George Ade.

"If Babe Ruth had not been a home run hitter," inquires L. P., "would he still have been known as a good ball player?" Ask any big league manager or ball player who has played with him or against him.

That Army-Navy Game

The Army and Navy football argument is something the two service institutions will have to settle between themselves before it is ever settled in the right way.

If any compromises are forced from the outside there will always be bad feeling within, which is something that has no place in football, a game that is already hard enough in its man to man contact. If certain comprises crippled the Army team or was unfair to the Navy the final result would mean nothing to the camp followers of either institution. The situation is not nearly as simple as it might seem to many—especially to politicians who are not bothering with this side of the matter.

As the case now stands the Army has certain football regulations which the Army believes are fair and just. The Navy has certain football regulations which the Navy believes are the same. They don't happen to jibe at present. They are different. As long as either believes the difference imposes a handicap there should be no Army-Navy game. When two institutions can get together and work out the problem which is far from being simple, there is nothing to be done about it that will help the situation in any way.

Football Dies Hard In Southern Winter

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 22. (AP)—Football in Dixie dies a lingering, wistful death every season. The weather here is generally sweet and mellow about the time northern cooncoats are wondering if they don't look a little silly freezing onto a concrete bluff.

Dixie's enthusiasm for football has grown to be quite a big boy since the South started turning out teams of national caliber, and taking up the goal posts is just like burying loved ones. Very sad business. The groans wrack everything south of the Ohio.

Usually there has been an intersectional clash to taper off with and when the chance for one seemed slender this season the conference decided to choose sides and play its own.

Teams representing the two divisions of the conference are scheduled to hold a post-season convention on Grant field here New Year's day, when 1929 football in Dixie whoops.

Fifty players in all will attend. Conference coaches are balloting for the teams and will select four players for each position. That means plenty of stars.

Funerals for Victims Of Air Crash Held

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 22. (UP)—The funerals of Congressman William Kirk of Gaynor of Massachusetts, and Stanley B Lowe, his secretary, both victims of a plane crash at Bolling field, Washington, Friday, in which five persons were killed, were held here today.

New wall paper, half price. Decorators, 923 Scott.—Adv.

BOTH TEAMS HAVE ENOUGH

Rival Coaches Ready to Quit

By GAYLE TALBOT JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

DALLAS, Dec. 22.—There is something less than no chance at all of either Port Arthur or Breckenridge gaining a clear claim to the 1929 state high school football title. They will go down in the records as co-champions.

Both teams have had enough for one season. Anyone who saw them wrestle about the slush and snow yesterday at Waco can understand their feelings in the matter. It was a harrowing experience, especially for the lads from Port Arthur, most of whom did not realize there was that much snow in the world.

Rival Coaches

The rival coaches—Tom Dennis of Port Arthur and P. E. Shotwell of Breckenridge—made no effort to get together and discuss the possibility of playing off the tie. It is absolutely up to them, and it was evident that neither was anxious to try it again. The interscholastic league has no say in the matter.

"I doubt we will play it off," said Dennis. "The boys have had a long hard season. However, we might talk it over with the Breckenridge officials Monday." Shotwell made no statement one way or another.

Capt. Walton Dumesneil of Port Arthur expressed the opinion his team would not play the Buckaroos again unless they could come to Port Arthur. It is doubtful that Breckenridge would even consider that.

Financial Matters

Neither team benefited to any extent financially from the title melee. The crowd which stamped and beat itself in a losing attempt to keep warm probably did not number over 3,000. The expenses of the two finalists to the battle site were heavy.

As a result of the unsatisfactory ending of the schoolboy race, it is likely the league will expand its "penetration" and "first down" rule to include the championship games. So far the rules have been utilized only to settle ties in bi-district and semi-final games.

20-Yard Penetrations

Had they been in force yesterday, Breckenridge would have won by a wide margin. The Buckaroos penetrated the Jackets' 20-yard line seven times, while Port Arthur never got closer than 60 yards from its opponents' goal line. Port Arthur made only two first downs.

As for the game itself, the less said the better. It possibly was the most uninteresting lot of football on record. During much of the time snow was falling so thickly as almost to obscure the combatants, and it was seldom the spectators knew what individual was trying to tote the ball. It made little difference, as it was generally understood he would not go far.

Brecks' Kicking

Breckenridge had the better of the icy going, due largely to the superior kicking of B. Magness, but the Bucks did not have the punch to make the last few yards through a fighting Port Arthur line. Magness did some remarkable punting, considering the slippery footing and the soggy, leaden ball, as did also Dumesnell of the Jackets, who spent most of the time kicking from near or behind his goal line. Once they had to clear away a snow drift so the Jacket captain could get set to punt.

Tents at each side of the field protected the coaches and reserves from the falling snow. Wood fires inside the shelters gleamed brightly through the murk.

Olustee Cage Teams Win Two Games Friday Night

Special to The Record News.

OLUSTEE, Okla., Dec. 22.—Olustee cage teams won two victories over the Pleasant Point teams, Friday night at Pleasant Point.

The scores were Olustee senior boys 30, Pleasant Point seniors 15; Olustee girls 29, Pleasant Point girls 28.

Olustee boys and girls played Friday night at Altus with the following results: Olustee boys 19, Altus boys 1, Olustee girls 20, Altus girls 27.

Olustee teams will play on the home court, Friday night, Dec. 27, with the following teams: Hollis senior boys will play Olustee senior boys. Harmony senior girls will play Olsutee senior girls. Curtis Booher, superintendent of the Pleasant Point school, will officiate at the games, which will start at 7:30 p m.

Wall paper sale. Decorators.—Adv.

'Biff' Bids Goodbye to Cadets



"BIFF" JONES

After seeing the Cadet eleven through the Stanford game, December 28, "Biff" Jones, head coach at West Point for four years, moves on to other fields because of a routine transfer.

By BRIAN BELL
Associated Press Sports Writer

WEST POINT, N. Y., Dec. 22. (AP)—Shortly after the New Year, Big Biff Jones will deliver the Army football team at West Point after a holiday invasion of California and retire from the football picture for the time being.

The big football man will become "former head coach of the Army football team" and as Captain Lawrence McC. Jones, field artillery, will go during the summer to an artillery school where polo will get the call over football when time is taken out from studies for play.

Captain Jones, however, will play no polo. He has neither the time, inclination nor physique. The former head coach, as he will be then, played guard for the army football team when there was no use for little men to apply. He has grown no smaller with the passing of the years and probably there are not enough ponies in Oklahoma and Kansas combined to carry him through eight chuckkers of polo.

Biff Jones was a great guard and has been a great coach. Soon after the world war, he became assistant to Capt. John J. McEwen, now head football coach at the University of Oregon, and when Captain McEwen had served his time as head coach for the Army, Big Biff took over the assignment.

As an assignment on the football plains of West Point can not be stretched beyond the legal four year term, Captain Jones must now make way for another mentor.

As he has often said, the Army football coach is first a soldier and second a coach, so he cheerfully returns to his military duties, the school term being preliminary to duty with troops. Commanding a battery should be child's play for a man who has been coaching football for 10 years, four in supreme command.

If the lieutenants in his class in the West wish to take some first hand lessons in football, how not to play it and what it is all about, they will not have for to go for expert instruction. Few closer students of the game have been intimately connected with football than Biff Jones.

Those who know Captain Jones believe he can not get very far away from the game. If the army instructors at the artillery school can tell him the latest wrinkles in firing tactics, he can counter with more information on the art of forward passing than they knew existed.

If they start a football argument with the big fellow out in the West on one of these long summer nights they are defeated before they start.

At West Point, they will be singing "So Long Biff, How we hate to see you go. So Long, Biff. Don't forget to come back home."

Jackie Fields To Box Negro Fighter

NEW YORK, Dec. 22. (AP)—Tom McArdle, matchmaker for Madison Square Garden, announced tonight that articles have been signed for a 15-round championship bout between Jackie Fields, welterweight titleholder, and Young Jack Thompson, San Francisco negro, here Jan. 3.

Fields, who won the title from Joe Dundee at Detroit in July, holds two decisions over Thompson. The San Francisco negro leaped into fame in September, 1928, when he knocked out Dundee in a nontitular fight. Dundee saved his title on that occasion by forcing Thompson to come in a pound or so over weight.

Department stores of the United States annually distribute about 3,000,000,000 packages.

Picture frames at Decorators.—Adv.

Columbus Ball Club To Train in Lakeland, Fla.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 22. (AP)—The Columbus Senators of the American association will train at Lakeland, Fla., next spring, President Joe F. Carr, has announced. Players are expected to be ordered to report there between March 1 and 10.

Jewel floor wax. Decorators.—Adv.

TROJANS PREP FOR BIG GAME

Parkinson Is Panthers' Main Threat

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22. (US)—University of Southern California's Trojans tomorrow begin final prepping for the Pasadena Rose bowl game new year's day with the Pittsburgh Panthers galaxy of all-American stars. Coach Howard Jones plans to run the Trojans through a brisk dummy scrimmage, designed to give them an idea of the style of attack the Panthers will employ against them.

Toby Uansa, all-American halfback, is likely to give the Trojans plenty of trouble, but the greatest menace is Tom Parkinson, 203-pound fullback, also an all-American player, according to football observers who are familiar with both the U. S. C. and Pitt style of play.

Pitt's principal offensive formation is said to be a double-wingback setup in which formation the fullback handles the ball practically every time it is snapped back from center. On running plays Parkinson may carry the ball himself on spinners or straight bucks or give it to another back on reverses.

When they meet the Trojans new Year's day the Panthers will have an undefeated record at stake.

The Panthers arrive in Southern California a week from tomorrow after a long trek across the continent. They are bringing a great array of reserve material for the Trojan game.

Winners of Turkey Shoot Announced

Winners of the "turkey shoot" prizes put on by the Spudder bowling alleys were announced Sunday when L. W. Risen scored high three games with a grand total of 700 points for the prize turkey gobbler. This event was open to all bowlers. Risen's single game scores ran 203, 207 and 290 points. This season Risen is bowling in two leagues, in the City league and in the Major league. In the City league he is lead-off man for the Hub Clothing company and in the Major league he rolls for Wages Clothing company.

Squire Mount won the first prize turkey in the handicap event for the City league with a 288 score and E. D. Riggins won the second prize in the same event with a 257 score plus a 10-point handicap. Mount is also bowling in two leagues, the City and the Major. He bowls for Ferguson's Ice Cream company and for Wages Clothing company.

J. Randell, captain of the City National bank bowlers, won one of the turkeys given in the Commercial league event. His score was 225. George Patterson of Parfet & Martlew and F. Randell tied for second prize in the Commercial and B. & A. league event. These men will play off the tie Monday at 10 o'clock a. m., Spudder bowling alleys. Patterson will have to give Randell a 17-point handicap.

Horton Smith Wins Pasadena Tourney

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 22. (AP)—Horton Smith, Joplin, Mo., professional, won the $4,000 Pasadena open golf tournament today, leading the field by six strokes with a card of 280 for the 72 holes. The young pro's victory netted him $1,000 cash as first prize money.

Three players tied for second honors with cards of 286 each. They were Ed Dudley of Wilmington, Del., John Golden of Patterson, N. J., and George von Elm, amateur of Detroit. Densmore Shute of Columbus, Ohio, finished next with a card of 287.

American motion picture exports increased about 25 per cent during the first nine months of 1929 over last year.

Foul Blow Fiasco Becoming Bane Of Prize Ring and Fighters Alike

By DAMON RUNYON
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NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Some of the lads seem to be all a-bib and tucker on the subject of fouls since Phil Scott, the falling fireman, of England, swooned away before their very eyes over a matter of no more consequence than a light jab to the right femur bone from Otto von Porat.

But as near as I can make out from all the mumbling, the only foul the lads recognize is a low punch. That is to say, punch below the very high belt lines affected by the modern day gladiator, which in my humble opinion is the feeblest of all fouls, because of the armor plate, cotton batting, toy balloons, rubber tires, and other protective measures worn by exponents of the sour science.

Foul or Low Punch

However, that's the foul the boys can see, and that's the foul they are squawking about. Perhaps some of them never heard of any Xr form of foul. I am quite sure that the average referee never did, because at nearly every show I see the man in the center permitting some fisticuffer to get away with things that are just as foul as a low punch.

I saw Mr. James J. Tunney, formerly Gene, then heavyweight champion of the world stab old Tom Heeney in the eye with his thumb, which is most assuredly a foul procedure, and impossible of execution if a man has his hands properly, and fairly closed. The referee said nothing about that, though Mr. Tunney signified a knowledge of his guilt by a quick apology, which didn't remove the fact of the foul.

Tunney's Record

Mr. Tunney learned some of his trade from Harry Greb, the Pittsbugh Windmill, in my opinion one of the greatest fighters we ever had, and at that same time one of the foulest fighters. A thumber. A holder. A wrestler. A heeler. An open hand slapper.

For years Greb was allowed to get away with holding and hitting around New York. For years Ol' Har' Wills, the brown Panther of New Orleans, was permitted to anchor his opponents under the arm pit with his left and slug them them with his right. His career immediately ended when a referee was found who was courageous enough to call Wills' holding a foul, and to disqualify him therefor.

For years old Tiger Flowers used to come into New York and slap, and slap, and slap, with his open gloves and get away with decisions, but he blew his title the minute a referee came along with nerve enough to refuse to score open hand slaps as points. Only that wasn't in New York. That was in Chicago. Jimmy Slattery, of Buffalo, has been permitted to get away with what the boys call "ripping," which is bringing his hands up and down in clinches with great rapidity, but without reference to what part of the glove he is hitting with.

The "Sneak" Punch

"Sneak" punches are common in New York rings. They are illegal, but I am in favor of them. I hold that the men have a right to be on the alert. Let them hit when they can. I am in favor of a lot of things that are technically foul, if they contribute to the action. I don't believe in low punching, to be sure, but at the same time I don't believe these punches are as damaging as some of the fighters sometimes claim.

Extent of Injury

I have made a careful investigation of many fights that ended in the disqualification of one of the fighters on a low punch, and I learned this interesting fact: That no man so fouled ever had to be removed from the premises after the fight in an ambulance, or was so badly hurt that he couldn't walk away from the dressing room within an hour.

On the basis of my investigation, I will now give the New York boxing commission, free of charge, an absolutely infallible cure for low punch fouls.

The Remedy

Send the man claiming the foul to the dressing room, and let him rest up there until he is ready to proceed with the fight. If he doesn't care to resume, and persists in the claim of great injury, take part of his money. Fine the man who punched low, even if the fight is resumed.

The New York commission should read and digest this carefully:

Not one single instance can be found of a man claiming foul, needing assistance to quit the scene after reaching his dressing room.

A sports scribe tells of visiting the room of one Signor Robreto Roberti, the aspen of the Alps, after Roberti had been borne from the ring apparehtly in great pain, and finding the jovial two Roberts doing a dance under the shower bath.

Jewel floor wax. Decorators.—Adv.

ARMY TEAM IS IN CALIFORNIA

Coach Plans Workout in Needles

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 22. (AP)—Army's football squad, 110 strong, arrived in Los Angeles at 8:05 o'clock this morning, changed trains and an hour later was on its way to Palo Alto where, next Saturday, it will clash with Stanford.

The football special, made up of 13 cars, will arrive in the northern city at 9 o'clock this evening.

Because the overland train was held by storms near Chicago, it was 12 hours late. Coach "Biff" Jones planned a workout at Needles, Calif., but later decided to come straight through to Los Angeles.

The hour between trains gave the players an opportunity to stretch the kinks out of their bodies.

BOSTON SOX TO GET NEW BOSS

Heinie Wagner Succeeds Carrigan

BOSTON, Dec. 22. (AP)—Another of the old Red Sox immortals will take up a task where his pal left off as Charles "Heinie" Wagner, of New Rochelle, N. Y., succeeds Bill Carrigan of Lewiston, Maine, as pilot of the luckless Boston American league baseball team.

It was no surprise when "Heinie" was chosen to take his turn at trying.

Carrigan and Wagner were firm friends and it was a 10 to 1 shot that if Carrigan had anything to do with the naming of his successor Wagner would be his choice.

Carrigan's policies regarding the team undoubtedly will continue as both "Lewiston Bill" and Wagner learned their baseball lessons together and have been closely associated throughout their sports careers. In 1906 Wagner came to Boston as shortstop from Newark and at the same time Carrigan hopped here from Worcester where he had been catching for Holy Cross college.

St. Edward's Three-Star Man Is Out This Season

AUSTIN, Dec. 22. (AP)—Acting on the advice of his father, a physician, Harold Jansing at Westphalia, star three-sport man at St. Edward's university here, will not play basket ball this season, his last at the institution.

Jansing, center, was captain-elect. His father ordered only two sports this year because of Jansing's heart and the big fellow chose baseball over basket ball. He is a slugging outfielder and his friends believe he has a roseate future before him in professional baseball.

Next spring will be Jansing's fourth on the Saint baseball nine and he could have earned his fourth cage letter by playing this year. Eugene Sullivan of El Paso, captain in Jansing's place, is a guard. The Westphalia youth was one of the outstanding backs of the Texas conference this fall and earned his third football letter.

St. Louis Browns Announce Their Exhibition Schedule

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 22. (AP)—The 1930 spring exhibition schedule of the St. Louis Browns, announced last night, will include 28 games, the largest number the club has ever booked for spring training. Only five games, however, will be with major league teams. The Browns will train at West Palm Beach, Fla., and the exhibition schedule begins March 14. It includes three games with the Brooklyn Dodgers and two with the St. Louis Cardinals to wind up the training season April 12 and 13.

Cyclones in the northern hemisphere always whirl to the left, and in the southern hemisphere to the right.

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3:20 p. m. Lv.	Wichita Falls Lv.	10:05 a. m.
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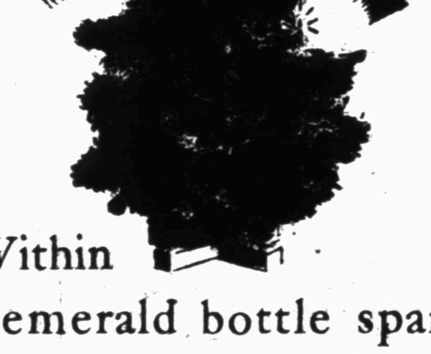
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1. LODGE NOTICES

Maskat Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.—Regular meeting second Tuesday every week, top floor City National bank building. All visiting nobles invited to attend. WALTER B. CALDWELL, Potentate. ROBERT ELLIS, Recorder. Maskat service club luncheon every Tuesday in Maskat temple auditorium, 12 noon to 1 p. m. Interesting program.

Gole Chapter Order of De Molay.—Stated meetings second and fourth Wednesday at Masonic Temple, entrance on Scott Avenue. DICK LONG, M. C. JOHN COLE, Scribe.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, O. E. S.—Meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month. CYNTHIA MAY PETTIT, W. M., 1647 Pearl, phone 5753. MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, secretary, 1316 Fifteenth street, phone 5786. Study club meets second and fourth Friday nights at Masonic temple.

Falls Lodge No. 1138, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Tuesdays of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813½ Scott street. G. W. CURD, Secretary. L. D. FARNELL, W. M. Will meet Sunday afternoon, Dec. 22nd, at 1:00 to conduct Masonic burial service of Dr. Harry Brevoort. All Master Mason's requested to be present. Will confer the Entered Apprentice degree Friday evening, Dec. 27, 7:30 o'clock, C. B. Wininger, J. W., in charge. Eighth birthday party Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, 7:30 o'clock. Master's degree, Thos. M. Bartley of Waco, speaker. All Master Masons invited to attend. Stated meeting with examinations Tuesday evening, Jan. 7, 7:30 o'clock.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59.—Stated conclave first and third Thursday of each month, 718 Tenth street. GEO. W. LAWLER, Recorder. J. D. BRIGHT, E. C. Special conclave Wednesday, Dec. 25, 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of attending our annual Christmas service. All Knights are urged to be present in full uniform.

Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets second and fourth Thursday evenings in each month, 7:30, 813½ Scott. Mrs. Bessie Mercer, W. M., 1909 Pearl, phone [illegible]. Walter E. Schaurer, W. P., 900 Filmore, phone [illegible]. Miss Lucille Campbell, secretary, [illegible] Avenue E, phone 3382. Visitors [illegible].

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2. PERSONAL

EASTWOOD BEAUTY SCHOOL prepares you for state board examinations. Now open. Students taught all branches of beauty culture. Appointment before enrollment necessary. Margaret Eastwood, Kimberlin's Balcony, 918 Indiana; telephone 8514.

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NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts made by anyone except myself. A. C. McClure.

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WILL NOT be responsible for any checks given or bills made other than by myself. R. L. Alderson.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

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MARCELING 50c. 1209 Broad; phone 2-4350.

MAKE YOUR appointment early for marcells. 1506 Polk. Phone 6292.

BEAUTIFUL permanent waves, $3.50; finger waving. 1815 Polk. Phone 2-2001.

5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Two brindle English bulldogs, mother dog and puppy 7 months old, female, ears trimmed, puppy has natural screw tail. Each wore collar. Name plate of owner on mother dog's collar. Liberal reward. Return to 705 Ohio.

5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Suitcase between Wichita Falls and Waurika, Okla., containing family clothing. Will identify and pay reward for same. J. H. Cooper, Holliday, Texas, Box 546.

LOST—Large white liver spotted pointer, 5 years old answers to name of Chief; reward. 2-5177.

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LOST—Female brindle and white bull dog, collar with lock; also yellow female Angora cat, reward. 1610 Fourteenth. Phone 2-4482.

LOST—Letter containing insurance loan certificate; reward. 406 North Lamar.

LOST—Bunch keys downtown Saturday night; return call 7233; reward.

LOST—Black billfold containing small sum and Typographical Union card; finder may keep money if desired, but please return billfold to Jack W. Bates, Stonewall hotel.

6. EDUCATION and INSTRUCTION

GOVERNMENT customs inspectors needed soon for Mexican border. Commence $175 month. Men only, 23 to 45. Wichita Falls examination about Jan. 18. Particulars and "How to Qualify" mailed free. Write, Instruction Bureau, 27C, St. Louis, Mo., today.

MEN—Our booklet explains how you learn barbering without hard study and work; how you earn $100 while learning; how organization employs you; mailed free. Moler, 912 Main street, Dallas.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

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9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

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10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

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11. SALESMEN WANTED

WANTED—Specialty salesman now selling city grocery on commission basis to handle, in addition to his present lines, a popular brand of coffee, in the city, on commission basis. Write G. D. Player, Oriental hotel, Sherman, Texas.

SALESMEN—Our new powerful line of work, sport and novelty straw hats for men, boys, women and children just completed. Priced to retail 25 cents to $1.00. Liberal commissions paid weekly. Cardinal Hat Co., branch office, Dallas, Texas.

12. AGENTS WANTED

BRAND NEW money-maker! Good for $2 an hour. Wonderful article. Sells like wildfire. Carry right with you. Particulars free. Albert Mills, 4347, Monmouth, Cincinnati, Ohio.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

CLEAN bedrooms, meals if desired; also garage. 1206 Austin.

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

CLEAN BEDROOMS, with Sealy mattress, garage, close in. 1105 Broad.

KEMP KORT—Lovely bedrooms, steam heat, walking distance. Phone 5473.

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FURNISHED bedroom, private home; adults only. 1205 Austin.

NICELY furnished bedroom, adjoining bath, private entrance; garage if desired. 1502 Collins.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE NICELY furnished housekeeping room, on pavement and bus line. 2104 Yale.

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ONE NICELY furnished front housekeeping room, $4 week. 300 Burnett street.

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THREE LARGE rooms, modern, clean, nicely furnished, 1310 Eighth.

ONE-HALF unfurnished four-room duplex. Phone 3682. 1416 Fourteenth.

THREE ROOM apartment, nicely furnished, private bath. 1310 Eighth street.

NICELY FURNISHED 2 and 3-room apartment. 1309 Clark; phone 6649.

THREE-ROOM nicely furnished apartment, private home, garage. 3107 Miami.

FOUR-ROOM modern apartment, unfurnished, all built-ins, garage, pavement, $30. Phone 5040.

BUSINESS girl would like to share apartment in Lamar apartments. Phone days 3917, evenings 2-5598.

TWO-ROOM apartment, newly decorated, bills paid; sink. 707 Holliday.

NICELY furnished three-room apartment, private bath, garage, $35. 1105 Travis. Phone 6865.

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FURNISHED apartments. Apply basement office, 1504 Eighth street. Call Franklin, 2-4785 or 3960.

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FOUR-ROOM house, newly papered, close in; phone 5824. 1205 Sixth.

FIVE-ROOM house, modern. 1502 Polk. $35. Call 2854.

FOUR-ROOM house for rent. 2302 Princeton street; phone 4496.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Six-room brick home completely furnished, modern, servant house, garage. Have four, five and six-room house to rent. C. C. Jones Sr., 407 Staley. Phone 6430-9572.

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22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

BUSINESS house in Holliday street, desirable location for filling station. Phone owner, 5088.

23. FARMS FOR RENT

200-ACRE farm, 2½ miles south of city, suitable for dairy, money rent. Phone 2-2413—3690.

26. WANTED TO RENT

Advertisements under this heading must be paid for in advance.

WANTED—By refined lady and daughter two unfurnished rooms in private home. All bills paid. Phone 6946.

28. HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE—Estate gas range, in good condition, $25. 1327 Pearl avenue.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

DUCK HUNTER — 14-foot non-sinkable, non-leakable boat, duck blind connected, 8 decoys, 5 live and 3 blocks. Loaded on trailer, ready to go; bargain. Phone 6037. 2119 Eighth.

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FOR SALE—Light delivery truck, commercial body; also pair Fairbanks platform scales. 2303 Princeton, phone 3612.

GENTLEMAN'S diamond ring for sale, $75 cash. 908 Scott.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE—B Flat clarinet. 804 Van Buren. Phone 3694.

33. RADIOS

REPOSSESSED Crosley radio, same as new; was $114, balance due, $64; $10 payments. Several other repossessions to sell for balance due. Wichita Music Co.

BARGAINS

Victrol, walnut cabinet model, cost $125 when new, complete with 24 records, $37.50.

Freshman radio, table model with built-in speaker, complete with 5 tubes, cost $125 new, $32.50.

Will accept trade-ins.

Ask for Mr. Haley, phone 7719.

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34. WANTED TO BUY

BEST PRICES paid for men's clothing, shoes, hats. Phone 2-0282.

WANTED to buy used furniture. Patton Mattress and Furniture company. Phone 9930.

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BEAUTIFUL carnations, hardy pot plants, reasonable. Mrs. Powell, 2208 Brown.

37. OFFICE SUPPLIES

$10 MONTHLY will buy a new safe. 921 Lamar, Wichita Falls.

42. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Spotted pony and collie pups; cheap. Phone 3644.

FOR SALE—Milk goats. Carl Riffel, Devol, Okla.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for other cattle—Fifteen fresh and heavy springers, dairy barn suitable for retail, and house to rent. E. D. Kirkendall, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 14-A, Petrolia road.

MILK COW for sale, Jersey, 3 years old, giving two gallons of milk; fresh soon; $50. 907 Denver.

43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

HESS' PANACEA, Lee's Germozone, Nema Tablets, Kamala, Vermiddine and Gizzard Capsules for worms. B-K disinfectant, carbolineum and lice powders at Maricles.

FRYERS—Fat pullets and hens, yard eggs, fine cockrells. 805 Broad. Phone 6340.

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53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

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56. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

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60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

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61. PATENTS-INVENTIONS

PATENTS, trade-marks, copyrights. Ernest A. Wood, U. S. patent attorney, 2-1028, 1314 Santa Fe Bldg., Dallas.

62. RUG CLEANING

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FARM, RANCH loans, 5½%. Hendricks, 408 Perkins-Snider; phone 9092.

LOANS—Strictly confidential. Wilson Credit Co. 710½ Ohio. Phone 6686.

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63. FINANCIAL

AUTOMOBILE and furniture loans. Will loan you more money and reduce your payments; 8 per cent interest, 10-payment plan. B. B. Morton company, 230 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Phone 2-1940.

64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR LEASE—Beauty parlor location, in Marchman hotel. A paying proposition; will be available Jan. 1. Call O. F. Marchman, 6171-4460.

68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

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72. TRUCKS AND TRACTORS AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—Four-wheel trailer. A. E. Wallace, Petrolia, Texas.

75. AUTO REPAIRS

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82. HOUSES FOR SALE

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84. FARMS, RANCHES FOR SALE

PLAINS LAND for sale. Claude Real Estate and Exchange, Claude, Texas.

100. HOTEL, ROOMING HOUSES

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101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

FOR RENT—Truck farm, close in, on irrigation. Good place for poultry. Come and act. Inquire at McThomas, Petrolia road.

102. LEGAL NOTICES

CITY POUND NOTICE—Taken up and impounded by the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, under the provisions of ordinance No. 461, to prevent certain stock running at large: Description: 1 brown horse mule about 10 years old, about 14 hands high, scar on left side of weathers, collar marks, scar on right fore leg, scar on left shoulder; not branded. If the owners of said animal do not apply for same within five days from the date of this notice, I will proceed to sell said animal to the highest bidder for cash at the gate of the city pound, as provided in ordinance first aforesaid.—W. J. Tucker, city pound keeper. Date: Dec. 20, 1929.

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Southwest Stations

OKLAHOMA CITY
333.1 Meters—WKY—900 Kilocycles

6:30 to 7 a. m.—Early Risers.
7 to 7:10 a. m.—Morning devotional.
8 to 9 a. m.—Around the town.
9:30 to 9:45 a. m.—Aunt Susan.
10:45 to 11 a. m.—Markets.
12 to 12:45 p. m.—NBC, national farm and home hour.
12:45 to 1 p. m.—Markets.
2 to 2:15 p. m.—Ralph Soule.
2:15 to 2:30 p. m.—Final markets.
2:30 to 3:30 p. m.—Matinee hour.
6 to 6:45 p. m.—Fireside bulletin board.
6:45 to 7 p. m.—NBC, back of the news in Washington.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—NBC, Voice of Firestone.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—NBC, Ipana-Ingram.
8 to 8:30 p. m.—Vassar Chocolates.
8:30 to 9 p. m.—NBC, General Motors family party.
9 to 9:30 p. m.—NBC, The Eternal Question.
9:30 to 10 p. m.—NBC, Empire Builders.
10 to 10:15 p. m.—Weather; sports.
10:15 to 10:30 p. m.—Katherine Reynolds.
10:30 to 10:45 p. m.—NBC, Amos 'n' Andy.
10:45 to 11:15 p. m.—"Al" and "Dutch."
11:15 p. m. to 12 midnight—WKY orchestra.

These Might Interest You

4 to 4:15 p. m.—National Woman's party, KVOO, Tulsa, NBC.
7:30 p. m.—History of the French invasion of Mexico, WLW, Cincinnati.
8 to 8:30 p. m.—Vassar Chocolates, WKY, Oklahoma City.
8:30 to 9:30 p. m.—General Motors family party, WFAA, Dallas, NBC.
9 p. m.—The Christmas Carol, WGN, WLIB, Chicago.

DALLAS
288.3 Meters—KRLD—1040 Kilocycles

8:30 to 10:30 a. m.—Aunt Mary's cookie jar.
10:30 to 11:30 a. m.—Christmas program of Sherman, Texas, Camp Fire Girls.
12:30 to 1:30 p. m.—Radio revival.
2 to 3:15 p. m.—Adolphus hotel string quartet; U. S. department of agriculture, newscasting, markets, weather, Betty Judd, pianist.
3:15 to 4:30 p. m.—Program of Palace theater.
4:55 to 6 p. m.—Lost and found from Times Herald; Sears-Roebuck program; sleepy time travels; flashes from Times Herald; Bulova correct time.
6 to 7 p. m.—Howard Payne Novelty orchestra, in the spotlight, weather, Bulova correct time.
9:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Dr. KRLD health talk; the Hottentots, Mildred Moore, singer, and other entertainers.
10:30 to 11:30 p. m.—Studio program, Emory Buckner, baritone.
11:30 to 12:30 a. m.—Radio revival, Rev. W. E. Hawkins, Jr.

DALLAS
384.2 Meters—WRR—1280 Kilocycles

11 to 11:30 a. m.—Leland Johnson for Metzger's dairies.
12 to 12:30 p. m.—Who's who in radio.
12:30 to 1 p. m.—Emil McFeek and Leslie Tinsley, singing and piano.
6 to 7 p. m.—Who's who in radio.
7 to 8 p. m.—Magnolia Dallas units.
8 to 9 p. m.—Radio post No. 404, American Legion.
9 to 9:30 p. m.—Sinnett, astrologer and psychologist.
9:30 to 10 p. m.—Honolulu string trio.

DALLAS, FORT WORTH
374.8 Meters—WFAA, WBAP—800 Kilocycles

7:05 to 8:05 a. m.—WFAA, Breakfasters; Bera Meade Grimes; Otto Strid.
8 to 9 a. m.—WBAP, music.
9 to 10 a. m.—WBAP, markets, 15 minutes, farm reporters, 15 minutes; civil service talk, 15 minutes; markets.
10 to 11 a. m.—WFAA, markets, 5 minutes; woman's hour, Frances Bothwell conducting; orchestra; talks, 40 minutes; C. A. M. A. highway report, U. S. weather bureau forecast; markets, 12 minutes; time signals.
11 to 12 noon—WBAP, home hour, 45 minutes; markets.
12 to 1 p. m.—WFAA and WBAP national farm and home hour, NBC network, 45 minutes; markets.
1 to 1:30 p. m.—WBAP, markets; North Carolinians, Baker hotel orchestra; markets.
2 to 2:30 p. m.—WBAP, Ted Graves, pianist; Ruth Winans, cornetist; markets.
2:30 to 3 p. m.—WFAA, word craft time.
3 to 3:30 p. m.—WBAP, tea dansante; port of missing men.
3:30 to 4 p. m.—WFAA, studio program.
4 to 4:30 p. m.—WBAP, musical program.
4:30 to 5 p. m.—WFAA, Wolfe City wanderers; Bill Boyd and Frank Milton.
5 to 5:30 p. m.—WBAP, Prissy and Jack, music.
5:30 to 6 p. m.—WFAA, Twilight trio; announcements.
6 to 6:30 p. m.—WFAA, Sandman soldiers' parade, Captain Dunn, sergeant Jimmie, Sunshine.
6:30 to 7 p. m.—WFAA, Tal Henry's North Carolinians, Baker hotel orchestra.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—WFAA, Voice of Firestone, NBC network.

SAN ANTONIO
252 Meters—WOAI—1190 Kilocycles

7 to 7:30 a. m.—Local studio "Early Morning" program.
7:30 to 8 a. m.—Cheerio program, from New York through NBC.
8 to 9 a. m.—Local studio "Early Morning" program.
9:30 to 9:45 a. m.—Weather forecast, opening markets and news service from the studio.
12 to 12:45 p. m.—National farm and home program, from New York and Washington through NBC.
12:45 to 1:15 p. m.—Orchestra from the Gunter hotel, local.
1:15 to 1:45 p. m.—Music from the studio.
1:45 to 2:15 p. m.—Orchestra from the Gunter hotel, local.
2:45 to 3:15 p. m.—Closing markets, livestock and vegetable market news service from the studio, the U. S. bureau of agricultural economics, Texas department of agriculture and San Antonio Chamber of Commerce cooperating; news items, sports results and weather forecast.
3:15 to 4 p. m.—Music from the studio.
5:45 to 6 p. m.—News flashes and weather forecast, studio.
6:15 to 6:30 p. m.—Talks on the world today by James G. McDonald, from New York through NBC.
6:30 to 7 p. m.—Orchestra from the Gunter hotel, local.
7 to 7:30 p. m.—The Voice of Firestone, from New York through NBC.
7:30 to 8 p. m.—Ipana Troubadours and Ingram Shavers alternating every other week from New York through NBC.
8 to 8:30 p. m.—Alamo National bank program from the studio.
8:30 to 9 p. m.—General Motors family party from New York through NBC.
9 to 9:30 p. m.—The Eternal Question, humor and drama, through NBC.
9:30 to 10 p. m.—Empire Builders, from New York through NBC.
10:30 to 10:45 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy, from Chicago through NBC.
11 p. m. to 12 midnight—Greater Majestic courtesy program, studio.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23
[By The Associated Press]

Programs in Central Standard time. All time is P. M. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)

6:30—Piano Twins—Also KSD; Back of the News in Washington—Also WOC WEBC WSAI KVOO WDAF WOW KGO KGW KSD WKY
7:00—Concert Orch. & Soloists—Also WGY WWJ KYW WSAI KSD WOC WOW WDAF WIOD KTHS WSMB KSTP WTMJ WEBC WJAX WHAS WSM WMC WSB KVOO KPRC WOAI WKY WFJC WTAM WFAA
7:30—Gypsies—WGY WWJ WSAI WGN KSD WOC WDAF WTAM WOW
8:30—Family Party—Also WGY WTAM WWJ WGN KSD WOC WOW WDAF KSTP WSAI WTMJ WHAS WSM WMC WSB WBAP KPRC WOAI
9:00—The Eternal Question—Also WGY WWJ KSD WOC WMC WKY
9:30—Salon Singers, Chorus of 16 Voices—Also WWJ WGY WJDX
10:00—Hotel Dance Orchestra—Also WOW WFJC WWJ
11:00—Ted Florito's Dance Orchestra, Vocal Quartet—Also KYW

348.6—WABC New York—860 (CBS Chain)

6:00—Ensemble—WDOD WISN WBRC WFBM WOWO KOIL WREC
7:00—Henry and George—Also WADC WMAQ WKRC WHK KOIL KMOX WSPD WGL WFBM WCCO WCAO KMBC WISN WGHP
7:30—Couriers with Henry Burbig, Popular Program—Also WADC WKRC WGHP WMAQ KMOX KMBC KOIL WHK WCCO WSPD WFBM
8:00—Magazine Program—Also WGHP WMAQ WGL KMOX KMBC KOIL
8:30—Evening in Paris—Also WMAQ WADC KMOX KMBC KOIL WGHP
9:00—Country Club, Lopez Orchestra—Also WADC WKRC WGHP WMAQ KMOX KMBC KOIL WSPD WHK WFBM
9:30—Voice of Columbia—Also WKBN WDOD WKRC WISN WBRC WFBM WGHP WSPD WCCO KFH KMBC KOIL WREC KMOX
10:30—Dance Orchestra—Also WKBN WDOD WKRC WISN WBRC WFBM WGHP WSPD WCCO KFH KMBC KOIL WREC

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)

6:30—Roxy's Gang—Also KWK WSM WSB WCFL WSMB WREN KFAB
7:30—Troubadours—Also WHAS WJR WLW KWK WREN KDKA KYW WMC WSB WKY KTHS KPRC KFAB WEBC WSM WSMB WOAI
8:00—Favorite Music—Also KDKA WJR KYW WREN WEBC KWK KSTP
8:30—Real Folks Sketch—Also KDKA KWK KYW WREN WLW WJR
9:00—Cabin Nights, Negro Life—Also WJR KYW KWK WREN KDKA
9:30—Empire Builders, Western Romance—Also KDKA WJR KYW KWK WREN WTMJ KSTP WLW WEBC WKY KPRC WOAI WBAP
10:00—Slumber Music, String Ensemble (1 hr.)—Also KDKA WREN
10:30—Amos 'n' Andy—Only to WMAQ KYW KWK WREN WTMJ KSTP WEBC WKY WBAP KPRC WOAI WDAF

Log of Stations Received Here

	Meters.	Kilocycles.
WFAA, Dallas	374.8	800
WBAP, Fort Worth	374.8	800
KDKA, Pittsburgh	305.9	980
KFAB, Lincoln, Neb.	389.4	770
KFI, Los Angeles	468.5	640
KGKO, Wichita Falls	526	570
KMOX, St. Louis	275.1	1090
KPO, San Francisco	440.9	680
KOA, Denver	361.2	830
KPRC, Houston	325.9	920
KRLD, Dallas	288.3	1040
KTHS, Hot Springs	288.3	1040
KSL, Salt Lake City	265.3	1130
KVOO, Tulsa	263	1140
KWKH, Shreveport	352.7	850
WBAW, Nashville	201.2	1490
WBBM, Chicago	389.4	770
WCCO, Minneapolis, St. Paul	370.2	810
WDAF, Kansas City	491.5	610
WHB, Kansas City	315.6	950
WENR, Chicago	344.6	870
WGN, Chicago	416.4	720
WHAS, Louisville	365.6	820
WHO, Des Moines	300	1000
WJR, Detroit	399.8	750
WJZ, New York	394.5	760
WKY, Oklahoma City	333.1	900
WLAC, Nashville	201.2	1490
WLW, Cincinnati	428.3	700
WLS, Chicago	344.6	870
WMAQ, Chicago	447.5	670
WOAI, San Antonio	252	1190
WOW, Omaha	508	590
WRR, Dallas	234.2	1280
WSB, Atlanta	405.2	740
WSM, Nashville	461.3	650
WTFF, Mt. Vernon Hill, Va.	205.4	1460

Distant Stations

CENTRAL CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS

293.9—KYW Chicago—1020
5:30—Uncle Bob (Walter Wilson)
6:00—Party; Orchestra; Glee Club
7:00—WEAF & WJZ (3 hrs.)
10:00—News; Orchestra; WJZ
10:15—Dance Music (3¾ hrs.)

344.6—WENR Chicago—870
7:15—Farmer's Farmer
11:00—Grab Bag; Music Parade
11:30—Mike & Herman; Gossip
12:00—DX Air Vaudeville (3 hrs.)

416.4—WGN-WLIB Chicago—720
6:00—Quin; Nighthawks; Feature
7:00—Radio Floorwalker
7:30—WEAF Programs (1½ hrs.)
9:00—The Christmas Carol
10:00—News; Fest.; Dance (2½ hrs.)

344.6—WLS Chicago—870
6:30—Supper Time; Books; Angelus
7:00—Farmer's Family
8:30—Musical Features (2 hrs.)
10:00—Popular Program (45m.)

447.5—WMAQ Chicago—670
6:15—Topsy Turvy; Story Time
6:00—Concert Orchestra
7:00—WABC Programs (3 hrs.)
10:00—Dan & Sylvia; Orchestra
10:30—Amos-Andy; Concert Orch.
11:00—Dance Music (2 hrs.)

428.3—WLW Cincinnati—700
6:30—Historical: Automatics
7:20—WJZ (30m.); Auto Concert
8:30—WJZ (30m.); The Club
9:00—WJZ (30m.); Orchestra
10:30—Trio; Hotel Orchestra
11:30—Singers; Dance (1 hr.)

299.8—WOC Davenport—1000
6:45—WEAF Programs (2¼ hrs.)
9:30—Lecture by Dr. Palmer
10:00—Feature; Dream Hour (1½ hrs.)

399.8—WCX-WJR Detroit—750
6:30—Brevities; Movie Club
7:30—Same as WJZ (1½ hrs.)
10:00—News; Dance Music (1 hr.)

370.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—810
6:00—Dinner Concert
7:00—Hour from WABC
8:30—Banco Opera (30m.); Brevities
9:30—Hamline University
10:00—Politicians (15m.); WABC
11:00—Dick Long's Orchestra

275.1—KMOX St. Louis—1090
6:00—Feature; The Musketeers
7:00—WABC Programs (3 hrs.)
10:00—Brevities; Dance (2 hrs.)

263—KVOO Tulsa—1140
6:00—Trio; Talk
6:30—Wanderer (15m.); Feature
7:00—Same as WEAF
7:30—Feature; Kay Dees
8:30—Navigators; Studio (30m.)

SOUTHERN CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS

405.2—WSB Atlanta—740
6:30—WEAF & WJZ (1½ hrs.)
8:00—S. S. S. Programs
8:30—WEAF (30m.); Bonehead Club
9:30—Conservatory Entertainers
10:00—Atlanta Saxophone Band
10:45—Rhythm Kings Orchestra

263—WAPI Birmingham—1140
9:00—Soloist; Comed.; Dr. Edmonds
11:00—Stars of Melody; Organ

288.3—KRLD Dallas—1040
8:30—Sleepy Time Travels (30m.)
11:00—E. Buckner, Baritone (30m.)

374.8—WBAP Fort Worth—800
6:30—WEAF & WJZ (1½ hrs.)
10:00—Feature; Mus[illegible]
10:30—WJZ (15m.); [illegible] Orchestra
11:30—Theater Ents. [illegible] (30m.)

288.3—KTHS Hot Springs—1040
6:00—Dinner Concert (30m.)
7:00—WEAF & WJZ (1 hr.)
8:00—Hotel Orchestra
8:30—Fiddle Five; Tenor (30m.)

365.6—WHAS Louisville—820
6:00—Dinner Music; Radio Court
7:00—WEAF & WJZ (1 hr.)
8:00—Chefs and Jug Band
8:30—Same as WEAF (1½ hrs.)
10:00—Reporters; Contralto
10:30—Homing Program
11:00—Dance Music (1 hr.)

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1928 Oakland Sedan	$650
1926 Dodge Coupe	$250
1929 Oldsmobile Sedan	$675
1929 Chevrolet Sedan	$725
1926 Oakland Coach	$300
1928 Chevrolet Coupe	$425
1929 Oakland Cabriolet	$950
1928 Pontiac Cabriolet	$550

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WICHITA DAILY TIMES and WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

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Phone 4391 Before 11 a. m. or 6 p. m.

JAMES RITES HELD SUNDAY

Victim of Shotgun Buried At Quanah

Funeral services for Arthur James, 27, 807 Burnett street, who was instantly killed late Friday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in his own hands, were held in Quanah Sunday afternoon. The body was forwarded to Quanah at 5 a. m. Sunday by the Albert's Funeral home.

Mr. James was on a hunting trip with J. B. Rogers about nine miles from the city on a road leading north from the Seymour highway when the accident occurred. Granville Norwood and his mother in a car stopped to ask Mr. James the distance to the river and Mr. James asked for a ride to Dead Man's bridge where he was to meet Rogers. As he stepped into the car, the gun discharged, blowing the top of his head almost completely off. The verdict of Judge R. V. Gwinn, who held an inquest, was death by accidental shooting.

Survivors include the widow; his mother, Mrs. M. J. James of Quanah; five brothers, Frank, Jess, Allen and Marvin James, all of Quanah and Tom James of Wichita Falls; and a sister, Mrs. Bill Norman of Abilene. Mr. James was a brakeman on the Fort Worth and Denver railway.

Last Rites Held For A. T. Holt

Funeral services for A. T. Holt, 71, pioneer Texan, who died about 8 o'clock Saturday morning at the family residence, 810 Bluff street, were held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the home. Interment was in Riverside. Arrangements were under the direction of the Hines mortuary.

Mr. Holt had been a resident of Wichita Falls since 1916 and had lived in Texas since his youth. His family moved from Alabama, where Mr. Holt was born, to Rockwall county, Texas, soon after his birth in Talapoosa in 1858. Mr. Holt had been an invalid for some time as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident here May 16, 1928. He formerly owned the City Meat market.

Survivors include the widow and four daughters, Mrs. W. M. Emmons of Plainview; Mrs. W. T. McDougal of Dallas; Mrs. W. H. Williams and Miss Stella Holt, both of Wichita Falls.

Tulia Schools Meet Association Standards

Special to The Record News

TULIA, Texas, Dec. 22.—A letter from the state department to Superintendent W. H. Younger indicates that for the fourth year Tulia High school has met the requirements of the southern association of accredited schools and colleges without criticism or correction to be made. When Tulia entered this association four years ago, only 10 schools north of Abilene were in the association. Now a number of Panhandle schools are in the association, and a total of 208 Texas schools belong.

Tulia school has met requirements of the association during the past four years so well that not a single criticism has been written against the school during the entire period.

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EACH DAY A DREAD

"Orgatone Has Made a New Person of My Dad and He Is Looking Better," Says Lubbock Boy

"At the time my dad started on Orgatone he could hardly get around the house and each day was just a dread for him," said Herman Clay, of 207 Avenue H, Lubbock, Texas, while talking with the Orgatone representative.

"My father has suffered for about six years with a very bad chronic case of stomach trouble, and got so nervous at the least thing and everything upset him. Gas formed on his stomach and he would bloat up so he would almost die, he suffered so. He wasn't able to eat anything for it disagreed with him. He had rheumatism and got to where he couldn't hardly get around for the past six years and was almost forced to quit his work, he got so bad. You see, he has to feel fine in order to do his work for he is a bricklayer and it is hard, strenuous work. He could hardly sleep at all of a night and would roll and toss all night long, and when morning came, felt worse than when he went to bed. He just felt badly all the time and didn't seem to have any ambition for anything.

"Orgatone had helped so many people and a friend of ours, recommended it to dad, and he began to try it. We are all thankful it has relieved him of all his troubles, as he eats anything he wants and is not bothered in the slightest with stomach trouble and the gas, dizzy and bilious spells are all gone. He feels much better and his rheumatism is much better. He honestly looks like a new man. I am glad to give you this statement for him for I know Orgatone is the only medicine that has helped dad, and we are all truly thankful."

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RECORD NEWS

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

(Secretaries of civic and industrial organizations in the city are invited to use this calendar for the daily announcement of regular or special meetings to be held within 30 days from the date of first announcement.)

Dec. 23—Kiwanis club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Christmas party, Church of the Good Shepherd.
Dec. 24.—Real Estate board meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Ad club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Municipal Christmas tree, Memorial auditorium, 5:30 p. m.
Dec. 25—Christmas day.
Dec. 26—Rotary club meets Kemp hotel, noon.
Dec. 27—"White Collars," Little Theater play, Memorial auditorium, benefit the zoo.
Dec. 30—Public schools resume classes.
Chambers of commerce dance honoring Walter Nelson Jr., country club, 9 p. m.
Jan. 2—City B. Y. P. U. federation meets Lory Memorial Baptist church, 7:30 p. m.
Jan. 7—Harry Lauder, Scotch entertainer, Memorial auditorium, 8 o'clock
Jan. 10—Seymour road pavement open to traffic.

Today

At the Theaters

By W. L. UNDERWOOD

STRAND—Al Jolson in "Say It With Songs." Talking act and Paramount sound news.
MAJESTIC—Alice White in "The Girl from Woolworth's," all talking. Five acts Keith-Orpheum Interstate vaudeville. Silent news.
OLYMPIC—Corinne Griffith in Saturday's Children." Lupino Lane comedy, "Battling Sisters," and Pathe news.
GEM—Billie Dove in "The Man and the Moment," and comedy.

Masonic Lodge Conducts Rites Of Order for Dr. H. S. Brevoort

Funeral services for Dr. H. S. Brevoort, 58, 1603 Polk street, who died in a local hospital Friday night were held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church with Dr. Nat F. Grafton, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Rosemont. The rites were conducted under the auspices of Faith lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M. with G. W. Curd in charge of the Masonic service.

Active pallbearers were Kindel Paulk, P. B. Curd, G. W. R. Spencer, William Ramburger, Abner Mercer and W. E. Scheurer. Honorary pallbearers were E. A. Nelson, W. H. Caldwell, Ed Peterson, W. B. Hamilton, Harry Hines, Lester Jones, Al Ellis, J. M. Spoonts, J. W. Akin, George W. Lawler, Walter D. Cline, R. E. Shepherd, Martin D. Rowe, L. G. Hawkins, and Guy Rogers.

Dr. and Mrs. Brevoort moved to Wichita Falls from Little Rock, Ark., eight years ago. His widow and one son, Billie, 8, survive. A brother, W. H. Brevoort of New York, is the only other living relative.

Soviet Aviators Are Welcomed Home

MOSCOW, Dec. 22. (US)—The four Russian army aviators who, in their plane Land of the Soviets, recently flew to New York from Moscow returned to the capital today to receive an enthusiastic welcome. They will be awarded the highest Soviet honors.

Despite the intense cold, a crowd of several thousand persons was at the railroad station to give them an ovation when they arrived this morning. Their flight to New York was made principally over land, by way of Asia and Alaska.

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500 Poinsettia plants for Christmas in Bebb's greenhouses.—Adv.

Sunday School Attendance Drops

Attendance at 30 local Sunday schools on December 22 showed a loss of 909 as compared with that of last Sunday. The only marked decrease was noted in the figures reported by the First Baptist which was 1,177 to last Sunday's 1,309.

	Dec. 22	Dec. 15
First Presbyterian	582	440
First Southern Presbyterian	125	137
Floral Heights Presbyterian	109	74
East Side Presbyterian	127	134
Ray Massie Presbyterian	72	79
First Baptist	1,177	1,309
Lamar Avenue Baptist	327	384
Lory Memorial Baptist	206	233
Highland Heights Baptist	169	211
South Side Baptist	164	168
Scotland Baptist	92	94
City View	66	79
First Methodist	856	848
Floral Heights Methodist	659	782
Grant Street Methodist	225	221
Grace Methodist	184	232
Adams Street Methodist	90	90
Scotland Methodist	69	59
Sibley-Taylor Methodist	97	102
First Christian	444	444
Highland Heights Christian	282	328
Fannin Community	92	109
First Church of Christ	357	484
Buchanan St. Church of Christ	58	65
Church of the Nazarene	127	138
Salvation Army	121	107
Yale Evangelical	58	71
Scotland Evangelical	56	48
Totals	6,830	7,829

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MISS BINDELL LEADS VOTE

"Five and Ten" Girls on Stage Tonight

Miss Marie Bindell, with 4,029 votes, maintained her lead Sunday night in the contest being staged by the Majestic theater to select Wichita Falls' "most popular Woolworth girl." Second in the running was Miss Ethel Gray, with 3,060 votes. Miss Opal Thornton was third with 1,126 votes, Miss Velma McDonald fourth with 1,063, and Miss Nellie McDonald fifth with 667 votes.

Girls on Stage

The five girls obtaining the most votes will appear on the stage at the Majestic theater Monday night during the last vaudeville bill, which starts about 9:30 p. m., and as they appear they will be judged by their popularity with the audience. Three judges will determine the girl who received the most applause, and the winner will receive a week's vacation with pay from the local Woolworth store, and a three months' pass to the Majestic theater. The remaining four contestants will be awarded five passes each to the Majestic.

The contest is being staged in connection with the appearance here of the moving picture, "The Girl from Woolworth's," the last showing of which will be Monday night.

The judges of the applause which will select the winner Monday night will be A. D. Lightsey, V. N. Armstrong, advertising manager of the Wichita Daily Times, and one other yet to be selected, according to Victor B. Lowrey, Publix theater manager here. The girls will be introduced to the audience by Jack McLallen, vaudeville actor at the end of whose act the contest will be staged.

Heavy Voting

Boxes for the deposit of ballots are at the Majestic theater and at Woolworth's. Predictions as to the outcome of the contest are difficult to make, Manager Lowrey said Sunday, owing to the arrangement made by the theater last week that on Saturday, Sunday and this Monday, each candidate receiving a vote cast on a ballot clipped from last Saturday's Record News would receive 25 votes. Several such votes, Mr. Lowrey explained, could easily place the fifth place runner-up at the top of the list by the time the polls close at 5 p. m. Monday.

The vote for the candidates other than the first five contestants Sunday night stood: Miss Lucille Hibbs, 502; Miss Marie Lewis, 281; Miss Blanche Russell, 256; Miss Lottie Hossman, 241; Miss Edith Powell, 201; Miss Viola Burns, 209; Miss Ella Wells, 201; Miss Madelaine Zeliff, 189; Miss Lorraine Burnet, 132, and Miss Nora McKean, 37.



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Electran Held On Daughter's Complaint

A 40-year-old Electra man, father of a large family, was being held in the Wichita county jail Sunday under charges brought by his 10-year-old daughter, according to information given by Mike Anglin, assistant district attorney.

The arrest was made Saturday after the mother of the little girl, now under the care of physicians, told the story to investigating officers. A formal complaint involving statutory charges is expected to be filed in the district court here Monday morning.

Waco Negro Held Here in Slaying

Dorsey Cyrus, negro, wanted in Waco for murder, was arrested in Wichita Falls Sunday afternoon according to an announcement from Sheriff W. G. Brailey who ordered the arrest at the instance of McLennan county authorities.

Cyrus is accused of having stabbed another negro to death in a gambling game in Waco about two months ago, Mr. Brailey said. The prisoner admitted his identity to Charlie Gant and Warren Belcher, arresting deputies, when he was taken into custody here, the sheriff added. McLennan county officers will arrive here Monday to take Cyrus back to Waco.

With the exception of the United States, which has one practitioner to every 750 people, Great Britain has a higher number of doctors proportionately than any other country in the world.

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