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PRISONER HERE ACCUSED OF SLAYING VETERAN

Conferees Adopt $45,000,000 Drouth Fund After Both Houses Boost Relief

HOOVER PLANS VICTORIOUS IN BITTER FIGHT

Compromise Sum Reached After House Slashes Senate Bill

PRESIDENT UPHELD

Executive Given Free Hand In Administering Big Relief Program

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The way was opened tonight for early enactment of the emergency relief program by congress with an agreement by conferees on a compromise $45,000,000 drouth bill.

The compromise will be taken up for final approval tomorrow as other conferees reassemble to consider differences between the senate and the house on the emergency $116,000,000 employment appropriation.

Democrats Battle

Democrats waged determined assaults in both houses against President Hoover's recommendations but the administration forces held their majorities in line.

A decision of the house earlier in the day to pare down the $60,000,000 senate drouth relief bill to $30,000,000 in accordance with the president's program was offset by the subsequent conference.

Senate conferees yielded to the insistence of the house to eliminate the provision for loaning money to farmers for the purpose of personal food—a proposal condemned by the administration—but gained an amendment to permit such loans in cases of extreme emergency.

Coalition Loses

The senate defeated a move to insist on elimination from the $116,000,000 employment fund the provision giving the president power to allocate the money as he saw fit. A coalition of Democrats and Republican Independents fought this provision but they lost, 42 to 39.

The compromise on the drouth relief measure goes first to the house tomorrow. Chairman Mc-

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Six Drown When Motorboat Sinks

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18. (US)—Five women and a man were drowned this evening when their 14-foot pleasure launch overturned in the swift current at the entrance of Tomales bay during an attempted rescue.

When the outboard motor died, the six began calling for help. Grant and Ornburn Gray put off from the beach in a small boat. The seas began to run high as they reached the disabled launch.

As the Grays got a tow line aboard the other craft, one of the women jumped into the sea in her excitement. She was pulled to the Gray's boat, upsetting it in trying to get in.

At that moment a comber capsized the other boat. The Gray brothers who swam ashore after an exhausting battle with the sea, were the only survivors.

Hearing on Proposed T. & P. N. Line Closes

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 18. (UP)—Hearing before H. C. Davis, interstate commerce commission examiner, on the application of the Texas & Pacific railroad to build a 333-mile extension in West Texas, ended late Friday.

Attorneys were given until March 1 to file briefs. Examiner Davis probably will submit a tentative report on the hearing and attroneys will be granted a chance for final oral arguments before the commission in Washington.

POWELL OPPOSED

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 18. (AP)—The labor council of New South Wales has protested against a proposed visit to Australia of Lord Baden-Powell, head of the Boy Scout movement on the grounds that his mission would encourage militarism.

NOW is the PROPER time to

ADVERTISE for those ARTICLES you may HAVE lost during THE Christmas rush.

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Beauty



Miss Nellie Ruth Smith, winner of the high school beauty contests of 1930 and 1931, is a junior in the local high school.

STUDENTS PICK SCHOOL BEAUTY

Miss Nellie Ruth Smith Wins for Second Time

Miss Nellie Ruth Smith broke all records for the local high school by winning the beauty title for two consecutive years, according to information given Thursday morning by J. W. Williams, faculty sponsor for the Coyote.

The contest was held during the sixth period Wednesday without previous announcements or any campaigning, and the winners were announced Thursday morning. Miss Smith easily won first honors, getting a good majority of all the votes cast. Joan Fox came second, and Lois Campbell was honored with third place.

High school students have proved themselves consistent in their selections during the years. Two years ago Miss Smith was named "queen" of Reagan Junior high; and she has been chosen as the most beautiful girl in Wichita Falls High school for the past two years.

SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR HOLIDAYS TODAY

Christmas holidays will begin in Wichita Falls schools immediately after school Friday, according to information given by Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent of the city schools. Classes will be held throughout the day in the various schools Dr. Cantwell said, with few exceptions.

During the holiday season, lasting until Monday, Dec. 29, there will be many school activities, according to recent announcements, including hikes, parties, dances, and picnics honoring those who are home for the Yuletide season.

Schools will again take up their regular schedules on the Monday following Christmas, Dec. 29.

Dentist Slays Bride, Then Shoots Himself

CAPE TOWN, Union of South Africa, Dec. 18. (US)—A series of violent domestic quarrels between Dr. R. L. Magoon and his bride, Mrs. Audrey Magoon, led the American dentist to murder and suicide, a coroner's inquest into the double tragedy found today.

Dr. Magoon killed his wife with an axe and then shot himself, according to the finding of the inquest. The tragedy took place early Saturday morning in a bedroom of the Magoon residence at Umtali. Dr. and Mrs. Magoon were married about a month ago, Mrs. Magoon coming from Oregon with two daughters by a previous marriage. The dentist was noted as a big game hunter.

Flier Falls to Death As 'Chute Fails to Open

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (UP)—I. H. Owen of Dayton, Ohio, a mechanic attached to Bolling field, was hurled several hundred feet to his death when his parachute failed to open in a jump from a disabled bombing plane near here late today.

Lieut. H. G. Crocker, also of Bolling field, pilot, remained in the plane and was slightly injured as it crashed on a farm.

Educator Sees Tragedy In Lewis Nobel Award

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18. (UP)—Awarding of the nobel prize in literature to Sinclair Lewis was "one of the tragedies of the past few months," believes Dr. Richard L. Lyman, of the University of Chicago, president of the National Council of English Teachers.

"This prize has been given to a portrayer of life's ugliness," Lyman declared in an address before the Los Angeles Teachers institute.

Workers Donate Day's Pay to Unemployed

DAVENPORT, Iowa, Dec. 18. (AP)—All employes of at least 25 Davenport business firms have agreed to donate their wages for one day each month during the winter for the relief of unemployed here.

William Heuer, finance chairman for the unemployment committee, said the donations already total close to $30,000.

DEATH CLAIMS W. E. EDWARDS OF HENRIETTA

Noted Editor's Career Ends After Half Century of Service

OLD SCHOOL WRITER

Henrietta Review Reflected Personal Beliefs of Publisher

William Edward Edwards, 82, pioneer Texas newspaper editor and Henrietta citizen, died at his home in Henrietta at 5:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon after an illness which had confined him to his bed for a year.

He operated and edited the Henrietta Review for approximately 40 years and was one of the best known country newspapermen in the state. He was known for his inconoclastic views manifested in the editorials of his newspaper. He was of a gruff but kindly nature and stood for the highest principles, known for his keen wit and was a man whom every one knew that his word was as good as his bond.

Political Free Lance

He was a free lance in politics, but 35 or more years ago he adhered to the principles of the Populist party. He favored local option and was thoroughly opposed to prohibition.

He was throughout most of his life actively engaged in the affairs of the Odd Fellows lodge.

Mr. Edwards was born in 1848 in Madison county, Ohio, and came to Henrietta in 1876, where he operated the Review for nearly half a century. He sold the Review to the Henrietta Independent. The Review was suspended.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed late Thursday night although they will probably be held Friday.

Children surviving are Mrs. F. M. Cummings of Lordsburg, N. M.; C. J. Edwards of Henrietta; Mrs. Carl Kerbow, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Claude Vaughn of Coleman, Texas.

Doukhobors Bomb School In British Columbia

NELSON, B. C., Dec. 18. (INS)—A Doukhobor school at Thrums near here was totally destroyed by explosion of a dynamite bomb today.

The bombings are looked upon as open rebellion to Canadian government edicts that Doukhobor children shall be sent to school. The Doukhobors, a Russian religious sect, have long been in conflict with the government over the child education problem.

Bombs placed in two other schools in the district failed to explode.

Money Rates Lowest Since Records Started

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (US)—The general level of money rates at the beginning of December was as low as at any time since records became available, the federal reserve board announced in its monthly bulletin today.

Murray Defiant To Wentz

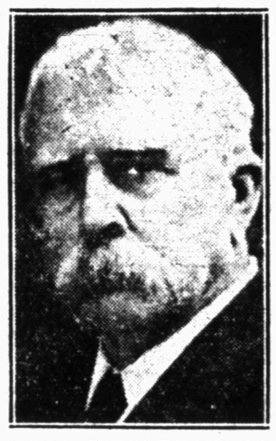
TISHOMINGO, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—The threat of impeachment, the fear of almost every Oklahoma governor since early in the state's history, received a challenge today from Governor-Elect "Alfalfa Bill" Murray.

"Let Lew Wentz and all his millions just try and impeach me," Murray, who hitch-hiked his way from town to town during his campaign, said. Wentz, an oil millionaire, is chairman of the state highway commission and has engaged in a bitter fight with Murray over road building policies.

"I know the wolves are after me," Murray, seated in his one-room office, said. "I know one politician said after the general election that I would be impeached in six months.

"Wentz and all his millions could not defeat me. Nor can they impeach me."

Veteran Dies



William Edward Edwards, dean of North Texas newspapermen, and an active force in the advancement of Henrietta and Clay county for a half century, died in Henrietta late Thursday at the age of 82.

AUTO CRUSHES PETROLIA CHILD

Son of E. T. Wolfe Killed By Motor Truck

Special to The Record News

PETROLIA, Texas, Dec. 18.—James Wolfe, 16-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wolfe of Petrolia, was killed under the wheels of a motor truck at his home here today.

The child was playing in the yard while L. Shropshire, employe of the Lone Star Gas company, unloaded a truck load of dirt near the house. When the truck had been emptied Shropshire backed out and the child, unseen by the driver, was run over. He died instantly.

Mr. Wolfe is assistant drilling superintendent for the Lone Star Gas company and his home is located at the company's colony here.

Funeral services for the child will be held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the Petrolia Baptist church, Rev. J. R. Fletcher, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Petrolia cemetery.

LAMESA GIRL, 8, KILLED BY AUTO

LAMESA, Texas, Dec. 18. (UP)—Walking to the post office to mail a letter to Santa Claus, Laverne Norris, 8, was struck and killed by an automobile. Funeral services were held this afternoon.

Kentucky Turkey Price Boosted for Christmas

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 18. (AP)—Bad news for those who like turkey for Christmas dinners. Louisville produce men today raised the price four cents a pound on the holiday fowl after large orders had been received from northern cities and the supply depleted.

Turkeys were plentiful at Thanksgiving time, but the strong Christmas demand is beginning to have its effect. The price raise was from 27 to 31 cents a pound wholesale, with indications of further boosts before the holiday. Retail prices are three to four cents higher.

Pendleton Gets Eighth Sentence in 15 Years

ODESSA, Texas, Dec. 18. (UP)—Ace Pendleton, outlaw of the old school received his eighth prison sentence in 15 years today and prepared for a trip to Pampa Saturday to faces charges of bank robbery there.

He is wanted for questioning for 10 slayings in western states but no charges have been filed against him except in the Pampa case.

Pendleton and James "Whity" Hayes pleaded guilty to robbing a store here, in court today, and were given two-year sentences.

Search for Missing Floyd Clerk Extended

FLOYDADA, Texas, Dec. 18 (UP)—Search for T. P. Guimarin, Floyd county district clerk, who has been missing for two weeks, extended over the state tonight. Friends and relatives went to Dallas today in an effort to find a trace of him. Guimarin was reported seen in Amarillo on Dec. 11.

SECOND VICTIM OF NEWSPAPER BLAST DIES

Explosion in Texhoma Plant Fatal To Operator

WOMAN SUCCUMBS

Evidence Lends Power To Theory That Building Was Bombed

DALHART, Texas, Dec. 18. (UP)—The explosion that wrecked the Texhoma, Okla., Times, weekly newspaper, last night, claimed its second victim late today when Burdice Smith, linotype operator, died in a hospital here from his injuries.

Mrs. I. D. Devine, wife of the publisher, died earlier in the day.

The theory that the newspaper plant was bombed gained credence tonight when investigators reported finding a crater, three feet wide, in the floor of the wrecked building.

Publisher to Recover

Devine, the publisher, is in a serious condition in a hospital here but physicians said he probably would recover.

The explosion occurred at 10 p. m. last night as Mr. and Mrs. Devine and Smith were preparing an edition of the Times for the press today. The blast shook the countryside and attracted a crowd of 300 residents of the Texhoma and nearby farmers to the scene.

The three victims were rescued from the debris and placed on a Rock Island passenger train which arrived in Texhoma a short time later, and were sent to Dalhart for hospital attention.

Building Demolished

The building, a one-story brick tiled structure, was demolished. The front of the building was blown out and machinery hurled into the street. The roof crashed soon after the three victims were rescued from the interior. Loss was estimated at $18,000.

Devine said tonight he could give no reason for the explosion. Earlier today officers expressed the opinion that accumulated gas might have exploded, but residents of the town said the victims did not appear to be suffering from gas fumes.

Amos Wilson, operator of a cafe across the street who witnessed the blast, said there was no flame. He said the first persons to reach the scene noticed a strange odor which some said resembled powder and others believed was nitroglycerin.

Cleared Area Found

Late today investigators from the sheriff's office at Guymon reported finding a circular crater, three feet wide, near the door. Debris was three and four feet deep at other parts of the building but the creater was clear.

The Times went to press today at the office of the Daily Texan here.

Devine began business in Texhoma, where he came from Guthrie Okla., six years ago. He did most of the mechanical work at the plant and Mrs. Devine assisted in the office work.

Smith, 20 years old, came to Texhoma recently from Hemphill, Texas, his home.

A son, Forrest, Oklahoma City university student, and a daughter, Louise, student nurse at St. Francis hospital, Colorado Springs, Colo., survive Mrs. Devine.

Steeg Maintains French Post by Narrow Margin

PARIS, Dec. 18. (UP)—Premier Theodore Steeg, beset by the resignations even of members of his government and facing a hostile chamber of deputies, managed to survive his first parliamentary test tonight by the narrow margin of seven votes.

The chamber granted the new government, admittedly a makeshift and not given long to live even by its supporters, a vote of confidence by 291 to 284.

Salesman Complains Of Attack With Vase

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18. (UP)—John F. Pottorff, principal of the Emerson school here and Mrs. May Gregg, school cafeteria manager were charged with assault and battery today. W. H. Wind, Moore, Okla., a biscuit salesman filed the charge. He alleged he was struck with a vase following an argument.

Dixie Beauty Is Washington Deb



Among the charming debutantes of the current Washington social season is pretty Adele Townsend Jahncke, above, daughter of Assistant Secretary of the Navy Ernest Lee Jahncke. When not in Washington, the Jahnckes make their home in New Orleans.

Four Instructed Acquittals and Two Dismissals End Hidalgo Vote Charges

Government's Case Collapses Without Reaching Jury When Prosecution Asks Two Dismissals

HOUSTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The government's case against six Hidalgo county election conspirators collapsed today, without having reached a jury. A seventh defendant, who was ill and had not been brought to trial, was freed.

The prosecution, headed by Fred Horowitz, special assistant to the United States attorney general, obtained a dismissal of the cases against former Hidalgo County Clerk Cam Hill and Edmund P. Williams, an election clerk, this morning. This afternoon, Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson ordered instructed verdicts of acquittal for four more—County Judge Alan Cameron, County Commissioners William D. Chaddick and Sam Hargrove, and Election Judge Tom J. Buckow. Horowitz then asked dismissal of the case against Marvin Evans, another county commissioner, and the motion was granted.

Sheriff Dead

The slate thus was cleaned. A. Y. Baker, the "millionaire sheriff" of the county, having died some weeks ago. He was the eighth defendant.

Judge Hutcheson, in instructing for the defendants, declared to the jury that while the action of Cameron, Chaddick and Hargrove in throwing out the Weslaco box in the 1928 general election was "arbitrary," the government had not proved a violation of the law.

"There is no question," Judge Hutcheson said, "that on a broad moral basis fair minded men are bound to agree that at least Cameron knew he was taking a tight, technical advantage of the other side; but that wouldn't make him guilty of violating this statute."

Case Two Years Old

"There is no evidence on which the jury could legally, logically form a conclusion. The chain of circumstances is lacking . . ."

Since Nov. 15, 1928, the Weslaco controversy has bobbed up intermittently. It was on that date that the commissioners court threw out the box, on the claim that the returns were not sealed, as the law required. Horowitz went into the county to investigate, brought his findings back to Houston and obtained an indictment here.

Woman Leaves Home When Guard Appears

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Mrs. Mary Murray, 63, has moved out of her little brick house in which she lived for 40 years, vowing that she will never return until the policeman on guard in front of it is removed.

A year ago a building inspector discovered a crack in the house and ordered it torn down. Mrs. Murray refused to obey. Yesterday the policeman appeared with orders to let no one enter. So Mrs. Murray moved away, taking up quarters with her brother, Patrick.

Today it appeared to be a question of who would move next, the policeman or Mrs. Murray.

Ogden Mills Estate Valued at $39,769,059

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 18. (AP)—Ogden Mills, father of the under secretary of the treasury, Ogden L. Mills, left an estate of $41,068,690, an appraisal filed today revealed. He died Jan. 20, 1929.

Deductions of $1,299,631 brought the estate to $39,769,059.

According to their father's will, the under secretary and his sisters, Beatrice, the countess Granard of England, and Gladys Phipps, wife of Henry S. Phipps, of Long Island and Florida, receive the income from trust funds of $12,190,734 each.

CHARGES AWAIT FINDING EXACT MURDER SCENE

Walters Sheriff Seeks To Determine Where Tom Hardin Died

SUSPECT QUESTIONED

Shotgun Shells and $1.05 In Silver Found on Body Of Slain Man

Special to The Record News

WALTERS, Okla., Dec. 18.—A murder complaint charging a man held in the Wichita county jail at Wichita Falls with the death of Tom Hardin, world war veteran of Grandfield, Okla., on Oct. 1 will be filed as soon as investigating officers determine whether the shooting took place in Texas or Oklahoma, Sheriff C. O. Hooper of Cotton county, Oklahoma, announced Thursday night.

A skeleton identified as that of Hardan was discovered on the Mance Griffith farm in Cotton county, three miles from the Burkburnett bridge, on Dec. 11. Hardin had been missing since Oct. 1 when he received his monthly compensation check from the government. He was last seen in Burkburnett, Texas, where he went to purchase supplies and where he was known to have quarreled with two men and a woman in a beer party.

Prisoner Questioned

Examination of the skeleton revealed a bullet hole on either side of the skull and a coroner's jury Tuesday decided that Hardin had been slain. The prisoner in Wichita Falls, held on other charges, was questioned soon after the bones were found and Sheriff Hooper said Thursday he would return here this week to push the investigation.

Testimony at the inquest revealed that a full box of 410 gauge shotgun shells and one 12 gauge shell were found on the body. Silver amounting to $1.05 was found in the tattered trousers. The envelope which had contained the compensation check was also discovered. The skeleton was clothed in badly torn shirt, trousers and shoes.

Relatives identified the body after an investigation in Walters, Burkburnett, Grandfield, Devol and Wichita Falls.

Public Funeral

Meanwhile, in Grandfield, arrangements were completed Thursday for a public funeral for Hardin in the First Christian church in Grandfield. The American Legion will have charge of the ceremonies and an American flag will cover the casket.

Hardin, incapacitated from several wounds received during the war, had lived in and around Grandfield for many years. He is survived by his mother at Devol, brothers at Devol, Grandfield, Blackwell, Okla., and San Angelo, Texas, and a sister who lives in Denison, Texas.

Funeral arrangements are in charge of the Moore Undertaking company at Grandfield.

INVESTIGATION HERE NOT YET COMPLETE

George Anderson, assistant district attorney who has been conducting Wichita county's investigation of the slaying of Tom Hardin, Grandfield, Okla., war veteran, said Thursday night that his office was not contemplating the immediate filing of murder charges against a federal prisoner held in Wichita county jail. He is working in cooperation with Burkburnett and Cotton county officials, but declared that from the Wichita county angle, the investigation is not yet complete.

Texan Found Dead With Rope Around His Neck

MARSHALL, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—F. P. Crevitt, 49, was found dead here late today after he had tied a rope about his neck, attached the rope to a rafter of his garage and jumped from the top of his automobile. His neck was broken. Relatives told officers he had worried over ill health and his business. Survivors are his widow and one child.

Shamrock Man Found Dead in Oklahoma

SHAWNEE, Okla., Dec. 18. (AP)—W. M. Angus, 42, Shamrock, Texas, drilling contractor, was found dead in his hotel room here today. Relatives at Shamrock, informed of his death, were en route to claim the body.

BANKS READY FOR DEMANDS

Record Small Volume Of Indebtedness Shown

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Member banks of the federal reserve system entered the Christmas season of increased demand for currency with a smaller volume of indebtedness to the reserve banks than at any time since 1917.

The federal reserve board made this announcement today in its monthly review and said the system was in an exceptionally strong position to meet the demand.

It reported a decrease in demand for reserve bank credit had reflected a slack demand for currency due in part to "the decrease in pay roll disbursements by factories, and to the continued decline in commodity prices."

Gold Stable

The board reported that changes in monetary gold have not been large during the period from July to November either this year or, on the average, for the preceding seven years.

"When the two sources of reserve bank funds are combined it appears that this year the increase during the autumn was $96,000,000 as compared with $232,000,000 on the seven-year-average," the report said. "This diminution in the growth is accounted for in part by the decrease in the seasonal demand for currency, which was only half as large this year as on the average for the preceding years, and in smaller part by a decrease of about $60,000,000 in the growth of member bank reserve balances.

Credit Unused

"It is usual for member banks to increase their loans, and consequently their deposits and their reserve requirements during the autumn months, but this year the relatively small demand for bank credit caused by the inactive state of business has resulted in a relatively small growth of bank credit and of bank reserves."

The board said during November money rates showed a further easing tendency accompanied by a further decrease in demand for credit from the security market. From Sept. 24 to Nov. 26, total loans and investments of member banks increased by $84,000,000 investments of reporting banks increased at the same time to the highest level on record as a consequence of their purchases of investment securities of $1,460,000,000 since the low point of October, 1929.

Brokers' Loans Drop

Security loans of the banks increased $700,000 while brokers' loans declined by $1,100,000 and were lower on Nov. 26 by $300,000,000 than the low point in 1926.

The decrease in brokers' loans, the board said, was chiefly in loans for account of out of town banks.

For the six months ending last June 30 the number of branch banking systems in the United States decreased by five and the number of group banking systems increased by one. The number of banking offices embraced in the systems increased by 130.

WEATHER

OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS — Generally fair Friday and Saturday. Light to moderate winds on the coast, mostly northerly.

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

Maximum temperature	50
Minimum temperature	31
Temperature at 5 p. m.	47
Precipitation, none.	
Northwest wind.	
Clear.	
Average wind velocity	3
Maximum wind velocity	5
Barometer	29.15

Mussolini Ironically Blames U.S. Money Crash For Italy's Troubles

ROME, Dec. 18. (AP)—The American stock market crash and "money crisis" of the fall of 1929 are principally to blame for Italy's present financial ills, Premier Mussolini told the senate this afternoon.

In a speech marked by biting irony, frankness and characteristic vigor, the duce declared Italy was "nearing port; was perhaps in view of port, when the American crisis broke out unexpectedly and exploded like a bomb."

His placing the blame on the American situation was part of the duce's defense for his drastic cut of 12 per cent in the salaries of all state employes.

"Everybody knows by memory," the duce pursued, "the things which are now commonplace—there was an automobile for every eight inhabitants, a radio for every four, a telephone for every three.

"Everybody played the market. As the shares went up, everybody, having bought one at 20, sold it at 100 and with it bought an automobile, radio or telephone, or made a trip to Europe, paying on the installment plan and perhaps bought a country house in the neighborhood.

"All that was marvelous. Then we had a series of black, blackest days. Shares lost 20, 30, 50 per cent of their value. That crisis isn't yet cleaned up, the black days have been following one another and instead of prosperity there are lines of those waiting for bread and soup in the great cities of the United States.

"It is with profound sadness that I realize this and you will understand why without my insisting.

"The fact is, from that day we were thrown back into a high sea; from then on even for us navigation has been extremely difficult."

RELIEF FUNDS COMPROMISED

Hoover's Program Speeded By Both Houses

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Nary of the senate agriculture committee, who was in charge of the conference hopes it will be enacted before the end of the week.

The language inserted to permit loans for food in cases of extreme emergency provides that the secretary of agriculture may make loans not only for feed and fertilizer but for other purposes "incident to crop production."

Republicans Hold Lines

Unsuccessful efforts were made by Democrats in the house to obtain favorable action on the senate measure, but the Republican leadership held rank and file in line and substituted the administration program barring loans for food by 225 to 147.

Representative Jones, Democrat, Texas, sought to increase the amount to $60,000,000 and Representative McKeown, Democrat, Oklahoma, made an effort to have included a provision authorizing loans for food for drouth stricken farmers.

The cooperation movement collapsed today under bitter partisan attacks on the administration in both the senate and house. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, asked the senate to insist on the amendment taking away freedom of action for the president in allocating the $116,000,000 appropriation. Eleven western Republican Independents joined him.

However, Senator Glass, Democrat, Virginia, warned of the delay involved in this stand and pleaded that the senate recede to speed the appropriation into pockets of workers. Six other Democrats followed him in voting with the Republicans.

One of the disputes still to be ironed out with the house on the emergency appropriation is the amendment requiring that local labor be employed and paid the highest prevailing wage scale.

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Earl Smiddy's Record Reveals Multiple Charges and Escapades

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 18.—Arrival here Thursday of officers from Wewoka, Okla., with papers for the return of Earl Smiddy to McAlester, Okla., to serve 20 years for alleged hi-jacking brought to light the unusually active recent career of the man who was indicted here by the grand jury Tuesday under the name of C. R. Robson for automobile theft.

Smiddy, alias C. R. Robson, is charged with having stolen an automobile here on the night of Dec. 9. He was arrested a day or so later at Rock Crossing, near Vernon, in company with A. M. Terrell, who also was indicted this week for theft over $50. Two days later the pair was returned to Graham. Following Smiddy's indictment, it was learned that he was wanted at Wewoka, Okla., where a 20-year sentence hung over him following its recent affirmation by a higher court. The trial out of which the sentence grew was held in February, 1928, it was said.

Information supplied by the authorities who took charge of Smiddy Thursday indicate that he is wanted at Waurika in connection with a killing there, and at Hollis and Wellington, Okla., for robbery of box cars. It was stated that he recently broke jail in Foard county, where he was being held on a charge of automobile theft. Prior to that he had been held at Hobbs, N. M., for Oklahoma authorities, it was stated. A jail sentence at Pampa during the past few months also was said to be included in his record.

Trial of Terrell will be held within the next few days, according to District Attorney Sam B. Spence of Wichita Falls.

'Forgotten' Bank Accounts Grow

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Although scarcity of ready money has been the cry of the nation for several months, a sufficient amount of orphan dollars are available in Altus banks to stimulate several thousand dollars purchases.

Approximately 1,000 accounts in the Altus National bank and the closed First National bank are inactive and are transferred from quarter to quarter on the books of the bank without the depositor ever changing the balance.

The majority of the accounts were deposited years ago, bankers point out, and the owners of the sum have died or have forgotten that the money was ever deposited.

In most instances the inactive accounts compose only a few cents. "They," a bookkeeper explained, "are ordinarily the result of the depositor failing to withdraw his entire account."

Of 877 inactive accounts listed on the books of the closed First National bank, approximately 15 were for one cent only, and scores of others were for sums under 10 cents.

One forgotten account, however, was for the sum of $166.75.

The large accounts were explained by bankers as the result of transients, especialy cotton pickers, who deposited their money and hurriedly left the country without removing their deposits.

In other cases it is probable, they said, that the transient makes a deposit without the knowledge of any relative or friend, and then dies and the sum lies dormant because no one knows of its existence.

Officials at the closed First National bank estimated that between $2,000 and $3,000 had been uncalled for at the bank in the accounts for a number of years, and similar estimates were made by the Altus National bank.

Try and Prove It

The prisoner was on trial on a charge of burglary. He protested his innocence, and pleaded an alibi.

"But do you know what an alibi is?" asked the judge.

"Yes, my lord," replied the prisoner. "An alibi is proving that you was in one place when you was in another."—Tit-Bits.

Judge Ignores Ruling Against Prohibition Law

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 18. (AP)—Federal Judge John Boyd Avis today filed his formal opinion in the Rising Sun brewery padlocking case, stating that he would follow the pronouncement of the United States supreme court on the validity of the 18th amendment until that court changes its ruling or congress changes the present situation.

Judge Avis yesterday refused to quash padlocking proceedings against the brewery, which is located at Elizabeth, N. J., and after hearing argument on the merits of the evidence in the case continued the proceedings until Jan. 16.

Poincare Makes Rapid Strides Toward Recovery

PARIS, Dec. 18. (US)—The condition of former President Raymond Poincare has so improved in the past 48 hours that physicians today decided to issue only one bulletin daily.

SHEPARD TRIAL NEARS CLOSE

Witness Says Officer's Wife Feared Poison

KANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 18. (AP)—Two witnesses testified today in the murder trial of Major Charles A Shepard that his wife stated before her death she had been poisoned.

The testimony of Mrs. Shepard's purported declarations included one alleged direct accusation against her husband, which the court ruled out as improper evidence.

Miss Clara Brown, Topeka, Kan., a nurse who attended Mrs. Shepard, and Seargeant J. E. Gresser, attached to the army medical laboratory at Fort Riley, Kan., provided the highlights of the government's final efforts to convict the army medical officer for the alleged poison murder of his wife at Fort Riley in June, 1929.

"Dr. Shepard has poisoned me," the nurse testified Mrs. Shepard told her.

"Peculiar" Smell

Judge Richard J. Hopkins ordered the jury to disregard the nurse's statement when the defense objected such evidence was improper. Defense attorneys said it constituted an unsupported opinion on the part of the deceased if such a remark had been made.

Miss Brown quoted Mrs. Shepard as making the declaration after the patient asked her to obtain a liquor bottle from Major Shepard's closet and bring it to the bedside. The witness said she smelled the contents at the request of Mrs. Shepard and had pronounced the odor "peculiar."

Mrs. Shepard, the witness continued, asked if enough remained in the bottle to make a test for poison. Miss Brown said she replied there was not, the bottle containing only a tablespoonful of liquid. The bottle then was returned to the closet, the nurse said.

A defense motion for discharge of the jury as the result of Miss Brown's testimony was overruled.

As the case drew to an end both sides centered their evidence around Mrs. Shepard without mention of Miss Grace Brandon, blonde stenographer of San Antonio, for the love of whom the 59-year-old defendant is charged with having disposed of his wife.

It appeared likely tonight final arguments would begin tomorrow afternoon with the case going to the jury some time Saturday.

The government put on a dozen witnesses in rebuttal to counter the defense testimony that Mrs. Shepard was a heavy drinker, addicted to narcotics and melancholy. Most of them were wives of army officers. They testified that to their knowledge the major's wife did not drink to excess, that she was normal, and that she always appeared sober and well in public.

NEW RECORD

Hurley Still 'On Strike' 25 Years After Mine Walkout

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Secretary Hurley is on a strike. The war department head recalled today that some 25 years ago, while a miner in the Indian Territory, now Oklahoma, he "walked out" with some co-workers.

"I still have my union card, but haven't been back to work since," he said.

Jury Unable to Agree On Mail Fraud Case

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—A hung jury resulted today in the case of Edwin M. Ladd, on trial with five other defendants on charges of using the mails to defraud. No new trial was ordered by the court.

Pleas of guilty were entered by the other defendants: D. H. Moore, Mrs. D. H. Moore, Andrew Paul Sellers, Miss Alanza Carden and Miss Ruth Benton.

The largest towel mills in the world are located at Kanapolis, N. C.

YOUNG JURY INDICTS FOUR

Habitual Criminal Trial Set Today

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 18.—Four new indictments were returned here Thursday by a grand jury in the 30th district court for Young county before Judge Allan D. Montgomery following a brief session called last Tuesday morning.

C. R. Robson and A. M. Terrell were indicted for theft over $50 in connection with the alleged theft of an automobile here on Dec. 9.

P. L. Hoffman, J. H. Gibbins and Willis Newman were indicted on charges of cattle theft. No date had been set Thursday for their trial.

In trials completed before Judge Montgomery here since Tuesday, Eddie Fulton pleaded guilty to a charge of driving a car while intoxicated, and was fined $100; Cleve Johnson was found guilty on a similar charge, and was fined $125; and Gus Anderson pleaded guilty on a liquor charge, and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

Pleading not guilty when arraigned on a charge of forgery, Jim Rowe was convicted by a jury and given a 2-year term in the penitentiary. Tom Rowe received a three-year suspended sentence on a charge of having attempted to pass a forged instrument. L. L. Satterfield was found not guilty by a jury on a liquor charge.

Lee Jackson was scheduled to go on trial Friday on a liquor charge under the habitual criminal act.

Rotarians Enjoy Turkey Luncheon

Jovialty induced by lack of serious business, and roast turkey provided by Tom B. Smock and Clark S. Cate were the principal ingredients in the luncheon enjoyed by local Rotarians at the Kemp hotel Thursday noon.

Messrs. Smock and Cate celebrated the pre-Christmas meeting by acting as hosts to the entire membership, and Dr. H. T. Wood, pastor of the First Christian church, delivered the principal talk on the subject of fellowship. Introduced by Ed Crump, Dr. Wood discussed friendship as consisting of a spirit of cooperation, alertness, faith and personalism rather than individualism.

Vocal numbers by the Hi-Y male quartet from the Booker T. Washington high school constituted the musical program. They were introduced by R. E. Shepherd.

The annual Christmas party for the Rotary Boys' club, according to William B. Ward, will be held next Tuesday night at the gymnasium. George D. Keith Jr., presided at Thursday's meeting in the absence of Herbert C. Voelcker, president.

Masons at Loveland Choose 1931 Officers

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 19.—At a regular meeting of the Loveland Masonic lodge F. N. Simpson was elected worshipful master. Other officers elected were B. L. Ryan, senior warden; Walter Duggins, junior warden; J. C. Cockrell, senior deacon; John Hartsell, senior steward; Vern Platner, junior steward; E. E. Blankenship, treasurer; W. P. Hill, secretary; Edd Amy, tyler; Ben Hartsell, chaplain.

Electra Stores Reflect Christmas Tradition

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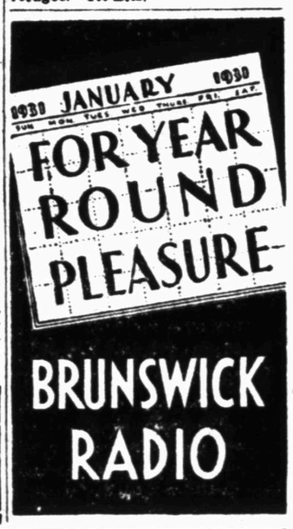
ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—As a whole Electra merchants have placed more emphasis on Christmas decorations this season than they have in several years. Snow scenes, log cabins, colored lights, Santa Claus and his reindeer seem to be popular as decorations with a number of them. Others have devoted their window space to attractive displays of gifts. Toys are featured by some of the stores which are never wanting for an audience of children. Overhead colored lights are strung across the streets which are also lined with Christmas trees.

A Difference

Judge—Wife desertion is something I must deal with severely. I feel very strongly on this subject.

Sambo—But, judge, you doan understan'. I ain't no deserter, I'se a refugee.—Tit-Bits.

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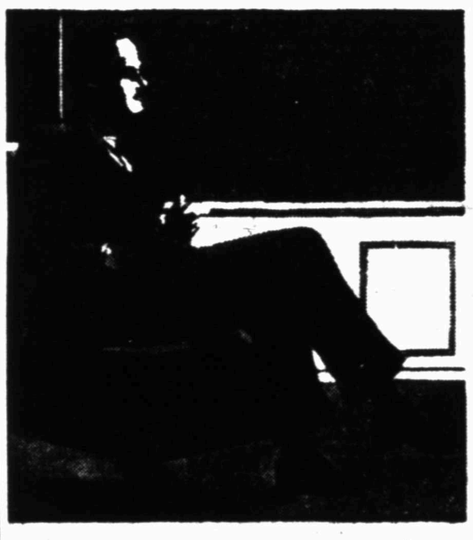


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COFFEE Folger's (Limit 1 Lb.) 43c; M. J. B. (Limit 1 Lb.) 43c; White Swan (Limit 1 Lb.) 43c; Package Coffee, Lb. 23c
MATCHES, 6-box carton 19c
TOMATOES, Medium can, each 9c
CORN, Medium can, each 9c
FIGS IN GLASS Regular 25c Seller 19c; Regular 35c Seller 27c; Regular 75c Seller 59c
TEA—Tetley's in Tin. Regular $1.00 Seller 79¢
Vanilla Extract (Hamilton's) Will Not Bake Out 65c
With each bottle sold a 20c bottle FREE
SOAP LAUNDRY 5 Bars (Limit 5 Bars) 19c
OXYDOL, 3 Boxes 25c
Grape Juice Pints 22¢; Quarts 44¢
ORANGES, Nice Size, each 2c
LAMB Genuine Spring Chops, Lb. 22c; Roast, Lb. 18c; Leg, Lb. 20c; Stew, Lb. 12c
HENS Home killed, 2½ to 3½-lb. average Per pound 20c
CHEESE Wisconsin Longhorn. Pound 23c
SAUSAGE Pure Pork, Seasoned Right. Pound 25c
BACON Sliced and Derined. Pound 32c
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Regular Values to $35
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Suits!!
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$12.95
Extra Trousers at $2.00
ALL OTHER SUITS AT REDUCED PRICES

—Putting into effect, prices that normally you would have to wait for till after January. This year finds us eager to clear our shelves, and give you the advantage of purchasing your gifts at unheard of prices.

Men's Shirts
Regular Values to $2.00
—The most outstanding shirt value ever offered, madras, broadcloth and English prints. Sizes 13½ to 18 ..... 85c

Men's Pajamas
Regular Values to $2.95
—Russian blouse, Pullman and coat style, smartly trimmed broadcloth, silk braid and frogs. Very special $1.39

Men's Robes
Values Up to $11.50
—Silks, Terrycloth and blanket, bath and lounging robes, boxed in smart gift boxes, at a fraction of their real worth $4.95

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January Prices Now in Effect on All Men's
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—Fine fleeces, flake tweeds and twist cloths. Raglan or set-in sleeves, smart new shades of tan and gray, also navy blue. A demonstration value group special. Regular $30 values.
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SALE MEN'S SHOES
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J. P. Smith $10 Value $5.95
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Juvenile Suits
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BOY MURDERER TO FACE TRIAL

Judge Holds Youth, 14, to Answer Charge

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio, Dec. 18. (AP)—John Woods, 14 years old, alleged slayer, must stand trial in Belmont county common pleas court on a first degree murder charge, Common Pleas Judge W. W. Cowen ruled today.

Woods is charged with the slaying several months ago of William Meeker, 68, Martin's ferry, during an attempted robbery.

Judge Cowen held the youth must stand trial on the charge of murder in common pleas court but that in event he is convicted, the trial court must not pass sentence until after the probate court sentence in the Lancaster Boys' Industrial school has expired.

Woods was sentenced to the Industrial school on charges of attacking Meeker, who then had not died. Meeker later died of injuries and Woods was returned here and indicted on a first degree murder charge with Louis Kuhen, 17, who pleaded guilty and now is serving a life term.

Refused Socks Gratis, Youth Smashes Windows

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18.(UP)—Robert Fowler, 21, of Boston, was refused a change of socks when the unemployed youth applied at the Salvation Army cothouse here.

Angered by the refusal, he smashed six windows in the cothouse before two deputies could subdue him.

He was in jail today.

Dread Night Cough Stops First Night

Acts like a flash. A SINGLE SIP PROVES IT

Thousands last winter first became familiar with Mentodene, the new lightning-acting discovery for stubborn, hacking, racking coughs, bronchitis, chest colds, asthma, children's coughs. Takes only seconds. A single swallow checks worst coughs, soothes soreness, clears head, throat and chest like a flash, and a delightful invigorating warmth spreads through chest and body, instantly driving out grippy feeling.

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Bumper Wheat Crop Forecast for Jackson County as Acreage Grows

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—The largest wheat acreage in a period of approximately a decade, and one of the largest acreages in the history of county agriculture, was forecast this week by W. B. Forrester, county farm agent, and Fred Jackman, of the Leger Milling company.

Forrester estimated from unofficial reports that the acreage for 1931 was in the vicinity of 55,000 to 60,000 acres, while Jackman made a similar estimate of 50,000 acres.

Both agreed that the crop acreage might exceed or be slightly below the figure given.

Government statistics for wheat acreage in the state this year show a five per cent increase over that of last year, and by far the major portion of the increase is placed upon the increased planting in the southwestern portion of the state.

Big Increase

The 1930 wheat acreage in Oklahoma was 4,200,000 acres, while the forecast for 1931 is 4,326,000 acres. The importance of the increase, particularly in this county is shown by the fact that in 1930 Jackson county had a wheat acreage of less than 20,000.

With the increase in acreage wheat authorities here also stated that crop conditions within the county are the most favorable in appearance in several seasons.

Repeated rains throughout the fall have instilled an unvarying moisture into the soil that has not been present in this county in a number of years.

Unless hail or drouth intervenes, Jackson county will produce a bumper wheat crop this season.

Production in 1930, unofficial returns, was only 62,400 bushels in the whole county, compared with a probable production this year of one-half million bushels, figured on the basis of 10 bushels per acre for 50,000 acres.

Loan Helps

A portion of the increase in wheat acreage was attributed to the government seed loan wheat, of which approximately $11,758 funds for the purchase of the seed has been distributed to farmers in this county, and 15,000 bushels of wheat distributed under the plan of the Jackson county agricultural corporation.

In spite of the increase in Jackson county and Oklahoma, the government report for November on crop conditions in the United States revealed that a marked decrease in wheat acreage was prevalent in the great wheat states of this country.

The decrease is believed to have been effected through the efforts of the farm board to reduce wheat acreage and diversify farming in the wheat production centers in order to prevent further over-production.

Chillicothe Students Cull Poultry Flocks

Special to The Record News.

CHILLICOTHE, Texas, Dec. 18.—Flocks of 3,000 hens have been culled by the local vocational agriculture students of the Chillicother high school, and they are planning to cull at least 10,000 before the term of school ends, stated the instructor, W. M. Gourley, the earlier part of this week.

The instructor has informed the farmers if they wish culling of their flocks, the students would be available almost any time, when needed. At present all students have shown their ability in culling flocks, and Mr. Gourley stressed the fact that they are capable of handling the work for the farmers.

TIME TO RETIRE

Weight Clock's Wooden Works Have Run 104 Years

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 18. (UP)—A weight clock with wooden works has kept perfect time for 104 years, J. L. Hughlett, Tulsa, the owner, claimed today.

My great grandfather, Tolliver Hughlett, acquired the clock in 1826 in Tennessee in exchange for a mule valued at $40," Hughlett said.

The clock is still running. The mule is not.

Chillicothe Plans Poultry School

Special to The Record News.

CHILLICOTHE, Texas, Dec. 18.—Ten consecutive meeting will be held at Medicine Mound, conducted by the local vocational agricultural teacher, W. M. Gourley, and will be held at the school house there. Mr. Gourley will be assisted by A. R. Bateman, instructor in the Quanah high school.

The first of the meetings will be held Monday night, Jan. 5, the lessons dealing with poultry raising. Considerable interest has already been manifested in the school as Hiriam Cole, one of the Medicine Mound trustees, in conversation with Mr. Gourley, stated he thought the school would be well attended and that it would be of real value to the community. Plans will be mapped out at the first meeting, and everyone who is interested in poultry breeding stock, incubation and brooding of baby chicks, is cordially invited to come, as the services will be free, according to Mr. Gourley.

Stimson Opposes Plan To Suspend Immigration

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Secretary Stimson informed the senate immigration committee today that the Reed proposal to bar immigration for two years as an aid to unemployment would upset the existing policy of basing immigration on national origins.

The secretary of state contended the provision excepting relatives of foreign-born citizens of the United States, would tend to increase immigration from Southern Europe, and decrease it from the Northern countries while the reverse was rue under the national origins policy of selecting immigrants.

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WILSON CALLS FARM MEETING

Commissioners of Agriculture to Confer

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 18. (AP)—Harry D. Wilson, president of the Association of Southern Commissioners of Agriculture, said today he was calling a conference of governors, commissioners of agriculture, bankers, extension workers and cooperative association representatives to be held at Memphis, Jan. 12 and 13, to take up problems confronting the southern farmer.

He said he was acting "at the request of several agencies interested in the welfare of southern agriculture."

"Less cotton production" and methods of increasing cotton consumption were listed as the major topics for the conference.

WOMAN AIDS BANDITS

SEDALIA, Mo., Dec. 18. (AP)—Two men robbed the Union Savings bank in East Sedalia today of about $1,000 and escaped in a sedan bearing a California license plate. A woman was driving the car.

Iowa Park Hears Comedy at School

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IOWA PARK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Iowa Park seniors presented their annual midwinter play, a three-act comedy, entitled "Black and Blue" to a large audience at the W. F. George High school auditorium Wednesday evening. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Karl Goetze orchestra and the play was under the direction of Miss Katherine Sue Ralston.

The cast was Virginia Sanders, Dell Harbour, Mary Emma Boyd, Kenneth Copeland, Francis Walker, Hazel George, Dorothy Sue Clark, Frank Young, J. C. Cobb, Rollins Woodall and Woodrow Wilson. The class was highly pleased with the receipts which will be applied to current expenses.

Methodist Evangelists Report 21,000 Professions

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 18. (AP)—Evangelists of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, meeting in annual conference here today, reported 21,551 persons made professions as a result of 306 meetings held during the year 1930.

Of the number 8,508 joined the Methodist church South and 8,016 united with other churches.

How Good Doctors Treat Bad Colds

Medical writers agree that the important point in the treatment of a cold, or cough due to a cold, is to relieve the congestion in the nose and throat, thereby preventing serious complications which may follow a neglected cold. To stop this congestion calomel was the accepted and standard remedy until Calotabs, the improved calomel compound tablet was introduced.

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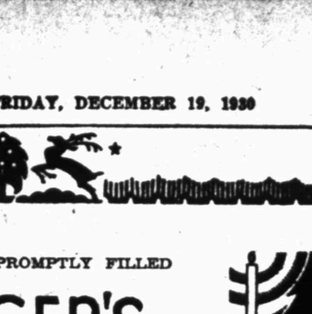
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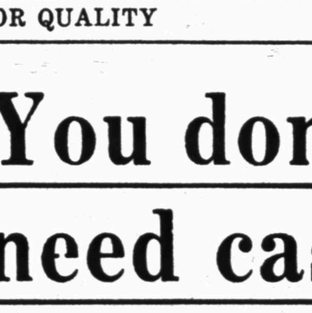
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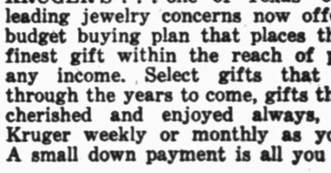
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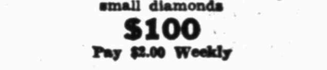
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Alathean Class Entertained At Lovely Christmas Party

Baskets and wreaths of red berried holly in the church parlors and a lovely lighted Christmas tree in the center of the stage with evergreens as a background made beautiful Christmas decorations when group two of the Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church was hostess to the class Thursday afternoon in the annual Christmas party. Mesdames Y. Ridings, Tom Wynne, Howard Weaver, H. E. Nettles, Hugh J. Baker, Bryan Lovelace, H. C. Copeland and Borden Morriss were in the group of hostesses.

Mrs. John Finch opened the meeting with a prayer and with Mrs. W. C. Reeves presiding in a business session, several officers gave interesting reports.

Miss Mary Hamilton presented a group of her pupils in expression in the following program: "The Christmas Spirit," Constance McWhirter; "Tiny Tot and Little Froggy," Jane Whatley; "The Week Before Christmas," Eugene Copeland; "Parents' Christmas Gifts," and "'Fore Your Daddy Comes," Esther Mary Peay; "On Christmas Eve," Nita Dale McDowell; "Williams," Billy Dickinson; piano solo, Miss Bobby Cole and "Silent Night," Helen Smith.

A realistic Santa Claus came in and distributed pretty gifts from the tree to each member of the class and the hostesses served a delicious refreshment plate with pretty Christmas favors to Esther Mary Peay, Betty Jane Weaver, Nita Marie Stovall, Georgia Mae Stimpson, Jane Whatley, Jack Smith, Gret'n Ann Bruton, B. W. Lovelace Jr., Mattelyn Lovelace, Nan Alice Elam, Euella Marie Jones, Billy Wells, Dorothea Marie Moore, Harold Eugene Copeland, Mary Oden, Dan Roy McWhirter, and Constance McWhirter; Mesdames W. C. Reeves, H. E. Nettles, Horace Peay, Howard Weaver, C. W. Stovall, Homer McGregor, A. M. Stimpson, John Finch, C. Breeden, W. D. Lacy, H. Clay McBride, L. T. Francis, Hugh J. Baker, B. J. Witten, Y. Ridings, Tom Wynne, George Smoot, G. P. Whatley, C. M. Smith, Frank Morgan, Rufus Bruton, G. F. Berry, C. C. Bunnenberg, W. D. Jones, A. M. Howard, W. T. Wells, Thos. Holcombe, Austin Moore, H. C. Copeland, W. D. Maddrey, C. L. Oden, C. E. McWhirter, J. F. Dixon, Borden Morriss, Cliff Everts, F. W. Underwood, Guy P'Pool, Miss Agnes Birkenfield and Miss Mary Hamilton.

PEEPS AT PEOPLE

By MRS. L. N. CASON

You judges by the number of lunching at counters in the town district, the gas bills for ...ing should be extremely light this month. Women with their arms loaded with bundles stack them beneath the high stools and give their orders.

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But we have struck. We thank the health rules that insist on a certificate of health before a man or woman can be employed to serve the public. A finicky appetite demands more. We watched a tomato being peeled and sliced for a sandwich Wednesday and the hands that wielded the knife had evidently suffered wounds. Three fingers wore stalls that needed a change and those stalls picked up bits of food regardless.

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There are more ways of being guilty of "negligent homicide" than one; the court, however, does not convict in neglect of health precautions.

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It seems to us that the thing to guard against just at this time is a "cold." We have never seen so many people with red eyes and sore throats and when the stores downtown are crowded at all hours, colds are entirely too easy to catch.

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It makes one feel he is dangerous to health when a doctor covers his nose against infection before treating him. But if shoppers could guard themselves in just that way as we remember they did in the first terrible epidemic of "flu") it might result in healthier mankind.

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True it would not look much like holiday times. But we contend that gauze-guarded noses would be no more horrifying than most of the Santas that parade the streets.

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It would be a good thing, also, if people would keep their mouths shut. Which isn't meant as a rebuke to talkers. We know that germs enter by mouth as well as the nostrils. "Say it with a spray," might be a good motto.

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This Christmas of 1930 more than any we remember is one when people are trying to do for others. Church societies, Sunday school classes, clubs—all sorts of woman's organizations are taking gifts for the needy rather than exchanging them among themselves.

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That people are sometimes the same "under the skin" was evidenced Thursday when we saw a small boy leaving one of the chain stores with a brilliant toy beneath his arm. On the curb two little negroes were sitting waiting for their mother who was inside the store. One of them was wailing dolorously.

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The little Caucasian stood looking at the wailing youngster for a moment, then walked over and dropped his toy in his lap. And there was a display of white teeth in the grin that supplanted the tears on the small black face.

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The 1930 motto is "give"—not "get."

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Adams Street Methodist Plans Benefit Banquet

Interesting speakers will appear on the program at the banquet to be given for the benefit of Adams Street Methodist church at the church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, it has been announced.

Dr. S. S. McKenney and Rev. C. A. Spragins will make talks and a splendid menu has been planned. Everyone is invited.

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Spanish Club Members To Visit Mexicans

Members of the Spanish club of the Junior college will play Santa Claus Friday, it has been announced, when the group will visit the Mexican school, sing Christmas carols, furnish a Santa Claus and give gifts to the Mexican children.

City of Galveston To Seek Refund on Taxes

GALVESTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The city of Galveston today decided to initiate claims against the federal government for approximately $500,000 claimed as refund on income taxes paid by the Galveston Wharf company. The city owns one-third interest in the company.



Demonstration Club Gives Yule Party

Special to The Record News.

IOWA PARK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Jack Ralston was hostess to Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club at her home in Iowa Park Wednesday afternoon. The occasion was the annual Christmas party. Beautiful decorations suggestive of the season and a large lighted Christmas tree surrounded by gifts greeted the guests as they entered.

Mrs. C. C. Burrows, president, presided at a short business session during which the secretary, Mrs. L. E. Brooks, read the minutes of the last meeting and made announcements for the coming year.

The program was opened by repeating the club prayer and creed. Mrs. Jack Ralston led in Scriptural reading, Luke, second chapter, 8th to 20th verses, which was followed by song, "Silent Night, Holy Night." Mrs. Frank Davis made a beautiful talk on "The Evolution of the Christmas Spirit." Mrs. G. C. Hathaway presented Miss Ethel Louise Webb, county agent, with a lovely hand-made quilt, the work of club members, as token of appreciation of her leadership during the year. Miss Webb in turn made an impressive talk thanking the members for their cooperation and the success of the year's work.

Delicious homemade candies were served to the following: Mesdames C. C. Burrows, I. W. Corder, L. E. Brooks, M. E. Ashby, J. N. George, George and A. D. Burcher, J. R. Morgan, Andy Howell, G. C. Hathaway, W. C. Williams, Walter Scott, M. L. Smith, Cleone Davis, M. A. Holt, Frank Davis, D. Tanner, D. C. Smith, Misses Emma Davis, Lorene Scott, Mable Noland, Ethel Louise Webb and the hostess, Mrs. Jack Ralston.

The first meeting of the new year will be a business meeting which will be held Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 7, at 2:30 p. m., at the clubhouse in Iowa Park.

VOTE OF THANKS

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—The chamber of commerce has drawn up resolutions of appreciation and thanks to W. A. Asbill who has been manager of the Lina Motor company for the past nine years who has resigned his position to take effect Jan. 1. Mr. Asbill has been a loyal member of the chamber of commerce and a past president of the Lions club.

When Your Cough Hangs On, Mix This at Home

The best cough remedy that money could buy, can easily be mixed at home. It saves money and gives you the most reliable, quick-acting medicine you ever used. The way it takes hold of stubborn coughs and chest colds, giving immediate relief, is astonishing.

Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex. Pour this into a pint bottle, and fill up with plain granulated sugar syrup or strained honey. It's no trouble at all to mix, and when you once use it, you will never be without it. Keeps perfectly and tastes good—children really like it.

It is surprising how quickly this loosens the germ-laden phlegm, and soothes and heals the inflamed membranes. At the same time, part of the medicine is absorbed into the blood, where it acts directly on the bronchial tubes, and helps the system throw off the whole trouble. Even those severe coughs which follow cold epidemics, are promptly ended.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway Pine, containing the active agent of creosote, in a refined, palatable form. Nothing known in medicine is more helpful in cases of severe coughs, chest colds and bronchial troubles.

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Wife Can't Make Hubby Tell Her What's in Will

Dear Dorothy Dix—My brother is thinking of marrying a girl whom we dislike. That's his affair, but what we object to is that he insists on bringing her to live with us, because on his small salary it would be impossible for them to live elsewhere. —J. M. B.

Answer—It is certainly nervy for your brother to expect you to support his wife under any conditions and especially when he is marrying a girl who is distasteful to you. When a man marries in opposition to his family's wishes, he should certainly be able to finance his own family.

You will be very weak and silly if you permit your brother to force his wife upon you. Tell him once and for all that you don't want her and will not have her in your house. If she comes an unwelcome guest, she will do nothing but make discord in your home and that is not to be tolerated. You will begin by disliking her and she will come into the family with a chip on her shoulder and there will be nothing but quarrels and ill-will.

Your refusal to let your brother bring the girl to your house will have another good effect. It will force him to put off the wedding until he can make enough to support her and that will probably break off the affair altogether and save him from making an unfortunate marriage.

—DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—Has a wife the right to question her husband concerning his will? I am married to a man many years older than I and have two small children. My husband seems to care nothing for me and were it not for my little ones I should leave. He has considerable wealth, but only gives me a small allowance, and takes pleasure in telling me that when he dies so much will go to the boy, so much to the girl and the remainder to a charitable institution, insinuating that he has left me nothing. To this statement I have never in any manner replied. However, I should hate to feel that when he does I will be left at the mercy of my children. I gave up a good position to marry him and have gone to death's door twice to bring our children into the world and I have done my full duty as a faithful wife. I do not want his money if he does not want me to have it, but I would like to know where I stand, and if I must make my own living later I would rather start out now while I am young and active.

—AN UNSUCCESSFUL WIFE.

Answer—Of course, a wife has the right to know about her husband's will, but if he does not choose to tell her there is no way in which she can force him to do so.

In your case your husband is merely using the threat of cutting you off, without even the proverbial penny, to torture you. It is the way his senile vanity and jealousy are venting themselves. Don't worry about it, because the law protects widows to a certain extent and gives them a certain share in their husband's estate. You can easily find this out by asking any lawyer how much the widow's portion is in your state.

Doubtless your husband will leave you as little as he can, but you will have some capital to start on and you will be well advised to be preparing yourself to make a living when he dies.

But just now your duty is to your children. They are your responsibility. Stay with them and make them a home and give them some love and affection. That is the most important work that you can do at present.

—DOROTHY DIX.

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There are only about 30,000 Eskimos in the world. They live in North America and Greenland.

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. 20—Christmas vacation, public schools.
Dec. 21—Choral vesper service, First Southern Presbyterian church, 5 p. m.
Musicians club Christmas concert, First Methodist church, 3 p. m.
Howard Mumford Jones, open forum free lecture, Memorial auditorium, 3 p. m.
White gift pageant, "Miriam's Vision," at Grace Methodist church.
Dec. 22—Kiwanis club meets noon Kemp hotel.
I. O. Boosters club meets noon, Y. W. C. A.
Dec. 23—Junior chamber of commerce Christmas dance, Wichita Falls Golf and Country club.
Ad club meets noon Kemp hotel.
Dec. 24—Optimist club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
Lions club meets noon, Kemp hotel.
Dec. 29—Public schools resume classes.
Jan. 6—Officers' installation, Kiwanis club.
Jan. 9—Annual chamber of commerce meeting, Memorial auditorium, 7:30 p. m.
Jan. 20—City election on $1,000,000 water improvements bond issue.

First Methodist Fellowship Group To Present Play

Members of the Fellowship groups of the First Methodist church will present a one-act Christ play "The Day of Taxing" during the Fellowship hour, 6:15 to 7:15, Sunday evening in the auditorium of the church at Tenth and Lamar.

Preceding the play, the Melody Girls, composed of 75 Reagan Junior High pupils under the direction of Miss Davis, will sing several Christmas selections.

Mrs. W. E. Bristol is directing the play which has the following cast: Mary, Miss Mildred Van Antwerp; Joseph, Ed Reeder; Asa, the innkeeper, Harold White; 8-year-old daughter of Asa, Eloise Curtis; 9-year-old son of Asa, Quincey Joe Lee; Joshua, a young servant, Don Bright; Shemuel, another servant, Clarence Dale; Adah, a girl servant Miss Ruth Frank; Tobiah, a musician, Ed Reeder.

Those assisting Mrs. R. W. H. McCulloch, chairman of arrangements, are Mesdames E. Lynn, W. J. Ranbarger, Moore, J. O. Yancy, W. G. Ireland, Clara Odom, Misses Juanita Bachman and Agnes Blackmon and Messrs. J. W. Thorne, Bob Tinsley and J. W. Walker.

Oklahoma Couple Wed at Tipton

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—Jack Jones, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Jones of Frederick, and Miss Lorene Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris of Tipton, were married Tuesday, Dec. 16, at the Methodist parsonage at Tipton, Rev. M. A. Cassidy, pastor, officiating.

The young couple will make their home in Tipton.

Fire Sweeps Business Buildings at Bonham

BONHAM, Texas, Dec. 18. (INS)—Sweeping its way through two business houses before it could be halted, one of the most destructive fires seen here in several years today had ruined the greater part of one business block.

The loss was estimated at nearly $75,000. A part of the Arnold company's loss, including building and stock, was covered by insurance.

A pressing shop adjoining the larger store was also burned.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Entertain Guests At Game Luncheon

Members of the state house of representatives of the Wichita area and their wives and several friends were complimented Thursday by a wild game luncheon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Oneal in the Country Club Estates. A pretty Christmas motif featured the decorations used in the reception suite and the table was lovely with a center of red roses.

Mr. O'Neal's prowess as a hunter and fisherman was displayed in the delightful luncheon of fish and venison.

In the afternoon, the men made a tour of inspection of the Wichita Falls state hospital and Mrs. Oneal entertained the ladies with a matinee at a local picture show.

Guests included Messrs. and Mesdames James V. Allred, C. J. Sherrill of Bellevue; A. C. Walker of Vernon; J. H. Fisher of Newcastle; Ed Howard, B. D. Donnell and Messrs. George Moffett of Chillicothe and Joe P. Hatchitt.

Farm Board Fund Bill Approved by Committee

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The senate appropriations committee today approved the house bill appropriating $150,000,000 additional for the federal farm board.

CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Mrs. W. L. Hawkins hostess to Twentieth Century club, afternoon.

Travel club annual luncheon and Christmas party at home of Mrs. E. T. Duff, 12 o'clock.

Community Study club with Mrs. E. E. Wilson, 3:30 o'clock. Members requested to bring used toys or can of food for needy.

Wesley Girls Sunday school class of Floral Heights Methodist church, Christmas party at home of Mrs. W. P. Ferguson, Country Club Estates, 2:30 o'clock.

Barwise P.-T. A. sponsor Christmas pageant at school at 1:30 o'clock.

Music department Reagan Junior High school presents Christmas play at school at 2:15 o'clock.

High School Freshmen Choose Class Officers

Special to The Record News.

CHILLICOTHE, Texas, Dec. 18.—Freshman class of the King High school, northwest of Chillicothe, have elected the following officers to serve: Rildie Newberry, president; Forest Gibson, vice president; Juanita Langford, secretary; Billy Emerson, treasurer; C. M. Lance, reporter. Miss Mary Parrack was elected sponsor of the class.

Youngest Hoovers Delighted by Snow

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (INS)—Today was a great day for the youngsters of the capital generally, for it brought the first blanket of snow, which meant sleds and snowballing and other things like that.

But it was a particularly notable day for two occupants of the White House, Peggy Ann Hoover, 4, and Herbert Hoover III, who is 3. It was the first snow they had ever seen and they spent the entire morning in the White House grounds "oh-oh-ing" and "ah-ah-ing" at the wonder of it.

Later their grandmother took them to Rock Creek park where they saw the trees and rocks covered with the soft virgin blanket of pure white, unmarked by smoke or grime.

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Regular $1.95
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Dec. 19, Friday
2:30 to 3:30 p. m.
Ladies' New Flowered Kimonos
Regular $1.95
59¢

HOURLY SPECIAL
Dec. 20, Saturday
9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Ladies' Rayon Underwear
Values to $1.95
29¢

HOURLY SPECIAL
Dec. 20, Saturday
2:30 to 3:30 p. m.
Ladies' Patent House Shoes
Leather Soles, Regular $1.95
66¢

New Dresses
Values Up to $15.75
$3.99
It Will Pay You to See These



Men's Ties Values to $1.50 ..... 49c
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Men's Silk Sox Values to $1.00 ..... 29c

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Ladies' Slip Over Sweaters 77c
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Buckskin Men' Lumber Jacks and Shirts $1.99

Men's Dress Shirts 79c Values to $1.95
Men's BELTS 69c Regular $1.00
Men's Khaki Pants 88c Values to $2.45
Boys' Part Wool Sweaters 88c Values to $2.95



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Values up to $39.75
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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

BANDITS ROB QUANAH HOTEL

Chillicothe Store Looted of $400 Goods

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Texas, Dec. 18.—Two masked bandits early Thursday morning robbed the Quanah hotel of $85 after forcing Bob Womack, night clerk, to sit on the floor while they looted the desk and cash register. At the point of a gun, Womack was made to precede the pair across the hotel lobby and to sit in the porter's chair while they escaped.

Harvey Lacey, negro porter, was in a rear room and followed the hijackers too late to get the number on their automobile, parked without a tail light about a block from the hotel.

Womack, who was alone in the lobby, said the pair appeared to be familiar with the hotel arrangements.

The holdup took place about 7:30 o'clock.

Special to The Record News.

CHILLICOTHE, Texas, Dec. 18.—Thieves broke into the C. E. Stone Dry Goods store here early Thursday morning, carrying away more than $400 worth of suits and overcoats.

Entrance was made through the front door with the aid of, what the officers think, a crowbar. The thieves had made several attempts to open the door before finally succeeding. The lock was damaged so as to gain entry easily. The sheriff was notified immediately after the burglary was discovered and he began on the case at once.

According to the manager of the store, O. G. Austin, the employes left Tuesday night about 9 o'clock. However, a cafe nearby was open until about 12 o'clock, and up to that time thieves had made no attempt to enter the store, and therefore the officers assert, the robbery must have taken place early in the morning.

Authorities believe the same bunch of thieves who have been burglarizing other stores nearby, committed the crime. The safe and cash register were not tampered with, showing the thieves were after clothing only. No clues have been found so far, but officers are still working on the case.

FASCISTS USE GUNS

KREFELD, Germany, Dec. 18. (AP)—Fascists returning on trucks last night from an out of town meeting fired shots into a group of Communists, wounding two persons dangerously and two slightly.

DINNER HONORS ROSS STERLING

700 Attend Banquet For Governor-Elect

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—Ross S. Sterling, governor-elect, was honored here last night at a dinner attended by more than 700 persons.

Speakers included Judge W. O. Huggins, Dr. William States Jacobs, Jesse H. Jones, John T. Scott, Frank Andrews, H. M. Lull, John Henry Kirby, W. R. Ely, W. P. Hobby, Thomas H. Ball, Joseph W. Evans, Cone Johnson and Gov. Dan Moody.

Tight-Lipped Drinker Released From Jail

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 18. (AP)—An order by the state supreme court today brought about the release from jail of Frank Harrand, farmer, held at Cadillac, more than a month because he failed to reveal the source of liquor which caused his arrest for drunkenness.

Harrand was released under $500 bail when the supreme court granted a writ of certiorari providing for a review of the proceedings by which Recorder's Judge E. J. Millington ordered him confined in jail until he revealed the source of the liquor.

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$1.00 Hinds Honey Almond Cream 61c
75c Houbigant's Shaving Lotion 63c
25c Listerine Shaving Cream 17c
50c Pebeco Tooth Paste 29c
$1.00 Tangee Lipstick 79c
1-pound Theatrical Cleansing Cream 69c
$2.50 Kantleek Hot Water Bottle, in colors $2
$1.00 Fiancee Dusting Powder 49c
$1.00 Box Stationery 59c
$1.00 Fountain Pens 69c
$1.00 Fracy's Bath Salts 69c
50c Fracy's Soap 19c
$5.00 Guerfain's Perfume $3.89
$25.00 Guerfain's Shalimar Perfume $23.98
$12.50 Guerfain's Shalimar Perfume $11.00
$15.00 Guerfain's L'Heure Bleue $13.79
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Houbigant ..... $1 to $25
Flamme de Gloire ..... $1.50 to $20
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Pocket Book and Bill Folds .. $1 to $7.50
Cigarette Cases ..... 50c to $2.50
Pipes ..... 50c to $5.00
Razors ..... 98c to $15.00
Stroppers' ..... 98c to $5.00
Cigars and Cigarettes.

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NOW and .... THEN

Cierva's Autogiro It Improves on Nature A Notable Discovery Kresel the Invincible

By EMILE GAUVREAU

Juan de La Cierva is a name to be remembered. He is the inventor of the Autogiro, the "windmill" flier, hailed as the plane of the future. The other day he was honored in New York by a distinguished gathering of aviation leaders, among them America's greatest flier, Captain Hawks. Lindbergh and King Alfonso were among the many who sent congratulatory messages.

The Autogiro will soon attain a speed of 200 miles an hour and carry seven-ton loads. It is the nearest approximation to the action of bird flight that has yet been attained. For 400 years man has attempted, scientifically, to fly by imitating the birds. He now is improving on the bird.

Leonardo da Vinci made the first attempt to fly in 1500. A century and a half later De Lana constructed his flying boat. In 1809 came Sir George Cayley, the father of British aeronautics, who constructed a tiny helicopter in which two windmills made of quill feathers were caused to revolve about a vertical axis. But the best attempt is La Cierva's, simply because he copies, then improves on nature.

For a cure of the physical ills of mankind you must look to the scientist rather than to the philosopher, the preacher or poet. Perhaps there is a valid instance of a permanent cure by preachment, or by adopting a special attitude towards life, or by listening to an ode, but the records are hazy. The scientist is the saviour of man.

For years the world has been suffering from the deadly fumes of carbon monoxide which pour into the streets from automobile exhausts. A device to end this peril and save the nation a billion dollars a year besides is announced by Dr. Miller Reese Hutchinson, one time personal representative of Edison. Dr. Hutchinson came upon his invention through his research attempts to increase flying efficiency and safety after his son's death in an air crash.

New York watches in wonder as Isador J. Kresel, fearless public prosecutor, slashes right and left into organized vice. Corrupt officials have no more deadly foe today than this man. To remove him is impossible. He declines the honor of Tammany to become one of its assistant district attorneys. What did Tammany's district attorneys do about vice before Mr. Kresel appeared on the horizon?

J. W. Surles Appointed Frisco Power Director

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 18. (AP)—J. W. Surles, formerly assistant superintendent of motive power for the St. Louis, San Francisco Railway company, has been appointed superintendent of motive power, it was announced at the railroad's offices today. The appointment is effective Jan. 1, at which time Surles will assume his new duties in St. Louis.

F. G. Lister, chief mechanical engineer of the Frisco, will become assistant superintendent of motive power.

Surles first came to the Frisco railroad in 1923 when he was made superintendent of the road's north shops at Springfield.

Texas Boy Gored By Bull on Father's Farm

M'ALLEN, Texas, Dec. 18. (INS)—Gored by an angry bull while he played on his father's farm, five miles west of here, 2-year-old Jean Callahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Callahan of Mission was recovering in a hospital here today.

The boy suffered a bad wound in his abdomen when the animal attacked him, but hospital attendants said he would recover.

Hambone's Meditations



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Earle Sande, jockey, is giving vocal recitals this winter. Expecting to stirrup a little change in the off season, eh?

Many a farmer has learned since the wheat surplus to look before he reaps.

Then there's the Chicago gunman who sprayed his mischievous son with bullets in the belief that to spare the "rod" is to spoil the child.

Courage, Character

GOOD times will come back one of these days, says Utilities Magnate Samuel Insull, because "courage and character will make them come."

Mr. Insull got off this remark at a festival luncheon of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce. He followed it by complaining that some Americans are "petulantly calling upon the government for aid," and then declared that if the government will only let things alone everything will come out very nicely and all of this courage and character will bear their proper fruit.

There is no denying, surely, that courage is an essential quality these days. This is especially true in the case of the man who hasn't had a job since last January, and who doesn't know when he is going to get another. And if such a man has a good character, the butcher and the grocer are more likely to trust him for his food supplies while he is out of work; indeed, if his character is something superlative, even his banker might accommodate him with a small loan.

However, this particular recipe leaves one with a somewhat unsatisfied feeling. Courage and character are very fine attributes; but isn't it essential that our business and industrial community display, also a third attribute—brains?

The most dismaying thing about the present situation, when you stop to think about it, is its disquieting hint that American business simply blundered into the depression without foreseeing it, and that it has not now the faintest idea how it is going to get out or how it is going to stay out once it does get out.

Up until the very moment that the stock market broke in 1929, the more vocal members of the commercial class were assuring us that prosperity would last forever, since we had entered a new era. For six months after the crash they were trying to tell us that the trouble was only a temporary recession, and not a week passed without some seer spying the beginning of an up-trend. Now, with hard times in full blast, the franker business leaders are admitting that they don't know just what the trouble is or how soon it will be over.

Wouldn't it be better if we could hear a little more about the need for brains and unprejudiced study, and a little less about courage and character?

'Nothing New Under the Sun'

THERE is nothing new under the sun. Almost 4,000 years ago the farmers of Mesopotamia suffered from acute agricultural depression and loan deals. This is shown by a collection of antiquities, placed on exhibition at the University of Pennsylvania museum. These ancient records disclose that agriculture had its troubles ages and ages ago in the Mesopotamia of the early fathers who tilled the soil under Asian skies. There are tablet records which tell the story of a farmer who pledged his entire farm as security for loan of three and one-half pounds of lead.

Another tablet lists in great detail all the houses, clothing, lead, copper and barley which changed hands when two brothers agreed legally to adopt a small boy. Another receptacle containing 49 tablets and a long inscription belonged to an illiterate shepherd. The inscription revealed the pebbles represented 49 sheep entrusted to his care. By preserving a proper balance between the number of pebbles and sheep the shepherd could easily render an accurate accounting of his flock at any time.

Yes, the ancients knew all about farm depression. They knew all about loans and interest. They had their fat years and their lean years.

Our Maternity Death Rate

A SET of figures on maternity death rates, issued by the children's bureau of the U. S. department of labor and disseminated by the Maternity Center Association of New York, reveals that the maternity death rate in the United States is higher than it is in 24 other countries—including such benighted lands as Uruguay, Hungary, Esthonia, Lithuania and the backward republic of Salvador.

For every thousand babies born in the United States, six mothers die. Indeed, the rate is slightly higher than that—6.5 per 1,000 births, to be exact. In Uruguay it is 2.2; in Finland it is 3; in England and Wales it is 4.1.

Dr. Louis I. Dublin, famous statistician for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., estimates that fully 10,000 of the 16,000 American mothers who die in childbirth each year could be saved if they had the proper medical care before, during and after the birth of their babies.

If you are looking for a good "cause" to attach yourself to, here is one that could evidently stand a little assistance.

Porto Rican Diplomats

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, governor of Porto Rico, urges that the U. S. government train young Porto Ricans for diplomatic and consular service in South America.

Governor Roosevelt points out that Porto Rico is a place where North and South American cultures meet and blend. The Porto Rican is of Spanish culture, blood and tradition; but he is, also, proud of his American citizenship. He should make an ideal representative for us below the equator.

Most of our troubles in South America have been due to lack of understanding. As Governor Roosevelt says, the policy he suggests would go far to create a bond of sympathy and comprehension.

Quotations Worth Noting

It is possible that our disillusionment is a nightmare caused by trying to digest too much learning.—**Dean Roscoe Pound of Harvard.**

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The purpose of our government is to cooperate with others, to use our friendly offices, and short of any implication of the use of force to use every friendly effort and all good will to maintain the peace of the world.—**President Hoover.**

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The manner in which the authors of modern war fiction and movie directors have pictured the world war doughboy as a mademoiselle-chasing, liquor-drinking Paris tourist has done more to undermine the principles of patriotism and good citizenship than nearly any other factor in everyday life.—**Paul C. Wolman, commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.**

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Modern innovations seem to have produced a young generation which is never happy unless it is going fast or making a noise, and preferably doing both.—**Dr. Cyril Norwood.**

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Candor is strictly masculine.—**Le Baron Cooke.**

WALTER WINCHELL

On Broadway

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Things I Never Knew Till Now

(But which you knew all along!)

That eminent surgeons now argue that modern dance routines, particularly "snake hips," are conducive to appendicitis.

That the best way to clean spectacles is with dirty paper money.

That New Orleans isn't pronounced Nawlins by the natives at all. Most say: Nyew Or-lee-ans. The town, incidentally, eats more bread (three-fourths of a loaf per person) than any other U. S. town.

That if you have a Florida license plate on your car in New York state you may drive without a driver's license.

That President Harding inspected the dictionary daily. He explained that he looked up at least two new words. The two that interested him most were "responsibility" and "accountability."

That the only cigar lighter that works in the strongest wind (or in a moving plane) costs but 35 cents.

That adult men should weigh about 110 pounds for five feet in height, with five and a half pounds added for every extra inch.

That theater coatroom bandits in the winter urge you to check your coat. When you do, and you also hand them your hat, they tell you to put it under your seat. In the summer, however, when you do not wear a coat, they pester you to check your lid, the sillies.

That dogs, horses and other animals dream.

That the "Washington Crossing the Delaware" painting portrays George's boat with an American flag. Washington crossed the Delaware in December, 1776. The flag was not designed until the spring of '77.

That that butcher shop in New York featuring fancy rugs on the floor and portraits on the walls is on B'way in the 70's.

That the line, "He's so wet that if you were to blow on him he'd ripple," is in "The New Yorkers" show, already.

That most forgers, when copying a signature, copy the name upside down, and backwards. Oh, they do, too!

That at a lecture delivered by Prof. Wm. Lyon Phelps of Yale on Dec. 2, someone asked him his opinion of Walter Winchell. "Never heard of him," he is supposed to have snapped. Yale? Phelps?

That you inhale about seven pounds of oxygen daily.

That it is difficult or impossible to swallow anything with the mouth open. Oh, you knew that! Well, mah stahs!

That a runner should be able to hold his breath for 130 yds.

That memorizing cannot improve the memory. The more rapid the memory the more accurate. Where were you last night at 10:24?

That you are cross-eyed when you are sleeping.

That there are over 300,000 oil wells producing in the U. S. The greatest oil wells are in Russia, Rumania and Mexico.

That gas was first used as an illuminant at Fredonia, N. Y., in 1824. About 1882 it was used in Pittsburgh as a fuel, you feul!

That there are 72 springs at Hot Springs, Ark.

That gold (a nugget) was first discovered on Feb. 9, 1848, by a little girl, last-named Marshall, on a branch of the Sacramento river.

That Lincoln had about 1,500 biographers.

That Voltaire, Macaulay, Cowper, Pope, Beethoven, Walter Pater, Swinburne, Sir Isaac Newton and Leonardo da Vinci were bachelors.

That they performed an autopsy on John Paul Jones 113 years after his death. To learn why he died.

That the ruins of Pompeii were accidentally discovered by workmen in 1755. Systematic excavations were begun in middle of the 19th century.

That Muckle John, the fool of Charles I, was the last official fool of England. I said official.

That the cannon on all Columbus' three ships cost about 14,000 pesetas, or about what it costs to fire a single charge from one of the guns of a present-day dreadnaught.

That John Wilkes Booth was not considered a good actor. He was frequently hissed and only played benefits in New York.

That the firing squad for Edith Cavell purposely aimed inaccurately, and she was wounded by only one bullet. The legend has it, however, that the officer in charge finished the job himself.

That Paul Revere didn't make the ride alone. The guy who rode with him never got a break, however. He was tagged William Dawes.

That Lincoln consumed only five minutes to make his great Gettysburg speech and it was received without applause, probably because the listeners were too moved for demonstration. Mistaking the silence, Abe turned to a pal and sadly said: "I have failed again."

That Edward Everett, the renowned orator, also spoke on the same program, talking two hours. He was received with deafening applause. But how many of you can remember what he said?

That the movie magnates estimate that one in every 5,000 extras attain principal roles and one in every 25,000 stardom.

And that Groucho Marx says the depression is so great in Boston the pigeons on the Common are feeding peanuts to the passers-by.

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Add Pun-ch Drunkards

L. Rosenberg wants to make up a sentence containing the word cement like this: "She looked at the other fellow but I think cement me," and Buck I. State can toy with the word "malicious" in this manner: "The malicious part of the army."

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



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Everyone must have encountered in his own experience some unique person, event or fact which would be an excellent subject for Robert L. Ripley's "Believe It or Not" cartoon. Readers are invited to send such suggestions to Mr. Ripley through this newspaper. Every suggestion must be accompanied by references or proofs that will authenticate it. For every suggestion he accepts Mr. Ripley will give an autographed copy of his book, "Believe It or Not." All that is necessary to get the book is to watch for the Ripley cartoon in which your winning suggestion appears, clip the cartoon from this paper and send it to Mr. Ripley in care The Record News.

LITTLE MISS NOBODY

By VIDA HURST



"I've been waiting for you over an hour."

SYNOPSIS

Dolores Graham, 36 years old and unusually attractive to men, and Dr. Fenton are found in each other's arms, shot to death, in the latter's office. Celeste, 19 and equally beautiful, is the daughter of Dolores. Because of the scandal attached to her mother's death, Celeste is ostracized from her "crowd" and becomes a Miss Nobody instead of a respected girl.

Celeste is forced to take a new job at the Elite Department store and she meets and falls in love with Dale Hamilton Jr., son of the owner of the store. At the store Celeste meets Blondie McManus, a sophisticated girl of Celeste's age with a heart of gold.

Russell Graham, Celeste's father, deserts her and goes to northern California in search of work because of the scandal. Blondie moves into Celeste's apartment and they share expenses on a 50-50 basis.

Through Dale Hamilton, Celeste gets a job in Randolph Clayton's offices as private secretary. Dale and Celeste are admittedly in love with each other, even though Dale knows all about the scandal which made her a "Little Miss Nobody."

One day Dale fails to keep a date with Celeste and, although he comes into the office on several occasions, he fails to speak to her. Wondering what can be the matter, Celeste accepts a dinner engagement with her employer, Mr. Clayton.

CHAPTER XXI

Celeste was not thrilled over the prospect of dining with her employer. She would have preferred rushing home late as it was. There was still a chance that Dale might telephone or come to explain his silence and the broken engagement which Celeste knew now was not accounted for merely by the fact of his sister's "nervous attack." But R. R. C. had been so forbearing with her mistakes during the long, miserable day she felt it would be discourteous to refuse.

She pulled the blue felt hat over eyes which were clouded with distress. Her smile as they descended in the elevator was sweet but vague. She scarcely realized what Aichard Randolph Clayton was saying, she was so occupied with her own wretched thoughts.

Why was Dale avoiding her? What had happened? What could she have done?

When Mr. Clayton suggested that they go to the nearby "Pig 'n Whistle," Celeste agreed, indifferently. It made no difference to her. Once seated, however, she forced herself to exhibit more interest.

R. R. C. ordered and gazed upon her, speculatively.

"What an ogre you must think I am."

"Why?"

"You've looked scared to death all day."

This interpretation of her frantic attempts to forget Dale and concentrate on her work made Celeste smile.

"Naturally, I'm anxious to keep the position."

"You've nothing to worry about," he said.

Celeste wondered why the color seemed to deepen in his sun-tanned face as he added, "I've already made you my secretary."

"I can't see you keeping me if I'm as slow as I've been today."

"You won't be," he assured her.

He simply would not play up to her preconceived ideas of him as a millionaire.

"What are you thinking about now?" he demanded.

"You aren't at all my idea of a boss," Celeste retorted.

His dark eyes twinkled.

"Disappointed in me?"

"Rather! I'm afraid you don't take your business seriously."

"If I had my way about it," he confessed, "I'd never be seen inside an office. You'll probably find me impossible. Most secretaries do."

Celeste remembered that Jenine had resigned. Had she tired of his unbusinesslike methods? Or was she, as Mr. Smith had unwittingly implied, in love with him?

Reminding herself that Jenine was a mystery she had promised not to attempt to solve, Celeste said, politely, "On the contrary, you are considered the prize employer of Los Angeles. Mildred told me so the first day I came to work for you."

He looked absurdly pleased.

"If that's true, there's no greater compliment you could pay me. I hate authority so much myself that I can't bear to think anyone who works for me being dissatisfied."

His thin face lighted with enthusiasm.

"I'm afraid I'm an impossible idealist, Miss Graham. I figure if people are happy they'll be good, but so few of us are. Ever since I was a small boy, restrained and hampered on every side, I've resented my own lack of liberty. My mother died when I was only 5, and my father, in his attempt to protect me, surrounded me with a bodyguard of nurses and tutors which smothered me. He would be horrified if he knew how I feel about the money he worked so hard to leave. But it's only since his death I've dared to be myself. If my mother had lived I imagine it would have been different."

Celeste was not pretending her interest now.

"What was she like — your mother?"

He answered, seriously, "I have a miniature of her painted just after she was married, which I'll show to you some day. She looked very much like you."

"Like me?" Celeste repeated.

"Amazingly so! The resemblance struck me one day when I saw you sitting at the switchboard with that same dreamy little smile upon your face. It was so like hers in the picture that I felt I must tell you about it."

Celeste was touched.

"I think it's awfully sweet of you to say so."

As she lifted her eyes to his she saw that his were full of tears. What a strange person he was. And what a lonely life he must have led in spite, perhaps, because of his money! She remembered Mr. Smith's story about the marriage when he was "just a kid" to a wife who had deserted him for another man, and she felt herself hating any woman who could hurt him. The fact that he had likened her to his mother made her feel protective toward the little boy she suspected was still hiding behind his cynical gaze.

But with the serving of the food he had ordered Mr. Clayton became once more the rather bored man of the world he had seemed on her first day. They chatted impersonally of office affairs, an appointment he had for the next day and the polo match in which he had been playing.

He asked no questions about her life. If he knew about the murder of her mother, as no doubt he did, he made no reference to it. Celeste felt herself stimulated and mentally on her toes. He had, it seemed, been everywhere and done everything. Educated in England, he had spent a couple of years traveling in the far East. He mentioned various exciting experiences in a careless fashion which made her long to hear more about them. That he was an adventurer was evident. No wonder he fretted at the confinement of an office when his soul longed to be sailing stormy seas.

There was a feverish quality about his quiet restlessness. She imagined his thin cheeks would be burning to touch. And the unrest in her own heart stirred responsively. He would never seem "just her employer" again. He, too, was a prisoner beating against the bars.

It was after 10 before they rose to leave. Celeste, passing the rows of occupied booths, found herself facing Dale Hamilton. His blue eyes traveled beyond her to her companion, but there was no warmth in his greeting to either of them.

Her cheeks flushed at his formality. Less than a week ago he had tried to kiss her. No doubt he was sorry now that he had removed her from his father's department store. It would be embarrassing to be constantly thrown with a girl after he had ceased to be interested——

Almost curtly she refused Mr. Clayton's offer to take her home. She reached the apartment house some time later to find Dale parked before it in his car.

"I've been waiting for over an hour," he announced, coldly.

(Continued Saturday)

Answers to Questions

By FREDERIC J. HASKIN

What is your question? Whatever it may be, unless it be a request for legal, medical, or financial advice, it will be answered without cost to you, and you will receive the reply in a personal letter. Write your question clearly and briefly, enclose two-cent stamp for return postage, and address The Record News Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C.

Q.—What percentage of moisture should there be in a school room? —C. W. R.

A.—The office of education states that the amount of moisture considered best in the school room varies from 50 to 75 per cent relative humidity.

Q.—Was the discus thrown in the early Olympic games the same weight as the one now used?—R. G.

A.—It was a plate of bronze, probably lens-shaped, and much heavier than the one now used.

Q.—When was traffic on the Mississippi river at its height?—I. W. F.

A.—Freight and travel operations reached their maximum on the Mississippi river in 1871.

Q.—When is Indian summer?—H. F.

A.—Indian summer is a name applied to a short season of pleasant weather which occurs in the central and Atlantic coast states usually during the months of October and November, but more rarely in December. Indian summer is characterized by an almost cloudless sky, calm or light air, hazy atmosphere, and a mild temperature in the daytime although cool at night. This period may last two or three weeks and may occur two or three times during a season. The theory has been advanced that early settlers may have given the bright warm days of autumn the name of Indian summer because it was as gaudy as the Indians in their war paints. Another idea is that at this season the Indians often went to war because the bright autumn colors served as camouflage for them. There is no actual record of the use of the term until 1774, when it was in general use throughout the Atlantic states.

Q.—What has become of Ruth Elder, the aviatrix?—G. H. T.

A.—Miss Elder is now Mrs. Walter Camp Jr., and is living in New York.

Q.—Are the flag and all the other Barbara Frietchie relics in the Barbara Frietchie home at Frederick, Md., genuine?—F. D.

A.—The genuineness of all the Barbara Frietchie relics, the management of the home states, is certified.

Q.—Where did the Sally Lunn get its name?—L. O.

A.—The tea cake Sally Lunn was named for the hawker who once sold them in the streets of Bath, England.

Q.—How large is the Washington cathedral to be? What is the inscription on the foundation stone? —F. C.

A.—Measuring from the exterior of the apse to the western entrance, the cathedral will be 534 feet long. It will have a total area of 71,000 square feet. Its central tower will be 262 feet high and the western towers will be 195 feet high. The foundation stone, laid in 1907, was brought from Bethlehem and is engraved with this inscription: "The Word Was Made Flesh and Dwelt Among Us."

Q.—Were automobiles ever barred from Central park in New York city?—B. F. R.

A.—In 1899 an ordinance of the city of New York barred Central park to horseless vehicles.

Q.—How much did Joseph Pulitzer give to the school of journalism at Columbia?—N. H.

A.—Mr. Pulitzer's original gift to the Columbia School of Journalism was $2,000,000.

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The Record News Offers A Booklet of Recipes For Canned Foods

This booklet is a recipe masterpiece on canned foods. It contains 28 recipes for soups, 20 for sea food dishes, 17 for entrees and substantial dishes, 51 for vegetables, 35 for salads, eight for sauces, 12 for sandwiches, 10 for appetizers, and 35 for desserts—more than 200 in all.

Try this one—Pigs in Blankets. Take one No. 2 size can of oysters, half-pound thinly sliced bacon, salt, pepper, parsley, toast. Drain the oysters well, sprinkle with salt and pepper, and roll each in a bit of bacon. Fasten with toothpicks and broil over a hot fire. Remove the toothpicks and serve on squares of hot buttered toast. Garnish with sprigs of parsley.

And then send for the booklet, enclosing 10 cents in coin or stamps. Use this coupon.

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C.-C. BOARD TO MEET TODAY

Program of Work Report Scheduled

A report of the findings of the general committee in charge of the 1931 program of work will be made Friday morning at 10 o'clock when the chamber of commerce board of directors meets, it was announced Thursday. The board meeting Friday will be the last to be held during the year.

Plans for the annual meeting to be held at the Memorial auditorium on the night of Jan. 9 will be discussed. Arrangements are being made for a full program during the meeting, which will be open to the general public, it was stated.

Also to come before the board Friday is the report of the national affairs committee on the United States Chamber of Commerce referendum No. 57, which has to do with the federal government's policies regarding the development of water power in the United States, the relation of the federal government to the states in the development of water projects and the relation of the states and federal government to private water projects.

The national affairs committee of the chamber of commerce here is composed of Frank Kell, chairman; R. E. Huff, A. H. Britain and Orville Bullington.

NAVY RECRUITING

Expiration of many enlistments has created again in the navy a need for recruits and the local recruiting office will begin receiving applications again in January, according to I. E. Long, torpedoman first class, who is in charge. No recruits have been examined in December, he said.

An English inventor has included both heating and lighting elements in an electric fixture to be installed on ceilings of rooms.

Wichita State Hospital to Observe Christmas With Series of Programs

The Wichita Falls State hospital will begin its annual Christmas season program on Sunday, Dec. 21 to extend through Dec. 31. A number of interesting features have been provided for patients, officers and employes, including parties, dances, motion pictures, band concerts and religious services, to be topped off Christmas day with a huge Christmas dinner.

Mrs. C. W. Castner, wife of Dr. Castner, superintendent, is in charge of arrangements for the 10-day festival period. On Tuesday, Dec. 23, the occupational therapy class party will be held and will consist of various entertainments and games, for which prizes will be awarded to the winners in the contests. The Maskat temple Shrine band will give a concert on Christmas day in the hospital auditorium. Although the auditorium seating capacity is about 450, the concert will be relayed through amplifiers to all wards.

Thea season program will open with religious services Sunday conducted by the Rev. W. D. Bratton, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd and will close on Dec. 31 with a watch party and dance.

The program for the season follows:

Sunday, Dec. 21
Religious services, 3 p. m., Rev. W. D. Bratton, pastor Episcopal church. Special songs by R. E. Shepherd.

Tuesday, Dec. 23
Occupational Therapy class party. 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. Miss Ena Hinton, Director; Miss Beatrice Manning, assistant.

Wednesday, Dec. 24
Moving picture show 7 p. m. Singing of carols. Santa Claus 9 p. m. Christmast tree and distribution of gifts.

Thursday, Dec. 25
Concert, 10 a. m. Maskat temple Shrine band, director Gerald Pond.

Friday, Dec. 26
Patients' dance, 7 p. m. Music by hospital orchestra.

Wednesday, Dec. 31
Watch party and dance, 8 to midnight. Music by special orchestra.

Kell Gives Flour for Needy Families

200 More Baskets Needed for Christmas

For each basket dinner supplied by this community for the Salvation Army's distribution to local poor on Christmas day, Frank Kelf will provide one 24-pound sack of flour to accompany the gift, it was announced Thursday by Ensign A. Shultz, local commander of the organization.

No limit was placed upon the number of sacks thus to be presented, Ensign Shultz said, save that there will be one sack for each basket. From which it follows that the number of such bags of flour which Mr. Kell will be privileged to supply to local families will depend directly upon the contributions made by the remaining citizenship.

Contributions to the Salvation Army kettles have been quite as numerous as in preceding years on most days recently, the commander said, but due to a prevalence of the smallest denominations in coins, the gross returns have been heavily reduced. At the present rate of accumulation, he said, the Christmas dinner fund will be able to deliver baskets to less than half those families now estimated to need such help for the day. That would mean Ensign Shultz said, that almost 200 families will be left uncared for when the distribution of dinner baskets is made.

Six kettles on the streets will continue for five more days to make their appeal for more nickles, dimes and quarters with which to provide much-needed staple groceries and meat for dependent families here. On next Monday night, the American Legion drum and bugle corps will stage a program at 6 o'clock on the intersection of Eighth and Scott for the benefit of the Salvation Army Christmas dinner fund. The program will be staged with a view to stimulating deposits in the kettles.

Members of the I. O. Boosters club are to stage a huge drive Friday morning, aided by numerous other local citizens, in the hope of bringing in several hundred rabbits for the Salvation Army's charity larder.

Junior C.-C. to Study 1931 Program of Work

An open discussion of the 1931 program of work will be held Friday noon at the Kemp hotel when the semi-monthly luncheon of the Junior chamber of commerce is held. The election of alternates to serve on the board of directors will also take place.

Each member of the organization is urged to bring before the meeting and idea for the civic advancement of Wichita Falls in 1931, it was said. Also included in the program Friday is the official passing of the gavel from the hands of Jerry Vinson, retiring president, to Maurice Cheek, recently elected head of the junior chamber. A musical program will be presented.

WOMAN HELD IN EMBEZZLEMENT

Tulsa Secretary Arrested On Bench Warrant

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 18. (AP)—Mrs. Beulah McAllister, charged with embezzlement of funds from the Fidelity Investment company, of which she was secretary for nine years, was re-arrested today on a bench warrant issued by District Judge Saul Yager and her bond of $4,000 increased to $50,000.

Judge Yager's action came on a motion by W. L. Coffey, county attorney, who told the court an investigation had revealed Mrs. McAllister's defalcations totaled more than $200,000. In the present charges she is alleged to have embezzled a total of $5,160.

Stolen Furniture Found By Officers Near City

Fear of detection by local officers known to have begun work on the case early Thursday morning was thought to have occasioned the abandonment near this city of household furnishings stolen from the home of Ed Holder, 500 Denver street, according to information given by the sheriff's department, Thursday.

Soon after the robbery was reported, Deputy Sheriff Dick Morris located about two-thirds of the furniture, bed clothing, etc., taken from the Holder home on a roadside about three miles east of Wichita Falls. A commandeered dairy truck brought the recovered goods to the city.

Mr. Holder had been absent from home about two months prior to his return Wednesday it was stated.

Records

NEW AUTOMOBILE LICENSES
Guy C. Raley, Tax Collector
T. J. Rowland, Wichita Falls, Ford coupe.
O. F. Sproual, Wichita Falls, Nash coupe.
Mrs. T. J. Taylor, Wichita Falls, Pierce-Arrow sedan.

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD
Miss Elizabeth Hall, County Clerk
Jennie Kelly et vir, north 100 feet of lots 1 and 2, block 54-A, Highland addition, Wichita Falls, to George W. Bakus.
J. C. Scheurer et ux, lot 10, block 1, and 6¼ feet of west side of lot 9, block 1, Wichita Falls, to J. R. Bafley.
H. E. Wilson, lot 29, block 18, Hillcrest addition, Wichita Falls, to Mrs. H. M. Wilson.

SUITS FILED
Mrs. A. B. Eichelberger, District Clerk
Lumbermen's Reciprocal association et al. vs. W. H. Derrick et al, suit to set aside an award.
W. F. Davis vs. O. R. Tautenhahn, debt.
Maude Bartlett vs. Clyde M. Bartlett, divorce.
W. Gibbons vs. J. L. Eggleston et al, damages.
L. L. Mosman et al. vs. Mercury Insurance company of St. Paul, debt.
Mrs. Vera Stewart et al. vs. Chase Bag company et al, damages.

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Store Manager Fined On Labor Law Charge

Following a plea of guilty entered in the county court at law Thursday morning before Judge Irvin J. Vogel, the district manager of a firm which operates a ladies' ready-to-wear store here was fined $50 and costs on a charge of having worked women employes more than nine hours daily.

Three separate complaints were filed against the man during the past few days, it was said.

Five Officers Held On Rum Conspiracy Trial

PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 18. (AP)—Three city detectives, a former investigator for the district attorney and a former city detective surrendered here today on bench warrants charging conspiracy to violate the national prohibition laws.

DEATHS

W. E. MELTON
The body of W. E. Melton, 70, of Santa Anna, Texas, was forwarded Thursday to Santa Anna by the Hines mortuary. The body was accompanied by a son, W. F. Melton of Santa Anna. Mr. Melton died at a hospital here Wednesday after a long illness.

MRS. J. E. RUMBAUGH
Funeral services had not been completed Thursday for Mrs. J. E. Rumbaugh, 1651 Huff avenue, who died in a hospital here Thursday afternoon after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Rumbaugh had been a resident of Wichita Falls for about eight years.

Surviving are the husband; three daughters, Mrs. M. B. Conner, Mrs. L. L. Wallace and Mrs. F. E. King, and one son, Arthur Rumbaugh, all of Wichita Falls.

Arrangements are in charge of the Dalton-Powell Funeral home.

$10,000 Damages Asked In Auto Crash Suit

Suit for $10,000 damages was brought in district court Thursday by W. Gibbons against J. L. Eggleston et al., the plaintiff's petition alleging permanent injuries to have been received by him in an automobile collision at the intersection of Sibley avenue and Broad street on Nov. 17.

Lack of sufficient care on the part of a driver of a car said to belong to the defendant is charged in the petition as having caused the accident.

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BLAZE DAMAGES HOME
Damage estimated at $1,000 was done to the home of J. D. Ball at 2915 Cumberland avenue Thursday morning by fire caused by a water heater, according to a report of J. L. McClure, fire chief. Damage was confined almost entirely to the structure as most of the furnishings were saved.

Colds

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Women's & Misses' Handsomely Fur Trimmed
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Pay $1.00 or $2.00 Weekly
IDEAL XMAS GIFTS
Smart Men's New Dress SHIRTS $1.98 & up
New Silk TIES $1.00
New Winter $5 HATS
Boys' & Girls' New Winter COATS
Boys' 4 Piece SUITS $9.95
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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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Eating for Your Health's Sake

Most housewives consider three viewpoints in selecting food for the family. First of all, they usually consider the necessity for choosing food which the different members of the family will like, buying and preparing those foods which have an agreeable taste. I can see no objection to this unless one makes the mistake of making this selection such an important factor that many unwholesome foods are constantly used because of their agreeable flavor.

The housewife always desires to give the family a large enough quantity of food to fill them up so that they will feel comfortably stuffed and even sleepy and lazy after a meal. Many cooks consider that this is very important and many cooks become proud of the fact that everyone eating at their table remarks about the food being so good that they have eaten until ready to burst I am sure that anyone who gets up from the table and feels that he has been well stuffed has definitely injured his health and digestion every time he does so.

The average housewife also selects food with an idea of getting it at as low a price as possible. To summarize these points the housewife picks out reasonably priced foods which fill up well and taste good at the same time.

A New Viewpoint

I believe it is well for those of my readers who are seriously studying their food problems to add or substitute some of the following points in selecting their food:

First of all, food should be chosen because it is of the right quality to build bone, blood, nerve and other tissues. To do this, one must study food chemistry and understand the relative value in the body of proteins, organic salts and vitamins, starches, sugars, etc. One must understand that proteins and the organic salts found in the leafy green vegetables are the most important foods which can be used in the body in building cell structure. They must understand that the carbohydrates are of the least importance, and that their use should always be reduced to the very minimum of necessity.

In considering the problem of the amount of food to be used it is well to know that most dieticians are agreed that everyone eats too much of all foods. It has been variously estimated that we need only a third to half of the amount of food most people are accustomed to using. Each one must study his own requirements very carefully in this regard.

Foods should always be selected which combine harmoniously together and bad mixtures should be avoided.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Prairie Itch

Question—P. A. asks: "Can you give me a diet and treatment for children suffering from prairie itch? I have tried lysol baths and soda baths and various other remedies, but it doesn't seem to yield to treatment. The itching is worse at night. A rash all over the body, and a slight rash on the head."

Answer—Prairie itch is a name for various itching eruptions frequently seen among farmers and lumbermen. It is probably due to an effort of the skin to eliminate toxic substances as a result of wrong food combinations, and the itching is made more severe by the presence of dust or coarse underclothing. The reason you have not had success with the lysol baths, etc., is because you have not corrected the internal condition responsible for the trouble. You must be especially careful to avoid the use of any acid fruit with starch, such as strawberry jam and bread or potatoes, oranges and oatmeal, etc. If the children are placed on an exclusive acid fruit diet for a few days, using nothing but oranges or apples, and using a large enema at night followed by a diet such as is outlined in my newspaper articles, I feel sure they will be benefited. You should also see that they have a cold shower or sponge bath morning and evening. After drying the skin, a little olive oil may be rubbed in.

One Side Larger Than Other

Question: P. J. K. writes: "One side of my body seems larger than the other. What could cause this, and what can I do about it?"

Answer—Exact measurements will usually show that one side of the body is larger than the other. This may be caused by some nerve affection. There is another theory believed in by some that sleeping on one side makes the body larger on the side nearest the bed. In any case, the cure would be through taking well walanced exercises and doing everything to help the circulation.

Abe Martin

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One o' the worst combinations is lots o' innards an' no ability. Dan Cupid is jest like any other salesman. Jest as soon as he sews us up he's off o' us.

Commission Rejects Yost's Radio Report

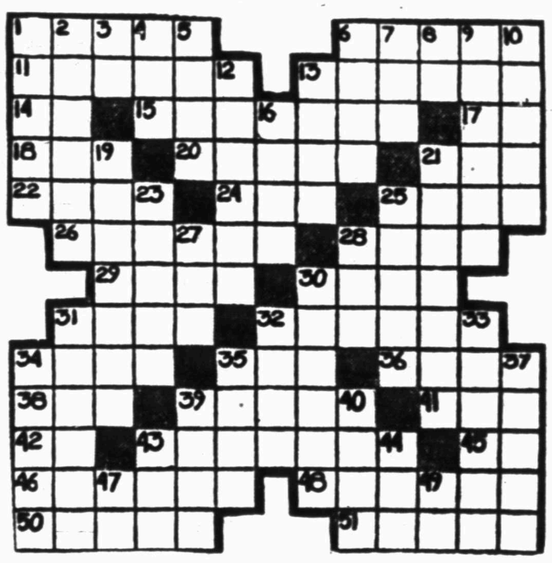
WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (INS)—The Federal Radio commission today rejected the recommendation of Chief Examiner Ellis A. Yost that all 40 cleared channels should be used by 50,000-watt stations, and remanded the report to him for further action.

Yost was directed to recommend which stations should be awarded 50,000 watts power under the present limitation of the commission which provides that maximum power should be used on only 20 of the cleared channels.

MILLIKAN TO CALIFORNIA

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (UP)—Dr. Robert A. Millikan, discoverer of the Cosmic ray, will leave New York tomorrow to join Dr. Albert Einstein in research at the California Institute of Technology of which he is the head.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

1. Spirit.
6. To cut.
11. Lasso.
13. Nice.
14. Type unit.
15. Chase.
17. Musical note.
18. Likely.
20. Printed.
21. Inclosure.
22. Simply.
24. Perched.
25. Surface.
26. Molts.
28. To aid.
29. Lairs.
30. Country of Asia.
31. To crook.
32. Country in Asia.
34. To desire.
35. To mistake.
36. Steering apparatus.
38. Skill.
39. Beats.
41. Spanish for river.
42. Pronoun.
43. To contend.
45. A negative.
46. Parts of flowers.
48. One who fastens.
50. Tendency.
51. Lock of hair.

VERTICAL

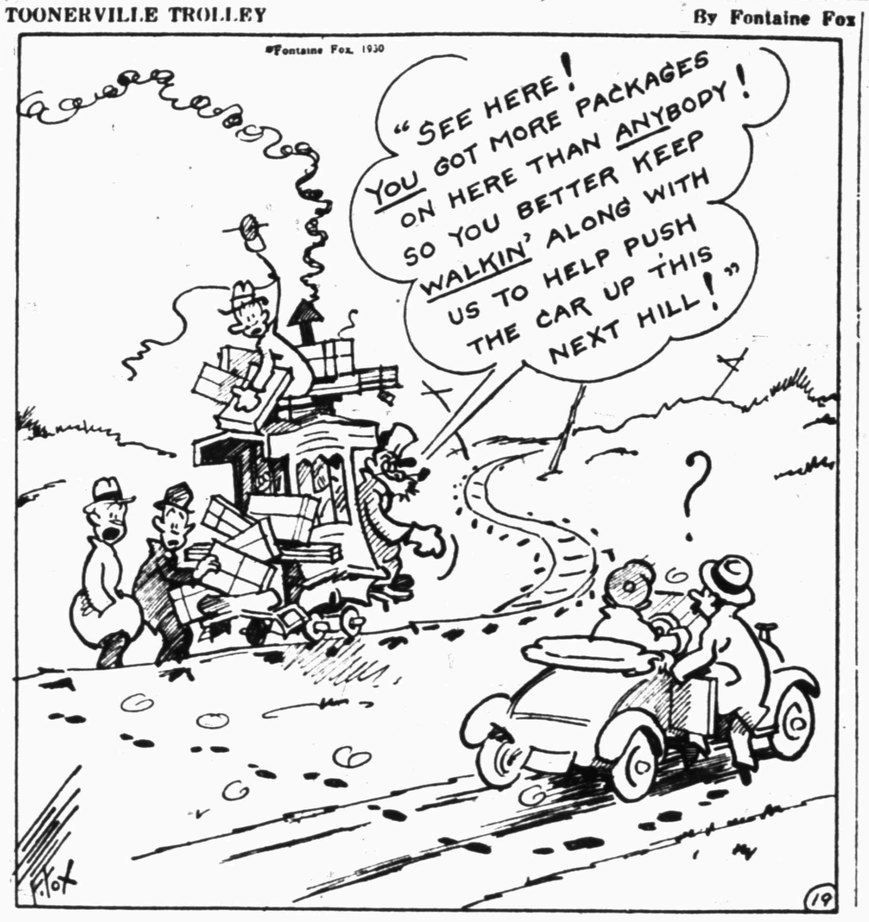
1. To glow.
2. Large basket.
3. Conjunction.
4. To taste.
5. Tense.
6. Declared.
7. Lighted.
8. Article.
9. Avenue.
10. An animal.
12. Lovers' meetings.
13. Pings for two.
16. Watering places.
19. Three pronged spear.
21. Head of cabinet.
23. Happening.
25. To embarrass.
27. Conclusion.
28. Tune.
30. Kind of cloth, plural.
31. To trade.
32. To bolster.
33. Puts in row.
34. A garment.
35. Trees.
37. Ties up vessel.
39. Herd.
40. Proof reader's direction.
43. To be able.
44. Organ of head.
47. Protestant episcopal, abbr.
49. French article.

(Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle)

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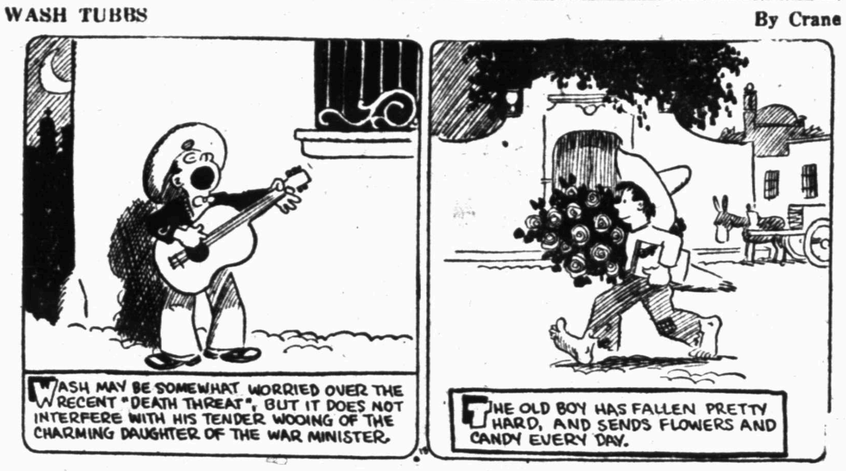
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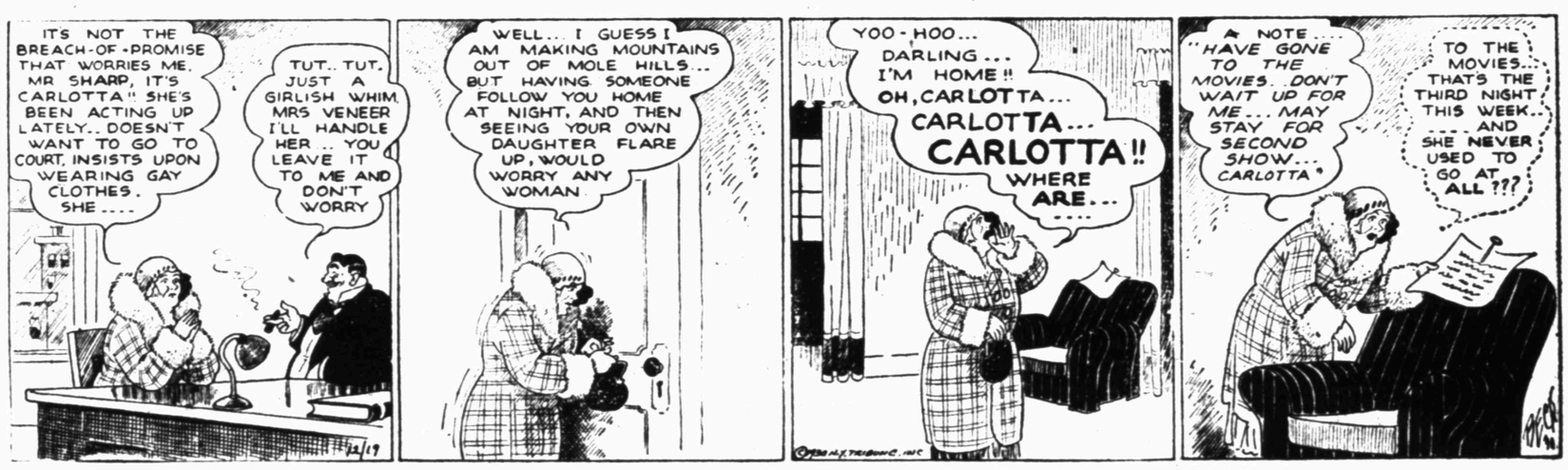
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GAS BUGGIES

By Frank Beck



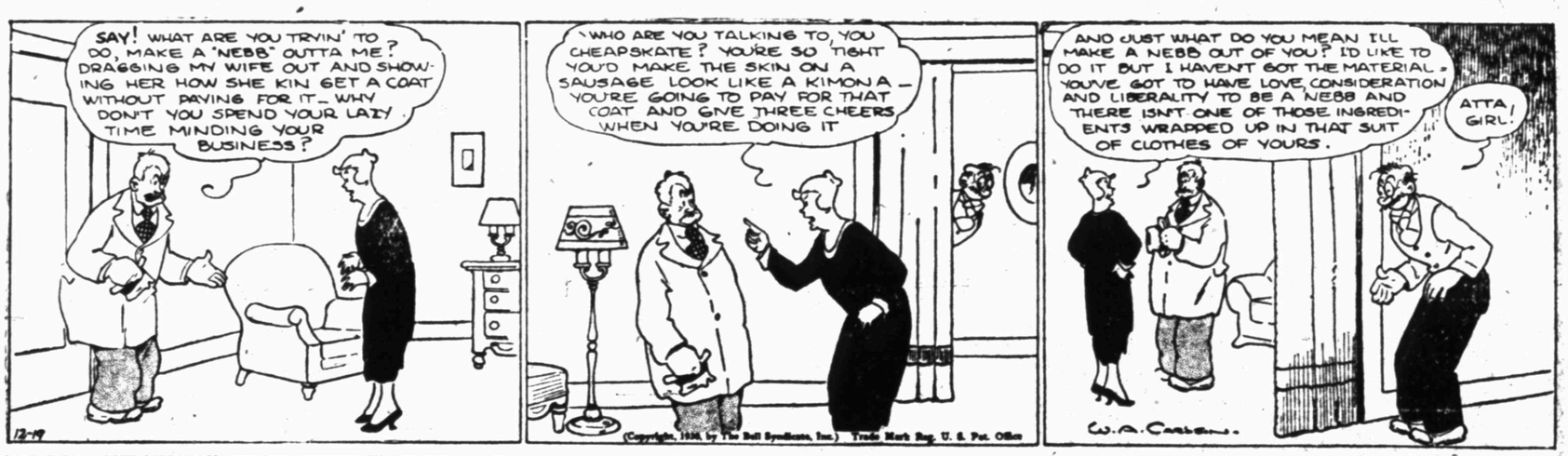
THIMBLE THEATER

By Chic Young



THE NEBBS

By Sol Hess



TAILSPIN TOMMY—

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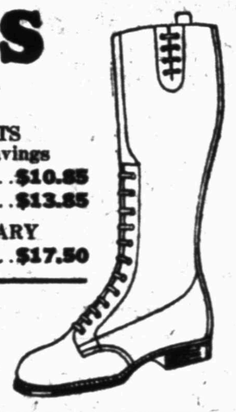
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$5.00 Oxfords	$3.45	$3.95 values	$2.95
$6.00 Oxfords	$4.45	$4.95 values	$3.95
$8.00 Oxfords	$5.95	$5.75 values	$4.45
$9.00 Oxfords	$6.45	$6.50 values	$5.45
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Boys' Lumberjacks

$2.65 values, now	$1.89
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$1.50 values	$1.19
$1.65 values	$1.29
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for Men and Boys

He will appreciate one of these warm, luxurious chamois jackets for Christmas. You will save by buying here at these prices.



Men's All Leather, wool lined, $9.85 value, Black Horsehide Leather Coats $4.98
$11.85 Chamois Jackets, now.....$9.45
$14.75 Chamois Jackets, now.....$11.45
$16.50 Chamois Jackets, now $14.95
$19.50 Chamois Jackets, now.....$16.75
$27.50 Chamois Jackets, now.....$22.95

Other Field and Stream Jackets Priced Accordingly



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—Coat sweaters, vests, slip-overs with V necks, in light, medium and heavy shaker knits.

COAT STYLES		SLIP-OVER STYLES	
$2.50 values	$1.69	$2.45 values	$1.69
$3.65 values	$2.49	$3.45 values	$2.69
$4.95 values	$3.49	$4.95 values	$3.49
$6.45 values	$4.49	$5.95 values	$4.49
$7.50 values	$5.49	$12.50 values	$8.95
$9.75 values	$6.49		

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—This Christmas

$8.75 18-Inch Genuine Cowhide Bags, black or brown $7.35
$13.75 Large Size Cowhide Gladstones $10.35
$18.50 Gladstones $13.90
$27.50 Gladstones, now ...$20.65
$18.50 Ladies' Square Hat Boxes, silk lined $10.15

All Wardrobe Trunks Reduced During This Sale

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One special lot of large size square Mufflers in fancy plaids, special ..... 79¢

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$1.65 values, now $1.29
$2.50 values, now $1.89
$3.50 values, now $2.89

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One Special Lot of SILK HOSE

Regular $1.00 values, excellent selection, pair— 49¢
Three Pairs $1.35

Other Men's Hose —Interwoven, Cooper's, Monito and Wilson Bros. Silks, lisles and woolens.

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$2.50 values, now	$1.89
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$3.50 values, now	$2.60
$3.75 values, now	$2.89
$3.95 values, now	$2.95
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One Special Lot of **FELT HATS**

—Snap brims, welt edges, in greys, tans. Sizes 6⅞ to 7½.

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These hats are all good shapes and colors. Just broken lots—that we are closing out at a real bargain.



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Boys' $6.75 Chamois Jackets with knit collars and sleeves, tan color, special $6.95

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$4.50 Boys' Boots $2.98

$6.95 values $3.98



Wages Still Has the Bull by the Horns

NEEDY KIDS AT ELECTRA DINED

Lions Club Honors Young Citizens of Town

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—Over 30 youngsters between the ages of 5 and 8 years, children of needy families in Electra, were the honored guests of the Electra Lions club in the annual Christmas dinner and party at noon Thursday.

Not only were they stuffed with turkey, served by the Lions themselves, but they received an advance visit from Santa Claus, distributing gifts from a laden Christmas tree.

The festivities opened at the Armilda hotel with the old-time Christmas songs, "Jingle Bells," and "Silent Night," given in chorus by the excited guests. G. J. Gillis, president of the club, made them welcome. The Lions ceremoniously seated their small guests and saw that every plate was well filled.

While the youngsters made the most of the opportunity, G. R. Davidson announced that John Erdhart of Dallas, former Texas district governor of Lions International, will be the principal speaker at the Lions senior banquet to be held the last week in January. H. A. Decker of the inter-city committee said that club members in group 28 will meet in Electra on Jan. 8 to lay plans for the next inter-city assembly.

Rev. C. C. Klingman of the First Christian church talked to the children about Christmas and its meaning. In conclusion, President Gillis thanked the club members for their cooperation in making the party a success, declaring that such occasions revealed the "true spirit of Lionism."

"Cuss the Editor" Week Brings Deluge

Special to The Record News.

DALHART, Texas, Dec. 18.—Dalhart's second annual Cuss-the-Editor week smashed to a red hot climax with a flood of more than 100 cussin' letters deluging the editor's desk. Originated last year by John L. McCarty, editor of The Dalhart Texan, the week this year was under his personal supervision. Many other letters praised the paper and its policies.

A letter from an Athens, La., minister was one of two features of the week. It lauded the idea and said the minister planned to use a Cuss-the-Preacher week for some of his "bored" members.

O. D. Carter's letter dressing McCarty down for being a "copy cat" saying an East Texas editor used the week years ago, was the second feature. Carter is manager of The Lamesa (Texas) Reporter.

The week gives folks a chance to get old grievances off their chests before they canker and they are ready to start cooperating again, McCarty says, in pointing out advantages of the week.

SCHOOL CANTATA

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 19.—The Boys' and Girls' Glee club of the Davidson High school will present a cantata at the high school Friday night under direction of Miss Edna Smith.

Girl Wanted Live Doll—Kidnaped Baby



"I wanted a live baby instead of dolls," 11-year-old Mary Fieder sobbed to detectives after she was found with Evelyn Gaffney, 2, whose mysterious kidnaping had terrorized neighboring families in Newark, N. J. The girl kidnaper is shown, at the left, after her arrest, with police and the stolen baby. She was held for children's court. She is alleged to have confessed to authorities that she entered through a window of the Gaffney home, lifted the infant from her crib, and escaped unnoticed.

Graham Court to Rule on Petition To Bar Courthouse Contract Today

Special to The Record News.

GRAHAM, Texas, Dec. 18.—Young county's scrap over the new courthouse, involving a fight to move the county seat to Newcastle, will reach a climax here Friday when Judge Allan D. Montgomery rules on a petition to enjoin the letting of contracts on the proposed $300,000 structure.

Leaders in the movement to change the county seat last week obtained an order forbidding the awarding of the courthouse contract pending a hearing on the injunction plea. Testimony to be presented Friday is expected to include an official report of a petition, said to carry the names of 3,000 Young county voters, asking an election to remove the county seat to Newcastle. The injunction plea sets out that the election has been demanded, attacks the means of financing the building, questions the qualifications of two commissioners, and declares that certain specifications upon which bids were submitted stifled competition.

Should the county judge find that the petition asking an election bears the names of a majority of the county's qualified voters, he is required by law to grant the plea.

WEST APPOINTED

AUSTIN, Dec. 18. (AP)—Appointment of R. M. West of Navasota to a position in the department of agriculture was announced today by J. E. McDonald, agricultural commissioner-elect.

SNAKE EYES

Police Jail 11 Gamesters In Raid on Heavy Dice Game

Two city plainclothes officers threw a big "natural" late Thursday afternoon when they surprised 11 white men engaged in a dice game over a business house in the 800 block on Indiana avenue. Each of the 11 dice players made bond of $10 and were released. Almost $1,000 was involved in the game, it was said.

Widow of Floyd Sheriff Fills Post

FLOYDADA, Texas, Dec. 18 (UP)—The widow of the Floyd county sheriff, who died from a self-inflicted wound in his heart yesterday, prepared to fill her husbands term as peace officer tonight.

The commissioners court today appointed Mrs. P. G. Stegall to succeed her husband until Dec. 31. She probably will take the oath of office Friday. Stegall was re-elected in November but a new sheriff will be named on Jan. 1.

K. T. ELECTS W. B. GUTHRIE

New Officers Named At Meeting Thursday

Members of Commandery No. 59, Knights Templar, elected officers for the ensuing year Thursday night during a stated conclave, naming W. B. Guthrie to the presiding office of eminent commander.

Other officers elected were John A. Elder, generalissimo; L. M. Thayer, captain-general; B. L. Bryans, senior warden; Jacob B. Price, junior warden; L. E. Fawks, prelate; J. L. McClure, treasurer and George B. Lawler, recorder. Remaining offices in the commandery will be appointed by the eminent commander-elect before the installation of officers at the next stated conclave on Jan. 1, it was said.

P. B. Cox is the retiring eminent commander.

Pickpocket and His Intended Victim Held

A man was lodged in the city jail Thursday night after he had "lifted" a watch from the pocket of another man as the two were driving from the city to Oklahoma.

The two men had met during the day. One of the men was driving through to Oklahoma City and the other man had made arrangements to go along. As the two men were leaving the city, the passenger slipped the watch from his benefactor's pocket and was on the verge of successfully obtaining the driver's wallet when discovered. A struggle in the car followed and police were called by spectators. When arrested the passenger was still engaged in an attempt to remain in the automobile and finish his task, it was said.

At the police station when it was learned that the driver was in an intoxicated condition, he also was detained.

W. P. Timmons and J. B. Flenniken, plainclothes officers, arrested the two men.

Christmas Goods Too Tempting for Negroes

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—Christmas goods on display in the stores here proved all too enticing to four negroes, two men and two women, Thursday. The quartet was arrested when one of their number was caught "lifting" a sweater. Special police agents, guarding the stores during the rush, made the arrest. The four were charged with shoplifting.

CREDIT GRANTORS MEET

The regular weekly meeting of the Wichita Falls Retail Credit Grantors association was held at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the Kemp hotel. Delinquent accounts beginning with the letter L were discussed. Returned checks and repossessions were mentioned. The members of the association will not meet Christmas week, it was decided at Thursday night's meeting.

WALES ILL

LONDON, Dec. 18. (UP)—The Prince of Wales was suffering from "a slight chill" tonight and was unable to keep his engagements.

Bring a Toy to This Show—And Make Some Child Happy

Witchita Falls children will have their best and perhaps last opportunity of giving a happy Christmas to some less fortunate child Saturday when the Strand theater presents its toy matinee for the benefit of needy children.

The Strand is presenting Jack Oakie in "The Social Lion" at 10:30 o'clock.

The price of admission is any new toy, or any used toy that is still in serviceable condition.

The picture is being donated by the Publix theaters, and theater employes are donating their services. KGKO artists will give several numbers during the program.

Each toy received at the matinee Saturday will make some child happy on Christmas day. And there are many children who will be unhappy unless scores answer the appeal of this final toy matinee.

Altus Votes For New C.-C. Leaders

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 18.—Altus Chamber of Commerce members are using the Australian balloting system for selection of six directors who will serve next year with the six who remain on the board for another year.

Following the voting of all members on names of the entire membership, the 12 securing the highest number of votes were submitted to the membership for a second ballot, the six of this group receiving the highest number of votes to become directors.

Men whose names appear on the ballot for the second time and from whom six will become directors, are W. C. Baker, Harrington Wimberly, H. B. Bellenger, John Dorendinger, Jeff Wilson, Dr. Raymond H. Fox, Dallas French, Fred Hanna, Glenn Hutton, T. M. Robinson and Burnys Thompson.

Final casting of votes will be Saturday, ballots will be counted early next week, and directors announced immediately.

In addition to election of directors, all chamber of commerce members are being asked to vote on a petition to the rules of this body designating certain days for business houses to be closed either for one-half day or for the entire day.

Days on which Altus merchants have asked that all business firms be closed include Christmas, Decoration day, July 4, Armistic day and Thanksgiving. Members will be allowed to vote as to whether or not the business firms shall remain closed one-half day or for the full day.

Condensed milk has been found to be quite fresh after 25 years.

FREDERICK C-C NAMES HEADS

Organization Plans Drive For Members

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—A. G. Davidson was elected to head the Frederick Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of the newly organized board of directors here Thursday night. Mr. Davidson will succeed E. J. Cowen, vice president, who has been serving since J. E. Moore, elected president, left the city.

J. A. Carr and R. L. Case were chosen first and second vice presidents, and George McHugh was made treasurer.

The budget committee appointed includes the treasurer, J. L. Newland and Fisher Greenfield. E. J. Cowen, Dr. Roy Fisher and R. L. Case are members of the committee on appointments.

At the meeting Thursday night the directors outlined a new membership plan whereby the organization will seek to enroll the employes as well as the heads of business houses. A banquet for employes will be held early in January and the chamber of commerce will invite their membership. Employes will be asked $1 monthly dues, each employer to be assessed one-half of the total sum paid by men in his employ.

A committee including R. E. Thompson, A. G. Davidson, and managers of the local electrical houses was appointed to rush additional Christmas decorations to Frederick. Such enthusiasm has been aroused by the home decoration contest sponsored by the Ladies' chamber of commerce that the local supply has been exhausted.

The next meeting of the directors was set for Jan. 8.

MINISTER DIES

SAINT BLASIEN, Germany, Dec. 18. (AP)—Lurich Rauscher, German minister to Poland, died today after an illness of several weeks.



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SUGAR — Pure cane, 10-pound Cloth Bag. Special for Christmas. Per bag 45c
Limit 1 Bag to Customer

COFFEE — Folger's Golden Gate Per pound 39c
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POTATOES — Good Grade Whites Per pound 2c
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Gold Medal FLOUR 24-lb. Bag 69c
48-pound Bag $1.35

ORANGES — Nice Size California, Sweet and Juicy Each 2c

RAISINS — Red or Blue Package Each 10c

SOAP — P. & G. or Crystal White Per Bar 3½c

BUTTER — Wichita Maid Per Pound 31c
Limit 2 Pounds

CORN — No. 2 Kohinoor A Country Gentleman 2 Cans for 25c

CELERY — Oregon, Nice Crisp Well Bleached Stalk, Each 10c

O-B — Macaroni, Spaghetti or Noodles 3 Pkgs. for 19c

BANANAS — Yellow Ripe Fruit Per pound 6c

JELL-O — All Flavors Per Package 7c

JEWEL — 8-lb. Can Swift Jewel 89c
Limit 8 Lbs.

MILK — Pet or Carnation 6 Small or 3 Tall for 25c

PEAS — No. 2 Morgan Extra Small Peas A 24c Value for 19c

TOMATOES — No. 2 Wapco The Better Quality Per Can 10c

LETTUCE — Medium Size, Crisp Per Head 5c

GRAPE JUICE — Church's Good Quality Pints, each ..... 22c Quarts, each 42c

COFFEE — Break o' Morn Quality Guaranteed Per Pound 25c

BACON — The same good quality you have been getting. Sliced with rind off. Per pound 26c

ROAST — Lean Pork Shoulder Per pound 16c

HENS — Home Killed, dry picked Nice and Fat. Per pound 21c

PORK CHOPS — Nice and Lean Per pound 25c

ROAST — Chuck—Cut from Extra Fancy Beef and Veal, per Pound 13c

STEW — Ribs or Briskets Per Pound 11c

SAUSAGE — Pure Pork, Made in Our Markets Per Pound 20c

GROUND MEAT — Fine for Veal Loaf Per Pound 17c

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BUYING MORE BUT SPENDING LESS

Even when money is scarce and everybody is trying to stretch incomes as far as possible A&P stores are crowdedjustlikethis.

More people are buying food in A&P stores today than ever before. Old customers are paying less for what they buy than they paid last year. And new customers are getting more for what they pay.

The ranks of A&P customers go right on growing in bad times as well as in good, because the public likes to get full value for its money

Money goes far in A&P stores—not fast.

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE MAY DROP BASEBALL AND TRACK

The Rambler's Corner

By FRED THOMPSON

The Month's Mail

Maybe it's the last two or three month's mail. The Rambler is exceedingly sorry, but football and the business of finding out who will manage our Spudders, has crowded out several letters and questions addressed to this corner. So here goes to clear the desk.

The Ram-bulling Musketeer

Mr. Fred D'Artagnan Thompson,
Record News.
Dear Ram-buller:

I notice that you asked for this in the morning paper, so here goes.

Every fan that I've talked to about the matter since the sad news that Fitzgerald was sold came to our ears has griped lustily. There is one in particular (and this one has a never-to-be-shaken conviction that Ziggy Sears' hoofs are cloven) who will be glad to burn the ballpark if your paper ever has the temerity to announce that Garland Orr is to play centerfield next year.

If it is a fact that Spider Levey has signed for the stove-season with a dry goods firm, the theory that Wichita Falls last year had an Irish shortstop with a pawnshop name seems to be definitely disproved.

Yours truly,
WOODOVER UNDERWOOD.

P. S.—Please explain backgammon.

Dear Athos: Be careful or you may be charged with Orrson. Spider Levey's name speaks for itself (how definitely!). Backgammon does not need an explanation. It needs destruction.

How Mack Signals

Dear Rambler:

During the last world series, between the Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals, there was an argument about giving signals, one fellow said Connie Mack signalled with his eyebrows.

Will you please answer this in your column.

FRED LINSLEY.
Petrolia, Texas.

It has been said Mack signals with his score card. I never heard the eyebrow story. Fact is, no fan knows how Mack or any other manager signals.

Concerning Politics

Dear Rambler:

We have been having a lot of arguing whether Moody is serving on his second term or not. We would appreciate your answer very much. The quick service gang, thanking you in advance.

LEO RICHARDSON.
Bridgetown, Texas.

Why, Mr. Richardson!

Another War

Dear Rambler:

War on the chain store system on baseball! Was just reading an article supposed to have been uttered in a speech by Branch Rickey of the Chain Cardinals in defense of chain ownership of minor leagues, citing the disbandment of 11 minor league clubs in the last few years on acount of various obstacles, such things as bad management. Now why does he defend such tactics? If private ownership can't make a go of operation of a small league, how can a major ownership make a go of it? No, it is not that at all, it is purely a matter of dollars and cents indirectly, benefit going to such owners. Of course, we all know that all baseball operation is simply run on or should be run on a paying proposition, or it can't exist, but that is not altogether where the fault is. We, the fans and patrons of minor league ball, the ones who really pay off, have got no more to say about disposition of players on our favorite club than if we never existed or paid a cent toward keeping up the gate receipts.

For example, take the disposition of Howard Fitzgerald, the most popular and equally well liked player in the Texas league, was I'm sure in the estimation of all his friends given a real dirty deal. He, like a real gentleman, asked for the management of the Spudders next year with a proviso in regard to Carl Williams, then was handed a lemon, and to kinda smooth things over with him and the fans, they try to make it appear that in sending him up the ladder one notch it was boosting him and also his salary, too.

Another thing, we had a real ball club in Wichita Falls last year, one that fans had a right to be proud of, only to be picked up bodily and transferred to the St. Louis Browns, supposed to and reported to have been sold, consideration not mentioned, what didn't go to Browns went to their other farm, Milwaukee, and consequently ruined a great minor club, and slapped the fans right in the face without any regard to their likes or dislikes. Such is what chain systems does of any kind or description. If the public will get up and stay away from patronizing them we will soon put them on the bum.

Pour in on them, public.

W. J. MOORE,
Quanah, Texas.

And, then, Mr. Moore, we will have no baseball at all. Please don't be so bitter against chain store baseball. A chain store organization, remember, made possible the purchase of that great double play combination, Euller or Levey to Storti to Burns. And the chain is now trying hard to assemble us a great ball club for 1931. One man, or a single group of men in a town, couldn't have provided us with such a vast array of talent as we have seen on the lot here the last several years. And new faces are what the fans want, much as it appears to the contrary. It pains us, sometimes, to see the old ones go, and, like you, I hated to see Fitzgerald go, and also Levey, Storti, and all of the 1930 gang. But we said the same thing about Bud Stapleton, Gullic, Messenger, and the rest of the 1929 bunch.

Washington State to Play Tulane in 1931

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 18. (AP)—Earl Foster, graduate manager of Washington State college, today wired acceptance of Tulane's invitation to play a football game at New Orleans Dec. 5, 1931.

The contest will climax a 10-game schedule for the Cougars.

INTEREST IN SPORTS LAGS

Ponies Ready to Oust Both Right Now

By GAYLE TALBOT
Associated Press Sports Writer

DALLAS, Dec. 18.—If one may credit all the symptoms, the days of track and baseball as major sports in the Southwest conference are numbered. There is a strong possibility that within a very few years there will be nothing but football and basket ball to occupy the conference athlete.

The statements are not based upon the imagination. Rather they are based upon observation, and anyone who attended the recent Southwest conference meeting here and utilized his eyes and ears would have reached the same conclusion.

Baseball's status was shown very clearly when the faculty committee, without a word of warning, chopped the conference schedule in half, from 20 games to 10. No reason was assigned, officially, but it was understood the business managers had complained of the diamond sport eating up the revenues from football and basket ball, the two paying games.

One baseball mentor, upon receiving word of the ruling, declared it scarcely would be worth while going to the trouble of outfitting a team and coaching it just to play 10 games.

Southern Methodist came right out in the open and expressed a desire to drop baseball and track. The Mustangs announced they would not hold their invitational track meet next spring, passing it back to Rice Institute. They cited business depression in cancelling the event. The Methodists agreed to put a baseball nine in the race, but it was evident they did not intend to take it very seriously. Jimmy St. Clair, who is an excellent basket ball coach, announced with a broad grin he had been appointed baseball tutor, as well.

Arkansas, of course, has long since withdrawn from the diamond and for the last several years has taken only a mild interest in track. Coach Clyde Littlefield of the University of Texas, who gained wide recognition as track coach of the Longhorns before taking over the schools' football destinies, expressed genuine alarm at the trend of events.

"It isn't fair to us," he said. "We like track and have enjoyed considerable success. The same with baseball. Why should these other schools that haven't been so successful want to drop out and deprive those that have of enjoying the two sports."

'CONSOLATION' FOOTBALL CONTEST TODAY

What might be termed the "consolation" match in the state high school grid race will be played tomorrow at Breckenridge between Coach Johnny Pierce's Corsicana Tigers, champions of districts 3 and 4, and the Breckenridge Buckaroos, champions of district 2, the "Oil Belt."

The post-season tilt between the two powerful teams has attracted almost as much interest as the championship fray at Fort Worth Saturday between Tyler and Amarillo. It is what the boys call a "money battle." The Bucks and Tigers were so sure they would meet in the semi-final round that they went to the trouble of scouting each other very thoroughly.

But the Buckaroos got tumbled by Amarillo, 13 to 0, and the same dog bit Corsicana, so to speak, 33 to 25. They are going to play it off, anyhow.

STEPS UP 'LADDER' TO BLOCK PLACEMENT

The neatest trick of the ebbing football season must be credited to the Amarillo Sandies. They pulled it against Corsicana last week.

The Tigers, early in the final period, scored their third touchdown, putting them only seven points behind the invaders. They needed the extra point the worst way, for it would have left them trailing by but six points, where another touchdown would have assured them a tie, perhaps victory.

Maco Stuart, Tiger end placekicker par-excellence, aimed his right foot carefully and sent the ball squarely between the uprights. That is, it started in that direction. It was destined never to reach the cross bar, however, because the Sandies chose the occasion to pull a very, very fast one. Maybe they call it the "pyramid play."

Just as the ball left Stuart's trusty toe, Glass, Amarillo center, went up in the air like an extension ladder. He did it simply by vaulting upon an obliging guard's back and then going on up from there. He must have been up, anyway, 12 feet when he speared the ball, still rising and knocked it down into the mass of players.

The oval still was going up smartly when Glass batted it and undoubtedly would have cleared the bar by several feet.

Max Baer Fights Schaaf Tonight

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—A couple of heavyweights from the sophomore class, Max Baer of San Francisco and Ernie Schaaf of Boston will grab the spotlight in Madison Square garden tomorrow night to display what brand of power and ability, if any, lurks in the youngsters of the division.

Baer, a 200-pound puncher with a record of 24 knockouts in 27 matches, is new to eastern rings, and Schaaf, a former sailor with more experience never has appeared before in the garden. Schaaf is a protege of Jack Sharkey, however, and holds two decisions over Tommy Loughran. Sharkey is scheduled to second him tomorrow night.

The Californian has impressed the critics during his training workouts at Gus Wilson's camp at Orangeburg. Baer has a splendid physique, a wallop in either mit, and just enough youthful braggadocio and enthusiasm to catch the eyes of fandom.

Schaaf, who followed Jack Sharkey's trail from the navy to Boston rings, is a smart boxer and a sharp hitter. For some time he was regarded as the likeliest of all the younger heavyweights.

You men folks, come to P. B. M.'s tonight, 7:30 to 9 and let us help you with your Christmas shopping. —Adv.

Strib Keeps Busy Between Fights

MACON, Ga., Dec. 18. (AP)—Young Stribling is the busy bee of the fight industry.

Training for his myriad bouts does not take up all Strib's time. Among his workaday jobs, the heavyweight contender helps his father manage the family estate; aids in running the Stribling farm at Ochlocknee, Ga., and keeps piling up "air hours" in his plane.

The farm consists of 1,500 acres, planted in cotton, corn and cane. There is also a dairy with 180 cows and about 500 hogs. Strib looks after the plantation.

Stribling usually dons overalls and puts in a few days' work himself, riding a tractor, feeding a sugar cane mill and wielding an axe. He finds these good training methods.

The fighter pilot has spent more than 800 hours in the air and aviators regard him as a good and careful pilot. One of his methods of resting up after a long workout is to climb aboard the ship and do some stunts.

He has owned four airplanes since he became interested in aviation several years ago.

When not flying or working around the farm "the King of the Canebrakes" straddles a motorcycle and hunts for a hard road with plenty of sharp curves. He claims the motor packs more thrills than the plane.

There's a tennis court at the house and whenever he's at his Macon home, Stribling plays basket ball with a city team.

He was recently elected a lieutenant in the air corps reserves.



W. L. "Young" Stribling, heavyweight contender, also a veteran flier, is shown with his son, W. L., 3rd, tinkering with his newest plane.

HEIGHTS FIVE BEATS TEMPLE

28 to 22 Victory Features Church League Card

The Highland Heights Christian church cagers of the City Church league defeated the Jewish Temple quintet in the feature game of the league's card Thursday night at the Floral Heights Presbyterian church gymnasium. The score was 28 to 22. The First Presbyterians came through with a 19 to 14 victory over the Ray Community Presbyterians, and the Floral Heights Presbyterians defeated the East Side Presbyterians, 24 to 12. Scores:

F. PRESBY. (19)	G	F	P	R. C. PRESBY. (14)	G	F	P
Hogan, f	4	1	9	O. Smith, f	2	0	4
Heard, f	1	2	4	Janeway, f	0	1	1
Howard, c	0	0	0	F. Taylor, c	2	1	5
Ray, g	0	0	0	Crawford, g	2	0	4
Voltz, g	3	0	6	C. Smith, g	0	0	0
				G. Smith, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	3	19	Totals	6	2	14

H. HTS. BAP. (28)	G	F	P	JEW. TEMPLE (22)	G	F	P
Stevens, f	1	0	2	Cohen, f	4	0	8
Mitchell, f	6	0	12	Svidlow, f	0	0	0
Miller, c	4	1	9	Goldstucker, c	2	2	6
Jenkin, g	2	1	5	Lavey, g	2	0	4
Petty, g	0	0	0	Schwitz, g	0	0	0
				Krieger, f	2	0	4
Totals	13	2	28	Totals	10	2	22

FL. PRESBY. (24)	G	F	P	E. S. PRESBY. (12)	G	F	P
Massey, f	0	0	0	Dorsey, f	1	1	3
West, f	2	1	5	Roberts, f	1	0	2
Ragsdale, c	2	1	5	McShaw, c	3	0	6
Fudge, g	2	4	10	Allen, g	0	0	0
Donnal, g	2	0	4	McAfee, g	0	0	0
Long, c	0	0	0	Craven, g	0	1	1
Totals	10	4	24	Totals	5	2	12

FIRST METHODISTS BEAT IOWA PARK ALL-STARS

The First Methodist church cagers of the Sunday School league journeyed to Iowa Park Thursday night and defeated the All-Stars of the latter city by the narrow margin of 36 to 34. The game was hard fought throughout. Score:

FIRST METH. (36)	G	F	P	I. P. ALL-STR. (34)	G	F	P
Rawls, f	4	1	9	Banks, g	5	1	11
Ray, f	0	0	0	Sylvestor, f	1	0	2
Frances, c	4	3	11	Davis, c	2	5	9
Levey, g	4	2	10	Reeves, g	3	2	8
Clary, g	1	3	4	Fields, g	1	0	2
Sisk, f	1	0	2	Blackeney, g	1	0	2
Edgemond, g	0	0	0	Burney, f	0	0	0
Totals	14	9	36	Totals	13	10	36

McGraw Believed After Flint Rhem of Cards

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (INS)—John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, revealed today that he had made a handsome offer for "a certain member" of the St. Louis Cardinals during the recent big league baseball meeting here, but that the deal fell through because the Cardinals wanted $40,000 for the player.

McGraw declined to reveal the identity of the player, but it was believed that Pitcher Flint Rhem was the man.

The New York pilot also said he might sign George Burns, once a star outfielder with the Giants, as coach for next season.

Loveland Cage Teams Defeat Consolidated

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 18.—Loveland High school cage teams were victorious in the games played with Consolidated No. 11 Tuesday night on the Hollister court, the Loveland boys winning, 19 to 13, and the Loveland girls getting the big end of a 13 to 12 score. This was the eighth straight victory for the boys and seventh straight win for the girls, the latter having lost the first game of the season.

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Former Coyote Stars Clash With Vernon Exes on Gridiron Today

Stars of the Coyote squads of last season and years before that will be seen in uniform again today when the Wichita Falls All-Stars mix it with a team of Vernon exes at the Washington negro school gridiron at 3 o'clock. Scheduled originally for Spudder park, the game was moved to the Leopards' field when it was announced the baseball field was under repair.

In the lineup will appear Chick Holden, Harlan Ray and R. W. Parrish, all of whom played with Coach Holton's team the past season. An imposing array of other exes rounds out the squad.

Both teams have been drilling for the contest, which will be the second meeting of the teams within a week. Last week the Wichitans journeyed to Vernon and received a 13 to 7 defeat. Gerald Coffey, coach of the local exes, promises the local outfit will bring home revenge today.

Funds from gate receipts, with the exception of an amount deducted for actual expenses, will go to the high school lunch fund.

Schreiner Cadets Turn to Cage Sport

Special to The Record News.

KERRVILLE, Texas, Dec. 18.—Varsity sports attention at Schreiner Institute is focused on the 25 thinly clad cadets practicing basket ball daily in the gymnasium under direction of Coaches R. C. Gilstrap and M. D. Bryant. One practice game and two regular games are scheduled for the home court before the student body leaves Dec. 20 for the Christmas holidays.

A basket ball team from Kelly Field, San Antonio, was scheduled to meet the Mountaineers here Thursday night for the Schreiner first game. Next week the Hawk quintet from Texas Chiropractic college, San Antonio, will play the cadet first team in the Schreiner gymnasium Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Three lettermen from the last season basket ball team are on the squad this year. They are: Bryce O'Keefe, captain-elect; Charley Lockhart, and Henry Kneese. Several of the men making their debut with the Schreiner basketeers this season are towering fellows, being somewhat more rangy than the average of the 1929-30 cadet basket ball team.

Heart Ailment Forces Fownes to Quit Golf

PINEHEARST, N. C., Dec. 18. (AP)—William C. Fownes Jr., of Pittsburgh, former president of the United States Golf association and 1920 national amateur champion, has been forced to give up golf because of recurring heart attacks.

He was first stricken three weeks ago and is now confined to his bed at his home here.

TEX.-LOUISIANA LOOP PLANNED

Fort Worth Group Interested in Baseball League

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—Plans toward forming a Texas-Louisiana baseball league are being made by Fincher E. Withers of Fort Worth, formerly prominent in amateur baseball circles here and Harry Wanderling and James J. Maloney. They are working towards the organization of either a or B or class C circuit in the two states.

Five cities already have shown interest in the proposed league. Withers, who is temporary president of the organization, said Galveston, Brenham, Austin, Port Arthur and Lake Charles, La., are the cities and towns showing the most interest.

W. A. Kelso, formerly owner of the old Galveston, Texas League club, is sponsoring the team in his city. Maloney, who managed the Dallas Steers under Joe Gardner, will take charge at Lake Charles, while Wanderling, who organized the West Texas league, will place a club at Austin, with Withers taking a team to Port Arthur. Dick Hooper is working toward giving Brenham a club.

With five clubs as a nucleus, Withers is seeking a sixth club. Temple, Mexia and Corpus Christi are being considered.

Definite organization of the league probably will not be made until Jan. 10, when Withers expects to call a meeting at a central location, probably Houston, when those interested will perfect a permanent organization and elect officers. A schedule will be adopted later. Before the meeting, a tour of all interested locations will be made. Withers already has completed one inspection trip over the proposed territory.

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BOWLERS PLAN CHARITY TILT

Local Leagues to Foster Contest Next Week

Members of the City and Commercial Bowling leagues of Wichita Falls, together with the management of the Spudder bowling alleys, have arranged for a charity tournament, the proceeds of which will be donated to a worth-while charity cause during the holidays.

The tournament, which will include single and doubles events, will be held at the Spudder alleys on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 27 and 28. The entry fee will be $1 per man for each event and with the exception of a nominal expense for pin boys, etc., the entire proceeds will be donated through the officers of the City Bowling association to charity.

Added Attraction

In addition to the fact that the money is to be given for charitable purposes and will go towards making the holiday season more enjoyable and happy for some unfortunates, another added attraction for the bowlers is being offered.

The Art Jewelry company has donated a $75 jewelled trophy symbolic of the game of ten pins, with a diamond inset, which will be awarded the winner of the singles events on basis of 3 games net. This possession is only for such a period of time as the holder successfully defends it against challengers. Under the rules, the holder must place the trophy at stake at least once a week.

Rules of Contest

Rules governing the singles events with reference to the trophy, which is of such a size that it can be worn as a watch charm, are that 170 pins is scratch. Bowlers with an average of 170 are given no handicap, while those with a season's average of less than 170 will be given two-thirds of the difference between their average and scratch. At the charity tournament bowlers will be given a handicap of two-thirds the difference of their average and 190.

The trophy will be on exhibition at the Spudder alleys within a few days and officers of the city association announce that considerable interest is being manifested by the local pin topplers in the charity tournament. It is believed that between 60 and 100 bowlers will participate. Free will donation for charity will be expected of all spectators.

Corsicana Meets Breckenridge Today

CORSICANA, Texas, Dec. 18. (AP)—The Corsicana High school football team, coaches and managers, 30 strong, left today for Mineral Wells en route to Breckenridge, where they will meet the Buckaroos tomorrow in a post-season game.

Returning home Saturday, the Corsicana contingent will stop in Fort Worth to see the championship contest between Amarillo and Tyler.

Men, let us solve your gift problem tonight, 7:30 to 9. P. B. M. company.—Adv.

Title-Seeking Grid Juggernauts Move to Scene of Warfare Today

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—A pair of offensive juggernauts, each seeking to claim the other as a victim, will move into Fort Worth tomorrow morning.

The Tyler and Amarillo High school football teams come here for final tapering off work before battling for the state championship at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the Texas Christian university stadium.

Both to Work Out

Arriving here early, Coach Blair Cherry of Amarillo is expected to send his warriors through a workout shortly after noon in order to allow the Tyler Lions to have the field later in the day. Only hour sessions are expected to be taken by each club.

Amarillo's squad will include Lee, Montgomery, Allen, Glass, Foster, Estes, Conaley, Fowler, Bufkin, Hancock, Scanlan, Floyd, Cazzell, Talbot, Kirby, McKnight, Dunaway, Twaddell, Dees, Roach, Stevens and Meaders.

From Tyler will come Harville, Glass, J. Wilcox, A. Johnson, L. Wilcox, D. Wilcox, R. Gregory, H. Johnson, Morris, C. Gregory, Hill, Shuford, Goodson, Rasco, Sanders, Cole, Prestridge, W. A. Shuford, Kamel, Robinson, Thornton, Williams, Pines, Temple, Hardwick, Huddleston, Smith, Porter, Birdville, Fleming, Delancey, Denman, Brumley, Berryman, Welch and Garland Cole, business manager.

Eleven Are Seniors

Eleven of the participants in Saturday's game—seven from Amarillo and four from Tyler—will be playing their last game. The graduates will strip the powerful offensive elevens for the 1931 season.

Capt. Burl (Biff) Bufkin, fullback; Odell (Muggins) Fowler, quarterback; Ramon Glass, center; Johnny Foster, guard; Mike Montgomery, tackle; Dick Scanlan, half and O'Dell Conaley will be donning the black and gold jerseys of Amarillo for the last time.

Tyler's departing stars will be: Capt. Clifford Gregory, halfback; Harry, Johnson, quarterback; Neal Harville, end, and Dave Wilcox, tackle.

Italy's Alp Wins Bout With Briton

By T. C. WATSON

LONDON, Dec. 18. (US)—Primo Carnera, monster Italian heavyweight hope, tonight battered Reggie Meen, 200-pound Britain, around the ring in Albert hall, scoring a technical knockout when the referee halted the bout in the second round.

It was an intervention prompted by a sense of mercy for the Englishman who was hopelessly outclassed from the start. The four-and-a-half minutes that he lasted against Primo were long enough to send him staggering from the ring with a badly beaten body and a sadly lacerated face. The end came shortly after Carnera had dropped Meen for the count of nine.

The Italian entered the ring a top-heavy favorite over his opponent. From the tap of the bell it was obvious that the odds were over generous to the Englishman.

Men, let us solve your gift problem tonight, 7:30 to 9. P. B. M. company.—Adv.

ROCKNE ENTERS MAYO CLINIC

Noted Coach Says He's All in

ROCHESTER, Minn., Dec. 18. (INS)—Cutting adrift from anything concerning football, Knute Rockne, wonder coach of the National championship Notre Dame university football team, went into seclusion for the "big rest" under Dr. Barborka at the Mayo clinic, Rochester, today, and the wheels aiming toward giving him a thorough examination and treatment were set in motion immediately.

Rockne confessed to an International News Service reported that he was a tired man, but added that he had lost no weight and therefore was in pretty fair shape.

"I'm Pretty Tired"

"I must admit I am pretty tired, though fortunately I have lost no appreciable weight," he said. "A few symptoms of my old trouble, such as pains in the leg and hip, have recurred, and so it was deemed best for me to return to the clinic for another series of examinations and treatments, as I had promised Dr. Barborka when I was here before.

"The past season was a strenuous one, and I for one am happy that it is over. Coaching a football team is a job of itself, but there are other things which prove just as wearing, if not more so.

"You know we had five sell-outs away from home, and for some unaccountable reason everyone seemed to think that I had tickets hidden all over my person. Thus it has been one long argument stretching for ten weeks, enough to put a man in full command of his physical resources hanging on the ropes.

Next Year's Prospects

"You ask me about prospects for next year, and I must confess that they aren't so good. We lose many of our best 1930 men, and in addition I learn that many of our most promising freshmen aren't doing so well in their studies. But we'll manage to get some kind of a football team together for next year," he concluded.

He was accompanied to Rochester by Frank Leahy, crack tackle, who was out of play this season because of a leg injury. Leahy will receive treatments at the Mayo hospitals. Rockne will remain in Rochester for at least two weeks.

NOTED JOCKEY DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Clarence Kummer, 31, whose heels booted the great Man o'War home and drove some of America's finest thoroughbreds to victory less than a decade ago, died of pneumonia today at his home in Jamaica, Queens. He had been ill a week.



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Cotton

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port Movement

	Mdlg	Repts	Sales	Stock
N Orleans	9.44	25.695	2,191	804,353
Galveston	9.15	4,776	500	694,982
Mobile	8.90	6,615	.....	186,879
Savannah	9.20	2,558	75	305,422
Charleston	.....	1,245	.....	167,424
Wilmington	.....	52	.....	21,653
Norfolk	9.50	390	146	95,656
Baltimore	.....	.....	.....	1,047
New York	9.80	.....	.....	229,048
Boston	.....	.....	.....	2,700
Houston	9.10	6,606	3,242	1,476,558
Minor pts	.....	8	.....	146,471
Corpus Christi	.....	418	.....	124,543
Total today	.....	48,363	6,154	4,256,636
For week	.....	171,361	.....	.....
For season	.....	6,661,623	.....	.....

Interior Movement

	Mdlg	Repts	Sales	Stock
Memphis	8.45	8,034	2,739	400,491
Augusta	9.06	1,347	36	141,188
St. Louis	.....	1,248	.....	11,738
Ft. Worth	8.45	.....	841	.....
Little Rock	8.35	476	1,425	52,019
Atlanta	9.30	.....	.....	.....
Dallas	8.45	.....	5,578	.....
Montgomery	8.75	.....	132	.....
Total today	.....	11,105	10,931	605,436

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—After advancing early today on a continuation of yesterday's buying movement, cotton eased off under renewed liquidation or reselling, which appeared to be promoted by weakness in grain. March contracts sold off from 10.23 to 9.97 and closed at 9.99 compared with 10.11 at the close of the previous day. With the general market closing barely steady at net declines of 10 to 20 points.

According to reports published here this morning an English trade authority estimates the world's carryover of American cotton at the end of next season at about 9,000,000 bales. A private report also was published estimating ginnings prior to Dec. 13 at 13,384,000 bales. These statistics, however, seemed to attract very little attention with the early buying attributed chiefly to the continuation of yesterday's covering movement. Later the market appeared to lack support and according to some observers there was a little more southern selling here as well as realizing or reselling by recent buyers.

Liverpool cables said Continental and Bombay buying there had been supplied by hedging and realizing and reported an improved cloth inquiry from India. Exports today 27,808, making 3,722,195 so far this season. Port receipts 56,255. U. S. port stocks 4,172,979.

Futures closed barely steady, 10@20c lower; spot, quiet; middling, 9.80.

	High	Low	Close
Jan. old	9.84	9.64	9.64-65
Jan. new	9.94	9.70	9.70
March	10.23	9.97	9.99**
May	10.48	10.21	10.24-25
July	10.67	10.43	10.46-47
Oct.	10.93	10.65	10.65-67
Dec. old	9.88	9.86	9.65*
Dec. new	9.85	9.65	9.65

*Nominal; **10.00.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cotton market was rather erratic today and after having advanced during the first half of the morning prices reacted. The afternoon decline was due mainly to reselling by recent buyers who were disappointed at the failure of yesterday's advance to persist. The market closed steady but at or near the bottom at net declines for the day of 2 to 17 points.

Liverpool came in about as due to 1 penny point lower than due. Private cables stated the Continent and Bombay bought. First trades here were 5 to 6 points higher and the market continued to improve on buying stimulated by yesterday's advance until March traded up to 10.21 and May to 10.47 or 11 to 12 points above the previous close. Prices soon eased off on realizing, however, and by the middle of the morning March was down to 10.04 and May to 10.28 off 17 to 19 points from the early highs.

Late in the morning prices rallied on the report that congress had appropriated $150,000,000 for the farm board and on rather firm stocks. March trading as high as 10.22 and May to 10.48 or 18 to 20 points above the lows.

In the early afternoon the market turned easier on reselling by recent buyers on disappointment at the failure of the market to continue yesterday's advance. March dropped to 9.97 and May to 10.24 or 24 to 25 points down from the highs and 11 to 13 points under the previous close.

The market ruled easy in the late trading and made new lows at 9.95 for March and 10.19 for May or 27 to 29 points below the earlier highs and closed at the lows at net declines of 15 to 17 points for the day on these active months.

Port receipts 48,363, for week 171,361, for season 6,661,262; last season 6,521,922. Exports 21,061; for week 159,327; for season 3,610,906; last season 3,793,387. Port stocks 4,056,636; last year 2,692,180. Combined shipboard stock at New Orleans, Galveston and Houston 121,120; last year 106,-694. Spot sales at southern markets 17,-085, last year 24,396.

Futures closed steady, 12 to 17 points down:

	High	Low	Close
Jan.	9.93	9.69	9.69
March	10.22	9.95	9.95
May	10.48	10.19	10.21
July	10.66	10.41	10.43
Oct.	10.90	10.64	10.64-65
Dec.	9.91	9.71	9.64bid

Liverpool Cotton

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18. (INS)—Spots cotton opened today with prices steady. Sales amounted to 3,000 bales and receipts totaled 11,000 bales.

At midday, middling fair sold at 6.61d, strictly good middling at 6.16d, good middling at 5.81d, strictly middling at 5.56d, middling at 5.41d, strictly low middling at 5.26d, low middling at 4.91d, strictly good ordinary at 4.36d, and good ordinary at 3.96d.

Futures were barely steady with January at 5.26d, March at 5.36d, May at 5.47d, July at 5.58d, and October at 5.69d.

SPOT COTTON PRICES

DALLAS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Middling cotton, 8.85; Houston, 9.50; Galveston, 9.55.

Chicago Cotton Futures

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cotton futures closed: Dec., 9.78, bid, 9.85 asked; Jan., 9.79; March, 10.04; May, 10.32.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 17 points down. Sales, 2,191; low middling, 8.94; middling, 9.44; good middling, 10.94; receipts, 25,695; stock, 804,253.

New York Bonds

BOND AVERAGES

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	10 Indls	10 RR's	10 U's	30 Total
Thursday	84.9	98.9	97.0	93.6
Previous day	83.3	97.9	96.6	92.6
Week ago	86.2	98.1	87.7	94.0
Month ago	90.0	104.6	99.4	98.0
Year ago	91.9	104.9	98.4	98.4
2 years ago	94.5	104.7	99.4	99.5
3 years ago weekly av.	97.0	109.1	100.5	102.2
High 1930	94.9	109.8	101.4	101.9
Low 1930	83.3	97.3	96.6	92.6
High 1929	95.3	106.0	99.8	99.9
Low 1929	90.4	100.8	96.0	96.3

Foreign

Argentine 6f 59 June	90½
Austria 4½s	60½
England 37, 5½s	105
France 7½s	125¼
Germany 7s	100⅝
Italy 7s	92¾
Japan 6½s	102¼
Poland 8s	73

Domestic

Amer Ag Chem 7½s	102¼
Amer Smelt 5s	101⅝
Amer Sugar 6s	103¼
A T & T 5½s	107¼
A T & S F Gen 4s	96½
B & O Rf 5s	99½
Beth Steel Rf 5s	101
Can Pac Deb 4s	85½
C & O Rf 4½s	98¾
C & G W 4s	63
C R I & P 4½s	83¼
Erie Rf 5s	75
Gen Motor A C 6s	102
Goodyear 5s	86
Great North 7s A	109½
Humble Oil 5s	100⅝
I & G N Adj 6s	45
Int Match 5s	95
Int T & T 4½s	80
K C S Rf 5s	97½
Loews Inc 6s	97
M K & T Adj 5s A	86¼
Mo Pac Gen 4s	67¼
Nat Dairy 5¼s	96¼
N Y C Rf 5s	104¼
N Pac 6s B	109¼
Pan Am Pet 6s	101½
Philip Pet 5¼s	85
Pure Oil 5½s	90
Sinc Oil Col 7s	96
S P 4½s	93¾
Sou Ry Con 5s	104¾
Southwest Bell 5s	104⅝
U P 4½s	99
U S Rubber 5s	60¼
West Elec 5s	104⅝

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK

Stocks strong; specialties buoyant on squeeze of short interests.
Bonds firm; rails strong; all domestics improve.
Curb firm; oils strong.
Foreign exchanges firm; sterling strong.
Cotton lower; Southern selling.
Sugar easier; Cuban selling.
Coffee firmer; steady Brazilian market.

CHICAGO

Wheat barely steady; bearish government report.
Corn easy; larger offerings from Southwest.
Cattle strong.
Hogs steady.

Stock Market Again Closes With Numerous Gains Throughout List

By BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (US)—In another exciting session, the stock market today closed with net gains again in the majority, though the results were much less pleasing than the preceding day's sharp advances.

The early transactions witnessed a continuation of the strength which featured the day previous, although a good deal of this might have been attributed chiefly to the momentum of the rebound.

Short covering, induced by overnight consideration of the Wednesday recovery, undoubtedly contributed to the further initial improvement. When this demand and the new buying which had been attracted was satisfied, the market was inclined to ease off, a reflection of profit-taking by speculators and renewed bear selling.

News developments were mixed, money renewing at 2 per cent as the temporary strain passed, the Copper price decline, forecast here today was a depressing factor. Volume shrunk materially under the previous day's total, exceeding by a relatively small margin the 3,000,-000-share level.

While the standard issues, after further marked gains in the early dealings quieted down to close with small average advances, some of the speculative issues performed in spectacular fashion. Auburn continued a sensation, scoring 20 points to a top price representing 100 per cent improvement over its year's low around 60, all of which gain has been scored in a few weeks. While no sympathy is expressed for the bears who have been trapped, the wild fluctuations of the stock are hardly conducive of that stability which every real friend of the market desires.

Auburn obviously is "cornered," and many stories are heard of at least one wealthy interest severely burnt in the stock. But to the market, such wild performances, even if they relieve the deep pall of gloom, hold out the threat of possible future repercussions of less favorable sort in the very stocks "enjoying" wild sudden advances.

Trapping of shorts was also evident in the continued uprush of such speculative issues as Case Threshing, Worthington Pump and others of similar grade. The bears had crowded themselves into an uncomportable position which in itself enabled a spectacular run-in of nervous shorts.

Case recovered 23 points from low to high of the last two days, while Worthington has scored almost as marked comeback. As repeatedly stated here, most of the professional pressure on the more speculative grade issues of late has been coming from the very sources which were most unwarrantedly bullish at the top of the bull market.

The Copper shares provided the chief cause for concern, with Anaconda equalling its former low of the year at 25, with renewed discussion of the probable action on dividends when directors meet next Wednesday. The lowering of the price of the metal also found reflection in the other Coppers, although American Metals was in demand on announcement that merger of African Copper properties in which it is heavily interested had been approved in London. American Metals, according to well informed Copper people, is a dominant position with respect to the African Copper situation.

The Railroad stocks for the first time in many weeks were in greater demand than either the Industrials or Utilities, judging by the final results. Baltimore & Ohio again was sharply higher, in response to declaration of the regular dividend at the $7 rate.

Reports were in circulation that the oft-mentioned "agreement" among Eastern Railroad interests is close at hand, but officials repeated that such talk is entirely premature. At least any such agreement as rumored in Wall street has not yet received the approval of the Railroad systems.

That the market should at least hesitate after its vigorous rally from the low of Wednesday was entirely in line with expectations. It remains to be proven whether the comeback was scored primarily on short covering or whether large-scale investment demand was attracted at the low prices.

Powerful groups committed to the bear side of the market were selling again today on a scale upward, contending that only temporary "support" was furnished the market. This much is incontestable: The "Standard" issues such as Steel common, American Can and similar high-caliber stocks reflect strong guidance, but this necessarily does not mean their prices have been pegged.

Further substantial shrinkage in brokerage loans will hardly attract much attention under prevailing circumstances. However, the street was deeply interested in reports, unconfirmed as yet, that a stabilizing pool had been formed in bonds. Some improvement was noted in the bond market. The price of silver slumped to a new low.

STOCK AVERAGES

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	50 Indls	20 RR's	20 U's	90 Total
Thursday	118.5	90.9	156.6	120.9
Previous day	118.2	90.2	153.9	120.0
Week ago	122.1	92.8	156.3	123.5
Month ago	129.9	101.0	169.2	132.2
Year ago	165.4	130.5	198.0	165.6
2 years ago	195.8	129.0	186.7	183.2
3 years ago weekly av.	146.0	123.1	127.1	130.1
High 1930	202.1	141.6	261.3	205.8
Low 1930	112.9	86.4	146.5	114.7
High 1929	252.8	167.8	353.1	255.5
Low 1929	141.3	117.7	156.3	140.2

Call money renewed at 2 per cent.

Alleghany	157	8	7¼	7½
Al Chem & Dye	9	189	183	185
Amerada	12	18	16¼	18
Am Can	949	114	111¾	111¾
Am & For Pow	366	31⅛	29¼	30

Am Internat	79	19½	18⅝	18½
Am Metal	28	18	16¾	17
Am Pow & Lgt	93	42⅝	40½	40⅞
Am Rad St San	151	17⅝	16¼	17
Am Roll Mill	21	33	32	32½
Am Smelt & Ref	46	44	41⅛	41⅛
Am Sugar Ref	8	45	44	44½
Am Tel & Tel	295	183	178⅛	180¾
Am Wat Wks	62	56⅛	53	53⅞
Am Wool	7	6⅛	6	6⅛
Am Wool pf	7	19⅛	18	18⅝
Anaconda	592	28⅞	25	26
Andes Cop	4	12¾	11⅞	11⅞
Atch T & S F	56	179	173⅜	177
Atlantic Ref	66	19	18	18
Baldwin Loco	129	24¼	22	22⅝
Balt & Ohio	189	68½	62⅛	65¼
Bendix Aviat	138	17⅝	15⅞	16⅝
Bethlehem St	770	55½	53	53¼
Briggs Mfg	17	16¼	16½	16½
Burr Add Mach	23	20¾	20	20⅝
Calumet & Ariz	8	33	31⅞	33
Calumet & Hec	36	8¼	7⅞	7⅞
Cannon Mills	xd11	18⅞	18	18
Cerro de Pas	26	25¼	23¼	23¾
Chi M St P & P pf	52	9⅞	9	9
Chi & N W	23	35½	33⅞	35½
Chrysler	24	16¼	15⅝	16
Col Fuel & Ir	27	23¼	21⅝	22½
Colum G & E	145	34⅞	33¼	33½
Colum Graph	139	8¾	8⅛	8½
Consol Gas	448	86⅝	83	84⅝
Contl Can	69	48⅝	46⅜	47½
Contl Oil Del	103	9½	9	9¼
Corn Prod	61	73½	70⅛	73
Curtiss Wright	154	2⅝	2¼	2⅝
Drug Inc	59	64⅞	63	63
Du Pont de Nem	327	89⅝	86½	86¾
El Pow & Lgt	312	40	38	39
Erie R R	39	27¾	26⅛	26½
Fox Film A	303	29	27	28⅛
Freeport Tex	37	31¼	29⅞	30½
Gen Am Tank	24	61⅞	60	60
Gen Elec	722	46⅝	45	45¼
Gen Foods	123	48½	47	47⅜
Gen G & El A	22	4½	4¼	4½
Gen Motors	648	35⅛	33⅞	34
Goodyear Tire	53	48⅞	46½	47
Graham Paige	10	3⅛	3	3
Grant W T	1	27¾	27⅝	27¾
Hartman B	5	3½	3½	3⅛
Houston Oil new	24	8¼	7⅝	7⅝
Hudson Mot	59	22⅜	22	22¼
Hupp Motor	16	8⅝	8⅛	8¼
Inspirat Cop	14	8¼	7½	7⅝
Int Comb E	14	2	1⅝	2
Int Harvest	102	53½	50	50¾
Int Hydro El A	32	22⅝	21⅞	22⅛
Int Match ptc pf	74	59½	56	56
Int Nick Can	646	15⅛	14⅛	14½
Int Tel & Tel	270	24	22⅜	23⅛
Johns Manville	70	57¼	52⅞	54¼
K C South	4	36½	36¼	36½
Kreug & Toll	164	22⅝	22	22½
Loft	10	2⅞	2¾	2⅞
Mack Trucks	32	38	36¼	36½
Magma Cop	11	20⅝	20	20⅝
May Dept Stores	39	29¾	28¼	28¼
McKeesport Tin	23	71½	69	69
MexSeabd Oil	57	12½	11⅞	12⅛
Miami Cop	13	8	7	7
Mo Kan Tex	13	19½	18½	18½
Mo Pacific	9	26½	25	26
Montgom Ward	237	19⅝	18¼	18½
Nash Motors	102	24⅛	22⅝	23⅞
Nat Cash Reg A	60	33	29⅝	31⅛
Nat Dairy Prod	162	39⅝	38½	38⅞
Nat Pow & Lgt	140	35¼	34	34⅛
Nev Con Cop	50	9⅞	9⅝	9⅝
N Y Central	214	117⅝	112	114⅝
North American	378	65½	63	63½
Otis Steel	3	10	10	10
Pacific G & E	48	45½	43½	45
Packard Motor	365	9⅛	8⅝	8¾
Paramt Publix	329	37⅛	36½	37½
Penn R R	89	58⅛	56⅛	56⅞
Phillips Pet	255	14	13¼	13⅞
Pub Serv N J	98	72⅛	70	70⅝
Pure Oil	58	9	8½	8⅞
Radio	479	13½	13½	13½
Radio Keith Or	388	17¼	16½	16½
Rading Co	3	79	77⅝	77⅝
Reming Rand	137	17⅝	16	17
Repub Steel	77	14⅝	13½	13½
Rio Gran Oil	21	6⅝	6¼	6¼
St L San Fran	10	48	46½	48
Sears Roebuck	141	51¾	49⅛	49½
Seneca Cop	6	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Shell Union	48	7½	7⅛	7⅛
Simms Pet	35	7⅝	7	7⅝
Sinclair Con	140	11¼	10½	10½
Skelly Oil	16	11⅛	10⅝	11
Southern Pac	34	93⅝	91½	92¾
Southern Rail	25	57	53⅛	54¼
Stand Brands	374	17¼	16⅜	16½
St G & El	46	62	57⅛	59⅛
Stand Oil Calif	81	47½	45⅝	45⅞
Stand Oil Kan	2	17	17	17
Stand Oil N J	380	48¼	46⅛	46½
Stand Oil N Y	198	22¼	21	21⅝
Stewart Warner	52	16⅜	15⅞	16¼
Stone & Webster	79	44⅜	42	42
Studebaker	28	22¼	21¼	22¼
Texas Corp	141	32	31	31¾
Tex Gulf Sul	177	47½	45⅞	45⅞
Tex & Pac Ry	2	85	85	85
Tex Pac C & O	13	4⅜	4¼	4¼
Tex Pac L Trust	73	11½	11⅛	11¼
Timk Det Ax	2	9¼	9	9¼
Union Carbide	269	58⅞	56	57
Union Pac	42	174⅜	172	172
Unit Aircraft	328	23⅝	22	22¼
Unit Corp	1059	17⅛	16¼	16⅞
Unit G & Im	152	27⅛	26¼	27⅛
U S Freight	21	21⅛	20⅛	21
U S Real & Im	29	27¼	26⅛	26¼
U S Rub	60	13⅞	13	13¼
U S Steel	717	141⅞	139⅝	139⅝
Util P & Lt A	77	[illegible]	21⅝	21¼
Vanadium	765	54⅞	51⅝	52⅝
Warner Pict	595	14¼	13	13¼
West Un Tel	18	132	128	128
Westing Air	7	32½	32¼	32¼
West El & Mfg	584	97⅛	93⅝	94⅞
Woolworth	113	57⅛	55¼	56
Yel Truck & Cab	76	10⅛	9⅝	10

COTTONSEED OIL

DALLAS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Prime cottonseed: North and East Texas $25; West Texas $23@25.

Prime cottonseed oil 5⅞@6.

Prime cottonseed meal, 43 per cent, $27.50.

Prime cottonseed hulls $9.

Linters average mill run 1½@2¼.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 6.75; prime crude 5.87½@6.00. Jan. 6.85; Feb. 6.82; March 6.92; April 6.95; May 7.00; June 7.05; July 7.12; Aug. 7.15; Dec. 6.67.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cottonseed oil closed easier. Prime summer yellow 7.20; prime crude 5.87½@6.00.

Grain

TEXAS CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—All cash grain continued slow sale here today with values largely a matter of individual opinion of seller and buyer following the sharp changes in the big markets. Quotations were largely nominal and there was marked divergence in opinions as to the market. Number 1 and hard wheat of any protein was probably worth 78½@79½c delivered Texas common points but large receipts of wheat or any other grain would probably have been hard to handle.

Estimated receipts, wheat, 15 cars; corn, 7; and grain sorghums 6 cars.

Bids and offers on coarse grains ranged nominally as follows: The wide spread of prices indicating the varying ideas of traders.

Corn, No. 2 mixed, 80@81c; No. 2 white 81½@82½c; No. 2 yellow 81@82c.

Oats, No. 2 red 45@46c.

Sorghums, No. 2 milo per 100 pounds $1.25@1.29; No. 2 kaffir $1.24@1.28.

Dealers also quoted, basis delivery Texas group one points: No. 2 mixed corn 79@80c; No. 2 white corn 83@8-c; No. 2 yellow corn, 81@82c, to which add 3c for delivery group three. No. 3 white oats, 43½@44c, to which add one cent for delivery group three.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Corn fell 2 cents a bushel today, influenced by liberal arrivals and by reports that some corn products manufactories would shut down. Reports said industrial users of corn contended that crop shortage had been overemphasized, and not enough attention had been given to curtailment of demand owing to use of rye and other substitutes. A further weight on the market was announcement that 442,000 bushels of corn had been delivered today on Chicago December contracts.

Corn closed unsettled at nearly the day's bottom level, 1⅝@1⅞ cents a bushel lower than yesterday. Wheat closed irregular at 1 cent decline to ¼ cent advance, with oats ⅛@⅜c off, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 15c.

Corn values went into a nose dive in the late trade, rallies which preceded being minus adequate buying support. The government crop report as to corn was construed as slightly bullish, but not enough so to make any vital difference in aggregate supplies as compared with recent somewhat larger figures as to the 1930 corn yield.

Much of the general commission selling of corn and wheat futures, however, some authorities said, was attributable to the approach of Christmas and to a need in various quarters of holiday funds.

Provisions averaged higher, influenced by demand for December delivery of land, especially on the part of traders who have been speculative letters.

Closing indemnities: Wheat, May 81@81c; July 67@67¼, 69@69⅛. Corn, Dec., bids, 66¾c; March 69⅝@69⅞c; May 71⅛@71⅝74½c, July 72⅞@75½c.

	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
Dec. old	.77	.76¾	.77
Dec. new	.77¼	.77⅛	.77¼
March old	.79⅛	.79⅛	.79⅛
March new	.79⅝	.79⅛	.79⅛
May old	.81⅛	.81	.81
May new	.81⅝	.81½	.81⅝
July	.69⅞	.68⅝	.68⅞
Corn—			
Dec. old	.69¼	.67⅝	.67⅞
Dec. new	.69⅝	.67⅝	.67⅞
March old	.73⅛	.71	.71⅞
March new	.74	.71⅝	.71⅞
May old	.75⅛	.72⅝	.73⅛
May new	.75⅝	.73¼	.73½
July	.76⅛	.74⅛	.74½
Oats—			
Dec. old	.32⅝	.31⅝	.31⅝
March old	.33⅝	.32⅝	.32⅝
March new	.33⅝	.33⅛	.33⅛
May old	.34⅝	.33⅛	.33⅛
May new	.34⅛	.33⅛	.33⅛
July	.33⅝	.32⅝	.32⅝
Rye—			
Dec. old	.45½	.44⅝	.44⅝
Dec. new	.....	.....	.44⅝
May old	.46	.44⅝	.45⅛
May new	.46	.45	.45⅝
July	.45½	.43⅛	.45⅛
Lard—			
Dec.	9.97	9.90	9.97
Jan.	9.15	9.05	9.07
May	9.15	9.05	9.07
Bellies—			
Dec.	.....	.....	11.25
May	.....	.....	11.62

PIT NOTES

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (US)—The government report on acreage and condition of winter wheat is due to be given to the trade at the close of business tomorrow. It is expected it will show excellent conditions and an acreage only 4 per cent less than a year ago. To this was ascribed the selling pressure which appeared on all bulges in July wheat today.

Some pit observers were of the opinion that the rather substantial local selling of corn today was for the account of a local operator who has been selling corn against purchases of oats.

While local shipping sales of corn remained moderate in volume, reports were to the effect that a substantial volume of Eastern business was being worked from interior points.

Most of the arrivals of corn are on a consignment basis. Country offerings are closely held at prices above the offers and bookings as a result are small.

Russian shipments of wheat have declined in volume, but are still fairly substantial. Shipments of wheat the past week from Black Sea ports were 2,568,000 bushels; corn 77,000 bushels; oats 550,000 bushels; barley 569,000 bushels. There were no rye shipments.

MONEY QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Foreign exchanges firm. Great Britain in dollars; others in cents.

Great Britain, demand 4.85⅝; cables 4.85¾; 60-day bills on banks 4.83¼.

France, demand 3.92⅞; cables 3.93.

Italy, demand 5.23⅝; Belgium 13.96½; Germany 23.83½; Holland 40.23½; Norway 26.74; Brazil 9.70; Tokyo 49.61; Montreal 99.84⅜; Mexico City 45.10.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Bar silver established a new historical low today for the second time this week, declining ⅜ of a cent to 31⅛c an ounce.

The previous low, established Tuesday, was 31⅛c an ounce.

Today's drop to a new low was the fourth in a little more than a week. On Tuesday of last week bar silver declined to 33c, and on Friday there was a further break to 32⅛c an ounce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Call money easy, 2 per cent all day.

Time loans steady, 30-90 days 2½@3; 4-5-6 months 2¾@3 per cent.

United States Bonds

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—Government bonds: Liberty 3½s, $101.28; first 4¼s, $102.28; fourth 4¼s, $103.20. Treasury 4½s, $112.11; 4s $108.10; 3⅜s, $102.20.

DRY GOODS MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (AP)—At easier prices some further sales of wide print cloths were made today for contract delivery into March. Other cotton goods ruled quiet save where goods were being sold at concessions to clean out stocks before inventorying. Men's wear and women's wear lines were quiet. Burlaps showed little change for the day. New spring silks were being bought moderately. Hosiery knitters were buying dull nitrocellulose yarns more freely.

Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—(USDA)—Although demand in eastern dressed beef markets was slow, packers at most points around the 11-market circuit displayed moderate interest in most killing classes of cattle at steady to 25c higher prices. Practically all killing classes occupy a higher position on the price scale than a week ago with the better grades of fed steers and yearlings selling at a substantial advance. Chicago had a top of $13.50 on yearlings and realized $13.90 on choice matured steers. Bulk short fed steers are selling upward to $9.00. Receipts were estimated at 22,500.

After opening slow to shippers at steady to 10c higher figures hogs closed weak to 15c lower to packers. The top of $8.25 was paid early at St. Louis. Offerings were around 91,300.

The supply of sheep numbered around 37,500. Fat lambs were unevenly steady to 25c higher while aged stock was unchanged. Outsiders in Chicago purchased fat lambs up to $8.35 but majority of the good choice offerings sold at $8.00. Omaha had a top of $7.85 to shippers on fed western lambs.

TEXAS LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 18. (AP)—(USDA)—Hogs—Receipts 1,000, truck hogs steady to 15c lower; truck top $8.00; bulk 170 to 250 pound truck hogs $7.80@8.00; packing sows and pigs steady; packing sows $6.75@7.00; stock pigs $6.25; heavy butcher pigs $7.00.

Cattle—Receipts 1,500; fat cows up to $5.15 and $5.50; butcher grades $3.25@3.75; bulls and stock cattle nominal; calves $7.25, about steady; slaughter calves active, 25c or more higher, desirable heavies $6.60@7.00; other weighty averages $6.00 down.

Sheep—Receipts 700; lambs steady to 25c lower; wethers steady; fall shorn lambs $6.25@6.40; wethers $4.00.

Hogs—Receipts 1,000; steady to 15c lower; top $8.00; packing sows $6.75@7.00; stock pigs $6.25; heavy butcher pigs $7.00.

Cattle—Receipts 1,500, including 500 calves; cattle trade poorly tested; slaughter steers and yearlings practically lacking; good fat cows $5.15@5.50; butcher grades $3.25@3.75; low cutters $2@2.50; bulls very scarce; mixed stock calves $7.25; slaughter calves $6.60@7.00.

Sheep—Receipts 700; fat lambs steady to 25c lower; fat wethers steady; medium to good fall shorn fat lambs $6.35@6.40; medium to good fat wethers $4.00.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (INS)—Hogs—Receipts 13,000, steady. Top $8.10; bulk $7.25@8.00; heavy $7.70@7.90; medium weight $7.85@8.00; light $7.90@8.00; light lights $7.85@8.10; packing sows $6.75@7.25; pigs $7.75@8.10; holdovers 5,000.

Cattle—Receipts 5,500; strong; calves 2,000; steady; beef steers, good and choice $10.00@12.50; common and medium $7.00@9.50; yearlings $7.00@13.50; butcher cattle, heifers $5.00@12.00; cows $4.00@7.50; calves $7.50@10.00; feeder steers $6.00@8.75; stocker steers $5.50@8.50; stocker cows and heifers $4.00@7.00.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; steady; medium and choice lambs $7.50@8.25; yearlings $5.50@6.75; common and choice ewes $2.00@3.75; feeder lambs $6.00@7.25.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 18. (AP)—Cattle—Receipts 700, calves 200; sellers trying for stronger undertone on reduced supplies; weighty steers to packers $8.50; fair to medium yearlings, bid $5.50@7.00; butcher classes unevenly stronger; beef cows of weight, $5.00@5.75; medium to good butcher cows, $4.00@5.00; canners $2.25@2.75; weighty beef bulls, $3.50@4.00; veals, $8.00 and up.

Hogs—Receipts 600; 10c higher; top $7.90; packing sows and stags, $6.75.

TEXAS VEGETABLES

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 18. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—Carlot shipments of fruits and vegetables from Texas Wednesday: Grapefruit, 16; mixed vegetables, 37; spinach, 92; mixed citrus, 3; peppers, 1; oranges, 1; tomatoes 2; cabbage, 16; potatoes, 1.

Spinach at South Texas points: Haulings heavy. Demand and trading slow; market unsettled with weaker undertone. Bushels cash track few sales 45c; usual terms too few sales reported to quote. Many cars rolled unsold. At Chicago six cars Texas arrived; market steady; Texas bushels 5@@90c. At New York, 21 cars Texas unloaded; slightly weaker; Texas bushels 90c@$1.90.

Cabbage at Chicago 2 cars Texas arrived; slightly weaker. Lettuce crates Texas and California mostly $2.75; few $3.00.

Curb Sales

NEW YORK, Dec. 18. (US)—High, low and close of stocks active on the curb market today:

Ala Power P	114¾	112½	114¾
Alum Co Am	160	150¼	160
Am Cit P & L B	6¼	5⅝	6
Am Cyan B	8¼	7½	7¾
A & F P War	16	14⅝	15⅛
Am Founders	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Ark Nat Gas A	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
Ark Pow & Lt Pf	102¼	100¼	102¼
A G & El A	16¼	15¼	16
Bunk Hill & Sul	50	50	50
Cent Co Vtc		¼	¾
Cent Co P		½	½
Cities Service	16¼	15	15⅝
Cities Service Pf	80½	79⅝	79⅝
Cities Service Pf B	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Colon Oil	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Col Oil & G Vtc	5⅛		5⅛
Com Edison	220	219½	220
Com & So	1⅞	1⅝	1⅝
Cons Cop Min	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Cont Shares Pf B	42⅝	40	40
Cord Corp		3⅛	6¼
Creole Oil	2½	2⅝	2½
Cosden Oil Pf	10¼	10¼	10¼
Crocker Wet	3⅛	¼	3⅝
De Forest	1⅝	1	1⅛
Duke Power	130	120	120
El Bond & Sh	44	44⅝	41⅞
Ford Mot Can A	21⅝	21⅛	21⅛
Ford Mot France	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Ford Mot Ltd	13⅛	13⅝	13⅝
Gen Car Corp	29¼	29⅛	29⅛
Gen G & E Cf Pf	40⅝	37½	37½
Goldman Sachs	6¼	5⅝	6⅛
Gorham Mfg Vtc	17¼	17⅛	17¼
Gulf Oil Corp Pa	65	63¼	65
Holling Gld Min	5⅝	5⅛	5⅝
Hudson Bay M & S	4¼	3⅝	4
Humble Oil	64⅛	62⅝	63
Huyler St Del	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Imp Oil Can	16⅝	15⅞	16½
Imp Oil Can Reg	16	16	16
Indust Fin P	58⅜	58	58⅜
Inter Util B	5¼	4⅝	4⅝
Interstate Equit	2⅝	2½	2½
Inter Eq Cv P	29	29	29
Jer C P & L P	106	106	106
Leonard Oil	½	½	½
Lion Oil	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Mid West Util	17⅞	16⅝	17⅛
Nehi Pf	74	74	74
New Eng Pow Pf	77	77	77
N Y Tel 6½ Pc P	115⅝	115½	115⅝
Niag Hud Pow	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛
Nipissing Mines	1	1	1
Noranda Mines	12⅝	12⅛	12⅛
Nor Am Cement	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Ohio Brass B	60	60	60
Ohio Cop	⅝	¼	¼
Ohio Oil Pf	101	101	101
Oil Stocks A	4	4	4
Pandem Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
Pantepec Oil	1⅝	1⅛	1⅛
Pennroad Corp	6	5⅞	5⅞
Pender D Gro B	5	5	5
Peo Lt Pow A	19⅝	17	19⅝
Pepperell Mfg	80⅝	79	80⅝
Pitts Lake Er Ry	99⅝	99	99⅝
Plymouth Oil	17¼	17	17¼
Ry & Lgt Sec	36	36	36
Rich Oil Col Pf	8	7⅝	8
Safeway St	2⅝	2½	2⅝
St Regis Pape	13	12	12⅝
Shawinig W & P	49⅝	49	49⅝
Smith A O	125	125	129
Stand Inv Cum Pf	38	38	38
Stand Oil Ind	33¼	31⅝	32⅝
Stand Oil Ky	20	19⅝	17⅝
Stand Oil Ohio	45⅛	43⅝	45⅛
Sunray Oil	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Texon Oil & Land	9⅛	9	9
Union Oil Asso	22⅝	22¼	22¼
Unit Founders	7⅛	7	7⅛
United Gas	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Un Lt & Pow A	24	22⅝	23⅝
Utica Gas & El Pf	101	101	101
Vacuum Oil	55⅛	51⅝	52⅝

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (INS)—Butter—Receipts, 6,671 tubs; creamery extras, 28¼c; standards, 28c; extra firsts, 27½@28c; firsts, 26½@27c; packing stock, 16@18c; specials, 29@29½c.

Eggs—Receipts, 3,565 cases; current receipts 24c; graded firsts, 26c; extra firsts, 28c; ordinary firsts, 20@22c; dirties, 12@17c; checks, 10@15c.

Cheese—Tins, new, 16¾c; young Americas, 18c; daisies, 17¼c; double daisies, 17c; longhorns, 17¾c; brick, fancy, 17½c.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, 32c; old, 18@22c; hens, 4 pounds and up, 18c; Leghorn hens, 13c; spring chickens, 4 pounds and up, 19½c; Leghorn springs, 13½c; roosters, 13½c; ducks, 17c; geese, 14½@15c.

Potatoes—Receipts, 103 cars; on track, 192; U. S. shipments, 483; Wisconsin sacked round white, per 100 pounds, $1.25@1.60; Minnesota sacked round white, $1.25@1.35; Idaho sacked russets, No. 1, $1.75@1.90;No. 2, mostly $1.45; Colorado brown beauties and McClures unbranded, $1.50@1.60.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 red 81¾c; No. 1 hard 78¾@79c; No. 1 northern spring 78¼@79c; No. 1 mixed 78¼@78¼c.

Corn—No. 2 mixed 69¾c; No. 2 yellow 70c; No. 2 yellow (old) 72@72½c; No. 4 white 66½@69c.

Oats—No. 2 white 32½c; No. 3 white 32@32¼c.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 17. (AP)—Wheat—No. 2 dark hard, nominally 70¼@75½c; No. 2 hard 70½@71c; No. 2 red, nominally, 78½@80c; Dec. 68½c; May 73c; July 63@62⅞c.

Corn—No. 2 white 68¼c; No. 2 yellow, nominally 65@67c; No. 2 mixed, nominally, 64@66c; Dec. 64¾c; May 68⅜c; July 67⅜c.

Oats—No. 2 white 35c; No. 3, nominally, 34@35c.

Wichita Falls Markets

All poultry prices being paid to producers were lowered Thursday by the Armour creameries. Hens, four pounds and up, were lowered in price from 12c to 10c, hens, under four pounds, from 9c to 8c, fryers from 9c and 12c to 8c and 10c and roosters from 6c to 5c.

POULTRY AND EGGS

All prices below are paid to farmers and producers:

Eggs, extra, per dozen	22c
Eggs, No. 1	20c
Eggs, No. 2	15c
Hens, 4 lbs. and up	10c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	8c
1930 fryers	8@10c
Roosters	5c
Green hides	2c

TURKEYS

No. 1 young toms, 14 lbs. and up	18c
No. 1 young hens, 9 lbs. and up	18c
Old toms	13c
No. 2 birds	9c

MILK AND CREAM

(Quotations by Southwest Dairy Products company)

Sour cream, per pound of butterfat	20c
Butter	33@34c

WHOLE MILK

Grade A:	
Southwest Dairy Products Co., per 100 lbs., 4 per cent test	$3.00
Lehrack-Ferguson Dairy Products Co., per lb. butterfat, straight price	70c
Grade B:	
Southwest Dairy Products company per 100 lbs., 4 per cent test	$2.80
Ungraded Whole Milk:	
Southwest Dairy Products company, per lb. butterfat, straight price	38c

COTTON PRODUCTS

Quoted f. o. b. Wichita Falls by Wichita Falls Cotton Oil company:

Cake, per ton	$33.00
Hulls, per ton	$12.00
Meal, per ton	$33.00
Meal, per ton, carload lots	$31.00

NEWS of the FIELD

WEST OF OLNEY

The Petroleum Producers No. 1 Earl Rogers located in section 197, T. E. & L. survey, southwest of Olney, is drilling at 1100 feet.

FOARD COUNTY TEST

Gause and other (Phillips) No. 1 R. T. Owen, located in block "A", section 36, H. & T. C. R. R. survey in Foard county, north of Margaret townsite, is drilling at 1900 feet.

MONTAGUE COUNTY

Carter & Rycade No. 15 Cunningham, located in the northwest corner of the lease in the Norton survey, Montague county, is drilling at 900 feet.

M. P. KEY AND OTHERS

Key and associates No. 1 Andrews, located in the east line of the north 40 acres out of section 1805, T. E. & L. survey in Archer county, is spudded in.

PRIMROSE REFINING

The Primrose Refining company No. 2 J. R. Kirkland, located in section 2249, T. E. & L. survey, west of the Petroleum Producers wells, is feeling for the sand at 600 feet.

FROM FORT WORTH POOL

C. W. Hanley former denizen of Wichita Falls, but now one of the residents of Fort Worth, is here in the interest of the Gulf production in this section.

TEXAS TURKEYS

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 18. (AP) (U.S.D.A.)—The turkey deal in this territory practically over. All live turkeys have been marketed and most of dressed stock cleaned up. Few dealers that are short are offering wide range of prices but no receipts available.

The Wise Advertiser Uses Enough Words

Not too many, but enough to tell his story convincingly.

He knows that one bit of information about a house or automobile will appeal to one type of reader, while another bit will appeal to other types.

So he makes sure of interesting as many readers as possible by mentioning all the details likely to interest any type of reader.

And this advertiser gets the desired results!

Wichita Daily Times and Wichita Falls Record News

"WANT AD SERVICE"

"Classified" 4-3-9-1

Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma's "Want Ad Headquarters"

Start Your Want Ad So It Will Run in Our Big Sunday Edition

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By Bringing Your WANT ADS to The Times and Record News Office Seventh and Scott ... Phone 4391

"TEXAS HISTORY MOVIES" By Patton and Rosenfield



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For your convenience Want Ads are received by telephone from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Phone 4391.

Northwest Texas' Greatest Want-Ad Medium

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The Want Ad Counter, Times building, corner Seventh and Scott avenue, is open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Wichita Daily Times (Evening)
Wichita Falls Record News (Morning)
Wichita Sunday Times
Largest Circulation in Northwest Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma

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(10-Word Minimum)

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First two insertions, minimum .... .90
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Seven or more insertions, per word 2½c
White space, per line .... .30
Caps, per line .... .25
Local readers, per line .... .35

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One time $0.60
Three times 1.15
Seven times 2.10
One month (31 days) (10 words). 8.10

THESE RATES ARE BASED ON CONSECUTIVE INSERTIONS. IRREGULAR INSERTIONS TAKE ONE-TIME RATE. ABBREVIATIONS, WORDS, INITIALS COUNTED AS FULL WORDS.

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Classified Ad patrons desiring to have ads charged must have a telephone listed in their own name. No book record is made by the publishers on account of the great number of transactions, hence the necessity of collecting promptly.

Correction of errors in Classified Ads must be made before the second insertion. No allowance will be made for more than one incorrect insertion.

Cancellations and adjustments regarding errors should be telephoned to the Classified Ad department between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Ads accepted for afternoon paper up until 11 a. m. same day.

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

Sunday paper up to 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Same copy in both papers.

THE CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT IS OPEN ON SUNDAYS from 4 to 6 p. m. and telephone orders for classified ads to be inserted or to be discontinued will be accepted.

Exceptions: Want ads will be accepted over the telephone for all excepting the following classifications: Situations Wanted and Wanted to Rent. Ads for these classifications are cash with the order and will not be accepted over the telephone.

The Times reserves the right to classify all Classified Ads under the appropriate headlines and to revise or to withhold from publication any ads deemed objectionable.

2. PERSONAL

PHOTOGRAPHS, paintings, frames, greeting cards. Miller Studio, Indiana at Eighth.

DAY OR NIGHT sittings before Sunday, proofs next day; pictures finished before Christmas. Miller Studio, Indiana at Eighth.

LEAVING for Indianapolis, Dec. 22. Two passengers wanted, sharing expenses. References required. Address box 20, care Times.

3-A. BATHS

BATTLE CREEK electric herbal sulphur vapor baths; massage; reducing. 1315 Eighteenth street. Dial 7840.

4. BEAUTY PARLORS

SPECIAL French oil waves for $2.25. Mrs. Hansard, 204 Bluff. Phone 2-4973.

PERMANENT waves, two for $5. Mrs. Rexford, 500 Travis. Phone 9878.

FRENCH OIL waves $3. Mrs. Lehmann. 2203 Grant. Phone 8082.

SPECIAL—Permanents, $3.50; two for $6. Alma Beer, 3439. 1522 Twenty-second.

1418 TWELFTH—Shampoos 50c; marcels 50c; shampoo and finger wave 75c; finger wave 35c. Phone 6282.

OIL WAVES $3, Frederick $5. Phone 2-4910; 2103 Grant. McGintys.

MARCELS at 1506 Polk 50c. Phone 6392. Experienced operator.

CHRISTMAS special permanent $3; expert operators. Call 6812. 721 Indiana.

MARCELLING, finger waving, shampooing, 25c. 509 Scott avenue.

SHAMPOO-MARCELL, $1.00. Tina Fine, formerly with Tina Rose Shoppe. Call now for Christmas appointment. Phone 2-4535; 1122 Grace street.

5. LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Male Pekingese dog. Answers name "Ming." Finder phone 9188. 2702 Ninth. Reward.

LOST—Orange colored female Persian cat. Reward. Call 3871.

STOLEN—1926 Ford roadster. License number 1170-074; engine number, 13,007,-573. Reward for any information as to whereabouts of car. Dial 4927.

LOST—Pair black shell rim glasses, in or near Wichita auditorium Monday. Reward. Call collect 26F3, Dundee, Texas.

LOST—In Kress' or Penney's, tan dress from Georgianna Shop. Finder return to Georgianna Shop for reward.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Male Boston Terrier, brindle and white; child's birthday present; answers to name "Billie." Reward. Phone 2-1626.

LOST—Police dog, 5 months old; answers to name Rin Tin. Reward. Phone 9477.

8. MALE HELP WANTED

STEADY work with promotion; must have good appearance. Only those wanting permanent connection with a future will be considered for this opening. Apply 423, Marchman hotel, 10 a. m. only.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

EARN MORE, learn beauty culture. Ma-Vi Beauty School. Phone 2-1698.

THERE IS NOTHING obscure about the Classified Columns—except the reason why some few people fail to read them regularly.

9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

COLORED cook, must be good, inquire 711 Baylor.

ADDRESSING envelopes, work at home during spare time. Substantial weekly pay; experience unnecessary. Dignified employment for honest, sincere, ambitious persons. Workers League, Naperville, Ill.

10. MALE AND FEMALE HELP WANTED

FARMERS and others, let's trade barber work for chickens, eggs, butter, pecans, or what have you? Take anything good for good haircuts. Turner's Barber Shops, 712 Brook, or 2415 Grant.

12. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

WILL DO any kind of work. 313 Lamar. W. B. Thompson.

14. SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

LAUNDRY 25c doz; quilts, blankets, 25c. Delivery service. Phone 2-0403.

REFINED young girl wants position as nurse maid and housekeeper. Experienced in caring for children. Call 9358.

NURSE, with hospital training, desires position in doctor or dentist office. Best of references. 2-1894.

YOUNG LADY, age 19, high school education, refined, good appearance, needs work. Small salary acceptable. Address postoffice box 932.

MIDDLE AGED lady wants to do housework or nursing. Phone 5940.

15. SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE AND FEMALE

YOUNG COUPLE wants work on farm, or will consider anything; four years' experience Fordson tractors. 1409 Fillmore.

16. ROOM AND BOARD

CLEAN BEDROOMS, meals if desired; garage. 1206 Austin.

GOOD HOME-COOKED meals, nice clean bedrooms; cheerful atmosphere. 1303 Bluff. Phone 2-0251.

17. BEDROOMS FOR RENT

CLEAN BEDROOM, Sealy mattress, close in. 1105 Broad.

EXCEPTIONALLY nice bedroom, connecting bath, gentleman only, garage. Phone 6895.

LOVELY southeast upstairs bedroom, meals if desired. 1510 Tenth. Phone 6613.

KEMP KORT—Attractive rooms, walking distance, steam heat. Phone 5473.

UNUSUAL, private front bedroom, garage. Call after 7 p. m. 2-1929.

18. HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS FOR RENT

ONE LARGE housekeeping room, private entrance. 2208 Ninth; phone 9711.

TWO FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. 1306 Twelfth street.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms $3.00 and $3.50 weekly, 1205 Burnett.

ONE AND TWO housekeeping rooms, $4.50 week. 1514 Tenth.

TWO FURNISHED rooms, $4 week, bills paid. 2100 Yale.

19. APARTMENTS FOR RENT

APARTMENT headquarters. C. T. Tully Co., 813½ Scott; phone 9902.

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

UNFURNISHED duplex, four rooms. 2103½ Jones street; phone 9503.

3111 NINTH, lovely furnished apartment, garage, $35 month. 5480-9870.

DUPLEX apartments, 3-room and 2-room, nicely furnished, reasonable. 1310 Eighth.

FURNISHED south side duplex, 4 rooms, private bath, on pavement. Apply rear 2105 Buchanan.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartments in La Perla apartments. Phone 4454.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, bath, $40; also 4-room unfurnished apartment, bath, $30. 1306 Buchanan. Thoroughly modern, hardwood floors, water, electric lights, gas and telephone, garage. Call Mr. Davis, 9860.

NICELY furnished, newly papered, two rooms and bath. 906 Bluff, phone 4620; rear.

UNFURNISHED brick duplex, Beverly drive. Dial 9389.

HALF MODERN duplex, furnished, and garage, 2415 Tenth; phone 6035.

KEMP KORT—Furnished two-room apartment, steam heat; couple only.

KEMP KORT—Furnished or unfurnished apartments; steam heat. Phone 5473.

LARGE 4-room unfurnished brick apartment, tile bath. 1408 Eleventh.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, garage, bills paid, $28.50. 2400 Ninth, adults.

FURNISHED apartment for rent. Newly decorated. Phone 3362 or 2-5652.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment with garage, 2004 Collins, $32.50. E. C. Buelteman, phone 6900.

COMPLETELY furnished apartment. La Casa. 1822 Ninth; phone 5365.

CLOSE IN—Two-room apartment; reasonable. 1106 Scott.

NICELY furnished 4-room apartment, garage, 1512 Tenth street.

NICELY furnished four-room duplex apartment near college; private bath, garage. 2126 Avenue K.

STEAM-HEATED apartment, furnished or unfurnished, rent very reasonable. Floral Apartments company, 1307 Buchanan street.

NICELY FURNISHED four-room apartment, also four-room unfurnished apartment. Phones 8080-2-1704.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, garage. Bills paid, $5.50 per week. 304 Fourth. Phones 2-5650, 4642.

FOUR-ROOM newly decorated apartment, on carline; move now and pay month later. Phone 6296.

UNFURNISHED 4-room apartment walking distance, $35. 1208 Twelfth. Phone 9057.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished half duplex, private bath. 2173 Avenue J; phone 2-0836.

ONE AND TWO-ROOM furnished apartments, 511 Lamar. Phone 5851.

FOR RENT—Three-room modern furnished apartment, apply 1200 North Sixth. Phone 2-4002.

FOUR-ROOM furnished garage apartment, bills paid. 1704 Holliday. Phone 4451.

NICELY furnished three rooms and kitchenet, private bath, garage, to adults. Call at 1660 Lucile avenue.

TWO-ROOM apartment at a bargain. Good location, on pavement. Phone 2-0893.

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

RENTALS—Exclusively. L. G. Hodges, 8171. 818 Tenth street.

HOUSES AND apartments, furnished and unfurnished. Mrs. Horne; phone 6690.

HOUSES, junior college district. Jerome S. Stone. Phone 3960.

FIVE-ROOM modern house, 2008 Giddings, pavement, double garage, $22.50. Call 6578.

FIVE-ROOM neatly furnished house. 2308 Ninth street.

UNFURNISHED 6-room house, large sleeping porch, newly papered and painted; two new hardwood floors, references required 1636 Elizabeth, $30.00. Call 6084 or 2-5653.

FOR RENT—Furnished house on pavement, $35. Phone 8080-5436.

FOR RENT—Lovely home, four doors east of college. 2129 Avenue H.

MY BRICK home, nicely furnished, five rooms, sun parlor and bath, double garage. Splendid location. Phone 8250.

FOR RENT nicely furnished 5-room house. Call 2-4453—5369.

UNFURNISHED, well located, eight-room house, two baths, built-in laundry tub, servant house, double garage. Phone 2-4566—9091.

FIVE-ROOM house for rent. 1909 Monroe. Call 2-5157.

PARTIALLY furnished 5-room house. Phone 4131-6663, Miss Bunnenberg.

FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished homes. C. C. Jones Sr. Phones 9572, 2-4217.

FIVE ROOMS, newly papered, 1811 Victory, $35; 5 rooms, 1605 Wilson, $17.50; 1609 Wilson, $20; 1611 Wilson, $20; 1613 Wilson, $10; 1308 Lamar, $20; Garage apartment, 2128 Avenue K, $10. J. F. Friberg, phones 9039, 6180.

SIX-ROOM house, newly decorated; move now, pay month later. Phone 6296.

NEW SIX ROOMS, shades and linoleum, Alamo school. Phone 2-5220.

SIX-ROOM house, walking distance, cheap. 804 Baylor; phone 5532.

MY HOME furnished, every convenience, rent reasonable. 1806 Lucile.



In These Days of Eliminating as Much Housework as Possible

—it is folly for a family of two or three to maintain a house of mansion proportions. Especially when there are such cozy suites available in apartment houses and apartment hotels. In many instances complete service may be obtained. Rentals are reasonable, considering the advantages.

Look through the Classified Want Ad columns for suggestions.

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Wichita Falls' and Northwest Texas' Greatest Classified Medium

"WANT AD HEADQUARTERS"
PHONE 4391

24-Hour Continuous Classified Service

TWO PAPERS — TRY CLASSIFIED — ONE COST

20. HOUSES FOR RENT

SMALL house, living room, kitchen and bath; on pavement, Corner Broad and Sibley, for $10. Dial 2-4041.

SIX ROOMS—Close in, $20 month. 1007 Austin. Phone 6492.

HOUSES, apartments, rooms and board. 2311 Eighth. $30. (May furnish). Others. 3248—2-4217.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

DON'T BUY until you see our stock of new and used furniture, stoves and etc. We buy, sell or exchange. Out of high rent district. E. F. Riley Furniture. 514 Indiana.

LOVELY dark walnut bookcase, or china cabinet, sacrifice, $12.50; also new Hoover, sweeper. Call 7096.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

QUILT SCRAPS, assorted prints, all fast colors; four pounds $1. Postage prepaid. Texas Scrap Material company, P. O. Box 2336, Dallas, Texas.

APPLE CIDER for Christmas. Phone 9536. 2315 Jasper.

FINE GRADE of turnips, 50c per bushel. Two miles on Charley road.

QUILT TOPS for sale. Call 2-1627, Mrs. W. E. Black.

FRESH HOME killed pork and sausage. Phone 4995.

FOR SALE—Child's electric train. Dial 2-1972.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

FOR SALE CHEAP—Beautiful console Orthophonic Victrola, with records; also gorgeous living room draperies. Phone 2-0967.

BIG SALE of Baldwin pianos. 20 per cent discount on all new pianos for December. Uprights $295; grands $495. Also slightly used Baldwin grand and Lester grand. J. J. Moore Music company, 1113 Monroe. Phone 9009.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, excellent condition, $75; worth $300. Phone 2-1570.

34. WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To buy your used furniture. E. F. Riley. 514 Indiana. Phone 7123.

WANTED—Either Oriental or Chinese 9 by 12 rug. Must be good condition and bargain. Write postoffice box 347, City.

WANTED—Upright Baby Grand piano. Terms. Dial 9976. Bingham.

WANT TO BUY—Girl's bicycle, size 26, reasonable. Phone 6296.

43. POULTRY, EGGS AND PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Shetland ponies. Black and white spotted. Phone 3644.

FRESH, infertile eggs. 1128 Harlan avenue., Ray Massie addition, Iowa Park road.

44. DOGS

DR. LUCEY, veterinarian, phone 4954, Henrietta road. General practice, boarding hospital.

DR. C. M. GARDNER, 20 years a veterinarian for particular people, 3005 Holliday. Phone 2-4505.

BUILD BIGGER and better business by borrowing Classified Suggestions daily.

FOR SALE—Registered German police puppies; Strongheart blood. 705 Burnett street.

46. FEED

WICHITA MAID scratch feed, 100 pounds, $2, delivered. Hegari, 100 pounds, $1.55. Best alfalfa, $1 bale. General Feed Store, 901 Indiana. Phone 8910.

52. MOVING AND STORAGE

WHITE TRANSFER AND STORAGE Phone 2-5131.

LET EXPERIENCED furniture men move or crate your furniture. Used furniture taken in exchange. E. F. Riley, 514 Indiana. Phone 7123.

MORRIS TRANSFER AND STORAGE—Piano moving a specialty. Phone 5630.

53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

RED FORDS—Equipped for all repairing. J. H. Castledine, phone 4420.

MODERN PLUMBING COMPANY. Special price on water heaters. A shop wherever we stop. Phone 8746.

58. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

PAINTING and paperhanging, $2.50 and up. Work guaranteed. 2-0618, Jeff.

PAINTING and papering done right by home man. Phone 7266.

60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

MATTRESS RENOVATING—One day service $3.50 and up, furniture taken in exchange. Patton Mattress & Furniture Co., 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

MATTRESS RENOVATING—We call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9415.

MATTRESS renovated, holiday special $3.40 up; satisfaction guaranteed. American Mattress Factory. Phone 9473.

61. PATENTS-INVENTIONS

PATENTS, trademarks, copyrights. Ernest A. Wood, U. S. patent attorney, 2-1032. 1012 Santa Fe Bldg., Dallas.

62. FINANCIAL

FARM, RANCH loans, 5½%. Hendricks, 403 Perkins-Snider. Phone 2-4093.

MONEY—Texas Credit company, automobile loans small loans on personal signatures to salaried employes. 605½ Seventh street, room 1. Phone 4438.

AUTOMOBILE and furniture loans. Refinance and reduce your payments. Morton Finance company, 339 Harvey-Snider Bldg.; phone 2-4640.

64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

DRUG STORE—Modern fixtures, no dead stock; making money; best location for future in city. Box 281.

GOOD SECOND cutting alfalfa and sorghum hay. Phone 2-5789.

GOLDEN opportunity; experienced partner wanted; established barbecue and hamburger business; small capital necessary. D. G. Banon, 35 South Avenue C, Olney, Texas.

FOR SALE—Filling station and grocery store on highway 5; three miles west of Goodlett. Other business calls me. John King, Goodlett, Texas.

68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Brand new 1930 model Whippet sedan, never been driven; fully equipped. Terms can be arranged. Apply Times business office.

71. AUTOMOBILES WANTED

WANT TO BUY equity in late model coupe Dial 2-1033.

76. AUTO SUPPLIES

BATTERIES charged; cash and carry, 50c; delivery service, $1.00. 120 Barwise; phone 2-4077.

82. HOUSES FOR SALE

A REAL home, many attractive features. Phone owner, 2-0132.

FIVE-ROOM house, bargain, 1911 Seventh. Phone 4026.

84. FARMS, RANCHES FOR SALE

FARMS AND RANCHES for sale or trade. H. Sonnamaker, 202 Staley.

265 ACRES, well improved, 250 in cultivation, to exchange for good house, clear. J. R. Monroe, phone 9068.

85. REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE

WANT TO trade unincumbered lot for late model sedan car. Phone 2-0920.

THE ONLY OBJECTION some people have to this Classified Section is that they didn't form the habit of reading it sooner.

101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

FOR SALE—2½-acre chicken farm in the Weeks' colony. Five-room modern cottage and large hen house. Price is right and terms easy. See owner at Citizens Lumber Co. for further information.

Read Our
CLASSIFIED ADS

regularly — and profit with equal regularity from the opportunities that they present to your thrifty eye.

Classified Display

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

BUY A USED CAR WITH AN OK That Counts
Not Who Owned the Car but Who Sells It

1925 Ford Touring car, motor A-1, four good tires. A real buy for $23
1929 Ford Roadster, a real snap for $199
1929 Chrysler 70 Coupe, good tires, original finish for $167.50
1929 Ford Sport Coupe, good tires, original finish, motor O. K. $199
1929 Chevrolet Coupe, perfect mechanically, excellent condition. A car you will be proud to drive $295
1926 Studebaker Roadster, good tires, motor O. K. $77

This is just a few of our many specials. See us before you buy. We can save you money.

Fox Chevrolet Company
USED CAR DEPARTMENT
607 Scott Ave. 807 Lamar Phone 8161

FARM GRADING WORK PUSHED

Electra C-C Leads Program Of Terracing

Special to The Record News.
ELECTRA, Texas, Dec. 18.—The chamber of commerce has sponsored and has been vitally interested in the program of terracing that has been going on for the past three weeks. Plans are being made to continue this work until the demand for such has been met.

Due to the fact that G. C. McGown, county agent, has been so busy in the past that it was almost impossible for him to satisfy the farmers who wanted help in this line, H. H. Haynes, county commissioner, was instrumental in obtaining for Mr. McGown to work the territory around Electra. Much work has been done during the past few weeks and more than 500 acres have been terraced north of Electra.

Because it is almost impossible to go through all the farming section and solicit the men who want the work done, Robert P. Hall, manager of the chamber of commerce, has suggested that all farmers or ranchers wanting the work telephone him or write a card giving the address and numbers of acres to be terraced and the orders will be filled promptly.

No charge is being made for running the lines, the only requirement being that the farmer terrace the land after it has been laid off. Those who do not have the necessary equipment or time may get these terraces put up with a large grader and tractor at a very reasonable price. This machinery has been obtained for the benefit of the farmers and was made possible through the cooperation of Mr. Haynes and Mr. Hall.

Stamford P.-T. A. Gives Christmas Entertainment

Special to The Record News.
STAMFORD, Texas, Dec. 18.—Several hundred interested parents and friends attended the Christmas meeting of the local P.-T. A. which was held at the City auditorium on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. McDonald, president, introduced Miss Helen Paynter, Red Cross nutritionist, who has been working in Stamford schools since Dec. 1. Miss Paynter spoke briefly and announced the opening of the adule class in nutrition on Jan. 6.

The program for the afternoon was presented by pupils in the rooms of Miss Maurine Couch and Miss Estelle Ward of the Central ward school and was composed of a unique tumbling act; a chorus, "Santa's Little Helpers," and a one-act play, "Christmas in Naughty Land."

The loving cup which is given for the highest percentage of parents went to Miss Estelle Ward's room with an average of 48.8.

Stomford schools will close on Dec. 19 and reopen for activities on Dec. 29, according to announcement of L. W. Johnson, superintendent.

Royal Neighbors Name Officers at Stamford

Special to The Record News.
STAMFORD, Texas, Dec. 18.—The Royal Neighbors of camp No. 6989 met for the annual election of officers. Mrs. S. D. Gay was elected as oracle for 1931. Mrs. A. S. Hamilton will serve as vice oracle, and Mrs. A. M. Conant as past oracle, serving for 1930.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Henry Cook, chancellor; Mrs. T. N. Meador, recorder; Mrs. C. L. Rogers, receiver; Mrs. Floyd Wiley, marshall; Mrs. J. S. Sloan, inner sentinel; Mrs. S. J. Roberts, outer sentinel; Roy Rector, Mrs. O. W. Lamb and Mrs. P. C. Owens, managers, and Miss Lyndal Rector, musician.

THREE DROWN

TALTAL, Chile, Dec. 18. (AP)—Three persons were drowned yesterday when a wharf on which they were standing was swept into the bay during a storm.

Classified Display

AUCTION SALES

$5,000 Stock of Auto Parts and Accessories to Be Sold at Auction
Saturday, Dec. 20, 2 p. m. Also several used cars. 408 Indiana. J. R. Ray, Auctioneer.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

For Sale at Factory Cost
New light six de luxe sedan, five wire wheels, heavy duty tires. Liberal terms or trade.
Rio Tire Co.
Phone 8128

What's On The Air Today?

In addition to the regular daily features KGKO's program will include a 15-minute musical specialty "A Night in Spain" and a 30-minute program of an excerpt of a popular musical comedy. "A Night in Spain" will be on the air from 7:15 to 7:30 and the musical comedy will be given from 8 to 8:30. Both features will be on the evening program.

The entire program follows:
7:45-8:00—News flashes.
8:00-9:30—Shopping hour.
9:30-9:45—Musical.
9:45-10:00—Paul Cooper.
10:00-10:10—Wichita county health talk.
10:10-10:20—Moments with the masters.
10:20-10:30—Recordings.

Log of Stations Received Here

Station	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
KSAT, Fort Worth	241.9	1240
KTHS, Hot Springs	288.4	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
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	224.2	1280
WSB, Atlanta	496.2	740
Va.	205.4	1460
WSM, Nashville	461.3	650

10:30-11:15—Church of the air.
12:00-12:45—Nat Brusiloff commercial hour.
12:45-1:00—News flashes.
1:00-1:30—Third Alarmers.
5:30-6:00—Old King Cole.
6:00-6:45—Dinner hour concert.
6:45-6:55—Cecil and Sally.
6:55-7:00—Orchestra.
7:00-7:10—Mose and Hambone.
7:10-7:15—Orchestra.
7:15-7:30—A Night in Spain.
7:30-7:45—Special music.
7:45-8:00—Slipperland footnotes.
8:00-8:20—Excerpts from musical comedy.
8:[illegible]—Lockharts abroad.
8:[illegible]—Blue Room trio.
9:[illegible]—Radiolites and male trio.

Southwest

262.1—WOAI, San Antonio—1190
6:15-6:30—Literature and drama.
6:30-7:00—Studio program.
7:00-8:00—Orchestra.
8:00-8:30—Jones and Hare.
8:30-9:00—Mixed chorus.
9:30-10:00—Theater of the air.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-11:00—Mexican players.

374.8—WFAA, Dallas—800
7:00-7:15 a. m.—Honeyboy and Sassafras.
7:15-7:57 a. m.—Early Birds orchestra.
7:57 a. m.—Markets.
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Phil Cook.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Bera Meade Grimes, pianist.
10:00-11:00 a. m.—Musical appreciation course, Walter Damrosch.
11:00-11:15 a. m.—Woman's hour.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—Cooking school.
11:30-11:45 a. m.—Cookey Rooster.
11:45 a. m.-12:30 p. m.—National farm and home hour.
5:30-6:00 p. m.—Twilight trio.
6:00-6:30 p. m.—Shockers.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Michael Mahoney, Viz Lindhe.
6:45-7:00 p. m.—Miss Emma and Sis Caline.
7:30-7:45 p. m.—General Jolly time.
7:45-8:00 p. m.—McAleer melodists.
8:00-8:30 p. m.—Interwoven Pair.
8:30-9:00—The Pool parade.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.

333.1—WKY, Oklahoma City—900
6:30-7:05—Early Risers.
7:05-7:15—Morning devotional.
7:15-7:30—Studio.
9:00-9:15—Sally Stokely and the Stokely serenaders.
9:15-9:30—Town Crier Dramalogue.
10:00-11:00—Music appreciation hour; Walter Damrosch.
11:15-11:30—News.
12:30-12:45—Markets.
12:45-1:15—Chamber of commerce.
1:15-1:30—"Slats" Randall's orchestra.
1:45-2:00—"Slats" Randall and his orchestra.
2:00-2:15—Studio trio.
2:15-2:30—Paul Christensen's orchestra.
2:30-2:45—Final markets.
2:45-3:30—Matinee, Paul Christensen's orchestra.
3:30-3:45—News.
3:45-4:00—Jack Whitney—Dorothy Monnett.
4:00-4:30—The Lady Next Door.
4:30-4:45—J. A. Barraket.
4:45-5:15—Twilight organ melodies.
5:15-5:30—Leo Blondin.
5:30-5:45—Al and Dutch.
6:15-6:30—College memories.
8:00-8:30—Interwoven Pair.
8:30-9:00—Orchestra.
9:30-10:00—Radio-Keith-Orpheum hour.
10:00-10:15—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15—Ayer Weather report.
10:15-10:30—Chig's.
10:30-10:45—Chamber of commerce bonds committee.
10:45-11:00—Late news.
11:00-12:00—"Slats" Randall and his orchestra.

288.3—KTHS, Hot Springs—1040
7:30-7:45 a. m.—Quaker Early Bird.
8:00-8:15 a. m.—Quaker Crackles Man.
8:15-8:30 a. m.—Music.
10:00-10:15 a. m.—Aunt Sammy's chat.
11:15-11:30 a. m.—News of the day.
11:30-12:15 p. m.—National farm and home program.
12:15-12:30 p. m.—University of Arkansas farm forum.
6:15-6:30 p. m.—College memories.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Arlington Hotel orchestra, Paolo Grosso, director.
9:00-9:30 p. m.—Armstrong Quakers program.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:30 p. m.—Kingsway Hotel orchestra, William Hoge, director.
10:30-11:00 p. m.—Oaklawn serenaders fiddle band.
11:15-11:30 p. m.—John Summers, pianist.
11:30-12:00 midnight—Palais d'Or orchestra.

374.8—WBAP, Fort Worth—800
8:30 a. m.—Studio program.
9:15 a. m.—Markets.
9:30 a. m.—Betty Crocker.
10:00 a. m.—Damrosch hour.
12:30 p. m.—Los Tocadores.
12:55 p. m.—"Port of Missing Men."
1:00 p. m.—Markets.
1:45 p. m.—Organland.
2:00 p. m.—Wagoner's Hawaiians.
2:30 p. m.—Markets.
2:30 p. m.—"The Show World" with Robert Randol.
5:00 p. m.—The Aerobats.
10:00-10:15 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
10:15-10:45 p. m.—Wolf and Klar program.
10:45-11:00 p. m.—Rene and his violin.
11:00 p. m.-12:00 midnight—The Goodfellows.

288.3—KRLD, Dallas—1040
6:00-7:00—Sunrise prayer service; tick tock music hour.

7:00-7:30—Setting up exercises and organ program.
8:30-9:15—Morning moods; studio music; Aunt Mary's chat.
9:15-9:45—KRLD-Chitwood cooking school.
10:15-11:00—Cooking demonstration. Studio music.
12:30-2:00—Radio revival; temperature; American school of the air.
2:00-3:00—U. S. marine band; college of the air.
3:00-4:00—Curtis Institute of music; thirty minute men.
4:00-5:00—Light opera gems; Sadie Flateau, contralto; flashes, lost and found from the Times Herald.
5:00-6:15—Paul Tremaine and orchestra; sleepy time travels; studio music; Tony's scrap book; spotlight reporter.
6:30-6:45—Evangeline Adams, astrologer.
6:45-7:00—The Vagabonds; national employment committee broadcast.
7:00-8:00—Topics in brief; health talk; Freddie Rich's orchestra.
8:00-9:00—Henry Busse's orchestra.
9:00-9:30—Radio follies.

Central

275.1—KMOX, St. Louis—1090
6:00-6:30—Orchestra.
6:30-7:00—Evangeline Adams.
7:00-7:30—Musical program.
7:30-8:00—Musical variety.
8:00-9:00—Story hour.
9:00-9:30—The radio follies.
9:30-10:00—Male choir from Montreal.
10:00-10:15—Dance orchestra.
10:15-10:30—Willie and Lillie.
10:30-11:00—Orchestra.
11:00-11:15—Dr. Cu-Cu.

428.3—WLW, Cincinnati—700
6:30-6:45—Phil Cook.
6:45-7:00—Footlites.
7:00-7:45—Chocolateers.
8:30-9:00—Mixed chorus.
9:00-9:30—Sonneteers.
9:30-10:00—Vox Humana.
10:00-12:30—Variety.

344.6—WENR, Chicago—870
6:30-6:45—Farm program.
6:45-7:00—Luke and Mirandy.
8:30-9:00—Feature program.
9:00-9:30—Musical travelogue.
9:30-10:00—Variety musical.
10:00-10:30—Feature program.
10:30-11:00—Comedy; studio.
11:00-1:00—Air vaudeville.

416.4—WGN, Chicago—720
7:00-7:15 a. m.—"On the 8:15."
7:15-7:30 a. m.—Morning devotions.
7:30-7:45 a. m.—Charlie Hamp.
8:00-8:30 a. m.—U. S. army band.
8:30-8:45 a. m.—Morning melodies.
9:00-9:15 a. m.—Larry Larsen's mail box.
9:45-10:00 a. m.—Larry Larsen.
10:00-11:00 a. m.—Music appreciation; Walter Damrosch.
11:00-12:00, noon—Everybody's hour.
12:20-12:30 p. m.—The town farmer.
12:30-1:00 p. m.—Luncheon concert.
1:00-1:45 p. m.—Executives club.
1:45-2:00 p. m.—"Sisters of the Skillet."
2:00-2:30 p. m.—Luncheon concert continued.
2:30-3:00 p. m.—Women's club.
3:00-5:00 p. m.—Teatime musical.
5:00-5:30 p. m.—The bookworm.
5:30-5:45 p. m.—Larry Larsen.
5:45-6:00 p. m.—"Little Orphan Annie."
6:00-6:15 p. m.—Uncle Quin's Punch and Judy show.
6:30-6:45 p. m.—Mickelberry maids.
7:00-7:10 p. m.—WGN Syncopators.
7:20-7:30 p. m.—WGN Syncopators.
7:30-8:00 p. m.—National tea; American Home serenade.
8:00-8:10 p. m.—Allan Grant.
8:10-8:30 p. m.—WGN Syncopators.
8:30-9:00 p. m.—Orchestra.
9:30-9:45 p. m.—"Clara, Lu 'n' Em."
9:45-10:00 p. m.—Interlude.
10:10-10:20 p. m.—Allan Grant, pianist.
10:20-10:30 p. m.—Louie's Hungry five.
10:30-11:00 p. m.—WGN Symphony orchestra; WGN Syncopators.
11:00-12:30 a. m.—Ted Fio-Rita and his orchestra; Clyde McCoy's Drake Hotel orchestra.

Club Members Attend Council at Iowa Park

Special to The Record News.
IOWA PARK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Mesdames I. W. Corder, C. C. Burrows, L. E. Brooks and Frank Davis attended the county council meeting held by Miss Ethel Louise Webb at the courthouse Thursday evening, as representatives from the Pleasant Valley Home Demonstration club.

Along with the council members Miss Webb entertained the 100 per cent members for the year, and Mrs. Frank Davis enjoys the distinction of being the only member from the Pleasant Valley club who registered perfect. She was closely followed by Mrs. C. C. Burrows and Mrs. L. E. Brooks who failed in their records by absence at one meeting each.

RATES SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—Freight rate schedules on citrus fruits shipped in boxes from Southwestern destinations in carlots today were suspended by the Interstate Commerce commission.

RETAIL PRICES OF FOOD DROP

11 Per Cent Decrease Since 1929 Shown

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (UP)—Retail food prices in the United States showed a decrease of about 2 per cent on Nov. 15, 1930, as compared with Oct. 15, and a decline of about 11½ per cent since Nov. 15 a year ago, according to a report of the bureau of labor statistics of the labor department.

The largest decrease in any one article was shown in oranges, which declined 24 per cent in price. Pork chops, falling off 13 per cent, showed the second largest price decrease.

Cattlemen Meet To War on Rustlers

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Dec. 18. (AP)—Wyoming and Montana cattlemen were in conference with Northern Wyoming legislators here today seeking to revise their old fashioned ways of dealing with cattle rustlers who have adopted new fangled methods.

The law makers were told that cattle and meat thefts by "rustlers on rubber" has created the worst condition in 45 years in the cattle industry so far as rustling is concerned. The rustlers, cattlemen said, were driving to the ranges in trucks and carting away live animals or slaughtering beef and carrying the meat to distant markets.

The cattlemen, through their spokesman, Goelet Gallatin, president of the Montana-Wyoming Livestock Protective association, urged legislation to require the state board of livestock commissioners to appoint special truck inspectors to patrol highways.

Permits would also be required to transport animals or meat and the proposed law would allow any person to halt a truck and demand to inspect the load.

Outlaw 'King' Of Island Dethroned

GREET SWINTON'S ISLAND, Mergui Archipelago, Burma, Dec. 18. (AP)—The outlaw "king" of the half savage natives who inhabit this little island speck in the Gulf of Bengal has been dethroned and killed by the police.

Not even his name was known. He was a Burmese native of mysterious origin who disappeared from the mainland several years ago, after a series of particularly bold robberies.

The police never gave up their search for him and finally they traced him to this little dot in the ocean. He had terrorized the simple fisher folk who live in caves and go about nearly naked under the baking sun. He had set up a virtual despotism and the people worked for him and fed him for years.

When the police came so great was the fear of the natives that they refused to reveal their "king's" hiding place but the officers finally ran him down. He put such stubborn resistance that he could not be taken alive.

Campaign Committee Drops Kunz Inquiry

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—The house campaign expenditures committee today decided it lacks authority to investigate the charges of Representative Kunz, Democrat, Illinois, that irregularities existed in the election in November in which he was defeated by Peter Granata, a Republican.

The committee held that if gangsters were active in the eelction, it fell in the jurisdiction of the civil authorities in Cook county to handle that phase.

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STORES PLAN OPEN HOUSE

Men and Women to Shop For Gifts Tonight

Women's stores for men and men's stores for women shoppers is the plan of seven Wichita Falls merchants for Friday evening, 7:30 o'clock until 9.

Many men do not like, for more reasons than embarrassment, to enter an exclusive women's store and ask about the finery that milady so much desires. But Friday night it will be a different shopping. The men are invited to go to the women's stores and ask to see the things that women like to wear. For this event the best and finest merchandise will be on display and mere man will be told what he should buy.

The women, some of whom do not like to buy things for him, likewise will have a chance to visit the exclusive men's shops and see what the men desire so much. Special items of merchandise will be shown and information given as to proper sizes, styles and other information that will prove the gift to be an acceptable and appropriate one.

The women's stores that are cooperating in this special night sale are Elwyn, incorporated, Perkins-Timberlake and P. B. M. company. These stores will be open for the men shoppers.

The men's stores that will participate are Hub Clothiers, Wages and Ludlam & Riggs. These stores will have some special merchandise that will make just the gift the man desires. Remember, these stores are where the women are to shop.

Don't hesitate to attend the events. There will be much to learn and a good way to please some one with a useful Christmas gift.

J. M. McBEATH DEAD

MERIDIAN, Miss., Dec. 18. (AP)—J. M. McBeath, one of the most prominent residents in the state, died at his home late yesterday after an illness of several months. McBeath was former chairman of the state highway commission and national Democratic committeeman from Mississippi.

Tonight is men's shopping night at P. B. M.'s. Store open 7:30 until 9.—Adv.

Today

At the Theaters

By ELEANOR FLEMING

MAJESTIC: Last showing of William Haines in "Remote Control." Benny Rubin in "Pirates," an all color musical production. Paramount pictorial. Talkertoon comic, "Sky Scraping" and Paramount talking news.

STRAND: Joan Crawford in her first dramatic production, "Paid." Ford Sterling in "Nagging Wives" and Paramount sound news.

STATE: "All Quiet on the Western Front." Mickey Mouse comedy, "The Singing Sap." Chapter 10 of "The Lone Defender," and State sound news.

GEM: Buck Jones in "Shadow Ranch."

Optimists Invite Boys to Make Reservations for Christmas Dinner

Committees for completing detailed arrangements for the under-privilege boys' dinner to be given at the Kemp hotel next Monday night by the Optimist club were appointed by Max Junker, president, Thursday afternoon.

The affair is to be under the direction of a general committee consisting of Solon R. Featherston, E. L. Buelow and Joe Bailey. Registration of youngsters, 8 to 13, who figure that the Optimist treat will be their biggest meal next week, began Thursday at the office of Ira D. Brown, 210 Staley building, it was announced. Voyle N. Armstrong of the Times Publishing company also is to receive applications from such boys for tickets to the dinner. The first 100 making application and who come under the classification of really needing help, will comprise the guest list, it was announced.

Other committees anounced Thursday are as follows:

Meat and milk: John E. Butts, Earl Crenshaw, Jess McLarry.

Santa Claus and gifts: E. L. Buelow, J. B. Allred, J. C. Hanks.

Reservations: Ira D. Brown, Army Armstrong and Andy Whatley.

Decorations: Joe Bailey, Joe Richker.

Serving and reception: Max T. Junker, Ralph Pond, Ralph Hyer, Harry Gross, Frank Wolf, Alvah Conner, N. Manoushagain, Bill Mitchell, C. L. Bailey and Loran L. Taylor.

Transportation: Floyd Randel, Cliff E. Deaton, Henry Hamilton and Jack Dempsey.

BANDIT LOOTS BANK

PLAINFIELD, Ind., Dec. 18. (AP)—A lone robber held up the First National Bank and Trust company here today and escaped with $4,000.

Tonight is men's shopping night at P. B. M.'s. Store open 7:30 until 9.—Adv.

70 Extra Men at Work On City Projects

Approximately 70 extra men have been employed by the city within the past week, it was announced by authorities at the Memorial auditorium Thursday. F. M. Rugeley, city engineer, added 60 extras to his list of workers Thursday morning for the purpose of draining the old horseshoe lake between the ball park and railroad yards, and C. G. Bunnenberg, head of the park department, put 10 men to work getting parks in condition for spring planting. Other men will probably be put on for other phases of work later, it was said.

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NORTHERN TISSUE, 3 Rolls 25c

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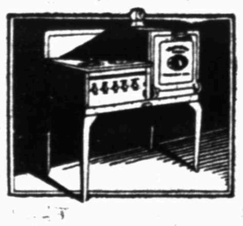
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