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DENVER TO START ON PLAINS LINE JAN. 1

So This Is Texas

Editors for 20 Years—Wonder City of America—Great Oil Industry—Texas Ranks High Again.

By H. N. Fitzgerald.

MEN of the Fourth Estate, at any rate those whose names are on the roster of the Texas Editorial association, are going to get a close up of the Sabine district December 9 and 10 and Port Arthur will be an eye opener to these men and women who have been in newspaper harness in Texas more than 20 years.

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PORT Arthur is known as the industrial port of America, and it is richly deserving of the title.

Economic writers have called it "The Wonder City of America."

It has a land locked harbor.

It has a 30 foot channel to the sea.

It has more than 30 miles water front.

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IT has a public school system that is of nation wide fame.

It has churches and skyscrapers that appeal to the artistic eye of world famous architects.

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IT has the finest hunting and fishing grounds or preserves to be found anywhere.

It has 19 pipe lines converging in Jefferson county, drawing the oil from all the important fields of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Kansas.

It has refineries of the greatest capacity and the most modern equipment.

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IN fact, Port Arthur makes the proud claim of being the leading oil refining center of the world with great fleets of tankers which cover the seven seas, it makes good its boast without argument of being the industrial port of the world or at least one of the most important.

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LEST we forget, the old time editors are reminded that in this section of Texas hospitality is of the brand that it was in antebellum days and there is ever a wide open door to the visitor from afar who enters the gateway of this fast growing gulf port and industrial center.

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SPEAKING of the coast section of Texas, on the fringe of Port Arthur there is land as rich as in the valley of the Nile awaiting the plow and the hoe or the tractor and cultivator.

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SOME day there will be another summer-winter garden of America and it will be found where the fig tree grows and blossoms and bears its luscious fruit and all the berries and vegetables of the temperate zone may be produced in quality and quanity that is staggering to the mind.

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THERE are vast tracks of virgin soil awaiting development and cultivation and when the men who are land hungry invade the section they are certain to manufacture material for astonishing stories of the wealth and the productivity of the soils.

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IT is announced by an expert that the value of Texas mineral products for 1926 will exceed the aggregate for 1925 by about $5,000,000, the state holding rank of sixth in the United States in value of mineral.

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PETROLEUM wealth for the year, according to the estimate will have a value of $215,000,000 while the value of other minerals may go beyond $60,000,000.

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ACCORDING to the same authority, 10 years ago the value of all mineral production in Texas was $48,000,000. In 10 years it has jumped to $275,000,000. Texas first.

LOOK before you shop. Save steps. Save dollars. Turn today to THE SHOP-O-SCOPE

Freezing Tourists Rescued From Pass

AUTO CARAVAN SAVED AFTER TWO-DAY FAST

Machines Dug Out From Heavy Snow Banks In Sierra Mountains

SAVED BY TELEPHONES

Modern Revision of Famed Donner Tragedy Is Narrowly Averted

TONAPAW, Nev., Dec. 1 (AP)—Rescued from the fate which befell the Donner party in the winter of 1846-47, men, women and children pasengers of 31 automobiles trapped in snow drifts in Montgomery pass in the Sierra mountains between here and southern California were recovering today from frost bite and hunger.

Heroic measures of the old west were resorted to in effecting the rescue but the telephone, unknown when the Donner party was trapped, was used to summon the rescuers. One of the 88 in the Donner party, 42 perished in the deserts of Utah and Nevada and the mountains of California.

Pass Blocked

Montgomery pass was sought by the tourists because the Sierra pass above Truckee, 200 miles to the north, was blocked for the winter. Huge drifts of snow trapped their automobiles and the tourists set about fighting off the cold and starvation as best they could until help should come.

Below them to the west laid the road to Bishop and Los Angeles, hidden under billows and wind-driven snow; behind them the road also was closed.

Their plight was made known throughout the mountain region by telephone. Soon Dan Haskan, veteran stage driver, was on the way from Tonapah with four horses and an automobile stage. He was accompanied by Bill Farrington, old-time musher. They virtually dug their way to the summit of the pass, the snow blotting out their tracks as they fought through the drifts.

Blue From Cold

They found the refugees blue from cold and suffering from a two-day fast. The cars were pulled out one by one and sent along a fairly clear road to the little resort of Benton where the tourists were given aid.

The month just passed was declared by the United States weather bureau to have been the stormiest in 40 years.

TO RETAIN POLICY

British to Continue Attitude Of Chinese Conciliation

LONDON, Dec. 1. (AP)—The British government is not likely to abandon its policy of conciliation towards China because of the threatened situation at Hankow, it was indicated in the house of commons and other governmental quarters today.

Sir Austen Chamberlin, secretary of foreign affairs, informed the house that there was no material change in the situation since Monday when marines were landed.

MORE DRY LAWS

Legislature to Be Asked to Pass New Regulation

HOUSTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—The state legislature convening in Austin in January will be asked to pass a law making it a misdemeanor to drink intoxicating liquor in a public place, Horace Soule, district attorney, announced Wednesday.

Mr. Soule will personally advocate the passage of such a statute, he said.

State Loses Mistrial Plea In Case Against Mrs. Hall and Flood Of Oratory From Attorneys Is Launched

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Dec. 1. (AP)—The state's failure to have a mistrial declared today in the Hall-Mills case allowed the trial to progress to the speechmaking stage. The first of a series of extended summing up speeches was begun this afternoon and indications tonight were the case would be given to the jury Friday. All of tomorrow and a portion of the next day are expected to be occupied with addresses to the jury.

The application for a mistrial was denied by the court without comment.

Only a part of the first speech was delivered today, Robert H. McCarter opening for the defense holding the floor at the close of the court day when he had spoken for two hours and 15 minutes. He will speak probably for another hour tomorrow and will be followed by Clarence E. Case to continue the defense summing up.

Wants Fresh Jury

Alexander Simpson, special prosecutor, said tonight that he would not speak at the "tag end" of the day when the jury was fagged. If the defense arguments continue into the afternoon session the state's summing up and judge's charge will go over to Friday.

The state's application for a mistrial was made at the opening of court, Simpson accusing the jury of undue sleepiness and of hostility to the state's cause and also charged the jury was inadequately guarded.

Affidavits were submitted from newspaper reporters and detectives that certain jurors had been seen nodding. Other affidavits said the jurors had been permitted to speak to persons not on the jury when the bailiffs were not present. A statement, later reduced to affidavit form, declared the special prosecutor and Mrs. Jane Gibson, the state's star witness had been referred to in terms of approbrium.

The jury, out of the court room while the state's representative preferred charges against its members returned and the case went on.

Little testimony remained and it was soon disposed of. The state, continuing rebuttal testimony, attacked the claim of Felix DiMartini, detective, once in the employ of Mrs. Hall, that he did not know Mrs. Mary DeMarest, a state's witness.

REAL WINTER HITS MIDWEST

December Brings Wave Of Ice and Snow Over Large Areas

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—December and real winter weather arrived simultaneously in the middlewest today. Old Man Winter, three weeks ahead of the time set for his official debut, sped eastward tonight with prospects that by tomorrow the most severe cold of the season will extend from the upper Mississippi valley to the Atlantic seaboard.

Temperatures tonight in the middlewest were expected to hover from zero to around 15 above. A little relief was promised by Thursday evening when winds were expected to shift to northeast.

Advances South

Today the front of the cold wave advanced southward into the middlewest and eastward over the upper great lakes region with zero temperatures extending through southern Minnesota, while even lower readings prevailed west of the Rockies.

In Iowa a drop of nearly 50 degrees in temperature was recorded since yesterday when the mercury stood around 60 and the entire northwest fought the coldest wave of the season which was marked principally by the presence of high winds and sudden drops in temperature within a few hours. Crookston, Minn., reportey 26 degrees below zero.

HE WAS A SHE

"Man" Arrested As Deserter Proves To Be a Woman

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—Arrested as an army deserter here Wednesday while lounging in front of a grocery store smoking a cigarette, Detective Arthur Milsap's prisoner proved to be a girl of about 20. She was dressed in men's clothing and, Milsap said, resembled the description of a deserter for whom a reward had been posted.

A search of her clothing at the police station revealed the prisoner was a woman. A dirk and a small bottle of corn whiskey was taken from her pockets.

BOOZE LOSES IN CANADA

Conservative Government Wins in Election By A Landslide

TORONTO, Dec. 1. (AP)—The conservative government of G. Howard Ferguson, running on a platform calling for the sale of liquor under government commission as opposed to the present prohibitory Ontario temperance act, virtually swept the province in the general elections to the Ontario legislature today.

At 11 o'clock tonight the returns indicated that of the 109 members who had been elected at that hour, 79 of various political affiliations were pledged to support Mr. Ferguson's policy in the legislature.

Of the 112 constituencies only three remained to be heard from.

CRIME SCHOOL

University To Train Crooks Found In San Antonio.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 1.(AP)—A university of crime equipped with blackboards, advanced courses, and a vocational department was unearthed by detectives here today and two men, who admitted being instructors, were captured.

The school consisted of four rooms, the walls of one being covered with slate blackboards. On the blackboards were diagrams of friction and tumbler safe locks and other varieties of locks. One diagram illustrated the proper method of picking a pocket.

TRIAL ADJOURNS

Hoffman Case Delayed by Illness Of Witness

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—Without taking testimony Wednesday but following a lengthy conference, the trial of the case of the state vs Hoffman Construction company before Judge George Calhoun was recessed until 9 o'clock Thursday morning. The defense asked for a continuance of three weeks because of the sickness of Rhea Starnes, Eastland, stockholder in the company, but this was denied.

$75,000 FIRE

Shortage of Water In Shamrock Is Blamed for Damage.

SHAMROCK, Texas, Dec. 1(AP) Shortage of water due to a break in a main was blamed for fire which seriously burned John Staggs, mechanic, and destroyed a garage with 45 automobiles and trucks stored in it, with a loss of $75,000, partially covered by insurance, here Wednesday. A gasoline explosion started the blaze.

GOOD WILL TOUR

63 San Antonio Men Leave On Special Train.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 1.(AP)—A delegation of 63 San Antonio business men, accompanied by entertainers and a number of guests left San Antonio Wednesday night on a special train for a good will tour to the lower Rio Grande valley. Edinburg, Raymondville, Lyford and Harlington are to be visited tomorrow.

WOMEN A GUARD

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 1. (AP)—Corrupt control of political affairs can exist only so long as women consent to it, Governor Nellie Tayloe Ross of Wyoming told the New York League of Women Voters tonight.

"They have the numbers," she said, "and they have the power to thwart it."

Golden Flood of Christmas Stock Dividends Break Over Wall Street Dikes As Forerunners of Still More

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—Golden harbingers of a rich Christmas in the United States were the distribution today of December first dividend checks and interest payments of nearly $400,000,000. This yellow stream will be further swollen when record-breaking payments are made of interest and dividends on January first. Half a billion dollars may be the measure of the January disbursements that will go to the security holders of the nation, now said to number 15,000,000.

Wall street anticipates that around a billion dollars will be paid out within the next 30 days, for there are also large payments to be made on December 15, as well as January 1. Over 200 corporations made payments today, an increase of about 60, compared with last year.

Bankers were unable to estimate today what proportion of this interest and dividend disbursement would go for Christmas buying. It would run into many millions, it was said. Re-investment demand would take a large part while the remainder would go for living expenses.

One of the heaviest payments today was that of the Pennsylvania railroad, which distributed to more than 138,000 stockholders checks aggregating $8,655,000. Another large distribution in a few days will be that of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey which has 20,000,000 shares outstanding. John D. Rockefeller Jr., will cut a heavy slice of this coming standard melon.

Some dividend checks run into small amounts. Recently the Jade Oil company declared a dividend of one-half a cent a share which has a par value of $1.

TEXAS BOASTS BALANCE OVER TEN MILLIONS

Hatcher Submits His Annual Report to Governor With $10,968,753 Margin

BANKS HOLD WARRANTS

State Treasurer Says That They are Entitled To State's Gratitude

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP) — W. Gregory Hatcher, state treasurer, Wednesday submitted to Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson his annual report covering the fiscal year ending Sept. 1, 1926 and showing a balance in all funds of $10,968,753. Receipts from all sources during the year aggregated $89,112,633, and disbursements totalled $86,823,221, and the balance on hand beginning the fiscal year Sept. 1, 1925 amounted to $8,679,351, the treasurer reported.

In his communication to the governor, Treasurer Hatcher points out that during the year and despite a net deficiency of $3,017,341 on Feb. 1, 1925, 40 days after he entered office the state went on a cash basis, and that through his efforts in January, 1926, reserve depository banks in Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio, carried warrants in excess of $3,000,000 without interest and cashed the warrants without discount.

Given No Interest.

"The banks received no interest or other consideration for the sums so tied up, and, in my humble opinion, are due the gratitude of the people of Texas for the patriotic service thus rendered the state," Treasurer Hatcher's statement read.

"Upon investigation I find that no treasurer has ever complied with the provisions of article 4384, revised civil statutes of Texas, with the exception of one, in complete report made by auditors from the comptroller's department joined by employees of the treasury department, and I recommend that this statute be repealed, or that the applications made by the 40th legislature include two additional auditors for the treasury department to carry out its provisions. In an endeavor to comply with this statute, this office has been working since September 1, in getting up the report called for on that date, to be included in the comptroller's annual report, and the same was completed November 26, but it is a physical impossibility for me to get this report out monthly with the number of employees I now have.

BARBER DEFIANT

Fort Worth Man Still Refuses To Reveal Daughter

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.(AP)—Steadfastly refusing to tell where his 8-year-old daughter is, William O. Stone, barber, jailed on a contempt charge, sought sleep on a county cell bunk for the third time tonight, while his lawyer, Harvey P. Schead, was speeding to Austin to seek a supreme court order of release.

Because Stone took his daughter, Billy Maxine, away from Fort Worth, August 15, in violation of a temporary injunction obtained by his then estranged wife, he was held in contempt of court Monday and committed to jail.

MAMA WANTED TO WED, BUT --- Daughter Kicked and It Was Off

When may a marriage license be said to have face value, or in what manner can it possibly become legal tender?

This is a question that is bothering a young man of this community.

The man received a marriage license from County Clerk Elizabeth Hall a few days ago. He paid good money for the script and it gave him legal permission to engage in matrimony with a widow nine years his senior.

The young man was happy—that is when he purchased the license. But Wednesday he returned to the county clerk's office and wanted his money back.

"It's no good to me now," he said. "After getting the license and everything fixed up, her daughter objected and we couldn't get married. Can't I turn this in and get my money?"

The county clerk explained that she could take the license and cancel it, but that she had no authority to refund the fee.

"How long is it good for?" he asked.

"The law doesn't say how long, but return must be filed within 60 days," the clerk told him.

He didn't say anything but took the license with him, and it may be that a return on that very thing will be recorded in the annals of this county yet.

GULF COMBED FOR RUM BOAT

Fugitive Liquor Ship With Kidnaped Men Aboard Object of Search

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1. (AP)—The three-masted schooner Arsene J., believed to be carrying two kidnaped prohibition men tonight was the object of an extended search into the Gulf of Mexico with all available revenue cutters and patrol boats called into service.

The schooner, an alleged rum runner, disappeared from anchorage off the Mississippi coast today after it had been captured by a patrol boat and J. B. Matthews, assistant prohibition administrator of New Orleans, and a machinists' mate had been stationed as guards while the patrol boat visited port to refuel.

Ship Escapes

When the patrol boat returned the ship was gone. Believing that it had been recaptured by the alleged rum runners, other cutters and patrol boats were called from Biloxi, Miss., and Galveston, Texas, to aid in the search. All shipping in the Gulf of Mexico was asked to watch for the ship and take the kidnaped men off if possible.

FLIGHT TO GO ON

Missuri Pacific To Continue Battle On Southern Pacific.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Dec. 1. (AP)—The unsuccessful fight of the Missouri Pacific lines before the Interstate commerce commission to prevent the building into the lower Rio Grande valley of the Southern Pacific's San Antonio and Aransas Pass road, will be resumed at Houston Thursday when an Interstate commerce commission examiner will hear testimony in the Southern Pacific's application to extend its valley line from Harlingen to Brownsville, a disfance of about 39 miles, all in Cameron county.

EXPRESSION KILLED

PALESTINE, Texas, Dec. 1. (AP)—J. F. Brant, veteran employe of an express company here, was killed by a locomotive as he was transferring express at the depot here Wednesday. He was 65 and leaves a widow and daughter, Mrs. J. N. Bilton of Houston.

REID HEADS AERIAL CORPS

Is Appointed New Mayor Of Texas National Guard Units

AUSTIN, Dec 1.(AP)— First Lieutenant Walter H. Reid, U. S. A. instructor for the air corps of the 36th division, Texas National Guard, Wednesday was appointed Major in the Texas Natfonal Guard and commander of the 36th division air corps. He succeeds Major Bernard A. Law, commander, who requested that he be transferred to the National Guard reserve.

Dallas J. Matthews, adjutant general, on the recommendation of Gen. John A. Hulen, commander in chief of the 36th division, requested the war department at Washington to authorize the transfer of Lieutenant Reid and Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has issued the commission.

TO FLY OVER STATE

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and Adjutant General Dallas J. Matthews Wednesday granted permission to Adjutant General Hartley A. Moon of Alabama for the 160th observation squadron and the 195th photo squadron to fly over the state of Texas.

FIELD CORPS TO GO OUT IN NEXT 2 WEEKS

Clarity, Back From Long Conference With Holden Makes Announcement

TRACK RIGHTS READY

Much of New Right-of-Way Already Pledged To System, He Says

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.(AP)—Construction of the Fort Worth and Denver railway's new lines across the south plains area of Texas will be under way by January 1, Frank E. Clarity, vice-president and general manager said today.

He has just returned from a conference at Chicago with Hale Holden, president of the Burlington system, of which the Denver is a subsidiary. They went over the Interstate Commerce commission order permitting construction of two intersecting lines of a total length of 202 miles in the south plains.

"Within two weeks," Clarity said, "we will have an engineering corps in the field to stake out the road beds. Much of the right-of-way already has been pledged and preliminary surveys made." It will be largest single piece of railroad construction in the United States, and probably will be one of the last big projects in Texas. The cost will be around $6,000,000.

T. P. AND G. OFFICIALS STILL IN DOUBT.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.(AP)—Proposed dissolution of the $2,000,000 finance corporation backing the projected Texas, Panhandle and Gulf railroad is still held in abeyance as far as could be learned today from President F. W. Axtell of the board of directors and two executive committemen.

Leroy Smith and Ireland Hampton, representing the executive committee at a conference at the corporation's Chicago headquarters returned today and plans "are still incomplete."

The corporation was promoting efforts to build the T. P. & G. in wets Texas, but was denied permission by the Interstate Commerce commission when it granted a permit to the Fort Worth and Denver for new lines in the same territory.

SUIT FILED

GEORGETOWN, Texas, Dec. 1. (AP)—Suit was filed in the district court of Burnet county this week by Williamson county against Travis county seeking to establish the course of the line between the two counties in the vicinity of McNeal.

Santa Claus Letter Contest

IOWA PARK, Texas.
R. R. No. 3
NOVEMBER 29, 1926.

Dear Santa Claus:
Last year you did not come to see me because you lived so far away. But this year we have moved closer together and I have been a good little boy so I want you to come and bring me a little air gun. One with a pretty handle. I sleep in the back room so you can slip in and hand it to me.
And Dear Santa Claus, please bring my mother a new fur coat. And papa a pipe. Will you?
OLNEY HANSON,
Iowa Park.

NORTH POLE PALACE
DECEMBER 1, 1926
(By Radio to the Boys and Girls Everywhere)

Dear Kiddies,

Here it is December—only 24 more days until Christmas, but what is more important, less than two weeks remain for you to write your letters and tell me what you want. You know, I have to leave here a long time ahead of Christmas day because it's quite a trip from the North Pole to all those places where I'm to give my gifts.

However, I'm going to be right on time if you'll send me your letters on time and tell me what it is you'd most like to find in your Christmas stocking Christmas morning.

Now then! I think Olney Hanson out on Route 3, Iowa Park, wrote the best letter of all I got yesterday in the Santa Claus contest the Wichita Falls Record News is running. Somehow or other I seem to have missed him last year, So I'm sending him a $2 check today for the daily prize. It was a hard job to pick the best from the hundreds that came in, but Olney's, I think, was extremely good. His letter is printed in the little box.

Now let's get some more letters. All of you kiddies 12 years of age or under can write me. I'm anxious to hear from you.

Look for me tomorrow,

SANTA CLAUS.

Claude Hasford To Learn There IS a Santa Claus at Christmas

There IS a Santa Claus.

And if you sophisticated grown ups who have long since lost faith and credence don't believe it, go ask Claude Hasford.

Claude wrote a letter to Santa Claus a day or two ago and it was of sufficient merit to win the daily $2 prize offered by the Record News for the best Santa Claus letter composed by a youngster in this or adjoining cities. It was printed on the front page of the Record News Wednesday, and in case some of you missed it, here it is again:

Dear Santa Clause:
I am a little crippled boy, eight years old and can't go to school.
Will you please bring me a little dog for Christmas if you have any.
And may God bless all little crippled kids and don't forget any of them.
CLAUDE HASFORD,
2108 Harvard street.

If that isn't a straight out, sincere appeal from a youngster's heart, no such appeal was ever made. But it IS an appeal, and evidently Mrs. Clyde Hill, 901 Burnett street thought so too, when she read it.

Mrs. Hill phoned the Record News Wednesday morning. "I read Claude's leter in the paper this morning," she said, "and I've got a little fox terrier I think he'd like and that I'd like to give him. It's just a pup now, but it will be big enough to leave its mother by Christmas eve."

Claude is to have his "little dog for Christmas." It will be delivered to him right time. He wants a dog; and Santa Claus, through those devious channels that sometimes surprises even us grown-ups, heard his plea and will answer it.

THE WEATHER

OKLAHOMA: Thursday fair, warmer in west portion; Friday partly cloudy, warmer.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday fair, warmer on east coast; Friday partly cloudy, light to moderate southeast winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday fair, warmer in north portion; Friday partly cloudy.

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period reported by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature, 72 degree; minimum 42 degrees; at 5 p. m. Wednesday 68; no precipitation; east breeze; clear; average wind velocity 8 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity 14 miles per hour; barometer 29.28.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

Rotary club, noon, Kemp hotel.
The Majestic, matinee and night, five acts of vaudeville.
The Strand, "The Sporting Lover."
The Garden, "King of the Saddle."
The Gem, "Pampered Youth."

FIRST EXTENSION TEST IN NOODLE CREEK FAILS TO PAY OFF

HURLEY'S TEST FAILS TO PAY

Noodle Creek Extension Finds Very Little Oil At 2485 Feet

ABILENE, Dec. 1.—Hurley Oil company's No. 1 John Sears is to drill deeper after encounting a small showing at 2485 feet which would not make a commercial well. This test is three miles east of the Noodle Creek discovery. Its total depth is now 2540 feet, which is 20 feet lower than the pay found in Phillips Petroleum company's producer on the Walling farm.

Atlantic Oil Producing company's No. 1 Howell, three-fourth of a mile south of the discovery, which is more than 2200 feet deep and nearing the Winters sand. Clark, Harbin and Baldridge, of Wichita Falls, are drilling at 2000 feet in their No. 1 John Wheeler, four miles northwest of the discovery.

GRAMMAR UP-TO-DATE

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—There is a great disagreement over the matter of grammar. The question is whether the words "two thirds the oats, more than half the corn," as the subject of a sentence should require "are" or "is" as a verby in a Burlington railroad ad. The vote: Are, passenger traffic manager; University of Chicago; Lexicographer; Yale. Is, advertising agency; traffic vice-president; Northwestern university; Harvard.

GOOD IDEA

CLEVLAND, Dec. 1. (AP)—Under some circumstances it seems to be a good thing for a young lady to tilt back in a chair and put her feet on a desk. Miss Frances Perkins, an official welfare worker of New York, delights in doing so. She says that it is beneficial for workers who stand a lot, in that it makes the blood rush the other way and some factories use the idea in rest periods.

DECLARE DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Directors of the Standard Oil company of Kentucky today declared the regularly quarterly dividend of $1 a share, payable December 31 to stock of record December 15.

SKELLY DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—The Skelly Oil company earned $6 a share on the common stock in the first nine months of 1926, net earnings amounting to $4,965,566.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water cools, heals and strengthens sore, weak, tired eyes. All druggists 25c.—Adv.

Thrilling Rescue at Sea

Photo shows lifeboat of S. S. Momus bringing aboard three men who starved, thirsted, under a tropical sun for a week after their launch was wrecked off Florida coast.

WANTS A THRILL

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP) — Would a woman want to get out of the hoosegow? Not Mrs. Paul Gibson. Arrested for the manner in which she was driving her expensive car on Fifth avenue she told the police: "I don't want to get out on bail. I want to see New York jails. I want to get a thrill."

Evening dresses, sports frocks, afternoon types and street frocks in every size are reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

J. B. MEETS J. B.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—J. B. Eccleston has met J. B. Eccleston. Each thinks the other is a good fellow, though ofr 20 years each has been getting bills intended for the other, to say nothnig of being sued by mistake. They find much in common—they smoke and have the same views on prohibition. Jess Bralley Eccleston lives in Detroit. John Bowers Eccleston on Staten Island. A cousin of Jesse, whose name in the telephone book is next to John's, arranged the meeting at the Waldorf.

HEAVY DEMAND FOR GASOLINE

Competition in High Gravity Grades Causes Better Price Forecast

Anxiety of jobbers to compete with the major refiners that are putting out a higher gravity motor fuel, has caused a general demand for 60-62, 400 endpoint, and 64-66, 375 endpoint, grades of gasoline.

A check shows that every Oklahoma-Kansas refiner has advanced his quotations on gasoline, and a further strengthening is anticipated. U. S. motor grade is absorbing some of the pep, although some are inclined to think that its strength is temporary.

Five large Oklahoma refineries are asking a flat 9 1-2 cents for their 58-60, 437, U. S. motor gasoline, and several others are offering at 9 to 9 1-4 cents, so that the general range may be construed at the latter. The 60-62, 400, is held at 10 1-4 cents and the 64-66, 375, at 10 3-4 cents, with 64-66, 390, around 10 1-2 cents.

Word from Chicago says that U. S. motor grade gasoline is held at 9 cents flat there, against 8 7-8 to 9 cents several days ago.

Burning oils are steadier, and the 41-45 grade is quoted there at 6 1-4 to 6 5-8 cents, or one-eighth of a cent stronger. In group three the scale is 6 1-4 to 6 1-2 cents, with 42-44 at 7 cents flat. Distillates are steady. Fuel oils are somewhat softer.

ROXANA, ET AL, NETHERTON

Another dry hole for Archer county has ben completed by Roxana, Whittekin and Hines in section 11, A. T. N. C. L. survey, the test being No. 1 G. P. Netherton

BE SLENDER; THE WAY IS EASY NOW

Millions of people now know an easy and pleasant way to reduce. No abnormal exercise or diet. You can see the results in every circle now. Excess fat is not one-tenth so common as it was. That way is Marmola Prescription Tablets, now used for 19 years. The use has grown and grown, up to a million boxes yearly, largely because of what users have told others. Let us send you our book stating every ingredient, telling you exactly how and why Marmola acts. Also our guarantee. You owe that to yourself. When millions of people are keeping slender in a pleasant way, you should learn what they know.

Write Marmola Co., 235-F General Motors Bldg., Detroit. It will bring you our latest book, a 25-cent sample of Marmola, and our guarantee. Cut out this offer so you won't forget.

News of The Fields

GULF, ABERCROMBIE

Gulf Production company has set and cemented casing on the sand at 1331 feet in its No. A-2 Abercrombie and Taylor, located in the S. P. R. R. survey, abstract 1281, Archer county. Abercrombie A-4 is drilling at 962 feet.

HUMBLE, RAY

Humble Oil and Refining company has moved off its No. 1 Ray in section 3, Harris club ranch subdivision, southwest of Archer City. The test was abandoned at a total depth of 1550 feet.

HINES, STATE

Harry Hines has spudded in and is drilling at 150 feet in his No. 1, State of Texas, located in the bed of the Big Wichita, between the Gulf and Panhandle lease in the W. H. Spillers survey of southwest Wichita county.

KIMMEL-DILLARD, FASSET

Kimmel and Dillard are drilling below 1300 feet in their No. 5 Fasset and Tuttle in the Day Land and Cattle Co., survey, southwest of Iowa Park in Wichita county.

ROSS, MITCHELL

Ross Brothers have abandoned their No. 15 Mrs. Mitchell at a total depth of 1900 feet, having missed the Ross sand around 1800 feet. This test is in block 5, P. Castleman survey in Wichita county.

GULF, GRIFFIN

Gulf Production company is running casing to test the sand at 1796 feet in its No. 3 H. S. Griffin, located in the W. H. Spillers survey in southwest Wichita county.

WHITE, MITCHELL

White Brothers have completed a 35 barrel producer in block 5, P. which was abandoned at 1703 feet. Castleman survey, Wichita county, being on the Mrs. Sue Mitchell land where the pay is around 1300 feet. Harry Jaffe's No. 4 was quit as a non-producer at 2000 feet.

GASSER MAY BE OILER

S. E. Linson's big gas well on the Bernsen farm, two miles north of Walters, Okla., may be converted into an oil well. This well has been producing gas for the city of Walters for two years and last Friday, while it was being cleaned out, it made 15 barrels of oil without reducing the gas pressure. It is to be deepened.

EARLSBORO POOL

The Earlsboro pool of Oklahoma may rival the Seminole field in activity and productivity before long if predictions are borne out on the territory west of the Gypsy-Amerada-Westland big gusher in 16-9-5. Five drilling contracts have already been signed in that territory.

DENTON COUNTY TEST

The gradual southwestward trend of development from Wichita Falls is extended by Sanford and Rondeau's location in Denton county which is soon to be spudded. This test is to be drilled a few miles south of Denton and in the W. A. Thompson survey and is one of the pioneer operations of Denton county.

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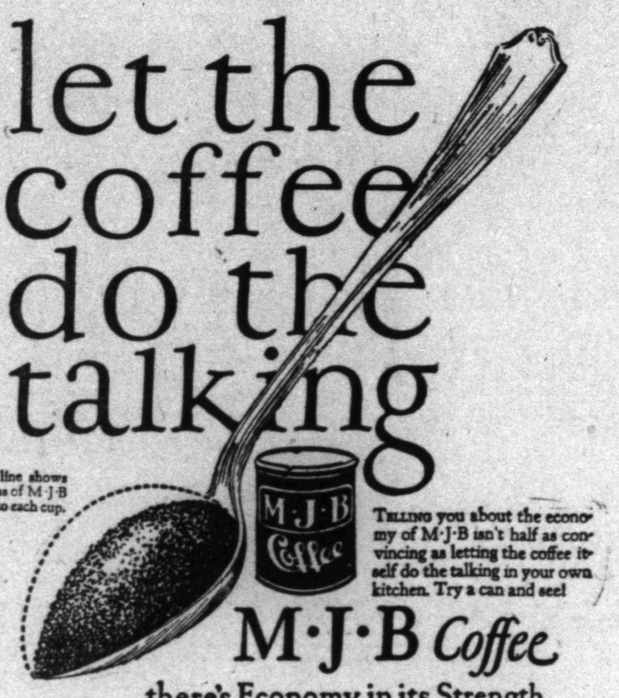

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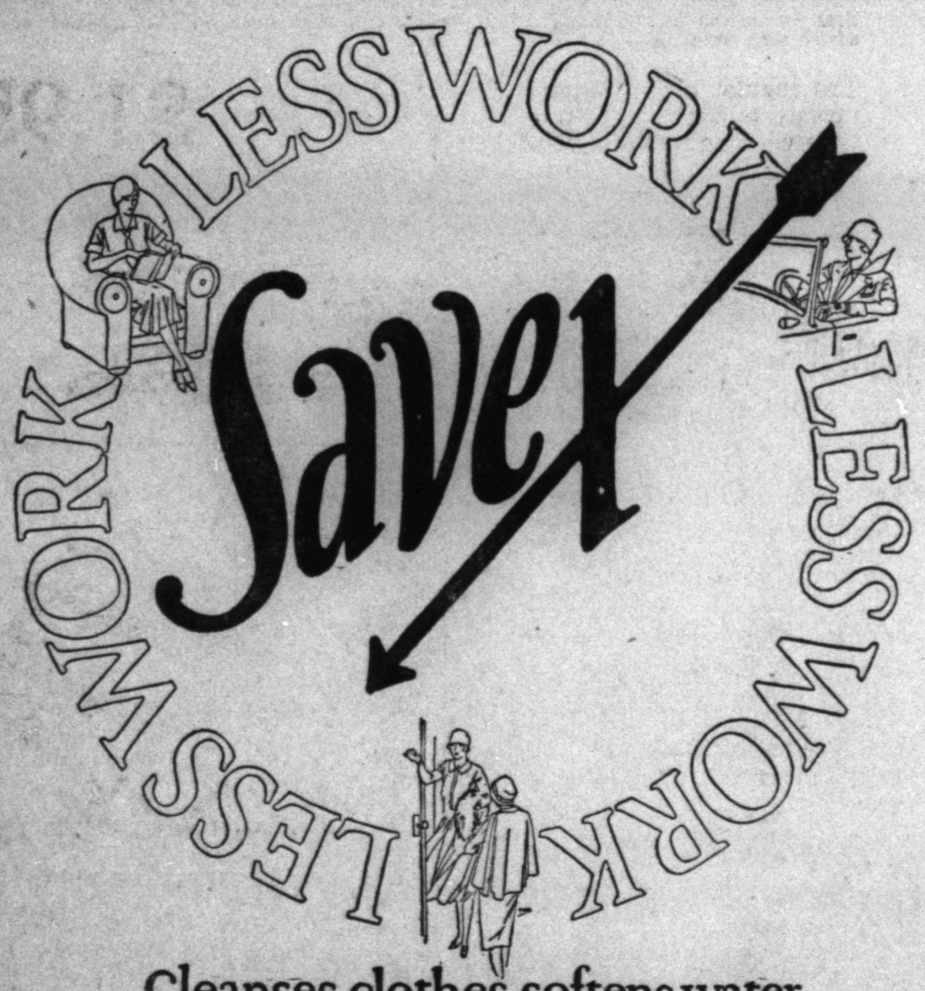

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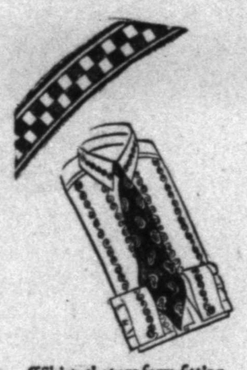

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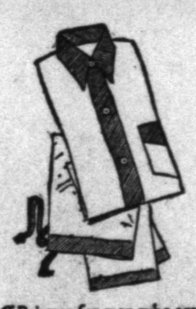

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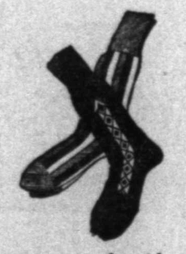

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WHEN A MAN IS OVER FORTY.

A man over 40, writes me as follows:

"I am very weary from trying to find work. Up until a few months ago I was connected with one of the many departments of this city's government and have worked under all the diffefent administrations for years, until a few months ago; I have been all over town and answered numerous 'Help Want' ads."

This man goes on to tell how he had gone from place to place; how willing he is to start from the bottom; how well and strong and able he is to work; but finds that younger men are "wanted."

I am sorry to say that this is the general rule.

There are those who talk about there being so much work and a place for everybody. While this may be true, the fact mains that each does not get his rightful place.

At the same time, there are hundreds of positions that are waiting for the right persons to fill them; and the employer is still searching.

One of the things for which he is searching is "young blood," as was experienced by the above seeker of work.

And yet how short-sighted is many such an employer. Doesn't he realize that the days are gone when age is measured by the number of years only?

In times gone by, when work was more labored and man's energies thus gave out more speedily, the man above 50 took a "back seat," as it were, and made way for the "youngsters."

Not so today. Machinery has improved. Man's work is more mental than manual. He does not wear out as readily as formerly.

In fact he is just "ripe" at the age his forefather was senile. He is more active, more alert, and keeps abreast of times.

No, Mr. Employer, you make many an error by turning down the middle-aged man and giving the preference to the youth. Look into it. Try it out. Many a man above 40 is full of vigor and ambition; and besides he has passed the day of foolishness and is anxious to succeed.

I have heard employers say: "I took him because I felt sorry for him. He has a family," etc.

The truth is, such middle-aged men do not want charity, but a chance.

They do not seek pity, but a position.

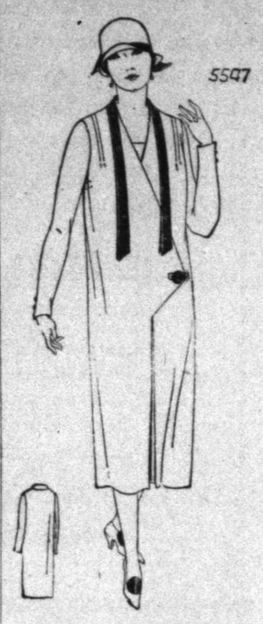
Because they are not exuberant and do not plead for the job like eager youth does not mean that behind that quiet exterior there is not a purposeful bent to do your bidding and help you in your business.

There is a dearth of good, responsible individuals for trustworthy places.

Let the employer think it over! Think of the prevailing means of conserving health and strength—methods of Father Time!

Let managers of men reflect on the hundreds of married men, good men, who have many a year yet to give in faithful service, who get discouraged because of the deal they are getting in the daily hunt for a livelihood.

Record News Daily Pattern



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WADSWORTH OPPOSED

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AGENTS CAN'T DRINK

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1. — Whiskey drinking is now forbidden to prohibition agents in Texas and Oklahoma. Frank V. Wright, district administrator, says it is necessary in but very few instances.

BAR WOMEN DRIVERS

AI LA CHAPPELE, Dec. 1.—Women should be forbidden to drive automobiles, because their nervous systems prevent them acting rationally in times of danger, in the opinion of Dr. Alexander Crappell, psychiatrist.

OLDEST GRADUATE DIES

PROVINCE, R. I., Dec. 1. (AP)—Rev. Lyman Beecher Tefft, 93, dean of Brown alumni, preacher, author and educator and known as the oldest Brown graduate, died last night at his home in Cranston.

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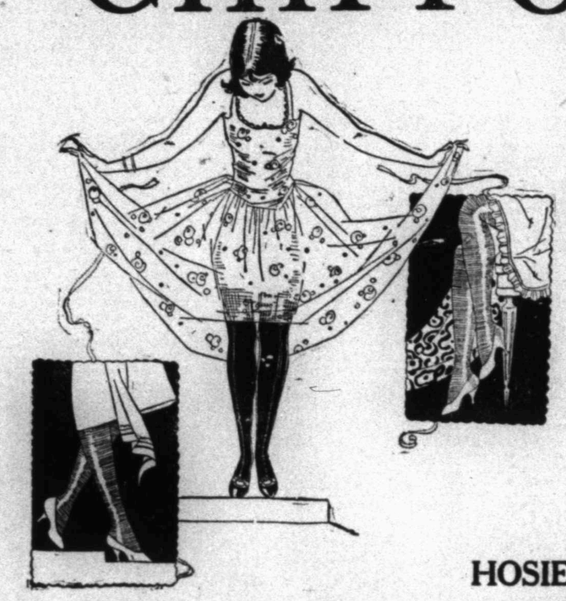

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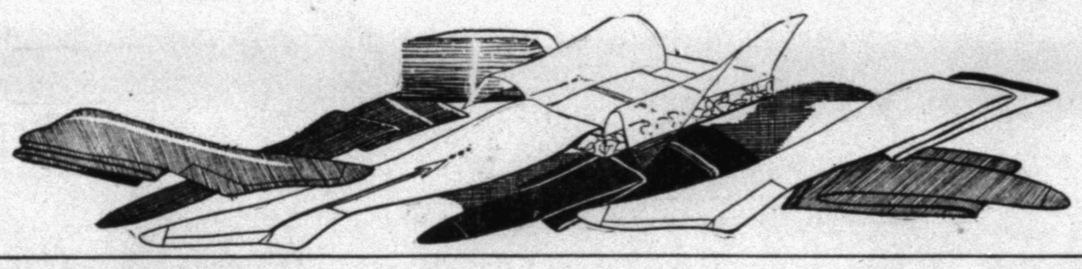

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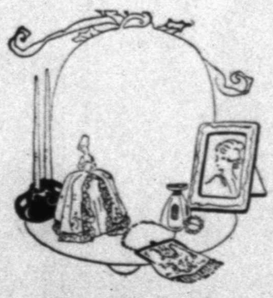

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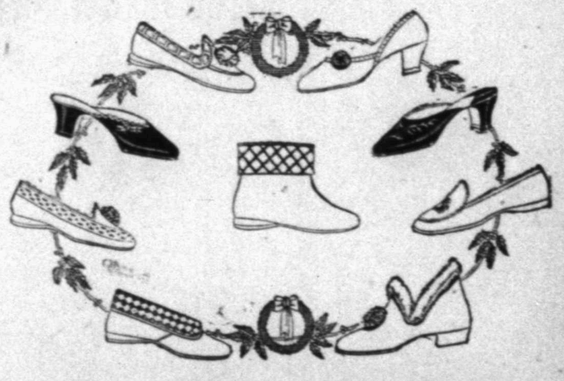

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Society and Club News—Features For Women

Women Hear Ada Ward In Kemp Lecture Wednesday

Teaching the nations to laugh with each other instead of at one another is one of the biggest things women of today have to do, Ada Ward, forceful British lecturer, told several hundred Wichita club women at the Kemp hotel ball room Wednesday afternoon. Speaking on the subject, "Face in the Crowd," Miss Ward gave a brilliant address on the many types of human faces, explaining the meaning of various features, in regard to character, and demonstrating with chalk and blackboard drawings.

"We all have our part to play in life's drama, and the human face plays no small part. A face should not only express beauty of features, but should reflect beauty of character as well, the speaker said and she drew likenesses of the "smart-alec," the "busy-body" and other undesireable people. The person with the lines of the face going up instead of down, is the cheerful, optimistic person and the most desirable, while those with the straight-lined face, are in the minority and the most difficult to understand and approach, Miss Ward said, and illustrated these with her chalk drawings.

Demonstrating what time and fashion use to do for women and how times have changed, and women improved their appearance by wearing sensible clothes instead of following the dictates of Dame Fashion, the speaker drew the woman of years gone by with her big hat covered with chiffon, fruit, flowers and what not and black dotted face veil.

The Woman of Today.

Following this picture, she drew the woman of today, with her neat tailored little pull-down model, which she described as both sensible and charming, and expressed her belief that never again will women, especially the British and American women, be slaves to fashion's distates, but rather that they will select their hats to suit their faces and buy the sensible models.

Concluding her address, Miss Ward drew the picture of Johnnie Bull and Uncle Sam and holding miniature flags of England and the U. S. A., again made a plea for club women to center their efforts in being a sister to every human being and teach the nations to laugh and play together, which will help keep down war and the shedding of blood.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Ola G .Hamlin, president of the Woman's Forum, who made several announcements.

TODAY'S CALENDAR

Meeting of Nutrition class at Barwise school at 3:35 o'clock, when Miss Mary Southerland, Red Cross expert will lecture.

Mesdames Leslie Humphrey, Luther Hoffman, T. A. Hicks, G. L. Shapard and J. T. Harrell, reception at Wichita club, presenting Henry Laurance Southwich, in "The Rivals."

Meeting of the Musicians club at the home of Mrs. T. B. Greenwood, Christmas program, morning.

Mrs. P. P. Langford entertains at her home complimenting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Denton Burke of Seattle, Wash.

The Starling Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Estep, 1417 North Eighth street at 7:30, evening.

Members of the Readers club will meet with Mrs. Overton Abernathy, 1661 Collins street, this morning at 9:30 o'clock. All requested to bring year books.

Royal Neighbors regular meeting at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Bowie P. T. A. Have Interesting Meeting

With Mrs. D. W. McShain presiding, members of the Bowie P. T. A. met at the school Wednesday afternoon for a business session and program. Mrs. J. H. Lawson led the devotionals and made a brief talk on "Co-Workers in Christ." Frances Wright gave a piano solo and a Christmas play was presented by three children. Laura Lou Nicholson gave a piano solo and Frances Wright, a reading. Children of the Fourth grade presented a Christmas play and Mrs. S. A. Covington gave a report on the Congress of Mothers convention held in Fort Worth recently. During the business session a Christmas tree for the children of the school was planned to be held Dec. 17.

Those present were Mesdames T. Bettice, E. F. Moore, A. Yeager, Frank Roberts, Homer Nicholson, Emil Laste, L. A. Wooten, C. W. Scruggs, T. P. White, E. Rhodes, Claude Kidd, J. H. Smith, C. E. Rhoades, J. E. McCreary, Westmoreland, Turner Lee, L. D. Brunner, H. H. Bruer, J. L. Stearns, W. H. Denson, A. Rutledge, O. E. Bumgardner, D. W. McShain, W. A. Bumgardner, J. A. Chaney, R. D. Morrison, W. B. Smith, W. P. Wyatt, G. F. Gray, C. A. Anderson, W. Locke, T. Flemming, Lewn D. D. Russell, W. M. Martin, Bleakley, Berry, Covington, J. H. Lawson, Misses Smith, Inez Carter and Edward Walker.

Sam Houston Sponsors Hold Business Meeting

Sponsors of the Sam Houston school, the principal of the school, Mrs. Frances Bone and the president of the P. T. A., Mrs. Harry Ten Brink, met at the home of Mrs. C. E. Russell Tuesday afternoon to plan ways and means of making money for the Eva Stratton memorial library fund.

It was decided that the women will work with Mrs. Ragsdale in the sale of toilet articles until Christmas, the money derived from this scource to be applied on the fund.

A committee was also appointed at the meetjng to care for the children in the P. T. A. nursery.

During the social half hour refreshments were served to 12.

1922 Study Club Study Birthright

With Mrs. King Davis, leader, members of the 1922 Study club met at the Y. W. C. A. Wednesday morning and enjoyed an interesting review of the book, "Birthright," given by Mrs. E. E. Fisher. Those present were Mesdames E. E. Claire, P. B. Curd, King Davis, N. W. Grant, L. I. Lucy, A. J. Newby, Earl Ruffner, E. E. Fisher, Paul Steed, R. H. Stocks, A. L. Williams, Grady Taylor, W. H. Newell and Miss Pearl Bandy.

Royal Neighbors Will Hold Regular Meeting

Members of the Royal Neighbors will hold a regular meeting at 2 o'clock when officers will be elected and names exchanged for Christmas packages. All members are urged to be present.

Sunshine Players To Have Initiatory Party

An initiatory party will be held by the Sunshine Players Friday evening at the home of Miss Lorene Angel on Yale avenue when plenty of fun and stunts will feature the program. A full attendance is requested.

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studied: "Unfold Ye Portals," "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise," "Come with The Gypsy Bride" from the Bohemian Girl, and "Lullaby," from Jocyln accompanied by Mrs. T. B. Greenwood and Misses Vivian Railey and Montery Lewis, violins.

It was decided that the club will give their concert on Monday evening, December 13 at the First Baptist church.

Ladies' Day Observed At Municipal Club

Ladies day was observed at the Municipal Golf club Wednesday by a large crowd of members and friends, when the hours were pleasantly spent in playing golf in the morning and bridge in the afternoon and luncheon at noon.

Mesdames F. K. Foster and E. F. Fruecthe were hostesses, and in the games of bridge, Mrs. W. E. Lindley won the high score club favor, and Mrs. G. C. Briggs, second high. Mrs. D. W. Powers was awarded the guest prize.

The club reception rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion in the Christmas motifs and colors, and those present were Mesdames J. C. Thompson, F. C. Sealey, C. Buddins, W. L. DeValon, B. W. Carpenter, L. A. DeLee, I. R. Fisk, J. Earle Kuntz, C. R. Jeffers, W. E. Lindley, M. D. Bolton, I. E. Silkwood, V. E. Ashford, J. L. Pope, E. A. Wyman, John Mansker, E. C. Haney, W. C. Duncan, D. W. Power, G. B. Briggs, C. W. Stice, Leo J. Wilmeth, F. K. Foster, E. F. Fruecthe, J. C. Walker, Lester Miller, H. L. Goldstucker, Allen P. Terrell, I. Klokm, D. A. Lundien, J. T. Yeargin and Miss Helen Sullivan.

Mrs. Elam Hostess To Sunday School Group

Members of group two of the Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. Elam on Cumberland avenue Wednesday afternoon when devotionals were led by Mrs. George A. Patterson and Mrs. George A. Smoot led in prayer.

During the business session which was presided over by Mrs. J. S. Nikkel, suggestions were made for Christmas donations to the poor, and a family was adopted by the class. Plans were also made for a Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Smoot, and donations were brought for the bazaar to be held at the Piggly-Wiggly number two Friday and Saturday afternoons.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Patterson, Nikkel, George A. Smoot, D. D. Mendenhall, Ray Wilhite, J. A. Hood, Frank Parish, E. C. Austin, L. T. Francis, E. J. Bartels, Jimmie Mille, J. O. Haynes, O. G. Stephens, and Mrs. John Abbott. An out of town guest was Mrs. P. A. McMurdy of Chanute, Kan.

First District Music Clubs to Hold Meeting

Members of the Musician's and the Woman's Choral clubs will be hostesses to the first district meeting of the Federated Music clubs Friday in an all day meeting at the Wichita club. The session will be called to order at 10 o'clock and in the business meeting, Mrs. Monroe Cheney will preside. At 12:30 the local clubs will be hostess at luncheon with Mrs. D. G. Whitney, presiding chairman. The invocation will be given by Mrs. B. L. Fain followed by greetings to the visiting delegates and response. Miss Elizabeth Cole will give a piano solo and Mrs. Monroe Cheney will give the President's message. Mrs. Luella B. Thompson gave a vocal number and selections will be given by the ensemble players, including Mesdames Jouette Bonner, O. E. Nicholls, Alfred Miller, Ray Eyssen and Harwood Stacy.

Christmas Box For Girls Reformatory

Members of the Civic department of the Woman's Forum will sponsor packing a box for the Girls Reformatory at Gainsville, according to an announcement made by the chairman, Mrs. C. C. Randle. This institution which harbors unfortunate girls, some of whom are criminally inclined and some of whom are probably sent to the school for other reasons, is it would seem, the least remembered at holiday seasons of all the state wards. Anyone wishing to help with this undertaking are requested to phone Mrs. Randle.

Choral Club Rehearse For December Concert

Thirty-four members of the Woman's Choral club met at the Floral Heights Methodist church Wednesday morning for rehearsal when the following numbers were

Sorosis Club Study Turkey and Holy Land

Members of the Sorosis club met at the home of Mrs. W. P. Lowery Tuesday afternoon and studied a lesson on "Turkey and Holy Lands" with Mrs. Lowery leader. Roll call was responded to with Turkish customs and Mrs. R. E. Hilburn gave the history of Oriental rugs. Mrs. Lowery discussed the movement to abolish harems and Mrs. H. D. Prichard gave a book review of "Out of Doors in the Holy Land" by Van Dyke.

During the social hour, refreshments were served to Mesdames A. W. Burnside, Joe D. Harris, O. R. Haynie, R. E. Hilburn, Prichard, I. W. Karrenbrock, W. P. Lowery, Stanley McGregor, Burke Taylor and W. E. Timblin.

Scott-Garmandy Nuptials Announced

Mrs. Ella Schultz announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Freida Garmandy to Oscar Scott of Electra, the ceremony being read at Clara Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Paul Kaiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott will make their home in Electra.

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Miss Gay Gwynn and Geo. Greer Married at Home of Bride Here

Before an improvised altar in the drawing room banked with greenery and lilies, with cathedral candles burning in candelabra on either side and under a wedding bell formed of white carnations, where the bridal couple stood, Miss Gay Gwynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton F. Gwynn and George J. Greer of Dallas were married at the home of the bride's parents on Pembroke Lane at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The Episcopal double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Fred T. Datson, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, and preceding the ceremony Mrs. Jouette Bonner played for a violin number, Cadman's "At Dawning," and Mrs. Luella B. Thompson sang, "O Promise Me." The prosessional, the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin, was played by Mrs. Ben Bell as the wedding party descended the stairway, which was prettily entwined with southern smila and white lilies. The approach to the altar was an isle formed of white satin ribbons.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a charming gown, bouffant model of ivory wedding ring velvet, with basque embroidered in designs of seed pearls. A deep lace bertha was made by the bride's grandmother and she carried an ivory Bible with showers of white lilies and white satin ribbon, a childhood gift of her grandmother. Her veil was of tulle banded with orange blossoms and caught beneath the chin with orange blossoms. Accessories were ivory slippers and a diamond bracelet, a gift from the groom.

Miss Catherine Gwynn of Fort Worth was her maid of honor, and wore a pink moire and biege chiffon gown over pink, the same model being worn by all the attendants. Her hat was of pink moire. Matrons of honor were Mesdames Brit Cranfill and Chas. McGaha. Mrs. Cranfill wore a large picture hat of orchid velvet with slippers to harmonize, and Mrs. McGaha wore a green picture hat and slippers. Little Miss Patricia Ann Cranfill was the flower girl and wore a dainty frock of blue plaited crepe de chine with trimmings of pink appliqued roses. She carried a garland of sweetheart roses. Master Danny Maxson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Maxson, Jr., was ring bearer, and wore a block velvet suit with lace collar and cuffs and satin slippers.

Richard Coke of Dallas was best man to Mr. Greer.

An informal reception followed the ceremony when Mrs. J. A. Kemp received the guests at the door, and house party included Misses Catherine Moore, Margaret Duncan, Ethel Moran, Crystelle Waggoner, Mesdames Anderson, Kemp, Jack Wages, C. E. McCutcheon, Clarence Moore, Everett Jones, Abe Marcus, W. E. Maxson, Reece Allen, Dilliard Anderson, Ike Upchurch, Dudley Golding, Eugene Clark, and Roma Tandy.

A huge wedding cake centered the table, and a salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer left for a wedding tour to New York following the reception and will be at home after December 20 at Maple Terrace, Dallas.

The bride's going away gown was tan crepe tailored model with hat to harmonize and brown suede slippers and coat of tan kasha with brown fox fur trimmings. She wore a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Greer was one of Wichita Falls' most popular and attractive young women and attended the Cathedral School of St. Mary, Garden City, Long Island, N .Y.

Mr. Greer is in the oil business in Dallas and attended Princeton and Vanderbilt universities and served with the 36th division during the World war.

Among the out-of-town guests was the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. George C. Greer of Dallas, Richard Coke of Dallas, Jack Pew of Dallas, John Greer of Shreveport, Mrs. I. A. Gwynn and Miss Catherine Gwynn of Fort Worth, David Frame of Amarillo, Misses Marjorie Nell and Doris Harris of Fort Worth and Miss Eloise Lamas of Chicago.

Preceding the wedding the bride-elect furnished inspiration for many delightful social affairs, with Miss Catherine Moore entertaining in her honor with a bridge breakfast at the Wichita club Tuesday morning and Mrs. W. E. Maxson hostess to the wedding party Tuesday evening at dinner.

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"Every woman who is a woman and not a sawdust dressed-up doll wants above everything else to be of some real assistance to her husband," asserted one woman, looking very capable and smart in a green sports dress. "But there is no problem on earth so great as how to do it. Beside the question of how to help a husband the Sphinx becomes a conundrum so simple that a child could guess it."

"Right," agreed another, who had on a gay yellow flannel. "You can't do your duty by your husband without spoiling him."

"None of us likes the people to whom we are under obligation," added another, who was lovely in a big picture hat, "and the minute a husband knows that he should be grateful to his wife he begins to hate her. Did you ever see a poor, patient, self-sacrificing wife, who worked her fingers to the bone to help her husband who wasn't neglected and mistreated?"

"I have just been thinking," said the woman in green, "about some friends of mine who have recently struck disaster. Their case shows what a difficult matter it is to help a husband and now a wife's very zeal to do the best for him may be her own undoing.

"The woman's name is Alice, and she is a remarkably pretty, intelligent and attractive young woman in every way—brimful of energy and ambition. About ten years ago she fell in love with a very average young man and married him. He was a lawyer of mediocre ability with an easy-going, slothful, uninspiring disposition. He came from poor parents and knew little of fine manners.

"None of us could understand what Alice saw in him to fancy; but she was carried away with him, and from the moment she married him she bent every effort of mind and body toward advancing him.

"She helped him study up his law cases, she made clients for him, she has stood behind him, pushing him on. She has scrimped and economized that he might be perfectly turned out. She has made a beautiful home for him. She has done everything that a woman can possibly do for a man and has literally lifted him into success. You wouldn't know him today as the man she married.

"The reward for all this devotion is: Last week he told her with brutal frankness, that he was tired of her and had fallen in love with a younger woman. He wanted her to go to Reno to get a divorce so that he can marry the other woman.

"Poor Alice is heart broken. When she told me about it she kept moaning over and over again; I can't understand it, for I tried so hard to help him.' And I didn't have the courage to tell her that that was just the trouble.

"In trying to help him she has set a pace at which his lazy pleasure-loving nature rebels. She has become to him a task-mistress prodding him on, so that he was turned from her to a woman who won't urge him on to the struggle or hold him up to high standards, while the wife who has given the best that was in her to building him up is discarded for her pains. We should and we want to help our husbands, yet how can we do it without driving them from us?"

"I sometimes think," said the woman in yellow, "that the only way to help a man is to be a hindrance to him and that the heavier a burden a woman is to her husband the more she strengthens him.

"That is paradoxical, but it seems to work out satisfactorily in life. If you notice, you will see that the women who have to have money always have husbands who can make it, while the women who can do without things rarely have them. Let a woman show that she can support herself and many husbands will let her sit down and do it whereas the woman who can't even keep a house decently has a husband who gets up and hustles."

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FASHIONS By Sally Milgrim

Evening Wraps Continue to Stress the Note of Splendor.

The note of luxury, unquestionably the outstanding feature of both the afternoon and evening mode wraps. Added to such sumptuous fabrics as velvet, brocade and metal cloth, is a lavish use of jeweled embroidery as well as a preponderance of fur. And to further accentuate the effect of these gleaming creations, the linings are embroidered or trimmed with very decorative velvet appliques.

Suggestive of the Orient is the evening wrap sketched today—a sumptuous affair of lacquer-colored velvet ornamented with dazzling embroidery. Large discs of gold leather, combined with sparkling red and gold heads, ornament the back in the manner of a Mandarin's coat. The long sleeves are trimmed with scroll-like motifs of the same embroidery.

To repeat the gold note, the lining is made of dazzling gold lame. This gleaming note is revealed on the revers adding further to the luxurious effect.

With this colorful wrap is worn a slender dress of gold metal cloth trimmed with a bit of glistening red embroidery at the waist-line.

Suggestive of the Orient is this lacquer red velvet wrap trimmed with motifs of gold kid and jeweled embroidery.

SOCIETY Personals

Mrs. George Merkle who is ill in the Hargrave-Walker hospital was reported to be slightly improved last night.

Mrs. J. S. Pitman who is seriously ill at the residence on Huff was reported slightly improved last night, but is unable to see visitors.

Ruth Iris White, small daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. S. White, is reported doing nicely following an operation Tuesday when she had her tonsils removed.

Ernest Grady, small son of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Walters, is reported improving from a recent attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. J. C. Mosely who underwent a minor operation recently is reported improving a tthe residence, 1511 West Lake.

Mrs. E. E. Ward is reported ill at her home, 1508 Fourteenth.

Mrs. Carl S. Waggoner of Indianapolis will arrive Sunday to be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Sanford.

Bootie McCurdy, delegate from the local Hy-Y club will attend the three day meeting in Fort Worth which begins today.

Mrs. J. M. Willaims and Mrs. Homer Mulkey of Clarendon, mother and sister of C. M. Doke, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doke and family.

The New Century club will meet with Mrs. W. L. Cline Friday afternoon instead of with Mrs. D. G. Whitney as formerly announced.

Mrs. W. G. Grady of 409 Travis is reported ill at her home.

Miss Smith Reported Improving From Injury

Miss Margaret Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith, who was injured in an automobile accident at Austin where she was a student in the University of Texas, is reported out of danger and is expected to be here with her mother within a few days.

Miss Smith is a niece of Mrs. T. A. Hunter and Mrs. A. E. Myles.

The accident occurred November 23 when Miss Smith and Morris Norton, also a student in the University from Wichita Falls were injured.

Children's Party

When at a loss as to how to decorate the table for the children's party, buy a pound of animal crackers and a pound of vanilla wafers. Dip the feet of the animals into white of egg or a cream icing and stand one animal on each wafer. Arrange to advantage and see how pleased the children will be.

Table Decorations

Something new in table decorations is painting on oilcloth with tube oil paints mixed with white enamel. The decorative motifs are stamped or traced on the oilcloth over carbon paper.

"It is all very well to have a heart of gold," says cynical Sue, "but that can be said of any hard-boiled egg." By Gettier.

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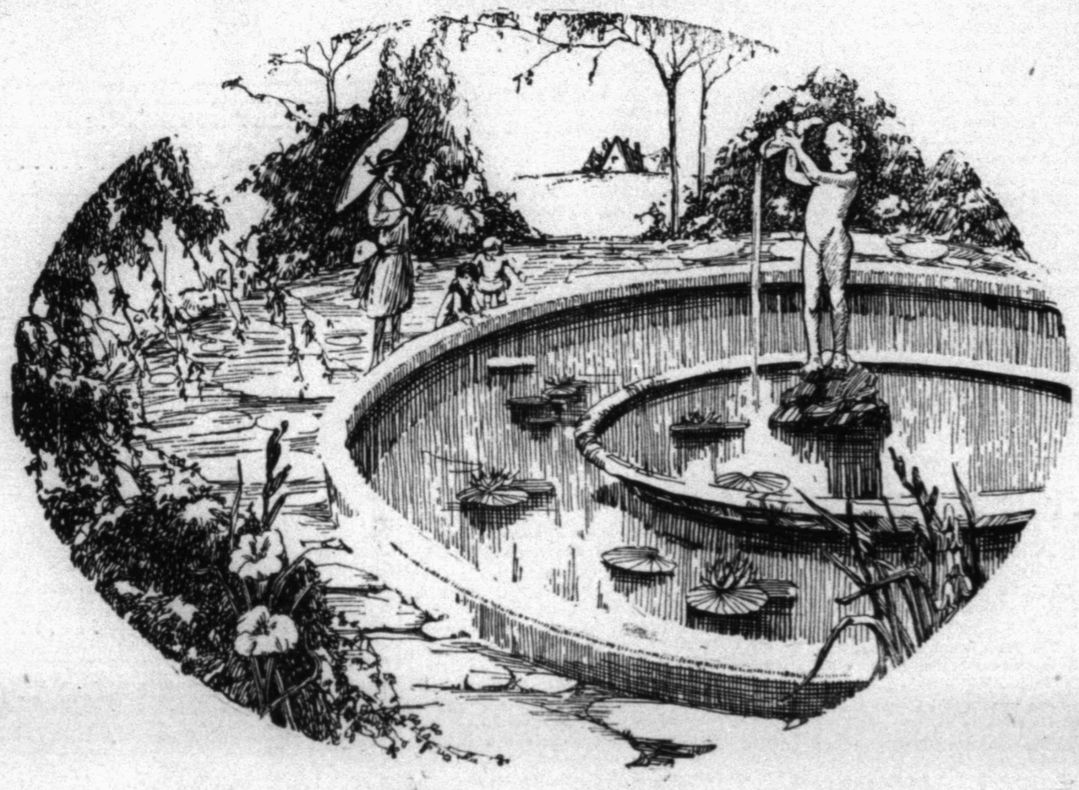

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ANOTHER TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT

GOV. Ralph Brewster of Maine is on the war path. He has repudiated the nomination of Alfred R. Gould republican nominee for the United States senate. According to Brewster the republican nominee is an unclean man, and should not be sent to the senate by the republicans of Maine. It appears that he is unclean because his friends spent a few thousand dollars in advertising beyond the limit of the sum fixed by the state, to help the cause of Gould along in the primary election contest.

Nominee Gould is a man of action. He branded the governor of his own state and party as a liar and declared that Fulton J. Redman, the democratic nominee, had accepted the principles and the program of the ku klux klan for the sake of votes. This will be held the coming Monday. This makes it interesting for the reason that the senate of the 70th Congress will be made up of 48 republicans, 47 democrats and farm labor Shipstead of Minnesota. This count includs Gould.

If he is shut out for unlawful expenditure of money for campaign purposes, what is going to happen to the old guard of the republicans when the organization of the senate comes uppermost.

James W .Wadesworth's friends spent more than $100,000 to elect him November 2. If they had spent $100,000 to win a primary nomination for him, Wadsworth would have been in the class of Smith and Vare and Gould. It appears to nominate is one thing and to elect is another. In the first case lavish use of money to nominate is a violation of law; lavish use of money to elect a candidate is a noble exhibition of patriotism.

DRY DEMOCRATS LACK LEADER

A NOTED political writer for the New York Sun made the discovery that the dry Democrats lack a leader "with Bryan gone and McAdoo's political influence much curtailed by his recent set-back in California." It was a setback. California re-elected to the senate Samuel Shortridge, republican reactionary and stand-patter. This to buy a huge majority. Not a gain was made in any congressional district by the Democrats.

Indeed, the coast and mountain states appear to have abandoned by the Republican progressiveism. Oregon made a clean sweep of the Republicans. Washington did the same. Likewise, Idaho. Republicans elected a governor in New Mexico. They came within 300 votes of capturing the governorship in Arizona. Nevada re-elected Tasker Oddie, republican stand-patter, to the senate. Reed Smoot, high priest in the republican synagogue was re-elected in Utah.

Colorado elected a republican senator. In Kansas, the democrats did not get a look-in. Nebraska rejected Charles W. Bryan. North and South Dakota re-elected republican insurgents to house and senate. This is what happened west of the Missouri river in states lying between the river and the Pacific coast. Iowa re-elected all republican congressmen and sent Brookhart, who had made his peace with the republican orginzation, to the senate.

This correspondent of the New York Sun says Thomas J. Walsh of Montana may fall heir to the dry leadership of the democratic party "as several of the southern senators are professionally dry." That is, they are personally wet and politically dry. This has nothing to do with the price of cotton and cotton is the topic uppermost in the south.

TOWN TALK—By H. F. J.

EXTRA FAST! EXTRA FARE

"Extra East! Extra Fine! Extra Fare."

The craze for speed and more speed, luxury and more luxury goes on apace. And the cost, apparently, is reckoned but lightly.

The railroads of the United States have constantly felt the clamor for more speed and more magnificance made by moneyed patrons who want their rides and want them handsome. They have met the demand by building finer, faster and more powerful locomotives and cars. They have improved their tracks with steel rails as solid and stable as the rock of Gibralter and road beds as smooth as boulevards. They have introduced comforts in their luxurious palace cars that only the homes of the most wealthy provide—barbers, maids, valets, tailors and what not. They have picked up passengers on one side of the country and taken them with incredible speed, reasonably safety and unimagined ease to the opposite side of the nation. This speed has been increased—yet still comes the cry for more speed and more speed.

Five of the great transcontinental railroads from Chicago to the west coast have recently inaugurated new fliers de luxe—all steel Pullman trains that flit from Lake Michigan to the Pacific ocean in 63 hours. This cuts five hours off the previous time.

You can still make the trip on one of the other trains in 68 hours by paying the regular tariffs; but if you travel on the new de luxe limiteds it costs you $10 extra. Prestige? Sure class? Yea, Bo! Swank! Wheeee!

And that little matter of an extra fare is no doubt an attractive inducement. Many a $10 bill finds its way into the treasury of the railways simply because a patron can gratify his vanity by paying it and knowing that he got the very ultimate in transportation excellence. Some busy men, of course, count five hours gained in travel as worth far more than $10 and they, no doubt, welcome the increased speed. But most folks, well—"Yep, just got in from Los Angeles. Rode The Chief! Man, that's SOME train. Costs you $10 more but it's worth it."

Yet fine as they are, these new flying castles of silk and mahogany-lined steel will ultimately pale and give way to even faster and finer successors.

Extra Fast, Extra Fine, Extra Fare—and the least of these is the extra fare.

Human Nature Topics

BY GEORGE

George Bernard Shaw is in again.

This time the professional misanthrope has made the front page by refusing the money that accompanies the Nobel award for literature.

If the author of "Man and Superman" were a penny-a-liner cutting the fringe off his cuffs and ruining his digestion with a daily diet of sinkers and coffee his gesture of disdain at the proffered few thousand dollars might mean something. Under the circumstances his refusal is akin to that of a gouty old glutton, purple with stuffing, who at the end of a lengthy repast wrinkles his nose contemptuously at the suggestion of a fourth wedge of custard pie.

If the Noble coin had been awarded years ago when Shaw was an unknown scribbler, my belief is he would have pocketed it and then taunted the donors.

If he were stoney broke today, my belief is he would reach out his long, scaley hand and when his fingers tightened on the money, deluge the committee with billingsgate.

Shaw's contempt for his fellowman is hearty and sincere. His sole fragment of faith begins and ends with George Bernard Shaw.

He blasphemes, rants and raves, heaping insults on the credo of the Christian world, and its members chortle with glee at each fresh outburst, calling him an incomparable jester.

Shaw's humor rates with that of the poison label on a bottle of carbolic acid.

G. B. S. is no jester. His pessimism is no pose. He believes in the total depravity of the human race and he boasts of being a "heartless ruffian," to show his contempt for those who call themselves his "disciples."

Shaw has one justification. Despite his blasphemies and his desolaing philosophy, when he reviews the homage that the world, calling itself Christian, showers on his silver head, he says to himself:

"You see, you're right, George. They're nothing but rotters, more interested in 'smartness' than loyalty to their beliefs."

TIME AND THE TIDE

"SCATTER MY ASHES"

If you have not, of recent years, attended a funeral ceremony in which the end is cremation, you will be surprised at the poetical transformation that has come.

It used to be that the casket was placed on a raised platform banked with flowers, in the chapel, and at a timed moment in the service, machinery below stairs was put in motion, the platform on which the casket rested slowly descended in a theatrical manner, the trap-door closed as on the stage, and all was over for the mourners.

Raging fire in the furnace below stairs finished the work, which took considerable time; and few except professional grave-diggers cared to look at what was going on in the white-hot retort, where the corpse, taken out of the casket and now covered with an alum-soaked sheet, was slowly dissolving into red hot ashes.

Not so, this day.

Improvements have come in this art, as in all others, and we are certainly living in a wonderful time, in which even the dead share.

Under the new dispensation, friends bid the dead farewell in the beautiful chapel, and those who care to remain and look through the glass in the Gothic door are filled with bewilderment at the dreamlike and poetical translation of the body into those eternal elements when man untold centuries ago, "breathed on and thereon rose from the dust."

Invisible forces, in reality superheated air has refined the former raging and cruel fires, and invisible genii are now in charge of the silent drama. In that magical poetical way, even as you look, the very nothingness as it were, now bring on the change from mortal form to the sacred dust of the Valley of Eden—of which our first parents were created in times so old that tradition's very memory knows not the long-vanished day and year.

"And from his ashes may be made
The violet of his native land."

Pepper Paragraphs

BY SCISSORS

M. Citroen has been termed the Napoleon of the French motor industry. He is better than Le Petit Caporal, for he has successfully invaded England.
—SIR JAMES PERCY.

Democracy is now on its trial, as never before in our lifetime. It is very much criticized. It is not an ideal way of selecting the wisest people to govern the country, and if it is to endure and succeed, it must be instructed.—VISCOUNT GREY.

LYRICS OF LIFE

BY DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE ANCHORS OF THE HOME

He wants to buy a flivver for a
journey east or west,
He wants to join the navy, or the
city seems the best,
And Mother's growing grayer now,
and Father growing white,
And there is something wrong,
somehow, with ev'rything tonight.

This hour will come to many a
sire, to many a mother's heart,
When from the roof-tree and the
fire some loved one would depart,
But long before the hour is here,
with all its care and pain,
I hope the home has grown so
dear the world will call in
vain.

I hope the anchors will not slip,
the anchors of the past,
I hope a sire's companionship
will hold the youngster fast,
That long before this moment and
when someone wants to roam
A mother's love surrounds the
lad with anchors of the home.

No words of anger will avail, no
words however wise;
We must make ready for the gale
in days of sunny skies.
Oh, guide him through the growing
years with all the love of
old,
And, when the sudden storm appears, pray God the anchors
hold!

Monday: A Man's Place.

"Stinky" Davis

KELLYGRAMS . . . . . By Fred C. Kelly

HUMAN NATURE AND BROOM CORN

Looking over the returns from the recent election in certain states, I am pondering over the preverse tendency of average human reasoning processes to lead us astray. I'm convinced that most of us are wrong, on important questions, nearly all the time.

As a sample of the way we go wrong, however, suppose we consider now not politics, but so seemingly dull a subject as broom corn. Statistics of broom corn reveal a somewhat shocking phase of human nature. Here is a crop grown from time to time in various parts of the country, but with a funny habit of making a big jump from one section to another. That is, if most of the broom corn is raised in one state this year, almost the entire crop will be raised in an entirely different state, maybe several hundred miles distant, two or three years hence.

The explanation is that a comparatively small crop of broom corn will meet the demand. If a big crop is raised, the total is so far in excess of demand that the price drops and everybody who raised it loses money. The result is that broom corn becomes taboo in that locality. Nobody near enough to have heard of the losses on it will attempt to raise it the following season. Even in a different section, it will be planted the next year rather timidly. In consequence, under-production makes higher prices. Those who happen to have a litte broom corn do so well that their neighbors envy them, and the following year, they, too, plant broom corn.

Thus the pendulum swings back and forth. A few make money and then, when everybody tries to do the same thing, over-production causes one and all to lose money, with the result that they quit in disgust. Then the scene shifts once more to a more or less distant locality.

The same thing is true in measure of all crops. High prices of hay or oats, due to scarcity, lure too many into planting those crops the following season. Perhaps it is a wire farmer who does just the opposite of what his neighbors are doing.

I even know a man who has been successful in the stock market by the simple plan of buying when most other people were selling and selling when the majority were buying.

The chances seem to be that if we go contrary to our neighbors' opinions we shall be right at least two-thirds of the time.

Spyright, 1926 (EFS)

BO BROADWAY . . . . . By Josef Van Raalte

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (EFS)—Fifteen hundred inn keepers foregathered the other evening at the Hotel Pompadour to eat guinea hen and discuss the intricacies of the hotel business.

Every phase of their trade was discussed but through a clerical error nothing was said about lowering the price of food and lodging.

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The boys picked a good hotel to foregather in. The Pompadour is one of the city's most ornate hotels. Its lobby has best been described as "a courtesan's palms and house detectives abound, also exotic blooms, well-padded wicker chairs, traveling salesmen; stay-combed, tenor bell hops in pale blue and gold uniforms, with here and there a single gentleman and his wife.

Scores of canary birds in reed cages pipe a sweet obligato to the adenoid twang of the page boys and for a couple of hours every afternoon, rain or shine, a Wop orchestra, mid shady coverets of oleander fronds at the east end of the lobby executes popular passages from Faust, Trovatore, the Bohemian Girl and other justly celebrated operas and operettas.

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You can procure a nice room at the Hotel Pompadour for 10 bucks per diem, bill payable when presented. The price includes bed and bath. Everything else is extra.

Several trolley lines intersect within a block or so from the hostelry and the noise of these flat-wheeled conveyances bumping over the "frawgs," to the shrill accompaniment of the traffic policemen's whistles, invariably chases dull care and precludes any morbid introspection.

You are lulled to sleep by the honking of taxi sirens and aroused at peep o' dawn by the rumble and back fire of motor trucks.

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If you happen to be one of those eccentric persons who likes to sit around in your dressing gown sipping your matutinal Mocha as you peruse the morning paper, you may indulge this aberration of predilection by communicating your wishes to a nervous female at the other end of your room phone, known and honored as "Service."

When Miss Service snaps back at you: "Whaddyawant? Core on, speak up, speak up!" do not permit your angry passions to rise. Repeat your order in respectful, meek and modified appeal and within half an hour a sad-eyed foreigner will present himself at your door with a silver coffee pot, a pitcher of hot water, a glass of ice water, a napkin, a knife and fork, three spoons and some pepper and salt, and a check for 70 cents.

The proper wrinkle is to affix your name to the bottom of the check with a careless flourish and then bestow two bits on the servitor. He will not thank you for the two bits, but it will brighten your day to remember that you have lived up to some anonymous Czecho-Slovak's expectation of the manner in which a $10-a-day sap should operate.

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The man who handles the publicity for the Hotel Pompadour is a friend of mine. He used his influence one time to get me a $10-a-day room for $8. After I had lived there a year a bullet-headed manager, wearing a tea rose in the left lapel of his court of appeals coat, told me that they needed the extra $2 a day on my room to buy birdseed for the canaries in the lobby.

So I moved my typewriter and tooth brush to new quarters.

I told the publicity man that some time I would give his hotel a boost and I am now discharging that obligation.

NATIONAL POLITICS . . . . . By F. W. Wile

WASHINGTON, (EFS)—House-to-house investigations throughout the farming regions of the United States just made by the Farm Journal, reveal an overwhelming sentiment against agricultural relief by McNary-Haugen methods. The same survey discloses an even stronger opposition to tariff reduction as a "farm relief" measure.

The revelations, which are of itemized, documentary character, assume special importance in view of the new drive for Lowden-McNary-Haugen legislation, launched by the 12-state corn-belt and cotton-belt conference at St. Louis. Even the action of the national grange, calling for the enactment by congress of a farm export "debenture law" basically similar to McNary-Haugenism, would seem to lack support among dirt farmers, judging by the Farm Journal's straw-vote figures.

Returns from farm states east, west, north and south show 9811 votes for the McNary-Haugen scheme, and 15,005 votes against it. To date 14 states have been tabulated. The figures contain many surprises. Wisconsin, for instance, supposedly a stronghold of sentiment in favor of government sale of surplus crops abroad, voted 477 to 202 against the plan. Indiana, whose two republican senators, Watson and Robinson, were ardent McNary-Haugenites, voted 1601 to 252 in opposition. Missouri, where William Hirth and his "Missouri Farm club" are powerful McNary-Haugen advocates, declared against the proposition by 408 to 287. The straw-vote, as thus far compiled on the McNary-Haugen question, is as follows:

	For	Against
Minnesota	617	185
California	277	480
Iowa	755	350
Indiana	252	1601
Texas	354	232
North Dakota	441	69
Wisconsin	202	477
Missouri	287	408
Nebraska	221	784
Illinois	318	180
Michigan	758	1495
Ohio	287	1374
Pennsylvania	761	2217
New York	802	952

Hostile to Tariff Cut.

On the question of lowering the tariff on manufactured goods, even if agricultural tariffs were also to come down, the ballot shows an even greater hostility. The vote found 16,814 farmers opposed to the particular scheme for bettering their conditions and only 7592 in its favor. Iowa, citadel of the corn belt, voted against tariff reduction by 662 to 426; Wisconsin was opposed by 574 to 108. The big eastern industrial states naturally registered the heaviest vote against Pennsylvania, New York and Michigan leading in that direction. Illinois, Indiana, Nebraska, Minnesota and Texas seem to want tariff reduction in farmers' interest.

"For the present," comments the Journal on its straw-vote, "there is no conclusion to be drawn but that farmers are opposed to both McNary-Haugenism and tariff reduction as means of changing their economic position by law. The active politicians, and even more professional 'farm leaders,' who are harping on these two themes, may well stop, look and listen." The publication points out that it deliberately refrained from "the familiar and unreliable" method of taking its straw-vote by mail. It resorted jstead to the house-to-house system of personal interviews by its own representatives on rural free delivery routes throughout the country. Several hundred men were engaged in the work. The poll is still in progress. But the editors of the Farm Journal, which has the largest clientele of any agricultural organ in the United States, seem convinced that the results already indicated will not be substantially altered by later figures.

Capper Tells Prospects.

Meantime, there is every sign that the eternal issue of "farm relief" will again dominate the political situation at Washington. Action of the 12-state corn and cotton group and the plan of the national grange for an "export debenture law" make that certain. So important a farm leader in congress as Senator Arthur Capper, republican, of Kansas, has just issued an autographed statement which is a portent of coming developments. Mr. Capper says:

"The president is not as strong in the agricultural west as he might be. Still there is no great ill-feeling against him. The west has always been with him in his crusade for economy. Many farmers think the president has not done for the farming industry what he might well do and what so urgently needs doing and will have to be done. But the November elections in the middlewest or southwest can hardly be construed as a protest against the administrations. The defeats in Missouri and Oklahoma were due to local causes; in Misouri, to the liquor question; in Oklahoma, to factional differences among republicans.

"And yet the plain fact is that the salvation of the Coolidge administration and its best hope depend absolutely on the agricultural west; on the working out of a "farm relief" program which shall be acceptable to this large group of producing states.

"The condition of the farmers is not improving. For the last three months all reports of the department of agriculture have shown the buying power of the farmers' dollar to be less than a year ago, and have shown farm prices on the decline.

"The farm problem exists. It is tremendously real. And it is a national problem; for American prosperity cannot be maintained without a well-to-do farming industry. Something has been done toward relieving it, but the situation of the industry is more acute than ever.

"This is the problem of the Coolidge administration. If the administration can meet the emergency the country will rise and call it blessed. But this will be the test."

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Vernon Making Plans For Its Part In Huge Bond Election January 4

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Dec. 1. — Plans are are being completed in this and eight other south plains counties of Texas for the election on January 4, which will decide where more than 275 miles of the Lee highway running westward from Vernon will be paved. Bond issues totalling $7,500,000 will be submitted to the tax payers of Wilbarger, Foard, Cottle, Motley, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Bailey and Parmer counties on that date

The undertaking is declared to be one of the most pretentious road improvement programs ever undertaken any where. If successful in all counties it will carry a paved roadway westward from Vernon through Rayland, Thalia, Crowell and Vivian in Foard county; Paducah and Narcisso in Cottle county; Matador in Motley county; Folydada and Lockney in Floyd county; Plainview in Hale county; Olton in Lamb county; Hurley in Bailey county and Lariat and Farewell in Parmer county. Farewell is one the New Mexico line, 19 miles from Clovis.

Joining, as it does, the Colorado-to-Gulf highway at Vernon, the new roadway will bring a vast amount of traffic from New Mexico and the south plains of the Texas Panhandle through Vernon and then southward through Wichita Falls, Fort Worth and Dallas.

The Lee highway is a transcontinental route running from Washington, D. C., on the east coast to San Diego, Calif., on the west.

Vernon B. Y. P. U. Efficiency Victor

Members Take Fourth Place In State Contest Held At Austin

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Dec. 1.—Vernon B. Y. P. U. won fourth place in the efficiency contest at the state meeting in Austin last week, according to members, who have returned. In the contest they were graded on Bible reading, proportionate giving and attendance.

The violin quartet, Misses Helen Lyon, Inell Powell, Loretta McCaleb and Faye Harris played before an audience of 3000 people and were encored. Mrs. E. F. Lyon, of Vernon, member of the party by request, song pleased the vast audience with solos and the musicians from Vernon were given an ovation. The Vernon B. Y. P. U. was given public recognition for their work.

The following went from Vernon, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, Mrs. E. F. Lyon, Miss Helen Lyon, Jarrell Buchana, Charles Blair, Mrs. Bruce Barker, Miss Loreta McCaleb, Miss Faye Harris, Miss Inell Powell, Miss Annie Mae Reeder, Miss Ruth Theben, Miss Lora Leverett, Miss Mary Coleman.

WOMAN IS ILL

Former Electra Resident In Critical Condition at Breckenridge.

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Dec. 1.—Mrs. I. J. Barr, for many years a resident of Electra, and mother of Miss Katherine Barr and Ed Barr of this city, is seriously ill at the home of her daughter in Breckenridge, according to reports received here. Ed. Barr and J. W. Gookin were at Mrs. Barr's bedside Saturday and Sunday. Monday word was received here that her condition had taken a turn for the worse. Miss Katherine Barr and Mrs. O. K. Peck, her aunt, rushed to her bedside upon receipt of the last message.

GIVES PROGRAM

Electra Congregation Entertained By Wichita Falls Choir,

Special to The Record News.

ELECTRA, Dec.1. — The music loving public of this city was delighted with a sacred concert at the First Presbyterian church Tuesday night by the choir of the First Presbyterian church in Wichita Falls. The choir, composed of 26 voices under the direction of Alva Wilgus, arrived in the city at 7 o'clock and was served a delightful dinner by the ladies of the church.

At 8 o'clock the concert began with Mrs. O. E. Maer playing the accompaniments and Mr. Wilgus directing.

NEW CONFERENCE

Plans for Year Being Worked Out By Methodists.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Dec. 1.—Plans for the new conference year of the First Methodist Episcopal church, south, will be made Thursday afternoon in Altus when Rev. C. C. Hightower, presiding elder, from Lawton, will meet with the ministers and a representative number of laymen from the Methodist churches in the town and communities near Altus.

Rev. S. H. Babcock, pastor of the First Methodist church, at Lawton, will deliver a sermon at the evening meeting.

250 ATTEND ALTUS MEET

Mrs. W. C. Austin Re-Elected President of County Federation

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Dec. 1.—Approximately 250 people attended the annual meeting of the Farm Women's federation and banquet Saturday in the Jackson county court house when the meeting was an all-day affair.

The Blair center of the club won the pressure cooker given by merchants of Altus for the club center in the north part of the county having the nearest 100 per cent attendance at the meeting. There were 84 per cent of the Blair women in attendance. Humphreys center won the pressure cooker awarded to the club center in the south part of the county with the largest per cent of attendsance.

Mrs. W. C. Austin of Altus, was re-elected president of the county federation; Mrs. C. B. McCaleb, of Olustee, was re-elected vice-president; and Mrs. W. Summers, of Humphreys, was re-elected secretary of the organization.

NEGRO ARRESTED

Surrenders to Officers and Admits Slaying Man

FREDERICK, Dec. 1.—Jimmy Taylor, negro, surrendered late yesterday afternoon to the sheriff's department and later confessed to the killing of Richard Spivey, a fellow cotton picker.

The slaying occurred on the Joe McIntire farm in the Deep Red community, it is alleged by witnesses. Taylor gave himself up at the sheriff's office while members of that department were at the McIntire farm investigating the case.

Taylor alleged in his confession that Spivey was attacking him with a knife and had previously threatened him. Officers, however, found the slain black unarmed.

ON INSPCETION

Special Tour Will Be Made By Altus Business Men.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Dec. 1. — A special inspection tour of the $690,000 water project at Lugert now under construction for Altus will be made Thursday by visitors from Altus when the visitors will be guests for dinner of the engineers and contractor of the project.

Approximately 75 Altus citizens have signified their intentions of making the inspection.

DELINQUENTS HEAVY

Many Tax Penalties To Be Assessed In Childress

CHILDRESS, Dec. 1.—Delinquent taxes and penalties in Childress county will run close to $100,000 this year, it is reported. Of this amount, the county will receive $60,000 which will be applied on warrants which have been issued by the county during the past three years.

BAND APPEARS

Commercial Organization Comes For Local Concert

FREDERICK, Dec. 1. — The Frederick Commercial band made its second appearance before Wichita Falls citizens Tuesday when it provided one of the outstanding features of the 40 and 8 celebration there. The 25-piece organization first appeared there during the 1926 Texas-Oklahoma fair.

FREDERICK WEDDING

FREDERICK, Dec. 1 — Miss Marie Ziegler and Earl Rhinehart were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ziegler, Monday night. Mrs. Rhinehart is a junior in Frederick high school and is prominent in school activities. Mr. Ziegler is employed as bookkeeper at one of the Davidson gins. The couple will make their home in Davidson.

ADMIRAL FILES CHARGE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. — Rear Admiral Bradley Fiske charges that the navy has infringed his patents for shooting submarine torpedoes from airplanes. He is sueing Mr. Wilbur and several officials of the navy department for a quarter of a million.

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Radio Program

International Radio Programs.

ETHEL'S WHITE CAPS.

7:00 p. m. WQJ (447) Chicago, Kais and His Kittens in a "Band Concert."
8:00 p. m. WIP (509) Philladelphia Stausebach Trio recital.
8:15 p. m. WHAS (400) Louisville, The Honolulu Serenaders.
10:00 p. m. KGO (361) Oakland, Comic opera, "The Mikado," by Gilbert and Sullivan.

EVENING CONCERTS.

5:45 p. m.
WOC (484) Davenport, Chimes concert.
7:00 p. m.
WEW (360) St. Louis, Musicale program.
WOC (484) Davenoprt, Musicale.
7:30 p. m.
KFKX (288) Hastings, Concert.
WBAP (476) Fort Worth, Panther Hawaiian trio.
WOC (484) Davenport, Moline Plow boys.
WHAS (400) Louisville, Vocal.
8:00 p. m.
WHO (526) Des Moines, Bankers Life.
WENR (226) Chicago, All-American Pioneers.
WEAF (492) N. Y., Cliquot Club Eskimos, to WEEI, WJAR, WTAG, WFI, WCAE, WSAI, WTAM, WGR, WWJ, WOI, WCCO, KSD, and WGN.
KLDS (441) Independence, Musicale.
WHO (526) Des Moines, Bankers Life trio.
WSB (428) Atlanta, Studio.
8:15 p. m.
WHAS (400) Louisville, Musicale.
WEAO (294) Columbus, Instrumental.
8:30 p. m.
WHAD (275) Milwaukee, Studio program.
WFAA (476) Dallas, Schubert Choral club.
8:45 p. m.
WEAO (294) Columbus, Music.
9:00 p. m.
WSOE (246) Milwaukee, Old Fashioned musicale.
WOAW (526) Omaha, Sunshine.
WHB (266) Kansas City, Popular.
9:05 p. m.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs, Piano solos.
9:10 p. m.
WGN (306) Chicago, The Music Box.
9:30 p. m.
WBAP (476) Fort Worth, Studio concert.
10:00 p. m.
WTAM (390) Cleveland, Studio program.
WGN (302) Chicago, "Sam 'n' Henry.
KTHS (375) Hot springs, Little Jack Little.
WLW (423) Cincinnati, Latonia Melody Boys.
10:45 p. m.
WSB (428) Atlanta, Organ recital.

FEATURE TALKS.

7:30 p. m.
WCCO (417) St. Paul-Minneapolis, "Where Religion Stands."
8:00 p. m.
WSOE (246) Milwaukee, Wisconsin Bible conference.

WANT TO DANCE.

6:30 p. m.
WFAA (476) Dallas, Jimmy Joy's.
WEAF (492) N. Y., Goodrich Zippers to WUI, WFI, WCAE, WUY, MGR, WOC, WCCO, WTAG, KSD, WSAI, WJAR, WGN, WCSH, and WTAM.
10:00 p. m.
WTAM (390) Cleveland, Bamboo gardens.
10:30 p. m.
KTHS (375) Hot Springs, Dance music.
11:55 p. m.
WLW (423) Cincinnati, Castle Farmers.
11:30 p. m.
KGO (361) Oakland, Paradise.
11:45 p. m.
WDAF (366) Kansas City, Nighthawks
12 Midnight.
KGW (492) Portland, Spanish Ballroom.
KPO (428) San Francisco, Mandarin Cafe.

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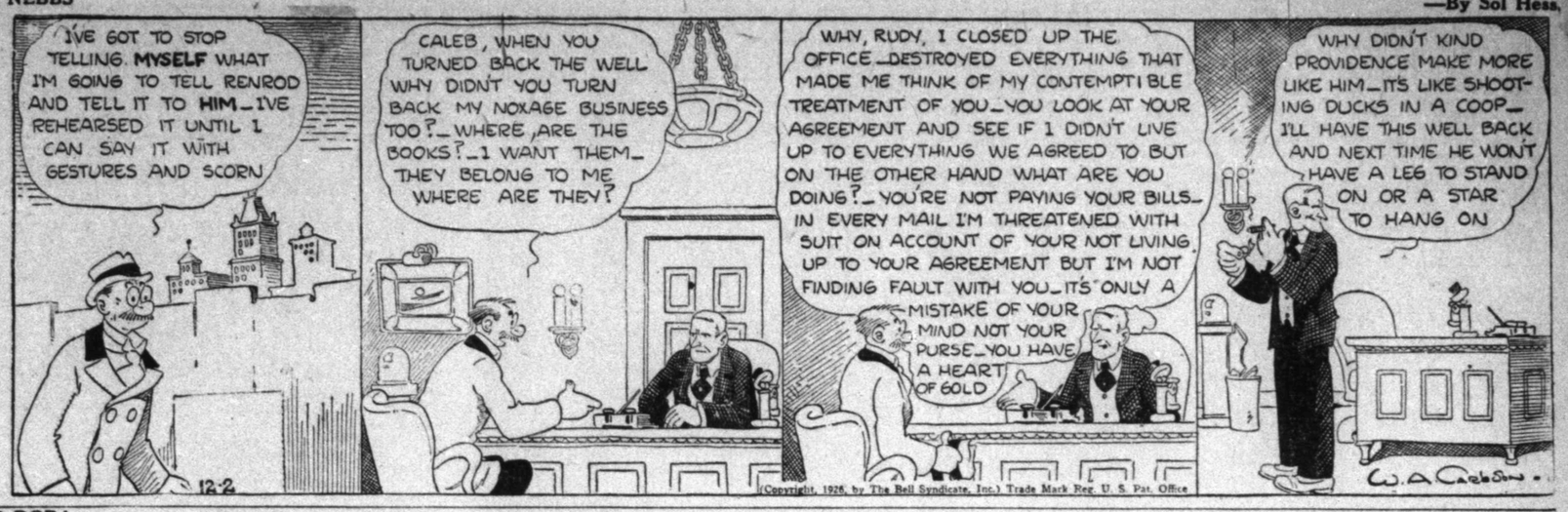
THE NEBBS —By Sol Hess.



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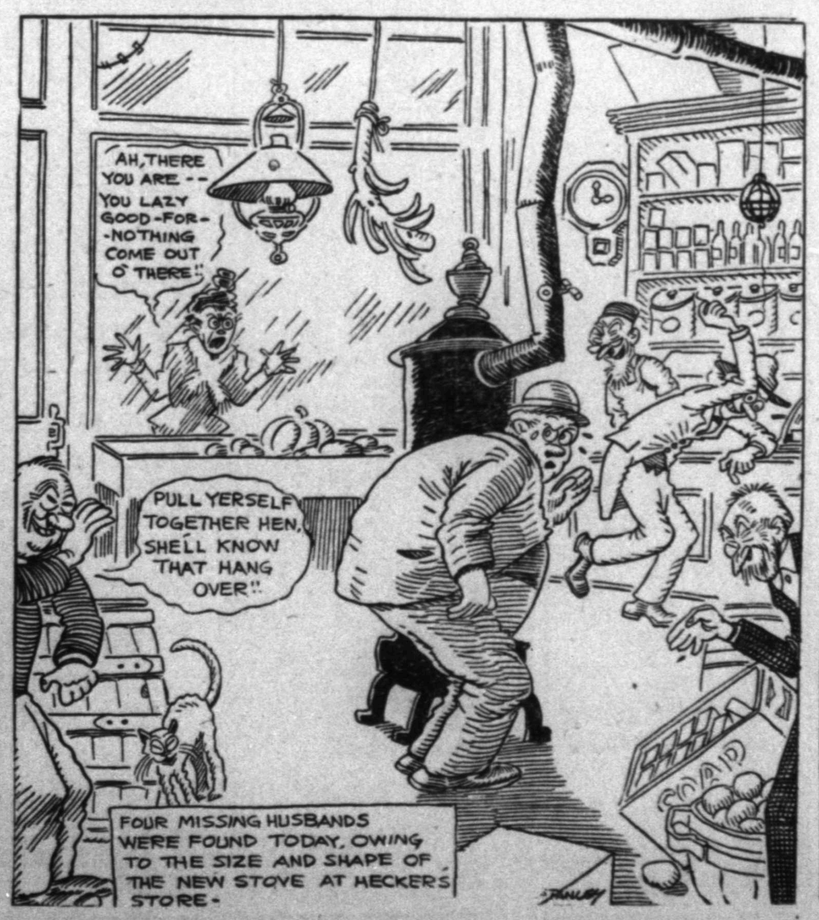

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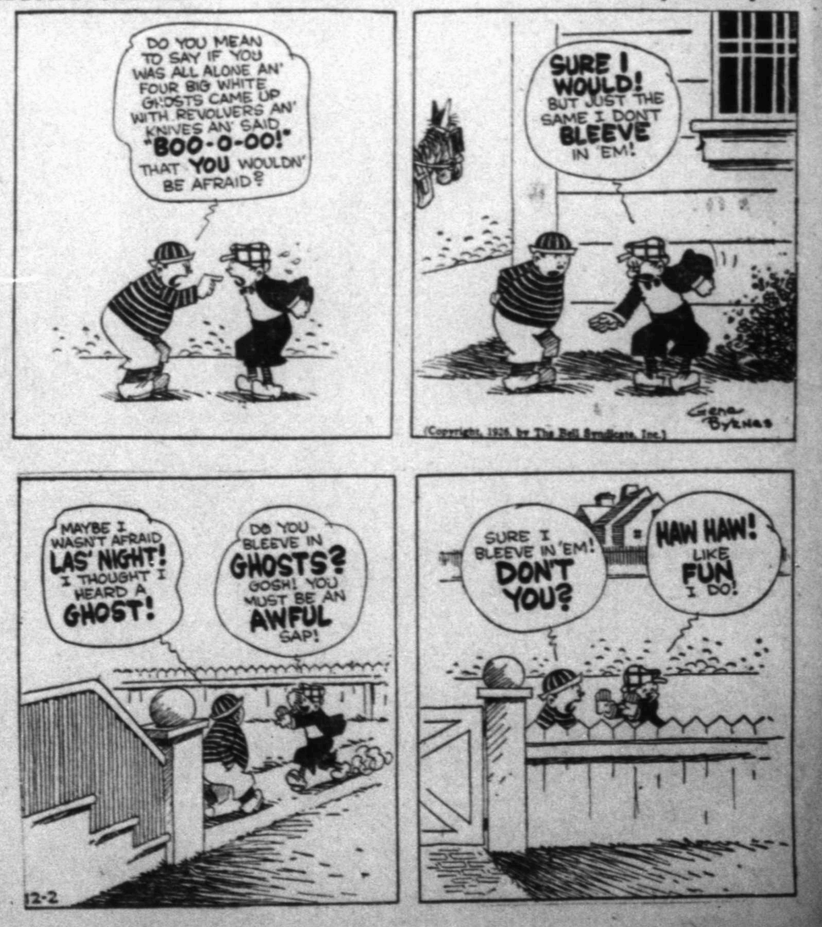

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HEAVY PLANS FOR TITULAR GRID BATTLE

West Texas C-C Swings In Behind Pack-Bulldog Game

RANGER, Dec. 1. (AP)—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will recognize officially the all-West Texas championship game between Wichita Falls high school and Ranger high, to be played at Wichita Falls Saturday, as an outstanding sectional event. President Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield is to be present and has been invited to "kick out" the ball to open the game.

Homer D. Wade of Stamford, manager and other staff members will also be present. The Wichita Falls and Ranger chambers of commerce are co-operating in plans for the occasion, and a banquet honoring the teams and several visiting Ranger dignitaries is planned by Hubert Harrison, secretary of the Wichita Falls body.

CHERRY SOUNDS OMINOUS NOTE

The rival squads worked well into the twilight Wednesday on their respective gridirons. Although night had fallen when Coach McCallum's Coyotes jerked off their last signal run, Coach Cherry's "corn fed Ranger machine" went the city boys one better, according to Cherry Wednesday night in telephonic communication.

Said Cherry, "We whooped 'em up away past dark tonight and had to string out a couple of arc lights to see by."

When told that a news item emanating from Ranger was to effect the Bulldogs are working lightly and do not consider the Wichita Falls game as a very stiff encounter, Cherry nearly exploded. "Wha-a-at!" he yelled. "That's some more of that fake psychology stuff you fellows up there are trying to pull. The paper down here has been printing your stuff about the game. It's terrible. You are trying to get my team overconfident and make McCallum's crowd think they're going to get beat and then in that mood come along and kick us over."

"Plenty of Power"

You know you have a faster and more versatile club, Cherry was told.

"We-e-ell, perhaps faster but quite a bit lighter," the Ranger mentor replied. "All I can say is we'll be in there hustling. And, boy, there'll be plenty of power! We'll be running around those ends of yours. That's the only way we can gain on you," all of which leads one to believe Cherry has uncovered a wad of trick line plays and will resort to the aerial game quite often and forget the purported end-running capacity of his club.

Ranger, with the speedy Buster Mills in the van, has gained many a yard this season around the wings, however. But it's doubtful if the Bulldogs have encountered as scrappy a pair of ends as the midgets, Ewing and McKinney.

"Show 'Em How to Fight"

Cherry issued a challenge, as it were, shortly before signing off. He said, "I can tell you one thing—Wichita Falls will meet a far tougher and meaner-fighting team Saturday than it has tangled with all season. Ranger will show 'em how to fight, all right."

The invading westerners will arrive in Wichita Falls early Friday. The Coyotes will turn over Spudder park to them Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Cherry intends to send his squad through a light workout. All gates are to be locked and no visitors wil be allowed to witness the maneuvers.

Bud McCallum, the director of Coyote fortunes, had little to say Wednesday. His longest statement was, "You know as much about it as I do, maybe more. They're supposed to have a better club than we have but we hope to outfight 'em. I believe the club that fights the hardest will win."

TUESDAY'S FIGHTS

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Tim O'Dowd, Louisville, beat Claude Wilson, Birmingham, 10 rounds; Albany, Tony Vaccarelli, New York, won a technical knockout over Johnny Rocco, New Roceville, 4 rounds. Jackie Horner, St. Louis, defeated Kid Blair, Utica, 10 rounds; Vernon, Calif., Mushy Callahan, junior welterweight champion, scored a technical knockout over Paul de Hate, Compton, Calif., 1 round; Spokane, Wash., Al Stradley, Spokane, beat Joe Starr, Toronto, 6 rounds; Portland, Ore., Izzy Schwartz, New York, beat Chuck Sellman, Portland, 10 rounds.

POLOISTS TO HOOK UP

HOUSTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—With the opening match against the sturdy Austin polo club but two days removed, the polo team of the Houston riding and polo club is topping off condition work for the toughest match of the season. The Houston-Austin tournament will start Friday afternoon with a second match Sunday, and a third Tuesday.

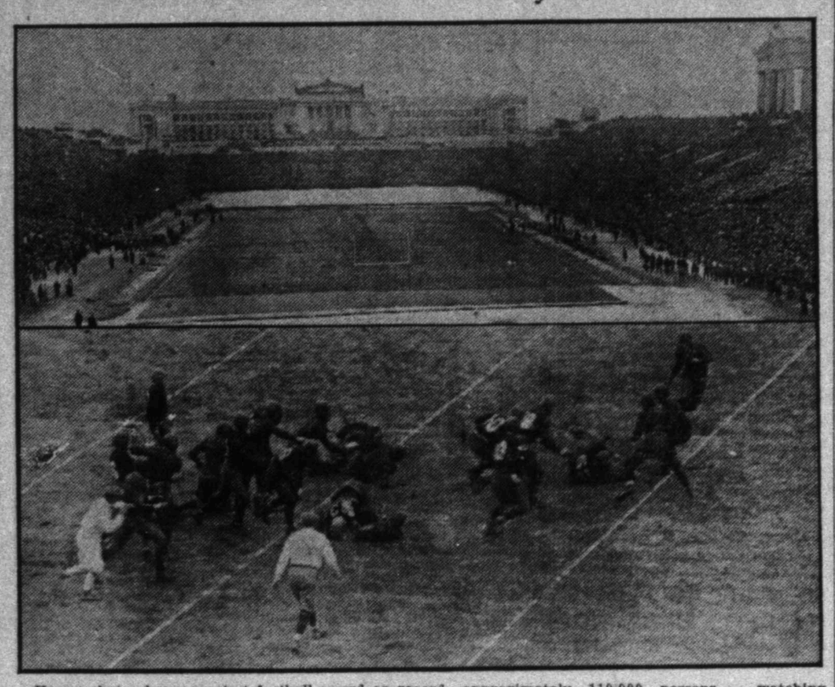
INDIANS SEEK LARGER GAME

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—The proposed post-season football game between St. Edwards university of Austin and the Haskell Indians has been cancelled by the Haskell eleven, Jack Meagher, Saint coach announced today, because the Saints were not members of the Southwest conference.

FOR WARD SCHOOL CROWN

CISCO, Dec. 1. (AP)—A football game which, it is said, will decide the ward school championship of Texas is to be played here Saturday between the Cisco Lobo Midgets and Temple grammar school. The Midgets have accepted Temple's challenge issued through the press this week. The Cisco team are champion of Eastland county in the ward school class.

When Service Elevens Battled Gallantly to 21-21 Deadlock



Upper photo shows greatest football crowd on record—approximately 110,000 persons — watching Army tie Navy, 21-21, at Soldiers' Field, Chicago. Lower photo: Wilson (No. 10) of the Army team breaks through for a 20-yard run ending in a touchdown, second quarter.

3 HELD FOR BORGER DEATH

Police Jail Trio After Fatal Gun Battle On Streets Tuesday Night

BORGER, Texas, Dec. 1.(AP)—Three men are being held by police in connection with the gun fight on Main street here last night, in which Captain Irl Rigney, night police chief, was slain.

M. F. "Toughey" McWilliams, 31, who was shot three times and found lying on the sidewalk following the shooting, is in a hospital in a critical condition. He denies taking any part in the affair.

No weapon was found on the scene of the killing. Two men, who were said to have been with McWilliams early in the evening, were picked up by police later in their rooms, where an empty .45 shell was found.

Rigney, who was shot five times, twice in the heart, died almost instantly, firing three shots himself as he fell into the gutter.

SCOUT SCHOOL RESUMES

The Scoutmaster's school will resume its activities Thursday evening at the First Christian church according to Frank B. Creighton, scout executive. Saturday afternoon, the scoutmasters will go on a field trip to Boone's pasture, it was said.

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TO ATTEND MEET

Curd, Douglas and Logan Will Go To Dallas

The annual meeting of the Water Work and Filter Plant Operators association to be held in Dallas in January will probably be attended by P. B. Curd, public utilities commissioner, officials of the city water department, Dr. A. H. Douglas, manager, and C. P. Logan, plant engineer.

GAINS MADE IN GINNING

Northwest Texas Counties Show 35,461 Bale Jump Over 1925

Counties of northwest Texas show an increase of 45,461 bales of cotton ginned over that ginned at this season of 1925, according to statistics from the department of commerce at Washington, D. C. This is taken from the beginning of the cotton season to November 4. The statistics follow:

Counties:	1926	1925
Archer	3,279	1,811
Baylor	13,446	7,660
Childress	13,903	15,689
Clay	21,967	14,656
Foard	10,581	9,767
Hardeman	18,109	15,195
Haskell	30,702	25,482
Jack	4,549	4,722
Knox	32,248	25,217
Montague	13,547	12,775
Throckmorton	5,725	3,295
Wichita	14,671	13,118
Wilbarger	30,609	29,122
Young	16,145	9,290
Totals	224,383	188,922

McLEOD DEAD

Announcement of the death of G. J. McLeod of San Francisco, formerly of Wichita Falls, has been received here. He is survived by his widow, two small boys and his parents of Toronto, Canada.

CANDLE LIGHT SERVICE HELD

Three Girl Reserve Units Of Schools Here In Meetings

Candle lighting services were held in three of the local ward school Girl Reserve organizations Wednesday afternoon after school at their regular meetings. Bertha Chambers, Inez Ritches, and Fern Blankenship conducted the ceremony in the Travis meeting, and other members had charge of the same service in the San Jacinto and Carrigan schools.

Grace Brock read the scripture for the program at the Travis school, and the entire club sang Girl Reserve songs. Myrl Osborne taught a new game, and hygiene talks were made by the following: "Washing Your Teeth," by Dorothy Rigers and Mavine Crowson; "Taking Exercise," by Armist Arnold and Bonnie Beeson; "Cleaning Your Nails," by Pattie Lou Hearn and Fern Blankenship. How to make a bed for a sick person was learned by the members, after which "Follow the Gleam," and the benedition closed the program.

Miss Nelson Presides

Beatrice Nelson, president, presided at the meeting of the Carrigan club, and after a short business session, in which it was decided to take part in the vesper services to be held at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon over to Loretta Morgan, program chairman. Corinne Kellogg gave a violin solo, and Myrl Vaughn spoke on "The Proper Dress for a School Girl." Nellie Ruth Smith pronounced the bendiction.

New members were received into the San Jacinto club during the business meeting, at which time it was also decided to take part in the vesper service and to make Christmas cards at the next regular meeting. A short play was given by five of the members and some games were played. It was also planned to have some social activity near Christmas.

NAVY SCHEDULE OUT

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 1. (AP) Navy's 1927 football schedule, nearly complete, was announced today as follows:

October 8, Drake university at Annapolis; October 15, Notre Dame at Baltimore; October 22, Duke university at Annapolis; October 29, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; November 5, West Virginia Wesleyan at Annapolis; November 12, Michigan at Ann Arbor; November 19, Loyola at Annapolis; November 26, Army at New York; October 1, remains open.

CINCINNATI PLANS DEFINITE OFFER FOR COLUMBUS CLUB

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 1.(AP)—Officials and directors of the Cincinnati National league baseball club decided today to make a definite offer within a week to purchase the Columbus franchise in the American association.

Members of the Cincinnati delegation said the Columbus club if purchased will be used as a "farm" for youngsters and other players whom the Cincinnati Reds expect to develop.

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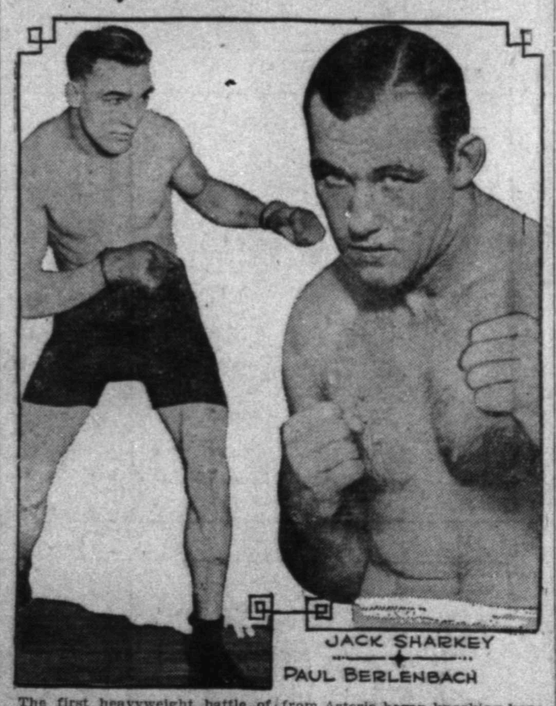
Is Tunney's Next Opponent Here?



JACK SHARKEY — PAUL BERLENBACH

The first heavyweight battle of importance since the championship bout between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney probably will be one between Paul Berlenbach, recent graduate into the "legitimate" heavyweight class, and Jack Sharkey, the man who burst the myth surrounding Harry Wills.

It is understood the men are as good as matched to meet in New York early in January as the first of a series of indoor shows to be run with a view toward choosing a late summer foe for Tunney.

Berlenbach has spent the last few months bu[illegible] his weight to that of the average heavy. Th[illegible] after proving [illegible]vely in the light heavy ranks that he is a terrific puncher, a fair boxer, and the "go-getter" type the fans like.

Eastern critics dubbed Paul the "Astoria Assassin" when the lad from Astoria began knocking hopefuls loose from their hopes. In 1925, after knocking out Mike McTigue to win the light heavyweight crown, Paul flattened Jimmy Slattery pride of Buffalo and called a "second Corbett," and then proceeded to win over Jack Delaney. He later, however, lost the crown to Jack.

Sharkey had drawn some attention before the Wills bout. Regardless of the class he showed in that bout, the victory over the talkative negro gave Jack enough prominence to make him a big drawing card—until he gets socked.

If the battle comes off it will be a slugging match—and ought to be a beautiful one. Those in the front rows may spend much of their time pushing one or the other back into the ring.

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Jack Poisoned Mabbutt Avers

But Tex Quotes Dempsey As Declaring "It's All The Bunk"

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 1.(AP) Poison in Jack Dempsey's coffee the Saturday before his fight with Gene Tunney at Philadelphia sent the champion to defeat, Captain Charles J. Mabbutt, generalissimo of the Dempsey training camp, charges in an article written for the Baltimore News today.

"It is now more than nine weeks since Jack Dempsey lost his heavyweight boxing crown to Gene Tunney at Philadelphia," Captain Mabbutt said. "I have purposely refrained, up to this time, from discussing in detail what happened at Dempsey's training camp at Atlantic City, but after due deliberation I offer as my firm belief the opinion that both Dempsey and I as well as his trainer, Jerry the Greek, were victims of foul play and that a poisonous substance introduced into the cream used by our party did the work.

"On the Saturday preceding the fight Dempsey, Mike Trent, his body guard, Jerry the Greek and I had breakfast with him as usual.

"After Saturday Dempsey did practically no training and barring punching the bag for a few hours. Sunday he discontinued active work of any kind. He was an ill man."

He said all at the Saturday breakfast table except Mike Trent drank cream in their coffee on Saturday morning. Trent, he said, took black coffee and was not ill.

BEAT BY A BETTER MAN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—"Put it down as a lot of bunk," Tex Rickard, promoter, of the Dempsey-Tunney fight, said Wednesday when informed of charges by Captain Charles J. Mabbutt in Baltimore that the former heavyweight champion was poisoned before the title bout.

"The poison story was circulated for some time after the bout," said Rickard, "but I know there was nothing to it. Dempsey told me as well as others that it was the bunk."

"I was beaten by a better man, that's all," Dempsey said at the time.

POINCARE A SPORT FAN

French Premier All for Athletics In Army Batallions

PARIS, Dec. 1. (AP)—A direct appeal to Premier Poincare to repeal or at least amend the decree practically eliminating sports and athletics from the French army has met with prompt response.

"I should be quite unworthy to be head of the government if I took no interest in matters of sport," said M. Poincare, in reply to a letter from former Minister of Sports Gaston Vidal asking that the former regime be continued in spite of the one-year military service.

Unfinished Furniture, Chas. E. Watson Paint Co., 807 Indiana.—Adv.

FARMERS BILL SIX

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Dec. 1.(AP)—Texas A. and M. college will play six conference games during the 1927 football season, James Sullivan, business manager of the college, announced Wednesday. There will be five games at home and four on the road, making the most attractive home schedule in the history of the college. It also is the first time that a team has scheduled six southwest conference schoools. The schedule follows:

Saturday, September 24, Trinity university at College Station; Saturday, October 1, Southwestern university at College Station; Saturday, October 8, Sewanee at Dallas; Saturday, October 15, Arkansas university at College Station; Saturday, October 22, Texas Christian university at Fort Worth; Saturday, October 29, Baylor university at Waco; Saturday, November 5, Southern Methodist university at College Station; Friday, November 11, Rice Institute at Houston; Thursday, November 24, University of Texas at College Station.

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Bill Carrigan To Boss Red Sox

BOSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—William C. Carrigan, who piloted the Boston Red Sox to two successive world's championships and then went back to his home town, Lewiston, Maine, to lead the comparatively humdrum life of a banker, is in the harness again.

Bill accepted President Brown's offer of the managership after a five-minute conference. He was promised the highest salary ever paid a Boston manager, it is understood, although no official figure was made public.

Carrigan was the original boy manager when he succeeded Jake Stahl at the helm of the Red Sox in 1913.

Now at 43 he will take up at once the reins relinquished by Lee Fohl, whose regime saw the once penning winning aggregation firmly entrenched in the cellar.

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Dress Jewelry
Tuxede Jewelry Sets
Belt Buckles
Cigarette Holders
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Silk Reefers
Wool Mufflers
Collar Bags
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TOP O' HORN STUFF
By Blond Cross.

LOE AND MURRAY IDLE

Texas university hoopers indulged in their initial court session Wednesday but the two athletes at Varsity this section is interested in the most were not on deck. Murray Moore of Electra is down with a broken leg suffered in the Thanksgiving day bout with the Aggies. Moore played guard with the Longhorns last season. Leo Baldwin of Wichita Falls, Varsity letter man, isn't going to don the abbreviated trunks until 1927. It is said since he did not play football, Leo intends to stay out of athletic competition this scholastic year so that when he does go in for the grid sport again the Southwest conference trick three- year eligibility ruling will not knock him out of a season. By the way, a report from Austin said, "Baldwin is laid up with an injured ankle." However, Leo's close friends at Texas university declare the Wichita Falls athlete is hale and hearty.

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Perhaps we're allowing sentiment to get the better of judgment, but somehow or other our sympathy goes, not to the Coyotes but to the boys who are giving these two and three-touchdown margins on Ranger to beat the Coyotes. There's just a sneaking little old bunch that the Pack will take care of itself quite capably.

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A NEW SCHOLAR

Yaqui Joe waxed unusually voluble for the more or less short-spoken Indian the other night following his mauling melee with Chief Wow Wow, the Oklahoma Redskin. Chief's feelings were hurt because Yaqui had slipped him on the chin and then applied a flying mare while has was woozy.

"If yuh wantta fight, put on the gloves," steamed the irritated Wow Wow, "and quit wrestling."

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Whereupon Joe, Cline Business college's star athlete, eloquently replied, "I beat you wrestling, I beat you boxing, I beat you swimming, I beat you running and pretty soon I beat you in school."

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Now the gallery oafs are endeavoring to rib up a six-rounder between the aboriginal gentlemen. Chief knows quite a few onions about the punching game. It is doubtful if Yaqui ever donned a glove in his life, but he's willing to step. Figures as how he can learn all the boxing he needs to know by practicing four or five days with some mitten exponent. Chief intends to work with Pug Humphries.

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Yaqui packs the earmarks (not meaning cauliflower) of a natural fighter. The Sonora savage may surprise somebody should such a battle be arranged. Picture Joe trying to "press the button" with gloves on. Or imagine him forgetting that he was in a boxing match and slapping on a flying leg scissors, bringing the opponent down on his mush.

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Pete Must Want a Raise

This fellow, Milton Steengrafe, pitcher recently purchased by the Spudders, seems to be very popular with the ball-playing fraternity. Numerous notes have been received since the transaction was announced from Spudders expressing pleasure over the lanky fellow's acquisition. Pete Lapan writes in his approval of Steengrafe and confides that he's joining a club that has the "best president and best manager I ever worked for."

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Winter-Time Form

Two other Spudder flingers are taking great pains to be in favorable condition when the season opens. Tom Estell, the spitballer, pens a line from Corsicana declaring that he's staying in trim, doing lots of bird hunting and it is impertient for spring to roll around. Fred Fussell, Wichita Falls' truck king, is in great shape and is staying that way. Fussell, when he's right, is the most effective chunker on the staff and is rated as one of the most, if not the most dangerous portsiders in the league.

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Paul LaGrave, For Instance

Guy Airey, Spudders' shrinking violet, breaks out with the announcement, "you can tell the dear public I shall depart these environs Friday night in company with Carl Williams, if he's here by that time, for the minor league meeting at Ashville and visit in my home town, Mobile, on the return trip." These are the first bold words the coy one has spoken since his installation as club secretary. The lad is improving. Some day he may rank right up with the peerage of the ballyhooing fraternity, an asset no enterprising ball club can accomplish much without.

HURDLE FOR LANDIS

K. M.'s Re-election Hinges on Change of Front, Says Jake.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Support of K. M. Landis for re-election as baseball commissioner by a majority of American league club-owners hinges upon revision of his agreement with the two major circuits, Colonel Jacob Ruppert, president of the New York Yankees said today.

While the Yankee owner declined to specify the changes in the contract were under consideration baseball men here interpreted his remarks as indicating a concocted effort by American league magnates to curtail the authority of Landis at the joint meeting of the leagues in Chicago, on December the 16th.

The possibility of altering his agreement is not considered bright, however, since National league owners already have indicated their desire to return Landis to office for another seven-year term without change in the conditions under which he now rules virtually with absolute authority.

ANOTHER GOLF MENACE

ATLANTIC, Dec. 1. (AP)—A new threat to British and American titles was introduced to the golfing world today in the person of Robert Tyre Jones III. The newcomer, son of Bobby Jones, was born last night and weighed eight pounds.

BROWN SPLITS HONORS WITH PENNSYLVANIA

Sprague of Soldiers Slides Through for All-East Selection

NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (AP) — Brown and Pennsylvania share major honors in the selection of all-eastern gridiron stars for 1926, according to a consensus of coaches and newspaper critics compiled by the Associated Press.

Each university placed two outstanding players on the first all-eastern team — Brown with Roy Randell at quarterback and Captain Broda at end; Pennsylvania with Jack Butler at center and Charley Rogers at halfback.

The canvass found little difference of opinion on line positions, indicating that the players chosen stood far ahead of their rivals in the estimation of Atlantic seaboard critics. Harry Connaughton, giant Georgetown guard, polled the heaviest vote but he was not far ahead of Frank Wickhorst, Navy tackle and captain.

Hanson and Broda.

Vic Hanson, versatile Syracuse captain and Broda were almost unanmous choices for the wings, although the class of men in these positions was regarded as unusually high this season. Butler had little opposition for the pivotal position the poll showed, but there was a sharp contest for the other tackle position with Sprague of Army barely gaining a lead over such stars as Cothran of LaFayette and Lassman of N. Y .U.

Differ On Backfield.

A wide difference of opinion prevailed in picking backfield men although Randall was a strong favorite for quarterback. Rogers of Pennsylvania, Kirkleski, LaFayette captain and Amos of Washington and Jefferson gained the first team positions as there was shown a distinction to favor such stars as Noble of Yale and Stagle of Princeton because of their inaction due to injuries and to select Wilson of the army because of his long varsity experience.

The selections:

1st Team	Po.	2nd Team
Hanson, Syracuse	End	Born, Army
Wickhorst, Navy	Tackle	Colhran, LaF.
Connaughton, G.	Guard	Sturhahn, Y.
Butler, Penn.	Center	Davis, Dartmouth
Carry, Cornell	Guard	Schmidt, Army
Sprague, Army	Tackle	Lassman, N. Y. U.
Broda, Brown	End	Hubbard, Geneva
Randall, Brown	Quarterback	Dooley, Dart.
Rogers, Penn.	Halfback	Stagle, Princeton
Kirkleski, LaF.	Halfback	Wilson, Army
Amos, W. & J.	Fullback	Shaughnessy, Col.

Honorable mention: end Thayer, Penn.; Archoska, Syracuse; McGrath, Georgetown; Timm, Colgate; Towle, Brown; Saltonstall, Harvard.

Tackle: Eddy, Navy; Hake, Pennsylvania; Mankat, Colgate; Yoder, Carnegie Tech; Kevorikan, Brown; Coady, Harvard; Richards, Yale.

Guard: Smith, Brown; Davis, Princton; Farber, Brown; Pauley, W. & J.; Dumont, Colgate; McHenry, West Virginia; Lynn, Pittsburgh.

Center: Daly, Army; Gamache, Harvard.

Quarterback: Mehler, Colgate; Caulkins, Princeton; Connor, N. Y. U.; Harding, Army; Harpster, Carnegie Tech.

Backs: Wilson, LaFayette; Donohue, Carnegie Tech; Hamilton, Navy; Mishel and Lawrence, Brown; Murrell, Army; Noble, Yale; Carr, Syracuse; Cook, W. & J.; Welch, Pittsburgh; Nork, Georgetown.

OWL OUTLOOK DIM

Rice Basketeers in Training for Strenuous Campaign.

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—With prospects none too cheery, Rice Institute basket ball team, under the tutelage of Coach Franklin D. Ashcraft, has launched an intensive training program to be fit for a strenuous conference schedule. Rice plays her opening conference game on January 7, when it meets the University of Arkansas Razorbacks at Fayetteville. The meeting will be extended to January 8, after which Rice's schedule is confined to the Texas members of the conference.

The Institute basketeers have completed their preliminary training program and according to Ashcrift are in splendid condition for a series of pre-season games during the Christmas holidays. It is rumored here that the University of Oklahoma basket ball team will train in Houston during the holiday session in which event the Owls will be afforded some splendid competition against the strong Missouri Valley entry.

TITLE GAME FRIDAY

Grandfield Plays Ringling for South Central Championship.

GRANDFIELD, Okla., Dec. 1. The South Central championship game will be decided between Grandfield and Ringling Friday on the Comanche gridiron. Official for the game are Anderson, umpire; Isle, referee, and Remund, head linesman.

Grandfield games: Iowa Park 0; Grandfield 46; Frederick 13, Grandfield 13; Wichita High 7, Grandfield 16; Temple 7, Grandfield 13; Comanche 0, Grandfield 0; Wichita Junior college 0, Grandfield 7; Ryan 0, Grandfield 49; Zanies 0, Grandfield 52.

Ringling games: Temple 7, Ringling 9; Comanche 0, Ringling 7; Nocona 7, Ringing 28; Zanies 0, Ringling 16; Dundee 12, Ringling 26; Waurike 0, Ringling 72; Ryan 0, Ringling 42.

DUKE TRIMS EWING

HOUSTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Duke Tramel, Wichita Falls welterweight, handed "Wildcat" Ewing, local boxer, an artistic boxing lesson for 10 rounds in the main bout of the card sponsored by the Marine Athletic club here Tuesday night. Tramel went after the "Wildcat" from the opening gong and clearly outboxed the local entry in every round. Ewing appears to have lost some of the sting and accuracy that made his wallops hurt some time ago, for, although he landed several hard licks on the invader's anatomy, the visitor was never in trouble.

Carnegie Tech Humbles Notre Dame

View of Carnegie Tech's second touchdown, second quarter—Tech winning over Notre Dame 19-to-0 at Pittsburgh in the most sensational upset of the football season. Photo shows Letzelter, Carnegie fullback, making the score.

WITH GEORGE MORIARTY

The Element of Luck In Sport

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Oosterbaan Scoops Up a Fumble

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Meusel Lost the Title for Yanks

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Crowd Took Defeat Nobly

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 1. Although baseball and football differ in technique and construction, that element of luck called the "breaks," exists in a large measure in both sports.

An error at a critical time, has about the same effect and reaction on players who engage in these games. When Nydahl fumbled the slippery oval in the recent Minnesota-Michigan game, and Oosterbaan picked it up and galloped down the field for a touchdown that resulted in game, it instantly recalled to me, the expensive muff made by Bob Meusel in the final game of the world's series last fall. Meusel's error was mainly responsible for the Yankees' loss of the title, and Nydahl's slip kept Minnesota from trimming its friendly enemies, the Yostmen, in the traditional battle for the Little Brown Jug.

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I have been told that when the Minnesota-Michigan battle ended, Nydahl headed quickly to the dressing room in a state of deep remorse because of his unfortunate misplay. His teammates immediately gathered around in an effort to cheer him up. The same scene was enacted in the Yankees' clubhouse after the last battle of the big series. Ball players have a way of patting an unlucky player on the back, with the accompanying consolation: "Never mind, old boy; better luck next time."

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There can be much drama in connection with a lost baseball or gridiron contest. Haycraft, the big, speedy end, who was just a few feet behind the flying Oosterbaan in a futile attempt to stop his spectacular dash to the Michigan goal, whent up to Coach Spears a few moments later, and blurted out tragically: "I tried my best, but I just couldn't catch him!" Going back a few years to a world's series we find Arthur Nehf, one of the gamest and most able left handers known to the diamond sport, quite a contest of his own volition after being unable to stop the enemy. Approaching the bench, he broke down, and in a heart-broken frame of mind, said to McGraw: "My curve ball won't break any more; I'm all through, I guess!" These instances show the athlete tasting the bitter dregs of defeat. The rabid fan may also be a tough loser, but I do not believe he can sink as deeply into despondency as the player who boots away a vital game.

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Speaking of losses, I have never seen a crowd accept defeat more nobly than the followers of the Gophers. Genuine regret was expressed on all sides for Nydahl, who, excepting that one flaw, played about the greatest game of his career to date. Everybody in this section seems to think that this young man will carve an envious name for himself in Minnesota grid history before his college football days come to a close.

JUST A GOLF STORY

Yes, Yes, Go On—Now It's Our Turn to Tell One

DEL MONTE, Cal., Dec. 1. (AP) Now James A. McKenzie, former president of the California Golf association, will tell one. While golfing with Gouverneur Morris, author, McKenzie's mashie shot was caught on the first bounce by a sea gull which flew out to sea and dropped it. Morris claims it was lost in a water hazard.

BIFFERS BANNED

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—Professional boxing, as sponsored by so-called "athletic clubs," will not be permitted in Houston hereafter, district attorney Horace Soule announced Wednesday.

The ban will not affect bouts arranged by reputable clubs, such as the Houston athletic club, and the Elks, Mr. Soule said unless they violate the state laws by paying the fighters or charging admission.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—Alexander Garkawienko, mammoth Russian wretler, who failed to appear against Wladek Zbyszko in New York a few days ago, has a unique explanation to lay before the state athletic commission. While he was watching a preliminary bout two chance acquaintances in the audience offered him a cigarette. A couple of puffs and Alex awoke in Central Park, he says.

GRIDITIS GETS HIM IN BAD

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1. (AP)—Recognition of footballitis as an extenuating circumstance was given in United States court here yesterday when Thomas R. Graham, postal clerk, was granted a stay of sentence of one year when he pleaded guilty to taking from the mails two tickets to the recent Stanford-University of Southern California football game. Judge Paul J. McCormick cautioned Graham about his future enthusiasm for the game.

Christmas gayeties will find you smartly attired if you take advantage of greatly reduced dresses at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

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Longhorn Basket Prospects Bright

Doc Greets Return Crew In First Day Work Session

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—A large squad turned out this afternoon in answer to the call of Coach E. J. Stewart for the first practice session of the Texas Longhorn basketball team for 1927.

The first 10 days will be devoted to drill in fundamentals and then practice games will be staged daily to prepare the Steers for the opening games here on December 20 and 21, with the Hillyards quintet of St. Joseph, Mo., national A. A. U. champions last year.

The next games on the card come immediately after the Christmas holidays with the Oklahoma Southwest Teachers college, who play three games at Austin, opening December 28. The Teachers will spend the holidays training period in Austin and expect to train with the Longhorns six days in addition to the playing of the regularly scheduled games. The Teachers boasted of a strong team last year and will have most of their team back for the coming season.

The Longhorn courtmen this year will be led by Captain Rosy Stallter of Eastland. Five other letter men will turn out, being Johnny Estes, Ox Higgins, Ed Olle, Joe King and Carl Nation. All except the last named made their letters last season. Naton was a star two years ago and his return to the squad has brightened prospects for a conference title, materially, especially since Murray Moore, who received a broken leg in the A. and M. football game, will not be able to play this year. Moore was a stellar guard last season and will be missed.

Among the new men to the squad who are expected to make a good showing this season are Holly Brock of Beaumont, who was one of the outstanding high school players of the state two years ago and John Looney of San Antonio.

League Heads Refuse To Okeh Oak Cliff As District Champion

AUSTIN, Dec. 1.(AP)—Charges of ineligibility respecting certain Dallas-Oak Cliff high school football players will be heard here Thursday by the state executive committee of the Texas University Interscholastic league, Roy Henderson, athletic director, Wednesday told the Associated Press.

At a meeting Monday in Fort Worth the executive committee of district three, class A, declared Oak Cliff the champion of that district, but R. L. Paschal, principal of Fort Worth Central High school, and a member of the committee, signed a minority report protesting the certification.

A report signed by a majority of the district three committee members, and Mr. Paschal's report were received here Wednesday.

"With Mr. Paschal's report before it the state executive committee refused to certify Oak Cliff the champion of district three until the charges against Oak Cliff players have been threshed out," Mr. Henderson said.

"Oak Cliff authorities have been notified that the hearing on the ineligibility charges will start here at 2:30 o'clock Thursday."

Oak Cliff and Cleburne are scheduled to meet Saturday for the right to enter the state championship semi-finals.

The district committee report certifying Oak Cliff was signed by R. M. Parker, Fort Worth Polytechnic high school principal; C. A. Gardner, Fort Worth North Side principal and L. V. Stockard, Dallas High school supervisor. The report was not signed by Paschal or Wiley Parker, committee chairman and principal of Dallas Forest avenue.

Mr. Henderson said Mr. Paschal centers his ineligibility charges around Roy Lumpkin and Homer Balcome, Oak Cliff players. Mr. Paschal contends they are playing in violation of the interscholastic league rule which requires an athlete to pass at least three courses in the last semester preceding the one in which he competes.

MICK STEPS SPRYLY

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Mickey Walker, former king of the welterweights, has shown such sterling form in training for his tilt with Tiger Flowers, middleweight champion, in Chicago Friday night that New York fans have made him a favorite. Although Walker lost to the late Harry Greb, and Flowers twice defeated the Pittsburgh windmill, Flowers has been knocked out several times and Mickey packs a wicked wallop, the experts point out.

Bear Cagers Take to Court

Wolfe Has Veteran Squad On Deck For 1927 Foray

WACO, Dec. 1. (AP)—Coach Ralph Wolfe has taken active charge of the Baylor basketball candidates now that football season is ended and the Bruins won their first practice game of the season Tuesday night when they defeated the Presbyterian team of this city, 27-12.

Every man from last season's cage squad is back and 10 players from the fish squad of last season have joined the team and are the most prospective of the new men while regulars from the varsity team of last year include such men as: Walker, Strickland, Slade, Hannah, Kelley, Winchester, Washam, Dillon and Kane.

Several practice games will be played before the Christmas holidays.

TITLE GAME AT T. C. U.

Decatur Plays Burleson In Frog Athletic Stadium

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1. (AP) The football championship of Texas junior college conference will be decided in a game to be played here on Texas Christian university stadium field next Wednesday.

Contending teams will be Decatur Baptist college of Decatur and Burleson college of Greenville.

Decatur won the championship of the western half of the conference while Burleson was victorious in the eastern half.

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BERGDOLL TO QUIT GERMANY

Famous Draft Evader Gone From Eberbach in A Cloud of Mystery

MOSBACH, Baden, Germany, Dec. 1.(AP) — Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, draft evader and fugitive from justice from the United States, has left his refuge in Eberbach with the declared intention of leaving Germany.

His ultimate destination could not be learned and much mystery surrounds his movements.

MOTHER HAS NO WORD FROM FUGUTIVE SON

PHILADELPHIA, Dec.1(AP)—Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, mother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, said late today she did not know where her son was nor of any intention he might have to come back. She added that if people would keep their noses out of his affairs he might return to this country.

WHITLEY FUNERAL

The funeral for Virgil Dee Whitley, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Whitley, was held Wednesday afternoon from the Hines Mortuary with Rev. T. J. Furniss of the South Side Baptist church officiating. Burial was in Riverside.

The child died at the family home, 312 Calhoun, Monday following a short illness of diphtheria.

KILLED IN WRECK.

WARRENSBURG, Mo., Dec. 1. (AP)—W. A. Stephens, former presiding judge of Johnson county and a former state legislator, and Mrs. Stephens were killed today when their motor car was struck by a Missouri Pacific freight train at a crossing here.

EXECUTIVE DEAD

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—DeWitt McAlpine, 56, general manager of the Bradner, Smith and company, wholesale paper house and nationally known in the trade, is dead.

LONELY!

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 1. (AP)—Lonely outside prison walls Michael J. Harris is going to spend the rest of his life among his friends, the old timers inside. Paroled in 1916, he insisted upon returning "home."

CLAUDEL A POET

PARIS, Dec. 1.(AP)—Paul Claudel, poet, who is to represent France at Washington, is reputed to have a better knowledge of the English language than any other man in the French diplomatic service.

COON AT SCHOOL

Wild Pet Sent Coolidge Lives Because of Taste

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP) The raccoon that came to Washington to make Thanksgiving dinner at the White House uncommonly succulent, not only has been saved from death by President Coolidge's distaste for that particular delicacy, but has been given an opportunity to raise in the world to the status of a pet. But the 'coon, which came from Mississippi, hasn't learned to pet so he has been turned loose—for educational purposes, possibly—among some wild bees that buzz around a hollow tree in the White House grounds. They already have one point in common: President Coolidge doesn't like wild honey, either.

GOT TO DRESS

BRIDGEPORT, Dec. 1. (AP)—If Mrs. Lottie Schoemmel wants to race Mrs. Clemington Corson she must wear something besides grease. Mrs. Corson thinks her rival's distinctive costume is disgraceful, foolish and sundry other things.

PARAMOUNT LOSES

French Duke Wins Suit Against Picture Company.

PARIS, Dec. 1.(AP)—The Duke De Brissac, member of one of the noblest French families, was awarded 75,000 francs damages against the Paramount Film company today for a slight put upon him by its use of the name of "Monsieure de Brissac" for a character of low morals in the picture "Zaza." The defendant company was also ordered to have the judgment published in several French and American papers.

Artists Materials and Lacquers. Chas. E. Watson Paint Co., 807 Indiana.—Adv.

FEUD FLARES

Filling Station in West Frankfort Burned to Ground.

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Dec. 1. (AP)—A fgilling station and barbecue stand known aas George's place o nthe state road, three miles south of here near the William county line, was destroyed by fire early tody after it had been shot into by nidentified men. No one was hurt

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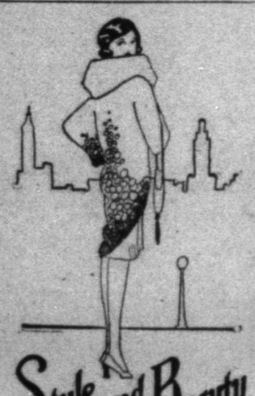

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HONEY LOU HUNTLEY is private secretary to old "GRUMPY" WALLACK, head of the Wallack Fabric Mills. Honey Lou likes everyone at the mills except JOE MEADOWS, the shipping clerk, who makes love to her against her will.

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 pretends 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 goes to work with Margret in the office of Holy Cross hospital. One day she goes to tea with the wily Angella and meets Jack's mother, whom Jack calls The Head, because she manages everything at home. She tells Honey Lou that "Grumpy" is not satisfied with his new secretary, ANN LUDLOW, the office vamp. Jack asks Honey Lou to work for his father, who is at home sick with lumbago, and Honey Lou promises that she will.

Honey Lou meets Angela, who tells her that Jack Wallack is taking her out to dance that evening. Honey Lou calls up TIM DONEGAL, determined to have him take her to the same place.

Honey Lou goes with Tim to the restaurant and he has been drinking. The place is raided by dry agents and Honey Lou escapes with Jack Wallack. Jack tells Honey Lou that he thought she was tricking him and ends by telling her that he loves her and wants her to marry him.

Honey Lou tells her mother that she is to marry Jack Wallack the next day but her mother asks her to wait and have a wedding. Honey Lou's engagement 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. In the meantime Steve visits the flat and breaks under the realization that Honey Lou is lost to him now.

Honey Lou and Jack settle down in their own flat with Mary Delaney, the cook. Margret comes home with Honey Lou for dinner and Steve Mayhew calls to take her home.

Angela comes over to help Honey Lou prepare dinner on Mary's night out. Jack phones he will not be home and Angela says she will call Tim Donegal and ask him to play cards with them, much against Honey Lou's wishes.

Influenced by Angela, Honey Lou buys a dress which she knows she cannot afford. Angela tells Honey Lou Jack seems very much interested in his new secretary, Miss Ayres.

Margaret overhears Angela telling Jack she tried to stop Honey Lou from buying the dress because she knew he could not afford it.

Tim Donegal tells of the card parties he has had with Honey Lou which angers Jack and he forbids Honey Lou to have Donegal in their home.

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 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 in regard to Donegal.

Donegal's arrest delays Honey Lou's and Angela's return until 2 o'clock 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 XLVIII.

Honey Lou had heard stories of married people who lived in the same house almost like strangers.

Dimly she remembered reading about such cases in the newspapers. But she had only half believed them, at the time. "Just newspaper stories!" she had said to herself. How could two people live under the same roof without speaking to each other for whole months at a time?

But now that the thing was actually happening to her and Jack, she knew that those stories had been perfectly true.

For as March warmed into sunny April, it began to dawn upon her that she had lost her husband.

He still lived in the luxurious flat, it was true. He had his morning bath there, and his breakfast. He came home late at night and slept there.

But that was all. What he did with himself all the rest of the time Honey Lou did not know, and she did her level best not to care.

"Angela will soon be back in town, and then she'll explain everything to him as she promised to," she told herself every day. "But I won't say another word to him!" She could be just as silent and stiff-necked as he could! She'd show him!

In the meantime she went nowhere and saw no one except her mother and Margret. But she would not talk over with them the disgraceful affair that had led to this situation. She couldn't. She couldn't talk it over with anyone. Just to think about it made her sick with misery.

Then toward the end of April the doorbell rang long and loud one afternoon. There came a rush of flying feet on the carpeted stairs that led up to the flat—and Suzanne Clemens and Daisy Deane banged on the front door.

Honey Lou could hear their light-hearted chatter as she hurried to open it, and her heart went out to them in warm thankfulness. How decent of them to come to see her in her disgrace!

The nicest part of it was that they did not seem to think she was in disgrace.

"Wherever have you been keeping yourself?" Suzanne asked, kissing her on both of her cheeks. "We thought you must have gone out of town with Angela after you became famous in the newspapers." She laughed her thin silvery little laugh, and stretched herself out in a long chair with her eternal cigaret.

"Tell us just what happened," Daisy said. "Was Tim Donegal really bootlegging or did he just have some stuff in his car to drink?"

"I honestly don't know," Honey Lou told them, looking from one to the other with her appealing eyes. "I've been so miserably unhappy about the whole thing that I just tried to forget it—I thought you girls would never speak to me again."

Suzanne flicked the ash away from her brown Mexican cigaret and laughed.

"Deary, everybody gets into the papers nowadays," she comforted her. "Dean Inge and Peggy Joyce and the Queen of Rumania, and the Prince of Wales fallin' off his horse, and Jack Dempsey and — everybody. You should worry about being in the papers! It's the style!"

"I do worry, though," Honey Lou confessed in a low tone. She was very close to tears, under the warm sympathy and friendliness of little Suzanne. "And Jack does. He hardly speaks to me."

"That's a doggoned shame," Suzanne agreed. "But just sit pretty and wait. He'll get over his peeve. That's what I'm waiting for my little old last year's husband to do. I haven't even laid eyes on him for a year, but I haven't given up hope. One of these days I'm going to go and find him and drag him home by the scruff of his neck."

Honey Lou shook her head and her voice was wistful. "Yes, but Suzanne ,you hadn't disgraced your husband, and I have, you see. You didn't get mixed up in a bootlegging scandal like I did."

Her thoughtful eyes were on the little pile of rouge-stained cigaret ends in the ashtray beside Suzanne's chair. "What I don't understand is how they found out I was with Tim and Angela," she said. "I didn't tell a soul who I was with that day. Not a soul."

Daisy Deane spoke up suddenly. "Don't you suppose Angel told the people down there who you were?" she asked. "She probably thought that as long as she was going to be dragged into a lot of scandal, you might just as well be dragged along with her?"

Honey Lou thought that over, after the frivolous chattering pair had gone. She wondered if Angela had given her name to the newspaper correspondent. Would Angela have done a beastly thing like that to her, her very best friend?

"Oh, I'm sure she wouldn't," she decided, after long thought. Angela was too loyal. But then she did love to talk and tell things.

At the end of May Angela came home. Honey Lou did not know that she was in town until she happened to look out of the kitchen window one afternoon.

In the big green yard behind the Allen's stone house a slender figure in shining black satin was romping with a police dog. Could it be Angela?

Honey Lou went out on the back porch and looked again. It was Angela!

"Did you know Miss Allen was home?" she asked Mary when she stepped back into the kitchen. "Have you seen her before?"

Mary knew most of what was going on in the neighborhood. From the window of her neat kitchen she kept an eye on everything within sight.

"Sure I knew it," she said, washing lettuce leaves as she might have washed dirty clothes. "Sure I saw her yestiddy and the day before. She's been home this long time. Didn't you know it then, Miz Wallack, ma'am?"

Five minutes later Honey Lou was squeezing herself through the narrow opening in the back fence. She went straight through the Wallack's backyard without a glance at the house ,and around to the Allen's front door.

Angela came in from the backyard, the police dog at her heels.

She smiled her sweetest when she saw Honey Lou, and holding her by both hands led her into the bright luxurious living room where Honey Lou had drunk her first cocktails, almost a year ago.

"Well, how have you been?" she asked gently. "You don't look so awfully well. I wish you could have been in Bermuda with me. It was heavenly there."

So that's where she had been while the storm blew over, and the clouds rolled by, thought Honey Lou.

"Yes, I wish I could have been anywhere but here," Honey Lou answered. "I've had the most terrible two months a woman ever had to spend, I reckon. Jack won't speak to me, Angela. You've got to go to him and tell him about the day when Tim was arrested. You promised you would, and I've waited all this time for you to do it. You've got to square me with him."

Angela's long gray blue eyes narrowed into a plittering line.

"What are you talking about, Honey Lou Wallack."

"Why, I'm talking about the day you made me go to Crescentville with you and Donegal. You know very well what I'm talking about!" Honey Lou answered sharply.

"But it was Tim who persuaded you to go," Angela said calmly, looking her straight in the eye. "Don't you remember? You got out of the car and then he came down and made you get back into it. I tried to stop you from going, as I remember."

Honey Lou was dumfounded. "Why, you never tried to stop me!" she gasped. "And you know it!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Jack, refusing Honey Lou's explanation, leaves the house. Read tomorrow's installment.

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Christmas Gift Suggestions

Gifts for Him

GIVE him a Hamilton pocket or strap watch. White and green gold cases.
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MEN'S white broadcloth shirts, beautiful white luster, best makes $1.85. WRIGHT'S CLOTHES SHOP, 620-22 Eighth street.

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The Shop-o-scope

Christmas Gift Suggestions

Gifts for Him

ALL THROUGH THE YEARS Any of these gifts will be appreciated and give continuous pleasure, comfort and service:
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LUMBER Jacks and wool shirts. $3.85. Wright's Clothes Shop, 620-22 Eighth St.

Gifts for Children

A 22 INCH mama doll for $1.00. Bargain Basement, Miller-Ferguson.

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BICYCLES—Columbia, Pierce-Arrow, Long-Horn. Three of the world's best, $35.00 to $47.50. Herman Munden. 713 Tenth street. Phone 6942.

CHILDREN should enjoy Christmas, and they will if a Whippet is delivered to your home Christmas day.
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910 Ninth Street Phone 7177

CHRISTMAS JOYS — Along with the other joys of Christmas time make your family supremely happy by your gift of a Dodge Sedan Christmas morning. McFALL BROTHERS, 819 Ohio Ave. Phone 4144.

CUT flowers of all kinds. Christmas trees, holly and wreaths. Morgan Floral Co., 716 Tenth street.

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GIFTS FOR THE CHILDREN. Children's policy. See Wichita Home Insurance company.

LITTLE red chair for the children. Santa Claus has them at our store. Faith Furniture Co. 714 Seventh St. Phone 8514.

MAKE your home peautiful the entire year with our electrical fixtures. Peoples Electric Co., 802 10th street. Phone 4201.

MECHANICAL TOYS, 50 cents and up. Wichita Hardware Co., 714-16 Ohio avenue.

MEN'S wool and silk fancy hose. Wilson Bros. make. Newest things, 65c, two for $1. Wright's Clothes Shop. 620-22 Eighth St.

SCOOTERS—Disc wheels, rubber-tired, brightly finished. A world of fun for the kiddies. $4.00 to $6.00.
SPANGLER HARDWARE CO.
820 Scott St. Phone 6468

TREE LIGHTING Sets, Standard Edison Mazda attach-on set $2.50 at the Wichita Falls Electric Co., 904 Scott street.

The Shop-o-scope

Christmas Gift Suggestions

Gifts for the Home

A CHRISTMAS—Gift to delight the whole family, enjoy the great outdoors Christmas day. Give your loved ones a Lincoln.
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BOOTHE'S SWEET SHOP, Home-made Xmas Candies. 617 Indiana Avenue.

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MAKE your home comfortable for years to come with one of our overstuffed living room suites. Faith Furniture Co. 714 Seventh St. Phone 8514.

PICTURES FOR GIFTS. We do framing. Wichita Falls Paint & Paper Co., 910-A Scott Ave.

WAFFLE IRONS—Hotpoint and Universal, $10 to $15 at the Wichita Falls Electric Co., 904 Scott street.

WE ARE headquarters for smoke stands this year. We have all styles, sizes and finishes. Micks Furniture Co., 716 Seventh St.

Dinner & Decorations

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ELECTRA SOCIETY

Special to The Recod News

ELECTRA, Dec. 1.—The South Circle of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. Roy Russell on West Michigan avenue Monday. An orphans home box and Christmas bazaar will be arranged. There were 14 ladies present and Mrs. H. M. Tarleton will be hostess next week.

EAST CIRCLE MEETS

Mrs. C. A. Jones entertained the East Circle of the Baptist church with an interesting social. Eight ladies were present and after the devotional by Mrs. L. H. Owens and a prayer by Mrs. J. M. Freeman, plans were made for a quilting next Thursday for the benefit of the circle. After the closing number, fruit salad, cake and cocoa were served to those present.

NORTH CIRCLE MEETS

Mrs. P. E. Griffin was hostess to the North Circle of the Baptist church Monday with Mrs. W. P. Tubb leader and Mrs. Elsie Weaver leading the devotional and conducting the study on missions. The lesson in addition to the study on missions was taken from First Kings. Mrs. Minnie Mitchell, a former member dismissed with a prayer. There were 19 members present.

CENTRAL CIRCLE MEETS

The Central Circle of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Taylor on West Garrison avenue Monday with Mrs. C. W. Moore in charge of the meeting, with a short business session being the principal feature of the meeting. The devotional was taken from the eleventh chapter of Psalms.

Those present were Mesdames R. L. Sellers, W. C. Watson, F. N. Hogle, C. W. Moory, Ted Sound, J. E. McKinney, C. W. Moore, Brandon Smith and J. W. Shaddix.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CIRCLE

The Young Women's Circle of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Delashaw, with Mrs. J. L. McCombs assistant hostess.

The lesson for the afternoon was taken from the W. M. U. manuel, with Mrs. Delashaw teaching. The meeting closed with sentence prayers and then refreshments of sandwiches and cake were served to Mesdames S. H. Schulkey, J. W. Swenson, Steve Claybrook, Raybrook, Raymond Williams, T. C. Delashaw, L. Gillum, C. E. Schleymeyer, Tom Stockton, J. L. McCombs and Miss Minerva Love.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN

Miss Ethel Hamilton, who with her parents leave soon for Pampa to make their home, was honored Saturday evening with a surprise shower and party by her classmates of the high school seventh grade of the Waggoner ward school. The group of young people arrived at 7:30 each bringing gifts and spent the evening in music and games.

Late in the evening Mrs. Hamilton served delicious refreshments to the following: Ray Morrow, Haldane Hughes, Lavonia Cooper, Paul Cole, Velma Matthews, Jaunita Farris, Nina Sanders, Lola Faye Seals, Dorothy Johnson, Wright Head, T. W. Birkhalter, D. J. Seals, Evelyn Kilpatrick, Mytice Cooper, Bernice Gonee, Elizabeth Macy, Dess and Francis Orr, Georgia Camp, Burl Wallace, Mildred Handy, Helen Scott, Opal Teel, Richard Allen and the honoree.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Orms entertained Monday afternoon with a birthday party honoring their daughter, Marjorie, on her fifth birthday. The little guests arrived bearing gifts and the afternoon was spent in games and Mother Goose Ryhmes on the Victrola. Ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Little Misses Violet June Bell, Floyd Mulkey, Lillian Ruth Johns, Claudie Mae Bates, Katie Rose Day, Jane Wood, Lois Eudaley, and Masters R. A. Braesicke, Ted Eudaley, Charlie Johnson, Skeezix Cooper, and the honoree.

ALTUS PERSONALS

Pete Wooldridge returned to Stillwater Sunday, where he will resume his work at the Argicultural and Mechanical college, after spending Thanksgiving with home folks.

Miss Georgia Mae Wright, of the Oklahoma College for Women in Chickasha, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ford and children, Cecil Jr., and Lomis Flowers Ford, of Hollis, were Thanksgiving guests of his sister, Mrs. Lonnie McCord and Mr. McCord, of 215 North Navajoe street.

Jesse King, of Custer City, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hogsett Sunday.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Adelene Fairbanks, of Chicago, to Ben L. Hess. The wedding was solomnized Wednesday, November 24, at Port Huron, Mich. Mr. Hess was formerly a citizen of Altus, and has many friends here.

SESQUI CASH FAILURE

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1. (AP) Celebration of the 150th birthday anniversary of the nation ends officially today with a deficit of more than $5,200,000 for the sesquicentennial exposition.

Evening dresses, sports frocks, afternoon types and street frocks in every size are reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

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Dresses for every woman and for every occasion reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

ATTEND CAMP

Altus Boy Scouts Go To Craterville For Outing.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Dec. 1. — Twenty-five Boy Scouts of the Navajo Mountain council area and two leaders attended the camp at Craterville park from Thursday until the first part of this week, when the camp was conducted under the direction of J. B. Parrish, scout executive.

Olford Gibbens, Wade McKee, Benson Parrish, J. C. Robertson, Paul Pitts, John Stroud, Kendrick McGinty, Coy Cochran, Leon Smith and Melvin Stingle were the boys who attended the meetings. They were taken to the camp by W. C. Baker and H. K. McGinty, scout masters.

RIDDLE ON NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Riddle: Why is New York City like a brown bowl that contains a strong and healthy drink? Answer (by the propounder, the Rev. Robert Norwood): Because it takes a sturdy man to drink from it and keep clear of delirium tremens.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsilitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please—no danger.

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GOVERNMENT'S CASE AGAINST FALL AND DOHENY SPEEDS UP

END IN SIGHT AS ROOSEVELT TAKES STAND

Former Assistant Naval Secretary Is Final U. S. Witness

WASHINGTON, Dec.1 (AP) — The government's case against Albert B. Fall and Edward L. Doheny, charged with conspiracy in the leasing of oil resources, marched swiftly toward completion late today.

Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy when Fall was interior secretary, appeared as one of the last of the prosecution witnesses, filling in details of the leasing policies that led to award of the Elk Hills contract to Doheny's oil interests.

Senator Harreld of Oklahoma, likewise called by the government, told the jury that on the day the Elk Hills contract was signed Fall declined to give him any detailed information on the subject.

Edwin Booth, solicitor of the interior department under Fall, testified that he never was asked for an opinion on the legality of the Elk Hills arrangement and two naval officers, Rear Admiral Halligan and Rosseau, supplied technical details of the leasing program.

J. W .Clark, a Pueblo, Colo., mining attorney, identified a letter from Fall in March, 1922, in which he was advised in answer to a specific query that the interior department did not plan to develop the naval oil reserves "more rapidly than is necessary."

While the prosecution still held the floor defense attorneys got into the record a letter sent the senate by President Harding in 1922 saying he approved fully the steps that had been taken under the leasing policy.

ELECTRA PERSONALS

ELECTRA, Dec. 1.—C. V. Hevrin left Wednesday morning for Amarillo.

Bob Proud is back in Electra preparing to move his household goods to Whitedeer, where he and Mrs. Proud and the children will reside this winter. Proud is drilling an oil well in that territory.

Mrs. R. W. Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Peck of Okmulgee, are the guests of friends in Electra. Mrs. Hamilton is in the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Barr and Mr. and Mrs. Peck are guests in the home of Mrs. Peck's son, J. W. Gookin and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rogers and children and Miss Dellia Mae Woods left Wednesday morning for Olney to be at the bedside of Mr. Rogers father, A. P. Rogers, who is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Jessie Brock and baby daughter Laverne of Whit, are visitors at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Whitworth. Mrs. Brock is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth.

Rev. and Mrs. Lonnie Whitworth and Mrs. Jessie Brock and baby were in Randlett, Okla., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Griffin and Misses Alma Moore and Dellia Mae Woods were in Byers Monday visiting the Hood family.

Reese S. Allen of Electra and Wichita Falls is spending some time at his ranch home one mile north of Electra.

John Wilde former prominent farmer of the Mount Carmel community who moved to Harlingen last year is visiting friends in Electra.

J. H. Williams former proprietor of the Garrison Hotel in Hot Springs, Arkansas has recently purchased the Morris Hotel in this city and will make his home here permanently.

Fall-Doheny Prosecutors

New photo of government attorneys in Fall-Doheny trial in Washington, taken as they were leaving court. Left to right: Atlee Pomerene, Owen J. Roberts and Peyton Gordon.

Wild Brahma Bull Upsets Dallas In Mad Race Through City's Streets

DALLAS, Dec. 1. (AP)—A wild brahma bull from Southwest Texas, with blood streaming from a bullet wound in his neck, terrorized the crowded Dallas streets Wednesday before he was killed by a deputy sheriff.

Several persons were injured slightly and a number of automobiles were damaged, as the rampaging animal tore through the downtown section. After a chase of almost an hour, Deputy Sheriff Bob Alcorn brought down the animal at Commerce and St. Paul streets.

The Brahma had leaped an eight foot fence at a north Dallas slaughter house with packing employes after him in automobiles and trucks, carrying ropes, block and tackle, skids and other loading equipment. Through the bottoms of the Trinity river they raced in a futile effort to corral the sire of the species that in India in sacred.

This chase continued for an hour. Then the police and sheriff's office was called for reinforcements. As the sheriff's party with rifles reached the street in front of the county building, the animal appeared at the foot of Main street For a moment he surveyed his surroundings, and then charged down the middle of the street. Hundreds of pedestrians and automobiles raced for safety.

At a street corner, the animal crashed into a parked automobile. He then turned into the vacant spaces in front of union terminal. Here Deputy Alcorn alighted from his automobile, too careful aim, and shot the sire in the neck.

The wound but infuriated the beast and he determined upon showing this cow what a cow with East Indian blood in his veins could do. He dashed down another stret, while the crowd attracted by the shot scampered in all directions. He upset an automobile and turned into a blind alley, where Alcorn shot him but the bullet did not hit a vital spot and the bull escaped down another street passing the federal bank building and heading toward the Adolphus hotel.

Red signal lights, automobiles and crowds meant nothing. Alcorn, now on foot, commandeered an automobile and circled around a block to head off his wild quary. This time he was successful, shooting the bull in the head and killing him. Reserves from the packing house then appeared and carted away their truant meat.

19,000 BALES

Childress County Gins Large Amount of Cotton

Special to The Record News.

CHILDRESS, Dec. 1.—Childress county is accredited with having ginned over 19,000 bales of cotton in the last federal census report received here. Local gins have handled more cotton in the last two weeks than during any like period during the season and it is believed that the figure would now be close to last year's crop which was 30,000 bales.

SCHOOLS TO RE-OPEN

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, Dec. 1. — Four of the Jackson county schools will be reopened Monday after a vacation of a few weeks for the students to assist in the cotton fields. Humphreys, Ozark Valley, Martha and Prairie Hill will be the schools reopened. This will make practically all schools of the county now in session.

Dresses for every woman and for every occasion reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

VERNON PERSONALS

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Dec. 1.—C. R. Buchanan is visiting his son, William, in Waco, who is a student in Baylor university. The young man is ill from an attack of influenza, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Holland, who have been living here for several months, will leave Wednesday for Happy, where Mr. Holland will engage in the drug business. Mrs. Holland was formerly Miss Olive Darnell of Vernon.

HEARING DELAYED

ALTUS, Dec. 1. — The preliminary hearing of the case in which Lee Hooper who lives northeast of Altus is charged with murder of his son-in-law, Ross Jernigan, scheduled for hearing at 10 a. m. Monday, was postponed to next Monday. It was postponed at the request of the defendant, because all the witnesses necessary for the hearing could not be secured.

Lovely Frocks for day and evening functions during the holidays are reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

TAX BREACH IS WIDENING

Republicans, Democrats At Odds Again Over New Proposals

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—The breach between republicans and democrats over how to tap the treasury surplus to the best advantage to the tax payers' pocket book widened today at the capitol..

This subject virtually excluded all other issues, and drew into the vortex of discussion practically every recognized party leader of the house where revenue legislation must originate.

House democratic leaders, after a conference, came out in favor of an immediate $350,000,000 cut in tax rates while Republican party chieftains stoutly maintained that they would oppose, as ill-advised, a new revenue bill at the approaching session.

Based On Agreement.

The Democratic program drafted by minority members of the house ways and means committee, which has initial jurisdiction in taxation matters, is based on an agreement reached between Representative Garner of Texas, ranking democrat on the committee and Senator Simmons of North Carolina who heads the minority membership of the senate finance committee.

Under the Democratic proposal, the corporation tax, at present 13 1-2 per cent would be cut probably to 11 per cent. The plan was made public by Chairman Oldfield of the Democratic congressional committee who said:

Rate Undecided.

"The exact rate of the corporation tax was left subject to determination after further figures for which the treasury will have a surplus at the end of the present fiscal year approximating a half million dollars and that further relief to the tax payers can well be afforded and ought to be given without delay."

COMMISSIONERS TO MEET

FREDERICK, Okla., Dec. 1.—The next meeting of the county commissioners of southwestern Oklahoma will be held in Frederick some time in January, it was announced by the chamber of commerce. Twenty-nine delegates represented 10 counties in the last meeting, held in Clinton on Saturday.

TURKEYS BRING PROFIT

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Dec. 1.—Forty-seven turkeys netted their raiser, W. O. Milson of Squaw Creek farm, $205 at the Quanah Produce company Monday. Mr. Milson considers this amount practically a net profit as the birds practically raised themselves, living principally on grasshoppers.

Rail Promoters Visit Childress

Rumors Afloat Concerning New Line North to Spearman Territory

CHILDRESS, Dec. 1.—Rumors that a railroad north from Childress to Spearman is now under contemplation was given impetus here Saturday when a party of Fort Worth business men visited Childress and departed for the north via Wellington and Shamrock.

It is known that the Burlington has completed a survey over this territory and tonnage data has been collected over a period of several years.

Work on such a project, was started by business men of Childress, Wellington and Wheeler in a meeting at Wellington where the Panhandle and Northwestern railway. Much data was gathered although a charter was never obtained for the organization. It is believed that the Burlington holds priority on the territory and that any move by other parties to build the line would bring about a strong fight from that system.

SWEEPER AT WORK

Vernon Starts New Motor Diven Machine to Action

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Dec. 1.—This city's new motor driven street sweeper was put into action today. The sweeper is of the latest design and the total cost of the machine delivered was approximately $6500. All automobiles will have to be moved from the business district every night by 12 o'clock, Police Chief Gilbert announced.

PLATES ARRIVE

Hardeman County Licenses Ready To Give Out

QUANAH, Dec. 1.—Automobile license plates for 1927 are now in the hands of Tax Collector Bennie Harper, who announces that taxes must be paid until the end of 1926 before the plates for 1927 will be issued. Harper also stated that a certificate for headlight tests must be in possession of the applicant. He urges that car owners secure license plates before the late rush.

FIRE IN QUANAH

Mattress Factory Suffers Small Loss Monday

Special to The Record News.

QUANAH, Dec. 1.—Fire damaged the Quanah Mattress factory to the amount of $200 Monday. The loss was held down by the rapid run made by the Quanah fire department. The proprietor stated that there was no insurance on the plant.

WILL UNVEIL BIG STATUE

Alvin Owsley to Cpeak Sunday At Vernon Ceremonies

Special to The Record News.

VERNON, Dec. 1.—"The Spirit of the Doughboy" a life size bronze figure of an American doughboy, will be unveiled at Allingham Park Sunday afternoon at 2:30, according to plans which were perfected recently. Major Alvin Owsly will be the principal speaker and a chorus of 2000 school children will sing America. A firing squad will have part in the ceremonies and a local band will furnish the patriotic music.

The statue was donated by public spirited citizens of Vernon and Wilbarger county. Names of sixteen men who lost their lives in the service during the war have been inscribed on the base.

RAISING FUNDS

CHILDRESS, Dec. 1. — Work was started today on the raising of the funds to be used by the Salvation Army during the next year. The campaign is under the supervision of Capt. Morton. The usual Christmas "kettles" are to be placed on the streets, it is said.

WEDDINGS INCREASE

Childress County Finds That Cupid Is Busy

CHILDRESS, Dec. 1.—A report released Monday by the department of commerce at Washington shows that Childress county marriages increased by 20 in 1925 over the number in 1924. The number of divorces showed a gain of 14.

There were 226 marriages in 1925 as compared with 212 in 1924.

ENGINEERS AT WORK

Special to The Record News.

VERNON ,Dec. 1.—Three engineers of the State Water board are working on the survey of the proposed dam across Pease river, 18 miles south of Quanah. The engineers will compile data on the height of the dam, the amount of water which may be impounded and the amount of money needed to finance the project.

A preliminary organization known as the Pease and Red River Valley Irrigation association was organized recently at Electra.

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Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for persistent coughs and colds and other forms of throat troubles. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the infected membranes and stop the irritation and inflammation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

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He is right! Simply keep your bowels thoroughly cleaned out and your system purified by taking Klok-Lax regularly—chances are you will never catch a cold.

Klok-Lax is the new treatment that completely cleans out all the clogged wastes in your 28-foot canal. When you do this a cold hasn't much chance of taking hold.

But if you do feel a cold coming on, take Klok-Lax at the first sign. Get your system cleaned of all the clogged wastes with this wonderful constipation treatment—then see how quickly you feel all right again.

Klok-Lax is the new, improved treatment. Everybody is taking it now. It is so pleasant—no nausea—no griping—and yet you are thoroughly cleaned out and feel fine.

Get Klok-Lax at any good druggist.—Adv.

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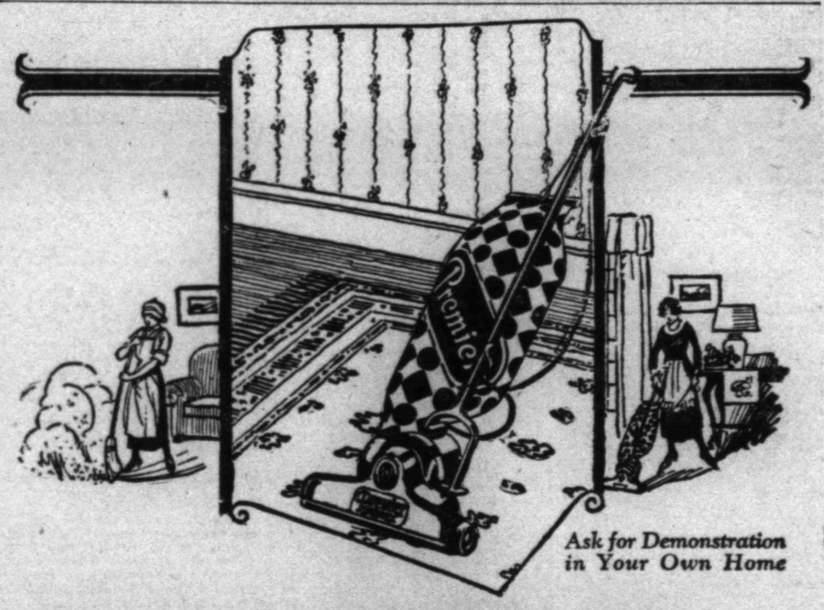

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REBUILT PALACE, RENAMED MAJESTIC, WILL OPEN UP DEC. 11

THEATRE WELL EQUIPPED TO HANDLE SHOWS

Vaudeville, Road Shows And High Class Pictures To Be Staged There

There is no better index to the condition of a city than its theaters. Wherefore if there are any pessimists in Wichita Falls this is a good season for them to seek a hiding place. An amusement firm which has every reason to know business conditions throughout this state as perhaps few other firms can, is soon to confirm a faith previously demonstrated in the growth and progress of this community in such a manner as to enthuse the optimists and perhaps convert the pessimists.

This observation is inspired by the fact that Dent Theaters, Inc., are to present the amusement seekers of this city with a new theater on Saturday, December 11. Dent Theaters, Inc., is the firm which has every reason to know conditions throughout Texas. It operates a chain of theaters extending from El Paso and Amarillo in the western sector to Tyler in the east and McAllen and Harlingen in the valley. All of the major theaters of this city are operated by the firm, a firm sincere in its desire to offer the public of Wichita Falls what its wants and to offer it that under the most favorable conditions of comfort and convenience for the theatergoers.

Palace Razed

Dent Theaters, Inc., realized that the growth of the city was rendering inadequate the accommodations of the opera house, currently known as the Majestic, for certain types of shows, notably vaudeville and stage attractions, and determined to raze the interior of the Palace and to build within its walls a new theater. The work has been completed. A few finishing touches remain to be given, and soon on the site of a theater whose fortunes varied through innumerable changes of policy, is to be dedicated a house destined by definite presentation policies to become a mecca for those who seek the best in vaudeville and stage productions.

The Palace was built in 1920 by T. B. Noble, Sr., for lease to Southern Enterprises, Inc., who operated the theater in conjunction with the Empress Theater until March 1923 at which time Dye, Ford and Rogers, who were operating the Olympic and Mission theaters, took over the Southern Enterprise holdings. This consolidation did not stabilize the theaterical situation, however, and the career of the Palace became a checkered one, its policies being switched constantly by its management in buffeting competition offered by the Strand.

Dent Theaters Come In

On July 1, 1925, Dent Theaters, Inc., entered the field, taking over the Strand and acquiring an interest in the D. F. & F. theaters, and setting definite management policies for the theaters. In October, 1925, Dent Theaters, Inc., assumed complete control of all the theaters in question.

The new theater is to be known as the Majestic and the old Majestic will again be known as the Opera House. In the new Majestic Theater the Interstate-Orpheum vaudeville will be presented, as will those stage production which come into Texas, and motion pictures of a high standard of excellence.

MORE WORK READY

Would Use Marine Corps to Dry Up Damp U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP) The marines are doing such a good job at guarding the mails that they are now suggested as the men to dry up the country.

President Coolidge has been requested in a resolution adopted here by the International Reform Federation to "suggest" such a course to Secretary Mellon. Employment of the navy to stop the rum flow from the high seas was urged.

ZIZI LOSES

Carol's Morganatic Wife Beaten In French Courts

PARIS, Dec. 1. (AP)—Zizi Lambrino has lost her court fight against former Crown Prince Carol of Rumania seeking to establish the status of the six-year-old son, Mircea, born of their morganatic marriage. The French court which heard the case two weeks ago ruled today that it was incompetent to pass on the dispute between the two Rumanians and assessed the costs against Madame Lambrino.

$30,000 FIRE.

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—Damage estimated at $30,000 was done by a fire of undetermined origin which destroyed the warehouse, stock and machinery of the Seaport Grain company here Wednesday. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

Look your best during Christmas festivities, select new frocks inexpensively from reductions at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

Appearing At The Olympic Today

Lewis Stone and Myrtle Stedman in "Don Juan's Three Nights"

Fancy Cooking An Easy Attainment

And Thus They Will Fail To Make the Best of Their Talents

Middle Ground In Cookery.

A great many women make the mistake of supposing that so-called "fancy" cookery is beyond their pocketbooks and their talents.

For this reason they are unimaginative in their choice of foods; they put the taboo on certain articles without troubling to know what they should about them.

There is a style of cookery which is between the elaborately garnished dishes gotten up by a professional chef and the plain diet that has a monotonous repetition in so many American homes.

The French woman makes a palatable dish out of those things which the American woman throws away. This is due to the use of the stock pot which is always on the fire, and into which she puts every article of food that might be thrown away. Bones, small pieces of meats, vegetables in small amounts are all placed there and strained later on to be used in the making of soups and sauces. This stock may be cleared to make a delicious consomme.

Incidentally, the French woman sees to it that every particle of fat is removed from the stock and that all the seasonings are put in before it is cleared.

As most women know, an entree is a dish which is served between two other courses of a meal usually between soup and meat. It adds much to a luncheon or dinner. An entree is a very practical dish as it enables the housewife to use "left-overs," consisting as it does of previously cooked meat or fish, served in small portions.

Chicken, fish or lamb timbales may be made from left-overs and provide a palatable and delicious "company" dish. They may be made a day ahead. The meat should be put through a fine grinder, then through a fine sieve. Add two unbeaten whites of eggs one at a time to one cup of the meat, add three-quarters of a cup of cream, salt and cayenne. After mixing thoroughly and letting stand for half an hour, put into greased timbale molds. Place molds in pan of hot water, cover with greased paper and bake in a moderate oven.

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Spectre of "Hobble" Returns.

There is just a suggestion of a hobble in the newest silhouette. This is something very like a "hobble" hem used in combination with a bloused top. Many of the new evening wraps, and not a few of the day coats, are showing this model.

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Draping the Windows.

Curtain making and hanging may seem easy to the uninitiated, but after your curtains have emerged from the sewing machine a foot too short or six inches too long you will see the wisdom of knowing what you are about.

For the glass curtain, which may be of any soft, thin material take the width measure of the window closest to the glass and also the length from the top to the sill. Determine where you are to place the curtain brackets and allow about 10 per cent fullness in the cloth. These curtains should be made with a three-quarter-inch heading and casing. See that they just escape the sill when they are hung so that they don't catch any dust.

About 50 per cent fullness should be allowed in the silk draw curtains and they should just escape the sill, also. The draw curtains should be finished with an inch and a half hem and a weighted tape run into the lower edge so that they hang straight.

Over-curtains or valances of heavy damask or printed linens should hang to the floor in a formal room and be sure and take the design carefully into account.

RECOVERS GEMS

Diamonds Valued at Several Hundred Dollars Recovered

HAYDEN, Colo., Dec. 1, (AP) Diamonds valued at several hundred dollars that have been buried in the heart of a mountain for 20 years have been recovered by George Rolfe, miner and old time prospector.

The diamonds were in a core drill bit which was lost while drilling in the anthracite coal field 14 miles east of here.

Rolfe used regular mining methods to recover the diamonds. With bar, shovel and hoist he toiled for three months to dig a 135-foot shaft.

MINERS SAVED

Two Men Rescued From Shaft After 13 Hours

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 1. (AP) After spending 13 hours behind a wall of mud and rock that had trapped them in the Morea colliery near here John Micholsky and Andrew Moshesock were at their homes today celebrating their rescue. They were working about 300 feet under ground when a rush of mud and water lying in the mines since the floods last week caught them. Retreating to a place of temporary safety Micholsky and Moshesock hastily drew up a barrier of timber and rock to block the flow of water and mud down the slope.

AREA EXTENDED

Southern Prohibition Section Practically Doubled.

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—The area within the jurisdiction of George A. Hammons, prohibition administrator for the southern district of Texas has been practically doubled effective Wednesday.

Under orders received several days ago he has assumed supervision of the Beaumont territory, which embraces ten counties in and around Beaumont. A branch office will be continued at Beaumont.

WAGNER REPORT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Robert F. Wagner, democratic senator-elect from New York, reported to the secretary of the senate today that the citizens campaign committee which handled the finances of his campaign spent $48,663 and had received in contributions $62,325. The balance will be returned to the contributors.

ACTRESS SUES FOR $500,000

Wealthy Manufacturer Is Defendant in Court Action

PITTSUBRGH, Dec. 1. (AP)—Trial of the $500,000 breach of promise suit filed by Miss Anne Caldwell, New York musical comedy actress, against John W. Hubbard, wealthy Pittsburgh shovel manufacturer, was begun in federal court today.

Selection of a jury was completed during the morning.

Miss Caldwell in filing the suit in October, 1925, charged that Hubbard proposed marriage in Atlantic City, January, 1922, gave her an engagement ring the following April and repudiated the engagement agreement in September, 1924, after he had introduced her as his intended wife. Hubbard denied all the allegations.

LONG TO INSPECT

Vernon Man to Be Here Thursday for Meeting

Lieutenant Colonel Long of Vernon will be in Wichita Falls Thursday night to inspect Wichita Canton No. 16, I. O. O. F., according to information yesterday. Every member of the order is expected to be present and each member will be inspected and examined both as to equipment and knowledge of sword drill regulations.

All members are to wear full dress or such other equipment as they have and wear their swords.

Several candidates are to be initiated.

AGE LIMIT LOWERED

Cook Announces Recruits Now Accepted at 17

The age limit for boys who will be accepted for service in the United States navy has been lowered from 18 to 17 years, according to A. C. Cook, local recruiting officer. Applicants under 21 must have the consent of their parents. Youths enlisting at the age of 17 join for the period of minority in place of the four years required of older men, and the term of enlistment expires when they reach their majority.

"3" CLUBS MEET

Creighton, Jones and Horn Divisions Entertained

Members of "The Big 3" club of Sam Houston school composed of Creighton, Jones and Horn divisions were entertained by Frank B. Creighton, Lester Jones and Leon W. Horn Tuesday afternoon when games were played and refreshments of hot dogs and big bowls of beans were served to 75 boys.

These clubs sponsor the safety council work of Sam Houston school and the party was to encourage the boys in the work they are doing.

EDITOR DIES

WORCESTER, Mass., Dec. 1. (AP)—Austin Phelps Crysty, 76, founder and for 35 years up to 1919 owner and editor of the Worcester Telegram, died today from a self-inflicted wound. Mr. Cristy, one of the most widely known newspapermen in New England, shot himself last Monday.

Lovely Frocks for day and evening functions during the holidays are reduced now at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

Train Robbery at The Strand

Scene from "THE GREAT K and A TRAIN ROBBERY" Starring TOM MIX
A WILLIAM FOX SUPREME ATTRACTION

Evening Paper Is Out In Memphis

"Evening Appeal" Makes Its First Appearance With A. P. Report

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 1.(AP) The Memphis Evening Appeal made its debut here today with a first edition of 52 pages. George Morris is managing editor of the paper which is published by the Commercial Publishing company, publishers of the Commercial Appeal, morning paper.

The Evening Appeal has the Associated Press afternoon membership vacated when the Memphis News Scimitar was purchased by the Scripps-Howard interests and consolidated with the Memphis Press.

Launching of the new afternoon paper was undertaken by C. P. J. Mooney, editor of the Commercial Appeal, a few days before his recent death.

In his first announcement of the new paper Mr. Mooney declared that by sale of the News Scimitar the mid-south had been deprived of the Associated Press service and that the Evening Appeal would furnish this service which alone "is able to give a complete daily report of the news of the world."

BISHOP HITS BACK

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 1. (AP) Taking cognizance of writings of two editors who have charged him with apostasy and heresy, Dr. Charles Edward Locke, bishop of the St. Paul area of the Methodist Episcopal church, assailed the charges and reaffirmed faith in "the great truths upon which Christianity is founded," in a statement printed today in the Christian Advocate, official publication of the church.

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HEARING STARTS

Trial Opens for Texas Man Charged With Murder

MARIETTA, Okla., Dec. 1. (AP) Preliminary hearing of Sam Carpenter, Gainesville, Texas, laborer, on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Dr. J. V. Jenkins, Gainesville dentist, started today in county court here.

Jenkins was slain at his ranch near Burneyville, Okla., more than a year ago. Carpenter was arrested two weeks after he had testified as a prosecution witness in the same case against Sam Choate, who was acquitted.

Charges of murder also are pending against the dentist's widow and another laborer and both are scheduled to be tried at the March term of district court.

'Don Juan' On At Olympic Today

Fast Moving Action Comes In Feature Picture To Local Screen

Two men, one the most dangerous swordsman in all of Europe, thrusting and parrying in the light of an early dawn!

A swift motor car, rushing through the rising mists toward the field of honor, a girl huddled in the back, frenzied with thoughts of disaster.

Which one would survive the duel—which one would lie huddled on the dewey grass—wounded or dead?

Who would welcome her? The man she loved or the man she had thought she had loved?

And at last the car stopped and toward her, over the slippery ground, came one of them—stained blade in his hand!

"Don Juan's Three Nights," which is to be shown for the first time in this city at the Olympic theater today, is a swift, kaleidoscopic unfolding of a modern story of fast society along the Italian Riviera. The outcome of the lot hinges on the duel.

Lewis Stone and Shirley Mason divide honors in the picture.

SOLOMON NEEDED

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 1. (AP) Chancellor Walker desires expert testimony as to whether a marriage should be annulled because of sleeping sickness. A master recommended that Mrs. Kathleen F. McAlvey of Jersey City receive annulment because Vincent McAlvey of Pawtucket, R. I., concealed his ailment from her. They were married three years ago.

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Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1472 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 45 meets every Tuesday 7:30 at 912½ Ninth. Ben F. Dancer C. C., P. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.

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Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. V. E. Wratten, H. P.; George W. Lawler, secretary.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 43, K. T. Meets first and third Thursdays. Leslie R. Stringer, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Council No. 149, 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 Wallace 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, Sec'y.

Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vineon, scribe.

Faith Chapter No. 712, 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.; Betha Delany, Secy.

Modern Woodmen of America.

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Wichita Falls Camp No. 1246, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnelel, consul; E. G. Cook, clerk.

Odd Fellows.

Wichita Canton No. 16, F. M.—Meets the second and fourth Tuesdays at L. J. 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 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Canbendi Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Kate Russell N. G.; Mrs. Fannie Calhaith, Secy.

Woodmen of the World.

Wichita Camp No. 5001, W. O. W.—Meets on first and third Wednesdays at 706 Travis. R. C. Carr, C. C.; R. J. Claypool, clerk.

ROPE 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 Wlech, M. C.; Gordon Brown, secretary.

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5% farm and ranch loans from Federal Land Bank. J. M. Hendrick, 408 Perkins-Snider Bldg., phone 9092.

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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.

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Loans on personal property
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.

MERCHANDISE

Miscellaneous For Sale 46

FOR SALE
1 1-2 SHIPLAP $2 PER 100 FEET
TEXAS LUMBER CO.
PHONE 4443-7427

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.

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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
OAK FLOORING $4 PER 100 FEET
TEXAS LUMBER CO.
PHONE 4443-7427

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

FOR SALE — Edison new singer sewing machine, dishes and cooking utensils. Must sell this week. 1413 Fifteenth.

Dogs, Cats and Pets 54

FOR SALE—High-class blue ribbon Boston terrier puppies. Just right for Christmas presents. Price $50 and up. At the Noteworthy Kennel. Box 74. 800 Harding, on the Petrolia pike, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Machinery and Equipment 55

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.

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FOR SALE
WHITE PINE SIDING $2.50 PER 100 FEET
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Specials at the Stores 60

FOR SALE
WALL BOARD $2.50 PER 100 Ft.
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SEEDLING INDIAN PEACH TREES.
Headed high make beautiful shade trees, grow fast, tall and live long. If you have limited space and means why grow trees that look no better, live no longer and produce nothing. Now is the best time to plant. Four to eight foot trees 25 to 75c each. C. E. Swenson, one-half mile east of pavement, Fair Ground crossing. R. F. D. No. 3, Box 192.

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Rooms With Board 62

ROOM and board; meals, family style. 1500 Austin. Phone 2-1202.

ROOM and board for two young men, near Junior college, in private home. Phone 6306.

Rooms Without Board 63

LARGE front bedroom, private entrance, for rent, 900 Austin. Call 3475.

FRONT bedroom with garage, on pavement, for gentlemen, in walking distance, 1513 Twelfth.

BEAUTIFUL outside bedroom, new furniture, bath adjoining, phone, close in, with garage, gentlemen. Rent reasonable. Phone 2-1790, 2-2569.

LARGE front bedroom with privilege to garage. 2101 Ninth. Phone 6872.

CHERRY furnished room, gentleman only. 1920 Tenth. Phone 7944.

SOUTH bedroom adjoining bath. Private home, 1207 Ninth. Phone 3087.

BEDROOM, upstairs, modern, men only. 1301 Twelfth. Phone 5471.

BEDROOM for working girl, with kitchen privileges. $4 per week. Apply 1005 Seventh street.

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Rooms Without Board 63

LARGE bedroom for rent, 1308 Broad. Phone 3540.

FRONT room and garage, $25. 1709 Elizabeth. Phone 5545.

LOVELY bedroom, private entrance, near car line. Phone 2-1742.

BEDROOM to rent to one or two gentlemen. 817 Ninth street.

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.

A REAL home for gentlemen. Seperate beds. Also roommate wanted. 1106 Travis.

CLOSE IN rooms in new house, new furniture; for men. Two meals a day, 1108 Travis.

NICELY furnished bedroom, adjoining bath, garage. 1409 Tenth street. Phone 4424.

FOR RENT—Bedroom to working couple or ladies, reference required, 1716 Ninth street. Phone 9907.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom for one or two gentlemen; private home, with or without meals. Phone 7482.

NICELY furnished room in private home, close to bus and car line. Location best in the city; gentleman only. Phone 9541.

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, close in, $7.50 per week. 1011 Seventh street. Phone 3456.

TWO large unfurnished rooms; reasonable. 1713 Kemp Blvd. Phone 3055.

ONE nicely furnished large housekeeping room; downstairs; on pavement. 300 Burnett.

TWO large unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, in new home; private entrance; connecting bath. 1720 Seventh street.

TWO light housekeeping rooms. Also a bedroom, close in, on car line and paved street. 1204 Travis street. Phone 6769.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished modern light housekeeping rooms, with garage. Apply 2322 Fifth street.

TWO extra large furnished housekeeping rooms, 2012 Ninth. Phone 2-1028.

TWO LARGE unfurnished housekeeping rooms, convenient to bath. Phone 6586, 1404 Holliday.

TWO furnished rooms, back and front entrance, adjoining bath, 1422 North Sixth.

Apartments and Flats 65

TWO furnished rooms, private bath. Phone 5867, 1509 Burnett.

TWO rooms furnished apartment, reasonable, 2601 Grant. Phone 8215 after 3 p. m.

THREE room furnished apartment, adults only. Apply 1600 or 1604 Broad.

CORNER housekeeping room with south and west exposure, next to bath, block south Majestic, 1100 Indiana.

FOR RENT—One-room furnished apartment. Phone 6823.

FURNISHED apartment at 1302 Burnett.

MODERN apartment, newly furnished, 709 Wofford.

FOR RENT — Nicely furnished front apartments. 1606 Tenth street.

NICELY FURNISHED two-room apartment, $25. 2313 Eighth st.

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.

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, on pavement, with garage. 1204 Taylor, phone 3017.

FOR RENT — One-room apartment, everything furnished. 105 Dallas. Phone 4822.

FOR RENT—Four-room furnished apartment, 1517 Ninth street. Phone 9886.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished four-room apartment, on pavement, near Junior college, $42.50. Tucker and Tucker. Phone 4437.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished two-room apartment, private front and back entrance; all bills paid; employed couple. Phone 9597, 5253.

ON HOLLIDAY, 4-room modern house on paving, single garage, well located. Only $2750.00, on easy terms. J. A. Wise, Realtor. Phone 2-1084.

FOR RENT—Two and one-half acres irrigated land, six room house, one mile from town. P. O. Box 160, Wichita Falls, Texas.

NICELY furnished three room apartment, bath and garage, on pavement, 1204 Marshall. Phone 4766.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished two-room apartment with garage if desired, on bus line and pavement, $9 per week. 2013 Eighth street. Phone 8206.

ATTRACTIVE two-room furnished apartment for rent; close-in. Phone 5141. 1108 Burnett street.

FOUR-ROOM furnished apartment, private bath, close in, on car line, $10 per week. 1107 Seventeenth street.

LAVENIA apartment, nicely furnished, four rooms. All new and on pavement. Phone 5917 or call at 1516 Seventh street.

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VERY nicely furnished two-room apartment, close-in. 711 Austin. Phone 4859.

FOR RENT—Three comfortably furnished rooms. 2409 Grant. Phone 7509.

TWO ROOM furnished apartment and laundry room. Bills paid, 502 Austin street.

TWO-ROOM apartment, use of living room. Phone 9597, 5253.

WE HAVE just completed three new duplexes of 10 rooms each. Oak floors and on pavement. Will rent one side, $30. Cowling Lumber Co. Phone 9644.

MODERN apartment, 16x16 front room, four windows, disappearing bed, kitchenette built-in features, breakfast cove, bath and dressing room, back screened porch, with refrigerator, front porch with swing, apartment completely furnished, close-in, on carline, 1310 Thirteenth street.

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Apartments and Flats 65

1914 NINTH—Three room duplex, private bath, garage, $35. 1409 North Seventh, in Scotland addition, new three-room duplex, private bath, garage, $30. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

Houses For Rent 66

FOR RENT — Modern five-room house, with garage, near pavement. House plastered and newly papered. Located 1603 Wilson street. Rate $40.00 per month. Call Mr. Terrill 5270.

FOR RENT — Modern five-room house with garage, near pavement. Located 1605 Wilson street. Just completed, never been occupied. Rate $40.00 per month. References required . Call Mr. Terrill 5270.

FIVE-room modern house. 2310 Ave. J. $30.00 per mo. Apply at 2400 Hays, after 3 o'clock.

1009 SEVENTH street, newly decorated, $50 month. Phone 9286, 9287.

FOR RENT — Seven-room home completely furnished. Linens, tableware, two garages. Can be used as duplex. 1415 Twelfth street. $100 per month. C. C. Jones Sr., phone 6450.

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.

FOR RENT — Five-room modern home, garage, 700 Holliday. $50 per month. C. C. Jones Sr., phone 6450.

FOUR-ROOM house for rent. 1910 Holliday street.

MODERN six-room house, close in. Phone 5467.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, or two rooms. Call at 508 1-2 Adams.

TWO-room furnished house for rent. 1100 Burnett. Phone 5997.

2406 EIGHTH—Seven-room home, double garage, $65. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished home, 1309 Kemp. Adults. Call evenings. Phone 5932.

FOR RENT—Four-room house, close in, $30 per month. Call at 409 North Travis street.

FURNISHED one-half duplex house, living room, two bedrooms, breakfast room and kitchenette. 1104 Ninth street.

FOR RENT—Six-room furnished home, garage and servant house. 1006 Denver. Long lease tenant preferred. Phone 6454, after 6 p. m., 9030.

FIVE-ROOM home, oak floors, fire place and on pavement at 1517 Fourteenth street, $60 per month. L. E. Cowling and company.

FOR RENT—Half duplex on pavement and car line. Phone 6211 or 7653.

2005 GARFIELD, new six-room home, double garage and servant house, $90. 2600 Fillmore, five-rooms and garage, $35. H. G. Helgerson. Phone 9573.

HOUSE for rent, one five-room house on Bluff, near San Jacinto school, one 8-room duplex, modern, furnished or unfurnished, on pavement, one 3-room duplex unfurnished. Phone 5743.

FOR RENT — 4-room modern house, 2605 Holliday, $30.00. 5-room modern house, 2910 ave. N., $45.00. 2-room house in 2200 block on Tilden $25.00. J. A. Wise Realtor. Phone 2-1084.

FOR SALE—Six room, modern house, close in, on Austin street, $2,750; small cash payment, balance like rent.
PATTON & MORRIS, Realtors
PHONE 9375

REAL ESTATE—SALE

Business Property For Sale 74

A BARGAIN in a business; $300 down, balance easy. Well located, with living quarters in connection and cheap rent. Phone 8668.

FOR SALE—The best cafe in Childress, Texas. Doing nice business. Best of fixtures. For information write Modern Cafe, Childress, Texas.

FOR BUSINESS, factory or machine shop sites call S. Y. Ferguson, Brown Bldg. Phone 9984.

Farms and Lands For Sale 75

FOR SALE or trade by owner, section grass land located nine miles Paducah, Cottle county. Will consider Wichita Falls property. Phone 9437.

IRRIGATED land for sale or trade, Ring 5429, S. Sonnamaker, 202 Staley.

Houses For Sale 76

FOR SALE by owner, five-room house, $2500. Will take car or small cash payment. 303 Galveston.

PRACTICALLY new three-room house, 1107 Twenty-Third steet, $1300. $100 down, $20 per month. Phone 9055.

FOR SALE QUICK
Modern residence. Five rooms, bath, sleeping porch, gas, hot water system. Double garage, concrete storm cellar. Two corner lots. Well located. Property located at Vernon, Texas. Write Tillit S. Teddlie, Memphis, Texas.

FOR SALE — 12-room apartment house. Call 4822.

12-ROOM apartment house for sale; easy terms. Call 6823.

LOOK at 2105 York St., and if you are interested in a dandy 5-room home, sold at a loss of $750, call owner, 9331.

WILL sell $800 equity in five-room home, 2507 Buchanan, for $200 Phone 3342 or box A-03, Record News.

OWNER—Will sell home at sacrifice price; reasonable terms to responsible party; leaving city. Phone 4836.

Oil Lands and Leases 78

TEN-ACRE OFFSET

I have made location on my New London block, $100 cash buys one ten-acre block offsetting the location. Ask any one who has bought acreage from me as to my fairness of dealing. Only one ten-acre block at this price.

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Phone 9375

Oil Lands and Leases 78

LEASES are up in Collingsworth, but we can still deliver a few. See us for homes.
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To Exchange—Real Estate 80

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We know how. Call in and look us over.
JUST WRIGHT REALTY CO.
804 Ohio. 4918.

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For convenience's sake, we take your Ad by phone, the quick, convenient way. Ring 4121.

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REALTORS. PHONE 9953.

MRS. F. C. LYON, Specializing in homes. Phone 3232-7529.

W. C. YOUNG
Archer County Land and Leases.
534 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Phone 4979

Legals 85

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres fine valley land. Combination stock and fruit farm; 65 acres in cultivation and meadow. Running water, 15 acres good timber land. Price $3,500. One-half in good trade. Would consider good automobile or small residence clear. Balance long time 6 per cent. No money necessary. W. M. Gilstrap, DeQueen, Ark.

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1926 Buick Master Six Roadster, Sport, Glass enclosure $1450

1925 Buick Master Six Sport Touring, New Rubber, Perfect $1100

1925 Buick Master Six Sport Touring, New Rubber $1000
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1924 Buick Master Six Brougham, New Duco, New Tires $1065
1924 Buick Master Six Country Club Coupe $935

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63 Cadillac Sport Roadster, New Rubber, Perfect $1500
1925 Oldsmobile Coach, New Rubber, Perfect Shape $725
1925 Dodge Roadster, Glass Curtains $500
Brand New 1927 Chevrolet Coupe, Fully Equipped, Discount
1925 Dodge Coupe, new Rubber $535
1924 Studebaker Standard Six Coupe $465
1925 Maxwell Coach, Perfect $475
1925 Dodge Sedan, De Luxe Duco $650
1924 Packard Six Roadster $850
1923 Packard Six touring..$475

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If you want a Ford of any model, we have it. About 12 to choose from.

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Buy Good Used Cars And Spend the Difference for Christmas

1—1926 Ford Touring Car...$350
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1—1925 4-Door Sedan.....$400
1—1924 Ford Coupe.....$275
1—1925 Ford Roadster.....$225
1—1926 Ford Truck $250
1—1924 Ford Touring $150
1—1926 Ford Delivery $325
1—1924 Chevrolet Touring ..$150

CASH—TRADE—TERMS

Langford Motor Co.
608 Indiana Phone 4191

CHEVROLET

Rock Bottom Prices

MEANT TO SELL THESE USED CARS!

1925 4-Door Ford Sedan $325
1924 4-Door Ford Sedan $300
2 1925 Ford Coupes $265

2 1924 Ford Coupes ...$200-$250
1925 Ford Roadster, new paint job $160
1925 Ford Touring $165
1926 Dodge Bros. Roadster ..$475
1926 Chevrolet Touring $425
1926 Chevrolet Coach $625
1925 Chevrolet Coupe $560

All these cars are in good shape and practically all have good Tires.

ALSO ABOUT 15 OTHER GOOD CARS TO SELECT FROM

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NOTICE
Used Car Buyers

1926 Chrysler 70 5-passenger touring, A-1 mechanical condition. Car has been well cared for and driven by reliable party. Paint and rubber good $900

61 Cadillac Phaeton, new rubber, Duco paint, good mechanical condition $650

1925 2-Door Ford Sedan, new rubber, good paint, good mechanical condition $300

1925 Special Six Studebaker 5-Passenger Phaeton, A-1 condition $700

63 Cadillac 5-Passenger Sedan, an absolute bargain at $1,650

Also have few more bargains in other standard makes.

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LINCOLN FIVE-PASSENGER SEDAN
New Duco paint, five new tires, motor in perfect condition. A real family car.

LINCOLN SEVEN-PASSENGER SEDAN
New Duco paint, five new tires, motor and body in perfect condition.

LINCOLN PHAETON
New tires, new paint job, motor in perfect condition. A real bargain.

LINCOLN ROADSTER
New Duco two-tone paint, five new tires, motor perfect. A car well worth the price of a new one.

CADILLAC 63 PHAETON
Two-tone paint, good tires, motor A-1. A real buy.

STUDEBAKER DUPLEX PHAETON
Motor brand new, good tires. A real bargain.

CHRYSLER
Late Model Coupe, paint, good tires.

HUDSON SEVEN-PASSENGER SEDAN
Good paint, good tires. A real family car.

FIVE-PASSENGER BUICK TOURING
Rubber and paint in good shape. Motor in perfect condition. You will have to see these cars to find out how good they are and on what convenient terms they may be purchased.

Will Trade For Desirable Real Estate Property

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AUTOMOTIVE

Phone 5059 For Dependable Used Cars

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1926 Chrysler 70 Coupe....$1,350
1926 Chrysler 70 Roadster..$1,150
1926 Chrysler 70 Touring..$1,000
1925 Chrysler 70 Roadster..$1,000
1926 Chrysler 58 Coupe.....$725

BUICKS
1925 Buick Master 6 Roadster $900
1925 Buick Master 6 Roadster $800
1925 Buick Standard 6 Roadster $600
1924 Buick 4 Roadster.....$385
1923 Buick 6 Red Sport Roadster $425
1923 Buick Roadster.....$350

OTHERS
1925 Nash Advanced 6 Roadster $750
1924 Nash 6 Touring $475
1923 Nash 6 Red Sport Roadster $450
1923 Packard Single 6 Touring $875
1924 Marmon Sport Touring..$875
1925 Essex 6 Coach $450
1925 Dodge Touring Special..$525

FORDS
Two 1926 Ford Touring Cars $300 and $375
Two 1926 Ford Roadsters $225 and $250
Two 1925 Ford Coupes $300 and $350
Three 1924 Ford Coupes, $200 to $275
Two 1925 Ford Roadsters $125 and $165
Four 1924 Ford Tourings $75 to $125

Reasonable Terms.

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We Stay Open Until 8 o'Clock Evenings and on Sunday Until 12 A. M.

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Long or Short Distance Moving or Storage.
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Merritt Radiant Heaters (with clay backs. Priced to sell at $20.25 up, also a

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Our courteous salesmen are always glad to show you our many bargains in

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Come in and see our values. Trade us your old for new.

Star Furniture Co.

Ring 4121 and insert your Ad the easy, convenient way. They will bring you results.

REALTORS

We have a client who has a lovely six-room frame house well located and free from incumberances which he would trade in on a six-room brick home priced worth the money.

King & Cone
REALTORS
234 Harvey-Snider Bldg.
Phone 4484

OIL SHARES TAKE UPWARD SPURT ON NEW YORK MARKET

DECEMBER OIL TRADE PUSHES SHARES HIGH

Large Earnings and Rumors Of Mergers Result In Much Activity

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Constructive forces were again at work in today's stock market which was featured by a revival of activity and strength in the oil shares. Lowering of the call money rate from 5½ to 5 per cent stimulated pool activity in a number of issues in which special developments are pending but there was no appreciable increase n public participation. Weak spots continued to crop out here and there, a sprinkling of net declines of one to 5½ points being disclosed in the final quotations.

The day's business news was mixed in character, the increase in commercial borrowings at the federal reserve banks and the continuance of unusually heavy freight traffic for this season of the year were offset by a reported reduction in steel mill operations to below 70 per cent of capacity. In the steel trade a further decline to around 60 per cent of capacity is looked for although an upward turn is expected before the end of next month.

Rock Island Disappoints.

The declaration of an extra dividend on Lehigh Valley common and the resumption of dividends on Colorado and Southern common were offset, to some extent, by the failure of the Rock Island directors to take dividend action at today's meeting, disappointing some Wall Street traders who had expected the stock to be placed on a $5 annual basis.

Wall Street has been hearing rumors for some time of a "December oil market" so that today's demonstration in those issues came as no surprise. The advance in the oils which took place in the face of record-breaking crude production, was associated with reports of large current earnings and merger rumors involving the Barnsdall and Phillips Petroleum companies, the common stock of the latter touching a new 1926 high at 56¾. Mid Continent Petroleum preferred and Texas and Pacfic ground.

Chemical Moves Up.

A sudden spurt of over five points in Allied Chemical featured the Standard Industrials. Baldwin moved up over two points and U. S. Steel common and General Motors about a point each. About a score issues were again pushed up to new high levels. Advance Rumeley common and preferred and Stromberg Carburetor touched new lows.

Trading in the rails was restricted, pending the announcement of a decision on application for wage increases which is expected this week. Frisco preferred and Lehigh Valley got up into new high ground. Chesapeake and Ohio was run up three points but lost half its gain.

Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

An extreme gain of ten cints in French francs which again sold close to the 3¾ cent level, attracted the most attention in the foreign exchange markets. Demand sterling ruled steady around $4.84 3-16 and other European rates showed mixed and narrow changes.

LOCAL MARKETS

The following prices are those quoted by the Wichita Falls wholesalers to retailers to retailers in the city Wednesday:

Vegetables.

White potatoes	2 and 2½c
Colorado celery, dozen bunches	$1.25
Oregon celery, dozen bunches	$1.75-2.00
Cabbage	2½ and 3c
Onions, California white	3½@4c
Onions, Utah yellow	2½c
Onions, per dozen bunches	75c
Carrots, bulk	5c
Beets, bulk	5c
Bell peppers	12c
Hot Pepper	15c
Turnips, dozen bunches	90c
Turnips, per pound	5c
English peas	15c
Tomatoes, lug	$1.00
Corn, fresh, dozen	35c
Okra	8c
Beans, green	15c
Radishes, per dozen bunches	75c
Mustard, per dozen bunches	75c
Yams, new crop	2½c
Cauliflower	15c
Parsnips	7c
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
Cocoanuts, sack	$7.00
Cranberries, per half barrel	$6.00
Grapefruit, box	$7.50

Milk and Cream.

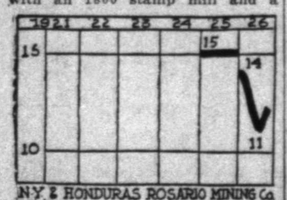
Butter	47c
Cream, per lb. butter fat	37c
Milk, per lb. butter fat	65c

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.	35c
Old roosters	7c
Ducks	15c
Geese	15c
Turkeys, No. 1	27c
Turkeys, No. 2	14c

The New York and Monduras Rosario Mining company owns about 25 square miles of gold and silver bearing mineral lands near San Juancito, Honduras. It has a modern and well equipped mine with an 1800 stamp mill and a



450-ton cyanide plant. The company receives protection from the government of Honduras which co-operates with it every day. Its concession extends to Dec. 31, 1940.

In 1925, the property produced 2,431,926 ounces of silver and 3994 ounces of gold. About 105,850 tons of ore were treated. The silver in that year was sold at a price averaging 69 cents an ounce and the profit from the silver content per ton was estimated at $7. In 1925 operating income was $1,697,848, and net profit was $480,709. As of Jan. 1, 1926, current assets totalled $2,591,624, current liabilities $278,039 and net working capital $2,313,585.

There is no funded debt. Capital stock consists of $2,000,000 outstanding in shares of $10 par. Dividends have been paid at varying rates since 1887. At present the regular rate is 2 1-2 per cent quarterly but extra dividends of an equal amount have been declared along with the regular distributions so far in 1926.

Cotton--Latest Market Quotations--Cattle

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 9 to 11 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	12.25	12.18	12.19-20	12.30
March	12.35	12.23	12.24-25	12.43
May	12.51	12.46	12.47-48	12.56
July	12.68	12.61	12.60-62	12.72
Dec.	12.22	12.17	12.18	12.28

Opening: January 12.22; March 12.35; May 12.48; July 12.69; December 12.19.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.(AP)—Trading in the cotton market was of moderate proportions today and following a fair spurt of activity in the first half hour of trading the market quieted down with almost nominal fluctuations. The opening was seven to eight points down owning to poor cables and continued good weather in the west. Prices continued to ease off after the start on pre-bureau liquidation, some hedge selling and continued good weather until by noon they showed losses of ten to 12 points. After noon the market ruled very quet and prces remaned at or near the lows. Even the heavy exports for the day failed to stimulate any interest among traders who were disinclined to undertake any new ventures until the government estimate is known. The market continued around the lows, rallying a point or two at the close which was steady, showing net losses for the day of nine to 11 points.

Liverpool at the start was one to two penny points lower than due. First trades here were seven to eght points down and prices continued to ease off after the opening until at the end of the first half hour December traded at 12.17, January at 12.20 and March at 12.34, or nine to 11 points below the previous close.

The market continued to rule easy during the rest of the morning and although December did not make a new low, the later months did with January at 12.18 and March at 12.32.

The market continued quiet to the end and prices rallied a point or two from the lows in the final trading, closing steady.

Exports for the day totaled 167,312 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Cotton futures closed barely steady at net decline of 11 to 13 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	12.23	12.14	12.14-15	12.26
March	12.47	12.35	12.38-40	12.50
May	12.70	12.61	.61	12.72
July	12.90	12.80	12.80-81	12.91
Dec.	12.46	12.35	12.35	12.48

Opening: January 12.22; March 12.46; May 12.70; July 12.89; December 12.45.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Reiterated reports of freeing spot offerings or a slightly easier basis in the south, seemed largely responsible for a further decline in the cotton market today. January contracts sold off to 12.14 or 12 points net lower and within four points of the low level touched on the decline late last December. That delivery closed at the lowest, the general market closing barely steady at net declines of five to 13 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of two to five points under overnight selling orders from the south which were coupled with local and Wall Street selling promoted by the easier showing of Liverpool. Considerable trade buying at the decline as well as covering was supplied and the market worked off to 12.35 for December and 12.61 for May during the afternoon.

Good demand for October at about the 12-cust level held the decline in check, but the tone of the market was rather unsettled, and closing prices were at about the lowest levels of the day.

Additional reports that the spot basis was easing slightly in some of the southern markets, caused considerable southern selling here in earlier trading. Later offerings from this source were less in evidence, but there was liquidation of old long accounts and rumors that some of the trade buying orders recently in the market for execution on declines, were being withdrawn or that buying limits were being reduced.

Private cables said there had not been much hedge selling in Liverpool, but that near month longs were liquidating. They also reported some investment buying of the later months.

A feature of the trading locally was heavy buying of July against sales of October attributed to spot or trade interests. The demand for October around the 13-cent level was a sustaining factor in the day's market.

Exports today 170,648, making 4,176,721 so far this season. Port receipts 66,796; U .S. port stocks 2,797,264 bales.

HOUSTON SPOTS.

HOUSTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—Spot cotton steady, 15 down; middling 12.15; sales 8787 bales.

GALVESTON SPOTS.

GALVESTON, Dec. 1.(AP)—Spot cotton steady, 10 down; middling 12.25; sales 1196 bales.

DALLAS SPOTS.

DALLAS, Dec. 1.(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 10 down. Midding 11.25; sales 12,396 bales.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, 10 points down. Sales 16,835; low middling 9.93; middling 12.15; good middling 12.93; receipts 8128; stock 649,612.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 1.(AP)—Cotton spot moderate business; prces steady. American strict good middling 7.79; good middling 7.40; strict middling 7.10; middling 6.75; strict low middling 6.35; low middling 5.80; strict good ordinary 5.45; good ordinary 4.80. Sales 7000 bales, including 700 American; receipts 13,000 bales, including 10,700 American. Futures closed barely steady, December 6.50; January 6.56; March 6.64; May 6.75; July 6.84; October 6.93.

Livestock

CHICAGO LIVESCTOCK.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.(AP)—Cattle 12,000; killing classes 15 to 25c higher; top yearlings $13.15; steers $8.75@11.00; stockers and feeders $4.50@7.50; vealers $11.25@12.00.

Hogs, 17,000; steady to 10c lower; top $12.35; bulk $11.85@12.10; sows $10.50@11.00; pigs 25c lower; bulk $11.25@11.75; estimated holdover 4000.

Sheep 16,000; lambs steady; top $13.75; bulk $12.75@13.25; sheep unchanged; fat ewes $5.00@6.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.(AP)—Cattle: Receipts 8500; calves 1500; light beef steers strong; weighty offerings slow; steady; good yearlings $10.50; short fed steers $7.50@9.50; she stock slow, steady; bulls, veals and calves unchanged; veal top $10.00; stockers and feeders slow, steady to weak; fed steers and yearlings 10@15c higher; cutter cows slow, weak to 25c lower.

Hogs: Receipts 10,500; steady; bulk of sales $11.45@11.75; packing sows $10.00@11.00; stock pgs $11.50@12.00.

Sheep: Recepts 6000; steady; top fed lambs $12.85; natves and fed lots $12.85@12.75; fat ewes $6.00@6.25.

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MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, strong; oil shares lead advance.

Bonds, steady; firm money rates restrict trading.

Foreign exchanges, firm; French francs rebound.

Cotton, easy; poor spot demand.

Sugar, steady; firm spot market.

Coffee, higher; trade buying.

CHICAGO. — Wheat, firm; unfavorable Argentine news.

Corn, strong on bullish weather report.

Cattle, firm and active.

Hogs, steady.

Financial

CALL MONEY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Call money, easier; high 5½; low 5; ruling rate 5½; closing bid 5. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 4⅝; 4-6 months 4⅝; prime mercantile paper 4¼@4½.

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.12; first 4¼'s, 107.19; second 4¼'s, 100.22; third 4¼'s, 101.6; fourth 4¼'s, 102.30; treasury 3¾'s, 102.20; 4's, 105.21; 4¼'s, 109.22.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—Foreign exchanges firm; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.84 9-16; cables 4.85; 60-day bills on banks 4.80⅝. France demand 3.71½; cables 3.72. Italy demand 4.25½; cables 4.25½. Demand: Belgium 13.90; Germany 23.78; Holland 39.94½; Norway 25.30; Sweden 26.87; Denmark 26.61½; Switzerland 19.29¾; Spain 15.15; Greece 1.24¾; Poland 11.75; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76¾; Austria 14.12½; Rumana .52½; Argentina 40.75; Brazil 12.37½; Tokyo 49.18¾; Shanghai 59.50; Montreal 100.06¾.

EARNINGS INCREASE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.(AP)—October earnings of the Gulf Coast Lines were better than a year ago, gross gaining $191,263 and net operating income $11,293. Net for the 10 months this year was $422,128 smaller than the same period of 1925, although gross gained $1,318,784.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.(AP)—With corn the leader, all grain scored a sharp advance today, surprisingly small deliveries on December corn contracts were a feature, and so too was knowledge that corn receipts today throughout the west had shrunk to about one-third the total a year ago.

The entire grain list finished strong at nearly the day's top figures corn 2¼@2⅝ to 3⅝c net higher, wheat 1⅝ to 2⅛c up, oats showing 1 to 2c advance, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 22 cents.

Announcement of some all-rail export business in hard winter wheat from here was taken as significant of an upward trend for wheat values.

Oats and rye as well as corn and wheat acted over-sold.

Provisions were responsive to grain strength.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
Dec.	1.36⅝	1.32⅞	1.36⅛
May	1.36⅝	1.37½	1.39½
July	1.33	1.31¼	1.32⅞
CORN—			
Dec.	.73⅝	.70⅝	.73
May	.82⅛	.79⅝	.81⅝
July	.85	.82	.84⅞
OATS—			
Dec.	.46⅝	.40½	.42⅝
May	.47	.45½	.46⅞
July	.46⅝	.45⅝	.46½
RYE—			
Dec.	.88½	.86½	.88¼
May	.90½	.88⅝	.89¾
July	.96½	.94½	.96⅝
LARD—			
Jan.	12.67	12.47	12.52
May	12.72	12.52	12.57
RIBS—			
Jan.	12.20	12.25	12.25
May	.....	.....	12.25
BELLIES—			
Jan.	14.15	14.00	14.15

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.(AP)—Wheat: No. 1 red, $1.30½; No. 1 hard, $1.40¼. Corn: No. 2 yellow, 75⅝@76½c; No. 3 white, 75c.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.35@1.40; No. 2 red, $1.33@1.34½; December $1.33½; May $1.34⅝; July $1.36½.

Corn: No. 2 white, 73½@74½c; No. 3 yellow 79@80c; No. 3 mixed 73½@74½c; December 72⅝c; May 79½c; July 81c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 45½@47½c; No. 3 43@46½c.

FIRE IN KANSAS

Block of Business Houses Wiped Out at Pittsburg

PITTSBURG, Kan., Dec. 1. (AP) A block of business houses and residence in the heart of Hadley, mining camp near here, was wiped out last night by a fire of undetermined origin. After a two-hour fight, hampered by shortage of water, the fire department of Pittsburgh, Girard and Arma succeeded in checking the flames and confining them to one block.

No definite estimate of the loss was obtainable today. A theater, air drome, barber shop and pool hall were razed and a drug store bodly damaged. Two homes also went in smoke.

Christmas gayeties will find you smartly attired if you take advantage of greatly reduced dresses at P. B. M. Co.—Adv.

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
American Can	149	53	51⅛	51⅞
Am Tel and Tel	8	149⅛	148⅞	149
Am Tob B	5	119½	119¼	119¼
Am Woolen	3	32	31⅞	31⅞
A T and S F	78	154⅝	153⅞	153⅞
Bethlehem Steel	32	48	47	47
Calif Pet	23	31	40⅛	31
C R I and P	107	68⅛	67⅞	68
Chrysler Motor	44	36⅝	35⅞	36¼
Coca Cola	7	167	166¼	166⅞
Consolidated Gas	313	112	111⅛	111⅛
Corn Products	42	49⅛	49	49¼
Dodge Bros	44	23½	23⅛	23⅛
Dupont de Nem	42	164	161	162½
Fisk Rubber	7	16⅝	16¼	16½
Freeport-T Co	159	23⅞	23⅛	23⅞
Gen Electric	186	88½	87	87⅞
Gen Motors	960	140⅝	138½	140
Gulf States Steel	3	56	55¾	56
Ind Oil and Gas	135	28⅝	27¼	28
Louis and Nash	6	133⅛	133⅛	133⅛
Mack Truck	48	98⅝	97¼	98
Marland Oil	396	55⅛	54	55
Mid-Cont Pet	38	31	30¾	31
M K and T	11	33	32¾	33
N Y Central	35	134⅝	133⅛	133½
North Am Co	13	48⅝	48½	48⅝
Pacific Oil	1	1½	1½	1½
Pan-Am Pet B	121	63⅛	62	63⅛
Phillips Pet	570	56⅛	55	56½
Pure Oil	140	27¼	26¾	27¼
Radio Corp	114	58⅝	56⅞	57⅝
Reys Tob B	85	115⅝	115	116⅝
St L and S F	31	101¼	100⅝	101
Shell Union Oil	65	20⅛	20¼	20½
Simms Pet	163	19½	18⅝	19⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	112	18⅝	18⅛	18⅝
Southern Pac	33	106⅞	105⅞	106⅛
Southern Ry	5	117⅛	117⅛	117⅛
Stand Of of Cal	159	58¼	57⅝	58
Stand O of N J	126	38⅝	38¼	38¼
Stude Corp	191	54⅝	52½	54
Texas Co	8	55⅛	55	55⅛
Tex Gulf Sulp	31	51⅝	50⅝	50⅝
T and P	1	50¼	50¼	50¼
T and P C and O	46	15¼	14⅞	15
Transcont Oil	16	4	3⅞	4
Union Pacific	34	160⅝	159⅞	159⅝
U S Rubber	2	57⅞	56⅞	57
U S Steel	799	148	146⅛	146⅝
Willys Over	68	22	21¼	21¼

ALTUS SOCIETY

ALTUS, Okla., Dec. 1.—An event of Tuesday was the luncheon and bridge at the Burnys Thompson home, 319 North Navajoe street, when Mrs. Thompson was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Hutton Bellah and Mrs. Ralph Morgan.

The two highest scores at cards were made by Mrs. Stansell Whiteside and Mrs. Roscoe Holt, who were presented with articles of dainty silk lingerie.

The guests at this affair were Mrs. J. E. Williams, of Norman, Mrs. J. R. Blanchard, of Snyder, Mrs. Robert Willingham, of Quanah, Mrs. Findley McLaurey, of Snyder, Mrs. Nolan Rather, of Tipton, Mrs. J. A. Henry, Mrs. Mary E. Dale, Mrs. Lee Ewing, Mrs. A. B. Gosselin, Mrs. Hubert Vinyard, Mrs. Monty Bretherton, Mrs. Jack Oliver, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Jeff Wilson, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Keith Chilton, Mrs. Ben Gable, Mrs. Clyde Chambers, Mrs. J. H. Kimberlin, Mrs. W. C. Baker, Mrs. Carl Nesbitt, Mrs. Roscoe Holt, Mrs. Senter Stuart, Mrs. E. L. Garnett, Mrs. G. E. Thorp, Mrs. A. D. Kerr, Mrs. John Murray, Mrs. Jack Cherry, Mrs. Virgil Hensley, Mrs. Tom Hurst, Mrs. R. W. Blevins, Mrs. Gene George McCord, Mrs. Raymond H. Fox, Mrs. B. W. McMahan, Mrs. Stansell Whiteside, Mrs. Frank Petree, Mrs. Ray Cunningham, Mrs. T. J. Kelly, Mrs. Curtis Holt, Mrs. Bert Holt, Mrs. Fred Erdwurn, Mrs. Granville McElroy, Mrs. Bruce Braddock, Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. H. Lieberman, Mrs. Lonnie McCord, Mrs. C. W. Snyder and Miss Teresa Jones.

Entertain At Dinner

Rose buds and carnations made decorations for the rooms and dining table Thursday when Mr. and Mrs. Glen Putman entertained with a one o'clock Thanksgiving dinner at their home on Cole Heights.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Ida Maupin, Miss Marie Maupin, Miss Ella Gayle Maupin, Miss Ida Jane Maupin, Miss Josephine Garner, Miss Ruth Burris and Herman Maupin of Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. Goug McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maupin, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mansfield, Miss Elsie McDonald, Miss Ruth McDaniel, Miss Joyce McDaniel, John T. McDaniel, Harry Putman and Glen Putman, jr.

Bridge Club Meets

Miss Gwendolyn Watt made high score for guests and Mrs. Joe Smith for club members when Mrs. Ray Cunningham was hostess to the Bridge club, at her home 605 North Main street. The hand painted puff box, which the hostess gave as a cut favor, was won by Mrs. Monty Bretherton.

At the close of the afternoon, Mrs. Cunningham served a plate lunch. Special guests were Mrs. J. John Torkelson, of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Ben Gable and Miss Lucy Jarbeau and Miss Gwendolyn Watt, of the University of Oklahoma. Club members present were Mrs. Jeff Wilson, Mrs. A. D. Kerr, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Jack Oliver, Mrs. Hutton Bellah, Mrs. Frank Petree, Mrs. Stansell Whiteside, Mrs. W. R. Kimberling, Mrs. Burnys Thompson, Mrs. Keith Chilton, Mrs. Fred Erdwurn, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. B. W. McMahan, Mrs. Monty Bretherton and Mrs. Ralph Morgan.

Circle Three Entertained

Circle Three of the Methodist Women's Missionary society, entertained the entire society Monday afternoon with an attractively

Poultry

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.(AP)—Butter, higher; receipts 5768 tubs; creamery extras 53c; standards 46c; extra firsts 48@51½c; firsts 42@44½c; seconds 36@40c. Eggs, unchanged; receipts 3943 cases.

CHICAGO POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.(AP)—Poultry alive, firm; receipts eight cars; fowls 17@22c; springs 18@23c; turkeys 29c; roosters 17c; ducks 23c; geese 17@19c.

plannned Christmas party. Each guest had been asked to bring an offering for Christmas charity, and these were arranged on a table which was centered by a Christmas tree and lighted by Christmas candles.

Those present were Mrs. T. S. Bond, of Clinton, Mrs. M. T. Cochran, Mrs. B. M. Wooldridge, Mrs. R. E. Kimbrough, Mrs. R. E. Goodloe, Mrs. W. D. Nance, Mrs. Ola Baucum, Mrs. Glen Putman, Mrs. Ernest Steele, Mrs. Irby Eikner, Mrs. G. E. Thorp, Mrs. H. K. McGinty, Mrs. D. C. Surratt, Mrs. O. B. Harris, Mrs. J. D. King, Mrs. S. C. Hickman, Mrs. J. J. Rogers, Mrs. J. R. Ham, Mrs. W. R. Kimberlin, Mrs. J. N. Kimberlin, Mrs. A. O. Spaulding, Mrs. W. E. Glasgow, Mrs. D. W. Palmer, Mrs. C. A. German, Mrs. E. L. Garnett, Mrs. C. C. Austin, Mrs. G. C. Hardcastle, Mrs. D. W. Lovell, Mrs. Bert Holt, Mrs. C. W. Hogsett, Mrs. Guy P. Horton, Mrs. R. B. Lawrence, Mrs. Lon Gibbons, Mrs. George B. Davis, Mrs. John Stanton, Mrs. Jim Oliver, Mrs. Roy Wileman, Mrs. Robert Culwell, Mrs. Ed Patton, Mrs. J. M. Wallace, Mrs. A. W. Wilson, Mrs. W. S. Jackson, Miss Lavern German and Mrs. C. L. Darfum.

Laff-A-Lot Meets

Mrs. Earle Belt was the only additional guest, Friday when Mrs. R. B. Hoover was hostess to the Laff-a-Lot Bridge club at her home 608 North Hudson street.

In a business session which preceded the games it was decided to entertain the husbands of the club, at the next meeting when a Christmas gift exchange will be a delightful feature. Mrs. Charles Summerall will be hostess at her home 509 West Broadway, and will be assisted by Mrs. Ray Jones.

High score was made by Mrs. W. B. Forrester, who was presented with a lovely linen guest towel, while Mrs. Jones was consoled for low score with a similar gift. Mrs. Hoover also presented her special guest with a beautifully embroidered guest towel.

Chrysanthemums were used as the floral decorations, on this delightful occasion, and a yellow and white color note apepared in the delicious plate lunch which the hostess served to Mrs. Earle Belt, Mrs. W. B. Forrester, Mrs. Ray Jones, Mrs. Fred McCurley, Mrs. A. I. Eppler, Mrs. Charles Summerall and Mrs. Will S. Carter.

BUGS IN A STEW

BERLIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—There are bugs that will creep miles to get a drink. German entomologists at night paint trees with a solution made mostly of alcohol. The bugs like it so wekk that it is easy to make them totter into collectors' bottles.

SMILEY ELECTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—J. B. Smiley today was elected president of the Remington Arms company and its subsidiaries. He succeeds C. L. Reierson.

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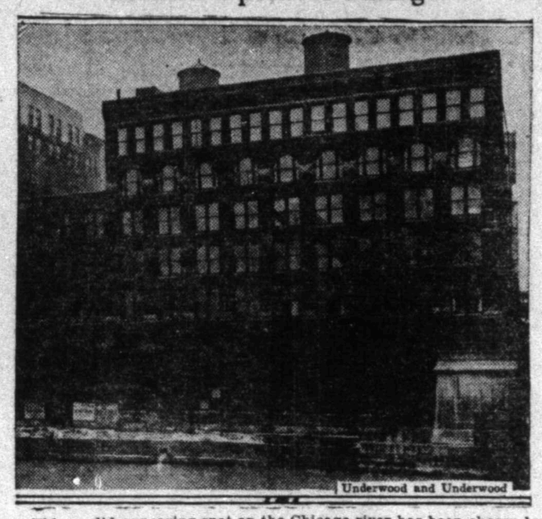


Underwood and Underwood

This sordid-appearing spot on the Chicago river has been chosen by Samuel Insull, utilities magnate and opera "angel," as site for new Chicago opera house, which is intended to be finest and most beautiful in the world. Razing of the building, preparatory to construction, will begin soon.

NOT SO DRY

Andrews Gets a Laugh at His Dry Law Claims

NEW YARK, Dec. 1. (AP)—In its account of a prohibition debate before a thousand representative New Yorkers at the dinner of the Economic club at the Hotel Astor last night the New York Herald Tribune says today:

"The diners laughed derisively when General Lincoln C. Andrews, assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of prohibition enforcement, announced that a 'stop had been put' to the illegal distribution of sacramental wine. This demonstration drew from General Andrews a tart to make it 'hard to get a drink of real beer next season.'

"'If that's of any interest to you,' added the dry czar grimly when the roar of laughter subsided."

COLONEL INJURED

Hawkins Hurt in Hunting Accident November 16.

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 1.(AP)—Col. C. E. Hawkins, quartermaster of the Eighth Corps Area, who was seriously injured in a hunting accident November 16, is slowly recovering in the hospital at Fort Sam Houston, physicians reported today. In spite of the fact that both Colonel Hawkins' lungs were punctured by small shot, the patient is now able to sit up and walk around for brief periods, but his physicians say that he will lose the sight of both eyes.

SHIPS EXPLODE

One Man Fatally Injured In Blast At San Pedro

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Dec. 1. (AP)—One man was fatally injured and 12 others hurt, five so seriously they are not expected to live, in two ship explosions in the harbor here yesterday.

An explosion of the Union Oil tanker Warwick cost the life of Lorenzo Nejar of San Pedro, a mess by, and injured nine others.

Three men were hurt, two of whom may die, as the result of an explosion on the pseed launch Swallow, a converted sub chaser, last night.

OLNEY CHEST FUND RAISED

Campaign for $2050 Is Completed Wednesday Morning

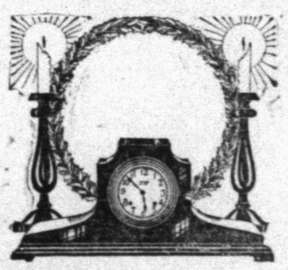
Special to The Record News.

OLNEY, Dec. 1—Olney's second community chest drive was completed Wednesday morning with the report that the charity fund now amounted to $2050.

The drive was conducted under the direction of Merle Gruver, secretary of the Olney Chamber of Commerce and the Women's auxilliary of the chamber. The community chest committee recommended that $1500 of the sum be used for home charity, while the balance be given for the support of charitable organizations.

"GANGSTER" SHOT

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—Sam Jacobson, who was wounded today in a west side apartment, caused commotation in police circles when he telephoned that he was the former gun bearer to Early (Hymie) Weiss, gangster chieftain assassinated recently in a machine gun attack. He proved to be merely intoxicated. He was said to have gone to the apartment of Mrs. Annette Shaw and to have threatened to throw her child out of the window. She is supposed to have shot him in defending herself and child.



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COUNTERFEIT RING NIPPED WITH ARREST OF MAN AT CAFE

POLICE CATCH FUGITIVE WHO PASSES BILL

Crude Attempt to Raise $10 Note Is Nabbed By Officials

What was believed to be the opening operations of a gang of counterfeiters in the city was disclosed at police headquarters Wednesday night, when a man was arrested after having tried to pass a raised $10 bill at the Riverside Cafe on Front street.

He is alleged by two people who were in the place to have attempted to pass the bill in payment for a dinner. He had already left and was about a block away when officers caught him.

The bill was held at police headquarters. It was a crude piece of work. A $1 bill having been changed to look somewhat like a $10 bill. The lettering appeared to have been done by a printing press and the figures were changed with ink remover and the use of white ink.

"It is a crude piece of work," Chief George Hodgins said, "but such phony money is constantly being passed by counterfeiters."

The man denied any guilt in the matter, but officers state he had been brought up once before on the same kind of a charge but no evidence could be made against him. He will be held over for action of federal court.

Merchants of the city were warned by the police last night to be on the watch for further attempts to pass counterfeit money.

Boys To Attend Ft. Worth Meeting

A northwest Texas group of the 400 delegates for the older boys' conference sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. December 3-5, will arrive Thursday night in Fort Worth from Dalhart, Amarillo, Panhandle, Childress, Clarendon and Wichita Falls. The local delegation leaves today.

Glenn E. Jackson, national Hi Y secretary, New York, is on his way here to address the conference. Another speaker will be Dean C. Dutton of the University of Oklahoma.

Attendance quotas given organized clubs of various towns follow: Dallas, 60; Wichita Falls, 35; Waco, 35; Corsicana, 30; Temple, 30; Gainesville, 29; Waxahachie, 26; Sherman, 20; and Childress, Cleburne, Breckenridge, Denison, Dalhart, Big Spring, Greenville, Graham, Mart, Texarkana and Palestine all 15 each.

DICKEY SPEAKS

Local Attorney Talks at Junior College Wednesday

Sincerity in life as well as in speaking was stressed by Judge Joseph Dickey Wednesday morning in an address to the Junior college and High School Speakers' club. "I have heard the greater number of the most inspiring speakers of the last 25 years," said Judge Dickey, "and none of them, with all their oratorical delivery, made such a lasting impression on me as the faltering, hesitant testimony of a converted sinner in a poor little mission—simply because he believed so deeply in what he was saying."

JUDGE DICKEY

The life of Theodore Roosevelt was also related as one which reflected high ideals and unswerving loyalty to purpose.

Judge Dickey was introduced by W. J. Howard, member of the club and the meeting was presided over by Clarence Powell, president.

2 FULL PARDONS

Ma Grants More Clemency in Latest Proclamations

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson granted two full pardons Wednesday.

Wiley Page, Garza county; sentenced one year for liquor law violation, was granted a full pardon because of serving half of sentence with "sufficient service to his credit."

William S. McGarvey, Gonzales county, sent up for theft to serve two years, served half of his sentence and "has perfect record and because he needed treatment for his eyes," was granted.

DAN TO SPEAK

Governor-Elect Asked to Talk At Gridiron Club

AUSTIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—Governor-elect Dan Moody has been invited to address the Gridiron club at its December dinner in Washington, D. C. The invitation was extended by Clifford H. Berryman of Washington.

Attorney General Moody is scheduled to represent the state of Texas before the United States supreme court on New Mexico and Oklahoma boundary cases in December.

WETS BEATEN

Canada Votes for Governmental Control of Liquor

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 1. (AP) When the election of 79 members out of 112 was recorded shortly after nine o'clock, 66, a clear majority, were pledged to government control of liquor. At that hour the standing of the parties were: conservatives 63; liberals 6; progressives 3; liberal progressives 3; independent-liberals 2; labor 1; prohibitionist 1.

Frank Crolliver is in Houston this week on business.

Vaudeville Stunt For Youngsters Here Is Planned By Lions Club

Future stars of Wichita Falls will be introduced in a big vaudeville act to be staged in 1927, according to preliminary plans made Wednesday at the Kemp by the Lions club. In co-operation with the music, dancing and expression teachers of the city, a committee of Lions will work towards the presentation of the talented pupils. The affair is to be a benefit for the Lions Club Boy's Band which has created much interest among the citizens of Wichita Falls since its organization several weeks ago.

Lion Alec Ross volunteered to give his time to the organization work of the plan, and a committee composed of Lions R. H. Graham, E. G. Ripley and Joe Dickey was appointed to look into the matter.

The boy's band which was sponsored by the club was recently organized with 60 members, directed by Paul Seeds, and already the group has given a number of extremely creditable public programs.

Whys and wherefores of problems confronting the Wichita Falls Electric company were presented in a stunt introduced by J. W. Lyle of the company, who was on the program for the classification talk. Mrs. Alice Whitehead and Miss Jessie Doke, employes of the company, presented a sketch from the everyday workings of the concern. To the application desk came a distressed woman complaining of her electric bill which appeared to be too high. Explanations were made by the secretary, who also pointed out economy hints, how the company teaches first aid; told of the stocks held by customers of the seven percent interest paid to the stockholders.

The Lions voted to donate a sweater to a Junior college school football player who won this award this year.

Dr. R. B. Wolford and Coach H. T. Ludgate were introduced as prospective and new members of the club.

Y. W. C. A. Rest Rooms a Boon to Girls In All Walks of Life In This City

The Young Women's Christian association has served girls and women of all ages and groups during the past year. The following reports show some of its activities in the various departments in its effort to carry out the purpose of the organization to promote growth in christian character and service through physical, social, mental and spiritual training.

There have been 13 active clubs during the year, including business women and Girl Reserves have been held with a total membership 1157. A total of 318 meetings of these clubs have been held with a total attendance of nearly 50,000 for the year.

The employment and room registry is one of the most important and far reaching departments of the Y. W. C. A. Many girls and women come for counsel and guidance as well as for positions. Although it is impossible to find jobs for all who come, every girl is encouraged and advised.

During the year 730 have placed applications for jobs and 459 placements have been made. Many of those applying secure jobs themselves, leave town or in other ways solve their own problem so that they do not require the services applied for.

The rest rooms with comfortable cots are in use almost every hour of the day. These are a boon to the girl who is indisposed and during the year more than $700 girls have used these cots. By having this attention and this opportunity to rest girls often avoid having to go home and miss a day or more from work.

The rooms are also used by shoppers both from Wichita Falls and the surrounding country. Many women and girls spend their time in the Y. W. C. A. while waiting for trains, or for the men of the family to finish business and go home to the farms or the smaller towns near here.

According to the report of the year's activities the total number using the rooms of this organization for the past 12 months is 101,857. There have been 1007 Y. W. C. A. club meeting held and 314 other meetings, making a total of 1321 meetings held in the rooms.

A large number of organizations have used the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on special occasions and for regular meetings. These include particularly the regular meetings of the Woman's Forum and many meetings of various church organizations.

NEAL FREE ON THEFT CHARGE

Is Acquitted in Trial For Embezzlement of Over Fifty Dollars

Roy Neal, charged in 89th district court with embezzlement of a sum over $50, was acquitted of the charge Wednesday morning when the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Neal was charged with having appropriated to his own use $90 which belonged to the Charles Watson Paint company, and which he is alleged to have taken while in the employ of that company.

Charles Watson testified that Neal had been placed in charge of and responsible for all cash on hand, but admitted as other witnesses had testified that all employes of the store with the exception of the janitor had access to the cash drawer and that all were privileged to draw money form the drawer for their own use by depositing a charge slip in the drawer for the amount taken.

The alleged embezzlement was supposed to have taken place last year, and counsel for the defense claimed that Watson had attempted to make Neal pay a sum of $750 for an audit of the books which was made at the time of the shortage was discovered.

RECOVER SAWS

Jensen and Nuzman Find Loot Taken From Store

City detectives Chris Jensen and Dick Nuzman recovered seven more handsaws Wednesday which had been stolen from the Western Hardware company several weeks ago. They are thought to be a part of the loot taken at the time 36 other saws were taken from the store.

A negro arrested at Gainesville last week had the 36 saws in his possession and they were identified as property of the Western Hardware company.

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S. A. KETTLES OUT SATURDAY

Christmas Collections to Be Started With Pots "A'Boiling"

Salvation Army kettles will be boiling for the Christmas cheer Saturday morning, according to Captain J. L. Cardiff of the Salvation Army.

The Army has had a busy season and the demand for clothes is greater than the supply, according to the captain. The relief is being administered in most cases locally, and investigations have been made by the Salvation Army workers.

CANTON TO MEET

I. O. O. F. to Have Big Time Here Thursday Night

From all present indications, Wichita Canton No. 16, I. O. O. F. membership is going to turn out Thursday night, December 2, almost to the member.

Lt. Col. Long from Vernon, in charge of the inspection of this Canton is to be present and each member of the order is to be thoroughly inspected and examined both as to his equipment and as to his knowledge of the sword and drill regulations.

All members are to wear full dress or such other equipment as they may have and wear swords.

Four or more candidates are to receive the initiation and be mustered into service.

A district meeting of stewards and preachers of the Wichita Falls district of the M. E. church, south, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

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CLUB ESTATES LIGHTS BLAZE

Illumination Turned On For First Time in New Addition

The Country Club Estates burst out in pristine glory Wednesday night when, for the first time, the elaborate street lighting system was turned on as a signalization for big celebration and jubilee. With appropriate ceremony, switches were pulled that set off a blaze of light over a wide section of the southern part of the city which, from the beginning of time, has been illuminated at night only by the stars.

Slim and graceful ornamental light poles that dot the estates with profusion were buring for the first time and gave an attractive picture as they strung away in narrowing parallel lines over the long and winding boulevards.

A large crowd turned out for the occasion and many congratulatory expressions were passed on to W. B. Hamilton and N. H. Martin, owners and developers of the division. A band concert by the Municipal band enlivened things considerably.

Numerous owners of new homes in the addition improved the opportunity to hold open house for their friends and a number of impromptu parties were staged here.

Negro Chorus To Sing December 7

100 Voices to Be Heard In Concert at School Here Next Tuesday

A negro chorus made up of 100 voices directed by H. B. P. Johnson of Nashville, Tenn., will give a concert at the auditorium of Washington school the evening of December 7, according to A. E. Holland, principal of the school. A section of the auditorium has been reserved for whites who are invited to attend the program.

The melodies of old time plantation songs and negro spirituals will be featured by the chorus which is made up of members from the various colored choirs of the city sponsored by the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church. The program will be arranged to show the development from the plantation melodies to the art song and chorus.

Many recommendations of the work of the director have been received, among them are those from Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, Dr. T. S. Clyce, president of Austin college; Rev. Lincoln McConnell, pastor of the First Baptist church, Oklahoma City; Mme. Olga Petrova and others. The program will start at 8:15.

BUILDING REPORT

Final Statistics Are Made On Growth of City

Final statistics compiled by the city clerk's office Wednesday disclosed that the city of Wichita Falls proper issued a total of 89 new building permits which aggregated in amount $466,755, during the month of November, and that 21 repair permits totalling $8960 ran the total amount up to $475,715.

The total amount for the first 11 months of the year stands at $9,131,533, and of this amount, $1,190,955 represents suburban improvements.

The city was sixth in the state in line of building permits for the month of October, as announced by S. W. Strauss & company, and city officials are anxious to see the November report of this company, believing that it may have stepped up a notch during the month of November.

The cities of Texas for October stood: Amarillo, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio, Wichita Falls.

Rev. Walter J. Johnson has returned from Dallas where he attended a meeting of the presiding elders.

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Winters Has One Rude Awakening

Cops Raid His House At Marriage Feast And Run Him In

Roughly interrupted from his bridal banquet, C. E. Winters was hailed into police court Wednesday night to answer to charges of abduction and kidnaping, less than an hour after he had entered the bonds of matrimony with Miss Mabel Williams, 2302 Yale avenue.

After a beautiful wedding with a beautiful girl, Winters had just seated himself at the banquet, spread in honor of the occasion, when stern executives of the law informed him that he was "wanted at the station." All the dream bubbles of wedded bliss and happy festivities burst in the thin air of official command.

Finishes His Meal

He was permitted to finish the repast and then taken to the station where Chief of Police George Hodgins and Detective Dick Nucross questioned him.

Records of his past life were grudgingly drawn forth and a record of six years faithful service with the Wichita Southern railway and a final promotion to chief dispatcher at Wichita Falls, gave evidence of the high esteem in which he was held by road officials but he failed miserably to demonstrate any innocence of the charge at hand.

Sergeant McConnell, who acted as judge in the absence of Judge W. L. Bass, obligingly called the case for trial last night, in order to give the young man an opportunity to prove his innocence and rejoin his newly wedded mate.

Finally a Verdict

Officials of the Wichita & Southern were called on the stand but could add little, other than that they were willing to render any possible assistance to the young man. Their offers were coldly met with by the court, which ground unmercilessly toward the truth of the charges, and finally Judge McConnell arrived at a verdict and passed sentence over attempted protests of several well wishing friends.

"I sentence you," Judge McConnell said, "to serve the rest of your natural life with this woman you have just married; to be good to her and love her, and may God bless you now and forever."

34 DISEASE CASES

Fillmore, City Physician, Files Monthly Report

Dr. H. D. Fillmore, city health physician, reported a total of 34 communicable diseases registered in his office during the month of November, when he made his monthly report Wednesday.

Sixteen cases of diptheria were reported, 12 cases of scarlet fever, three of chickenpox, two of mumps and one of meningitis.

Quarantine was lifted on 12 cases of diptheria, two of chicken pox, three of scarlet fever and one of measles during the month.

In the health and sanitary inspections, two head of cattle were condemned out of 731 inspections.

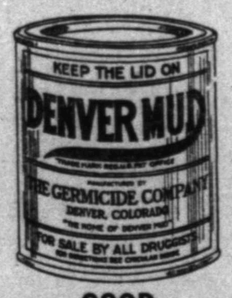
At the incinerator 1586 loads were dumped, 38 loads burned, and 33 horses, 22 cows, 132 dogs and 49 hogs burned.

AWARD BADGES

Springer Williams, Edwin White Are Honored

Eagle Scout badges were awarded to Springer Williams and Edwin White, both of troop 4, in the November board of review held Tuesday night at the First Christian church. Other awards were as follows:

Tenderfoot scouts advanced to second class, Glenn Wharton, Wendell Bash, Harold Gerock, Joe Steels and Harry Smart; merit badges, Edwin Erwin, first aid to animals; Kenton Wharton, craftsmanship in wood and carpentry; Oscar Thornton, safety first.



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GIBSON TALKS AT M. E. MEET

North Texas Sunday School Head Addresses Church Workers of City

Dr. George M. Gibson, superintendent of Sunday school work for the north Texas conference of the M. E. church, south, was the principal speaker at the worker's council of the First Methodist church Wednesday night when officers and teachers of the church school were present. Dr. Gibson has been a Sunday school specialist for a number of years, and this is his first visit to this church since his appointment as superintendent for the north Texas conference.

Immediately following the midweek luncheon for the officers and teachers, Dr. S. S. McKinney, new pastor of the church, led a short devotional.

O'NEIL IMPROVES

Burkburnett Man Still In Critical Condition

The condition of James O'Neil of Burkburnett who is in a serious condition in a local hospital as a result of injuries received in an oil field accident near Burkburnett Monday, was reported a little improved Wednesday night. He was brought to the Walker-Hargrave hospital Wednesday morning for treatment.

While working on a gas engine on the oil lease of Dr. John D. Proctor, four miles west of Burkburnett, Mr. O'Neil received severe scalp wounds and cuts on the face in a fall.

Mr. O'Neil is a brother to H. A. O'Neil of 2000 Lucile, John O'Neil of 2712 Tenth and Mrs. W. C. Witcher, 1517 Tenth.

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Local Masonic Official Given Certificate at Waco

G. W. Curd, secretary of Faith Lodge No. 1158 and high priest of Squire Walkup chapter, 247, R. A. M., both of Wichita Falls has been awarded a certificate of efficiency in ritualistic work by the grand chapter of Texas now meeting in Waco. Word to this effect has been received here by local Masonic officials.

CURD

Curd, with Jake Price, worshipful master of Faith lodge, and several other local Masonic officials, are now in Waco attending the grand lodge meetings.

FILES REPORT

McConnell's Figures Show 102 Fines In Month

Police Sergeant C. B. McConnell filed his financial report of police station activities for the month of November with the city clerk Wednesday and reported a total of 102 fines during the month.

The finest assessed amounted to $2447, and $1814 was collected in cash, $285 served in jail, $27 on street, $260 suspended and $51 released. A total of 199 bonds were forfeited and 42 defendants were found not guilty.

PLEADS GUILTY

S. F. Chappell Enters Plea In District Court

S. F. Chappell was arraigned in 89th district court Wednesday on charges of forgery, and plead guilty to 10 counts as charged against him. Judge P. A. Martin sentenced him to two years in the penitentiary on each count.

Bond in the sum of $1000 was forfeited by Jose Moncado, charged by indictment with theft of an automobile, when he failed to appear for trial.

MASKAT TO MEET

A regular meeting of Maskat Temple will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Faith Lodge rooms, it was announced yesterday. All members are invited to attend to take up matters of importance to be taken up in the meeting.

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