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Congress Passes \$45,000,000 Drouth Relief Bill Negro Under Heavy Guard To Prevent Mob Violence

Ex-Convict Is Charged With Slaying Girl

Nineteen-Year-Old Missouri School Teacher Criminally Assaulted and Beaten to Death; Confession Made

Footprints Found

Analysis of Bloodstains on Clothing Reveals Rabbit Blood Smear Over Human Blood; Find Elm Club

By Associated Press. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 19.—Raymond Gunn, 30-year-old negro ex-convict and trapper, was held under heavy guard in the county jail here tonight for the slaying of Miss Velma Colter, 19-year-old teacher who was criminally assaulted and beaten to death at a rural school near Maryville, Mo., last Tuesday.

The negro was brought here hurriedly to escape possible mob action after County Attorney Paul R. Jones at Maryville said a confession had been obtained.

Footprints Leads to Arrest. A footprint in straw mud led to his identification and the confession, authorities stated.

The imprint was found in a gully near the school where a man had been seen lurking before the teacher's death. It was carefully removed and a wax impression made.

Officials said the footprint tallied with one of the negro's shoes, even to the indentations made by nails in the sole.

The weapon alleged to have been used in the slaying—an elm club which Gunn said he carried to kill some he trapped—was found today in a ravine near Maryville to which the prisoner directed searches.

Epithelial bloodstains on his clothing by saying he had been hunting rabbits. An analysis of the bloodstains revealed human blood on his garments.

Gunn served a four-year sentence in the Missouri penitentiary for an attack on a girl student at the Northwestern State Teachers' college at Maryville, where the slain girl was a co-ed in 1928.

Lindy, Anne Check Flames in Plane

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 19.—Flames burst from the motor of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's red and black monoplane here today and both he and Mrs. Lindbergh, the former Anne Morrow, showed evidence of mind in checking them before serious damage was done. The trans-Atlantic flier was twirling the propeller of the plane aided by a mechanic, when without warning smoke and flames burst from under the cowling about the motor. Apparently gasoline and oil ignited from backfire.

Colonel Lindbergh ran to the cockpit, where his wife was seated, seized a hand fire extinguisher, opened the cowling and began squirting the chemical into the motor.

Mrs. Lindbergh was seated in the pilot's seat, the controls in front of her, and she cut off both the flow of gasoline and the ignition, preventing more serious damage. She did not leave the cockpit after the national guardmen guarding the plane had run to her husband's assistance.

BARREN IS KILLED. STRAWN, Dec. 19.—Joe Loving, 44, a barber, was instantly killed by a passenger train today.

CONFERENCE CALLED. To Discuss Prevention of Loss Of Texas' Rainfall. AUSTIN, Dec. 19.—Discussion of methods of preventing the loss of Texas' rainfall was the broad subject outlined today by Gov. Dan Moody in calling a water conservation conference to meet in Waco January 6.

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Mrs. Keith-Miller, it was stated by her mother, Mrs. E. M. L. Beveridge, had suffered with severe kidney trouble since the southern crash which smashed up her plane.

Picture Shepard Both as Wronged Man and Fiend

Murder Trial Arguments Under Way; Case Of Army Major To Be Given to Jury Today

By Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 19.—Contrasting pictures of Major Charles A. Shepard as a diabolical poisoner who took his wife's life because of his love for another woman and as a wronged man and as a victim of a chain of circumstances cleverly linked against him by government agents—were drawn in closing arguments today in the army medical officer's murder trial.

The case will be given to the jury tomorrow, probably early in the afternoon. L. E. Wyman, assistant district attorney, presented the prosecution's side of the case today and C. L. Kasey, Beloit, Kan., former United States minister to Finland, argued for acquittal of the defendant.

Arguments End Today. Harry B. Glass, Denver, will deliver the final plea for the defense tomorrow morning and will be followed by District Attorney Sardinus M. Brewster who will close for the government. The jury will be charged by Judge Richard J. Hopkins probably at the start of the afternoon session of court.

Wyman told the jury that Shepard fell in love with Miss Grace Brandon, blond stenographer of San Antonio, Tex., and poisoned his wife, Mrs. Zenana Shepard, at Fort Riley, Kan., in 1929 so he could wed the Texas girl.

Kagey on the other hand characterized Miss Brandon as "an army post flapper" who, he asserted, "trapped" the 38-year-old defendant. The attorney argued Shepard thought the girl really loved him, that his life with Mrs. Shepard had been so unhappy he was in need of sympathy and did only the natural thing in turning to her.

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Nine Victims Of Sea Sought

Two Farm Youths in Hospital Recovering From Attempts to Save Occupants of Ill-Fated Fishing Launch

By Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—The bodies of nine persons drowned when their fishing launch capsized near the entrance to Tomales Bay, 30 miles north of here, last night, were sought today by coast guardsmen, rescuers and fishermen.

Two farm youths, Ornburn and Grant Gray, were in a Petaluma hospital recovering from attempts to save the nine.

Ornburn Gray said he and his brother went to the launch which was stalled about a mile out last night. When a line was tossed, he said, one of the women, instead of fastening it to the bow of the launch, jumped into the water and was pulled into the brothers' row boat.

Others followed he said, and the rescue boat was tipped over. At the same time a wave capped the larger boat.

The Gray brothers started for shore, taking with them one of the women, Ornburn, leaving the woman, was thrown against a rock and suffered three broken ribs. The woman disappeared. The brothers were the only ones to reach shore.

FOUR NAMES MISSING. Returns Held Necessary for Certificate of Election. AUSTIN, Dec. 19.—Names of four nominees for the legislature were missing today as employees of the state canvassing board checked over election returns preparatory to issuing proclamations of election.

The missing four were Hugh Jones, Center; John W. Laird, Lufkin; T. D. Richardson, Grand Saline, and W. C. Carpenter, Bay City.

These nominees have been notified the secretary of state cannot issue them certificates of election unless returns are sent in.

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Report Forty Drowned As Ships Collide

Finnish Steamer Sinks Off of Danish Coast Following Sea Crash With Another Steamer. Telegraph Dispatch Says

Dense Fog Blamed

Nineteen Passengers and Crew of Sixty Carried by Ill-Fated Ship; Search Is Made for Missing Castaways

By Associated Press. LONDON, Dec. 20. (Saturday).—An exchange telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen quotes a message from the captain of the steamer Arcturus as saying 40 persons were drowned when the Finnish steamer Arcturus sank last night off the Danish coast after a collision with the steamer Arcturus.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 19.—About a dozen persons were missing, it was reported tonight following sinking of the 3,000-ton fishing steamer Obregon which went down near Lessee Tri Del lightship after a collision with the steamer Arcturus.

The collision occurred about 10 o'clock tonight in a dense fog according to messages received here. The messages said the Obregon launched her lifeboats, most of which subsequently were found by the Arcturus, which although badly damaged above the water line, was able to take up immediately the search for the castaways.

Several vessels, including the Swedish gunboat Svenskund, soon reached the scene of the disaster and late tonight still were standing by.

The Obregon carried 19 passengers and a crew of 60. It was not known late tonight whether those missing were passengers or members of the crew.

Slight Reduction in Wheat Acreage. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A reduction of 1.1 per cent in the acreage seeded to winter wheat as compared with a year ago was reported today by the department of agriculture together with an estimate of world wheat production for 1930 larger than in 1929.

Winter wheat acreage was estimated at 42,042,000 acres, 1.4 per cent below the average seedings during the previous five years, and "substantially above" the intended acreage reported in August.

Exclusive of production in Russia and China, the 1930 world wheat crop was estimated at 2,784,000,000 bushels as against 3,489,000,000 in 1929. The 1930 production in Russia, however, was reported at 1,157,400,000 bushels compared with 1929 production of 792,851,000 bushels.

BOYCOTTING DEFENDED. Livestock Middlemen Train Guns on Farm Board. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Livestock middlemen trained their guns today on the farm board and the constitutionality of the Agricultural Marketing act in their defense against charges of boycotting cooperatives at the St. Louis National Stock yards.

Counsel for nearly 30 respondents, called to show cause why they should not be suspended by the secretary of agriculture under the Packers and Stockyards act, attacked that law also. They served notice, too, that if the ruling was unfavorable to them, they would carry their fight to the courts.

PARLIAMENT ADJOURNS. Atmosphere Is Clouded With Doubt, Uncertainty. LONDON, Dec. 19.—A weary house of commons adjourned today until January 29 in an atmosphere crowded with doubt and uncertainty.

So many events have followed one another on the political stage with such great rapidity during the last weeks that members of all parties are puzzled as to where they stand. Only the boldest political prophets dare make any forecast as to what may happen, even immediately after parliament re-assembles.

The pact—officially it is not a pact—between liberals and Prime Minister MacDonald's labor government continues to be the keystone of the whole political situation, just as it had been the constant source of hopes, fears and rumors during the past two weeks.

STATE FILES SUIT. Damages Asked for "Inferior" Texas Highway Signs. AUSTIN, Dec. 19.—Claiming faulty workmanship and inferior materials were used in 24,113 state highway signs the attorney general filed suit today for \$16,536 damages against the Little Manufacturing company of Los Angeles and their bonding company.

The attorney general claimed the markers installed under a three-year guarantee had become unfit for use.

Aviatrix Dies

Mrs. Clair Fahy Dies After Crash

TONOPAH, Nev., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Clair Fahy, 29, above Los Angeles, died today in a crash Monday. An airplane came here from Los Angeles to return her body there. Mrs. Fahy, widow of Lieut. Herbert J. Fahy, flew here last Monday to attend an airport dedication. As she was taking off for the return trip the motor stalled. The ship went into a nose dive and fell 50 feet.

State Officer Shot to Death

Prohibition Inspector Is Slain While on Raiding Party at Home of Negro; Police Off to Return Slayer. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 19.—J. N. Wood, state prohibition inspector, was shot to death this afternoon at Warsaw, Va., while on a raiding party at the home of a negro.

Three officers were with Wood at the time he was killed. They reported to state prohibition headquarters here that Ronnie Cox, negro, fired on the party from a window as they approached Cox's home.

A detachment of thirteen state and Henrico county police were dispatched to Warsaw to bring Cox to Richmond on recommendation of Wood's companions.

SHAWNEE COUNTY SEAT. Oklahoma Governor Acts in Pottawatomie Row. OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 19.—Shawnee late today was declared the county seat of Pottawatomie county in a proclamation by Gov. W. J. Holloway.

The action was followed immediately by an order from Chief Justice Charles W. Mason and Justice E. F. Lester and Charles Swindall, of the state supreme court restraining removal of county records from Tecumseh until an election contest, filed by J. B. Dudley, attorney for Tecumseh, could be heard Monday.

Governor Holloway's proclamation, declaring Shawnee the new county seat, came after a day of canvassing returns from the special election held in Pottawatomie county December 17. It declared "Shawnee shall be and hereby is" the county seat.

TWO LOOT BANK. TRENTON, Mo., Dec. 19.—Two armed, unmasked men held up the Duniap State bank, nine miles east of here, this afternoon and escaped with approximately \$300 from the counters.

Huge Audience Hears Sinclair Lewis Deal With Criticism of Nobel Prize. GOTHENBURG, Sweden, Dec. 19.—A huge audience, many of the members of which had paid for their seats far in advance, tonight heard Sinclair Lewis deal once more with American criticism of his Nobel prize award for literature.

The red-headed author of "Babbalanza" had been told that a "gentleman named Van Dyke" had thought the Nobel committee was wrong and would have given the award to Wills Cather, the novelist.

"So would I," said Lewis. "I am very sorry to agree with Mr. Van Dyke, but I really have to agree with me."

Mr. Lewis denied he ever had attempted to give a complete description of American life.

"I never," he said, "go up and down the streets with sandwich board saying that I give true and full descriptions. Any one who wants to know America must read many other novels, maybe far more interesting."

"America is a continent, not a country," he continued. "And Stockholm and Rome might as well unite on the subject as San Francisco and New York."

Mr. Lewis said he found Europeans just as foolish as Americans.

Plan to Award \$5,000,000 in Highway Work

Highway Commission Will Let Contracts on Improvement of 291 Miles of Roads on January 19th and 20th

Use Federal Funds

Use of Local Labor Will Be Specified in Attempt to Relieve Unemployment; 36 Projects in 32 Counties

By Associated Press. AUSTIN, Dec. 19.—Contracts for the improvement of 291 miles of state highways, estimated to cost \$5,000,000, will be awarded by the highway commission January 19 and 20, according to a schedule issued today by Gibb Gilchrist. The program was one of the most ambitious announced by the department since early last summer.

Gilchrist said contracts will continue to specify the use of local labor so the work will be of benefit to as many persons as possible. A large portion necessitates the use of manual labor and will go far toward relieving unemployment, officials estimated.

To Use Federal Funds. Eighteen of the projects will be carried out with the aid of federal funds. The program called for 106.1 miles of concrete paving; 119.9 miles of bituminous surface treatment and other paving; 62.7 miles of grading and drainage structures and four bridges. The 36 projects were located in 32 counties.

Concrete paving contracts will be awarded for: Grayson county, 12 miles from Denison to Red river on Highway 51.

Houston county, 14.5 miles from Crockett, south on Highway 19. Nueces county, 16.4 miles from

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Oil Well Fire Is Still Unconquered

Wewoka, Okla., Dec. 19.—A giant torch fed by 60,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily still lit the heavens in eastern Seminole county tonight.

It was not expected the blaze in the number 2 A. B. Douglas well at the southern edge of Wewoka would be snuffed before Sunday or Monday for it will take that long to complete preparations for the nitroglycerin blast hoped to extinguish it.

M. M. Kinley, fire-eating wild-tamer of Tulsa and his associates were in charge of the squelching attempt.

The well, which has been dubbed the "Wild Abe" by oil field workers, ignited early this morning. It belched 3,000 feet of drill pipe into the air and tools from the hole were found as far as a half mile away. A large empty tank nearby was exploded when heat ignited accumulated gas.

TO ALLOW DIVORCE. New Division of Property in Thurman Case to Be Made. FORT WORTH, Dec. 19.—The divorce granted Mrs. Beryl Thurman from L. C. Thurman, wealthy oil man, October 2, will be allowed to stand, but the property judgment will be reformed to award Mrs. Thurman one-half of the Thurman estate valued at approximately \$1,000,000, District Judge F. P. Culver, Jr., announced this afternoon after a conference with attorneys.

In making his decision, Judge Culver overruled the motion of Thurman for a new trial. While deciding to reform the property judgment the court held up the custody of two minor children for a later decision.

TO REOPEN SCHOOL. Citizens Take Warrants After Fraud Charges Filed. SAN BENITO, Dec. 19.—Reopening of the school at Raymondville next term has been assured by citizens taking school warrants and making sufficient cash available. Doubt as to whether the school would re-open had existed because of a shortage that led to the filing of fraud charges against a former school tax collector. The warrants were at six per cent interest payable in September, 1931.

Chooses To Run

Big Bill's Hat Again in Ring

Cowboy Mayor of Chicago to Seek Fourth Term; His One Time Friends Gather to Plan an Outstanding Opponent. CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Big Bill Thompson, Chicago's cowboy mayor, rides the campaign range again. The famous ten galloped campaign trails of William Hale Thompson whirling into the mayoral ring today, flinging back a challenge into the faces of rebellious rivals.

Thrice mayor of America's second city, the big, explosive, sensation-making chief of the city hall would make it four times mayor.

Opponents Gather. And as he rode out on the trail for the big vote roundup, a group of his one time friends gathered in another camp to rally divergent Republican forces around some candidate to oppose him at the Republican primaries next February. Control of the city hall during the century of progress exposition in 1933 is the issue.

Over in the "enemy camp" the nominal generals of Cook county Republicanism put their heads together. Charles V. Barnet, long prominent in party politics, had advanced his candidacy and now Mayor Thompson was bidding for reelection. Neither was satisfactory to County Chairman Bernard W. Snow, and he summoned the strategists to pick another winner.

Edward J. Brundage, former attorney general Roy O. West, national committeeman; State Attorney John A. Swanson; Attorney General Oscar Carstrom; Dr. John Paul Robertson, once the mayor's close friend; W. J. James, park board head and Snow were there—leaders of the Deneen and Brundage Republican factions. They agreed to confer separately and report back to the joint conference Monday.

ST. JO BANK PRESIDENT FOUND DEAD ON FARM FRIDAY. ST. JO, Dec. 19.—Senator Cassius S. Senter, of the Citizens National bank here, was shot to death today while hunting on his farm four miles east of Stoneburg. He was hunting alone.

The body was found by Howard Smith, renter on the Camp Farm. Temple Yarbrough, county attorney, and Sheriff Lee Husband, were summoned from Montague by Smith. Yarbrough said Camp apparently had been shot through the chest when his gun was accidentally discharged as he attempted to climb through a wire fence.

TO TAKE UP INDIA. MacDonald Returns to Problem As Parliament Adjourns. LONDON, Dec. 19.—With parliament adjourned, Prime Minister MacDonald will turn with renewed energy to the Indian round table conference problems. One of these, at least—that of the Hindu-Muslim differences—is a smoldering volcano of religious and political passions capable of smothering the whole negotiations.

O'DONNELL WOMAN HURT. Mrs. Harold Stigelson, of O'Donnell, received a broken knee cap and her daughter, Ethel, suffered slight shock and scratches in a car accident at O'Donnell early Friday night. The two were taken to Lubbock sanitarium for treatment.

Measure Given Approval From Both Branches

Loans to Farmers in Drouth Area Authorized; Bill Sent to Hoover With Condemnation of Democrats

Filibuster Looms

Demos Opposed Because Compromise Measure Fails to Contain Direct Provision for Personal Food Loans. BY FRANCIS M. STEPHENSON. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The first of the relief measures—an authorization of \$45,000,000 for loans to farmers in the drouth areas to put in next year's crop—got through congress today.

It was sent to President Hoover from the senate loaded with Democratic condemnation because it failed to contain direct provision for loans for personal food. The administration opposed such a provision.

Controversy Subsides. The \$116,000,000 emergency construction appropriation still awaited attention as the storm of controversy finally subsided to permit senate action on the drouth bill. In the full, the measure passed without a roll call. The emergency appropriation, facing assault because of failure to contain three senate amendments, comes up in that branch tomorrow and the senate agreed to meet an hour earlier to speed action.

The \$150,000,000 appropriation asked by the farm bill also comes up tomorrow. Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, blocking action on it today. He said he wanted to determine the purpose for which the board intended to use the money. Senator Black, Democrat, Alabama, has proposed an amendment to prohibit the board from using any of the fund for marginal trading on the grain exchanges.

While the deadlock over the emergency measure continued, the Senate passed a bill to speed action.

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Friend To Talk To Farm Bureau Here

F. R. Friend, vice president of the First National bank, who was a delegate from Texas to the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau federation at Boston the early part of December, will speak this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the annual meeting of the Lubbock County Farm Bureau, W. M. Rose, president, said last night.

Annual election of officers and directors for the year, with selection of delegates to the state convention in January at Dallas also will be held.

Meeting will be in the district courtroom.

The public as well as the farmers of the county are invited. Fr. Friend was the only Texas delegate to attend the meeting.

CHRISTMAS TREE STOLEN. HARRINGTON, Dec. 19.—A Christmas tree, elaborately decorated, was a part of the loot taken by burglars who entered the home of Claude Fullick last night. A supply of clothing and other valuables also were stolen.

THE WEATHER. SANTA AS USUAL, WILL DELIVER HIS GIFTS IN CHIMNEYS AND STACKS!

WEST TEXAS—Generally fine Saturday; Sunday, increasing cloudiness, possibly becoming unsettled. Local temperature: maximum 65, minimum 19.

What do you want?

GETS FOR MEN

SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Miss Elsie Derrick and James Kerr Are To Be Married Here Today

Tech Student Is to Marry This Morning in Ceremony At J. O. Easter Residence

Mrs. J. R. Harmon, Idalou, Entertains Thursday for Bride-Elect With Party and Gift Shower

Miss Elsie Derrick, of Idalou, and James Kerr, Tech student from Amarillo, are to be married this morning at 9 o'clock at the home of the bride-elect's sister, Mrs. J. O. Easter, 1423 Avenue T. Only relatives and close friends will be in attendance.

Since the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of the couple which was made at a party several weeks ago, Miss Derrick has been extended a number of social courtesies.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. R. Harmon, of Idalou, entertained in her honor. Guests registered in a bride's book, and during the afternoon the honoree was presented with a shower of miscellaneous gifts.

Marriage Ends In Annulment

For Fourth Time Marriage of Pauline Frederick, Stage and Screen Star, Is Wrecked on Shoals of Separation

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19 (AP)—For the fourth time the marriage barque of Pauline Frederick, stage and screen actress, lay in wreckage today on the shoals of legal separation.

Her latest venture in matrimony, launched with Hugh C. Leighton, wealthy hotel owner in New York last April, ended yesterday in annulment.

Leighton, being too ill to go to court to prosecute his suit, was granted his freedom after a brief court hearing at his bedside in the Beverly Hills hotel.

"She treated me like a butler," Leighton testified, as he lay propped up on pillows. "I was her husband in name only."

Miss Frederick, born Pauline Libby in Boston 42 years ago, married Frank M. Andrews, New York architect, shortly after she launched her stage career. They were divorced a few years later.

Willard Mack, noted playwright, was Miss Frederick's second husband. Their marriage was dissolved in 1919.

In 1922 Miss Frederick secretly wed Dr. Charles A. Rutherford, wealthy Seattle physician, in Santa Ana, Calif. The marriage lasted three years.

Miss Frederick was not present yesterday at the hearing.

Find No Clues After Robbery

Merchandise Taken From Stafford's Grocery Store Here on Thursday Night; Police Report No Developments

Police Friday night reported no developments in an investigation of the robbery Thursday of Stafford's grocery store at 1924 Nineteenth street.

An assortment of merchandise was taken after entrance had been gained by breaking glass from a window on the east side of the building. All cash had been locked in the store safe which bore no marks of burglary tools, employees of the store reported. Exit was made through a rear door.

Thursday Club Is Entertained Here

Mrs. Ray Hinson, 1409 Avenue O, entertained members of the Thursday Bridge club in her home and high score in the games went to Mrs. C. A. Clement, while Mrs. Dewey McClellan was high in a cut.

Others in attendance were Mesdames L. C. Hewitt, R. E. Dick, L. A. Howard, Louis Wingate and W. H. Wright.

Club Parties Are Given at Brewer Home

La Cenacieta Society Has Two Christmas Parties Thursday; Mesdames H. B. Bryan Is Co-Hostess

Members of La Cenacieta club were guests at two parties given Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brewer, 1912 Avenue Q, and on each occasion Mrs. H. B. Bryan, jr. was joint hostess with Mrs. Brewer.

In the afternoon the women gathered for an informal season and distribution of gifts from a Christmas tree. Light refreshments were served to Mesdames J. W. Story, J. B. Galland, Wilfred Bates, C. M. Traylor, Herbert Stubbs, E. E. Swindell, R. L. Clinkscales, I. F. Kennedy and J. B. Morrisette.

Five tables were arranged for games of bridge in the evening and husbands of the members were in attendance with their wives. Appointments were in the Christmas motif.

Guests included Messrs. and Mesdames Herbert Stubbs, Wilfred Bates, J. B. Galland, J. W. Story, J. B. Morrisette, I. F. Kennedy, R. L. Clinkscales, C. M. Traylor, Ed McNeal, Mr. Bryan and Mr. Brewer.

FORMER EDITOR DIES

HENRIETTA, Dec. 19 (AP)—Funeral services were held today for W. E. Edwards, 82, formerly publisher of the Peoples Review, who died last night.

POSTMASTER NOMINATED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 (AP)—President Hoover today nominated Henry C. Arnold to be postmaster at Orange, Texas.

Society Manikins Display Latest Gowns For Season



Many of New York's debutantes and younger society matrons became manikins in a benefit style show displaying the latest in gowns. Mrs. Hunt Dickinson (left) wears a new polka-dot evening frock, Mildred Hockstader (center) displays a black lace dinner gown, and Dorothy Fell (right), daughter of Mrs. Ogden Mills, wears a tea gown of crimson lace with romantic sleeves and cowl neck. Gowns from Jay-Thorp.

Local Airport To Be Lighted

Bids Asked Friday by City Commission on Large Beacon and Three Small Hangar Flood Lights for Port

Following authorization of purchase of a large beacon and three smaller hangar flood lights for municipal airport, bids on the lights to be erected soon were asked Friday by the city commission.

The commission authorized purchase of the lights at a cost of about \$1,000 at a meeting Thursday. Complaints of pilots that the Lubbock port is difficult to find at night led to the decision to buy the lights. It was said at city hall.

Officials point out that although these lights will not flood the landing field they will enable pilots to locate the port at night, and, after some cruising over the site they will be able to land safely.

Boundary lights, obstruction lights and flood lights for the field will possibly be installed in the spring of next year. It was said today.

The large beacon, which will revolve on top of the hangar, will be a 24-inch light with 1,712,000 candle power.

Inspectors from the aeronautics division of the United States department of commerce are scheduled to arrive here December 30 to conduct examinations for pilots' and mechanic's license. The inspectors are expected to return January 28.

The inspectors will be located at the municipal airport during their stay in the city and while here will take applications for mechanics and pilot licenses.

It was stated today that applicants for pilot licenses must submit a certified log book while mechanics must present written statements of time employed. Applications of pilots must also be accompanied by a medical certificate from an authorized medical examiner of the department of commerce.

Although schedules for training sections of the present classes already have been made, arrangements will be made for Lubbock to be included in the spring itinerary. Major P. L. Martin, commanding officer of the army air corps at Kelly field, San Antonio has notified the city.

Invitations recently were mailed to commanding officers of army air fields and posts in this section, describing flying conditions and the municipal airport here, and suggesting that Lubbock would be a suitable stop for student fliers making "free" country hops to gain flight-hours.

Home Secretary Clynes of England made his first film appearance recently in taking part in a like illustrating health and welfare in industry.

Piano Pupils Give Recital At Neal Home

Annual Program and Party for Pupils of Mrs. M. I. Neal Is Scheduled for This Afternoon

Several piano pupils of Mrs. Mamie I. Neal are being presented in recital this afternoon at 3 o'clock in her home at 1532 Main street.

Mothers and friends of the pupils are to be guests and each child is to receive a gift.

Those who will appear in the recital and the numbers they will play are as follows:

"Spanish Dance" (Behr) and "The Courtroom Child" (Rogers), Rhythm orchestra; "My Regiment" (Faeth), Milbry Jo Bell; "Let's Go Fishing" and "Jolly Little Breeze" (Williams), Billy Clark; "Dainty Gaviotie" (Wright), Ruth Brewer; "Johnny Jump-Ups" (Rogers), Beurene Vickery; "The Haunt of the Fairies" (Crosby), LaRue Edwards; "Darling Heart" (Weddig), Shirley Ruth Jolly; "Fairy Harp" (Ketterer) and "Wong Ho" (tone picture), Carroll McMath; "Catch Me" (Smith), Myrtle Lee Foster; "Cross Country" (Hamer), Frances Williams; "Triumphal March" (Oesten), Mary Brewer; "A Melody" (Wright), Louise McCrummen; "Dance Caprice" (Grieg), Pauline Stafford; "Butterflies" (Gurlitt), Willena Nelson; "Air de Ballet" (Lemont), Marjorie Humphries; "Valse" (Godard), Pauline Travis; "To the Rising Sun" (Torjussen), Marie Price; "To Spring" (Grieg), Irene Fletcher; "Valse Fantastique" (Merges), Louise Hodge.

AUTHORIZE PURCHASE

City to Buy Calorimeter to Test Gas Heat Content

Purchase of a calorimeter, an instrument for testing the heat content of natural gas, has been authorized by the city commission.

The calorimeter which will be obtained by the city will be of a portable type which can be set up for a test run in any location.

Franchise of West Texas Gas company requires that all gas piped into the city for use must not be less than 800 British thermal units, and the calorimeter will enable the city to make tests in that connection at all times, city officials said.

Wolverhampton, England, council has protested against the proposed establishment of a police college at a cost of \$750,000 to train 50 officers a year.

Mrs. McCrummen Is Class Hostess

Eight girls in the First Baptist Sunday school class taught by Mrs. Frazier McCrummen were entertained by their teacher in her home at 2308 Avenue P Thursday afternoon.

Each guest brought fruit and toys to be given to the needy and gifts were distributed from a tree. Games were played and the hostess served refreshments to Louisa Bristol, Mary Bolding, Sybil Cope, Doris Ann Ooley, Gladys Shantz, Doris Hollyfield, Olive Bethea and Ruby Green.

Music Recital Is Given On Thursday

Eight children appeared in a studio recital Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Mrs. Marlin R. Smith, jr., presented her class in her home at 2221 25th street.

Those who were on the program were Dixie Nell Stevens, Charles Howard, Mary Ann Stephenson, Rafe Nabors, Webster Lee Howard, Jane Wilson, Vendell Prideaux and Evelyn Hawkinson.

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The Woman's Angle

BY BLANCHE E. BEAN, Avalanche Woman's Editor

HUMANITY probably profits because most of us fail to live up to the artistic aspirations of our parents and live down our elocution and piano lessons after a few years.

Virtually everyone of my acquaintances has at some time attempted to play a piano or violin or horn or had some training in speech-making. But after some unsuccessful efforts at being musicians, most of us have decided to take our music through the ears. It is probably just as well for the world in general.

I do think that every child should have an opportunity to study music for some time because it certainly develops an appreciation for good music, even if each one does not grow into a Paderewski or a Homer, and playing an instrument must give one unlimited pleasure. I don't know anyone who can play a piano, a horn or violin, or even a French harp, as I never could master that, even. And some training in speaking should be of value to anyone.

ZIG-ZAG EDGES SMART
DAYTIME and sport frocks are going zig-zag according to Paris style notices. Many of the newest models have cuffs, necklines, blouse and coat hems finished with a saw-tooth edging, which is very smart on informal frocks.

LET'S HAVE A NEW FAD
It is said that someone is starting a new game to be used at parties, and while sitting around waiting for the other half of an appointment to make an appearance. Cross word puzzles have lost some of their fascination since we have had them so long that people have quit talking about them and we've almost forgotten the "Ask Me Another" craze. Anagrams are taking the place of these to some extent but the game hasn't become as universal as quickly as the fad for the summer but there seems to be no winter sport to take the place of that.

SHE IS ONE OF THEM

AUNT Mary Green liked what I said the other day about the old timers and their Christmas. That makes everything all right because she is one of the pioneers in this section and when I wrote that I did it with a little trepidation because I thought I might be remembering the wrong thing.

SHE MAY VISIT US

IF THERE is some place that the Business and Professional Women's club can get about \$250, Lena Madson Phillips, who is president of the international association of business women, might be brought to Lubbock during this year. The club is thinking of means of getting this money now.

The visit of Miss Phillips here would be an occasion in Lubbock in addition to being a woman who has accomplished many things during the last few years, she represents a type—the highest type of business woman in the world. She serves as an inspiration to other women who want to make a name in the business world. Miss Phillips was formerly at the head of the Business and Professional Women's club in the United States.

THESE TASTES ARE SIMPLE

RALPH HITZ, of the New Yorker Hotel, says that famous people require less special attention and extra service than the ordinary run of mankind, according to a story I saw the other day.

This statement is typical enough. The officious person is the one who wishes to appear important and not the one who has already gained recognition. Without exception, I believe, the really great people I have seen have been the easiest to approach and the simplest in manner.

SOME MORE DIETING

ONE OF my stock subjects for discussion is diet and weight, so I'm coming back to it today. I've just read an article by Gladys Glad, famous beauty, who says that "These new dieting styles that the modistes have created simply demand curves and rounded contours. Not the voluptuous curves that the Turk likes to find in his harem, but curves, nevertheless. And little Miss Hope is not going to find her self very much in demand among the local youngbloods if she persists in retaining the figure that was popular during the flat-chested, straight-line era."

That is all very well for the woman who can add another slice of bread to her dinner and gain the curves which she has kept down through dieting, but when the extra crust falls to put on the curves, then what? It looks like Miss Hope is just out of luck. If I had managed to be in demand during the straight-line era, I could do a lot of walling over the return curves, but in view of the past, I think I'll do my walling in private.

There is one advantage in the return of curves, however. Women who have injured their health following starvation and freak diets can now return to normal diets. Physicians have been regretting the amount of tuberculosis and the other disease that have started because of dieting. The return of curves should bring better health to many women.

Here is another thing, too. Flo Ziegfeld, connoisseur of beauty, says that to be beautiful a girl must have a delicate degree of roteness in her figure, that if she is too thin she is away. That is the reason I don't go in for dieting.

Action Plea Is

G. O. Bateman of Texas I. C. C. W. Application

An interest in the organization of the Northern railroads 330-mile line of counties in G. O. Bateman charge of the organization's work. Before leaving for Dallas, Mr. Bateman said that a decision by July 1st would be made by the Interstate Commerce Commission. All briefs filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission before March 1st will be examined here and have suggested date and H. O. C. to be April 1st.

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Action on T-P Plea by July Is Expected

G. O. Bateman, Vice-President of Texas & Pacific States I. C. C. Will Act on Railway Application in Six Months

An interstate commerce commission decision by July 1 on the application of the Texas and Pacific Northern railway to construct a 333-mile line through 12 West Texas counties has been predicted by G. O. Bateman, vice-president in charge of the Texas and Pacific organization's legal department.

Before leaving Thursday night for Dallas, Mr. Bateman said he believed a decision would be handed down by July 1, unless opposition railroads should protest the preliminary report of the examiner. Mr. Bateman said there was a possibility of a decision being made before July 1.

All Briefs Filed

All briefs in the case are to be filed with the commission on or before March 1, Haskell C. Davis, examiner who conducted the hearing here announced. Mr. Bateman had suggested February 1 as the date and H. C. Fupkin for the Santa Fe April 1. The examiner compromised.

Within 30 days or so, Mr. Bateman explained, a preliminary report is expected to be made by the examiner to the commission. It is the usual practice for these reports to be filed with the applicant and the intervening railroads. This will be made about April 1.

In the event there is a protest the commission will set a date for arguments on the briefs, probably some time in May. At that time the interested parties, in this case more particularly the four railroads and the intervening towns, are to appear before the commission, or more likely division four, and offer oral arguments to support their contentions.

Following this the commission will take the matter under advisement, with a decision expected within 45 to 60 days.

Mr. Bateman announced that in the event the application is approved, and in his opinion it will, actual work will be started within 30 days. "I think we are safe in stating that the Texas and Pacific Northern can be ready to begin actual construction within 30 days after the permit to build is granted," he declared.

Both H. C. Fupkin, Santa Fe attorney and J. H. Barwise, Denver attorney, expressed themselves as confident that a decision would favor their respective clients, with the Rock Island, are opposing construction.

Records in the case indicate it is one of the largest to be brought to the attention of the commission. There were 190 exhibits offered by contending parties, together with approximately 2,000 pages of testimony.

Each page, said E. W. Boyd, the court reporter who took most of the testimony, contains an average of 200 words.

The commission ordered three copies of the report, at a reported cost of around 30 cents per page per report. This will bring the cost to the federal body around \$1,200 for reporting work. Other copies will be available for interested parties at a cost of about 12 1/2 cents per page or \$250 each. It was understood that nine or ten copies other than the three ordered by the commission were ordered. It is known the Santa Fe, Denver and Texas and Pacific each ordered two copies, one for the Texas line offices and the other for the general offices. Major John A. Donnelly, for the supporting towns, ordered one copy and it was understood that the Rock Island ordered one copy. The Rock Island entered that portion of the testimony relating to its protest.

Confidence Is Given Cabinet

Theodore Steeg's Ministry Is Voted Grant of Power by Margin of Seven Votes; Opposition Lining Up

PARIS, Dec. 19. (AP)—Theodore Steeg's leftist ministry had a grant of power from the chamber of deputies today, but it was given grudgingly with a margin of only seven votes, and the opposition declared that as soon as the holidays were over it would turn the government out of office.

The vote of confidence, succeeding the reading of the ministerial declaration, passed 291 to 284. The socialist voting for the ministry after a party caucus.

No "Merry Christmas" For Ohio's Most Noted Convict; Is Doomed To Spend The Day In Solitary Confinement

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 19.—No prisoner in a state penitentiary ever has any too much fun on Christmas day. Holiday—especially Christmas—don't amount to very much behind doors.

But there is one prisoner in the gray-walled Ohio penitentiary here to whom Christmas is the blackest, bleakest day of the whole year.

He is George "Jiggs" Lostenier, often called "the most desperate criminal Ohio ever produced." His sentence followed a lifetime of crime. Lostenier is doomed to spend every Christmas day for the rest of his life in solitary confinement, in semi-darkness, down in "the hole"—the dung-on-like punishment cell underneath the chapel in the prison yard.

Lostenier's Christmas dinner is bread and water. His occupation, the live-long day, is sitting alone in a cell where there is not enough light to read, thinking—thinking about the crime for which he is now serving a life sentence.

Victim Died Christmas Day

In 1920 Lostenier took part in a holdup in East Cleveland, O. A policeman—Patrolman Patrick Gaffney—interfered. Lostenier shot him, and Patrolman Gaffney died on Christmas day. Lostenier was caught, and brought to trial.

Somewhat Lostenier escaped electrocution. The jury ordered him sent to prison for life. And Judge George Bear of Cleveland in sentencing him, ordered that he spend each Christmas day for the rest of his life in solitary confinement.

So it is that Lostenier, more than any other convict in the prison here, finds Christmas day a mockery.

His Christmas program is simple. Promptly at 7 o'clock on Christmas morning a guard goes into the ill-famed G and H block of the prison—the block where 320 convicts died in a fire last spring—goes to Lostenier's cell on the second tier, and calls Jiggs out by name.

Alone With His Thoughts, Jiggs comes, meekly enough, and follows him downstairs and across yards to the solitary confinement dungeon. There he stays, in the dusk, alone with his thoughts, until 8 o'clock on the morning of Dec. 26. Then he is brought back to his old cell and shortly after that he goes out with his company to his day's work in the planting mill.

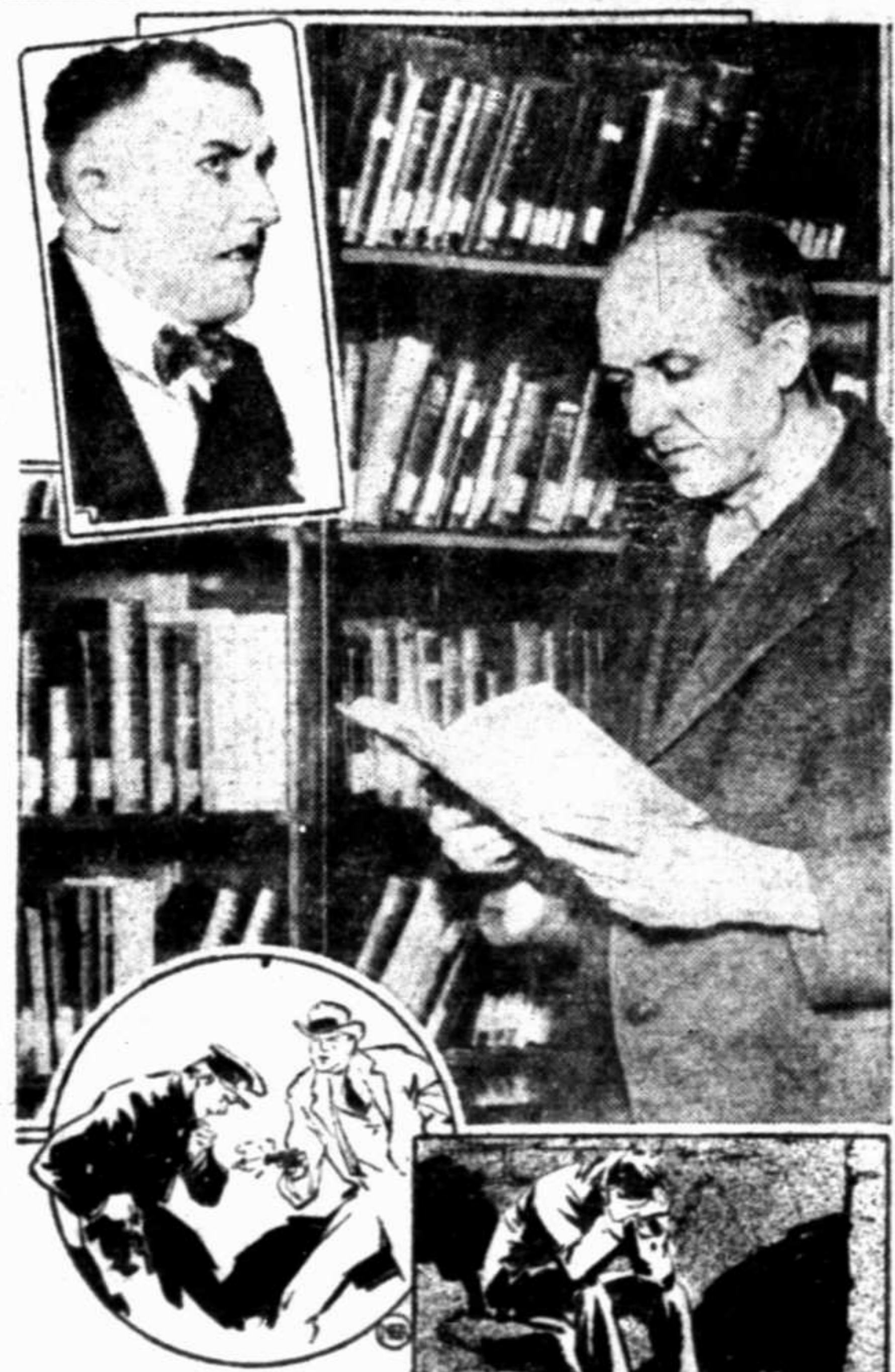
For years the guards hated this job of taking Lostenier to solitary on Christmas. Lostenier was rated one of the most dangerous men in prison. The guards never knew when he might get violent. He was always surly.

But in recent years Lostenier has changed. He told a reporter recently: "You can put it any way you want to, but make it plain that I'm off the rough stuff. He is quiet and tractable now, one of the best-behaved men in the penitentiary. This is made evident by the fact that he has a dilly job work, in this overcrowded prison, is a privilege, usually convicts have to stay side and locked in their cells."

Famous Prison Break

Officials here believe that this changed attitude dates back to Jiggs' famous attempt at escape in November of 1928.

With other men in K Company, the worst men in the prison, Lostenier was exercising in the prison yard. A group of visitors happened to go into the guard room from the outer office. The guard room is separated from the prison yard by



What prison years have done for Jiggs Lostenier is shown clearly in these two photographs—the one in the penitentiary library was taken just the other day while the inset shows him as he appeared at the time of his trial. The sketches tell the story of his unique sentence which means that he must spend each Christmas day for the rest of his life in solitary confinement on bread and water.

an iron gate, an open hall and another iron gate. Locks of both gates are electrically controlled by the guard in the guard room.

This day the guard—a new man—forgot the standing rule that both gates must never be unlocked at the same time. He threw them both open, and Lostenier and 12 pals made a dash for freedom. They had hidden clubs and knives in their clothing, and with these weapons they cut down officers who tried to block their way. Running through the guard room, they got out into the open street and escaped.

Gun Battle Follows

The alarm was quickly sounded and a police car took after them. After a running gun battle the convicts were overpowered, caught and taken to prison.

That outbreak seems to have been the climax of Lostenier's career as a desperado. Since then he has been quiet and well-behaved. Last April, in the terrible fire, with hundreds of normally quiet prisoners running wild in the excitement, and with the tension inside the prison stretched to an unbearable point, Lostenier kept strictly out of trouble. He took no part in the riots that followed the fire and even won commendation from Warden Preston E. Thomas for his behavior.

But all of this prison record, good or bad, counts for nothing on Christmas day.

On Christmas day Jiggs goes to solitary confinement. His dinner is bread and water. He is alone with such thoughts as he cares to summon into his brain.

For it was on a Christmas day that Patrolman Gaffney died.

Jail Delivery Is Frustrated

Druggist Notifies Sheriff at Tyler After Prisoners Slog Jailer in Attempted Escape; Cries for Help Heard

TYLER, Dec. 19. (AP)—An attempt by three men to escape from the Smith county jail last night after they had slugged Winnifred Green, jailer, was frustrated by Danly Warren, druggist, who heard cries for help at his store nearby.

Warren notified Sheriff Tom Sikes, who with a group of citizens went to the jail in time to prevent the delivery, arriving just as Edward Woodland, convicted on a liquor charge, was unlocking the third-floor door.

The men had gained entrance to the runabout by sawing a hinge off a cell door and hammering through a wall five-eighths of an inch thick with a piece of iron from a bunk.

Green was slugged while locking up for the night and the men took his keys. Warren ran to the rear of the jail when he heard cries for help and asked what was wrong. Dale Payne, a prisoner, called down to him: "They've got Green down on the floor; I think he's dead."

BANKER PLEADS GUILTY

TULSA, Dec. 19. (AP)—F. E. E. Tolson, formerly president and cashier of the State Guaranty bank of Sperry, now defunct, pleaded guilty this afternoon to one charge of embezzlement and two charges of violating state banking laws. District Judge Saul Yager deferred sentence until January 15. The bank failed last January. Today was Tolson's thirtieth birthday.

Scotch farmers are fighting attempts to import Russian grain.

Judge Atwell Praises Hospitality of Lubbock On Return From Court Session

"In their building of a greater city the people of Lubbock have not forgotten the art of living," said United States Judge William Hawley Atwell upon his return to Dallas this week from a session of United States district court here.

Judge Atwell praised Lubbock's hospitality and commented on its retention of early day charm even while changing rapidly from a small town to a modern, progressive city.

"The people there are alert and intent upon building their city. They are making a wonderful city of it," the judge said.

"It is but another evidence of how wonderful a state Texas is and how innumerable and varied its resources are. The people of Lubbock enjoy life, because they have everything, a delightful climate, plenty of good hunting and fishing, and other things of that sort which can enter to such a large extent into making life enjoyable.

"It is nice to find a city like Lubbock, with all the advantages and advances of the modern era, and yet where so many of the good old characteristics remain to keep its individuality alive.

"The mercury registered lower than it does here (Dallas), but I never had to wear this one time while I was there," Judge Atwell said as he removed his overcoat.

MEDAL IS AWARDED

G. W. Williamson Honored for Outstanding Club Work

A gold medal for outstanding four-H club livestock work in the county during 1930 has been awarded G. W. Williamson, of County Line community.

Thomas E. Wilson, company of Chicago, annually awards one such trophy to a four-H club member in each county of the United States.

"Thos. E. Wilson Award" is engraved on the medal's front, which also bears the four-H club emblem. On the back is engraved "County 4-H Livestock Champion 1930."

Peasants of Yugoslavia refuse to sell their wheat because prices are too low.

AMENDMENT OFFERED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—An amendment to the \$150,000,000 farm board appropriation voted yesterday by the house to prohibit any of the money being used for loans for dealing in futures trading in farm products, was offered today by Senator Black, Democrat, Alabama.

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Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON", "THE AVENGING PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS" ©1936 BY NEA SERVICE, INC.

REGIN HERE TODAY JUANITA SELIM, lovely Broadway dancer, was found at her dressing table, shot through the heart, by KAREN MRASHALL, when Karen came to tell her the bridge score. BONNIE DUNDEE, special investigator, called by PENNY CRAIN, society girl, now the district attorney's secretary, contacts CAPTAIN STRAWN's theory that Nita was shot from the window opposite the table by a gunman using a revolver with a silencer. Dundee learns that Nita went to the bedroom at about 5:27, when TRACEY MILES came in. She asked him to make cocktails, and he went into the dining room, followed by LOIS DUNLAP. When the body was discovered, at the end of the hand, no one was seen in the bedroom or in the foyer outside. Dundee asks Strawn to hunt for RALPH HAMMOND, once Penny's property but annexed by Nita. Returning to the living room, he learns from Penny that POLLY BEAL engaged to CLIVE HAMMOND, was missing from lunch, and that Nita was annoyed by her unexplained absence. He notes that the women, except Lois Dunlap, hostile in their attitude toward Nita. At luncheon a note was delivered to Nita, Penny says, but is interrupted in her story by a crash and a strangled cry from someone. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY "Pardon! awfully sorry," Clive Hammond muttered, as he bent to pick up the fragments of a colored pottery ashtray which he and his fiancée, Polly Beale, had been sharing. "Don't worry—about picking it up," Polly commanded in her brusque voice, but Dundee, listening acutely, was sure of a very slight pause between the two parts of her sentence. He glanced at the couple—the tall, masculine-looking girl lounging deep in an armchair, Clive Hammond, rather unusually good-looking with his dark red hair, brown eyes, and a face and body as compactly and symmetrically designed as one of the buildings which had been pointed out to Dundee as the product of the young architect's genius. His chief concern seemed to be for another ashtray, which Sergeant Turner, with a grin, produced from one of the many little tables with which the room was provided. "Rather strange that these two should be engaged, Dundee missed.

Side Glances —By George Clark

"What are you going to do Christmas?" "I had to go 3,000 miles to inform my American friends that my name is not pronounced as if it were a fat cat—Lord Derby.

Suspect Denies Slaying Woman

Lui Fook Takes Weird, Solemn Chinese Oath to Assure the Spirits He is Innocent of Killing Former Employer

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19. (AP)—In a little, candle lit room in the city prison, Lui Fook took the weird and solemn Chinese oath of purification today to assure the spirits he was innocent of the slaying of his former employer, Mrs. Rosetta Baker, aged and wealthy widow. "Jump gai tow sai yun," they call this ceremony in the language of Lui and his ancestors. Before an improvised altar and with a fluttering, bleeding chicken at his feet, Lui knelt and in fervid tones assured the spirits of his ancestors he was not guilty of murder. "I take this oath," Lui said, "and if I am not telling the truth may my head be chopped off and all those near and dear to me, may their heads also be chopped and may the heads of all of my blood to come hereafter—may they also die horribly. The legend runs no Chinese criminal will take this oath if in so doing he must swear he is innocent when he is guilty. So rarely is the oath administered in this country, Chinese say, that perhaps not a dozen white men have previously seen it and thousands of American Chinese have never witnessed it. A grand jury indictment charging Fook with murder which voted last Monday was quashed yesterday on the ground sufficient evidence had not been produced by police to warrant trial on the charge. Mrs. Baker was strangled to death in her expensive Nob Hill apartment recently. Fook reported finding the body. No motive for the slaying has been established.

INCREASE IS REFUSED Not to Allow More of High Powered Radio Stations

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—The radio commission today refused to permit a blanket increase in high powered stations broadcasting on cleared channels and ordered its chief examiner, Ellis A. Yost, to submit recommendations for filling present clear channels vacated only. It rejected a report in which Yost proposed that the applications of 30 stations for cleared channels and 50,000 watts be granted. The action meant the commission would not accept at this time Yost's recommendation that it amend its order requiring that only four channels in each of the five zones be utilized by stations with 50,000 watts.

HORNETS CAUSE 5 DEATHS

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Dec. 19. (AP)—A great swarm of hornets invaded the Rio Grande do Sul today invaded a farmhouse and stung a woman and her four children to death. The father is in serious condition.

MAN FOUND DEAD

SHAWNEE, Okla., Dec. 19. (AP)—W. M. Angus, 42, Shawnee, Okla., was found dead in his hotel room here today. Relatives at Shawnee, informed of his death, were en route to claim the body.

INVENTOR DIES

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 19. (AP)—Henry Alonzo House, 90, inventor and builder of the first steam automobile used in America, operated here in 1896, and inventor of many devices used in the airplane industry, died here today.

Sore Gums—Pyorrhea

Foul breath, loose teeth or sore gums are disgusting to behold, all will agree. LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY is highly recommended by leading dentists and never disappoints. Druggists return money if it fails. City Drug Stores.

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FROST KILLS CROPS

South Texas Vegetation Hurt By Cold Weather

AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (AP)—O. D. Clark, truck crop estimator for the United States Department of Agriculture, reported Thursday heavy frost yesterday killed extensive vegetation in Texas. However, he said the loss was small, as the crop was practically complete. In the winter garden and Laredo district, he reported, the frost damaged the tomato crop 85 per cent, and killed peppers, egg plant, beans and other tender fall vegetables. Cabbage, spinach, onions, beets, carrots, and other winter vegetables were not damaged he reported. Out of a total membership of 9,000 in the Society of Chemical Industry Great Britain, only 25 are women.

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The Threat Against Capone

JUDGE JOHN H. LYLE, of Chicago, militant enemy of gangland, is out with the statement that Alphonse Capone, lord of the underworld, will be sent to the electric chair. Our guess is that Chicago had first better catch the elusive Italian—an object of search for several weeks. The Morning Avalanche has no doubt that Chicago, and the country in general, would be better off with Mr. Capone out of the way. We further subscribe to the efforts of Judge Lyle, and a handful of Chicago law enforcement officers who have really tried to do something toward ridding the second largest city of its "public enemies." But from this quarter it appears that Chicago has a nearer task to perform—that of cleaning up its police and sheriff's departments—before Judge Lyle, and the few men who side him, can do a great deal. For the past several years the name of Alphonse Capone has been blazoned across the front pages of newspapers, no doubt of his connection with gangland, no doubt that he is a law-breaker and a leader of lawbreakers. His name has been connected with beer running, with gun toting and with murder. He has been publicly denounced as an assassin—yet all the while he has lounged in prison, a sort of a super-person who makes and breaks his own laws as he best sees fit. Perhaps Judge Lyle "has the lowdown" on Al Capone. Perhaps the state of Illinois has "enough on him" to put him "in the hot seat." Maybe this time "the finger is on" Capone and the gang boss himself is "on the spot." But somehow or another we'd feel a little more optimistic about Chicago's law and order campaign if Capone were arrested and convicted—even on a charge of vagrancy—before taking much stock in the announcement that "Capone is going to the chair."

BUSINESS ISN'T SCARED

No "I-told-you-so" gloatings have been heard from those Republican die-hards who, adopting a rule-prime pose after the recent Democratic victory, predicted immediate retribution in the form of an aggravated business hysteria. The opposite has been true. Congress met, instead of the threatened chaos and panic, business has seemed to steady itself. Business has shown a palpable reassurance. Those ultra partisans who place party success before public welfare would have welcomed some sign from business that it feared the worst from the seventy-second congress because of the increase in Democratic strength. Their dire forebodings were a case of the wish being father of the thought. They would have been pleased instead of dismayed by the dangers of such lack of confidence. But business didn't oblige them. It took new confidence. It reasons that the present congress will heed the public will as expressed in November and air rather than injure business. If this congress acts with expedition and intelligence upon unemployment relief legislation and business legislation, it will be due largely to the handwriting on the wall observed in November. Should business be won permanently over to the Democratic party, it will be because the G. O. P. has shown once too often that it is the "friend of business" only so long as it can use the shibboleth to further selfish political ends.

Practical Health Problems

CHRISTMAS AND HEALTH By DR. MORRIS FISHEEN Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine. A few years ago a Christmas party was held in connection with a Sunday school. A mother, who was exceedingly anxious not to disappoint her child, sent the child who had recently had measles to take part in the celebration. The child still had some discharge from the nose. Following the Christmas party 13 other children came down with measles due to infection from this source. The mother owes a responsibility to other mothers to see to it that her child does not become the source from which such cases are spread to other children in the community. A child who is ill or has recently recovered from an infectious disease should be given his Christmas celebration at home and should not be permitted to mingle with other children until it is completely well; indeed, until the physician says that it is safe for the child to do so. The hygiene of celebrations is altogether a special question. The unusual excitement, the eating of vast quantities of sweets and indigestible foods, the speeding up of all of the child's activities, the breaking up of its normal routine of rest and eating may serve to introduce a series of illness following the holiday week that yield far more worry and distress than can ever be compensated for by the momentary pleasure of careless celebration. The very choosing of Christmas gifts is a matter in which hygiene must play some part. The baby that is too young to understand toys should not be given wooden dolls with paint that can be sucked off, mechanical toys with sharp cutting edges, small novelties that can be easily inhaled or swallowed. Thin paper books will not survive a month with a child under three years of age. Guns, knives and similar dangerous weapons have their uses, but are hardly suitable toys even for boys as old as 16 years. Certainly it should be unnecessary to warn against open flame candles for Christmas trees. In these days electricity goes everywhere. If it is not possible to light the tree with electric lights, lights might better be avoided.

What Other People Think

The word depression must be getting worn out on the printing presses.—Charles G. Dawes. I wish you had my worries.—Mrs. Albert Einstein. Constitutions and systems are changed by natural causes, not by talk or books.—Joseph Stalin, dictator of Russia. A puritan is a person who pours righteous indignation into the wrong things.—G. K. Chesterton. I had to go 3,000 miles to inform my American friends that my name is not pronounced as if it were a fat cat.—Lord Derby.

Poor Advice Hurts Hoover

By CHARLES F. STEWART Central Press Staff Writer WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The break between President Hoover and the United States senate is too utter to be exaggerated if it is as bad as it appears on paper. One hundred per cent cannot be over-stated. Mr. Hoover asked congress to vote \$25,000,000 relief to the country's drought-stricken farm areas; learned that certain lawmakers were planning to boost the total to \$60,000,000 accordingly issued his celebratory handout to the newspapers to the effect that all those lending aid to financial allowances exceeding his recommendations were "playing politics at the expense of human misery." Two bills later the senate voted \$60,000,000 without one dissenting voice—not a Democrat's, not an insurgent's, not a Republican's. WHAT THE SENATE did, it did deliberately. No senator was in the slightest doubt as to the president's wishes. The president did not say that, at the time he broadcast his hand-out, all the senators were "playing politics at the expense of human misery." They had not voted then; hence he had no way of knowing to a certainty, though he must have had his suspicions of some of them. However, he issued his hand-out early enough to enable the "vilest sinner among them to get in out of the wet if he chose to do so. HAVING DEMONSTRATED its independence of White House dictation, the senate took two days to express its opinion of Mr. Hoover for issuing such a hand-out. If I were to proclaim, on the streets of any Podunk in this republic, only half the things I heard said on the senate floor during those two days, I will guarantee that a riot would start. Probably I would have a few defenders, but there also assuredly would be a goodly number of citizens bent on lynching me. In his judgment, "Unbelievable" was Senator David I. Walsh's verdict on the California's industrial and farm policies. AFTER LISTENING through a brace of senate sessions to a bombardment of this magnitude, one's nerves are all a-quiver in anticipation of the crash of an answering oratorical artillery. When not popping zees off, believe me, the anticlimax is terrible. President Hoover's forces simply sat and took it. On second thought, Senator Bingham put a pro-presidential editorial into the record and Senator Reed did fire a lone shot for the administration, but it may well be questioned if it would have punctured a sheet of cardboard, had it hit one. In his judgment, quoth Senator Reed, Mr. Hoover did not intend his hand-out "a partisan act."

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Sunday-School Lesson

BY DR. J. E. NUNN

National Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 21, 1930.

General Topic:— Timothy: The Influence of Home Training.

Scripture Lesson:— 1 Tim. 3:14-16.

1. Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus through the will of God, according to the promise of the life which is in Christ Jesus.

2. To Timothy, my beloved child: grace, mercy, peace, from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

3. I thank God, whom I serve from my forefathers in a pure conscience, how unceasing is my remembrance of thee in my supplications, night and day.

4. Longing to see thee, remembering thy tears, that I may be filled with joy.

5. Having been reminded of the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother, Lois, and thy mother, Eunice; and I am persuaded, in the also.

6. For which cause I put thee in remembrance that thou stir up the gift of God, which is in thee through the laying on of my hands.

7. But abide thou in the things which thou hast learned, and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;

8. And that from a babe thou hast known the sacred writings which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

9. Every scripture inspired of God is also profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for instruction which is in righteousness.

10. Time and Place:—Paul, stoned in Lystra, A. D. 69. Paul, writes to Timothy for his helper, A. D. 96. Paul writes to Philemon from his first Roman imprisonment, A. D. 61 or 62. Paul writes to Timothy from his second Roman imprisonment, A. D. 66 or 67.

11. We have the choice today of a Christmas lesson on the birth of Christ, or "Timothy: The Influence of Home Training." Most teachers will probably desire to pursue our regular series of lessons through today, using Timothy and his home training as an admirable illustration of our lesson subject. Where could we go for a finer interpretation of home influence at this Christmas-time than in the lovely home at Lystra where Eunice and Lois made an atmosphere so helpful to young Timothy? If at this Christmas season our fathers and mothers may come anew to recognize the privileges of creating the right home influence for their children it will be a Christmas well pleasing to our blessed Lord.

12. Timothy and Paul

Timothy worked with Paul longer than any other person. Paul loved him. He called him his "true child in the faith"—of one mind with himself, and doing the work of the Lord even as he did. The more we learn of Timothy, therefore, the better will we understand his great teacher and friend, Paul.

13. And this second letter of Paul to Timothy is the last of the Apostle's writing. It is his farewell message, not only to the younger preacher, but to Christians of all time. It was written during his last imprisonment in Rome. He was near the end. Every sentence seems to breathe the yearning soul of the great man. Often throughout this letter we come upon the phrase "the life which is in Christ Jesus," which is the very key to Paul's great heart. "The gospel is the promise of the life in Christ; the life is the end, and Christ, is the way."

14. Paul opens his letter with the most gracious salutation asking for the grace, mercy, peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

15. Timothy's Home

Reminding Timothy of the blessing of the godly home in which he had been nurtured, Paul admonishes Timothy to stir up the gift of God—literally to stir into flame the endowment of power which God had given him.

16. Timothy inherited a rich background of Christian faith and service. Lois, his grandmother, was a good woman. It is likely that Timothy's father, a Greek, was not a very early in the lad's life, and his memory of his father was indistinct. From his grandmother, and from Eunice, his mother, Timothy gained his impressions of men and things. They were good women—praying women, believing women, modest women, home-loving women. Unfeigned faith dwelt in them.

17. Paul starts out from the very beginning of this message to remind Timothy of his best estate. Four times in four verses he calls his remembrance back to his good home and the noble example of his mother and grandmother. The secret of the strength of Timothy was the religious tendencies of Eunice and Lois. You can explain the average good man by the fact that he had a good mother. Let us be reminded in this lesson of our debt of gratitude to our fathers and mothers.

18. Family Religion

"Is it not clear that the inheritance of the religious tendency, and the sacred influences which nourish it are the formative data of our character? Are they not often the determining factors in human experience? Heredity plays as large a part in religion as it does in any department of human life, and in England there are few men who cannot trace their religious disposition to some ancestral source." When James Anthony Froude, writing through Carlyle's letters, he found one endorsed with a trembling hand, "My last letter to my mother. And here is an extract that has become familiar to us: I am now grown old, and have had various things to do and write for so many years, that there is nothing I ever had to be so thankful for as the mother I had. May God reward you, my dearest mother; I never can. Think, too, of the tribute Wesley paid to his remarkable mother. It is possible she never wrote a tender phrase than that which contains these words: 'Her understanding was as good as her heart; it is from her that I have inherited that alertness of mind and quickness of apprehension without which it would have been impossible for me to have undertaken half of what I have performed.' While it is true that a man must be more than the product of the trails of his ancestors, it is nevertheless true that the fibre of his manhood is the bequest of a pure and Christian parentage. It was so with Timothy. He had inherited the religious tendency from Eunice, and through her influence he remained true to it. It was the secret of his strength."

19. Timothy's Bible Training. 2 Tim. 3:14-16

Paul was eager not only that Timothy should be quickened to a flame the power of the Holy Spirit imparted to him, but also that the young preacher should bear in mind all the sacred wisdom which had come to him from the Scriptures.

20. "And that from a babe thou hast known the sacred writings." That is, the Old Testament, since no part of the New Testament was written when Timothy was a young child. It was a requirement of the rabbis that a child should begin to learn the Law by heart when five years old. "Which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith

which is in Christ Jesus." v. 15. Paul's words are a warning that Bible reading alone is not enough; it must be accompanied by faith in Jesus Christ, whose Holy Spirit will guide us into all truth. Without this faith, through we may admire the literary qualities of the Bible, and practise its moral precepts, it will have no power over our souls to save us from sin.

21. "Let not Moses nor any prophet speak to me; but speak thou rather, O Lord God, who art the inspirer and enlightener of all the prophets; for thou alone without them canst perfectly instruct me, but they without thee will avail nothing. They may indeed sound forth words, but they do not add to them the Spirit. They show the way, but thou givest strength to walk in it."—Thomas A. Kempis.

22. The Bible—"The Impregnable Rock."

"No other book has ever provoked such fierce opposition as the Bible. If fire and acids could have destroyed it, it would have been lost and forgotten long ago. The ancient cities of the world were lit with bonfires of Bibles; yet the Book survives without the smell of fire on it. The corrosive acids of unfair criticism have been poured upon it from time immemorial; but they not destroyed a single page of it. The Book is its own greatest miracle. It stands, to use the words of Gladstone, as the impregnable rock. He was thinking of Gibraltar.

23. This is the outstanding lesson of Timothy's career. "The groundwork of his character was fidelity to the Word of God. He had learned the Scriptures in his old home at Lystra. The best Christian is a Bible Christian, and the best minister is one who not only believes in the inspiration of the Scriptures, but can rightly adjust them to the needs of those who hear him."—David James Burrell.

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25. "Whatever the husbands and the fathers in our households may do, let all wives and mothers live a life

like the lives of Lois and Eunice, and they will have their reward."—Alexander Whyte.

26. ROBBER ESCAPES

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 19. (AP) Returning 10 minutes after he had inquired about rates on a \$50 loan, a well dressed robber held up the manager and an employee of the Alco Finance company here late today and escaped with \$257. The company's office is in a large downtown building.

Increased Demand For Money Cited

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP) Member banks of the Federal Reserve system entered the Christmas season of increased demand for currency with a smaller volume of indebtedness to reserve banks than at any time since 1917.

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

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

Seedless pomegranates, which heretofore have grown only in Central Asia, are being cultivated experimentally in London.

BANK IS ROBBED

PLAINFIELD, Ind., Dec. 19. A lone robber held up the First National Bank and Trust company here today and escaped with \$1,000.

The robber herded several employes and customers into a room and awaited the arrival of the Pike, cashier. When Pike arrived man forced him to open the vault. He left the bank without being tied.

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You know which kind you prefer and you ask for it by name. That's the way to be sure of getting what you want. Same way with bread. It's just as easy to ask for Butter-Nut—and then you are sure of getting the loaf of tasty goodness your family enjoys so much. Your grocer prefers to have you specify what you want, too. It enables him to satisfy you and keep your good-will. Here's a suggestion: Order Butter-Nut Bread by name every day for just one week. After that, you'll say it without thinking—and your enjoyment of bread will be greatly increased because you always get the same fine quality loaf.

THE BUTTER-NUT BAKERS



MARTIN'S Butter-Nut Twins

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APPLES	Extra Large, Delicious, Box \$3.25; Each.....7c
	Large Size, Delicious, Box \$3.25; Dozen.....55c
	Medium Size, Winesap, Box \$2.90; Dozen.....27c
	Large Size Spitzenberg, Box \$2.65; Dozen.....33c

Celery Bunch	17c	Lettuce Each	9c
Large California Well Bleached		Large firm heads	

Coconuts Each	10c	Pineapples Large, Fresh Each	29c
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Pineapple	No. 1 can, 2 for...25c No. 2 1/2 Rosedale, Crushed, 2 for...49c No. 10 Crushed...89c	Peaches	Libby's No. 1, 2 for 25c Rosedale No. 2 1/2, 2 cans for...39c For the best table use, packed in heavy syrup
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Plums	Hillsdale No. 10 can, Green Gage	45c	Pears	Rosedale, No. 2 1/2 can in heavy syrup, 2 for	45c
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Salmon	Brookdale, No. 1 Tall, Doz. \$1.25, each	11c	Pork & Beans	Van Camp, Med. Can. 2 for	15c
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Nuts Pound	25c	Flour Pound	69c
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Cocoa	Hershey, 1-5 lb. can, 2 for	15c	Sugar 1 lb. Powdered Or Brown	19c
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Corn Flakes	Kellogg's, Pkg.	11c	Apple Butter	Libby's, No. 2 1/2 can	21c
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Pickles	Libby's Dill, Med. can	12 1/2c	Jelly	Libby's, 5-oz. glass, 2 for	19c
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Meal	1 1/2 lb. pkg., 2 for	19c	Flour	Pancake, Small pkg., 2 for	25c
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Asparagus	Tip, 2 cans	39c	Spinach	Libby's, No. 1 can	10c
An excellent food prepared on toast.			Free from grit and dirt, Libby's Fancy		

GOLDEN CRUST

WINNERS

Bread, 3 for	17c	Matches, 6 boxes	14c
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Figs	9 1/2 oz. pkg.	12 1/2c	Cherries	3 oz. bottle, 2 for	23c
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Prunes	1 pound	19c	Dates	2 pgs.	41c
Rich in food value.			Always fresh—pasteurized.		

Candy	Each, 46c. Carton	80c	Candy	1 pound, mixed	17 1/2c
Think how good one would taste right now			An assortment of high grade candies such as: Chicken Bones, Ritz Fudge, Orange Slices, Peanut Squares, Airway Chocolates.		

Market Specials

Pork Roast Shoulder Pound	20c	Veal Loaf Pork Added Pound	17c
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Cured Hams Ormours Fixed Flavors, half or whole Pound	23c	Cheese Wisconsin Pound	Lb. 26c
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Beef Roast Baby Beef or Veal Pound	18c	Bacon One-half LB. ROLLS	17c
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MAYOR EXONERATED

Texarkana Man Freed of Fraud Charges in Court

TEXARKANA, Dec. 19. (P)—Mayor L. S. Kennedy of Texarkana, Texas, was exonerated in the Bowie county district court, Boston Thursday of charges of attempting to defraud the city and county by failing to render property for tax assessment. The court instructed a jury to return a verdict of not guilty on

one indictment and another indictment was dismissed.

The indictments alleged Kennedy failed and refused to assess \$30,000 of stock and \$7,000 of fixtures of a shoe store he owned January 1, 1930. The defense presented only one witness, S. D. Barkman, deputy tax assessor who denied calling on the mayor for an assessment.

Russian competition has forced Czechoslovakia from third to fifth place as an exporter of lumber to Germany.

Would Divorce Mix

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STANDEFER IMPROVES

Condition of Local Specialist Is Better on Friday

Continued improvement was noted in the condition of Dr. Fred W. Standefer, specialist on the staff of West Texas hospital, throughout yesterday after the patient had spent a somewhat poor night, attending physicians said late Friday. Doctor Standefer has been ill at his home, 2207 16th street, since last Sunday, a victim of pneumonia. The physician in charge of the case said he expected the patient to recover.

NOMINATION CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (P)—The nomination of Ralph B. Williamson, of Washington state to be a member of the power commission was confirmed today by the senate without opposition.

NOMINATIONS MADE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (P)—President Hoover today nominated Arthur C. Laverne to be surveyor of customs for district number 20, New Orleans, and Warren Kearny to be collector of customs for the same district.

Bombing Plane Designer Dies

Inventor Loses Confidence in His Own Craft, Jumps From Low Altitude; Killed When Parachute Fails

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (P)—The designer of a new army bombing plane lost confidence in his own craft last night as the motors sputtered. He jumped and died, while the plane was landed safely. Stephen A. Forberger, project engineer of the Parker company, was killed, apparently because the parachute he carried had no time to break the fall before his body hit a tree. The report had been pulled, but the plane had insufficient altitude for a successful jump. Lieutenant Harrison G. Crocker, of the army air corps, did not even know he had passed until he had brought the ship down practically undamaged a mile from where Forberger died.

The plane was a two motored, cabin-type monoplane with a folding landing gear. The wheels were pulled up when the machine struck the ground in a "dead-stick" landing. It was being taken to Wright Field, Ohio, the army's experimental center from Teterboro Heights, New Jersey. Crocker and his companion had planned to spend the night at Bolling field here.

Murray Named On World Fair Board

Appointment of R. J. Murray, president of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, to the advisory board of the Texas World's Fair commission was announced here Friday at a meeting of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce and board of city development.

Sensate Frank L. Farrah, of Lubbock, has been negotiating with Governor Moody in an effort to gain appointment of a Lubbock man to the Texas world's fair group. The governor has not announced a selection in that connection, however. Most of the session, which was held in chamber of commerce offices, was devoted to committee reports. F. R. Friend made a report of the National Farm Bureau Federation convention, which he attended last week at Boston, and gave his impressions of work being done by the body. Mr. Friend was the only Texas delegate to the convention.

FOUR PAINTERS KILLED

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (P)—Four painters were killed and a fifth seriously injured today when a scaffold gave way and threw them 70 feet to the cement flooring of the 208th coast artillery armory in the Bronx. The dead are Arthur Strauss, Michael Molick, Thomas Hawley and a man named McCarthy.

BANK IS ROBBED

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 19. (P)—The Industrial Credit Union bank in a residential-business section of the city was robbed this afternoon of \$6,000. The robbery was committed by a party of five, including one woman. The robbers escaped in a taxicab which had previously been taken from its driver.

Scotch farmers are fighting attempts to import Russian grain.

Buried alive in a rabbit hole near Box Hill, England, for a week an Irish terrier greeted his rescuers with a wagging tail.

Scotch farmers are fighting attempts to import Russian grain.

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CELERY Fancy Jumbo each	15c	LETTUCE Firm, large Heads	11c
CRANBERRIES Pound	22c	SHELLED PECAN HALVES Pound	75c
ORANGES Small—dozen	14c	TANGERINES Texas Sweet Per dozen	21c
Spuds U. S. No. 1's 30 Pounds	24c	Sugar Pure Cane 10 Pounds	54c
Yams King Dried 10 Pounds	29c	Pickles Sweet—Valley Brand Quart	27c
Texas Honey Extracted 5 Pound Can	59c	Fig Bars Brown's 2 Pounds for	25c
Coffee M. Z. B. 2 Pounds	79c	Flour Light Crust, 24 Pounds	73c
Fruits For Salad No. 1 can	23c	Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti 2 Packages	23c
Pineapple Sun Kist, Sliced & Crushed, No. 2 can	23c	Jello and ROYAL GELATIN 2 Packages	25c
Spinach Sun Kist, No. 2, 2 cans for	25c	Fresh Pork Ham Roast Per Pound	24
Syrup KASO, Red Label, 5 Pound can	39c	Longhorn Cheese Pound	28c
Oleo Swift's Tropic Nat, 1 Pound	18c	Sliced Bacon Pound	31c
Chipso Small size, 2 Packages	17c	Pork Sausage Pound	20c
MINCE MEAT—HEINZ, POUND	23c		
PUDDING—HEINZ FIG OR PLUM	39c		

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Associated-Press Correspondent
Believes Rebellion Is Crushed
and People Wanting
Return of Peace

By MELVIN K. WHITTELEATHER
HENDAYE, FRANCO-SPANISH
FRONTIER, Dec. 19. (P)—Spain's
northwestern seacoast provinces
where revolution flared on Mon-
day, today had sunk back into the
surface calm which came with de-
feat at the hands of troops loyal
to their king.

The phrase "in memoriam" ade-
quately describes the atmosphere,
for people and their leaders seem
to feel that their day of revolu-
tion is over.

Bloodshed Reported
A 200-mile automobile trip by an
Associated Press Correspondent
through the section saw not a lit-
tle bloodshed and whose people still
harbor the will to revolt, revealed
that those who took part in a con-
certed effort to overthrow the
monarchy are now taking stock of
their apparent failure and asking
themselves why they failed.

Union labor throughout the sec-
tion visited carried through its
share of the insurrection by re-
sponding to the order for a gener-
al strike.

But today the town of San Se-
bastian was calm, although still
under the spell of the strikers. At
Bilbao, where the strike was 99 per
cent effective, trolley service was
functioning again but the cars car-
ried a crew of civil guardsmen. The
streets of both towns and of their
industrial suburbs were filled with
milling crowds of idle workmen who
seemed a constant threat to the
soldiers.

Mounted troopers with rifles
slung in holsters occasionally char-
ged and dispersed street corner
groups, but there has been no ser-
ious fighting at Bilbao since Tues-
day and none at San Sebastian
since the bloody encounter of last
Monday morning.

Fire Into Air
From time to time, as this "tour"
moved through the strike-ridden
area, a rifle shot cracked out, and
each time there came the rumor
that another man had died. But
usually the shots were traced to sol-
diers who had fired into the air to
scatter crowds.

Bilbao is a hotbed of revolution
and the home grounds of the republi-
cans. Here is anywhere a new in-
surrection might rise, but today the
townsmen, with army rifles under
their noses, were not talking much
above a whisper, and they were not
even whispering about revolution.

The socialist and republican lead-
ers have taken to their heels and
their followers don't even know
where they have gone. Some of
them, of course, are in jail. Others
got across the frontier, some how
and are living here in "new" until
the trouble blows over.

In the little villages when clime to
the sides of the Pyrenees just the
other side of the frontier in Spain,
the peasants didn't even know there
had been a revolution. "The world
itself meant nothing to them and
they led their little donkeys through
the mountain provinces of Biscay

Girl Gets Into
Wrong Car

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19. (P)—
Miss Esther Hill, 25, stepped into
the big automobile parked at the
curb, sank back in the seat and
said "let's go." "Alright,
baby," said the man at the wheel.
But it was not her father's voice,
as she expected it would be.
The car shot forward as it
dawned on Miss Hill that she
had entered the wrong machine.
She told police later that she
was forced to fight off the ad-
vances of the driver before thien
car slowed down for traffic and
she managed to leap from it.

and Guipuzcoa as though nothing
had happened. Their women were
carrying their wares to market in
the good old-fashioned way, on
their heads.

All in all, a first hand observer—
and there have been few passing
through this vicinity in recent
weeks—could not but feel that the
people are fed up with revolution
and eager only for the return of
peace which will give them back
their business and their livelihood.

WEST APPOINTED
AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (P)—Appoint-
ment of R. M. West of Navasota to
a position in the department of ag-
riculture was announced today by
J. E. McDonald, agricultural com-
missioner-elect. West was one of
McDonald's opponents in the first
primary. McDonald said he had not
decided what position West would
occupy in the new administration.

DIES OF INJURIES
FREDERICKSBURG, Dec. 19. (P)—
Charles Seelig, 38, truck operator,
died today of injuries received when
a loaded gravel truck overturned
near here. Seelig was pinned be-
neath the wreckage.

GUATEMALA AT PEACE

Nation Quiet After Revolution
Installs New President

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala,
Dec. 19. (P)—Peace had returned to
Guatemala tonight after a revolu-
tion which installed General Man-
uel Ordozola as the third president
the country has had within a week.
The congress indicated in a formal

manifesto a belief that the trouble
was definitely over.

The statement disclosed the vari-
ous ambassadors and other repre-
sentatives of foreign nations had
sat in on congressional conferences
looking toward reestablishment of
peace. The mediation of the diplo-
matic corps was helpful, the state-
ment says, but the diplomats func-
tioned only as unofficial observers.

Belfast is warring on dole frauds.

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CRANBERRIES	Per Pound	18c
CHOCOLATE CANDY	Cherry Center One Pound Box	35c
Apples	Fancy Winesap, Dozen	25c
Bananas	per pound	7 1/2c

ORANGES Medium Size. Dozen **29c**

Mixed Nuts , pound	25c	Fresh Coconuts , each	10c
Candy Sugar Stick, 15 oz. package	17c	Mince Meat Blue Ribbon Package	10c
Candy One Pound Barber Pole	16c	Coconut Dunham's or Baker's, shredded, 1-4 Pound Pkg.	10c

POTATOES No. 1 Fancy 10 Pound **19**

Prunes , No. 10 can	39c	Peaches Hunt's Staple, No. 2 1/2 can	19c
Pears , No. 10 can	45c	Peaches Hilldale, No. 10 can	53c
Apricots Hilldale, No. 10 can	58c	Peas Happyval, No. 2 can	12 1/2c
Pickles Happyval, Quart, sour	25c	Cocoa Hershey's, 5 cane	29c
Spinach Libby's, No. 2 can	12 1/2c	Salmon Brookdale, Tall can	11c
Post Toasties , 2 for	23c	Syrup East Texas Ribbon and Gallon	98c
Tomatoes Standard Grade, No. 2 can	8c	Corn Tender, Sweet, No. 2 can, 2 for	23c

FLOUR Gold Crown 48 Pounds **\$1.17**

FRUIT CAKE Uneda Bakers, 5 Lbs. **\$2.98**
2 Lbs. **\$1.48**

Pork & Beans Campbell's Medium Size Can	8c	Soup Campbell's Regular can	8c
MARSHMALLOWS Anglus 5 1/2 oz Package 8c			

Market Specials

Fresh Spare - Ribs Pound	22c	Beef Roast Pound	18c	Steak Pork Shoulder Pound	22c
Lamb Chops Pound	29c	Lamb Roast Pound	25c	Sliced Bacon Sugar Cured 1/2 Pound Roll	16c

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- Sugar-10 lbs. cloth bag **52c**
- 5 lbs. Pinto Beans clean new crop **29c**
- Coffee 3 lb (Maxwell House) **\$1.05**
- Oranges, large, nice, doz. **29c**
- Apples, large, nice, doz. **29c**
- Coffee 3 lb H & H (3 lb Sugar free) **\$1.29**
- Coffee H & H 1 lb (1 lb Sugar free) **41c**
- Honey-gallon extracted **93c**

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Mighty Offensive Clubs Clash For State Honors Today

Golden Sandies of Panhandle Favored to Bring School Boy Title of 1930 to West Texas

Two Greatest Offensive Sets Ever to Clash in Finals—Amarillo and Tyler—Take Field at Fort Worth Today

(By The Associated Press) FORT WORTH, Dec. 19.—The two greatest offensive eleven ever to clash in the finals—Amarillo and Tyler—will meet for the state school football championship at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Texas Christian University stadium. Should the ideal weather of today continue, a capacity crowd of 20,000 is expected.

Never before in the history of the Texas Intercollegiate League, have two such mighty offensive teams been brought together for the state school boy gridiron honors. More powerful teams may have met in the past, but none could boast a more spectacular attack than these finalists will exhibit.

Have Torn Through Races Tyler and Amarillo have come tearing through the state race, trashing the opposition in avalanche style, gaining impetus with each game. Each time the eleven have appeared in a major game this season, they've been declared the under-dog. But, it only served to give them further power in their crushing offensive play. Both were at their heights last week in the semi-finals, Tyler defeating Austin, 44 to 0 and Amarillo eliminating Corsicana, 33 to 25.

Dope Favors Amarillo For the first time this season, the consensus among the dopers of the state favors Amarillo. It placed Tyler as the underdog again, but the Lions are accustomed to that rating. They're prepared to give the dopers another upset as they did against Austin, Greenville and others.

After a spirited hour's workout this afternoon on the Texas Christian Stadium the Sandies were pronounced by their coaches, Blair Cherry and Howard Lynch, as "ready."

Sandies in Spirited Drill The Sandies went through a signal drill and it was apparent their attack would center around the blushing off-tackle plays featuring Captain Burt (Biff) Bufkin, Odell "Muggins" Fowler, and Dick Scanlon as ball carriers, with Joe Hanson at his usual position as interference and blocker for the trio.

Just as the Sandies were leaving the field, Mike Montgomery, giant tackle, wrenched a knee, although limping badly, Montgomery probably will be a starter.

Tyler Works Out at Dallas Switching his plans at the last moment, before leaving Tyler, Coach Geo. A. Polts stopped over at Dallas on route for a short workout at Cowboy Stadium. The Tyler team arrived about 8 p. m.

"We are expecting one of the toughest fights we have ever had but we are ready," Polts declared. "My boys are in perfect condition and I believe we will be able to cope with any situation. It will be a good game."

The Lions are expected to employ sweeping end runs with Harry Johnson toting and a passing

Sandstorm Hope



Odell "Muggins" Fowler, above, will probably play his last game today in high school circles when he assumes the duties of quarterback for the final time with the Amarillo Golden Sandies, representatives of West Texas in the game for the schoolboy championship of the state today in Fort Worth.

attack Johnson does both the punting and passing for the Lions. Nine of the players in tomorrow's game will be concluding their high school careers. Four are of the Tyler team and five of the Amarillo team. It was first announced seven Sandies would finish their careers but two have apparently decided to stay another year.

The Sandies are: Fowler, Bufkin, Ramon Glass, center; Johnny Foster, guard and Scanlan. The Lions are: Johnson, Gregory, fullback; Dave Wilcox, tackle and Harville, end. All are strong cogs in their respective machines.

The coaches have announced the following lineups:

Tyler Pos. Amarillo
Harville L.E. Conaley
Glass L.T. Montgomery
J. Wilcox L.O. Foster
A. Johnson C. Glass
L. Wilcox R.G. Allen
D. Wilcox R.T. Estes
R. Gregory R.E. Floyd
H. Johnson Q.B. Fowler
Morris L.H. Hancock
C. Gregory C. R. H. Scanlon
Hill P.B. Bufkin (C)
Officials: Boynton (Williams) referee; Meyer (T. C. U.) umpire; Eulinger (Texas) head linesman; Schmidt (Nebraska) field judge.

TEXAN FOUND DEAD VICTORIA, Dec. 19. (AP)—J. P. Frederick, 50, of Austin, was found dead in a hotel room here today. He had been dead probably 24 hours. Death was attributed to natural causes.

"SHOOT TO KILL" ORDERS TEXARKANA, Dec. 19. (AP)—The chief of police today issued a "shoot to kill" order after the fourth hold-up in three days was reported. O. M. Sanders, the latest victim, was robbed of \$145, and O. K. McKnight was relieved of \$26 last night.

DIES OF INJURIES SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 19. (AP)—John C. Howard, president and general manager of the Utah Oil Refining company died last night from injuries suffered in a six-story fall to the marble of an office building here.

Cage Coaches To Parley Here Jan. 10

Cawthon Heads Rules Meet for Men, Women

Local Civic Body Working In Advertising Meeting; West Texas Coaches and Officials To Be Invited

Basketball coaches and officials of West Texas and southeastern New Mexico will be invited to come together in Lubbock on January 10 for a rules interpretation meeting and a general convention for coaches. P. W. Cawthon, head coach of Texas Tech athletics and president of the State Board of Approved Basketball Officials, will head the meeting and lead in the discussions. He is assisted in the bringing of the convention to Lubbock by the local Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting here will be for the benefit of women and girls as well as for men. Since nearly every high school and college these days is represented by girls' basketball teams, it was deemed wise to include a special program to care for the female side of athletics for the winter. Miss Zeila Riegel and Miss Johnnie Gilkerson, physical education instructors at Texas Tech, will lead the rules interpretation program for the women.

Similar To Grid Meet. The meeting will be similar to the football interpretation meeting held here last September with the exception of the inclusion of women's athletics this time.

Coaches and school officials who have not completed their schedule for 1931 by the time of the meeting will have the opportunity to arrange games at the meeting here.

Tech Officials Qualified. Coach Cawthon recently attended the state meeting of coaches and officials at Dallas, acting as chairman of the convention, and will be in a position to pass on valuable information. Misses Riegel and Gilkerson were present at the Texas Athletic Conference of College Women at Belton late in November and will be capable of leading

Corsicana-Breckenridge Consolation Joust Results In 20 To 20 Deadlock

Tigers Score Twice In Early Minutes And Bucks Reply

(By Associated Press) BRECKENRIDGE, Dec. 19.—Before 2,000 fans, the schoolboy champions of District 2 and 3, Breckenridge's Buckaroos and the Tigers of Corsicana, fought out a spectacular 20 to 20 tie here today. A portion of the game's proceeds went to charity.

Corsicana's big team started out to make a runaway, rushing over the Bucks with two touchdowns in the first five minutes of play, with Wilson leading the offensive. The Oil Belt champions were nervous, making like novices, and were baffled by the Tigers' spins and passes. But in the second quarter Breckenridge, led by the redoubtable "Boon" Magness, staged a comeback fully as sensational as the Tigers' first quarter start. With Magness throwing rifle passes 20 and 40 yards, they quickly knotted the count and showed out a point ahead when Martin kicked the second goal.

Corsicana scored again early in the third quarter, but seven plays later Stapp, Breck backfield, capped a Buckaroo march by ramming over the line. That knotted the score again, 20-20, and it remained that way through a scoreless last quarter.

The game brought together two superlative passing machines. Corsicana completed 17 passes for 240 yards, with 14 incomplete and five intercepted, while Breckenridge completed nine for 172 yards, with five incomplete and seven intercepted. The Tigers had the edge on first downs, 19 to 12.

discussions for the girls. Volley ball and tennis will also come in for discussions at the girls' meeting.

The convention, lasting nearly all day, will be held at the Texas Tech gymnasium. Letters are being sent this week to all coaches and athletic directors and officials of the section.

Little Albie Is A Cager, Too



The scars of Harvard's surprise defeat of Yale's eleven are partially forgotten as the Elis began their training for the new basketball season. Snapped at practice are, left to right, Eddie Horowitz, Yale cage captain; Basketball Coach Emory Ripley and Albie Booth, Yale football star who is also a basketball varsity star.

Monroe Sweeney, noted baseball umpire and football official fears that night baseball will force him to doff the mask and protector and seek some other kind of employment.

interest. He'll either go to Florida when the spring training camp trek begins or he may decide to watch some club training in California.

"I'm in good shape," he said. "I've been hunting and golfing quite a bit lately and have had lots of luck at both."

Boxing Commission Stumped By Attitude of Schmeling

"See Joe Jacobs, My Manager," Says Max After Warning to Defend Title Soon; Jacobs Not Recognized

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Max Schmeling, who won the world's heavyweight title from Jack Sharkey while in a reclining position, seems about to lose it the same way. The New York State Athletic Commission today, reading his cable reply from Germany to an ultimatum ordering him to sign within 15 days for a return duel with the Boston sailorman, suffered a slight attack of heat under the collar. Schmeling blandly cables the august fathers to get in touch with his new manager, Joe Jacobs, who knows about such things, but said nothing about signing to fight Sharkey or anyone else within 15 days or ever.

Fathers Regret Max Title. The commission, headed by James A. Farley, refused to comment officially on the cablegram. There were indications, however, the so-lons now regret the recognition extended Schmeling after his victory on a foul over Sharkey last June and are about to declare him null and void and the championship, vacated voluntarily by Gene Tunney in 1928, once more open to all comers.

This is in line with similar indications from the National Boxing association. Schmeling's cablegram, which the commission considers no answer at

Ty Cobb Observes Baseball Has Been Less Attractive In Recent Seasons

(By Dillon L. Graham) Associated Press Sports Writer AUGUSTA, Ga., Dec. 19.—From a perspective of 44 years, Ty Cobb looked back on baseball today and observed the game has grown less attractive.

Today was the 55th birthday of the Georgia Peach, who spent more than 20 years in major league baseball. He celebrated quietly at home with his family—a custom he has never varied since his marriage in 1908.

"To me the game seems to lack a sort of spontaneity now," he said. "The close plays, base running and other interesting features have been lessened by the cry of home run hitting."

Hair-Line Plays the Feature. "Back before the days of the lively ball the outfielders played nearer the infield and figured in some fast throws and hair-line decision plays. The present game needs more competition, more close scores and harder fought games. The lively ball has served to eliminate some of these attractive points."

Crowds Greet Winners Only. "Years ago I remember when crowded stands greeted a seventh place club late in September. They were out to see real baseball, with all the old tricks of the game. Nowadays only the leaders and the first division clubs play to full stands. The others have meager attendance."

Ty had no comment to make on the draft question recently discussed at the baseball meetings, but observed the elimination of the sacrifice fly would affect the game very little.

Cobb is content now to rest and play. He's getting pleasure aplenty out of romping around with his family. This is the first real extension of his vacation.

game with the Cougars, champions of the west. However, some 400 students and others ushered the 35 players aboard the special train with rousing "good lucks" and affectionate back-slapping.

Washington Cougars Board Train for Coast PULLMAN, Wash., Dec. 19. (AP)—Washington State's Cougars closing their Northern practice with an hour of hard scrimmage just before boarding the train tonight for Pasadena to meet Alabama's Crimson Tide New Year's day.

"It's a great looking gang," was Coach O. E. Hollenberry's comment as they ended scrimmage. "I think they're right mentally."

Baylor And A. & M. Renew Relations February 3 On Basketball Court At Waco After Five Years Of Waiting

(By Gayle Talbot Jr.) Associated Press Sports Writer DALLAS, Dec. 19.—Standing out in the 1931 Southwest Conference basketball schedule is one line that deserves to be set in black face caps, to use the parlance. It is:

"February 3—Baylor vs. Texas Aggies at Waco."

That writes fins on the last existing athletic feud between two conference schools. The contest will mark the first meeting between the Bears and the Farmers in any branch of sports in five years.

Rooting sections started in The break came as the aftermath of a between-half melee at the Cotton Palace grounds at Waco in 1925. The two rooting sections mixed it rather freely, and a cadet received injuries which caused his death. Relations were severed as a protective measure, the heads of the two institutions fearing a renewal of hostilities if the cheering sections came together again.

Ill Feeling All Gone. It was five years ago, though, and any trace of ill-feeling is believed to have been eradicated. There are new student bodies, new athletes and new coaches.

As a result of the renewal of relations, the conference will for the first time in five years play a complete basketball schedule, each school meeting each of six rivals in a two-game series.

ment during the summer months. It is the umpire that suffers under the lights—not the player—declared the veteran arbiter in a conversation here the other day.

Not Good For Eyes. "It's a terrific strain on the eyes," he said. "Where the player has to concentrate on the ball only ever so often, the umpire has to bear down constantly. It is tough squinting down the alley and watching that little white ball come across for hours at a time. It burns your eyes to a crisp."

Says He'll Get Out. Sweeney said his eyes and head ached after every night game and it was necessary to doctor them for relief.

"It's too tough," he soliloquized. "Think I'll be getting out."

GEOLOGIST DIES

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19. (AP)—Adolph J. Greit, 66, geologist and authority on the natural resources of the South American hinterlands is dead. Death was caused by blood poisoning from a minor injury. He was the son of A. J. Greit who supervised laying the piers for Brooklyn bridge.

CORN DOCTOR TREATED HOUSTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—G. C. Cook, 70 year old corn doctor, was in a hospital today receiving treatment for swollen feet. He fell to the sidewalk, unable to walk, as he left his office and living quarters this morning.

DIES OF BURNS DENTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—Essie Mae Fisher, 4, daughter of Mrs. Matt Fisher, died today of burns, received Wednesday when her clothing caught fire in the Fisher home near here.

More than 21,500,000 acres in Argentina were planted to wheat this season.

BRUSHING UP ON SPORTS BY LAUFER

POP'S STRATEGY
WHEN IT CLICKED AND WHEN IT FAILED

WHO'S GOT THAT NUGGET?
SEARCH ME KID!

POP WARNER OF STANFORD

ALL RIGHT KID—YOU WIN!

UGA! UGA!

BACK IN THE DAYS WHEN WARNER COACHED CARLISLE, HE DEVISED A SHIRT FOR ONE OF HIS BRANES BEARING WHICH A BALL COULD BE EASILY CONCEALED. IN THE HARVARD GAME THE REDSKINS CAUGHT THE KICKOFF, RIPPED THE SHIRT UNDER THE TRUCK JERSEY AND ALL RAN WHIPPING DOWN THE FIELD FOR A TOUCHDOWN — JOHN HARVARD WAS BAFFLED.

THERE'S NO ROSE AGAINST PAINTING IT RED!

THE NEXT YEAR

THE CARLISLE TEAM APPEARED AGAINST HARVARD WITH PATCHES RESEMBLING FOOTBALLS SEWED TO THE JERSEYS — IT SEEMED AS IF EVERY INDIAN WAS BRING A PIGSKIN. PERCY HAUGHTON, HARVARD COACH VELLIED MURDER — HE THREATENED TO PAINT THE BALL THE COLOR OF HARVARD'S GUEATERS, CAUSING POP TO CALL OFF THE TROCK STUFF — AND RIP OFF THE CAMOUFLAGE

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Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON" "THE AVERAGE" "THE WORLD BACKSTAGE"

(Continued from page 4)

dinner partner.

"Thank you . . . New, Penny. You were saying the maid had not returned."

"Oh, but she had!" Penny answered impatiently. "If I'm going to be inter-upted so much— Well, Nita rang the bell and Lydia came, tugging on her apron. Nita kissed her on the cheek that wasn't swollen, and asked her why she hadn't let Polly in. And Lydia said she hadn't heard the bell, because she had dropped asleep in her room in the basement-dope, you know," she explained to Dundee.

"I see," Dundee acknowledged, and underlined heavily another note in his scrawled shorthand.

"So Lydia took our hats and sumptuous coats and put them in the hall closet, then followed Nita, who was calling to her, on into Nita's bedroom. We thought she either wanted to give directions about the makings for the cocktails and the sandwiches, or to console poor Lydia for the awful pain she had had at the dentist, so we did not intrude. We made a dive for the bridge tables, found our places, and were ready to play when Nita joined us. Nita and Karen—"

"Just a minute, Penny. . . Did any of you, then, later, until Mrs. Marshall discovered the tragedy, go into Mrs. Selim's bedroom?"

"There was no need for us to," Penny told him. "There's a lavatory with a dressing table right behind the staircase. I, for one, didn't go into Nita's room until after Karen screamed."

"There was a chorus of similar denials on the part of every woman present. At Dundee's significant pressing of the same question upon the men, he was met with either laconic negatives or sharply indignant ones."

"All right, Penny. Go ahead, please."

"I was going to tell you how we were seated for bridge. If that interests you," Penny said, rather tartly.

"It interests me intensely," Dundee assured her, smiling.

"Then it was this way," began Penny, thawing instantly. "Karen and Nita and Carolyn and I were at this table," and she pointed to the table nearer the hall. "Flora, Polly, Janet and Lois were at the other. We played at those tables all afternoon. We simply pivoted at our own table after the end of each rubber. When Nita became dummy—"

"Forgive me," Dundee begged, as he interrupted her again. "I'd like to ask Mrs. Dunlap a question."

"Mrs. Dunlap, since you were at the other table, perhaps you will tell me what your partner and opponents were doing just before Mrs. Selim became dummy."

Lois Dunlap pressed her fingertips into her temples, as if in an effort to remember clearly. "It's—rather hard to think of bridge now, Mr. Dundee," she said at last. "But—yes, of course I remember! We had finished a rubber and had decided there would be no time for another, since it was so near 8:30."

"That last rubber, please, Mrs. Dunlap," Dundee suggested. "Who were partners, and just when was it finished?"

"Flora—Lois turned toward Mrs. Miles, who had sat with her hands tightly locked and her great baggy dark eyes roving tensely from one to another—"you and I were partners, weren't we? . . . Of course! Remember you were dummy and I played the hand?" You went out to telephone, didn't you? That's right! I remember clearly now! Flora said she had to telephone the house to see how her two babies—six and four years old, they are, Mr. Dundee, and the rooster dumplings—well, anyway, Flora went to telephone."

"In the little foyer between the main hall and Mrs. Selim's room?"

"Yes, of course," Lois Dunlap answered, but Dundee's eyes were upon Flora Miles, and he saw her usually yellow face go yellow under its too-thick rouge. "I played the hand and made my bid, although Flora and I had gone down 400 the hand before," Lois continued, with a rueful wrinkle of her pleasant eyes. "But when the score was totaled up, I found I'd won a bit after all. Our winnings go to the Forsyte Alumnae Scholarship Fund," she explained.

"Yes, I know," Dundee nodded.

"And then—?"

"Polly asked the other table how they stood and Nita said, 'One game to go on this rubber, provided we make it.' Karen was dealing the cards then, and Nita was looking very happy—she'd been winning pretty steadily, I think—sorry, Mrs. Dunlap. . . . How did the players at your table dispose of themselves then—that is, immediately after you had finished playing the last hand, and Mrs. Marshall was dealing at the other table?"

Lois screwed up her forehead.

"Let me think—I know what I did. I went over to watch the game at the other table, and stayed there till Tracy—Mr. Miles—came in for cocktails. I can't tell you exactly what the other three did."

There was a strained silence. Dundee saw Polly Beale's hand tighten convulsively on Clive Hammond's, saw Janet Raymond flush smartly, watched a muscle jerk in Flora Miles' otherwise rigid face. Suddenly he sprang to his feet. "I am going to make what will seem an absurd request," he said tensely. "I am going to ask you all—the women, I mean—to take your places at the bridge tables. And then—be pleased for an instant, his blue eyes bandaged, to see the death hand played exactly as it was played while Nita Selim was being murdered!"

(To Be Continued)

APPLICATION APPROVED

AUSTIN, Dec. 19. (AP)—The state railroad commission today approved an application of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Folger for authority to operate a motor bus service from Cisco to Albany.

GIVEN 16 YEARS

NUEVO LAREDO, Mex., Dec. 19. (AP)—Emetrio Antu, convicted of the slaying of Felipe Flores, chief of police at Nuevo Laredo, was sentenced to 16 years in the Mexican penitentiary today. An appeal was taken to the supreme court of Tamaulipas.

REACH BROWNSVILLE

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 19. (AP)—Helen Morgan, stag and screen star; Hal Roach director of movie comedies, and Arthur Lowe, in charge of foreign pictures for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, arrived here today in a private airplane from Mexico City. The party was en route to Dallas and Hollywood. Roach said he found Spanish talking pictures made in Hollywood were making a hit with motion picture fans of Mexico.

In a recent month more than 200,000 bags of coffee were shipped from Columbia.

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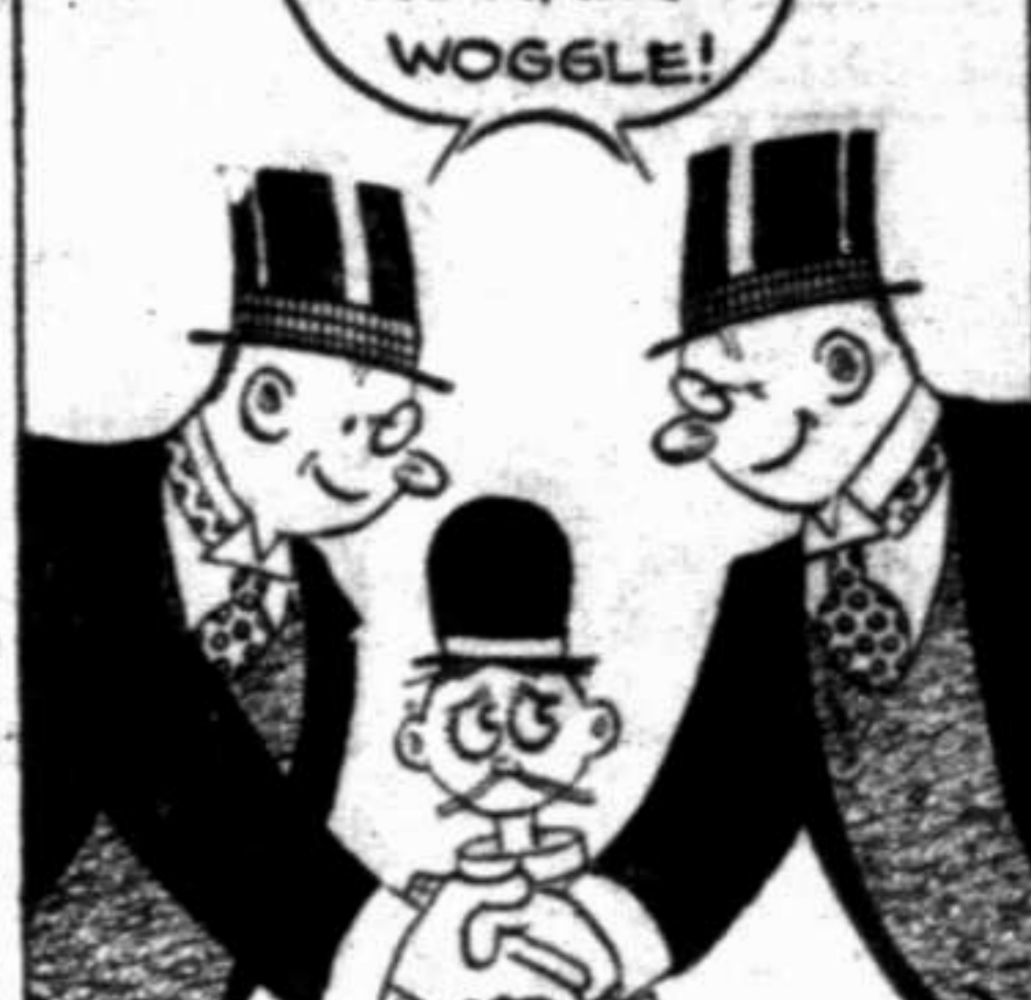
...A SON WHO AWAITS WITH PALPITATING HEART FOR A TENDER WORD FROM THAT UNHAPPY WOMAN FROM WHOSE ARMS HE WAS SNATCHED LONG AGO BY A HEARTLESS KIDNAPER



I SHALL TELL MRS. VAN RHYNE



IT WON'T BE LONG NOW, MR. WOGGLE!



MRS. VAN RHYNE SAYS TO LEAVE THE PREMISES OR SHE'LL SIC THE DOGS ON YOU



Mrs. Van Rhyne Speaks!

By VERD

BIG SISTER

NOW, THEN, THE TRICKS GOIN' TO BE TO GET THIS PLANE THROUGH THE SNOW. AN' THERE'S NOT A SHOVEL ON THE PLACE TO DIG A PATH WITH. LOOKS LIKE WE'RE STUMPED!



ALL WE GOTTA DO IS TRAMPLE TWO PATHWAYS LIKE THIS! AT'S THE BOY, BUDDY, STAMP'ER DOWN HARD! THIS WON'T TAKE LONG!



NOW THEN, ALL TOGETHER! SHE'S BUSY! HERE SHE COMES!



WELL, BOYS THERE SHE IS ON THE ICE. NOW THEN, WE'VE GOT TO HUSTLE AND GET OUR THINGS ABOARD 'ER. WHILE THIS GOOD WEATHER LASTS! ANOTHER WINDO LIKE LAST NIGHT'S WILL WRECK THE PLANE AND RUN EVERYTHING, HUSTLE, BOYS HUSTLE!



When Genius Takes a Hand

By Les Forgrave

HIGH PRESSURE PETE

THE XMAS RUSH IS ON



Five Days 'Til—You Know What!

By Swan

PETE—I WANT YOU TO DRESS UP AS SANTA CLAUS AGAIN THIS YEAR. HURRY UP AND GET THE SUIT ON AND GET BACK IN THE STORE.



WHY DO YOU KIDS ALWAYS KEEP ASKING ME WHAT I'M GOING TO BRING YOU FOR CHRISTMAS? I'VE TOLD YOU OVER A HUNDRED TIMES



ETTA KETT

Very Classy!

By Paul Robinson

WON'T THE PROFESSOR BE PLEASED WHEN HE FINDES OUT WE ALL OBTAINED A AND BOUGHT HIM A GIFT?



I'M SORRY—I GAVE THE GIFT TO HIM LAST NIGHT—HE COMED AND I COULDN'T REFUSE



HE THOUGHT THE PHOTOGRAPH OF ME WAS JUST TOO DINKY FOR WORDS!



YEAH, BUT WHAT DID YOU BUY WITH THE MONEY THE CLASS COLLECTED FOR A GIFT FOR HIM?



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern

OUT OUR WAY—

By Williams

NOW, TONIGHT WE'LL GO TO A BIG MARKET AND YOU LADS WILL TALK TO THE CUSTOMERS AND PERSUADE THEM TO HELP FILL THIS BIG SANTA BAG WITH FOOD FOR THE POOR! EGAD—I'LL SEE HOW MUCH HELP YOU WILL BE!



YES!—WELL, YOU NEVER SAW ME IN ACTION!—I'LL PUT ON A SPEL THAT'LL MAKE A BRONZE STATUE LOOSEN UP!—I START IN ASKING FOR A SLICE AN' END UP BY GETTING TH' WHOLE LOAF!



DON'T TELL ME IT COST MORE 'N LIVE HIGH THAN LOW. THERE'S PROOF FER YOU, RIGHT TER. A DINNER BOX FULL O' DISHES AN' TH' OTHER'N FULL O' GRUB



WELL, IT'S TH' SERVICE THY COULD. ONE GUY HAS T' SUPPORT A WIFE, WHO WASHES A MAID 'N WASHES TH' DISHES AN' TH' OTHER GUY WIFE 'N TH' MAID—SO TH' FIRST GUY HAS T' SUPPORT A WIFE, WHO SUPPORTS A MAID, WHO HELDS SUPPORT HER HUSBAND, WHO GOES WITHOUT DISHES BECAUSE HIS WIFE'S SO BUSY WASHIN' DISHES FER TH' OTHER GUY, WHO GOES WITHOUT FOOD BECAUSE IT COSTS SO MUCH TO HAVE DISHES WASHED—OH, IT'S A MESS—DOPE, IT DOT Y'SELF!



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Cotton Livestock Grain

Markets At A Glance

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (AP)—Stocks strong; rails make wide gains. Bonds strong; many rails advance point or more.

Stock Market Plugs Along In Quiet Session Friday With Progress Shown

BY JOHN L. COOLEY
Associated Press Financial Writer.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (AP)—The stock market plugged along in a quiet session Friday.

Local Markets

These prices are furnished by the following Lubbock firms: Poultry—Lubbock Poultry Co., 1111 1-2 Ave. J.

POULTRY
Hens, 4 lbs. and over 10c
Hens, under 4 lbs. 8c

DAIRY PRODUCTS
Sweet cream, butterfat 40c
Butterfat 30c

TURKEYS
No. 1 Turkeys, 18 lbs. up 18c
No. 2 Turkeys, 14 lbs. up 15c

GRAIN
Threshed milo maize 85c-90c
Threshed kafir 90c-95c

WARRANTY DEEDS
Filed in the office of the county clerk, Thursday, December 18, 1930.

OFFICIAL RECORDS
COURTS
CITY COURTS
Assessment of \$11,000 and \$12,113 costs made for drunkenness and disturbing the peace by Justice of Peace G. H. H.

THREE FOUND GUILTY
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—Three former officials of the F. H. Smith company of Washington were found guilty tonight by a District of Columbia supreme court jury of embezzling more than \$1,000,000.

REDUCE MINIMUM
WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—The radio commission today ordered the maximum power of station KTSB at San Antonio, reduced from 10,000 to 5,000 watts.

MAJOR STRICKEN
COLORADO, Dec. 18. (AP)—Major W. M. Green, 76, life commandant of the Texas Ex-Rangers association, was stricken with paralysis at his home here yesterday.

TO WED IN VIRGINIA'S MANSION
When Miss Susanna Pollard, daughter of Virginia's governor, becomes the bride of Herbert Lee Beveridge, Jr., of New York, Washington, the ceremony on January 2, will be the first in more than 50 years to be performed in the gubernatorial mansion, at Richmond, Va.

GALVESTON MAN DIES
GALVESTON, Dec. 18. (AP)—M. S. JURY, retired Galveston business man and former member of the Galveston county commissioners' court, died in New Orleans today.

MARABANE SETS FASHION
The Maharajah of Cochin is responsible for the popularity of the long skirt to the dance floor, is the belief of many of fashion's followers in London.

LEGAL NOTICES
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Hold Clerk In Death Note Case

MISS MARIAN WRIGHT, above, Chicago society girl and daughter of a steel company executive, has received several "death notes" threatening both her and her mother unless \$25,000 were sent to the general delivery office of the Chicago post office.

CONSPIRACY CHARGED
Plot to Get Control on Indian Mineral Rights Claimed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—A "conspiracy" to obtain control of the mineral rights underlying the Quapaw Indian reservation, Oklahoma, was charged before the senate Indian investigation committee today by Joseph W. Howell, attorney for the Quapaw tribe.

OLD-TIMER FINDS MANY CHANGES HERE AFTER EIGHT YEARS; MISSES MERRILL

Highways
(Continued from Page 1)
Corpus Christi to Chapman ranch on Highway 96.

TED PIZZINO INDICTED
Gangster Is Second Man Held For Buckley Slaying

DETROIT, Dec. 19. (AP)—Ted Pizzino, identified, according to police, as one of three men who killed Gerald E. (Jerry) Buckley last July 28, today became the second man indicted by the 22-man Wayne county grand jury, for murder in connection with the case.

URGES MEXICO VISITS
Senator Dwight Morrow Leads Sister Republic of U. S.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (AP)—United States Senator Dwight W. Morrow, former ambassador to Mexico, urged Americans to visit Mexico in an address which followed presentation of a Mexican flag to the advertising club of New York today.

TO OFFER GIFTS AT XMAS PARTY
Lubbock Wholesalers and Retailers Agree to Contribute Gifts to Poor Children at Lions-Lindsey Party

ARIZONIAN FOUND DEAD
Hitch-Hiker Driving Car as Occupant Dies

EL PASO, Dec. 19. (AP)—Marion Burk, 35, of Mesa, Ariz., was found dead in the rear seat of his automobile, driven by a man who gave his name as Jack Livingston, 20, today.

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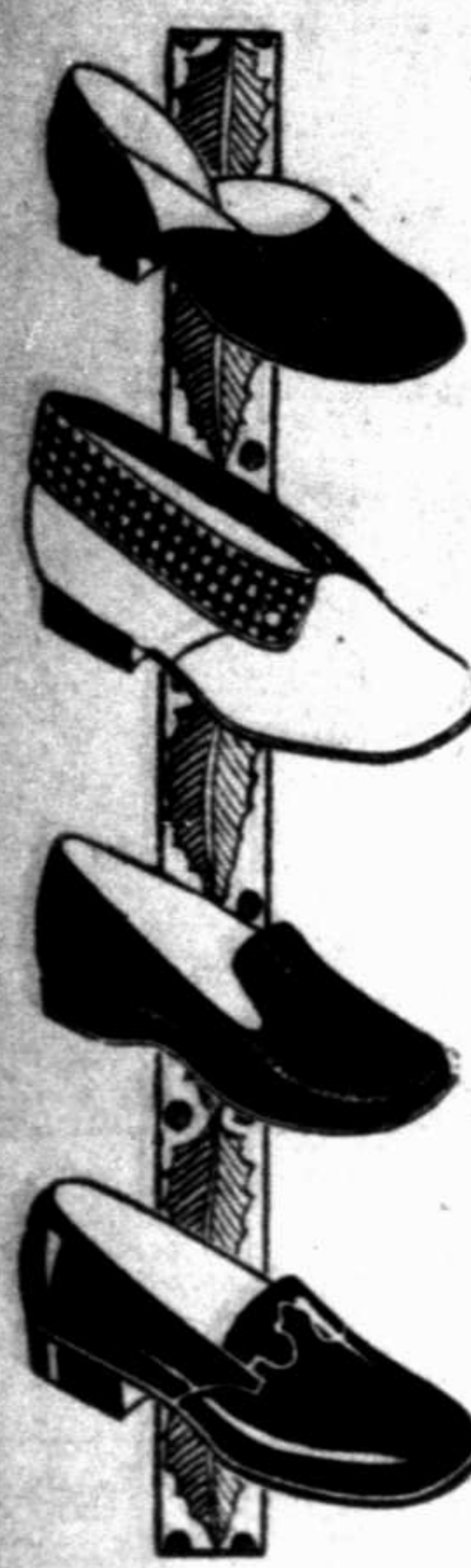
House Slippers Make Ideal Gift Items

You can choose such unusual styles and colorings in house slippers this season that you will be glad to select them for many on your list who perhaps are now a problem for you. In ladies', men's and clever styles for children we are featuring entirely clever creations, just ideal to become appreciated Christmas packages.

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Other house slippers for children in felt and kid, range **\$2.25 to \$3.50**

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The Central Labor union, through the Avalanche-Journal, is still seeking job—odd jobs, technical jobs, any kind of job—to combat unemployment in Lubbock. John B. Galland, president of the union, says he can supply all sorts of labor if the public will only co-operate and have needed repairs attended to now, instead of putting them off.

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Account Of Shipment Of Remains Of Czar Nicholas II And Family Out Of Siberia Related By New York Times

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. (AP)—An account of the shipment of the remains of Czar Nicholas II and family out of Siberia under protection of the American flag was published by the New York Times today.

Franklin Clarkin, former American vice-consul at Harbin, Manchuria, was quoted by the Times as saying that the ashes of the executed Romanoffs were unknowingly spirited through the Bolshevik lines and carried to Harbin from Omsk on an American consular train late in 1919.

Sent To Paris.

Thence they were trans-shipped to Shanghai, sent to an Italian port on the gulf of Trieste and they now rest near Paris in the family vault of General Janin, French commander of the Czech legionnaires in Siberia after the war.

A new book by Janin tells of the ashes being in the vault.

Admiral Kolchak, commander of the white army, placed the remains in the care of Consul General Harris after his downfall at Omsk, says the Times, and Harris turned them over to Governor Horvath in Harbin without knowing the significance of his cargo.

With the white army in retreat, the American train took aboard Admiral Kolchak and his family and their gruesome freight and headed east toward Vladivostok. In spite of guerrilla warfare along the way, the party came through safely after many days and arrived in Harbin on a dark night with the weather at 20 below zero.

Bundled in furs, the consular attaches met the train in the yards and entered the consul general's car. Some one pounded his heels against a box to get warm and was warned jokingly.

The Times quoted Clarkin at this point:

"Odd baggage, it looked, roughly bound with ropes like an immigrant's trunk. After dinner we played poker at the table, the box interfering with our comfort, and listened to 'our' experiences and what souvenirs had been collected, for those aboard were to proceed another week's journey to Vladivostok for the allied 'kick-out' and home."

"Next noon Consul General Harris called at our quarters in old Harbin."

"Well, it's off my hands," he announced with unaccustomed solemnity. "That chest under my table. They took it away at midnight."

"Shipping it home?"

"Home? Home is no more for that. Man, what do you think was in it?"

"Sables for the daughter in Iowa and, of course, Samovars."

"Kolchak sent it aboard. Nothing contraband. Not even champagne in it. He couldn't trust it to his trains, and it would be an act of Christian grace if I took it. Governor Horvath would call for it at Harbin. Well, Horvath's officers came for it and gazed at it, then at one another, then with peculiar defiance at me. Four then bore it out. One came back, saluted and said:

"You not know what you have brought? You have brought, excellency, all that is left of the czar and the imperial family of Russia."

Bride Returned To Sanitarium

Marriage to Purported Royal Naval Commander Reveals Husband to Be Only Ship's Stenographer

BOSTON, Dec. 19. (AP)—Mrs. William Harold Bramwell, the former Barbara Buffum of Oxford, whose marriage to the purported British knight and royal naval officer Monday night resulted in the revelation he was only a ship's stenographer, was returned to the Worcester state hospital today.

Deputy Sheriff Arthur Keefe of Oxford and Mrs. Bramwell's brother, Warren Buffum, found her in a Boston hotel this morning and immediately began a return trip to Worcester where, Keefe said, Mrs. Bramwell will be subjected to further mental observation.

The girl was said to have first been committed to the hospital on April 2. On April 22 she was released for a 12 month's "visit" during which time she was to remain under jurisdiction of the institution.

The girl, in a newspaper interview here, said "high hat" relatives were chiefly responsible for her difficulties in insisting that she represent Bramwell as a titled person. She insisted, despite the fact her husband's name could not be found in any British naval register, that he was a naval commander of the navy.

Bramwell is now en route to Europe on the S. S. Mauretania, abroad which he is employed as a chief steward's writer.

Physicist Forgets Birthday In Study To Determine Actual Speed Of Light

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 19. (AP)—Dr. Albert A. Michelson, first American physicist to win the Nobel prize and recipient of many other awards, both here and in Europe, for scientific achievement, is 79 years old today.

But birthday anniversaries do not interest him. In fact, until friends reminded him of it yesterday, he had not given his 79th one a thought. He is interested in completing his last experiment to determine the speed of light and in approaching visit of Dr. Albert Einstein to California.

More than three years ago he used mirrors to flash light from mountain top to mountain top near here and found it traveled at the rate of 186,284 miles per second. Afterward an error was discovered.

probably not more than a mile a second, other scientists say.

To check the error he has had a large vacuum tube one mile long built on a ranch near Santa Ana, Calif. Mirrors in the tube and at one end will reflect light, flashed in the other end, back and forth five times before the rays are "tapped" in a sighting and timing apparatus.

Dr. Michelson looks forward keenly to meeting Dr. Einstein. In Cleveland 50 years ago Dr. Michelson attempted an experiment to prove the theory that the velocity of the solar system through space could be measured. The result was negative. Subsequently, Dr. Einstein advanced his theory of relativity.

France will spend \$80,000,000 on public works in the next 12 months.

Christmas Event Is Planned Here

Final plans for distribution of Christmas baskets to unfortunate families of Lubbock will be made in connection with a Christmas program which will be presented at Sunday morning's meeting of the Downtown Bible class at the Lyric theater.

Dr. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the First Baptist church and teacher of the class will be in charge, together with W. B. Atkins, president of the class.

Special music numbers are to be rendered. J. D. Garrol, educational director of the First Baptist church, will sing and others are to appear on the program.

HANGED FOR MURDER

MONTREAL, Dec. 19. (AP)—Paul Bellas was hanged today for the slaying of Constable Dollard. Bellas was 34. He collapsed when told there was no hope for life and had to be carried to the scaffold.

DANISH POLITICIAN DIES

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Dec. 19. (AP)—M. J. C. Christensen, one of the most noted of Danish liberal politicians, died today at 74. He was many times premier of this country.

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Covered with shirred ribbon. Attractively trimmed. **49c**
- Fancy Costume JEWELRY**
A large assortment of pendants, bracelets, beads, and chokers. An excellent gift at a sensation **98c** at low prices.
- Pure Linen Guest TOWELS**
A pretty hand embroidered towel to make some one a happy Christmas recipient. **49c**
- Ladies' Leather PURSES**
Black and tan in fancy trimmed handles, and trimmings. Choice of the group. **\$2.98**
- All Silk Chiffon HOSE**
Full fashioned. Finest quality with picot top and French heel. **89c**
- Ladies' Fancy HANDKIES**
Attractively boxed in plain and fancy colors. From (per box) **\$1.50** down to **15c**
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