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13-DAY HUNT FOR BOY'S BODY FAILS

400 Miles Of Pipe Lines In $1,000,000 Merger Here

WICHITA PIPE LINE COMPANY BUYS TWO LINES

American and Panhandle Pipe Lines to Be Taken Over by the Wichita

DEAL HERE SATURDAY

Action Taken at Meeting Of Stockholders Held During Day

The Wichita Pipeline company becomes probably the largest carrier of crude oil in the Wichita Falls district as the result of the purchase and merger of two important systems here Saturday. The pipeline system of the American Refining company, Inc., and the Panhandle Refining company are to be taken over by the Wichita Pipeline company, it was announced following a stockholders meeting of the latter company Saturday afternoon.

$1,000,000 Involved.

The consideration was not announced, but is probably close to $1,000,000. The Wichita Pipeline company had approximately 200 miles of line before the sale which was valued at $750,000 and the merger gives that company something like 400 miles of line.

The system as itnow stands covers the fields of Archer, Young, Wichita and Jack counties. It was voted at the stockholder meeting to raise the capital stock from $500,000 to $1,000,000.

The merger places the Wichita Pipeline company in the commanding position with a carrying capacity of 24,000 barrels of oil daily, and delivery facilities at Burkburnett, Iowa Park, Electra and Olney.

Rumors which have been afloat in the past that the American Refining company was to build a pipeline from the Panhandle field to its plant here were quieted by the declaration that no extensions are contemplated at the present time by the Wichita company.

The Wichita Pipeline company was organized in February, 1924 and has enjoyed a steady growth. It has consistently paid a 45 per cent cash dividend, officials said.

Large Directorate.

The board of directors consists of Roy B. Jones, W. H. Priddy, L. V. Hull, P. F. Gwynn, W. W. Silk, B. J. Shaw, D. O. Johnson, W. F. Davis and O. H. Berryman. The officers are: Roy B. Jones, president; W. M. Priddy, vice-president; L. V. Hull, vice-president and general manager; P. F. Gwynn, secretary and treasurer; A. W. Eichenberger, assistant secretary and treasurer.

W. M. Priddy is president of the American Refining company and Roy B. Jones is president of the Panhandle Refining company.

ENVOY IS BARRED

Cuba Refuses to Let Russian Woman Land

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 4. (AP)—The port police have been ordered to prevent the landing of Madam Alexandra Kollantay, soviet minister to Mexico, when she arrives here on her way to her new post. She is a passenger on the steamer LaFayette due today.

BISHOP TO PRESIDE

VICTORIA, Texas, Dec. 4.(AP) Bishop C. L. Mead of Denver, Colo., Will preside at the 52nd session of the West Texas Conference, Methodist Episcopal church, which meets here December 8-12.

HAMBONE MEDITATION

BY J. F. ALLEY.



Blind For 12 Years, Texan Able To Pick 200 Pounds of Cotton In Day

WEATHERFORD, Texas, Dec. 4. (AP)—Blind 12 years, Dan Carroll, 41, has left West Texas cotton fields where he has picked a daily average of 200 pounds, and is preparing to take the office of Parker county tax collector here January 1.

Early this year, Carroll announced for collector. With assistance of his wife and his 14-year-old son, he made a race without speeches because of his affliction. Going into the Democratic runoff, Carroll was returned winner over Clyde Boley, incumbent. That was in August. When cotton harvest began Carroll took his family to the fields, where he groped his way with sensitive fingers that left but few loose cotton strands for a child to pick behind him.

Twenty-five years ago, Carroll as a farmer, was struck and blinded in one eye by a stick of wood. Total blindness soon followed. Operating a country store for a while, he came to Weatherford and became a grocer.

Hall Buchanan with several years' experience in the collector's office will be Carroll's deputy.

Community Chest Campaign For 1927 Ready For Auspicious Start

Wichita Falls sixth annual community chest campaign will be launched tomorrow, December 5, when more than a hundred of the busiest men of the city will meet with the Kiwanis club at noon to receive supplies and last-minute instructions as to the work of the campaign.

The amount asked for to take care of the social service needs of this city for the coming year is practically the same as that solicited for the year just past, thus holding the per capita cost of this work to approximately $1 which is the lowest for any other city of this size in the country.

The budget has been set at $65,000 after the careful and thorough study of the needs of various organizations by the budget committee. The members of this committee are individuals of business ability familiar with methods of avoiding waste and useless expenditure.

Before the adoption by most cities of the community chest plan an unlimited number of campaigns for, this, that and the other organization were held. In many instances the work of agencies overlapped and on other occasions the money was not spent wisely nor efficiently.

Under the present method of having one campaign to take care of all welfare needs for the year, the subscriber can be sure that the poor and needy of the city will receive the full benefit of his donation and that every cent of the budget which is raised will be carefully spent which is raised will be spent in the way most apt to fill the greatest needs.

Myers Is Chairman

The work of raising the funds of the campaign is directed by a general campaign committee of which Raymond M. Myers is chairman and Mrs. Kathleen Gorsline is secretary. Details of the campaign are being handled by the chamber of commerce, as has been the case for the past five years.

Other members of the general committee include Rhea Howard, J. B. Marlow, Solon R. Featherston, Joe B. Hatchitt, Joseph Huckins III, Jim Kaufman, Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin, Sam Kruger, R. M. Waggoner, N. H. Martin, C. J. Coffey, J. L. Jackson, Jr., Albert E. Myles and Rev. S. A. Barnes.

The campaign slogan, "Open Your Heart," has been featured in the preliminary publicity and this appeal used in connection with a large red heart and the amount dates of the campaign has been put out on big posters over the city and environs. Window cards have also been made using the same feature with pictures of small

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MOODY TO CAPITAL

Governor-Elect Has Official Business In Washington

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Attorney General Dan Moody, governor-elect of Texas, left Saturday morning for Washington, where he will represent the state of Texas in two boundary cases before the U. S. supreme court. One is the dispute over the boundary between Texas and Oklahoma in the Panhandle section and the other is the dispute between New Mexico and Texas.

While in Washington, Moody will address the Gridiron club. Upon his return about December 10, he will announce some of his appointees.

FREEZE COMING

Dallas Notified Cold Weather Due On Sunday

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—The tail end of freezing weather now in Oklahoma is due to hit Dallas, Sunday, Dr. J. L. Cline, in charge of the local weather bureau office, said today. With the cooler weather will come cloudy and unsettled conditions.

RAT WARNING ISSUED

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Rats are coming in from the fields and other outdoor haunts in search of winter quarters and prompt measures should be taken to keep these disease carrying pests from gaining a foothold in residences, Dr. O. O. Sappington, state health officer, warned Saturday.

AVIATOR SETS FIRE TO BARN IN TRYING TO LAND HIS PLANE

MERCER, Pa., Dec. 4. (AP) An all mail pilot seeking an emergency landing field near here early today reached the ground safely, but was forced to go into action to fight a fire he started with a flare. Pilot Bernard, enroute from Chicago to New York, dropped the flare in an effort to find the landing field on the Tait farm. His aim was accurate, for the flare landed on the Tait barn, setting it on fire. Bernard landed by the light of the burning barn. He leaped from the plane and assisted farmers in rescuing cattle from the burning structure. The loss was estimated at $5000.

AMARILLO TO GET BALL CLUB

Western League to Transfer St. Joseph's Club To Texas

ASHEVILLE, Dec. 4. (AP)—The Tulsa and Oklahoma City baseball clubs will remain in the Western league and will not be transferred to the Texas league, Dale Gear, president of the Western league, announced tonight. He said everything had been arranged to the satisfaction of the clubs at a conference.

The league's "rookie rule," which required the six out of 16 men carried by each club, should not have any previous experience in class A baseball was abolished, Mr. Gear also announced.

The St. Joseph club will be moved to Amarillo, Texas, if satisfactory arrangements can be made with Amarillo interests, A. B. Tracey, president of the St. Joseph club, announced.

QUEEN IN MOVIES

Marie Reported to Have Signed Fat Contract

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Arch Selwyn cabled his New York office from Paris today that he expected to complete arrangements shortly whereby Queen Marie would make her screen debut under his management.

The picture would be made in Rumania.

DEBONAIR BURGLAR TRIMS FINGER NAILS AS HE CONFESSES

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Lavish spending, although without a job directed suspicion of police to a 19-year-old boy in connection with safe robberies in Dallas in the past few weeks. He was arrested early today and officers said signed a statement in which he told how he had robbed several safes. As he talked he trimmed finger nails which were polished highly and calmly puffed a cigarette. His latest robbery, he said, was of the J. W. Lawther Grain company, Wednesday night, and he obtained $220. On four of the robberies he declared he worked alone, but on two others he had help. Two places robbed were Dallas high schools.

Describing safes the police said the youth confessed to having robbed a number. He said that those in a certain group of chain stores, which outwardly appeared to be easy to open were the hardest and took the most time. One of them required three hours work, he said.

The youth is being held pending further investigation.

SANTA LETTER PRIZE BRINGS POSTAL FLOOD

Over 500 Letters Submitted By Kiddies In First Week of Race

1000 MORE EXPECTED

$2-A-Day Prize Contest To Close On Sunday, December 12

During the first week of the Record News' Santa Claus letter contest more than 500 letters have been received from aspirants for the daily $2 prize paid for the best missive submitted. With one more week to go, indications point to a total of more than 1000 letters by the close of the contest which comes Sunday, December 12. The final winner will be announced Monday morning, December 13.

Her mother dead, and her daddy gone "I don't know where," little Miss Jereldean Burns, aged 5, of Thrift, wrote Santa Claus that she hoped she would not be overlooked. Her letter, which wins the daily $2 prize in the Record News Santa Claus letter contest, as dictated to her mother with whom she lives, is as follows:

THRIFT, TEXAS
December 4.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little orphan girl five years old. My mother died two years ago. I don't know where my daddy is. I live with my uncle and aunt. I hope Santa Claus brings me something and remembers the other little orphans, too.

Love,
JERELDEAN BURNS.

In a radiogram from his North Pole palace Saturday night, Santa Claus declared he was having increasing difficulty in selecting the daily winner because of the many good letters sent in. The contest

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GIRL'S BODY FOUND

Police Seek Man Last Seen With Deceased Maid

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Dec. 4. (AP)—The body of Sarah Swift, 21, of Chiltonville, who disappeared Monday night after she had entered an automobile driven by Antonio Thomas, 20, of North Plymouth, was found in a pond today.

Thomas has not been seen since Monday night, according to the police, and a search for him was being pressed today.

A superficial examination of the girl's body failed to reveal marks of violence.

38 DIE IN FLOOD

Disastrous Storm Reported In Mexican Interior

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 4. (AP)—Thirty-eight persons, including five children and six women, are reported to have been drowned on Thursday near Pueblo Nuevo, in the state of Tabasco, when the motor boat "President Obregon" sank in the river Grijalva.

Dispatches today from Villa Hermosa telling of the disaster gave no further details.

GRID STAR HURT

Wilkes Dobson, Wichita Falls Captain, Hurt

Wilkes Dobson, captain of the Wichita Falls High school football team, will be laid up several weeks with injuries suffered in Saturday's game between Wichita Falls and Ranger, it was said Saturday night.

Ligaments of a knee were torn so considerably that Dobson had to be taken to a hospital for treatment. The knee was placed in a plaster cast.

HOLCOMBE LEADS

Houston Mayor Appears Reelected Fourth Time

HOUSTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—With a clear majority of 1651 votes of approximately 10,000 reported in complete returns from all 65 precincts early Saturday evening, indications were fairly strong that Mayor Holcombe would be returned to office for a fourth term without the necessity of counting the second and third choice votes.

SCALDED TO DEATH

Ranger Plant Engineer Killed In Accident.

RANGER, Texas, Dec. 5. (AP)—Sam Hulin, 40, chief engineer at the plant of the Chestnut-Smith corporation died in a hospital here late tonight of burns received when he fell into a vat of scalding water at the plant earlier in the day and J. L. Crabb who also fell into the vat is in a serious condition.

Bodies of Mount Vernon Mother And Her Little Daughter Found In Fire's Ashes With Throats Of Each Cut

MOUNT VERNON, Dec. 4.(AP) With their clothing burned off by fire in surrounding leaves and their throats cut, the bodies of Mrs. W. R. Cooper and young daughter were found here Saturday by neighbors.

Their home, four miles west of Mount Vernon, was razed by the fire which evidently had kindled the leaves around the bodies of the victims.

Mrs. Cooper had been married less than a year and her husband was away on business at the time of the tragedy.

The bodies were found about 75 feet from the house. In the mother's hand was a razor.

Mrs. Cooper was a sister of her husband's first wife. They were married several months ago. The girl was Cooper's step daughter.

Both mother and daughter had been in ill health, the daughter being virtually an invalid.

Mr. Cooper went to Pittsburg, Texas, about 24 miles from here, on business this morning and his children by his first wife had gone to Mount Vernon leaving the mother and daughter at home alone.

Secret Facts In Doheny Oil Lease Told Of In Fall Fraud Hearing

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.(AP)—A guarded story of the navy department's "state secrets" of the Pacific went before the jury in the Fall-Doheny oil conspiracy trial today after Secretary Wilbur's formal order to Rear Admiral J. K. Robinson, retired, forbidding disclosure of "confidential matters" had been admitted in evidence. Admiral Robinson's testimony presented in general terms the conviction of navy executives concerning the strategic importance of the Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, base in national defense plans. It went into the record after a ruling by Justice Hoehling of the supreme court of the District of Columbia that the trial court alone was authority on what may or may not go before the jury.

To Quiz Admiral.

Government attorneys, who entered perfunctory objection to admission of Secretary Wilbur's order prepared tonight to cross examine Admiral Robinson as to when these "confidential matters" agitated naval officers, particularly with reference to the situation after the Washington naval armaments conference in 1922.

Under present plans, Secretary Wilbur will be called to the witness stand Monday for examinations as to why he sought to withhold from the record testimony regarded by counsel as of vital importance to the defense case.

Admiral Robison twice refused to answer the interrogations of Defense Attorney Frank J. Hogan regarding the importance of the Pearl Harbor project in the deliberations of the war plan division of the navy department, and did not finally reply until Justice Hoehling had summarily directed him to do so.

Reveals Confidence

He then related what he had revealed confidentially to the defendant, Edward L. Doheny late in 1921 when Doheny's Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company contemplated bidding on a 4,000,000 barrel oil storage plant at Pearl Harbor. The Pan-American company was awarded the contract, Robison approving it and the Elk Hills lease to Doheny.

Admiral Robison said Doheny was "considerably agitated" by what had been revealed and gave assurance that the government might bank "on at least one bid."

The clause in the Pearl Harbor contract which gave the Pan-American interest "preferential rights" on such lands in the Elk Hills, California, naval reserve as might thereafter be opened to leasing by the then secretary of the interior, Fall, was regarded at that time as unimportant, said Robison.

Admiral On Stand

Admiral Robison was on the stand throughout the entire short session today. His examination was directed by Hogan to the defense contention that the navy department's part in the leasing negotiations precluded all possibility of conspiracy between Fall and Doheny as charged by the government. His direct examination had not been completed when court adjourned until Monday. Ever step in the negotiations was known to the navy department, the witness said, and frequently officials of the interior department who were delegated by Fall to handle oil matters consulted the navy's wishes before presenting a proposal to prospective bidders. Never had the interior department taken any final action without first having obtained the consent of the naval bureau interested.

The jury also was told that Secretary Fall never had participated in the interdepartmental conferences which fixed the royalty schedule for the Elk Hills lease.

Appeal to Doheny

In a meticulous account of the last conference on royalties Robison said he appealed to Doheny as a friend to accept preferred terms to overcome the impasse which had developed in the negotiations.

"I told Mr. Doheny: 'Now you are my friend, I appeal to you; for God's sake fix this thing so the navy won't get bilked!'"

"What did Mr. Doheny say?"

"He said 'if there's any talk about bilking in this thing, I'm all through right now'."

"And then what happened?"

"Well, I saw that was apparently the best we could do; the terms were satisfactory. I accepted the compromises schedule he had previously said would be acceptable."

"You agreed, then, on those terms?"

"Yes, sir."

ELDORADO MAN SHOT BY WIFE

His Feminine Companion Also In Hospital With Two Bullet Wounds

SHREVEPORT, La., Dec. 4. (AP)—An automobile chase of two alleged lovers ended in a hospital today after Mrs. T. L. Smith, infuriated wife of one of the pair, shot down her husband and his companion, Mrs. L. R. Simmons, at Vivian, near here.

Smith is owner of valuable oil lands in the Eldorado, Ark., field. Mrs. Simmons is the wife an Eldorado grocer and formerly conducted a boarding house at Eldorado.

The chase was said to have started several miles from Shreveport when Mrs. Smith met the automobile carrying her husband and Mrs. Simmons. She turned her machine around and pursued them.

When they pulled up in front of a drug store at Vivian, she confronted them with a gun. Her husband stepped forward to intervene but was shot, after which she turned the pistol upon his companion, shooting her twice. The two were seriously wounded.

Mrs. Smith was arrested on a charge of shooting with intent to kill and is being held pending the outcome of the injuries.

Mrs. Lurena Nixon of Shreveport, a third passenger in the automobile, said that Smith recognized his wife when his automobile met that driven by her on the roadway. She begged to be permitted to leave the car, she said, but he refused.

HELPLESS, BURNS

Unable to Quit Bed Temple Woman Dies in Fire.

TEMPLE, Texas, Dec. 4.(AP)—Unable to rise from her bed because of illness, Mrs. John Scarborough, 40, was burned to death here today in a fire that destroyed her home. Her bed was enveloped in flames when aid arrived and Mrs. Scarborough was dead before an ambulance could take her to a hospital.

FALLS OFF TRUCK

Child, 4, Injured In Accident At Electra

Special to the Record News.

ELECTRA, Dec. 2.—Howard Garlington, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Garlington, was injured Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in South Field, six miles south of Electra, when he fell off a moving truck and was struck by the trailer. The child's right side was injured, but examination showed he was not seriously hurt, and he was taken home after treatment.

PAUL POTTS DIES

Body Is Sent to Denton For Interment

The body of Paul H. Potts, 24, who died at his home, 1505 Austin street, at 2:30 p. m. Saturday, was last night sent to Denton, Texas, where interment will be held. Details were handled by the Merkle Undertaking company.

Surviving Potts are his wife; his mother, Mrs. W. P. Potts; two brothers, H. E. Potts and W. A. Potts, of Electra, and two sisters, Miss Vivian Potts of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Eliza Dillard, of Lewisville, Texas.

DEADLOCK IN TRIAL

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Agreement on a verdict for two defendants and a "hopeless deadlock" on the other four was reported by the jury in the Morse mail frauds trial today.

Perfume Queen



French perfume-makers have a new queen, officially elected. She is Mlle. Dolores Tares of Paris.

Two Fliers In Narrow Escape

Plane Crashes In Cotton Patch Near Olney When Control Snaps

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Texas, Dec. 4.—Albert Rassmussen, local pilot, and his passenger, Walter Shaw, also of this city, narrowly escaped death when the airplane in which they were riding fell about 35 feet and crashed through a cotton field and into a barbed wire fence early Saturday morning.

Rassmussen was making a landing when control wires broke. The ship was badly damaged, but neither of the fliers were hurt.

COLD WAVE HITS

Raw Wind, Cloudy Sky Spreads Over City

The long-expected cold wave that has been reported from various sections of the country as heading for Texas made good in a desultory way Saturday night by blowing up a blanket of clouds, a raw, cold wind and a dropping temperature.

At midnight there was no indication of this section being in for a severe seige of cold weather, although a noticeable drop had been registered by the thermometer and the spring-like weather of the past few days had given way to a climatic scheme that made fires and heavy clothing agreeable.

Weather forecasts were for colder and probably rain Sunday.

BURNS ARE FATAL

Victim In Temple Tragedy Is Buried Saturday

TEMPLE, Dec. 4. (AP)—Funeral services were held here today for Oscar Robinson, 16, who died following fatal burns received last night when his motorcycle caught fire just after he had had the gasoline tank filled. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson. Gasoline that had been spilled on the machine ignited as the motor was started and the youth was enveloped in flames, dying several hours later in a local hospital.

$25,000 FIRE LOSS

Special to The Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 4.—Fire starting in the sample rooms of the B. Roby and company cotton company and which spread to adjoining buildings threatened nearly a block of business property in the heart of Frederick this morning and caused an estimated loss of $25,000.

WIN ON WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—Half a dozen Chicago speculators, headed by Arthur W. Cutten, have taken more than $10,000,000 in actual and paper profits out of Wall street in the last 30 days through operations in Baldwin Locomotive stock, the New York Times says today.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Sunday probably rain, colder north and east portions; Monday cloudy, local rains in south portion.

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period reported by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature, 79 degrees; minimum, 57; at 5 p. m., 63 degrees no precipitation; north breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity, 10 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity, 18 miles per hour; barometer, 29.32

LAKE REFUSES TO YIELD BODY OF JOE PARVEN

50 Men Daily Work In Probe of Deep Lake For Lost Body

FATHER ON SCENE

Youth Drowned Nov. 21 While Hunting Ducks With Companion

Special to The Record News.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 4.—After a search off thirteen days, with an average of more than 50 men working daily, Deep Lake still holds the body of Joe Parven, 20, McKinney youth, who was drowned Sunday, Nov. 21, while he and Marion Cornell were on the lake in a boat, hunting ducks.

After they had rowed out some distance from shore, the waves became so high and began splashing over in the boat, which excited Parven, and he, according to Cornell's statement, fired his gun into the air, to attract attention of people on the bank of the lake, and jumped into the water, saying that he would swim out.

"I'm Done"—Parven

According to Cornell, Parven treaded water for some minutes, and said, "I am gone, Cornell," and dropped his head, floating on top of the water for about fifteen minutes before he sank.

Cornell said, "he did not die like a drowning man." The boat was capsized, Cornell, who could not swim, hanging onto it until help reached him about an hour later. He was found in a semi-conscious condition.

According to one of the steering committee, which was appointed the first of the week to take charge of the situation at the lake, the search has become discouraging, although they are working every day, using rafts, boats, drags and feeling out the bottom of the lake as thoroughly as possible.

Work Lake Further

The committee was told today by two young men, who claim to have seen young Parven sink, that they had been working too near the bank for the body by as much as a half mile, and Sunday searchers will work that part where these young men say they saw Parven, which gives them some more hopes of finding the body.

The opinion is that his body has not moved from where it sank, owing to the fact that he had on so much clothing, besides a box and a half shells in his pocket.

$175 In Pocket

It has developed that the young man had about $175 on his person at the time he left Memphis Sunday morning before daylight, in company with Cornell.

No trace of any of his clothing has been found about the lake. A letter, which he had received only a few days before from his sister at McKinney, was found on Monday, the next day after his drowning, on the bank, southwest of where he was supposed to have sunk.

Can't Drain Lake

Attempt was made to drain the lake, but as this is a natural body of water, engineers claim that the bottom of the lake is lower than the bottom of Red river into which they would have to drain it, therefore a ditch would have to be cut something like 20 feet deep and twenty feet wide and about three-quarters of a mile long before they could hope to drain the water off, which covers about 700 acres of land. The draining of the lake would incur an expenditure of several thousand dollars.

Father Returns

The father of Parven returned to his home at McKinney last week after being here for several days anxiously waiting for the recovery of his son's body, but again returned Thursday, accompanied by three of his McKinney friends, who are assistting in the search for the body.

FACES BANDIT TRIAL

Ira Akers Accused of Irving Bank Robbery

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Ira M. Akers, charged in an indictment with robbery of the Irving State bank, August 25, will be arraigned before Judge C. A. Pippen Monday.

The Irving bank was robbed by two unmasked men about noon. Bank officials and patrons were made to lie on the floor while the robbers scooped up about $7,000 and fled.

RAIL HEARING

Santa Fe Seeks Permit to Build Into Dallas

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Railroad Commissioners C. V. Terrell and Lon A. Smith left Saturday for Dallas to sit Monday with Assistant Director Burnsides of the interstate commerce commission on the hearing of the application of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway company for a permit to build a line into the city of Dallas.

BOLL COMMISSIONER

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson Saturday appointed B. G. Stafford, Del Rio, member of the pink boll worm commission, which has been called into special meeting, December 12, at Del Rio by George B. Terrell, commissioner of agriculture.

MARINE FACES COURT MARTIAL

He Offers Blood to Save Girl In Defiance of Old Army Rule

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 4. (AP)—J. G. Moore, 20, a United States marine, faces court martial if he persists in an attempt to save a life.

Mildred Manning, 13, lies in a critical condition at a hospital here as the result of tuberculosis. Constant hemorrhages make a blood transfusion necessary at any moment if the girl is to live. Members of her family submitted to blood tests, but these were futile and an appeal was made to marines stationed here.

All volunteered. Moore was selected as the best equipped man from the sacrifice.

In the meantime Maj. E. P. Moses, commandant of the division, announced that the tests were made in violation of navy regulations and that Moore could not offer his blood without a special permit from Washington.

"It is noble of the boy, but if he disobeys the order he faces court martial," Major Moses declared.

"I am ready to go on if they will let me," Moore announced.

Three Justices Bag Wild Game

High Dignitaries of Texas Bench Stage Good Deer Hunt

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Judges of criminal appeals court have returned from a successful deer and turkey hunt in Live Oak county. The three justices brought back two deer and six wild turkeys.

Judge O. S. Lattimore killed a 14-point buck, while Chief Justice W. C. Morrow killed a fleet young nine-point buck. Judge F. L. Hawkins announced before the hunt started he would not try for deer as long as the hot weather held on.

Each member of the party killed two turkeys.

The high court justices made their hunt in the Robert Real ranch of Live Oak county.

TULSA LOSES OUT

Haskell Indians Run Up 27-7 Score Over Hurricane

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 4. (AP)—The Haskell Indians, using heavy line plunges and intermittent aerial attacks, romped away to victory here this afternoon, 27 to 7, over the Tulsa University Golden Hurricane. The Indians for which McClain took the stellar role scored a touchdown in every quarter. Only once did Smith fail to add the extra point when he kicked for the goal posts. Tulsa scored its lone touchdown in the final quarter.

CARTER RETURNED

Suspect in Texas Bank Robbery Brought Home

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Robert Rutland Carter, 26, returned to Dallas from Anaconda, Mont., late Friday to face a charge of robbing the First National bank of Garland, April 1, will go to trial December 13, Judge C. A. Pippen said today. Carter denies he robbed the bank and says he was out of Texas at the time.

GRANDFIELD SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Dec. 4.—The Delphian Literary society delightfully entertained the women teachers of the Grandfield school at the beautiful and spacious home of Mrs. C. L. Mount Wednesday afternoon.

Four unusually clever contests were held. In the "Author Contest" Mrs. C. M. Cramford was presented with a beautiful Japanese crumb set. Miss Emma Rice proved to have the best sense of smell and was awarded a powder puff. Miss Ruby Hudson was able to find the most things on a penny and won a lovely corsage. Miss Lotus Parker was the lucky one in the fourth contest.

A lovely two course luncheon was served to the 17 teachers and 20 members of the Delphian society. Chicken salad, pickles, cheese straws, hot rolls, coffee, angelfood cake with apricots and whipped cream.

The Delphians entertaining the teachers is an annual event. Last year it was given at the home of Mrs. L. E. Church.

Football Queen Crowned

At a special assembly in the high school auditorium Thursday morning Gladys Cathey was crowned football queen by John Hosch, football captain.

After a concert by the high school band the curtain went up to disclose a beautifully decorated throne. Charles Mount Jr., acted as herald and announced the entrance of King Football and his knights of the gridiron. The two duchess' were announced next, followed by the eight princess, who formed an aisle through this the queen and her attendants made their way to the throne.

After the crown was placed on the queen a short program was given as follows:

Football dance — Faith Hanna, "Jimmy and the Baby"—Mae Frances Lawson; football song—Junior high group, Uriah Winn, Fairie Belle Fox. Dance—Genieve Steat. Song—Senior high group. Talk—Harry Chambers.

King Football was John Hosch and his knights of the gridiron were the football boys who have come out all season. These men were: William Dudinhoffer, Ulyin Gilbreath, Elbert Williams, Carl Jones, Wayne Eversole, Aubra Pierce, Leon Ward, Roy Shelton, Norman Clemmer, Taylor Lawson, Jake Smart, Leo Speckman, Harry Manlie Jr., Wayne Phares, Wayne Caldwell, Hugh Riley, Lawrence Vail and Sidney McClain.

Princess' were: Ethel Brasher, Thelma Webb, Lena Winchell, Opal Parker, Anna Jettie Williams and Geraldine Luck.

Duchess' were: Lois and Louise Patterson. Attendants of the queen were Pansy Belle Stansbury as maid of honor, Benna Pike Patterson, crown bearer; Lorene Lawson and Mildred Fern Haidan, flower girls and Marjorie Hines and June Schape, train bearers.

Wife Slayer In New Accusation

Man Adjudged Sane Will Be Tried For Slaying Of S pouse

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—A new murder charge was filed here today against Abraham Baker, 65, wife slayer, who was adjudged sane in habeas corpus proceedings at Terrell Thursday, after nearly two years at the state asylum for insane.

Baker killed his wife, Estella, mother of eight grown children, with a shotgun at their hotel at Grapevine, near here in February, 1925. Witnesses at his lunacy trial said the couple had been happily married for 40 years.

Baker is quoted by officers as saying he was crazed by drinking prescription whiskey. He was committed to the asylum before a murder charge got to a grand jury.

400 TO HEAR DAN

Houston Makes Ready for Gridiron Dinner

HOUSTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—More than 400 reservations are expected for the gridiron dinner to be given here by the Houston salesmanship club on December 18, when Dan Moody, governor-elect of Texas, state, federal and city officials visit Houston. Members of the supreme court of Texas, the railroad commission of Texas, Claude Pollard, attorney general-elect; members of the court of civil appeals, Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson, Dallas Matthews, adjutant general, and the mayors of Galveston, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio are also expected to be present.

PROVENCE NEW TECH MANAGER

He Succeeds Late R. M. Chitwood as Business Manager of College

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—E. W. Provence, Waco, today was elected business manager of the Texas Technological college, Lubbock, at a meeting of the college board of trustees here. He will succeed R. M. Chitwood, who died recently at Dallas.

He is district agent of the Southland Life Insurance company at Waco, had been connected with Baylor university for the 15 years prior to July 25 of this year. During the last six years of his connection he served as business manager and was highly recommended to the board by Dr. S. P. Brooks, president, and Pat M. Neff, president of the board of trustees of Baylor.

PISTOL ARGUMENT

Robbers Wave Gun But Get Only Three Dollars

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 4. (AP)—Two unknown men appeared at the office of the Crystal Ice plant here last night about midnight and at the point of a pistol took three dollars from the pocket of the night watchman, John Pennington.

SOLON'S WIDOW DIES

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—Mrs. Nancy E. Yoakum, 58, widow of the late C. H. Yoakum, attorney for the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad and former Texas congressman, died here today.

Russian Baron Faces U.S. Quiz

Passport of Nobleman Under Suspicion, Reports Dispatch

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—The passport of George Tornow, the Russian baron who was dereft of his wealthy bride a few hours after their elopement Wednesday, was under investigation today by immigration officers. It has been charged that he came to the United States four years ago on a passport good for six months only. Tornow married Florence Marjorie Clendenin, daughter of Joseph Clendenin, vice-president of the American Smelting and Refining company, in defiance of her father and she left her titled husband shortly after the ceremony. The baron has made no attempt to see her since.

INSPECT OIL FIELD

Sixty Texas Company Officials Visit Corsicana

DALLAS, Dec. 4. (AP)—A party of about 60 officials of the Texas company, oil producers and refiners, were inspecting fields near Corsicana today after having visited property near Dallas yesterday. They are on their way to Tulsa to attend the American Petroleum institute, but will visit Amarillo and West Texas on the way.

JANE GIBSON EXCLAIMS

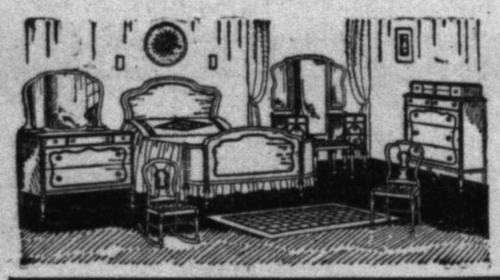
JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 4. (AP)—"Acquitted! Well, can you beat that?" exclaimed Mrs. Jane Gibson, the state's star witness in the Hall-Mills trial when told of the verdict given last night.

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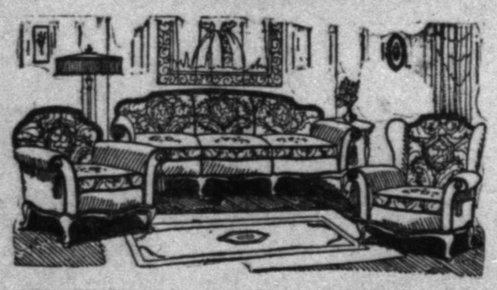
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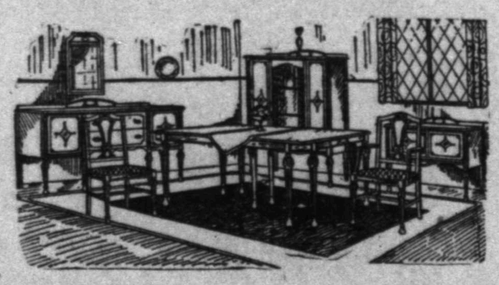
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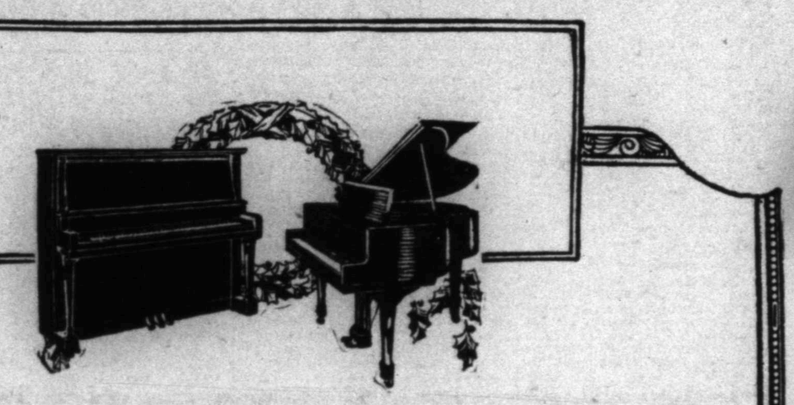
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WEST TEXAS WINS GOLD MEDAL AT SESQUI--CENTENNIAL FAIR

HIGHEST HONOR FOR EXHIBITION WON BY TEXAS

Variety, Scope of Treatment, Wins First Honor For Lone Star Exhibit

Special to The Record News.

STAMFORD, Dec. 4.—West Texas scores again. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce agricultural exhibit at the Sesqui-Centennial exposition in Philadelphia has been awarded the goal medal in competition with exhibits from practically every state in the union.

Judging was made on the basis of scope and variety of products and ingenuity of arrangement and display of the West Texas exhibit, according to a letter received from Sesqui-Centennial officials who complimented most highly the achievement of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in winning the award. The silver medals went to North Carolina and Ohio, and Arkansas took the bronze award.

Exhibit Attractive

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit has attracted great attention since the opening day of the big exposition. B. M. Whiteker, exhibit manager of the organization, went to Philadelphia and personally arranged the exhibit. It is worthy of note that the West Texas display was the only agricultural exhibit ready when the Sesqui opened its doors on June 1, though practically every state exhibited later, some being financed by legislature appropriations.

The West Texas exhibit featured agricultural products of West Texas. A big star, emblematic of the Lone Star State, was made of maize and other grain, sorghums to constitute the center piece of the exhibit. Nine mounted sheep and goats flanked the exhibit on each side and the back ground was a huge horse made of grain sorghums. Worked into the exhibit were artistic bundles of grain, containers filled with threshed wheat from the plains, including samples of the famous 86 bushel per acre wheat of Giles Gardner of Snyder. Cotton was displayed in its different stages with samples of cotton fibers and cotton cloth in process of manufacture. Numbers of bolls of cotton were kept on hand during the season for souvenir distribution. Fruits, vegetables, canned articles and in fact, every variety of product produced in West Texas were constantly supplied the exhibit. Descriptive literature from practically every county and leading towns was distributed from the booth throughout the months of the fair.

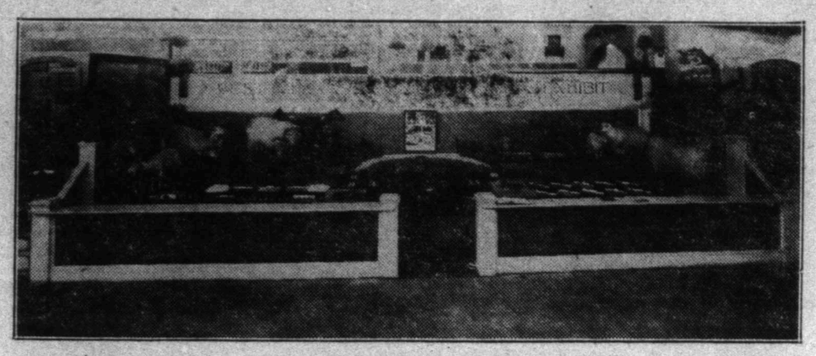
Whiteker Veteran

B. M. Whiteker, exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is a veteran exhibitor of West Texas. His exhibits while secretary of the Haskell Chamber of commerce scored high at every fair, and during his six years as exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce he has won every first prize where he has exhibited except one, and that time damage was done to his products by rats. John Whiteker, son of B. M. Whiteker, was in charge of the Philadelphia booth, and attended to changes in arrangement of new prdoucts sent in.

CIGAR MAGNATE DIES

HAVANA, Dec. 4. (AP)—Eduardo Gato, Sr., multi-millionaire and reported to be the most extensive manufacture of cigars in the world, is dead.

West Texas Exhibit Wins Gold Medal at Philadelphia



This is a recent picture of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit at the Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial exposition. The highest award for state exhibits, a gold medal, has been given the West Texas exhibit, according to announcement by the Sesqui-Centennial board of judges made public Saturday.

CONVICTS FLEE AS GUARDS BUSY AT PRISON BARN FIRE

HUNTSVILLE, Dec. 4.—(AP)—While the large barn at the Wayne Tubercular farm, part of the state penitentiary system, located two miles from Huntsville, was burning to the ground early Saturday, seven convicts escaped. Four were recaptured or gave themselves up within three hours.

The barn was destroyed with 50 tons of hay and feed. All the animals, including 27 mules, 50 cattle, five horses and 37 hogs were saved.

Four escaped convicts were in the group that got away from the farm last week. It was a third escape for one of the men.

BURK MOTHERS CLUB

Special to The Record News.

BURKBURNETT, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Harry B. Lamb was hostess to the Mother's club at its last meeting when Mrs. E. W. Windham was leader of the program which introduced the subject of study by a splendid paper entitled "What Every One Loses Who Is Not Familiar With Bible Stories."

Other papers in different phases of the general subject of child study in the home were given by talks or papers by Mesdames R. L. Cunningham, Frank Kelley, Paul Browning and Westerfield.

Two readings by Miss Pansy Mills added to the pleasure of the program which was concluded with a dainty refreshment course served by the hostess.

Those in attendance were Mesdames H. A. Dodson, E. W. Windham, Russell Cunningham, Paul Browning, Butler Westerfield, W. D. Utts, R. H. McFarlane, Frank Kelley, Clayton White, Carl Cowles, A. H. Loehofner, S. G. Cruse and two special visitors, Miss Mills and Mrs. C. M. Clisbey.

The next meeting will be at the Baptist church at 3 o'clock, December 7, when Mrs. Cariker will lead the lesson study and Mrs. Dodson will have charge of the round table discussion and review on the last two meetings.

SCIENCE CELEBRATES

The University of Montpelier will celebrate shortly, with fitting ceremonial, the centenary of the discovery of bromides. Just a hundred years ago Jerome Balard, aged 23, instructor in chemistry at the faculty of science, announced that he had discovered new substance in sea-water to which he gave the name of Muride, which name was afterward changed, with the consent of the discoverer, to bromide by Gay Lussac, Vauquelin and Thenard.

Negro Loses His Leg Under Train

Accident Victim in Serious Condition in Quanah Hospital

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Dec. 4.—Dave Booker, a negro, aged about 20, is in a critical condition here as the result of falling under a moving train.

Booker was attempting to board a freight train to go to his home in Jefferson, Texas, when his foot slipped, throwing his left leg on the rails. Two wheels passed over his left leg, severing it, and, writhing in agony, he placed his right leg on the track.

Lee Wilson of the Quanah Coal and Grain company arrived at the negro's aid and pulled him from under the train, saving his right leg and perhaps his life.

Attending physicians stated that the right leg would probably have to be amputated as it was badly mangled.

BUM TATER CROP

This year's potato crop is the worst on record, the yield being about half the average. The failure of the crop will be seriously felt this winter. In addition to forming a large part of the diet of this winter. In addition to forming a large part of the diet of the poor, potatoes are largely used in feeding pigs, and the dearth will send up not only the price of the tubers, but also the price of pork.

Paint your Christmas presents. Free Demonstration, Furniture Painting week of December 6th. Chas. E. Watson Paint Co., 807 Indiana.—Adv.

MYERS BOOMED FOR STATE JOB

Former Labor Bureau Leader Proposed to Moody For Old Post

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Joseph S. Myers of Houston, former state labor commissioner, has been endorsed to Governor-elect Dan Moody for the same post in the Moody administration by both labor organizations and employers.

Whether Mr. Myers will be offered the post of labor commissioner again has not been disclosed. He is not an applicant for appointment, it is known. Voluntary endorsements, based on his service previously, have been sent to Moody by the hotel operators, the laundry owners, other employers' associations, and by rail brotherhoods and other labor organizations, it is known.

Mr. Myers, who was in Austin during the past week, said the endorsements had come as a surprise to him, and that he had not applied for appointment to the state post. He declined to comment on prospects for the appointment, but said that he was not here in connection with the coming appointments by Moody.

Mr. Myers is now with the labor bank in Houston. He was formerly copublisher of the Southwestern Railway Journal. He has taken part in national political affairs, having assisted the national democratic headquarters in organization work during presidential campaigns. He is a close personal friend of William G. McAdoo, and was one of the hosts to McAdoo when the candidate for president made his trip through Texas in 1924.

Mr. Myers established a chain of free state employment bureaus to assist farmers in securing harvest labor, and to aid the unemployed to reach work without gathering in too great numbers in one locality.

$100 STAMP THEFT

MONTREAL, Quebec, Dec. 4. (AP)—Robbers early today broke into the offices of Swift & Company, bound a night watchman and escaped with $100 in postage stamps. Early estimates fixed the loot at $25,000, but it was later discovered that there were two safes and the one containing the $25,000 was not forced.

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They are not well known in America and I found in going to the Metropolitan Museum in New York that they did not have a type on exhibition and I presented them with one rug from this collection that I brought over from Spain in the summer.

They are authentically good or the Museum would not have accepted the rug in question because they reserve the right to accept or reject anything that is offered to them. There is nothing in the Museum that is not worth while.

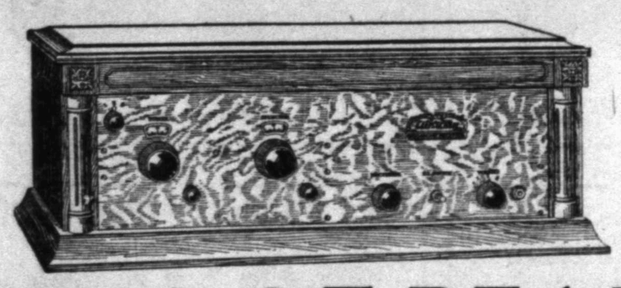
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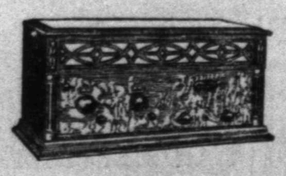
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U. S. CONGRESS MEETS MONDAY

Solons Assemble At Capital For Three Months Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—To all intents and purposes congress had assembled tonight for a three months session, although the formality of banging the gavel ending a five-month recess will not take place until Monday at noon.

The senators and representatives are nearly all here; they have been doing the things that are most necessary to get through the legislative program for several days in private and unofficial conferences outside the legislative chambers in restaurants, in offices and elsewhere.

Tomorrow will bring in some tardy members, and some will come in even on Monday morning, but so far as the activities of the capital are concerned, the session is officially on.

Thrusting aside vexatious problems such as taxation, insurgents, radio control and others, the Republican leadership looked far enough ahead today to map out a program for a week ahead for the house at least.

Business will be the keynote after an early adjournment on Monday and Tuesday out of respect for members who have died during the recess. President Coolidge's messages are expected to be read on Tuesday and most of the remainder of the week will be given to a consideration of the treasury-post office appropriation bill.

OLNEY PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Dec. 4.—Hubert Harrison, one of the speakers at the Rotary dinner Tuesday evening at the Country club spent Tuesday in Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. McAllister spent Thanksgiving holidays in Lehigh, Okla., with relatives.

Misses Louise and Jannette Scott returned Sunday to Fort Worth where they are attending T. C. U., after having spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. McKinney and sons, Elliston, Hugh and Carlton have returned from a trip to Waco, Temple and Cameron, where they spent the holidays with relatives and friends.

Mrs. George Roach and Mrs. Edwin Hooker spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls.

Misses Lucy and Katherine Manton of Oklahoma, who have spent the last fortnight as guests in the Cooper home, returned home Tuesday. Miss Mary Katherine Cooper was home during the Thanksgiving season from T. C. U. in Fort Worth; and Robert Cooper returned Monday to N. M. M. I. in Roswell after having spent the holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooper.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Lindsey arrived Thursday from Gatesville where they have lived for the past four years. Rev. Lindsey succeeds Rev. M. D. Council, who has been pastor here for the past four years, having ben appointed to the passate in Belton.

B. C. Schulkey returned Tuesday for El Paso where he attended the annual meeting of the Texas Teachers' association.

Mr. and Mrs. Will O'Connell left Saturday for Waco where they will spend the week-end with Mrs. O'Connell's father.

Mrs. D. M. Jackson, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Alexander, is very much improved.

Mrs. W. N. Lunn spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Dr. and Mrs. Fern Robertson have moved into the attractive new George Rice Cottage on West Second street.

HASKELL SOCIETY

Special to The Record News.

HASKELL, Dec. 3. — A lovely banquet was served Mrs. F. T. Sander's Sunday school class at the coffee shop of the Tonkawa hotel on Thanksgiving evening and Mack Martin as toastmaster saw to it that there was not a dull moment. The special program was opened by the invocation by O. E. Patterson followed by a piano solo by Mrs. Patterson; a reading by Miss Francis Grissom; main Thanksgiving talk, Emory Menefee.

Those present were members and escorts: Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Southern, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sprowles, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shriver, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mays, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Squires, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Crow, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Oates, Mrs. Harlin Hester and Mrs. Vivian Hatch of Big Spring, Mrs. Opal Rash, Misses Alberta Smith, Leda Bolin, Agnes Cox, Ermine Daugherty, Nona Kirkpatrick, Lois Earnest, Frances Grissom, Lela Welsh, Lewis Manley and Messrs. Bert Welsh, Oscar Oates, Reynold Wilson, Emory Menefee, John Rike, Kenneth Thornton, Irwin Whitmire, Weldon Moss, Ben Bagwell, David Perrin and J. D. Hughes.

Find Work You Are Best Fitted For, Is Advice Of Small To U. Club

"To take the sting out of work is to find the work you are best fitted for," declared Dr. James Small of Kansas City, evangelist, who spoke to the University club Saturday at the Kemp on "Variety in Work."

"Everything a man does is to make a living which should be 'life,' full of wealth, faith, hope, love, consecration and character. The business life is to make a character. Jeremiah said, 'Cursed is the man who does the work of God negligently.' We are all doing the same work—helping humanity and working for God," and he urged people not to wait and look for the coming of Christ but to be working and ready.

Arthur Haley, magician, entertained with a number of sleight-of-hand tricks that proved interesting and humorous to the club.

Dr. Small is concluding Sunday a revival meeting at Highland Heights Christian church where he has been preaching the last two weeks. Mr. Haley has been directing the music campaign.

A sing-song led by Alva Willgus with Mrs. Hermoine Stewart Vaughn playing the accompaniment.

The speakers were introduced by Judge B. D. Sartin. Short talks were made by Dr. J. W. Cantwell and J. H. Allison. The club voted to remember one of its enthusiastic workers, Mrs. J. S. Pitman, who has been seriously ill, by sending her a Christmas turkey as a gift of appreciation from the club.

Wilson-Johnson Wedding.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Clifton, on Thanksgiving morning their youngest daughter, Dorothy Clifton Wilson, became the bride of Henry J. Johnson of Santa Cruz, N. M. The house was banked in lovely flowers from the Clifton gardens and the bride was gowned in a going-away frock of red brown and carried a shower bouquet of chrysanthemums and pink rose buds, the gift of the groom. Only close friends and relatives were present. Judge Bruce W. Bryant pronounced the ceremony. The happy couple left immediately for Santa Cruz, where the groom is the proprietor of the Riverside apiaries. The bride's parents are listed among the pioneer and prosperous residents of Haskell county.

EX-JUDGE SUICIDES

RICHMOND, Dec. 4. (AP)—Judge C. S. Hannum, 70, who formerly served on the superior bench in Montana and the territorial bench in Alaska, committed suicide by asphyxiation in his office here last night.

20-STORY THEATER

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—Rumors that 18 or 20-story combined theater and office building will be erected here accompanied the announcement today that the Jones Brothers, Houston capitalists, have bought the Touraine building and an adjoining lot for $200,000.

GRANDFIELD NOTES

Special to The Record News.

GRANDFIELD, Dec. 4. — Mrs. Reed Anderson and daughter, Shirley Jean, are visiting her sister of Electra, Texas, this week.

Miss Artine Bowers of Velma is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Wooten this week.

Those who attended the football game between Ringling and Frandfield at Comanche were Allan Holt, Marsin Wolf, Raymond Erusale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson, Mrs. C. L. Mount, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crawford, Mrs. W. A. Fuqua, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dudenhoffer and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Clemmer.

County Agent T. H. Beaty met the poultry judging class of Grandfield high school Wednesday.

Dr. W. A. Fuqua left Thursday for the Rio Grande valley to transact business.

Miss Lorina McRay of Davidson is visiting Miss Lois Patterson of this city.

Mrs. J. T. Broyles and daughter, Jarvis Jean, and Mrs. Lesley Standley and daughter, Katie Nell, were visitors in Snyder Thursday.

J. W. Ireadville returned home the first part of the week from Amarillo.

C. C. Lear transacted business in Lawton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nance left the first part of the week for Clarendon, Texas, to make their future home.

Mrs. R. E. Dycus of Ludy, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Gomley, who has been ill for some time.

B. Braston Young transacted business in Burkburnett, Texas, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Lee Griffith and Mrs. Jack Henderson were visitors in Wichita Falls Wednesday.

County Engineer Divight Powell transacted business in Grandfield Wednesday in interest of the Red river drainage project.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hammonds are the proud parents of a nine pound boy, born Tuesday.

County Commissioner E. M. Cason was in the city Wednesday on official business.

MORE CORK LEGS

DALLAS, Dec. 4.(AP)—Business in artificial legs and arms is on the increase, the United States department of commerce announced in a report released Saturday in Dallas.

Thieves Steal Pants and Cash

Three Electrans Are Victims In Raids On Homes By Burglars

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Dec. 4.—Three citizens of Electra awoke this morning to find their trousers gone and with them all the small change and valuable papers they contained. Police are on the lookout for the robbers, and from the evidence believe the three robberies were done by the same group.

C. C. Thrasher of the Stidham and Thrasher Oil firm lost $40 in cash, a valuable watch as well as important papers in his bill fold which were in his trousers.

C. A. Lininger, one of the owners of the United States Machine shop, lost a watch and $13 cash. C. E. Blakely, the third one of the victims, lost a small sum of money which was also carried off in his trousers.

No arrests had been made Saturday evening.

LANDMARK DESTROYED

LUFKIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Fire of undetermined origin Friday afternoon destroyed one of the landmarks of Lufkin, the Tyler hotel. The hotel has been operated for several years by Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tyler.

City Briefs

Mrs. Roy E. Carter is reported improving following a week's illness.

Mrs. J. S. Riggs and Mrs. E. R. O'Brien have returned from Amarillo, where they visited relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Pitman, who has been seriously ill at the residence on Huff this week, is reported improving.

Miss Virginia Lomax, who underwent an appendicitis operation at a local hospital, is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. S. J. Naylor, 1310 Filmore, has as her guest Mrs. Jones of Haskell, who is here for treatment at the Clinic hospital.

Dr. Martha Eichelberger, national representative of American Red Cross of St. Louis, is a guest of local Red Cross officials.

The regular meeting of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, December 11, has been postponed until Tuesday, December 14. Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Bernard Martin, 1512 Buchanan street.

DOHENY PUT TO BED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—E. L. Doheny, veteran oil man, and defendant in the Elks Hills conspiracy in the District of Columbia supreme court, was ordered to bed today by physicians, who have bene treating him for a week for an infection in his left arm.

SKIES HAZY

Saturday's Weather Continues To Be Warm.

Hazy skies predominated in Saturday's weather in the vicinity of Wichita Falls. An average wind velocity of 10 miles an hour kept up throughout the 24-hour period, closing at 5 o'clock Saturday. The forecast for Sunday was colder and occasional rain.

SEVEN FATALITIES

Amarillo Reports Many Accidents For Month

AMARILLO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Seven deaths, 12 serious injuries and 13 less serious injuries, resulted from accidents in Amarillo in the past month. Four of the seven were killed in automobile accidents, two were killed by trains and one in a fall from a building under construction.

TO HOLD MEMORIAL

Elks Lodge to Hold Services Here Sunday Afternoon

Memorial services for members of the Elks lodge who have died during the last year will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Majestic theater. The eulogy to I. H. Roberts, Sylvan Scholsberg, W. W. Gardner and H. C. Bracey will be delivered by Judge B. D. Sartin. W. B. Garrett of Austin will bring the memorial day address, according to announcement.

The general committee of the lodge is composed of A. L. Huey, C. E. Woods, A. H. Britain, J. T. Young, A. E. Myles, E. G. Hill, Wm. N. Bonner, Carter McGregor, J. S. Bridwell, A. M. Miller, J. B. Marlow, C. K. Johnson and B. A. Lowry.

Joseph Wells is the name Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Clifford have given to their infant son.

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MANY HATS IN RING FOR 1928 DEMOS' CHOICE

Warm Race for Presidential Nomination Assured In Party Ranks

BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
(Special Writer for The Record News.)

In the third of this series of articles, Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York was given the place of honor, for the reason that he is looked upon as one of the outstanding democrats of the country owing to his smashing victories, his ability as a vote-getter, his remarkable record as an executive and the additional fact that he has apparently placed New York in the democratic column of states. This, the fourth of the series will deal with other possibilities who are in the limelight in connection with the democratic presidential nomination in 1928.

William Gibbs McAdoo of California is given the first mark of recognition. His record as a politician, his record as a builder of tubes which was his first start, his career as a financier, his work as secretary of the treasury and director general of railways in war time, his retirement from politics to pursue the law and business are known to all people who read and think. Born in Georgia, he moved to Tennessee. Then the east cast its lure and he journeyed to New York. There he found himself. Then the west lured him and he became a citizen of the Golden Coast state, where he practiced law and finance.

Defeated In 1920.

He was defeated for a presidential nomination in 1920. He was defeated for a presidential nomination in 1924. When defeat came he caught a steamer for Europe and on his return if he lifted his voice loudly for John W. Davis, it is not a matter of history. He is a man of many accomplishments, a splendid campaigner and a most adroit politician. He will be 67 in 1928; but the age limit does not frighten him and he has declared himself as the wearer of the mantle of William Jennings Bryan, the undying champion of the Volstead act, the apostle of a political combination between the conservative south and the radical west, with the hope of luring the republican radicals into the democratic camp.

He is on the road again. All his country in the Rocky mountains and west of the rockies is republican territory. He locked horns with Smith in 1924. He is bent upon locking horns again with Smith in 1928. Then comes the man known as Honest Vic Donahey of Ohio. He was a printer boy in his youth. He has character and ability as an executive. He has carried Ohio in the race for governor three times and Ohio is a Gibralter of the Republican party. He is a dry democrat, a Methodist; he has a wife who believes in him and they are the parents of 11 children.

Record Is Clean.

There isn't a splotch on his record in private or public life. He has the backing, or has had the backing, of the farmers of Ohio, the labor organizations of Ohio and they believe in him. He has been the democratic nominee for governor four times and won three victories. He has fought a republican legislature and board of control for six years. He is not a candidate for the presidential nomination. He has said that he knows his limitation. He has never journeyed as far east as New York. He is a home-spun democrat of the home-spun type. He is in the early fifties, a giant of a man and a fighter who has never turned his back to the foeman.

Ohio is the land of Atlee Pomerene. He had served in the senate. He was a democratic nominee this year. Democratic leaders looked upon him as a presidential possibility if he won election this year. He was weak where Donahey was strong. Donahey was reelected governor by approximately 15,000 majority and Pomerene was defeated by about 90,000 majority. Democratic leaders in Ohio say that if Pomerene had not been on the ticket, Donahey would have won by not less than 125,000. It is rather significant that in 1922 when Donahey and Pomerene were on the ticket for governor and senator, Donahey won by 18,000 and Pomerene lost by 40,000, and in 1924 when Pomerene was not on the ticket, Donahey won by 176,000.

Pomerene Eliminated.

Pomerene has been eliminated. He is not a possibility. He is in the discard insofar as democratic leadership is concerned. Donahey as governor is credited with many reforms dear to the common people, many reductions in taxes, many cuts in the cost of government and has had no super-boss at his elbow. As has been stated he is not a candidate, but the Ohio democrats who are close to Donahey insist that if the republicans renominate Calvin Coolidge, the democrats must go west for a standard bearer and they point to their governor as the most available compromise for the factions of the democratic party.

There is another outstanding democrat in who is close to the commoners and the only man in the history of Maryland ever given a second and then a third term. He is a bachelor, he is one of the handsomest men in the political eye of America, he has never met with defeat and in his veins flows the blood of the Gabells, the Ritchies and other ancient families of Maryland and Virginia. Governor Ritchie is a presidential possibility, he is for the modification of the Volstead act, he is an able champion of the dogma known as state rights, he is under 50 and as bold as a lion. This is his challenge:

Dry Change Needed

"Either the Volstead act must be changed or it must be enforced. I am convinced it cannot be enforced. We have spent nearly $150,000,000 trying t oenforce it and have sacrificed nearly $4,000,000,000 in taxes while the effort has been made and our last state is worse than the efirst. The democratic creed offers the one and only solution. We have always believed in the right of each state to settle in its own way questions which intimately concern its people, its peace, its order, its morals and its customs. This is such a question. It is for principles that I plead, for policies, for fundamentals and a return to local self-government will tend to put an end to sectional controversies, group interests and class conflicts."

Maryland is a border state, Maryland has a large body of independence in the city of Baltimore, and these independents have backed Ritchie in every campaign that he has made and their leaders represent the industries and the wealth of the Oriole City.

Reed Is Possibility

Missouri is another border state and Missouri is a western state. There is a democratic possibility in Missouri, Senator James A. Reed, who will be a contender for the democratic nomination. He is the hot spur of the democratic party, the most forceful debator in the senate and one of the most courageous men in public life. He will retire from the senate in 1929 with three terms to his credit or 18 years given in the service of the people of his state.

He has announced that he has had a sufficiency in the upper house and the democrats of Missouri who follow his flag will battle for a delegation pledged to his support and candidacy as the favorite son of Missouri. In the November elections Governor Smith put himself over and he put a republican senator out of business.

In Ohio Vic Donahey ran far ahead of his ticket and won, but was unable to carry Pomerene to victory. In Maryland Governor Ritchie smashed all precedents when he won the third term and he carried with him to victory his candidate for the United States senate and retired a republican senator. In Missouri was the same. Reed backed Harry Hawes for senator and Reed won.

Hawes defeated a republican and made it possible for Missouri to be represented in the upper house by two followers of Jefferson.

Editor's Note: The fifth of the series will contain Mr. Fitzgerald's summary of first cloises as the situation now stands. Of course, the changes in the next two years will be reasonably be expected to upset one or both of the first choices.

PATROL BOATS CHASE PIRATE

"Freebooter of Sea" Reported Active Off Coast of United States

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 4. (AP)—Two fast patrol boats, the CG-294 and the CG-297, have been sent into British colonial waters near Gun Caya, 50 miles east of Miami, to search for a vessel said to have committed acts of piracy. The United States vessels were hurriedly dispatched last night on orders from Washington, which were said to have resulted from a plea made by British officials.

The vessel sought is said to be a 150-foot motor boat, painted gray to resemble the coast guard ships and to use the French flag occasionally.

ACTRESS ACCUSED

Marjorie Rambeau Named In Divorce Litigation

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Marjorie Rambeau, actress, was ordered today to show cause Monday why she should not be named in a contempt charging the alienation of affections of William Kebitt Manton, actor.

The order was sought through Mrs. Mabel Manton, who obtained an interloctury decree of divorce this week from Manton, after naming Miss Rambeau as co-respondent.

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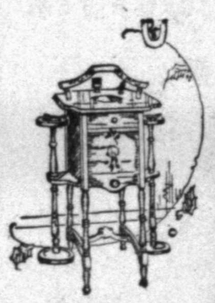
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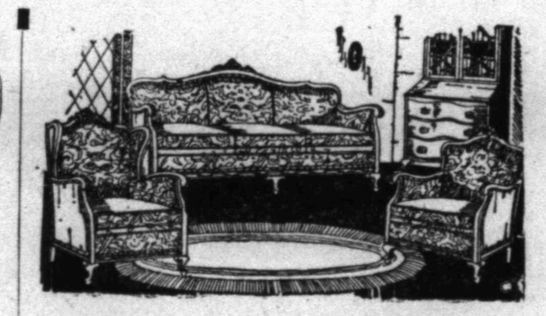
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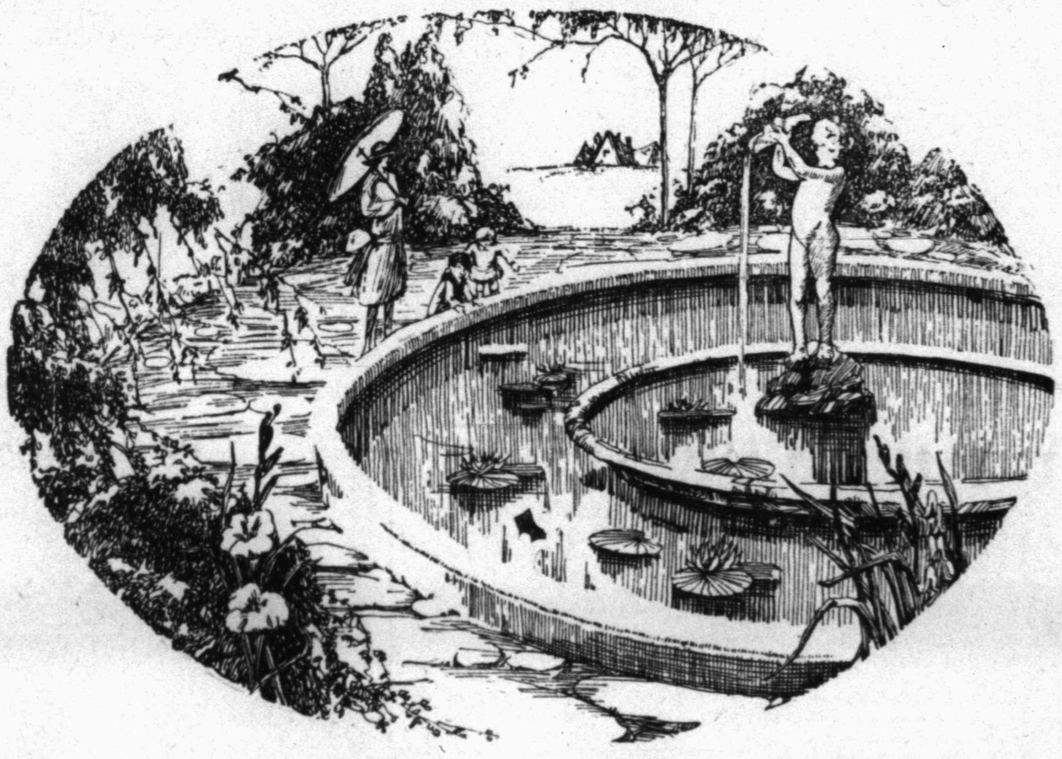
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TEXAS AND PROSPERITY

IN order to keep the fleecy staple records straight the largest crop of cotton in American history will exceed 15,000,000 bales and this indicated crop is 2,295,000 bales larger than the yield of 1925. Of this year's indicated crop, 12,953,708 bales have been ginned to November 14. Texas is credited with 5,800,000 bales; Oklahoma with 1,880,000 bales.

In other words the two states of Texas and Oklahoma produced 7,680,000 bales in a single year, breaking all records since the man with the hoe invaded the country known as the great southwest. This is almost staggering, beyond belief, but the wise ones say there will be money in cotton before the end of the fiscal year which comes July 31 1927. There will not be money in cotton at the close of the fiscal year in July, 1928, should another bumper crop be produced in the American belt.

This for the bankers, this for the landowners, this for the merchants and this for the writers on cotton economics. In 1926 a great wheat crop came to Texas, a great corn crop, a great oat crop, a great feedstuffs crop, a great vegetable crop, a great fruit and berry crop, a great poultry crop and a great petroleum crop.

This is one of the reasons why Texas will feed themselves until the new crops are grown next year and they will keep at home from two to three hundred millions of dollars that, in other years have, been sent to outside states for the necessities or the necessaries of life.

There is a new Texas on the way. It will be the Texas of diversified farming and a disappearance of tenant farmers who place all their eggs in one basket (the cotton basket) by command of those who own the land or control the credits of the commonwealth.

MACKLYN ARBUCKLE

MACKLYN ARBUCKLE, star of the stage and screen, is very ill in Waddington, N. Y. He is suffering from a nervous breakdown. Macklyn Arbuckle is a native Texan. He was educated for the law and became an actor. He has played to Texas audiences in every city and town in the state. He was the star of many of the plays that made George Ade fame and fortune.

When he was just old enough to vote he was elected justice of the peace at Texarkana. Texarkana was wild and wooly in those days. Macklyn was and is a man of peace. He tangled his feet in the footlights, joined a company of strolling players and the law knew him no more.

His father was a famous blockade runner in the closing years of the Civil war. As for his son, he won national fame as an orator, an actor and a writer and then the movies came, followed by the World war, and this closed a thousand playhouses in America for road shows and the celebrities of the stage for the most part abandoned the footlights for the screen.

This is a world of change. Macklyn found it so. Now he is preparing to make his last exit.

SHAW AND THE TEACHERS

GEOFGE BERNARD SHAW, world famous Irish playright and satirist as well as winner of the Nobl. prize, made a hit when he declared that women are better educators for having children of their own. He made a big hit in the British Isles and a bigger hit on this side of the blue Atlantic.

According to a New York journal, at least 3000 teachers in the public schools of New York heartily agree with Bernard Shaw that a teacher who is also a mother is the better for it.

The New York 3000 are mothers of children and the saying of Shaw, "it would be far more sensible to refuse to allow any woman to become a teacher unless she has had at least one baby and looked after it properly than to dismiss a teacher on the ground that her responsibility as a mother were in conflict with her school duties.

Indeed, Shaw advised that members of school boards who dismissed teachers who were mothers deserv. to be ducked in the river. Why shouldn't women be better educators for having children of their own?

MONEY FOR MAGIC VALLEY

TOTAL shipments of fruits and vegetables out of the lower Rio Grand Valley to Saturday, Nov. 21, were 211 cars, more than twice the total that had moved at the same time last year. It is said that the total included 196 carloads of citrus fruits and 15 carloads of vegetables, the vegetable movement having started last week. At the same time last year the shipments out of the valley were 35 cars vegetables and 64 cars of citrus fruit. A Harlingen exchange says vegetable shipments are expected to mount rapidly in the very near future. Irrigated farming appears to pay.

TEXAS TURKEYS IN DEMAND.

A TRADE journal makes the interesting announcement that train loads of turbeys are being shipped daily to all parts of the United States. An export counter furnishes the information that 1500 cars are required for the annual Texas turkey crop. Each car accommodates approximately 15,000 turkeys and the annual revenue from this business in Texas is above the $8,000,000 mark. In the good old days all the turkeys in Texas were wild ones and their slaughter did not place millions in the pockets of Texas wealth makers.

TIME AND THE TIDE

THE DAWN

Get up tomorrow and see the sun rise. While it is yet dark, push back the curtains, view the splendid spectacle of the Dawn. No doubt, years have vanished since that early day when the Dawn meant something to you. Let that Dawn return to your soul. It will give you a new slant on life.

For the Dawn is the oldest Drama known to man, yet always the newest. Each morning while you are sound asleep, that Drama is re-enacted. Slowly, very slowly, the light returns, the wandering sun is there to bless the lives of men. Suppose, one morning, the sun should never return?

It requires no profound knowledge of life or history to know that man was a sun-worshiper long before he had any other religion.

In man's earliest tropical Eden, wherever it was, the sun even as today still goes down rather suddenly, at nightfall, and there is no twilight, as in the northern lands in which we live. And in the equatorial birthland of our race, at night it was cold, very cold, and our remote ancestors who lived like beasts in caves and ate their food raw, shivvered through the long night.

But when the sun came up in the morning, warming the half-frozen blood of the cave-dwellers, no wonder that our primitive forefathers believed that the source of all life was the sun, and worshiped the sunrise. Come now, what think you?

There is a tinge of the old superstition still deep in your unconscious mind, the instincts come down out of the remote past. There is something about the gradual appearance of the sun in the early morning, as the rosy dawn blushes, that gives you a strange rather uncanny feeling; yet it is too as though you were meeting an old, old friend. You can't help that; it's in the blood.

And if of a sudden the sun did not, one morning come back, man at that awful moment would write "Finis!" to all his proud brags of his own importance. He and all his works would be no more, forever.

So, tomorrow, perhaps after many, many years arouse yourself from your dull torpor, get up and life the curtain on the rosy east. Modern men know too little of the transcendant beauties of the sunrise, the return of the light to warm our earth and to bless mankind.

Pepper Paragraphs

BY SCISSORS

Roy Barton White who at the age of 43 is president of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, formerly was a telegrapher. For 25 years his career was dotted with successes as he dashed to the top.

Isn't it justlike the thrifty Cal Coolidge to credit your rebate on this year's taxes against your next year's bill instead of permitting you to have a little real change to jingle in your pocket?

A government report says that South African belles are buying American perfumes. Well, just so they buy some kind.

A strange fish, the astroscopus, can discharge 50 volts of electricity. Isn't that stunning?

Tobacco smoke will kill hibernating mosquitoes, tut that's not the kind we care about killing.

London's "snootiest" institution is a new beauty parlor for dogs.

Four-fifths of our imported molasses comes from Cuba, which is expected to make our friendship with Cuba stick.

Fashionable London women are turning down home-made shoes to wear Russian boots. The bolsheviks are probably getting a big kick out of that.

We are now greatly interested in preserving the property rights of American citizens in Mexico. The United States knows her oil.

A good theatrical producer sometimes makes a laughing success out of a crying shame.

A friend is one who is still there after the trap has been sprung and the body is being cut down.

LYRICS OF LIFE

BY DOUGLAS MALLOCH

TO BE A BOY

It must be great to be a boy,
To look at life through eyes of joy,
With even something to be done,
To hop and skip and make it fun.
Why, even when the world looks wrong
A boy can take a dog along,
Explore a hundred mysteries
His solemn elder never sees.

To be a boy, that must be fine,
To dream of things, and things design,
And, when the dream will not come true,
To start to dreaming something new.
Men's disappointments make them old,
And leave them weary, leave them cold:
Boys' disappointments in an hour
Pass over like a summer show'r.

To be a boy, that must be great,
To play the game without a hate,
And, when you lose, not men to blame,
But think about tomorrow's game.
For what's one game? The game goes on
Again tomorrow with the dawn,
And men might wisely look at life,
As youngsters do at schoolyard strife.

It must be great a boy to be,
By hate untouched, from worry free,
And when we lose, for loss there is,
To have a heart as light as his.
It must be great to be a boy
And look at life through eyes of joy:
And that's the reason I intend
To be a boy until the end.

When the Bombarding Started



The First Shell Came Screaming Down The Line From The Right

Spewing Death and Fire; A Great Triumvirate



Reading Left to Right—Odette, Three Soldiers, and Duck, Anatole. A Machine-Gunner.

RING EXPLAINS THE TRUTH; PRESS RUINS HIM

He Gets a Divorce; The Storm Breaks and He Quits

This chapter is one I would not have written but for the insistence of my relatives and friends who are aware of the injustice done me by the press and have persuaded me that it is only fair to myself and them that I state, for once and all, the true facts of the case.

The subject is my divorce from my first wife, Hugga Much, or rather (thanks to perjured evidence and a "judge" so crooked that the state automobile association had fairly plastered his body with signs reading: "Danger! Reverse Curve Ahead!") her divorce from me.

We had been married only a few years when the storm broke. We were living in Gluten, N. Y., and while nominally proprietors of the postoffice there, were cleaning up a tidy fortune through the barter of dog muzzles, assorted beanies and fleabane. It netted us so little profit to conduct the regular business of a postoffice that we had discouraged Glutenites from buying such things as envelopes and stamps, telling them either that we were just out of those commodities or that the ones we had in stock were infected, or otherwise damaged.



The Citizens Carried Muskets Instead of Canes.

Ring Talks it Over With Rival

This finally, through some jealous busybody, was called to the attention of Postmaster General Basil Paunch and that official personally came up from Washington to investigate. At his first sight of Hugga, he forgot all about the business that had brought him and fell violently in love. His love was returned and one day I stumbled upon the ungainly pair playing "Nine Men's Morris" at the municipal filling station. To avoid a scene, I ordered Paunch to visit me at my office and when I met him there, we had quite a talk.

He told me it got awfully hot in Washington in the summer months, but the springs and falls were lovely and the winters much milder than in New York. The principal streets, he said, were named after states or letters of the alphabet.

(Editor's note: My sister Cora, who visited Washington at the time of President McKinely's inauguration, wrote me that G street was one of the main business thoroughfares.)

(Author's note: It was, and still is.)

(Editor's note: It was during this trip that Cora became acquainted with Wayne Pardee.))

(Author's note: Not THE Wayne Pardee!)

(Editor's note: A nephew.)

Morgue Offers Relief For Housing Problem

I started my divorce suit in Sullivan County, but my wife asked for a change of venue as the doctor said it would do her good. Neither of us had ever been to Chicago for a really long stay, so we chose the Crescent City for the scene of action. We found it much the same as New York except that the citizens carried muskets instead of canes. State Street had just been provided with a blazing new system of lights as a result of complaints of machine gunners that because of poor visibility, hundreds of harmless matricides had been mistaken for bystanders and shot down or up.

On the day preceding the opening of the case, 46 special trainloads of co-respondents reached the city. In the forenoon they were received by the then Mayor, Gifford Pelk, and given the keys to their trunks, which had been opened by mistake. A tour of the Stockyards and breweries took up the balance of the day, and then came the problem of sleeping accomodations. Even with cots lining all the halls, the hotels were unable to take care of the co-respondents named either by Huugga or me and a panic was averted only by a great idea born in the brain of a well-known newspaper man, James Crusinberry.

"First," he said, "get everybody to bed that has a bed. Then assemble the left-overs and tell them to take a walk around the block. Thus they will all be provided with a lodging."

"Where?" inquired a man with a pointed beard.

"In the Morgue," replied Mr. Crusinberry.

"One time," put in another stranger, "we had a case somewhat similar to this in my home town, Cincinnati. There were so many co-respondents that the hotels could not accommodate half of them. So a committee of citizens went to the outskirts of town and put up tents for the overflow. They called it the Tent City."

"That wouldn't do here," said a man whose name turned out to be Frank Bering.

"Why not?" asked the stranger.

"Because," said Mr. Bering, "Chicago is the Second City, not the Tent."

BRUCE AN OUTCAST

LONDON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Premier Bruce of Australia is in bad grace with the "tailor and cutter," the London Trade Magazine which voices the decrees of style dictators. Mr. Bruce wears spats.

"And why does Mr. Bruce wear spats?" asks the horrified "Tailor and Cutter." "They are not an Australian fashion. Neither are they worn nowadays by smartly dressed men in London. Spats are essentially a dandy article of attire, but they belong to the vogue of yesteryear."



One Day I Stumbled Upon The Ugainly Pair Playing "Nine Men's Morris."

Marines Go Forward To Carry The Battle of St. Etienne to the Boch As Ridge Shake and Thunder With Fire

Several were killed but the regimental commanders considered themselves lucky to remove their men without further loss. Once established near the dread Essen Hook the order was given to attack—instructions being issued for the fifth marines to act as support troops for the sixth who were aiming to seize Blanc Mont itself. After a day's furious fighting word came back that the sixth hadattained their objective while the fifth is to register an attack on a different tangent that same night.

CHAPTER VIII.

Biting the Boche With The American Saw-Tooth Formation.

Not greatly troubled by the Boche shelling, that died to spasmodic burts as the night went on, the battilion mounted through the dark to its appointed place. Here, beside a blasted road that ran along Blanc Mont, just behind the thin line of the 6th, the weary men lay down, and, no orders being immediately forth-coming slept like the dead that were lying thickly there. Let the officers worry over the fact that the French had fallen behind on each flank, that the division was, to all purposes, isolated far out in Boche territory—let any fool worry over the chances of stopping one tomorrow — tomorrow would come soon enough. "The lootenant says to get all the rest you can—don't nobody need to tell me tha—"

In the deep dugouts behind the road the battalion commanders prodded at field-maps and swore wearily over the ominous gaps behid the flanks — three kilometres on one flank, five on the other, where the French divisions had not kept pace. Into these holes the Boche had all day been savagely striving to thrust himself, and his success would mean disaster. Already the 6th had a force thrown back to cover the left rear, disposed at right angles to the line of advance. And orders were to carry the attack forward at dawn. On top of that, after midnight a Boche deserter crawled into the line with the cheering news that the Germans were planning an attack in force on the American flank at dawn, a division of fresh troops—Prussians — had just been brought up for that purpose. It looked bad — it looked worse than that. "Well," said Major George Hamilton of the 1st battalion of the 5th, "orders are to attack, and, by God, we'll attack" —a yawn spoiled the dramatic effect of his pronouncement—"and now I'm going to get some sleep. Coxy, wake me at 5:20—that will be an hour."

And at dawn, while the Ridge shook and thundered under the barrage that went before the Boche flank attack, and the 6th held with their rifles the branch behind the left, the 5th Marines went forward to carry the battle to St. Etienne.

Noon found them well forward of the Ridge, lying in an open flat, while the leading battalions disappeared in pine woods on a long slope ahead. It had fallen strangely quiet where they lay.

Up forward though, all hell suddenly broke loose. Artillery, machine guns, rifles, even the coughing detonations of grenades, mounted to an inconceivable fury of sound. "Here comes a battalion runner — there's the skipper, over there—what's up, anyway?"

The second-in-command came through his company with a light in his eyes, and he sent his voice before him. "Deploy the first platoons in column behind the com-interval, be sure. Where's Mr. Connor? Oh, Chuck, you'll form the second wave behind Tom. About 50 yards. Other two platoons ni column behind the company flanks. On yo 'feet, chillun! We're goin' up against 'em!"

And so, all four companies in line, the 1st battalion, a thousand men, went up against the Boche. "Captain," said the second-in-command, as they started, "we're swingin' half-left. This tack will take us right to St. Etienne, won't it? We were pointin' a little one side of it before—major give you any dope?" "The Boche have come out of St. Etienne—two full infantry regiments, anyhow, and a bunch of Maxim guns—and hit the second and third in the flank. Must be pretty bad. We're goin' up to hit them in the flank ourselves. 'Bout a kilometre, I'd say. Wait until their artillery spots this little promenade. None of ours in support, you know."

Every man know, as they moved out of the flat and ascended the slope ahead, that the case was desperate, but to this end was all their strength and skill in war, all their cunning gained in other battles, and their hearts lifted up to meet what might come. "More interval —more interval there on the left! Don't bunch up, you——"

The first shell came screaming down the line from the right, and broke with the hollow cough and poisonous yellow puff of smoke which marks the particular abomination of the foot-soldier. It broke fairly over the center of the 49th, and every head ducked in unison. Three men there were who seemed to throw themselves upon the battalion with the complete and horrid unreality of nightmare.

The silent ridge to the left awoke with machine-guns and rifles, and sibilant rushing flights of nickel-coated missiles from Maxim and Mauser struck down where the shell spared. An increasing trail of crumpled brown figures lay behind the battalion as it went. The raw smell of blood was in men's nostrils.

Going forward with his men, a little dazed perhaps with shock and sound such as never were on earth before, the second-in-command was conscious of a strangely mounting sense of the unreality of the whole thing.

The woods on the crest were as far away as ever through the murk—their strides got them nowhere—their legs were clogged as in an evil dream—they were falling so fast, these men he had worked with and helped to train in war. There was a monstrous anger in his heart — a five-inch shell swooped over his head, so near that the rush of air made his ear-drums pop and burst. He was picked up and whirled away like a leaf, breath and senses struck from him by the world-shattering concussion.

The second-in-command was pulled to his feet by Gunner Nice, who had taken the second platoon. His head lolled stupidly a moment, then he heard words—"an' that shell got all the captain's group, sir—all of 'em! An' my platoon's all casualties—" He pulled himself together as he went forward. His raincoat was split up the back, under his belt. His map-case was gone—the strap that had secured it hung loosely from his shoulder. There was blood on his hands, and the salt taste of it in his mouth, but it didn't seem to be his. And the front of the battalion was very narrow now. The support platoons were all in the line. Strangest of all, the gray slope was behind them—the trees on the crest were only a few yards away.

Behind and to the left of the machine-guns still raved, but the artillery fell away. A greenish rocket flared from the pines ahead, and right in the faces of the panting Marines machine-guns and rifles blazed. In the shadow of the pines were men in cumbersome green-gray uniforms, with faces that looked hardly human under deep round helments. With eyes narrowed, bodies slanting forward like men in heavy rain, the remnant of the battalion went to them.

It was the flank of the Boche column which had come out of St.-Etienne and struck the leading battalions of the 5th. It had watched first with keen delight, then with incredulity, the tortured advance of the battalion. It had waited too long to open its own fire. And now, already shaken by the sight of these men who would not die, it shrank from the long American bayonets and the pitiless, furious faces behind the steel. A few Brandenburger zealots elected to die on their spitting Maxim guns, working them until bayonets or clubbed rifle made an end. A few iron-souled Prussians — the Boche had such men—stood up to meet beyonet with bayonet, and died that way.

A great many more flung away their arms and bleated "Kamaraden" to men who in that red minute knew no mercy. Some hid in holes, or feigned death, to be hunted out as the press thinned. There was a battery of field-guns down the slope, 500 yards or so. The gunners — those who were lucky—took to cover after the first burst of fire. "Thank Gawd Yer a shot at them dam' artillerymen! Battle-sight, an' aim low, you birds —don't let any of them get away" "Sargeant, reckon the lootenant would let us go down an' take them 77s?"—"Shut up an' work yo' bolt, you dam' fool!—Whatinell you think you are—a army core?" "Besides, Mr. Conner's dead.."On the hill beyond St.-Etienne new trenches searred the slope; there were many Germans milling there, some 1500 yards away. "Save your ammunition and lay low," the word was passed. "We're on our own out here." And the battalion, a very small battalion now, little more than a hundred men, lay along the crest they had stormed, with their dead and wounded and the Boche dead and wounded around them.

Almost immediately the Boche began to react. He opened on them a storm of fire, high explosive and sharpnel, and his machine guns dinned fiercely. A counter attack began to form toward St.-Etienne. Sweating gunners struggled into position with the two machine guns that were left in the battalion, and these, with their crews, were knocked out by shell fire before either had been in action long enough to fire a clip. But the rifles gave tongue and continued to speak—the last few men are always the most difficult to kill—and the Boche had little taste for rifle-fire that begins to kill at 700 yards. That counter attack shortly returned whence it came, and the one that followed it went back also.

Whitehead, of the 67th Company plumped down alongside the captain of the 49th. Small, very quick and wiry, with his helment cocked on the side of his head, he gave the impression of a fierce and warlike little hawk. "Hunt's comin' over, Francis," he said. "Bad place, worst I ever saw. Got about 30 men left. Hell that our machine guns got knocked out so quick, wasn't it?—must be two regiments of Fritzies on our front yonder!"

Captain Hunt, senior in the field, a big, imperturbable Californian, came and Lieutenant Kelly, promoted by casualties in the last hour to commnad of the 66th company. "How does it look to you, gentlemen?" said Hunt. "Damn bad" was the consensus of opinion, with profane embellishments. Followed some technical discussion. "Well," concluded the senior captain, "we've accomplished our mission—broke up their attack—better hook up with the rest of the regiment. We'll find them through the woods to the right. Move off your companies—Kelly, you go first."

Nobody remembers very clearly that swing to the right, through a hail of machine gun fire and an inferno of shelling. They found the companies of the 2d battalion digging in astride a blasted road, and went into position beside them.

"I've organized the company sector with 20 men—all we've got left —you and I make 22," reported the second-in-command, dropping wearily into the shell hole where the captain had established himself. "Lord, I'm tired . . . and what I can't see," he added in some wonder, fingering the rents in his raincoat, "is why we weren't killed too."

That night, lying in its shallow, hastily dug holes, the remnant of the battalion descended through further hells of shelling. The next night tins of beef and bread came up. There was some grim laughter when it came. "Captain," reported the one remaining sergeant, after distributing rations in the dark, "they sent us chow according to the last strength report — three days ago 230 odd rations.

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GOBBLERS EAT BOLL WEEVILS AND BRING FARMERS PROFIT

TURKEYS GIVE GROWERS CASH

West Texas Farmers Collect Good Profit From Bronze Birds

BRADY, Dec. 4.—With every check issued to farmers by produce houses telling eloquent tales of turkey profits, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is being attracted to the turkey industry and advocating turkey culture more strongly as a part of their comprehensive program of diversification for West Texas.

Though the birds are raised in numerous sections of the state, the heart of Texas region at the present leads in the production of fowls, about 220 carloads being shipped from there by buyers and shippers this season. These 220 carloads represent a net return to farmers of the district of about a million and half dollars.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce and others, noting that the industry is one of the most profitable investments to farmers, are talking turkey to western people. With prices around 32c on foot, tan toms or 15 hens are well worth as much as a bale of cotton in gross receipts, and net receipts on ten give as much clear profit and money as four or five bales of cotton. It is estimated that the turkey industry returns ten times as much profit on its investments as does any other crop raised by Texas farmers.

TEACHERS MEET

200 Attend Association Session At School Thursday

Two hundred teachers were present Thursday evening at the regular meeting of the City Teachers' association at the Reagan Junior High school, when plans for the institute to be held here the week of December 20-25 were discussed.

A. K. Presson, president of the association, presided over the meeting, and made several announcements regarding the coming of "The Old Homestead" December 13, and the institute.

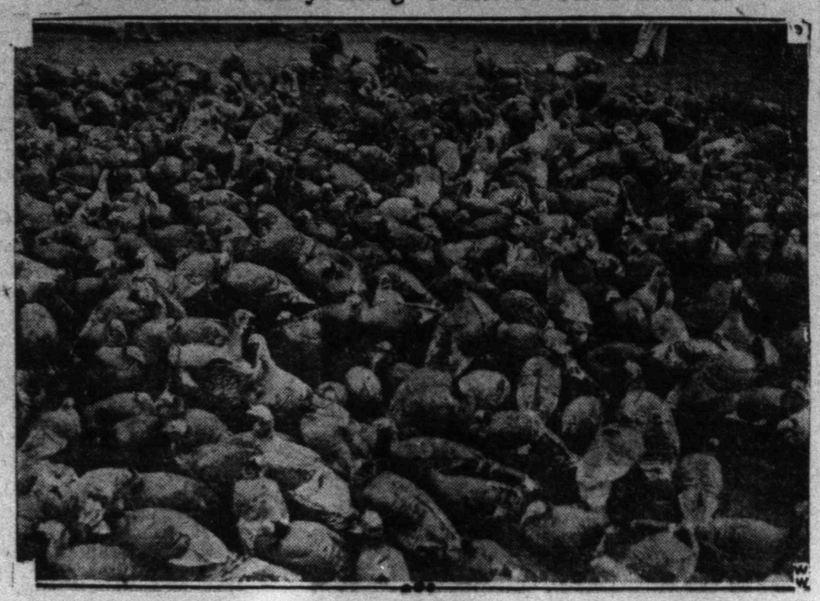
Miss Minnie Baker led the singsong preceding the speeches for the occasion. A. F. Edwards and Dr. J. W. Cantwell gave reports on the El Paso meet.

H. A. Glass spoke on "The Purpose of the City Teachers' Association," and Miss Kathleen Tobin of Austin, discussed plans for the institute.

PITY POOR CHARWOMEN

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The charwomen are now held responsible for cleaning 2500 superficial feet per head, instead of 2000 superficial feet as formerly. The charwomen also are required to clean walls which they contend is not a part of their job, as this necessitates more or less ladder climbing and therefore should be undertaken by men.

West Texas Turkeys Bring Profit To Their Growers



Such a sight as this on more West Texas farms in future years will not be an uncommon thing. This scene is typical of many farms in the vicinity of Seymour, Dundee, Bomarton, Munday, Haskell, Knox City, Gorec, Benjamin, Crowell and other centers located in the territory southwest of Wichita Falls. Many farmers in these communities this season are realizing a greater profit from their turkey flocks than from their turkey crops.

"Fix Bayonets"

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The men are building breastworks out of the corned willy cans, sir! Twenty of 'em—"

Some runners got through, and Division H. Q., well forward in a pleasantly exposed spot on the Souain road, built up a picture of a situation sufficiently interesting. Four infantry regiments were thrust saw-wise northwest to north east of Blanc Mont; all were isolated from each other and from the French, who had lagged behind the flanks. Four little islands in a turbulent Boche sea, and the old Boche doing his damnedest.

Mere days and nights, slipping, characterless, into each other. Being less than a company in strength, the 1st battalion of the 5th was not called on to attack again. They lay in their holes and endured. And after certain days the division was relieved. The battalion marched out at night. The drumming thunder of the guns fell behind them and no man turned his face to look again on the baleful lights of the front.

On the road they passed a regiment of the relieving division, full, strong companies of national guardsmen. They went up one side of the road; and in ragged column of twos, unsightly even in the dim and fitful light, the Marines flopped down the other side. They were utterly weary, with shuffling feet and hanging heads. The division had just done something that those old masters in the art of wars, the French, and the world after them, including Ludendorff, were to acknowledge remarkable. They had hurled the Boche from Blanc Mont and freed the sacred city of Rheims. They had paid a price hideous even for this war. And they were spent. If there was any idea in those hanging heads it was food and rest.

The guard companies gibed at the shrunken battalion as they passed. Singing and joking they went. High words of courage were on their lips and nervous laughter. Save for a weary random curse here and there, the battalion did not answer . . . "Hell, them birds don't know no better." "Yeh, we went up singin' too, once-good Lord, how long ago! They won't sing when they come out . . . or any time after . . . in this war." "Damn you, can't you march on your own side of the road? How much room you need?"

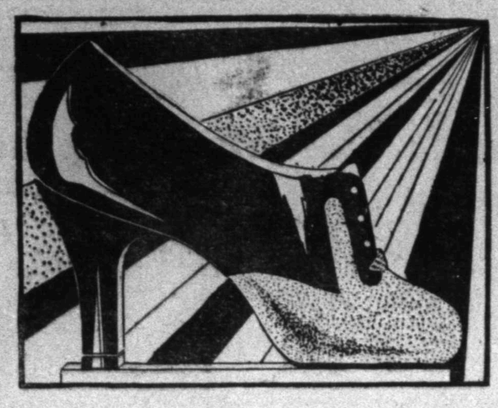
It was nice, back in billets, resting between battles, to sit on a bench in the sun and watch the world go by. Odette, the strapping and genteel daughter of the baker of Croutte-sur-Marne, here herds the duck Anatole into the court yard of her mother's bakery. (M. Boulanger was last heard from on the Chemin des Dames; Mme. Boulangere keeps the establishment going.) The duck Anatole has been ordered for dinner by two lieutenants of the 1st battalion, the consideration being 37 francs 80 centimes. Two privates of the 49th company are choiring softly "Mademoiselle from Armentieres" as she passes. It is just as well that neither Odette nor Anatole comprend l'anglais.

BELIEVES HER LOST SPOUSE IS FICKLE AFTER 17 YEARS

ALAMEDA, Calif., Dec. 4. (AP)—After 56 years of married life Mrs. Annie R. Weeks, 75, has concluded that her husband, George F. Weeks, head of a Mexican news bureau in Washington, D. C., is fickle. She so declared in a divorce petition filed here yesterday and set forth that he ran away 20 years ago, stayed away 17 years and now has gone again.

Mrs. Weeks believes her nine children—she is a great grandmother, too — are old enough to take care of themselves and says after the divorce she is going to marry Arnold de Cacia, "a fine, upstanding boy who fought in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870." She charges desertion.

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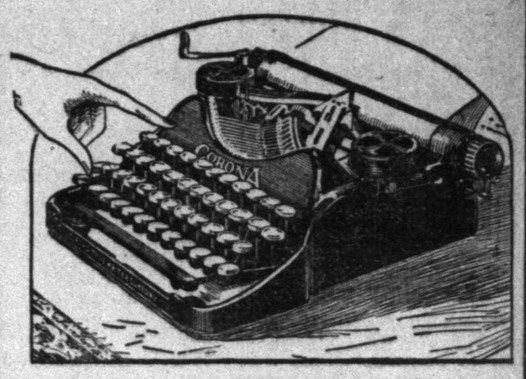
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RANGER ROUTS WICHITA FALLS TITLE DREAMS

Mills Leads Bulldog Crew To 21-0 Victory Over Coyotes

BY BLONDY CROSS

Wreaking devastation in the black-jersied ranks that had so earnestly defied it, a maroon tornado swirled its way from the plains of West Texas Saturday, swept through Wichita Falls and passed on, leaving in its wake a city stunned, bereft of all football championship aspirations.

A fleeting bare-headed youth in the van, a veritable comet flashing off-tackle and skirting the flanks with speed of a thunder bolt, Buster Mills, trim, slim human race-horse, and Ranger's maroon rode over the crimson and black eleven of Wichita Falls to 21-0 triumph. Then passed on, passed on unswerved, the championship of Texas high schools still their goal, passed on leaving behind the Spudder gridiron littered and strewn with Wichita Falls hopes and desires that had flared brightly this year as Wichita Falls' most stalwart array entered the lists with championship ambition fuming fierce and full.

Hinman a Terror

It was not the same steam-roller black juggernaut that did battle in the Wichita Falls cause yesterday. It was not the all-devouring machine that had rolled to the championship of district one over Lubbock's stubborn Westerners a short seven days before.

The hitherto irresistible Wichita Falls advance was blocked, check-mated at almost every turn. And in the fore loomed one fighting figure, that of Garland Hinman, giant Ranger tackle, who time and again halted frenzied drives by a bristling Coyote when all other defenders failed. It was Hinman who blocked Wichita Falls' hitherto highly effective running attack, often breaking through to throw Coyote ball-carrier for deep losses behind the scrimmage line, nailing many in their tracks.

A Wichita Falls running attack was smeared and a counter running attack was launched. A Wichita Falls aerial game was shattered and a counter aerial game was unleashed.

Ewing and Pinney Fight 'Em

The Coyoes, outspeeded by the streaking Mills and a smashing demon in Taylor, lank fullback, blocked almost totally by the ability of Hinman and Captain Cooper to diagnose a play, evade offense barricades and plunge through to nail the runner, nevertheless fought valiantly on. And the greatest individual battle was waged by the saffron-topped B. D. Ewing, diminutive Coyote wingman who in fighting spirit and deadly tackling was transformed into a giant for the day. Pinney and Hobbs, the former shifted from his regular center position, stood out with Ewing above their brothers-at-arms in both defense and offense play. And through the first half and part of the second until carried from the battle scene injured, Captain Wilkes Dobson led the Coyote front line fight.

But it was in the forward detachment that Wichita Falls was sent to defeat. For faced with an aggressive, hard-charging adversary, the Coyote tackles toward the latter part of the affray, especially the left side of the line, were boxed in or taken out while Ranger's racers galloped on. In offensive attack, Wichita Falls backs were rushed so quickly by Ranger forwards that on many occasions they hardly realized sufficient time in which to get started.

Score Early

The first touchdown was scored in the initial quarter. Ranger after making a fair catch of a punt elected to launch a free kick. Mills punted almost to the Coyote goal. The oval dropped in virgin territory with none of the Wichita Falls eleven endeavoring to cover it, Hinman charged in, scooped up the ball and headed for the goal before it dawned on the Coyotes that it was an onside kick. The Ranger tackle was downed four yards from the last line. On the first play, Mills shot through the center of the line for the touchdown.

Most of the game was played in Coyote territory the remainder of the way. However, at one stage, Francis ripped off tackle and all but got away to score. After a 40-yard run he was pulled down from behind by Mills and Reeves.

Twice before victory finally was torn from their clutches, the Coyotes made brilliant back-to-the-wall stands on their goal, turning away a speeding opponent that had run wild up to these points.

The Coyote goal was crossed twice in the last period. Vicious plunges by Taylor and darting thrusts at the tackles by Mills brought home the bacon.

Ranger (21)	Po.	W. Falls (0)
Shipp		McKinney
Whitehill	RE. LE.	Downing
Seay	RT. LT.	Brown
Cooper (c)	RG. LG.	Hobbs
W. Short	C. C.	H. Ray
Hinman	LG. RG.	Dobson (c)
Phillips	LT. RT.	Ewing
Mills	LE. RE.	Allred
Reeves	QB. QB.	Mitchell
Glenn	RH. LH.	Francis
Taylor	LH. RH.	P. Ray
	FB. FB.	

Score by periods:

Ranger	7	0	0	14	—21
Wichita Falls	0	0	0	0	— 0

Scoring, Ranger, touchdown, Mills 2. Taylor Point after touchdown, Mills 2, Glenn.

First downs: Ranger 13; Wichita Falls 4.

Penalties, Ranger 7, for 75 yards total; Wichita Falls, 3, for 15 yards total.

Passes: Ranger attempted 8, completed 1 for 11 yards; three were incomplete and 4 intercepted. Wichita Falls attempted 8, completed one for 15 yards; four were incomplete and three intercepted.

Punting, Ranger punted five times, averaging 34½ yards; Wichita Falls punted 10 times, average 21½ yards.

Substitutions: Ranger, second period, Hubbard, for Reeves; third period, Reeves for Hubbard; fourth, period Hubbard for Mills, Hamlin for Cooper, Grubbs for Phillips, Knott for Whitehill, Spindle for Seay, Linsley for Taylor, Starr for Hinman, Tackitt for V. Short, H. Short for Glenn, Blanchard for Shipp.

Wichita Falls, second period, Ramey for Downing, third period, Downing for Ramey, Pinney for F. Ray, Ramey for Dobson, fourth period, Edmondson for Brown, Powell for Downing.

Officials: Richenstein (Texas A. and M.) referee; Holton (Notre Dame), umpire; time of quarters, 15 minutes.

SPEAKER WAS GAME'S MOST UNUSUAL CLUB MANAGER

"Tris Robbed Me of Enough Base Hits to Keep Me From Batting More Than .300," Declares Versatile Donie Bush

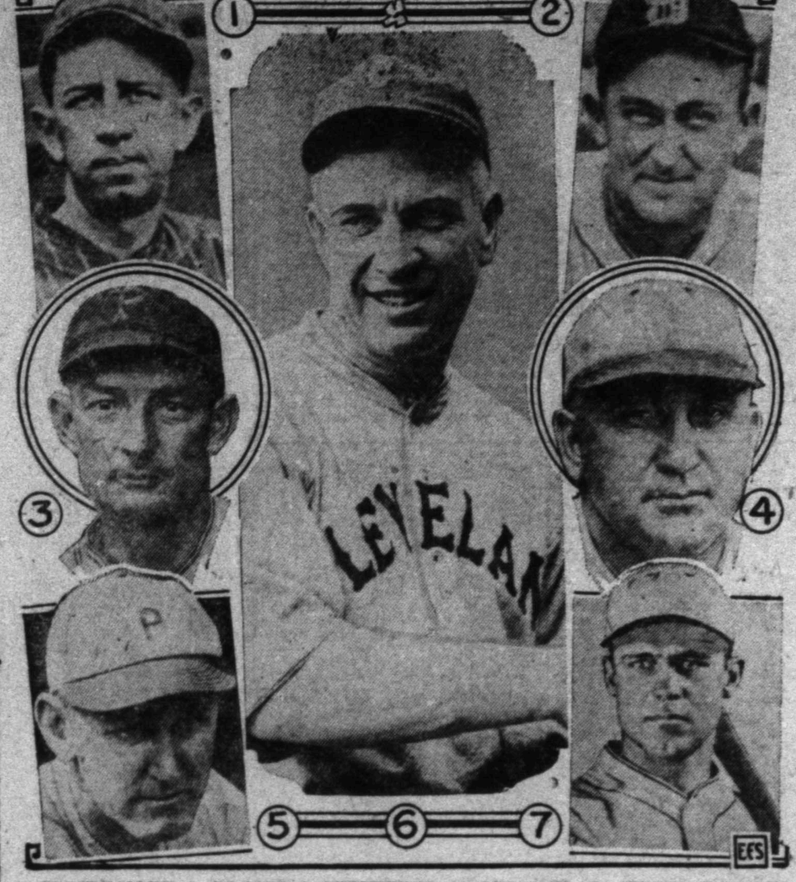
By GEORGE MORIARTY

Tris Speaker's resignation as manager of the Cleveland Indians, in the opinion of many critics, marks the passing of the greatest outfielder the game has ever produced.

Regardless of whether he intends to play longer, his palmy days as a fly chaser, have been over for several years. He was the greatest gardener not because he covered more ground than the others, but chiefly because his judgment of fly balls and line drives was well-night infallible. At the crack of the bat, Speaker could tear from his moorings in center, and with his back to the flying pellet, dash to the precise spot, take a fleeting glance over his shoulder and like a human magnet, draw in the descending sphere.

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Speaker has been called "the Gray Eagle," in deference to the color of his hair, but countless batters have thought of him as an eagle on account of the graceful manner in which he swooped down on prospective hits. The Indians' pilot easily transcended Cobb in the outfielding science. He made a diligent study of the opposing batsmen, and was often able to gather in their line hits from a still position in the outfield which he had so artfully charted. Speaker was the most accurate thrower in the game, with the exception of Bob Meusel, the Yankee star. Donie Bush once said that "Spoke" robbed him of enough hits to keep him from being a .300 hitter. The Cleveland ace also fielded ground balls on the outer lawn with the consummate skill of a star infielder.



1—EDDIE COLLINS. 2—TY COBB. 3—M'KETCHNIE. 4—LEE FOHL. 5—ARTHUR FLETCHER 6—TRIS SPEAKER. 7—GEORGE SISLER

BASEBALL has seen its greatest shakeup; virtually the whole league is reorganized. The greatest players of the day are out of the game. Who is to take their places?

In reorganizing, many of the clubs have gone far back to get the old style of baseball management, none have selected the youth of the national pastime.

Carrigan is the latest to be added to the names of directing heads. Carrigan resigned baseball 10 years ago and fate brings him back to pilot the Boston Red Sox.

Of the seven managers who are gone to the game since the winning of the world series, three are rated as the best playing stars of the game, Cobb, Collins and Tris Speaker.

The men who take their places are as various in ideas as the game could find. Carrigan, the business man; Schalk, the player; Howley, the minor league manager, and George Moriarty, the man who knows more of the technicalities and playing points of baseball than any of the newly appointed.

The 1926 season will be baseball's greatest year and likewise its widest experiment. Its arrangement will give the fan a greater thrill before the season starts, when the managers begin shaking up the inner works of both leagues.

At the plate, he compared favorably with Willie Keeler, in "looking them over," and, as a result, he drew many bases on balls by virtue of this ability when the pitchers were an inch outside or inside of the plate. One of his outstanding traits was to run out taps to the infielders. On all the raps that he knocked to the pitcher on one bound, he ran to first base as if they were base hits. The rest of the Cleveland club followed his example and won many games each year on wild and hurried throws to first base.

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Tris had a copyrighter play up his sleeve. He often tried to pull it when the stage was set for an "infield fly," and a weak batter was up. Under these circumstances, he played a real short center field, and if the batter hoisted a short fly behind short or second, "Spoke" would wave away the infielders and "trap" the fly himself. His scheme was to convince the umpire that it was an outfield hit and then try for a double play by tagging both the runner and second base. I saw him get away with it once many years ago.

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The leader of the Cleveland Tribe must be credited with unusual ability as a manger. In 1920 he led the team to a pennant, and beat the Brooklyn club for the world's championship. In the last month of the 1926 race, he spurred his players to a last-ditch fight that scared the Yankees more than a little down the home stretch.



TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

FLOWERS FOR BLAIR CHERRY. WICHITA FALLS SATURDAY SAW THE SMARTEST-PLAYING, MOST WELL-DRILLED AND MOST VERSATILE HIGH SCHOOL ELEVEN THAT HAS INVADED THE COYOTE GRIDIRON FOR MANY SEASONS.

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FOUR-MAN TEAM

Ranger has not a one-man team, as many would have you believe. Buster Mills is not the team. Buster Mills, with three other players, ARE the team. Hinman, tackle, is one of the greatest high school linemen in Texas. Taylor plunged and ripped the powerful Wichita Falls line cruelly. Cooper, at center, will meet few peers during his high school days in the state.

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Oak Cliff, by virtue of its 18-14 victory yesterday over Cleburne, remains as the lone hurdle Ranger must leap before entering the state final. More power to the Bulldogs.

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Wichita Falls also saw its record turn out for football. There were 4942 paid admissions. A fair estimate would give the total number of fans as 6100.

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YES, YES

Those sly fellows who spoke of 20-point wagers last week seem well acquainted with their vegetables.

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REYNOLDS BROADCASTING

Jack Reynolds, self-appointed world's welter wrestling champ, at last is going to fare from his shell and allow Yaqui Joe, the youthful Indian athlete, the opportunity to see what self-appointed champs are made of, so Jack announces in missive received Saturday, only. Reynolds, of course, did not word it in that manner. The Indians university professor of matology declares he will give Joe a test during the Christmas holidays on the Wichita Falls canvas.

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Followers of Yaqui, and he has many, will sit tight now and witness whether or not there is truth to fit every occasion in that old adage, "third time's a charm." The holiday date is number three set by Reynolds to engage the Sonora savage.

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STILL AFTER AGED JAP

Hardly had we learned that Matty Matsuda, who two months ago asserted he was finished with the game for all time, had taken on a second match in Los Angeles before Reynolds' epistle arrived. Jack touched on the Jap thusly. "Also, I'm writing to Los Angeles after the 'retired' Jap. Hope to get the commission to make him meet me or leave there, also." Poor old Matty isn't smart enough to let well enough alone. Either he will have to quit picking up the soft money, relinquish his title or run the risk of taking a serious drubbing at the hands of a younger and stronger opponent.

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Matty's only hope to save his face is for his protege, Yaqui Joe to come along so quickly that he can beat such challengers as Charley Grip and Jack Reynolds, thereby quieting their championship gestures and leaving the Jap to toddle along tagging the easy ones till a mellow old age.

Cagers Tourney Plans Are Made

Texas Junior College Will Conduct General Meet To Pick Champ

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.(AP)—Radical change in the basket ball play of the Texas Junior College association, calling for a cage tournament to be played near the end of the season to decide the association basket title, was determined at a meeting of the association held here Saturday.

The tournament will be held at John Tarleton college, Stephenville on February 24, 25 and 26, it was decided by coaches at the session. The various members will play their regular basket ball schedule as a preliminary to the round robin tournament in which each quintet will meet every other team. The winner will be determined then on a percentage basis. It was decided this would be the fairest test to all members.

The baseball championship will be decided in the usual manner on a percentage basis compiled from all association games played. Each team must play at least 12 games and must meet at least four different teams to become championship contenders.

The football championship of the association was formerly awarded to John Tarleton which defeated North Texas Agricultural college in Arlington Thanksgiving day, 12 to 6, to decide the grid title. This game closed the association sport season for 1926.

The coaches reaffirmed the eligibility rules of the association, the original Junior college organization of th estate, and declared their intentions to adhere firmly to the regulations.

Members o fthe association are: John Tarleton, North Texas Agricultural, Wesley, Hillsboro Junior, Paris Junior, Wichita Falls Junior, Rusk Junior.

FOOTBALL RESULTS

At Chattanooga: William and Mary 9; Chattanooga university 6.
Haskell 27; Tulsa U., 7.
Notre Dame 13; Southern California 12.
Ranger 21; Wichita Falls 0.
Oak Cliff 18; Cleburne 14.

League Moguls In Convention

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Dec. 4. (AP) Headed by K. M. Landis, commissioner of baseball, hundreds of club owners and managers arrived here today for the 25th annual session of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, which meets Tuesday.

Judge Landis declined to say whether he would accept the commissioner's job for another seven years, if elected on December 16, and immediately went to the golf course.

The Western league, faced with a possible split, went into executive session late today. With Tulsa and Oklahoma City asking permission to withdraw and an effort to move the St. Joseph's team to Amarillo, Texas, coming up for settlement before a schedule can be considered, the meeting promised to be a long one.

The board of arbitration was scheduled to meet in the afternoon, but its session was postponed until after Monday morning on account of absentees.

The first commercial transaction of the convention took place when Des Moines employed Matt Donahue, former first sacker for Mobile, Southern association, to play first base on the Western league pennant holders.

Duffy Lewis, once a member of the famous Speaker-Lewis-Hooper combination, was ready to enter into any transaction which would give him a managerial post for next year. He managed Mobile last year.

ACCOUNT IN DETAIL OF BULLDOG - COYOTE FIGHT

FIRST QUARTER

Ranger received. Downing kicked off to the eight-yard line where Mills fumbled and was downed in his tracks. On the first play Mills scampered off Wichita Falls right tackle 11 yards to a first down. Mills took the ball again and brushed right tackle 37 yards and then was forced out of bounds by the Coyote secondary defense. Mills gained nine yards at the same position. Taylor plunged Wichita Falls' left guard four yards to a first down. Mills plugged Wichita Falls' left tackle a yard. Hobbs downed Mills on the line of scrimmage. Reeves took a relay from Mills and gained two yards at Wichita Falls' right end. Mills' pass to Shipp overshot its mark. The ball went to Wichita Falls on her 20-yard line. H. Ray punted out of bounds in mid-field.

Mills plugged the Coyote left tackle two yards. H. Ray tossed Taylor for a yard loss. Mills' attempted pass to Shipp was intercepted by Francis. Francis was downed on his 35-yard line. Francis went two yards at Ranger's right guard but the ball was called back and Wichita Falls was penalized five yards for offside. H. Ray punted to Reeves who was dropped on Ranger's 37-yard line by Ewing. Mills punted out of bounds on Wichita Falls' two-yard line. H. Ray bunted from behind the goal to his 40-yard line but the ball was returned and Ranger was penalized five yards on an offside charge. Ray then punted to Reeves who was downed by Dobson on Wichita Falls' 38-yard line.

Mills faked a pass and then skirted Wichita Falls' left tackle three yards. He was tackled by Francis. Taylor gained five yards at left tackle. Taylor tore off Wichita Falls' left tackle 19 yards. Mills cut the ball out of bounds with no gain. Downing and Hobbs forcing him out. Taylor scored four yards at Wichita Falls' left guard. Mills plugged left guard five yards. McKinney and Francis held Mills to a two-yard advance over the left wing but the gain netted first down. Mills was rushed out of bounds with no advance. It was second down and the goal nine yards away. Mills, on two tries, charged Wichita Falls' right tackle to within a foot of the goal. He tried again at the center of the line but failed to budge an inch. The ball went to the Coyotes on downs.

H. Ray dropped back and punted to Glenn who made a fair catch on Wichita Falls' 38-yard line. Mills elected to try for a placement kick. The boot was wild. The ball went to Wichita Falls on her 20-yard line. Francis shot over Ranger's left tackle five yards and then came back on the next play for a three-yard gain. At this point Ranger was called back and a five-yard offside penalty was assessed the Coyotes. H. Ray punted to Glenn who made a fair catch on Ranger's 45-yard line. Mills took a free kick, booting the ball almost to the goal line. Wichita Falls players made no effort to make a run. Hinman recovered and was downed four yards from the goal. Mills took it over through center on the first play from scrimmage. Mills dropkicked goal for the extra point. Score, Ranger 7; Wichita Falls 0. The quarter was over.

SECOND QUARTER

Wichita Falls received the kickoff. Mitchell taking Mills' boot on Wichita Falls' five-yard line and running it back 20 yards. Francis advanced three yards in two tries at Ranger's right guard. H. Ray dropped back and punted. The ball was blocked partially by Hinman and sailed out of bounds on Wichita Falls' 39-yard line.

Dobson stopped Reeves on the line of scrimmage. Ewing and H. Ray dropped Taylor without a gain. Mills then made four yards off Wichita Falls' left tackle. Mills tried to pass over the goal but the heave was short. The ball went over to Wichita Falls on downs on her 20-yard line. Mitchell cracked Ranger's left tackle three yards. Francis was stopped by Phillips on the line of scrimmage and Wiley, H. Ray was penalized five yards for offside. Taylor broke in and tossed Francis for a five-yard loss on an attempted end run but the ball was returned and Ranger was penalized five yards for offside. P. Ray hit Ranger's right tackle three yards. Taylor stopped Ray on the line of scrimmage on the next play, H. Ray dropped back and punted to Reeves who was downed on his 35-yard line. Mills punted to Wichita Falls' five-yard line where Francis took the ball and smashed 15 yards before being halted. On the first play from scrimmage, Francis slipped off Ranger's left tackle 40 yards and seemed headed for a touchdown but he was pulled down from behind by Mills and Reeves. Ranger took time out. It was Wichita Falls' ball on Ranger's 18-yard line.

Ray failed to gain at left tackle. An attempted pass, P. Ray to Francis was short. Another pass, Ray to Francis was deflected by Glenn. Ray started another pass but was smothered 15 yards behind the line of scrimmage when almost the entire Ranger forwards sifted through. It was Hamlin's ball on downs on Ranger's 43-yard line.

Taylor brushed Wichita Falls' left tackle seven yards. A bad pass from center caused Taylor to fumble on the next play. He was swarmed under seven yards behind the line of scrimmage. Mills attempted a pass, but Dobson broke through and deflected the ball toward Ewing who by a lunge and dive, intercepted and was downed on Ranger's 38-yard line.

Mitchell was thrown for a three-yard loss by Hinman. Ranger took time out. Wichita Falls substituted Ramey for Downing. Play was resumed and Hinman stopped Francis on the line of scrimmage. An attempted pass, Francis to Ewing, fell short of its mark. Ranger was penalized five yards for offside. Francis made a yard at center. Taylor broke up an attempted pass, P. Ray to Francis, and the ball went to Ranger on downs. Reeves circled Wichita Falls' left end for eight yards. Taylor made three yards over left tackle to net first down. Mills covered three yards at Wichita Falls' right tackle. Ranger substituted Hubbard for Reeves. Taylor then plunged five yards through Wichita Falls' right guard. Hubbard hit the center of the line four yards for first down. Mills was held at Wichita Falls' right end by Ewing. Ranger was penalized 15 yards for roughness. Mills sifted through the Coyote left tackle for five yards. Mills followed with an 18-yard pass to Shipp. Then he passed over the goal line. It was Wichita Falls' ball 20 yards from her goal. Francis advanced four yards in two tries at left tackle and the half ended. Score: Ranger 7; Wichita Falls 0.

THIRD QUARTER

Downing went in for Ramey. Reeves went in for Hubbard. Wichita Falls received this time and Mills of Ranger kicked over the goal line. Francis was stopped at the line of scrimmage by Hinman. Ranger took time out when Cooper was hurt in the play. He remained in the game. Mitchell dived through the left side of the line for three yards. H. Ray fumbled on a bad pass from center and was downed on the 10-yard line. On another bad pass from center Ray was downed behind the goal line but the ball was called back and Ranger was penalized five yards for offside. Ray punted to Glenn on the 34-yard line who was downed in his tracks by Ewing. Time out for Hinman when Hinman was hurt. He remained in the game. Taylor made four yards over left guard. Taylor was stopped by Dobson for a five-yard gain. Mills made three yards over the Coyotes' left tackle. He was stopped by Francis. Mills made eight yards through the line and placed the ball on the 20-yard line with first down. He was downed by Francis who was playing a great game backing up the line. Taylor made three yards over right guard and was stopped by Hobbs. Taylor went over left tackle two yards and was dropped by Downing. Mills brushed left tackle six yards but the ball was called back and Ranger was penalized 15 yards for roughing it. Ball on the 28-yard line with fourth down and 15 yards to go. Mills' pass to Shipp was intercepted by Francis on the five-yard line and returned to the 22-yard line. Francis was downed on the line of scrimmage as Ranger was penalized 15 yards for roughing it when Mills kicked Ray.

Francis made three yards through center. Francis failed to gain. P. Ray passed to Francis nine yards but the ball was called back and Wichita Falls was penalized five yards for offside. Pinney went in for Ray.

Francis was downed by Hinman and Whitehall behind the line for a 11-yard loss. Francis kicked to the Ranger 41-yard line where the ball was downed by McKinney.

Taylor went out of bounds for no gain. Reeves was downed by Ewing for no gain. Taylor made eight yards through left tackle. Mills punted to Francis on the eight-yard line who returned five yards.

Francis went over left tackle 11 yards to first down. P. Ray hit right guard three yards. Time was taken out for Ranger with the ball on the 32-yard line. Mitchell lost two yards at right end. He was downed by Glenn.

Francis attempted a pass to P. Ray but short knocked it down. Francis punted to Reeves on Ranger's 35-yard line. Mills broke through left tackle and ran 52 yards to Wichita Falls' 13-yard line where he was downed by Francis from behind. Dobson was badly hurt on the play and was carried from the field. Ramey went in for Dobson. Taylor made five yards over left guard. Ball on the seven-yard line with five yards to go for first down when the quarter ended.

FOURTH QUARTER.

On the first play Mills went over left tackle and cut back for a touchdown. Mills drop-kicked the goal. Score, Ranger 14; Wichita Falls 0.

Mills kicked off to P. Ray on the 30-yard line. Ray returned to his own 44-yard line. On an attempted pass, Ray to Francis. Taylor intercepted and placed the ball on Ranger's 20-yard line. Taylor made four yards over right tackle. Mills went around left end 14 yards. Taylor made six yards over left tackle. Mills made three yards at left tackle but the ball was called back and Ranger was penalized 15 yards for roughing. P. Ray broke up a pass from Mills to Shipp. Mills went around left end five yards. Mills punted over the Coyote goal line.

Wichita Falls' ball on the 20-yard line. Francis passed to Mitchell but he failed to hold the ball. Ray's pass was intercepted by Cooper who ran it back to the Coyotes' 20-yard line. Taylor made two yards at right tackle. Mills went around left end six yards. Taylor was stopped at the line of scrimmage by Francis. Mills went through left guard for two yards for first down. Time out for Coyotes.

Mills was thrown behind the line of scrimmage by Ewing but got to his feet and carried the ball to the line. Ewing was breaking through on every play and was a great defensive star. Edmonson went in for Brown. Taylor smacked left tackle six yards. Hubbard went in for Mills who had been carrying the brunt of the Ranger attack. Taylor failed to gain through center. Taylor made three yards off left tackle and the ball went over to Wichita Falls in the shadows of the goal.

On an attempted pass, Francis to Allred, Cooper intercepted and was downed on the nine-yard line. Taylor went over left tackle eight yards. Taylor hurdled in line for a touchdown. Glenn dropkicked for the extra point. Score, Ranger 21; Wichita Falls 0.

Hamlin went in for Cooper. Glenn kicked to P. Ray on the five-yard line. Ray returned, and was downed on the 41-yard line. Powell went in for Downing. Taylor went over left tackle 11 yards. Grubbs went in for Phillips. Reese was thrown for a yard loss by Jinney. Knott went in for Whitehill.

Taylor went over left tackle seven yards. He hit the same spot for two more. Spindle went in for Seay. Lemley went in for Taylor. Reeves punted straight up in the air and P. Ray took the ball. It was in mid-field. A pass, Francis to P. Ray, was too high. Starr went in for Hinman. Francis passed to McKinney 31 yards. A pass, P. Ray to Francis, was intercepted by Glenn. He was downed on the 20-yard line. Tackitt went in for V. Short. Glenn made five yards over left tackle. H. Short went in for Glenn. Hubbard made three yards over left tackle. Blanchard went in for Shipp. Hubbard made three yard and first down over left tackle. Lemley failed to gain through the line. Hubbard went a yard through left tackle as the game ended. Final score, Ranger 21; Wichita Falls 0.

OKLAHOMA VS. MINNESOTA

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 4. (AP)—Negotiations were completed here this afternoon by the Oklahoma Aggies for a football game with Minnesota at Minneapolis next October 8.

The first annual Oklahoma City open championship was won by Al Espinosa, Chicago professional, with 297 for the 72 holes. Willard Hutchinson, Ponca City, Okla., was second with a card of 303.

Syracuse will find it hard to lose Hanson, brilliant end, by graduation this year.

JACK MEETS CHEC IN GRUDGE AFFAIR, KOPECKY TAKES BURNS

Wow Wow And Yaqui Joe Resume Feud With Padded Mitts In Six-Rounder As Added Attraction

THE CARD

Jack Gorman, San Angelo, versus Sylvio Checco, New York. Welterweights, two falls to a finish.

Joe Kopecky, New Orleans, versus Jack Burns, Eldorado. Middleweights, two falls to a finish.

Yaqui Joe, Sonora, versus Chief Wow Wow, Frederick. Welterweights, six rounds.

Time: 8:15 Wednesday night.

Place: Majestic theater.

This week's wrestling card is to be run under the auspices of the Wichita Falls boys' band and due to conflicting dates will be staged Wednesday night instead of the regular Tuesday, according to Matchmaker A. B. Ross.

The Gorman-Checco melee takes the form of a grudge battle because several months ago the navy welter went onto the mat bare-footed against Gorman and Jack promptly put on a toe split, damaging Checco's foot seriously, forcing him to discontinue the match. Checco is rated every bit as tough and clever a grappler as the scrappy Gorman and with the added incentive of his ill-will toward Jack is expected to give the San Angelo meteor a terrific battle.

The wily Joe Kopecky is said to have picked a rough customer in Jack Burns. Burns is more or less a stranger to Wichita Falls fans, never having appeared on the mat locally.

The greatest fan interest is attached to the Wow Wow-Yaqui melee. The redskins waged a bloody bout here last week with rapid fistic exchanges serving as spicy entree to what originally had been scheduled as a wrestling match. Wow Wow, perhaps a better boxer than he is wrestler, threw a challenge at Yaqui to don the padded mitts. Joe accepted pronto, although he had never laced on a boxing glove in his life. The Soneran began intensive training Thursday and has been working out with the gloves daily. He displays surprising ability, considering he is new at the leather game and is quite confident of taking Chief's measure either by a clip to the chin or by application of a flying mare. The match should prove quite an innovation regardless of the outcome.

PUBLISHERS HIT

German Elite Get a Kick Out of Strauss Coup.

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The "four hundred" are still chuckling over the prank played in Berlin by Richard Strauss, world famed composer, on the music publishers. At a reception in his honor given by Felix Geutsch, director general of the German General Electric company, a musical joke by Strauss was presented, entitled "Kraemerspiel," which freely translated emans "The Lay of the Mercenary Soul."

The words by Alfred Kerr, literary critic, lampoon the publishers mercilessly as men without souls, bent upon getting all they can out of authors. Several German publishers are immortalized by name in a manner anything but flattering. Strauss' music is correspondingly ironical.

The take-off was composed some 20 years ago but never produced or printed publicly as it is full of what is considered libelous matter.

Nine football captains who played during the last Andrew Latham Smith regime as coach at California, are heading a drive to raise $5000 for a carved marble players' bench to be placed in the California stadium as a memorial.

Harry E. Wilson has been elected captain of the 1927 Army football team. Wilson's home is in Sharpsville, Pa. He is 23 years old and a third-letter man, for football, lacrosse and basketball.

A new basketball captain must be chosen at Brown as Clifford B. Good has been declared ineligible by the university committee.

Penn State announces there will be 15 contests on their basketball schedule this season and the boxing schedule lists six dual meets and the intercollegiates.

Longhorn Cage Outlook Bright

Return of Nation Gives Doc's Squad More Scoring Power

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.(AP)—Prospects for a southwest conference championship basket ball quintet are the brightest since 1924, when Coach "Doc" Stewart's tossers enjoyed an undefeated season, winning the conference title with great ease.

Coach Stewart is now working with a squad of about 20 candidates. Among the letter men available for the 1927 combination are Captain "Roy" Stelter, Eastland, who is at home at center, guard or forward; Joe King, Dallas, flashy forward who has the knack of tossing the ball through the hoop at long range; Johnny Estes, Dallas, sturdy guard; Ed Olle, Flatonia, who handles the ball well, and shows to advantage at either guard or forward; "Ox" Higgins, Dallas, guard, who may not play because of a leg injury; "Carrie" Nation, forward and center on the 1925 team.

Return of Nation, who was not in school during the 1926 season, materially boosted the Longhorn chances. Nation was the "pinch shooter" of the 1925 team, his baskets from the floor winning a number of tight encounters.

Murray Moore, Electra, and Lee Baaldwin, Wichita Falls, letter men of 1926, will not play on the 1927 team. Moore, who played tackle on the Longhorn eleven of the past season, suffered a broken leg in the Thanksgiving day clash against the Texas Aggies, while Baldwin, a three-letter athlete last school season is not participating in athletics during the season of 1927-27.

Holly Brock, sensational forward of the Beaumont high five that won the 1925 state high school championship, and captain of the 1926 university freshman team is probably the most promising prospect from Coach Clyde Littlefield's 1926 "fish" team. Brock works the floor well, and has an excellent eye for the basket.

CROOKS BUSY

Organized Band in Germany Robs American Visitors.

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—An organized gang of crooks, preying chiefly on American visitors to Berlin, has been tipped off to the police by American consular authorities who have assisted in the investigation of a string of daylight holdups in which Americans have lost upwards to $20,000.

The members of the gang, numbering a dozen men and women, speak English fluently. They string themselves out along Unter Den Linden between two fashionable hotels and the office of the American Express company, a path frequently traveled by visitors. In various ways the manage to strike acquaintance with visitors who are prone to welcome "fellow countrymen" in a strange country. They lure their victims into secluded passages and arcades, hold them up at the point of a revolver and rob them.

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NEW PILOTS, NEW TACTICS IN AMERICAN

Western Half Swept Clean As Veterans Return In Managerial Roles

BY GEORGE CHADWICK
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NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—With the western half of the American Legion swept as clean of managers as though a cyclone had come out of the baseball sky, the fans may well wonder what kind of baseball will be played out that way in 1927.

The east loses only one manager, Lee Fohl of the Boston Red Sox The other managers of the east remain the same—at Washington the bridegroom, Bucky Harris, who was the "boy manager" only the other day; at Philadelphia the clerical, sedate old Irish catcher, Connie Mack; and at New York Miller Huggins, who escaped the travail of the National league to find milk and honey in the metropolis.

Tris Speaker's resignation this week at Cleveland counted out the last of the four western managers and now the leading question is: Who will be the Indians' new leader?

Tribe Ripe For Harvest

There is a great field in the Cleveland team for the man who undertakes the task of following Speaker. The redoubtable Cleveland star has left behind him a nine that is seemingly ripe for the harvest. Whoever succeeds Speaker must gain the confidence of the Cleveland players. Convinced of their possible strength by their success in 1926 they will look for results early in the year. If they are disappointed their leader will need great rallying powers to keep them "keyed up" in the face of temporary depression.

On paper the Indians have fine prospects for 1927. But it will take fighting to bring them out and there is still ahead the task of preparing that excellent pitching corps to bring it up to the prime condition in which it finished the 1926 season.

In St. Louis Dan Howley is tied to a three-year contract with the Browns. What kind of baseball will he get out of a club which has had good material choked by weeds? What type of manager is he?

Howley Practical Gardener

For one thing Howley won't argue. If there is any member of the Browns who harbors the idea that he can tell Howley how much or how little the new manager knows about baseball, there is no better time than the present winter to disillusion himself. Too much of that sort of thing was current with the Browns under George Sisler. It may crop out under Howley. So many weeds grow in a garden, but weeds are easily pulled in the spring when the earth is soft and yielding—and Howley is a practical gardener.

Ray Schalk, who will pilot the Chicago White Sox, is another manager who has the experience of a life of catching to guide him. He will have to demonstrate skill in other ways than adapting his pitchers to their daily tasks, but in judgment as to what to do with pitchers, there is no one in the league with a wider range of experience than Schalk. In his time he has held the reputation of being the most clever catcher in the American league and he has handled pitchers whose reputations have been second to none.

Moriarty a Tactician

Detroit's new manager, George Moriarty, a keen observer who has watched the successes and failures of other managers and players for many years while he served as an American league umpire, will match the results of his years of experience against the strategy of his rivals.

Moriarty is a tactician, an executive who will take chances, a leader who will dare to attempt things because he is sanguine of what his men can do. It will be interesting to watch him test his judgment based on his knowledge of the teams against which he will try his wits.

The new Boston manager, Bill Carrigan, is a rugged old baseball player who believes in managing a team in the good old-fashioned gritty way by which his men must play for him and play to win.

Any success at all with the Red Sox will be a triumph for Carrigan. Therefore the laurels to be gained will take all the New England stamina that is left in his good old-fashioned backbone.

ANOTHER MIRACLE

Johnnie Halpin of Notre Dame, believes in fairies, guardian angels and all the rest. On the way home from the Army-Notre Dame game, Johnnie and his two companions came upon an expensive car in which sat a man with the insignia of a brigadier general, no other than Brigadier General M. B. Stewart. His car was out of gas and the boys gave him about four gallons. As they prepared to depart only glad to be of aid, they were handed three tickets to the Army-Navy game. Everyone who tried to get tickets and were disappointed understands why Johnnie insists it was an angel.

NOTRE DAME WINS

LOS ANGELES COLISEUM, Dec. 4. (AP)—The flashing football glory that was Notre Dame's, dimmed by Carnegie Tech last week, glittered to victory in all its radiance today and overcame Southern California, 13 to 12. The Indians did what no other team has accomplished and handed Troy its first defeat in an intersectional contest.

BROWNSVILLE WINS.

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 4.(AP)—Brownsville Junior high school, undefeated by a team in its class in two years, won the Junior championship of South Texas today by swamping Kingsville Junior high, 73 to 0.

FIRST SACKER SIGNS

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Dec. 4. (AP) Watt Donahue, former first baseman for Mobile in the Southern association, signed Saturday as first sacker for Des Moines, pennant winner in the Western league last year.

ALL-AMERICAN ELEVEN SELECTION COVERS ENTIRE COUNTRY



BY ROY GROVE,
(EFS Sports Editor.)

With the last RAH echoing into the past and the goal posts well uprooted, who could represent the best eleven football players for the season of 1926?

The EFS in presenting an All-American eleven does so with a consensus of football coaching authorities throughout the gridiron world today.

These players are picked according to the merits of their playing ability and their records for the last 10 weeks, with no favoring any one man or team. He is put in for his scoring, offensive and defensive prowess or his method and responsibility for a score, although his record may show with less brilliancy on paper than high-point scorers.

This eleven, coaches believe, would work together and run up much larger scores or even score as a team in greater proportions than some players who would take it upon themeselves to hold the responsibility of making the deciding point.

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These men concede in the majority to Benny Friedman, of Michigan, at quarter to pivot the team, although "Moon" Baker, of Northwestern, was in doubt, until discussing all around passing and kicking where the points are needed. The directing Friedman not only knows the running game but knows the aerial attack at its best.

Kaer, of Southern California, high point scorer of the coast, is considered the best back in the west, and by hooking up with Kirkleski, of Lafayette, and Joesting, the plunging fullback from Minnesota, he would have the best running interference in the game today.

In picking Kirkleski, the coaching staff appoints a ball runner who could take the pigskin up to the line and then open the biggest hole on any football field for a man like Kaer or Joesting to carry through.

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Hubbard, "Bo" McMillin's giant end from Geneva, is without question the best end in the game today, regardless of his 235 pounds. His defensive and offensive tactics are equally balanced. There is no other end of his caliber in the modern grid game today.

Hanson, of Syracuse, the greatest collegiate athlete in school takes care of the other end. These two choices received unquestioned support.

Pickhard, of Alabama, and Wickhorst, of the Navy, hold undisputed records, holding the tackles regardless of the lack of material at these positions through the wide football world for the 1926 season. This year was the leanest on record for tackles.

These two men did more for Alabama and the Navy in holding them through their undefeated season than any man on either of the teams; also regarding that a tackle is the hardest to hold and gain through any effort of recognition.

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Hess, of Ohio State, and Shirley, of Illinois, were without saying the choice of guards, for many of the All-Americans picked in the United States. These men were "supers" at guard from the beginning of the season.

Boeringer, of Notre Dame, takes care of the center position. His work was doubled in considering that he played and passed to one of the hardest outfits to work with for the present day. The "shifting" type of play, for which Rockne favored throughout the playing season, took all a center could be asked to do in passing correctly to the fastest moving squad on the 1926 gridiron.

The defensiveness and the offensiveness of this team is taken equally into consideration. This group of men could work better together than any eleven men in football today in running, plunging, kicking, passing and likewise anticipate and stop the best play any coaching mind could concoct.

ZACK WHEAT FOR SALE

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Two Brooklyn veterans, Outfielder Zach Wheat, Pitcher Burleigh Grimes, will be on the market at the annual meeting of National league club owners here December 14 and 15, it is understood.

St. Louis and Cincinnati both would like to get Grimes, baseball men assert, while Wheat seems likely to go to an American league club as a pinch hitter.

End	Hubbard	Geneva
Tackle	Pickhard	Alabama
Guard	Hess	Ohio State
Center	Boeringer	Notre Dame
Guard	Shrively	Illinois
Tackle	Wickhorst	Navy
End	Hanson	Syracuse
Quarter	Friedman	Michigan
Halfback	Kaer	So. California
Halfback	Kirkleski	Lafayette
Fullback	Joesting	Minnesota

Middle West Gains Five Places, East Four, South One and Far West One In All-American Pick

The make-up of first, second and third all-American football teams as compiled by the Associated Press from a country-wide census of coaches and critics.

FIRST TEAM

Pos.	Player	College	Age	Height	Weight	Residence
E	Victor Hanson, Syracuse		23	5:10	174	Syracuse, N. Y.
T	Frank Wickhorst, Navy		21	6:04	218	Oakpark, Ills.
G	Harry Connaughton, Georgetown		22	6:02	275	Philadelphia
C	Arthur Boeringer, Notre Dame		22	6:01	186	St. Paul, Minn.
G	Bernard Shively, Illinois		21	6:04	208	Oliver, Ill.
T	Mortimer Sprague, Army		22	6:05	210	Dallas, Texas
E	Hoyt Winslett, Alabama		22	6:10	174	Dadeville, Ala.
QB	Benjamin Friedman, Michigan		21	5:08	172	Cleveland, Ohio
HB	Ralph Baker, Northwestern		22	5:10	172	Rockford, Ill.
HB	Morton Kaer, Southern California		24	6:11	167	Red Bluff, Calif.
FB	Herb Joesting, Minnesota		21	6:01	195	Owatenna, Minn.

Second Team	Position	Third Team
Harold Brood, Brown	End	Benj. Oosterbaan, Michigan
Emerson Nelson, Iowa	Tackle	Lloyd Yoder, Carnegie
Edwin Hess, Ohio State	Guard	Herbert C. Sturhaalin, Yale
John J. Butler, Pennsylvania	Center	"Polly" Wallace Oklahoma U.
Emerson Carey, Cornell	Guard	Fred Swan, Stanford
D. Thomas Eddy, Navy	Tackle	Orland F. Smith, Brown
Theodore Shipkey, Stanford	End	Carl Bacchus, Missouri
William Spears, Vanderbilt	Quarterback	Geo. Guttormsen, Washington
Harry Wilson, Army	Halfback	Frank Kirkleski, LaFayette
William Kelly, Montana	Halfback	Chas. Rogers, Pennsylvania
Martin Karow, Ohio State	Fullback	L. J. Rauber, Wash. and Lee

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—For the first time in nearly 40 years of all-American football ranking, the distinction of carrying off the most places on the mythical all-star college eleven passes from the east to the middle west.

This was revealed today in a nation-wide consensus compiled by the Associated Press and reflecting the opinions of more than 100 coaches and critics.

With no college having more than one representative in the first eleven, the consensus shows the middle west gaining five places, the east four, while the south and far west occupy one each.

Last year the east had six of the eleven positions on the first team compilation by the Associated Press, the middle west three, and far west two.

Taking the 1926 squad as a whole, however—first, second and third teams—the east retains its traditional leadership with 14 out of 33 places. The middle west has 11, the far west five and south three. Twenty-six institutions are represented in the list.

Backs Fail To Flash.

This year's campaign has not been lacking in individual stars, but comparatively few, particularly among the back field performers, have captured popular imagination to the extent that Red Grange, George Wilson, Ernie Nevers, "Swede" Oberlander and others did in 1925.

Herb Joesting, Minnesota's plunging fullback is an exception. He came near to being the unanimous choice of the experts who selected this year's all-American line-up. His running mates, Friedman of Michigan; Kaer of Southern California and Baker of Northwestern all polled heavy votes but it was by a comparatively slim margin that they gained first-team places over such all-around aces as Spears of Vanderbilt, Harry Wilson of the army, "Wild Bill" Kelly of Montana and Frank Kirkleski of LaFayette.

It is noteworthy that three of the all-star ball carriers, Friedman, Kaer and Baker, occupied quarterback positions on their teams. Most of the critics while favoring the Michigan captain as field general of the mythical aggregation, considered the all-around capabilities of Baker and Kaer valuable enough to shift them to halfback roles.

In the line, Frank Wickhorst, navy captain, tackle, and Harry Connaughton, Georgetown's 275-pound guard, were the most heavily favored. Close contests developed for all of the other positions, particularly on the ends, where an unusual galaxy of stars shone this year. Hanson, Syracuse leader, and Hoyt Winslett, outstanding player of Alabama's southern championship team gained the wing posts by narrow margins over Ted Shipkey of Stanford, Hal Broda of Brown, Bennie Oosterbaan of Michigan, a 1925 all-American and Bacchus of Missouri.

220-Pound Line.

Observers stressed the point that in Winslett and Hanson, the mythical team's attack would have two men with ball carrying abilities almost on the par with those of the backs. In addition, they possessed defensive qualities well adapted to support a line that averages 220 pounds from tackle to tackle.

Formidable as were such unbeaten teams as Alabama, Brown, Stanford, Navy and Army, none came within striking distance of Dartmouth's record of putting three stars on the 1925 first team and four all together on the three-team squad.

Seven of the 26 institutions in the 1926 list shared the distinction of having two men named. They were Michigan, Army, Navy, Brown, Stanford, Pennsylvania and Ohio state. Dartmouth incidentally, failed to place a man among the 33 picked.

OAK CLIFF WINS

Cleburne Falters Before Leopard Drive by 18-14 Score.

CLEBURNE, Texas, Dec. 4.(AP) The Oak Cliff Leopards of Dallas, went into semi-finals of the state high school football race by defeating Cleburne team 18 to 14, here today. Lumpkin of the Oak Cliff backfield whose protested eligibility was sustained by interscholastic league officials this week was the main factor in the victory.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S FIGHTS.

CHICAGO.—Mickey Walker, former welterweight champion, won the middle weight championship from Tiger Flowers, 10 rounds. Jackie Williams, Chicago, beat Harry Robart, 6 rounds. Walcott Langford, Chicago, knocked out Jack Ehkhart, Dallas, 4 rounds. Chuck Burns, San Antonio, and Babe McGorgory, Oklahoma, drew, 8 rounds. George Godfrey, Chicago, scored a technical knockout over Cowboy Billy Owens, 8 rounds; Erie, Pa., Jimmy Mendo, Cleveland, beat Leroy Dougan, New Orleans, 10 rounds; Sacramento, Calif., Billy West, Pittsburgh, beat Lou Daniels, Sacramento, 4 rounds; Tampa, Fla., Charlie Weinert, Newark, beat Sergeant Jack Adams, New York, 10 rounds.

ALABAMA GETS PERMIT

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4. (AP)—The southern football conference Saturday unanimously granted the University of Alabama permission to play Stanford university in the Tournament of Roses game at Pasadena, Cal., New Year's.

Rice Coach Off For Grid Study

Heisman Goes East to Learn More About How To Play Football

HOUSTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—John Heisman, coach of Rice institute's football team, announced that he will leave for the east on his annual vacation December 20. Contrary to the accepted notions of a vacation, however, Heisman plans to spend the time absorbing latest information about football. He will return to Rice, he said, about the middle of January to prepare for spring football training.

LANDIS FACES BASEBALL WAR

Effort to Limit Power Of Baseball Dictator Is Predicted

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. (AP)—Big chiefs of the National league will go to the joint meeting of the two major circuits in Chicago about two weeks hence with a bouquet for Commissioner Landis in one hand and a tomahawk in the other.

Figuratively speaking this is the situation as seen by John Heydler, president of the senior league, who forecasts a strong protest from owners against the commissioner's proposal to abbreviate the playing season.

Although the league unanimously favors re-election of Landis to another seven-year term, his plan for closing the season on the last Sunday in September would be "unsatisfactory and unworkable," says Heydler. Three non-playing Sunday teams in the league would compel too many doubleheaders, in his opinion.

Heydler agrees with Col. Jacob Ruppert of the Yankees that a committee of three from each of the major circuits should be appointed to thresh out "points of friction between the two leagues."

$76,194 Income Longhorn Game

Thanksgiving Day Contest At Austin Sets Record For Receipts

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Receipts of the Texas university-Texas A. and M. football game here Thanksgiving day totalled $76,194.65, L. Theo Bellmont, Texas university athletic director reported Saturday.

Expenses amounted to $8,330.73, leaving a net profit of $67,863.92 which was divided equally between the two schools.

65 FISH CAGERS OUT.

AUSTIN, Dec. 4.(AP)—Sixty-five candidates for the Texas university freshman basket ball team reported this week to Coach Clyde Littlefield. Practice will begin in earnest after the Christmas holidays, with the "Fish" basketeers being used to scrimmage against Coach "Doc" Stewart's Longhorns.

WHIPS JOE DUNDEE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.(AP) Eddie Roberts, sensational welterweight of Tacoma, Wash., punched himself into the championship class today when he scored a technical knockout over Joe Dundee of Baltimore, rated as one of the greatest 147-pounders of the country.

Owls Will Play Loyola Eleven

Game For 1927 at New Orleans Tentatively Set By Authorities

HOUSTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Correspondence available at Rice institute Saturday made it appear likely that Rice's opening football game in 1927 would be played with Loyola university at New Orleans.

When the schedule for next season was announced a few weeks ago, the opposing team for the initial struggle had not been chosen. The University of Arkansas has been invited to come to Houston, but, it was stated, has just declined it. While athletic authorities at Rice said they were not ready to say definitely that the season would be opened with Loyola, it was regarded quite probable, that a contract would be made.

JENNINGS IN FINE CONDITION

SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 4. (AP) Declaring that he never felt better in his life, Hughie Jennings, assistant manager of the New York Giants and former leader of the Detroit Tigers, announced Saturday that he would get back into baseball next spring. Jennings had been away from the diamond more than a year because of a nervous breakdown.

Jennings will not rejoin the Giants when he returns to the game.

"I have my own reasons for not desiring to join the New York club," Jennings said. "McGraw and I are the best of friends, but no offer from the Giants can get me back."

TCU Frogs Face Basket Drills

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—One more practice and then the fireworks. That is what Coach Matty Bell promised Texas Christian university basketball candidates Saturday after three days of light work on the court. The Frogs will be given "light stuff" again this afternoon but Monday Coach Bell will start making things hot for the basketeers.

The Frogs began working out Wednesday when Bell called them out for the first time and issued equipment. He has been content to let them practice shooting free shots and getting their eyes on the baskets since Wednesday, but next week will see the beginning of stiff workouts in passing and various forms of offensive and defensive play.

JACK'S LEGS, NOT STOMACH, DEFEATED HIM

Dempsey Trained in Secret To Avoid Display Of Weakness

By SPARROW M'GANN

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Jack Dempsey was not doped before his fight with Gene Tunney. Jack's trouble was in his legs, not in his stomach.

When the public was excluded from Dempsey's workouts a few days before the big fight at Philadelphia, strong feeling against the then champion was aroused.

Captain Mabbutt, the big fellow who acted as a sort of aide de camp to Dempsey—he was responsible for the "poison" yarn this week—seemed eager at that time to give the impression that Jack had nothing to hide and that the reason for his wish to work out privately was to avoid the annoyance of uncouth remarks by spectators.

But that was not the reason. Dempsey was not physically right and he did not want it known. Heading the photographers who were taking movies of Dempsey and Tunney in their training camps was Bert Conn, chief camera man.

Refused to Skip For Camera

Bert wanted to film Dempsey in the act of skipping rope and Jack would not perform for him. Conn thought this was very strange. His opinion was that the title holder's legs were not right and that Jack did not wish this fact known.

How well Conn doped it out was shown by Dempsey's actions in the ring in the battle with Tunney. It was only too apparent that his legs had lost their resiliency and that they were dead on him after the first 30 seconds of every round.

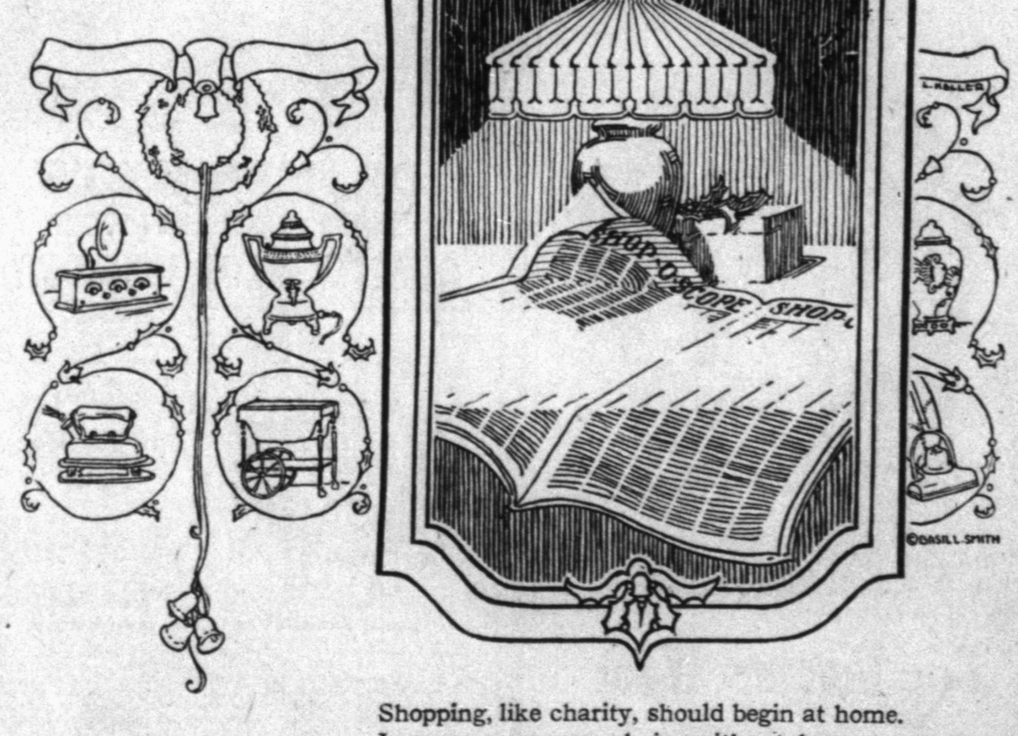
Dempsey himself says he was not drugged and he ought to know. Men who observed him closely testify that he did not appear doped or nervous as he taped his hands before the fight. He was steady, cool, and collected as he wound the thin gauze around his hand and bright eyed as well.

And get this tip: Whether or not Jack returns to the ring will depend upon the condition of his legs. If they snap back into shape he will fight again, if they don't he won't.

Intellectual Battlers

To prove that professional boxing in this country is on the rise intellectually we point to such brainy mastodons as Monte Munn, Rags Madera, Sully Montgomery and a few other college graduates who have entered the game of hit, stop and get away.

True enough. Yet this country has no monopoly in educated wallopers. Over in England Lieut. Com. Joseph M. Kenworthy, a member of parliament, is very proficient with the gloves. He holds the fleet championship and they are beginning to look upon him as England's white hope, provided he goes into the professional game.



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"CONGRESS OF NATION" TO BE FEATURE OF WEST TEXAS C-C MEET

BIG PAGEANTS AND PARADES ARE PLANNED

Colorful Spectacle To Be Staged Here By Crowds Of Visitors

A "Congress of Nations," an event that promises to excel in brilliance anything of the kind ever held in the United States, is being planned by the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce for the annual 1927 convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in this city, May 16 and 17. Each city, town or community in West Texas, which expects to send a delegation to this annual event will be asked to represent some foreign nation and dress in correct costumes. The colors of the various countries will be blended together to make the event one of magnificence and splendor.

In order to make the occasion most unusual and effective, the assistance of the embassies of various foreign countries will be sought. Much important information has already been gathered. In addition to this a member of the chamber of commerce staff, who visited France and other countries in the summer of 1926 obtained much information that will be of great help in staging this unique congress. The spectacle will be patterned after the great European carnivals of Nice and Florence. Booths will be erected in two rows to form an "Avenue of Nations."

Prominent Decorations

The decorations will be given prominence to add to the color of the event. Many interesting features of the old European street carnival will be carried out and much street dancing, including the native dances in native costumes. These booths will serve as headquarters for the various delegations. This will avoid the usual congestion in stores and hotels where headquarters have heretofore been maintained by the various delegations in the various cities where this convention has been held. At the same time it will add to the carnival features.

Embassies to Help

It is believed that the embassies of several leading countries of the world now in Washington will cooperate in the plans which are being made to make this a real carnival and Congress of Nations, educational in its very nature and theme. In fact, it is highly probably if this event may be carried out as planned that many visitors from the nation's capital would be here to view the spectacle. It is planned to make the parade one of the outstanding features.

Under the plans which have been considered it is believed the decorations may be obtained for a very nominal sum so that the event, although carrying with it unusual splendor may be staged in an inexpensive manner. It is planned to present the idea in detail to all cities and towns to be represented. A number of the chamber of commerce staff will begin traveling in January to carry the idea to the towns of West Texas and will cooperate with them in every practical way to make the event complete and a success.

SPLAWN GOES EAST

AUSTIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Dr. W. M. W. Splawn, president of Texas university, left Saturday for Greenville, S. C., where Tuesday he will deliver the principal address at the Furman university centennial celebration.

Ex-Newsboy, Cripple of City, Victim Of Attack in West Virginia Town

Charles H. Thomas, the spunkiest cripple that ever sold a newspaper in Wichita Falls, is lying in a hospital at Keyser, W. Va., unconscious from a blow he received while being robbed in that city. This information was received by wire Saturday from W. Falkire, sheriff at Keyser, who is seeking further information about the victim.

The telegram was addressed to L. E. Cowling, local real estate man, 2406 Tenth street, who has known the boy for several years.

Thomas has been hopelessly crippled nearly all his life. His mother dropped him when he was two years old and he sustained injuries which left him partially paralyzed and barely able to get about. Cowling found him sleeping in a box at Mineral Wells a number of years ago while he was mayor of that city. He became interested in the boy and gained his confidence. The boy told him that he had about $1500 in banks in West Virginia and also owned a piece of mineral land in that state. Later Thomas was offered a good sum for his land and went back to West Virginia to settle it up.

Three years later found Mr. Cowling in business in Wichita Falls and here Thomas again met his old friend upon returning from West Virginia. In West Virginia, it was said, he had been tricked and beaten out of his property and money. So he took up his trade of selling papers and chewing gum on the streets of Wichita Falls. He stayed here a year and left for Amarillo where he expected to find better business. At this time Mr. Cowling gave him a letter of recommendation and it was this letter found upon the body of the unconscious cripple which caused the telegram to be sent to Mr. Cowling, the sheriff there trying to locate relatives of the boy.

Santa Claus

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lasts one more week, so keep on sending in your letters, kiddies, for you can still win a $2 prize.

Here are some of the letters selected for honorable mention:

WICHITA FALLS

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a red coat for Christmas and a pair of skates but if you do not have enough things for everybody I will be happy for some other little girl to have them that doesn't have a daddy or mother. I am nine years old.—Mary Eda Buchanan, 1801 Monroe street.

BLUE GROVE

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a ring, a doll buggy and a story book. But please Santa visit the little children in the orphans home first and if you don't have enough for them and me too you may leave some of mine off, for I have a papa and a mother. I will be waiting for you.—Grace Maxberry, age 10.

WICHITA FALLS
2105 Jones street

Dear Santa Claus:

Last year you brought me a pair of roller skates and I fell down about noon and broke my arm, but I don't want anything this Christmas but a big read sweater. I want you to send the other things you have for girls my age (I am 12) to someone else for their Christmas. Yours till next year.—Mamie Remington.

WICHITA FALLS
Route 4, Box 18-A

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a little collie pup. My brother is not well. We are going away with him.

If we had a collie he would sure be cared for. My brother could have company while I am at school. I go to Fannin school. I am in the high fourth and nine years of age.

My brother cannot go to school 'till after Christmas. Your friend, Weldon Lawrance.

HAMILIN, TEXAS

Dear Mr. Santa Claus:

How are you and Mrs. Claus and all the little Santas? By the way, will all your little children be Santa Clauses when they get big?

Well, Santa, I hope you will bring a toy car and a pair of skates, and a story book and some candy and I don't want any nuts 'cause my Dad got a hundred pounds on Red river, but I do want a pair of leather work gloves.—Well, good-bye Santa—Buddy Kilgore.

P. S.—I am eight years old and in the high fourth grade.—Buddy.

WICHITA FALLS

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl nine years old. I have a sister, Alice, eight, and a little brother, George, three years old. Alice and I want by-low baby dolls. We still have the doll buggies you gave us last Christmas. I want a pair of gloves like Alice has. And if you have plenty of toys we would like to have a toy wrist watch. Please bring baby George a tricycle and a little doll he can take to bed with him. He is so lonesome since our little sister died on Thanksgiving day.—Wilma Ray, 1303 North 5th street.

Route 1, Box 1-C

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl ten years old and in the fourth grade. All I want for Christmas is some candy and a orange; that is all I want. But don't you forget my little friends far away for I am trying to help them. I sure will thank you for that. Well Santa, I guess I had better close for today. Your little friend—Eula Leona Upton.

Route 3, Box 120

Dear Santa Claus:

Tom, a little cripple boy, and I have been cripple eight years. And I have been blessed for Tom is able to go to school. I would like to have a Shetling pony and some candy and nuts. And if this is to much divide with some other little cripple boys. And if there are any children Santa Claus ought to go see the little cripple boys and girls. Yours truly, Roy McShan.

I was 11 years old October 17, 1926.

Dear Santa Claus:

I have been a good little boy. Please bring me a fire wagon to ride in; a little gun with caps, some fire crackers and candy, fruit and nuts. Please remember the poor boys and girls. Your little boy—Alexander Douglass, 2912 Cumberland avenue.

HENRIETTA
Star R. 2, Box 32

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 11 years old. I would like to have something but the little children that haven't any mother or father or the one that needs it more than I do if you got a plenty you can bring me a Testament and if you ain't got a-plenty you can give it to other little sick children and orphans. Well, think of them all. From Irene Chappell.

CHEST TEAM AREAS PICKED

Assignment of Territories Made; Everything Ready For Big Drive Monday

Team personnel and territory to be covered in the Community Chest fund drive Monday and Tuesday were completed Saturday noon at a meeting of workers held at the Kemp hotel Saturday afternoon. All arrangements were completed and everything is in readiness for the drive which starts Monday afternoon. It is hoped to have the full $65,900 raised by Tuesday night.

Captains are requested to get in touch with their team members and be responsible for their attendance at the Kiwanis club meeting Monday noon.

The following assignment of team numbers and territories have been announced:

Team No. 1—Ohio avenue, river to Thirteenth street; Walter Daugherty, captain; Ira Brown, Don T. Haynes, Irvin D. Stone.

Team No. 2—Indiana avenue, river to Thirteenth street; J. W. McReynolds, captain; L. J. Keeble, L. R. Stringer, L. B. Huffhines.

Team No. 3—Scott avenue, river to Thirteenth street; J. H. Allison, captain; R. C. Priebe, W. R. Hyer, J. W. Hunt.

Team No. 4—Lamar, Travis and Austin, river to Thirteenth street; George Gutzman, captain; John Huff, Sam L. Smith, E. C. DeMontel.

Team No. 5—Seventh street, railroad to Burnett; J. Price, captain; Charles Pogenpohl, E. E. Scannell, A. G. Robbie.

Team No. 6—Eighth street, railroad to Burnett; A. C. Razor, captain; O. A. Thomas, W. L. Robertson, L. L. Boardman.

Team No. 7—Ninth street, railroad to Burnett; T. E. Noble, captain; O. H. Kellogg, L. R. Bennett, Wm. Snoddy.

Team No. 8—Tenth and Eleventh, railroad to Burnett street; B. G. Ripley, captain; A. C. Moline, E. P. Cook, W. C. Hamilton.

Team No. 9—Perkins-Snider building; Wm. R. Couch, captain; Shadie Hale, G. L. Berry, G. E. Nichols.

Team No. 10.—First National Bank building; J. C. Hunt, captain; P. M. Oviatt, George Mobley, R. J. Claypool.

Team No. 11—Staley building, second to sixth floors; H. G. Cravens, captain; Eugene Liepold, R. E. Schofield, Paul Von Almen.

Team No. 12—Staley building, seventh to twelfth floors; J. L. Eggleston, captain; Julian Ivy, Dr. A. H. Douglas, W. S. Ellis.

Team Nos. 13—City National bank building, second to sixth floors; Claude Miller, captain; R. V. Fite, A. A. Kuehn, W. E. McBroom.

Team No. 14—City National bank building, seventh to twelfth floors; C. E. Naylor, captain; H. F. Sprinkles, Paul Pond, Jim Cassell.

Team No. 15—Harvey-Snider building; H. C. Welch, captain; Paul G. Putty, Roy Carter, S. A. Gaines.

Team No. 16—Waggoner building; P. M. Cordell, captain, J. M. Isbell, M. H. Pruitt, O. D. McCoy.

Team No. 17—North of Wichita river; B. D. Sartin, captain; J. M. Pyland, G. M. Holt, C. C. Bunnenberg.

Team No. 18—From Wichita Valley railroad, east (river to Burnett); F. A. Rogers, captain; G. L. Shapard, Carl Williamson, Wm. E. Huff.

Team No. 19—Bounded by Burnett street and railroad on east, Thirteenth street, Clark and Holliday creek; Solon Featherston, captain; E. R. Cline, A. W. McCoy, C. H. Reid.

Team No. 20—Brook avenue to Harrison street; C. A. Rogers, captain; R. H. Dargan, M. B. Whatley, J. B. Allred.

Team No. 21—Everything west of Harrison street; E. A. Bebb, captain; Howard Renfro, Wm. Burke, E. E. Fischer.

Team No. 22—Bounded by Burnett street, Thirteenth, Clark, Brook avenue and Wichita river; L. J. Bryan, captain; J. W. Liddell, J. A. Wise, T. A. Bradley.

PEDESTRIAN HIT

"Hit and Run" Motorist Injured Man at Eighth and Ohio

W. B. Elliot, who recently arrived here from the Panhandle, was struck by a "hit and run motorist" at Eighth and Ohio streets early Saturday evening and severly bruised.

Elliott had started across the street when a car came around the corner and struck him down. The driver of the car evidently thought he was not seriously hurt and kept on going. No one got the number of the car.

The victim was taken to the General hospital in an ambulance and physician there stated that he was not seriously injured and would be able to leave the hospital today.

RANGER TEAM DINNER GUESTS

Bulldogs and Coyotes Are Entertained at Banquet Saturday Night

The Ranger Bulldogs were given "bon voyage" by Wichita Falls at a banquet in honor of the Ranger and Wichita Falls football squads at the Wichita club last night.

The banquet, fostered by the chamber of commerce, was a brief affair due to the Ranger players having to catch a train at 7:30 for the return trip. Coaches of the two teams, J. A. Murray of Ranger, and Arthur Raysor of Wichita Falls, made short talks before the crowd of approximately 100.

Coach Blair Cherry of the Bulldogs, expressed the gratitude of his team for the hospitaltiy shown by Wichita Falls citizens. "Bud" McCallum, the Coyote coach, extended good wishes for Ranger in her quest of the state football championship. "There is no doubt that we were beaten by a superior team," McCallum said.

J. A. Murray in a five-minute talk, told of the great interest being manifest the current season to football in the oil belt. "One week ago tonight we in Ranger were greatly disappointed that Ranger had lost the toss which determined the site of today's game, but since saving spent a day in Wichita Falls I am more than glad that Wichita Falls won the toss," was the way Murray summarized his appreciation of this city's welcome.

WOMAN CONSTABLE

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.(AP)—Constable Lela Poe, who succeeded her slain husband as an officer, during the last few days has cajoled a dime out of 80 persons, announced a non-plussed bank teller without explanation. Saturday it became known that she was a "secret agent" for the goodfellow Christmas fund.





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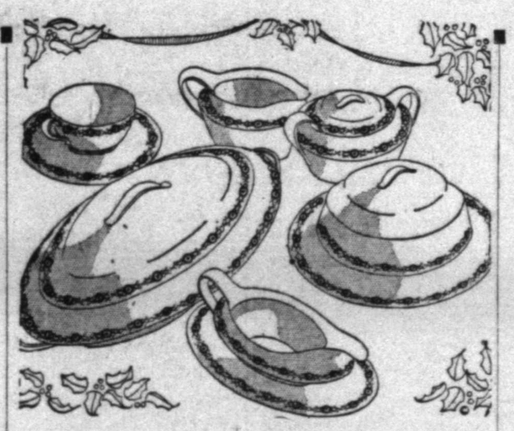
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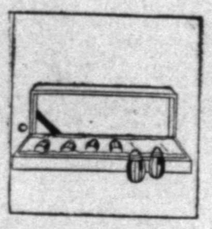
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DATSON BOOK REVIEWS START

Episcopal Church Rector To Begin His Popular Fall Lessons

Beginning Sunday evening at 5 o'clock, Rev. Fred T. Datson, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, will give his first book review sermon of the fall when he will give "An Hour With Robert Louis Stevenson."

It has been the custom of Reverand Datson to give the book reviews each Sunday evening at 5 o'clock through the winter season, and for several years they have proved to be very popular with hundreds of Wichitans attending.

GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Seventh and Lamar
Rev. Leslie Miller, Pastor

Sermons: 10:45 a. m., "Intelligence in Religion." 7:30 p. m., "Judge Not!"

Morning music, anthem, "Peace It Is I," by Hicks, the chorus choir, also the pastor will sing a solo. The organ prelude will be, "Contemplation," by Gaul. The evening music will be special. Besides the Methodist male quartet, a violin solo by Herbert Crosslin, there will be "The Stranger and The Old Church Choir," Geo. C. Taylor, soloist. The evening prelude, "Adoration," by Gaul; Mrs. Carrie E. Wilcox, organist.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., J. F. Friberg, Supt. This is missionary Sunday, the offering goes to "World Service."

Junior Epworth League 3 p. m., Mrs. B. H. Davidson, Supt. The children's hour for religious instruction.

Senior Spworth league, 6:30 p. m. The pastor will be the leader of this service.

Week's Activities

Monday, 2:30 p. m., the Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. H. L. Hunter, 1820 Tenth street. Mrs. I. W. Karrenbrock, president.

Wednesday, first quarterly conference at the church at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. Howard Thomison, D. S., will be present and speak and conduct the conference. All officials are expected to be present, and all members and friends are invited to come.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., chorus choir rehearsal.

Friday, Don Ross, scout master, announces a hike for the troop. 8 p. m. at the church the Epworth League will have a party.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Tenth and Lamar
Dr. S. S. McKenney, Pastor

9:30 a. m. Sunday school, W. B. Hamilton, Supt. E. F. Bohmfalk, director of religious education. Kay Bible class for men meets at the Strand theater.

10:50 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon, "The Larger Life," Dr. S. S. McKenney.

3:00 p. m., Junior Epworth League.

6:15 p. m., Ansil Lynn Epworth League, Mrs. E. F. Bohmfalk, leader.

6:45 p. m., Annie Laurie Long League, Ruby Crowson, leader.

7:30 p. m., sermon, "The Master's Call," Dr. McKenney.

Music for the day as follows:

Morning, organ prelude, "Adagio" (Beethoven); anthem, "More Love to Thee, O Christ." (Speaks) Mrs. Murrel Hooper and choir.

Offertory, organ, "A Shepherd's Idyl" (Giebel); organ postlude, "Postlude" (Clark).

Evening, organ prelude, "Romance," (Hays). Old fashioned Methodist sing song conducted by Mrs. MacGregor. Anthem, "Bow Down Thine Ear, O Lord," (Barrett). F. M. Hansen and choir.

Offertory, organ "Traumerl" (Schuman). Duet "I am His Child" (Morris). Organ postlude "March" (Rockwell). Mrs. J. W. Akin Jr., organist, Joel H. MacGregor, choir director.

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Opposite Junior College—Dr. Paul Henry Packard, Minister

Bible school at 9:30, Judge B. D. Sartin, superintendent.

Communion and divine wordship at 11 o'clock. Today Dr. Small will bring his closing messages to us and large audiences are expected to hear them. At the morning hour his subject will be "Preparation for Heaven."

Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:15 with special programs in each department. Mr. Haley will speak to the Senior Society and have charge of their meeting.

Evangelistic service at 7:30, subject, "The Sin of Division and God's Remedy."

The regular mid-week prayer service will be held Wednesday night at 7:30 with Doctor Packard speaking. Orchestra and choir rehearsal Thursday night. Boy Scout troop No. 15, J. Chester Powell, scoutmaster, meets here on Friday night.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURC
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Tenth and Bluff.
Rev. Nat F. Grafton, Pastor.

Sunday school meets promptly at 9:30 with graded classes for all departments. Rev. Dan E. Griedor, who supplied the pulpit during the absence of Dr. Grafton last spring, will preach at both services. The music for the morning will be "The Lord Is My Light," by Allitson, sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. C. M. Cameron, soprano; Mrs. W. L. Underwood, contralto; Paul Von Allmen, tenor and Alva R. Willgus, bass, and "There Is a Friend in the Homeland," sung by the choir. At the night service the choir will sing, "O Lamb of God Still Keep Me," and Wilgus will sing a solo. Mrs. O. E. Maer accompanies. Christian Endeavor meets at 6:15 for a song and praise service before separating into the various groups for study. Their lesson is "Chapter." All young people of the church and congregation are asked to be present. Camp Fire Girls meet Wednesday afternoon. Boy Scouts meet Friday night at 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.
Eleventh and Holliday Streets
Rev. C. M. Beyer, Pastor.

Services in the courthouse, 78th district court room, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning services in the English language at 10:30 a. m. Berea Bible class study meeting at 7:30 p. m. Lesson: 1 Peter, chapter 2. The auditing committee and also the finance committee of the congregation will meet during the week. Announcement as to the time of meetings will be made on Sunday. On Tuesday night at 7:30 the Bible class will have a special business meeting to elect officers for the coming year.

FLORAL HEIGHTS PRESBYT'N
Rev. E. F. McGaughey, Pastor

A specail feature of our next Sunday night service will be "Dads and Lads Night." We especially urge all the fathers and sons to attend. The preliminary service will be carried out by Boy Scouts of troop 8.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Mike Newman, superintendent.

Morning worship at 11 a. m. Subject "Prayer," by the pastor.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. in the Ralph Dick classroom.

Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "A Father's Responsibility to His Son."

Missionary Society Monday evening at 2:30 p. m. All the ladies in the community are invited.

Wednesday, prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Study of the books of first and second Samuel.

Boy Scouts at 7:30 Friday night. A cordial invitation is extended to people of the community.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.
(Episcopal.)
Rev. Fred T. Datson, Rector.

Holly communion at 7:30, church school at 9:30. Graded classes for all ages with competent instruction. Holy communion at 11, The rector's subject will be, "The Prophetic Message." Anthem for the offertory, "Hear My Prayer O Lord," by Gounod. Beginning this Sunday the rector announces the opening of the "Book Review" sermons. At 5 o'clock you are invited to spent "An Hour With Robert Louis Stevenson." At 6:15 the Young People's Fellowship in the parish house.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Tenth and Travis Streets.
Dr. Floyd Allan Bash, Pastor.
Wm. J. Spreen, Director of Education; R. E. Shepherd, Supt., of Bible School.

Records of "Loyalty Month" will be brought to the church Sunday. Joy will fill every service. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. The Young People's class taught by Judge Dickey, will move into the main auditorium using the pipe organ, grand piano and orchestra in their musical program. They expect to entertain the members of the "Coyotes," football team as special guests. The Men's Bible class will meet in the auditorium at the rear of the church auditorium, Dr. Bash teaching. All departments in the Children's division have newly decorated rooms. The school is humming with activity in charge of this program.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m., sermon "An Immortal Memorial to Love." Senior and Intermediate C. E. at 6:30 p. m., topic, "Character, How Form It? What Affects It?"

Evening service at 7:30. Special program by the Women's Council. "Living Pictures and Pageantry, the Wonderful Women of the Bible" given by the ladies and the pastor. Seventeen great characters will be represented. Special lighting effects will add to the beauty of costumes.

Wednesday night will be "Joy Night" with supper at 6:30 and a varied program of fun and fellowship for the whole church membership. Harry Hines will have charge o fthis program.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
Church Edifice, Corner Tenth and Van Buren Streets

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Lesson sermon at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator."

Testimonial meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Reading Room, 201 Brown building, 902 1-2 Lamar street, is open week days, except holidays, from 10:30 a. m. until 6 p. m. The librarian is not in attendance from 12:30 to 1:30.

HIGHLAND HEIGHTS BAPTIST
York and Hayes Streets—Rev. H. J. Ballew, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Jewell Cunningham, superintendent. Music directed by Blake Johnson. Preaching at 11 a. m. by pastor. Subejct, "Business and Boldness in Kingdom Building."

The four B. Y. P. U's will meet for the training service at 6:15 p. m. Preaching at 7:15 p. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Way Made Plain. Monday at 7 p. m. meeting of the finance committee; Tuesday 7:15 p. m., choir rehearsal; Wednesday 7:15 p. m. prayer and praise service; Thursday 7 p. m. teachers and officers meet for study and consultation.

FLORAL HEIGHTS METHODIST
Tenth Street and Polk.
Dr. S. A. Barnes, Pastor; Rev. R. G. Percival, Assistant Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Judge W. B. Chauncey, superintendent. Graded lessons and graded worship services in the various departments. At the morning worship service, the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered; sermon by the pastor. Communion hymns by congregation and choir. Music program includes organ prelude: "Chorale 'Alleluia, Alleluia'" (Armstrong), Mrs. O. E. Nichols at the organ; anthem: "God so Loved the World" (Stainer), choir, directed by Mrs. Luella B. Thompson; offertory, "Offertory on Hymn Tune 'Mercy'" (Reynolds). At 2 o'clock in the afternoon there will be a special program given by the Junior Epworth league under the direction of Mrs. Walter S. Curlee. At 6:15 p. m. two Senior Epworth leagues will have their devotional programs. Preaching at the evening worship service at 7:30 o'clock by the pastor. In addition to the congregational singing, the choir will sing an anthem: "I Shall Not Pass This Way Again," (Effinger).

LAMAR AVENUE BAPTIST.
Fourth and Lamar.
Rev. W. H. Townsend, pastor.

Graded Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., Fred L. Cone, superintendent. Morning sermon, 11 a. m., subject, "Go Ye." B. Y. P. U.'s, 6:30 p. m., representatives will give reports of the convention at Austin.

Evening sermon, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Use of Advertising."

Teachers training class, Tuesday, 7:15 p. m.; prayer and praise service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST
Tenth and Austin Streets—L. S. White, Minister

Bible study at 9:45 a. m., R. H. Banowsky, superintendent.

Congregational song service at 10:45 a. m. Preaching and communion at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subjects for the morning and evening sermons will be, "The Challenge of the Cross" and "The Mother Church," respectively.

Young people's meeting in the church annex at 6:30 p. m.

The Women's Week-day Bible class will meet at the church Tuesday at 3 p. m.

Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIAN.
Dr. Gaines B. Hall, Minister.

Morning worship, 11, subject "The Source of Power." W. L. Underwood will sing, "The Lord Is My Light." Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m.; Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

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WICHITA FALL S AREA HAS QUIET WEEK IN PRODUCING FIELD

NEW PERMITS COME SLOWLY BUT STEADILY

Archer County Reports Only Nominal Production With Numerous Dusters

The oil industry in the Wichita Falls district has just gone through one of the quietest weeks experienced this year. In no part of the district was there any unusual development that would cause elevation of the eye-brows.

New drilling permits were issued steadily but not heavily. Completions were about as numerous as usual but none of them were unusually large nor laden with extraordinary importance. Dry holes were reported from all sections. The optimist can draw one bright thought from the past week's happenings and that is, this district contributed nothing to cause further reductions in the price of crude oil.

The fields of Archer county contributed nominal producers and no few dry holes to the week's completions. The other counties and particularly Wichita county spent the week in drilling and it may be said for the entire district that oil activity is not slowing up but that last week was one of the dull periods that are experienced in any field.

Completions

Wells Completed In Past Week In Wichita Falls Follows:

Consolidated Oil company No. 2 Kinder, section 63, block 5, Clark and Plumb survey. Dry and abandoned at 1522 feet. Sand showing oil and 1298-18 1-2 feet.

P. F. Gwynn, et al, No. 1, L. F. Wilson, in southeast quarter of Wm. Horritz survey. Dry and abandoned at 1519 feet. Sand showing oil and 1519 feet.

T. F. Hunter, et al, No. 2, T. B. Wilson, section 12, H. & T. C. survey, abstract 1243. Oil sand at 1641-44 feet and pumped 55 barrels.

Marland, Bass and Dillard No. 1, W. L. Andrews, block 143, Robt. Cayson survey. Dry and abandoned at 1552 feet.

Texas company No. D-2, Turbeville, block 171, Robt. Carson survey. Making 25 barrels from sand at 1502-17 1-2 feet.

Tidal Oil company No. 4, Turbeville, block 172, Robt. Carson survey. Dry and abandoned at 1550 feet.

Whittekin and Roxana No. 1, G. P. Netherton, section 11, A. T. N. C. L. survey. Dry and abandoned at 1705 feet.

Continental Oil company No. B-1, Abercrombie and Taylor, S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 1281. Dry and abandoned at 1355 feet.

Golding and Cochran No. 4, H. O. Frideaux, in J. Dorsey survey. Making 35 barrels from sand at 639-43 feet.

Gulf Production company No. 3, Abercrombie and Taylor in S. P. R. R. survey. Swabbed 50 barrels from sand at 1237-50 feet.

Sun Oil company No. B-1, Green, Jos. Lewis survey. Dry and abandoned at 1098 feet.

Young County

Jeffers and Jeffers No. 1, H. K. Weems, section 626, T. E. & L. survey. Dry and abandoned at 1008 feet.

Lambert and Worley No. 1, Hamilton, section 1393, T. E. & L. survey. Dry and abandoned at 960 feet.

Panhandle Refining company company No. 3, Matthews, A. Robus survey. Pumping 20 barrels from sand at 707-38 feet.

Jack County

Seaboard Oil and Gas company No. 2, C. K. Cullers, Saml. Chiars survey, abstract 930. Estimated at 50 barrels from sand at 2088 to 2095 feet.

Throckmorton County

Cranfill and Reynolds No. 1, J. F. Davis in block 102, Comanche Indian reservation. Dry and abandoned at 1605 feet.

Continental and Rogers No. 1, Rogers, section 1276, T. E. & L. survey. Dry and abandoned at 1750 feet.

PITY THE LABORER

English Workman Get a Glimpse Of Industry in America.

LONDON, Dec. 4. — English workmen have received a colorful picture of American prosperity from J. T. Kay, a trades union official who visited the United States as a member of a mission to search for the secret of American high wages.

Mr. Kay told the institute of British foundrymen in Birmingham, how, having a letter of introduction to a Pittsburgh moulder, he called on the man unexpectedly to satisfy himself that the introduction was not a "catch" to deceive him.

A negro maid answered the bell of a fine house and said the moulder was at dinner, but the man came out at once, resplendent in evening dress. Dining with him, also in correct attire, were his wife, brother and son.

After a pleasant evening, the host brought out his 80-horse-power car, drove Mr. Kay to his hotel, mentioning, incidentally, that he had paid $17,000 for his house and had $10,000 in the bank.

NEW STAMPS OUT

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—One of the excellent features of the new series of postage stamps is the fact that the government has at last provided a one pfennig stamp —the cost of mailing a letter from Germany to a foreign country. Americans stamping their letters for home no longer have to buy two or three stamps and plaster up the corner of their envelopes with them to make up the proper amount. The new pfennig variety, carrying a classic three-quarter face of the great Goethe, will suffice.

PLAN NEW SHOPS

EDMOND, Okla., Dec. 4.—Students of the Industrial Arts department of Central State Teachers college here are to erect a new shops building. The plans were drawn by students in the department and they will do all the work involved in the construction of the building, which will be of hollow tile, faced with brick. The students expect to complete the building in about four months.

Daily Production Registers Gain Past Week In Wichita Falls District

Gains in Wichita, Throckmorton and Montague counties accounted for a jump in daily pipeline runs in the Wichita Falls district during the past week. Montague county's rampage during the past several weeks was continued last week and another peak was reached by the field in that county, 12,100 barrels being the daily average registered there. Wichita county marked up a gain of 180 barrels and holds the lead for the district by a sizeable margin, leading Archer county by 705 barrels. Throckmorton county hung up an increase of 281 barrels. The other fields in the district remained at practically the same production.

Daily runs by fields follow:

Field:	Last w'k	Prev w'k
Archer county ..	31,675	32,149
Baylor county ..	135	139
Clay county	755	777
Cooke county ...	725	792
Jack county	540	520
Montague county.	12,100	11,787
Throckmorton Co.	1,785	1,474
Wichita county..	32,380	32,200
Wilbarger Co....	13,965	13,879
Young county ...	8,295	8,266
Totals	102,328	102,084

A daily average gain of 240 barrels.

CISCO AREA ALIVE

Number of New Operations Break All Records.

CISCO, Dec. 4.—New drilling operations in the Cisco fields broke all recent records during November, according to report of Omar Buckett, deputy oil and gas supervisor for this district. A total of 198 new wells were started in this district during the month, according to the figures, which divide the permits for drilling by counties as follows: Callahan 75, Coleman 19, Brown 98, Taylor, one, Jones five. In addition, the local office gave permits for four in Shackelford county and one in Throckmorton, making the total above the 200 mark.

Seventy wells were plugged as follows: Callahan 16, Coleman 18, Brown 23, Jones three. Completions totaled 79 as follows: Callahan 31, Coleman 12, Brown 33, Jones three. Only four dry holes were reported, one in Callahan and three in Brown.

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"HERR" ANGERS HER

Woman Writer Incensed Over Being Called Man

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Ricarda Hugh, probably the best known German authoress, was so upset at being mistaken for a man that she at first declined to go among the immortals of the recently founded German academy of letters. Frau Hugh was duly elected to membership, but the secretariat in advising her of the honor addressed the letter to "Herr R. Hugh."

Frau Hugh, who is 62, wrote a caustic reply in which she said she was hardly worthy of the honor so long as persons in the academy didn't even know her sex. The error was finally corrected and Frau Hugh took her place as the second woman member of the academy. Clara Viebig, who is the only other woman thus far elected.

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MEMPHIS TEST TO SPEND SOON

C. L. Sloan Rigs Up on Location in Section 48 In Hall County

MEMPHIS, Dec. 4.—C. L. Sloan will spud in his well six miles southeast of Newlin, on section 48 this week. He has erected a good tower and installed a Standard rig, and expects to keep a day and night crew at work until the well is completed. He plans to go from 3000 to 3500 feet, if necessary to test out the location.

Nelson Lovell of Wichita Falls and John C. Green of Cross Plains are the drillers. Mr. Lovell takes the evening tower and Mr. Green the morning tower. They are both experienced drillers and Mr. Sloan is confident the test will be all that is desired. Besides he believes they will strike oil before reaching 2000 feet.

PANHANDLE OFF

The Texas Panhandle field for the past week averaged 158,500 barrels a day from 705 producing wells. This reveals a loss of 8064 barrels a day over the previous week. The Panhandle's peak production on a weekly basis was 165,563 barrels for the week ended November 20.

Twenty-six new wells were completed there last week, but the decline was greater than they could overcome. Cold weather has had something to do with the decline.

BAN TOWNSITE WELLS

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 4.—Redondo Beach voters expressed themselves in no uncertain terms on the matter of allowing drilling for oil within the city limits. The proposed amendment to the existing ordinance prohibiting drilling lost by a vote of 1351 to 885.

Soft Coal Petrol Idea Is Not New

Report of British Scientist Holds Freat Future For Industry

Special to The Record News.

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 4.—Descriptions of methods employed by European scientists in recovering oil from soft coal, which were given in detail at the recent international conference on bituminous coal at the Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pittsburgh, while of the greatest importance to the world, did not come as news to geologists and chemists in the American oil industry, who have been working on these problems for years. The results attained by the American experts, individually and in co-operation with foreign scientific men, have been steadily progressive, though they have been achieved without much blare of trumpets. It has for years been definitely established that the United States has a tremendous potential supply of oil in its vast and widely distributed bituminous coal deposits. From time to time announcement has been made by the oil industry or the federal bureau of mines, of the progress of scientific research looking to the recovery of this oil. But it has been felt that the time for utilizing this additional petroleum supply has not yet been reached, even if economical processes of recovery had been perfected. That the subject is one of major importance, however, not only to the oil industry, but the public at large, may be gathered from the fact that an entire group session of the seventh annual convention of the American Petroleum Institute will be devoted to this topic as it particularly concerns motor fuel.

LONG HONEYMOON

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Gen. Erich Ludendorff, former quartermaster general of the imperial army, is honeymooning much longer than expected. So far as is known nobody at the Reichstag, of which he is a member, has heard a word from him.

General Ludendorff was last seen September 14, when, after his marriage to Dr. Mathilde von Kemnitz at Tutzing, Bavaria, he drove off with her in an automobile. A little later a moving van drew up to his villa on Prince Ludwig heights, near Munich, to carry off the furniture and personal belongings of his divorced first wife. But nobody seems to know when the new mistress is to take possession. The only sign of life from Ludendorff has been a floral wreath sent to the grave of his former secretary, Neubauer, who fell during the "Putsch" of 1923.

AMARILLO OIL FIRMS CHANGE

$1,615,000 Deal Goes Through In Panhandle Oil Fields

AMARILLO, Dec. 4.—Five local oil companies, with an aggregate of 260 acres in the south Hutchinson field and with a daily production of 2200 barrels, Friday were sold to the Italio-American Oil company of Los Angeles for $1,615,000. Terms of the sale are half cash and half in oil produced from the leases.

All of the acreage with the exception of one 20-acre tract is on the eastern fringe of the south Hutchinson field. Apex Oil company, with 20 acres in the heart of the Borger pool and with two wells, brought $265,000.

Other companies in the sale were Fly-Blackburn, 80 acres, two wells, $350,000; Sunburst Oil company, 40 acres, two wells, $600,000; Homestead Oil company, 40 acres, one test drilling, $200,000; Magic Eighty company, 80 acres, one drilling well, $200,000.

Empire Gas and Fuel company's No. 6 Weatherly, section 19, block Y, is south Hutchinson county's latest heavy producer, responding to a heavy shot Thursday for a flow at a rate of 5000 barrels per day.

The new producer is on the western side of the south Hutchinson field.

OLD ONES BEST

Modern Tunes Not As Popular As Others

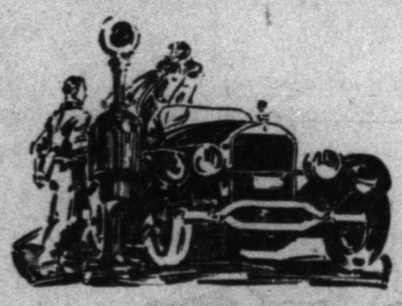
SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 4. (AP)—Old fashioned melodies tug at the heart much harder than modern songs, two beggars who are wintering in San Antonio have found.

The pair, a blind man and his wife, have established a stand on a downtown street corner and play all day long, the man sawing at his fiddle and the woman playing a guitar. A canteen cup on the sidewalk receives the offerings.

The tinkle of falling coins is heard most frequently when the favorites of 20 and 50 years ago are played, the couple says. The Arkansas Traveler, Money Musk, The Irish Washerwoman and Pop Goes the Weasel are worth a great deal more to them than the latest and most popular jazz pieces.

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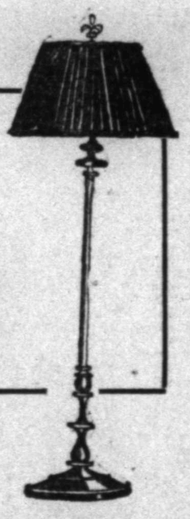
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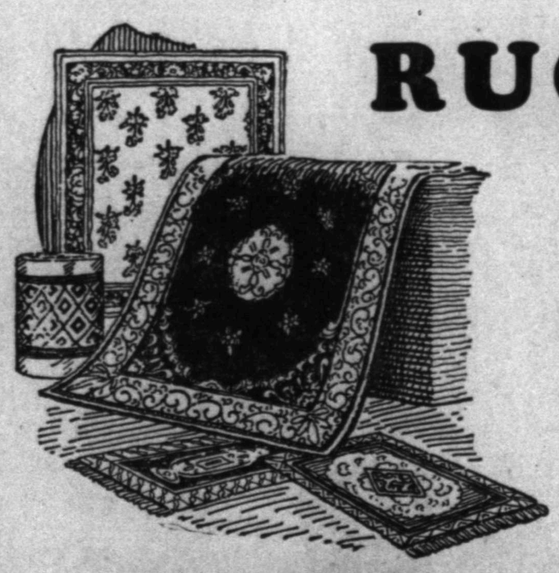


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OIL DEVELOPMENTS AT OLNEY BEING WATCHED BY OPERATORS

ACTIVE WORK GOING AHEAD IN TERRITORY

Madden and Hunt With Swastika Held Center Of Interest

Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Dec. 4.—Recent developments in the Olney district oil fields are being watched with interest by operators in this section of the state.

Especially is the Madden and Hunt test on the O. B. Stowe farm, just northwest of the Olney city limits, being scouted. The well, located in abstract 133, 150 feet west and 510 feet north of the southeast corner of the C. W. Hunker survey in Young county, is now drilling at little better than 300 feet, according to latest reports.

On the S. W. Farmer land the Panhandle Oil company is sinking its second well in the newly discovered Farmer extension pool, offsetting its own discovery well which was brought in two weeks ago for 50 barrels of oil production. It is about four miles from the town of Farmer, just north of the main production of the Farmer pool.

Swastika Completing

The Swastika Oil company's No. 1, Wilson is nearing completion on the 50 acres offsetting to the south the N. D. Goldsmith test well, which was brought in a few days after the Panhandle's well on the Farmer land, and which is now reported to be pumping 70 barrels of oil per day. It is just two and one-half miles southwest of the town of Olney.

The only setback of the week was the report that the P. F. Gwynn test well on the Jones land in Young county, four miles northwest of here, had been abandoned at 1258 feet. It is near the Cary well on the Graham land, but is considered a rank wildcat.

Drilling permits during the week continued to increase, indicating that operations throughout the district were on an incline.

Oil Locations

The Following Locations For New Tests Have Been Reported From the Wich-

ARCHER COUNTY

Sun Oil company No. 2-B Green, 750 feet south and 1425 feet east of Jos. Lewis survey, abstract 269.

Golding, Cochran and Cline No. 5 H. O. Prideaux, 300 feet west of No. 3, in John Dorsey survey, abstract 122.

Marland Oil company No. Turbeville, 300 feet south of No. 9 in block 171, Robet. Carson survey.

Marland Oil company No. A-1 Turbeville, 150 feet south and east of northwest corner of south 40 of west 113 acres of block 171, Robt. Carson survey.

Texas company No. 1 L. C. Garvey, 1108 feet from the north line and 1473 feet from the west line of block 53, Jno. W. Harris subdivision.

Petroleum Producers and United Producers No. 12 Turbeville, 265 feet north of No. 10, block 172, Robt. Carson survey.

Mark Kleedon No. 1 H. C. Riggs, 1220 feet south and 150 feet west of northeast corner of section 2, S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 916.

Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company's No. 5 A. J. Lowe, 300 feet west of No. 4 in Crawford subdivision.

T. F. Hunter, et al, No. 3 T. B. Wilson, 310 feet east of No. 1 in H. & T. C. survey.

Texas company No. 21 Beardon 2747 feet from north line and 2092 feet from east line of J. A. Hopkins survey.

Texas company's No. 1 Kemp block 171, Robt. Carson survey, west of southeast corner of block 13, K. W. V. L.

Gulf Production company's No. 5 Abercrombie and Taylor, 300 feet west of No. 4 in S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 1281.

Gulf Production company's No. 6 Abercrombie and Taylor, 300 feet north of No. 3, S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 1281.

C. W. Johnson's No. 2 L. C. Garvey, 600 feet south and 300 feet east of No. 1 in section 1855, T. E. & L. survey.

Ridgeway and Harrell No. 1 E. Polk, et al, 150 feet north and east of southwest corner of Wm. Polk survey.

Ridgeway and Harrell No. 1 R. E. Farmer, 150 feet north and east of southwest corner of block 5, W. M. Baker survey.

Consolidated Oil company's No. 1 E. L. Hardegree, 507 feet north and 318 feet east of southwest corner of block 147, L. M. Meade pasture division.

YOUNG COUNTY

Gulf Production company's No. 1 J. E. Brown, 1050 feet west and 450 north of southeast corner of section 1368, T. E. & L. survey.

Texas company's No. 4 G. P. Stewart, 300 feet south of No. 2 in the David Dawson survey.

Texas company's No. 4 Mrs. N. Prideaux, 300 feet west of No. 3 in David Dawson survey.

JACK COUNTY

Parker Giles No. 1 C. C. Calvin, 150 feet north and east of southwest corner of south 40 of north 60 acres of J. W. Lord survey.

Anderson and Goss No. 1 Calvin, 150 feet north and west of southeast corner of west 20 of north 34 of south 194 acres of J. W. Lord survey.

FAMOUS LEASE SOLD

COLEMAN, Dec. 4—The Roxana Petroleum corporation has closed a deal here with former Senator E. G. Senter, J. H. Babington and others for what is known as the Babington lease four miles southwest of Coleman, with two shallow producing wells, and consisting of 284 acres. There was a cash consideration of $2500 and $15,000 to be paid in oil. The contract calls for a deep test on the lease to begin within two weeks. The Babington lease has been the center of much activity since oil was first found in Coleman county and the deep test by Roxana will be watched with a great deal of interest by the oil fraternity.

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News Of The Field

GWYNN, WILSON.

P. F. Gwynn, et al, have moved off their No. 1, L. F. Wilson in the Wm. Horritz survey, abstract 646, Archer county, the test being abandoned as a duster at a total depth of 1519 feet.

MAGNOLIA, GRAHAM.

Magnolia Petroleum company has spudded in its No. 1 M. K. Graham, located in section 985, Premium survey in Throckmorton county. It is just west of the recent gusher brought in on the Graham land by the Humble Oil and Refining company.

BUTTRAM, JONES.

Buttram Petroleum company is spudding in its No. 1 J. A. Jones, located in section 5, S. P. R. R. survey in Jack county.

TEXAS, WILSON.

Texas company is drilling at 1250 feet in its No. 1-C L. F. Wilson, located in block 1, section 120, A. T. N. C. L., survey in Archer county. A sand at 1170 feet was tested out in this test but would not pay off.

KLEEDON, RIGGS.

Mark Kleedon has made location to drill for oil on the H. C. Riggs land and 1220 feet south and 150 feet west of the northeast corner of section 2, S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 916, in Archer county.

RIDGEWAY AND HARRELL START PAIR IN ARCHER.

Ridgeway and Harrell have spudded in and are down to 600 feet in a test on the E. Polk, et al, fee in the William Polk survey in Archer county being 150 feet each way from the southwest corner of the survey. Ridgeway and Harrell No. 1 R. E. Farmer is a location 150 feet each way from the southwest corner of block 5, W. M. Baker survey in Archer county.

WHITTEKIN, NETHERTON.

Whittekin and the Roxana Petroleum corporation have abandoned as a duster their No. 1 G. P. Netherton, located in section 11, A. T. N. C. L. survey in Archer county.

TEXAS, TURBEVILLE.

The Texas company has completed as a 25 barrel well its No. D-2 Turbeville in block 171, Robt. Carson survey, Archer county, the sand being at 1502-17 feet.

GULF, BLACKMAN.

The Gulf Production company has erected a steel derrick and is rigging up rotary machinery on the location for No. 1 C. E. Blackman, located in the Wm. McKinney survey and 1300 feet southwest of Murchison and Fain's No. 1, Fluhmann in southwest Wilbarger county.

CLARK, STEWART.

Clark and others are drilling at 600 feet in a test on the G. P. Stewart land in section 2, B. B. B. & C. survey in Jack county.

McELREATH-SUGGETT, COMPLETING FISHING JOB.

McElreath and Suggett are putting an end to the miseries of a fishing job in the No. 1 Mount and are reaming at 1585 feet. Their other wildcat in Cooke county, No. 1, Biffle in the Shannon survey, is drilling along at 2100 feet.

SEABOARD, CULLERS.

One of the best completions during the past week in Jack county was Seaboard Oil and Gas company's No. 3, C. K. Cullers, in the Saml. Chiars survey, abstract 930, Jack county. This well made 70 barrels initial from the sand at 2088 to 2095 feet.

IN MUENSTER TOWNSITE.

The Oil Operators Trust of Fort Worth are to put down a test in the shadow of the massive Katy depot at Muenster, Cooke county. This location is on the Ben Luke fee and is to be drilled to a depth of 2000 feet by Camp Oil and Gas company of Wichita Falls. It is two miles south of the Danglemyer production.

STAHL-LYNCH, BAYER.

Stahl, Lynch and Burress, discoverers of the Muenster pool, are rigging up for a test on the John Bayer land, northwest of Muenster in Cooke county and a quarter of a mile west of the old Yosten test.

CRANFILL, DAVIS.

Cranfill and Reynolds have completed as a dry hole No. 1, J. F. Davis in block 102, Comanche Indian Reservation in southern Throckmorton county.

ANOTHER REFINERY

Preliminary surveys have been made by the Humble Oil and Refining company at McCamey, in Upton county of West Texas, for a 5000-barrel refinery. Plans for the location of the plant and a spur track from the Orient's line are being mapped by engineers. Water will be secured from the Pecos river, through a line 20 miles long.

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BIG GUSHER IN AT SPINDLETOP

Yount-Lee's No. 15 Comes In For 4000 Barrels Initial Production

BEAUMONT, Dec. 4. (AP)—Yount-Lee Oil company's fee number 15 well at Spindle Top came in flowing approximately 4000 barrels of 32 gravity oil, which tests a lighter grade than has previously been recovered in the field. Total depth of the well is reported at 3610 feet with the sand topped at 3585 feet.

The Gulf's Jack-Duff number 3 well, south of the center of activity in the deep sand extension, was drilling Friday at 5775 feet, the deepest hole in the field. Yount-Lee's fee number 15, which was started 10 days ago for the purpose of going to a lower depth to get geological information if a producer was not opened, was drilling Thursday night at 3180 feet in gumbo. It is located about 100 feet northwest of fee number 15, the new producer.

Production Slumps

Spindle Top production is taking agradual decline in the face of continued new wells due to the fact that gas pressure is noticeably weakening in the field. Thirty thousand barrels of new production last week failed to bring more than a 12,000-barrel increase in daily average for the week, and after attaining a total daily yield of 90,550 barrels for the week ending November 27, the field's output was down to 82,486 barrels at the last report.

OKLAHOMA SLOWER

New Field Work on Decline In Sooner State.

TULSA, Dec. 4.—The Oklahoma-Kansas oil fields the past fiscal week had 103 official completions, for a total initial production of 17,215 barrels of oil and $4,000,000 feet of gas.

Oklahoma had 78 completions, of which 35 were oil wells making 17,065 barrels, and nine gassers and 34 dry holes.

Kansas had 12 producers for 706 barrels of oil and 13 failures, or a total of 25 completions.

A decided slackening in new field work is noted in Oklahoma fields, only 89 "first reports" coming in the past week. This is one of the smallest totals of the year.

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Oil Demand Up To Mark Of Output

Balance Struck in October Report of U. S. Bureau Of Mines Shows

Oil demand during the month of October balanced the largest oil production ever reported.

Gasoline production remained at record figures, but demand also remained high, and only a negligible addition was made to storage —365,000 barrels. This is only slightly in excess of a million and a quarter gallons. The total gasoline demand of the month, including exports, was well over 1,000,000,000 gallons. Addition to stocks of gasoline last October were 360,000 barrels, and stocks at the end of last October were some 2,000,000 barrels less than the present.

The foregoing are the principal facts shown by the latest government monthly report on oil operations, covering the period of October.

The showing that oil supply and demand were in balance throughout October is of especial interest because it was at the end of October that crude prices were cut. This cut of crude prices, at the end of a long period in which demand had exceeded supply by 20,000,000 barrels, and while supply and demand were still in balance, was regarded by producers as needless.

It was felt that a stable industry should be able to add back a slight portion or the stocks it was unloaded without its price structure cracking. The balance of demand and supply is shown by the changes in stocks held by the industry at the end of the period under consideration. Excess of supply causes addition to stocks and excess of demand a reduction. Total stocks were reduced 205,000 barrels during October. Details are shown below.

Record Output

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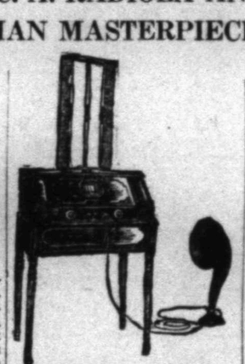
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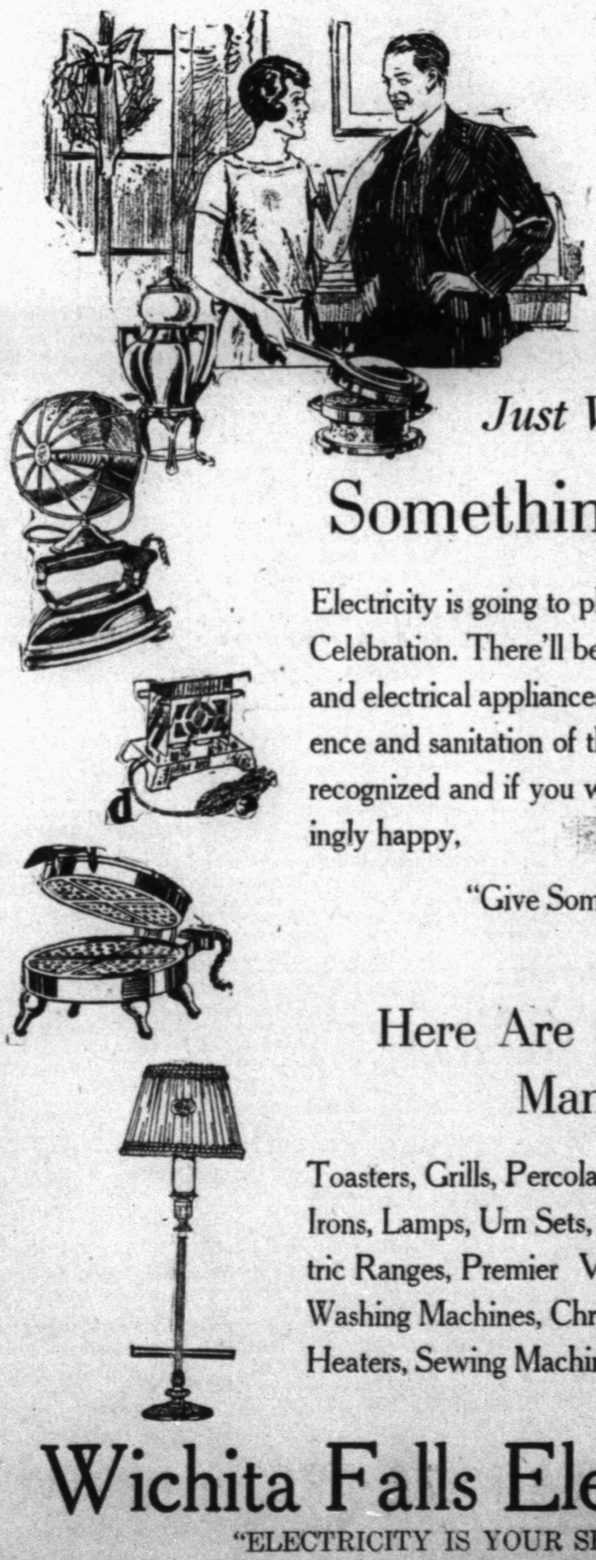
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Wichita County Boasts Excellent Rural School System With Staffs And Equipment Ranked With Best

When members of the Texas legislature passed a school apportionment bill last summer allowing $14 per scholastic for all independent and common school districts, it felt it was doing something out of the ordinary since the largest amount though to be available was only $11 per scholastic. But the legislature will have to advance its sights from now on, for this state is forging ahead in the matter of educational institutions and facilities and the time is not long distant when there will be enough money to appropriate at the rate of $30 per scholastic.

When "rock hounds" for the various oil companies started in to exploit the state for oil production, they little dreamed that eventually that valuable product would be found in vast quantities in almost every section of the state. But it has been done and a natural consequence has been the betterment of educational facilities, for much of the oil tax money goes to the common school fund and many school lands have proven to be oil lands.

County Profits.

Wichita county, lying in the center of a rich oil producing area, has profited much from the golden glow and her schools have progressed accordingly. Hardly another county in the state can boast of such thorough and capable staffs of teachers, her high standard of educational themes, her score of well constructed school buildings, and her unusually long terms for rural schools.

There are now 21 rural white schools and one rural negro school in the county and four independent school districts as well. The city of Wichita Falls has 15 schools, two of which are junior highs, and one colored school in addition to an accredited high school. There are 243 principals and teachers in the city schools and 64 teachers in the rural schools.

Wichita county rural schools have two units of the larger type, one having 10 teachers and the other nine. Valley View is the largest, with nine white teachers and a colored teacher. J. R. Steedman is superintendent, and R. G. Ramey is principal.

Clara school has nine teachers, with E. W. Cullers superintendent. The school has developed in leaps and bounds in the past few years.

Other Schools.

Other schools are Cashion with six teachers; County Line with four teachers: Pleasant Valley, City View, Weeth, Allendale, Fribers and Enterprise, each with three teachers; Deep Creek, Sunshine, Fowlkes, Rocky Point, Howard, Barwise, each with two teachers; and Bacon, Beaver Creek, Prairie Cottage, Cobb, Cooper each with one teacher.

Three of the rural schools have superintendents. They are Valley View, Clara and Cashion.

Under the able supervision of Dr. J. C. Cantwell, the city schools have improved rapidly from year to year. There are now 14 ward schools for white children and one negro school, with a total of 9333 scholastics in the city.

The city schools have been growing steadily from year to year and since 1924 have shown a gain of approximately 30 per cent in scholastics. In 1924 there were 6898 scholastics, in 1925 it had increased to 8243, and this year reached a high figure of 9333.

Funds for Long Terms.

With the high rate of school fund apportionment both city and county schools have ample opportunity for long terms and much improvement. At a recent meeting of the county commissioners it was voted that $12 of the $14 per capita fund go direct to the common school districts, $1 remaining in the county school fund. This of capital with which to work and gives each rural school a maximum does away with financial troubles so long common to many Texas schools.

Wichita county schools can also boast of an excellent school superintendent, Burl Bryant, who has succeeded in making school affairs in the county as efficient as is possible to attain. In this task he is assisted by 70 trustees apportioned by schools as follows:

District No. 1, Bason, C. F. Hartman, Floyd Holly, C. H. Hemme.
District No. 3, Deep Creek, Will Spruill, Will Burnett, J. J. Burnham.
District No. 5, Beaver Creek, C. F. Ancell, S. S. Chambers, L. E. Guthrie.
District No. 6, Valley View, F. L. Burns, P. C. Jones, W. L. Hodges.
District No. 7 Pleasant Valley, T. J. Davis, Mrs. G. C. Hathaway, Carl Williamson.
District No. 8, City View, H. P. Ring, R. W. Windham, O. W. Cox.
District No. 9, Clara, L. H. Adair, N. M. Matthews, J. E. Rogers.
District No. 10, Sunshine, Tom Peterson, R. H. Woody.
District No. 11, Fowlkes, E. W. Gaines, W. T. Hopkins, J. S. Thomas.
District No. 12, Weeth, H. B. Blanton, J. F. Walker, W. A. Davis.
District No. 14, Allendale, N. G. Estrekin, R. A. Evans, O. F. Ashbrook.
District No. 15, Harmony, R. M. Hall, J. N. Van Horn, King Abernathy.
District No. 16, Rocky Point, E. H. Hamilton, M. L. Pinkerton, W. J. Tumlinson.
District No. 17, Prairie Cottage, E. M. Goetze, J. E. Johnson, Albert Johnson.
District No. 19, Howard, G. E. Tiner, W. J. Laukuf, L. H. Keller.
District No. 20, Friberg, Casper Geyer, W. L. Doyle, O. M. Hurdt.
District No. 21, Cashion, M. M. Wolfe, J. H. Shaw, C. H. Vines.
District No. 22, Evert, R. L. Gwinn, W. W. Chambers, F. M. Pierce.
District No. 23, Enterprise, Chas. Gilbert, Pete Weinseifel, T. W. Hill.
District No. 24, County Line, G. A. Deitz, M. R. Hall, P. C. Frazier.
District No. 25, Barwise, S. S. Marshall, M. O. Proctor, W. E. Palmer.
District No. 26, Cobb, John Nitzschke, Al Anderson, G. W. Norwood.
District No. 27, Pond Creek, S. M. Holton, R. E. Underwood.
District No. 28, Cooper, J. A. Dolberry, Claud Randall.

Queen Marie's 'Lost Princess' On Shelves of Kemp Public Library

When all the country is still talking about the recent visit to the United States of Queen Marie of Rumania, it is timely that the Kemp public library has on its shelves a fairy tale written by the queen. The story is "The Lost Princess," and whether or not Queen Marie has gone through the perils of little Dorina, it's a question, but Miss Lucia Powell, librarian, has reviewed the book as follows:

"A tale of a princess, written by a real queen—and of course queens must know the truth about princesses. This is a delightful story of a lost princes, two cute little imps and a good witch. Now, whoever heard of a good witch? but just wait until you hear about this one and see if you think she is bad.

A fearful old monster stole one of the little twin princesses from her little twin bed in the middle of the night. Dorina, the other twin, was utterly heartbroken and after trying everything else she went to the old witch Carabarabola and asked her to help find Carissima. Carabarabola gazed into her crystal ball, and muttered all sorts of strange words and then she told Dorina that if she wanted to find her sister she would have to go a long road full of dangers and in the end there would be a fearful dungeon and a hideous monster! Dorina was frightened, but being a princess she had to be brave, therefore she promised Carabarabola to do anything if only she would help her find Carissima.

Witch Is Cross

The ugly witch seemed cross, but she was really very kind-hearted and she promised to help Dorina if she would be brave and she even sent Jenk and Jonky, her two little imps, along to keep her company. She dressed her up as a poor little peasant girl and gave her a basket of mushrooms to take with her—just by waving her wand over her.

In the first place they met a fox and went with him to visit his family, and Dorina fed the baby foxes some of her mushrooms, and Mr. Fox just couldn't understand why the magic basket remained full of mushrooms, even though Dorina kept giving them away.

When poor Dorina was so tired she was almost ready to give up, a zebra, called Zodiac, came along and took the three for a ride. In fact he simply flew across the country and in no time at all he had brought Dorina, Jenky and Jonky to the seashore. But there wasn't a ship in sight and the puzzled princess couldn't see how in the world she was to get across the ocean, when a lovely little seahorse rose up out of the water and said he would take her. Dorina was frightened, but she just had to get to her sister, so she put on the sea weed ring that would make her small enough to ride on the little sea-horse, and Jenky and Jonky did likewise, and off they went.

Right then Dorina had the queerest experience of her life. Her little sea-horse insisted on taking her to the bottom of the sea, to visit his king, Hippocampus, and the little king fell in love with Dorina, and gave her a little gold key that would open any door in the world!

Now You Read It

After a long ride, the sea-horses brought Dorina and her companions to the country of the fearful beast that had stolen Carissima, and there was where Dorina needed all of her courage. Read the "Lost Princess" and find out what happened when Dorina went to the monster's dungeon to rescue her sister.

Bantams Down-to-Date—By Joseph Shakespeare.
Gives detailed description of all varieties, hatching, raising, breeding, housing and feeding.

By the city of the Long Sand: A Tale of New China—By A. T. Hobart.
The author and her husband went from their honeymoon in a Buddhist Temple under the shadow of the Great Wall to live in a bleak white man's trading post on the prairies of Manchuria, where Mr. Hobart was stationed as representative of one of our big oil companies. Mrs. Hobart recounts her experiences in delightful detail—her impression of the various cities, her difficulties experienced in famine and war.

Farm Fertility—By Sidney B. Haskell.
A handy and readable manual on farm fertilization proven by experience.

Harvey Garrard's Crime—By E. P. Oppenheim.
Harvey Garrard, idler and sportsman, finds through the sudden death of his partner that the firm established by the Garrards three generations ago is on the verge of bankruptcy. Thousands must be paid the bank within 48 hours—a sum which Garrard finds is impossible to raise or borrow. The coincidence that brings the money causes complications which make interesting reading.

How to Paint Signs and Show Cards—By E. C. Matthews.
Contains 100 alphabets and designs, also chapters on how to mix paints. The silk stencil process, Gilding by solution, and all the latest tricks of the trade. Will prove equally valuable to the beginner and the practical sign writer.

Road 'Round Ireland—By Padraic Colum.
An interpretation of the country through typical characters, through local customs and through poetry. Mr. Colum gives us types of the men and women who go to make peasant Ireland, interprets Gaelic life through its traditional poetry, and interprets Dublin through the writers who have dealt with it and through some contemporary Dubliners.

Sea Fog—By J. S. Fletcher.
Mr. Fletcher always has an entertaining story to tell and always tells it ably. In this particular story Tom Crowe is an involuntary witness to a struggle silhouetted indistinctly in the early morning fog, which culminated in a murder and the escape of the murderer. The final unraveling of the tangle is typical of Mr. Fletcher.

Spoken in Jest—By Chateda.
A humorous little book showing that the English and American people do not speak a common language. Delightfully witty and highly diverting.

PIGLETS SUFFER

French Factories Use Up Buttermilk They Need

PARIS, Dec. 4.—The French chamber of deputies has just discovered that suckling pigs, and not babies, are the chief sufferers in the manufacture of "Tomb Thumb" umbrella handles from milk products.

Deputy Admiral Jaures, brother of the well-known socialist orator, in the course of a debate on the agricultural budget, asserted that the umbrella handles were made from milk, huge quantities of which were brought up by manufacturers to the detriment of the youth of the country.

His charges produced much indignation among his fellow deputies until one of them obeserved that the composition from which the handles are made are derived, not from fresh milk, but from buttermilk and that the only sufferers are suckling pigs, the sole consumers of butter-milk in France.

GLEE CLUB FARM

HAYS, Kans., Dec. 4.—Seven Kansas colleges have signified their desire to form a state organization of glee clubs for the purpose of staging a state contest. J. Alfred Casad, professor of voice at Hays' State Teachers college, sponsor of the movement, believes all of the collegest will enter the organization. The following schools have agreed to support the plan: Emporia State Teachers college; College of Emporia, Bethel college, Sterling college, Southwestern college, Ottawa university and Hays State Teachers college.

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GIVE her a pair of Booterie sheer silk chiffon hose, $1.95. Sanderford's Booterie. 824 Indiana.

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Lodges.

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Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1478 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 49 meets every Tuesday 7:30 at 912½ Ninth. Ben F. Dancer C. C., P. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.

MASONIC BODIES

Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. F. E. Wratten, H. P.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

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Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. and S. M.—Meets first Monday. George B. Harpin, T. I. M.; George W. Lawler recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 635 A. F. and A. M.—Meets first and third Fridays—Martin Littrell, W. M.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M.—Meets first Wednesday night each month. G. W. Curd, H. P., Lawrence Rollins, Sec'y.

Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secy.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays 813 Scott. Jacob B. Price, W. M.; G. W. Curd, Secy.

Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vinson, scribe.

Faith Chapter No. 718, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Callie Greenwood, W. M.; Lucille Campbell, secretary.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Harry Peterson M. A.; Botha Delany, Secy.

Modern Woodmen of America.
Lone Star Camp No. 4106, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 819½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secy.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 1246, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Odd Fellows.
Wichita Canton No. 16, P. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dunn, capt.; J. W. Bussey, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 819½ Ninth. J. T. Martin C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 819½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 819½ Ninth. Mrs. Kate Russell N. G.; Mrs. Fannie Calbath, Secy.

Woodmen of the World.
Wichita Camp No. 3001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 705 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

HOPE CHAPTER, ORDER OF DE MOLAY meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays at the Masonic Temple at 7:30. Hope Patrol meets every Tuesday night. Jack Wiech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

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REV. ANNA MITCHUM, spiritual medium, 812 Lamar. Phone 5298.

Lost and Found 6

LOST—A fraternal order pin at Labor Temple. Finder phone 6716. Reward.

LOST—Nov. 20, German police dog male, four months old, reward. Return to 819 Grant. Phone 4602.

LOST—Ried handbag containing $1.10, other articles. Keep money, return bag. R. R. Stout, 2308 Broad street. Phone 5024.

LOST—Boston Screwtail Bulldog; tail clipped, dark brindle white markings; answers to name "Buddy." Reward. Call 5910 before 10 a. m. mornings and after 4 p. m. afternoons. Call Mrs. Carter, Record News, days.

AUTOMOTIVE

Beauty Parlors 7

WAX MARCELL 75c. Experienced operator. Phone 6336, 1315 Ninth.

MARCELLING 50c; Retrace 35c; at 1416 Twelfth. Phone 6232.

Automobiles For Sale 8

FOR SALE — Oldsmobile eight. 2013 Tilden.

FOR SALE—My equity in a Whippet sedan at a bargain. Driven 4331 miles; in perfect condition. You can save $200 on this buy. Address Box A-B, care Record News.

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10 high class salesmen to sell fastest selling Radio on market. Must be experienced. Apply to Mr. Dudney, Radio Dept.

AUTO SPRING & SUPPLY CO.
DUDLEY'S Brakes, 805 Travis.

Automobiles For Sale 8

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Ring 4121 and insert your Ad the easy, convenient way.

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SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
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Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts 9

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ALL PARTS for some cars; some parts for all cars. Hughes Bros., 208 Indiana. Phone 3215.

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WICHITA AUTO TOP & PAINTING CO., authorized Duco refinishing station, 609 Scott.

WILLIAMS TOP CO.
Automobile tops, seat covers, top repairing and Hampden glass enclosures. 905 Lamar. Phone 9596.

PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

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812½ Scott avenue, room 217, phone 4032. R. Worth Seawell, Jr., Special Representative, Wichita Falls, Texas.

BUSINESS SERVICE

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IF IN need of a carpenter call J. B. Newton, 8904.

WANTED—To move your trash and garbage. Phone 2-2214.

NOBBY SHOE SHOP, 802 Tenth. Guaranteed work. 15 years in business Wichita Falls.

PHONE 7240, Battery recharging and repairing; wholesale and retail batteries. We manufacture. Wichita Made Batter Factory, 805 Indiana.

Carpenter work wanted, building, remodeling and repairing, fences, garages, trellas, flower boxes, built-in cabinets, furniture repaired. J. B. Ferratt, phone 21525. Shop 1020 Ohio Avenue.

Day Nursery 15

MOTHER'S care of children. Phone 4218.

Dressmaking and Millinery 16

MRS. BLAIR, dressmaker, 1410 Travis. Phone 7052. Satisfaction guaranteed.

WOMEN AND children's dresses, tailoring A-1 work. Mrs. Miller, 908 Fifth. Phone 4674.

HEMSTITCHING, dressmaking, buttonholes made. Mrs. Hattie Robinson, on balcony Miller-Ferguson.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 18

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work. Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone 5444.

Laundering 19

WASHING wanted, three dozen, $1.00. 1719 Truehart avenue.

Moving, Trucking, Storage 21

W. A. ALEXANDER. Phones 2-1858-2-2413. Local and long distance hauling.

PRACTICAL housemoving, raising and leveling, Jack Humphrey, residence phone 7665.

Musical, Dancing, Dramatic 22

DANCING taught in six lessons. Guaranteed. 2003 Hays. For appointment phone 4572.

Repairing and Refinishing 29

I WANT your furniture to repair, upholster and refinish. Work guaranteed. Phone 6463.

OLD MATTRESSES made new. Phone 9412 and sample ticking will be brought to your door. One day service on work. Bell Mattress Co.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED
Prices reasonable. Wichita Mattress Co. Phone 4052.

H. H. M'BEE, Safe Expert, Keys made; guns cleaned and repaired. 815 Ninth Phone 7991

Wanted—Business Services 30

We repair and sharpen lawn mowers.
WINFREY FIXIT SHOP
With Landon-Hill Co.
816 Scott Phone 5213

Bicycles 33

HERMAN MUSSON, Bicycles and supplies, radio aerials put up phonograph work, welding, repairs of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Phone 6942. 713 Tenth street.

Wanted—Business Services 30

WANTED at once, 25 girls to sell Airway Radio. Apply Mr. Dudney, Radio Department, Auto Spring and Supply Co., 822 Ohio avenue.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 34

YOUNG lady for clerical work; moderate salary to start but plenty of room for advancement; give age, references, experience in own handwriting. Box A 24, Record News.

SALESLADIES of experience and ability to travel and canvas for consumers product; good salary and transportation. Call Sunday, 3 to 6 p. m. Mrs. Stewart, 1019 Scott.

WORK AT HOME—$6 a dozen making scarfs. Experience unnecessary. No canvassing. Linnit Service, Inc., Lynn, Mass.

WANTED—White woman cook and housekeeper, good salary to right party. Widower with two boys. Call 3053 Monday after 8 o'clock.

LADIES—We pay $20 hundred to decorate greeting cards. Pleasant spare time work No selling. Free information. Modern Card, 246 Fifth Ave., N. Y.

LADIES—We pay $20 per 100 to gild greeting cards, free particulars for addressed envelope. Yorkville Card, Dept. KC-864 Lexington Ave., N. Y.

YOUNG women who have a telephone can work at home on a delightful simple plan. Good pay. W. E. Barnes, 250 W. 37, New York City.

EARN $25 weekly, spare time, addressing, mailing circulars, cards. Send stamped addressed envelope. System, 309 Woodward, Detroit, Mich.

LADIES earn money clipping newspapers at home in spare time, experience unnecessary. Write today for information. Circle Printing Service, Newcastle, Ind.

ADDRESS envelopes at home in your spare time. Earn $15 to $35 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Weather & Co., 22 Quincy street, Dept. 218 Chicago.

EMPLOYMENT

Classified Phone 4121

Help Wanted—Female 34

LADIES make big money sewing. Experience unnecessary, materials cut, instructions furnished. Write Burnham Mfg. Co., 1265 Broadway, New York.

WOMEN—Make money sewing children's dresses, bungalow aprons. Experience unnecessary. Materials cut, instructions furnished. Radfield Mfg. Co., 140 W. 42nd street, New York.

A WRIST WATCH FOR CHRISTMAS
I can use a few bright high school and college girls. It is possible for you to earn a valuable $19.00, 15 jewel wrist watch for only a few hours of your time. See me at 9 a. m. Saturday morning as this offer is limited to only a few girls.
O. H. FOSTER
712 1-2 OHIO AVE.

Help Wanted—Male 35

WANTED—At Short and Sons dairy two experienced dairy men at once.

MUST be over 16 years old. Chance to learn trade. See Mr. Stansbury at Record News, Sunday at 7 o'clock.

SALESMEN—125 varieties brushes, 60 per cent commission; $25-$100 weekly profit on sub agents. Neway Brush Factory, Hartford, Conn.

BE A detective, $50-$100 weekly, travel over world; experience unnecessary. American Detective Agency, 628 Columbia, St. Louis, Mo.

RAILWAY positions—Office or on trains (Men 17-40) pay $125-$240 month. Free passes. Give location wanted. Experience unnecessary. Write Baker, Supt., 1012 St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Farmer or farmers' son or man to travel in country. Steady work, good profits. McConnon and Co., Dept. C-433, Winona, Minn.

WE HAVE an opening for energetic men of standing in Wichita Falls territory which will prove to be very profitable for hustlers; no experience necessary, but must furnish references as to character and honesty; give full particulars in first letter. Box A 24, Record News.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

WANTED—Place to work for room and board, by young lady, attending Draughon's College. Phone 5656.

Solicitors, Canvassers, Agents 39

FIVE wide awake salesmen for house to house propositions; you collect no money. Apply to Mrs. Daily. Holt Hotel.

SALESMEN—$150 month and expenses selling cigars. Experience not necessary. Send self addressed stamped envelope for information, National Cigar Co., High Point, N. C.

PUNCHBOARD salesman, making small towns. One sale a day nets you $105 weekly. Full commission on repeats. K. & S. Sales Co., 4343 Ravenswood Ave., Chicago.

$10 Slickers only $2.98. Biggest commissions. Represent manufacturer. Ten colors. Free outfit. Roselle Manufacturers, 718 Roosevelt Road, Chicago.

BIGGEST commissions paid in advance showing French Rayon coats $4.95, colored slickers $2.95, woolen lined overcoats $6.50. Beats all competition. Beautiful outfit free. Home Raincoat; Manufacturers, 1144 So. Halsted, Chicago.

AGENTS—Money for Christmas. Show colored slickers, raincoats, overcoats. Free outfit. Pay daily. Super-Built, Box 453, Chicago.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities 40

ADVERTISE in 275 country newspapers, 28 words, $10. Keator, Hartford Bldg., Chicago.

PLEASANT VALLEY school house on Iowa Park road at High Line Junction to be sold at auction Friday, December 17.

FOR SALE—Pressing shop, complete equipment, desirable location. Owner leaving town. Bargain for cash. Phone 4651.

FOR SALE—Rooming house business, two tents and two dump trucks with jobs. 702 Austin St. Phone 2-1528.

$1000.00 IN GOODS from $30.00 material. Easily prepared and sold. Huge repeater. Needed by all. Distinctive. Steady life-time business. Credit given. Ercoe Process Co., 3570 West 25th, Cleveland, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Brick hotel building in Davidson, Okla. Must be sold by December 20 to close estate. Can be rented for $100.00 monthly. Possession given January 1. Write or wrie J. C. Cox, box 12, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Insurance and Surety Bonds 41

H. O. CRAVENS, Insurance. Phone 5328. 101 Perkins-Snider Bldg.

Investments, Stocks, Bonds 42

CAN ARRANGE 7 per cent money 7 to 10-year loans, on good first liens, conservative value, or sell investors good notes, and second liens at profitable discounts, guaranteeing collections, if insurance, etc., protected; or provide buyers for real estate at bargain figures. See me on your re-financing problems to reduce interest rates and monthly payments, F. G. Swanson, phone No. 3248.

Money to Loan—Personal. 43A

AUTOMOBILE LOANS
No Red Tape
RAY PUCKETT, 805 Lamar

PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest, 10 monthly payments. Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 800 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

MONEY—Small loans, easy terms—confidential dealings—Dixie Credit Co., 702 1-2 Indiana. Phone 7109.

TEXAS CREDIT COMPANY
Small Loans; Confidential
605½ Seventh, Room 10 Phone 4436

Money to Loan—Real Estate 43

LONG TERM straight loans on or before. 7% interest. Prompt service. BLAINE & STONE, Dial 3747.

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio. Phone 3223.

MONEY—MONEY
City Loan and Jewelry Co.
Loans on personal property
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.

FINANCIAL

Classified Phone 4121

Money to Loan, Mortgages 43

MONEY
If you need a small loan you can pay back as you get paid. See—
EMPIRE LOAN CO.
710 1-2 Indiana Ave. Room 5

LOANS TO BUILD
or buy homes. Best terms. Low net interest. Wichita Falls Building and Loan association, 611 Ninth, ground floor, Perkins-Snider Bldg.

MERCHANDISE

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EVENING dress for sale, cheap. Phone 7901.

FAIR PRICES paid for men's used clothing, 924 Ohio. Phone 2-2682.

SET OF Harvard Classic books, new, bargain, 1005 Sixteenth street

CHRIS AND SONS, 113 INDIANA—The house of furniture bargains. Buy, sell and exchange; phone 7750.

WE PAY cash or trade for your furniture. Home Furniture Co., 816 Ohio Ave. Phone 3223.

HIGHEST cash prices paid for used furniture. See us before you sell. Bolton Furniture Co., 807 Tenth st., Phone 3389.

INVEST IN REST
By buying Patton's felted Rest-Well or Kopak Mattresses. For renovate work phone 9330. Patton Mattress and Furniture Co., 402 Indiana.

USE Wichita Floorsweep. Made at home. Phone 5568 for prices.

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50C PER BUSHEL AND UP
Delicious Wine Sap, Roman Beauties, Missouri Pippins, Ganoes, Ben Davis, Johnathan, Arkansas Black. We will have over 20,000 bushels of Idaho and Colorado apples to dispose of by Xmas day. All people around Wichita and South Oklahoma that are not able to buy apples to have a good Xmas, come around and we will give them to you. Where you ship five cars at one time the railroad will give you free freight on one car, that is why we can sell cheaper than small produce men can buy them. Now we want everyone our customers to have a big Xmas.
R. L. WARD
1001 Ohio.

Furniture 47

FOR SALE CHEAP — Hoosier kitchen cabinet, cedar chest, library table and chair. Phone 3342.

HIGHEST cash prices for your used Furniture. Phone 4219. Winter's Furniture company.

NEW and used furniture, fine shades. Expert repair work. K. P Belden. 817 Eleventh. Phone 8094.

Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds 49

TWO first quality diamond rings, about one third and one half carat for quick sale. Call 8781.

Dogs, Cats and Pets 54

FOR SALE—Police pups subject to registration. H. M. Douglas, Grandfield, Okla.

Machinery and Equipment 55

STAR rig for sale. No. 28, in good running order. Some terms. W. C. Young. Phones 8025, 4979.

ROTARY DRILLING RIGS at reduced prices; will rent with option to buy and get credit for rentals. In stock, all sizes, new and second-hand line pipe and casing for immediate shipment. Texas Supply Company, Box 1777, Houston, Texas.

Building Materials 56

WICHITA JUNK CO. specialize in metal. Get our bid first. 311 Indiana. Phone 9249.

Poultry and Supplies 57

FIVE German police pups, black and sable, one female, cream color, 10 months old, paper furnished. All farm raised, one mile south of Burkburnett. Wichita Chick Hatchery, Wichita Falls, Texas. Box 643.

Wanted—To Buy 61

WANTED—Two barber chairs and equipment. Phone 4809.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

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Rooms With Board 62

ROOM and board, 612 Burnett street. Phone 9371.

ROOM and board; meals, family style. 1500 Austin. Phone 2-1202.

IN A LOVELY private home, an attractive bedroom, breakfast and dinner served. 1610 Tenth.

WANTED—Board and room; two young men; walking distance; private home preferred. Phone 2-1211, week days.

ROOM and board for two young men, near Junior college, in private home. Phone 6206.

Rooms Without Board 63

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, garage. Phone 6959.

BEDROOM for rent. 1509 Travis street.

NICELY furnished bedroom close in. Phone 9421. 1404 Austin.

BEDROOM with hot and cold water, 709 Burnett. Phone 2-1419.

FRONT room and garage, $25. 1709 Elizabeth. Phone 5545.

NICELY furnished bedroom, 1104 Polk. Phone 9086.

NICE bedroom and garage. 1711 Elizabeth street. Phone 6795.

FOR RENT—Furnished front bedroom. 1806 Polk. Phone 3391.

BEDROOM for rent; on pavement. Phone 6167.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front bedroom, close in, 1004 Austin. Will rent by week or month.

FRONT bedroom, private entrance, telephone, on car line, pavement. 1611 Thirteenth. Phone 8682.

BEDROOM, close in, private home, employed couple, or gentlemen. Phone 7006.

BEDROOM and garage for rent. 1013 Indiana.

THREE well furnished outside rooms. Newly furnished, adjoining bath, walking distance of town. Gentlemen preferred. Reasonable rent. Phone 2-2569, 2-1790.

NICELY furnished bedroom, connecting bath, all conveniences. 1605 Elizabeth.

REDUCED rates at American hotel for permanent people. Phone 3433 or 6550.

LOVELY bedroom; private entrance; near car line. 1522 Harrison.

BEDROOMS — Gentlemen only. Nice, clean, close in, reasonable. 1206 Austin street.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

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Rooms Without Board 63

WELL furnished front bedroom, 1319 Tenth street. Close in. Phone 7505.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished front bedroom in new home, 1105 Fourteenth street.

NICELY furnished large bedroom for rent. Phone 9933, 1207 Burnett.

BEDROOM — Newly furnished, gentlemen only, with garage, $5 week. Phone 2-1453, 502 Burnett.

LARGE front bedroom, private entrance, for rent, 900 Austin. Call 3475.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished room, private entrance, walking distance, 1312 Eighth, apartment 3.

FRONT bedroom with garage, on pavement, for gentlemen, in walking distance, 1513 Twelfth.

FURNISHED front bedroom in private home, garage, men only, 1641 Collins. Phone 6316.

BEDROOM in new home, $15 for one or $18 for two, might consider one meal, 2209 Taylor. Phone 2-2571.

LARGE front bedroom with privilege to garage. 2101 Ninth. Phone 6873.

BEDROOM, upstairs, modern, men only. 1301 Twelfth. Phone 5471.

NICELY furnished bedroom, adjoining bath, garage. 1409 Tenth street. Phone 4424.

ATTRACTIVE front bedroom, including reading lamp on bed, private entrance, adjoining bath and telephone. Ideal neighborhood. Phone 3363, 2504 Tenth.

EXCELLENT, sunny bedroom adjoining bath, hot and cold running water, on pavement, garage, concrete driveway, walking distance of Junior college, new junior high and Alamo schools. 1501 Monroe. Phone 8920,

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

FOR RENT—One-room furnished apartment. Phone 6828.

FOR RENT—Two housekeeping rooms to couple. 1510 Thirteenth.

TWO rooms, furnished, all bills paid; $7 week. 213 Lamar street.

TWO unfurnished rooms, reasonable. Phone 3055.

ONE nicely furnished large housekeeping room, downstairs, on pavement. 300 Burnett.

TWO or three furnished rooms; garage. 1510 Taylor. Phone 2-1278.

TWO unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; garage. Phone 2-2566.

HOUSEKEEPING and bedrooms for rent. 904 Burnett. Phone 9164.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, 1307 Fourth street.

MODERN apartment, newly furnished, 709 Wofford.

ONE large housekeeping room, men or employed couple. 1013 Indiana.

TWO clean, neatly furnished rooms on car line. Private back and front entrance. Apply 1400 Seventeenth.

TWO large unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, in new home; private entrance, connecting bath; rent reasonable. 1720 Seventh St.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1410 Adams. Phone 7679.

THREE unfurnished rooms for rent. 1507 Seventeenth. Phone 2-2007.

TWO nice rooms, private entrance. South side. Children allowed. 1212 Broad street. Phone 7758.

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment. 702 Austin street. Phone 2-1528.

THREE light housekeeping rooms furnished, private front and back entrance, 907 Austin street.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished modern light housekeeping rooms, with garage. Apply 2323 Fifth street.

FOR RENT — Three unfurnished rooms, front and back entrance, on pavement, with garage. Phone 4751. 1671 Keeler.

TWO rooms, furnished or unfurnished, $20. 2003 Hays. Phone 4572.

TWO LARGE unfurnished housekeeping rooms, convenient to bath. Phone 6586, 1404 Holliday.

Apartments and Flats 65

ONE-ROOM furnished apartment. Also bedroom. Phone 2-1644.

TWO furnished rooms, private bath. Phone 5867, 1509 Burnett.

TWO rooms furnished apartment, reasonable, 2601 Grant. Phone 8915 after 3 p. m.

TWO light housekeeping rooms, close in. 1204 Travis. Phone 6769.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms modern. 1506 Blonde. Phone 2-2552.

ONE large housekeeping room; one double garage furnished or unfurnished, modern. Phone 9515. 1637 Dayton.

ONE-HALF duplex, four rooms; extra nice; on paved street; Junior college district. Phone 3692.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment; living room, bedroom and kitchen; front and back entrance; everything furnished; garage. 2210 Ninth street.

FURNISHED rooms and apartments, or houses for rent. Phone 2-1719.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, private bath, garage, inquire at 1513 Fourteenth street.

LOVELY three-room furnished apartment, private bath and garage, 1623 Elizabeth.

THREE-room furnished apartment, garage, separate meters, $40 Phone 3632.

1920 TENTH, 6-room unfurnished apartment, $45. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. All bills paid, $40. Phone 4228.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished new duplex apartment on pavement, 1657 McGregor. Phone 2-1324.

FOR RENT—Four-room furnished apartment, 1517 Ninth street. Phone 9886.

ATTRACTIVE two-room furnished apartment for rent; close-in. Phone 5141, 1108 Burnett street.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment and laundry room. Bills paid. 502 Austin St.

REAL ESTATE---RENT

Classified Phone 4121

Apartments and Flats 65

SMALL furnished apartment, just right for working couple. All modern conveniences. To adults. 1207 Eighth street.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished two-room apartment, private front and back entrance; all bills paid; employed couple. Phone 5253.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, everything but silver and linens furnished. $8 per week. Phone 3269. 1919 Ninth street.

ATTRACTIVE apartment for couple in private home; outside entrances, walking distance and all conveniences. Phone 9616. 1505 Travis.

TWO room furnished apartment, adjoining bath, on pavement, all bills paid. 2215 Broad.

2-ROOM furnished or unfurnished apartment, also nice southeast bedroom. Phone 3240.

TWO-ROOM apartment, adults only; everything furnished. Kelly's Hotel. 707 1-2 Ohio. Phone 2-1014.

FOR RENT—Three comfortably furnished rooms. 2400 Grant. Phone 7509.

HALF OF duplex, on pavement and bus line, near Junior college, Inquire 1106 Travis.

FOR RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, with private bath and sleeping porch. Phone 6424 or 5428 after office hours.

FURNISHED three-room garage apartment, with bath; all modern, close in. Phone 5824.

FOR RENT—1906 Buchanan, 6-room house, furnished for two families; double garage. Phone 3041.

NICELY furnished three room apartment, bath and garage, on pavement, 1204 Marshall. Phone 4766.

TWO room furnished apartment. Private front and rear entrance, everything furnished, also phone and garage. Reasonable rent. 2200 Eighth street.

1920 Tenth, six-room unfurnished apartment. (Over Gate City Grocery) $45; 1409 North Seventh, (in Scotland Addition) new three-room duplex, private bath, garage, $25; $50. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

Houses For Rent 66

THREE room house and bath, 1415 Filmore, $30. Phone 3489.

FIVE-ROOM furnished house, 1303 Twentieth; $55. Phone 3248.

FOUR-ROOM modern house, in rear, 2215 Broad street.

ONE four-room modern house, 1220 North Ninth, $30 per month. Call 9117.

FOUR room house, 1503 North Seventh, Scotland addition. Call at 1500 North Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, five rooms and breakfast room; splendid location. Phone 5323 and 5328.

FOR RENT—Furnished five-room cottage, on car line; reasonable to responsible party; reference. 2308 Ninth street.

FOR RENT—Half of eight-room duplex; on pavement; nicely furnished; all new, with garage. Phone 5917. 2112 Polk street.

FOR RENT—Four-room furnished house, garage. 1507 Tenth.

FOR RENT—Modern large five-room house on Grant street, with garage and out houses. Phone 5910 before 10 a. m. or after 4 p. m. or call for Mrs. Carter at the Record News.

MODERN fine house for rent, 2310 Buchanan. C. C. Wood. Phone 6472.

1906 Grant, four-room cottage, bath and garage. Price $30.

FOR RENT—Five-room furnished house, for three months, Alamo school district. 2012 Eighth. Phone 2-1416.

MODERN four-room house, garage, new paper, phone 8017, Noble.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house and garage, 2305 Austin. $30. See Jack Langston Railroad store room.

1208 Bluff for rent, 5 large rooms, hall, modern, new paper. Price $50 per month. Phone owner, 5068.

NICE six-room house, five acres ground, well improved, on Iowa Park road. M. A. Bundy. Phone 2-1313.

ONE new six-room house, all built-in features. 2108 Garfield. Phone 2-1729.

FOR RENT—Five room house and new garage. Apply 710 Sixth street. Phone 7984, Mrs. E. E. Barbe.

SEVEN-ROOM house or can be used as two apartments; three and four rooms each; furnished or unfurnished. Phone 3433 or 6550.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, or two rooms. Call at 508 1-2 Adams.

FOR RENT—Six-room furnished home, garage and servant house. 1006 Denver. Long lease tenant preferred. Phone 6454, after 6 p. m., 9030.

FOR RENT—Half duplex on pavement and car line. Phone 6211 or 7653.

HOUSE for rent, one five-room house on Bluff, near San Jacinto school, one 8-room duplex, modern, furnished or unfurnished, on pavement, one 8-room duplex unfurnished. Phone 5743.

2005 Garfield, new six-room home, garage and servants' house, $90; 2600 Filmore, five-room and garage, $35; 2406 Eighth, seven-room, double garage, $65. 1614 13th, 7-room, garage, servants' house, $65. H. G. Helgerson, Phone 9573.

No. 1303—20th Street, repapered—being repainted, unfurnished $45.00 five-room modern.
No. 2216 Broad, Southside Duplex, 4-rooms private bath and garage, $30.00.
No. 1016—23rd Street, four-rooms—as is, $20.00. Phone No. 3248. (May have others).

Farms and Lands For Rent 69

FOR RENT—Two and one-half acres irrigated land, six room house, one mile from town. P. O. Box 160, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Wanted—To Rent 75

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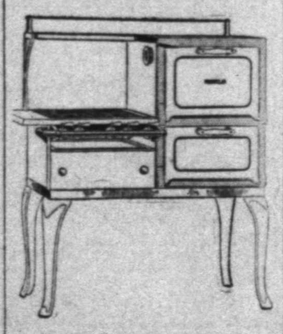
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Cotton--Latest Market Quotations--Cattle

Cotton

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—A further decline in the cotton market at the opening today was checked by covering and a little more trade buying at 11.55 for January contracts. Rallies followed, January selling up to 11.84 and closing at 11.80. The general market closed steady at net advances of nine to 19 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of one point on December, but generally two to ten points lower. Some buying on the steadier showing of Liverpool was quickly supplied by continued southern hedging and further liquidation of old long accounts.

All months made new low records for the season December selling off to 11.55, or five points not lower in the first few minutes, while later deliveries showed net declines of 10 to 12 points, May selling at 12.02. Recent sellers seemed disposed to take profits for over the weekend, or in advance of the approaching government report while the lower prices also appeared to bring ina little more trade demand, sufficient to absorb offerings.

Prices rallied later, December selling up to 12.11 and May to 12.28, net advances of about 14 to 21 points on active positions.

Last prices were a little off from the best under realizing by early buyers, but there was very little southern selling in evidence here after the first half hour although early wires from the south reported an easing basis.

Private cables said there had been active liquidation of near months in Liverpool but that the decline had induced covering by shorts and continental buying.

The amount of cotton on ship board awaiting clearance at the end of the week was estimated at 155,000 bales, against 120,000 last year.

Part of the buying on the early decline here was attributed to belief that the market had discounted some increases in the estimate of the crop and the technical position of the market had been strengthened by the heavy liquidation of the past week.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 8 to 19 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	11.85	11.55	11.80-81	11.67
March	12.06	11.80	12.03-05	11.92
May	12.28	12.02	12.24	12.13
July	12.49	12.25	12.43-45	12.35
Dec.	12.11	11.85	12.09-10	11.96

Opening: January 11.62; March 11.85; May 12.08; July 12.30; December 11.90.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.(AP)—The cotton market was fairly active for a short Saturday session and although prices eased off 10 to 13 points in early trading on execution of overnight selling orders they rallied sharply due to the oversold condition of the market which presented a firm technical condition to profit-taking and covering and to good trade buying, the recent decline having attracted demand for investment and for meeting forward requirements on the part of the trade. This rally advanced prices 29 points from the lows and 16 to 19 points above the previous close. There was a slight recession right at the end which caused the market to close a shade below the best showing net gains for the day of 11 to 17 points.

Liverpool was a little better than due and first trades here showed no change to two points down. The market soon eased off on the execution of overnight selling orders and hedging and December soon traded down to 11.57, January to 11.58 and March to 11.72, or 16 to 13 points below yesterday's close. These prices were the lows of the day.

The later rally carried December up to 11.88 and March to 11.72, or 10 to 13 points below yesterday's close. These prices were the lows of the day.

The later rally carried December up to 11.85, January to 11.87 and March to 12.01, or 29 points on all months up from the lows and 16 to 19 points above the previous close. Prices eased off two or three points in the final trading and closed steady, a shade under the best.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 11 to 17 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	11.87	11.58	11.84-85	11.70
March	12.01	11.72	11.98-99	11.85
May	12.16	11.85	12.11	11.98
July	12.29	12.05	12.29	12.18
Dec.	11.89	11.57	11.84	11.67

Opening: January 11.67; March 11.81; May 11.95; July 12.10; December 11.65.

HOUSTON SPOT COTTON.

HOUSTON, Dec. 4.(AP)—Spot cotton steady, 10 up; middling 11.40; sales 5024 bales.

GALVESTON COTTON.

GALVESTON, Dec. 4.(AP)—Spot cotton steady, 10 up; middling 11.90; sales 1243 bales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cotton spot dull; prices easier. American strict good middling 7.58; good middling 6.96; strict middling 6.65; middling 6.40; strict low middling 5.90; low middling 5.35; strict good ordinary 5.00; good ordinary 4.55. Sales 3000 bales, including 1500 American; receipts 20,100 bales, all American. Futures closed steady; December 6.17; January 6.36; March 6.35; May 6.46; July 6.56; October 6.66.

CHICAGO FUTURES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cotton futures closed: January 11.89-92; March 12.05; December 11.74.

Livestock

TEXAS LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.—Cattle: Receipts 2500 including 1200 calves; market 15 to 25c lower; beef steers $6.00@8.00; stockers $5.25@7.50; fat cows $4.00@6.25; cutters $2.50@3.85; canners $32.00@3.45; heifers $5.25@9.00; yearlings $5.50@9.50; bulls $4.00@6.25; calves $4.00@9.50.

Hogs: Receipts 650, 500 direct; lights $11.50@11.75; medium $11.75@12.00; heavy $11.50@11.60; common $10.00@11.00; sows $10.50; pigs $11.50@12.00.

Sheep and lambs receipts none market nominal lambs $11.00@12.50; shorn feeder lambs $10.00@12.00; wethers $7.00@7.50; culls $1.00@2.25; stockers $3.00@4.25; goats $1.50@4.50.

KANSAS LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cattle: Receipts 300; calves 50; for week: Most grades killing steers and yearlings 25@35c higher; plain weighty short fed steady; top mixed yearlings $12.00; medium weight and heavy steers $10.50; light heifers steady; other grades she stock 15@25c lower; vealers and calves 25@50c higher; stockers weak; feeders strong; bulk prices: Short fed steers $7.50@9.50; butcher cows $4.75@5.50; heifers $6.00@8.00; stockers and feeders $6.00@7.75.

Hogs: Receipts 2500; steady; bulk $11.45@11.65; packing sows $10.00@10.50.

Sheep: Receipts none; for week: Lambs 25@40c lower; top yearlings $13.10; bulk $12.25@12.85; ewes $6.00@6.25; feeding lambs $11.25@11.50.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.(AP)—Hogs: Receipts 40000; higher; heavy hogs $11.65@12.10; medium $11.60@12.05; light $11.40@11.95; packing sows $10.40@11.25; slaughter pigs $11.25@11.55.

Cattle: Receipts 800; compared with week ago: Fat steers 25 to 75c up; matured steers mostly 75c higher; yearlings active; heavies uneven; fat cows 25 to 50c up; heifers fully 50c higher; bulls 25 to 35c higher; vealers 50 to 75c down, xtreme top yearlings $13.25, highest of the year; best heavies $11.25; medium weight $12.00.

Sheep: Receipts 2000; week's top prices: Fed western lambs $12.85; native $12.75; fed clipped lambs $12.00; fat yearling wethers $10.50; fat ewes $7.10; feeding lambs $12.75.

STOCK MARKET AVERAGES.

	20 Inds	20 Rails
Saturday	146.18	122.42
Friday	146.20	122.87
Week ago	144.92	122.05
Year ago	140.26	112.89
High, 1926	147.46	128.52
Low, 1926	125.11	106.88

Total stock sales 1,254,000 shares.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK. — Stocks, irregular; Baldwin breaks sharply.
Bonds, steady; sugar issues advance.
Foreign exchanges, firm; French franc at year's high.
Cotton, higher; firmer spot market.
Sugar, quiet; featureless.
CHICAGO — Wheat, firm; higher cash market.
Corn, higher; unfavorable weather.
Cattle, firm.
Hogs, steady.

Grain

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 mixed, $1.42¾; No. 4 mixed, $1.24.
Corn: No. 2 mied, 76c; No. 2 yellow, 77@77¼c.
Oats: No. 2 white, 46@46½c; No. 3 white, 44@47c.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 16 points up. Sales 8527; low middling 9.59; middling 11.84; good middling 12.69; receipts 8456; stock 227,327 bales.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Dec.	1.39⅞	1.38	1.39⅝
May	1.41⅞	1.40	1.41⅛
July	1.34	1.32½	1.33⅝
CORN—			
Dec.	.75	.73¾	.74⅛
May	.82¾	.81¾	.83⅛
July	.86¼	.84⅝	.85⅝
OATS—			
Dec.	.44	.42⅛	.42⅞
May	.48⅝	.45	.48⅛
July	.47⅞	.47⅛	.47⅝
RYE—			
Dec.	.90⅞	.90¼	.90⅝
May	.98¾	.97	.98
July	.97⅞	.96⅞	.97⅝
LARD—			
Jan.	12.65	12.52	12.62
May	12.57	12.40	12.55
RIBS—			
Jan.	13.55	13.50	13.55
May	12.85	13.65	12.65
BELLIES—			
Jan.			14.25

TEXAS CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.(AP)—Cash wheat was slightly lower on the Fort Worth market Saturday, despite the higher values to which contracts were bid on the Chicago market. Lack of buying power and lowered premiums for export wheat caused the sag in the actual grain here. Corn was higher on improved demand. Oats also strong.

Wheat: No. 1 hard, for prompt delivery at Gulf ports, $1.49; No. 1 dark hard, milling, $1.47@1.54; No. 1 ordinary hard, milling, $1.50@1.52; No. 1 red, milling, $1.55@1.57; No 1, 75 per cent red, milling, $1.51@1.52.

Corn: No. 2 white, 87@90c; No. 3 yellow corn, $1@94c. No. 2 mixed, 82@84c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 46@48c; No. 3 red, 45@47c; No. 3 barley 65@70c; No. 3 milo, $1.10@1.12; No. 3 kaffir, $1.06@1.08.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.(AP)—Active buying in which houses with connections east took the lead brought about a sharp advance in wheat values today, export bids for all-rail shipment of wheat from Chicago were close to a working basis and in some quarters talk of a probable early end of lake navigation was considered bullish regarding domestic wheat.

Closing quotations on wheat were strong, ⅞ to 1⅜c net higher, with corn ¾ to 1¼c up, oats unchanged to ¼@⅝c advance, and provisions varying from 45c decline to a rise of 10c.

Indications that the movement of the corn crop this year promises to be a good deal later than usual had considerable to do with giving independent strength to the corn market. Speculators were aggressive on the buying side. Oats sympathized with corn, but had to cope with free selling to realize profits.

Provisions were irregular, meats declining whereas lard showed gains.

KANSAS CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4.(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard $1.37½@1.41½; No. 3 red, $1.34½@1.35½; December, $1.35½; May $1.36; July $1.26¾.

Corn: No. 2 white, 74½@75½c; No. 2 yellow, 79@80c, No. 2 mied 74½@75½c; December 74c; May 80¾c; July 82¼c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 45½@48½c; No. 3 white, 45½@47c.

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW WYORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.17; first 4's, 100; second 4's, 100.8; first 4¼'s, 102.19; second 4¼'s, 100.26; third 4¼'s, 100.42; fourth 4¼s, 103.21; treasury 3¾'s, 102.16; 4's, 105.22; 4¼'s, 109.22.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—Foreign exchanges, firm; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.84⅝; cables 4.85; 60-day bills on banks 4.80 7-16. France demand 3.96½; cables 3.97. Italy demand 4.24; cables 4.25. Demand: Belgium 13.91; Germany 23.78; Holland 39.94; Norway 25.48; Sweden 26.68; Denmark 26.62; Switzerland 19.28; Spain 15.22; Greece 1.33½; Poland 11.75; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.74¾; Austria 14.12½; Rumania .53½; Argentina 40.75; Brazil 12.18¾; Tokyo 46.12½; Shanghai 69.00; Montreal 100.00.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 4.(Texas Market News Service.)—Texas carlot shipments of fruits and vegetables Friday were: One car cauliflower, one cabbage, 12 spinach, one string beans, six baked sweet potatoes, two tomatoes and one unreported on the first; two mixed vegetables and 11 unreported on the second. Two cars of grapefruit on second and six cars on th efirst unreported.

POTATO SHIPMENTS.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4.(Texas Market News Service.)—Total potato shipments in the United States Friday were 603 cars, Colorado 44, Idaho 88, Washington 46. Arrived Fort Worth today 12 cars, diverted seven, unloaded three, on track 17. Market dull, weaker. Carloads delivered Texas common points. Northwestern whites and russets United States No. 1's mostly $2.90@3.00, some low as $2.75.

Poultry

TEXAS POULTRY.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 4.(Texas Market News Service.)—Poultry quotations: San Antonio: Poultry market steady, hens 18@20c; fryers mostly small sized. Old roosters 10c; turkey market steady; demand good with moderate receipts. No. 1's 28@30c pound liveweight basis on farms.

Eggs steady to firm; receipts liberal; fresh gathered firsts $11.00@11.50.

Fort Worth: Poultry market steady; hens, large 18@20c; springs 22@23c; old roosters 12c; ducks 18@20c; geese 15@20c; turkey receipts moderate; demand good and market steady; No. 1's around 25c liveweight; No. 1's 24@26c; old toms 29@30c pound.

Eggs receipts liberal and market steady. Fresh gathered firsts including cases, No. 1's candled, $11.00 to $12.00; No. 1 storage to retailers $11.00@11.50.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.(AP)—Butter, higher; receipts 6242 tubs; creamery extras 54½c; standards 45c; extra firsts 49@51½c; firsts 42@44½c; seconds 37@40c. Eggs, unchanged; receipts 2117 cases.

2 WELLS DRILLING

Lanning, Yates and McClain Putting Down Two Tests

Laning, Yates and McClain are drilling at 400 feet on the test three miles south of Sunshine Hill, section 28 of the Burnett pasture.

The same company has a wildcat well drilling at 200 feet in Montague county, two miles south of Forestburg on the Tinney land. This is to be a 2000-foot test.

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—Heavy selling of Baldwin Locomotive which broke from 154 to 144 quickly checked the upward movement in today's stock market although a few issues showed marked indepondent strength, leaving final quotations irregular. Trading was in fairly heavy volume for a half holiday session.

Violent fluctuations in Baldwin followed the publication of a report that a Chicago pool had amassed a paper profit of $10,000,000 in the stock, but this was later denied. At 164, the stock duplicated the record high established before the semi-annual dividend of $2.50 was declared a few days ago. The closing price of 154½ represented a net decline of 7½ points. Recent accumulation of the stock has been attributed in most quarters to the unusually heavy volume of new orders booked by the company in the last few weeks and by persistent rumors, frequently denied that the sale of its valuable Philadelphia real estate would be arranged next year and that common stockholders would receive a special distribution.

Sharing speculative interest with Baldwin was International Harvester which jumped nearly eight points to 149⅝, the highest price since the stock was listed on the exchange in 1918. Famous Players also developed a sudden outburst of strength by moving up over three points to 119⅝ on reports of unusually heavy receipts from the new paramount theater recently opened in this city.

Motors started upward under the leadership of General Motors, Hudson and Jordan but the buying movement quickly died down and net gains were reduced to fractions. U. S. Steel common closed nearly a point lower at 149⅝.

Rails were sluggish, with the exception of Pittsburgh and West Virginia which advanced two points to within a fraction of the year's high.

Establishment of a new 1926 peak by French francs around the four-cent level overshadowed all other departments in the first foreign exchange market. Demand sterling was slightly higher at 4.84⅝, and most of the continental rates improved fractionally.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
American Can	7	62⅝	62⅛	62⅝
Am Tel and Tel	4	149⅞	149⅝	149⅞
Am Tob B	3	119	119	119
Am Woolen	11	33⅛	33	33
A T and S F	18	156½	156	156½
Bethlehem Steel	4	47⅜	46⅝	46⅞
Calif Pet	14	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
C R I and P	7	68⅝	68⅛	68⅝
Chrysler Motor	159	38⅝	37⅝	37⅞
Coca Cola	10	168⅞	166⅛	166⅞
Consolidated Gas	27	111⅝	110⅝	110⅝
Corn Products	55	69⅛	68⅝	69⅛
Dodge Bros	59	24⅛	23⅝	23⅝
Dupont de Nem	64	168⅛	165⅝	166⅝
Fisk Rubber	18	17⅝	17	17⅛
Freeport-T Co	42	26	25⅝	25⅝
Gen Electric	40	86⅝	86⅛	86⅝
Gen Motors	240	146⅞	145	145⅝
Ind Oil and Gas	161	20	29⅛	29
Louis and Nash	1	121	121	121
Mack Truck	21	100⅝	99⅛	99⅛
Marland Oil	62	55	55⅞	55⅞
Mid-Cont Pet	2	31⅝	31	31
M K and T	1	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
N Y Central	10	129⅞	129⅛	130⅛
North Am Co	32	49⅛	49	49⅛
Pacific Oil	1	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Pan-Am Pet B	28	64⅝	63⅝	63⅝
Phillips Pet	74	58⅝	58⅛	58⅜
Pure Oil	6	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞
Radio Corp	37	57⅛	56⅝	57⅛
Royn Tob B	10	117⅝	117	117⅝
St. L and S F	8	102⅝	102⅛	102⅝
Shell Union Oil	10	20⅝	20⅜	20⅝
Simms Pet	35	19⅝	19	19⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	33	19⅝	19⅜	19⅝
Southern Pac	10	106⅞	106	106
Southern Ry	6	117⅜	116⅝	117⅛
Stand Oil of Cal	13	58⅝	58⅛	58⅜
Stand O of N J	48	28⅝	28	28⅛
Stude Corp	112	65⅝	64⅝	65⅛
Texas Co	7	56⅝	56	56⅝
Tex Gulf Sulp	108	43⅝	43	43⅜
T and P	1	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
T and P C and O	1	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Transcont Oil	11	4	4	4
Union Pacific	6	160	158⅝	160
U S Rubber	19	60⅝	59⅝	60⅝
U S Steel	453	150⅝	149⅛	149⅝
Willys Over	62	22⅝	21⅝	22

LOCAL MARKETS

The following prices are those quoted by the Wichita Falls wholesalers to retailers in the city Wednesday:

Vegetables.

White potatoes	1 and 2½c
Colorado celery, dozen bunches	$1.25
Oregon celery, dozen bunches	$1.75-2.00
Cabbage	4½ and 5c
Onions, California white	3½@4c
Onions, Utah yellow	2½c
Onions, per dozen bunches	75c
Carrots, bulk	3c
Beets, bulk	5c
Bell peppers	12c
Hot Pepper	15c
Turnips, dozen bunches	75c
Turnips, per pound	5c
English peas	15c
Tomatoes, lug	$2.00
Corn, fresh, dozen	25c
Okra	8c
Beans, green	15c
Radishes, per dozen bunches	75c
Mustard, per dozen bunches	75c
Yams, new crop	3½c
Cauliflower	15c
Parsnips	$2.00
Rutabagas	4½@5c
Spinach	12½c
Santa Claus melon	8c
Casaba melon	8c
Honey Dew melon	8c

Fruits.

Bananas	7c
Oranges, per box	$7.00
Lemons, per box	$5.00
Red Emperor grapes, lug	$3.25
Concord grapes, basket	35c
Apples, Jonathan, per box	$2.50@3.00
Apples, Delicious, per box	$2.50@3.75
Pears, Bartletts, box	$3.75
Coconuts, sack	$4.00
Cranberries, per half barrel	$6.00
Grapefruit, box	$7.50

Milk and Cream.

Butter	47c
Cream, per lb. butter fat	37c
Milk, per lb. butter fat	65c

Poultry and Eggs.

The following prices are being paid by wholesale poultry houses in Wichita Falls for poultry:

Hens, 4 lbs. and over	18c
Hens, under 4 pounds	15c
Broilers, 2 lbs. and under	23c
Broilers, 2-3½ lbs.	18c
Old roosters	7c
Ducks	12c
Geese	12c
Turkeys, No. 1	27c
Turkeys, No. 2	14c

NAME GOES ON

Von Hindenburg's Monicker In Golden Book

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—President von Hindenburg's name at last is entered in the city's famous "golden book." After being a resident of the city for 18 months as chief executive of the republic, city officials finally found a way for the field marshal to come to the city hall. They arranged a reception and banquet which in splendor surpassed any function in the Rathaus since the visit of King Edward VII. of Great Britain in 1909.

It is recalled that Edward at the time drank a toast to the city and the Reich, and in the presence of his nephew, the former kaiser, expressed the hope of peaceful relations between Great Britain and Germany. Prince Bernhard von Buelow, the chancellor, is said to have chuckled audibly at this remark.

AMERICANS ARE SAVED

BOGOTA, Columbia, Dec. 4 (AP) American missionaries of the christian and missionary alliance were forced to take refuge over the border in Ecuador when their mission house at Ipiales, 100 miles northeast of Quito, was stoned by a mob.

RUN MADE ON BANK

FULTON, Mo., Dec. 4. (AP)—The board of directors of the Southern Bank of Fulton, which yesterday and late Thursday experienced a run, today closed the bank temporarily and notified S. L. Cantley, state finance commissioner, to take charge.

Nature Breaks U. S. Dry Statute

Freak Revealed When Hogs Stage Drunken Antics On Farm

WYOMING, Ill., Dec. 4. (AP)—A herd of 50 swine ran "hog wild" on the farm of Glen Beall, near here, and before the orgy terminated seven porkers had drowned in Indian creek, 13 more had died of acute alcoholism and the remainder were nursing skinned hams.

The herd had been pastured in a corn field which was not thought worth the shucking, the creek having overflowed and started mildew on the corn and the process of fermentation had started.

HASKELL PERSONALS

HASKELL, Dec. 4.—J. L. Odell of Abilene, former Haskell resident, was a business visitor in Haskell last week.

A. B. Carothers, a prominent Rochester man, was a Haskell visitor Tuesday of this week.

Thurman Melton of the Abilene high school was a Haskell guest Thanksgiving.

Attorney Raymond Odell of Throckmorton was in Haskell on legal business Tuesday of last week.

Jack Hudsin and Edwin Grissoin were guests of their uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Grissoni, of Abilene, last week and attended a number of social affairs.

County Judge John Lee Smith of Throckmorton was a guest of Haskell friends and relatives last week.

Mrs. J. Luther Watson and Mrs. Clyde D. King of Rule were Haskill visitors Monday.

W. M. Whitman of Abilene was in Haskell last week looking after his property interests and visiting his sons, Mark and W. K. Whitman.

Mesdames O. E. Patterson, Mack Martin, Charles Parsons, Andrew Shriver and Elmer Irwin attended the Harvest day meeting of the Methodist Women's Missionary society at Goree last Wednesday.

NAME CHANGED

Frederick Ebert Plaza Named For President

BERLIN, Germany, Dec. 4. (AP) In the village of Oggersheim, Bavaria, a state in which the republican idea is probably less firmly grounded than in any other, the name of the principal square has been changed to "Frederich Ebert Plats" in honor of the late first president of the republic.

So far Munich, the capital of Bavaria, has not seen fit to honor the memory of the deceased executive by naming a street or square for him. The strong nationalist faction in the city council there defeated proposals

BUILDING PERMITS FOR WEEK JUMP TO $107,800 WITH 34 PROJECTS

$9,197,783 IS WICHITA FALLS' YEAR'S TOTAL

Largest Permit for Week $17,000 Business House At 1018 Ohio

Building and industrial improvement in the city took another jump during the past week and registered a total of 34 individual permits for a total valuation of $107,800.

The list contains several business projects, the largest being that of Mrs. Sarah Boyd, who is building a business house at 1018 Ohio at a cost of $17,000.

Only one residence of the larger sort is included in the list, it being that of D. H. Whitehall Construction company at 1701 Buchanan at a cost of $12,000.

The week's total permits brought a step nearer the grand $10,000,000 total set for the year. The total for the year to date is $9,197,783.

Individual permits were issued as follows:

A. F. Kenschuber, 2208 York, residence, $21000.

N. Henderson, 507 Franklin, dwelling, $1200.

Mrs. J. A. Kewell, 1411 Giddings, dwelling and garage, $1000.

P. Phillips, 1536 Speedway, residence and garage, $2000.

T. H. Chancellor, 1216 North Ninth, residence and garage, $2000.

L. E. Riley, 2211 Seventh, residence and garage, $2000.

Noble and Reid, 1505 Lamar, business house, $2000.

T. A. Wilson, 1913 Speedway, residence and garage, $5000.

Harry Krebs, 2117 Avenue Q, dwelling and garage, $2000.

C. A. Tidwell, 402 Brook street, residence, $4000.

L. E. Cowling and company, 2108 Polk, residence and garage, $3000.

Earl M. Stilley, 2105 Haya, residence and garage, $5000.

H. A. Clark, 905 Front, business, $300.

C. E. Litchfield, 1515 Monroe, business, $1000.

D. H. Whitehall Construction company, residence and garage, 1701 Buchanan, $12,000.

S. F. Vanhooser, 2101 Polk, dwelling, $300.

Ed Shaw, 1104 Holliday, dwelling, $3800.

M. Ordonez, 23rd and Holliday Drive, residence, $260.

Texas Building company, 1219 North First street, residence, $1500.

Mrs. Sarah E. Boyd, 1018 Ohio, business, $17,000.

L. G. Cook, 1500 North Ninth, residence and garage, $2000.

Lillian Chancellor, 1504 North Eighth street, residence and garage, $2500.

Lillian Chancellor, 1506 North Eighth street, residence and garage, $2500.

Lillian Chancellor, 1502 North Eighth street, residence and garage, $2500.

Suburban

J. R. Grueder, Hirsch addition, residence, $2500.

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J. R. Grueder, Woodall addition, residence, $2000.

J. R. Grueder, Woodall addition, residence $2500.

J. R. Grueder, Woodall addition, residence $2500.

J. R. Grueder, Woodall addition, residence $2500.

H. C. Cate, Thornbury road, residence $2000.

CASE CONTINUED

Jim Allen Murder Charge Passed On to Future Setting.

The case of the state vs. Jim Allen, charged with murder, which was set for Monday, December 6, in 89th district court, has been continued for the entire term, it was announced by Judge P. A. Martin Saturday.

A special venire of 100 men had been summoned in this case, and all of these men were given instruction to ignore the summons and need not come to court Monday. Judge Martin announced that this jury would not be called.

Two additional cases have been added to the setting beginning December 13. These cases are state vs. W. T. Smith, charged with theft of over $50, and charges against the same man for theft from person.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk Saturday:

J. M. Nixon an dMiss Willie Crabtree.

Merced Madrid and Miss Catarina Habana.

Troy Thornton and Miss Ruth Webb.

J. A. Artis and Miss Ida Lee Williams.

NO COSES DOCKETED

No cases have been docketed for trial in the county court at law for the coming week, all cases having been completed or set forward to the next week.

On Monday, December 13 the court will take up the criminal docket.

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"Whose Little Bride Are You?" To Be Presented At Junior College Soon

"Whose Little Bride Are You?" a rollicking comedy of life, will be presented by the students of Junior college at the college auditorium, Thursday and Friday, December 16-17. The performances will again be sponsored by the Junior college Spanish club and the Wai-Kun college annual, two organizations which have put over several of the leading dramatic achievements of the city schools during the past two years.

Miss Juanita Kinsey, instructor of public speaking and director of dramatics at the Junior college, will again be in charge of coaching and directing the play. Miss Kinsey has been a prominent figure in local public speaking and dramatic circles for more than six years and has put over successes of far more than local reputation in the field. E. O. Jonas, faculty sponsor of finance for the Wai-Kun, who has managed past productions of the organizations, will also again be in charge of advertising and tickets. The College Spanish club, sponsored by Mrs. Marie Gilbert, instructor of Spanish in the college, furnishes the acting talent and will help in directing ticket sales.

"Whose Little Bride Are You?" is a very clever yarn built up around the idea of an attractive young widow who is putting herself distinctly in the class of matrimonial eligibles, in fact works hard to snare a good prospective in the person of a middle-aged widower. The widow has a 16-year-old daughter, whom she keeps as much like a tiny child as possible, making her play with dolls and speak in baby talk when the daughter would rather talk philosophy or develop her town growing interest in an attractive boy of her acquaintance. Many complications make the performance a highly mirthful evening before the final curtain.

Dorothy Reed, as Mrs. McEckron, an aspiring widow, has shown up in splendid fashion in handling the role which could probably be characterized as leading. Miss Kinsey expressed her belief that the cast as a whole would prove as capable and dependable a group as she had coached.

The cast as a whole follows:

Dr. Bellows, a wealthy retired physician, Emmett Bauknight; Simeon Singleton, a bachelor friend, Shirley Donnell; Algernon Clawhammer, his nephew, Estel Parham; Augustus May, an English butler, John Wolf; George Tobin, a rural youth, Joe Tom Warren; Florence Bellows, the doctor's daughter, Dolores Peavy; Mrs. McEckron, an aspiring widow, Dorothy Reed; Dorothy McEckron, her precocious child, Isabel Stone; Maggie, the maid, Mary Peters; Mrs. Tobin, from Skowhegan, Maine, Adeena Kouri.

SPANISH WAR VETS TO MEET

Annual Banquet to Be Held At Church Tuesday Night

The annual banquet of the Spanish-American war veterans will be held Tuesday night at the First Christian church when they will have as guests their families and friends, according to announcement Saturday. Dinner will be served by women of the church.

A sing-song of the melodies of '98 will be led by Mayor R. E. Shepherd. Vocal soloists for the evening will be Mayor Shepherd, Rev. Leslie Miller, Joel H. MacGregor, Dr. J. H. Fletcher and Miss Dorothy Evans; violin solo, Clyde Brewer; piano solo, J. S. Pitman. Mr. Pitman and Mrs. R. E. Strange will be the accompanists for the evening.

Hatchitt to Speak

Maj. Joe B. Hatchitt will be the principal speaker of the evening. His subject will be, "Our War With Spain, A Benevolent War."

Capt. W. S. Langford will speak on what the organization means to the veterans. E. J. Gaines will speak on "Our Mothers."

Included in the musical program will be a surprise number by a group of local artists.

The banquet committee, composed of W. S. Langford, W. L. Dalton and E. O. Albert, state that this is to be the biggest event in the history of the local organization. Com. W. R. Duke will preside.

On Wednesday night following the banquet the regular monthly meeting of the Spanish war veterans will be held in the Odd Fellow's hall at which time officers for the ensuing year will be nominated and elected.

REVIVAL GROWING

Interest Increases In Southside Baptist Church

The revival meeting in progress at the Southside Baptist church is reported growing in interest and attendance. Rev. T. J. Furniss, pastor, is doing the preaching and will talk Sunday morning at 11 o'clock on "A Special Message to the Church," and at 7:30 o'clock on "Repentance."

John Roy Harris of Shawnee, Okla., is leading the singing and has organized a booster band which is engaged in a Bible reading campaign. The public is invited to attend the services.

DROP MADE BY CLEARINGS

$140,176 Decrease Shown In Clearing House Report For Past Week

Bank clearings for the week ending December 4, 1926, show a decrease of $140,176.76 over that of the same period of 1925, according to the weekly statement of the Wichita Falls Clearing House association issued by H. L. Hunter, manager.

The clearings follow:

Monday	$ 626,660.67
Tuesday	654,151.00
Wednesday	587,188.21
Thursday	638,592.42
Friday	684,525.80
Saturday	611,969.90
Total	$ 3,792,896.20
Week ending same period, 1925	3,933,072.96
Decrease	$ 140,176.76

Hanukkah to Be Celebrated Here

Congregation of Temple Israel Will Meet Sunday Night

The annual celebration of Hanukkah will be observed by the congregation of Temple Israel, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the synagogue, when a program will be given by the young people of the temple. Rabbi Samuel Phillips will bring the principal address, speaking on "Meaning of Hanukkah."

The program follows:

Sabbath school, Sunday evening, 7:30.
"Rock of Ages," school and congregation.
Reading of children's service, Nathaline Lebenson.
Prayer, Daniel Cohen.
Lighting of candles, Helen Sylvia Lebenson.
Recitations, Mrs. J. Emold's class, first grade.
Recitation, Mrs. I. Glasman, second grade.
Original poems, written and recited by Bertha Mae Kruger.
Violin solo, Harry Shain, accompanied by sister, Sadie Shain.
Reading, Hanukkah song, Alfred Cohen
Reading, Shining Lights, Ruth Paul.
Violin solo, Aaron Kruger.
Reading, "Menorah," Rose Marion Art.
Reading, "The Story of the Maccabees," Odessa Katz.
Address, "Meaning of Hanukkah," Rabbi Samuel Phillips.
Presentation of Hanukkah gifts, Louis Pink.
Closing, hymn, "America."

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Checks for premiums due on business written before December 1st, 1926, should be made out to Craft & Montgomery and may be paid at my office or at the former location.

This dissolution will in no way affect the policies now in force or the renewing of same.

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NAYLOR OPENS RADIO AGENCY

Auto Spring Company Will Handle Airway Radio Products

O. W. Wetherbee, president of Wetherbee brothers, factory agents for the famous Airway Radio, who has been spending the past few days in Wichita Falls, announced yesterday that the Auto Spring company has been appointed as their representatives in Wichita Falls.

Dick Naylor, manager of the Auto Spring company, is highly enthused over the possibilities on the new radio department of his company. In speaking of the Airway receiving set, Naylor said yesterday:

"The Airway six-tube, resistance-coupled radio receivers are sold squarely upon the claim that they will demonstrate their superiority in a parallel test with any broadcast receiver whatever, at any price, anywhere, under any conditions.

"There are no conditions or modification to this challenge. It is made only after extensive and repeated parallel tests at numerous points, with the best that competition affords, and after the judgment of neutral auditors has again and again picked the Airway in both blind and visible tests.

"In tone quality, selectivity, range, volume and simplicity of operation, Airway will itself demonstrate its leadership unmistakably. The beauty of Airway convinces anybody who looks at it.

"One outstanding Airway characteristic is its simplicity. There is nothing complicated or hard to understand. Its amazing performance is easily achieved by anybody.

"Our radio department will be in capable hands and we welcome the opportunity of demonstrating the Airway in the homes of this city."

STEPHENSON WINS

Klan Leader Gets Award Against Sculptor.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 2. (AP)—David C. Stephenson, former klan leader of Indiana and now serving a life term in the state prison there for the murder of Madge Oberholszer, is awarded judgment by stipulation of $27,586 in a suit against Gutzon Borglum, sculptor, of Stamford, in a decision handed down in superior court here.

Stephenson brought action for $30,000 against Borglum to collect on three promissory notes totalling $24,500 and interest.

RELICS ADDED

M'PHERSON, Kans., Dec. 4.—Relics of American pioneer life of 140 years ago have just been added to the museum of McPherson college here. They were presented by J. D. Shock of Blue Springs, Neb. Included in the collection of documents and surveyors' drawings was a deed to 195 acres of farm land in Northumberland county, Pennsylvania, under the date of July 2, 1790, at the time George Washington was president. The deed was written on heavy parchment and states that four shillings, was then a dollar, was paid for the land.

TO READ DOCKET

Judge C. M. McFarland, judge, county court at law, has announced that he will read the trial docket Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Lawyers who have cases docketed are requested to be present for the reading.

FOUR MEN ACQUITTED

LYONS, Ga., Dec. 4. (AP)—Four prominent farmers, arrested as members of a mob that shot and killed Willie Wilson, farm tenant, last July, were acquitted by a jury yesterday.

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8:15 p. m.—KTHS (31) Berrien Springs Lighthouse Choir.
9:00 p. m.—KTHS (375) Hot Springs—Meyer-Davis Grand Ensemble Classic.
9:00 p. m.—WIP (509) Phila. — The WIP Little Symphony Orchestra.
9:15 p. m.—KLDS (441) Independence —KLDS Studio Church Services.

MORNING SERVICES

7:30 a. m.
KFRU (500) Columbia, Mo. Sunrise Services.
8:30 a. m.
KMA (461) Shenandoah—Church service.
KLDS (441) Independence. Bible hour.
9:00 a. m.
WOAW (526) Omaha. Chapel.
WWJ (353) Detroit. Church services.
9:30 a. m.
WLW (423) Cinci. Sunday school.
9:40 a. m.
WHB (366) Kansas City. Church services.
9:45 a. m.
WHAR (275) Atlantic City. Chelsea Baptist.
10:00 a. m.
WTAM (390) Cleveland. Church service.
WAMD (275) Milwaukee. Services.
11:00 a. m.
KYW (536) Chicago. Central church.
WOI (270) Ames. Chapel services.
WBAP (476) Fort Worth. Church services.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Services.
KPDM (316) Beaumont. Church services.
KMA (461) Shenandoah. Services.
KLDS (441) Independence. Services.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. First Baptist.
12:00 Noon.
KOA (322) Denver. Services.

AFTERNOON SERVICES

12:15 p. m.
KMA (416) Shendoah. Sacred songs.
2:30 p. m.
KFNF (416) Shenandoah. Golden Rule.
4:30 p. m.
KMA (461) Shenandoah. Gospel team.

EVENING SERVICES

6:00 p. m.
WFAA (476) Dallas — Radio Bible club.
7:15 p. m.
WEW (360) St. Louis. Sacred.
7:20 p. m.
KPRC (297) Houston. First Christian.
WSM (500) Memphis. Services.
KFAA (476) Dallas. First Baptist.
8:00 p. m.
WSAI (326) Cinci. Sermonette.
WSB (428) Atlanta. Church services.
KFDM (316) Beaumont. Church services.
8:30 p. m.
WOS (441) Jefferson City Christian Church.
9:15 p. m.
KFUO (545) St. Louis. Evening services.

FEATURE CONCERTS—TALKS

1:00 p. m.
WOC (484) Davenport. Old Folks musicale.
3:00 p. m.
WENR (266) Chicago. All-American classical.
4:30 p. m.
KYW (526) Chicago. Classical.
6:30 p. m.
WEAF (492) N. Y.—"Capiol Family," Maj. Edward Bowles, c WEEI, WJAR, WWJ, KSD, WRC.
6:45 p. m.
WGN (302) Chicago. Blackstone string uintette.
7:00 p. m.
WEBH (370) Chicago. Selected artists.
KOIL (306) Council Bluffs. Concret.
8:00 p. m.
WGN (302) Chicago. Drake Concert Ensemble.
8:15 P. M.
WEAF (492) N. Y. Atwater Kent, to WGR, WRC, WSAI, WWJ, WEEI, WGN, WCCO, KSD.
9:00 P. M.
KFAB (341) Lincoln. Musicale.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs. Grand Ensemble.
9:30 P. M.
WSUI (484) Iowa City. Familiar Hymns.

DANCE ORCHESTRAS

4:00 P. M.
WKAF (261) Milwaukee. Dance.
7:30 P. M.
WHO (526) Des Moines. Hotel Fort Des Moines.
9:00 P. M.
WMBB (250) Chicago. Trianon.
9:30 P. M.
WLW (422) Cinci. Crosley.
10:00 P. M.
WIBO (226) Chicago. Orchestra.
10:35 P. M.
KPO (428) San Francisco. Fairmont.
11:00 P. M.
WFAA (476) Dallas. Smith's.
11:15 P. M.
WKRC (422) Cinci. Swiss Gardens Frolic and the Louisville Looms.

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NOT EVERY BALD-HEADED MAN WORRIES

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SUIT FILED FOR DAMAGES

Wayne Hammond Sued As Result of Wreck On Iowa Park Road

Suit was filed in 78th district court Friday by T. A. Flannery against Wayne Hammon to recover damages alleged to have been cause din an automobile wreck on the Iowa Park road November 17.

Mr. Flannery states in his petition that he was going west on the Iowa Park road and while trying to pass a delivery truck going the same way his car was struck in a head-on collision by a car driven by Hammon and which was going at a high rate of speed.

He also states that the impact of th ecollision completely wrecked his car and also overturned the machine he was passing.

The plaintiff seeks $500 actual damages because of injuries to his arm and hnad, and also $5000 exemplary damages.

CASES DELAYED

All cases on the criminal docket in 89th district court which were set for next Monday have either been completed or continued, and the court will take up the civil hocket until Thursday. On Thursday the case of the state of Texas vs. Cain Bowie, a negro, charged with murder, will come up for trial.

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HOBSON TO SPEAK

Famous Commander of Merrimac To Appear In City

Capt. Richard Pierson Hobson, one of the outstanding heroes of the Spanish-American war, who won his fame on "The Merrimac" will speak at the First Baptist church, Friday evening, December 10, at 7:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon league, according to announcement made Saturday. He will talk on "The Crisis."

The public is invited to hear him.

Veterans of the Spanish-American war, members of the David C. McCaleb post of veterans are planning an entertainment for Captain Hobson while he is in the city.

SON IS BORN

Rev. and Mrs. Frank M. Richardson of Paris, unutil recently residents of Wichita Falls, announce the birth of a son. Rev. Richardson was formerly presiding elder of the Wichita Falls district of the M. E. church, south, and is now pastor of the Paris Methodist church.

HOOVER IMPROVES

W. M. Hoover, who was shot in the left breast several weeks ago, and was found lying near the body of Mrs. H. H. Goodman, a victim of five bullets, is reported improving at a local hospital.

KIWANIANS TO PICK OFFICERS

Annual Election Slated For Noon Day Meeting Here Monday

Annual election of officers of the Kiwanis club will be held Monday at noon at the Kemp hotel, according to the announcement Saturday. The following ballot has been prepared and accepted by the club, though nominations may be made from the floor Monday, it was said:

For president, Grover Bullington.

For vice-president, J. W. Akin, Ira L. Cain and J. M. Williams.

For district trustee, W. H. Caldwell and J. L. Jackson Jr.

For treasurer, M. A. Ellis.

For director, seven to be elected, J. W. Akin, Kenneth Bebb, Wylie Brown, F. H. Collard, Lawrence Elkin, W. S. Langford, Jean Montgomery, Ray Patton, R. H. Peterson, Gerald Pond, Jake Price, H. L. Sanderford and Henry Wolff.

The community chest campaign workers will begin their annual drive for funds at noon and will meet with the Kiwanis club.

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Carter McGregor, Vice President
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SOCIETY SECTION

Wichita Falls Record News

SOCIETY SECTION

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1926.

Christmas Season Bringing Busy Social Calendar

Mrs. Langford Is Thursday Hostess, Honoring Sister

Complimenting her sister, Mrs. William Denton Burke, of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. P. P. Langford entertained about 140 guests at her home Thursday afternoon and evening. Seventeen tables were arrangd for games of bridge and "42" in the afternoon, while in the evening a musical and "42" was enjoyed by intimate friends of the honoree.

Christmas colors of green and red were carried out in the floral decorations and carnations and roses were used. Table favors were Italian pottery candle holders, while vases were the high and low score prizes.

Eighteen tables were arranged for "42" in the evening, when the guests included members of a "42" club that was enjoyed by a number of couples several years ago. Dr. Massie won the high score among the men, while Dr. Bolding was consoled for low. Both received Roy Croft hammered brass calendars. Mrs. Orville Bullington scored high among the women, and Mrs. G. D. Anderson, low. Favors were green Italian pottery vases.

The musical program included a group of songs by Alva Wilgus, by Miss Adele Ray and Mrs. Luella B. Thompson, and Miss Marguerite Fisher read "In Old Seville."

Salad Reotis were served.

Music Clubs Entertain Visitors at Luncheon

Members of the Musicians and Woman's Choral clubs were hostesses at luncheon to delegates attending the first district convention of Federated Music clubs of Texas, Friday at 1 o'clock at the Wichita club. Mrs. D. G. Whitney presided and Mrs. Harwood Stacy, president of the Musicians club, brought greetings from the club, and Mrs. Whitney brought greetings from the Choral club. Mrs. J. A. Birdsong of Vernon gave the response.

Mrs. B. L. Fain gave the invocation and Miss Elizabeth Cole played a piano number. Mrs. Monroe Cheney of Coleman, district president, gave the president's address and Mrs. Luella B. Thompson gave a vocal number. Selections were given by the Ensemble Players, composed of Mesdames Jouette, Bonner, O. E. Nichols, Alfred Miller, Ray Eyssen and Harwood Stacy.

Christmas colors were used in the decorations of red carnations, ferns and red candles. Plates were marked by red Santa Claus figures made from apples with arms and legs of raisins and with marshmallow heads.

Covers were laid for 55 local club women besides the following out-of-town delegates:

Mesdames Joseph Edwards, Henrietta, Clay county, chairman; B. P. Schwend, Henrietta; W. L. Mount, Henrietta; Monroe G. Cheney, Coleman; C. J. Farrell, Vernon, county chairman; J. A. Birdson, Vernon; Y. H. Babasen, president Music club, Vernon; W. H. Dyer, Graham; E. C. Reed, president Graham Music club; J. C. Lovelace, president Olney Music club; A. A. Cooper, Olney; Harry Karlsberg, Bowie; Miss Inez Rudy, president McDowell club, Bowie.

Junior College P. T. A. Program Arranged

The Junior college and high school Parent-Teacher association, which meets Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the college, has announced the followint program:

Devotional led by a member of the Girl Reserve club; vocal trio, Mary Tancred, Mabel Drinkard and Elma Stovall; book review by a college girl; classical solo, piano, Katherine Weeks; reading, "Using the Handkerchief," Dorothy Reed; ukelele duet, Elizabeth and Katherine Weldon; reading, "In the Desert of Waiting," Jennie Louise Hindman; talk, "Worthwhile Books and Magazines as Christmas Gifts"; report of the state meeting of Parent-Teacher associations, Mrs. S. A. Covington.

Mrs. L. R. Buchanan is offering a $5 prize to the membership sponsor who has the most number of mothers present. The money is to be used on the purchasing fund for a mirror for the girls' lavatory. All mothers are urged to come in time to register before the program begins at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Barnard Hostess To Dorcas Class

Members of the Dorcas Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. J. C. Barnard on Grant street Tuesday afternoon when, after a brief business session, presided over by the president, Mrs. W. E. Miller, garments were made for the Buckner Orphan's home.

Luncheon was served to Mesdames T. P. Duncan, J. E. Wolf, O. B. Deason, R. C. Smith, Ralph Hines, R. F. Lane, W. S. Henry, W. E. Martin, John G. Lane, Vic Stamfil, W. H. Davis, H. I. Smith, D. F. Roberson, W. Daniel, Jane Scott, W. N. Porter, M. L. Hooker, B. F. White, O. C. Somers, C. E. McCarty, P. A. Leath, J. B. Jenkins, W. E. Priddy, W. N. Barringer, J. S. Nelson, W. L. Ponder, E. F. McCarty, J. D. Johnson, E. W. Carter, Ben King, J. L. Johnson Sr., W. E. Miller, J. L. Maxwell, T. A. Garnett and Miss Nora McCarty of Canyon.

Young Married Peoples Class Have Party

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker were hosts to members of the Young People's Sunday school class of the First Methodist church Thursday evening at a delightful "42" party at their lovely new home on Beverly drive.

Following the business session, refreshments were served to Messrs. and Mesdames J. T. McNamara and daughter, Yvonne, Merle Hooper, E. Lynn and daughter, Naomi, R. P. Sinn, S. A. Douglas, J. R. Gueder, R. W. H. McCullouch and Mrs. A. H. Millsap, and Miss Annie Laurie Long.

The hostess was assisted by Mesdames Hooper, McNamara and J. W. Liddell.



MRS. S. L. CONN



MRS. R. A. LINCOLN



MRS. J. E. WOLF



MRS. W. J. MASTERS



MRS. W. E. BROTHERS

IN THE PICTURES

(Photos by Nossett)

Mesdames R. A. Lincoln, W. E. Brothers, W. J. Masters, S. L. Conn and J. E. Wolf are officers of the Standard club, one of the most prominent women's organizations in the city. This year the club is studying an intensive course in Scandinavian, Swedish, Polish, Dutch and Italian fiction. Mrs. Lincoln is president; Mrs. Brothers, vice-president; Mrs. Masters, secretary; Mrs. S. L. Conn, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. J. E. Wolf, treasurer.

Other members of the club are Mesdames R. D. Bone, J. H. Davis, A. D. Patillo, C. W. Staley, C. E. Bailey, C. L. Baum, W. E. Brothers, T. P. Kelm, J. H. Davis, O. M. DeSieve, R. D. Ford, J. M. Isbell, W. R. Little, F. E. McConnell, T. L. McGee, A. C. Price, and C. W. Staley.

Mr. and Mrs. Snider Hosts At Country Club Dramatic Presentation

Proving one of the most elaborate affairs of the fall and winter season, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider and their daughter, Miss Helen Snider, entertained about 400 guests at the Country club, Friday evening, presenting Mrs. A. A. Cocke, president of the Cocke Dramatic school of Dallas, and well-known dramatic reader, in Zangwill's "Melting Pot."

The entire reception suite at the club was gorgeously decorated for the occasion in baskets filled with vari-colored huge plume chrysanthemums and autumn leaves, and the mantels were banked with flowers. Preceding the reading, Joel MacGregor gave a group of Scottish songs accompanied at the piano by J. S. Pitman and Mrs. C. Y. Tully sang a group of songs, accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Akin Jr.

Interprets Message

Mrs. Cocke in her inimitable manner interpreted the great message told in the "Melting Pot" and only made every character live but gave a clear vision of America and her people from every nation.

Beginning with the characterization of Mendel Quixano, the persecuting Jew, who is described as a music master with a fine face furrowed by many misfortunes, and then Frau Quixano, his mother from the Russian Pale, who speaks Yiddish exclusively, and comes to America with old world ideas, and David Quixano, Medmal's nephew, who has a vision of America as the great melting pot of the world, the reader, it would seem, ran the gamot in expression and dramatic ability, but the other characters, Vere Revandel, the beautiful Russian who because of advanced ideas left her home country working in the slums of New York City for the uplift of the people, received the same painstaking interpretation, while the Baron Revandel, Vere's father, a hard old Russian nobleman, who conducted the Kishif massacre, Baroness Revandel, his second wife of French extraction, who was self-conceived fascinating, Herr Pappermaister, conductor of the German orchestra employed exclusively by Quincy Devenport, American dude with his many millions, and Kate O'Reilly, Irish maid of all work and servant in the house of Quixano, were presented like living characters. The audience was held spellbound from the beginning of the masterpiece until the end.

This is Mrs. Cocke's seventh appearance here before local audiences, and her ability is appreciated by all who have been fortunate enough to hear her. Her great asset it would seem lies in her power to present in detail her message, and at the same time bring out the spiritual meaning as well as the material.

Miss Snider Hostess

Complimenting her house guests, Misses Leah Belle Duff of Topeka, Kans., and Floy Moore of Austin, Miss Helen Snider entertained with 12 tables of bridge at the Country club, Friday afternoon.

Elaborate decorations of autumn leaves and chrysanthemums were used profusely and the favors was a Checo-Slavacian jewel powder box for high score; a china powder box for consolation, and the honorees were remembered with a jewel box for Miss Moore and a Venetian powder box for Miss Duff.

Refreshments were served from a prettily decorated tea table with Madeira cloth centered with lovely Florentine statuary more than 100 years old brought from a castle in Italy, with a boquet of roses and chrysanthemums held in larger statuary, while smaller pieces also contained flowers. An ice course with fancy candles formed of orchid chrysanthemums was served to 50 guests.

The Y.W.C.A. CALENDAR

Sunday.

Christmas Vesper service, 3-4 p. m.

Monday.

Ministerial Alliance meeting, noon.

Manuscript club, 2 p. m.

Halcyon Delphian society, 7 p. m.

Board meeting of Business and Professional Women's club.

Tuesday.

Board of directors and committee members meeting, 11-1 p. m.

Alamo school Girl Reserves, 3:45 p. m.

Barwise school Girl Reserves, 3:45 p. m.

Business and Professional Women's club, 6:30 p. m.

Wednesday.

Travis, Carrigan and San Jacinto schools Girls Reserve clubs, 3:45 p. m.

Red Cross nutrition class, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday.

House committee meeting 9 a. m.

Zundelowitz and John Reagan school Girl Reserves, 3:45 p. m.

Fannin school Girl Reserves 3:15 p. m.

Junior Business Girls' club, 6:15 p. m.

Friday.

High school and Junior college Girl Reserves, 9:30 a. m.

Sam Houston Girl Reserves, 3 p. m.

Austin Girl Reserves, 3:05 p. m.

Saturday.

Fannin Girl Reserves, 9:30 a. m.

Carrigan Girl Reserve Christmas party, 3:30 p. m.

Social Workers' club, noon.

Helen Beaver's Class With Mrs. H. J. Strief

Members of the Helen Beavers society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. J. Strief at 3 o'clock in a business and social session. Mrs. H. B. Patterson will give a comparison of the religions of other countries with that of this country, and members will sew for the Christmas bazaar.

First Presbyterian Auxiliary to Meet

The Woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church in regular session.

Sunshine Players Of South Side To Give Two Dramas

Presenting their first public appearance in three one-act plays, the Sunushine Players of Wichita Falls will make their debut Friday evening at the Carrigan school auditorium. This is the South Side Little Theater organization, recently formed in the Sibley-Taylor addition of Wichita Falls. The players are under the direction of Harry White.

Their first public appearance includes "The Rector," by Hachael Crothers; "The Medicine Show," by Stewart Walker, and "Women Will Talk." Each of these one-act plays have been presented professionally and have been selected because of their mirthful qualities and wholesome entertainment. All three of them are of a comical nature.

"The Rector"

The case of "The Rector" includes Mrs. Edna Null as Mrs. Lemmingworth; Miss Oma Graham as Miss Margaret Norton; Mrs. R. L. Mansell as Mrs. Munsey; Mrs. F. K. Brown as Miss Trimbell; Mrs. Henry Dewar as Janie, the house girl; Mrs. L. H. Gilbreth as Victoria Knox, and Luther Gilbreath as the rector.

The cast of the "Medicine Show" includes F. M. King, R. L. Mansell and Roy Higgenbothen. This play is Stewart Walker's most famous comedy.

Second Cast

The cast of "Women Will Talk" includes Mrs. W. D. Cook, Mrs. C. R. Higgenbothen, Mrs. M. L. Sherman, Mrs. Mary White, Miss Mattie Cook, Mrs. G. W. Dewar, Mrs. George Garlington and Mrs. J. L. Gilbreath.

This performance is under the auspices of the Carrigan School Mothers club. Admission for adults will be 55c, for children 20c. Special scenery effects have been constructed and an evening of real entertainment is promised all who attend. The curtain will rise at 8 o'clock.

Golf Association Play At Municipal Course

Members of the Golf Association of the Country club played on the Municipal Golf course Thursday morning when Mrs. J. B. Hatchitt made low score.

Luncheon was served to Mesdames C. C. Arnold, A. C. Ludlam, Stanley McGregor, G. H. Hampshire, J. H. Fletcher, W. C. Witcher, H. P. Weldon, Luke McCrory, W. P. Bolding, Julian Bobo, D. G. Whitney, J. A. Fisher, Fred Couper, Rochon, J. C. Thompson, J. B. Hatchitt, John Waggoner, C. D. Shamburger and Harold Ruchl.

Junior Business Girls Compliment President

Members of the Junior Business Girl's club honored their president, Mrs. Frank Allday, who was before her recent marriage Miss Hazel Johnston, by presenting her with a surprise shower of miscellaneous gifts in the regular meeting at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday evening.

The rooms and table were decorated in Christmas colors. Around the bride's chair which was marked with a huge bok was a huge basket of gifts and packages. Games were played and a social hour enjoyed. Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Frank Allday, Misses Thelma Wisdom, Annell Waters, Evelyn Phillips, Bernice Persky, Sylvia Simon, Dora Blank, Delta Wisdom, Evelyn Hardeman, Mrs. M. M. Adickes, Mrs. Iva E. Austin.

Lucy Hansell Chapter To Hold Session

Members of the Lucy Hansell chapter of the West Minster Guild of the First Presbyterian church will have a business and social session at the home of Mrs. Brit Cranfill, 108 Brookside drive, Monday at 3 o'clock. Mrs. H. R. F. Helland will be leader and Mrs. A. H. Carrigan will give a message from Persia. Mrs. J. H. White will give a book review of "The First Christmas Tree."

Grace Methodist Women to Meet

The Ladies Aid of the Grace Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. L. Huunter, 1820 Tenth street, at 2:30 p. m. Monday afternoon.

Flower Show Of Forum Ready For Friday Opening

With Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, general chairman of arrangements, work is moving at a rapid pace for the huge flower show and carnival to be given Friday and Saturday by the Woman's Forum for the Woman's Clubhouse building fund. The affair, which was postponed from last week on account of waiting for its completion, is to be held in the new Fritz building at Eleventh and Scott streets.

Features will be a gorgeous showing of ferns, cut flowers, shrubbery and rose bushes, in charge of the civics department of the Forum; a bake shop with many good things to eat with Mesdames C. E. Bailey and J. D. Bright in charge; a candy booth where homemade candies will be sold; a bazaar; fish pond; fortune telling; a coffee shop, fruits, ice cream and cold drinks and a museum.

Mrs. J. T. Harrell, chairman of the dramatic department of the Forum, will be in charge of a program to be given by that department and the Reader's club when two one-act plays will be given on Friday and Saturday nights. Negro Jubilee Singers from the Mt. Pleasant colored church will entertain on Friday night and Saturday afternoon and night. There will be radio music and the Fort Worth Station Radio Sun Flower girl will broadcast in person from the stage platform. Local artists will also assist in entertaining.

This is announced as the most pretentious affair ever attempted by members of the Forum, and promises to be exceedingly elaborate.

Lucy Hansell Chapter To Sponsor Bazaar

Members of the First Presbyterian Woman's Missionary society and of the various Sunday school classes will hold a Christmas bazaar in the basement of the church Friday and Saturday. A tea room will be operated by the Lucy Hansell guild.

Floral Heights Baptist Women Have Program

Members of the Floral Heights Baptist W. M. U. will meet in all-day monthly session at 10 o'clock Monday at the church. The Lancaster circle will be in charge of the program, while the Humphrey circle will serve luncheon and the Young Matrons will furnish the entertainment.

This Weeks CALENDAR

MONDAY

Meeting of the Helen Beavers Missionary society with Mrs. H. J. Strief, afternoon.

Woman's Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church meets at church at 2:30, afternoon.

Mass meeting of Floral Heights Methodist women, all-day session at church.

Meeting of Lucy Hansell chapter, Westminster Guild, at home of Mrs. Britt Cranfill at 3 o'clock.

Grace Methodist Ladies Aid with Mrs. H. L. Hunter at 2:30, afternoon.

Floral Heights Baptist W. M. U. will hold all-day session at church.

TUESDAY

Meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway trainmen, Labor temple, afternoon.

Meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club at Y. W. C. A. at 6:30, evening.

WEDNESDAY

Junior Travel club meets with Mrs. E. T. Duff, afternoon.

Ladies day at the Municipal Golf club.

Meeting of the Wednesday Study club with Mrs. B. L. Fain, afternoon.

Woman's Choral club will rehearse at the Floral Heights Methodist church, morning.

THURSDAY

Nutrition class will meet at the Barwise school at 2 o'clock, followed by P.-T. A. meeting.

Golf Association and Ladies day at the Country club.

Pollyanna Sunday school class of the First Baptist church banquet at 7:30 at church, honoring Dorcas class.

FRIDAY

Woman's Forum Flower show and carnival at Fritz building today and Saturday.

Coterie club with Mrs. Hubert Harrison, afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Brothers hostess to Standard club, afternoon.

Unity club meets with Mrs. P. P. Langford, afternoon.

First Presbyterian women will hold Xmas bazaar in church basement.

Mrs. B. J. Shaw will be hostess to Twentieth Century club, afternoon.

Ladies Auxiliary To Hold Meeting

Ladies of the auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet at the Labor temple Tuesday when the annual election of officers will be held.

Dr. Southwick Is Presented at Club By Local Women

Presenting Dr. Henry Lawrence Southwick in "The Rivals," by Sheridan, Mesdames T. A. Hicks, G. L. Shapard, Leslie Humphrey, Luther Hoffman and J. T. Harrell entertained about 400 women at the Wichita club Thursday afternoon.

The guests were greeted at the door by the hostesses and were given pretty nosegays by three small maids, Misses Mary Shapard, Joan Hoffman and Mary Harrell.

The stage was lavishly decorated in colorful plume chrysanthemums and palms, and the reader was introduced by Mrs. Hicks.

Dr. Southwick is president of the Emerson College of Oratory at Boston, and in his interpretation of the classic comedy, "The Rivals," proved himself a speaker of marked literary talent as well as of dramatic power far above the average actor.

Throughout his rendition his audience was held spellbound and he was given hearty applause.

Punch was served at the close of the afternoon by a bevy of debutants, including Misses Berniece Martin, Annabel Harrell, Suda Willis, Pearl Smithe, Helen Snider, Alice Welty, Irma Schnelle, Elva Killingsworth, Marguerite Fisher and Ella Merle Mathis.

Legion Women Preparing Boxes for Veterans

Members of the American Legion Woman's auxiliary met last week and completed 58 laundry bags to be sent in a Christmas box to disabled veterans who are confined in three Texas hospitals, the William Beaumont hospital at El Paso, where there are 172 disabled men; Station hospital in San Antonio, where there are 190 disabled men, and Legion hospital No. 93 at Kerrville, where there are 389 disabled men.

It is the plan of the women to place in these bags such articles as stationery, books, postage stamps books, combs, hair brushes, bed room slippers, games, gloves, garters, ties, cuff links, talcum powder, tooth brushes, magazine subscriptions, pens, pencils, cigarettes, tobacco, safety razors, blades, mufflers, toys for children of the veterans and many personal articles.

The ladies are issuing a call for these things for these boxes and anyone wishing to help make the holidays of the veterans happier are asked to bring their packages wrapped as attractively as possible and a tag giving contents and name of donor to 801 Baylor street by December 12.

Information regarding the boxes may be had by calling 6207.

T. E. L. Class Enjoy Annual Banquet

Members of the T. E. L. Sunday school class of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church enjoyed a banquet at the Kemp hotel Friday at 12:30 o'clock when with Mrs. H. A. O'Neill, acting as toastmistress, the program was given as follows: By the president, Mrs. A. G. Michael; response in song by Miss Mildren Sturdevant; toasts by Mrs. Turney, Roy Wilson, M. C. Hays and response in song by the class.

Toast by Mrs. G. W. Anderson and response in song by Mrs. J. D. Allred; toast by Mrs. O. W. Rippetoe and response by class in song; toast, Mrs. S. O. Crawford, and response in song by Miss Mildred Sturdavant; toast by Mrs. H. W. Conn and response in song by Mrs. C. R. Smith; toast by Mrs. W. H. Townsend and response in song. T. E. L. dream told by Mrs. Roy Miller, and vocal solo, Mrs. J. Robbins.

Mrs. T. P. Walker gave the president's address.

Covers were laid for about 40 members.

Mrs. Humphrey Hostess At Pretty Party

Among the many delightful social affairs of the week-end, none proved more entertaining than the lovely bridge party given by Mrs. J. C. Humphrey at the Wichita club Saturday afternoon when 23 tables were arranged for the games.

Carrying out the Christmas colors of red and green, the score pencils were in the form of pretty poinsettas and the score pads were hand-painted in the chosen colors.

Following the games about 40 guests came in for tea, for which the table was beautifully appointed with Madiera cloth, poinsetta centerpiece and red candles in crystal holders.

Bridge table covers featured the Christmas flower, which was also noted in the salad and ice course served at the close of the games.

About 140 guests were present.

Alahi Camp Fire Girls Plan Xmas Bazaar

Discussion of the Christmas bazaar which the Alahi Campfire Girls will hold jointly with the Catholic ladies Friday and Saturday, featuring the meeting of the group held Friday afternoon. During the business session officers were also installed.

It was decided that the Indian word and meaning to be used as a pass word for the coming six months will be decided upon at the next meeting of the girls.

Those present were Nellie and Mary Pastusek, Dora J. Nix, Frances Harlin, Augenia Edgar, Edna May Spegall, Margaret Ossenbeck, Louise and Evelyn Van Emden, Blanche Rauche, Alma Nicklas, Charlotte Kennedy and the guardian, Mrs. A. W. Ayers, and assistant guardian, Miss Hyland.

Miss Gilbreath Honoree At Enjoyable Party

Honoring Miss Ura Gilbreath of Fort Worth, Miss Grace Bristow entertained a group of friends at her home Thursday evening when those present included Misses Viva Riley, Jimmie Howell, Grace Bristow, Elizabeth and Zetta Frizzell, and Messrs. Chapp Smith, Hobart Drane, Garland Kirkland, Virgil Shearon, Harold Schneider, Woodrow Bristow and Ferris Duggar.

Peggy Piedmont

And Now We're Busy — *Many Wedding Bells*
Christmas Season Due — *Forum Flower Show*
The Luncheon Hours — *Tibetam Society*

DEAR KITTY:—
With the passing of Thanksgiving, and Christmas just around the corner, the few days left before the Yuletide season are filled with one grand affair after the other, hostsess vieing with each other in giving elaborate parties while there is yet time before the busy Christmas shopping days, and the return of the college set from school.

From east to west, north to south, everybody in Wichita Falls went somewhere for an outing Thanksgiving day. Hunting, fishing, picnicing and to football games, and when you hear our temperature was 72 degrees; that the sun was as warm as a May day, and besides a small dust storm in the morning, the sun shone on the just and the unjust, so you will never wonder, Kitty, that the call of the open was as strong as 'tis in the spring o' the year.

And speaking of weather in Texas, far be it from your friend Peggy, to prophecy, but I would not be surprised if we have just such a day for our Christmas dinners.

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STARTING Tuesday with a lovely luncheon for a Kansas City visitor, Mrs. Samuel Robinson, sister and house guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Hines, when Mrs. L. E. Trout and Mrs. R. E. Shepherd were hostesses at the Country club, and two delightful affairs, a breakfast bridge with Catherine Moore, hostess, and dinner, given by Mrs. W. E. Maxson for Gay Gwynn whose marriage to George J. Greer of Dallas was an event of Wednesday, the social ball has been constantly rolling and taking into consideration programs to be given by the Woman's Choral club, the Musicians' club and touring artists, it does seem as if December is going to overflow with music, does it not?

And then Wednesday at 1 o'clock one of the loveliest weddings of the fall and winter season took place at the spacious Gwynn home, when Miss Gay, the daughter of the house and only child, was married to George Greer of Dallas and while through some of Cupid's pranks, we gain attractive young matrons from other cities, to be added to the younger married set, this time we lose, as after a wedding trip to New York City and the northeast, the couple will make their home in Dallas.

Another wedding of interest Wednesday also, was that of C. E. Winters, popular young dispatcher on the Wichita Southern railway, to Miss Mabel Williams, one of the city's most attractive girls.

In the afternoon at the Kemp hotel on Wednesday, several hundred club women, members of the Forum and their friends, were delighted with the half humorous, half serious lecture given by Miss Ada Ward, on the subject, "Faces in the Crowd," and illustrated with interesting blackboard drawings. At the general meeting of the Forum, it was also announced by the president, Mrs. Ola Hamlin, that the organization has almost reached it's goal of 500 membership, now numbering 475 women.

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THE flower show, carnival and bake sale, which the Forum will sponsor this week-end at the Fritz building, was also announced, and besides having the interest of several hundred women centered in the event, it marks the completion of another new building for the city.

Thursday also proved a notable day for parties, with two of the largest of the week taking place the same afternoon. Several hundred guests attended the reception given at the Wichita Club by Mesdames Leslie Humphrey, Luther Hoffman, T. A. Hicks, G. L. Shapard and J. T. Harrell when they presented Henry Laurence Southwick in a dramatic reading, "The Rivals," and Mrs. P. P. Langford complimented her sister, Mrs. Wm. Denton Burke from Seattle, Wash., with a bridge and "42" affair.

Friday evening at the Country club another reader, Mrs. A. A. Cocke of Dallas was presented in a delightful program, when Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider and their daughter, Miss Helen, entertained a large nuumber of guests.

Little boys and girls hugging engines and dolls to their hearts this Christmas in Wichita Falls, still see visions of a white-bearded old man surrounded by assorted toy parts, in a little shed away off at the top of the world. But the time is said to be passed when his assembling plant is outside the shores of America. Santa Claus' toy shop for this country use to be in Switzerland, Italy, Japan and Germany, and mostly Germany, but now it is in the United States.

Ten years ago 85 percent of the toys used here were imported. Today 85 percent of them are made at home, according to statistics. When the German supply was cut off during the war, toy factories here expanded and many new ones started up; the toy making establishments rose from 290 in 1913 to 541 in 1918. Others have been added since then, and this year it is estimated, the United States will have turned out $2,000,000 worth of toys, twice as much as the estimated production of five years ago.

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WE have heard lots about women of every land it would seem, but thinking on the subject, I suppose we have heard least about the Tibetan women than of any other kind. It is said of them, however, that they are not unlike their more civilized sisters, and are intensely vain of their personal appearance. That they spare no efforts to enhance their beauty and suffer agonies in the pursuit of loveliness.

Those of high birth and wealth are said to be much fairer than those of the peasantry, whose strenuous outdoor life makes it impossible for them to retain a smooth fair skin long. They work in the fields in all weather.

Before retiring at night, a Tibetan woman rubs some kind of fat thoroughly into her face and neck, leaving it on during slumber. Nowadays, the more well-to-do ladies use Western face-creams for this purpose, the poorer contenting themselves with butter. In the morning, before washing, they take a thin cord of tightly twisted silk and scrape the face all over. This treatment, they say, prevents the forming of wrinkles. The process is painful and frequently brings tears.

This operation finished, the Tibetan woman washes her face and hands. It has been said that the Tibetans seldom wash, but this is not true. Then the hairdressing begins. This is also said to be a painful business, especially when heavy headdresses are worn. To support these, the hair, first parted in the center and carefully combed out, is made into innumerable small tight plaits, and to these the headdress is fastened.

To the sides are attached masses of false hair. The wealthy women use rouge and powder imported from India. They pencil their eyebrows with kohl, made by themselves from black lamp black and butter, the lipstick has not yet invaded the land of the lamas.

Fingernails are carefully pared and polished, and fingers are adorned with large, heavy rings.

And so we find upon a little investigation that Thanksgiving, Christmas, little boys and girls and women are pretty much alike all over the world, and so gossiping about parties, weddings—jumping from the frying pan into the fire—from football to women, my pen halts a minute as I wonder if there's anything I have said or left unsaid in my letter which could possibly make you chide.

Peggy Piedmont

Girl Reserves To Hold Vespers

Eleven Girl Reserve clubs organized in various schools of the city will take part in the annual Christmas vesper service to be held Sunday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. at five o'clock, according to announcement made Friday. The program follows:

Processional, "Silent Night, Holy Night."
Candle lighting ceremony, Charlotte Joiner, Frances Palmer, Elizabeth Hines.
Poem, "The Miracle," Virginia Hoag.
Song, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," choir and assembly.
Scripture reading, Luke 2:7-20.
Pantomimes, music by choir, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," and "Joy to the World."
Song, "Gift Bringers We Are," choir.
Talk, "Gifts," Mrs. Deane J. Tea, Junior Business Girls in Wolff.
Prayer, Mrs. Iva E. Austin.
Recessional, Hymn of Lights.

The vesper services are being held under the auspices of the Girl Reserves and Junior Business Girls of the Y. W. C. A., including: Alamo, Jane Wright, president, Mrs. Woodburn; Austin, Nina Bell Conant, Mrs. O. E. Laskey; Barwise, Georgia Tuck and Mrs. W. E. Wrightsel; Carrigan, Beatrice Nelson; Fannin, Maurine Ward and Mrs. L. Shattuck; John Reagan, Frances Palmer, Mrs. R. L. Joiner; Junior college and high school, Jane Moore and Mrs. J. D. Bright; Sam Houston, Elizabeth Adams, Mrs. Stanley Freeland; Travis, Myrl Osborn, Mrs. J. H. Cable; San Jacinto, Mrs. C. E. Enlow; Mrs. D. J. Wolff, chairman of Girl Reserve work.

The choir is under the direction of Miss Mary Tancred.

Mr. and Mrs. Rehbock of Denver, Colo., formerly of Fort Worth, spent a few days here en route home after visiting their daughter, who is a student at T. C. U.



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Church Women To Give Pageant Of Biblical Leaders

A pageant, "Wonderful Women of the Bible," in which more than 20 people have part, will be given tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the First Christian church.

More than 6000 years of history will be reviewed as 17 great, historic women pass before the audience. The church lights will be off and the spot light will be centered upon the participants in the dramatizations. Out of the darkness a voice will tell the story, accompanied by music by Mrs. H. Grady England. Queens, servants and slaves will mingle freely in the story.

Mrs. Frank B. Creighton has prepared the dramatization. Mrs. J. Lem Keevil will preside in the evening service. Young lady ushers will handle the crowd in attendance. It is the annual Women's program.

The characters represented and the actors will be as follows:
Mary, Mother of Jesus.....Mrs. Harry May
Sara Hagar .....Mrs. G. R. Ellis
Rebecca .....Mrs. C. O. Sergeant
Deborah.....Mrs. W. T. Willis
Queen Vashti.....Mrs. Rugely
Queen Esther..Mrs. L. B. Cummins
Leah.....Mrs. C. E. Stephens
Rachel.....Mrs. Bailey Meissner
Naomi.....Mrs. Floyd Bash
Ruth.....Mrs. J. E. Strong
Orpha.....Mrs. Guy Wilson
Miriam.....Mrs. Dr. C. E. Bailey
Jeptha's Daughter .....Mrs. Homer Karrenbrock
Priscilla.....Mrs. T. P. Kelm
Lydia.....Mrs. M. D. Bolton
Mary of the Annointing.....Mrs. Porter Oakes

A large Bible will be constructed so that the participants will actually seem to step from its pages upon the stage and re-enact the greatest achievements of their lives.

Barwise Women Hear Third Nutrition Talk

Mothers and teachers of the Barwise school attended an enthusiastic nutrition class at the school Thursday afternoon, when Miss Mary Southerland, Red Cross nutrition expert, gave the third lecture to women of that district.

The proper selection of food, especially the cuts of meat, was thoroughly explained, and members of the class availed themselves of the opportunity to learn about these things.

The Barwsie P.-T. A. will meet Thursday afternoon preceded by another talk by Miss Southerland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Oeschner and Miss Frances Oechsner have returned from Dallas, where they visited relatives and friends.

Edgar C. Norwood is reported doing very well following and operation Friday morning at the Clinic hospital.

Unity Club Have Musical Program

"Music is the only art of Heaven given to earth—the only art of earth we take to Heaven."

With Mrs. G. D. Anderson, hostess, members of the Unity club met Friday afternoon and enjoyed a charming program of music. Mrs. A. H. Carrigan gave a vocal number; Miss Elizabeth Cole, two piano numbers; Mrs. P. P. Langford a piano number; Mrs. O. E. Maer a vocal number; Mrs. T. B. Greenwood a violin selection, and little Miss Patsy McGregor, a piano number.

During the social hour refreshments were served to Mesdames A. H. Carrigan, M. M. B. Darnell, W. J. Daugherty, Carrie Joline, J. A. Kemp, P. P. Langford, O. E. Maer, W. N. Maer, J. T. Montgomery, W. L. Robertson, Eugene Sherrod, C. B. Woods, H. C. Young, T. B. Greenwood and Misses Minnie Young and Elizabeth Cole.

Mrs. Graham Smedley has returned from a visit with relatives in Austin.

Literary Figures Studied by Club

Three well-known literary figures, Thomas Jefferson, Lafcadio Hearn and Corra Harris, were studied by members of the Travel club at the meeting held at the home of Mrs. E. T. Duff, Friday afternoon, with Mrs. Duff leader.

Thomas Jefferson was discussed by the leader, assisted by Mesdames C. N. Alexander and Guy Rogers, and Mrs. G. L. Shapard read a paper on Lafcadio Hearn. Mrs. W. W. Fraser read a paper on Corra Harris.

Those present were Mesdames T. M. Conrey, J. W. Akin, C. N. Alexander, D. J. Carithers, Arch Dawson, W. W. Fraser, Ola G. Hamlin, T. A. Hicks, W. P. Killimgsworth, Q. B. Lee, John Martin, Ben G. O'Neal, W. F. Pagan, Guy Rogers, G. L. Shapard and Lysle Sproles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Burns and son, Bobby Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McGregor have returned from a three weeks' trip to the north and east. While away they visited points in Canada, New York City and Philadelphia.

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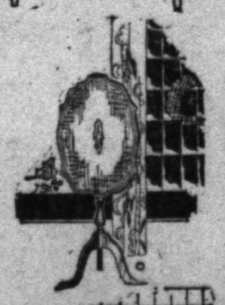
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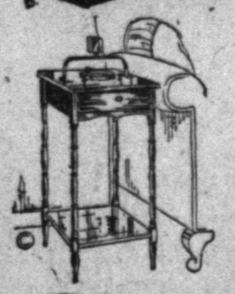
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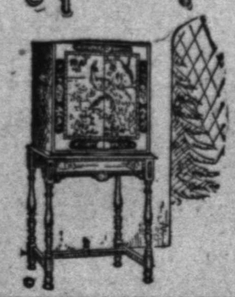
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Married Woman Who Philanders With Other Men Is Playing With Fire

Can a Married Woman Be a Vamp to Other Men and a Good Wife, Too?—Why Bobbed Hair Ages the Middle-Aged Woman—Should an Engaged Girl Separated From Her Fiance Give Up Having Dates?

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Do you think a married woman has a right to carry on innocent flirtations with men? I have a splendid husband, the best ever, and two lovely children. My husband is kind and affectionate and generous to me, but he has to work hard with long hours, and I just love to go to dances and lunches and on rides with other men. It peps me up to know that other men admire me, but I love my husband and am true to him. MRS. B.

Answer: The married woman who philanders with other men is playing with fire, and she almost always ends by burning up her own home. She may mean no harm. Neither does the careless fool who drops a lighted match in a bunch of cotton waste, but the result is the same as if they had started the conflagration intentionally.

There is no such thing as an innocent flirtation, so far as a wife is concerned. Girls may play at love-making, because under the idiotic conventions that prevent a woman from popping the question to the man she wants for a husband, that is the only way she can tote a man on to the altar. But the married woman has no business exciting sentimental emotions in the breasts of strange men.

Still less has she any business to be filling her own head and heart with romantic visions of other men, and dolling herself up to look pretty to them and writing them mushy notes, for that was destruction lies for her.

The moment a married woman begins to listen and to prefer some other love-making to her husband's, and to thrill at the touch of some other man, she heads straight for the divorce court, for no living woman can be a good wife and a vamp at one and the same time.

Nor can any married woman joy-ride around with strange men and go to little lunches with them, and preserve a shred of her reputation. Neighbors simply aren't built with the outlook that would enable them to observe such goings-on and not suspect the worst.

So, my dear Mrs. B. if you have a good husband and a good home and want to keep them, I should earnestly advise you to cut out your little flirtations, however harmless they seem to you. Naturally it gratifies your vanity to know that you haven't lost your bait, and could still be a successful fisher of men. Also, it naturally pleases you to take a second helping of the angel's food of romance, but before you indulge yourself in it, consider the price.

Don't delude yourself into the belief that if your husband divorced you, you could easily marry one of the men who whisper sweet nothings into your ear, and tell you how they curse their fates that they met you too late. That's all blah. The reason men flirt with pretty married women is because it is so safe. They don't have to marry them as they would girls with able-bodied brothers.

And consider also what a rotten deal a flirtatious wife gives her husband. Can you think, really, of anything that is meaner and more contemptible than for a woman to take all that her husband gives her of pretty clothes and luxuries and use them to make herself attractive to some other man?

You never knew a happy home that had a flirtatious wife in it, or a good mother who was running around with romantic sheiks, so you had better stick to your John and the home-made brand of love-making. It may be rather bread and butter, but it is a lot more wholesome and nutritious than the stuff the he-flirts feed you upon.

DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX.—I am a woman of 45, and am thinking of having my hair bobbed. Do you think it makes a woman look younger to have her hair bobbed?

FAT AND FORTY.

Answer: Bobbing the hair is purely a matter of taste, and, as the old proverb tells us, there is no arguing about that, but there is no disputing the fact that it makes a middle-aged woman look ten or fifteen years older.

The reason for this is so obvious that it is a marvel that every woman does not see it for herself. To begin with, it brings into undue prominence and focuses your gaze upon a woman's neck, and a woman's neck is where age sets its seal first. It's in the rolls of fat that form on the back of her neck, or the scrawny tendons that leap into prominence in her throat, that a woman's age is recorded.

These might be more or less camouflaged by her arrangement of long hair, but her shaved neck proclaims them from afar.

Also, when a middle-aged woman bobs her hair, she commits a fatal folloy because she institutes a comparison between herself and the falpper.

The boyish bob is the exclusive prerogative of sweet and 20. It calls for a slim, thin, flat little figure; a peaches-and-cream complexion; shining young eyes. And when fat old grandma brings her grizzled gray locks in competition with her, it makes you realize what an awful thing time does to women. You wouldn't have noticed it if grandma had had enough sense to keep her hair on.

Bobbed hair may be all that its advocates claim for it. It may be sanitary and save trouble, but it is aging. There is no denying that.

DOROTHY DIX.

ETTLESON RESIGNS

FORT WORTH, Dec. 3.—Collie L. Ettleson, manager of Sanger Brothers Department store here since it was established in 1917, announced his resignation.

Entertains at Bridge Party



MISS HELEN SNIDER

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snider, entertained with a lovely bridge party at the Country club Friday afternoon, complimenting her two house guests, Miss Leah Belle Duff of Topeka, Kan., and Floy Moore of Austin.

Floral Heights Baptist W. M. U. Hold Meeting

Culminating observation of the "week of prayer," members of the Floral Heights Baptist W. M. U. met at the church and enjoyed a delightful, spiritual program given at the church Friday afternoon by the Young Matron's circle of the auxiliary. Mrs. S. L. Flatt, chairman of the circle, was in charge and the subject was "In Their Night Send the Light."

A beautiful setting was formed with dark background from which glittered stars which appeared and disappeared as the various numbers were given. The theme of the program was giving service, thanks, soul winning and tithing.

Mrs. W. H. McDonald talked on "Giving," and Mrs. C. E. McClung talked on "Service, Sacrifice and Saved to Serve." The program was opened with a song, and Mrs. V. L. Morgan sang a vocal number. Devotionals were led by Mrs. J. W. Haskins and the Rev. C. F. McClung gave the prayer. Mrs. S. R. Featherstone sang "Holy Night," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. D. L. McDonalds with violin obligato by Mrs. J. W. Houston.

Mrs. T. M. Ogilbie talked on "Tithing," and Mrs. N. A. Lee talked on "Giving Thanks." Mrs. D. A. Bergen talked on "The Light From Power House of the Power of Prayer," and Mrs. I. V. Ritter talked on "Soul Winning." Following a song, a foreign mission offering was taken, and the program was concluded with a prayer by the pastor, Rev. McClung.

The program will be presented at the Cashion school Sunday afternoon, it was announced.

Those present were Mesdames Lon Jones, R. A. Cooper, L. E. Neal, J. M. Ward, W. L. Mathews, J. W. Haskins, W. H. McDonald, G. F. McClung, N. A. Lee, D. A. Bergen, R. E. Ritter, T. M. Ogilbie, D. L. Myrick, L. W. Proctor, W. L. Ross, Eugene Nicholson, Tom Wynne, W. F. Crouch, H. M. Nines, L. H. Frank, J. S. Whatley, D. F. Mallinee, G. L. Musick, W. R. Ford, S. R. Featherstone, R. E. Lee, L. Stokes, R. K. McClellan, S. L. Flatt, R. R. Owens and D. L. Houston.

Floral Heights Women To Hold Mass Meeting

Women of the Floral Heights Methodist church will hold a mass meeting which will be an all-day session at the church Monday. Mrs. Lester Jones and members of Circle Five of the Woman's Home Missionary society will be hostesses.

Miss Nora V. McCarty of Canyon is the guest of Mrs. C. E. McCarty.

Mrs. Adam Presents Piano Pupils Friday

Mrs. Mary B. Adams presented a part of her piano pupils in a program at her studio Friday evening which was attended by parents and friends. The program was given as follows:

Waltz—Lullaby, 2 pianos (Van Gael) Nathan and Phoebe Jane Chenault, Mary C. Boone and Elizabeth Albritton.

Early Spring (Jenkins) Judie Jane Norwood.

C Major on Parade (Fox) Katherine Smith.

Japanese Cherry (Billbro) Billie Parmenter.

Hop o' My Thumb (Fox) Phoebe Jane Chenault.

Elf's Story (Armstrong) Arline Murph.

Song of the Ploughman (Hartman) Helen Hanks.

Elf and Fairy (Bentley) Josephine Bell.

Song of the Wind (Jenkins) Elizabeth Albritton.

Story of the Mouse (Lynes) Madelyne McCarty.

Lilac Time (Courtney) Alice Marrs.

Arpeggio Waltz (Grant-Schaefer) Helen Ruth Connelley.

Cabin Dance (Baines) Virginia Green.

Twilight (Grant-Schaefer) Jane Wright.

Lamb's Frolic (Carrie Munger Long) Joe Young.

Skating (Krogmann) Ruth Johnson.

Waltz (Lynes) Nathan Chenault.

Tarantelle (Wright) La Rue Simmons.

Etude, 2 pianos (Burgmuller) Martha Johnson and Marie Albritton.

Twentieth Century Club With Mrs. Dashner

Mrs. George Dashner was hostess to the Twentieth Century club at her home Friday afternoon when the subject of the study program was "Silas Marner" led by Mrs. A. B. Lipscomb.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to Mesdames D. H. Allday, J. D. Bright, Roy I. Carter, W. D. Gant, A. B. Lipscomb, D. A. Lundien, E. U. McArthur, Charles Morgan, R. B. Parker, B. J. Shaw, F. P. Warren, I. G. Craig and W. M. Scott.

HUNGRY CANINES

The dogs of France daily eat 3000 tons of bread. The few Frenchmen who are not devoted to dogs are protesting against these "mouths without hands maintained at vast expense" while five million small investors, pensioners and underpaid employes, victims of the depreciated franc, go underfed. Dogs, they declare, can be fed on other things than bread.

Musicians Club Will Give Christmas Program

A Christmas program will be given by members of the Musicians club, Sunday, December 12, at the Floral Heights Methodist church with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Willgus in charge. Organ and vocal numbers will be given and local artists will take part.

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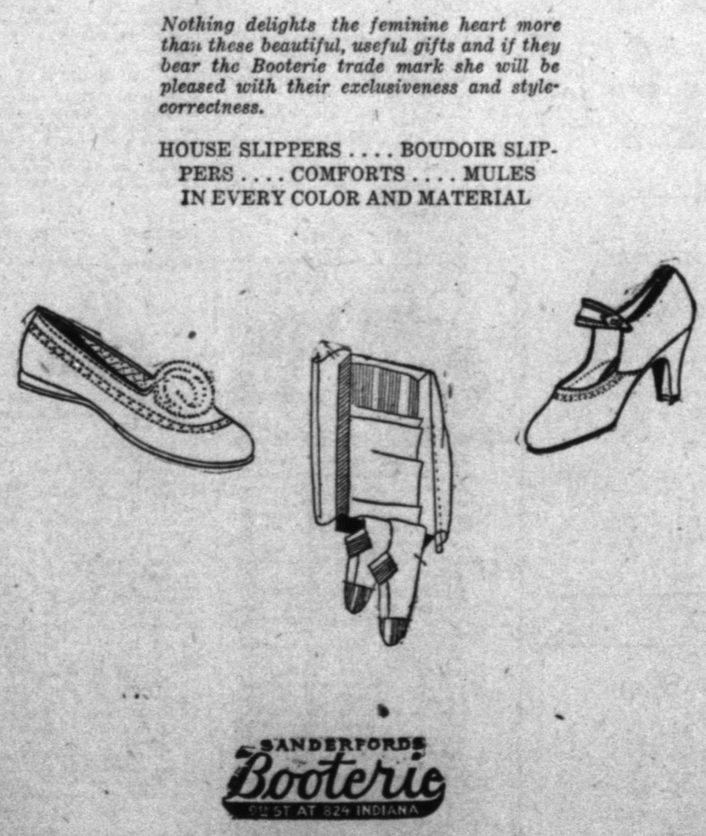
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Wichita and West Texans In "State" Campus News

Edward Howard of Wichita Falls attended the meeting of the board of regents of the university early this week.

Miss Lucile Gowan of Bellevue had as a guest, Thanksgiving, Crozier Gowan.

The first regular number of the Texas Law Review for this session was issued December 1 and will contain approximately 30 articles. S. M. Britian of Wichita Falls is a member of the board of student editors.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cunningham of San Antonio were guests Thanksgiving of Miss Minifred Smith. Mrs. Cunningham was formerly Miss Mary Long of Haskell.

Mercer Parks of Wichita Falls was on the program of the Athenaeum Literary society, which held a meeting early in the week.

Mrs. C. H. Rugely of Wichita Falls visited her daughter, Miss Dorothy Rugely, at the Scottish Rite dormitory during the Thanksgiving holidays.

The schedule for final examinations for the present term were published in the Texan early this week and the traditional "dead week" will cause all social activity to cease December 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Smedley of Wichita Falls came down for the football game. Mr. Smedley returning the following day and Mrs. Smedley remaining for a visit with friends.

Lorado Taft, the noted sculptor, gave a lecture on the campus Tuesday night on "Beauty In American Life."

The Daily Texan newspaper published its first magazine section with the Thanksgivind edition, which had a total of 30 pages, the largest in the history of the paper. The edition also contained a green sport's section.

Prof. W. M. Davis of Harvard university is giving a series of lectures to the students in geology.

The University Ladies club entertained Wednesday with a reception honoring all freshmen girls in the university.

The Theta Xi fraternity entertained Friday with a dance at the Austin Country club. Curtis Jarrell of Burkburnett is a member of the Theta Xi fraternity.

The various dormitories entertained with dinners following the Thanksgiving game honoring the many visitors who were visiting friends and relatives in the dormitories. Miss Bertha Duncan of Wichita Falls stays at the Woman's building; Misses Maxine King, Dorothy Rugely, Kathleen Melat and Virginia Woodall of Wichita Falls; Miss Catherine Clark of Crowell; Miss Lucy D. Cummings of Haskell; Miss Betty Green of Bowie; Miss Bertha P'Pool and Kathleen Atkelson of Munday, and Miss Leslie King of Vernon are at the Scottish Rite dormitory; Misses Doris Brown, Lillian Brumbelow and Ellen Wright of Wichita Falls are at Grace hall, and Miss Lena Derzaph of Henrietta is staying at Newman hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Tarleton Morrow have returned to Wichita Falls after a visit with Mrs. Charles Black and Judge W. C. Morrow. Mrs. Morrow was one of the honor guests at an attractive tea given at the Country club the past weekend.

Mrs. Horace Robbins, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Massie, will be joined this week by Mr. Robbins and their son, John Robbins, who will accompany her back to Wichita Falls. Mrs. Robbins was a member of the house party at Mrs. R. L. Slaughter's attractive tea at the Austin Country club.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hunter have returned to Wichita Falls after a visit with their sister, Mrs. J. O. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter were among the guests at the dinner dance at the Country club Thanksgiving night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couper and son, Fred Jr., who spent the Thanksgiving week-end with their daughters, Misses Annabel and Elizabeth Couper, went to San Antonio for a visit before returning home.

Miss Jewel Rose Akin of Wichita Falls has been visiting her brother, Horace C. Akin, and other relatives in Austin.

Darrold Kahn of Wichita Falls was a visitor on the campus the past week.

Miss Helen Snider of Wichita Falls has been visiting at the Kappa Kappa Gamma house. She was a guest at the Delta Tau Delta breakfast dance.

W. E. Norton and son, Morris Norton, have returned to their home in Wichita Falls after a visit on the campus.

Miss Marguerite Fisher and Helen Bullitt have returned to Wichita Falls after spending several days as guests of Mrs. E. W. Wade and Miss Wilton Wade.

Mrs. Mary Louise Smith, formerly of Abilene and Wichita Falls, was a visitor on the campus for the Thanksgiving football game and the Delta Tau Delta dance.

Murray Moore of Electra was among the members of the Longhorn football team who were awarded letters by the athletic council.

The Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity entertained with its fall term dance the past week-end at the Country club, the affair being one of the largest dances held on the campus this season. David Greer of Henrietta; A. C. Boger Jr., of Vernon, and Ambrose Douthitt of Henrietta are members of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. Miss Elizabeth Hicks of Vernon; B. M. Britain of Wichita Falls, and Murray Moore of Electra were among the invited guests.

Little Misses Outnumber Little Misters In Week's Birth Report

Mr. Stork tried to even things up a little the last few weeks and in place of bringing fewer baby girls, as has been his custom for some time, he brought three more girls than boys, according to the report from the city health department this week. Of 29 births reported, 16 were girls and 13 were boys. They are as follows:

Peggy Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Underwood, 1423 North Seventh street, November 26; Frances Fontaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Flournoy, 1815 McGregor, November 10; Bobbie Joe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Booth, 617 Indiana, November 24; Greta Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sheldon Jr., 1908 Elizabeth, November 16; Neomi Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Matlock, 1418 Sixteenth, November 17; Virginia Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Thorn, Route 3, November 13; Mary Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Berndt, 1005 Indiana, November 14; Emily Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Collins, 1810 Hayes, November 20; Barbara Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Brown, 1809 Huff, November 22; Marilyn Fay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Spence, 2016 Wilson, November 19; Betty Dell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, 1506 Bluff, November 16; Vera Catherine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cassey, 1609 Cole, November 16; Doris Olive, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cage, 1203 Broad, November 16; Frances Lorrain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sternadel, Route 5, November 19; daughter to Mr. and Mrs. B. Moorman, 1911 Buchanan, November 19; Pauline Bernice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mundt, 1322 North Sixth, November 14.

The boys are: Bernard Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Frazier, 1202 Fillmore, November 19; Floyd Donal, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Cowden, Iowa Park, Route 3, November 19; James William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kaufhold, 1304 Giddings, November 13; son to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Southern, November 28; J. S. Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clayton, 2802 Avenue S.; James Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maser, 1107 Ward, November 19; Robert Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, 2003 Collins; Roy Melvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kimball, 2116 Princeton, November 20; J. A. Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith, 2301 Ninth, November 23; Daniel Engram, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Griffith, Route 3, November 7; Robert Herman Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gomer, November 14; August Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pelz, Lorp apartments, November 2; Louis Lee Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stone, 2103 Jones, November 5.

Women to Vie In Polar Race

Female Flier May Cross Polar Seas by Means of Airplane

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—"Who will be the first woman to fly over the North Pole?" is the interesting challenge to the fair sex made by Dr. George Wegener, president of the Berlin College of Commerce. At the convention of the International Society for the Exploration of Arctic Regions by Airship, Dr. Wegener pointed out that the only sections of the globe upon which no woman ever has set foot are the regions around the poles.

The airship has made the almost impenetrable polar solitudes accessible, said Dr. Wegener, and in an age in which women were showing their daring in numerous fields, he believed it only a question of time until the first woman would reach either pole. Then waxing poetical the professor observed, "when once the delicate sole of woman's foot shall press its imprint upon the hub of the universe, we shall have visible evidence of the fact that woman indeed rules the world."

The speaker then proposed a toast to the first woman to reach the North or South Pole.



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Adventures In The Shops

AS TOLD BY

Jacqueline

A PAIR of new gloves will add most effectively to a man's appearance of well grooming, and



A. C. Ludlam Company is showing hand seamed pigskin and deerskin gloves which will make wonderful Christmas gifts.

At Ludlam's are Navajo-hue lined Rob Roy gloves for driving, as dashing as their name, stunning scarfs in wool or new machine crochet, and luggage that would tempt anyone to travel around the world or go off to college again—any one of these will be an ideal gift for Adam from Eve.

SPRING frocks just unpacked from New York boxes! Even Mendelssohn's Spring Song seems hardly more expressive of the rapture that is Spring, than these new arrivals at Anna May McKissack's Exclusive Shop, 905 Ninth street, next to the Gas company.

A ravishing lavender crepe romaine, tucked and shirred in an unusual way, is one of the delights to youth.

Marvelous velvets are also included as well—but do drop by for a glimpse of your own—it is sure to be gratifying, for Anna May McKissack's exquisite creations of the foremost designers are really underpriced—the values are extraordinary.

HOW many "genuine pigs" do you suppose have died in the cause of the new bags that are



the last word in luggage! P. B. M. Company has all sorts of luggage that will be wonderful for Christmas presents, but "swankiest" of all are the brown pigskin fitted bags—amber fittings are especially harmonious.

FRUIT cake is king of the kitchen now that Christmas is only twenty days away, and the White House Market has the very things which will insure its success.

Citron, candied fruit peels (orange and lemon), Crystallized ginger, shelled nuts, cherries glace, figs, dates, currants, raisins—all of the ingredients which give a fruit cake its delicious richness are to be found at the White House Market.

If you have become bored with planning menus, step into this popular market for inspiration. Their superior foods of every variety will revive the most sated appetite.

WICHITA Falls Paint and Paper Company, 910-A Scott Street, is radiant with gifts.



Oriental and domestic. Beautiful prints, in the sheet or framed exquisitely, are lovely Christmas gifts for the home, while photograph stands, glassware, pottery and novelties complete this firm's arresting collection.

WHAT a nice Christmas gift—time for teas—time for the theater—time with the children—would be.

Give all of these and freedom from fatigue with a Premier Duplex Electric Vacuum Cleaner.

At the Wichita Falls Electric Company you may get this famous vacuum for only $2.50 down, with the balance payable at $5.00 a month, with a liberal allowance made on your old or broken cleaner.

The Premier Duplex cleans swiftly and thoroughly, its double action doing twice the work in half the time, and it never needs oiling, for both motor and brush are ball-bearing. These are a few of the reasons why housewives derive so much pleasure and carefreeness from the Premier Duplex's use. To know that you can give her these on Christmas Day for only $2.50, is one of those really happy thoughts!

It will be readily understood that such an offer could not be made permanent, so telephone the Wichita Electric Company now and avoid disappointment—their number is 3121.

THE Wichita State Bank and Trust Company, in the Waggoner Building, is the source of some of the most substantial Christmas gifts—ones which will really brighten the New Year to come.

An interest bearing department of this bank pays four per cent, and parents find these accounts most advisable gifts for children. In fact, an increasing principal is sure to please and to prove of great value to any member of the family.

If you are in doubt concerning Christmas presents, go in the Wichita State and discuss the interest-bearing accounts—they will grow more and more valuable as the months pass—instead of becoming useless and being put aside as so many gifts must be.

The established position of this institution is ample recommendation for the security of its departments.

A SOFT wool muffler lends that envied air of careless English elegance to a man's dress which



is so admired by members of his own and the opposite sex. In McClurkan's Men's Department you will find wool and silk mufflers in high colors, striped and plaided, at price sfrom $2.00 to $10.00 which are most appropriate for the Christmas tree.

LINGERIE in its dalntiest forms is featured by the Georgianna Shoppe, 723 Indiana. Dance sets of lace trimmed step-ins, and bandeau, which would not dare slip into sight even with decollete, pajamas and "nighties," tailored or frilled, and satin quilted robes as represented here, combine luxury and serviceability.

AN AUSTRIAN coat of arms, Italy, Switzerland and Czechoslovakia are some of the labels in McClurkan's beautiful new necktles.



One design is simply superb! It is made in Italy and called the Magic Lady. The glory of this tie is not surprising for it was Grand Prize Winner at the Paris Exposition—unquestionable prestige for its desirability as a Christmas gift!

BETWEEN you and me and the Christmas tree, Mrs. Robertson at her Novelty Gift Shoppe, Kimberlin's Balcony, is showing the most attractive gifts ever. Tiny velvet poinsettias in pots are among the unusual party favors.

PERHAPS the "modern child is running wild" a la the song about Little Red Ridinghood, but



I venture there is not one who wouldn't be won over by Bailey-Moline's toys.

This Toyland is complete in every detail.

Darling Effanbee dolls, which are indestructible, are cunningly dressed. Crying baby dolls shaped even to their little hands like "really, truly" infants, will also delight the little girls.

Bailey-Moline provides every modern convenience and luxury for dolly! Pack and wardrobe trunks, dressing table, desks, breakfast sets, cabinets and four-poster beds in soft new shades of lacquer and in the latest fashion.



Toys for more strenuous playtime are not wanting, a bull dog that barks and wags his head, and huge rubber balls, Santa may take to boy or girl.

Every type of mechanical toy is in Bailey-Moline's Toyland. Trains with tunnels and ringing stop signals are most exciting, while concrete mixers and chemical pump engines are also favorites.

Guns, drums, policemen cap and club sets and toy tool sets will delight your "real boy."



An entirely new game to be played in or out of doors, is fascinating, noiseless and harmless—Zulu is its name, but if I were to tell you of all the new toys and games at Bailey-Moline's, the night before Christmas would have arrived before the end of the tale!

THE custom of sending Christmas cards is one of the most pleasant and convenient. In this



way a wide circle of friends may be remembered at a small expense and if the cards are the beautiful engraved ones Martin Printing and Stationery Company is showing, they will make nice little gifts themselves.

Snow-bound trains, overflowing mail bags, fast-diminishing samples and busy printing houses, all make it necessary that orders be placed as soon as possible if your tastefully engraved cards are to arrive safely before December twenty-fifth.

Just phone Martin Printing Company, 8104, 915 Eighth street, and they'll send a representative to your home or office, any hour of any day that is most convenient for you.

McCLURKAN'S stock of men's shirts in the widely favored foreign fabrics is thoroughly complete. Specially woven linens, silk and numerous popular cloths are employed to please college boy and men of the world.

WHAT is the one thing which never grows old as a Christmas gift, which is given by some discerning people exclusively, and given to all types of friends year after year! The answer, as to most riddles, is one well known and very simple—books.



Lovelace's Book Store is crowded with volumes ranging as far apart as medieval romance and the modern problem drama. There are books for children in large print with colorful illustrations, soft leather-backed gift copies of the old favorites, and the latest publications.

Elegant bags are outstanding in the Cordovan leather goods that make the Christmas shopper linger still longer at Lovelace's. Diaries, record books for trips, and stationery holders in dainty blue or rose leather are most attractive, too.

CARMEN—toast of Toreadors, most dashing of senoritas! Even she could not have found a shawl more alluring than the embroidered Spanish ones Miller-Ferguson is offering at a special reduction of $10.00 off the original price. The swinging fringe and bright colors of the Spanish shawl are as prominent this season as last, and what wonderful Christmas gifts they make—concealing the sharp elbow or too plump arm, revealing the supple curve, they are flattering to all.

Embroidered scarfs in all colors, especially priced at $5.95, are also shown.

"ON WITH the dance! Let joy be unconfined!"—yours is sure to be if your dress is one of the beautiful evening gowns just arrived at Miller-Ferguson's. Half the pleasure of a party is in feeling yourself one of the perfectly dressed and the assurance of this gratifying sensation is purchased with Miller-Ferguson's new frocks. All gold and silver lace in long sleeved luncheon and informal dinner gowns, and a French evening dress in all mother-of-pearl sequins, with a bright red rose on the left shoulder, are among the stunning things for the holiday wardrobe.



LOW prices are always welcomed, and at this time of the year when there is so much buying to be done, it is a great relief to find standard brands of cosmetics at less than their usual price.

Williams', the home of saving upon each purchase, offers Daggett and Ramsdell Cold Cream at 25c, Coty's Face Powder 89c, Mavis Talcum 19c, Colgates Ribbon Dental Cream 19c, and an entire table of toilet requisites of such reputation as Hind's Honey and Almond Cream at 10c an article!

Lovejoy sets containing toilet water, perfume, talcum, talcum and face powder will convey the season's greetings most pleasantly, and their cost is only 98c at Williams.

Compacts, flaconettes and the seductive Raje Jasmin Paris perfume on William's counter also suggest themselves as Christmas gifts.

By the by, authorities say men are ever so susceptible to perfume.

SPORTS are as important in American life today as the old ancient Greeks, consequently sport togs and outfits are among the Christmas gifts which will bring greatest appreciation.

Landon-Hill Company, 816 Scott street, suggests: Golf hose priced from $2 to $10, golf knickers $7 to $12.50, sweaters $5.75 to $5.75, golf clubs $3 to $15, golf bags $3 to $35, and cunning Christmas packages of pasteboard caddy bags containing one-half dozen golf balls at $4.50. Everyone knows the devotion of a golfer to his game and that nothing could be more pleasing to him than a "golf gift" for Christmas. Landon-Hill offers the latest togs and highest grade supplies.

P. B. M. Company has just received a shipment of Christmas furs including platinum,



beige, cocoa, silver-tipped and white fox. These skins are as reliable as they are beautiful, and will make marvelous Christmas gifts. Imagine pulling a fluffy white fox from a poinsettia box—and even more thrilling, wearing "him" to all the holiday parties!

"TIME to retire" sounds ever so much more pleasant when a pair of silk jersey pajamas cleverly handpainted, with a bit of Japanese scenery, awaits the drowsy lady. Beauty sleep it will be indeed in such "comfy," becoming pajamas. Here is another idea for something different for the Christmas gift—you will find them at Miller-Ferguson's.

REGARDLESS of whether or not a girl has a fitted bag, a new one will be welcome as a



Christmas gift, for this year's luggage is so different, so much more complete, so much, much more stylishly elegant!

At P. B. M. Company you will find the newest week-end and dressing cases in rough grained leather and squared Lamb. They are fitted in lovely pastel shades of pearl that will bring pleasure into the trips and visits of the New Year to come.

McCONNELL Brothers have just received all the new Records for Christmas:

Christmas Fantasy, Part 1 and 2.
(Grand Organ, Mark Andrews)

Silent Night, Holy Night
(Neapolitan Trio)
Christmas Hymns—Harp
(Francis J. Lopitino)

Blue Danube Waltz
(Stokowski-Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra)
Tales From the Vienna Woods
(Waltz by same Orchestra)

Aida—O terra addio, Part 1
(Verdi in Italian)
Aida—O terra addio, Part 2
(Ponselle-Martinelli)

Lucky Day (George White's Scandals)
The Birth of the Blues
(Both by The Revellers)

Because I Love You
(Henry Burr)
The Two of Us
(Franklyn Baur)

Sets of six records in a Christmas book make extraordinarily enjoyable gifts and there is a long varied list from which to choose at McConnell's, so you are sure to find appealing ones.

THERE is one luxury Cleopatra must have missed living beside the sunny Nile — a fur coat—and I'm quite convinced that the beautiful squirrel, caracul, marmink, Hudson seal and muskrat wraps P. B. M. is showing would have added to even her blandishments.



These gorgeous fur coats will make the Christmas gift plus parfait! And fond husbands, P. B. M. has greatly reduced the prices which now range from $198.00 to $395.00.

GYPSIES "TRIM" AGED NEGRESS

Effort to Find Cure Costs Texas Negro Woman Much Cash

FORT WORTH, Dec. 4. (AP)—Willie Penn, negress, had been ill. Therefore she hearkened earnestly while three gypsies driving a large costly looking automobile pointed out to her the royal road to health, wealth and wisdom.

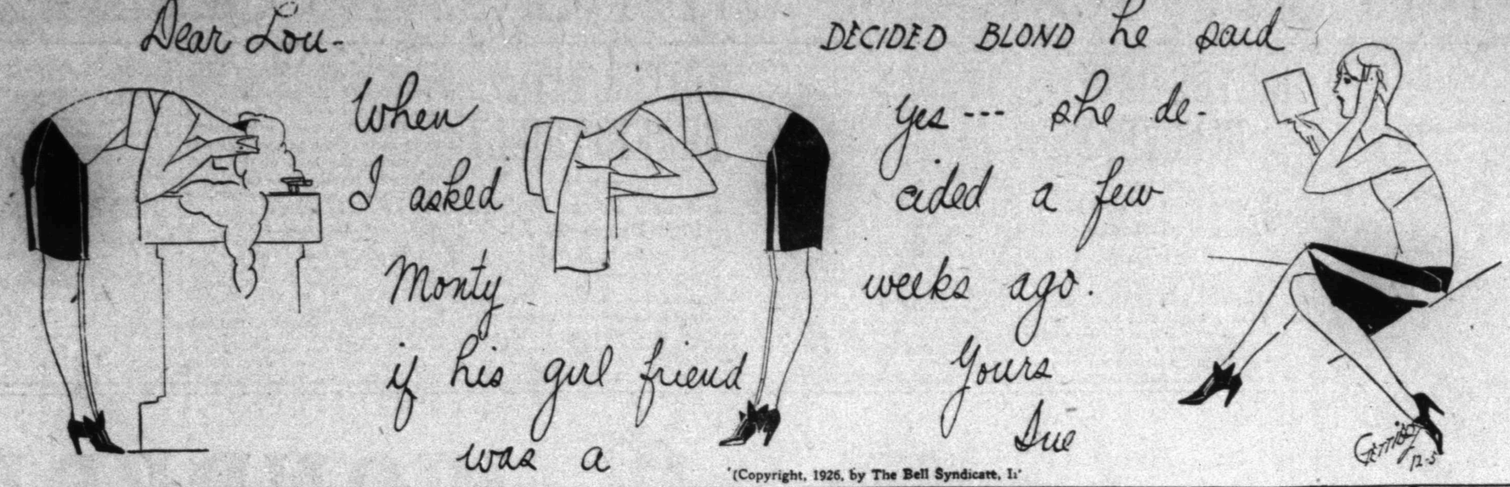
Recounting to city detectives how she was "hoodooed" into bankruptcy, Willie said the gypsies burned incense and performed high, mystic rites at her house, dancing and talking in tones of sepulchral puissance.

The leather faced old hag leading the gypsies directed Willie to wrap all her valuables in the cleanest white cloth available. This Willie did—two diamond brooches, one worth $350 and one $150, she said, and $112 cash, all she had.

The bag was lost to sight in subsequent ceremonies. It was lost entirely when the gypsies departed.

FROM SUE TO LOU

By Gettier



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STATE FIGHTS TEXAS CLAIMS

New Mexico Opposes Plea To Delay Argument In Boundary Suit

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. (AP)—New Mexico opposed in the supreme court today the motion of Texas which sought to postpone the oral arguments in their boundary dispute now set for January 3. The brief filed asked that the case be re-opened before the special master, provided avulsions and accretions are to be considered in locating the Rio Grande as a part of the boundary.

New Mexico asserted that 14 years have been consumed in the controversy and insisted that during the hearings of the case before the special master Texas had been given ample opportunity to get in all the evidence it desired relating especially to land near the country club on the outskirts of El Paso.

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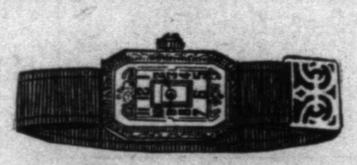


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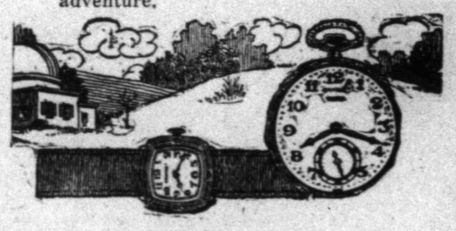
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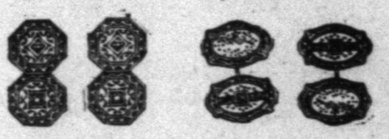
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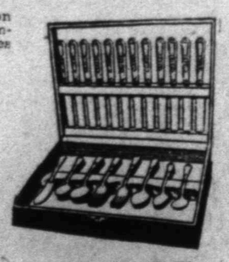


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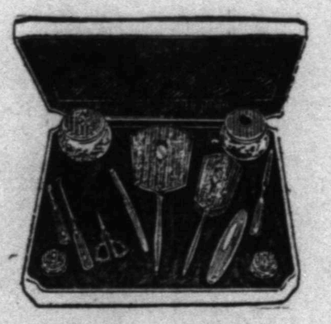


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See our window for Dollar Values for Monday only. You can secure many gifts at the small cost of $1.

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Included are sandwich plates, bud vases, fountain pens, pencils, glassware, and many other items.





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This watch is a real timekeeper and the case is well designed. A very special value.

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TEXAS UNIVERSITY TO RANK WITH GREAT COLLEGES OF WEST

SALARY HIKES BEST AID FOR BIGGER SCHOOL

Board of Control Recommends Increases For Professors

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 4—A graduate school of 21 divisions for the University of Texas, with salaries much higher than those previously paid, was recommended for the University of Texas by the state board of control in the budget prepared for use of the legislature. Salaries recommended in the graduate school range up to $7,500 per year, with 29 separate salary items at or above $5000 per year each.

A graduate school putting the University of Texas in the rank of Illinois, Missouri, Minnesota, Iowa and California, will be possible if these salaries are paid, the board of control reported.

After pointing out that the disgraceful shacks on the campus will be removed through permanent buildings from university oil royalties, the board of control reported to the legislature:

Salary Compalints

"The complaint has been constantly made that salaries at the university were inadequate to get men capable of rendering the service necessary to establish the institution as a 'university of the first class.' That men capable of giving graduate work, except in the case of professors who had practically grown up with the institution itself, could not be obtained; or if obtained, could not be retained on the salaries being allotted. We have therefore recommended an increase of salaries for those engaged in the graduate school; that is, in the school providing especially for advanced degrees. We believe that the salaries recommended compare favorably for the most part with salaries paid at institutions of the first class in other states. We believe that they compare favorably with salaries paid at universities of Missouri, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa and California. If these salaries are granted, and with the establishment of new buildings from year to year, there can be no longer any legitimate claim that the legislature has failed to provide for the establishment of a 'university of the first class.' We have placed these men on a 12-month basis in order not only that their services may be at the command of the university through the summer, but also in order that they may not tax their strength and time by additional work either at this university or at other universities in order to increase their salaries."

$7500 Top Stipend

The top salary for the professor and dean of the college of applied mathematics and astronomy, is $7500 per year. The university regents recommended $8000, but the board of control limited the increase to the $7500. This individual will be in charge of the new W. J. McDonald astronomical observatory for which the university was given a bequest of more than $1,000,000.

The next highest salary recommended is $7000 a year to the professor of chemistry and dean of the graduate school. Salaries of $6500 per year are recommended for: Professor of chemistry, professor of English, professor of government, professor of philosophy and psychology; professor of pure mathematics; professor of zoology; professor of education; professor of civil engineering.

Salaries of $6000 a year are recommended for professor of chemistory, professor of English, professor of geology, professor of history, professor of philosophy, professor of education. Numerous salaries of $5500 and $5000 each are recommended.

The divisions and number of faculty positions recommended for the graduate school are:

Many Professorships

Anthropology, one professor; applied matematics and astronomy, one professor and dean of college; botany, three professors; chemistry, professor and dean of graduate school and two additional professors; classical languages, two professors; economics and sociology, three professors; English, six professors, one of whom shall be curator of Wrenn library; geology, three professors; Germanic languages, one associate professor; government, one professor; history seven professors; home economics, one associate professor; philosophy and psychology, four professors; physics, two professors; pure mathematics, three professors and one associate professor; Romance languages, four professors; zoology, four professors; engineering, two professors of civil, one of electrical and one of architectural engineering; secretary to the dean.

HALL AT CLUB

Oklahoma Man Addresses Noon-Day Luncheon

C. Ed Hall of Oklahoma, who spoke to the father and son banquet last night, was the principal speaker at the Optimist club luncheon Friday at the Kemp hotel when he told of work being done by the club among boys. Mr. Hall is a nationally known optimist, and is director of extension of Optimist International.

"The things we get out of life are the things we've put in life," he said. "I don't think it means simply hiding tears, but I believe that's a part of optimism."

Bert King presided at the meeting.

Announcements were made of the community chest drive which starts Monday and of the football game between Ranger High school and the Coyotes to be played Saturday at Spudder park.

W. C. Hamilton was named program chairman for next week.

LEAGUE OF FOODS

LONDON, Dec. 4.—There are enough national restaurants in London now to form a league of nations of food.

For years French and Italian chefs held sway in Soho, London's nearest approach to a Latin quarter, but with the war came gastronomic adventurers and refugee restaurenters from all Europe and Asia to try their luck in luring the English fro ma traditional diet of roast beef, boiled potatoes and puddings.

See America First!



Unique fashion show is being put on in New York by models wearing "scenic views transferred to their lingerie or limbs by a new removable tatoo method. Photo shows how scenic views are applied.

RECOVER TURKEYS

50 Or More Stolen Birds Taken By Police

Arrest of a man at daybreak Friday morning by local detectives will probably lead to the recovery of more than 50 stolen turkeys, it was said by police yesterday. The driver of a roadster containing a coop with six turkeys was arrested when he was attempting to sell the birds.

The officers, accompanied by Police Chief Hodgins and Sheriff Fred Smith, went to a farm house several miles from town and located 45 more turkeys in a pen from which it is said the six turkeys had been taken Friday morning. The fowls are all believed to have been stolen.

FORDS COLLIDE

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A Ford touring car and a Ford truck turned over after colliding at Eleventh and Holliday early Friday morning, but the two occupants of the car and the truck driver escaped uninjured. J. J. Nipper and Carroll Fields had to be pululed from beneath the touring car, and J. H. Raines, who was imprisoned in the cab of the truck, were the three men involved in the colliston.

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BIRTHS GAIN IN NOVEMBER

105 Reported for Month Against 58 Deaths In Same Time

The population of Wichita Falls practically doubled in number during the month of November so far as vital statistics are concerned, according to reports announced Friday by the city health department.

The number of births recorded were nearly double that of the number of deaths for the same period. A total of 105 births as against 58 deaths are the figures given, showing that Wichita Falls is not only doing her bit toward increasing the population but is also a very healthful place in which to live.

SMALL TO SPEAK

Dr. James Small and Arthur Haley, who are engaged in a revival meeting at Highland Heights Christian church, will be the principal speakers at the University club Saturday at noon at the Kemp. Doctor Small will talk and Haley will perform a number of sleight of hand tricks.

WRITER VEILS SHAFTS THINLY

Paris Gets Jolt as Shots At High Dingitaries Appear in Novel

PARIS, Dec. 4. (AP)—Publication of memoirs and novels that contain references to living men and women or thinly veiled characterizations of them, now causing criticism in England and the United States, has struck France much to the scandal of many critics.

A new novel called "The Demon of Impurity" has particularly stirred resentment in political circles because the hero of the book bears some resemblance to M. Aristide Briand, former premier and now minister of foreign affairs.

The book is by Maurice Betz, one of the most promising of France's younger novelists and describes how "Prime Minister Alain Didier" is stricken at the height of his career by an obscure and subtle form of insanity. The author traces the progress of the disease with a wealth of rather dry scientific detail until the victim is found wandering on the Jugo-Slav frontier by Italian customs officers.

Critics, while saying that the work has merit, deplore the choice of a hero bearing a resemblance to a living person observing that there is grave danger thta a scandal loving public will see a real personage instead of a fictitious character.

MISS NOLEN ELECTED

Is Named President of Home Economical Club

Juanita Nolen was elected president of the Home Economical club of the Reagan Junior high school Friday morning in the first meeting of the season. Other officers elected are: Dorothy Chatterton, vice-president; secretary-treasurer, Lorena Burnett; program committee, Dorothy Chatterton, Margaret Wooten and Berniece Hearbe; social committee, Alice Brown, Ova Royals; publicity, Edna Reddy.

The purpose of the club is to teach the girls to be healthy, to eat the right kind of foods and to wear the right kind of clothes. Dues will be 10 cents and the group will meet each second and fourth Wednesday.

BALL PLAYER DIES

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 4.(AP) David Skeels, 34, formerly a member of the Detroit American league team and the Seattle Northwestern league baseball team, died yesterday at a tuberculosis sanitarium here.



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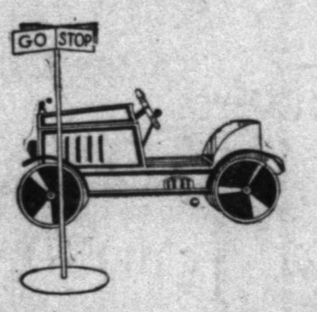
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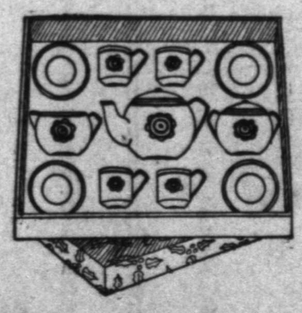
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Health Secrets of Scientists Passed On to Those Who Need Them

BY MRS. T. B. SMITH
Executive Secretary
Red Cross

Bent over microscopes, victims often of the very germs whose life histories they were endeavoring to trace, scienists have endured poverty and closed their ears to the whisperings of skeptics to give the human race knowledge to control epidemic and stamp out diseases.

"Yet," says Dr. William H. Welch, dean of the school of hygiene and public health, Johns Hopkins university and a public health authority of world-wide renown, "few of the great discoveries of preventive medicine, except the prevention of yellow fever, are anywhere near fully applied."

Dr. Welch and many others have often pointed out that the work of these devoted scientists avail nothing if this priceless knowledge remains locked in textbooks, in laboratories, in the minds of men of science and men of medicine. Not until it becomes the possession and the practice of the man in the workshop, the mother in the home, the teacher in the school and the child on the playground will it have any noticeable effect upon the health of the people. Here, then, is where the Red Cross public health nurse steps in. It is her duty to bring the wisdom of science to the people.

A War For People

"The war against disease must also be a war of the whole people. Water supply and waste disposal systems may be provided and quarantine regulations enforced by governments but the most important problems of modern health, infant mortality, tuberculosis, cancer, can be solved only with the voluntary co-operation of every individual citizen.

To change the daily habits of life of the woman in the home and the man at the desk and workbench is the problem of modern preventive medicine. Such changes cannot be affected by law but only by the slow process of education. The modern program is, essentially, an education program.

In the sunless tenement of great cities and of the lonely countryside the public health nurse wages a campaign against disease, relieving suffering where she finds it and spreading, always, knowledge of the principles of health and hygiene upon which the nation must build for strength. Her teaching is direct, personal. She goes to the man and woman in the home or the children in the schools.

In carrying her messages to the people, she goes, not as a substitute for the physicians but as his most useful agent, drawing the public in the range of his activity and maintaining his influence in the household in the interval between his visits or after a period of hospital treatment has been completed.

The Red Cross has been called the "Greatest Mother in the World." Is it not the duty of a mother, not only to bind up her children's wounds but to teach them how to avoid getting hurt? The charter of the American Red Cross clearly lays upon it the responsibility of preventing as well as alleviating suffering caused by preventable diseases.

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Bobbed Hair---Is It Here To Stay Or Will Dame Fashion Bring Back Long Tresses





ROMA M'CARTHY



"Bob" may be going out of style in colleges, but not in movieland. Boyish cut-like that worn by Patsy Ruth Miller is the Thing in Hollywood at the moment.

Many Girls Want Their Long Tresses Back

By ELEANORE FLEMING.
(Record News Editorial Staff)

Somewhere in the Bible there's a reference to woman's tresses as her "crowning glory."

Somewhere in classical literature is the story of Lady Godiva whose wonderful tresses served her as a gown on a hectic horseback ride.

In German literature one reads of the maid of the Lorelei who combed her golden locks with a golden comb, her song bewitching men to their downfall.

In one of Washington Irving's tales of the Spanish Alhambra there is the story of an imprisoned princess who drooped her long tresses from a high casement window that her princely lover might employ them as a ladder to gain her room.

In the Scandinavian countries, and too in early Saxon England, a young bride came to her husband at the altar with her tresses combed out as proof of her virginal bloom.

One may search through the tomes of accumulated literature of the ages in all nations that boast of a lengthy history and find an endless number of citations in the same vein as those listed above.

Is the present prevalent style of bob permanent for women? Has it become established custom like that of the men? Or is it one of the many fads in the cycle of Dame Fashion, through the rattle pompadour, the classic Pysche knot, the puffs and whirls coiffures of the past generation to the present-day, convenient, modish, boyish bob?

Such questions are unanswerable by anyone but the woman herself, for not even the noted Poiret could, with all his knowledge of designing women's clothes, decide such a tremendous problem. But if the opinion of the woman does not change greatly, the bob will be as doomed as the false curls of George Washington's day.

Will Bobs Stay?

But today, in modern America, and the older countries are following suit, long tresses are almost a rare thing. Shortened tresses, which once were so rare, have turned the balance against long hair, until one wonders if the days of long hirsute adornment for the femininity of the land will ever return to predominance.

The answer to this question lies with the growing generation by far the greater average of long tressed members of the feminine sex is to be found among the older ones. More rarely does one see long tresses among those who are in their 'teens. These growing into maturity will decide the question of long hair versus bobbed hair.

The older women of America were slower to adopt the bobbed hair style. They will be slower to relinquish it if the trend of fashion turns against shorn locks. But conversely, can it be correctly argued that the younger set, because of their more radical impulses, will return the quicker to the style which demands long locks?

Let's ask them and see.

Many Want Locks

Out at the Wichita Falls Junior college there are more than a hundred girl students. A cursory survey during the last week revealed that of the entire five-score and odd there were but two whose tresses were of sufficient length to be woven into pigtails if the owners so desired and fashion so demanded. For all the rest, bobbed hair prevailed with all styles of cuts from the boyish type on through the gamut of scissorings.

"If you could have long hair without the painful process of letting your bobbed locks grow out again, would you leave it long or bob it again?"

Put to more than 50 of the hundred-odd girls at the college, this question brought a division of replies, preponderantly in favor of shorter tresses, however. About one-third of the number declared that they would keep their long locks if they had them back. A few were undecided:

"If I had hair that looked like Mary's or Sally's or who not, I'd let mine grow again but——" was their answer.

Of the rest, however, about two-thirds of the number quizzed, most were satisfied with their bobbed locks. That is, they abhor the task of letting their curls grow sufficiently to declare their preference for bobbed hair.

The two maids of the college whose locks were not bobbed are decidedly in favor of long hair. One look at their luxuriant "crowning glories" reveals the reason.

Two Have Long Hair

"Such hair as that is too pretty to bob," was the comment of one bobbed miss who wanted her locks back. The two long-tressed misses referred to are Miss Dorothy Ragsdale of Burkburnett, and Miss Roma McCarty of Wichita Falls, whose pictures are printed with this article.

As to the attitude of the boys of the college on bobbed tresses as against long locks:

"Some girls look better with bobbed hair and some are beautiful with long curls"—that's the average answer.

"I like long hair," declared one youth, who was sprouting something on his upper lip which didn't look like it would need a bob for some time to come at least.

But that's another story, as Rudyard Kipling often observes. We were speaking of bobbed hair—What is your answer?



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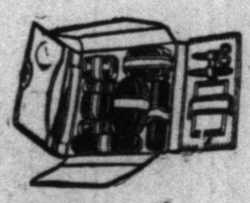
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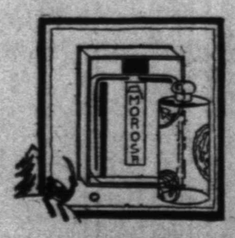
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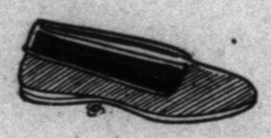
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DEVELOPMENT OF NUT CULTURE TAKES ADDED SIGNIFICANCE WITH INCREASE IN WORLD USE

Heavy Profits Await Proper Planting And Cultivation of Trees Under Irrigation With Favorable Soil and Climate

By MORA C. CLARK.

As we undertake the study of this very interesting horticultural product, we meet with some facts of peculiar significance to the Wichita valley. It is well to give earnest consideration to these.

Let us draw an imaginary line from Oklahoma City to San Antonio. More than 65 per cent of all native pecans produced in the world are grown within 150 miles of this line, and Wichita Falls is located near its center.

Fossilized pecans are found embedded in the rocks of Texas. For untold ages, this nut has evidently been nurtured and produced in a very small area of the earth's surface and that area is embraced almost entirely within the boundary lines of Texas and Oklahoma, these two states producing 90 per cent of the world's crop of native nuts. It is found in no foreign country, with the exception of a small portion of northern Mexico. We must concede the existence of some peculiar adaptability of climate, soil, latitude and longitude to account for this interesting fact.

Natural Adaptation.

The pecan tree delights in an environment of almost perpetual sunshine for its top and constant moisture for its roots. Its greatest vigor and productivity are developed where the average annual rainfall is about 24 inches. It demands a long, warm summer season, and yet can stand very low temperatures. Thousands of vigorous, native trees running in size up to several feet in diameter, and producing up to 500 pounds per tree per year, now growing in the Wichita Valley prove conclusively that this is the natural home of the pecan. One tree, 75 miles north, measures 25 feet 7 inches in circumference and is probably 500 to 800 years old.

Food Value.

The pecan kernel is the richest food known. One pound contains as much nutrition as 3 1-2 pounds of choicest beef steak.

Dr. Kellogg, head of the famous Battle Creek sanitarium, states: "I regard the pecan as one of the very finest of nature's choice products. A pound of pecans contains more nourishment than any other known food. In the next century, nuts will largely, if not entirely, take the place of meats on the bill of fare—and the pecan will assume its rightful place at the head of the list of nourishing and digestible food stuffs. Meat of all sorts may be safely replaced by nuts, not only without loss, but with a decided gain." The Journal of the American Medical association states: "Bulk for bulk they (nuts) belong among the most nutritive of foods." The late Luther Burbank wrote: "Paper Shell Pecans of the improved varieties are the most delicious, as well as the most nutritious nuts in the world. They are higher in food value than any other nuts, either native or foreign."

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Supply and Demand.

The total annual production of pecans amounts to about four ounces for each citizen of the United States. They have formerly been regarded as a luxury or confection only because they were available in such small quantities. It is now universally regarded as the choicest of all nuts. The market price is much higher than several years ago. As its food value becomes better known, the demand will increase tremendously.

About 20 years ago the planting of commercial orchards of budded trees began, and strange to say, began chiefly in the state of Georgia that did not contain a single native pecan tree. Now, there are tens of thousands of acres of orchards in the southern coastal country. The most enlightened expert opinion is that pecan production in Texas, and especially under irrigation, is two to three times as profitable as in that district. On account of the heavy rainfall and damp atmosphere, the trees are subject to scab and a fungous wood rot from which they are practically free in the pecan belt of Texas. Some Texas and Oklahoma trees are estimated to be 1000 years old, bear 1000 to 2000 pounds of nuts per year and are still in perfect health. Orchards in that southern territory, where properly cared for, have proven very profitable, however. They produce large, fine quality nuts that sell at fancy prices. The Schley variety, considered the choicest in quality of all varieties, which, in fact, took first prize as best nut in the world-wide contest at Bend, Texas, in 1921, sells at 60 cents to 85 cents per pound, on the trees, to eastern buyers. The Success brings almost as much. One large company sells its output of Schley, amounting to hundreds of thousands of pounds, by mail in fancy boxes at $1.50 for 12 ounces, or $2.00 per pound, post paid. These varieties usually retail at $1.00 to $1.50 per pound, wherever offered, and meet with ready sale. Some results obtained will prove interesting. An orchard of 800 trees at Albany, Ga., produced as follows:

Fourth year after planting six pounds per tree.
Fifth year after planting 13 pounds per tree.
sixth year after planting 28 pounds per tree.
Seventh year after planting 53 pounds per tree.

A 40-acre orchard, 16 years old, at Cairo, Ga., netted its owner $37,000 in 1925.

One acre, 17 trees, at Ocean Springs, Mass., yielded an average of 100 pounds per tree the eighth year, and 100 trees in this orchard averaged 90 pounds per tree the 13th year. A 13-acre orchard yielded 14,860 pounds when 13 years old. Up to and including that year, it returned its owner about $31,000 or $2,384 per acre.

Budded Trees.

One hundred million is the estimated number of native, bearing pecan trees in the state of Texas. Out of these, about 50 individual trees have been selected by pecan experts as worthy of propagation, and named. Only a very few of the 50 are generally recognized as choice variety has one chance in two million to accomplish his purpose, hence nothing but trees budded from one of these selected varieties are to be considered in establishing an orchard.

In general practice, a four-year old root with a two-year-old top has been found the most practical size tree to plant. A great variation in vigor of pecan trees in nursery rows is apparent. Some are 50 to 100 per cent larger than others of the same age. It has been found that these smaller, and less vigorous, trees remain so after being planted in orchards. Every precaution should be used to guard against planting them.

Cultural Methods

Authorities differ as to distance to plant trees. If great-grandchildren are to be considered they should be 100 feet apart; if grandchildren, 60 feet; for ourselves and children, 50 feet is practical, especially on very valuable land. Our descendants can cut out the alternate trees if they desire. A distance of 50 feet gives 17 trees per acre. This permits the planting and proper cultivation of peach, plum, cherry, apricot, fig and other fruit trees as well as grapes and all kinds of berries and vegetables between the rows until the pecan trees have usurped the land 8 or 10 years hence. If it is desired to continue the growing of other crops between the trees indefinitely the pecan trees may be planted 60 or 75 feet apart to permit this.

Before planting trees the land should be put in a fine state of cultivation by deep plowing, disking and harrowing. Holes should be dug there feet deep and three feet square, the top soil thrown in one direction and the lower soil in another.

Good, thrifty trees have roots three feet long. Set these in the hole two inches deeper than they grew in the nursery. Fill the hole three-fourths full of top soil, turn in the water from irrigation ditch until the hole is full of water. One hour later return and throw in loose soil, heaping it up around the tree 10 inches to remain until spring only. It is well to bank straw over this to a depth of 12 inches as a mulch to be removed in the spring. Be sure never to allow the roots of the trees to become dry for a single second from the time the tree is received from the nursery until it has been planted as above directed. This can be accomplished by hauling a number of trees from the heeling bed to the orchard in a wagon with the roots covered in the packing, in which they were shipped, freshly sprinkled, and wet sacks over this. Take out one tree at a time, put it in the hole and throw in the soil quickly. The planting may be done at any time from December first until March first.

Proper mode of cultivation briefly stated is: never allow a weed, or blade of grass, to get 1 inch high within six feet of a young tree, and never allow a dry crust to remain unbroken for 48 hours following a rain or irrigation within this six foot area. Keep this up from early spring 'til frost. When irrigation is required, do a thorough job, wetting the soil two feet deep for a six foot space and cultivate as soon thereafter as the soil will permit.

At pecan-fruit orchards near Wichita Falls, it has been found very practical to do this cultivation with a tractor and tandem disk. This disk pulverizes the soil thoroughly. It cuts a seven foot swath and covers 25 to 30 acres per day. By only running around the trees after a rain or irrigation it covers 100 acres in a day. The middles are disked later. This gives immediate cultivation to the trees in the hour of need. It can be run within 6 inches of the trees without harm.

In small orchards, and where it is desired to grow crops between the trees, this cultivation can be done with a mule and small harrow or cultivator. If other products are not grown between the trees, one of the legumes, peas or velvet beans, should be grown during the summer and turned over to build up the soil and increase its nitrogen supply.

Estimated cost per acre of planting and cultivation first year:

Trees 4 yrs old 17 at $1.50 each	$25.50
Planting trees at 50c each	$8.50
Breaking land (before planting)	$2.25
Disking, 2 times (before planting)	$2.25
Cultivating 5 mos. 15 times	$11.25
Irrigating 5 times	$4.00
Hand work with hoe	$5.00
Pruning trees	.50
Total	$93.25

The expense of cultivation the second, and succeeding years, will remain practically the same as for the first year, or $20.75 per acre, this being the amount left after deducting the cost of trees and planting as shown in above table.

Increased Values

The trees have to be planted only once. They constitute a permanent and growing asset. This may be very conservatively placed at $100 per acre per year, and $150 seems reasonable under the favorable conditions prevailing in the valley. A bulletin of the United States agricultural department states that pecan groves, properly cared for, enhance the value of land in Mississippi at the rate of $100 per acre per year.

There are few records of orchards under irrigation to be had. An orchard of 136 trees on strong alkali land in the Yuma Valley, Arizona, planted in January, 1923, averaged between 10 and 15 pounds per tree in 1925 and these trees are estimated to have 20 pounds per tree in 1926—final report since gathering not yet received. An average of 100 pounds per tree for the years 1920 and 1924 was obtained from 15 trees planted in 1908 in the same valley.

An unirrigated orchard of Jess than 12 acres at Junction, Tex., produced 42,000 pounds in 1925—or 3,500 pounds per acre.

In addition to the constant annual enhancement of $100 to $150 per acre in the value of land, which it appears may continue for fifty years and more, the returns from the sale of nuts for the first 10 years, if sold at 65c per pound, may be estimated on 17 trees per acre as follows:

First year—none.
Second year—Few scattering nuts.
Third year—5 pounds per tree, 85 pounds per acre, $55.25.
Fourth year—7 pounds per tree, 119 pounds per acre, $77.35.
Fifth year 12 pounds per tree, 204 pounds per acre, $132.60.
Sixth year, 20 pounds per tree, 425 pounds per acre, $221.00.
Seventh year, 30 pounds per tree, 510 pounds per acre, $331.50.
Eighth year, 45 pounds per tree, 765 pourds per acre, $497.25.
Ninth year, 57 pounds per tree, 969 pounds per acre, $629.85.
Tenth year, 70 pounds per acre, 1190 pounds per acre, $773.50.
Total for 10 years 4267 pounds, valued at $2,714.30.
Enhanced value of land, $1,000.00; planting and care for 10 years, $280.00; net profits per acre for 10 years $2,434.30.

No account is taken of interest on land investment because the crops grown between the trees should offset this.

It must be remembered that in searching through a vast amount of records that data in the preparation of this paper, one vitally important point is very evident. The estimated results as shown herein are not based on neglected orchards and positively can be expected only by using the best of trees of the best varieties and by adopting the thorough-going cultural methods as outlined. The records show that these results can be greatly exceeded by extraordinary care and the use of fertilizers. Irrigation will also lend its mighty power in producing phenomenal yields.

The late Luther Burbank wrote: "If I were young again, I would go south and devote my life to propogating new species of the pecan. Walnut culture is the leading horticultural product in California makes more money for us and makes it easier than anything else, and your pecan is superior to our walnut. The longevity of the pecan orchard and its immense earning power make it one of the most profitable and permanent of agricultural investments." English Walnut groves in California are worth $2000 to $5000 per acre. The facts compel the conclusion that the Wichita Valley is adapted in every way to a very successful production of pecans; that there is an unlimited demand for a high grade product; that there is no danger of an over-supply; and that the author was correct who said: "Land planted to pecans acquires a far more permanent value than if planted to any other crop."

Some More About Pecans

Pecan culture and the possibilities of this luscious nut as a commercial factor in the development of the Wichita valley are acquiring more and more attention from business men and farmers of this vicinity. Only in recent years has the value of the pecan as a commercial product been given close recognition; but the results obtained in pecan growing have been such as to challenge the thought and effort of an increasing number.

The Wichita irrigated valley, it seems, is one of these sections peculiarly blessed with climatic and soil conditions best adapted to pecan culture.. As a matter of fact, this city is on the center of an imaginary line drawn from Oklahoma City to San Antonio and which is the axis within 150 miles of which 65 per cent of the cultivated pecan production of the world is produced.

Some startling statements and statistics are quoted in the accompanying article, which treats thoroughly of pecan raising in this valley. The story was written by Mora C. Clark, owner of the Pecan-Fruit Orchards near this city and who is taking an active part in the pecan development of the territory.

This discussion of pecans and their value to the territory takes on added timeliness now by reason of the fact that numbers of Wichitans are taking up pecan culture.

Travelers Aid Is Boon to Visitors

Many Services Rendered By Worker at Union Station Desk

It is safe to say that no other welfare organization in Wichita Falls has saved as many local people as has the Travelers' Aid nor has any other one citizen come in contact with as many people passing through this city.

Thousands of questions for information are intelligently answered, telephone calls are made, telegrams are sent, friends and relatives are located, rooms and hotels are secured. The old, the crippled and sick, little children and distressed mothers are cared for.

In addition to these manifold duties special welfare cases needing immediate attention are constantly coming under the surveillance of the secretary and a great many of the most urgent welfare cases are handled by her or are placed with the property organization.

So important has the work become that this year a board of directors has been elected and affiliation with the national association affected. In the past this agency was handled in connection with the welfare board.

GENEROUS DONORS

The Little Commune of Milon-La-Chapelle, which boasts only 151 inhabitants, has just come through with a record contribution to the Joffre Save-the-Franc fund. The people of the hamlet—poor hard-working peasants for the most part—contributed the sum of 30,400 francs, or something over 201 francs per persons. This is the highest average thus far registered in any French community.

BABE'S ALL RIGHT

Royal Infant To Be Given Care While Parents Travel.

LONDON, Dec. 4(AP)—Princess Elizabeth, infant daughter of the Duke and Duchess of York, already is the subject of gossip.

Everybody has wanted to know where the royal baby would stay while her parents are on their tour of Australia. It was generally assumed that the baby's grandfather and grandmother, King George and Queen Mary, would watch over her in the nursery at Buckingham Palace—the precaution being taken to keep the young princess far enough away from the king so as not to wake him at night, for King George is a light sleeper.

The royal slumbers will not be disturbed, however, for Lady Strathmore, mother of the duchess, is to take charge of her granddaughter.

DEAD RINGERS

LONDON, Dec. 4. (AP)—Working in turns, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon, the Honorable Margaret and Honorable Alison Hore-Ruthven, twin daughters of Lorr Ruthven, are acting as society mannequins in a West End store.

The twins are well known in society and are so much alike that even their own friends hardly know them when apart. As they press exactly alike, even down to the minutest detail, the "Ruthven Twins" have a good deal of fun.



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ITALIAN CONDUCTOR TO LEAD MAJESTIC ORCHESTRA AT OPENING

Don Philippini, Famous Bandmaster, Will Appear In Wichita Falls For Grand Opening Of Majestic Theater

T. B. Noble, Jr., resident manager of Dent Theatres, Inc., visited the general offices of his company in Dallas Wednesday on business in connection with the opening of the new Majestic theatre in this city next Saturday and returned with glad tidings. Mr. Noble reports that the famous Don Philippini, noted Italian bandmaster, and now Guest Conductor of the Saenger theatres, will preside with his baton at the opening. Don Philippini is one of the most gifted musicians in this country. He is known in practically every city of three hundred thousand or more people in America, as he made a coast to coast tour as the head of the largest symphony orchestra ever heard in America. For the past eight years the Don has been with the Saenger organization, first as resident conductor at the Strand in New Orleans, and more recently as guest conductor of Saenger theatres —of which there are perhaps a hundred. Some few weeks ago the Don conducted at Saenger's Old Mill in Dallas, Texas, and so great a success did he score there that Louis L. Dent, president of Dent theatres, immediately sought to borrow the services of the distinguished artist for the opening of the newest and finest of Wichita Falls theaters. That he has succeeded will add glamour t othe occasion and no doubt prove a source of pleasure to the music lovers of this city.

Don Philippini



Due Here Monday.

Don Phillipini will arrive in Wichita Falls Monday to organize and rehearse the augmented orchestra which he will conduct at the new Majestic.

Mr. Noble is as highly pleased with the selection of the opening feature production as he is with the engagement of Don Phillippini. It has been decided to honor the artists who has recently been acclaimed the screen's most popular male star by one of the national motion picture magazines which made a country-wide canvass of theaters in search of facts concerning popularity of stars. This artist is John Gilbert, star of "The Big Parade," a production universally conceded first place among the super specials.

Gilbert in Picture.

Mr. Gilbert's newest vehicle is Bardelys the Magnificent." It is a romantic drama told in a lighter vein—a picturization of the novel by Rafael Sabitini, author of "The Sea Hawk," and "Scaramouche." The production was directed by King Vidor, director of "The Big Parade." Bardelys the Magnificent was not selected only because of Gilbert's popularity, but also because it is one of the finest of a group of very fine pictures released this fall.

There will be but one performance on the opening night. This will begin at 8:30 p. m. The doors will be opened at 7:30 to permit those who wish an opportunity to inspect the house. Only 1200 tickets will be sold for this performance, and these may be purchased any day during the week at the Olympic and Strand box office.

Movie Calendar

MAJESTIC THEATRE.
Monday and Tuesday—Matinee Tuesday, "Abie's Irish Rose."
Thursday and Friday—Interstate vaudeville and feature picture.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Four days starting Sunday, Ricardo Cortez, in "The Eagle of the Sea," Fox News and Pathe comedy; Irene White and company vaudeville act.
Three days opening Thursday, W. C. Fields in "So's Your Old Man," Fox News and comedy.

STRAND THEATRE.
Sunday and Monday, Lon Chaney in "Phantom of the Opera," Kinograms news and first series of comedy.
Three days starting Tuesday, Marie Prevost in "Almost a Lady" and Century comedy.
Friday and Saturday, Hoot Gibson in "The Buckaroo Kid," Fox comedy and news.

MISSION THEATER
Sunday and Monday, William S. Hart in "The Square Deal Man," and comedy.
Tuesday and Wednesday, Spangles with Pat O'Malley and Marion Nixon also chapter 10 of "Secret Service Saunders."
Thursday only, Al Hoxie in "The Battling Kid," and comedy.
Friday and Saturday, Yakima Canutt in "Desert Greed and No. 9 of "Fighting With Buffalo Bill."

GARDEN THEATRE.
Sunday and Monday, Jack Hoxie in "Red Hot Leather," No. 2 "Fighting Hearts," a comedy.
Tuesday, "The Dixie Flyer," with Cullen Landis and Eva Novak. "The Pinacle Rider," a western. "Hearts for Rent," a comedy.
Wednesday and Thursday, "Sir Lumberjack," with Lefty Flynn, "Which Is Which," Century comedy.
Friday and Saturday, "Under the Black Flag," with Jesse James Jr. No. 7 "The Branded Four," "Pests," Fable comedy.

Rin-Tin-Tin Will Appear Sunday

Great Wonder Dog Appears In Picture Laid In Canada

Rin-Tin-Tin's latest Warner picture "A Hero of the Big Snows," in which Alice Calhoun and Don Alvarado are featured, has as its locale that part of Canada where the Hudson Bay company rules supreme, the representative of far away white civilization.

There are a few half-breeds, fewer white men and many, many Indians. These have lost their ancient independence and look to the Hudson Bay posts for their livelihood. The posts are the only places where they can trade in the pelts of the animals they trap and the only place where they can obtain supplies.

Just as the first Roman coin was stamped with the figure of a cow, was called by name and was supposed to be worth a cow, the medium of exchange, a small brass token with a square hole in the center is a beaver, and is supposed to be worth one beaver skin.

It is called "stick" money because it is never paid to the Indians at all, and because instead they are given willow sticks the same height as the pile of "beavers" that their pelts are worth. The clerk keeps a record of every Indian's finances in their books.

When they buy something, they check it off their accounts, at the same time notching off the stick when they bring in pelts they give them credit. The tokens and the stick are the Indian's way of keeping track of his finances; the books the company's way.

Herman Raymaker, whose name has become closely associated with Rin-Tin-Tin because of his direction of many of the dog star's vehicles sponsored "A Hero of the Big Snows," written and scenarized by Ewart Adamson, and now at the Gem theater. The rest of the cast includes Leo Willis, Mary Jane Milliken and Nanette, Rinty's mate.

LON CHANEY IN STRAND'S BILL

"Phantom of the Opera" Opens Two-Day Return Run Here Sunday

"Phantom of the Opera," acclaimed by millions to be the world's greatest motion picture, starring Lon Chaney, Mary Philbin, Norman Kerry and supported by 5000 others, comes to the Strand theater Sunday for a return engagement of two days.

This production cost in excess of one million and a half dollars and has broken records throughout the country. A production of extraordinary magnificence, with Lon Chaney in the finest role of his career.

PARTS ASSIGNED

Three Stars Placed in Picture Treating of Divorce.

Clara Bow, Esther Ralston and Gary Cooper have been assigned leading parts in the new Frank Lloyd picture, "Children of Divorce."

Each of the players is a star in his own right. Associate Producer Schulberg formed the galaxy in order to make "Children of Divorce" one of the biggest pictures of Paramount's production year. Upon completion of the Lloyd picture the leading players will reassume their top-feature rights.

"Children of Divorce" is from the pen of Owen Johnson and will soon appear serially in one of the leading monthly magazines. The story is a vivid cross section of modern life among the rich young set.

Jack Hoxie Will Play At Garden

"Red Hot Leather" One Movie Bill for Sunday In Local House

"Red Hot Leather," the Universal-Blue Streak Western which is the coming attraction at the Garden theater, tops them all.

In this stirring drama of the Black Hills country an entire city acted before the camera, the city of Deadwood, South Dakota, which is the locale of the story and to which the Universal company traveled so that the location would be authentic.

All businesses were closed for the two days requiring the large crowd. A holiday was declared and the inhabitants, from the city officials down to the humblest denizen, traveled by buckboard, automobile, carriage and every manner of vehicle to the ground, several miles out of town, where the cameras were set up.

Al Rogell, the director, who wrote the story, demonstrated a generalship unparalleled in the making of movies. He took the crowd of novices, none of whom had ever before worked before a camera, and most of them had never even seen one, and in a very few hours had marshalled them into an array of talent that submitted portrayals that were as realistic as the most experienced of extras.

DODGE PUBLICITY

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A list of Jews of attainment omits the names of Willei Pogany, artist, and Rudolph Friml, composer, at their request.

OLYMPIC BILLS 'EAGLE OF SEA'

Picture Called Greater Than "The Sea Hawk" Of Stellar Fame

Not since "The Sea Hawk" has a sea story of such magnitude, beauty or importance come to town. But—today at the Olympic theater, we are promised the latest picture from the man who produced "The Sea Hawk," Frank Lloyd.

Mr. Lloyd on joining Paramount was asked to film a screen version of Charles Tenney Jackson's "Captain Sazarac." This he has done and from advance reports, "The Eagle of the Sea," (new title), is said to equal and even surpass the earlier production. Florence Vidor and Ricardo Cortez are featured.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.(AP)—Humble Oil and Refining declared an extra dividend of 20 cents and the regular of 30 cents, payable January 1, to stock of record December 11.

GEM THEATRE
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"A Hero of the Big Snows"
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Record News Classified Ads Bring Results

'The Old Homestead' To Be Presented By Teachers' Association Saturday

In "The Old Homestead," to be presented in Wichita Falls, December 13, under the auspices of the city teachers' association, the local organization is undertaking its most ambitious number ever attempted in the history of the group working as a unit to secure worthwhile things for the city. The play is being brought here under the same plan of booking programs by which the association during the past two years has presented men like George Creel, Wilfred Grenfell, Edwin M. Whitney and others. It is the first, however, in which a number bigger than one speaker has been attempted.

"The Old Homestead," as it is to be played here, is the 1926 revival of Denman Thompson's famous stage classic which for 40 years in various forms has played before probably more audiences than any other stage performance of the type in America. In the revival form it has proved extremely popular throughout this season, having elicited high praise from audiences in widely scattered parts of the country.

Owing to the fundamental appeals to human nature on which the play is founded, it has been called the "Heart Throb of a Nation," its alternating moods of pathos, sentiment and laughter forming a combination of the type that holds appreciation for all classes. "The Old Homestead" is a comedy drama, with part of its message carried by a group of noted singers. "The Old Homestead Male Quartet."

The story is built into the setting of early New England life, with a variety of figures from an average cross-section of the people presented in the characters. In Joshua Whitcomb we see a perfect representative of the best and broadest type of humanity — a prosperous, warm-hearted, peace-loving, God-fearing New England farmer. And associated with him we find such delightful characters as Cy Prime, Seth Perkins, Happy Jack, Aunt Matilda, Eb Hanzey, Rickety Ann and others.

"The Old Homestead," since its first creation in 1886, has gathered a record crop of tributes. For instance, Alan Dale, the famous New York critic, and the dean of the critics' profession, has said: "I must admit 'The Old Homested' is an American classic." The Atlanta Constitution, in an editorial appraisement of the production, declared that "it is wonderfully simple, and simply wonderful."

Songs of old times will be rendered by "The Old Homestead" quartet providing a melodious background for the various dramatic climaxes of the story.

"No, No, Nanette" Rage of America

H. H. Frazee's triumph, "No, No, Nanette," which will be seen at the Palace theatre, for two nights, Monday and Tuesday, December 13 and 14 has caused theatergoers over the world to capitulate to this remarkable musical comedy sensation. Mr. Frazee, seemingly, knows just what the public wants. The lure of the music seems to infect players and public alike. "Nanette" now is the outstanding success in America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia.

The piece is a decided improvement over the ordinary musical comedy usually offered to our local playgoers, the humor is of the most exuberant kind, the lyrics, and the book are co-related, and the action of the plot is not held up by silly songs about nothing at all. There are many skillful touches in the scoring, and the music throughout has that haunting element which makes it so hard to resist. "I Want to be Happy" has the kind of tune that would make even a clergyman want to tap his foot on the floor. "Tea for Two" and "Too Many Rings Around Rosie" are equally insidious in their appeal.

The company is uniformaly strong. Most of the principals, well-known to Broadway, have been carefully selected by Mr. Frazee, for their delightful and highly developed comedy sense, charming stage presence and given parts that will be of great service to the play and bring out the very best from the dainty quality of the music. "No, No, Nanette" is heralded as a play with lovely music, many gowns of varied colors and a wealth of gorgeous scenery and electrical effects, and special augmented orchestra.

The cast will consist of John E. Young, Joseph Herbert, Jr., Madeline McMahon, Adele Clifton, Pearl Evans Lewis, Frank Gallagher, Mildred Joy, Sylvia Stoll, Janet Horton and Myrtle Bordine, and Frazee's own famous "Gorgeous Garden of Girls."

As a tremendous demand for seats is assured, prospective patrons are urged to make application at once or risk disappointment. Arrangements have been made for a special mail order service and in making application for tickets by mail, patrons should enclose check or money order including tax and self-addressed and stamped return envelope for safe return of tickets.

COMEDY EXPERT

Grapewin Cast As Consultant At Studio

And now we have the "Comedy Consultant."

Charles Grapewin, one of vaudeville's foremost entertainers, is to fill this new position during the production of "No Control" at the Metropolitan Studio.

Grapewin has written and starred in a number of vaudeville sketches and is expected to bring to the screen a new type of humor to supplant the usual "gags."

He is now working closely with director Scott Sidney on the making of "No Control," a screen version of Frank Condon's Saturday Evening Post story, in which Harrison Ford and Phyllis Haver are co-feature.

USES FAMILY

Movie Director Finds Wife And Babe What He Needs.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 4.—There is nothing like being versatile in this motion picture business.

William Wellman, here directing "Wings," Paramount's epic of the exploits of the American ace, recently drafted the services of his family for a sequence of the production. Mrs. Wellman and baby daughter, Gloria, age 2 1-2 years, are now members of the cast.

Needing a certain type to play the part of a French peasant and child, Wellman found just the persons he wanted in his wife and daughter. Mrs. Wellman was known on the legitimate stage as Margery Chapin.

John Monk Saunders, who wrote the story of "Wings," is also cast for a small part as an English captain.

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DARING DRIVER DEFIES DEATH VALLEY DESERT TO CLIMB MOUNTAIN

WHIPPET PUT THROUGH HARD TEST IN CLIMB

Car Climbs to Highest Point Ever Reached By Car Of Any Make

Battling its way through the terrific heat of Death Valley, up into zero cold on the trackless side of White mountain, an Overland Whippet, driven by F. W. Lawton and Ed Hughes, climbed from the lowest accessible point in America to the highest peak ever reached by a motor car on the Pacific slope, a few days ago. The Whippet climbed from 284 feet below sea level to an altitude of 13,150 feet.

The air-line distance from the lowest point in Death Valley to the point reached by the Whippet is 150 miles but it was necessary to drive 250 miles to reach the peak.

Test of Sturdiness.

The Whippet was sent over this trackless waste as a test of its sturdiness and pulling power under the most adverse conditions. Most of the journey was through sage brush, sand, salt beds, chuck holes and over sharp jagged rocks.

The Death Valley trip was begun from Barstow, Calif., the Whippet entering the valley at Bradbury Well. Continuing on the rough pathway towards Bennett's Well, the drivers passed the grave of the last borax wagon driver who died from drinking poisoned water.

A few miles beyond, the Whippet entered the arid salt beds where the road is merely two strips of cinders sprinkled with sharp rocks for a distance of 10 miles. But the Whippet toiled onward through the brown salt beds and mud cakes of knife-like edges.

130-Degree Heat.

With the thermometer registering 130 degrees the Whippet reached a government bench showing the mark of 284 feet below sea level. On and on went the daring drivers to Furnace Creek ranch, where they found the only running water in Death Valley.

These daring drivers became a life-saving pair a few miles beyond the ranch when they found James McAuley, of Los Angeles, lying on the trail nearly dead from heat and exhaustion. He had been deserted by a guide and had wandered two days and nights without food and water. He was revived and later reached home safely.

Climbing Power.

The climbing power of the Whippet came in for a gruelling test on the drive to Summit, via Poison Springs. This route was through a deep, rocky wash, the elevation rising to 4307 feet. However, the Whippet came through with a great performance, the drivers declare, and dropped down the grade to Beatty from Summit.

Conditions that would turn back most motorists were encountered on the road to Roberts' ranch. The route lay through Wyman creek canyon where the Whippet was forced to climb 35 per cent grades over a wagon road studded with sharp rocks set in a floor of deep sand. It required six horses to pull a wagon through this stretch, the drivers were told, but the Whippet made it alone.

The Whippet had shown such sturdiness and power that the drivers were not disheartened when they were forced to cross and recross a stream 25 times, frequently filling mud holes with logs and rocks to get through. Fighting on, the Whippet continued through a narrow, roadless canyon, struggling against mud, rocks and sand, climbing steep grades, until the party was six miles beyond Roberts' ranch.

Struggle Begins.

From this point, with an altitude of 9000 feet, the real struggle for a record began up the trackless side of White mountain range. There was no road, so the Whippet struck off through sage brush and spongy soil, bumping over rocks up the steep grade toward the top of the first ridge. At times the Whippet was plowing its way through mud and up grades of 40 per cent but not once did it falter in this test of power and stamina.

Blocked by a fallen tree and unable to pass around it, the top of the Whippet was removed and the car drove under it. Onward the Whippet zig-zagged up the mountainside to the Meadows, 11,000 feet above sea level. In five miles it had climbed 2000 feet.

At the Meadows the thermometer stood at zero and it was necessary to drain the radiator at night.

Fights High Gale.

The battle continued on the fourth day in a terrific gale but the Whippet slowly neared the top. Late in the afternoon the Whippet's nose was pointed straight for the mountain top and the climb up a 40 per cent grade was started. Bravely the Whippet fought, plunged and slipped but continued until it struck a soft spot and dug in. Here the altimeter showed 13,150 feet, the highest point ever reached by an automobile on the Pacific slope. This point was less than 1000 feet below the peak of White mountain.

The Whippet was dug out, backed down the grade under compression with brakes on for half a mile before it could be turned, and headed for civilization.

After reaching Los Angeles the Whippet was thoroughly inspected and despite the gruelling test it was found in perfect condition.

HIGH SPEED CAMERA

Lots of Action Required In Shooting "Wings" In San Antonio.

High speed camera "shooting" through the whirling propeller blades of airplanes travelling at a speed of 130 miles an hour, are being used to register some unusually effective battle scenes for the Paramount spectacle "Wings", now in production at San Antonio, Texas, under the direction of William Wellman. Because of the terrific velocity attained by the planes slow motion cameras are necessary to film the action as it should normally be seen.

JANNINGS STARRED

Plans Ready for First Picture Of Foreign Star.

"The Man Who Forgot God," announced by B. P. Schulberg, Paramount West Coast executive, as Emil Jannings' first American film. The photoplay is expected to give Jannings a flying start in his American career as the title role offers him an opportunity unsurpassed by any characterization he has given before. Bruce Barton's sensational story will be made on a lavish scale under the supervision of Erich Pommer, Paramount featured producer who guided Jannings through his greatest recent successes abroad. Mouritz Stiller will direct the preparations for the production to be launched immediately.

23 MEN WORK ONLY 454 YEARS IN AUTO BUILDING INDUSTRY

There are among the present employes of Olds Motor works 23 men who have been continuously employed in the manufacture of Oldsmobiles for a total of 454 years, an average of more than 19 1-2 years per man.

The three "juniors" of this veteran group first started with the company early in 1911—or 16 years ago. The remaining 20 date their start as Oldsmobile workers back each year until 1902, with the exception of "Charlie" Blades, the patriarch of the company who has worked continuously in the automotive industry longer than any other workman. Blades helped build the first Oldsmobile 28 years ago and is the veteran of this, the first company to produce cars commercially and the oldest in the industry.

The high average of veteran employes has only been reduced in recent years by the steady growth of Oldsmobile, which has necessitated substantial increases in the working force.

Due to the continuous growth of Oldsmobile, the total number of employs during the present year now drawing to a close is the largest in the company's history, and has manufactured the largest number of Oldsmobiles ever made in one year.

The large number of veteran employes is in line with the policy of the company to keep and build up a personnel experienced in the automotive industry and Oldsmobile manufacturing ideals through long and continuous years of service.

SHAW ADMIRED

Germany Pleased Over Nobel Award to Writer

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—The awarding of the Nobel prize for literature to George Bernard Shaw meets with general approval in Germany where he is very popular, though the motives of the prize committee are not believed to be entirely sincere. The Vossische Zeitung said:

"Had not the committee crowned Shaw it would have suffered the same pangs of remorse that has gripped the French academy since Moliere was not elected to membership. Of the French, it has been said, 'Our academy was not as needful to his fame as was he to ours.'"

NO SUB-TITLES

Germans Produce Film With Lines For Trial

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—The first German film without a single sub-title is being produced under the direction of F. W. Murnau, who directed the successful screen version of Goethe's Faust for Parufamet, the German-American distributing corporation.

"I am convinced that sub-titles are unnecessary and at times distracting to the audience," Murnau said. "The ideal movie tells a story in pictures. I believe the scenes can be acted so lucidly that titles can be eliminated."

ANTIQUE TREASURES

Antique collectors would find a veritable gold mine in the clipper ships. "Bohemia" and "Indiana," which were used by Rupert Julian in his DeMille production of "The Yankee Clipper."

These ships, built in Bath, Me., in the '50s, have been kept just as they were the day they were launched and inasmuch as only a handful of these historic clipper ships remain on the sea today, their fittings are as valuable as they are interesting.

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"Honey Lou"

BY BEATRICE BURTON

READ THIS FIRST

HONEY LOU HUNTLEY is private secretary to old "GRUMPY" WALLACK, head of the Wallack Fabric mills. Honey Lou likes everyone at the mills except JOE MEADOWS, the shipping clerk, who makes love to her against her will.

JACK WALLACK, who comes to his father's mills to learn the business, falls in love with Honey Lou the minute he sees her. Brought up by an old-fashioned mother, Honey Lou is a mixture of flapper and clinging vine.

ANGELA ALLEN pretents to be a friend of Honey Lou and tells her not to take Jack seriously. Jack is very jealous of DR. STEVE MAYHEW, a friend of MARGRET Honey Lou's sister.

Honey Lou's engagement to Jack is announced and plans are made for the wedding.

Jack and Honey Lou have a quiet home wedding and spend their honeymoon camping at Lake Tamay.

Honey Lou stops at the Wallack mills office to see Ann Ludlow.

Ann tells Honey Lou why she sent for her. Honey Lou sees Joe Meadows and tells him he must marry Ann at once and he agrees to do so.

Honey Lou and Jack settle down in their own flat with Mary Delaney, the cook.

Angela tells Honey Lou she is going to have a party for her and Jack Saturday night. Honey Lou goes home and finds Jack reading poems about little houses in the country filled with love and happiness. Honey Lou decides to let Mary go in the morning, do her own work, and try to make the kind of home Jack wants.

Tim Donegal tells of the card games he and Honey Lou have together and Jack forbids Honey Lou to have Tim Donegal in their house.

Honey Lou, angered by Jack's objections to Donegal, leaves the flat for her mother's home. Margret tells her she has no reason to be jealous of Jane Ayres, Jack's secretary, but to watch Angela. Honey Lou returns to the flat, a quarrel follows.

Honey Lou moves into the guest room and further complicates her domestic affairs by her "silent treatment" of Jack.

Honey Lou, on a motor ride with Angela and Donegal, decides to follow Jack's wishes in regard to Donegal.

Donegal's arrest delays Honey Lou's and Angela's return uutil two in the morning.

The published news of Donegal's arrest in connection with the names of Angela and Honey Lou, together with Angela's duplicity, finally culminates in the separation of Jack and Honey Lou.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER L

In June, Ann Ludlow's baby was born. A little girl—and Ann named her for Honey Lou.

"But my name is Harriet Louise' Honey Lou told her, standing beside Ann's bed with the tiny thing in her arms. "Honey Lou is just a nickname."

"Well, it's not going to be this child's nickname!" Ann was firm. "It's going to be her honest-to-goodness name—Honey Lou Meadows."

Joe Meadows nodded from the corner where he sat watching Honey Lou with his dark, handsome eyes. Joe had been an unwilling bridegroom and an indifferent husband. But Honey Lou saw that he felt a certain pride in being the father of the tiny human being in her arms.

He came close to her and poked a clumsy grease-stained finger at the small pink face that looked like a crumpled roseleaf against Honey Lou's breast.

"Cute little kid, ain't she?" he asked, as he drove her home in his small roadster.

Honey Lou had not wanted him to drive her home. She still felt the distrust of him that she had always felt. A distrust that was almost fear.

And when he took her hand to bid her goodbye at her own door, he held it too long and too hard in his work-hardened fingers.

"Well, we're both married, ain't we?" he asked her in his rough way.

Honey Lou pulled her hand away from him. "Oh, yes, there's no doubt about that!"

She fitted her key into the vestibule door. But Meadows did not go. He looked down at her, scowling darkly.

"Down at the mills I used to see you walkin' along with you little nose poked up in the air and your feet steppin' along so high and fine——"

"Oh, rats!" cried Honey Lou, nervously dropping her key on the marble floor.

Meadows picked it up and held it. "And sez I to m'self, 'There's the girl for me'—but"

"Give me that key, and shut up!" commanded Honey Lou. "Go back to your wife and your child, and let me alone!"

She knew it was not the way she should be talking to him—not the way Jack Wallack's wife should be talking to his shipping clerk.

But for the moment she had forgotten that she was Jack's wife and Grumpy's daughter-in-law. Once more she was Honey Lou Huntley, and she was afraid of this big black-brown bull-necked man! She unlocked the door and rushed up the stairs as if a wolf were at her heels. A whole pack of wolves!

It was in September that Ann came to see her, bringing the baby in her arms. She was not the jaunty careless spruce little One-Armed Annie of a year ago, but a spiritless tired-looking woman with crow's feet at the corners of her unhappy eyes.

"It's about Joe I came," she announced, sitting in a big armchair and staring around the bright room with its Chinese rugs and vases, its silk curtains and cushions, its hand-carved furniture.

"Diggety dog! To think of you having a place like this, Honey Lou!" She shook her head in wonder. "Well, in a way, it ain't any funnier than for me to be married and having a baby, is it? Honey Lou, Joe's leaving me."

"Leaving you?"

Ann nodded her head in its last year's hat. "Yep. He said he was as soon as the baby came and I got on my feet, and he's keepin' his promise," she said with a sniff. "He says he'll support me and the baby, but he won't live with me any more. D'you suppose you could do anything about it?"

"I don't know," Honey Lou was beginning when she spoke again.

"Couldn't you ask your husband to do something about it? Joe's got no call to quit me cold like this. I've been a good wife to him. Couldn't your husband do something about it if you spoke to him and asked him to?"

"If I spoke to him," Honey Lou repeated to herself . . . She wondered what Ann would say if she knew that she hadn't spoke a hundred words to her husband in the last hundred days—and that he was like a stranger to her here under this roof.

"I'll do what I can, Ann," she promised, and watched the small slender figure go down the sunny streets, lugging the baby in her arms.

She made up her mind to speak to Jack about Ann and Joe Meadows on their own wedding anniversary—the fifteenth of September.

She had pinned all her hopes on that first anniversary. Surely Jack would remember that day, and all that it stood for. Surely then he would let all the miserable bygones be bygones and take her back to be his wife again!

"Today's our first wedding anniversary, Mary," she said to the faithful creature on the morning of the fifteenth, "and I thought we'd have a special dinner with some of the things that we had for my wedding supper—baked chicken and a frozen fruit salad and French peas in patty-shells, and candied sweet potatoes."

She went on, trying not to notice the blank look in Mary's eyes. Of course, she must wonder at all this, when she knew that Jack and herself had not had dinner together for months.

But she went ahead with her orders: "And please call up the florist and tell him to send a dozen brode's roses for the table. I'll be home early."

She went out to lunch with Suzanne and Angela with a happier look in her face than had been there for many weeks.

At five she hurried home and at six she was all dressed and waiting for the sound of Jack's step on the stairs. She was sure he would come—sure of it.

The clock on the mantel chimed out the hour of seven, and still he was not there.

"The dinner's spoiling, ma'am," Mary came in to tell her at half past seven.

"Take it off the fire and put it away," Honey Lou told her, without looking up from the magazine she had been pretending to read for the last hour.

Ten minutes later she heard someone coming up the steps. She ran to the door and threw it open. There stood Angela!

She was in a white dinner dress and in her arms she carried a huge paper parcel.

"I'll bet you thought everyone in the world had forgotten that it was your wedding anniversary, didn't you?" she asked with that sweetness that she could always command. "But I didn't, you see"

She followed Honey Lou into the room. "Where's Jack?" she asked.

Honey Lou waved her hands around the empty room. "If you know, you know more than I do," she said, trying to sound light and careless.

"Well, now, that's what I call mean — you'd have thought he'd come home on his wedding anniversary, no matter what he did all the other days in the year!" Angela said sympathetically. "And it wouldn't be so bad if it weren't your very first anniversary, would it?"

Honey Lou tried to smile as if it didn't matter.

"Where are you going — all dressed up like the Court of St. James?" she asked.

(To be continued)

RED CROSS IN DAILY SERVICE

Nursing of Sick and Poor Becoming A Vital Need In Wichita Falls

Since the war the Red Cross has become established as one of the vitally necessary welfare organizations of any city, not alone for response in case of some serious disaster but for the service rendered quietly and unobtrusively every day of the year.

Nursing care is given the sick or the poor. Medical attention is secured where it is necessary. Active steps are taken to correct the cause of the illness of the child or the family affected, by improving the sanitary conditions, suggesting the right diet and showing the mother how to properly prepare the food, furnishing, through the proper channels warm and sufficient clothing, securing work for the bread-winner of the family.

Co-operation Needed.

The co-operation of the nutritionist, of the doctors of the city, of other welfare organizations is often necessary and is always given, but in many instances these cases would never be discovered if it were not for the Red Cross. The part of this agency is always vital in such instances, regardless of how it comes to the attention of welfare workers.

Through health conferences and clinics mothers are taught the proper care of their families, correct food and its preparation and other important things, in order that illness, under-nourishment and other difficulties may be prevented.

Classes Selected.

Food selection classes are conducted by the nutritionist for adults as well as children, it being known that the wrong kind of food is at the seat of many ailments.

The work in the schools is of extreme value. Through the efforts of the nurses serious epidemics have been avoided; the eyes and throats of the children receive attention, often when neither they nor their parents realized that it was necessary.

SHE CAN DANCE

Mrs. S. Parker Gilbert Shakes Capable Heel at Berlin

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Mrs. S. Parker Gilbert, wife of the agent general for reparations, is undisputed queen of Berlin's Charleston dancers. The social sex declares that there is nobody either among the Germans or the diplomatic corps who can Charleston more gracefully than the "A. S." wife. At a recent function in which the guests from many nations took part, Mrs. Gilbert was "discovered." One couple after another stopped dancing until she and her partner were alone on the floor. They got a big hand. Among the interested spectators was Mr. Gilbert, who never dances.

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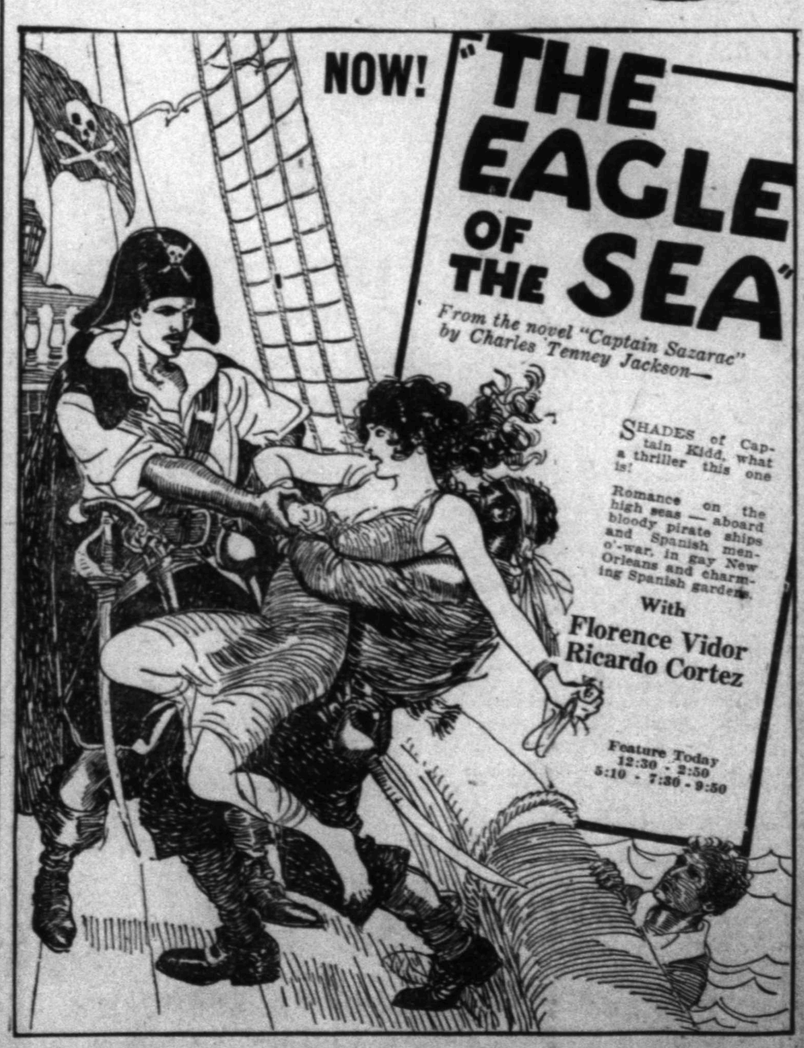
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DODGE CLOSES BEST YEAR IN AUTO HISTORY

Big Auto Plant Enlarged To Handle Bigger Demand For Models

On November 14, at the conclusion of its most successful year, Dodge Brothers motor car celebrated its twelfth birthday anniversary.

Record after record for sales and production have been broken and rebroken. The former factory, just a few buildings having a floor space of slightly more than twenty acres, has grown until today the home of Dodge Brothers car has a floor space area of 130 acres. In 1926 additions as large as many entire factories were completed, making the plant one of the largest in the world.

The first completed car rolled from the assembly lines on November 14, 1914. Twelve years later over 1,802,000 had been shipped. Known twelve years ago only as the manufacturer of auto parts, Dodge Brothers, inc., is today third in the ranks of motor car manufacturers.

Possibly the greatest factor in Dodge Brothers success in their twelve years of motor car building is their policy of maintaining a sound basic design which has been constantly refined over the entire period.

Car Value Steady

Compared throughout the twelve years with the average cost of a list of 404 commodities, as furnished by the United States department of agriculture, it has been found that relatively, at no time, did the cost or value of a Dodge Brothers car fluctuate as did that of other commodities used by the American public. Today a dollar invested in a Dodge Brtohers motor car buys much more in comparison with 1914, than one spent for food or clothing.

A study of Dodge Brothers production figures acts well as a feeler of the pulse beat of their success. Starting with car number 1 on November 14, 1914, the first 100,000 cars were completed in 23 days less than two years. The 500,000th car was completed three years, eight months and seven days later. Car 1,000,000 was completed 3 years, five months and thirteen days later. The next 800,000 cars were produced in two years, 10 months and 15 days —an interesting record compared with the 7 years, 11 months and 17 days required to build the first 800,000. The last 100,000 cars were built in four months—the first 100,000 in a few days less than two years.

1,800,000 Cars Built

A record of having built over 1,800,000 cars in twelve years invites attention to Dodge Brothers production and sales policies. The old proverb that a "chain is as strong as its links" can well be applied to the chain of the 3,500 sales contracts which represent Dodge Brothers throughout the world. Evidence that this is the greatest year of all is to be found in the reports of the past nine months as compared with the same nine months last year. The industry, according to figures furnished by the United States department of commerce, produced 3,058,562 cars during the first nine months of 1925. During the same period of 1926 it produced 3,504,349 cars, an increase of 14.5 per cent over last year. During the first nine months in 1925 Dodge Brothers produced 207,601 cars. The 1926 production for the same period reached 293,842, an increase of 41.5 per cent over last year.

Dodge Brothers export trade has also broken all records in the past year. With an increase of 4 per cent in export business credited the industry as a whole, the Dodge Brothers increase of 22.7 Brothers motor car buys much

Here's Oakland's New Phaeton



Autumn, the season of colorful leaves, crisp air, and spectacular football gatherings fully as colorful as the outdoors, is essentially the season of colorful sport cars.

Among the new cars with a distinctly new note recently introduced to the American public is the Oakland Six Sport Phaeton—trim and rakish of line, low-slung and continental in appearance.

Even before the advent of the motor car, the phaeton has ever symbolized the most elegant in carriage equipage, light and artistic, the carriage of kings and queens and show gatherings of note through the centuries.

Just as the phaeton of the carriage days was open type, so is this new Oakland type an open five passenger car of distinction. It is most completely equipped.

THEY'RE LEAVING

German Pedestrians Find It Necessary to Hop

BERLIN, Dec. 4. (AP)—Pedestrians in Berlin are learning to be quick on the jump just as their brethern in other countries, particularly since the establishment of a light control system this fall on a number of the city's principal streets.

The more impetuous motorists, chiefly taxi-drivers and motorcyclists, have made rapid progress in picking up the tactics of their type in American and other cities where traffic is ruled by light signals, and the start of the waiting line of cars at intersections is frequently on the familiar trigger system.

When the signal changes to green, the line plunges forward apparently regardless of any pedestrian who may be on the roadway. As a result the lively jumping of foot travelers is getting to be one of the sights of the town.

CHRISTMAS DIVIDENDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.(AP)—The Union Trust company of Pittsburgh declared an extra dividend of $6 for Christmas, payable December 22 to holders of record December 20.

CHRYSLER TOP IN NEW SALES

Registration of New Automobiles Gives This Make Big Lead

DETROIT, Dec. 4. — Striking confirmation of recent reports that the Chrysler Corporation has been breaking all its previous production and sales records is being consistently furnished as successive state tabulations of new car sales are made public.

The Illinois table for October is a case in point, showing that Chrysler made the phenomenal gain of 72 per cent over the corresponding month in the preceding year. Analysis of the table shows further that in the ratio of increased registrations no other manufacturer in the competitive class equaled the 72 per cent gain by Chrysler.

Factory records have been running to unprecedented figures for production and shipments, Chrysler officials say. In October of this year Chrysler reached the highest shipment point in the company's history, with a total of 22,124 cars shipped. This is an increase of 19 per cent over the preceding month, which was the former record, and a gain of 51 per cent over October, 1925.

USELESS SANITATION

PARIS, Dec. 4.(AP)—Mortain, a little town in Normandy of 1605 population, has a bathroom on its hands and doesn't know what to do with it.

This modern convenience, the only one in town is in the subprefecture which parliament recently discontinued along with many others as part of its economy plan. It was installed at the department's expense and M. Giroult, councillor general of the district, now complains to the prefect that the bathroom has become a useless burden.

HUPMOBILE SIX SETS NEW MARK

Sales of New Models Total 42,000 Cars During First Year

Sales of the Hupmobile Six for the first year that the car was on the market have surpassed the records of any other new car priced above $1000 for a similar period, according to R. S. Cole, general sales manager of the Hupp Motor Car corporation.

More than 42,000 Hupmobile Sixes were built and shipped to November 1, 1926, against the previous first year record of 32,000. The car was first announced in November, 1925. It actually smashed the former record in less than nine months.

Hupmobile brought out its six following more than 11 years of designing and testing various types of six cylinder cars, and more than two years' work on the one it actually produced. It has consistently stressed that the car is an all around automobile, for unusually sound design to give long and continued service, and built in thorough conformance to overcome the exigencies of modern traffic conditions.

SHIP 23,180 BALES

HOUSTON, Dec. 3.(AP)—Three shipping board steamships carrying 23,180 bales of cotton sailed from Port Houston Saturday.

AGREE ON STATION

FORT WORTH, Dec. 3.—Working basis for a new union station and belt line was agreed on at a meeting of railroad officials here.

Buick Wins 70 Mile An Hour Chase To Capture 13 Armed Ohio Convicts

Ohio motorists out for a quiet afternoon drive were treated to unscheduled thrills recently when thirteen desperate convicts from the state penitentiary clubbed and shot their way to freedom.

Several drivers, proceeding leisurely down a quiet country road, turned out in a hurry for the roaring, high powered car that flashed past with its load of desperados. Hot on the trail of the escaping criminals were three motorcycle men of the Ohio State police, exchanging shots with the speeding convict car as they rode.

Not far from Columbus the motorcycles of two of the state troopers began to sputter and die, and Corporal Harry Kimmel, who was directing the chase, went on alone after the thirteen armed and desperate men. Half a mile further on Kimmel's machine also stuck.

Getaway Feared

It began to look as though the convicts would make a clean getaway. But Trooper Tiller, who had commandeered a passing auto, stopped long enough to pick up his superior and the chase was resumed. The driver of the borrowed car did his best, but a little further on his machine burned out.

Corporal Kimmel told of what happened then.

"Our commandeered machine held out for fifteen miles before it burned out, he said. "Then we were picked up by a Buick. We kept up a speed of about 70 miles an hour until we got within a mile of the escaping men, when they got across in front of a freight train which held us up. About a mile further on the road crosses the tracks again, and I got out on the running board and waved my hat at the engineer, who stopped his train, and we went through. We got within 200 feet of the convict's car and again started to exchange shots with them, when we saw the Madison county officers' car in the road ahead of us. The convicts sideswiped it and went into the ditch.

Convicts Caught

"All but one of the convicts started to run across country, with myself, Tiller and Hulls in chase, both parties firing as they ran. Finally they dropped to the ground and we closed in, disarming them without trouble."

The convicts are now in solitary confinement, on a bread and water diet, while their cases are being considered by Warden P. E. Thomas. Much credit is given to the unknown driver of the Buick, who enabled the officers to overhaul the fleeing convicts and make the captuure.

WOMAN LEADER

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Ethel Snowden, wife of Philip Snowden, former laborite chancellor of the exchequer, has been appointed one of the governors of the broadcasting organization which the government is taking over from the private British Broadcasting company from January 1 for a consideration of $3,100,000.

Mrs. Snowden is one of Great Britain's leading feminists. She also is an author of note and an effective public speaker.

Her new post carries a salary of $3500 a year, and among the other governors are Sir John Nairne, a director of the Bank of England, and some other prominent persons, with the Earl of Clarendon as chairman.

RETAIL DELIVERIES

Dodge Sets New Mark For Deliveries In November

Retail deliveries of new passenger cars and trucks by Dodge Brothers dealers in the United States and Canada during the first three weeks point to a November record far ahead of that established during the same month last year. Retail sales during the period from November 1 to November 20, the official report from the factory at Detroit shows, are 24.8 per cent above the figures for the same period in 1925 and 34 per cent ahead of those for the same three weeks of 1924.

Popular approval of the recently announced improvements is clearly indicated by the increases in retail deliveries recorded in many of the larger cities of the country. In New York City territory, for example, 132.9 per cent more cars were delivered during the first three weeks of November this year than during the corresponding weeks of 1925. The corresponding gain in Detroit and its suburbs was 142.9 per cent and in Minneapolis 126.3.

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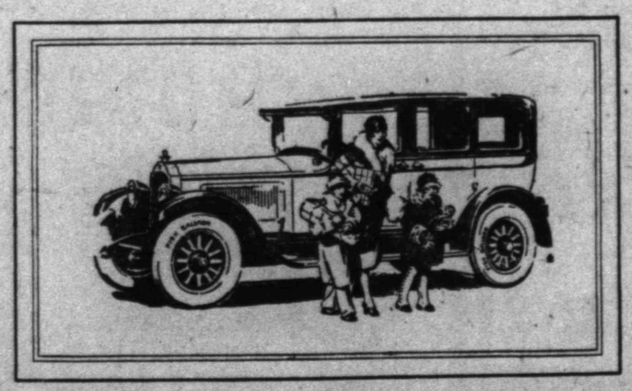
WITH the best intentions in the world, the average American Pater Familias will spend more money in this one month for gifts of more or less debatable merit than he has spent in the entire 11 months preceding.

If you happen to belong to this hard-working, hard-hitting, wonderfully tender-hearted and self-sacrificing God's-own group of "good providers", here is a thought to which you well may give your serious consideration ...

—a Willys-Knight Great Six Sedan, awaiting their pleasure at the door, will make you a Prince of Givers this Christmas morning.

The gift of a really good automobile is a happiness-investment. It is a gift worth giving. For example, the Willys-Knight Great Six Sedan ...

The woman doesn't live (or the man either) who wouldn't thrill in every fiber at the thought of receiving it. Extraordinary beauty, luxury, elegance. And such wonderful comfort. No woman on earth but would thank you from the bottom of her heart for so princely a remembrance.



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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERANS MAKE ENVIABLE STRIDES FORWARD

NEW BUILDING SOON WILL BE READY TO USE

Small Congregation Here Accomplishes Much By Faithful Efforts

"Still waters run deep" is a quotation from poetry, and the growth of St. Paul's Lutheran congregation may be likened to the still waters and its depth to the far reaching influence it has gained on its members. There is now being erected at Eleventh and Holliday streets a beautiful edifice, the new home of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Quietly, and with little ado, the members, numbering less than 300, have gone about their



Rev. C. M. Beyer, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church which has been organized the last 30 years, of which he has been pastor for the past 15 years. He is the oldest minister from point of service in Wichita Falls.

work, until the church is fast progressing under the hands of efficient workmen.

To some of the pioneer citizens who have kept up with the growth of the town, it is not a revelation to know that this church is one of the pioneer churches in the city. To those who have come recently, it might be something new to know that St. Paul's Lutheran church was organized 30 years ago. Forty-seven members banded themselves together in 1896 to form the growing church, and with their constant efforts, the foundation for a permanent institution was laid. With their leader, their present pastor, Rev. C. M. Beyer, plans for an outreaching of their usefulness to the community are being made, and the congregation expects to enter upon a new era in 1927. The new church will be finished in the early part of the year, and a dawn of greater things for St. Paul's Lutheran is anticipated by the members.

Formed In 1896.

Going back into the history of the church, it was found that Rev. John Schulenburg, formerly a missionary of Fort Worth, was the first missionary here coming in 1896. Upon his recommendation, Rev. R. L. Melhorn was called as the first permanent missionary in the field. Death entered the fold and took away Rev. Melhorn, who was succeeded by the Rev. F. M. Rudi who served until he accepted a call to Clara. During the absence of a pastor, Vicar Aug. Mierg served until the Rev. G. A. Obenhaus was called and installed Sept. 1, 1901.

Under Rev. Obenhaus the church building recently torn down at Eleventh and Holliday was built in 1904 when the Revs. Hellmann and Wurthmann delivered the dedicatory sermons. In December, 1904, the Rev. E. Deffner was installed pastor and served until he accepted a call to Olney, when the present pastor, Rev. C. M. Beyer, was called and installed Sept. 24, 1911. In the year 1919 the congregation celebrated its 25th anniversary with Rev. H. Studtmann, president of the Texas district, and Rev. H. Gaertner, chairman of the mission board, preaching the dedicatory sermons. The celebration was beautified by music furnished by an octet and a trio, composed of members of the North Texas conference of pastors which was in session at the church at the time.

260 Enrolled Now.

The membership at the present number about 260. Under the leadership of the present pastor the congregation has prospered and increased and it is due chiefly to his untiring and persistent efforts that the congregation is erecting at the same site of its former church one of the most beautiful of the smaller church buildings of the city. The cornerstone of this church was laid on November 21, with large numbers attending.

The officers of the congregation at the present time are: L. F. Ramming, president; F. W. Prechel, vice-president; A. T. Kramer, secretary-treasurer, and John Hirschi one of the directors of the corporation. St. Paul's Lutheran church has been incorporated since August of this year. Mr. Hirschi is also chairman of the congregation and Alb. Weeth, recording secretary.

The congregation has in its midst a live ladies' aid, the Tabitha society, which has done much in recent years to help in securing fixtures necessary and useful for the church. This society was organized under the present constitution in 1911 when Mrs. A. L. Fienhold was chosen president and Mrs. H. C. Luecke secretary, Mrs. Wm. Kroettinger serving as treasurer. The present officers are: Mrs. Fred Thom, president; Mrs. Robt. Thormann, vice-president; Mrs. L. F. Ramming, secretary; Mrs. A. T. Kramer, treasurer. Beginning with a membership of nine the society now numbers about 40 ladies, all of whom take a lively interest in the welfare of the Lord's kingdom and His church.

Another society which St. Paul's congregation is proud of is its Bible class and Walther league. The Sunday evening Bible class is one of the most active organizations among the smaller churches of Wichita Falls.

The class was organized in December, 1917, with about 15 charter members, under the leadership of the present pastor, Rev. Beyer. Meetings are held Sunday night. At the present time there are about 75 actively engaged in the work of the class, all 16 years of age and older. The two senior members of the class are Charles Rathgeber and Mrs. Bertha Ramming, both more than 70 years old. The Sunday evening attendance averages between 100 and 120.

The officers of the Bible class are: Arthur Kramer, president; Miss Frieda Serrien, vice-president; Miss Ruth Fienhold, secretary; Herb. Haussler, treasurer; Miss Marie Rathke, Walther league secretary.

St. Paul's congregation has for years maintained a Christian day-school for its children and any of those not belonging to the church but willing to attend.

Has Efficient Teachers.

The Sunday school has been under the leadership of capable and efficient teachers for the past years, two of whom deserve special mentioning, viz., Miss Frieda Serrien and Miss Marie Rathke. These two teachers have been exceptionally faithful in their work for numbers of years and it is due to their untiring efforts that the primary class of Miss Serrien and the junior Bible class under Miss Rathke have succeeded so admirably.

In its congregational work St. Paul's Lutheran church uses the English language almost entirely. Services are being held every Sunday morning in the English language, all the meetings of the Bible class, Ladies' Aid, Sunday school, business meetings, are conducted in English and also the Christian day school is conducted entirely in the English language. However, in the interest of a few of the older members of the congregation who understand the English language only with difficulty, two services in German language the English services are held.

Rev. Beyer has been pastor of the congregation since September, 1911, having thus served his congregation faithfully for more than 11 years. He is the oldest pastor of the city in point of residence. The pastor has received at least 11 calls to prospering congregations during his pastorate at this place, but the congregation has always unanimously asked him to remain.

Among the most important of these calls were: Director of Missions of the Southern district, comprising the states of Louisiana, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi; a call as missionary among the Mexicans in Mexico City; Olpe, Kans.; several calls to Nebraska and Missouri, also to Indiana and Colorado.

Rev. Beyer has also been honored by his district by being made chairman of the finance committee of the Texas district, furthermore a member of the electoral college of the Lutheran Concordia college of Austin, Texas, recently dedicated and moderator of the North Texas circuit. The first and last positions he has now held for a number of years, being re-elected again and again at the synodical conventions.

The Berea Class of the Luth erans; Five Church Workers





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Mrs. Fred Thom is president of the Tabitha Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church, an organization which has done much community work and has forward looking plans for the year.



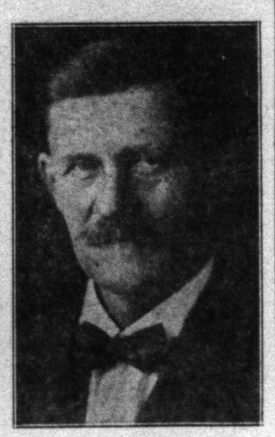
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Arthur Kramer, president of the Berea Bible class of St. Paul's Lutheran church.



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Arnold Kramer, secretary-treasurer of the St. Paul's Lutheran church.



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L. F. Ramming is president of the congregation of St. Paul's Lutheran church.



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John Hirschi, one of the directors of the corporation of St. Paul's Lutheran church which has been incorporated since August of this year. He is also chairman of the congregation.

Children's Division Plans Open House

First Christian Church To Hold Meeting Monday Afternoon

Open house of the new children's division of the First Christian church will be held Monday afternoon from 4:30 o'clock to 7:00 p. m. Hosts and hostesses will be officers and teachers of the various departments together with John Tevis, scoutmaster of troops 4 and 7, Miss Phyllis Creighton, Camp Fire Girls guardian, and Mayor R. E. Shepher, general superintendent. Friends of these organizations are invited to attend.

There will be on display in the various departments the most modern equipment, a swell as a demonstration of the most modern methods. The various departments are equipped according to the international standard of Bible school equipment.

Mayor R. E. Shepher, general superintendent, will be in charge.

Cradle roll: Mrs. N .W. Gaut, superintendent, Mrs. West Gouchie, Mrs. Joe Tyson.

Beginners' department: Mrs. O. H. Karr, superintendent. Teachers: Lynette Miller, Mary Brown, Elizabeth Brown, Mrs. H. M. Campbell, Ina Merle Robinson, Evelyn Francis Lyle.

Daphne Hendrix secretary; Mrs. H. H. Haggard, pianist.

Primary department: Mrs. A. H. Stewart, superintendent; Sadie Tevis, secretary; Mrs. Grady England, pianist. Teachers: Mrs. Amos Morris, Mrs. F. E. Curtis, Anna Keevil, Mrs. Porter Oakes, Mrs. R. D. Bone, Mrs. A. R. Prothro, Virginia Miller, Martha Ellen Hines, Elizabeth Breazell.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, MOTHER OF CHARITY

Rev. Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B.

Mass at 9:30 a. m. and Sunday school at 8 p. m.

SACRED HEART

Rev. Lawrence Hoyt, O. S. B., Pastor

Services 6:30, 8 and 10 a .m.; Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Devotions, instructions and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, December 8 is the feast of the Immaculate conception, which is celebrated like Sunday by Catholics. Masses will be at 6, 7 and 8 a. m., and benediction at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. O. L. Powers, Pastor
Ninth and Burnett Streets.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., C. P. Mosley, superintendent. Men's Bible class meets in main auditorium taught by Herbert M. Harrison. At the morning hour Mrs. F. R. Collard will use as organ numbers: Prelude, "Cavatine" (Bohm); offertory, "The Largo" (Handel); anthem by choir, "Christian, the Morn Breaks Sweetly" (H. R. Shelley). Dr. Powers, pastor, will bring a message on "Riding the Blind Baggage." The Sunbeam band will meet at 11 a. m., in the basement of the church under the leadership of Mrs. Lloyd Young. At 6:15 p. m. the B. Y. P. U. will meet in their respective rooms. In the closing service of the unions Miss Addeend Kouri will bring a further report on the state meeting at Austin. 7:30 p. m. evening worship; congregational singing; special music. Prelude, "Festival Piece" (Schminke), and offertory "Reverie" (Rogers). Sermon by pastor, subject, "The Shadow of Life." Midweek prayer service, at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

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CITY TO BE ASKED FOR $65,000 COMMUNITY CHEST FUND

WORKERS SET TO OPEN BIG DRIVE MONDAY

Sixth Annual Campaign Is Designed to Finance Work of Full Year

(Continued From Page One)

children who have received the assistance of one or another of the organizations included in the chest last year.

Speakers have been placing the campaign before audiences at picture shows and luncheon clubs for the past several days and the same will be done by the pastors of the various churches at services today.

Reports of the past year's activities and outlines of the work of the work the organizations have been carried in the newspapers of the city for several days and every effort has been made to place before the people of Wichita Falls the work and needs of the welfare agencies what has been done and what needs to be done.

100 Per Cent Institution

The larger business houses and institutions of the city are urged to give all employes a chance to subscribe before the campaign workers arrive in order that they may be reported 100 per cent to the committee who solicits that place and time will be saved for the workers.

The majority of the business houses and institutions of Wichita Falls hold a record of 100 per cent every year and take a great and just pride in holding to this standard.

The men who are giving their time to the work of the campaign will spend all of Monday and Tuesday and longer if it should be necessary in the business of calling on the citizens of Wichita Falls for their subscriptions, are taking time from their own businesses and important affairs.

The campaign should be completed in two days so that these men will not be called on to spend more time away from their own offices, it will be finished in this time if every man will make it a point to be ready for the committee when it calls so that they will not have to return once or twice as is sometimes unnecessarily the case.

Here Are Some Of Those To Profit Through This City's Liberality In Its Community Chest Campaign For $65,000

Top Panel, left to right: The kids of the Day Nursery. The Travelers' Aid and the Red Cross. Lower left: Two girls of the Y. W. C. A.

Middle row: The colored Day Nursery; the Salvation Army at work. Bottom Panel: A few Boy Scouts. The Home and Aid society. Lower right, a Camp Fire Girl in camp.



YWCA Sets High Ideals For Girls

Local Branch Reaches All Ages and All Classes of Womanhood

The work of the Young Women's Christian association reaches girls of all ages and types, and for all of them it holds a standard of high ideals and greater development along physical, social, mental and spiritual lines.

Girl Reserve groups are to be found in almost every ward school in the city; similar organizations are in the high school and Junior college, affiliated with the Y. W. C. A.

The busines girl finds a social home at the attractive living rooms of the Y. W. C. A. where she meets and makes friends, goes for advice with her problems and renders her bit of service to the city.

Haven for Stranger

It it a haven to the "stranger within our gates" and large numbers of these secure rooms, roommates, make friends and get started out along the right way. Often it is the first time the girl has been away from home and then the cheerful, friendly atmosphere is doubly welcome.

Hundreds of applications for work are received every year and hundreds of girls and women are placed in positions. Even when this is not possible they are encouraged and assisted in whatever way is possible.

The rest rooms are used constantly by girls who are indisposed, by those who are tired and have a few minutes for rest and by women and girls from out of the city who find such a place most welcome.

Salvation Army Unerring Friend

No man or woman can get so low but that the Salvation Army will place a loving arm around them and help them up step by step. Food, clothing, a shelter, friendship and religion are the solaces offered and the little child, the fallen girl, the old and friendless, the destitute and miserable of all ages and conditions receive the help that is needed.

It prosecutes a religious program which reaches many that could be touched by no other agency and at the same time carries on its work of relief to the suffering and needy.

A devoted, efficient staff at all times can be found at the local army citadel and the funds which have been received from the Community Chest annually have been spent wisely and well. This is practically the only financial support the organization has to depend upon and it will share in the $65,000 budget which has been set for the coming year.

DAY NURSERY SAVES HOMES

Youngsters Cared For As Mothers Work For Their Support

In a small rented house the Day Nursery first opened its doors about six years ago and since that time it has rendered an invaluable service to a large number of unfortunate mothers in Wichita Falls.

It takes babies and small children as early as 7 o'clock in the morning and keeps them all day until as late as 6 in the evening, thus enabling mothers who work all day to bring them and come for them before and after working hours.

Saves Many Homes.

Most of these mothers would have to break up their homes or would go through untold worry and heartache, having to leave the children uncared for or under unsatisfactory conditions, if it were not for the nursery.

The Day Nursery today is housed in a beautiful new home, built by the Kiwanis club, where every comfort and convenience is afforded. Sunshine, little white beds, a big back yard with equipment to play with, an indoor playroom, a kindergarten, a dining room with little red chairs, small white bath tubs, gay pictures and bright flowers all make it a home that any child might envy.

PLAN NEW HOME

NORMAN, Okla., Dec. 4.—Plans for the erection of a $100,000 home for the Beta Theta Pi fraternity on the University of Oklahoma campus are being worked out by the alumni of the organization. Construction of the building will begin sometime next spring, according to Ray Dawson, Oklahoma City, president of the alumni association.

Boy Scout Work Is Well Supported

Boy Scout work has, within the past few years become a world-wide organization and one which every community of any size gladly and proudly speaks.

Loyalty, helpfulness, friendliness, courtesy, bravery, cleanliness, reverence, thriftiness, cheerfulness, kindness and obedience are the qualities for which the boys strive and if even a few of these worth while characteristics are acquired the work is infinitely valuable.

Recognizing that the boys of our city are our most important asset he Boy Scouts receive the financial support of the welfare board and will share this year in the $65,000 budget which has been set as the fund for the coming year.

COLORED NURSERY

Day Nursery for Negroes Does Valuable Service.

The day nursery for colored children is operated as is the one for white children and serves just as urgent a need for the negroes of Wichita Falls.

As many as 20 or 25 children are taken care of each day, a seven days schedule being carried out as many of the colored mothers have work which takes them away from home on Sunday as well as on other days of the week.

CAMP FIRE IS AID TO GIRLS

Instills Character and Gives Four Square Training To Members

It seeks to instill character in the girls of the community; offers them a broad and wholesome development; provides means of study and recreation not furnished in the school or church—this is Camp Fire.

Leadership and self-confidence are developed, such qualities as unselfishness, loyalty, thrift and devotion to duty are encouraged; girls are taught to work and to love work.

Several hundred girls in Wichita Falls are receiving the benefit of this training; are developing along these lines; are gaining these ideals, as a result of the work of this organization in this city.

Volunteers Work

Most of the work of carrying on the organization is done by volunteer workers, the guardians and leaders being girls and women who are willing to give their services because they love girls, and realize the wonderful opportunities for good that are offered.

AID SOCIETY HELPS BABES

Unfortunate Youngsters Find A Refuge From Trouble And Neglect

"The Children's Aid Society of West Texas stands ready to take up the case of any child in trouble and seeks to solve the problems related to its welfare."

Thus reads a statement of the object of this organization which has changed from misery to happiness the lives and future of thousands of children in Wichita county during the past several years of its work here.

Various types of cases are handled, children so seriously neglected as to need outside assistance and protection; those physically or morally endangered by their surroundings, who require removal to improved environment; those deserted or abandoned by their parents; those badly diseased or distressed by deep poverty. Poor and unprotected orphans and half-orphans. The unmarried mother (under 18 years) and her child.

Thorough Investigations

An investigation, including study of the family and thorough knowledge of all the circumstances connected with the case is conducted. The child is received either through court commitment or release by the parent. The care of the child includes child study, physical examination, surgery, if necessary, Wasserman tests and mental examination.

According to the individual case the child is either placed with relatives, in boarding homes, in selected adopted homes, in selected free homes or (where it is necessary) in institutions.

Each step in the treatment of the child is a matter of record and supervision by the society continues until it reaches its majority or is adopted.

CITY WELFARE BOARD CARES FOR FINANCES

Collection and Distribution Of All Funds Watched By Central Office

The administration of the community chest funds is handled by the municipal welfare board of which the mayor of the city is chairman and Mrs. Kathleen Gorsline, secretary. This board is composed of representatives from the various organizations which participate and includes among its numbers some of the most able and sincere men and women of the city.

The welfare board does not administer relief but collects the money, distributes it to the proper agencies and has the general supervision of all funds of the community chest.

Last year nine organizations were included in the chest and two have been added this year. The executive committee for Family Relief recently formed will be represented on the board by Joseph Huckins III and the Travelers' Aid which has heretofore functioned as part of the welfare board but now has a board of its own will have J. C. Hunt on the welfare council.

Other members of the welfare board in addition to Mayor R. E. Shepherd, chairman, and J. C. Hunt, vice-chairman, have been for the past year, as follows: Burton Stayton, Red Cross; J. H. Allison, Boy Scouts; Dr. V. E. Wratten, Camp Fire Girls; Judge B. D. Sartin, Children's Aid society; Mrs. Frank Keil, Day Nursery; Mrs. W. W. Cook, Colored Charities; Mrs. B. L. Fain, Y. W. C. A.; Luther Hoffman, Salvation Army. The president and general manager of the chamber of commerce are ex-officio members of the board, also.

Captains and Workers

The following is a complete list of captains and workers for this year's community chest campaign who will start Monday on the drive for $65,000.

CAPTAINS:	L. B. Huffhines	Julian Ivy
George Gutzman	G. L. Berry	J. M. Isbell
O. P. Maricle	L. I. Bennett	P. M. Oviatt
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R. J. Irvine	Shadie Hale	L. R. Stringer
Chas. Pogenpool	Wm. Snoddy	Grover Bullington
T. E. Noble	A. C. Moline	Paul Von Allmen
WORKERS:	C. C. Bunnenberg	O. H. Kellogg
E. H. Dyer	Wm. R. Couch	W. S. Ellis
E. A. Gaines	L. L. Boardman	H. E. Schoolfield
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'The Biggest Little City In All West Texas'

Great Future Visioned For Henrietta With Completion Of Clay County Paved Highway

BY STAFF CORRESPONDENT

HENRIETTA, Dec. 4. — Henrietta, county seat of Clay county, with its population of 3500 souls, is one of the thriving cities of the Red river valley district. Clustered about it, like the satellites of a principal star, are a dozen or more other thriving communities which go to make up the chief centers of Clay county. Of these adjacent communities, the chief are Bellevue, Petrolia, Byers, Blue Grove and Charlie. Other communities of the county are Shannon, Joy, Vashti, Newport, Halsell, Buffalo Springs, Deer Creek, Jolly, Thornberry and Prospect.

Clay county adjoins Wichita county on the east and fronts on the Red river. It was created from Cooke county in 1857 and was organized in 1873, being named for the famous statesman, Henry Clay. The county has an area of 1250 square miles, practically all of which is tillable and agriculturally productive. The county's population at the present time is estimated to exceed 25,000, a considerable increase from the census of 1920 which gave 16,864 as the population figure.

County Has Vast Acreage of Tillable Soil

The mean average elevation of Clay county above sea level is approximately 1,000 feet. The country is usually rolling and generally open, although considerable areas of timber are to be found along stream beds and in the southern portion of the county. An abundance of good freestone water is easily obtained at shallow depths. The average annual rainfall is 28 inches, with the climate of the section classed as mild.

The soils of the northern portion of the county are deep sands and sandy loam with some red soils, while loams and sandy loams are more prevalent in the southern and central portions.

Cotton, corn, wheat, oats, grain sorghums, red top sorghum and other staple crops are produced.

The sandy sections are excellent producers of fruit and vegetables. There are large pecan groves along some of the streams in the county and there is an annual production for market which yields grove owners a substantial profit.

There are some large ranches of the few surviving tracts yet to be found in West Texas and there is an extensive livestock raising industry with considerable attention given in recent years to the development of fine blooded strains. Poultry, swine raising and dairying are also giving great profit to the farmers of the county.

Natural Gas One of City's Big Advantages

In the northern portion of the county are some of the oldest and most important oil fields in Texas and there are excellent evidences of vast petroleum resources in other parts of the county. Much of the natural gas consumed by the large industrial centers of Texas has been supplied from wells in Clay county.

In addition to its petroleum, there are to be found in the county large deposits of fine clay and showings of several valuable metal ores are to be found, but the latter have not yet been developed extensively.

Three railroad systems serve Clay county which has the best rail connections with the leading Texas cities and the big trade centers of the middle west and the east.

Among the industrial assets of Clay county are 10 grain elevators, some 30 cotton gins and an 80-ton cotton oil mill, called one of the finest of its kind in Texas, located in Henrietta.

America's Only Source of Helium Gas

One thing of which Clay county and Henrietta can boast as distinctive of any other community on the American continent is the only source of supply of helium gas which is used to inflate the lighter-than-air craft of the United States army and navy.

Traversing Clay county are numerous small streams all of which are wooded, some densely. The most important of these streams, several of which provide excellent fishing, are the Big and Little Wichita rivers, East Fork of the Little Wichita, Lodge Creek, LongCreek, Turkey Creek, Smith Creek and Belknap Creek. Timber studding these streams include luxuriant growths of native pecans, as well as ash, elm, hackberry, oak, cottonwood and mesquite.

Henrietta, the capital city of Clay county, is a city of 3500 souls, live and progressive It has excellent schools, churches and social organizations.

Practically all of the fraternal organizations are represented here with large memberships. Henrietta's public buildings, business blocks, residences and paved streets, will compare favorably with any town of its population in the southwestern country.

Henrietta's population is composed of residents from many states of the union, whose energy, industry and enterprise has developed a thriving city in a rich agricultural belt

Among the principal objects of interest to be found by the casual visitor to Henrietta are the courthouse, built of native stone and bricks, which, upon construction cost over $40,000; the public schools buildings, constructed of hard pressed brick, which was erected at a cost of about $50,000; the St. Elmo hotel, a fine three-story hotel, built of brick and trimmed with native stone, one of the most handsome structures in the city.

Henrietta's biggest industrial plants are a roller mill, cotton seed oil mill, previously referred to as having a daily capacity of 80 tons, electric light, ice and cold storage plant; and one of the finest waterworks systems in northwest Texas; a sewer system completed several years ago at a cost of $25,000 and since considerably enlarged to serve the growing city; two grain elevators, two cotton gins, two theaters, an up-to-date laundry, a marble works, two newspapers; a well organized and equipped fire department; miles of paved streets and concrete sidewalks and other modern facilities.

City and County Schools Rank With Best

Henrietta has a scholastic population of about 1200 students while the scholastic population of the county exceeds 4500. There are 58 common school districts employing about 200 teachers at an average salary of $85 to $90 per month.

Henrietta is located on the Denver line, 18 miles from Wichita Falls and 110 miles from Fort Worth. It has an altitude of 1100 feet. Three state highways traverse the section. Within a short while, concrete paving will pass through the city, extending from Wichita Falls to the Montague county line, making one of the longest continuous stretches of pavement in the state. Henrietta has natural gas, good mail service, rural routes, and good water.

Henrietta's Chamber of Commerce Busy

Though the ranches are largely gone from the Henrietta section, there remain sufficient to make the town one of the largest shipping points on the Denver road. A number of excellent herds of Hereford and some fine Durham cattle are located on the ranches still maintained in the region. The trade territory of the section covers a cotton, feed and general agricultural district. Truck gardening has recently occupied an important place and the pecan industry is now being regarded favorably.

Henrietta is in the midst of a prosperous agricultural region and business there is good throughout the year. The substantial buildings in the business section bespeak a healthy business condition, and the streets constantly pulse with life. But the outstanding feature of Henrietta, which impresses itself upon the stanger who visits the city, is the civic pride and community spirit of the town which is manifested on every hand.

Henrietta maintains a live chamber of commerce which through an active and vigorous campaign in the city's behalf has done much to develop it, industrially and commercially. Located on paved highways and with good railroad facilities and nearby oil fields for natural gas fuel, Henrietta is ideally situated as a site for factory development.

Composed of a group of far-sighted business men and community leaders, the Henrietta Chamber of Commerce directorate is laying plans for continued progress.

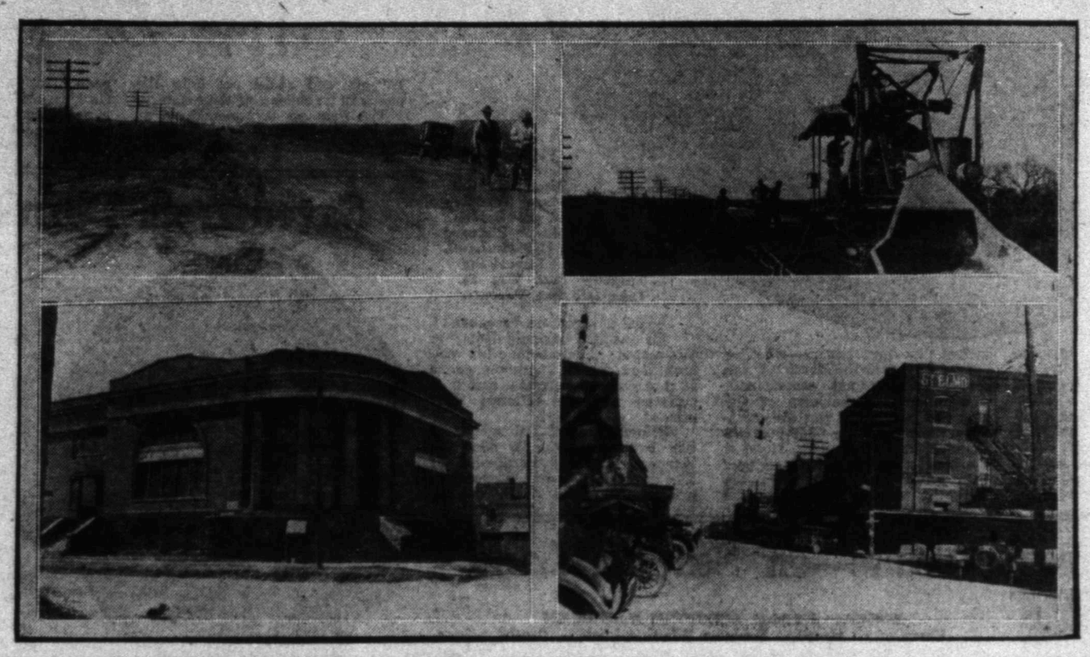
Fine Paved Highway to Cross Clay County

To be pardoned a pun, one might say that concrete evidence of Henrietta's public spirit and the vision of its citizens is to be found in the concrete highway now being laid through Clay county, which links on the west with the Wichita county paved highway system, while on the east it will adjoin the Montague county roads. Eventually it is hoped that Montague county will be financially able to construct a concrete highway through its territory, then providing a paved link to Fort Worth through Henrietta from Wichita Falls and points west as far as Vernon.

Construction work on the Henrietta paved highway, which has been in progress for a number of months is now being pushed with speed by the contractors who estimate that paved connection with Wichita Falls will be certain by the middle of January, dependent upon the will of the weather deity.

Along with the rest of West Texas, Henrietta promises to develop rapidly and one who visits the city and talks with its business men will at once realize that "the biggest little city in West Texas" will some day in the not far distant future be able to boast of a greater title.

Interesting Views In and About Henrietta Snapped By Staff Cameraman



Upper Left: This is a view of a section of the Wichita Falls-Henrietta highway, which is being paved in Clay county to link up with the Wichita county pavement. This picture was taken by a staff photographer of the Wichita Falls Record News at a point about five miles out of Henrietta to which paving work has now progressed. The picture shows the road graded ready to receive the concrete base for the highway.

Upper Right: This picture shows the giant concrete mixer used in paving the Wichita Falls-Henrietta highway as it appears in action. The large "spoon" in front of the mixer receives the gravel and cement which is then lifted into the revolving "mixer" of the machine. Behind the men shown standing by the machine is a stretch of fresh laid concrete.

Lower Left: Henrietta is noted for its fine church buildings of which it has several. The largest of these are the First Methodist church and the First Christian church. This picture is that of the First Methodist church. The position of the sun in face of camera prevented the taking of a clear picture of the First Christian church building.

Lower Right: This is a picture of one of the principal business streets of Henrietta, showing the St. Elmo hotel, the city's largest commercial structure, in the foreground. This building was remodelled several years ago when it was unroofed by a tornado.

What the Golden Bride's 'Fortune' Did NOT Foretell



DAUGHTER.
Shelagh Brunner, English Heiress, Whose Marriage to a Prince of Liechtenstein Was Foretold By a Seeress.
(C) Hay Wrightson



WHAT THE SEER MISSED.
Police Believed Brunner Shot His Wife and Then Himself, While They Were at Dinner.



VICTIM OF TRAGEDY.
Mrs. Ethel Brunner, Wife of the Millionaire British Capitalist, Whose Dead Body Was Found Near That of Her Husband.

TRUE PHOPHECY.
Crystal Gazing Disclosed the Future Wedding of the Golden Bride," Pictured at Left with Her Husband, But Did Not Reveal the Tragedy That Was to Take Off Her Parents.

TWO years ago a clairvoyant foretold the romance and marriage of Shelagh Brunner, daughter of the immensely wealthy British capitalist, Roscoe Brunner, but the seer failed to read in the shadow of coming events the tragic and mysterious death of Shelagh's parents.

Roscoe Brunner and his wife were found shot to death in Shelagh's cottage, which adjoins their own huge estate at Roehampton. A revolver was clutched in Brunner's hand, and his body lay across the still form of his wife. Police believed the millionaire had shot his wife and then himself after a quarrel, but subsequently footprints were found outside, and it was discovered that two men had broken into the cottage and ransacked it for papers—whether before or after the death of the couple it was not ascertained.

Brunner was chairman of the board of one of the world's greatest corporations, the $250,000,000 chemical firm of Brunner, Mond & Co., until a recent gigantic merger with other concerns. Then the capitalist was dropped from the board of directors "because of his unsound business deals," it was stated. Brunner and his wife both regarded this announcement as a stigma of disgrace, and it is believed to have affected their minds.

Shelagh, beautiful daughter of the Brunners, who is now the Princess Andreas Ferdinand of Liechtenstein, was desperately grieved over the death of her parents and could not help the police in a solution of the mystery.

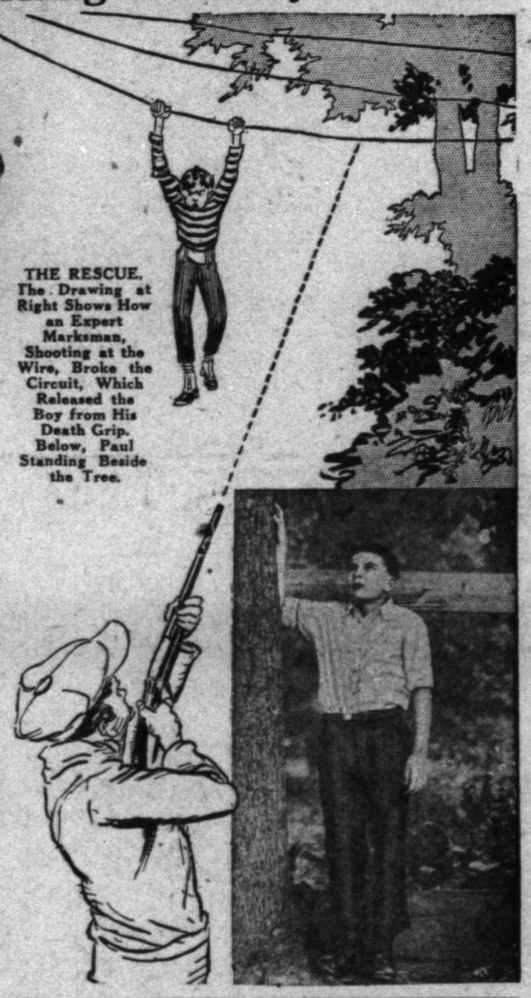
The Princess is remembered as the "golden bride," of a wedding of international note in 1924, when she was married to Ferdinand, a nobleman of the Central European principality of Liechtenstein. On this occasion the bride and all her bridesmaids were attired in brilliant gold costumes—gold lace, "armored" gold bodices, gold slippers and georgeous gold fillets in their hair.

Miss St. John Montague, a famous English clairvoyant, had foretold Miss Brunner's meeting with her lover, declaring the romance would "have something to do with horses." It was, indeed, a chance encounter at a Tex Rickard rodeo show in London which began the romance.

Saved from Burning Death by a Shot



JUST MISSED DEATH.
Paul Kilpatrick, Atlanta Boy Who Was Literally Shot Down From a Live Wire Which Was Slowly Electrocuting Him.



THE RESCUE.
The Drawing at Right Shows How an Expert Marksman, Shooting at the Wire, Broke the Circuit, Which Released the Boy from His Death Grip. Below, Paul Standing Beside the Tree.

PAUL KILPATRICK an Atlanta lad of 14, was gathering hickory nuts in a tree, 30 feet from the ground, when his hand touched an exposed electric wire carrying a 2,300-volt current.

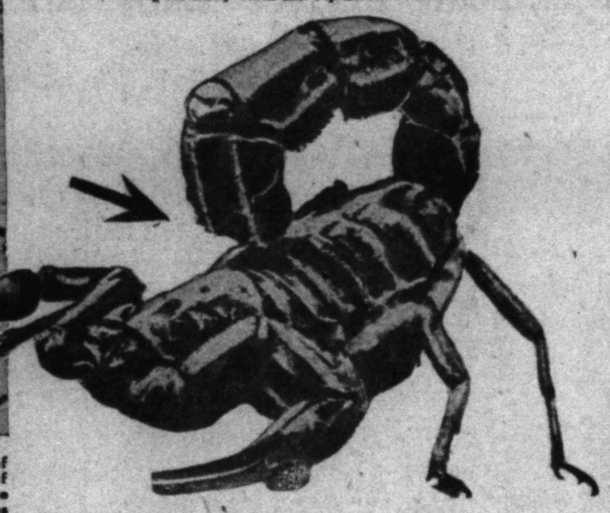
He could not turn loose and spasmodically grasped the wire with his other hand. Children who saw him screamed, and a resident of the neighborhood, believing there was a mad dog at large, ran out with his shotgun. Will Bartenfield, an expert marksman, took in the situation at a glance. He grasped the shotgun and fired its two heavy charges of buckshot at the wire from which the boy, now unconscious, was dangling. The bullets did not sever the wire, but in some inexplicable manner the contact of lead and wire broke the circuit momentarily. In that second the limp form of the boy fell to the ground. He was not hurt by the fall, and an hour's work revived him.

Strangest of All Nature's Freaks---on Sea; on Land



TWEET-TWEET! IT'S NESTING TIME FOR FISHIE!
Here's a Fish That Builds a Nest—Honest! It's the Epinoche, Native of the Warm Waters of India, Which Weaves an Indestructible Nest of Seaweed in Which to Lay Its Eggs. Science Doesn't Tell Us That the Epinoche Perches on a Limb and Warbles—But Probably It Gurgles Musically.

EXTRA! JOHN R. SCORPION A SUICIDE!
Photo of an Unhappy Scorpion Stinging Itself to Death. When Exposed to Severe Heat or Other Torture, a Scorpion Commits Suicide Rather than Endure It. By Piercing Its Body With the Tip of Its Poisonous Tail.



Romance Problems of Real People

Can Love Stand Long Separation?---Two Who "Kept Faith" 25 Years

Analyzed by ANNE JORDAN.

FOR 25 years Anna Le Brun, an inmate of the Gray Nunnery in Montreal, strove to forget the great love that was a part of her life.

She had entered the nunnery as a girl of 16. But two months before that she had met Frank Levesque, then a handsome soldier boy of 21. When the convent gates closed on his beloved Anna, Levesque vowed himself to remain forever loyal to her. This whole quarter of a century he had kept the faith and never married. And at last, after a special release from Pope Pius had been granted, the cloister doors were swung open, and Miss LeBrun re-entered the world to become the bride of her faithful lover.

Isn't it beautiful to know that things like that really happen? That there really IS something to "all this love bunk," and even in these days of catch-as-catch-can matrimonial adventures, there's a couple who have held to their youthful ideals for twenty-five years!

That kind of thing must have happened frequently in the old days, because so many of the delicious Victorian novels dealt of love that lasted through several Congressional eras before the obstacles did a fadeaway. Don't you remember that jasmine-sweet love narrative wherein the lily-handed heroine was forced to wed the villain with the wilting moustache? And the hero pined and gnawed his knuckles beneath the bended bough until at last the villain died a villain's death? You'll admit that you like to read those old things, but you've got a rather modern idea that those authors were spoofing, and that love doesn't last through the first sight of a sinkful of unwashed dishes.

Count on your thumbs how many girls there are who would wait twenty-five years to decide to marry. Most of them can settle it in twenty-five minutes. And should a heavy impediment roll up parting them, do they cherish his memory? Ah, no! They've got their sand glasses right on, hunting a new sheik!

But there ARE exceptions.



UNITED AT LAST.
Sergt. Frank Levesque, U. S. A., and His Bride, Anna LeBrun, for Whom He Waited 25 Years While She Was an Inmate of a Montreal Nunnery.





AS A NUN.
Anna LeBrun in the Garb of a Sister of Charity at the Gray Nunnery, Montreal.

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When Henry Ford "Discovered" America's "Last Uncharted Wilderness"

A Billionaire in Our Great Smokies

HENRY FORD got his first glimpse of America's "last uncharted wilderness" the other day, and as a result he soon may make a substantial donation to a unique cause—mountain schools in the South.

Unlike Rockefeller, Carnegie and other millionaire philanthropists, Ford has never given largely of his wealth to schools, but has preferred to put the bulk of his profits back into his manufacturing business, in order to expand and provide work for an increasingly great number of employes. Recently, however, Mr. and Mrs. Ford accepted an invitation to visit several schools and colleges in Kentucky and Tennessee, and it is rumored that their call may result in an endowment.

With Mrs. Ford, the richest man in the world visited the Great Smokies, the mountain region covering 700 square miles of territory in Tennessee and North Carolina which has been set aside for a national park. He saw the last untouched stand of forested mountain wilderness. He learned with amazement that an aviator had flown over this region for weeks without sighting a house or a human being—that the Great Smokies embrace eighteen mountain peaks that are higher than Mount Washington, in New Hampshire.

Mr. Ford visited mountain schools on the fringe of the "undiscovered" region, and also grasped the opportunity to make the following speech:

"This is the first speech I ever made in my life I am glad to be here and I am glad to see all you children so clean and healthy. That remark will cause some of my party to laugh, but I will explain it later. I thank you."

Mr. and Mrs. Ford had made a special trip to the Southern mountains to inspect a group of educational institutions, and it is reported the world's richest man may endow some of the schools which he visited. Besides the typical mountain school in the Great Smokies, of which Asheville, N. C., is the Eastern gateway, the Fords visited Berea College at Berea, Kentucky, and the Lincoln Memorial University at Cumberland Gap.

The Fords said they were enchanted by the beauty of the Great Smokies region, and promised to come "ag'in and stay longer."

The "Great Smokies," so called because of the dreamy haze that floats perpetually over their summits, were designated as a national park area not only because of their wild scenic beauty, but because the region is the last to be touched by the hand of man in America. Through vast tracts there are no roads and not even trails. Many of the deep gulfs in the Smokies have never been penetrated, so far as is known, by white men.

An astonishing example of isolation in the midst of civilization, the Great Smokies National Park also is celebrated as a botanist's paradise. In a twenty-mile hike up the Smokies, one passes through the same floral zones, sees all the trees, shrubs and [illegible] that one would see on an excursion from



"GREAT SMOKIES" WELCOME FORD.
Above: A Typical "Great Smokies" Mountaineer, and Some of the Scenes in the Tennessee-North Carolina Region Which Henry Ford Recently Visited—"Chimney Rock" by Moonlight, a Log Cabin in the Great Smokies, and the Cloud-Capped Peaks of the Highest Mountains East of the Rockies.

"LAND OF THE SKY."
Three of the 18 Peaks in the Great Smokies that Are Higher than Mt. Washington, Over 6,000 Feet. (Above) Henry Ford.



BOTANISTS' PARADISE.
Crystal Falls in the Great Smokies National Park and Two Fern Beds Typical of the Luxurious Foliage Found in This Region Where Shrubs, Trees and Flowers Abound.

Knickers or Knees for Girls?---Mothers Differ

MRS. THOMAS D. ALLEN, of Jeffersonville, Ind., sought to enjoin the school authorities from barring from class her daughter, Virginia, 9, because she wore knickers as school garb. Mrs. Allen said they were much more modest than bare knees. In Harlan, Ky., Ioma Creech, 9, came to school in overalls, was sent home, but persisted and finally "got away with it." In a third case, a mother denounced school heads because her daughter had to wear "immodest" bloomers in a gymnasium. Which mothers were right?



Left: Ioma Creech, Who Was Sent Home From School Because She Wore Overalls, and, Right, Virginia Allen, Who Was Barred from Classes Because She Appeared in Knickers.

Raised the "Perfect" Baby, but "N

"IMPERFECT" WIFE.
The father of the "perfect baby" made these charges:
"She used a broom on me."
"She hurled household articles at me."
"She refused to keep a decent home."
"She left the beds unmade."
"She insisted on going out evenings with other men."
"When she came in late she woke the children and injured their health."

NEARLY all great men, observes Count Keyserling, the German philosopher, have been the children of unhappy parents.

Out in Michigan, the most perfect baby in all the state came from a home broken up by divorce. It's much easier to produce a 100 per cent baby than a 100 per cent husband,



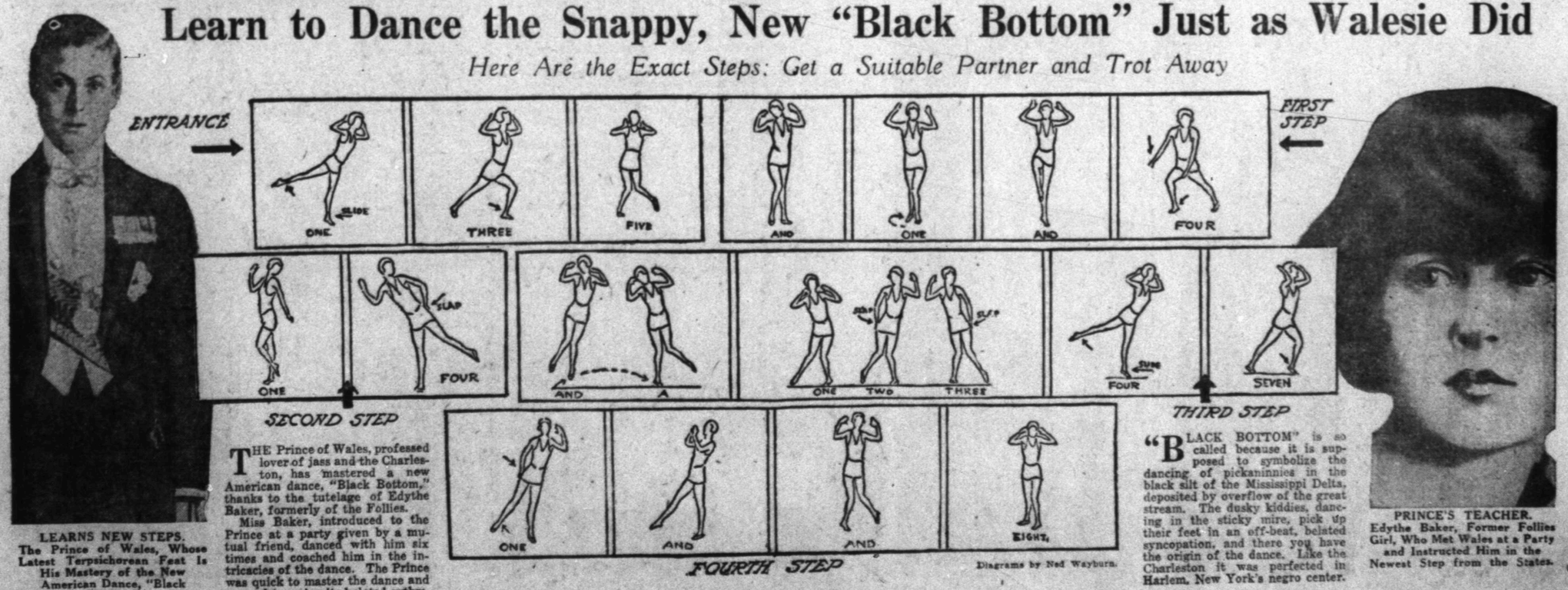
"100 PER CENT BABY" AND HER MOTHER.
Mrs. Grace Andrews, of Detroit, Who Reared Michigan's "Perfect Baby," Pictured with Her, But Who Did Not Succeed So Well in "Rearing" Her Husband.

Mrs. Grace Andrews, mother of the infant [illegible] judged champion at the State Fair told the judge. He was lazy, left her broke, had the wanderlust, and not even a radio could keep him home at night, charged Mrs. Andrews.

Andrews, though claiming that his wife was the very imperfect mother of a perfect baby, lost the divorce suit and custody of two children, and alimony.

Learn to Dance the Snappy, New "Black Bottom" Just as Walesie Did

Here Are the Exact Steps: Get a Suitable Partner and Trot Away



LEARNS NEW STEPS.
The Prince of Wales, Whose Latest Terpsichorean Feat Is His Mastery of the New American Dance, "Black Bottom."

THE Prince of Wales, professed lover of jass and the Charleston, has mastered a new American dance, "Black Bottom," thanks to the tutelage of Edythe Baker, formerly of the Follies.

Miss Baker, introduced to the Prince at a party given by a mutual friend, danced with him six times and coached him in the intricacies of the dance. The Prince was quick to master the dance and seemed to enjoy its belated rythm.

"BLACK BOTTOM" is so called because it is supposed to symbolize the dancing of pickaninnies in the black silt of the Mississippi Delta, deposited by overflow of the great stream. The dusky kiddies, dancing in the sticky mire, pick up their feet in an off-beat, belated syncopation, and there you have the origin of the dance. Like the Charleston it was perfected in Harlem, New York's negro center.

PRINCE'S TEACHER.
Edythe Baker, Former Follies Girl, Who Met Wales at a Party and Instructed Him in the Newest Step from the States.

Diagrams by Ned Wayburn.

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Safety First with Gas Appliances

The Institute Engineers Offer Some Valuable Advice



The Openings or Holes in Any Gas-Burner Should Be So Designed That They Will Light All at Once. Crumbs Sometimes Clog Up These Holes.

SAFETY is today a watch-word in our lives. Industry is making every effort to prevent accidents, and educational campaigns in municipalities are designed to inform and instruct the public how to avoid injuries and loss of life. And yet, with all that has been done, there is a lamentable number of serious accidents, many of them in the home, because of lack of proper education and carelessness.

A good example of how careless and thoughtless many people are was disclosed through a survey recently made by a gas company serving a large city. Sixty thousand gas consumers were visited by the company inspectors and, as a result, hundreds of worn and broken fixtures, hundreds of unsafe appliances, and vast quantities of defective gas tubing were replaced. Leaky gas tubing was found on which repairs had been attempted by using adhesive tape, rags, soap—in fact, anything that came to hand. Tubing was found with loose connecting tips, and many pieces were rotted because of years of use. Thousands of people literally were gambling with their health or lives for the sake of replacement cost of a length of good gas tubing. This seems almost unbelievable, nevertheless it is a fact.

Municipalities like New York City and others, recognizing the hazard in poorly-made gas tubing, are promulgating ordinances forbidding the sale of any gas tubing other than that which will meet rigid specifications and tests of such a nature that a satisfactory safe product is assured. All communities in which gas is used as a fuel should have such ordinances to prevent the sale of unsuitable and inherently dangerous tubing to unsuspecting people who are ignorant of the requirements for a safe product. Women can do much to help such a beneficial legislation by working through their clubs and organizations with the local Board of Health and city departments having jurisdiction.

And understanding of the principles of combustion makes clear the reason for care in the operation of any heating device which burns fuel. For example, if charcoal is burned, the carbon of which the charcoal is composed unites with the oxygen of the air, forming carbon dioxide—or, if sufficient oxygen is not available, carbon monoxide. Now carbon dioxide is not poisonous, although an atmosphere of it will not support life because the oxygen in it cannot be extracted by the lungs in the breathing process; but carbon monoxide is poisonous even in very small quantities.

From this it is apparent that the first essential for the proper burning of fuel having carbon in it is that sufficient oxygen shall be provided to insure complete oxidation or complete combustion of the carbon. Further, it must be obvious that as the oxygen of the air is being used in the burning of the fuel and converted to carbon dioxide, more air must be provided, otherwise the atmosphere will become largely carbon dioxide. Not only will this fail to support life, but it will not support combustion and the flame will be extinguished.

The above explains why we should not operate a gas heater, an oil heater, or any other fuel-burning device not having a flue connection, in a room without adequate ventilation. Many accidents are caused by people using a gas heater or water heater in a small bathroom with the doors closed to retain the warmth during the bathing time. Much of the oxygen in the air is soon used, and then complete combustion results with the release of poisonous carbon monoxide.

The necessity for perfect combustion suggests that care be exercised in the selection of gas-burning equipment as well as in its use. When purchasing a gas range, water heater, or room heater, buy only the products made by manufacturers of known reputation. If the device is not well designed and built, it may be impossible to secure good combustion while using it. Recently the American Gas Association started a testing service available to manufacturers of gas-burning appliances; if possible, assure yourself that what you are buying conforms to the high standards of this association. The present standards of Good Housekeeping Institute for burner operation and construction follow the A. G. A. specifications.

When a gas appliance is purchased it should be adjusted to suit your particular conditions of gas pressure, gas heat unit content, etc. This adjustment should only be made by some one who knows how to do it, and the adjustment should not be changed so long as conditions remain the same. Acquaint yourself with what a correct flame looks like, and if your burners do not show a correct flame they need adjustment. The adjustment consists in the proper proportioning of air and gas to give perfect combustion.

With the bunsen flame that is used on most gas appliances there is a characteristic color and shape that is familiar to most everyone in districts where gas is used. The flame usually issues from a small hole or port and assumes a distinct conical shape with a bluish outer envelope and a somewhat greener inner cone. The flame should burn steadily without lifting away from the port, and the cones from each port should be distinct and not merged or joined with those adjacent. It is not difficult to know and remember what a good flame looks like, so every one should take the trouble to learn. However, it is best to have an expert adjust the proportion of gas and primary air to give the correct flame.

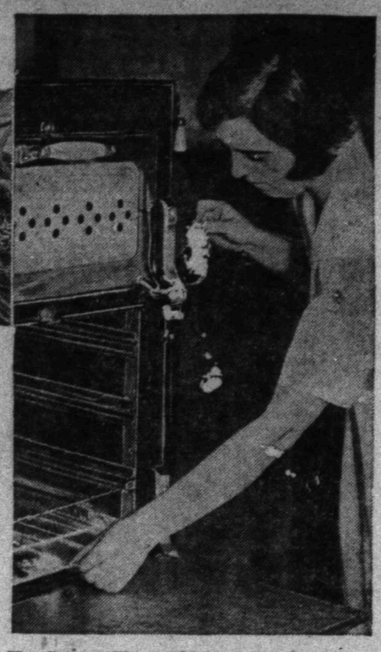
When the burners of a gas range are properly adjusted, the tips of the flame will just touch the bottom of a utensil placed on the stove top over the burner. If the flames spread around and up the sides of the utensil, there is the likelihood of poor combustion and the certainty of waste of fuel. Turn the control cock until the flame tips just reach the pot, and if your burner is properly adjusted you will then have safe combustion and good economy.



With a Flexible Gas Tube, Always Turn Off the Gas at the Pipe First and Then at the Pet-Cock on the Device Itself. Use Only the Best Grade of Tubing.



This Pile of Defective Gas Tubing Was Gathered from Consumers' Installations. Each Piece Was a Potential Serious or Fatal Accident.



The Correct Way to Light a Gas Oven Is to Light the Match First and Then Turn On the Gas Afterwards. Be Careful, Too, Not to Put Your Face Too Close to the Oven.

Certified by Good Housekeeping Institute

These household articles are supervised by the Cookery Department of the internationally recognized Good Housekeeping Institute, where, in their fully equipped, modern laboratories types of household devices are tested by a corps of scientifically trained men and women. Furthermore, new cookery methods are constantly being evolved to save steps, time and labor for housekeepers. All recipes are tested and standardized and will always work, if directions are carefully followed. Recipes printed on this page serve six people unless otherwise specified.

Dishes Made from Left-Over Turkey

These Recipes Will Be Found Extremely Practical and Economical Following the Thanksgiving Holiday. They Will Also Serve the Same Purpose at Christmas.

Turkey Cream.

CUT the breast and the second joint into several good-sized pieces. In the bottom of a glass casserole or baking dish put a layer of cold stuffing and arrange the pieces of turkey on this. Make a rich sauce, using two tablespoonfuls of flour rubbed together, and slowly add one and one-half cupfuls of cold milk to make a thick sauce. Beat the yolks of three eggs, add the milk mixture and one teaspoonful of salt. Pour this rich, yellow sauce over the turkey, cover with one pound of chopped, sauted mushrooms to which have been added one-fourth cupful of bread crumbs, two tablespoonfuls of butter, and one teaspoonful of salt. Bake in a 500° F. oven for twelve minutes.

Turkey Rolls.

Pick off all the small pieces of meat, saving the large pieces for other services. Dice them very small, until you have two cupfuls; cut about the same size one-half cupful of tongue and one-half cupful of lean, cooked ham. Melt two tablespoonfuls of fat, blend in two and one-half tablespoonfuls of flour and add one-half cupful of milk. Season with one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-eighth teaspoonful each of pepper and nutmeg and a dash of cayenne. Cook in a double-boiler until smooth and thick. Add the meat mixture and cook fifteen minutes longer. Then add two egg-yolks, three tablespoonfuls of bread crumbs and one tablespoonful vinegar. Heat well for five minutes, pour into a dish and let cool. Shape into croquettes, roll in beaten egg, then in fine bread crumbs. Fry until brown in deep fat heated to 390 degrees Fahrenheit. Serve with a tomato sauce.

Turkey Bombay.

Cut the meat from the turkey in one-half-inch pieces. Heat a tablespoonful of butter, add a minced green pepper and the minced hearts of two white onions, brown a few minutes, and add one-half chopped apple, one cupful of raw washed rice, two cupfuls of consomme, one-half cupful of strained tomato juice, one teaspoonful of salt, and one-eighth teaspoonful of pepper. Then add the turkey, mix well, put in a covered casserole in a 400° F. oven, and bake for forty-five minutes. Remove and add to the hot mixture two beaten egg-yolks and two tablespoonfuls of grated Parmesan cheese. Mix lightly, put all in a greased mold and steam for twenty-five minutes. Unmold and serve hot with reheated gravy.

A Tip About Pastry

Poor Pastry Often Spoils a Good Pie. Here Is a Recipe Which Should Result in a Delicately Baked Crust.

FOR COLD WATER PASTRY, measure one and one-half cupfuls of sifted pastry flour and sift together with one-half teaspoonful of salt and one-half teaspoonful of baking-powder in a mixing bowl. Then measure one-half cupful of fat, and work the fat into the flour, using two knives in a cutting motion until the particles of fat are the size of small peas and the whole resembles a coarse meal. Since it is essential to keep this pastry as cold as possible, never use the finger tips to work in the shortening. Add cold water, very gradually, until enough has been added to make a stiff dough; about three to four tablespoonfuls will be needed. Use a knife or spatula for working in the water. If there is time, it is well to chill the pastry for one hour or longer at this stage. Turn the pastry on a slightly-floured molding surface. Flour the rolling pin and pat the pastry into a long, narrow sheet one-quarter inch thick. Roll up like a jelly-roll, and cut off as needed from the end.

A Sea-Food Recipe

This Delicious Recipe Has Been Tested and Tasted by the Expert Cooks at Good Housekeeping Institute.

Minced Oysters.

1 cupful chopped cabbage
½ cupful chopped celery
1 teaspoonful onion
3 tablespoonfuls butter, fat, or oil
¾ teaspoonful salt
2 cupfuls water
1 pint small oysters, drained
2 eggs
1 cupful sifted, dried bread crumbs
⅛ teaspoonful pepper

COMBINE the finely chopped cabbage, celery and onion. Melt the fat in a frying pan and add the chopped vegetables. Cook gently, stirring occasionally, until the vegetables are well coated with the fat, then add the water, cover the frying pan, and continue cooking until the vegetables are tender. Meanwhile, drain the small oysters and cut them rather fine. Add to the cooked vegetables, together with three-fourths cupful of the sifted bread crumbs, the eggs slightly beaten, the salt, and the pepper. Blend thoroughly and arrange in a greased baking-dish, or in individual ramekins, with one-fourth cupful of sifted crumbs on top. Bake at 400° F. for fifteen minutes.

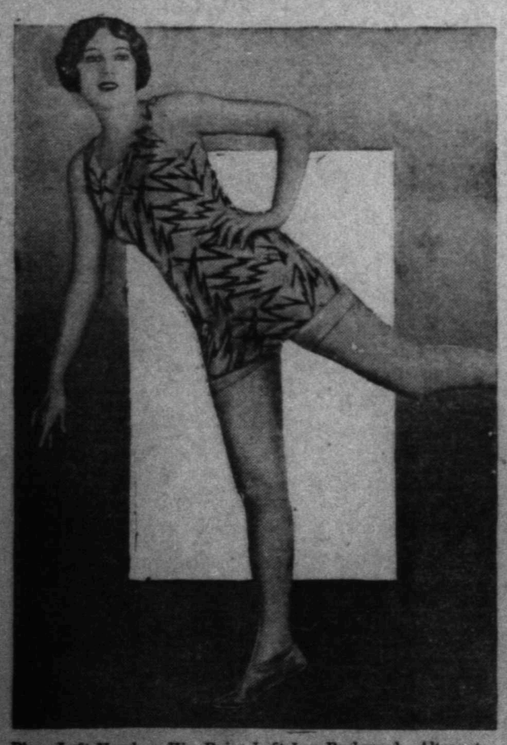
Physical Culture

Exercising to Keep Your Hips Slender

THE best exercises for reducing your hips are those which involve kicks of various sorts. Kicking of any kind brings into use the muscles of your hips and tends to reduce the amount of superfluous flesh on them.

The particular kicks illustrated here are designed for the purpose of keeping the hips slender. They are essentially simple. None of them is complicated or particularly difficult to do. Yet you will find that if you do them with all the vigor you possess your muscles will become a little stiff and sore.

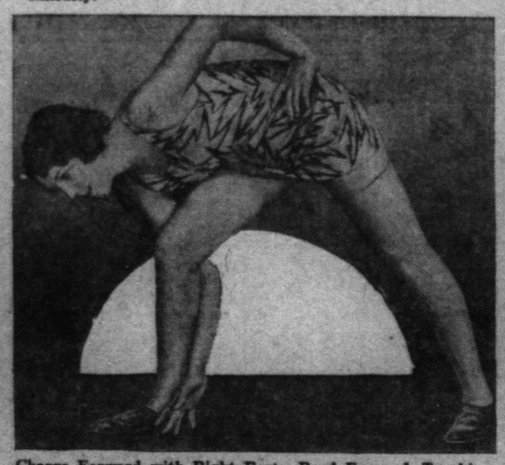
That feeling of stiffness is a sure sign that your muscles are in need of exercise. If they were fit and in training they could perform the work without that feeling of strain. However, the stiffness will only last a day or two, and if you continue with the exercises they will soon be in fit condition to do anything you demand of them without difficulty.



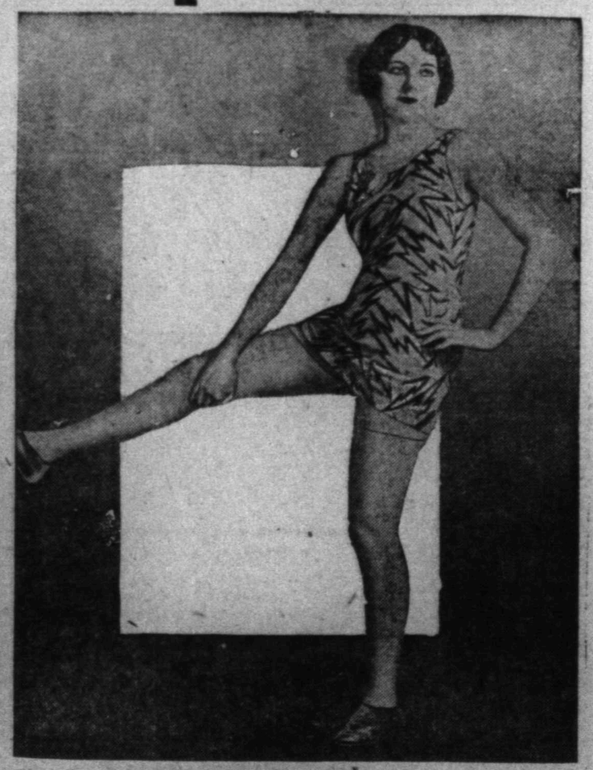
Place Left Hand on Hip, Raise Left Leg Backward. Alternate Rapidly to Left and Right. This Exercise Will Bring Into Use Muscles Not Generally Used.



Place Right Foot About Ten Inches in Front of Left. Bend, Touching Left Hand to Right Foot. Alternate to Left and Right.



Charge Forward with Right Foot. Bend Forward, Touching Back of Right Hand to Inside of Right Ankle as Shown Above.



Place Your Left Hand on Your Hip and Kick Forward with Your Right Foot. Place Your Hand Under Your Knee and Hold Your Leg Up for Three Counts. Then Repeat to the Left.

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MAGIC — The Weekly Puzzle Page — RIDDLES

Ten Little Fellows

By L. Lamar Matthews



TEN little fellows went for a - - - -
One came ashore and his ma got him.

Nine little fellows jumped in the stream
One got scared and started to - - - - - -



Eight little fellows dived out o' sight
And the scared little fellow died of - - - - -

Seven little fellows put on their clothes
Where the other went; well, nobody - - - - -

Six little fellows stole from a - - - -
Two got caught and then there were four.



Four little fellows climbed up a - - - -
One fell out and then there were three.



Three little fellows hid in a park
One ran home, right after - - - -

The coon and the monkey that live in the - - -
Found the others asleep and ate up the two.

EIGHT words, the letters of which are represented by dots, are missing from this "jolly jingle." See if you can supply the right words to complete the rhymes.

Minding Your P's and Q's

THE game of "Minding your P's and Q's" will afford much amusement and mental stimulation to any number of players. First a leader is chosen and all the other players group themselves in a circle, sitting on chairs or on the floor. The leader then takes his place in the centre of the circle and asks each player a question in turn. For example, he might say to the first player:

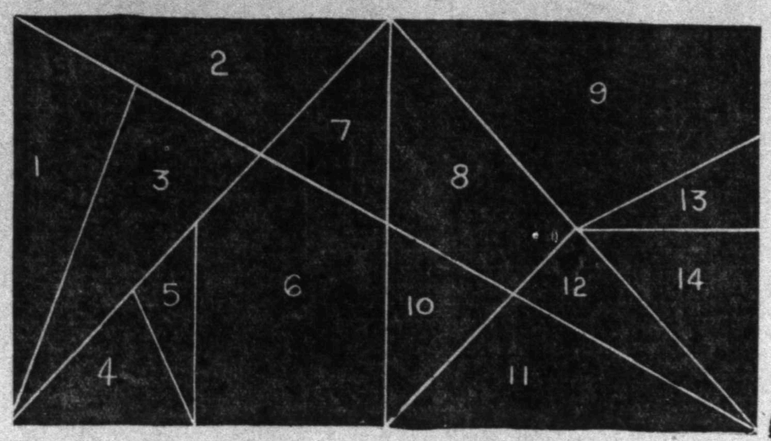
"What were you doing yesterday? Mind your P's and Q's!"

Without hesitating the player must answer the question, but in doing so he must be sure that his reply contains a noun the first letter of which comes after the letter "P" or "Q" in the alphabet. For example, he might give as his answer.

"Shoveling snow off the sidewalk."

If the player questioned fails to fulfill the conditions of the game, he takes his place within the circle and there remains until someone does not answer properly one of his questions.

The Ancient Greek Puzzle That Still Fascinates



NEARLY twenty-three centuries ago Archimedes, the famous Greek mathematician, invented a puzzle game that now promises to reach its greatest popularity in the twentieth century. The ancient Greeks called this pastime the "stomachion" because of its powers to fascinate and challenge the wits of the wisest men of that day. Even those who today have tried it declare that the game was correctly named.

The stomachion was popular throughout the ancient civilized world up to the beginning of the Dark Ages in the fifth century, when it was lost. Its recent rediscovery was brought about through the researches of Prof. R. D. Oldham, a British scientist. Clues to the puzzle were found in a few scattered references in ancient books on mathematics and in Arabic mathematical works between the fifth and fourteenth centuries.

Any one can make a stomachion by following these simple directions. First cut out the black oblong and mount it on cardboard. Then cut it apart into fourteen odd-shaped pieces, as indicated by the white lines. When used in combination these pieces can be made to make all sorts of angles, corners, lines and sides.

The rule of the game is that all fourteen pieces must be used in forming each figure and therein lies the puzzle part of it. With a little practice, however, you will soon be surpriseed how skillful you can become in accurately fitting the fourteen pieces together in an infinite variety of objects.

With the stomachion you can form nearly every known object. One example is shown in the accompanying figure of a dancing girl.

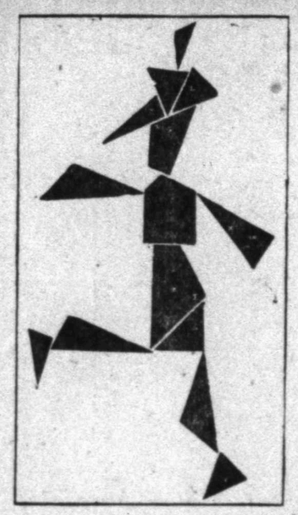
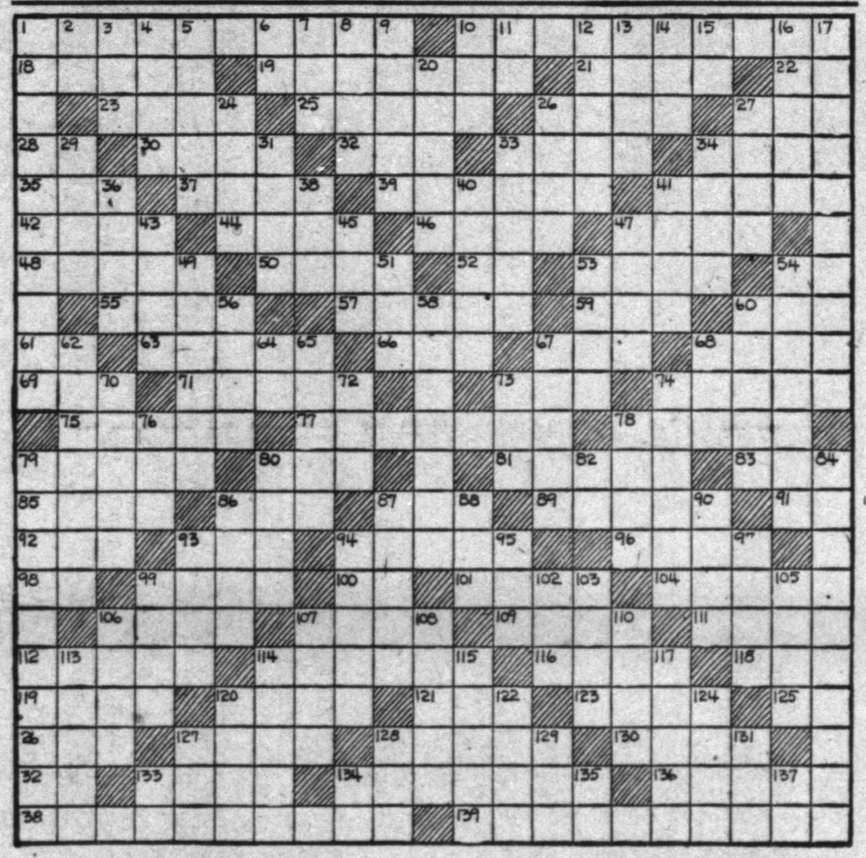


Diagram of the Stomachion Puzzle Game. The Fourteen Pieces Are Formed by Cutting Along the White Lines.



At the Left: The Figure of a Dancing Girl Made with the Fourteen Pieces of the Stomachion.

Premier Cross-Word Puzzle



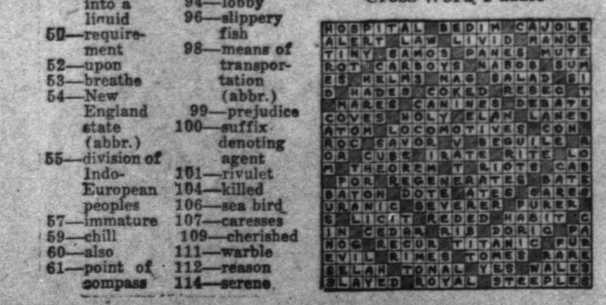
HORIZONTAL.

1—separated
10—military assitant
18—heroine of "Idylls of the King"
19—inns
21—valley
22—either
23—cooking utensils
25—new supply
26—moving picture
27—52
28—toward
30—company of athletes
32—harass
33—heavy stick
34—attention
35—illuminated
37—demolish
39—longs
41—customs
42—brother of Jacob
44—vegetable
46—thin, narrow opening
47—missive
48—resolves into a liquid
50—requirement
52—upon
53—breathe
54—New England state (abbr.)
55—division of Indo-European peoples
57—immature
59—chill
60—also
61—point of compass
63—people
66—unit of energy
67—female deer
68—Roman philosopher
69—high explosive
71—storming
73—a Greek poet
74—wanderer
75—thin, black gauze of silk
77—stops
78—kind of cigarette
79—versifiers
80—to follow diligently
81—used the needle
83—cunning
85—sea eagle
86—dance step
87—a unit
89—heavy cloth
91—East Orange (abbr.)
92—color
93—damp
94—lobby
96—slippery fish
98—means of transportation (abbr.)
99—prejudice
100—suffix denoting agent
101—rivulet
104—killed
106—sea bird
107—caresses
109—cherished
111—warble
112—reason
114—serene
116—prescribed course of food
118—army officers (abbr.)
119—unbeautiful
120—sediment
121—annex
123—venture
125—Old Testament (abbr.)
126—knock lightly
127—dropped
128—constellation
130—man
132—opera (abbr.)
133—end aimed at
134—suffer from heat
136—one who extracts ore from ground
138—act of restraining
139—efforts of a horse to throw its rider

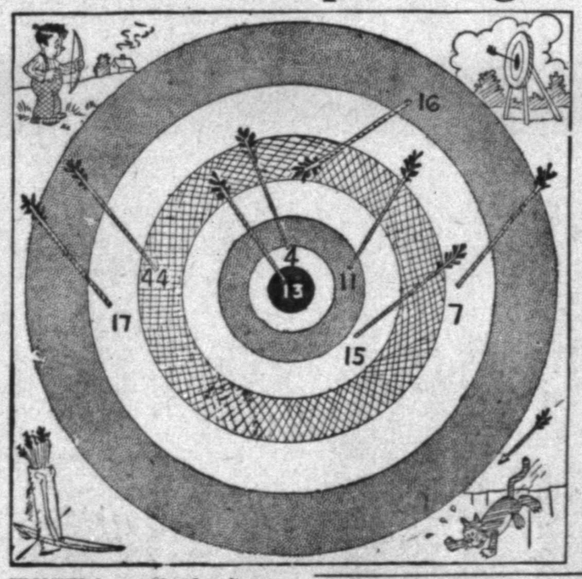
VERTICAL.

1—colony
2—Hebrew god
3—hiatus
4—tumult
5—penetrate
6—near
7—sailor
8—smooth
9—wait
10—one indeterminately
11—exists
12—wrongs
13—glade
14—shade tree
15—engineering degree (abbr.)
16—watered cloth
17—rank in the Catholic Church
20—storms
24—Biblical character
26—fountain
27—tardy
29—river in France
31—appearance
33—tine
34—quote
36—soft, soapy mineral
38—born
40—beside
41—roam
43—American Indians
45—solution
47—delicate
49—sailing vessels
51—female deer
53—king of beasts
54—remarkable
56—air
58—insistence
60—domesticates
62—calls for repetition
64—place of the seal (abbr.)
65—carnivorous marine mammals
67—flowers
68—spike of corn
70—inclination
72—essay
73—possessive pronoun
74—touches with the elbow
76—consumed
78—close with wax
79—one who ill-treats
80—taps
82—you and I
84—children
86—sound of a bell
87—the great artery
88—ever (poet.)
90—measures of distance
93—trick
94—nourishes
95—freed
97—navigate
99—occupied
102—guided
103—placed down
105—within
106—quick swallow
107—remove the skin of
108—look fixedly
110—quantity of paper
113—with mouth open
114—relinquishes for cash
115—Roman magistrate
117—hobo
120—meadows
122—specks
124—pen name of Charles Lamb
127—enemy
128—possess
129—clear profit
131—termination
133—Greek (abbr.)
135—railroad (abbr.)
137—suffix denoting on to who an act is done.

Answer to Last Week's Cross-Word Puzzle



Mental Sharpshooting



TOMMY is considered quite an expert shot with the bow and arrow. The target above shows evidence of his skill as a marksman. He has, in fact, scored exactly 100 points. How many shots did he require and what numbers did he hit to make his perfect score?

Hidden Names

IN each of the following sentences there is hidden the name of a girl or a boy, which may be formed of the last part of one word and the first of another:

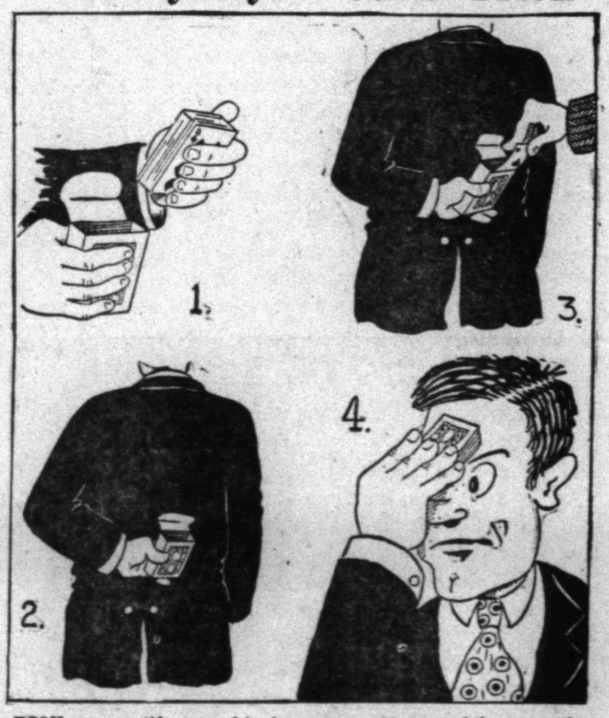
1. On arriving at the house a mysterious visitor gave the door bell a loud ring. (two names).
2. Try this jam, Esme, for I am sure you will like it.
3. Which would you rather have—a hound or a case of eggs?
4. The Carlos car is becoming more popular each year.
5. In Celon rubies are found daily, diamonds only occasionally.
6. As he stood on the topmost step he nodded and waved to the crowd below.

How Very Strange!

ISN'T it a funny thing—
Doesn't it seem out of place—
That a match should have a head
When it hasn't got a face?
Isn't it a little strange,
After everything is said,
That a watch should have a face
When it hasn't got a head?

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"X-Ray Eye" Card Trick



YOU can mystify your friends with a card trick that will make you appear as having X-ray eyes or as a mind reader. To perform this trick first remove a deck of cards from their paste board box, as shown in Figure 1 and give the former to someone in your audience. Now hold the empty box behind your back (Figure 2) and ask the person to whom you gave the deck of cards to select one card and place it, face down, in the empty box, as in Figue 3, and close the flap so that the card cannot be seen.

Now you are ready to astound your audience. Hold the card box to your forehead, concentrate for a moment or so, and then correctly name the card that was returned to the empty box.

Here is the secret of the trick: Cut a small hole in the lower right hand corner of the card box. Hold the empty box, back downward, behind your back and be sure that your thumb carefully conceals the hole as the selected card is put in the box.

The final part of the trick consists of bringing the card box from behind your back to your forehead. As you do this remove your thumb from the hole and you can see the corner of the card. Note the insignia thereon and name the card.

What a Mix-Up in the Movies!



WHEN a movie company had completed a comedy film it was found to be too long, so it had to be cut. In doing this it got all mixed up as shown in the four panels. Cut them apart and arrange correctly.

Answers to Last Week's Puzzles

What's Wrong with This Picture? 1—No wings on turkey. 2—Guard on knife instead of fork. 3—Coat buttons on grandpa's shirt cuffs. 4—No lock on gun. 5—No seat on chair. 6—No window shade. 7—No string to hold almanac. 8—Sash left out of window. 9—No handle on pitcher. 10—Deer head has goat horns. 11—Crest on stuffed woodcock. 12—Ball left off right end of curtain rod. 13—Only one ear on horned owl. 14—No pendulum on clock. 15—No castor on china closet. 16—No whiskers on cat. 17—Incorrectly made letter N on block. 18—Heel missing from woman's shoe. 19—No necktie on man. 20—One upright piece left out of chair.

Jumbled Dinner: 1—Turkey. 2—Celery. 3—Olives. 4—Pickles. 5—Soup. 6—Oysters. 7—Potatoes. 8—Spinach. 9—Beans 10—Asparagus 11—Cranberries. 12—Beets. 13—Lettuce. 14—Endive. 15—Ice Cream. 16—Pumpkin 17—Cheese. 18—Mincemeat. 19—Apples. 20—Grapes. 21—Walnuts. 22—Pecans. 23—Cider. 24—Fruit cake. 25—Coffee. 26—Milk.

Krazy Kut was a turkey.

Cryptogram: A line drawn from upper left hand corner to lower right hand corner bisects letters spelling Thanksgiving Day.

Riddles: 1—Because he is always on top. 2—A powder magazine. 3—Smile, because there is a mile between the first and the last letter. 4—Because it carries dates. 5—A mushroom. 6—An earwig. 7—Because it is making game of it. 8—Because it has no point. 9—One is hard to get up and the other is hard to get down. 10—February, because it is the shortest. 11—Because it grows down.

Parts of the body: 1—Temple. 2—Hare (hair). 3—Palm. 4—Chest. 5—Sole. 6—Feat (feet). 7—Knows (nose).

Queer Sentence: Re not cross either before nor after tea.

Buried Proverb: There's no place like home.

Problem in Change: Johnny got 13 silver dollars and 14 half-dollars.

Riddles

1—Why is it very easy for a fisherman to get rich?
2—What animal is often on legal documents?
3—What is that of which the common kind is best?
4—What can a blind man always see?
5—When is a window like a rocket?
6—What is the jolliest letter in the alphabet?
7—Why is the number 7,000,000 (seven million) such a bad one?
8—Why is a beehive like a spectator?

SIXTY-FIVE CENTS - By FANNIE HURST

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MYRTLE SNIDER'S marriage was one of those that fire the imagination and the dreams of thousands of young girls who strap hang their way to work.

When she was nineteen, blonde, blue-eyed, dimpled in a lovely winsome way and fair enough for men to turn their heads and gaze after, she married her employer.

One day, three weeks after she had entered his Wall Street office as stenographer, Lloyd Barrett, who was fifty, a bachelor, reputed to be of enormous wealth, sat down beside her when the office was emptying for noon hour and in what was practically their first conversation, put this astonishing proposition to her:

"Ever since you came into this office, Myrtle, three weeks ago, with a slip in your hands from the employment agency where we hire our girls, something has been dawning upon me slowly and surely. You are the most beautiful little thing in the world. You are as pure as snow and as lovely. I love you. Will you marry me?"

Three weeks later they were married in a church on Park Avenue. Lloyd Barrett's best friend, Clarence Wyath, President of the Longacre Trust Company, was the sole attendant, and Myrtle's mother and her father, who was mechanic in a typewriter factory, and her sister, who was fourteen and attending commercial college, sat in a pew and held tightly to one another's hands.

If Myrtle was not exactly transported into a seventh heaven of ecstacy at what had befallen her, she was by no means unattracted to the man she had married. At fifty, Barrett was at what was probably the most attractive period of his life. Distinguished, and only ever so slightly portly, with strong black hair shot with just enough gray to lend authority, impeccable taste in dress, fastidiousness of person and a certain subtle bearing of success, he was not the usual old man who had chosen a tender darling.

And now began what was to the strap-hanging girls who jammed each morning into Wall Street offices, and to whom Myrtle's story was legend, the fairy story part of it all.

The Lloyd Barretts set up housekeeping in one of those duplex tower apartments that had just been completed in New York. A literal sky palace with a view that overlooked park, river and even the palisades of New Jersey. There were six servants besides a personal maid for Myrtle.

To a girl who from the age of sixteen had been accustomed to earning her own living and that a scant one, the situation was crammed with novelty and excitement.

That is, for the first year. Barrett, although more settled, and long since tired of the things that were just beginning to attract Myrtle, was nevertheless a doting and indulgent husband.

Indulgent in a fashion, however, that was to take on grave proportions.

The facts were these: Barrett permitted Myrtle charge accounts in some of the large and smart shops of New York, at Sherry's, the Waldorf, at a first-rate jeweller's, a florist's, and a theatre ticket agency.

Myrtle was at liberty to indulge herself generously at these places. It was nothing for her to order five hundred dollars' worth of frocks on a morning's shopping expedition, a gem-studded necklace, or a rich set of furs. She was quite free to take friends to luncheon with her at the Waldorf, signing the check and even stipulating that the tip be charged.

And vicariously Myrtle was able to do for her family. She even learned a trick, well known by countless women in her plight, of prevailing upon her dressmaker to send Barrett a bill over and above the actual amount and give her the difference in cash.

The bitter fact was that when Myrtle took some of her old commercial college friends to the opera, they had more cash in their pockets than she. Gradually this humiliating, depressing knowledge began to close in on Myrtle. To offend, to degrade, to antagonize her. Barrett out and out declined to permit Myrtle cash in her pocketbook, arguing that such freedom was responsible for the lax habits of the modern woman.

The situation of her little secret arrangement with her dressmakers came to a head one night, when Barrett out and out charged her with such duplicity. There was a bitter, angry scene, and Myrtle rushed off to bed, although she was dressed for the theatre, to cry herself to sleep instead.

There was reconciliation, much petting from Barrett, a white fox set of furs the next day, with his card marked with criss crosses, meaning kisses, in one corner, and life in their castle in the air resumed its luxurious course.

Then one day Eulalie Connor, a girl with whom Myrtle had once worked in a law office, and who had since married a struggling young lawyer, bumped into Myrtle just as she was stepping into her car from a morning of fittings.

There was excited reunion and nothing would do but Eulalie must bundle into Myrtle's car while the two girls drove through the park and exchanged reminiscences.

There was nothing of snobbery about Myrtle and of course Eulalie had long since heard of the fairy-like stroke of good fortune that had befallen her friend.

Eulalie, though happily married, was living in a small flat on the edge of Flatbush. The morning grew higher as they drove and a perfect October day made the park blaze in glory around them.

Two young, gay things. Children, with laughter that rose as they rode and old-time confidences suddenly resumed.

At one o'clock Myrtle suggested lunch.

The Waldorf!

"Oh, no, dear," cried Eulalie, who had a high, nervous little voice. "I'm not dressed for there—really I couldn't."

"Well, then—Sherry's."

"Darling, that's even worse. Invite me another day. I'll adore it. But just let's go somewhere simple today. A tea room."

There were sixty-five cents in Myrtle's gold mesh bag. Not enough to pay for lunch for two.

Myrtle's gold mesh bag had cost sixty-five hundred dollars.

"I—if you don't mind, dear—I'll go home. I—another time, dear. I forgot—dressmaker engagement."

People, including her family, said that when Myrtle left her husband she was quite mad.

Perhaps.

She earns sixty-five dollars a week now as private secretary to the president of a bank.

Those who know her best say she radiates happiness.

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