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DENVER TRAIN COLLISION KILLS 2

Somerville Upholds Right Of County To Construct Bridge

SCOTT AVENUE PROJECT TO GO FORWARD

Commissioners to Hear Ruling at Court Meet Monday

CITY ACTION ASKED

Attorney Suggests Council Lay Out Street As First Work

Unless the city council of Wichita Falls objects to the construction, the county commissioners court has a right to build the proposed bridge across the Wichita river at Scott avenue, according to a written opinion from Wayne Somerville, county attorney, to be presented to the court at its regular meeting Monday.

City Cooperation

Mr. Somerville formally advises the court to "require the city council to lay out this street complete" before taking any action on it, and recommends that the court then proceed to designate it as a county highway and make such improvements as it may desire, with the cooperation and consent of the city.

His complete letter to the court is quoted below:

"Gentlemen—In reply to your question as to whether the commissioners court of Wichita county can build a bridge on Scott street within the city limits of Wichita Falls, I advise as follows:

"Article 2350 statutes 1925, provides that the commissioners court may erect bridges within the corporate limits of any city or town to the same extent and under the same conditions now prescribed by law for the construction of bridges outside the limits of any city or town. That the court and city council may act together and join in the issuance of bonds for the building of such bridge if desired.

Quotes Authorities

"Article 2351 of said statutes provides that the commissioners court has authority to exercise general control over all roads, highways and bridges in their respective counties.

"As provided by articles 1016 and 1082 of said statutes the city has primary control over the streets and alleys within its corporate limits and with the laying out, widening and improving of said streets.

"As held in the case of Smith vs. Cathey 226 S. W. 158, where the city or town does not deem it necessary to exercise its control over its streets and alleys, and does not

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May Not Re-Broadcast Hoover's Santiago Talk

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—Officials of the country's three largest broadcasting companies said tonight that they knew of no arrangements which have been made to re-broadcast President-elect Hoover's address at Santiago Chile, on Tuesday.

Advices from correspondents aboard Mr. Hoover's good will ship have reported the speech would be transmitted on short wave length to New York and re-broadcast.

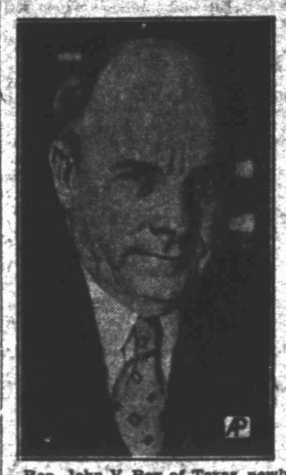
Birthday Sentence Asked by Tulia Boy

TULIA, Texas, Dec. 9. (AP)—Robert Blake, former Amarillo high school boy sentenced to the electric chair for the murder of J. Fred Conner, Tulia automobile salesman, July 16, 1925, has requested that he be re-sentenced in district court here tomorrow on his 26th birthday, it was learned today.

Hambone's Meditations



Democratic Whip



Rep. John V. Box of Texas, newly appointed whip of the Democratic forces in the house of representatives.

WICHITAN MAIN COG IN TRIAL

Reporter Solves Killing Of Bastrop Woman

CALDWELL, Texas, Dec. 9. (AP)—Ed Goerner, 56-year-old farmer living near Bastrop, is scheduled to go in trial in district court here Monday on a charge of murder in the killing of his wife early in 1927. Goerner's wife was found shot to death in a rear room of her home. A son discovered the body when he returned from school.

The case was brought here on a change of venue after efforts to secure a jury at Bastrop this spring had failed. Goerner told officers he was in a corn field a quarter of a mile away from the house when the shooting is alleged to have occurred.

Fred D. Thompson, Wichita Falls newspaperman, has been called as one of the state's chief witnesses. Thompson, on the staff of an Austin newspaper at the time of the killing, went with investigating officers to the farm.

THOMPSON HELPED SOLVE MYSTERY

Fred D. Thompson is state editor of The Record News and was formerly a reporter, coming here from the Austin American where he held a similar position. It was his sensational discoveries while "covering" the slaying of Mrs. Goerner for the American which led to an apparent solution of the case.

GUILTY VERDICT IN HOSPITAL SLAYING

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Dec. 9. (AP)—Robert Lothringer, Beeville, Texas, barber, was found guilty of murdering E. C. Young, shot to death as he lay on a Corpus Christi hospital bed, and was sentenced to 71 years by a jury here today.

The verdict was brought in after the jury had deliberated 24 hours. An appeal will be taken.

Dramatist Ill From Overwork and Travel

SHANGHAI, Dec. 9 (AP)—Eugene O'Neil, American dramatist, is confined to his bed here but his recovery is expected within a week. His physician, Alexander Renner, an Austrian nerve specialist, said today that the playwright had a slight nervous breakdown and bronchitis brought on by overwork and the strain of travel.

Funeral Service For Wheat King Today

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (US)—As the last of the trading equipment of the historic Chicago Board of Trade was being removed tonight for the temporary new home, funeral services were being prepared for James A. Patten, one of the giants of the wheat pit, identified with the institution for many years.

The services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at the first Presbyterian church of Evanston, of which the late millionaire had long been a member.

PIONEERS OF CLAY COUNTY DIE SUNDAY

Dr. J. H. Ferris Succumbs to Injuries Received on Nov. 16

W. W. CAMPBELL DEAD

40-Year Resident of Clay County Passes Away at His Home

Special to The Record News

HENRIETTA, Texas, Dec. 9—Dr. J. H. Ferris died Sunday afternoon at a Wichita Falls hospital, death closing the career of one of the oldest practicing physicians of West Texas. Dr. Ferris died at 2:40 o'clock from injuries sustained in an automobile accident Nov. 16, on the Decatur-Fort Worth highway.

Dr. Ferriss, 76, had practiced medicine here for more than 50 years.

An operation in the Wichita Falls hospital on Dec. 4 failed to enable Dr. Ferriss to rally from the serious injuries suffered in the accident.

Dr. Ferriss was a charter member of the Masonic and Knights of Pythias orders here, and of the Methodist church.

He is survived by his wife, a son, Harold, of Henrietta, and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Wyatt of Fort Worth and Mrs. Frank Weaver of Abilene.

Funeral services will be held Monday from the Methodist church here.

BODY FORWARDED TO HENRIETTA

Dr. J. H. Ferriss, 76, pioneer Henrietta physician, died at a local hospital Sunday as the result of injuries received in an automobile crash near Decatur on the Fort Worth highway Nov. 16. The body was forwarded to Henrietta Sunday night for burial there Monday.

W. W. CAMPBELL DIES SUNDAY

Special to The Record News

HENRIETTA, Texas, Dec. 9—W. W. Campbell, 77, died Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at his home five miles north of Henrietta. He had been a resident of Clay county for 40 years.

Mr. Campbell is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. Jack McTee, Blue Ridge; Mrs. Ben Brumett, Kirkland; Mrs. O. R. Sloan, Ringgold, and Mrs. Letta Roberts, Henrietta, and a son, S. A. Campbell, Oklahoma City.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 o'clock from the home.

Texas Leads South In Savings Increase

NEW YORK, Dec. 9 (AP)—The greatest yearly increase in saving deposits recorded in the United States was announced today by W. Espey Albig, deputy manager of the American Bankers' association, in charge of its savings bank division.

On last June 30, he reported savings totaled $28,412,961,000, a gain of $2,327,050,000 over the previous year. Individual depositors numbered 58,188,348, an increase of 2,496,070.

Texas led the South with a savings gain per inhabitant of 14.7, followed by Georgia with 11.4 per cent.

Midland Man Killed In Highway Collision

EL PASO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Richard Casey, 35, of Midland, Texas, is dead from injuries received last night when his automobile collided with a truck on a highway 10 miles north of here.

Three other men riding with Casey were unhurt. They are J. A. Monsour, Ponca City, Okla.; E. M. Mets and B. M. Kechane, both of Roswell, N. M.

Lindbergh Hops From Richmond to New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (AP)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, accompanied by Mayor J. F. Bright of Richmond, Va., arrived here late today, after a flight from Richmond.

Downtown and Residence Streets Bedecked in Christmas Attire

With myriad Christmas trees outlining the downtown streets and garlands of red and green stretching overhead, Wichita Falls has put on holiday dress to greet the Christmas festival just ahead.

More than 1,000 trees, spaced 10 feet apart, have appeared almost overnight along the sidewalks, and 200 gay streamers, bearing wreaths and Christmas bells, reach from one side of the street to the other, forming a festive canopy for shoppers. Six tons of greenery, worked into wreaths and garlands through the summer and fall months, went to make the transformation.

Sunday afternoon sightseers were about as numerous as week day shoppers when crowds filled the streets to catch a first glimpse of the decorations which will lend color and gaiety to the scene until the New Year.

Many merchants have already contracted for big individual trees to be planted upon their sidewalk awnings, there to be set alight and loaded with the trappings of the season. These decorated Christmas trees have not put in an appearance yet, but each night during the next week is expected to find work-

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FELT 'AT HOME'

Chicago Woman Attorney Robbed of Cash, Jewels in Paris

PARIS, Dec. 9. (US)—Having been robbed of cash and jewelry totalling more than $6,000 just a day before she had planned to sail for home, Former Assistant State's Attorney Bess Sullivan Heptig, of Chicago, is tonight en route homeward on the United States liner America, realizing that Paris, as well as her native city has its sticklers.

Bess explained to the Paris police tha ta man who had previously introduced himself to her as a friend of the late Charles Erbstein, famous Chicago criminal lawyer, had with the connivance of a man they encountered while walking on the boulevards, surreptitiously extracted the money and jewelry from her purse.

AIR SAVANTS GATHER TODAY

Orville Wright to Be Honored by Conference

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (US)—From Austria, Australia and from China and Norway, leaders of aviation from all parts of the world come to Washington tomorrow to join in honoring the man who made mechanical flight possible.

It will be aviation week throughout the world, fittingly celebrated by the aviation heads of 40 nations, personally invited by President Coolidge to mark the 25th anniversary of the first flight of Orville Wright.

First Conference

Throughout the week here the celebration will be marked by the first international aeronautical conference ever held. It will come to a close as dramatic as the moment of the first flight, when the visitors doff their hats on the spot where the first flight was made, 25 years to the second, next Monday.

The sand dunes of Kitty Hawk, N. C., will again witness history that will live as long as the world, as a granite memorial to the famous designer and his brother Wilbur, is unveiled before the distinguished visitors who have crossed oceans to pay a long delayed tribute.

Every phase of aviation will be discussed in the international conference which will take place during the four-day session here, and it is possible that a new civil international body will be created to guide the future of the industry throughout the world.

Although he has been designated as guest of honor, Orville Wright is expected to share honors during the week with Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, more modern hero of aviation, who will attend the conferences and probably address the foreign guests.

King Bulletins Less Favorable

LONDON, Dec. 9. (AP)—The progress of King George to day as shown by medical bulletins issued in the morning and evening was less favorable than might have been hoped for, but was not altogether discouraging. The royal patient still has been able to sleep and again had an undisturbed day but the persistence of fever conditions noticed in both bulletins is approducing inevitable exhaustion.

This persistence of fever shows the local affection in the lung still is giving trouble. In favor of his majesty is the fact twice announced today that the pulse remains steady, which would seem to indicate exhaustion has not yet reached a stage reacting adversely on the action of his heart.

Reward Offered In Slaying of Couple

EATON, Ohio, Dec. 9. (AP)—Preble county commissioners have offered a reward of $5,000 for the arrest and conviction of two robbers, who shot and killed Dr. Horatio Silver, 55, and his wife in their home early yesterday.

Ora Slater, Cincinnati attorney who figured in the solution of the slaying of Don R. Mellett, Canton editor, was called into the case to assist while police of two states searched the surrounding country.

IF YOU WANT TO FIND THE STARS

USE a Telescope! But if it's gifts you're looking for—for Abie, Tom, and Mary, use the Daily Times-Record News Shop-o-scope ads! You'll find them on the Classified page of this issue and of every issue, from now until Christmas. This is a real service, FOR YOU! Make good use of it, while you can.

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JUDGE URGES SCHOOL HERE FOR JUVENILES

Charges Against Girls Of 11 Stir Martin To Appeal

CHANCE TO REFORM

Jurist Calls on Citizens Of County to Aid Children

Establishment of a juvenile training school supported by subscriptions from the people of Wichita county and maintained for the benefit of dependent and delinquent children too young for the state institutions is proposed in an urgent appeal made Sunday by P. A. Martin, judge of the 89th district court.

Girls of 11 Sentenced

The proposal was immediately inspired by the trial Saturday of two girls, age 11, who were declared delinquent by Judge W. W. Cook, sitting as a juvenile judge in the 78th court. Judge Cook and all other officials involved in the trial expressed reluctance to send such youthful offenders to the training school at Gainesville where older girls, more seriously deliquent, are detained. At the same time, according to court officials, it was unwise to return the little girls to their homes where their parents were admittedly unable to keep them in school and to prevent their offending again.

In the court room Judge Cook turned the little girls back into the charge of the juvenile officer until suitable homes can be found for them. It is such cases as these, Judge Martin explains, that a county juvenile home would meet. His statement points out that such an institution would keep the children near the people interested in their welfare and would offer ample opportunity for reform and eventual freedom.

Children Out of School

The statement calls attention to the large number of children in the county who are out of school and to the increasing number of delinquents.

Judge Martin said Sunday that he hoped the civic clubs of the city, the chamber of commerce, the church organizations and a large number of individual business men would become interested in the movement and find some means for carrying out the plan. His complete proposal is quoted below:

"The pitiful case of the two little girls on trial for delinquency before Judge Cook, sitting as a juvenile court, last Saturday, emphasizes the great need we have for better facilities for the conservation of humanity in this city, for this is but one of the many similar cases that have come before the district judges of this county. Hardly a week passes that we do not have very young dependent and delinquent children in both the 78th

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10 Arrested on Secret Primary Indictments

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 9. (AP)—With the arrest last night of 10 persons named in secret indictments returned with the partial report of the special grand jury investigating alleged irregularities at the August primary in Cuyahoga county, deputy sheriffs today continued their efforts to round up the remainder of the 31 accused election officials.

Five of those arrested last night were women, all of whom said they were at a loss to account for the charges against them.

Tenement House Fire Claims Lives of Two

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (AP)—A man and a woman lost their lives and six others were injured today in an upper East Side tenement house fire.

Walter Hanratty, 22, a roomer, died five hours after he fell four floors in an attempt to swing himself from a window to an adjoining building.

Mrs. Helen Link, who lived on the third floor died of burns several hours later.

Girl's Father Slays Young Choir Leader

ADA, Okla., Dec. 9 (AP)—Bill Price, 50-year-old farmer, killed Frank Lynn, 24, singing master of this section, with a shotgun on the Price farm near Ada today.

Price surrendered, stating he was urged to kill the singing master by belief that Lynn and Price's 18-year-old daughter were too intimate.

FARMERS MEET

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (UP)—A farm relief plan to represent the views of 2,000,000 farmers and which congress will be asked to adopt, will be drafted at the tenth annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation opening here Monday.

Oldest Traveling Man Tells One



John R. Love, listening to a new one told by Charles Terry of Atchison, Kan., 93 years old, the oldest traveling salesman on the job. Terry attended the National Traveling Salesman's Foundation meeting in New York.

Dwarf From Santa's Land Aids Expedition in Reaching Goal

Captain Kleinschmidt Reaches Border of Mythical Country With Hopes of Seeing Good Old Saint Soon

By CAPT. F. E. KLEINSCHMIDT

STATION PEK, Eskimoland, Dec. 9. (By Wireless)—After traveling thousands of miles by airplane and reindeer team, battling wolves and the fierce spirit of Layluk, the expedition reaches the border of Santa's land.

In my wireless message yesterday I told about escaping the clutches of Layluk and pitching camp in the midst of a vast herd of reindeer under the beautiful Northern Lights.

You have all heard of the Northern Lights and on rare days or rather extremely cold nights, you have seen streamers of light in the north, but so low on the horizon that they appeared but dim and low bands of flickering light.

Northern Lights

Here in the far north they are right above us, filling the whole vault of heaven, and constitute the most beautiful, wonderful and supernatural display the eye of man has ever beheld. No human being, no matter how callous or engrossed in worldly things, but has to stand in awe and wonder at this marvelous heavenly display.

As we were sitting there completely under the spell of the Northern Lights and Mrs. K. was softly humming a familiar hymn, there all at once appeared before us a little old man not more than three feet high. He appeared so suddenly and silently we had no idea where he came from. He had a wrinkled face and white frost-covered whiskers. It was just as if a dwarf had stepped out of the story of "Snow-White." Our Eskimos were astonished and puzzled for it was the queerest little old man they had ever seen.

Mrs. K. broke the spell. She was not afraid. Smiling into the dwarf's face she asked, "Won't you come

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Screen Stars Hit By Epidemic of Banditry

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9. (US)—Film players were among the heaviest losers when a wave of banditry swept Hollywood and Los Angeles last night and early today.

Police reports today showed that 15 persons were held up, contributing amounts ranging from $2 to $100 and several automobiles to the footpads. Several of the victims were beaten.

Burns Fatal For Autoist at Waco

WACO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Henry Brumfield of Concord, burned last night when his automobile burst into flames after a collision with another, died here today.

John Breedlove, injured at the same time, may recover, physicians said.

PRYOR CASE SET MONDAY

Plea for Continuance Expected Here

Trial of Ed Pryor, former Electra constable, charged with two robberies and one burglary, is set for Monday morning in the 89th district court. Court officials are expecting another continuance to be asked. The case was set for Monday of last week, but postponed.

The week's settings in the 89th include the trial of Henry Shumate, held on one robbery and two burglary charges. Shumate escaped from the Wichita county jail shortly before both he and Proyor were arrested last fall. Judge E. G. Thornton, who is exchanging benches with Judge P. A. Martin this week, will preside. Thirteen other felony cases are set.

Fred Weeks has been employed as special prosecutor in the cases against Pryor.

Ganna Walska Visits Unknown Soldier's Tomb

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (US)—Madame Ganna Walska, known in private life as Mrs. Harold McCormick, visited the tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington this morning where she left a bouquet of American Beauty Roses as a mark of respect for the soldier dead.

At 1 o'clock Mrs. McCormick was the guest of honor at a luncheon and reception at the home of Mrs. James S. Curtis, attended by more than 100 members of the diplomatic corps and Washington society friends.

Girl, 9, Is Killed In Highway Collision

EUREKA, Kan., Dec. 9. (AP)—Helen Hale, 9, was killed and Joe Schaeffer, 60, farm hand, was injured in an automobile collision last night near here. Three other occupants of the Hale car were less seriously hurt.

War Clouds Boil Near Danger Point In Paraguay-Bolivia Boundary Fight

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 9. (UP)—A dispute of many years over the desolate and unexplored portion of the Gran Chaco territory between Rio Verde and Bahia Negra on the Paraguayan-Bolivian frontier threatened tonight to hurl the two countries into war.

Diplomatic relations have been severed by Bolivia and secret sessions of the government in each country were held to consider the present situation arising out of a battle at Fort Vanguardia in the disputed territory. More than a score of soldiers died in the skirmish, most of the casualties falling in the force of 25 Bolivians who defended the fort.

Official statements issued by each government attempted to place entire blame for the battle on the other nation. A Bolivian communique stated that "Paraguayan military forces made a surprise attack on the Bolivian Fort Vanguardia."

ENGINEERS OF FAST TRAINS DIE IN CRASH

Two Other Trainmen Near Death As Result Of Dalhart Mishap

ENGINES WRECKED

Failure to Obey Orders Believed Cause of Head-on Smash

DALHART, Texas, Dec. 9. (UP)—Two engineers were killed and a dozen passengers and trainmen were injured early today when a southbound passenger train of the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad collided head-on with a northbound freight.

Engineer D. W. Robinson of the passenger train was killed instantly when the locomotives telescoped for a distance of six feet. Engineer "Teddy" Molesworth of the freight train was crushed to death in his cab and an acetylene torch was used to extricate his body.

Failure of the freight crew to obey instructions issued at Amarillo was held to be responsible for the crash. Molesworth was ordered to take a siding at Twist for the first section of the passenger train, enroute from Denver to Amarillo, Fort Worth and Dallas, and to take another siding at Matlock for the second section.

Why the orders were not obeyed probably will never be known.

L. K. Ross, fireman on the freight train, was injured when he jumped from his cab, wreckage piling down upon him. Dave Lynch, fireman on the passenger train, may die from injuries to his back.

The clothes of C. L. Roberts, freight brakeman, caught fire. He was burned seriously before fellow trainmen tore the flaming clothes from his body.

Two pullman porters were in the Dalhart hospital until afternoon, when they were discharged. The injured passengers were not detained.

An explosion of a tank car of gasoline started a fire which destroyed 10 freight cars, filled mostly with cottonseed cake.

A special car occupied by Murdo Mackenzie, J. F. Vallery and T. L. Howard was destroyed by fire, the officials escaping injury. A baggage and an express car were destroyed in the blaze and traffic over the main line was held up.

The passenger train, which left Denver at noon Saturday, was running more than 12 hours late but had left Dalhart on schedule with a second section a few minutes behind.

Dallas Man Shot Dead By Father of Girl

DALLAS, Dec. 9. (AP)—Chester William Ponder, 24, was shot and killed in an affray at a service station here today. A pistol slug struck him in the forehead and he died before an ambulance reached him. S. V. Renner, 45, surrendered to officers and was charged with murder. In a verbal statement to authorities, Renner said Ponder had been visiting one of his daughters against his wishes.

Officers Take Charge Of Hunt for Tulian

TULIA, Texas, Dec. 9 (AP)—Information concerning the whereabouts of Lester McKay, 22, farmer living near here, who disappeared unexplainedly two weeks ago, was sought by officers today.

McKay left with a man known to Mrs. McKay as 'Tommy Canyon." The next day Canyon returned and said McKay had gone to Amarillo. Shortly afterward, Canyon left Tulia.

Life Sentence for Man Who Killed for Love

ROCKFORD, Ill., Dec. 9 (US)—Found guilty of bombing to death the husband of the woman he loved, Paul Reed's punishment was fixed at life imprisonment in Judge Arthur E. Fisher's court here today.

The sentence will be fought, however, Reed's attorneys announced shortly after the verdict was read.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS — Monday and Tuesday, mostly cloudy; somewhat colder in the Panhandle Monday.

OKLAHOMA—Monday and Tuesday, generally fair; somewhat colder Monday; warmer Tuesday.

EAST TEXAS — Monday and Tuesday, mostly cloudy and unsettled, with rains probably; slowly rising temperatures.

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

Maximum temperature	52
Minimum temperature	32
Temperature at 5 p. m.	51
Precipitation	1
South breeze.	
Cloudy.	
Average wind velocity	6
Maximum wind velocity	18
Barometer	30.10

JUDGE URGES JUVENILE HOME

Chance for Children Martin's Appeal

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and 89th district courts, and, under the law these little ones become the wards of the state and subject to the orders of the juvenile courts.

Institutions Crowded

"Our correction institutions, (for boys at Gatesville and for girls at Gainesville), are kept full to overflowing with delinquents of the "teen" age sent there by the district courts all over the state and the same crowded conditions exist in the institutions for dependents and the latter will not relieve either boys or girls with criminal records or those afflicted with any disease.

"Our Childrens Aid society of West Texas is doing a wonderful work receiving and placing in good homes the very young children who are dependent, but there is a crying need for a local place of detention and treatment for a large class of these children as I shall point out.

"What is needed is a small farm and workhouse where both delinquent and dependent children may be furnished healthful employment, under proper supervision; where they would receive careful moral, religious and medical treatment and instruction; where they are furnished instruction in the rudiments of common school education and where, above all, they will have a "chance to make good' without having to go to a state institution where the district judge whose wards they are, will never see or hear of them unless he writes for information. A place, if you please, where merit can be readily rewarded and where good men and women, willing to take them into their homes, may call and see them, parole them out on trial and give them every opportunity to make good.

"We frequently place these little fellows on parole or under suspended sentence in the vain hope of reformation and turn them back into the very surroundings and associations that brought about their delquency in the first instance, simply because we have no place of reasonable restraint and observation.

"I believe that such an institution as suggested would save most of them to useful citizenship. I believe in foreign missions and would not seek to divert one penny from the foreign mission field, but I believe with all my heart that a few thousand dollars expended in the establishment and the maintenance of a county juvenile training school would be instrumental in saving more souls than a like amount expended in Asia or Africa in foreign missions. Detention and discipline is what they need and if they don't get it at the proper time they will become hardened in sin and crime and we will go on wondering why we suffer a "crime wave" throughout the country. The old adage that "an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure' is peculiarly applicable to crime.

School Problem

"I note the recent statement that there are something like a thousand children out of school in Wichita Falls. The chances are that only a very small per cent of this thousand have any sort of discipline and it is not at all wonderful that an increasing number of them find their way into the juvenile courts as delinquents or dependents and we have no place to put them except the state institutions, already taxed to their capacity, and where they are entirely separated from the observation of those most interested in them.

"I am not proposing that the local institution supersede those of the state at all. The boy or the girl assigned to the local institution should distinctly understand that refractory conduct will result in sending the offender right along to the stage institution, while obedience and good conduct will be rewarded by complete freedom, as soon as discharge is justified and if reformation is not accomplished within a reasonable time then the delinquent should go as a ward of the state.

"If every Christian man and woman in Wichita county could see and hear what Judge Cook and I have seen and heard in the juvenile trials in this county in the past few years I have no doubt they would be ready and willing to contribute their time, money and influence to such a project in the name of Him who said 'inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of these ye did it unto Me.'"

Burkburnett Man Sees First Well Day In Years

Was Going Down Hill Rapidly Until He Began Taking Orgatone — Troubles Ended Now

"Orgatone relieved me of troubles that had been bothering me for years," said A. E. Newman, who has been a well-known machinist for the Gulf Production Co., for the last 10 years and resides at Burkburnett, Texas.

"I have suffered with a sluggish liver a long time," continued Mr. Newman, "and I was constipated and bilious all the time. What food I did eat would cause gas and effect my heart. It seemed impossible to get anything I would eat to digest. I was very nervous all the time and never slept very well, and would get up in the morning feeling tired and worn out. I was taking some kind of purgative every day or so, trying to find something that would regulate my bowels. I had a dull, drowsy feeling all the time, and a very bad taste in my mouth. Being in this condition so long, my system absorbed so much poison that I finally developed auto-intoxication and from that time on I went down hill in a hurry.

"I had heard so much about Orgatone and had an idea that it would help me as it had done so many others right here in Wichita Falls and McKinney, so I bought a bottle and started taking it. I can see now where all the people that are daily testifying to Orgatone were right, it has proven to be just the very thing I needed, and it has done me a world of good. I have a fine appetite now, and everything I eat agrees with me. And my food is doing me so much good. I am not constipated any more, and all that tired, heavy feeling is a thing of the past. My liver is working fine, and those bad headaches never come any more. I am getting better all the time, and feel more like doing my work. I honestly believe that Orgatone is the greatest medicine I ever heard of, and I gladly recommend it to everybody."

Genuine Orgatone is sold in Wichita Falls, exclusively by the Allison's Drug Store under the personal direction of a special Orgatone representative who is meeting the public daily. Out-of-town customers being supplied promptly by mail upon receipt of price, one bottle $1.25 or six bottles for $6.25.—Adv.

Congress Wet Forces Plan to Turn Tables on Drys in Coming Fight

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (US)—The wets in congress were planning today to turn the tables and hurl the charge of "nullificationists" at the dry forces.

Sensing a big hole in the denfensive armor of the prohibition advocates, the sponsors of modification and repeal were determined to make the most of the dry's refusal to appropriate sufficient funds to make the 18th amendment and the Volstead act really effective. The break came last week when it was revealed that Prohibition Commissioner Doran had informed the house appropriations committee that it would be necessary to appropriate $300,000,000 annually to enforce the law "on a police court basis."

The wets retorted that the Volstead act provides just that, and congress to be consistent should provide the funds needed to carry out the law. When they proposed to appropriate $350,000,000 for that purpose, however, the drys voted it down.

Thereupon the "wets" took the offensive and started a campaign to charge the prohibitionists with being "nullificationists" because they refused to appropriate as much as is aksed for effective enforcement of the 18th amendment.

Streets Dressed For Holidays

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men busy with the task of transformation.

Sunday window shoppers enjoyed the distinctive Christmas miniature already set up on the canopy at the Ninth street entrance to the W. B. McClurkan store. It represents a lighted home, following the traditional English style of architecture. Framed in the lighted door stands the housewife, looking out upon a wintry scene. Santa Claus is preparing to make his descent. Other colorful decorative designs are expected both outside and in the window displays as Christmas week approaches.

In the residential section, the outdoor trees which have added so much to the spirit of the season in the past several years are already being prepared for the lighting. Within the week the city is expected to be in full dress for the occasion.

The custom of outdoor decorations for the downtown section was initiated last year. The decorative plan was made and executed by the Morgan Floral company, in cooperation with the merchants of the city, who subscribe to the fund in accordance with their frontage space. In addition to the work in Wichita Falls, the company has already shipped 8,000 Christmas trees and will, before Dec. 25 handle a total of 18,000 trees in and around Wichita Falls., according to members of the firm. Vernon, Paducah, Colorado, Crowell, Plainview and Floydada, following the example of Wichita Falls, have adopted the principle of community decorations and are being assisted in their plans by the Morgan company. Eli Morgan, who first began the work with Christmas trees 10 years ago, has contributed a 25-foot municipal tree for the auditorium grounds this year. It will be decorated by the Texas Electric Service company.

Another familiar sign of the Christmas season re-appeared upon the streets of the city Saturday when six Salvation Army pots were placed on stragetic corners, inviting givers to the Christmas dinner fund for the needy. The pots were kept boiling to the tune of $75 on the first day, but on the other hand, more than 100 petitions for the Christmas baskets with their groceries and toys have already been listed, according to Capt. Z. H. Parker, commanding officer. He explained that the dinners are given the poor without any aid from the Community chest fund.

JOHNSON-BRITTON

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Announcement has been made of the marriage of Earl P. Johnson, formerly of Frederick, to Miss Fern Bruce of Britton, the ceremony being performed at Oklahoma City Nov. 27, Rev. Forney Hutchinson officiating.

Original oil paintings by international artists, at Decorators.—Adv.

Picture frames at Decorators.—Adv.

Expedition Near Santa's Land

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up to the fire and have a cup of tea?"

The little man was not a bit bashful but made himself right at home To our astonishment he could understand English as well as Eskimo We were delighted that we could talk with him, in fact, he was the first to ask questions. "Why did you people take the trouble to come here, way up north? Do you know where you are, or have you been lost?"

Then Mrs. K. told him that we were on an expedition to the far north for The Record News and Daily Times, and all the children of Wichita Falls, to find the home of Santa Claus.

Now it was the dwarf's turn to look astonished. "So, you want to see Santa Claus, deliver letters, find out what he is doing the rest of the year and take motion pictures of him?"

He shook his shaggy whiskers as if that were the most preposterous thing he ever heard of and looked into his teacup without saying a word.

Makes Cameras

For the first time we felt that really we might have come on an impudent errand, but we soon recovered our poise. We had gone through so much lately and had so much at stake that we would not be discouraged now.

Mrs. K. had taken out her kodak and was going to take a picture of our visitor. "Ho," said the little man, "that is a dandy camera." "What," Mrs K. exclaimed, "so you understand what a camera is?" "Of course I do," said the dwarf. "I have made lots of them. Not such large ones, but little cameras for the children." Then he dropped his head a little sorrowfully and said, "but now I am herding reindeer." "Well!" Mrs. K. exclaimed and she jumped up as if she were going to hug him. "You must be one of Santa's little men.""

Now there was real excitement and questions and answers shot back and forth. We even argued and pleaded to win him over to our way of thinking. He was not unwilling or stubborn, but on the contrary he wanted to please and help us in every way, but he had objections which we had to overrule. For instance he said, "Santa will never let you take pictures and show himself to children through the pictures." This, we countered, was a question for Santa Claus himself to decide. The most important question was to get there and see him. The dwarf argued that grown-ups could see him on Christmas, but no human being had ever attempted to seek him out in his home.

Then we told him how children see printed pictures of Santa and thereby know him. That a big controversy was on and that The Record News and Daily Times were the only newspapers in America that had gone to so much trouble to make its child readers happy.

Dwarf to Aid

The dwarf became infected with our enthusiasm and promised he would go and communicate with Santa and ask him if he would let us come to him. We asked the little dwarf what his name was and when he told us and we tried to repeat it after him, we couldn't do it. We tried to write it down but it was so long and had so many chs' and kr's, it couldn't be remembered so we decided to call him "Assistant" because he was so willing to assist us, but when Mrs. K. suggested calling him Jimmie Aide, the little fellow danced in glee and said, "I am going to talk with Santa and although he is busy with work, I know ope thing, he will never disappoint children, and I will tell him all about the great thing your paper is doing for the children in Wichita Falls."

Suddenly Jimmy Aide was gone. Surely this was a queer being, but then we were in a queer country where all kinds of things may happen.

A while later we saw high on a mountain peak a number of flashes in code form and resembling those we formerly used in the army before we had wireless, signaling with a heliograph.

It was clear Jimmy Aide was talking to Santa and we wondered if we would ever see the queer little fellow, Jimmy Aide, again.

HASKELL GINS STILL RUNNING

24,000 Bales Turned Out In County This Season

Special to The Record News

RULE, Texas, Dec. 9.—There were 24,169 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Haskell county from the crop of 1928 prior to Nov. 14, as compared with 35,005 bales ginned to Nov. 14, 1927, according to James M. Lindsey of Rule, special agent of the United States Department of Commerce.

The Rule gins are still kept busy ginning the late cotton, which has been rather slow in opening up. With a few pretty days the cotton is beginning to pop open. Up to date the Rule gins have ginned over 5,000 bales of cotton, with several thousand more to be picked. The cotton crop here is the lightest it has been in years.

The Rule compress has compressed 14,543 bales of cotton this season. The manager expects to receive several thousand more bales before the cotton season is over.

Scott Bridge Gets Approval

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object to the county keeping up such road or street, the county has the right to do so.

"It is a matter of discretion in the hands of the commissioners court as to where they designate and lay out a county highway and they alone have the right to determine the necessity of a proposed road.

"From the above authorities, I advise you that the commissioners court of Wichita county has the the legal right to build such bridge unless the city council objects to such action. I would recommend that the commissioners court require the city council of Wichita Falls to lay out this street complete before your court takes any action on it, and that the commissioners court then proceed, if they so desire, to designate it as a county highway and make such improvements upon it as they may desire, with the cooperation and consent of the city council of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas."

Upon the petition of property owners of the neighborhood, the county commissioners three weeks ago agreed to complete the financing of a concrete bridge across the river at Scott avenue when the petitioners raised $25,000 toward the cost. J. M. Isbell, county engineer, estimated the approximate total cost at $75,000, the county money to be appropriated from precinct 1.

Final Action Today

The question of the right of the county to build a bridge within the city limits was raised after plans for the construction were announced. The necessity for designating the street as a county highway has already been pointed out by Mr. Somerville, quoting a ruling from the attorney general's office.

The matter is expected to come up for final action at the Monday meeting of the court. The county engineer has been instructed to complete his plans and estimates for the bridge, pending the resolution of the legal problems raised.

Grandfield Court May Be Dispensed With

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Representative H. R. King announces that he will introduce in the next session of the state legislature a bill to abolish the Grandfield branch of county court. Should this become a law all cases docketed at Grandfield would be transferred to Frederick and the services of the deputy court clerk at that place dispensed with.

NOBODY KNOWS—

'Law' Arrayed Against Dawson County Rum Interests

Special to The Record News

LAMESA, Texas, Dec. 9—Christmas liquor will be short in Lamesa if pre-holiday bootlegging arrests will serve to lessen the supply of this annual liquid. Joe Ray, sheriff of Dawson county; A. M. Bennett, first deputy sheriff; E. P. Anderson, city marshall; A. L. Boyd, city traffic officer; Graves Peeler, Cattle Raisers' association officer, and Light Townsend, Texas ranger, captured 45 gallons of whisky and 10 gallons of wine during this week. As a result of these arrests, confiscation charges have been filed against one local man and three transients.

MASONS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Wessel Heads Frederick Royal Arch Chapter

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Frederick chapter No. 41, Royal Arch Masons, and Frederick council No. 14 Royal and Select Masters met Tuesday night in the new Masonic temple and elected officers for the ensuing year. These are the first Masonic bodies to meet in the new building. On the night previous, however, the advisory board of the local Rainbow assembly held a meeting in the new building.

The following were elected officers in the chapter: R. H. Wessel, high priest; M. L. Emenhiser king; C. E. Haas, scribe; Roy Moss, captain of the host; C. D. Vaughn secretary; George McLellan, treasurer. The following officers have since been appointed: J. C. Johnson, principal sojourner; L. W Hightower, royal arch captain; Ray Bryant, master of the first vale; J. C. Ames, master of the second vale; Sam Mitchell, master of the third vale; A. L. Hershey, sentinel.

These officers were selected to take charge of the council the ensuing year: Ray Bryant, thrice illustrious master; W. A. Wilburn Mountain Park, deputy master; R. J. Harris, principal conductor of the work; George McLellan, treasurer; R. H. Wessel, recorder; Irvine Ferguson, captain of the guard; J. C. Ames, conductor of the council; A. L. Hershey, sentinel.

The above officers will be installed Tuesday night, Dec. 18. It is expected that C. S. Highsmith of Altus, representing the Oklahoma grand bodies, will serve as installing officer.

Pan-American Confab Opens Session Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (AP)—With one of the greatest South American countries not represented and shortly after severance of diplomatic relations between Paraguay and Bolivia, a Pan-American conference for the conclusion of multilateral treaties of arbitration and conciliation embracing all American republics will open here tomorrow.

Nineteen Latin American republics and the United States will take part in the conference. Argentina alone will not be present.

BROWN-LAWSON

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Two Frederick young people, Miss Florence Lawson and Orville Brown, were married at Hobart Monday noon, the ceremony being performed at the Baptist parsonage. Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Lawson, 810 South Tenth street, and has been attending the junior high school. Brown is a son of Mrs. W M. Brown of Lone Wolf. For the past few months he has been employed at the Holt Furniture store.

Okeh Bare Legs

SAN FRANCISCO.—Feminine legs—or limbs, as they are rarely known—can flaunt themselves sans stockings in the class rooms of schools in California, says William J. Cooper, state superintendent of schools. No ruling has been passed, however, on legs of the opposite sex.

Give the family a picture for Christmas. Decorators.—Adv.

Picture frames at Decorators.—Adv.

RING'S SECRETS IN BLACK BOOK

Federal Men Hope to Learn Who Killed Gambler

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (US)—More federal narcotics investigators were concentrated in the New York area today on the heels of sensational disclosures of a monster "dope" ring as a possible background of the Arnold Rothstein murder.

At the same time United States cipher experts began the laborious task of decoding a certain "little black book," believed to contain the innermost secrets of a coast-to-coast opium and cocaine syndicate.

Solution Expected

From this "little black book," seized when Joseph Unger, alias Meyer, alias Klein, was dragged from lower berth No. 11 on the Twentieth Century Limited, may come a full solution of what transpired in room 349, Park Central hotel, on the night of Nov. 4.

While the United States government is dealing with the murder only as an incident of the colossal "dope" octopus which had fastened its tenacles upon the nation, the traditions of the service are such that the case must be pursued to an inevitable end.

The new "under cover" men mobilized here are said to have credentials of such a high order that they will require no aid from the local police, who have been handling the Rothstein mystery with gloves.

United States Attorney Tuttle announced a federal grand jury would convene tomorrow morning. He added:

"I expect to have indictments before nightfall."

Opium Trunks Seized

Tuttle had declared himself astounded when two trunkfulls of opium and cocaine consigned through a check room of the Commodore Hotel were seized Friday night. He was further amazed when a third trunkful—making a total haul of $3,000,000—was found in the North Sheridan hotel in Chicago. The district attorney was astonished not at the captures themselves, for he knew in advance of the net that had been spread, but at the immensity of the haul, which he branded as "enough dope to create enough criminals to fill Sing Sing prison."

Mrs. June Boyd, richly garbed young woman who was arrested in her luxurious quarters in Chicago, was being brought to New York tonight for further questioning.

Less expense and more pleasure results from the regular use of the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" in our Classified section.—Adv.

Give the family a picture for Christmas. Decorators.—Adv.

Kiwanis Goals For 1929 Outlined

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (AP)—Objectives for 1929 for the 51 Kiwanis clubs of Texas will be the continuing full service for all under-privileged children, promoting citizenship, advancing Kiwanis business standards, the further development of understanding between the rural and urban groups, and the enlisting of all clubs to provide vocational guidance and placement for students.

The announcement of the 1929 activities was made today by L. A. McDonald of Denton, governor-elect of the Texas-Oklahoma Kiwanis district, at the annual council meeting here this week, attended by 100 officials of the organization.

"Our work with unfortunate children, citizenship and relief help, made possible the completion of thousands of activities in the past year. We hope in 1929 to stress vocational guidance and business standards to our clubs," McDonald said.

In vocational guidance work, Kiwanians will be asked to allow students, through interviews and actual observations, to investigate as many business and professions as the youths desire. The business standards objective seeks for fair competition and higher standards with laws, impartial arbitration, improvement of employment relations, waste reduction and a more balanced production for general business stabilization.

Utilities Combination Acquires Properties

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (AP)—Formation of Utilities Public Service company to acquire a group of public utility companies in the middle west valued at $11,750,000 was announced today, the company already has obtained control of Associated Public Utilities corpartion and Standard Public Service corporation, which 171 communities in Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, New Jersey, West Virginia, Indiana and California. Services included telephone and water.

Slayer and His Motive Are Mystery to Police

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 9. (AP)—After two days of almost continuous activity, Stark county authorities investigating the slaying of Bernard E. Fearn, 35, coal dealer, shot down Thursday night by an unidentified young woman, have been unable to establish a motive for the crime on the identity of the slayer.

Time spent is money saved when you spend it in reading the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" in our classified section.—Adv.

See our show window for special prices. Decorators.—Adv.

Gallstone Troubles Explained

Kansas City Doctor Gives Good Advice to Sufferers From Gallstones of the Liver.

Gallstone sufferers, especially those whose suffering has about driven them to an operation will welcome joyous news that a large percentage of cases of this painful, health destroying disease may now be successfully treated without surgery.

To Dr. E. E. Paddock, a Kansas City physician, who for 30 years has specialized in the treatment of diseases of the gall bladder, gall ducts and the liver, belongs the credit for a remarkable home medical treatment that sufferers the country over declare has brought relief and has made hundreds of operations unnecessary.

According to Dr. Paddock, surgery is resorted to in many cases where medical treatment would be effective. It is Dr. Paddock's claim the knife should be used only in emergency cases, and that surgery removes only the effect—the cause remaining--unless medical treatment is taken to correct the trouble. Dr. Paddock is a strong advocate of the use of medicines to escape the necessity and danger of an operation. His book fully explains his method of treatment and offers convincing evidence of its efficiency.

Anyone who is afflicted or who is suspicious of any catarrhal inflammation and infection of the gall bladder or gall ducts associated with gallstones of the liver, should send for Dr. Paddock's booklet, "The Liver and Gall Bladder." A copy will be sent free and postpaid to any who request it. In this booklet the Doctor tells the story of his long experience in treating catarrhal conditions associated with gallstones of the liver with medicine. He explains the symptoms by which the disease may be recognized before it reaches an acute stage—and why these symptoms, unheeded, may cause indescribable suffering and ill health. Just fill in and mail the coupon below and the booklet will be sent free and without any obligation whatsoever. Send for it today.

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$500,000 Party Marks Marriage Of Heiress and Swedish Prince

By CHOLLY KNICKERBOCKER
Universal Service Society Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Having wearied of the rather mid-Victorian grandeur of "The Breakers," her villa on Ochre Point, in Newport, the Dowager Mrs. Vanderbilt returned to New York last week, and for the next few months will look out upon life from the more modern easements of the late Mrs. George J. Gould's former home at No. 857 Fifth avenue.

Several years ago, when she took possession of her handsome new home which, by the way, was purchased by her son-in-law, Harry Payne Whitney, from the Gould heirs for a mere pittance, Mrs. Vanderbilt at once displayed her lack of what might be termed "Fifth avenue snobbishness."

While the late Mrs. Gould reigned at the mansion on the corner of Fifth avenue and Sixty-seventh street, the house was known only as 857 Fifth avenue. The pre-eminent Mrs. Vanderbilt, upon taking possession, immediately announced that she would discard that address and prefers to be addressed at the less swanky "No. 1 East 67th street."

Mrs. Vanderbilt has made but few changes in the interior of the house, and I cannot, in all truthfulness, report that she has added to the beauty of the mansion. First and foremost, the furnishings Mrs. Vanderbilt moved up from her old home at Fifty-seventh street are not of a period that blend successfully with the gorgeous wall panelings. Secondly, there is no longer the gay atmosphere that pervaded the house during Mrs. Gould's life-time. Even the dullest of Mrs. Vanderbilt's vintage intimates complain there is a dismal funeral air about the place.

Several times each week during the months she is "in residence" Mrs. Vanderbilt gathers about her those social heavyweights she so delighted in entertaining in the red plush dining room of the old Vanderbilt chateau farther down the avenue. The parties are, of course, the acme of good form, and the cuisine is excellent but an injection of new and younger blood would work wonders in the matter of "pepping up" the dowager Mrs. Vanderbilt's soirees.

Engagement Broken

Surprising, indeed, is the news that Louise Herndon has decided not to become the bride of Frederick B. Ryan Jr., after all. About a fortnight back society was showering congratulations on Louise and "Fred" when the formal tidings of their engagement became known, and Louise's mater, Mrs. Dixon Boardman of 320 Park avenue, expressed herself as being delighted with her daughter's choice.

For "Fred" is a son of the senior Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, of "Wee Loch," Short Hills, N. J., and while at Yale—he was graduated last June—was a member of the football, hockey and golf teams.

No reason, other than the usual and always mysterious "mutual consent" has been given for the breaking of the engagement, and both Mrs. Boardman and the Ryans decline, politely but firmly, to discuss the affair. There are members of the junior set, however, who feel certain oil will be poured on the troubled waters and that Louise eventually will become Mrs. Ryan.

We shall see.

Louis made her debut two years ago. She is a daughter of Hugh Herndon, and her mother, if I recall correctly, hails originally from Titusville, Pa. A brother of Louise, John J. Carter Herndon, was married last May to Catherine Munroe Converse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Converse.

Mrs. Vanderbilt "Retires"

Whatever does Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Sr., do with her time? No longer does Anne mingle with the social sets and no longer does she figure prominently in the activities supposed to place the poor, dear "working girl" on a higher social and mental plane. The red brick Vanderbilt mansion, at Fifty-seventh street and Sutton place, is most morgue-like in appearance, and seldom does Anne entertain there when she is on this side of the Atlantic. Possessed of a large fortune, a celebrated name, handsome jewels and no end of social graces, this "taking the veil" attitude of Mrs. Vanderbilt is indeed a mystery.

"Good Time Had by All"

The half-million dollar wedding of Estelle Manville and Count Folke Bernadotte is a thing of the past—a glorious memory. It is no exaggeration to say that "a good time was had by all." Estelle and the bridegroom could not bring themselves to tear away from the reception, and despite the fact that Mrs. Waldron Brown had arranged a theater party in town for the members of the Swedish royal entourage, it was not until 7:30 that the party departed from Pleasantville with a special guard of highly impressed motorcycle police.

Probably the best time of all was had by the small boys of Pleasantville, where the Manvilles have a huge country estate. The urchins let out blood curdling cheers every time one of the men of the Swedish party appeared, wearing the uniforms of the king's horse guard. No clique at the metropolitan opera house was ever rehearsed better than the aforementioned boys, and after the last guest had left St. John's church, where the ceremony was held, to go to "Hi-Esmaro" for the reception, they swooped down in true urchin fashion upon the church and soon every ribbon and flower was in shreds.

Only one casualty resulted from the melee—the smashing of one of Mr. Manville's highest priced motor cars. It later developed the car in question had been giving the multi-millionaire no end of engine trouble and so delighted at the smash was Mr. Manville he vowed he was going to celebrate with a bottle of fizz water.

Never have I seen such a "swiping" of wedding cake souvenirs. One matron I know went back three times, and each time slipped away with three of the miniature boxes. I hope she did not sleep that night with all nine pieces under her pillow!

The most amazing feature of the wedding was that huge seven-foot wedding cake, which stood in the middle of the patio, where the reception was held. It must have taxed the ingenuity of even that catering genius, Voight of Sherry's. Four tiers comprised the cake, and in spiral fashion from the lowest tier to the topmost one was a stairway leading to the temple of love. Ascending the stairway to the temple was an exact replica of the wedding party, the miniature figures dressed to the smallest details just as their prototypes at the wedding.

Elizabeth Koudtze certainly took advantage of the royal situation and hung on to the arm of Prince Gustavus Adolphus as if for dear life even after the wedding party was seated at the bride's table during the reception. And then continued to whisper sweet nothings into his ear. But the prince seemed to pay more attention to the delicacies on the plate before him than to the conversation.

The mystery of how Estelle kept that towering coronet on her coiffure even when bowing to the Pleasantville natives, is a mystery no longer. The coronet—and it was of platinum and diamonds not silver and crystal as reported in some papers—was wired on the bride's cranium, after the fashion of ornaments on a Christmas tree. Only once did the impressive "glass hat" wobble. That was when Estelle almost bumped it off when entering a waiting motor upon leaving the village church.

Despite the aura of the "American dollar" attached to the wedding, the affair is a real love match. Anyone noting Estelle's shining eyes and the actions of the bridegroom could easily see that the two are madly in love.

Special sale on mirrors at Decorators, 923 Scott.—Adv.

CALENDAR

MONDAY

Woman's Choral club concert at the First Presbyterian church, evening.

Lucy Hansell Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church meets at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. E. McKanna, 2103 Avondale, with Mrs. Roy McKanna, joint hostess.

Meeting of the Manuscript club at 2 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A.

A class will meet at the home of Mrs. R. N. Hanskins, 1506 Tenth street, at 8 p. m. for the study of theosophy.

Woman's council of the Highland Heights Christian church meets at the church at 1:30 p. m.

Junior Business Girls' club meets at the Y. W. C. A. at 6:30 p. m.

Rehearsal of Daughters of the Nile at Maskat Temple at 2 o'clock.

Baptist W. M. S. To Meet in Circles

Circles of the First Baptist Woman's Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the following homes:

One, with Mrs. Wells Smith, Iowa Park road.

Two, with Mrs. R. H. Hall, 1202 Burnett.

Three, with Mrs. Charles Parker, 1513 Fourteenth street.

Four, with Mrs. W. A. Freear, 1627 Tenth street.

Five, with Mrs. Alva Conner, 1809 Ninth street.

Six, with Mrs. O. L. Powers, 1720 Huff avenue.

Seven, with Mrs. W. B. Reeves, 1814 Pearl street.

Eight, with Mrs. O. L. Dale, 2612 Tenth street.

Nine, with Mrs. W. L. Holloway, 1306 Taylor.

Ten, with Mrs. A. H. Bedinghaus, 2004 Brown street.

Eleven, with Mrs. B. F. Caldwell, 1809 Garfield.

Twelve, with Mrs. F. M. Tunis, 2308 Seymour.

Home Demonstration Club Meets Friday

Members of the Bowie Home Demonstration club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. F. Moore when Mesdames W. D. Hagemann, H. D. Johns and Ed Dunn had charge of the program. A lesson club etiquette was given.

Mrs. R. A. Yeager conducted a parliamentary drill stressing the duties of each member. Twelve members submitted home reports at the meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. M. Martin, A. Bartell, Ed Dunn, R. A. Yeager, H. T. Nicholson, C. W. Kidd, L. B. Bruner, W. W. McCreary, W. D. Hagemann. Special guests were Mesdames M. S. Fogle, W. Wooten and H. D. Jones.

Miss Love Weds James Stewart

Charming in its simplicity was the wedding of Miss Edna Love and James E. Stewart of Iowa Park which took place Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Iowa Park. Rev. Kyker read the ring ceremony in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

The bride wore a tailored dress of navy blue crepe with accessories to match. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left immediately following the ceremony for Gilmer and other points in East Texas.

Mrs. Lowe to Be Hostess to W. M. S.

Mrs. R. W. Lowe will be hostess to members of the Grace Methodist church at her home, 2501 Fillmore street, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Sibley Taylor W. M. S. Will Meet Monday

Members of the Sibley Taylor W. M. S. will meet at the tabernacle Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Nazarene W. M. S. To Meet Monday Afternoon

Members of the First Church of the Nazarene W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the church.

Adams Street W. M. S. To Meet Monday

Members of the Adams street W. M. S. will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

CHIC CHERIE — Latest Fashions



Cherie is wearing a dress that is a positively flaming red. The line of trimming at the neck and on the hips is a gold and blue and red brocade. It's an exceedingly smart dress because there's a new vogue for bright colored frocks. She's considering a Christmas list as seriously as she ever considers anything.

These bright colored dresses are worn with dark coats, either cloth or fur coats, and part of the trick, of course, is to have them harmonize. You perceive that Cherie's red dress is worn under a coat of black broadcloth trimmed with Parisian lamb and with a black and gray hat that has a pleated, turned back brim.



The stores were all so crowded. Cherie didn't even try to get into any of them. She couldn't even get near the windows. Is she downhearted? No! She always has said there's nothing so nice as a good book, and while there are book catalogues and telephones, all is not lost. Cherie's dress here is bright blue with a new sort of yoke and scarf. Sue's is wood violet with a pleated jabot quirked to one side of an irregular neckline. Dena's is a quite bright green with pleats that are unpressed and a scarf that is untied—neither of which things gives it the careless air you might expect, but men make it modish without question.

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Diplomacy, Tolerance and Honesty Will Ensure Domestic Harmony

The Only Way to Keep the Domestic Peace Is to Refuse to Break It—Give Your Partner a Square Deal, Respect His Peculiarities, Never Argue, and, Above All, Develop the Wiles of the Diplomat.

A man writes me that he and his wife cannot agree upon anything. They quarrel over everything and nothing. Their life is just one fight after another and they are so worn out and disheartened with this cat-and-dog existence that they are thinking of getting a divorce. However, they hesitate at breaking up their home because of their children.

The man asks me if I can give him a few rules for keeping the domestic peace that, faithfully followed will enable them to adjust themselves to each other, and live together more harmoniously.

It is easy to tell husbands and wives how to get along together amicably. The difficulty is in getting them to follow one's advice, because the married couples who are in a perpetual scrap fight for the pure love of fighting. They enjoy it. It is their favorite indoor sport. It is the way they blow off steam. They get a kick and a thrill out of a real good row that breaks the monotony of matrimony and puts pep and ginger in it for them.

This explains why husbands and wives deliberately drag on to the carpet topics that they know will inevitably precipitate a battle royal, why they will say the fighting word to each other; why they will one moment accuse each other of every crime on the calendar and hurl deadly insults at each other, and the next moment kiss and go off together, like cooing doves, to the movies, instead of rushing out to find a good divorce lawyer.

If any married couple really wishes to declare a truce, the way to do so is simple enough. The way to stop fighting is just to stop fighting. They rule for breaking oneself of the quarreling habit is precisely the same as that for breaking oneself of the drinking or the gambling habit or any other vice. Quit it. Cut it out. Refuse to permit yourself to indulge in it. It takes will power and self-control and self-denial, but you can do it if you are determined on doing it.

Of course, your wife is going to be aggravating just as of yore, and your husband is going to do the things that get on your nerves just as he has always done. You are still going to be convinced that your judgment is infallible and your wife or your husband is perversely unreasonable and lacking in common intelligence not to see things from your point of view.

Your tastes are still going to be different, and you will have just as many things to bicker over as you have always had, but you can keep your temper and silence your tongue and refuse to be drawn into a quarrel and that will end the fight before it starts, so to speak.

For it is eternally true that it takes two to make a quarrel and that the soft answer turns away wrath. Just try this plan and see how the party of the other part simmers down into a pacifist.

The next rule for getting along with Friend Husband or Friend Wife is to give him or her a square deal. Most of the domestic squabbles are over the money question and the cooking. The woman whose husband refuses to give her a fair allowance feels that he is holding out on her and that she is nothing but an unpaid servant in his house. The man who is married to a poor housekeeper feels that she is a lazy loafer who is defaulting on her end of the partnership.

There are plenty of married couples who wage a 30 or 40-year civil war for their rights along these lines and die at last on the battlefield without ever achieving victory when they could have saved all of the bitterness and resentment and hatred engendered by the long conflict by having settled the matter fairly and equitably in the beginning. If every husband would give his wife a definite amount of money for her own use and every woman would learn how to make coffee, it would eliminate most of the breakfast-table wrangles.

The next rule for preserving peace and harmony in the household is for husbands and wives to learn to respect each other's keep-off-the-grass signs. No man and woman can live together for a single year without becoming acquainted with each other's pet prejudices and getting wise to each other's little peculiarities and having an accurate working knowledge of each other's sore spots. Therefore, it is an easy thing to avoid tramping on each other's feelings or hurting each other's vanity or interfering with each other's little personal ways unless one is out on a still-hunt for trouble.

The next rule for making matrimony a glad sweet song instead of an anvil chorus is never to argue. Nothing else in the world can produce so much friction as an argument, and nothing else is such a waste of time and words. Nobody is ever convinced by an argument. Its only effect is to confirm your opponent more deeply in his or her first opinion.

Therefore, if wife says the moon is made of green cheese, let it go at that. If husband asserts that George Washington was the author of "Home, Sweet Home," don't dispute the assertion. It doesn't affect your own opinion on these matters, and it saves a scene and keeps you from telling wife that she is a moron or informing husband that he is an ignoramus. After all, matters of abstract information don't matter, but it is vitally important to you not to wound your wife's or husband's feelings, or to humiliate him of her by showing up his or her lack of knowledge.

The final rule for getting along with a husband or wife is to sell yourself to your marriage partner just as you would to any other man or woman with whom you wish to pull off a business deal. Use tact. Study your approach. It isn't what you say, it is the way you say it, that counts. There is a way to put everything. There is a psychological moment for speaking, and for keeping silence.

You can sugar-coat even criticism so that your husband or wife will swallow it down as a sweet morsel. You can pick your time for announcing that the butcher has raised the price of beef, or that mother is coming on a nice, long visit, and get away with it without a protest. Or you can tell Mary that she is too old and fat to wear flapper clothes, or meet John at the front door with the bill for your new dress and hat, and spend the balance of the evening saying things to each other that leave wounds that will never heal.

Take your choice. But there is no reason for husbands and wives quarreling unless they enjoy a shindig.

—DOROTHY DIX.

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Artists' materials. Decorators.—Adv.

Less expense and more pleasure results from the regular use of the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" in our Classified section.—Adv.

SOCIETY Personals

Miss Sibil James left Friday afternoon for Rochester, Minn., where she will go through the Mayo Brothers clinic.

Orville Bobo, student at the Danforth school of pharmacy at Fort Worth, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bobo.

New Bonded Warehouse Finished at Lubbock

Special to The Record News

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 9—The Lubbock Bonded Warehouse and Transfer company, a new concern, will be ready for business about Dec. 15, F. C. Olds, formerly of Abilene, manager of the business stated today, while watching workmen put the finishing touches on the building that will offer the largest bonded warehouse space west of Fort Worth, with the exception of one house at Amarillo.

H. O. Wooten of Abilene, wholesale grocer, is interested with Olds in the new storage business. Olds moved to Lubbock several weeks ago to take charge of the business. A total of 35,000 square feet of floor space will be offered when the building is complete. The company will start operations with an investment of over $80,000, with all modern facilities to carry on the business.

The building is 104 by 112 feet and has two stories in addition to a full basement.

Hamilton Wright Re-Enters Ministry

Special to The Record News

LAMESA, Texas, Dec. 9.—Hamilton Wright, well known newspaper man and chamber of commerce worker and now the Methodist minister here, has moved back to Dawson county. His charge is now the Sparenburg and Ackerley churches 15 and 25 miles southwest of here.

Last year Wright served Draw and Gassland of Lynn county. Two years ago he was circuit rider for Dawson county.

Wright will also likely have newspaper connection in the county along with his ministerial work.

BUYS HOME LOT

Special to The Record News

QUITAQUE, Texas, Dec. 9.—I. Vance Wise, representative for the Continental Oil company, purchased a desirable building location from G. H. Russell, located on Third street near the Quitaque public schools, and has under construction a modern home. Mr. Wise says he will have five large rooms and bath. He will install the very latest equipment.

Get your home made Xmas candies from Mrs. Hooper. 2005.—Adv.

Gifts that find favor—and are found at favorable prices

The Shop-o-scope in the Classified Section

Women Awarded Most of Estate Of Journalist

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—Setting up the doctrine that an inheritance imposes upon a man a handicap in life race, the late William Bradford Merrill, for many years general manager of the Hearst newspapers, left virtually his entire estate to women relatives. Value of the estate was placed in excess of $100,000. It is believed to be somewhat between $800,000 and $1,000,000.

In his will, filed for probate in the surrogate's office at Mineola, L. I., today, the famous journalist who died in Mabor sanitorium on Nov. 26, last, set forth his novel idea thus:

"I have in several instances named as beneficiaries wives in place of husbands, or daughters in preference to sons, because the bequests are necessarily small and my experience convinces me that the possession of a modest (but not too large) income of her own is an aid to the ambition, independence, usefulness and contentment of a woman and not a hinderance to her happy marriage.

"On the other hand, I believe that to a young man a small inheritance lessens ambition and self-reliance and often furnishes an excuse to spare himself the strenuous efforts and exertions without which a man cannot discover, even for himself, such talent as he has nor escape deterioration of character nor achieve any object in life worth attaining.

"Hardships, poverty and want are the best incentives and the best foundations for the success of a man. I want the little money that I possess to help, not to hinder, the usefulness and selfreliance of those who receive it."

New Pastor at Rule From Throckmorton

Special to The Record News

RULE, Texas, Dec. 9.—Rev. C. B. Thompson, who has been pastor of the Methodist church at Throckmorton for several years, was transferred to the Rule Methodist church during the annual conference held in Lubbock recently. He and his family arrived in this city latter part of last week. Rev. L. B. Smallwood, who has been pastor of the Rule Methodist church for the past two years, was transferred to Claude.

Church Edifice Nears Completion at Quitaque

Special to The Record News

QUITAQUE, Dec. 9.—The excavation for the basement of the new Baptist church is now completed, the forms are being made to pour the concrete. The basement will be four feet in depth and 50x80 feet in size.

The church will be ready for use about the first of Jan., 1929. The Rev. W. M. Draper, pastor of the church, is the general supervisor of the construction.

Insurance Company For Altus Is Formed

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9—Three Frederick business men, M. L. Tyson, W. R. Harper and Frank Pennick, have organized the Altus Life and Accident association and Pennick will move to Altus to take active charge. For the past few years Pennick has been traveling salesmen for a wholesale grocery concern. He has disposed of his residence at 309 North Twelfth street to Charles McConnell.

Council Faces Dull Session Monday

Another quiet meeting of the Wichita Falls city council is scheduled for Monday night in the council chamber of the Memorial auditorium unless the unexpected happens, according to announcements made Sunday by city officials. No ordinance or hearings have been scheduled for the meeting.

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The girl-friend says she thinks Dr. Voronoff's ideas are perfectly lovely; they give people time enough to get to own the things they buy on the installment plan.

Hale County Boys To Thresh Grains

Special to The Record News

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Dec. 9—One of the greatest club projects ever staged in Hale county, in the opinion of R. M. Milhollin, county agent, will come to a close next week when the club boys of Snyder and Stoneback thresh and sell their pure bred milo maize and kaffir seed. The Snyder boys are raising two acres each of pure milo maize this year as their project and the Stoneback boys are growing two acres each of kaffir.

The grain is threshed at some central farm in the community under the direction of R. M. Milhollin, and in accordance with the pure seed regulations.

After this the seeds are certified by Milhollin and J. D. Tinsley, agricultural agent of the Santa Fe railroad, who has been interested in pure grain sorghum seed since early settlement of the plains country. Tinsley and Milhollin went through each field to see that no foreign growth such as Johnson grass or other sorghum grain is among the maize or kaffir.

Some of the boys in the Stoneback club have already threshed their kaffir and their average yield is 55 bushels per acre, a good kaffir yield. The boys will realize a net profit of about $2.25 per hundred on their seed. Fifteen tons of the seeds have already been sold.

Frederick Accident Victim Gets Better

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9—R. E. Wallis, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wallis from south of Frederick, who was injured Wednesday when he was crushed between a truck bed and the seed house at the Farmers' gin in Frederick, is now getting along nicely at the Frederick hospital where he was taken for treatment.

BYERS LIONS LAYING PLANS

New Club Gets Charter At Friday Meeting

Special to The Record News

BYERS, Dec. 9—The Lions club of Byers is now in its first week of official life as a regularly chartered club of Lions International and is making elaborate plans for a definite club and civic program.

The club received its charter Friday night from Dr. R. H. Graham of Wichita Falls, deputy district governor of Lions. The charter meeting was held in the Byers Community building and was attended by 100 Byers Lions and their wives as well as visitors from Petrolia, Chicago, Burkburnett, Bellevue and Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Herbert Perkins of Petrolia sang several songs and was accompanied on the piano by John Harding of Byers. Leo M. Underwood of Wichita Falls played a cornet solo and Mrs. J. S Pitman of Wichita Falls gave a reading. The Byers High School Girls' Glee club sang several numbers.

President A. Curtis of the new club received the charter from Dr. Graham who was the speaker of the evening. C. K. Webb of Chicago was introduced by Dr. Graham for a short talk.

30,000-Bale Crop Expected in Dawson

Special to The Record News

LAMESA, Texas, Dec. 9.—Twenty thousand bales of cotton have been ginned in Dawson county to this date. It is estimated that the county will gin 10,000 more, counting bollies and all. The Dawson county crop has been cut short on account of damage by insects and early freezes this fall.

The Dawson county feed crop is above normal and harvesting is almost through. It is estimated that the county will produce 75,000 tons of grain sorghums this year. Much maize and other headed stuffs is being shipped into counties of West Texas where feed was short this fall. Much feed and bundle stuff is being manufactured into feed rations by the two feed mills located here. This feed is being used by local farmers and some is shipped to outside markets.

BUILDING NEW HOME

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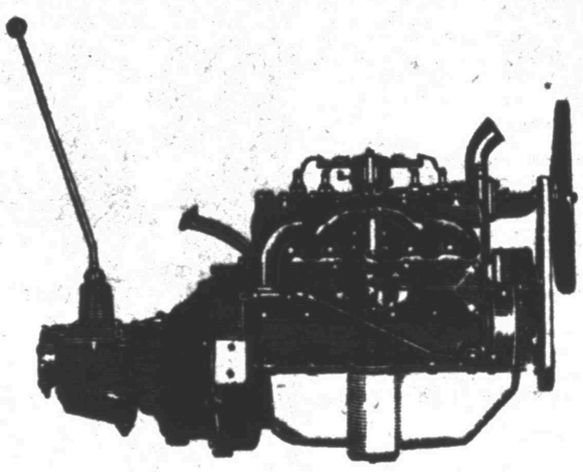
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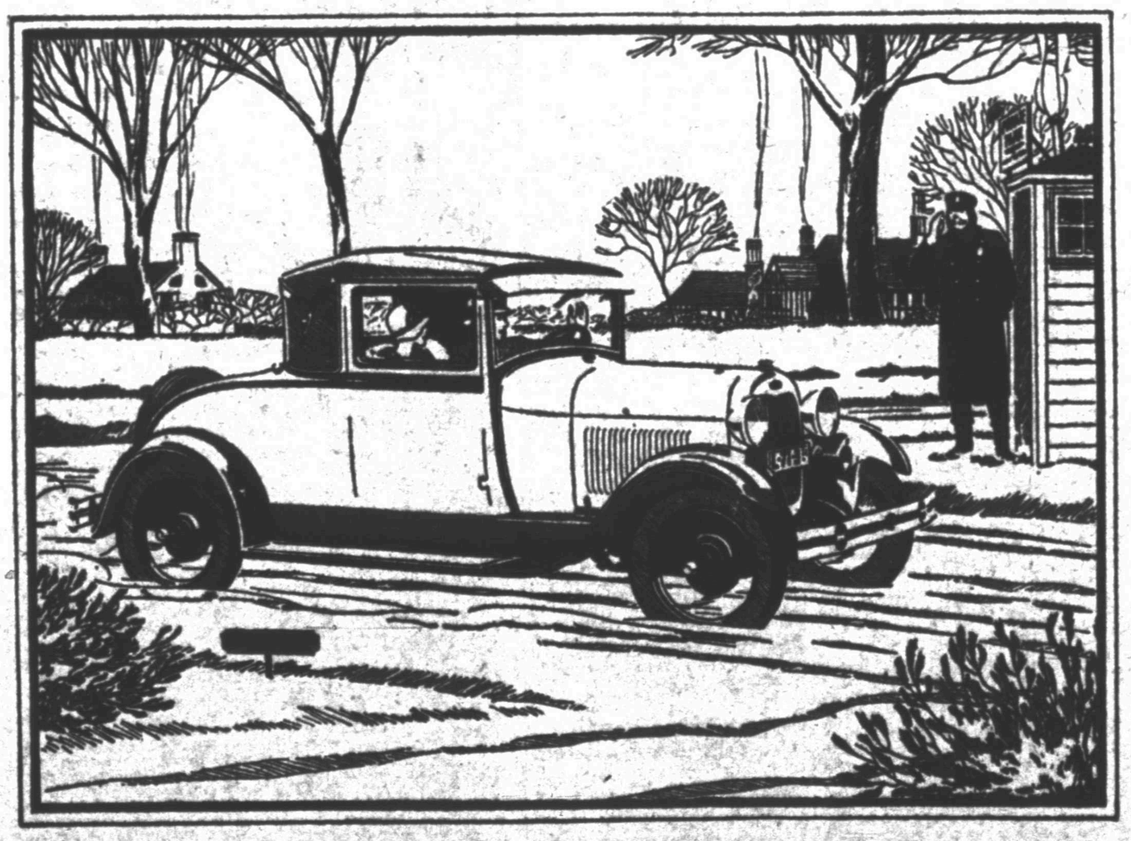
It is of course almost impossible to conceive of measurements as close as these. They are achieved only through the finest precision gages in the hands of expert workmen. The master blocks by which these gages are set are accurate to the almost incredible limit of a millionth of an inch.

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One Minute Pulpit

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He is not most virtuous who is most ignorant of vice; but he who knows its nature and consequences and yet is able to put it beneath by a disciplined will and a consecrated heart.

The Day Book of a New Yorker

By GRANT DIXON

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A long life and a hard one, replete with color and adventure, is the only possible prelude to the reputation-by-proxy as a philosopher that David Betts has gained for himself. Betts is the New York taxicab driver who often confides in the editor and pens his whimsical observations of law and life for appreciative readers. He is the Will Rogers of taxidom.

Like his famous Biblical namesake, his weapon is a slingshot, equipped with the elasticity of his nimble Scotch wit. He can shoot little hard rocks of concentrated logic straight between the eyes of the cab drivers' Goliath and private enemy, prejudice.

For the last 15 of his 47 years Betts has been driving a taxicab. In a decade and a half as a New York cabman, he has collected his impressions of life and times from the driving compartment of his taxi more often than not from those who rode behind him.

Perhaps it is because he has followed a checkered career and trailed the broad highways from his home in Scotland across several oceans, into the Canadian bush, to France during the world war, that Betts has built up a foundation for his cogitations as a cab driver.

Back in 1892 Betts ran away from home and went to sea. He served a seaman's apprenticeship on board a fishing boat in the North Sea. A job as a stoker on the Dominion Line, a heavy form of manual labor, was the next thing he landed. It got him to Canada at the end of one of his voyages. There he remained for a while.

One day came the report of the "gold in them thar hills," meaning the Klondike, of course, and Betts joined an expedition in search of fortune and fame. He worked his way by washing dishes in a traveling kitchen. When the company of gold diggers had covered about 300 miles and Betts had washed most of the pots and pans in the world, sustained by the hope of sudden and dramatic wealth, the expedition broke up. Hardship and the cold took away enthusiasm. Betts went back to the starting point.

The future New York cab driver spent a long, hard winter in the Canadian wilds, working as a lumberjack up in Ontario.

Not many months later he was walking the streets of Winnipeg. Now, Betts hails from a family of railroad men. This, combined with his experience as a stoker, qualified him as a fireman on a Canadian railroad. For two years he shoveled coal and traveled about Canada in the tender of a locomotive.

Then, not exactly as a hobo or a vagabond, but rather as a wandering workman, he meandered down to the United States and tackled every manner of skilled and unskilled labor.

"It was one day about 15 years ago that Betts found himself a resident of New York. Cabmen were averaging $100 a week. It was an occupation with a future. Betts launched forth upon his career as a hackman, which has been uninterrupted with the exception of a year and a half when he served in the Canadian army.

Abe Martin

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I'd forgotten all about Gen. Coxey till I read about Hoover's scheame t' raise a pool o' $3,000,000,000 t' tide o'er th' unemployed durin' slumps an' panics. "I finally found Dr. Mopps, but I had t' slip up on him," said Lafe Bud, t'day, in tellin' about his wife's serious sick spell.

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Moody Ignored Old Custom

GOVERNOR MOODY ignored the moss-covered custom of granting pardons to deserving convicts on Thanksgiving day. This two years ago. He observed his own precedent this year. He would not issue pardons merely for the Thanksgiving season. He is merciful, however, and should he find there are convicts who deserve clemency he will issue proclamations giving them their freedom. Since his inauguration two years ago the governor has issued a large number of furloughs and also a number of general paroles. He has tempered justice with mercy. He has kept the pledges given to the people in the ever-memorable campaign for the office of governor in 1926.

Taft Is Growing Old

CHIEF JUSTICE WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT is growing old, but the venerable father of the supreme court is Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes of Massachusetts. He is 87. He never misses a session of the court. His eyes are as bright and sparkling as when he was 50, his tongue is a skeen, his wit is as incisvie and his brain never wabbles. There are four venerable gentlemen as age goes who are supreme court justices. All are expected to retire while Herbert Hoover is president. He will have the naming of perhaps the majority of the supreme court of the United States.

Moody and the Fee System

GOVERNOR MOODY is said to be planning for the extermination of the fee system in Texas. Governor Moody is a forward moving individual. He has served his people as a county attorney and district attorney. He has served the state as attorney general and governor. He is familiar with the conditions and he knows the needs of the people.

There is every reason why the fee system should be blotted out. There is every reason why all servants of the people, major and minor, should be placed on a salaried basis. The fee system was invented in the fossiliferous ages by ancients who believed that the work should be easy and the pickings rich.

As a system it has been handed down the ages. In Texas, at least, it should be sent to join the fossils by the lawmakers of the commonwealth.

Make Every Man a Member

A CAMPAIGN in 1929 to make every laborer a member of a trade union was approved by the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, held this year in the city of New Orleans.

If the cotton growers of the South were as thoroughly organized as the skilled wage workers of America the co-operative movement as well as the co-operative marketing system would be pushed along with a vengeance.

Organization tells the story of successful business enterprises, successful trade and manufacturing and commercial organizations. In all the fields of human endeavor, with the sole exception of the agricultural field, organization tells the story of forward moving. Why not the farmer?

Go East, Young Man

"GO WEST, YOUNG MAN," was the advice of Horace Greeley, given more than 50 years ago. Well, a turn about is fair play. George L. Harrison was born in San Francisco, Jan. 26, 1887. He was graduated from Yale university in 1910. He became assistant general counsel of the federal board in 1914 and general counsel in 1912.

Now, less than 20 years from the college campus George L. Harrison is governor of the New York Federal Reserve bank, said to be the largest in the system.

Horace Greeley may have been wise in his day. "Go east, young man," is the slogan now. Of course, it is the case where the many are called and the few are chosen; but after they have been chosen they are the topnotchers.

Shiploads of Skull Crackers

MOST of us realize pretty well that law-observance is not one of our nation's leading virtues, and that the police, accordingly, are kept pretty busy; but did you ever know that the wood out of which policemen's clubs are made comes into the country in full shiploads?

Well, it does. The docks of the Bush terminal, in Brooklyn receive ship after ship from the West Indies, loaded with lignum vitae—the hardest, heaviest wood obtainable—which is shipped from there to the factories where nightsticks are made.

This wood is so heavy it will not float in water. It takes a fine polish, and is so tough that it can make an impression on the thickest skull of the toughest criminal in the country.

And the country's cops are so busy that it comes in by the shipload!

Damming the Guadalupe

DAMMING the Guadalupe is in order. Permit has been granted by the state board of water engineers to the Hunt Developing company for erection of five dams in the Guadalupe river at points between Seguin and Gonzales for hydro-electric power, the project being a continuation of the program of the Texas Power corporation which heretofore was granted a permit for erection of three dams.

Estimated cost of the project is $5,000,000. Total head of the dams is 134 feet, and horsepower to be produced will be approximately 16,000. Water to be used will be 941,200 acre feet per annum.

This permit calls for beginning of construction of the five dams within two years of date of issuance of the permit and for completion within five years.

Texas rivers are to be harnessed. Texas power companies are very much in evidence. This is the white power age and the coming session of the legislature promises to be one of the most interesting held since James Stephens Hogg was governor and his "Hogg laws" agitated the legislative minds.

Texas-Oklahoma Press

WIDER AND BETTER HIGHWAYS

A future trend of road building will be toward constructing wider highways. For the past 20 years the good roads building movement has been an outstanding development of our national life. Highways passed rapidly from the luxury age to where they were necessities; today the community without sufficient paved roads is almost foredoomed to economic and social inertia.

—Breckenridge (Texas) American.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Here I've spent all summer growin' these Santa Claus whiskers and I didn't get the job."

The INN of the HAWK and RAVEN



By George Barr McCutcheon

During the summer, Jonifer takes Gerane and his nephew, Peter, to Edelweiss on a pleasure jaunt. They are disguised as gypsies. While there, they see Starcourt acting as the escort of the princess on her return to the palace. One look at Gerane's face, when she sees Starcourt, tells Jonifer that she loves him. Peter arrives at the same conclusion, and is none too pleased, for he secretly loves Gerane. However he knows he can never marry her, for not only was his father, Jonifer's half-brother, of illegitimate birth but he himself was born out of wedlock. Jonifer, being the legitimate descendant of the Duke of Droon, who was made an outlaw, many, many years ago, after his attempt to seize the throne, exercises his prerogatives as head of the family in a way that the son of his deceased illegitimate half-brother often finds distasteful. Peter instantly becomes jealous of Starcourt, who, according to a spectator, is about to undertake the extermination of the bandits in the Forest of Droon and has been made a colonel, for he has voluntarily undertaken the task.

Urged on by his mother and his brothers, who hate Jonifer, Peter contemplates a revolt against his uncle's authority.

Jonifer, who, on learning that Gerane is in love with Starcourt, makes some secret plans that involve the soldier, takes a trip to Moscow. On his way home, near the Axphain border, the stage-coach is held up—not by his men however. The arrival of a troop of soldiers results in the capture of the robbers. The incident serves to inform Jonifer that Starcourt, with 500 picked men, is in the Forest of Droon to run down the Davos band, no matter how long the task keeps him there. Jonifer is of his companion.

John Crispo and Jonifer Davos quietly disappear that night and make their way home, realizing that the situation is too serious to permit of their running the risk of capture.

Jonifer's return puts an end, for a time, at least, to Peter's thoughts of rebellion. The chief's next move is an attempt to capture Starcourt in a surprise attack at night. He is defeated, however.

Later, coming upon Starcourt while he is swimming in a mountain pool, Jonifer captures him, the colonel's men believe him to be drowned.

Meanwhile, he is among the robbers in the valley, free to do as he pleases, but unable to escape.

Jonifer tells Gerane that he has captured Starcourt as a birthday present for her. The bandit chief takes it for granted that the soldier will fall in love with his daughter and that they will marry. He is amazed when Gerane, in a fit of rage, says she will marry Peter—anybody but the soldier.

When Starcourt at last makes friendly overtures, Gerane repulses him.

Jonifer, acting on a suggestion of one of his lieutenants, who informs him that Gerane has killed a hawk that Starcourt had hoped to train as a carrier-bird, and thereby get into communication with the outside world, tells his daughter that he is going to have Starcourt executed.

Gerane, although she is not fooled by Jonifer's threat, says the soldier is not to be shot—that she has decided to have his life that he may instruct her in English.

While the Granstark authorities are still making frantic efforts to recover Starcourt's body from the pool in which the soldier was supposedly drowned, the minister of police, Baron Danglosa, is informed by one of his men, Peter Corpaz, that the Countess Jabassy has in her possession famous diamond that was taken from a Russian princess in the Forest of Droon by Davos' men. The detective also says that the count and countess are living on a scale that is far beyond their means and asks where the money comes from. He says that he believes the count and countess to be Davos' confederates.

Corpaz, disguised as a fruit vender, stops the Countess Katrane on the street and, taking a long chance, tells her he is a messenger from Jonifer Davos and has been sent to tell her that her connection with the robbery band is known to the police. Despite her desperate efforts to self-control, Corpaz is convinced after she is and decides that his suspicions are correct.

As the result of Corpaz's report, Danglosa sends officers to bring the count and countess before him. They, fearing that arrest will result in the disclosure of their relations with Jonifer, commit suicide.

Concerning the Action of Chancellors

Starcourt, now in love with Gerane, although he is unwilling to admit it, even to himself, asks her companion, Matilde, to tell him something of Gerane's mother. The old woman, who herself was the companion of Gerane's mother, tells him how they were captured by the bandits while passing through the Forest of Droon—how Louise, Gerane's mother, fell in love with Jonifer and married him.

Word comes to the robbers of the suicide of the Count and Countess, and the reason for it. Not knowing whether the authorities have learned of their hiding place, they prepare to resist attack, if necessary.

Starcourt is tortured by the thought that the defeat of the robbers, although it will mean his release, may mean death for Gerane, as a member of the band. He is amazed to hear from the mother of Gerane's cousin, Peter, that many in the valley look upon him as chosen by Jonifer to be his successor, as well as his son-in-law.

INSTALLMENT XXXI.

Not another word was spoken until they came to Herber Dykes' house.

"I shall stop here," said she, much too calmly, he thought. "Do not come in. I prefer to go home by myself, Colonel Starcourt!"

She hurried up to Heber's door and opened it without knocking.

"Oh, Heber," she cried, "I am so —so happy! No,—I mean I am so unhappy! He—" She stopped and peeped out of the door.

"Bless my soul! I thought you were Elda."

"Oh—I wish I were Elda," said Gerane, and forthwith opened the door again—the merest crack. "Just think how happy she is going to be!"

"Well, well!" exclaimed Heber, nonplussed. "Now what in the name of—"

"He loves me, Heber," she cried, coming quickly to his chair. "He—he told me so. Can you believe it, Heber? He told me he loves me."

"Of course, I can believe it," said Heber. "Every fool in the place knows it. The main point is, do you love him? No one has ever dreamed that you—"

"Can you keep a secret, Heber?"

"What is the sense of keeping it a secret? Jonifer is bound to find out and when he does—well, he will put a stop to it, my dear. And so he should. He probably will kill him. I am not saying he should be quite so hard as that on the poor fellow, but you must be prepared for the worst. He will never consent. And why should he? Peter is not the man for you, Gerane. Most certainly he is not—"

"Peter!" exclaimed Gerane, a "Peter!" exclaimed Gerane, astounded. "What put it into your head that I am talking about Peter?"

"Bless my soul—aren't you?"

Gerane clapped her hand to her mouth. She had babbled like a fool. Heber would tell Elda and Elda would—

"Oh, Heber," she cried a moment later, "you must swear not to repeat a word of this. You will *do* that for me, won't you. Promise me you will not tell a soul—not even Elda."

"If it isn't Peter," said Heber, perplexed, "then who is it?"

"Because I am so frightfully unhappy, as it is, and it would make me a thousandfold more unhappy, if you—"

"If you were a thousandfold more more unhappy than you look to be at this moment, Gerane, you would burst with joy," said he dryly. "So it is Colonel Starcourt, eh?"

Suddenly her brow puckered. "Oh, heavens! Do you think he was in earnest, Heber? You don't mean to say he was only saying it to—"

"My child, it is bad enough for you to lose your heart, but, when you show symptoms of losing your mind, well, there is no telling what may happen. Like as not, you would forget yourself completely and tell him you do not love him. Now—"

"I must be off," she interrupted, pausing with her hand on the latch. "Good-by."

She was saying to herself, as she hurried along the road: "I want you, he said. I love you, he said. I want you, he said. I love you, he said."

The swift dusk was falling. She knew it would be dark before she reached home. The sun had dropped down behind the towering peaks to the west; lights were beginning to appear in windows. She quickened her footsteps—not that she was afraid of the darkness, but because of a sudden, irresistible longing to reach the sanctuary of her own room.

She was nearing Julius Broadaxe's forge when she descried a figure some distance beyond, a man walking rapidly toward her. Panic seized her. She recognized him. Her pace slackened, she looked about in search of an open road or path into which she could dart; she even thought of turning back and running in the opposite direction. But that would be ludicrous. He would laugh at her. She would not let him see that she was a silly coward. And then she realized that she was curiously light-headed. But on she came, her lips apart, her eyes wide open, walking straight into the trap.

He stopped when he came to the dark, silent smithy, posting himself in the middle of the road. The waning light, penetrating the shadowy interior of the low, open shed that fronted the forge, revealed the closed doors beyond. She would have passed him by, her chin in the air, had he not shifted his position, intercepting her. There was nothing for her to do but stop. Either that, or walk into his arms. So she came to a standstill, a few feet away.

"Come on, Gerane," he said, a little unsteadily. "Don't stop. It is no use, darling. I shan't let you pass."

She drew back. "What do you mean—Starcourt," she demanded, raising her voice. "How dare you stop me—"

"I am not stopping you," he broke in, quietly. "I am asking you to come on. I shall stand here till you do come."

"I—I never heard of—of such insolence," she faltered. "Oh," looking around wildly, "is there no one to help me? Where is my father—Julius—"

"There is not a soul in sight," cried he triumphantly. "What are you afraid of, Gerane, dear? Of me? Surely you are not afraid of me. I love you with all my— Oh, my darling, don't cry!"

"She had covered her face with her hands, he heard the catch in her breath—and thought it was a sob.

"Oh, you—you must not," she cried out chokingly—and found herself clasped tightly in his arms. She thought her heart was going to burst. He was whispering something, his lips close to her cheek—but there was such a turmoil in her ears that she could not understand a word he was saying. His cold cheek was touching hers,—how cold it was! Was hers so cold? Finally she made out the words—he had uttered them often enough:

"Tell me you love me, Gerane! Tell me, darling. I—I—Lift your head, Gerane—and kiss me."

She relaxed in his embrace, with a long, ecstatic sigh.

"Kiss me," he commanded, a moment later.

"But not out here on the road," she interrupted, and forthwith struggled to free herself. "It is so —so public."

"Public?" he scoffed. "Bless your heart, it's as dark as pitch. Gerane, darling—will you be my wife? So that my home may be your home forever?"

"Oh, I wish I could be sure that you will always want me," she cried, a queer bleakness in her voice.

"You can be sure, Gerane," he said simply.

"But I am—I am one of the robbers of Droon Forest. You must think long and well before you—"

"I have thought long and well," said he. "I want you to be my wife."

"My father is a thief and an outlaw. My grandfather was the same."

"I am not asking your father or your grandfather to marry me," he said, putting his hand to her cheek.

"Then, there is something else to consider," she persisted. "You are my enemy, you are my father's enemy. Would I be doing right by my father, by my own people, if I married you? Are you forgetting that duty and honor may demand a —a certain thing of you?"

"You mean—"

"It is your duty to hunt down and perhaps slay my father,—Gavan. He is the leader of the robbers of Droon Forest. The hand of every honest man is against him, including yours. You ask me to be your wife. I love you—oh, I love you with all my heart—but how can you expect me to marry you knowing that the day may come when you—oh, it is too terrible even to think about, Gavan!"

He was silent for a long time. "I may never leave this place," he said at last. "But, if I should, and you go with me, Gerane, my hand will never be raised against my wife's father."

"What—what would you do?" she cried, in wonder.

"I have thought it all out. I shall resign from the army and go to England to live. But, Gerane, there is one thing that you must face. I can never leave this place alive unless the soldiers come and conquer. If that ever comes to pass, you will go away with me, but your father will stay here. There will be no need thereafter for me or any other man to hunt him down. Do you understand?"

He expected her to flinch and cry out in pain, but she did neither. Instead, she drew a long breath, and said, with surprising calmness:

"I do, Gavan. My father will die fighting them. That is in the bargain. Every man here will die fighting. But you are wrong when you say that I will go away with you. I shall fight alongside my father and when he falls—so shall I."

"Gerane!" he cried aghast. "You don't mean to tell me you would—"

"I have made a vow, Gavan," she said.

"That was before I came. Things have changed in—"

"So now you see why it would be wrong for me to—to say I will be your wife," she interrupted, her voice low and curiously husky.

"Listen to me," he said, rather sternly, his hands on her shoulders. "This very night I shall ask your father's consent to our marriage. He may refuse. He may order me shot for my presumption. But, if he consents, Gerane, if he is willing that I should have you—there is nothing that can save you, my dear. Your doom is sealed. You will be Mrs. Gavan Starcourt—or, if you prefer it, Lady Starcourt, for I have that title in England. And I shall be very much surprised if I have to exercise my authority as your lord and master and put you in chains to keep you from dying on the field of battle. No, on second thought, if, after you've been my wife for a while, you should come to me and say you think it would be much nices to die on the field of battle than to go on living with a cruel tyrant, I promise not to oppose you. Now, nothing could be fairer than that, I vow."

"Don't be silly," she cried, and put her arms about his neck again.

The voices of men talking in the road brought them sharply to earth. He drew her into the smithy's shed. The crunch of boots on the frozen snow heralded the approach and then, a moment later, the presence of three shapes in front of shed. They came to a standstill not ten feet from the black corner that sheltered the lovers. Peter's voice was easily recognized.

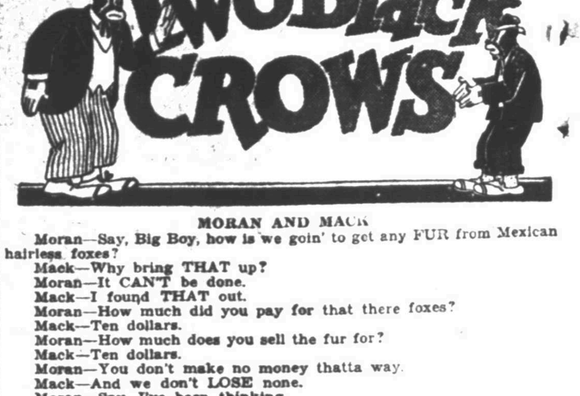
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Orphans Home Head Tells of Long Record

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—M. E. Harris, superintendent of the Cornish Orphans Home was a Frederick visitor Friday. Harris opened the home 25 years ago last October and since that time 1200 orphans have been taken care of. There has been an average of 80 children in the institution all the time, Harris says. The object of the home is to unite the homeless child and the childless home. Several children from Tillman county have been sent to that home during the past few years. Local people subscribed liberally, according to Harris.

Entertain your friends with a ¼-mile joy ride over the "Ocean Wave," four miles out on Henrietta road. Adults 10c, children 5c. All day and night.—Adv.



MORAN AND MACK

Moran—Say, Big Boy, how is we goin' to get any FUR from Mexican hairless foxes?
Mack—Why bring THAT up?
Moran—It CAN'T be done.
Mack—I found THAT out.
Moran—How much did you pay for that there foxes?
Mack—Ten dollars.
Moran—How much does you sell the fur for?
Mack—Ten dollars.
Moran—You don't make no money thatta way.
Mack—And we don't LOSE none.
Moran—Say, I've been thinking.
Mack—YOSE been thinain'?
Moran—Yes, I been THINKIN'.
Mack—WHAT with?

Oklahoma City Guards Against Ruthless Drilling in New Field

While a Few Small Operators Hold Choice Spots, Big Companies Are in Control and Will Use Caution

Special to The Record News

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 9.—Oklahoma City's new oil field is offering a spectacle virtually unheard of before in the world of petroleum.

With a prolific production area seemingly assured, major operators already are taking steps to hold drilling to a minimum and avoid glutting a market that for many months has been sadly overtaxed. By this decision the operators are winning the plaudits of the Mid-Continent field oil fraternity and at the same time are creating a paradox in oil field procedure.

Instances are numerous where flush production has been curtailed as a drastic move to stabilize the industry. The Panhandle and West Texas areas are notable examples in the Lone Star state. In Oklahoma, after the fabulous sands at Seminole had flooded prices to rock bottom, greedy drillers choked on the torrents they had created and submitted to an umpire's dictates to stem the tide. But in both of these cases, wells had run wild and a mad development race had followed the discovery tests before saner counsels prevailed.

New Field Differs

It is here the Oklahoma City field differs. For despite the enthusiasm engendered by a 5,000-barrel wildcat gusher six miles from the city hall, it was evident Friday that there would be no lurid fight to reach the deep sand found by the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil and Foster Petroleum companies' No. 1. It was this test which blew in with a bang last Tuesday and which is now shut in for lack of storage. A 200-barrel per hour output of 42 gravity crude was credited to the well before I. T. I. O. executives abandoned tankage construction operations in despair. They locked the valves and have thrown away the key until ample tanks or a pipeline is ready. No definite decision has yet been reached.

Just how rigid the conservation program here will prove is still a matter of speculation. It is absurd, of course, to think that the field will not be exploited immediately. Locations for new tests already have been made. But the men and companies who really control the destiny of the field have their leased largely sewed up, and most of them have subscribed to an agreement to use the brakes liberally. Most if not all of the major operators are expected to make locations and spud in within the next few days, but these same operators have agreed to drill only one well in each 40-acre tract in the district as the first crop of tests. Each well will be placed in the center of the unit.

Conservation in Control

While the big boys were reaching this agreement two small operators—Hall and Briscoe, pioneer operators in the Chickasha district, blew into town, bought a 60-acre lease and ordered material moved in. They paid $25,000 for a tract two miles north and two miles west of the I. T. I. O. discovery well.

Doubtless other smaller operators will follow Hall and Briscoe, but offset acreage on the proven unit was long ago gobbled up, and men bound by the conservation pledge control virtually all of the desirable tracts. These operators include the I. T. I. O. company which has approximately 6,000 acres. Others with choice blocks, some large and some small, are Ramsey Petroleum, Frank Buttrum, Coline Oil, Shell Petroleum (Roxana), Tom Slick, Inc., Foster Petroleum, Anderson-Prichard Oil and various concerns in which Wirt Franklin is the dominant figure. Of these, the Ramsey and Coline interests now have locations and will begin active drilling immediately.

While the agreement to limit each 40-acre tract to one central test is the chief guard against a wild campaign at present, the operators also are understood to have discussed how many wells shall go down in the entire area. No official announcement was made on this phase, but additional meetings are scheduled and it is expected still further curbs will be adopted.

In the forefront of all activity in the Oklahoma City territory is the Anderson-Pritchard Oil corporation which operates a refinery at Wichita Falls as well as at Colorado, Texas, and Cyril, Okla. Anderson-Pritchard, it is understood, has spotted more leased acreage than any other company and is in line for highly remunerative development. Officials of the company, however, will proceed cautiously and in accord with the conservative policies of the other major operators.

Thus Oklahoma City is seeking to reassure the industry at large that even though another vast reservoir has been tapped, overproduction will not weight prices. The Oklahomans have learned, as have the Texans and Kansans and others, that there is no profit in a commodity for which there is no market.

TODAY'S RADIO PROGRAM

MONDAY, DEC. 10
(By The Associated Press)

Programs in central standard time. All times is p. m. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

288.9—KYW Chicago—1020
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
6:00—Orchestra; Play
7:00—Voice of Firestone; Disco
8:00—Orchestra; Real Folks
9:00—Lesser Figures, Nube Allen
10:00—News; Slumber Music
11:00—Orchestra; Insomnia Club

344.6—WENR Chicago—870
5:00—Air Scouts
7:15—Farmer Rusk
11:00—Feature Program (3 hours)

416.4—WGN Chicago—720
6:00—Quin; Nighthawks; Almanak
7:00—Radio Floorwalker
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—Family Party
9:30—Recital
10:00—Features; Popular (2 hours)

447.5—WMAQ Chicago—670
5:15—Tipsy Turvy; Orchestras
7:00—WOR Programs (3 hours)
10:15—Concert Orchestra
11:00—Dance Music (3 hours)

476.9—WLW Cincinnati—700
7:00—Prof. Kyrock; Organ
7:30—Duo Discs; W. L. & W.
8:30—Real Folks; Dances Wild
9:30—Orchestra; Slumber Hour
11:00—Dance Music (1½ hours)

389.9—WTAM-WEAR Cleveland—1070
7:00—Musical Program
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—Family Theater
9:30—Dance Music (2 hours)

306.9—WCX-WJR Detroit—1200
7:30—Duo Discs
8:00—Orchestra
8:30—Real Folks
9:00—Orchestra; Carnival Capers
10:00—Amos-Andy; News; Dance
10:30—Slumber Music

285.9—WWJ Detroit—920
6:30—Orchestra; Shoe Prince
7:30—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—Family Party
9:30—National Grand Opera

288.5—WOWO Ft. Wayne—1160
9:00—WOR Program

491.5—WDAF Kansas City—610
6:00—School of Air; Ensemble
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—General Motors Party
9:30—Sunny Jim
11:45—Nighthawks

483.6—WTMJ Milwaukee—620
6:00—Organ; Orchestra; Features
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Musical Programs
8:30—Family Party
10:05—Jack Turner; Dance
11:00—Turner Club; Dance

370.2—WCCO Minneapolis-St. Paul—810
6:30—Dinner Concert
7:00—Music
7:30—Couriers; Orchestra
8:30—Music
9:30—Hamline University
10:05—Walter Mallory

508.2—WOW Omaha—590
6:00—Theater Artists; Studio
7:00—WEAF Program
8:30—Family Party
9:30—National Grand Opera

548.1—KSD St. Louis—550
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Gypsies
8:30—Family Party
9:30—National Grand Opera

508.4—WSTP St. Paul—1460
7:00—Melody Musketeers
8:00—Musical; Meadowlarks
9:00—Highlights of Light Opera
11:15—Symphony Orchestra
11:30—Musical Feature

265—KVOO Tulsa—1140
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Symphony Orchestra
8:30—Family Party

SOUTHERN

468.5—WSB Atlanta—640
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
6:00—Orchestra
6:30—Roxy and His Gang
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Feature Programs
8:30—Family Party
10:45—Pi Kappa Phi Birthday

374.8—WFAA Fort Worth—800
6:00—Organ; Seven Aces
7:00—Musical Programs
8:00—Piano; Ramblers

374.8—KTHS Hot Springs—800
9:00—KTHS Orchestra
10:00—News; Baritone
10:20—Violin and Piano
11:00—Specialties

315.9—KPRC Houston—950
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
7:00—Feature
8:00—Studio; Family Party
10:05—Amos and Andy

238—WJAX Jacksonville—1260
6:00—Trio; Dinner Music
7:00—Voice of Firestone

256.6—WHAS Louisville—837
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
7:00—WEAF Program
7:30—Studio Concert
8:30—Family Party
9:30—National Grand Opera

461.3—WSM Nashville—650
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
6:10—Ensemble; Newscasting
6:30—Roxy and His Gang
7:00—Voice of Firestone
7:30—Studio; Orchestra
8:30—Family Party
9:30—Vocal and Orchestra

285—WOAI San Antonio—1190
5:30—Sport Talk for Boys
7:00—Voice of Firestone
8:30—Family Party

WESTERN

261.3—KOA Denver—850
7:00—Voice of Firestone; Duo
8:00—Musical Pirates
8:30—Family Party
9:30—G. E. Hour
10:30—Musical Programs

405.2—KFI Los Angeles—640
6:00—Male Quartet; Family Party
9:00—NBC Programs
11:00—Symphonet
12:00—Concert Orchestra

336.6—KNX Los Angeles—1050
9:00—Theater Program
9:30—One Act Play
10:00—Musical Program
11:00—Feature Hour

379.5—KGO Oakland—790
8:00—Popular; Family Party
9:30—Social Ensemble
10:00—Symphonists
11:00—Studio; G. E. Hour

Special sale on mirrors at Decorators, 923 Scott.—Adv.

Nothing but pleasure attaches to the thought of the approach of Christmas when you know the Shop-o-scope will help you to make all your preparations.—Adv.

PUBLIC FARM SALE

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—H. S. Caesar, pioneer farmer residing 16 miles north of Frederick in Kiowa county, was in the city last week making arrangements for his public sale to be held next Tuesday. He has leased his 320-acre school land and expects to leave soon with his family for Southern California where several near relatives reside.

Special sale on mirrors at Decorators, 923 Scott.—Adv.

Health And Diet Advice



By DR. FRANK McCOY

Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

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

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Apples—Good Winter Fruit

Almost a thousand varieties of apples have been derived from the parent of them all, the crab, or wild apple. Apples may be cultivated in most of the coal temperate zones of the world, and seem to thrive wherever the oak tree grows.

In the early New England days this fruit was valued chiefly because of its cider products, but with our modern methods of refrigeration apples can now be preserved and eaten raw throughout the year.

It is estimated that the apple crop this year in the United States will be 178,000,000 bushels, fully 33 1-3 per cent over the 1927 crop.

A good ripe apple digests quickly, only about ninety minutes being required, but unless the apple has been masticated thoroughly it has a tendency to ferment internally, producing gas.

During the fall and winter months, when apples are so plentiful, it is a good plan to take an exclusive apple diet for a few days, eliminating all other foods, but eating whenever apples are desired. An apple may be taken every two or three hours, or they may be eaten three times daily in place of the regular meals, when two or three apples can be used at a time. An apple may also be eaten each night before retiring if not too close to the evening meal. If taken this way it is a valuable aid to over-coming constipation.

Apples contain from 10 per cent to 15 per cent of fruit sugar, a small amount of protein, and are especially rich in potassium sodium, nitrogen and iron salts, which contribute to the building of bones and the enrichment of blood. The malic acid of the apple is in a negligible quantity, so apples may be considered in the sub-acid class.

Applesauce

Applesauce should be prepared without the addition of sugar. It is quite sweet if cooked without water in a thick aluminum pan. The apples should be thinly sliced, and the pan should have a closed fitting lid and be placed over a slow fire. This makes an excellent dessert to be used either with a protein meal or with breakfast. Baked apples should be likewise cooked in an aluminum pan and no sugar or water added.

Applesauce Drink

One cup of finely mashed applesauce, one pint of milk, and a level tablespoonful of honey. Shake well and serve cold. This may be used as a meal by itself when one does not feel especially hungry.

Apple and Spinach Soup

Use two bunches of spinach, washed and finely chopped, four apples peeled and sliced, three cups of water. Boil these ingredients in a covered pan for about twenty minutes. When cooked add three lumps of butter and serve. This recipe may be used with a meat meal, but should not be used with starches.

Beets and Apples

Select two bunches of very small beets. Peel them and cut into slices. Clean the tops, chop, and add to the beets. Boil for about 25 minutes, then add four apples peeled and sliced and boil for five minutes longer. Add four tablespoonfuls of butter and serve.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Facial Paralysis

Question: Mrs. O. J. writes: "The left side of my face seems to be partially paralyzed. I can move the muscles of the eye, cheek and lips with great difficulty. Can I do anything for this condition?

Answer: You can surely be cured under the right treatment with a diet and physiotherapy, but there are so many factors to be considered in each individual case that space does not permit me to fully answer your question in this column.

Ulcers in Mouth

Question: Reader asks: "Why is it I get ulcers in my mouth after eating citrus fruit such as oranges, lemons, etc? I am in perfect health, bowel movement twice, sometimes three times a day.

Answer: The mouth ulcers come from over-acidity of the stomach, which is temporarily made worse by the use of acid fruit. Paradoxical as it may seem, the best cure for this tendency to a sore mouth is to take a citrus fruit fast for a week or two, living exclusively on oranges or grapefruit with plenty of water and no other fruit. This fast actually cuts down the stomach acidity after a few days and the cure is permanent if no bad food combinations are used from that time on, as inharmonious mixture of food is apparently the one important cause of over-acidity of the gastric juice.

Rickets

Question: K. G. asks: "What is the cause of rickets in children? Could syphilis or any other disease in the parents be the cause?

Answer: Rickets is caused by a lack of proper alkalinity in the blood, and can be cured by the use of green vegetables, wholewheat and milk. The disease you mention can be a contributing cause to the production of systemic acidosis.

FAVORITE JOKES OF FAMOUS FOLK

As Told by Them to FRANK E. NICHOLSON

By LEW FIELDS

Lew Fields, the "friendly enemy" of Joe Weber, got to the head of the comedian class about a half century ago. He romped all over the boards with Weber in countless hits. The team is but a happy memory today, though Fields is still producing and gagging in Broadway musical comedies.



LEW FIELDS

"Tittelbaum," said Mr. Fields, "took Schimmel to the country club for a game of golf. On the way out Mr. Tittelbaum asked Mr. Schimmel what kind of a game he played. 'Well,' said Schimmel, 'not so good, about 79, I suppose.'

"'What!' whatted Mr. Tittlebaum, '79, you say? Why, that's wonderful! How long have you been playing golf?'

"'Oh, just a few months.'

"'And you scored 79—yeh?'

"'Last time I played.'

"'Marvelous—and the time before that, what did you score?'

"'Seventy-nine.'

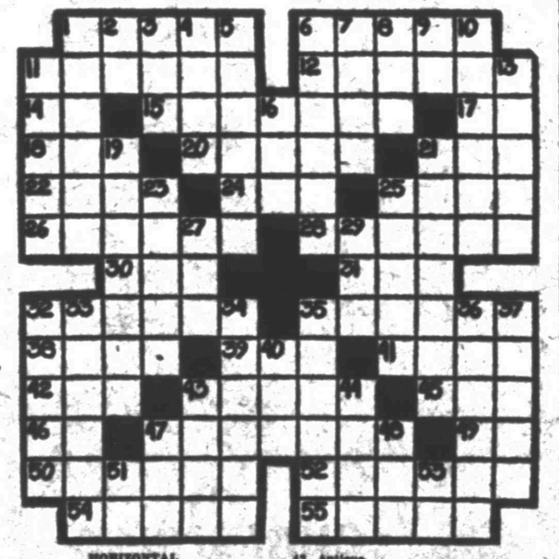
"'What—only been playing a few months and score 79 twice in succession! Marvelous. Say, how do you do it, Schimmel?'

"'It's easy, Tittlebaum. I play and play—I take it easy—keep my head down—arm stiff—take my time—and when I reach 79—I just stop playing—that's all.'"

Lew Fields

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL

1. A famous singer.
6. A month.
11. Idea.
12. Installed in chair.
14. While.
15. Succession of sovereigns.
17. To depart.
18. A dessert.
20. Shoe bottoms.
21. Kind of dog.
22. Affection.
24. Still.
25. Arrived here.
28. Oscillates.
29. Minute seeds.
30. Scotch for "no."
31. River island.
32. Colloquial: association football.
35. Mischievous.
36. Hard.
38. Tuba.
41. Britain:
42. Antique.
43. To play, as on a stringed instrument.
45. Drunkard.
46. Toward.
47. Railroad tie.
48. Prefix: again.
50. Concealed sharpshooter.
53. Types of airplanes.
54. Chews.
55. Horse.

VERTICAL

1. Russian city.
2. French for "and."
3. Cover.
4. Youths.
5. Venus.
6. Available property.
7. Fondles.
8. Beam.
9. Pronoun.
10. Fruit of bean family.
11. Spikes.
13. Former Venetian rulers.
16. Malt beverage.
19. Sheet.
21. Social gatherings.
23. Make into law.
25. Head dresses.
27. Turn to right.
29. Crony.
32. Dote.
33. Dairy tax.
34. Those who estimate values.
35. Breaks forth.
36. Put away safely.
37. Abominates.
40. Wrath.
42. Killed.
44. Danish flesh.
47. Watering place.
49. To regret.
51. Within.
52. To exist.

(This puzzle took 21 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.)

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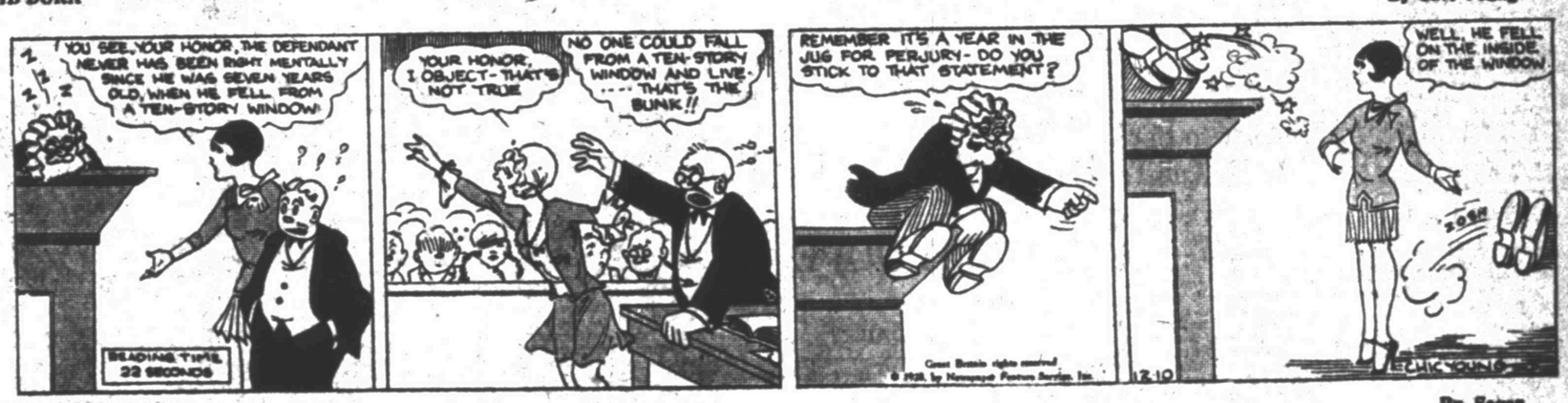
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THE NEBBS By Sol Hess



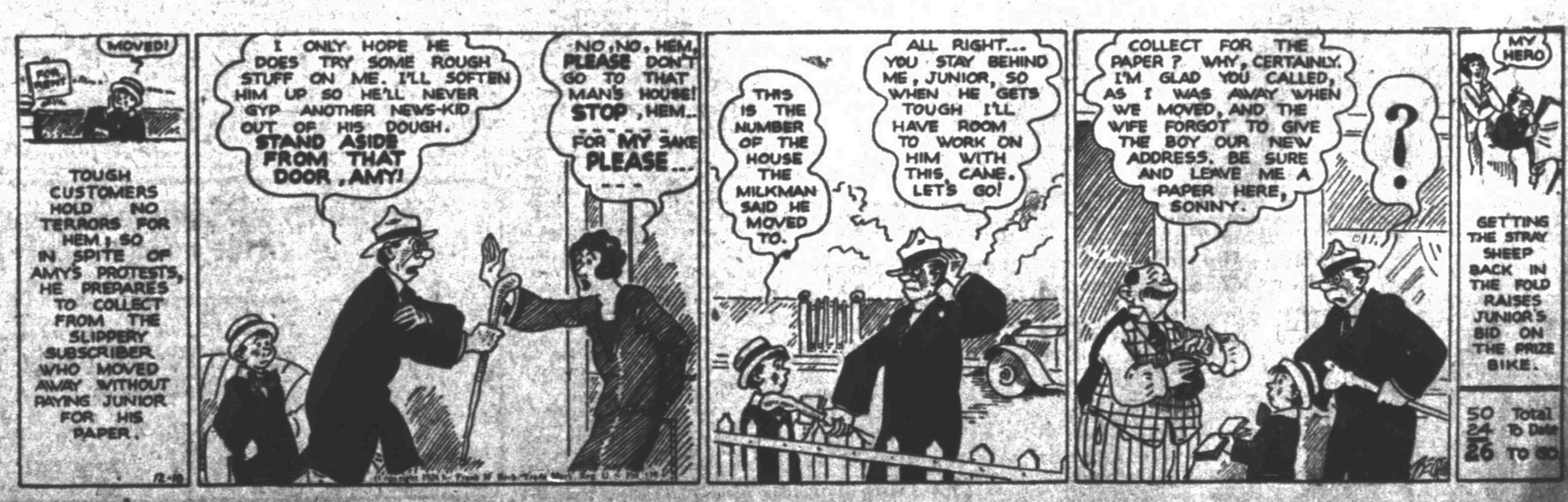
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THIMBLE THEATER By Segar



GAS BUGGIES By Frank Beck



LEGISLATION ON FORWARD PASS MAY OCCUPY GRID SOLONS

OTHER CHANGES IN CODE LIKELY

Rule-Makers Face Problems When They Convene

By GEORGE KIRKSEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—The forward pass threatens to occupy most of the attention of the football rules committee when it meets this winter.

Many coaches gathered here for the Army-Stanford game were outspoken in their views that the pass should be curbed. One coach suggests that a penalty of two yards be imposed for each incomplete forward pass. Another believes the penalty for the second incomplete pass in a series of downs should be increased from five to ten yards.

Despite the attitude of the rules committee not to make any essential changes in the game, there may be enough pressure brought to bear on the members to legislate against the promiscuous use of the pass.

Another angle on the forward pass is that the game is slowing up and losing interest as a result of a team throwing passes helter-skelter in the last half. The Army-Stanford game was a good case in point. The Army eleven found itself behind in the final half and threw passes all over the field.

Promiscuous Passing

When Cagle dropped back to pass he sometimes ran around for minutes from one side of the field to the other before throwing the ball. There was no timing, accuracy or precision to the Army's overhead game.

Many teams finding they are behind going into the last half think the proper thing to do is to throw passes in all directions, and the outcome is that a game of football is turned into basketball. One perfectly executed pass has more kick to it than a dozen of those hurried, hope-it-connects kind. The Niemiotto-O'Brien pass for a touchdown over the goal line in the Army-Notre Dame game was one of the gems of the season. O'Brien was saved all season for one play. Every man on the Notre Dame team knew his job on that play and he did it.

Many touchdowns have been lost in big games this season because of a slip here or there. In the Army-Stanford game Army lost a probable touchdown when two eligible receivers reached for the ball on Stanford's 3-yard line. One man touched the ball and then the other caught it. Either was eligible, but after one man touched it he was the only one eligible to complete the catch. Missouri lost a touchdown against New York university when the receiver completed a pass outside the end zone.

Other Changes Suggested

Another suggestion to curb wild passing late in a game is to encourage attempts at field goals by increasing the value of a field goal to four or five points. In this way, two field goals would count more than one touchdown.

Much discussion is still heard about the position of the goal posts 10 yards behind the goal line. Most of the opposition to the present position of a goal post seems to come from the spectators, as the coaches at the last rules meeting all went on record as favoring their position behind the goal line.

A move to make "it one game of 60 minutes" has been started among many football men. They point out that football is played in two games of 30 minutes each under the present rules. By having the ball put in play at the start of the second half at the spot where play was halted at the end of the first half, many tie games would be eliminated. Another suggestion to prevent tie games is to play an extra period of five minutes or more.

Baer Facts

By ARTHUR "BUGS" BAER

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NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The Nobel peace prize for 1928 will not be awarded this year.

President Coolidge almost got it. In fact, the committee had Cal all measured for a holding halo when Cal ups and orders 15 tough cruisers.

A man who buys his cruisers in habit-forming quantities is not the man to jingle peace medals.

The municipal prize will not be awarded to Chicago, a town that has achieved the peace that passeth all understanding.

Neither will the individual citation be plastered on the handsomest participant in a Nicaraguan revolution.

Ching Long, the renowned Chinese bandit, almost got a majority of votes. Only one vote got away from Ching Long. And that was because Chin's rifle jammed.

Looking over the roster of belligerent eligibles you can see that logical candidates are scarcer than Zeppelin hangars.

The prize would have been Cal's if it hadn't been for those 15 cruisers.

No man in the world makes a radio program quite so peaceful as Cal.

No dignity can indite a gentler valedictory or hogtie and throw a docile national budget.

And of all the Pilgrims who tagged Plymouth Rock, Cal is the only one who is still on the Mayflower.

The Mayflower was the boat that lost Cal the prize. The committee refused to believe that Mr. Coolidge was ordering 15 more yachts.

So this will be an off-year in the Nobel peace business. The committee requires a vacation in order to regain its health.

While awarding the 1925 medal, the committee was seriously injured in the struggle.

Not one member of the committee escaped bruises and rips in the 1927 scramble.

And everybody remembers way back in 1900 when the choice lay between Teddy Roosevelt and the Kaiser.

That was the year Teddy called up Wilhelm in reference to the peace prize and offered to fight him for it.

New Spudder



Fred Red Bennett is the young man who next season will be assigned the difficult task of succeeding Tom Jenkins as Spudder left fielder. Bennett was recently purchased by J. Alvin Gardner, Wichita Falls club president, from the Milwaukee club of the American association. Bennett had never played for Milwaukee but pastimed the past two seasons with the Tulsa Oilers in the Western league. He batted .371 last season.

21 Frog Gridders Awarded Letters

Seven Christians End College Grid Careers

FORT WORTH, Dec. 9 (AP)—Award of letters to 21 members of the 1928 Texas Christian university football squad was announced today by Dr. E. W. McDiarmid, chairman of the athletic council.

Men winning the varsity "T" are: Ends—Clyde Roberson of Duke, Okla.; Othol Martin of Jacksboro, Ralph "Buster" Walker of Cleburne, Bob Alexander of Jayton, and Howard Baxter of Dallas. Tackles—Jake Williams of Fort Worth, Robert "Red" Moore of Graham and Milford "Buck" Barr of Kaufman. Guards—Lester "Mike" Brumbelow of Jacksboro, Fain Reynolds of Aledo, Ivor Reid of Sherman and Phil Handler of Fort Worth. Center—Noble Atkins of Crystal Falls.

Backs—Merlin Toler of Sweetwater, Cecil "Buzz" Morgan of San Angelo, Jim "Red" Eddleman of Weatherford, Harry Akers of Tyler, Ody Thompson of Fort Worth, Cy Leland of Lubbock and Fort Worth, Austin Griffith of Mansfield and Howard Grubbs of Kemp.

Wyne Shirley was awarded a business manager letter.

Thirteen of the letter men are eligible for another year of play. Those who have played out their time are Akers, Eddleman, Williams, Morgan, Thompson, Toler, Reynolds and Alexander.

Sharkey to Battle Art DeKuh Tonight

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (US)—With the Rene de Vos-Ace Hudkins fight postponed to Dec. 21, and the show scheduled for the garden tomorrow night called off, the eyes of the boxing world turn to Boston, where Jack Sharkey returns to the ring tomorrow night.

Generally regarded as the logical successor of James Joseph Tunney, Sharkey will start an active campaign for the vacant heavyweight championship against Arthur de Kuh, the Brooklyn Italian. It will be Sharkey's first appearance since he was injured while training in this city three months ago.

Terrible Sharkey Man To Battle for Rickard

BOSTON, Dec. 9. (UP)—Tex Rickard completed arrangements today with Johnny Buckley, manager of Jack Sharkey, for the Boston sailor to engage in four bouts under Rickard's promotion.

Sharkey will meet K. O. Christener, Akron heavyweight, in January; Tom Heeney in February; Paolino Uzcudun in March; and Jack Dempsey in June at Yankee stadium, if the former champion returns to the ring.

Buckley also agreed to let Sharkey meet George Godfrey, the Leiperville negro heavyweight, if the public wants the match.

Quitaque Men Attend Silverton Lions' Meet

Special to The Record News

QUITAQUE, Texas, Dec. 9.—Jack Seale, O. C. Arthur, P. P. Rumph, G. S. Dowell and Claude Holley, attended a luncheon at Silverton Tuesday afternoon, with 21 members of the newly organized Lions club. Mr. Seale acted as chairman of the meeting. G. S. Powell delivered a very interesting talk to the newly organized body and spoke along the line of dairying and poultry.

Mr. Seale states that the Lions club at Silverton is now in line for some good work, as they have a very efficient set of officers.

Quitaque Gin Adds New Cleaning Machinery

Special to The Record News

QUITAQUE, Texas, Dec. 9.—W. H. McMurray who has erected a building and installed the latest machinery for cotton hull extractors, states that his plant is now ready for cleaning cotton and extracting the burrs from cotton.

Picture frames at Decorators.—Adv.

Rookwood pottery, Decorators.—Adv.

GEORGIA TECH TOPS GRIDIRON

Tornadoes Rank As Foremost of All Teams

By WILLIAM J. DUNN

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—The end of the regularly scheduled football season finds Georgia Tech on top of the gridiron world.

Bill Alexander's eleven, with a smashing forward wall revolving around Captain Fund, all-American center, and a backfield including such stars as Mizell, Lumpkin and Thomason was easily the outstanding team of the year.

They Trim Georgia

With a 20 to 6 victory over their traditional rivals from Georgia university on Saturday, the Yellow Jackets finished the regular season of the Southern conference, without having been beaten or tried. Only two other elevens in the entire country Boston college in the East and Detroit in the Mid-West, came through with equally good records and there is no comparison between these teams and Georgia Tech when their respective schedules are considered.

Before 35,000 spectators on Saturday, Alexander's eleven, with its star back, Mizell, unfit for action, came from behind irresistibly to win by two touchdowns, after an early score by Georgia had provided a thorough scare for Tech and made it look for a moment or two as though the engineers were going to succumb in the last big upset of the year.

They Face California

Tech's forward line charged so brilliantly that Georgia's backfield could not get started, while the tackling of the Southern champions was deadly. So able were the forwards in this respect that only once did a Tech wing back get a chance to make a tackle

National championships no longer are awarded in intercollegiate football, but Georgia Tech has the best record for 1928, and if the Yellow Jackets can beat the University of California's powerful eleven in the tournament of roses game at Pasadena on New Year's day, even the Far West will yield the season's laurels to Bill Alexander.

BIG TEN FIVES OPEN SEASONS

Conference Quintets Beaten In Practice Games

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (UP)—Three Big Ten basket ball fives, Indiana, Ohio State and Minnesato, got off to bad starts in week-end practice games in which they were defeated by teams outside the conference.

Iowa, Chicago and Northwestern were victorious in their first starts of the season, each showing the expected strength.

Possibly the biggest upset Saturday night, was Indiana's defeat by Washington university of St. Louis. Washington took the game by only one point, 31 to 30, but the defeat of last year's conference champions on which there are seven veteran players, was entirely unexpected.

Ohio State's quintet was not regarded highly before their game with Ohio Wesleyan Saturday but they had been expected to make a better showing. The Wesleyan five won, 36 to 20.

Minnesota handicapped by a heavy ineligibility list battled North Dakota to the final whistle but lost, 24 to 23.

DAILY DOPE

By LARRY DAILEY

GEORGIA TECH is football champion of the South. The Golden Tornado won that honor last Saturday by defeating Georgia, while Florida was succumbing to Tennessee, the last upset of the season. Tech's 20-6 win over Georgia was impressive; it was a continuation of the unbeaten and untied record of the Tornadoes which entitles them to foremost ranking, not only in the South, but as claimants to the national championship.

Tennessee showed great power in beating Florida by the margin of a point after touchdown, 13 to 12. Tennessee has not been defeated, but a scoreless tie with Kentucky mars the claim of the Vols to rank with Georgia Tech as leader of Southern football. Florida had been undefeated and untied and was figured as likely to beat Tennessee, but pregame forecasts gave the 'Gators no great edge.

ALABAMA defeated Louisiana State, 13 to 0, and North Carolina outscored Duke, 14 to 7, in other important Southern games. Tulsa trounced Haskell Indians, 27 to 6. Marquette and Creighton fought a grueling battle, as was to be expected, a contest postponed from three or four weeks ago. Creighton won, 9 to 6, and thus the collegiate grid season is ended.

CANZONERI BOXES SINGER

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—Tony Canzoneri, former featherweight champion, will replace Johnny Dundee as an opponent for Al Singer at Madison Square garden, Dec. 14, matchmaker Tom McCardle announced today. The New York State Athletic commission ruled Dundee an unsuitable opponent for Singer and suggested Canzoneri in his place.

STRIBLING MEETS SEKYRA

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—Joe Sekyra, Dayton heavyweight, was signed today to meet young Stribling of Georgia at Madison Square garden Dec. 26. He recently defeated K. O. Christner, conqueror of Knute Hansen.

Rookwood pottery, Decorators.—Adv.

Look out through the Shop-o-scope from your own fireside at the Christmas gift displays and the Christmas gift displays and make your choice at home.—Adv.

Steers Hurdle Handicaps



Two of Texas' stars were out of many big games because of injuries but Coach Clyde Littlefield kept his squad ahead of the field. It was the Longhorns' first title in eight years. Captain King, Shelley and Sewell were big factors in the Texas victory.

DALLAS, Dec. 9. (AP)—For the first time since 1920 the orange-hued standard of Texas university has been hoisted in triumph in the Southwest conference after a season of uncertainty as to what the final outcome of the gridiron race would be.

On the result of the Texas-A. & M. college game on Thanksgiving day hinged the Longhorns' fate, but their 19 to 0 victory over the foe they have met for 34 years shattered any claim that others might have made to the mythical championship.

A loss would have given Arkansas university, with three victories and one setback, the title. Texas finished its schedule by trouncing five conference foes and dropping one contest to Southern Methodist—a 2 to 0 defeat.

In an intersectional tilt early in the year the newly-crowned king of Southwest gridirons was beaten by Vanderbilt, 13 to 12.

Included in the list of opponents this year were St. Edwards university, Texas Technological university, Arkansas, Rice institute, Baylor and Texas Christian university.

The team did not outdistance others without its share of injuries that stalked every other squad in the conference from early October until the final clashes of the year. Dexter Shelley, a sophomore triple-threat back, saw no action in two crucial games of the season due to hurts and Wray, the squad's outstanding center, was on the bench much of the year for the same cause.

Great reserve strength asserted itself when troubles beset the team and this factor figured largely in the squad's success.

Captain Rufus King, fullback; Gordy Brown, hailed as one of the greatest tackles this season has yet produced, and Shelley were contributors to much of the gridiron glory.

Clyde Littlefield, head coach, served his second season at the post. He formerly guided the destiny of freshman elevens at the university.

Boston Garden More Magnificent Than New York Sports Auditorium

Rickard And Others of Gotham Interested in Hub Palace; Tacks Hardwick Foremost Figure in New Emporium

By DAMON RUNYON

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NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Boston's garden out-gardens the garden. Or does that sound a trifle mixed up?

What I mean to say is that the new auditorium in the city of culture, known as the Boston Garden, and modelled after the Madison Square Garden in New York, is a finer structure than the model.

Why do they call 'em gardens, do you ask?

Well, the answer is that many, many years ago some brow built a place that he called the garden. Maybe he raised pig's knuckles, or other vegetables there. I don't know. Anyhow, human originality couldn't go beyond that name, as you can plainly see.

So we had the original Madison Square Garden near Madison Square, and now the new Madison Square Garden, which isn't within a mile of Madison Square. And why they didn't call Boston's garden Madison Square Garden is something I cannot explain. The fact that there isn't any Madison Square Garden in Boston was surely no obstacle. The great noodles must have been napping.

In any event, there stands Boston's garden, built over the old North Station, that used to be about the dingiest old joint on the North American continent, but which is now taking on a semblance of modern civilization.

Tex The Big Guy

The same corporation that built New York's garden is interested in the Boston garden, with the Hon. George Tex Rickard's name prominently mentioned in connection therewith.

Like the New York garden, the Boston garden was built for boxing, hockey, dancing, shows, bicycle races, rodeos, circuses, and all that sort of thing. It seats about 400 fewer than the New York garden, but it seems better ventilated, has more floor space, and is apparently better arranged inside. The exterior isn't any more imposing than the New York garden, the architectural beauty of which isn't calculated to knock anybody dead.

Tack Hardwick of Harvard, one of the greatest all around football players, in my opinion, that ever wore those cleated brogans, is one of the main blokes in the Boston garden. He is red hot on it, too. When I glare at some of these so-called great football players of today, and think how they would appear 'longside "Tack" Hardwick at his peak, I have to laugh a loud har-har.

Colonel Cary, one of the leading stockholders of New York's garden, is also interested in the Boston garden. He doesn't live in Boston, but I think he has attended every affair held in the garden since the opening a couple of weeks ago, with the possible exception of one or two dances.

Colonel Cary is a picturesque chap, a keen enthusiast on sport, and pretty much all right any way you take him. He has plenty of money, and knows how to enjoy it. There is art in this. A lot of Boston financial big-wigs have their dough in the garden. It won't fail for lack of something to hold it up, anyway.

Mack Is Matchmaker

The matchmaker of the Boston garden is Eddie Mack, a short, bald, voluble, vigorous little chap, who used to do a bit of boxing himself, and who knows the sour science both ways from the jack. He is one of the shiest promoters in the country. He kept the sour science moving in Boston when it was in the doldrums all over the country last summer.

He promoted the Argonne Athletic club, "The Battleground of Action," with a stern admonition to "canvas kissers, palookas, and beezarks" to keep away from him, and gave the clients 50 rounds of boxing for 50 cents. "A penny a round" was his slogan. I have seen expositions of the sour science elsewhere that wasn't worth it.

Eddie Mack operated in the summer at Braves Field, and packed 'em in. He knocked off records for attendance and receipts at his price. He is a corking matchmaker. His fountain pen knows no friend when it comes to signing a match. He wants action for his clients. His success impelled Rickard to take over his entire organization and made Mack the garden matchmaker.

In two shows, Mack packed the premises. He turned away 10,000 with rubbery-blubbery John Risko and Jimmy Maloney at $4.40 tops. A peppery character, with absolutely no fear in him, and a brisk tongue, Eddie Mack says just what he thinks, and generally why. He is a rich card, as we say at the club.

He'll Be the Boss

A man of Eddie Mack's pugnacity and assertiveness would make a success in almost any field. As long as they let him alone, he is apt to produce big returns from the sour science in Boston, and when they don't let alone Eddie Mack will probably be found again blasting away on "The Battleground of Action."

He was a soldier in the late unpleasantness, and he took as the name for his club the scene of his experiences in France. He handles only the boxing in the Boston garden. The other events are delegated to General Manager Fairbanks, an affable young man, who performed the prodigy one night that I was in Boston of putting 15,000 persons in for a dance.

Boston has always been one of the greatest towns in the country for the sour science. It has turned out scores of good fighters. The Sullivan twins, Mike and Jack, Young Donahue, Jimmy Walsh, Sam Langford, Chester Goodwin, the terrible Sharkey man, Jimmy Maloney, Joe Walcott, Al Mello and many others.

But one of the reasons for building the Boston garden is hockey. They expect that to be their big game. They expect hockey to eventually be the chief money-getter for the garden in New York. It is a growing game. It must be a growing game when it becomes one of the leading inducements for financiers to put their money in a structure like the Boston garden.

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FOES OF GRID GAME SILENT

Annual Attack on Football Strangely Missing

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—The annual barrage against football apparently is going to be late in making its appearance this year, if, indeed, it makes its appearance at all.

The football season is over in every section of the country, but not one prominent educator so far as known has scored football as "the evil of the college campus."

Criticizing strenuous sports has ever been a popular fad among those who lead placid lives. Football has been a target for criticism dating as far back as 1583, when "foot balle," a forerunner of the present game was played in England.

Phillip Stubbes in his "Anatomie of Abuses," called "foot balle" more "a bloody and murderous practice, than a sport or pastime."

President Charles Eliot of Harvard, in his annual report of 1895, said of football: "The game of football grows worse and worse as regards foul and violent play and the number of gravity of the injuries which the players suffer. It has become perfectly clear that the game as now played is unfit for college sport."

More recently William Allen White paraphrased the opposition against football by his famous remark, "The tail is wagging the dog"—the tail being football and the dog the college.

The main charge against modern football is "overemphasis." Upwards of 30,000,000 persons paid more than $50,000,000 to see football game played from coast to coast the past season. The Notre Dame eleven alone played to almost a half a million. Pennsylvania drew $465,000. The Army drew almost 400,000. The Army-Navy game at Soldiers Field, Chicago, attracted the largest crowd, 100,000.

Football pays the bills for almost all college sports and encourages athletics for all. The annual report of the University of Pennsylvania illustrates the point. Football receipts at Pennsylvania totaled $926,838.56, and showed a profit of $460,503.56. Out of fifteen other sports, only one other, basketball, showed a profit, and only a mere $24,754.26 in comparison to the large sum realized from football.

Football is no longer considered "a brutal game," in 1906 President Roosevelt called a conference of representatives from Princeton Harvard and Yale to discuss ways and means to preserve the game. Several schools, including Columbia, California and Stanford, temporarily abandoned football at that time.

There are more injuries and deaths caused by football now than in 1906, but this is accounted for by the fact that more players by several times play the game today than did in those days. The percentage of casualties is about the same.

Nineteen deaths were caused by football the past season. This is two more than in 1927 and one less than the highest total in recent years, 20 in 1925.

Football deaths and injuries are due in a large measure to starting men who are not in proper physical condition to stand the hard knocks of the game, according to Keene Fitzpatrick, Princeton trainer.

"The greatest difficulty is that in many schools and colleges scrimmages are started too soon," he said. "The men have not become hardened and cannot stand the battering."

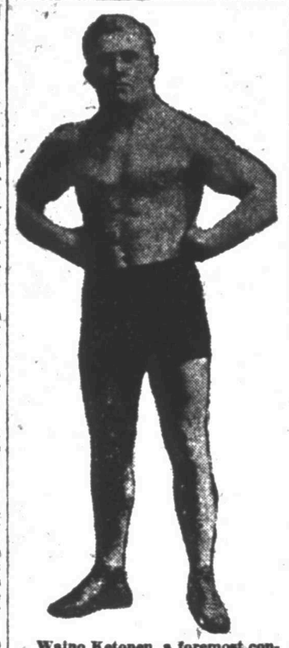
Few of the larger colleges had many casualties the past season. Only three college stars died from football injuries. Miles Fox, Navy halfback, died on Aug. 31, after having been rendered unconscious by a sunstroke in practice the previous day. James Fenton, Holy Cross, died from a spine injury received in practice Sept. 11. Leo Goodreau, Villanova quarterback, died Oct. 2 from a broken neck received four days previous in practice.

Fitzpatrick believes that every boy who plays football should be required to submit to a physical examination and that conditioning exercises should be held for a period of two weeks before actual practice is attempted.

U. S. G. A. Meeting Set For Jan. 5 at New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 9. (UP)—The annual meeting of the United States Golf association will be held at the hotel Commodore, New York City, Jan. 5, 1929. The Greens section committee will meet here Jan. 4 and 5.

Wrestles Here



Waino Ketonen, a foremost contender for the world middleweight wrestling championship, will grapple Kala Pasha, a formidable opponent, tonight in the windup of a mat show at 821 Indiana avenue. It will mark Ketonen's return to the mat here after an absence of several months. Pasha recently defeated Joe Parelli here and is the sort of matman to give any of them, even the best like Ketonen, a gruelling setto.

Loughran Enters Ranks of Heavies

Tommy Meets Peterson At Chicago Next Monday

CHICAGO, Dec. 9. (US)—Tommy Loughran, world light heavyweight champion, has finally decided to enter the scramble for the heavyweight title, vacated by the retirement of Gene Tunney.

Loughran will make his first start as a heavyweight a week from Monday night against "Big Boy" Peterson of Minneapolis in the 10-round windup of promoter Mique Malloy's show at the coliseum, it was announced today.

Defies New York Solons

The light heavyweight champion has been wrangling with the New York commission for sometime because of its refusal to permit him to box heavyweights and announced his intentions of today mingling with the big boys in defiance to the Gotham board.

"I'm going to fight heavyweights," he said, "and before another year I think I can demonstrate that I am the rightful successor to Gene Tunney."

Loughran has successfully defended his light heavyweight title four times since he won it in Oct. 1927. Jimmy Slattery, Pete Latzo, and Leo Lomski were the unsuccessful challengers, Lomski being turned back twice.

Pete's Record Good

Peterson holds a newspaper decision over Otto von Porat, achieved in Minneapolis, and is expected to extend the light heavyweight champion. The big boy is a fairly good boxer, is extremely fast for a big man and packs a lot of dynamite in his right hand. In his last start here, he lost to Roberti Roberto on a foul. Many of the spectators contended, however, that the Italian took the easiest way out.

Incidentally, it will be Loughran's first appearance in Chicago since he won the light heavyweight championship.

Texas Junior College Champs Meet Kansans

PARSONS, Kan., Dec. 9. (AP)—Coach George Wells of Parsons Junior college late today announced he had accepted the challenge of the Texarkana Junior college football team, undefeated champion of Texas, for a post-season game at Texarkana Friday, Dec. 14.

The Parsons Cardinals are the undefeated champions of the Kansas Junior college conference. It will be the first time Kansas and Texas junior college teams have met on the gridiron.

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KETONEN WILL GRAPPLE KALA

Famous Waino Back On Mat Here Tonight

Waino Ketonen will return to the mat wars here tonight. The great Finlander, a foremost contender for the world middleweight championship, is to grapple Kala Pasha in the main event of Promoter Alec Ross' show at 821 Indiana avenue.

Ketonen's appearance in a grapple here will bring out all the enthusiasts of the sport. Ross bills him as "the greatest wrestler in the world," and with good reason. Mat fans who saw Ketonen here last winter recall him as a grappler of consummate skill, great in all essentials of the game. Waino is a master of all holds and such an adept on the defense that pinning him is almost an impossibility.

Pasha has also appeared here on several occasions. Kala is a wrestler capable of extending Ketonen and a brilliant match should result.

Teddy Waters and Bulldog Joe Turner, capable grapplers and apparently excellently paired up, figure in the other match.

Both matches will be to a finish—two falls out of three.

Both matches are to be under New York commission rules, which means that the grapplers may employ any tactics they care to resort to, except that the stranglehold is barred and it is against the law to shoot a man.

East Team Named For West Contest

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. (UP)—All but four of the members of the Eastern football eleven which will meet a Western eleven in the annual Shriner's hospital benefit game at San Francisco Dec. 29 have been selected, Andy Kerr, Washington and Jefferson coach, who with Dick Hanley, Northwestern coach, is selecting the team, announced today.

Kerr has selected 11 men from the East and Hanley has selected seven of the remaining 11 from the Middle West. The other four will be selected from the Middle West.

The Eastern squad will assemble at Northwestern university, Evanston, Ill., Dec. 16, and will depart from there to the Pacific coast, arriving in San Francisco two days later. The squad will practice for 10 days.

The middle-western players selected follow: Levison, Northwestern, halfback; Holmer, Northwestern, fullback; Howell, Nebraska, fullback; McMillen, Nebraska, guard; Wagner, Wisconsin guard; Nowack, Illinois, tackle and Raskowiski, Ohio State, tackle.

Ole Miss Schedules 9 Grid Games for 1929

UNIVERSITY, Miss., Dec. 9. (UP)—Mississippi has the following nine games on its 1929 schedule, it was announced today. The schedule:

Sept. 8—Vanderbilt at Nashville.
Oct. 5—Alabama at Tuscaloosa.
Oct. 12—Tennessee at Knoxville.
Oct. 19—Loyola at New Orleans.
Oct. 26—S. M. U. at Dallas.
Nov. 2—Sewanee at Oxford.
Nov. 9—Purdue at Lafayette.
Nov. 16—L. S. U. at Baton Rouge.
Nov. 29—A. & M. at Oxford.

WINS GOLF TITLE

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 7. (UP)—Mrs. Harry Maxwell, Spring Lake, N. J., defeated Miss Helen Waring, Pinehurst, today in the eighth annual Carolina tournament for women to win the championship trophy.

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CLAIRVOYANT, phrenologist, reader. 911 Seventh. Phone 2-4760.

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5. LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED from More hotel, one German police pup, four months old. Reward. Phone 2-1128.

LOST—Small brown leather grip, with doctor's instruments, on Lake road. Dr. Fred Goss, Texas Hotel. Reward.

LOST—Black-tan hound dog, medium size, both ears split, 6 miles down big Wichita. Phone 4173. Kenneth Eschman. Reward.

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9. FEMALE HELP WANTED

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SETTLED white or colored woman for general housework; references required. 1912 Eighth.

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UNFURNISHED 3-room duplex apartment. Vacant 15th. 1204 Broad.

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UNFURNISHED five-room house, on pavement bus line, garage. 2113 Eighth.

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NEWLY DECORATED 6-room, modern house, storm cellar, double garage, near Alamo school, on Tenth street. 3024-3278.

MOVING to California immediately; 7-room furnished duplex for rent, $30; close in; piano, sewing machine. 1405 Fifth.

FOR RENT—Four-room modern house, 1006 Fifth street; $15. Phone 5374.

STOP THAT RENT
$3,000. Move in and pay out like rent. New five-room modern house with garage, close to Harwise school. 404 Waco street. Phone owner, 8732.

MODERN five-room residence, located 2010 Polk. Hendrick, phone 9092.

SEVEN-ROOM house, double garage, desirable location, Alamo school district. Phone 5397 or 2-1863.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern furnished house 904 Fourth street. Apply Live Oak creamery, corner Travis and Fourth.

22. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR RENT OR LEASE

FOR LEASE—Store building in Marchman hotel, reasonable rent. Call O. F. Marchman, 4440-8171.

FOR RENT—Large upstair hall, dandy location, for recreation or amusement hall, skating rink or a swell cafeteria. 813½ Scott. Mack Thomas building.

FOR RENT—Brick building, 45x150, on M.-K.-T. trackage. McConnell Bros., phone 5723.

FOR RENT—Store and filling station and 4-room residence, 5 acres of land, across from Fort Worth & Denver railroad. Will rent entire place for $40 per month. See M. Blank, 622 Seventh street, at Grand Leader.

FOR RENT—Jan. 1, store building now occupied by Ripley-Jones Music Co., 814 Scott avenue, 25x80 feet. Will rent all or cut into and rent part. Mack Thomas.

29. FURNITURE FOR SALE

FOUR GOOD washing machines in good condition, to trade for good used furniture. Patton mattress and Furniture Co. 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

30. FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Child's scooter, one handsome overcoat, both practically new. Very reasonable. Call 3654.

FOR SALE—Plaster board, $3.50 per 100 feet. Texas Lumber Co., Inc. Phone 4443.

FOR SALE—¼x6 white pine siding, $2.50 per 100 feet. Texas Lumber Co., Inc. Phone 7427.

FOR SALE—Field posts, 20c each; select posts, 25c each. The Texas Lumber Co. Inc. Phone 4443.

FOR SALE—Duroc bred sows and gilts; also four good rams. Cash or time. Pecan Park Stock Farm, one mile southwest Iowa Park.

SINGER HEMSTITCHING machine in excellent condition. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co. 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

FOR SALE—Child's scooter, man's handsome overcoat; both practically new; very reasonable. Call 3654.

32. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

ORTHOPHONIC Victrola and 27 records. Phone 2-1087; 1504 Westlake.

TWO UPRIGHT and one player piano to exchange for good used furniture. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co. 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

33. RADIOS

CALL RIPLEY-JONES MUSIC CO. for service and repairs on all makes radio sets. Prompt attention and quick service. J. R. Martin, service-repair department. Phone 9475. 814 Scott.

34. WANTED TO BUY

HIGHEST price paid for men's second-hand clothes and handbags. 312 Indiana. Phone 2-4284.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for good used furniture. Doell & Well Furniture Co. 720 Seventh street. Phone 4720.

37. OFFICE SUPPLIES

WE HAVE some good used office desks and tables. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co. 402 Indiana. Phone 9930.

40. SECOND-HAND CLOTHING

EVERY TELEPHONE in Wichita Falls is a branch office of The Daily Times and Record News Classified Department, 4391.

NOTICE—We are wholesaling and retailing and buying secondhand clothing. 1012 Ohio. Phone 2-0297. Mrs. L. J. Glenn.

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41. MACHINERY AND TOOLS

15-30 McCORMICK-DEERING tractor and two plows for sale at bargain; tractor and plows almost new; terms. Phone 4581 or see Charles Veros.

42. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Fresh, gentle jersey milk cow. 1303 North Ninth street.

SIXTY MILCH cows for sale. High grade jersey cattle as you will find anywhere. Age 3 to 7 years. All of them fresh or springers; not worn-out dairy cows. You can buy one or as many as you want. Price reasonable. It will be to your interest to see these cows before you buy. Cattle located on the J. T. Harrell farm on Petrolia road. See or call Baber & Sullivan, 102 Perkins-Snider Bldg., phone 4018, Wichita Falls.

FOR SALE—A car load of springer cows and heifers. Mostly Jerseys, six miles out Petrolia road at Veros Farm.

FOR SALE—One Hineman two-unit milking machine, used five months, in perfect condition; also 17 head of Jersey cows; priced right. J. T. Petre, Henrietta.

44. DOGS

HOSPITAL AND boarding kennel, Henrietta road; general practice. Drs. Lucey & Gardner, phone 4954.

PEDIGREED Boston Terrier puppies just right for Xmas. Select yours now. 2314 Kings Highway, phone 8807.

51. REPAIRING

STOVE REPAIRING, connecting and adjusting. Indiana Stove Works. Phone 2-1358.

52. MOVING AND STORAGE

ALBRIGHT Transfer and Storage company. Prompt, courteous service, expert movers, craters, storage, carload distributors; long distance moving a specialty. Phone 4946—5068.

53. PLUMBING AND HEATING

PLUMBING—All work guaranteed. David Black. Phone 3646.

PLUMBING repairing. Moore Plumbing Co. Phone 6300.

GET A GAS steam radiator and heat your home at a reasonable cost; automatic gas steam radiators gives you steam heat without the expense of a boiler and is the most efficient satisfactory system of heating. Call us today for particulars. We are also headquarters for the best automatic hot water heater on the market. Call North Texas Plumbing Supply Co., 910 Sixth. Phone 6072.

54. SPECIAL NOTICES

ATTRACTIVE gifts at prices that are moderate may be found every day in the Shop-o-scope—the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" column of our classified section. Beginning Dec. 1.

HOGS DRESSED and delivered, whole or half, at 16c per pound. Call phone 6808.

56. DRESSMAKING, SEWING AND MILLINERY

ALBITZ DRESSMAKING SHOP, hemstitching 5c, buttons covered. 406 Tenth Phone 8974.

KIMBERLIN'S—Hemstitching 5c yard. Special prices on dressmaking. Phone 9921.

58. PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

XMAS SPECIAL on paperhanging and painting. Ogletree. Phone 2-1342 or 2-4665.

PAPERHANGING $2.50 room up. Painting estimates free. References. Call Redin, 2-4665.

PAPERHANGING and painting, prices reasonable. Phone Thomas 2-1687.

60. MATTRESS RENOVATING

"INVEST IN REST"
Buy better bedding, mattress renovating a specialty. One-day service, furniture taken in payment. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 9930.

MATTRESS RENOVATING, we call for and deliver same day. Bell Mattress Co. Phone 9412.

62. RUG CLEANING

RUGS CLEANED by most scientific and modern way. Best prices; work guaranteed. Phone 2103 Ponds Laundry and Dry Cleaning company.

EXCLUSIVE RUG cleaning department and special rug cleaning machinery. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 7171. Wichita Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.

63. FINANCIAL

LOANS on city property at low rates with liberal privileges. Slain & Co., 1111 City National building. Dial 3747

FARM, RANCH loans, 5%. Hendricks, 408 Perkins-Snider. Phone 9092.

MONEY—Wilson Credit Co., small loans, confidential. 710½ Ohio.

$1.50 a week pays	$10.00
$2.10 a week pays	15.00
$2.85 a week pays	$20.00
$3.50 a week pays	$25.00

Union Credit Co. 804½ Indiana

$2,500 TO INVEST first lien notes. Call 5353 or 2-2235.

64. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

HAVE PROPOSITION THAT IS PAYING $1,000 month on $1,000 investment. It is an automobile track or road for pleasure known as Ocean Waves or Joy Road. Wish to have other states developed on royalty basis. We are offering you a real opportunity. Phone L. A. Marshall, 8101, for appointment, or write Box 142, Times.

BARBER SHOP for sale or trade, easy terms. Good location. Phone 2-1306.

CAFE FOR SALE at a bargain if sold at once. Small cash payment. Doing good business. Established three years. Phone 2-2177 or 8055.

TERRITORY manager for Wichita Falls district can make big money next few months handling newest sensation; self-illuminated Daylite signs; for delivery cars, trucks, business houses, etc.; outshine electricity; cost nothing to operate; reasonable price; fast seller; strong office cooperation; small investment and ability to put salesmen in district required; quick profits for real worker. Rissus Southwest Service, Athletic building, Dallas, Texas.

BEAUTY PARLOR furniture, supplies and equipment. Cash—easy terms. Catalogue sent. Gibbs Co., 505 North Seventh, St. Louis, Mo.

SERVICE STATION for sale doing good business. Eighteenth and Broad. Phone 2-4313.

65. OIL LAND AND GAS LEASES

FOR SALE or trade 40-acre lease in old Texhoma field; production on two sides. 1519 Fifteenth. Phone 9254.

66. OIL WELL MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE—2,400 feet 6⅝, 20-lb. casing, long collar; 3,200 feet good 4½-lb. tubing and rods. W. D. Cunningham, phone 6062.

FOR SALE—One 5 ⅝" Type F Elliott core drill with 4" connection. Also core pusher and bit breaker practically new, cost $465. Will take $200. Call Rogers, 2-2104.

67. STOCKS AND BONDS

GOOD ROYALTY stock to trade for good automobile. M. W. McGinnis, 306 City National bank building, Wichita Falls, Texas.

68. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

CHEVROLET sedan, like new. 910 Third street. Phone 7304.

1928 CHRYSLER 52-sedan, good condition, priced to sell, $475. J. W. Turnbow, phone 4391.

BUICK MASTER SIX sedan priced to sell. Phone 5661. 52-F-12.

70. AUTOMOBILES FOR EXCHANGE

TWO ROADSTERS in good shape to trade for truck. Call 5650.

SEVEN-PASSENGER Buick sedan to trade for roadster or lighter car. 1405 Fifth.

72. TRUCKS AND TRACTORS

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Ford truck with cab and body. 1510 Fifteenth. Phone 9254.

ONE 15-25 RUMLEY tractor, 1926 model, in splendid condition; will sell or trade at bargain price. J. A. Bell, Archer City.

74. MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES

MOTORCYCLES, new, used, rebuilt, guaranteed. Wichita Cycle Co., 709 Austin. Phone 3232.

80. WELDING

ELECTRIC and acetylene welding. Gunn Welding company, 416 Ohio. Phone 6327.

New Quitaque Pastor Delivers First Sermon

Special to The Record News

QUITAQUE, Texas, Dec. 9.—Rev. E. L. Yeats and family who were recently transferred by the Methodist annual conference, held at Lubbock from Roby pastorate to the Quitaque pastorate, preached his first sermon in the Methodist church here last Sunday. The Rev. W. M. Draper of the Baptist church dismissed his Sunday night services in order for his congregation to her the Rev. Yeats.

Time spent is money saved when you spend it in reading the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" in our Classified section.—Adv.

81. AUTOMOBILE PAINTING

LARGEST, finest, most completely equipped Duco-Dupont refinishing station in Northwest Texas. Wichita Auto Top & Painting Co. F. B. West, manager. Phone 8686-4111; Lamar at Sixth.

83. HOUSES FOR SALE

HAVE TO TAKE modern little home on trade, no use for it. You can own it like rent, at very cheap price; pavement paid. Phone owner, 8040 during business hours.

$400 EQUITY in 6-room house, good location, on pavement; hardwood floors, built-in features; $3,600 balance. $100 cash or trade for car. Box 160 Times.

FOR SALE—Four-room home. Well arranged. Built-in features. Desirable location. Garage. On pavement. Price $3,000. $300 cash; $30 monthly. Phone 8044 for appointment.

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FOR SALE—At bargain, one solid brick house, furnished or unfurnished; located at 1704 Victory street; terms; shown by appointment only. L. W. Tarkington, phone 3965 or 7198.

SEVERAL lovely houses, bargain prices. Ammann & Jordan, owners. Phone 5480.

85. LOTS FOR SALE

YOUR OPPORTUNITY—Select a beautiful residence lot on Bullington and Talunar. Pay as little as $25 monthly, nothing down and own it. Very reasonable price. Talbert & Lundien owners. Phone 6040.

87. BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lot 75x150 feet at 707 Indiana, with good sheet iron building, 50x100 feet. Eight large skylights. This is a valuable piece of property. Will sell at a bargain. Mack Thomas.

88. REAL ESTATE WANTED

I BUY BARGAINS. F. G. Swanson, 409 City National; phone 3248.

100. HOTEL, ROOMING HOUSES

FOR SALE—24-room modern hotel, 815½ Indiana. Phone 2-0145.

101. SUBURBAN TRACTS

FIVE ONE-HALF acres on Iowa Park pavement, cheap. Phone 6271.

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FOR SALE house and small tract improved; will take car in as part payment. F. F. Johnson. Phone 8133.

10 ACRES, clear, 1½ miles from post-office, trade for clear city property. L. H. Franks Realty Co., Brown building, phone 2-2888.

FOR SALE—Five acres or more, north Iowa Park road. See owner on ground. John F. Kiel, Route No. 1.

SERVICE—Put your business before thousands of interested people every day for a few cents each day. Business service firms advertising in these columns reap big dividends on the amount invested. Phone 4391. Just say "Classified." Ask about our special low rate for daily advertising.

102. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Times Publishing Co., Wichita Falls, Texas, will be held in the offices of the company on Tuesday, January 8, 1929, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting. Rhea Howard Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE of stockholders meeting. The annual meeting of stockholders of the Wichita Falls Building and Loan association will be held at the association's office, 908 Eighth street, Wichita Falls, Texas, on Tuesday, Dec. 11, 1928, at 3:30 p. m. for the transaction of such business as is usual at annual stockholders' meetings.—D. A. Lundien, secretary-treasurer.

Breckenridge C.-C. Names New Directors

Special to The Record News

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, Dec. 9.—The following 25 men were elected at the regular weekly luncheon of the chamber of commerce to serve as directors for the body in 1929: C. H. Clark, L. C. Eastland, Eugene Thompson, E. L. Farmer, Otto Peters, J. D. Sandefer Jr., A. G. Adair, O. L. Alexander, C. A. Davis, H. E. De Lane, C. H. Fulwiler, M. E. Daniel, Tom Dyer, Dr. W. B. Guinn, C. M. Bender, N. Winkler, Carlton Walker, W. H. Cook, C. H. Brown, J. F. Chastain, F. W. Holder, Porter Daniel, J. D. Hall and H. R. Post.

C. H. Brown is at present head of the organization, and W. S. Cooper is secretary.

The new officers will meet the first Tuesday in January for organization purposes.

Last 1928 Trades Day Planned at Frederick

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Wednesday, Dec. 26, has been fixed for the final trade of the year for Frederick and as this will be the first one held in two months it is planned to make it especially attractive. Some special events are being arranged by the trade extension committee of the chamber of commerce.

Classified Display

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

SPECIAL TODAY
A Lasting Gift for the Family

1926 Buick Coach, new tires, good upholstery and driven in the city. A good car priced to sell.

Davidson-Hamilton Co.
704 Lamar Phone 2-2113
Open Evenings

Wanted Late Model Light Used Cars
We Will Pay You Cash
O. K. CAR YARD
903 Lamar Phone 8663

SPECIAL TODAY

The family will enjoy this 1927 Buick Coach, in good condition.

Davidson-Hamilton Co.
704 Lamar Phone 2-2113
Open Evenings



THE
Shop-o-scope
ANSWERS EVERY GIFT PROBLEM



GIFTS FOR HER

A DOZEN PHOTOGRAPHS solve a dozen gift problems. Call 6970 for appointment today. Nossett Studio, 1110 Tenth.

AN AUTOMOBILE—The gift superb for her. Make Christmas supreme with Oakland and Pontiac automobiles. McElreath Motor Co., 609 Scott.

ATWATER KENT RADIOS—Music makes housework easy. Noble & Kolb, Marchman Bldg.; phone 4701.

AUTOMOBILES—The new Dodge Senior Six for mother and all the family. McFall Bros., 600 Scott.

A WARREN TELECHRON electric clock—the perfect time-keeper. Texas Electric Service Co. 904-06 Scott.

A PERMANENT WAVE—The most personal gift. Special holiday prices. No-Man's Land Permanent Wave Shop. Phone 6703.

COMPLETE line perfumes, 10c to $35. Imported and domestic. Yates Drug Store, Ninth and Broad. Phone 3242.

EXCLUSIVE SELECTION—Of social stationery. Lovelace Book Store, 713 Ninth.

FLOWERS—Are most appreciated. Wichita Floral Co. Bebb's Flowers. Flowerphone 3300.

GRAHAM-PAIGE

JUST THE THING for her may be found at once in the "Gifts for Her" column of the Shop-o-scope.

MAKE HER HAPPY with "A" Ford Christmas. A beautiful, comfortable, delightfully equipped all-year remembrance. Langford Motor company.

OCCASIONAL TABLES, mirrors, suites of furniture, cedar chests, rugs, secretaries, lamps, chairs. Frear Furniture Co.

PRACTICAL GIFT suggestion—a Real-Rest mattress: Patton Mattress and Furniture Co. 402 Indiana.

REMEMBER—That Cadillac can make Christmas perfect for her. Fritz Motor Co., 1101 Scott.

THE GIFT OF GIFTS—Buick! Place your order now. Dixon Motor Co., Sixth and Lamar.

SEWING CABINETS, magazine racks, bridge lamps, footstools, cedar chests, Junior lamps, Spinnett desks, boudoir chairs, fireside benches, Adam School pianos, Hoosier kitchen cabinets. McConnell Bros. Furniture.

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL — on Permanent Waves, $5 up. Malone Beauty Shoppe. Phone 5873.

"GIFTS FOR HER" in the classified section, insure a satisfactory selection.

MEMBERSHIP—in the "29ers Club." Join now—City National bank.

LADIES' FUR COATS and scarfs, wholesale prices; terms. 1404 Thirteenth.

LADIES' BEAUTIFUL ROBES—printed satin, brocades, and tailored, $7.50 values, special $3.65. Miller-Ferguson Bargain Basement.

THAT DIAMOND she's wanted so long—give it to her this Christmas. Kirby's Jewelry Co. Staley Building.

BED LAMPS, newest shapes and colors, $3.95. Three-piece bed lamp and boudoir sets, $8.95. The Orchid Shop. 806 Indiana.

THREE-PIECE—ivory sets in beautiful colors, and sterling silver vanities. Kruger Jewelry Co.

WOMEN'S FITTED CASES—All kinds in varied leathers, $11.85 to $29.50. Wages, 809 Indiana.

LEATHER PURSES—and beaded bags. Every color, brilliant or more fasteners, $2.95 up. The Orchid Shop. 809 Indiana.

TRULY A BARGAIN!! Flowered satin rayon robes, pastel shades, $5. A real bargain. The Smart Shop. 812 Indiana.

LOCK DIARIES—and memory books. Lovelace Book Store, 713 Ninth.

GIFTS FOR EVERYONE

A LASTING CHRISTMAS gift from dad to the family—a Santa Claus policy that pays one hundred dollars each Christmas day for 12 years. Call 2-4445. National Security Life Insurance Co.

"A" FORD affords pleasure and prestige. Order delivery Christmas morning. Make them happy all year. Langford Motor Co.

CHRISTMAS CARDS—with personality. Lovelace Book Store, 713 Ninth.

ELECTRIC HEATING-PADS, paste shades, $5.95 to $10. Texas Electric Service Co. 904-06 Scott.

FISK TIRES—are the tires for your car when it's time to re-tire. Wichita Tire and Service Co. 1106 Scott.

IT'S EASY—to treat the family right with Whippet or Willys-Knight. Knight-Whippet Inc. Phone 7177.

MAKE IT STUDEBAKER—this Christmas, and they'll all be happy. Fritz Motor Co. 1101 Scott.

NO FALLEN arches for those who save steps by doing their Christmas shopping through the Shop-o-scope.

ORDER CHRISTMAS CARDS one day and get them the next at Stone Printing Co. 813 Scott avenue. Good selection, reasonable prices.

PIANOS—Players and grands; phonographs, radios, xylophones, clarinets, cornets, trombones, guitars, ukeleles, uke, banjos, mandolins, violins, cases and bows, tamborines, accordions, music stands and cases, harps, records, rolls and sheet music. Ripley-Jones Music Co., 814 Scott.

PAINTINGS, oils and water colors, especially Blue Bonnets, all original, from $3.50 to $35. 2001 Seventeenth.

SAVING MONEY and serving many: That's what the "Christmas Gift Suggestions" columns in our classified section are doing.

THE FOLKS at home will enjoy hearing your voice Christmas. You can talk
100 MILES FOR 70 CENTS
using station-to-station long distance service. Call by number—it's faster!

THE ONE GIFT that all enjoy—a radio from The Phonograph Shop. Phone 3761.

LIVING-ROOM, dining-room, bedroom suites. New Method ranges, occasional chairs, console tables, breakfast-room suites, occasional tables, end tables, mirrors, rugs, tapestries, pictures. McConnell Bros. Furniture.

ALL MODERN styles in American watches, pocket and strap. Haber-Tschabold Jewelry Co. 712 Eighth.

MEMBERSHIP—in the "29ers Club." Join now—City National bank.

ROYAL SLEEPING UNITS make real gifts for anybody. Deaton Furniture Co. 609 Indiana.

A ROYAL PORTABLE—typewriter — keys you love to touch. Royal Dealers. 808 Scott.

SPECIAL SALE! Brunswick records to reduce our stock, two for $1. Wichita Music Co.

A SET OF LOVE-JOY shock absorbers for the car. Wichita Falls Battery Co. 906 Eighth. Phone 4135.

S. R. GLIDEWELL—315 Eighth street. Diamonds, watches, jewelry, fine violins.

SAVE—your cash for Christmas. Lewis trusts you. 712 Indiana.

CANDY!—Of course they want it at Christmas-time! Olympia Confectionery. Eighth and Scott.

HAND-PICKED Christmas fir trees. Priced right. Maricle Coal & Feed Co.

URN SETS—Nickel or chromium-plate, $21.50 up. Texas Electric Service Co.

SCHOLARSHIP—Draughon's Business College, Wichita Falls, Texas. The big school.

GIFTS FOR THE HOME

BRIDGE and floor lamps. Roark Furniture, 613 Seventh. Phone 4219.

GOOD FURNITURE—Rugs and draperies. "Your home should come first." Frear Furniture Co.

HAPPINESS in every column of "Christmas Gift Suggestions" in the classified section.

LAMPS—Floor bridge, stand, boudoir, $5 up. Parchment or glass shades. Texas Electric Service Co., 904-06 Scott.

MAJESTIC, Zenith and RCA radios. Priced $144 up. Nunn Electric Co., 917 Scott.

POT PLANTS brighten the home at Christmas time. Wichita Floral Co., 911 Indiana. Flower phone 3300.

MOTTOES express a greeting surpassing other gifts. Lovelace Book Store.

REST is a matter of mattresses. Really rest on a Nachman Inner-Spring mattress. Patton Mattress & Furniture Co., 402 Indiana.

TO "DOLL UP THE HOUSE" consult "Gifts for the Home" in the classified section.

MARBLE STATUARIES—novelty glassware, toilet sets, perfumes. Haley's Two Drug Stores.

MARSHALL FIELDS RUGS—latest patterns. Sizes to fit your room. Deaton Furniture Co. 609 Indiana.

FRAMED MOTTOES. Western Office Supply, 711 Scott.

PHILCO RADIOS to fill your home with Christmas cheer. Bolton Furniture Co. 711 Seventh.

KOESTER-ELECTRIC RADIOS—8 to 11-tube sets, dynamic or magnetic speakers. Wichita Falls Radio Supply Co. 807 Brook. Phone 9534.

GIFTS FOR HIM

ATWATER KENT RADIOS—For his after-work hours. Noble & Kolb, Marchman Bldg., phone 4701.

BIBLES and Sunday school notes. Lovelace Book Store, 713 Ninth.

BOOK CASES—Chairs, rockers, smoke-stands, lamps, desks, footstools. Frear Furniture Co.

CIGARETTE SMOKERS NOTICE! Camel, Chesterfield, Lucky Strike, Old Gold—$1.15 the carton. Noble Gray News Stand, lobby First National Bank, lobby Hamilton Bldg.

CIGARETTE LIGHTERS and cases, $3.50 up. Texas Electric Service Co., 904-06 Scott.

FISHING TACKLE or hunting supplies for his Christmas. Rigsby Cash Hardware.

DON'T GET into an elbow fight. Read "Christmas Gift Selection" and your choice will be right.

EASY CHAIRS—Smoking sets, reading lamps, radio benches, footstools, radio tables. McConnell Bros. Furniture.

"GIFTS FOR HIM" in the classified columns; Suggestions from men and for men, and sure to please all of them.

ONE GALLON of gasoline is fuel enough for 80 miles, if it's in a Harley-Davidson motorcycle. Wichita Cycle Co. 709 Austin.

GLADSTONE CASES—Bolts filled and unfitted. Priced $15 to $50. The Montgomery Co., 806 Scott.

MEN'S Gladstone bags, smart, new styles, varied sizes, $8.45 to $27.50. Wages. 809 Indiana.

GOLD LETTERING—free on leather brief cases and portfolios. Western Office Supply, 711 Scott.

DRESSING GOWNS—Silk and flannel, $10 to $35. The Montgomery Co., 806 Scott.

QUALITY!! SPEED!!—A new Royal portable typewriter. Royal Dealers. 808 Scott.

BETTER THAN anything—a robe for him! $7.50 to $35. Ludlam & Riggs. 723 Eighth.

ONE-DAY SERVICE on Christmas cards at Stone Printing Co. 813 Scott.

A SHIRT—the most fitting gift, $3 to $10. Ludlam & Riggs, 723 Eighth.

MEN'S—85c fancy silk hose, special 50c. The Hub Clothiers.

GIVE HIM a Silvertown Cord or a Willard battery. Use our budget payment plan—it will please him. Service Tire Co.

GIVE HIM—a silk lounging robe, $4.85. The Hub Clothiers.

A HAT!!!—the smart gift from one man to another. The Hub Clothiers.

ROBES—Silks, $16.50 to $35. Blankets $4.95 to $12.50. Most have slippers to match. The Model Clothiers.

THE HOMILY GIFT—a Hickey Freeman suit or overcoat. The Hub Clothiers.

SUEDE JACKETS—regular $15 value. Satinet lined, $9.85. The Hub Clothiers.

CHAMOIS JACKETS for men to wear for office, golf or outdoors. $11.85 up. Boys' $9.75 up. Wages, 809 Indiana.

GIFTS FOR CHILDREN

ELECTRIC CARS—$13.50 complete with transformer. Texas Electric Service Co., 904-06 Scott.

GAMES AND DOLLS—for children. Complete selection. Lovelace Book Store.

SANTA CLAUS has more willing disciples after fathers have looked over the possibilities in the Christmas gift selections in the classified section.

THRIFT SHARES
for your child's Christmas. Teach saving instead of spending. Six per cent earning. Wichita Falls Building & Loan Ass'n. Hamilton building.

THE CHILDREN can mark the presents they want Santa Claus to bring them in the columns of the Shop-o-scope.

MEMBERSHIP—in the "29ers Club." Join now—City National bank.

HAPPINESS—for the kiddies!! Tricycles, scooters, electric and winding-spring trains, Kiddie Kars. Noble-Little Hardware Co.

CULTIVATE habits for saving in the children—give them an interest-bearing account for a Christmas present. Wichita State Bank and Trust Co.

BOOTS WILL please a boy; for school and outdoors, four famous brands, $4.45 to $7.45. Wages, 809 Indiana.

THRIFT SHARES
for your child's Christmas. Teach saving instead of spending. Six per cent earning. Wichita Falls Building & Loan Ass'n. Hamilton building.

DINNER & DECORATIONS

—AND MISTLETOE TOO:
You'll need a tree and some holly, tinsel, balls, lights and everything—for a real Christmas at home. Good values in decorations at the stores listed each day in the Shop-o-scope.

ICE CREAM—Holiday molds and fancy dairy products. The supreme gift of the hostess. Lehrack's. Phone 8181.

POT PLANTS—Please the whole family.
WICHITA FLORAL CO.
911 Indiana Flower phone 3300

PRODUCERS CREAMERY can fill your Christmas orders for whipping cream. Phone 3763.

REAL HOLLY WREATHS—50c each. Also Smilax. Morgan Floral Co.

THE MOST IMPORTANT FEATURE of the most important holiday of the year, the Christmas dinner. Not a single detail will be overlooked if you rely on the "Dinner Decorations" ads to help you prepare for it.

WREATH LIGHTS for home or auto; fireproof tree lights, $1.25 to $4.50. Texas Electric Service Co.

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Phone 4212. Wichita Falls, Texas

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SOMERVILLE TO PUSH CHANGES

County Attorney Sponsors Criminal Law Revisions

Wayne Somerville, county attorney, will leave Thursday for Fort Worth, where he will attend a meeting of the legislative committee of the County and District Attorneys' association of Texas. The committee will draft proposed changes in the Texas criminal law designed to make enforcement speedier and more sure, Mr. Somerville, secretary of the association, explained.

A change in the statute against swindling, eliminating the clause allowing hot check artists 15 days to make bad checks good, will be personally sponsored by Mr. Somerville. He will favor an alteration in the chattel mortgage law to forbid the transportation of mortgaged goods out of the county, he declared. He is also interested in the passage of a law compelling junk dealers to keep some record of their business as an aid to tracing stolen goods, he said Sunday.

At a meeting of the association in San Antonio last September, resolutions favoring a large number of changes were passed. Most of the proposed alterations are designed to speed up the operation of the law. The district attorneys of the state are especially interested in prohibition enforcement laws, particularly in the search and seizure law, described in the resolutions as a serious hindrance to the enforcement officials, according to the records.

Mr. Somerville expects the committee, which includes nine of the leading county and district attorneys of the state, to complete its business Friday. The changes drafted will be presented to the legislature in the January session.

Spence to Re-Name Young County Aide

George Berry, assistant district attorney for Young county during the past two years, will be re-appointed when Sam B. Spence, district attorney-elect, goes into office on January 1, according to announcements made by Mr. Spence Sunday.

The arrangements for the continuance in office was made during a visit to Graham made by Mr. Spence Friday and Saturday of last week. He has already announced that George Anderson and Mike Anglin, the present assistants in the district attorney's office, will be re-appointed when he takes office.

Speech and Music On Kiwanis Club Program

W. H. Caldwell will speak, and a musical program will be given at the regular weekly meeting of the Wichita Falls Kiwanis club at the Kemp hotel Monday noon.

Joseph Rabinowitz, violinist, will play a group of numbers, and Lester F. Aldrich, music director of the Floral Heights Methodist church, will sing.

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STRAND: Pauline Frederick, Bert Lytell and Lois Wilson in "On Trial," an all talking movie. Three vitaphone vaudeville acts: Frank Brown and Fay LaVelle, xylophone and comedy; Harry J. Conley and company in "The Bookworm," and Watts and Gilbert. Pathe news.

OLYMPIC: "Mr. Henpecked," with Lillian Murry, Elmer Wright and the Zippity Zip musical comedy company. On the screen: Glen Tyron in "The Gate Crasher." Comedy. Fox news.

MISSION: Tom Tyler in "Tyrant of Red Gulch." Comedy. Serial.

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The Casino theater in New York is the birthplace of some of America's greatest shows of the legitimate and musical stage. Among those of recent years was a play which the writer viewed in New York, a play which the Dent theaters now announce as coming here in the near future.

There were no outstanding stars in "The Vagabond King" in its original presentation in the Big City. The show itself was so good and the music so excellent that the names of big stars were not necessary to attract the crowds.

Russell Janney presented "The Vagabond King" to the world.

Rudolf Friml, who has written some of the world's best remembered musical comedy music of the past decade, wrote the music. The entire action of the show is in Paris in the time of Louis XI.

All this is just by way of whetting your appetites for what should be an excellent musical treat which has basic qualities that cause this writer to vouch for it far in advance of its presentation here.

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The wires of the past few days tell of the serious illness of Eugene O'Neil, the world's greatest author of tragically strong and "earthly" plays. "The Hairy Ape," "Desire Under the Elms," "A Strange Interlude" and about 20 other notable plays have been written by this strange man whose brown eyes pierce a person like fire. A few years ago the writer of this column was connected with the presentation of "Desire Under the Elms" and the show was playing in Denver. Judge Ben B. Lindsey, a school day playmate and friend of the writer, gave his personal endorsement to the show and stirred the ire of the churchfolk of the city. The little judge is a true friend and will stand up for his convictions. It was his chance to aid his friend's reputation as an author and he lost no time in doing it. Anyone at O'Neil's bedside today probably would find a message of friendship there from the founder of America's juvenile court system.

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There is a child's voice in the talkie now at the Strand theater that has caused comment over the city. The youngster is Vondell Darr, a niece of Governor Dan Moody of Texas. The little girl is seen and heard as a witness in a court room scene in "On Trial," and gives promise of being a real actress when the grows up. She is a niece of our sorrel topped governor. It seems too bad that this picture is not in colors. If it were, it probably would show little Vondell's topnot to be auburn.

Bralley's Illness May Delay Suit

The suit of W. H. Burgess against Sheriff W. G. Bralley, asking $10,000 damages for alleged false arrest, is set for trial in Fort Worth Monday morning. Sheriff Bralley was confined to his bed with influenza Sunday, and doubt was expressed of his ability to make the trip.

Burgess was taken into custody by Mr. Bralley in Jan., 1927, according to his petition for damages. The case was up in Fort Worth in the spring of 1928 and the plaintiffs accepted a non-suit. The case was dropped until the filing of a new petition a few months ago. Postponement of the trial will be asked unless Mr. Bralley is much improved early Monday.

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Pauline Frederick, star of "On Trial," the all talking motion picture, which is now at the Strand theater.

Playground Band Sees Daredevil

The kids in the Wichita Falls Playground band met Buck Hoover Sunday during their afternoon rehearsal at the Wichita Falls Junior college and gave him a noisy greeting.

Buck is in Wichita Falls to drive an automobile 101 consecutive hours without fod or sleep as an advertising stunt for a dance in the Kemp hotel. Profits from the dance will buy music and uniforms for the band so that their concerts next summer in Bellevue park will be good to watch as well as hear.

Paul Seeds, director of the band, talked with Buck and plans were discussed for three parades during the present week. The parades will be to aid in advertising the affair.

The first parade of the week will be at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon and will start at the Kemp hotel. It will include the band and also Buck Hoover driving the Durant automobile which he will use in his 101-hour drive.

The latter part of last week Buck was laid up with an attack of indigestion almost immediately after he had gone into training for the long drive. He had recovered Sunday, however.

Theosophy Students To Meet Monday Night

The discussional group for the study of theosophy organized here two weeks ago by Capt. L. L. Partow of Fort Sill, president of the Oklahoma State Federation of Theosophists, will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hankins in their apartment at 1506 Tenth street.

According to local leaders in the movement, there is a marked increase in the number of Wichita Falls people interested in the subject, and the early organization of an affiliated lodge is anticipated. George Watson of Tulsa, vice president of the Oklahoma state federation, has indicated his intention of attending Monday's meeting here.

Honor Conferred On Two Wichita Boys

Full membership in the local guild of Acolytes, and the privilege of wearing the insigna of that order, were conferred Sunday night at the Church of the Good Shepherd upon Sam Jones and Kenneth Bebb Jr., in a formal ceremony conducted by W. D. Bratton, rector.

The guild in the local Episcopal church is the only organization of its kind in this part of Texas, and has a membership of 12, the boys ranging in age from 10 to 20. There is one guild in Dallas, and several in South Texas. The local guild is a branch of the Order of Saint Vincent, National Guild of Acolytes, with headquarters in Boston, Mass.

Negro Youth Faces Burglary Charges

Burglary charges were filed Saturday against Willie Gibson, negro, aged 17, held on two counts in connection with recent invasions of private homes in the residence section.

The complaint filed involves the loss of a watch, a pair of trousers, and $27 in cash taken from a home on Avenue I on Nov. 17, and of two suits of clothing taken Dec. 6 from a Tenth street residence.

Deaths

JOHN C. RIALS

John C. Rials, 71, of Henrietta, died at a local hospital Sunday. Funeral arrangements are in care of the Hines funeral home and are being delayed awaiting word from relatives near Henrietta.

E. C. BAUGH

E. C. Baugh, 1602 Bluff, died at a local hospital Sunday afternoon. Arrangements for the funeral are being made by the Hines funeral home.

A. C. WILSON

A. C. Wilson, 54, of K. M. A., died at a local hospital late Saturday and the body is being held at the Hines funeral home. Funeral arrangements await word from relatives, according to his son, Ed Wilson, who lived with him at K. M. A.

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RENEWAL OF BUILDING SEEN

Permits for 1928 Expected To Reach $2,000,000

Building permits in Wichita Falls will reach $2,000,000 this year, according to estimates made Saturday by city officials. This estimate was made in view of the fact that the total for the year at the week-end was $1,770,312 and that the suburban permits for the year have yet to be added and there still remains two-thirds of the month of December.

Permits in the city for the remainder of the month and permits for suburban building for the year are expected to be enough to bring the total over the $2,000,000 mark.

This year promises to be the lowest since 1923 in building permits, but no depression is felt as there has been a distinct change in the business world in the past two months during which time the permits have steadily grown and many new buildings for 1929 have been projected.

In 1923 the total was $1,747,000. In 1924 it jumped to $2,343,000, and in 1925 it reached $3,908,000. The greatest year in the history of the city came in 1926 when the permits totaled $10,022,000, while in 1927 building dropped to $4,050,000.

The windup of 1928 and the prospects for 1929, however, are held by city officials to presage the return of substantially good times and a revival of building here. January is expected to produce building permits of at least $500,000, which is comparable to $224,126 in 1928. The entire year of 1929 at present is said to hold similar possibilities.

Burkburnett Woman Is Claimed by Death

Special to The Record News

BURKBURNETT, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Bertie Ethel Williamson, 37, died Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at her home here. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Baptist church at Thrift.

Mrs. Williamson is survived by her husband, four daughters, Mrs. Blanche Bowman Halliday, Helen, Jewell and Bertie Ethel of Burkburnett; two sisters, Mrs. Vad Bolin of Buffalo Springs, and Mrs. W. E. Gaines of Burkburnett; two brothers, Emmet and Cardinal Hennis of Burkburnett and her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hennis of Burkburnett.

McBroom Completes City Bond Refunding

The refunding of the $250,000 city warrants with bonds of the recently passed municipal bond issue was completed at Austin Friday with the surrender of $5,000 park department paving warrants, according to word received by W. E. McBroom, city clerk.

Mr. McBroom completed the exchange of a major portion of the bonds for the new warrants on a recent trip to Austin, but he was unable to finish it as several groups of warrants had not been received.

Credit Grantors Plan Annual Frolic Tuesday

Plans for the annual Fun Frolic of the Wichita Falls Retail Credit Grantors association and the Retail Merchants association Tuesday night are going forward rapidly, according to information at the association headquarters Sunday.

Comedy sketches and a general good time are scheduled and there will be no business. Joe Bailey is arranging the entertainment features.

Gets Car Back Minus Robe, Tools and Horn

Lamar D. Fain, who reported the theft of his Packard automobile to police Saturday night, reported the loss of a robe, tool chest and Packard horn from the car Sunday.

The chief of police at Burkburnett recovered the car at Burkburnett, but an inspection Sunday revealed the absence of the items listed.

City Orders Lights For Grant Playground

New street lights are soon to appear in the Grant street playground at the corner of 2200 Brown street.

An order was given by the city Friday for four new lights to be placed in the Grant street playgrounds at Avenue L and Grant street, and for one new light at the corner of 2200 Brown street. Work will be started at once.

Terracing Planned In Tillman County, Okla.

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Considerable terracing is expected to be done in this locality after the cotton is picked, according to Louis H. Beaty, Tillman county demonstration agent. He will assist in doing the engineering work for parties who want to terrace.

LIQUOR CHARGES FILED

Charges of possession and sale of liquor in violation of the federal liquor laws were filed Saturday against Joe Chambliss, Bruta Pryton and Glen Bridges. The men were arrested Saturday by Officers Belcher and Logue of the police department at 312 Indiana avenue and turned over to the county jail following the filing of the federal charges.

THAT ALARM

An automobile with smoking wires was the cause of the fire department being called to the 2200 block on Harvard Sunday afternoon. No damage was reported.

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FOR CHRISTMAS

Hyer Suggests Nice Tax Receipt For Gift to Wife

City tax payments for 1928 become delinquent the last day of January, and Wichitans have been warned by W. R. Hyer, city tax assessor and collector, to give prompt attention to their taxes for their own benefit.

"The payment of city taxes for 1928 started out well but in the past week has lagged," Mr. Hyer said.

"My hope is that the payment of taxes will start at once and that every man in the city will realize that one of the best Christmas presents he can give his wife is a tax receipt for the current year to show that their home is clear of the tax bugaboo and that they can start out 1929 with a clean slate."

BIBLE SCHOOLS SHOW GAINS

7,113 Attend Services Here Sunday

A net gain of 81 over Dec. 2 was made by 25 local churches in their Sunday school attendance Dec. 9, marking up a total of 7113 against 7032 for the preceding Sunday. First Baptist went back above the 1200 mark, with 1215. Attendance at the Salvation Army school increased by 54. All other churches reporting ran very close to the figures of a week ago. The attendance as shown by reports from the individual churches follows:

	Dec. 2	Dec. 9
First Christian	511	533
First Methodist	959	990
Highland Hts. Christian	294	285
Grace Methodist	233	211
Church Good Shepherd	131	130
First Presbyterian	421	438
Highland Hts. Baptist	247	268
Floral Heights Presbyterian	93	96
First South Presbyterian	143	135
Church of Christ	387	389
Yale Ave. Evangelical	63	68
First Baptist	1176	1215
First Evangelical	172	160
Floral Hts. Methodist	578	603
South Side Baptist	210	210
Bibley Taylor M. E.	105	87
East Side Presbyterian	153	142
Grant St. Methodist	148	162
Scotland Evangelical	No report	
Lamar Ave. Baptist	311	309
Salvation Army	124	178
Adams St. Methodist	75	85
Lory Memorial Baptist	202	202
Scotland Baptist	117	107
Nazarene	139	120
Total	7032	7113

Wichita Falls Folks, Facts, Fancies

Masons Return

George W. Lawler, G. W. Curd, Albert Ellis and J. D. Avis, local Masons, have returned from Waco, where they attended the annual state convention of the grand lodge of Texas A. F. and A. M. Wednesday and Thursday.

Tools Stolen

The theft of two braces and two hand saws was reported to police Sunday by the Panhandle Steel Products company.

Loses Suitcase

D. L. Nelson of the Eldar hotel reported to the police Sunday that he had lost a black suitcase out of his car between Electra and Wichita Falls.

Frederick Centers Efforts on Hotel

Special to The Record News

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 9.—Because of the intensive campaign now in progress in selling stock for the proposed 60-room hotel all other civic matters are temporarily postponed. As soon as this matter is disposed of it is expected that attention will be given to the managerial form of government for Frederick. At a meeting of the directors of the chamber of commerce it was decided to give the community hotel proposition the right of way until it is disposed of.

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Three Wives Seek Single Hubby Here

Moral: Don't Refer to Her As "Mother"

Three supposed wives of one man have banded themselves together to bring their mutual husband before the courts of justice on charges of bigamy. Such charges were filed Saturday by Wayne Somerville, county attorney, after wife number three, representing the whole trio, had told her story. The county attorney was not surprised to learn that the whereabouts of the man are now unknown.

The trouble started a few months ago when the disputed husband told the woman who became his third wife that wife number two was his mother. It was when the second wife learned that she been so described that she volunteered to tell everything and help bring about an arrest.

The last of the wives became a bride on Sept. 8, 1928, according to her story. Exactly two months later, after helping get through much work in the Oklahoma cotton fields, she was deserted, she declared. When she started investigations, she found wife number two undivorced. They had been neighbors in Wichita Falls in the days when their husband, unseparated from number two, was nevertheless wooing his third bride.

"He told me you were his mother," the lately deserted one explained.

That settled things. Number two told all. That there was a grown son in Wichita Falls, for instance, the child of yet another, presumably a first and original wife. The two joined forces and called on the son. The next stop was the county attorney's office. One wife remains here, one is in Wilbarger county, and a third in Childress. All expect to appear when, and if, the community husband is found.

Cleanliness and Fresh Air Chief Aides in Preventing Flu, Says Medic

Be clean, and be careful of colds. This warning was issued Sunday by Dr. H. D. Filmore, manager of the city health department, in connection with a warning from Washington a week ago against influenza.

"Wichita Falls has been more than fortunate in the absence of disease and influenza in the past weeks at a time when Denver, Chicago, some parts of the East and California have suffered a heavy death rate from the dreaded pestilence of influenza," Dr. Filmore said.

"The flu has hit many parts of the country, but it has not hit this city in epedemic form. In fact we have had no more colds or cases of influenza than in other years. This is a good omen, but in itself is the strongest warning we could have to be exceptionally clean and to take more than normal precautions against the possibility of the flu coming here.

"Everyone should keep his mouth clean and gargle frequently with a good antiseptic. The homes should be cleaned of all dirt, and everyone should see to it that he has lots of fresh air. There is no enemy of disease that is half as potent in general as fresh air.

"Meantime, Wichita Falls, now in a strong position and healthy, can give thanks for its lack of bad health and can protect itself against the possible tragedies such as are felt in other parts of the union."

IOWA PARK C. C. PLANS READY

Bourland to Speak at Annual Banquet

Special to The Record News

IOWA PARK, Dec. 9—All plans are completed and Iowa Park is on its toes for the annual meeting and banquet of the Iowa Park Chamber of Commerce which will be held at 7 o'clock Monday night in the Baptist church. The ladies of the church will serve the dinner.

Andy M. Bourland of Vernon, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the principal speaker of the evening. He is expected to arrive here from Vernon with his party Monday afternoon.

Visitors from Electra and Wichita Falls also have announced that they would attend, and plans for their entertainment have been made.

G. C. McGown, Wichita county agricultural agent, will be here with his wife and Miss Ethel L. Webb, county home demonstration agent. They are from Wichita Falls.

The Young Women's Business league of Iowa Park has accepted the invitation of the chamber to be present and will meet at Saul's store about 6:45 o'clock. The members will go in a body from the store to the church.

Rev. J. M. Camp of the Church of Christ will pronounce the invocation and Rev. G. A. Weems of the Christian church will say the benediction.

John C. Murphree, president of the chamber, will preside, and Mrs. Elsie Rhea Orr, secretary, will give the annual report which will show that almost $6,000 has been received by the chamber during the year. This includes the trades days and the banquet tickets.

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LAYMEN LEAD KGKO SERVICE

Lawton Program Cancelled By Epidemic

The program announced to be presented Sunday afternoon by the speakers and musicians from Lawton, Okla., was cancelled late Saturday night by a message from Lawton stating that an epidemic of smallpox there had resulted in a large number of quarantines, making it impossible for the performers to get here for their appearance at KGKO.

Joel H. MacGregor, R. E. Shepherd, and Harry Hines presented the layman's program from 4 to 5 o'clock. Mr. MacGregor and Mr. Shepherd presented a number of gospel solos, choosing their numbers largely by requests which came in from listeners. Mr. Hines again presented a lay sermon.

The 5 to 6 o'clock hour was given to the radio Bible class, conducted by Rev. Pat Moreland, pastor of the Grant street Methodist church. Musical numbers were given by the mixed quartet from that church.

The program for Monday night follows:

7 to 8. Little Rovers' orchestra.
8 to 8:30. Musical program.
8:30 to 9. George Taylor.
9 to 10. Old time fiddlers.

Two Wichitans Attend Master Painters' Meet

C. E. Watson and T. W. Beck spent Saturday in Austin in attendance at the semi-annual meeting of the State Association of Master Painters.

W. J. Barrett and A. E. Jackson, in addition to Mr. Watson and Mr. Beck, were named delegates last week to the association gathering which was scheduled for Monday, Dec. 10. Last hour information received Friday stated that the date had been changed to Dec. 8 and only Mr. Watson and Mr. Beck were able to leave in time to attend the meeting. They were expected to return early Monday morning.

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