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Anyway It Was A Snappy Stunt

(By The Associated Press)

AMARILLO, Dec. 31.—The innovation in bootlegging was demonstrated to Sheriff Bill Thompson and Prohibition Agent Dick McCall late today.

"You see I don't even have to get out of the car," the demonstrator said. "Look gentlemen. Here's the siphon under the seat, and the keg of whisky is behind the seat. You just lift the siphon and take a drink. See?" The sheriff and prohibition officer were interested enough.

"That's a good stunt, but you'd better come with us," they said.

Ominous Cloud Of War Breaks Through India

Mute And Grim, Gandhi Writes Answer To Britain Stating War Is Almost Inevitable; Arrest Is Expected

(By The Associated Press)

BOMBAY, India, Dec. 31.—War loomed ominously over unhappy India tonight as the old year died.

From Viceroy Lord Willingdon came a telegram to Mahatma Gandhi asserting that the government would not tolerate his raising for discussion the question of emergency ordinances recently enacted in Bengal and other provinces to deal with political disorders.

In substance the viceroy said the government was prepared to crush any civil disobedience movement if it should start again.

MAY DELAY ACTION

BOMBAY, Jan. 1 (Friday.) (AP)—Mahatma Gandhi informed Viceroy Lord Willingdon today he would withhold renewing the civil disobedience campaign of warfare against the British government if the viceroy would grant him an interview for the discussion of recent restrictive ordinances.

Gandhi Is Shocked

Gandhi was shocked at the tone of the telegram. Vallabhai Patel, president of the congress party, called it "insulting." Said another of Gandhi's advisers, "this means war."

During the period of evening prayer the Mahatma indicated that he expected to be arrested within 48 hours for commanding his people to embark on a civil disobedience campaign and a boycott of British goods more intensive than ever.

Fight To Finish

Said Vallabhai Patel, "this time it's a fight to the finish."

But Gandhi's answer to the vice-

See INDIAN WAR, Page 13

Three Die And Two Are Hurt In Ship Crash

American Airways Plane Digs Deep In Rain-Soaked Field To Carry Three Passengers To Their Death

Probe Is Started

Pilot Seriously Injured; Two Farm Youths Discover Wreck While Crossing Field; Call For Aid Sounded

(By The Associated Press)

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 31.—Three men lost their lives and two others, including the pilot, were injured seriously when an American Airways plane crashed in a rain-soaked cornfield 12 miles east of here tonight.

The dead: A. L. Wenner, Cincinnati; Louis E. Stone, Cincinnati; A. C. Mayer, Louisville, Ky.

The injured: L. L. Bowen Louisville, the pilot; W. D. Wieback, Cincinnati.

Circled Village

The crash occurred on the farm of C. L. Snodgrass near Brighton just off the Clark county line. Residents of the community said the plane circled the village several minutes early in the evening.

The accident was believed to have happened before 7 p. m., although the wrecked plane was not found until shortly before 9 o'clock. Two boys, William Hickman and Thomas Meyers, made the discovery as they were crossing the field.

Unable to extricate the victims,

See PLANE CRASH, Page 12

Three Catholic Priests Are Arrested For Law Violation

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 31 (AP).—Three Catholic priests were arrested today on charges of violating the new religious laws which require the registration of clerics and limits them to one for every 50,000 inhabitants of the federal district.

The arrests were somewhat of a surprise, as it had been expected the law would not become effective for two or three days.

Quiet Holiday Seen For City

Banks And Postoffice Are To Close; Weather Forecast As Fair; New Year's Eve Proves Uneventful Here

The first day of 1932 will be a quiet one in Lubbock, with banks and the postoffice closed. Practically all business houses, the city hall and the courthouse will remain open, however.

The New Year weather is forecast as fair and it probably will be warmer. Temperatures Thursday ranged from a minimum of 31 to 48 and the reading at 6 p. m. yesterday was 41 degrees, Don L. Jones reported.

Eve Is Uneventful

New Year's eve was quiet, police and the sheriff's department at 10 o'clock reporting arrest of no "drunks." Hospitals reported no accident victims.

The postoffice will be closed all day, with one delivery of mail about 10 o'clock and a collection at 6 p. m., said Postmaster John L. Vaughan. New Year's day is not one of the closing days of the Retail Merchants association, it was said Thursday.

Facing 1932, Unafraid!

In Spite Of World-Wide Economic Slump Of 1931, Figures Show Lubbock Gained In Population In Year Just Past

NINETEEN Thirty-One has slipped into the discard. A bright New Year dawned with this morning and twelve months await the handiwork of man. What these twelve new months will yield depends upon how they are used by humanity. What they will yield for Lubbock depends, in a large measure, upon what we do with them.

Although 1931 was berated, although the practice of "talking down in the mouth" was largely engaged in during 1931, Lubbock, we believe, faces 1932 from a position of security which is not enjoyed by many other communities. Larger today than at the time of the federal census, Lubbock has more people here to do the job of making 1931 a winner. If you don't think that, here are the figures.

On January 1, 1930—the census year—Lubbock had 3,832 gas meters. On November 1, 1931—when the last city-wide utilities check was made—Lubbock had 3,871 gas meters.

On the same basis, 4,811 electric light meters were listed in the city on January 1, 1930. On November 1, 1931, there were 5,051.

On January 1, 1930, there were 3,809 water meters in Lubbock. At the check made November 1, 1931, there were 3,839.

THE gain in water, gas and electric meters is slight, to be sure, but the figures plainly indicate a small increase in population. There are scores of cities in United States showing population loss for every one that shows a gain. We doubt if any other city in West Texas can cite similar figures at this time.

The official population figure set by the government for Lubbock in 1930 was 20,520. Comparing the November 1, 1931, meter totals with January 1, 1930, Lubbock's population today is approximately 20,750 to 21,000. A 1931 population gain in a city located in an agricultural section is "something to write home about." And remember, these figures apply only to the corporate limits. They do not include students or persons residing in adjacent areas which are really as much a part of Lubbock as if they were included in the city limits.

Lubbock's position, on the threshhold of the New Year, is strong. We have come through a year which has all but wrecked many municipalities, with flying colors.

Lubbock can face 1932 unafraid—bolstered by its last year's record made in the face of a time that was not favorable to expansion.

Two Abilene Men And Girl To Face Charges In Boy's Death

Driving While Intoxicated Is Charge Filed Against Trio; Girl Describes Striking Of Weatherford Youth

(By The Associated Press)

WEATHERFORD, Dec. 31.—Charges of driving while intoxicated were filed here today against two men and a girl of Abilene in connection with the death of William Vardeman.

The body of Vardeman, a high school student, was found in a ditch near Weatherford several days ago bearing bruises which indicated he might have been struck by an automobile.

Each Makes Bond

Those charged were Weldon Carter, H. J. Moreland, jr., and Miss Patty Martin. They waived preliminary hearing, made bonds of $1,500 each and were released.

Officers said the girl told them she left the men in a Weatherford drug store Christmas night and drove eastward. They had driven to Fort Worth from Abilene to attend a football game and were returning.

Heard Glass Tinkle

The officers quoted the girl as saying she struck something, heard the tinkle of glass but saw no one. She thought she had run over a bottle. Pieces of glass were found in Vardeman's body.

The three were directed to appear before the April grand jury.

Potter County Attorney Is Puzzled Over This Affair

AMARILLO, Dec. 31 (AP).—If a man writes a worthless check, then steals the check, can he be charged with theft?

County Attorney Rhea C. Myers was facing that question tonight after the writer of a hot check snatched it from the hands of a filling station attendant who called to collect. "If the check had no value, how could the man be guilty of theft?" the official asked.

Schuyler Marshall Free On Bond; Charged For Burglary

WAXAHACHIE, Dec. 31 (AP).—Schuyler Marshall, jr., former sheriff of Dallas county, made bond of $10,000 here today.

He had been indicted by the Ellis county grand jury on charges of ... and robbery with firearms ... an attempt to ...

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Man Arrested And Liquor Is Seized In Raid On Thursday

The sheriff's department seized six gallons of whisky and arrested one man in a raid at McCullough avenue and Nineteenth street late Thursday.

The man, about 50 years old, has been arrested in connection with liquor raids several times and recently was acquitted of a charge of prohibition law violation, Sheriff ... Hardy said. The liquor was ...'s home, ... of-

Hundreds Flee As Floodwater Breaks Levees

Residents Are Thrown Into A Panic As Reports Come From River Of Higher Crests To Sweep Countryside

Battle Valiantly

Red Cross Workers Prepare To Enter Area; Hundreds Await Rescue As Crumbling Levees Warn Of Disaster

(By The Associated Press)

GLENDORA, Miss., Dec. 31.—Hundreds of residents in the Tallahatchie river valley fled to high ground and awaited rescue tonight after warnings by messengers speeding about in motorboats that higher flood waters were headed this way.

Their flight was hastened by the sight of crumbling levees that have served stubbornly but in vain to keep the muddy torrents from spreading through the streets of Glendora and the surrounding countryside.

Volunteer Services

Residents with boats volunteered services in warning citizens of a far flung area to flee while there was time. The endangered zone includes the towns of Glendora, Swan Lake, Webb and Sumner.

More than 1,000 convicts went into action along a 12-mile levee front, doing what they could to hold back the the water which is pour-

See HUNDREDS FLEE, Page 13

Reports Of Sale Of Gas In Texas Panhandle Are Probed

AUSTIN, Dec. 31 (AP).—Attorney General James V. Allred said today that H. D. Bishop, law enforcement officer with his department, was making an inquiry into reports that natural gas is being sold out of the Texas Panhandle at an arbitrary price of two cents per 1,000 feet to subsidiaries outside of Texas.

Complaint was made that the state is losing production taxes and royalties owners a fair share of the value of the gas.

Favor On Loan Delay Is Seen

Senate Sub-Committee Approves Bill To Permit Postponement Of Mortgage Installment to Needy Farmers

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Despite opposition of four federal land banks, a senate banking sub-committee today approved a bill to permit postponement of the mortgage installment payments of needy farmer-borrowers.

At the same time, the group endorsed a measure to increase the capitalization of the land banks by $125,000,000 adding $25,000,000 to the original bill which, as passed by the house, called for an increase of $100,000,000.

The clause allowing mortgage postponement in the discretion of the land banks was approved as an amendment to the capitalization bill and the additional $25,000,000 was intended to facilitate extension of payments.

Oklahoma Man Is Killed As Car Hurtles Into A Di...

WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 31 (AP).—H. Blanton, 35, Comanche, ... was fatally injured early Thu... night when his car hurtled i... ditch after side-swiping a ... machine on the Burkburnett ... The driver of the other car ... tried in vain to avoid a colli... described how Blanton's ca... over and over as it went ... ditch. Blanton formerly l...

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Two girls, one rich, the other poor, are held in Chicago in connection with the slaying of Detective James J. Caplis in an attempted holdup at a night club there. Marcella Royce, 17, left, is from a well-to-do family while the parents of Dorothy Evans, 16, right, support seven children on $27 per week.

Lubbock Lead In Cotton Is Pared Sharply

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Lockhart Seeks Senate Seat; Parrish To Announce P... This Month; Sheriff ... Drawing Heavily

BY GORDON W... Avalanche Staff W...

THE 1932 political pulse in ... bock county already is ... ing furiously and a punishi... probably will be set in pl... every campaign long befo... Democratic primary elections, ... 23.

Twenty-eight persons already ... tossed their hats into 19 dist... county and precinct contests, ... least seven other persons are g... erally known to be making polit... plans, and with names of 2... more additional persons being ... tioned as possible candidates, a... ing competition is expected.

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Miss Robinson And Professor Of Tech Marry

Dr. Jack M. Lewis Reads Vows Uniting In Marriage Miss Manie Robinson And Chas. C. Rodeffer

Miss Manie Robinson became the bride of Charles C. Rodeffer, as the new year was rung in today. Dr. Jack M. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, read the marriage ceremony in his study at the church in the presence of a few friends of the couple.

Mr. Rodeffer and his bride are at home at 3011 22nd street.

The bride, who came here in September to become technician at the Lubbock Clinic, graduated in June from the University of North Carolina. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robinson, reside in that state. Costumed in blue, she wore a shoulder corsage for the marriage.

Mr. Rodeffer, who is an instructor in mathematics at Texas Technological college, holds his master's degree from the University of Virginia. This is his third year at Tech.

Abel Out For Sheriff Post

Slaton Police Chief Candidate In 1932 Election; Promises "Efficient, Sane And Energetic Enforcement"

Promising an efficient, energetic, sane level-headed and impartial enforcement of the laws and the maintenance of public safety" and citing his record as an officer, T. J. (Tom) Abel, Slaton chief of police, Thursday announced his candidacy for sheriff of Lubbock county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 23, 1932.

In making his announcement and appealing for support of his candidacy, Mr. Abel gave out the following statement:

"To the citizens of Lubbock county: In making the race for the important office of Sheriff of Lubbock county, I do so based on my own merits, and my ability and qualifications to fill the office, perform its duties, and render efficient … the County's chief … heretofore serv… of this county … as special of… … and have … as Chief … years af… County 18 … this long … you I … reputa… ability … ce of… rec… …ve a … that … to …

Personals

Miss La Verne Parker of Dallas is visiting her cousin, L. C. Williamson, and family at 2016 9th street. Mr. and Mrs. Williamson have recently returned from a visit in East Texas.

Miss Frances Ford is visiting in Dallas.

Greer Frizzell, former Lubbock High school football star, spent Christmas day with Edward Pangburn, son of Mrs. Sam Pangburn, of this city, aboard the U. S. S. Elliott at San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Pangburn received this word from her son who has been in the Navy for some time. Young Frizzell has not yet been assigned to a ship.

Messers and Mesdames George Wilkins of Artesia, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Fladger Tannery of Big Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Z. Z. Tannery and family of Roswell, N. M., have returned to their homes after visiting here during the holidays.

Mrs. Mildred Williams, who has been spending the holidays in Los Angeles, Calif., will return Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Williams and daughter, Patsy, of Mineral Wells, are visiting here as the guests of C. Roberts.

Mrs. C. J. Wagner Is Hostess To Members Of Needle Club

Members of the Wednesday Needle club were entertained by Mrs. C. J. Wagner, 1644 Broadway, Wednesday afternoon in her home.

Those who attended were Mesdames E. L. Klett, S. C. Wilson, J. H. Goodman, F. M. Maddox, T. W. Thomas, M. B. Hilburn, H. A. Davidson, T. B. Duggan, W. B. Atkins, J. M. Lewis, A. W. McKee, C. M. Ballenger, W. B. Rushing, T. J. White of Coleman, J. L. Ratliff, I. C. Dunbar, E. L. Robertson and L. B. Wright.

County Road South And East Now Surfaced With Caliche

The county road connecting the Lubbock cemetery, south and east of the city, with state highway No. 7, has been surfaced with caliche and the property turned over to the county for maintenance.

Yesterday the commissioner's court accepted the road, which is about a quarter of a mile long. A. Judd, road supervisor, made his report on the work.

The road is 60 feet wide and 1,185 truck loads of caliche were used in surfacing it. Cost was $385. The surface is about five inches thick.

Later it is planned to add seeral more inches to caliche and then to give the surface a hot topping.

London clubs are slumping.

Affair Honors WMS President

Officers And Circle Leaders In Methodist Society Are Hostesses At Luncheon To Honor Mrs. Campbell

Officers and circle leaders in First Methodist Women's Missionary society were hostesses at a one o'clock luncheon Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. R. Copeland, 1610 Avenue K. Mrs. R. T. Campbell, who is retiring president of the society, was named guest of honor. Mrs. Copeland is incoming president of the society.

During the luncheon, Mrs. Campbell was presented with a life membership in the society. Mrs. R. I. Tubbs, who acted as toast mistress, made the presentation speech. Mrs. Copeland proposed a toast to the honoree.

Other guests were Mesdames J. O. Haymes and Mrs. C. A. Bickley.

Hostesses were Mesdames W. W. Campbell, R. B. Smith, A. G. Odom, J. P. Edgar, C. B. Powell, C. E. Love, C. C. Webb, T. V. McKinney, George R. Bean, Harry Hall, J. H. Whiteside, Horace Scott, R. I. Tubbs, J. E. Henderson, Fred Adkins, A. B. Ellis and Homer Atwood.

Mrs. Sowder Talks Before Hunt P-T A

Mrs. Eppie Sowder was principal speaker at a meeting of the George M. Hunt Parent-Teachers association at the school Thursday afternoon. She discussed "The Relation Between Home and School."

Children from Mrs. Fred O'Dell's room gave a program. Attendance awards went to rooms taught by Mrs. O'Dell and Mrs. John Foster.

James Webb Robertson, 5, Is Honored At Afternoon Fete

James Webb Robertson, five-year-old son of Mrs. W. J. Robertson, was honored Wednesday afternoon when his mother entertained for 16 children in their home at 1110 14th street. Games were played before the birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream.

Children who attended were Maryland Henson, Mary Jane Wright, Betty Jo Dick, Marjorie Ann May, Richard Dickey, Allen Ater, Virginia Bondurant, Julian Tallichet, Dana Faye Ware, Clifford Dean, Mary Ann Dykes, Roderick Frye, Billie Frye, Hubert Lee Burgess, Betty and Fred McDonald.

Mrs. Robertson was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. W. C. Robertson, Margaret Carroll Robertson and Mrs. Ray Henson.

Today's Events

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Granbery will be at home to the faculty of Texas Technological college from 4 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon at their home, 1714 Avenue X.

The Loyalty club is meeting with Mrs. Frank Jolley, 1621 16th street. Members are to bring an offering for the needy.

The Trailers club will dance at 8 p. m. at the Hilton hotel.

The senior high department of First Methodist church is to attend a party at the church at 7:30 o'clock.

Members of the primary department in First Methodist church are to be guests for a party at the church at 3:30 o'clock.

1928 Bridge Club Attends Luncheon

Games of bridge were played following a luncheon attended by members of the 1928 Bridge club Wednesday in the E. B. Adcock home at 2601 19th street. Mrs. W. B. Hearrell scored high and Mrs. M. S. Cole made low score.

Those who attended were Mesdames Ralph Stroup, Cole, Hearrell, V. D. Shell, Fred Caylor, Clarence E. Davis, Houston Spikes, C. B. Yarbrough, Louis Winn, W. H. Carpenter, Newma Roberts and A. F. Holt.

R. Maxey Is Named Honor Guest Here

Robert Maxey, student in the University of Texas, was named guest of honor when Miss Melba Mae Tatom, 2219 15th street, entertained with a dinner party Wednesday evening. Guests were Misses Virginia James, Kathleen Conrad, Mary Tom Simmons and Sallye Bean, Messers. Homer and Robert Maxey, W. B. Rushing, J. D. and Harmon Jenkins.

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Our regular $17.95 dress values, all are new styles— OUT THEY GO FOR
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DRESSE…
We offer you the choice of our regular $12.95 Dresses, in creations that are stylish and tailored from the newest materials
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A group of Silk, Jersey and wool Dresses styled for sport, street and evening wear

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The new vogue in fas… spring. These jackets … are specially priced a…

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BARGAIN NEWS--FROM LUBBOCK'S FINEST DEPARTMENT STORE

Friday Morning Promptly At 8:00 A. M. We Begin Our Tenth Annual

January CLEARANCE

With The Greatest List Of Offerings In Our Entire History. For We Have A Store Filled With Fine New Winter Merchandise That We Must Now Sell And Sell Quickly

This is no time to mince matters-no time for half way measures—The end of the year finds us with full inventories of high grade merchandise that we expected to sell during the last few months of 1931. It's immaterial now whether this condition was caused by the very moderate weather-the low prices of commodities-the decreased buying power of so many people—the depression or any other reason—Our problem now is to sell this merchandise and sell it QUICKLY—Here are reductions that will make this possible.

For Eight Days, From January 1st. to January 9th., You Can Choose Fine High Grade Goods Here For A Fraction Of It's Real Worth. Goods You Really Need And Goods That Will Serve You Well For Months To Come

It's not a question of profit or previous cost—"Clear all remaining stocks and clear them quickly" has been the thought in every price quoted in these four pages. High grade qualities, fresh and desirable from every angle now bear price marks far below any ordinary Clearance reduction—Your savings will come too, just at the season when delayed winter is sure to be just around the corner.

Check your needs carefully—your requirements for the next few months both as to apparel and things for the house. In this offering we are making it possible for you to profitably "borrow" from budgets of several months to come to be able to participate in these savings.

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January CLEARANCE

AN EIGHT DAY STORE-WIDE EVENT OF REMARKABLE SAVINGS

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Bargain Days are here again. Our Annual January Clearance opens Friday morning promptly at 8:00 a. m. with our entire stock of fine new quality merchandise priced at discounts unusually severe even for Hemphill-Wells company. Sale with us are semi-annual events, prompted entirely by an idea of quick complete clearance of all remaining items of each season's purchase. All thought of profit for ourselves is disregarded. It's a time when everything is in your favor. This season stocks are abnormally large. More than this regular prices have been unusually low due to lower market prices and reduced profit mark-ups because of abnormal conditions. Sale prices based on these conditions reflect buying opportunities such as you have not seen for fifteen years. Sieze this opportunity—you will be choosing real quality items from assortments that even at clearance time are unusually complete at savings that you can not afford to overlook.

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A wonderful assortment of printed flat crepes— light grounds only — regular $1.98 values, yard **98c**

Dark ground in printed Flat Crepes —new patterns in tweed patterns and all over work. $1.69 values, priced now yard **$1.19**

Extra quality printed crepe, Mallinson's and Cheney's qualities—dark colorings—regular $1.98 to $2.25 values offered yard **$1.39**

An assortment of light grounds in printed silk crepes — colorings and styles well assorted—40 inches wide —$1.49 to $1.69 values yard **77c**

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Fine heavy weight silks—excellent for Blouses and complete Dresses—both light and dark colorings—40 inches wide.

$3.00 Satin Faced Crepe, yard $1.89
$1.98 Satin Faced Crepe, yard.. 1.39
$1.29 Satin Faced Crepe, yard 89c

FLAT CREPES AND CREPE DE CHINE

Staple silks, used in all seasons — an array of fine all silk materials in both street and pastel shades.

$2.98 Flat Crepes, priced yd. $1.89
$1.98 Flat Crepes, priced yd. 1.39
$1.69 Flat Crepes, priced yd. 97c
99c Flat Crepes priced, yd 76c
89c Flat Crepes, priced yd. 64c

GEORGETTES AND CHIFFONS

Georgette and Chiffons are grouped here—sheer all silk materials excellent for spring also—good color ranges in all groups.

$2.75 Triple Chiffons, now yd. $1.89
$2.69 Triple Georgettes, yd. 1.89
$2.25 Fine Georgette, yd. 1.39
$1.85 Fine Georgette, yd. 1.19
$1.69 Fine Georgette, yd. 69c

SHANTUNGS

Printed and solid colored Shantungs—good colors and in exceptional high qualities. Save now. $1.49 Shantungs reduced to yard **99c**

Cheaper qualities in printed Shantungs and tub silks—a varied assortment as to colors and novelty cloths. Regular 79c value, yard **59c**

Rayon crepe in both printed and solid colors—qualities that represent regular 59 to 89c values—priced now choice, yard **39c**

ODD ASSORTMENTS

One lot printed Pussy Willow Silk in patterns desirable for children's dresses or pajamas—regular $1.85 value—choice now yard **$1.29**

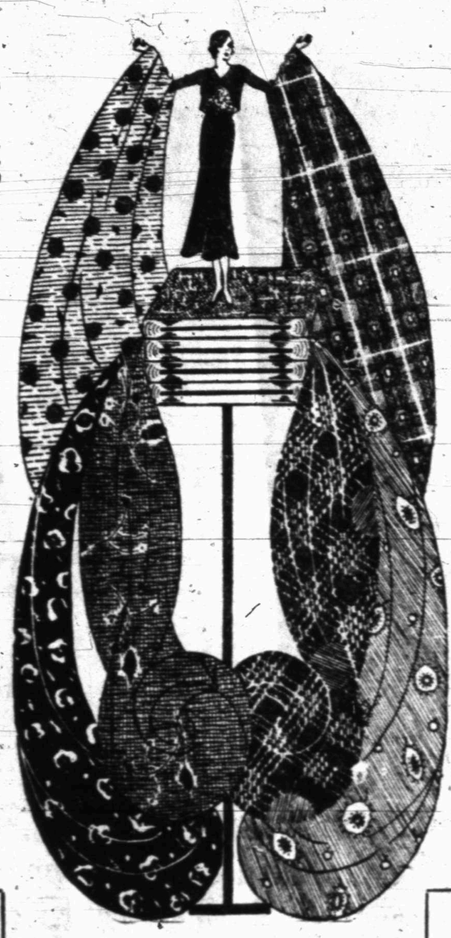
One group of odds and ends—one and two-piece assortments from regular $4.45 to $5.00 values—Cantons, Satins, Moire choice now yard **$2.69**

TRANSPARENT VELVET

A decided opportunity — fine high grade transparent velvet — from Mallinson—in the correct black and brown colorings as well as pastel shades. $4.45 values priced yard **$3.19**

Velveteene in both printed and solid—a high quality and a fair assortment of colorings—regular $2.25 values, priced now yard **$1.29**

A. B. C. Silk—a well known generally used light sheer weight—all shades. 50c value Priced now yard **37c**



FINE COTTONS STAPLE GOODS, WHITE GOODS, UNDERWEAR MATERIALS AT GREAT BIG REDUCTIONS

Smart rough dress cottons—sheer weights for children white goods of all kinds—underwear materials—all are now priced at most favorable reductions.

DRESS LINENS

High grade dress linens in fine Irish qualities offered at these savings.

$1.69 Dress Linen $1.19
75c Dress Linen 59c
49c Dress Linen 34c

ROUGH COTTON TWEEDS

Smart rough weave cottons—decidedly smart this season—in dark colorings—

$1.19 Dark Cottons, now 69c
89c Dark Cottons, now 54c
35c Dark Cottons, now 27c

Light weight colored handkerchief linen in all shades. Regular $1.00 value, yd **69c**

COLORED VOILES

Solid Colored Voiles—all in fast colored qualities—save now on your requirements.

69c Everfast Voiles 29c
25c Solid Colored Voiles 17c

SHEER PRINTED COTTONS

Fine sheer materials that have an appeal both for now and for later wear—all reduced.

39c Dotted Swill, now 54c
$1.00 Printed Organdy 69c
65c Solid Organdy, now 39c
39c Printed Batiste 26c
35c Printed Voiles 23c

INDIAN HEAD REDUCTIONS

36 inch, 29c Indian Head, yd. 19c
44 inch, 39c Indian Head, yd. 26c

WHITE GOODS ITEMS

General white goods items, Batiste, Dimity, Nainsook, Cambric, Lawns, Flaxons and Nurses cloth are included in these pricings.

$1.00 White Goods, now 69c
75c White Goods, now 47c
65c White Goods now 47c
50c White Goods, now 32c
49c White Goods, now 32c
39c White Goods, now 24c
35c White Goods, now 21c
29c White Goods, now 18c

UNDERWEAR MATERIALS

Rayon and Cotton solid colored and brocaded Underwear materials in complete color assortments.

69c Underwear materials, yard 39c
49c Underwear materials, yard 33c
39c Underwear materials, yard 26c
29c Underwear materials, yard 18c
25c Underwear materials, yard 16c

SATINES REDUCED

Choose any of our solid colored satines now for less.

65c Satines, now yard 39c
45c Satines, now yard 24c
40c Satines, now yard 24c
19c Satines, now yard 16c

25c Pajama checks in both large and small size checks — an excellent quality and in 36 inch width. Priced extra special yard **13c**

MISCELLANEOUS COTTONS

Colored Broadcloth—a fine sheer weight and a varied color assortment, our regular 39c value priced now yard **26c**

Solid colored Pique in just the wanted shades—excellent for garments as well as trimmings—regular 59c value, yard **39c**

COTTON CREPES

Cotton Underwear Crepes in both printed and solid colors—here are real savings.

35c Cotton Underwear crepe yd. 24c
29c Cotton Underwear crepe yd. 19c
25c Cotton Underwear crepe yd. 16c

REDUCTIONS ON DIAPERS

The only time in the entire year when Diapers and Diaper Cloth are discounted is for these Semi-Annual sales.

$1.49 30 inch Diapers, doz. $1.19
$1.39 27 inch Diapers, doz. 99c
$1.29 24 inch Diapers, doz. 89c
$1.39 30 inch Diaper Cloth 99c
$1.29 27 inch Diaper Cloth 89c

RAYON MIXED FABRICS

Solid and printed Rayon Pique in a well assorted color range—desirable 89c qualities, yd. **37c**

Printed and Solid Rayon and Cotton light weight fabrics in dark dress patterns—75c value—reduced now to yard **37c**



A Clearance Of Made Curtains And Panels

Lace Panels and fine Marquisette numbers go in the Clearance at these savings.

$3.85 Curtain Panels now $2.95
$3.25 Curtain Panels now 2.39
$2.75 Curtain Panels now 1.69
$2.50 Curtain Panels now $1.49
$1.95 Curtain Panels, now 1.29
$1.75 Curtain Panels now 1.19
$1.25 Curtain Panels now 89c
$1.19 Curtain Panels now 89c

MARQUISSETTE BED ROOM CURTAINS

Bed Room Curtains in solid Ecru natural and white marquissette as well as in fancy colored Marquissette—both Cris-cross and Priscella styles.

$1.95 Marquissette Curtains. $1.29
$1.79 Marquissette Curtains. 1.19
$1.39 Marquissette Curtains. 99c
$1.29 Marquissette Curtains. 89c
$1.00 Marquissette Curtains. 69c

LACE AND MARQUISSETTE BY THE YARD

Curtain materials of lace and Marquissette for those who prefer to make their own—discounts are decidedly unusual—

$2.50 Curtain Nets, yard 99c
$2.25 Curtain Nets, ... 89c
$1.65 Curtain Nets, yard 69c
$1.25 Curtain Nets, yard 59c
$1.00 Curtain Nets, yard 59c
75c Curtain Nets, yard 49c
69c Curtain Nets, yard 39c
59c Curtain Nets, yard 39c
50c Curtain Nets, yard 29c
39c Curtain Nets, yard 24c
19c Curtain Nets, yard 14c

Fine Woolens At Final Clearance Reductions

Here is an assortment of the season's most popular woolens—correct weights and liberal color assortments that now must be sacrificed.

FORSTMAN FINE WOOLENS

Forstman's Cherkessa for coats and suits—the season's most outstanding wool fabric—54 inches wide—$7.45 value—now yard **$4.98**

Forstman's Ghardille—a rich heavy coat material in black and brown colorings, regular $3.85 value—priced now yard only **$2.69**

EXTRA SPECIAL

An assortment of fine wool coatings and dress materials—a special group we have offered special this season at yard $1.29 to close during the January Clearance offered, yard **79c**

WOOL DRESS WEIGHTS AND FINE WOOL COATINGS

All our stock of fine high grade woolens in all weights—Coatings, Suitngs and novelties go at these reductions—

$3.75 Woolens, now yard $2.19
$3.50 Woolens, now yard $1.97
$3.25 Woolens, now yard $1.89
$2.75 Woolens, now yard $1.69
$2.25 Woolens, now yard $1.46
$1.98 Woolens, now yard $1.19
$1.69 Woolens, now yard 99c

Wool Challies—the ideal material for children's garments—fresh new patterns—regular 95c values yard **49c**

Drapery Fabrics At The Largest Reductions We Have Ever Offered

Our stock of drapery fabrics is too large—the only method we know to remedy this is severe reductions for quick complete clearance—here they are—

HEAVY DRAPERY DAMASKS

$3.75 Drapery Damasks, yard $2.95
$3.45 Drapery Damasks, yard $2.59
$3.25 Drapery Damasks, yard $2.39
$2.85 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.69
$2.50 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.49
$2.25 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.39
$1.95 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.29
$1.85 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.29
$1.75 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.19
$1.65 Drapery Damasks, yard $1.19
$1.50 Drapery Damasks, yard .99
$1.25 Drapery Damasks, yard .89
$1.00 Drapery Damasks, yard .69
.85 Drapery Damasks, yard .59
.79 Drapery Damasks, yard .49

CRETONS SILKOLINES AND HEAVY CRUEL DRAPERY FABRICS

$4.45 Cretons and Drapery, yd. $3.29
$2.50 Cretons and Drapery yd. $1.49
$1.95 Cretons and Drapery, yd. $1.29
$1.85 Cretons and Drapery, yd. $1.29
$1.75 Cretons and Drapery, yd. $1.19
$1.69 Cretons and Drapery, yd. $1.19
$1.50 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .99
$1.25 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .89
$1.00 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .69
.95 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .59
.85 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .59
.79 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .49
.75 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .44
.65 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .39
.59 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .39
.50 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .29
.49 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .29
.35 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .24
.29 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .19
.25 Cretons and Drapery, yd. .16

STAPLES

Here are staple needs that appeal to every household—goods that now come to you at wonderful savings.

36 inch Outing — light and dark patterns as well as solids, 15c value **11c**

Quilting Challies in good colors Persian patterns— 16c value **9c**

Gingham checks—32 inches wide and in good weight and colors—10c value **8c**

Hope Domestic—36 inch fine bleached quality priced now **8c**

Brown Domestic in heavy weight—96 inches wide— priced yard **8c**

TICK

59c Tick reduced to, yd. 39c
45c Tick reduced to, yd. 27c
25c Tick reduced to, yd. 17c

PRINTS

39c fine 36 inch Prints in new pattern assortments yard **23c**

Pueblo Prints—our famous fine high grade 19c print— yard **14c**

25c Prints in good patterns and in fast colored quality yard **18c**

Everfast Reductions

Well known high grade guaranteed fast colored cotton of the famous Everfast quality at these savings now.

Everfast $1.19 Printed Linens, yd. 59c
Everfast $1.00 Solid Colored Broadcloths, yd. 49c
Everfast 59c Printed Broadcloths, yd. 27c
Everfast 35c Printed Dimities, yd. 23c
Everfast 39c Printed Shantungs, yard 23c
Everfast 25c Solid and Checked Ginghams, .. 19c
Everfast 39c High Grade Prints, yd. 23c

Bed Spread At Very Low Clearance Prices

Choose high grade Bedspreads in both Rayon and cotton and Rayon combinations from these reductions which represent real savings.

$10.85 86x108 Bedspreads reduced to $6.95
$ 9.85 90x108 Bedspreads reduced to $6.45
$ 8.85 90x108 Bedspreads reduced to $5.95
$ 7.85 90x108 Bedspreads reduced to $5.15
$ 7.45 72x105 Bedspreads reduced to $4.69
$ 6.85 90x108 Bedspreads reduced to $4.39
$ 6.85 72x108 Bedspreads reduced to $4.39
$ 5.45 90x108 Bedspreads reduced to $3.95
$3.50 72x105 Bed Spreads reduced to $2.95
$2.95 86x105 Bed Spreads reduced to $1.90
$1.98 84x105 Bed Spreads reduced to $1.49
$1.95 81x105 Bed Spreads reduced to $1.39

Sheet And Sheeting Reductions

Many women purchase an entire six months supply of sheets from these events—This Sale we quote the lowest prices of our history on well known makes.

81x108 Garza Sheets, $1.29 value 94c
81x99 Garza Sheets, $1.19 value 79c
81x90 Garza Sheets, $1.00 value 67c
72x99 Garza Sheets, $1.00 value 67c
72x90 Garza Sheets, .89 value 64c
63x99 Garza Sheets, .89 value 64c
54x90 Garza Sheets, .75 value 59c
81x99 Fruit of the Loom $1.69 sheets $1.29
81x99 Stark high grade $1.29 sheets 74c
81x99 Page Percale Finish $1.19 sheets 79c

PILLOW CASE REDUCTIONS

42x36 Fruit of the Loom 49c cases 34c
36x36 Fruit of the Loom 29c cases 24c
42x36 Page fine 29c pillow cases 19c
42x36 Garza high grade 25c cases 19c
42x36 Olympic quality 19c cases 16c

Here Are Real Savings On All Linen Items

Fine linens are items that are not effected by style or season—items that represent the most worth while purchased when they can be purchased under value.

ART LINENS, LINEN SHEETINGS, ROUND THREAD LINENS, ETC.

$2.50 Art Linens, now yard $1.89
$2.25 Art Linens, now yard $1.79
$1.85 Art Linens, now yard $1.39
$1.50 Art Linens, now yard $1.19
$1.25 Art Linens, now yard ..... .96
.98 Art Linens, now yard ..... .69
.79 Art Linens, now yard ..... .59
.65 Art Linens, now yard ..... .47
.59 Art Linens, now yard ..... .38

TABLE DAMASKS IN FINE IRISH LINENS AT THESE PRICES

$3.85 Table Damask, yard $1.98
$3.50 Table Damask, yard $1.89
$2.75 Table Damask, yard $1.49
$2.50 Table Damask, yard $1.29
$2.25 Table Damask, yard $1.19
$1.85 Table Damask, yard ..... .99
$1.75 Table Damask, yard ..... .89
$1.50 Table Damask, yard ..... .79

All Wool Blankets At Unusual Prices

This Clearance we offer more fine desirable all wool blankets of well known makes than ever before. Its possible to buy them now for a fraction of their worth just at the time when you need them most.

KENWOOD, OREGON CITY AND PENDLETON BLANKETS

$18.45 Fine All Wool Blankets in 72x84 size, Solid Colors **$12.95**

$17.45 All Wood Blankets in Plaid and solid colorings 62x80 ..... **$10.45**

$16.45 All Wood Blankets in fine solid colors— 72x84 priced **$9.90**

$14.85 Double size blankets in solid and plaid colors— 66x80—now **$9.35**

$13.45 Colid colored all wool blankets in 72x84 large size **$8.85**

$12.85 All wool Fine blankets in 72x84 size—offered now for **$8.39**

$10.35 All Wood Heavy weight Blankets in 72x84 sizes priced **$7.19**

$9.85 Fine all wood plaid and solid colored 60x84 blankets priced **$6.95**

$9.85 extra large all wool blankets in 70x80 size—solids and plaids **$6.95**

$8.85 All Wool Throws from Kenwood—knitted—60x72 size—priced **$6.35**

42x60 all wool Crib blankets in white and colors $6.85 value **$4.85**

CHATHAM ALL WOOL AND PART WOOL BLANKETS AT SAVINGS

$9.85 Chatham all wool solid colored blankets double, 72x84 size—priced **$6.95**

$7.85 Chatham All wool Plaid Blankets—heavy weight— 70x80—priced **$5.69**

$6.45— All wool Chatham blankets —plaid 66x80 double bed size—priced **$4.45**

$4.95 All wool plaid blankets—a feature extra value— 66x80 size—now **$3.89**

$6.45 Solid Colored Double weight single thickness 66x80 Wool Blankets **$4.45**

PART WOOL PLAID CHATHAM BLANKETS VERY CHEAP

Chatham 70x80 Part Wool Plaid Blankets—$5.45 value priced now **$3.89**

Chatham 66x80 Part Wool Plaid Blankets, $4.85 value priced now **$3.69**

Chatham Part Wool 70x80 Plaid Blankets—$3.45 value— now **$2.69**

Chatham part Wool 66x80 Plaid Blankets—$2.95 special value—now **$2.39**

Big Boy—an extra large part wool 80x90 size Blanket— $3.25 value now **$2.69**

Colored bordered extra heavy grey double blankets, $2.95 value priced now only **$1.15**



Warm Covering Deeply Cut

Fine wool comforts—cotton blankets crib blankets and other warm covering are listed here.

WOOL FILLED SILK COMFORTS

$ 7.85 Wool Comforts, now ..... $ 5.85
$ 5.45 Wool Comforts, now ..... $ 3.95
$ 4.45 Wool Comforts, now ..... $ 3.29

COTTON BLANKETS

$3.75 Part Wool Blankets $2.69
$3.75 Cotton Blankets, now $1.98
$2.75 Cotton Blankets, now $1.59

BABY BLANKETS

$1.25 Baby Blankets, now 94c
.79 Baby Blankets, now 54c

Percentage Reductions

COLLARS 1-3 OFF
ALL LACE 1-3 OFF
ALL TRIMMINGS 1-3 OFF
ALL BUCKLES 1-3 OFF
ALL SANITARY GOODS 1-4 OFF
TOILET GOODS 1-4 OFF
JEWELRY 1-2 OFF
INFANTS GIFT ITEMS 1-3 OFF
INFANTS APPAREL 1-4 OFF

All Sale Prices Cash
No Returns, Exchanges,
Refunds Or Approvals

Hemphill-Wells Co.

Discounts Of From 1-4 To 1-2 Off On High Grade Quality Merchandise

Ladies' Apparel--Shoes--Lingerie--All Now Go Into The Big Annual

January CLEARANCE

Your Unrestricted Choice Of Fine Quality Assortments At Greatly Reduced Prices

This is a store wide event with every item of our entire stock except only those items that manufacturers restrict to definite resale figures effected—Save.

Every consideration is entirely in your favor for this big Clearance Sale. Very little weather for the wearing of winter clothes has yet appeared—there will be ample time yet this winter to enjoy your purchases. More than this assortments have been kept at their peak—hundreds of the finest, most desirable garments still remain to be sacrificed now in this Clearance event. The savings you will make will pay you to supply yourself for wear for spring. All thought of profit has been forgotten in the marking of these prices. Note them carefully.—There are savings that will be decidedly appropriate this season—savings that you can make without sacrificing the slightest degree of smartness for every offering is up to our usual standard of high quality and honest value.

Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Purses Etc. Save Now In This Clearance

Most of these offerings are from assortments that we will immediately rebuy for Spring.—They are discounted now in line with our usual policy of making this event store-wide. Everything is in your favor—

LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS OF EVERY QUALITY

Ladies' $3.50 Handkerchiefs	$2.49
Ladies' $2.75 Handkerchiefs	1.69
Ladies' $2.25 Handkerchiefs	1.39
Ladies' $1.75 Handkerchiefs	1.29
Ladies' $1.50 Handkerchiefs	.99
Ladies' $1.25 Handkerchiefs	.87
Ladies' $1.00 Handkerchiefs	.69
Ladies' 75c Handkerchiefs	59c
Ladies' 69c Handkerchiefs	44c
Ladies' 65c Handkerchiefs	44c
Ladies' 50c Handkerchiefs	39c
Ladies' 35c Handkerchiefs	22c
Ladies' 29c Handkerchiefs	19c
Ladies' 25c Handkerchiefs	17c
Ladies' 19c Handkerchiefs	13c
Ladies' 15c Handkerchiefs	9c
Ladies' 10c Handkerchiefs	7c
Ladies' 5c Handkerchiefs	3c

LADIES' GLOVES

Both kid and cloth gloves in all lengths and colors are included in these discounts—

$7.45 Ladies' Gloves	$4.49
$6.45 Ladies' Gloves	3.59
$5.85 Ladies' Gloves	3.39
$5.45 Ladies' Gloves	3.19
$4.95 Ladies' Gloves	2.95
$4.85 Ladies' Gloves	2.95
$4.50 Ladies' Gloves	2.59
$4.25 Ladies' Gloves	2.39
$3.95 Ladies' Gloves	2.29
$3.75 Ladies' Gloves	2.29
$3.50 Ladies' Gloves	2.19
$2.95 Ladies' Gloves	1.99
$1.98 Ladies' Gloves	1.69

CLOTH GLOVES

Ladies' $1.00 Cloth Gloves	69c
Ladies' 69c Cloth Gloves	39c

Ladies Fine Silk Hose At Big Savings

Every pair of ladies' Hose in our entire stock is effected by these reductions—



CHIFFON WEIGHT LADIES' HOSE

$1.95 Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	$1.55
$1.69 Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	1.25
$1.49 Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	1.15
$1.29 Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	99c
$1.00 Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	87c
89c Chiffon Hose reduced to pair	69c

LADIES' MESH HOSE AT THESE SAVINGS

$1.95 Mesh Hose in all colors now	$1.39
$1.89 Mesh Hose in all colors now	1.19
$1.49 Mesh Hose in all colors now	99c
$1.29 Mesh Hose in all colors now	87c

OUT SIZES AND MISCELLANEOUS HOSE

$1.49 Out Size Hose reduced to	$1.15
$1.25 Service weight ladies' Hose	99c
$1.00 Munsing Service Lisle top Hose	39c
89c Lisle Hose—mesh and plain	49c
$1.25 Wool Hose in ladies' sizes	99c

Children's Stockings And Socks For Clearance

Children's good weight serviceable Hose and Socks—pretty patterns and varied colorings—all sizes in the assortment—here are savings—

65c Children's Hose	39c
59c Children's Hose	39c
50c Children's Hose	33c
39c Children's Hose	26c
35c Children's Hose	21c
29c Children's Hose	19c
25c Children's Hose	16c
19c Children's Hose	13c

Towels, Bathmats And Bath Cloth On Sale

Cannon Bath Towels, Face Towels and Fancy Towels—fine bath mats in bright colors to match every bath color scheme—choose every requirement in this saving event—

BATH TOWELS

85c Bath Towels, each now	59c
79c Bath Towels, each now	27c
65c Bath Towels, each now	24c
59c Bath Towels, each now	22c
45c Bath Towels, each now	18c
29c Bath Towes, each now	9c

FACE TOWELS

45c Face Towes, each now	16c
39c Face Towes, each now	14c
29c Face Towes, each now	9c

WASH CLOTHS

15c Wash Cothes now	9c
$1.25 Wash Cothes, dozen	89c

BATH MATS

$2.75 Bath Mats reduced to	$1.79
$2.50 Bath Mats reduced to	1.49
$2.25 Bath Mats reduced to	1.39
$1.85 Bath Mats reduced to	1.19
$1.69 Bath Mats reduced to	99c
$1.65 Bath Mats reduced to	99c
$1.35 Bath Mats reduced to	89c

STOOL AND LID COVERS

$1.69 Covers priced now	99c
$1.29 Covers priced now	89c
85c Covers priced now	49c.

COTTON FLANNEL

A broken range of bleached and unbleached Cotton Flannel priced at sensational prices—

15c Values	10c Values
Now 9c	Now 6c

Every Ladies' Purse Must Go—These Prices Will Do It

Oll remaining ladies' Purses must go. Steer hids—fine calf—Pinseals—attractive fabrics. Every shape and color. Evening styles included—

$10.85 Ladies' Purses now	$5.49
$8.85 Ladies' Purses now	4.95
$7.85 Ladies' Purses now	4.39
$6.85 Ladies Purses now	3.95
$5.45 Ladies' Purses now	3.69
$4.95 Ladies' Purses now	3.29
$3.25 Ladies' Purses now	2.19
$2.95 Ladies Purses now	1.99
$1.95 Ladies' Purses now	1.49
$1.49 Ladies' Purses now	1.19

Gossard Corsets And Brassieres Reduced

Choice of our entire stock of ladies' foundation garments—corsets, corselettes and brassieres are offered at these reductions—

$20.00 Gossard Garments	$14.40
$18.50 Gossard Garments	13.20
$16.50 Gossard Garments	12.20
$15.00 Gossard Garments	10.35
$12.50 Gossard Garments	8.29
$10.00 Gossard Garments	6.35
$8.00 Gossard Garments	5.45
$7.50 Gossard Garments	4.95
$6.50 Gossard Garments	4.29
$5.00 Gossard Garments	3.85
$4.50 Gossard Garments	3.65
$3.75 Gossard Garments	2.35
$3.50 Gossard Garments	2.19
$2.50 Gossard Garments	1.89
$2.00 Gossard Garments	1.39
$1.75 Gossard Garments	1.29
$1.50 Gossard Garments	1.19
$1.25 Gossard Garments	95c
$1.00 Gossard Garments	79c
89c Gossard Garments	69c
75c Gossard Garments	49c
50c Gossard Garments	36c
25c Gossard Garments	18c

Bath Robes And Silk Pajamas

Silk and flannel Bath Robes—unusual lounging pajamas—silk negligees—all are to be chosen now at marked savings—

$29.85 Pajamas and Robes	$17.70
$18.50 Pajamas and Robes	13.30
$17.50 Pajamas and Robes	11.10
$14.85 Pajamas and Robes	10.20
$11.85 Pajamas and Robes	8.19
$10.85 Pajamas and Robes	7.68
$9.85 Pajamas and Robes	6.69
$6.85 Pajamas and Robes	5.35
$6.45 Pajamas and Robes	4.95

House Dresses

All house dresses—fast colored materials in Nelly Don make—smocks also included—Clearance reductions apply—

$5.85 House Dresses and Smocks	$4.69
$3.95 House Dresses and Smocks	2.89
$2.95 House Dresses and Smocks	2.19
$1.95 House Dresses and Smocks	1.59
$1.25 House Dresses and Smocks	95c



Ladies And Childrens Hats

All ladies and childrens hats are now grouped into three lots for the final Clearance—All colors—all shapes—all types.

$7.45 Hats	$3.85
$3.50 to $5.45 Hats	$1.99
$1.85 to $2.49 Hats	$1.00

Tams And Berets

Berets—Beaucle, French Felts—and novelty weaves—

$2.25 Berets now	$1.79
$1.95 Berets now	1.39
$1.75 Berets now	1.29
$1.00 Berets now	89c

Evening Coats

Ladies' velvet and taffeta short Evening Coats—very smart—all colors—

$29.85 Evening Coats	$16.66
$18.50 Evening Coats	12.26
$ 6.45 Evening Coats	3.85

Childrens Coats

Children's Coats in both dress and sport type—good sturdy all wool garments with fur trimmings and beautifully styled. Here are real savings—

$18.50 to $19.85 Coats	$9.90
$8.45 to $19.85 Coats	5.70
$5.85 to $6.85 Coats	3.90
Coats, values to $6.85	2.20

LADIES COATS AND DRESSES GROUPED IN CONVENIENT LOTS FOR QUICK CLEARANCE

Every garment now on our racks will move into the hands of some thrifty shopper if prices and style are any inducement. Every garment offered here is of fresh, new style—Discounts speak for themselves—choose them now and enjoy them for the remaining months of winter as well as for spring—



FINE FUR TRIMMED DRESS COATS — SMART SPORT COAT — ALL NOW AT MOST ATTRACTIVE SAVINGS

Fine real Furs—rich imported fabrics—wonderful tailoring and styles. These coats have every feature to make them desirable even at regular prices. Now look at the savings—

$119.85 to $149.85 Ladies Coats	$79.90
79.50 to 97.50 Ladies Coats	$59.90
49.85 to 64.85 Ladies Coats	$34.40
34.85 to 44.85 Ladies Coats	$25.50
24.85 to 29.85 Ladies Coats	$17.70
18.50 to 19.85 Ladies Coats	$ 9.90
One Group — Values to $14.85	$ 5.50

FUR COATS

Natural Muskrats—Silver Muskrats—Sealine and American Broadtail fine new coats sacrificed for Clearance—

$194.85 Fur Coats, Now Only	$125.00
$ 94.85 to $129.50 Fur Coats	69.90
$ 69.50 Fur Coats, Priced	47.70

LADIES DRESSES OF ALL TYPES ARE AT THE MOST ATTRACTIVE PRICES

At Clearance time most remarkable "buys" are possible in these dress offerings. All are new desirable styles and colors—sizes are well assorted—discounts are most liberal—Street Styles—Afternoon Styles—Sport Styles—Evening Dresses—all are included—

Ladies $34.85 to $49.85 Dresses Are	$26.60
Ladies 24.50 to $29.85 Dresses Are	16.60
Ladies 14.85 to 18.50 Dresses Are	9.90
Ladies 9.85 to 10.85 Dresses Are	5.95
One Lot Ladies $5.95 Dresses	3.19

LADIES EVENING DRESSES

Every Evening Dress on our rack is decidedly new attractive and desirable—Taffetas, Satins, Chiffons and Velvets—all are now offered at these reductions—

Ladies $49.85 to $98.85 Evening Dresses	$32.50
Ladies 24.50 to 29.85 Evening Dresses	17.70
Ledies 14.85 to 18.50 Evening Dresses	12.20
One Group $9.85 Evening Dresses	$ 5.95

Ladies Fine Underwear At Great Big Savings

Nowhere in the entire sale are values so marked as in these reductions on fine Underwear. Standard, well known brands make up the entire assortment—fresh, new assortments make up the showings—decidedly attractive savings are the rule—



All Sale Prices Are Cash! No Exchanges Approvals Or Returns!

CREPE DE CHINE UNDERGARMENTS OF FINE QUALITY

Gowns, Panties, Dance Sets—Slips, Chemese—all Crepe de Chine and satin underwear goes into the Clearance at these reductions—

$22.45 Crepe de Chine Undies	$14.60
$19.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$12.20
$17.45 Crepe de Chine Undies	$11.35
$14.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$10.10
$13.45 Crepe de Chine Undies	$9.90
$11.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$7.90
$10.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$6.90
$9.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$6.19
$8.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$5.69
$7.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$5.15
$6.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$4.65
$5.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$3.90
$5.45 Crepe de Chine Undies	$3.79
$4.85 Crepe de Chine Undies	$3.49
$3.95 Crepe de Chine Undies	$3.15
$3.50 Crepe de Chine Undies	$2.79
$2.95 Crepe de Chine Undies	$2.29
$2.45 Crepe de Chine Undies	$1.89
$2.50 Crepe de Chine Undies	$1.89
$1.95 Crepe de Chine Undies	$1.59
$1.59 Crepe de Chine Undies	$1.29

One group of Crepe de Chine teds in flesh and pink—Broken sizes—Regular $4.85 to $5.45 values—Priced Special $2.69

One lot heavy weight ladies Munsing Knit Unions—Values from $1.50 to $1.95 — Priced now 79c

Ladies light weight knit unions—Open knee—Sheer weight—All sizes—Regular 49c value 29c

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MUNSING RAYON UNDERWEAR

All Munsing Rayon Underwear—in ladies' and children's sizes—Bloomers, Vests—Combinations, Pajamas, etc.—discounts listed are material—

$5.00 Munsing Rayon Garments	$3.79
$3.95 Munsing Rayon Garments	$2.95
$3.00 Munsing Rayon Garments	$2.19
$2.95 Munsing Rayon Garments	$2.19
$2.50 Munsing Rayon Garments	$1.89
$1.95 Munsing Rayon Garments	$1.49
$1.98 Munsing Rayon Gaments	$1.49
$1.69 Munsing Rayon Garments	$1.39
$1.50 Munsing Rayon Garments	$1.15
$1.25 Munsing Rayon Garments	95c
$1.00 Munsing Rayon Garments	74c
89c Munsing Rayon Garments	69c
75c Munsing Rayon Garments	59c
69c Munsing Rayon Garments	49c

MUNSING KNIT GARMENTS FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN

Munsing Knit Unions in varied weights and styles are listed here—

$2.00 Munsing Knit Unions	$1.49
$1.95 Munsing Knit Unions	$1.49
$1.79 Munsing Knit Unions	$1.39
$1.50 Munsing Knit Unions	$1.15
$1.39 Munsing Knit Unions	$1.05

Ladies Suits

Fine wool materials in both fur trimmed and tailored styles—ideal for spring wear also—

$97.45 Ladies' Suits	$64.40
$69.85 Ladies' Suits	46.60
$64.85 Ladies' Suits	39.90
$39.85 Ladies' Suits	27.70
$34.85 Ladies' Suits	22.20

Knit Suits

Snyder Bros., well known high grade knit suits—in fit and style garments that are unusual—colorings ideal for spring also—

$34.85 Knit Suits	$26.60
29.85 Knit Suits	18.80
18.50 Knit Suits	13.30
14.85 Knit Suits	10.10

Sweaters

Novelty styles in slip over sweaters for ladies and misses

$4.95 Sweaters	$3.19
$2.95 Sweaters	$1.99
$2.25 Sweaters	$1.59
$1.95 Sweaters	$1.39
$1.39 Sweaters	.96
$1.00 Sweaters	.74

LADIES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES — CHOICE OF OUR ENTIRE STOCK NOW AT SAVINGS

This store is well known for high grade correct footwear—for quality shoes that give comfortable service—for shoes that really fit. It's these worth while shoes that are now priced here so greatly discounted—

GROUP "A"

Our finest women's $10.00 and $12.50 Pumps straps and ties—high grade blacks and browns in new styles and in good size assortments—both dress type and low heel styles—now.. $6.85

GROUP "B"

Women's dress and street slippers in regular $7.50 and $8.50 values—Pumps straps and ties in well known makes and excellent styles—the biggest grouping of the event—choice $5.85

GROUP "C"

Suede leathers in both dress heel and walking styles—Blacks, Browns and colors—beautiful shoes in regular $7.50, $10.00 and $12.50 values—a wonderful opportunity—now.. $4.85

GROUP "D"

Women's dress slippers and walking styles—shoes that represent regular $7.50 to $12.50 values—light kids, browns and novelty styles—most all sizes—choice now only $2.85

J. & K. dress styles and "Walkers"—wonderfully fine well known high grade shoes that give wonderful comfort—$12.50 values now $9.85

Foot Friend Ladies Shoes—styles that are attractive in appearing yet comfortable—both high heel and low heels—$8.50 to $10. values $6.85



CHILDRENS SHOES

All misses and childrens slippers can be chosen now at these savings.

$6.00 Childrens Shoes	$3.75
$4.75 Childrens Shoes	$2.95
$4.50 Childrens Shoes	$2.95
$4.00 Childrens Shoes	$2.95
$3.75 Childrens Shoes	$2.95
$3.50 Childrens Shoes	$2.65
$3.00 Childrens Shoes	$2.25
$2.50 Childrens Shoes	$1.85
$1.75 Childrens Shoes	$1.25
$1.50 Childrens Shoes	$1.19
$1.25 Childrens Shoes	.95

One group Misses brown and Black Kid and Black Suede styles in regular $4.50 values now $2.49

Enna Jettick

Every Enna Jettick Style in our stock is also offered at reductions—

$6.00 Enna Jettick Shoes	$3.85
$5.00 Enna Jettick Shoes	$3.35

Hemphill-Wells Co.

MEN'S FINE CLOTHING AND FURNISHING-- A REAL WORTH WHILE

January CLEARANCE

MATERIAL SAVINGS ON STANDARD WELL KNOWN MAKES THAT CAN BE BOUGHT IN CONFIDENCE



High quality is the first consideration with most men just as it is also the first requirement we place on merchandise that comes into this fine store. High grade standard well known brands make up our assortments at all times. There is a decided appeal to such merchandise at Clearance time for there is an added measure of value above and beyond mere "price appeal". Its this high grade merchandise that we quote here—item after item that has a real worth that will measure up to the regular comparative price quoted. At the material discounts listed your savings are real. That's why more men every year take advantage of these short bargain days in January and July—why you hear so many boasting comments for months afterwards about the "good buys" they made. Your share of these opportunities are here, too. You'll be glad later you took advantage of them.

Fine Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits, Regularly Priced at the "Prices of Fifteen Years Ago" Now Still Further Reduced

Suits in cut and make as fine as fine tailors can make them—rich all wool materials in desirable colorings—models and sizes that fit perfectly—suits you will wear with a proud air and at a decided saving.

All Mens $25.00 Suits Now.....$17.75
All Men's $30.00 Suits Now.....$19.95
All Men's $35.00 Suits Now.....$24.35
All Men's $42.50 Suits Now.....$29.35
All Men's $65.00 Suits Now.....$44.95

At these prices we are forced to make a slight charge for alterations where they may be necessary.
All the above quotations are for suits with one pair of trousers—Extra trousers are available in most all cases—For January Clerance these trousers are priced ONE FOURTH OFF.

MEN'S OVERCOAT REDUCTIONS

Fine Hart Schaffner & Marx Camel Hair—Heavy wool worsteds—famous knitted fabrics—Fine Cheviots as well as black and white mixed tweeds—every overcoat in our entire stock is included somewhere in these listings.

All Men's $18.50 Overcoats Now.....$14.45
All Men's $25.00 Overcoats Now.....$18.65
All Men's $29.50 Overcoats Now.....$19.90
All Men's $35.00 Overcoats Now.....$25.95

Men's Suits Only $16.50 (With Two Trousers)

Here is a group of all wool suits in regular $25.00, $27.50 to $35.00 values — Hart, Schaffner & Marx and Varsity Town make—good patterns and styles—all with extra trousers—an Extra Special when priced—choice **$16.50**

Hart Schaffner & Marx Prep Suits At Final Reductions

Ideal suits for young men from 16 to 20 years of age—Smart models and good colorings.

$18.50 Prep Suits, now $12.45
$25.00 Prep Suits, now $18.45
$30.00 Prep Suits, now $22.45

Boys' Suits and Overcoats in Sturdy All Wool Construction and at Prices Lower than Quoted in Years



Two Pant Suits for boys—in styles and colorings boys like—of good all wool materials that give long wear and stand the hard knocks boys give clothes—Smaller sizes with two pair knickers—medium sizes with one long and one knicker—larger sizes with two longies—

All Boys' $7.50 Suits Now..... $4.95
All Boys' $9.95 Suits Now..... $6.45
All Boys' $10.45 Suits Now..... $6.75
All Boys' $12.50 Suits Now..... $8.98
All Boys' $15.00 Suits Now.....$11.45
All Boys' $15.50 Suits Now.....$11.98
All Boys' $18.50 Suits Now.....$13.75

Boys' Kaynee Knitted Suits

Kaynee Knitted Suits in unusual color combinations—all are reduced—

$1.35 Knitted Wool Suits ..... $ .98
$1.50 Knitted Wool Suits ..... $ .75
$1.95 Knitted Wool Suits ..... $ .98
$2.95 Knitted Wool Suits $1.48
$3.95 Knitted Wool Suits $1.98
$4.95 Knitted Wool Suits $2.48

BOYS OVERCOATS

Boys $5.85 Overcoats, now $3.98
Boys $8.85 Overcoats, now $5.95
Boys $9.85 Overcoats, now $6.45

Little boys leather coats in sizes 6 to 10, regular $7.50 values—choose them now—only **$3.95**

Boys' Pants in Knicker and Long

A fine assortment of boys pants in Wool Covert and khaki materials priced now reduced for Clearance.

$1.50 Boys Pants, priced $1.15
$1.95 Boys Pants, priced $1.48
$2.50 Boys Pants, priced $1.89
$2.95 Boys Pants, priced $1.98
$3.50 Boys Pants, priced $2.65
$3.95 Boys Pants, Priced $2.95
$5.00 Boys Pants, priced $3.48

MEN'S WOOL KNICKERS

$6.00 Men's Wool Knickers $4.75
$5.00 Men's Wool Knickers $3.75
$3.95 Men's Wool Knickers $2.98

Mens Hats At Clearance Reductions

Felt hats in Knox Varsity Towns Borsoline and others—new shapes and high qualities—all in the Clearance at real discounts—

Men's $10.00 Hats now $7.50
Men's $ 7.50 Hats, now $5.65
Men's $ 5.00 Hats, now $3.85
Men's $ 3.95 Hats, now $2.98
Men's $ 2.95 Hats, now $1.98

Staple Shapes

A special group of men's staple shaped hats in Buckskin and Black—Reductions on Shapes that are seldom priced less than regular—

$10.00 Staple Shaped Hats $6.45
$ 8.00 Staple Shaped Hats $4.95
$ 3.50 Staple Shaped Hats $2.48

Little Gents and Boys' Hats

Choose any of our Little Gents or Boys hats and caps from these Clearance reductions.

$1.95 Boys Hats and Caps $1.25
$1.50 Boys Hats and Caps ..... .98
$1.25 Boys Hats and Caps ..... .89
$1.00 Boys Hats and Caps ..... .69
.75 Boys Hats and Caps ..... .48

Leather Jackets

Men's $8.50 Suede cloth jackets—ideal for out door men—priced now **$1.85**

Men's $6.00 Corduroy Jackets of heavy weight—priced special only **$4.25**

$12.50 Suede Leather Jackets ..... $ 9.95
$16.50 Suede Leather Jackets $12.45
$18.50 Suede Leather Jackets $14.75

Ties

$3.50 Men's Silk Ties, priced $2.45
$2.50 Men's Silk Ties, priced $1.89
$2.00 Men's Silk Ties, priced $1.45
$1.50 Men's Silk Ties, priced $1.15
$1.00 Men's Silk Ties, priced ..... .74

Men's Socks Priced As Never Before

Munsing Holeproof Modern and Esquire hose in both solid and fancy patterns—wonderful savings—

$1.50 Mens Hose $1.15
$1.00 Men's Hose ..... .74
.75 Men's Hose ..... .57
.50 Men's Hose ..... .38
.25 Men's Hose ..... .18
.15 Men's Hose ..... .11

A special assortment of men's 50c fancy hose in all colors and sizes—priced **32c**

A group of men's fancy hose in desirable colors and regular 35c values—priced **23c**

BOOT SOCKS AND GOLF SOCKS

Heavy socks for outing wear—also at savings—

$1.50 Golf Socks now $1.15
$1.00 Golf Socks now ..... .74
.75 Golf Socks now ..... .57
.50 Golf Socks now ..... .38



Savings On Fine Shirts

Manhattan and Broadway Dress shirts in a wide assortment of solid and fancy patterns—choice of our entire stocks at these prices—

$3.50 Shirts reduced to $2.65
$2.50 Shirts reduced to $1.89
$1.95 Shirts reduced to $1.48
$1.65 Shirts reduced to $1.25

Special lot men's guaranteed fast colored shirts in solid and fancy patterns—special **79c**

MEN'S WHITE SHIRTS

Both collar attached and neckband shirts in fine white qualities—Manhattan and Broadway make—

$3.00 Men's White Shirts $2.35
$2.50 Men's White Shirts $1.98
$1.95 Men's White Shirts $1.55
$1.65 Men's White Shirts $1.35

BOYS SHIRTS AND BLOUSES IN THE JANUARY CLEARANCE

All Blouses and shirts for boys—3 to 8 range—6 to 12 range—12 to 14 range—are listed here—

$1.95 Boys Shirts and Blouses $1.48
$1.50 Boys Shirts and Blouses $1.15
$1.25 Boys Shirts and Blouses .98
$1.00 Boys Shirts and Blouses .74
.75 Boys Shirts and Blouses .57

UNDERWEAR, PAJAMAS, GLOVES AND OTHER FURNISHINGS NEEDS AT REAL CLEARANCE REDUCTIONS—

MUNSING KNIT UNDERWEAR

Both light weight and winter weight Munsing Knit Unions.

$5.00 Munsing Knit Unions $3.98
$3.95 Munsing Knit Unions $3.15
$2.50 Munsing Knit Unions $1.98
$2.25 Munsing Knit Unions $1.79
$1.95 Munsing Knit Unions $1.55
$1.50 Munsing Knit Unions $1.29
$1.35 Munsing Knit Unions $1.10

MUNSING ATHLETIC UNIONS

Nainsook Broadcloth and light weight Rayon Unions at these savings—

$1.95 Munsing Summer Unions $1.55
$1.50 Munsing Summer Unions $1.19
$1.25 Munsing Summer Unions ..... .98
$1.00 Munsing Summer Unions ..... .79

Men's broadcloth athletic unions in regular 75c values—a special assortment — priced only **48c**

RAYON TRUNKS AND SHIRTS

Popular two piece underwear for men—varied colors and styles—in all sizes—

$1.00 Rayon Undergarments 74c
75c Rayon Undergarments 57c
50c Rayon Undergarments 38c

Men's run-resist rayon shirts and trunks in white and colors—yoke front—elastic back—50c values—choice now per garment **29c**

Matched sets in rayon shirts and shorts—attractive colorings—regular values $1.35 per suit—priced now only **89c**

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS

$2.50 Night Shirts now .. $1.25
$1.35 Night Shirts now .. .98
$1.00 Night Shirts now .. .79

GLOVER AND MANHATTAN PAJAMAS

All styles in Broadcloth, Madras and Nainsook Pajamas are included in these offerings—

$8.50 Pajamas priced now $6.35
$7.50 Pajamas priced now...$6.35
$5.00 Pajamas priced now..$3.75
$3.50 Pajamas priced now $2.65
$3.00 Pajamas priced now $2.25
$2.50 Pajamas priced now $1.89
$1.95 Pajamas priced now $1.48

MEN'S FLANNEL PAJAMAS

$1.65 Flannel Pajamas $1.25
$1.25 Flannel Pajamas .... .98

BOYS PAJAMAS

Boys' Fast Colored Pajamas in sizes from 6 to 18.

$1.95 Boys Pajamas now $1.48
$1.50 Boys Pajamas now $1.15
$1.25 Boys Pajamas now .98

HANSEN DRESS GLOVES

Well known high grade gloves in brown, tan and light dress shades—here are savings

$5.00 Dress Gloves for $3.75
$3.85 Dress Gloves for $2.98
$3.50 Dress Gloves for $2.65
$2.50 Dress Gloves for $1.89
$1.50 Dress Gloves for $1.15
$1.00 Dress Gloves for .... .74

FLEECE LINED WARM GLOVES FOR DRIVING

Lined gloves in varied colors—Hansen make—Even greater reductions—

$6.00 Hansen Lined Gloves $3.98
$5.00 Hansen Lined Gloves $3.85
$3.50 Hansen Lined Gloves $2.35
$2.50 Hansen Lined Gloves $1.65
$1.95 Hansen Lined Gloves $1.29
$1.50 Hansen Lined Gloves .98



LEATHER WORK GLOVES—ALL LEATHER AND CANVASS NUMBERS LISTED

$2.95 Leather Work Gloves $2.35
$2.50 Leather Work Gloves $1.98
$1.95 Leather Work Gloves $1.49
$1.50 Leather Work Gloves $1.19
.75 Canvass Gloves now .59
.39 Canvass Gloves now .29
.25 Canvass Gloves now .18
.15 Canvass Gloves now .11
.10 Canvass Gloves now .08

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

$1.95 Khaki Heavy Shirts .. $1.48
.95 Covert Work Shirts .... .78
.75 Chambray Work Shirts .. .59
.65 Chambray Work Shirts .. .48
.45 Chambray Work Shirts .. .37

MEN'S WORK PANTS

$3.00 Heavy Work Pants $1.79
$2.00 Heavy Work Pants $1.79
$1.75 Heavy Work Pants $1.48
$1.50 Heavy Work Pants $1.23

MEN'S LACE LEG BREECHES

$10.00 Serge Riding Breeches $7.95
$ 5.00 Riding Breeches $2.95
$ 2.50 Riding Breeches $2.79
$ 1.75 Riding Breeches ..... .98

YOUNG MEN'S CORDUROY TROUSERS

Wide leg trousers with high waist bands—in all colors—

$4.95 Corduroy Trousers $3.95
$4.45 Corduroy Trousers $3.58
$3.95 Corduroy Trousers $2.98
$2.85 Corduroy Trousers $2.25

BOYS CORDUROY PANTS

Boys $3.95 Corduroy Pants now $2.98
Boys $1.95 Corduroy Pants now $1.58

Work Clothing, Riding Breeches and Miscellaneous

OVERALLS AT VERY LOW PRICES FOR CLEARANCE

$1.00 Painters Overalls ..... .79
$1.25 Blue Denim Overalls .. .98
$1.25 Express Stripe Overalls .98
$1.50 Carpenters Overalls $1.19
$1.75 Extra Size Overalls $1.39

Luggage, Handkerchiefs, Sweaters, Etc., Real Prices

Men's Gladstones, Ladies Hat Boxes, week end cases—Fitted cases—all our finest luggage—

$32.50 Luggage, now only $24.96
$27.50 Luggage, now only $22.95
$24.85 Luggage, now only $19.85
$22.50 Luggage, now only $16.95
$18.50 Luggage, now only $14.75
$14.85 Luggage, now only $11.85
$12.50 Luggage, now only $ 9.95
$ 9.85 Luggage, now only $ 7.85
$ 8.50 Luggage, now only $ 6.75
$ 6.50 Luggage, now only $ 4.98
$ 6.00 Lugage, now only $ 4.75

AUTO LUGGAGE—CASES HAND TRUNKS, ETC.

$6.95 Auto Luggage, priced $7.15
$5.95 Auto Luggage, priced $4.85
$4.95 Auto Luggage, priced $3.95
$3.95 Auto Luggage, priced $3.15
$2.95 Auto Luggage, priced $2.35
.98 Auto Luggage, priced .79

HANDKERCHIEFS

5c Men's Handkerchiefs, 3c
10c Men's Handkerchiefs 8c
15c Men's Handkerchiefs 11c
25c Men's Handkerchiefs 18c
35c Men's Handkerchiefs 27c
50c Men's Handkerchiefs 38c
75c Boxed Hand'chfs, box 57c
$1.00 Boxed Hand'chfs, box 74c
$1.50 Boxed Hand'chfs, box $1.15

MEN'S SWEATERS

$8.50 Men's Sweaters, now only $6.35
$6.50 Men's Sweaters, now only $4.85
$6.00 Men's Sweaters, now only $4.49
$5.00 Men's Sweaters, now only $3.75
$3.95 Men's Sweaters, now only $2.95
$3.45 Men's Sweaters, now only $2.65
$2.95 Men's Sweaters, now only $2.15
$2.45 Men's Sweaters, now only $1.89

BOYS SWEATERS

$1.95 Boys Sweaters, now $1.45
$2.95 Boys Sweaters, now $1.98
$1.69 Boys Sweaters, now $1.25

Men's and Boys' Shoes—Liberal Savings Now

Men's fine Edwin Clapp, Nunn Bush and Friendly Five shoes and oxfords—Choice of every style in our entire stock at some one of these discounts. It is very seldom that you have this opportunity—Seize it—

Edwin Clapp Shoes

Choice of our entire stock of fine high grade Edwin Clapp Shoes and Oxfords—black and brown kid leathers — regular $15.50 and $16.50 values only **$10.85**

NUNN BUSH OXFORDS

Men's $10.00 Nunn Bush shoes and oxfords reduced to **$6.85**

All $7.50 Nunn Bush shoes and oxfords now reduced to **$5.85**

Friendly Five Oxfords

Friendly Five shoes and oxfords—unusual values regular at $5.00—all leathers and shapes—now **$3.85**

One group odds and ends in men's black and tan shoes, oxfords etc. Regular values from $5.00 to $7.50—special now only **$2.85**

Boys Shoes For Clearance

All boys' shoes also go now at severe reductions—Black and Tan leathers—good weights and styles—
$5.00 Boys Shoes, now priced $3.85
$4.00 Boys Shoes, now priced $3.35
$3.50 Boys Shoes, now priced $2.85
One group boys shoes in black and brown leathers—sizes to 5½—values to $5.00—priced now **$2.35**

Boots and Bootees

Men's filed and dress boots in black and brown leathers—$18.50 values—priced now **$13.85**

Men's $10.00 lace bootees—good all-leather styles and fair size assortment—priced **$6.85**

All men's $7.50 boots are reduced to only **$5.85**

All womens $17.50 dress boots—Black only **$12.85**

Womens $7.50 and $10.00 lace boots, brown and tan—now **$5.85**

All Sale Prices

Strictly Cash

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

To the people on the South Plains of Texas, the firms on this page extend a happy, prosperous and most joyful New Year . . . May your every endeavor be filled with every measure of success.

Keep The Old Inside ! !



Let The New Year Come Out ! !

The old man is in the dark! The door to life is closed upon him. And as it closes from under his brown beard comes a joyous and vigorous youth. Eggs, hatchets and brick bats are no longer thrown at the infant, for on his face is a smile, on his arm a bag of gold—shoulder to shoulder the people of Lubbock and the South Plains can make of this infant a strong and vigorous man — Let's cooperate in making 1932 a better year for all.



With All Our Heart

With the new year, comes new energy and new optimism. May this spirit carry on throughout the whole of 1932 to the end that peace, prosperity and happiness will return to stay for many years to come.

Happiness To You All

Lubbock National Bank



What Has 1932 Up His Sleeve?

Many surprises for us all, no doubt, and we're willing to bet they're mostly pleasant ones! May he hold in store perfectly grand things for every one of you!

Piggly Wiggly Stores



Whoopee!

That's the spirit of the New Year. No, we're not downhearted—the harder the task, the greater our energy. Work to win—that's the spirit of 1932! Whoopee—let's go!

Draughon's College

Texas & 13th Phone 335



It's Here . . . 1932!

Happy New Year! Happy New Year! Shout it to the skies—ring the bells—blow the whistles! A message of hope and better times to come. Three cheers for 1932!

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As it yields place to new, we approach our task with added vigor and stronger convictions of success. The old is already a memory, but may it serve as a guidepost of the new, pointing the way to a permanent era of prosperity.

RED & WHITE



He's Blowing His Own Horn

Why wouldn't he? His name is Happy New Year, alias 1932! Just landed a few hours ago, and don't think we're not glad to see him! Great little guy, he is, and we hope he'll blow all sorts of luck in your direction!

Keep Happy

Hotel Lubbock



We Don't Mean to Hit Too Hard

but we haven't much use for this old codger, 1931. The sooner he's forgotten the better. But we are interested in the little fellow there—that's 1932, and we have a lot of confidence in the lad. We hope his reign will mark a return of happier days for you all.

M-System Stores



Sail in 1932

It's the good ship, Prosperity—slowly, but surely she is sailing into port! Let us all speed her safe return, with a glad greeting of "Happy New Year!"

First National Bank



A Greeting

Happy New Year, and, at the same time, Thank you! Your loyal patronage during this last trying year has been an inspiration. May we justify your faith in us by giving you the very best of good service for many years to come.

W. O. Sheely

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Main Street



Wipe Off Old Scores

1931 has passed into oblivion—in its place stands 1932, radiant with hope and happiness! Don't groan over the past—blot it out! Bless the promise of the future, and join in the spirit of a Happy New Year!

Lubbock Transfer & Storage



Well, Doc?

"A real bouncing boy, this 1932—full of life and energy, bound to do big things. But I'd recommend a good tonic to get him started on the right track, and the best one I know is a hearty old shout of Happy New Year!"

Lubbock Hardware & Supply Co.



Ring! Ring!

Be noisy—tell the world it's a jolly, good time. Celebrate the spirit of Happy New Year today—and every other day. Here's to Happy New Year—a reality for 1932!

Direct Mattress Co.

Phone 1148

Tulane And Southern California Primed For Rose Tilt

Westerner Cagers Meet Slaton Here Tonight; East, West Teams Are Off

Trojans Reign As Favorites; Wave Is Ready

Intricate Pass Attack Mapped Out By Greenies May Prove Disastrous To Clean Record Held By Trojans

BY BRIAN BELL

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 31. (AP)—Tulane and Southern California awaited the call tonight to football arms in the annual Tournament of Roses game tomorrow with a weather eye turned skyward.

A definite threat of rain appeared tonight and if heavy precipitation develops on the Rose Bowl turf, anything may happen in the 17th playing of the classic game.

Southern California is rightly called a "power team" but the Trojans' famed power plays require quick, accurately timed starting and some of the team's greatest victories have come as the result, direct or indirect, of intricate reverses.

May Be Air Wave

Tulane probably will pin its faith to forward passes, figuring with the golfer who said there are no traps in the air and that a lighter team can cut down a heavier one to its size with enough accurately directed passes. Wet footballs are not easily thrown and are hard to hold.

The visitors possibly can find their way about a wet field with better success than the home team. Southern California played only one game this season in the rain and mud and then barely eked out a 6 to 0 victory over the University of California. Tulane has played more times in the rain than in fair weather, with uniform success from a playing standpoint.

Rain or shine, a great crowd will assemble in the Rose Bowl to say farewell to football until next autumn. The stadium will provide seats for 85,500 and some 75,000 tickets were sold in advance. A fair day should see an S. R. O. hanging on the gate and even if it rains more than 75,000 fans should assemble for the battle.

Trojans Are Favored

Southern California will enter the game an odds on favorite 2 to 1 or 3 to 1, and with as much as two or three touchdowns spotted by the more enthusiastic alumni, regular and volunteer.

Supporters of the Trojans base their confident belief on a superior poundage boasted by Southern California and while admitting Tulane's speed, they think power will count in the long run.

In the 10 days Tulane has worked behind closed gates, the fans on the outside who came with the Greenies have told the stay at homes that Zimmerman, a running, kicking, passing back; Captain Dalrymple, all-American end, and Haynes, about as good an end as his captain, were cooking up some passing magic to run the Trojans ragged.

Tulane enters the game with a great burden of responsibility. The Greenbacks have played through their season without a defeat or tie and they have been reminded hundreds of times since they came to California that no Southern Conference team has lost a game in the Rose Bowl. Alabama has won two and tied one and Georgia Tech won one.

Southern California has an unblemished record in Rose Bowl competition with two victories, Penn State and Pittsburgh being the victims.

The game will be well worth winning for by common consent the victor will be hailed as national champion.

The probable lineup:

Tulane	Pos.	S. C
Haynes	LE	Sparling
Cunningham or De Coligny	LT	R. Brown
Seafide	LG	Baker
Lodrigues	C	Wmson (c)
McCormick	RG	L. Stevens
Upton	RT	E. Smith
Drymple, c	RE	Arbelbide
Dawson	QB	Shaver
Zimman	LH	Mallory
Glover	RH	Pinckert
Flets	FB	Musick

Officials: Herbert Dana, (Nebraska), referee; Walter Powell (Wisconsin), umpire; W. K. Dunn, (Michigan State), linesman; C. E McBride, (Missouri Valley), field judge.

Dallas And Houston Teams Meet In New Year's Battle

DALLAS, Dec. 31. (AP)—An all-star squad of Dallas high school football players left tonight for Houston, where tomorrow they will face a Houston all-star team in a charity game.

Twenty-three players were included in the group, accompanied by three coaches, Wallace Davis of Dallas Technical High school, Guy Allen of North Dallas High and Herschel Forester of Woodrow Wilson High school.

Lubbock Junior Cagers Take 28-8 Defeat At Shallowater

SHALLOWATER, Dec. 31. (Spp.) The Shallowater Junior high school cagers walloped Coach Lovic Liston's Lubbock Junior High proteges, 28 to 8, here this afternoon. The Shallowater youngsters showed the advantage of greater preparation and more practice, the Lubbock team having been only recently organized.

Wave Hears Final Words Of Advice



Coach Bernie Bierman gives his Tulane grid warriors a final grid talk as they prepare in Pasadena, Cal., for their Tournament of Roses game, today, with the University of Southern California. Probable lineup of Tulane: The line, Dalrymple, Upton, Scafide, Lodriques, McCormick, De Coligny Haynes; backfield: Dawson, Felts, Zimmerman, Glover.

Writers Select All-State High School Grid Team

Pafford Represents District One In Myth Lineup

BY BILL PARKER

DALLAS, Dec. 31.—Through the excellent co-operation of thirty-nine Texas sports editors and writers plus the individual help of Amos Melton of the Fort Worth Star Telegram who aided in the tabulation of votes and securing all-state selections, the Associated Press, for the first time, has announced an all-state Interscholastic League football selection.

The mythical aggregation for 1931 was selected on the same plan as the Associated Press all-America and Associated Press all-Southwest Conference teams. Sports editors and writers voted for each position separately with each selection counting one vote. The final tabulation gave Abilene, 1931 champion, four players. Other teams to place men on the first Associated Press-Star Telegram all-state high school team were:

Corsicana Tigers 2; Greenville Lions 2; Pampa Harvesters 1; Beaumont Royal Purple 2.

Although eighty-five Class A teams participated in the 1931 state scholastic football championship marathon, only five teams landed players on the all-state eleven.

Representative Balloting

Balloting was representative, extending from Del Rio and El Paso near the border through Amarillo, Greenville, Tyler, Houston, Texarkana, Fort Worth, Beaumont and Dallas.

Robert Wilson, brilliant Corsicana halfback, was the nearest to being an unanimous selection. He polled thirty voes out of thirty-nine.

Wyatt Is Favorite

Glynn Wyatt, Abilene field general and broken-field runner, ranked next to Wilson with twenty-eight votes.

Jay Arnold of Greenville and Francis Viverette of Beaumont secured twenty-two votes each.

Dennis of Big Spring, Gore of Oak Cliffe, Merrill of Lubbock and Lawrence of Harlingen were the only other backfield candidates who secured enough votes to make an impression. Dennis led with ten.

The torrid race was for the right guard position where John Pafford of the Pampa Harvesters inserted his 204 pounds with eight votes. Pafford nosed out Wilcox of Tyler by two votes.

Among the linemen, James Stanifer, 282 pound Beaumont warrior, polled the greatest number of votes with nineteen to gain the right tackle position.

Stanley Smith, selected at center, got his only competition from Bob Crawford of Lubbock, but Smith was far in front at the finish.

With the exception of John Pafford, each player selected competed in the semi-finals of the state race with the Abilene and Beaumont selections playing in the semi-finals and final.

Perhaps thirty-nine Texas sports editors and writers who have watched their high school football this season may be wrong, but one is not incorrect in saying that they have selected a team possessing terrific power offensively and defensively.

A team with a line averaging 182 pounds with speed and power is not to be cast aside without consideration.

Pafford with his 204 pounds and Stanifer with his 282 pounds are the "man mountains" of the front wall.

Two lightweights and a pair of heavyweights for mthe backfield. Glynn Wyatt and Robert Wilson tip the scales at 146 and 154 respectively. Francis Viverette and Jay Arnold are two hundred pounders with drive plus passing and punting ability.

The team would be capable of offering a versatile attack. Wyatt and Wilson excelled on flashy runs through the line and around end. Wilson is reliable on catching passes.

Viverette gained his scholastic fame through his ability to shatter opposing lines with his mighty off-tackle and reverse smashes. Arnold's smashing charges and his ability to throw and catch passes was a factor in Greenville going to the semi-finals.

It is a backfield capable of accomplishing most anything required to click off a touchdown. It has weight, speed and deception to toy with behind a front wall that looms impregnable.

Considering the team offensively and defensively, there is no reason for the thirty-nine sports editors and writers who selected it to reproach themselves. Even the skeptical will probably admit it is a fair to middlin' football aggregation capable enough of making any ordinary strong ball team shudder.

Although enough votes were cast to compose a second all-state team, none was tabulated, the purpose being to select if possible, the eleven outstanding players in the state for one team.

1931 All-State High School Team

Selected For Release Through The Associated Press by Thirty-Nine Texas Sports Editors And Writers

PLAYER	SCHOOL	POSITION	VOTES
Maco Stewart	Corsicana	Left End	12
James Standifer	Beaumont	Left Tackle	19
Sammy Young	Greenville	Left Guard	18
Stanley Smith	Abilene	Center	18
John Pafford	Pampa	Right Guard	8
Wilson Groseclose	Abilene	Right Tackle	18
Ralph Balfanz	Abilene	Right End	12
Glynn Wyatt	Abilene	Quarterback	28
Robert Wilson	Corsicana	Left Halfback	30
Francis Viverette	Beaumont	Right Halfback	22
Jay Arnold	Greenville	Fullback	22

Lubbock Fire Department Takes Role Of Host In Annual Affair Thursday

Members of Lubbock's fire department Thursday night were hosts at the tenth annual New Year's eve banquet at the city hall. City officials and other local residents were guests.

Then banquets were started in 1922 and have been held each New Year's eve night since that time. Fire Chief W. E. Twitty and Mark Long are only members of the paid fire department roll to attend all the parties. Next to Chief Twitty, J. B. Hood is oldest member of the paid force.

The fire boys cleared their living quarters to spread a long table. Stew, sandwiches, coffee, cake and pie were served. The party continued until the arrival of the new year.

Guests included: Mayor J. J. Clements, Commissioners J. F. Bacon and John E. Roach, City Manager W. H. Rodgers, Mayor A. G. Gillespie of Lometa, Alec McDonald, Morgan Dickinson, Spencer Wells, A. M. Hill, H. D. Woods, B. Sherrod, Oscar Phillips, W. C. Bryan and Roche Newton. Fire department members: C. C. Casey, Guy Casey, Floyd Martin, T. S. Crawford, Roy Spence, Scott Hollingsworth, M. J. Scott, W. A. Hood, Alford Parrick, Everett Price, J. B. Hood, Mark Long, and Lloyd Bentley. Glenn Smith, a fireman, was unable to attend because of illness in his family.

"Little Rabbit" Weller Is Named Cage Coach At Haskell

LAWRENCE, Kas., Dec. 31. (AP)—Louis Weller, widely known as "Little Rabbit," today was named basket ball coach at Haskell Indian school here. Weller played four years of football and three of basketball at the Indian school. He will complete school in January. Weller is a member of the Caddo tribe. His home is Anadarko, Okla.

Texas League Club Owners To Meet In Special Session

DALLAS, Dec. 31. (AP) — Milton Price, secretary of the Texas Baseball League, said today Texas League club owners would meet here Sunday in a special called session to discuss the advisability of repealing their individual salary limit rule, adopted last October.

Price issued a call for the meeting upon orders telegraphed by J. Alvin Gardner of Wichita Falls, league president.

The individual player salary limit has been disapproved by Kenesaw Mountain Land's, "high commissioner" of baseball, who has refused to approve several deals involving the transfer of players from major leagues to the Texas loop.

No other business of importance was expected to come before the Sunday meeting, since the annual regular session will be held in Houston later next month.

Fred Spikes Is Seeking Office Of Tax Assessor

Candidacy of Fred Spikes, a Lubbock resident 20 years, for county tax assessor was announced yesterday. He has been engaged in the real estate business here 14 years and previously six years in the mercantile business.

Mr. Spikes said: "Any consideration and support the public gives me in this undertaking, the first of its kind for me, will be greatly appreciated, and if elected, my best efforts to fulfill and discharge the duties of the office certainly will be rendered in return."

Fireworks Party Staged Thursday

While several hundred children chatted happily, a 40-minute fireworks display was shot at Fair Park Thursday night in a free New Year's eve party sponsored by officials of the Panhandle-South Plains Fair association.

Between 200 and 300 pieces of fireworks were set off. The display included set pieces, wheels, rockets, Roman candles, flares and other pieces. A. B. Davis, manager of the fair, was in charge.

Boy Scouts aided in handling the crowd and no one was injured. A large number of the people present remained in automobiles parked south of the field. The fireworks were sent fair officials by companies selling the wares for their personal use at Christmas.

Seven three-year stars of the Arkansas football team were awarded blankets by the "Rooting Rubes," a pep organization.

Teams To Play Tonight 7:30 On New Court

Westerners Open Home Season Against Strong Team From Slaton; New Gymnasium Is Open To Public First Time

Lubbock's new high school gymnasium will open its doors to the public for the first time this evening when the Lubbock Westerners open their 1932 season in a game with Paul Wright's Slaton High school Tigers. The tip-off is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock sharp.

Due to the fact that neither team has received a sufficient test so far this winter, the brand of basketball to be played tonight can be only a matter of conjecture, but judging from the way in which the Westerners have gone about their workouts during the past several days it is safe to suggest that a fair to middlin' ball game may be on tap. Slaton can always be counted to furnish plenty of basketball opposition. The game is taken seriously by Slaton fans and players and Coach Wright has on frequent occasions showed his ability to present a formidable array of talent, well drilled and orderly.

Coach Swede McMurry of the Westerners might have picked less tough competition for a game in which to test out his youngsters. He has a team of veterans to begin with and a long line of untried reserve material which in time may make the going rocky for the returning veterans.

Those returning from last year's squad and from which the starting lineup probably will be chosen are Jack Quinlan, Gene Brown, Hollis Payne, "Possum" Blackwell, Chester McCarty and Curly Wilkinson. Warren Kerr, Robert Hale, Robert Stone, Joe Love, Otho Doyle and Joe Lewis are youngsters who may get into the lineup.

Coach Wright's attack will center around the capable Demp Cannon, with Rucker, Johnson, Alford and Foutz as probable helpers. Coach Wright has an almost veteran team and the boys have been playing football during the fall.

'General Disarmament' Is Urged By Speaker At Last Session Of Coaches Meet

BY GAYLE TALBOT
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (AP) — Dr. Thomas Gates, president of the University of Pennsylvania and a busy man, hurried up from Philadelphia long enough today to give the members of the National Collegiate Athletic association something to think about on their way home.

As head of one of the first major institution to go completely "amateur" in athletics, Dr. Gates declared the experiment has proved an unqualified success and asserted the time had come for "general disarmament" among colleges and universities.

Under Faculty Supervision

His address was received with apparent enthusiasm by his listeners many of whom predicted the "Gates plan" would be widely adopted. It is the most radical departure from the accepted system of athletic control yet attempted, entailing complete faculty supervision of sports, with coaches installed and paid on the same basis as other members of the faculty.

The plan, less than a year in operation, has revolutionized football and all other sports at his school, Dr. Gates said.

"The spirit of the students and their interest not only in our teams but in the less highly organized forms of sport reached a high point this year than we have ever previously known at Pennsylvania. We had this year a wider participation in sport among the whole student body than ever before.

"In arranging our schedules for the future, we are going to attempt to forget gate receipts. We shall place no team on our schedule because of the gate involved. We plan to cut our training season down to a minimum and even to abolish the training table.

"It is clear to me the time has come for general disarmament among colleges and universities."

The association re-elected its entire list of officers.

The association will hold two meetings in 1932, the first at Los Angeles, July 29 and 30, the second at New York December 29 and 30. The annual N. C. A. A. track meet will be held at Chicago June 10 and 11.

Matadors Win In Opening Session

The Texas Tech Matadors won their initial game of the basketball season Thursday night here when they defeated the Ralls All-Stars 36 to 27. Every member of Coach Morgan's team saw action.

The Matadors go to Ralls tonight for a return engagement.

Starting the game for the bullfighters were Hodges and Crews, forwards; Fisher, center; Dunn and Tadlock, guards. High scorers for the Tech ringers were Hodges, Crews and Moody, a substitute player.

The Matadors, although not showing any exceptional playing, gave promises of a strong squad for the season, observers said.

Texas Golfers Show Stuff In Early Trials At Agua Caliente

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31. (AP)—The list of entries for the $15,000 Auga Caliente, Mexico, open golf tournament stood today at 146. Fifty golfers qualified for the event here yesterday out of a list of 104.

In San Diego, nine other players qualified yesterday. There were 87 golfers exempt from the qualifying test.

Dick Metz of San Angelo, Tex., and Ray Mangrum, a former Texan now residing in Los Angeles, tied for low scores in Los Angeles, each having 148 strokes for 36 holes. In the San Diego test Ben Hogan, 19-year-old professional from the Glen Garden country club, Fort Worth, Texas., led the field, also with a 148.

Nation's Star Football Boys Get In Action

Dana Bible's Westerners Are Faster But Lighter Against Eastern Stars; Mason Named To Start For West

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31. (AP)—Stars who roamed over the nation's gridirons in spectacular fashion this last season, will assemble here tomorrow in two mighty elevens for the seventh East-West game, a football classic played annually in the name of charity.

From a small beginning in 1925 the contest has grown into a spectacle that last year drew 52,000 fans into Kezar Stadium. Officials expect between 45,000 and 55,000 persons for the game tomorrow. Net profits will go to the Shrine's crippled children's hospital fund.

One of the strongest squads in the history of the game will represent the East. Andy Kerr of Colgate and Dick Handley of Northwestern, co-coaches, will stake their chances for victory on the prowess of such performers as John Oral of Colgate, rated as one of the outstanding ends of eastern football during the last few years; such giants as Herman Hickman, 218-pound guard from Tennessee, and Dal Marvil, 230-pound tackle from Northwestern; Clark Hinkle, line splitting fullback from Bucknell, and many other stars.

Overshadowed in the matter of individual luminaries and conceding many pounds of weight on the line, the western players, nevertheless, will line up as a strong team, of superior speed and armed with impressive passing plays.

Coaches Dana Bible of Nebraska and Percy Locey of the Olympic club let it be known today that "the West is ready and may surprise." Two powerful tackles, Paul Schwegler of Washington and Glenn Edwards of Washington State, are listed in the Western line and a backfield passing combination includes Weldon Mason of Southern Methodist and "Bud" Toscani of St. Mary's.

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From All Of Us To All Of You

Out of the stress of daily life we turn aside at the beginning of each New Year's Day. We tend to forget the past and look into the future. We are filled anew with hope and happy plans for what another twelve months has in store.

The tablet of another year lies unscathed. Fate stands with pen poised ready to record the events of each passing day. This pen will write relentlessly, filling the 366 sheets, one by one, dispassionately entering the tragedies with the happier events. Our wish is that she may write only pleasant things in your diary for 1932 and that we may have a part in making your year more prosperous and more complete.

Growing with Lubbock and the South Plains has been our happy privilege in the past and it is our desire that we may help you and your section to a fuller development in the future.

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New Year's Resolutions

WITH the opening of each New Year, mankind generally takes an inventory, marks mistakes of the year closed and determines, more or less thoroughly, to do better in the twelve-month to come.

Some people make set resolutions. Others, feeling that the New Year's resolution is futile, merely decide in their own minds to improve their business ethics and tactics; to become better citizens; to increase their services to their families and to deal more fairly with their fellow man.

The New Year's resolution dealing with this, that and the other thing, we believe, is more or less futile.

The best and most practicable way to improve one's mode of living is through stricter observance of the Golden Rule, which, after all, solves almost every enigma of life. If we all followed strictly the rule of "Do Unto Others As You Would Have Others Do Unto You," the world would be a better place in which to live and the making of countless other resolves would be unnecessary.

There is a copyrighted poem, author of which is unknown, which if carefully followed during 1932 will prove a boon to most all of us who seek to make a better record during the twelve months to come. For the benefit of those who are intersted in such things, we quote, from "The Plain Man's Creed":

"I waste no thought on my neighbors birth;
Or the way he makes his prayer.
I grant him a white man's room on earth
If his game is only square.
While he plays it straight
I'll call him 'mate';
If he cheats, I'll drop him flat
Old class and rank are a worn out lie,
For all clean men are as good as I,
And a king is only that!"

A frank, honest creed is that. It's a man's way of talking.

Those who are a bit puzzled over how to face the New Year with a better resolve may see fit to adopt it for their own.

It would be hard to improve upon.

NO ROOM FOR BENJAMIN

Most Americans have keen sympathy for suffering upon the part of unemployed and others who have felt the harsh blows of the times.

That fact can be attested to by efforts made and being made in every village, town and city in the nation to alleviate such suffering, for never before has the public pulse beat stronger in the resolve to lend a hand to those who need it.

And that is as it should be.

Those to whom fortune has been more kind should feel a personal responsibility concerning the less fortunate. The condition into which the world has drifted is not the fault of those who feel most harshly the back slap of events of the times.

But this feeling of responsibility is not likely to be quickened; this great wave of desire to proffer aid is not expected to be increased by such performances as that staged two days ago by one Herbert Benjamin, who led a motley crowd of communists on Washington, while appearing before a Senate investigating committee.

Benjamin, if you recall, shouted a threat to the investigators, ending with: we'll "make it damn uncomfortable for those who won't feed the unemployed!"

The Morning Avalanche holds no brief for those who refuse to help the down and out. They should be made to feel just as uncomfortable as Benjamin wants to make them.

But for a radical who has done nothing but foment unrest to be permitted to hurl a threat into the teeth of those who are trying the benefit conditions, is something else entirely.

The needy and those who would help them can get a long much better without men of the stripe of Benjamin, who by their very bearing and attitude will cause dimerity upon the part of those who can and want to help but who decline to run the chance of being browbeaten by a rank outsider.

THREE JOBS FOR 1932

If 1932 will repeat 1931's record of production in South Plains agriculture and will push the price of cotton to 15 cents, feed to $10 and wheat to a dollar hard times, as far as we're concerned in this country, will be a thing of the past.

There's 1932's job.

Just how the New Year will go about attending to it, is something else.

But if we can have those three boosts—won't we have fun?

SCHOOL TEACHERS' CONTRIBUTION

The resolution of the Rochester, New York, Teachers' Association to give 10 per cent of teaching service in 1932 without cost to the board of education is a notable example of civic spirit. The action involves 3,000 teachers, office workers and staff employes of the board and constitutes a gift of $585,000 to public school education.

The salaries of New York teachers are protected by the state's educational law, but the Rochester teachers, on their own initiative, decided to ease the burden and gave assurance that standards would be maintained and that further co-operation was intended.

The free time is to be contributed at the end of 1932. The resolution noting this continues, "And we further agree to such legal steps as may be later necessary to guarantee such contribution to the public school system, and we further agree to effect every possible economy within our control and to support the superintendent of schools and the board of education in maintaining educational service at the highest leven under these trying conditions."

The "trying conditions" are revealed in a budget cut of $1,080,000. The voluntary pay concession of the teachers removes about half the new financial problem; their cooperation in economies will help also.

Census reports say France now has a population of 41,835,000. In which case of course 50,000,000 Frenchmen can't be wrong.

Mirrors are great things. They show you someone you can trust.

The outcome of a business always depends upon the income of the business.

What Other People Think

No nation can rise above the moral and intellectual standards of its women.—Mrs. Patrick J. Hurley, wife of the secretary of war.

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Sentiment for prohibition, far from lessening, has increased measurably during the past ten years.—Mrs. Ella A. Boole, president of W. C. T. U.

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People in the United States are hiding their talents in cubbyholes and tomato cans.—Dr. Warren M. Persons, economist.

Small Blocs In System

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—"The sooner we recognize that our political system is not, nationally, a two-party system, but a system of smallish blocs," says Senator Bronson Cutting of New Mexico, "the better it will be for the country."



Senator Bronson Cutting

Liberal thought on Capitol Hill has been consolidating rapidly upon Senator Cutting as its standard bearer since congress met.

He has a stability which Senator Borah lacks; youth, and leaderlike qualities which are missing in 70-year-old Senator Norris, a gallant fighter but without the instinct of command; enthusiasm; tip-top abilities and a background of culture equaled by few men in public life—a personality just rising into real greatness, some of the shrewdest character readers among his legislative brethren believe.

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THE QUESTION I had asked the New Mexican was:

"Is there a prospect that voters, with such views as the folk who attended the progressives' conference in Washington last March, will have much choice between the two major parties' respective presidential candidates in 1932?"

"There doesn't appear to be a strong likelihood of it, does there?" replied the senator, pessimistically.

He did not discuss nomination probabilities on either side, simply accepted, without argument, the implied suggestion that neither ticket can reasonably be expected to be of a sort for progressives to rejoice over.

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WHAT, then, must be the progressive problem's solution?—sooner or later. A party realignment?—into liberal and conservatives? If so, why is there not a more pronounced tendency in that direction already? It is no new complaint—that the old-line parties have ceased to mean anything.

"The fact is," said Senator Cutting, "that two parties are not enough, on national issues.

"There are genuine alignments now, in state elections.

"Members of both houses of congress arrive here representing sufficiently clean-cut ideas. But once here they don't classify in any imaginable two ways—either as Republicans and Democrats or as liberals and conservatives. They break into half a dozen or more blocs, which coalesce and separate and form fresh combinations, as common interests draw them together or conflicting interests split them apart."

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"CONGRESSIONALLY," continued the senator, "this process of give and take permits each shade of opinion to make its influence felt.

"However, at a national convention, with several different groups, striving for as many different and frequently contradictory sets of principles, naturally there must be a compromise, which cannot possibly have any real significance.

"Inasmuch as this is equally true of both conventions, neither can have significant results."

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"THE REMEDY, obviously," said the New Mexico lawmaker, "is the nomination of a national candidate of its own by each group which can come to terms with no other group except by overstrainnig the conditions of compromise."

Which doubtless would insure so many candidates that a majority vote seldom would be cast for any one of them and the presidential selection almost invariably would be thrown into the house of representatives?

The senator nodded.

"And a far more satisfactory selection it probably would be," he observed, "than we have much hope of getting by our present method."

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"BUT I ADMIT," he added, "that it is not a system which would be very well adapted to our present scheme of government.

"For that reason I foresee a constitutional convention in the not distant future, to effect readjustments better suited to our national requirements of today."

And giving more power to the president?

"No; less," said the senator, "and more to congress—probably reducing the president to the rating of a purely administrative official."

The most expensive thing about a home is carelessness.

Practical Health Problems

TRACHOMA CAUSES BLINDNESS

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, And of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

OF the infectious conditions which attack the eye, trachoma is by far the most serious problem because it is most prevalent. It has been shown that this disease is spread by direct contact with infected people and indirectly by contact with articles freshly soiled with the discharges of those who are infected.

Trachoma or infectious granulation of the eyelids is not in itself dangerous to life, because practically no one dies of this disease, but a vast amount of blindness is caused by trachoma and all of this blindness is preventable.

One of the most serious problems related to trachoma in this country is the control of the disease among the American Indians, and among the poorer classes in the foreign population.

When a person is found to have trachoma he should be excluded from classes in school or if a worker in a factory from any possible contact with other workers. Certainly he should not be permitted to use the same washing facilities, roller towels, and similar toilet articles in public places which constitute a source for the spread of this disease. Washing in public places should be preferably with running water without having to touch either the faucet or the stopper.

Physicians who handle this disease prescribe solutions of zinc and copper with suitable antiseptic substances for use on the eyelids as specific preventive measure. The disease is best controlled by routine examination of human beings who are constantly associated in educational, housing or working groups. Emigrants, school children, the inmates of orphan homes and of homes for the indigent, and employees in lumber camps and in construction camps should be regularly examined with the idea of prevention of trachoma in mind. Delay in the treatment of infectious granulation of the eyelids is an extremely serious matter because of the tendency of this condition to result in permanent blindness.

Today's One-Minute Sermon

Peace be within thy walls, and prosperity within thy palaces.—Psalm cxxii, 7.

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EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

CORPSE FINED FOR CARRYING A GUN:

About forty-five years ago a dead man was found by the peace officers of Boerne, Texas, and on the body was a loaded pistol and a money purse containing $100. They held the body for a possible claimant, and when none appeared they decided to fine the corpse $100 for carrying a pistol, and then took the money to cover funeral expenses.

THE TREE THAT EATS OYSTERS:

Melville Clark of Syracuse, New York, planted a palm tree in his store about twenty years ago, but found that it did not grow as it should. He was informed that it was of the variety growing on the sea shore of the Canary Islands, where the roots are covered with oysters. Mr. Clark then dug a small channel around the palm, and put oysters on the roots. They disappeared rapidly, and the tree began to grow healthily, fed by a quart of oysters twice a year.

TOMORROW: "JANUARY 2ND IS NEW YEAR'S DAY."

Gems of Peril

by HAZEL ROSS HAILEY

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MARY HARKNESS plots to ensnare The Fly, who "framed" her brother, EDDIE, with the murder of MRS. JUPITER and ran him down to keep him from telling. She is aided by MR. JUPITER and BOWEN of the Star. Mary's fiance, DIRK RUYTHER, believes Eddie guilty and breaks with Mary when she will not give up the investigation.

Mary sails for Miami on the Jupiter yacht to follow The Fly. BRUCE JUPITER and COUNTESS LOUISE, a questionable friend, go along. They vow to rout Mary, who they consider a gold-digger trying to steal Bruce's inheritance. Bruce quarrels with Louise over a diamond bracelet she says belongs to Mary. De Loma gave it to her as security for a loan. Bruce makes her give the bracelet to Mary, who discovers it was stolen from Mrs. Jupiter the night she was killed.

Using the Jupiter necklace as bait, Mary dances with De Loma. He gets the necklace from her by a ruse and dances, then kisses her. Dirk knocks him down.

Dirk, unconscious with a twisted ankle, is taken on board the "Gypsy." De Loma goes, too, and tries again to steal the necklace. Bowen gives Mary proof that the countess is an adventuress. The "Gypsy" sails. The Fly realizes he has walked into a trap. The yacht goes aground and the murderer's trial by fire begins. The heat, monotony and old Fort Jefferson prison staring him in the face nearly drive The Fly frantic.

He steals the necklace, shoots at Bruce in the get-away, and is shot in return. Then he escapes to the prison in a rowboat.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XLVII

They were sitting on the edge of Mary's bed, arms about each other, grinning foolishly but happily at each other. Not all the dampness that glistened on their cheeks was caused by the rain. Mary found that sometimes it was harder to bear happiness than its absence.

She plucked an infinitesimal handkerchief out of her pajama pocket and blew her nose vigorously.

"Happy?" Dirk asked gently.

"Terribly happy!"

"It's been a long time!" It was their old joke, but instead of laughing they were suddenly more serious than they had ever been with each other. Quickly, breathlessly, they kissed and clung as if they would never let go.

"Oh, why were you so cruel?" Mary asked when she could manage to speak. "It was awful—I thought I couldn't live, and bear it for you to think those things of me—"

Dirk put his hand over her mouth. "Don't!" he begged. "I was just a jealous fool, that's all! I never dreamed you could be right about that other terrible thing—a little sweet red-head like you—"He mussed her hair gently with his big hand. "You were right, though! I want you to know it. I'm eating humble pie, honey, and liking it."

"No, you mustn't!" They both laughed at this feminine inconsistency, and then began to consider getting the invalid downstairs again. When this had been accomplished, with one of Dirk's arms about Mary's shoulder and the other about Bates, they still found themselves loath to part.

"I've got to be the papa here and look after you two brats," Bates decided. "Mary, get along to your room or I'll use the old slipper!"

"But I couldn't sleep!"

"Lie there and count sheep then. You don't want to be asleep tomorrow when we bring back The Fly, do you?"

"You're going over?"

"At sun-up."

"But—he may shoot you!"

"We'll take the chance. If he knows what's good for him, he'll come along peaceably. That's a horrible hole he's taken refuge in. I doubt if there's a drop of fresh water. If the sun comes up hot again tomorrow he'll know what hell is."

"Where did he get the gun—and the chloroform?"

"The gun was his own. I got it back from the Ambassador's house detective who took it from him, and have been keeping it in my room till lately. But I've got my own, and yesterday I persuaded Mr. Jupiter he ought to keep one handy. He had it lying on his table, but some time yesterday it disappeared. The door was locked. Either De Loma had a skeleton key and walked in and filched it—he could see it plainly through the porthole — or he snagged it through the open port hole. It could be done easy enough, with a bent wire.

"Anyway, Bruce has got a .38 slug in him, and the gun in question was a .38, so it's reasonable to suppose it's his own gun De Loma stole."

"But the chloroform? And where did Bruce get his gun? I didn't know he had one."

"Neither did I. I must take a look at it. The chloroform came out of the captain's medicine chest."

When the lovers had finally parted, Bates took Mary to her room.

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Side Glances —By George Clark



"Here's lots of wood, mama. I chopped up my old auto that I didn't want, anyway."

CARTER HOUSTON'S CLEARANCE SALE

Many, many items of seasonable, standard quality merchandise marked at prices low enough to insure quick clearance, and, at the same time offer you, Mr. and Mrs. Shopper exceptional values. Listed below are a few of the exceptional values offered.

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Not a single bag has been reserved—all of them are in this lot—many are made by "Virginia Art" bag makers of exceptional merit—black, browns and other wanted colors are here for your choosing.

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Our regular $1.95 line of shirts for men—they are made with collars that will not, cannot shrink—with collar stays to give them that smart appearance—a good selection of patterns—all sizes.

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Every boys' suit in stock at these prices—sizes are 6 to 12—good colors—only 12 suits left.

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Just nine overcoats for boys left—they are all good colors—sizes from 6 to 10 only.

SPREADS
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Were $1.29

86x105 size—they are made of heavy woven cotton—the colors are rose, blue, gold, green and orchid—guaranteed fast colors—very attractive and serviceable.

Not all of the many items are advertised here—Clearance prices on ready-to-wear, shoes, millinery—and in fact on merchandise all over the house makes this store a favorite place for thriftily inclined shoppers.

CARTER-HOUSTON DEPARTMENT STORE

"The Best Place To Shop After All"

Gems of Peril

by HAZEL ROSS HAILEY

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He confided that the radio had responded to Captain Henrdicks' attentions, and that he had gotten through to Key West at last. A tug with a doctor aboard was speeding to their aid and should arrive before noon.

"I haven't seen Louise about. She couldn't have been very anxious about Bruce or she would have stayed with him, wouldn't she?"

"She's standing over by the port rail, staring at the prison," Bates said. "She started crying, wanting to knew if he was dead, and I told her no, he'd recover. I thought she meant Bruce. She said it was De Loma she meant. Well, you could knock me over with a feather!

"He's her husband," Mary told him. "She hates him, but—she loves him, too. Once I wouldn't have understood how such a thing could be. But these last weeks, I've learned a few things."

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There was little sleep for anyone on board the Gypsy the rest of the night. Dawn found them all dressed and roaming the deck, watching anxiously for the wisp of smoke on the horizon that would herald the arrival of the tug—and deliverance.

Mindful of what had been told her about the old prison and its sorry state, Mary found it impossible not to speculate about The Fly and what had happened to him. The prison itself presented as blank and guarded a face as ever. There was no sign of life in any of its staring, sightless windows. It was possible The Fly had rested there a short time and then gotten back into his boat and rowed to the next key. The small jutting bits of land called the Florida keys are so close together that it is a fairly simple matter to row from one to another. Most of them are barren wastes, with only birds and lizards for inhabitants. There is not the ghost of a bit of shelter on many of them, and unless De Loma had thought to carry a can of fresh water with him, he would be without any until he reached Key West.

Louise had tried to bribe a sailor to lower the lifeboat and take her to the fort but her haggard looks and hoarse voice so alarmed him that he bolted without making any reply. Hooded in a great cape like a nun, she paced the deck like a hungry tigress . . . and was avoided as such. Mary, with her own love warm and safe, felt pity for her, unwillingly.

Suddenly Mary heard her give a glad cry, and saw her train her glasses on the prison. The girl did likewise and saw a figure crawling along the top of the wall, waving something white. Word spread that The Fly had been sighted and everyone rushed to that side of the deck. The man had risen to his feet and was stumbling along, waving his arms frantically. To whom was he signaling?"

At almost the same moment the quiet voice of the sailor on watch reported the smoke of the approaching tug on the eastern horizon. It must appear somewhat closer to De Loma than to them. It must be the tug he was signalling, unaware that it was speeding to the aid of the "Gypsy." The plume of smoke grew rapidly.

It was like being the audience at a two-ring circus. The excited ones on board the yacht turned their glasses first on De Loma, then on the tug. Suddenly a cry went up from several throats at once—"He's gone! My God, he's fallen!"

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Those who were watching at the precise moment of the accident were divided in their stories of what had happened. Bates stoutly maintained that the man's foot had slipped; he had clung a moment trying to save himself, and dropped, unable to cling to the slippery stone. He also maintained, somewhat loudly, that the man was certainly dead. Something that might be his body lay at the foot of the gray walls on the rocks, half in and half out of the sea.

Captain Hendricks advanced the idea that, hopeless of attracting the tug's attention, De Loma had deliberately jumped.

"He knew what was ahead of him in the way of thirst—he's no stranger to this part of the country," the captain surmised.

Only one stood silent, tearless, offering no suggestion whatever. Louise. Slowly she put up her hands before her face and stood with bent head, Mary, her hand fast in Dirk's as he sat beside her in a deck chair, looked away from the sight of the other woman's grief. It came to her how she would feel if it had been Dirk.

Half an hour later the tug had come as close as possible to the stranded yacht and stopped just off the reef in the free channel. A small boat was lowered and a doctor sent over. While the medical man was with Bruce, Bates and a strong-armed sailor lad were dispatched in the tug's dory to bring back The Fly, alive or dead.

They rowed the half mile to Fort Jefferson and soon returned with the crumpled body of The Fly in the body of the boat. Mary shrank away from the sight, and the sound of Bates' cheerful voice sickened her, as he bellowed up to his employer, grim and white-faced, leaning over the rail:

"Here she is, sir!" He held up the ruby necklace, gleaming like drops of heart's blood in the early morning sun. Mr. Jupiter nodded, but there was no triumph or even pleasure in his face.

"Does he live?" he asked in a low voice as De Loma was carried up the deck and laid on the bed in his room.

Bates nodded. "Crazy in the head," he said softly. "Keeps talking about the sun getting in his eyes. What does he mean by that? The sun wasn't up till just a little while ago."

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The doctor came out of Bruce's cabin and greeted the assemblage with the false cheerfulness of those who are not directly concerned in a tragedy. "Your son will live," he told Mr. Jupiter, "but he must be gotten to a hospital immediately. This heat . . . something might happend to the wound . . ."

Mr. Jupiter looked like a man reprieved from death.

"Here," he said, "here's another job for you," and led the surprised doctor to De Loma's stateroom. This time the medical man did not even pretend with them.

"The man's all broken to pieces inside," he said. "He's got a bullet wound besides. My God, what happened to him? If he has any people here, call them. He's likely to go at any minute."

But it was not Louise who was called first. Bates, enlisting a white-lipped Mary with pad and pencil in hand to take down the dying man's words, was given a little time alone with him first. Half an hour later they came out. Mary was white and shaking, and Dirk, seated just outside, drew her down to him and put a strong arm about her just in time to prevent her collapsing.

"He did it!" she sobbed. "He killed them both!"

"He made Eddie telephone me and say he was coming over, then he put on Eddie's coat and came in his place. Eddie was locked in, with the other man guarding him, but he got away. That was when he called you, and he hid somewhere. They looked for him in the car, but didn't see him until just as he was crossing the street to meet me."

Dirk patted her shoulder reassuringly. Mr. Jupiter jerked about abruptly and walked to the rail, dropping his head in his hands.

When she was quieter, Mary lifted her head and asked bashfully:

"Do you think Eddie knows that we know he didn't do it? I hope so! For, God forgive me, I've never been really sure until now!" She buried her head again for a moment, and this time it was the dry, hard sob of shame that shook her. "I'm a liar and a cheat. It wasn't the world I was proving Eddie's innocence to—it was myself! All the time I was blaming you, I was as bad as you were."

Dirk held her hands tightly, and said, "Listen. You've forgiven me a lot of stupidness because you love me. Don't you think Eddie—might do the same for you?"

Presently she dropped her head and kissed him. Love and gratitude were both in her kiss.

(To Be Continued)

L. C. Denton Is Seeking Office For Precinct 4

L. C. Denton, present commissioner of precinct number 4, Lubbock county, is to be a candidate for the office again in 1932, he announced Thursday.

Mr. Denton has been a resident of Lubbock county for 31 years and is familiar with the workings of the county organization, his statement said.

Ellis Cites His Record In Race As Tax Assessor

Citing his record in office during the past year, A. B. Ellis, present county tax assessor, announced his candidacy for reelection Thursday.

Mr. Ellis has been a resident of Lubbock county for more than fifteen years and has been connected with banking institutions in the city.

This is his first public office tenure.

CASHIER ROBBED

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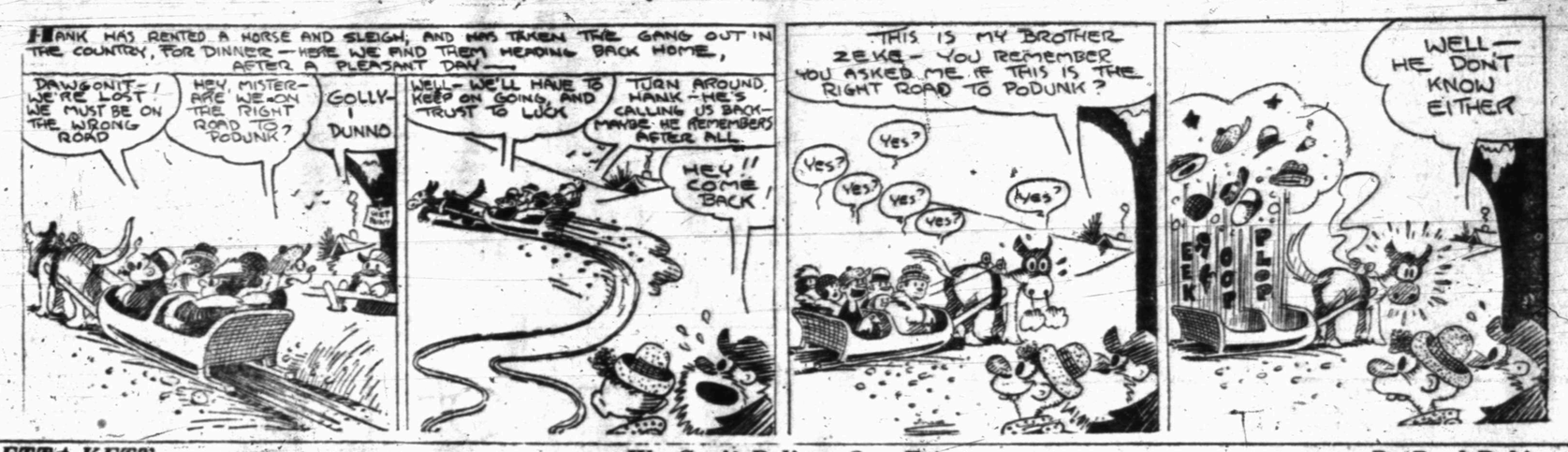
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For County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
L. G. DENTON, of Lubbock.
For Sheriff:
J. C. ROBERTS, of Lubbock.
C. A. "HOLCOMB, of Lubbock.
T. T. (Tom) ABLE, of Slaton.
For County Clerk:
JIM W. HODGES, of Lubbock.
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Triploil is super refined oil. Tests show high viscosity, flash and fire and low carbon content. Many tests in motors show better lubricating qualities and longer wear than higher priced oils. Try our oil. Let us drain your crank case. 1 gal. 50c; 5 gallons $1.75.
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4-B—Travel Opportunities

LUBBOCK TRAVEL BUREAU
CARS FOR: El Paso, Ft. Worth, Louisana, Santa Fe, Dallas, Oklahoma City, California, San Antonio, Kansas City.
Share Expenses Plan
References Required
909 1-2 Broadway Room 3 Phone 1461

6—Beauty Parlors

Hilton Hotel
Beauty Shoppe
Managers
Billie Cutberth
Bessie Dean Gray
Assistants
Edna Earl Chapman
Mrs. Billie Sayers

Permanent Waves
$1.75 $3.00
$5.00 $7.50

Finger Waves	35c
Shampoo and Set	50c and 75c
Marcels	50c and 75c
Shampoos	50c
Manicure	50c
Facials	75c to $2.50

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THE OPENING OF
ALMA'S
BEAUTY SHOPPE
1106 1-2 AVE. L
Between Sanitariums, next door to Painter House

WILL GIVE
$5.00 PERMANENT
WAVES
To First Ten Ladies for
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Bring This Ad With You
I do not use cheap supplies. All work guaranteed. I want you ten ladies to be my walking advertisers, to your friends.

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BEAUTY SHOPPE
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EUGENE PERMANENT WAVE
$1.48
(Shampoo and Set Included)
All Work Guaranteed
BAILEY BEAUTY SHOPPE
Phone 2211 1630 18th St.

14-BUSINESS SERVICE

10-A—Shoe Repairing

SHOE REPAIRING by expert
AT
BROWN'S
SHOE SHOP
1106-A Broadway

ANNOUNCEMENTS

4—Personal Notices

Get Wise
BUY THE BEST
BUTTER TOAST
SANDWICHES
In Lubbock
ONLY 15c
"ASKANYBODY"
Tamales 15c Dozen
"We Deliver 50c Or More"
Phone 1979
CALF STAND
Corner Main Street & Avenue Q

BUSINESS SERVICE

10—Tailors, Hatters, Dyers

GONE ON MONDAY


BACK ON TUESDAY
For those who need QUICK SERVICE. Our special one-day laundry service is a typical product of our efficiency, sanitary conditions and eagerness to please.
Lubbock Laundry Co.
Phone 614



MAKE IT A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION
To let Allen's Tailors take care of your "Tailoring Worries" for 1932.
SUITS
Cleaned And Pressed
35c
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Cleaned And Pressed
35c
And Up
ALLEN TAILORS
Between Main and 10th on Ave. Q

EMPLOYMENT

13—Help Wanted Male

CHOICE POSITIONS
—are in store for Draughon-trained young men and women. Thousands of successful graduates. Efficient employment department for placing you when you qualify. Easy payment plan of tuition. Phone, call or write for Special Holiday Offer.
DRAUGHON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE
Tel. 335

14—Situations Wanted

TECH BOY wants to attend school. Must work for room and board. Phone 229-J.

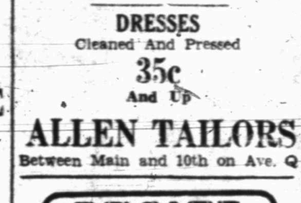
MIDDLE-AGED lady wants housekeeping work. 1633 8th.

CHRISTIAN lady, 27, healthy girls 6-8, desires work in Christian home as one of family, Lubbock, Texas. Route 1, Box 139.

Young man wants to attend school. Has cow to milk for room and board. See Cecil Tucker, care of Cecil Horne, Tech.

FINANCIAL

15—Insurance & Investments



308-10 Myrick Building Phone 1111

Bargain Counters can't compete with the the Avalanche-Journal Want Ads—real money savers.



When the plumbing springs a feak—When an electrical fixture refuses to work—When the car refuses to budge — When furniture becomes a bit worn—consult the Business Service Guide in the
AVALANCHE-JOURNAL
WANT ADS
Phone 13 or 14
For Ad-Taker

FINANCIAL

16-A—Automobile Loans

AUTO LOANS
Prompt, Courteous, Confidential Service
GUY L. McAFEE
Insurance—Loans—Bonds
1013 Texas Ave. Phone 286

AUTO LOANS
CASH IN TEN MINUTES
LEFTWICH NORTON FINANCE CO
1308 Broadway Phone 202
(Across street from Lubbock Sanitarium)

AUTO LOANS
Borrow on your automobile. Let us loan you money on your auto to meet the necessary first of the year expense. Pay back in convenient monthly installments.
J. D. JONES
(City and Out-of-Town Loans Solicited)
1110 Main street Phone 165

AUTO LOANS
Any amount, twelve months to pay. Low rates. Prompt service. (Out-of-town loans solicited.
NOLAN E. WHITLOW
410 Myrick Bldg. Phone 612

AUTO LOANS
QUICK SERVICE
Notes refinanced, more money advanced also small loans, $10 to $75
INSURANCE OF ALL KINDS
L. E. DAVIS
1208 Texas Ave Phone 261

MISCELLANEOUS

18—Furniture For Sale

TECH FURNITURE CO.
Used 3 piece fiber living room suite, $17.50. Used round walnut dining room table and 5 leather seat chairs, $17.50. Used Victanola upright phonograph and 25 records, $10.00. Used writing desk, $5.00. Used 6x9 congoleum rug, $1.50. Used army trunk, $1.50. New children's hand-made rockers, $4.00 values, only have 10 left, as long as they last, $1.75. We pay cash for used furniture. 19th and College. Phone 2114.

We Buy and Sell
USED FURNITURE
SPIKES BROS.
1212 Ave H. Phone 860

19-A—Poultry & Supplies

FOR SALE: Rhode Island Red cockerels. Phone 785-W.

21—Miscellaneous For Sale

COMPLETE IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT
—consisting of windmill, and tower, 4 inch pipe, 4 inch pump, Gasoline engine and pump jack. Will sell all or any part at a sacrifice. See—
JOHN H. MOORE
1018 Texas Ave. Hilton Hotel Bldg.

GRINDING
Bundles and other feed. We have two hammer mills, one large type, especially good for grinding bundles.
ACME SEED COMPANY
Phone 883 808 Broadway

FOXTERRIER pups for sale. 1620 Ave. Q. Phone 1672-W.

ONE used washer, Dryer type. Like new. Half price. Terms. 1305 Ave. H.

22—Wanted to Buy

WANTED to buy dry cleaning press. Also good used cash register. Phone 798.

22-A—Wanted to Trade

WILL take $200.00 for $300.00 diamond ring and pay cash difference on late model Chevrolet or Ford coach. Phone 1961.

22-B—Wanted Real Estate

WANTED: Large farm on shares. Robt. Brinton. 1622 17th St., Lubbock.

MISCELLANEOUS

22-B—Wanted Real Estate

WANTED—250 or 300 acres on third and fourths. Reference. S.A. Peel, Lubbock, Rt. 4.

RENTALS

23-A—Business Property For Rent

FOR RENT: Large warehouse, on track. 512 Broadway. Phone 883.

24—Furnished Houses For Rent

TWO HOUSES FOR RENT
One 7 room house completely furnished 1898 Main St. One 7 room house unfurnished, hardwood floors, hot water heater. 1402 Ave. T.
H. L. ROBERSON
Phone 1504-W

FOR RENT
5 room brick veneer house, nicely furnished to reliable party. Jan. 1. Must be seen to be appreciated. Can be seen at 2222 8th St. or call 1609-J.

ONE 5 room house, furnished or unfurnished for rent. Call 899.

ATTRACTIVELY furnished 5 room house. Radio, Kelvinator, Hardwood floors. 2011 27th St. Phone 129-J.

FURNISHED home for rent. 907 Ave. Q. Call at 1612 9th.

FURNISHED 3 room house, located 2313 20th. Phone 1039-J.

24-A—Unfurnished Houses For Rent

ATTRACTIVE PROPOSITION
BY OWNER
I have a very desirable 5 room home. (It's different). New, clean, modern, paved street. I want to sell my furniture and rent to desirable parties.
If you would be interested in buying furniture and renting my house I will sell you $1,200.00 worth of furniture for $375.00 and rent you a real nice 5 room house for $25.00 per month.
OR
I will sell any part of furniture. If you want to buy a rug, table, bed, springs, chair, stoves or refrigerator, come on anyway.

GIVE THIS A THOUGHT
All furniture is practically new, and is not junk. The General Electric and Gas Range will cost more than I am asking for the five rooms of furniture. It will pay you to investigate if you are interested in buying the whole lot, or just a reading lamp, rug, or table. I would that those interested in the whole lot drive out tonight, for if I don't get a buyer for the whole lot at once I will sell any article by itself. Apply—
2212 10TH STREET

WHY PAY MORE?
For rent nice residence, paved street, near Tech, $17.50. Phone 2352-W.

FOR RENT
7 room brick veneer house, 2 garages, at 1312 16th street. Price $35.00 per month.
PHONE 832

RENTALS

24-A—Unfurnished Houses For Rent

5 ROOM house for rent. 1909 Main. Apply 1907 Main.

5 ROOM brick house, close in, reasonable. Phone 2036-W.

FOR RENT: 5 room modern house, at 2008 Ave. W. $25.00 per month. J. B. Jackson, Phone 503.

5 ROOM house, bath, gas range and water heater. 1706 Ave. R. $22.50. Will Earnest. 39.

6 ROOM brick plastered, pavement, garage, $35.00. 1111 19th St. See Mrs. Milam, next door.

4 ROOM house at 1510 17th. Call at 1620 Ave. N. Phone 219-W.

25—Bedrooms For Rent

FURNISHED rooms, close in, garage if wanted. 1631 Main. Phone 2371.

NICELY furnished bedroom. Private entrance. Phone 518, 1420 Broadway.

ROOM for rent, $10.00. Call after 5 p. m. 1513 Ave. O.

ROOM and garage, or will share house. Everything furnished. No other roomers. Phone 1151-J.

APPROVED room and board for boys. 2250 Main. Phone 2400-W.

26—Furnished Apartments

4 OR 5 ROOM apt. with garage. 1702 Ave. R.

NICELY furnished duplex, with garage. 1918 8th.

3 ROOM nicely furnished, reasonable. 1918 27th St.

GARAGE apts. Also room and board for Tech boys. Phone 1342-W.

3 ROOM furnished apt. 1617 17th St.

MODERN 3 room duplex furnished or unfurnished. Located 1616-A 9th. F. W. Groce.

BRICK apartment, neatly furnished. Reasonable rent. Adults. 710 Ave. M.

APARTMENT with garage for rent. All bills paid, private entrance. 1919 14th St.

NEATLY furnished 3 room apartment. 1916 Ave. N. Phone 1039-J.

3 ROOM furnished apartment. 1812 10th street.

26-A—Unfurnished Apartments

NICE CLEAN
Brick duplex, 4 rooms, large closets, walking distance of schools, churches, and town. Frigidaire. Good ventilation, summer and winter. Separate garages. 1609-A 13th St. Phone 561-W.

FOR RENT
New brick duplex 4 rooms and bath. Textoned walls.
1631-A 9TH STREET

6 ROOM house for rent, $30 a month. Phone 1275-W

TWO unfurnished light housekeeping rooms, $12.50. Bills paid. 1713 21st street. Apply 2105 9th St.

UNFURNISHED brick duplex. 2104 16th. Apply J. P. Middleton. Phone 969-J.

HALF of modern duplex. Good condition. 1806 Ave. K. Phone 69-433-J.

27—Wanted, Rooms Apartments and Houses

WANTED
Wanted to Rent—Nice six- or seven-room house, with fenced-in back yard. Must be reasonable.
BOX K. R. S.
Care Avalanche-Journal

WANTED: Furnished house for couple. Call room 706, Lubbock Hotel.

WANTED: By couple, garage apartment, or two or three room apartment, near Tech. Bills paid. Box K. J. L., care Avalanche-Journal.

WANTED to rent furnished house. Phone 480.

27-A—Farms For Rent

FARM FOR RENT
320 acre farm for rent on third and fourth. Teams and tools, and feed to sell with place. Nine miles south Lubbock. Four-room house, now empty. Apply 2435 22nd street. Phone 2148-J.

REAL ESTATE

29—Houses For Sale

EQUITY IN GOOD FIVE ROOM BRICK HOME TO TRADE FOR GOOD USED CAR.

$1,000 equity in good 5 room brick home to trade for good used car. Must be a closed model. Write—
BOX R. R. R.
Care Avalanche-Journal

FOR SALE
5 room furnished home, all modern, new, paving paid. A real bargain. Owner 2213 10th St.

TWO 5 room houses, brick and frame, 2200 block 8th, for sale or trade. Albert Myrick, Shellowater.

To buy, sell or exchange anything, use Avalanche-Journal Want Ads. Phone 13 or 14.

REAL ESTATE

29—Houses For Sale

REPOSSESSED HOMES
We will sell these re-possessed homes at a sacrifice to responsible people. Practically no down payment required and balance in monthly payments.
"The Price and Location are the Things that Count."
These houses have all been thoroughly reconditioned and if you ever expect to buy a home, now is the time to do so. See—
P. H. SAMMONS
Phone 707 214 Conley Bldg.

HOME BARGAINS
If you want to own a home and stop paying rent it will pay you to see our list of homes.
Look at 1613 7th street on the paving.
Look at 2006 26th street, wonderful bargain.
Look at 2117 13th st., heart of the city and schools.
Look at 2119 26th st., just a cozy little home.
Look at 1720 27th st. Cute as it can be.
Look at all of these then come to our office and see just how easy we are to trade with.
GREEN BROS.
Hotel Lubbock Building Phone 148
Let us write your fire insurance

A REAL INVESTMENT
Beautiful new 5 room grey brick veneer, English house, east of Tech and south of Broadway on prominent street. Best construction, only 6 months old. Will sacrifice for $2850.00, with $400.00 down payment. Tel. 446 or 2494-J.

SACRIFICE
Beautiful new grey brick veneer home. Between College Ave. and Ave. Q, on prominent street. Five rooms, oak floors over sub-floor. Best construction; shingle roof. Only 6 months old. Make price of $2850.00, with down payment of $500.00. $2850.00, with down payment of $300.00. Tel. 2494-J or 446.

A Want Ad in time saves many a dime—Rent your Apartment—Phone 13 or 14.

31—Farms and Land For Sale

FOR SALE
160 acre, "Live at Home" farm, 3 miles from Hereford, Texas. 35 acres sub-irrigated alfalfa land. 18 acres set in alfalfa. Four to seven feet to water. Three to six feet of rich black valley soil above water. Perfectly sub-irrigated. Grows alfalfa in driest season. Seventy acres good row crop land. Farm fenced in six different fields and pastures. All good, new improvements. Price $9,000.00. Can give some terms and take small truck farm near Lubbock as part payment.
CLOVER-DELL FARM
HEREFORD, TEXAS

FOR SALE OR TRADE
80 acres, 15 miles south of Lubbock, for sale or trade cheap.
200 acres, well improved, 3 miles northeast of Tahoka, on highway. See Booker, at Cova Hotel, 1211 Ave. H.

FOR SALE OR TRADE
$1750 equity in $4,000 5-room residence, on paved street, near High schools. Balance $28.26 monthly. Will sell cheap or trade for clear lots or cheaper place, or acreage near city. Write
BOX B L N
Avalanche-Journal

FARM FOR SALE
140 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, 4 room house, windmill, barn, chicken house, dugout $22.50. Can be handled for less than $1,000.00 cash. G. V. Lindsey, Levelland, Texas.

33—Real Estate

JUST A FEW DAYS
320 acres over looking Lubbock. Half in cultivation, with good farm house and barn, well and windmill. All fenced on Highway. With good terms 6 1-2 per cent. Long time at a steal. Price of $30.00 per acre. Investigate this, also a two-story 18-room furnished house, right in the business district. Lot worth the price asked for building and furniture, thrown in. Small cash payment. See me—
ED ALLEN
Bush Building
Phone 1244 Office; 2429 Residence

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EFFICIENT
SERVICE
WILSON ABSTRACT CO.
"Oldest Abstract Plant In Lubbock"
"Ask Us About Title Insurance"
906 13th St. Phone 175

FOR SALE OR TRADE
2 1-2 acres, just outside of city limits, with good six-room frame house, with gas, water and lights, servant's quarters, chicken querters, overhead tank 100 barrel capacity, orchard, in fact just a real home. Also 160 acres in a stone's throw of Tech, well improved. Investigate this. I am headquarters for equity swaps.
ED ALLEN
Room 2, Bush Bldg.
Office Phone 1244, Res. 2429

40 ACRES
Five miles west of Lubbock. $30.00 per acre. No trade.
For rent, furnished garage apartment. Modern, $15.00 per month. Bills paid.
L. H. HOLT
Phone 1976 or 2205 215 Conley Bldg.

Don't depend on the "For Rent" sign to your window, rent that room by using a Want Ad.

AUTOMOBILES

35—Automobiles For Sale

FOR SALE: 30 model Oakland coupe, first class condition, sacrifice. Will take light car in trade. Recruiting office 817 1-2 Broadway.

LEGAL NOTICES

39—Legal Notices

NO. 752
ESTATE OF ROBERT B. GIBSON, DECEASED, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LUBBOCK COUNTY, TEXAS.
Notice is hereby given that original letters of administration upon the estate of Robert B. Gibson, Deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 26th day of October, 1931, by the County Court of Lubbock County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post-office address are Middlesboro, Ky., but claims may be presented to me at the office of Bean and Kent, at Lubbock, Texas.
MRS. ROBERT B. GIBSON,
Administratrix of the Estate of Robert B. Gibson, Deceased.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION
Notice is hereby given that the Lubbock Machine Company, a partnership composed of W. W. Williams and T. A. Rogers, intends to incorporate and hereinafter to conduct the business of the Lubbock Machine Company under such name and as a corporation, with its place of business in the city of Lubbock, at the present location of the Lubbock Machine Company.

AUTOMOBILES

35—Automobiles For Sale

Co-Ed Queen


University of North Dakota students named Miss Eunice Courtney, above, of Page, N. D., Home-coming Queen and leader of the Sioux "pow-wow" parade. She is shown here in a genuine Sioux costume which she wore Home-coming Day.

Two Youths Are To Face Charge

WAYNE, W. Va., Dec. 31. (AP)—Two youths were added today to the list of suspects in the fatal poisoning of Maude Webb, 26-year-old mentally deficient farm girl.

Warrants for both youths, Deputy Sheriff J. T. Maynard, said, will be served today at a hearing for Smith Webb, 50, father of the young woman, charged with poisoning her and making preparations for her burial in a shallow grave. One of the youths, Mate Webb, 17, brother of the dead girl, will be charged with murder, Maynard said, while the other, whose name was not disclosed, will be arrested as an accessory.

Maynard said the girl may have been poisoned as an act of "Mercy." Officers said also an insurance policy was issued on Maude's life shortly before her death and that an examination showed she was an expectant mother.

NECK IS BROKEN

PALESTINE, Dec. 31. (AP)—George Hooper, 21, farmer of Elkhart, was killed today on the S. P. Terrell farm when a grindstone being operated by an automobile flew off and struck him, breaking his neck. Hooper was grinding an axe when the accident occurred. Surviving are his widow and one child.

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Amarillo, Texas

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PHONE 78

Cotton Thursday Cotton Trading Is Quiet **Livestock** Broad Demand On Cattle Is Seen **Grain** Higher Prices On Grain Seen

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 31. (AP)—Cotton was quiet today with trading restricted to pre-holiday liquidation and evening up over the long new year holiday. After a steady opening in sympathy with good cables the market turned easier despite a steady stock market and declined 7 to 8 points closing finally steady at the bottom and showing net declines for the day of 3 to 6 points.

The market opened steady as Liverpool came in 2 to 3 penny points better than due. Private cables stated that there was local and continental buying on easier sterling exchange. Manchester cabled that there were moderate cloth sales to the home trade and South America.

On the late trading May made a new low at 6.42 down 8 points from the high while the other months duplicated earlier lows. The close was at the bottom.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (AP)—After holding steady during the greater part of the day cotton turned easier in the later trading under southern selling and realizing liquidation.

March contracts after selling up to 6.81 on the first brake to 6.44 at the close with the general market closing easy at net declines of 3 to 9 points.

The opening was steady at an advance of 1 to 3 points on covering and trade buying which was again believed to be partly for far eastern account. May advanced to 6.68 and July to 6.85 on the initial demand.

Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (AP)—
STOCKS firm; leaders advance moderately.
BONDS strong; governments buoyant.
CURB firm; narrow gains general.
FOREIGN exchanges irregular; sterling soft.
COTTON barely steady; pre-holiday covering; steadier stock and grain markets.
SUGAR steady; higher spot market.
COFFEE steady; foreign buying.
CHICAGO—
WHEAT steady; firmness foreign; smaller Russian exports.
CORN steady; unfavorable weather; smaller Argentine exports.
CATTLE strong to higher.
HOGS steady to higher.

Old Year Passes Unwept And Street Turns To Calendar For A New Start

BY JOHN L. COOLEY
Associated Press Financial Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (AP)—Nineteen thirty-one passed unwept and unhonored into market history today. Wall street was heartily glad to be rid of it and to turn the calendar for a new start.

There was no spirited, belated marking up of share prices generally, although many preferred issues felt the benefit of strong sponsorship or investment buying. Bonds, however, acquired a noticeable degree of buoyancy, making the largest average gain since December 19.

German issues were especially prominent.

Stocks advanced smoothly during the morning and early afternoon, getting a point or two higher despite a steady dribble of last minute income tax sales for cash. In the last half hour trading became very dull and the market tapered off under realizing, final prices being irregular and changes narrow. The net variation in the ninety stock composite was a gain of two-tenths of a point. Transfers aggregated 1,535,000 shares.

Livestock

MIDWESTERN LIVESTOCK

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 31. (AP)—A broad demand prevailed at the majority of cattle markets and supplies were well cleaned up at mostly strong to 25 higher levels with spots 50 up. Practically all killing classes shared in the advance which to partially equalize declines effected on earlier days. The general bulk of fed steers and yearlings moved within a spread of 5.00@8.00 with a few loads at 9.00@9.50. Several consignments of weighty steers and long yearlings of choice quality made 9.75@11.50. Some little activity developed on short fed heifers with 5.00@6.50 taking the bulk. Most replacement steers sell at 3.75@5.50.

Hog trade also was fairly active at mostly 10 to 25 higher figures with a top of 4.70 taking best butchers in St. Louis.

Grain

FORT WORTH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, Dec. 31. (AP) — Cash grain demand very good.

Quotations ranged as follows, basis carloads delivered Texas Gulf ports, export rate, freight paid:

Wheat, No. 1 ordinary hard milling 59@60; No. 1 hard 13 per cent protein 61@62; 14 per cent 65@66; 15 per cent 69@70; 16 per cent 73@74.

Sorghums, No. 2 milo per 100 lbs. 66@70; No. 2 kaffir 66@70.

Basis delivered group one points:

Corn, No. 2 mixed 42@43; No. 3 white 44@45; No. 2 yellow 44@46.

Basis delivered group three: Oats, No 2 red 24@25.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 31. (AP)—Higher prices for grain sparkled brightly at times in the futures delivery trading pits today, but flickered out to some extent at the finish.

Rumors of a revolt in Russia gave zest to a sudden buying movement that temporarily hoisted wheat values about 1 1-2 cents. The rumors, however, were unconfirmed, and late in the day German advices said Russian resellers were offering wheat at lower quotations.

Wheat closed irregular at 7-8 to 1 1-4 decline for December and 3-8 to 5-8 advance for other futures, corn unchanged to 1-2 to 5-8 higher, oats 3-4 off to 3-4 to 7-8 up, and provisions unchanged to a setback of 2 cents.

Official Records

Warranty Deeds

Filed in the office of the county clerk Wednesday, December 30. Compiled by Wilson Abstract company, 804 Thirteenth street.

J. M. Morean et ux to R. M. Morean, Aug. 30, 1930, $4,100, lot 12, block 101, Overton addition.

George W. Foster to Ollie T. Foster, Dec. 29, 1931, $1,800 and other considerations, lot 1, block 77, Overton addition and lot 1, block 25, Overton addition.

Intentions To Wed

A. Vineyard, 63, and Mrs. Nella Meider, both of Abernathy.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Raymond McMaster and Miss Velma Talley, both of Abernathy.

Charles C. Redeffer and Miss Marie Johnson, both of Lubbock.

Courts

COUNTY COURT
L. L. PITTS, JUDGE PRESIDING
Memphill-Wells company vs. Hal Brody, suit on account.
Citizens National bank of Lubbock vs. F. Johnston et al, suit on note.
SEVENTY-SECOND DISTRICT COURT
ROMER L. PHARR, JUDGE PRESIDING
Rogers Asbestos company, Inc., vs. A. Hensley, R. Bedford and Gaylord Hanna, suit for debt.
NINETY-NINTH DISTRICT COURT
CLARK M. MULLICAN, JUDGE PRESIDING
Temple Trust company vs. Alvin O. White, Lily White and Jeff Graham, suit for debt and foreclosure.

New Mexico Licenses

CLOVIS, N. M., Dec. 31. (Special) — Late marriage licenses issued by the county clerk of Curry county include:

Johnnie Self and Jessie Henderson, Littlefield, Texas.

Morris Small, Canyon and Vivian Way, Idalou, Texas.

Thomas White and Esther Vaughn, Fort Sumner.

Joan Morris, Grier, and Helen Harper, Ranchvale.

Ruth Clay and Helen Hay, Plainview, Texas.

Raybum Carpenter and Anna Mae Hayes, Littlefield, Texas.

G. Hand and Virgia Lavonia Taylor, Clovis, Texas.

Paul J. Burton, Kansas City and Della Jones, Clovis.

Albert Robert and Bertie Maynard, Brock, Texas.

C. Elrod and May Pittman, Amarillo, Texas.

ROSWELL, N. M., Dec. 31. (Special) — A marriage license was issued here to Carl Albert Essary of Hagerman and Miss Opal Beverly, Sudan, Texas.

Bombing Plots

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bomb, it likewise burst with a powerful detonation and was believed to have been loaded with nitroglycerine and T N T.

A similar package also was received in Youngstown, Ohio, by Dr. A. Rasapepe, Italian consular agent, and given to the police. A rifle shot exploded it with the same terrific force that characterized the others.

Police Get Credit

Interception of the bombs yesterday was credited as largely due to the New Year police department which learned several packages of explosives had been dispatched from that city and notified officials at the various points of destination.

Meantime federal officials were reported as massing for one of the most intensive investigations in the history of the department.

Although extremely reticent regarding steps being taken to run the plotters to earth the entire detail from Chicago last night was reported "on the street" a term used to indicate agents are scouring the city for suspects. Similar activities were reported from Washington and other cities affected.

Thus far there have been three casualties from the plot — all at Easton, Pa. Two postal clerks were killed Wednesday while inspecting a package suspected of containing a bomb, and a dynamite expert who was called on to inspect other packages in the same shipment was injured fatally.

Hundreds Flee

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ing over the dykes in many places. Additional boats will be needed to carry out the refugees from the hill crests to the towns. The first fleet sent out was merely to warn all to take flight.

Thrown In Panic

The desperate situation was not realized until today.

The population was thrown into a state of panic. As virtually no hope was held for the miles of levees holding through the night.

A cloudburst last night sent the Tallahatchie river on a new rampage right at the time when 1,000 refugees were preparing to return to their homes.

Mrs. Mollie Hodges Nicholson, field worker of the national Red Cross, left Clarksdale for Glendora today to survey the situation and determine relief measures.

Plane Crash

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the boys notified Snodgrass who with the help of neighbors pulled the injured persons from the wreckage and then brought out the three bodies. Bowen appeared to be conscious but was unable to speak. The injured passenger was unconscious.

Ambulances Rushed

Word of the accident was telphoned to nearby cities and doctors and ambulances from Springfield reached the scene while Snodgrass and others were rescuing the victims. After receiving first aid the injured were placed in ambulances and taken to Columbus.

An examination of the plane failed to show the cause of the crash, but several persons expressed the belief the right wing collapsed. The ship landed on its right side and was buried deeply in the ground.

Investigation of the accident was started immediately by Captain Frank M. McKee, Ohio director of aeronautics.

The plane's daily route was between Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Cincinnati and Louisville.

Merkel High School Student Crushed To Death By Truck

ABILENE, Dec. 31. (AP) — J. W. Mansfield, jr., 16, Merkel high school student, was killed on the highway at the entrance of this city today when he fell from a loaded truck and his head was crushed on the pavement by the wheels of the truck trailer. The truck was loaded with farm implements, and the youth was riding atop the load.

San Saba County Man Shot To Death; Relative Held

SAN SABA, Dec. 31. Will Edmondson was shot to death last night near the town of Locker, San Saba county. Two bullets penetrated his head.

His son-in-law, Aubrey Hopson, surrendered to Sheriff Graves immediately after the slaying. Hopson declined to make a statement. Sheriff Graves was conducting an investigation to determine the cause of the shooting.

Edmondson was acquitted at Georgetown in the spring of 1930 on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Fred Bolinger. It was his sixth trial on the charge. Hopson was a state witness.

Democratic Tariff Measure To Be Taken Up On Monday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31 (AP)— A Democratic tariff measure is to be given legislative right of way in the house next week with a tax increase bill to come up as soon thereafter as possible.

Determined to expedite house action on these and other economic measures, Democratic leaders plan to submit the tariff proposal to the joint senate-house policy committee Monday.

AUTHORIZE INCREASE

AUSTIN, Dec. 31 (AP) — Tracking action of the interstate commerce commission, the Texas railroad commission authorized an increase in freight rates effective next Monday on intra-state traffic to correspond with the raise allowed on interstate shipments by the federal agency.

CASE GIVEN JURY

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 31 (AP)— A federal court jury was given the Universal Oil and Gas company mail fraud case tonight with instructions from Judge Edgar S. Vaught to begin deliberations tomorrow morning.

Lamesa Attorney Elected As President Of Luncheon Club

LAMESA, Dec. 31. — At the semi-annual meeting of the Business Men's Luncheon club here this week, Louis B. Read, local attorney, was elected president, succeeding Dr. Roy C. Loveless, who has served the past 12 months; Aubrey Thomas, manager of Higginbotham-Bartlett company here, was elected Vice-president; and Arthur Hull, of the Hull Cash Grocery, was chosen secretary-treasurer. The clubs program of work and activities during the next six months will be laid out at its next meeting, it is said.

The club is 5 years old this coming February, and has missed only one meeting during this time. It is attended by business and professional men in all the walks of life in the city, and is "Everybody's Club."

African lung-fish have the power of filling their air-bladders and burying themselves in mud, thus escaping the effects of prolonged droughts.

Local Markets

These prices are furnished by the following Lubbock firms: Poultry — Lubbock Poultry and Egg company, delivered Lubbock; Grain — S. E. Cone Grain and Seed company, following prices being asked by Lubbock grain dealers Cotton—Slocker Cotton company. All prices subject to change during day.

POULTRY

Hens, 4 lbs. and up	9c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	7c
Colored springs	9c
Leghorn springs	4c
Stags	5c
Cocks	4c
Capons, 8 lbs. and over	11c
Capons, under 8 lbs.	9c
Slips	7c
No. 1 Young Tom turkeys, 14 lbs. and up	13c
Old toms	8c
No. 2 and light turkeys	7c
No. 1 Hen turkeys, 9 lbs. and up	13c
Geese and ducks	2c
Guineas, each	30c
Fresh country eggs, per dozen	15c
Green hides, No. 1	2c
Green hides, bulls and damaged	1c
Horse and mule hides, each	$3
Butterfat, station price, No. 1	16c
Butterfat, station price, No. 2	13c
Butterfat, direct shippers, No. 1	19c
GRAIN	
Threshed milo maize	28c-30c
Threshed kafir	28c-30c
Maize heads	$3
Kafir heads	$3
Wheat	30c-35c
Corn, No. 2 white	28c-30c
Corn, No 2 mixed	28c-30c
COTTON	
Middling, 7-8 staple	5.80c
Middling, short staple	5.30c
Lower grades	4.15c-5.15c

Thursday's local grain receipts:

Kafir	1 car
Milo	2 cars

Cotton Lead

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tions. With fair weather, picking and ginning will increase.

By counties, the comparative estimates are:

County	1931	1930
Bailey	13,556	4,244
Briscoe	5,916	3,715
Cochran	2,806	No Report
Crosby	26,745	8,187
Dawson	42,612	31,399
Dickens	23,319	10,225
Floyd	10,187	6,913
Gaines	3,147	3,536
Garza	13,681	5,646
Hale	24,482	15,398
Hockley	47,245	25,079
Lamb	51,213	32,229
Lubbock	50,579	31,131
Lynn	42,134	26,085
Motley	9,436	4,934
Scurry	19,268	16,666
Terry	26,059	21,620
Total	427,387	246,407

Indian War

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roy was understood to be so phrased that it leaves a loophole which might prevent another disastrous campaign.

In effect he wrote, "if you refuse to allow discussion of the ordinances it means that our peaceful relations are ended. In that case I shall have no alternative except to call upon the country to renew the struggle. I beg you to reconsider your decision."

Answer Is Worded

Tonight while the European community was ringing out the old year and ringing in the new at the fashionable clubs and hotels, Gandhi sat under an old tattered tent, laboriously writing his answer to the viceroy by the light of a flickering lantern.

Squatting around him, mute and grim, were the members of his "cabinet." At frequent intervals the white-robed, hooded figure of Miss Madeline Slade slipped in to attend to Gandhi's wants.

In the midnight stillness there was not a sound except the scratch of Gandhi's pen.

Fourth Victim Of Poisoned Liquor Dies; Tells Of Party

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 31. (AP)— A fourth victim of poison liquor within 24 hours, George Graham, died at a hospital today.

Graham told the police he and three men, who died yesterday together with other transients had had a drinking party in a box car Tuesday night.

The three men who were found dead along a railroad track yesterday were James C. Huston, Tulsa, Fred Baxter, Pennsylvania; and an unidentified man.

New Year's Dawn Brings Promises Of Bitterly Contested Political Fights

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not seeking re-election, imbroglios are foreseen.

Durwood Bradley, district attorney, is "out of politics" in favor of a private law practice. His name had been mentioned as a candidate for 72nd district judge, but he spiked the rumors yesterday.

Franklin D. Brown, Lubbock attorney, to date is the only man publicly seeking Bradley's office. Burton S. Burks, assistant district attorney, is non-committal; but Vaughn E. Wilson, county attorney, generally is believed marking time to announce his candidacy. Wilson too, is not ready to make public his plans. George S. Berry, local attorney, frequently mentioned as district attorney, has "no definite announcement." Daniel Blair's answer to queries about his being in this race was "I don't think so."

Awaiting Decision

Should Wilson seek the district office, the county attorney's place would be wide open. William H. Evans, Wilson's assistant, probably would run, but is awaiting Wilson's public decision. W. D. Benson, jr. local attorney, is looking on the race with favor. Ben Kucera, legion commander, several times mentioned as a possible candidate, is not looking for the place, he said.

J. C. Roberts, local constable, has decided to attempt an upward move. He has announced for sheriff—an office sought by four other men, including Sheriff Wade Hardy, already. Cap Moore is considered planning a race for constable. John McCullough's name also has been mentioned for constable.

Tax Collector A. J. Clark is not seeking re-election, and William H. Carpenter, Clark's chief deputy and a member of the collector's staff five years, will be in the race. Sam T. Davis, former county clerk, will oppose Carpenter.

More Seek Sheriff

Sheriff Hardy, seeking re-election for a third term, has more opposing candidates than any other official. The sheriff's office in West Texas counties usually has a strong drawing at election time and, despite change to the fee system which has cut down the office's earnings, apparently has not lost its interest this year. Constable Roberts, C. A. Holcomb, former sheriff; Police Chief T. J. (Tom) Able of Slaton, and W. B. (Bill) Smith, former Potter county officer, are definitely in the swim.

Rumors have it that Marshall Rhoads, Lubbock county farmer probably will cast his headgear for sheriff, too. O. B. Conley, former chief deputy sheriff, has been mentioned often for the race, but he was quoted indirectly Thursday as saying he probably would not run.

Judge Homer L. Pharr of 72nd district court already is opposed for re-election by two men—one of Lubbock and one of Crosbyton. Judge Pharr was appointed by Governor Dan Moody to the judgeship in 1927 and was elected in 1928. Robert H. Bean, former Lubbock county judge, has announced for the race, as has W. P. Walker, a Crosbyton attorney.

Mullican Back In

Judge Clark M. Mullican, seeking re-election as 99th district judge has no opponent. Judge Mullican was named 72nd judge by Governor Pat Neff in 1923 and held that position until appointed by Governor Moody as 99th judge in 1927. He was returned to the office in the 1928 election.

Amos H. Howard, county clerk has made no statement regarding his plans, but two men already have announced for the place, Jim W. Hodges and Ed D. Allen, both of Lubbock, have committed themselves for the campaign. Should Howard decide not to seek re-election, Floe Swenson, chief deputy in Howard's office, probably will enter the campaign. Nolan Whitlow and Mrs. T. A. White, both of Lubbock, are considering the race.

Fred Spikes, Lubbock realtor, is opposing A. B. Ellis, incumbent, for the county tax assessor's office. Charles B. Metcalfe, serving as district clerk for the first term, has no opponent in that race. Miss Anne Ford has no opponent in her race to succeed herself as Lubbock county treasurer.

Commissioners Seek Return

All members of the county commissioners' court are seeking to be returned to office. None at present has an opponent. County Judge E. L. Pitts is seeking his second term as is Commissioner Claude A. Burrus of Lubbock, of precinct No. 1. L. C. (Claude) Denton, veteran county official, seeks re-election as commissioner of precinct No. 4; J. T. Pinkston of Slaton, precinct No. 2 commissioner, is seeking his fourth term, as is W. L. Brashear of Idalou, precinct No. 3 commissioner.

Names of Forney Henry, Homer Kelly and T. W. Covington have been mentioned at Slaton as possible candidates for commissioner from precinct 2.

Jess Levens, Lubbock attorney and city prosecutor, probably will be a candidate for state senator, he said Thursday. John Thomas of Tahoka, opponent of Representative Lockhart in the last election, is seeking to become state representative, he announced some time ago.

Randolph Candidate

Judge Hal C. Randolph of Plainview, member of the Amarillo civil appeals court whose term expires this year, is reported by Lubbock friends to be a candidate again. Alfred M. Scott of Lubbock has spiked reports he would seek the post.

Ocie Speer, Austin attorney, has declared his candidacy for associate justice of the supreme court to succeed Justice Pierson. Tom L. Hunter of Wichita Falls is only candidate definitely in the race for governor, although Governor Ross Sterling this week left no doubt about his being a candidate again.

Justice H. K. Porter, precinct 1, place 1, will be a candidate for re-election. Clarence O. Marquart of Lubbock is considering a race for this place also. Justice W. S. Clark is a candidate for re-election to place 2, precinct 1. Judge Porter is now serving his first term.

Outlines Information

J. K. Wester, Lubbock county Democratic chairman, Thursday outlined information regarding the 1932 elections.

Democratic candidates cannot make applications to put their names on the ticket before Monday, June 6; and the candidates must qualify on or before June 18. The primary election will be held Saturday, July 23; and the run-off contest four weeks later, August 20. The general election is Tuesday, November 8.

Republicans will not get out a county ticket, local GOP members said yesterday, but will join in putting out a state ticket. Dr. L. E. Barr is county chairman.

There will be no race this year for county superintendent of public instruction. Miss Mae Murfee, incumbent, was named in 1930 for a four year term.

NEWS BRIEFS

Lubbock county commissioners court Thursday afternoon completed the 1931 business in a special session. Routine matters, including approval of fees, were handled. All members were present, Judge E. L. Pitts presided. Commissioners present were: Claude A. Burrus, precinct No. 1; J. T. Pinkston of Slaton, precinct No. 2; W. L. Brashear, precinct No. 3; L. C. (Claude) Denton, precinct 4.

Arnold Kirmsse, wanted in Wisconsin on a charge of child abandonment, will be returned to Milwaukee by Deputy Sheriff H. A Hake who arrived here Thursday. Kirmse was arrested by Lubbock county officers last week.

The American Business club will meet today at Hotel Hilton for its regular luncheon. The session will be devoted largely to a business meeting, said Walter S. Ruffner, president, Thursday night.

A Chevrolet coupe, stolen Wednesday night from Walter Dennis, was recovered abandoned on Main street between Avenue K and L, police said. The car gasoline tank was empty. The machine was undamaged.

Brownfield Class Inspects Avalanche-Journal Thursday

Nine members of the wood-working and mechanical drawing class of Brownfield High school, headed by their instructor, O. Dennis, were in Lubbock yesterday on an inspection tour.

Accompanied by Superintendent of Schools A. B. Sanders, the boys visited Lubbock High school and then made a detailed inspection of the Avalanche-Journal plant and offices.

Both Messrs. Sanders and Dennis were connected with Ralls schools last year.

Tyrone Power Services Are To Be Simple On Saturday

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 31. (AP)—In compliance with his oft expressed wish, funeral services for Tyrone Power, 62, noted stage and screen actor will be simple.

Provisions were made for a solo to Tennyson's "Crossing The Bar," and a eulogy by some member of his profession at the services here Saturday morning. The body will be cremated.

Power died yesterday, apparently of heart disease. At the time of his death he was appearing in a film production of "The Miracle Man."

Six British Admiralty officials approved a submarine film recently recently released in England.

Sam T. Davis For Collector

Protection Of Taxpayers' Interests Is Pledged; Resident Of City 25 Years And Former Office Holder

Declaring that if he is elected it will be his duty to extend every courtesy and protection of taxpayers' interest, Sam T. Davis, Lubbock man, announced his Democratic candidacy for county tax collector Thursday.

Mr. Davis has been a resident of Lubbock for the past twenty-five years, his statement said, "and during that time I have taken great pleasure in adding my bit to the general advancement of this part of the county in watching its wonderful transformation from large cattle ranges into many beautiful farm homes and its villages grow into thriving cities."

"Three times the citizens of this county elected me to office of county clerk," his statement continued. "I served two and one-half terms, resigning during my last term to take the management of the West Texas hospital, which position I occupied for a period of eight years.

"My record, both as a public official and as a private citizen is an open book to every citizen of this county and on that record I am asking the support of the voters both men and women.

"Let me assure you that any favors shown me will be appreciated by me and if you see fit to elect me your county tax collector I will be on the job to extend to you every courtesy and protection of your interests.

"It will be my pleasure to see you personally, if possible. But if I fail to see you I kindly ask that you remember me at the polls with your support and also ask your friends to consider my claims."

Hodges Announces As Candidate For Clerk's Position

Jim W. Hodges Thursday announced his candidacy for county clerk, subject to the action of Democratic primaries.

A member of the firm of Hodges Bros. since 1910, Mr. Hodges has lived in Lubbock since 1922. His business experience includes 24 years of work in bookkeeping and auditing, which he believes qualifies him for the position he seeks.

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Of Our Entire Stock of Fine Jewelry

A free prize to the first 25 ladies entering our store Friday afternoon

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Leap Years are Lucky Years. Witness, especially, 1900, 1904, 1924 and 1928. But it is not on any star-gazer's theory of "luck" that we prophesy a Happy Year in 1932. For two years of readjustment have taught us all that Prosperity comes not unbidden . . . that it must be worked for, deserved. And the past year has seen a conscientious striving for better times; a return to the precepts of hard work, fellow-feeling and charity that have always characterized America at heart. And so we feel assured that 1932, deservedly, will go down in history as a year of reward well worked for.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

OLDEST BANK IN LUBBOCK COUNTY

OUR BIG
January Clearance
Sale Begins
Friday Morning
See Pages
3, 4, 5 and 6
Of This Paper for
Details--Four Pages Of
Sparkling Bargain News
Hemphill-Wells Co.

County Paving Work Is Ready

Lubbock County Today Has 47 Miles Of Concrete Paving In Service; Plans For Work In 1932 Underway

Lubbock county today has 47 miles of concrete paving completed and in service; 12.892 miles of grading and drainage under contract; 17.190 miles of caliche asphalt paving under contract and plans for 1932 for 42.50 additional miles of grading and drainage and paving work, to finish the county system of approximately 120 miles of state highway.

Cost of the paving work so far completed is $1,192,341.91 with two contracts, one half completed and the other to start early in 1932, not included.

Money for these two contracts has been posted with the state highway department, by the county commissioner's court.

To complete the program of over 42 miles, scheduled for 1932, as well as the surfacing of the grading contract now under way, will require approximately $350,000. Of this, the county's share will be less than half, because of federal aid projects.

A little over two years ago a bond issue of $891,000 was voted by residents of the county to pave 101 miles of state highway. Of this sum, $21,500 according to J. Y. Boyd, county auditor, was used to retire road district bonds, leaving an actual balance of $869,500.

"Lubbock county bonds have been sold amounting to $890,000," Mr. Boyd said in reply to a query on the status of the bond fund." We have $369,500 of unsold bonds.

"In addition there is an unexpended balance in all of the different completed highway project funds in excess of $50,000 to $60,000. While I do not have the costs before me, I know we have more than enough money in the road funds and in unsold bonds to meet our share of unfinished projects."

Highway No. 9 north and south across the county has been paved. The distance, 28.725 miles, cost $750,789.87. The grading and drainage contract north was let July 31, 1930; first work begun on August 18 and completed March 19, 1931. The paving contract was let February 26, 1921, work began March 31 and was completed August 18 the same year. South, the dirt work contract was let August 1, 1930, work began September 8 and completed December 29, that year. On July 30, 1931 the paving contract was let, work began August 31 and was completed November 30, 1931.

The first contract was the paving of No. 7, Lubbock to Slaton. This was let February, 28, 1930, work beginning May 12 and the job completed November 7, 1930. No. 7 northwest of Lubbock is to be finished in 1932. The dirt contract was let December 1, 1930 and work started January 1, 1931, with completion date March 19. The caliche base and asphalt top contract was let November 30, 1931 and work is scheduled to start about January 15. This will complete paving on that highway.

On June 23, 1931 a contract was let for paving .585 of a mile on College avenue, or highway No. 7 and also 1.99 miles on College and 19th street on highway 137. Work began July 27 and was completed September 9. Cost of the two jobs was $92,246.69.

The work completed on No. 7 cost $449,288.35. An additional cost of approximately $125,000 will be spent on the northwest section.

The division construction engineer, Guy R. Johnston, has plans practically finished for the surfacing on No. 137. He is also making plans for grading and surfacing No. 24 west to the Hockley county line, a distance of 10.25 miles from the junction of No. 137.

When the legal complications delaying further work on No. 24 east through Idalou to the Crosby county lines are out of the way, this job is to be let; probably early in the spring. Distance is 19.45 miles to the county line.

When the route on No. 7 between Slaton and Snyder has been fully determined, and title is expected to be within 90 days, plans are to be started for grading and drainage and then surfacing of the 4.5 miles from Slaton south to the Garza county line near Southland.

This will finish the county program. The program will cost in all approximately $1,550,000 and will give Lubbock county a total of 111 miles of all weather highway, one of the largest paved surface of any county in West Texas.

English Baronet's Delayed Honeymoon Starts; Plans To Return To England

WATERLOO, Ia., Dec. 31. (AP)—A honeymoon delayed almost two years was begun today by Sir Reginald and Lady Wolseley of Devonshire, England. They are leaving today for New York to embark Saturday for England on the Baltic.

Sir Reginald, plain "Dick" Wolseley, unassuming elevator operator in a local office building until May, 1930, succeeded to the title of baronet upon the death of his mother. However, Miss Marian Baker, who had nursed Mrs. Wolseley during her last illness, came to Waterloo with the information that his mother wished Sir Reginald to share his title with Miss Baker.

He acceded and on May 25 they were married. However, title or no title, Wolseley refused to accompany his wife back to England and remained at his job when she returned.

When Lady Wolseley failed to come back after a year's time the couple was divorced. Sir Reginald charged desertion.

On Dec. 16, however, he announced she had returned to Waterloo and was again pressing him to return to England. He remained cool toward the prospect through many conferences but announced Dec. 27 he had yielded and would return to his native land and actively assume his title.

Sir Reginald is related to Field Marshal Viscount Wolseley and Admiral Earl Beattie.

Two Men Are Jailed On Plea Of Guilty To Theft Charge

Theft of clothing from the prisoners' locker at the Lubbock county jail Thursday landed two men in the jail with sentences imposed by County Judge E. L. Pitts.

W. M. Murphy and Ben Nichols yesterday pleaded guilty to theft of an overcoat and shirts from the locker. Each was charged with theft over $5 and theft under $5. Fifteen days in jail, a fine of $5 and court costs amounting to $23 were assessed against each.

Sam Franklin and Fred Cook, charged with theft of an overcoat, pleaded guilty and were sentenced to 30 days in jail and ordered to pay court costs.

BEETLE TREE CHOPPER

Huge trees in Brazilian forests are felled by beetles, which dig a furrow around the trunk, going deeper and deeper until the tree falls. These insects destroy much valuable timber each year.

Australia has placed a sales tax on building materials.

Optimism For Year Is Seen

Committees For New Year Are Named At Kiwanis Luncheon Thursday; Kuykendall Will Take Over Reins

Optimism for 1932 was expressed and committees named at the meeting Thursday of the Kiwanis club at Hotel Lubbock. President Jack M. Lewis reviewed the activities of the past year and George P. Kuykendall, president elect, announced personnel of this year's committees.

Dr. Lewis presided for his last time Thursday, Mr. Kuykendall taking over the program at the close of his talk and announcing plans for the year.

Members of the Lubbock Kiwanis club who mention the word "depression" in talks before the club during 1932 will be fined twenty-five cents for each time the word is mentioned, the club members voted Thursday.

Citing an average attendance of 70 per cent, support of all civic enterprises, visits to other clubs, underprivileged child work, charity work and other activities, President Lewis gave a brief review of 1931.

Committees as announced by Mr. Kuykendall are: Agriculture—W. L. Stangle, chairman, R. C. Pace and Garnet Reeves; Finances—W. C. Wood, chairman, T. E. Buckner and J. M. Bennett; Inter-club relations—H. D. Woods, chairman, Chas. Read and R. S. Rodgers; Public affairs—W. H. Rodgers, chairman, O. W. McLeod and L. C. Ellis; Under-privileged child—Dr. Fred W. Standefer, chairman, Chas Whitacre and Del Morgan; Attendance—Dr. J. B. Jackson, chairman, W. C. Rylander and Tom Garrard; Vocational guidance and placement—Ray Mowrey, chairman, Dr. G. C. Turner and W. H. Fowler; Kiwanis education—Dr. Jack M. Lewis, chairman, B. Sherrod and Parker Prouty; Music—J. D. Carroll, chairman, J. D. Carnett and O. J. Felty; Publicity—C. W. Ratliff, chairman, Russell Smith and Jim Sickel; Laws and regulations—Claude A. Burrus, chairman, M. H. Duncan, and Dr. R. B. Hutchinson; Business standards—C. E. Maedgen, chairman, O. V. Adams and L. E. Grimes; Program—Clark M. Mullican, chairman, Dr. Millard F. Swart and A. C. Jackson; Reception and house—Dude Buster, chairman, Dwight Hale and K. L. Riggs; Good will and grievances — Dr. Allan T. Stewart, chairman, C. L. Svenson and J. W. Garrett, and Membership and classifications—J. D. Hassell, chairman, Dr. O. W. English and R. Q. Pierce.

PARIS, Dec. 31. (AP)—Jim Loughmiller, 55, was found early today in the yard of his residence, shot and fatally wounded, a pistol lay beside him. He died shortly afterward in a hospital. Officers learned that Loughmiller, who lived near Brookestown, had come to Paris to sell cotton.

Holcomb Takes Demos' Slogan

C. A. Holcomb Announces As A Candidate For Sheriff And Slogan Is "Hee Haw, Holcomb Is Coming Back"

Choosing a slogan similar to the one adopted by the Democratic party, C. A. Holcomb, a resident of Lubbock county for 21 years and a former sheriff, Thursday announced his candidacy for sheriff of Lubbock county on the Democratic ticket. He announced as his slogan, "Hee Haw, Holcomb is coming back."

Mr. Holcomb is a native Texan and has been a Democrat and lived all of his life in this state, he said. He served as city marshal of Lubbock for two years and was sheriff of the county from 1919 until 1923.

"I promise that if I am elected that I will enforce the law to the letter," Mr. Holcomb's statement said.

Argentina plans to encourage the production of Argentine motion pictures.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for CHI-CHESTER S-DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 42 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHESTER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 42 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHESTER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, and Gold Metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHESTER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 42 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. Buy of your Druggist.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Twelve Men Toil Toward Pikes Peak Crest To Salute Spirit Of Explorer With Fire As The Old Year Goes On

COLORADO SPRINGS, Dec. 31. (AP)—While roaring winds tore at the barren, battle-scared sides of Pikes Peak today, twelve men were toiling upward through a wilderness of white, winddriven ice that the stormy spirit of Roald Amundsen, Arctic explorer, may be saluted in fire as the old year dies.

On the stroke of midnight tonight the Adaman club will, if it has reached the top, dispatch one pure white rocket into the north in its annual tribute to the explorer who lost his life in the Arctic while carrying succor to the Noble expedition.

Amundsen was the only honorary member the club had. He alone of those who call the club their own had not climbed Pikes Peak in dead winter to greet the new year.

Each year the club adds one member—hence its name. This year Charles Cogan of Colorado Springs is the novice. Starting with five charter members, the club now lists 14, a dozen of whom began the climb early yesterday.

After the white Amundsen rocket has been fired, the club will set off the one and one-half tons of fireworks it had carried to the top of the peak before snow flew.

Through nine journeys to the top the Adaman club has managed to arrive in safety if not in comfort. Hands and feet have been frozen several times but no member has yet lost his life in the club.

PRORATION UNCHANGED

PAMPA, Dec. 31. (AP)—State proration officials announced today that the Panhandle oil field allowable for January would remain unchanged at 55,000 barrels of oil daily. The field potential, as shown by a gauging of all wells, was 105,526 barrels daily. Marginal wells, most of them in Hutchinson county, produce nearly half of the field's allowable.

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