

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy and continued cold tonight. Friday generally fair and slightly warmer in the south portion.

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The American art student has youth, while in Europe are is an old man with whiskers and an inability to get away from the past.

NO RESPONSE ON DEBT PAYMENT

New Chinese Government Seen as Leaders Congregate

GENERAL CHANG IS RESIGNED

Rioting Students at Nanking Destroy Newspaper

SHANGHAI, Dec. 17. (UP).—Leaders of Cantonese provincial forces left today on a heavily guarded armored train for Nanking to attend a conference which is expected to result in a new Chinese government.

As the train left, reports reached here that the government had accepted the resignation of General Chang Hsueh-liang, marshal of Manchuria.

Nanking was guarded against further student riots.

Soldiers Rout Students

NANKING, Dec. 17. (UP).—Rioting students today wrecked the Central Daily News office, destroying presses, typewriters and other equipment.

Soldiers routed the students. Fifty-five were arrested. Several were drowned when students attempted to escape over nearby ponds.

CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR CHILDREN IS ROTARY PROJECT

Jack Hazeltine gave a practical talk on placer mining, as carried on in Arizona gold and copper mines at the Rotary luncheon today.

A chart was used, with diagrams showing processes and types of machinery.

Announcement was made that the Rotary club would give its annual picture show and Christmas party to the children of Midland, through the cooperation of John Bonner, the manager of the Ritz theatre. The party will be at 10 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, Dec. 24.

At noon on that same day the joint meeting of the Lions and Rotary clubs will be held at the Scharbauer ballroom. It was announced.

Mrs. Rawlins Clark entertained with piano numbers at the luncheon today.

Arthur G. Jury made a brief speech of welcome to John Bonner whose removal to Midland renewed his membership in the Rotary club. Bonner declared that coming back here was one of the happiest moves of his life.

WORK COMPLETED

Twelve women worked at the city hall this morning, completing Christmas bags for the community tree Friday evening and making clothing for dolls.

Those working were Meses. H. M. Becherer, T. B. Flood, J. M. Caldwell, J. M. De Armond, Andrew Fasken, J. C. Gossett, Effie Sanders, Frank Wolcott, C. L. Hafer, John Hix, A. B. Cole and Leon Goodman.

Leaders of the work expressed their appreciation of the cooperation given by these women.

POTATO SPLITS JACKET BEEVILLE, Tex. (UP).—A sweet potato in the garden of H. McClung here, grew so fast that it split its jacket. It weighed 23 pounds.

JINGLE BELLS!



'Bout Christmas

Jap Premier



Here is newly commissioned Premier Tsuyoshi Inukai of Japan, whose government suspended the gold standard as one of its first official acts. The veteran leader of the Seiyukai party holds a particularly important post in view of the financial situation and the Manchurian crisis.

THREE PERSONS INJURED AS CAR STRIKES TRUCK

ODESSA, Dec. 17.—Lying in the Odessa hospital are three people, a woman and two small children, seriously injured as a result of an auto accident which happened Tuesday night on the highway west of Odessa.

Mrs. Joe B. Harrington of the Phillips Petroleum camp was on her way to the post office when the coupe she was driving collided with a truck which was parked in the highway. Mrs. Harrington claimed she saw no tail light and could not see the truck until it was too late. The car was badly damaged, the engine jammed into the cab of the car. She is suffering from a possible fractured sternum bone and several injuries about the head. The youngest son, Robert Harrington when thrown from the car received a compound fracture of the bone in the left leg between the knee and the hip. Joe, Jr., aged 7, the older, received a badly smashed and broken nose and several deep cuts about the head. An injury to his left eye, doctors believe, will result in the loss of sight.

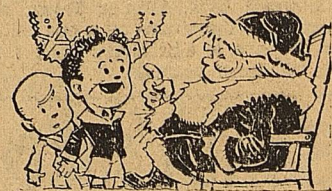
A passer-by rushed the injured to the office of Dr. E. V. Headlee of Odessa where emergency operations were performed. The patients were then moved to the hospital. County and city authorities are searching for the driver of the truck. It was registered in Baylor county.

Ouster Move up To C. C. Directors

Every director of the chamber of commerce is expected to attend the meeting Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

The session promises to be full of argument over the Allred ouster resolution. There is a well balanced division of opinion on the resolution, and a final vote will be taken. It is necessary, according to George D. McCormick, acting president, that a full attendance be had to decide the matter.

OLD WHIPPING POST TREE ALFRED, Me. (UP).—An oak tree which served as a whipping post in the days of Colonial blue laws is still standing here.

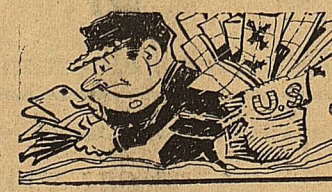


If Santa Claus could only take time to sit down and tell the kids about some of the interesting things that are happening here. For instance, a reporter caught L. P. Boone, court stenographer, writing a note to Santa this morning, asking that he send the fairies to write some of the court records that jess down his desk. Everyone knows Jess Rogers penned a scented note to the old gentleman and swore he'd been good, "no matter what the public thinks." Texas Electric employees, discussing the prizes to be given away for well decorated homes mentioned that Percy Bridgewater had written St. Nick and had borrowed a long stocking.

Failure of several otherwise understanding people to recognize the sex of a cat led to keen disappointment of Bill and Elma Jean Noble, daughter of Mrs. Susie Graves Noble, 218 North Weatherford, last night. The cat, dubbed "Fluff," when it put in an appearance not so long ago, turned out to be "Mr. Fluff." The tomat wanted in the house and Miss Elma Graves let him in and then went to bed. This morning found the beautiful Christmas decorations in the front room torn from the tree and the place a wreck. Dick Graves is another who serenely thought the cat was a female.



Whoever she is, the girl mailing the large package there, has just finished writing a young man's name on the label. But she never thought for an instant that he'd rather she crawled in the package and be unwrapped Christmas morning.



Still eight days until Christmas, but the mail carriers are having a good volume of early mail, they report. Crowds are seen at the post-office most of the day hours and a steady business goes on in the evenings.

He's only 10, but he killed an 8-point buck. That's Jerry Cowden, son of J. Eugene Cowden of Kerr county. He will visit here Christmas.

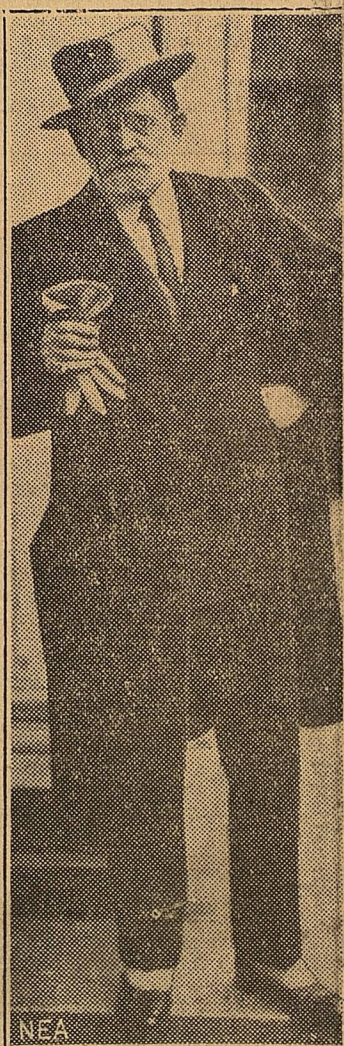
Women have been having lots of fun hunting. Miss Myrtle Whitmore shot eight quail. Mrs. Sam Ashley has been bagging quail regularly, they say. Mrs. Ethel Horst felt so much remorse when a rabbit Mrs. Sam Warren shot squealed that she has about given up the sport. As for Mrs. Warren, she calls her redoubtable 410-gauge "Old Trusty." She's been reading about Indian fighters again.

Virginia Gay, 12, brought three of her 15 beautiful dolls and gave them to the Welfare association. She went when she started to leave, and went back and ran her hands over their faces. She said she wanted some little girls who have no dolls to get her favorites.

Which reminds of the time when Miss Jerra Edwards was a little girl. She and her sister, Lorene, now Mrs. Gene Cowden, carried their dolls over to Thelma White's house. Thelma said she would be glad to let the dolls spend the night with her, and they were left. Well, Miss White was ill with a contagious fever the next morning and the dolls had to be burned.

Prisoners in the county jail will have a special bout on Christmas. (See 'BOUT XMAS' page 4)

Best Dressed



Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, shown here leaving the White House, is now considered the best-dressed man in the Senate. His immaculate spats, with gloves to match, and his neatly-trimmed whiskers turned the ballot in his favor.

KIDNAPERS IN K.C. HOLD WOMAN FOR BIG RANSOM

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 17. (UP).—Kidnapers today held Mrs. Nell Donnelly, prominent business woman, under a death threat unless a \$75,000 ransom is paid by the family. The woman was seized last night. Her attorney today received a letter in the woman's handwriting empowering them to draw the money against her husband's account.

The matter was placed in the hands of former Senator James A. Reed, the woman's attorney. Mrs. Donnelly is head of a \$3,000,000 garment concern.

Business Houses Open Friday Night

Most of the stores of Midland, particularly those which have gift goods plan to remain open till 9 o'clock Friday night. The chamber of commerce has sent publicity matter throughout this area announcing stores will be open the night of the Christmas tree lighting on the court house lawn.

It is hoped that many out-of-town visitors will be here. Many local people will also take advantage of the opportunity to do Christmas shopping.

ODESSA VS. McCAMEY

ODESSA, Dec. 17.—The Odessa high Bronchos will meet the McCamey Badgers in a cage match Friday night of this week on the Odessa court. Coach Swain believes his team is in first class shape. On Saturday night the Odessa boys will journey to McCamey for a return game.

Weather No Ban To Xmas Program

Plans for the Christmas tree Friday night were completed Thursday. The tree celebration will be held despite the weather, as children can get their gifts and leave if the weather continues bad. Aubrey S. Legg, chairman of the chamber of commerce Christmas committee said Thursday.

Boy scouts and scoutmasters have done much work on toys for underprivileged children and a full supply will be ready. Women of the Welfare association finished their work Thursday morning.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT HIGH SCHOOL

Other Schools Have Programs Friday At 2 o'Clock

The Midland public schools will give this week one of the most elaborate Christmas programs in their history. Five grade schools will sing the ten or twelve famous carols; the junior high school is singing carols from the "Magi's Gift," carols selected from "Fifty Christmas Carols" by Edward Marzo, and the high school is giving a Christmas Cantata, "The Wondrous Story" tonight in the high school auditorium.

Senior High School

The program by the senior high school will be given in the high school auditorium tonight, beginning at 7 o'clock. The program will consist of four parts. Part One will be a concert by the Midland high school band in uniform under the direction of the high school band director, Russell E. Shrader. Part Two will consist of literary readings by the entire high school, selections by the high school boys' glee club, and selections by the high school boys' quartet. Part Three will be a Christmas cantata, "The Wondrous Story," sung by the boys' glee club and the girls' choral club, one hundred voices, conducted by Miss Lena Solomon with Mr. Wallace Wimberly and Miss Elizabeth Lomax at the pianos. Part Four will consist of a play, "The Ghost Story," under the stage direction of Mrs. L. K. Barry. This will be an open session of the Midland high school literary society. Admission is free, and the public is invited.

John M. Cowden Junior High School

The other programs will be given Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the various buildings. The Junior high school will give selections from their programs Friday morning in the high school auditorium at the chapel hour. The public is invited to hear the numbers at that time. The junior high school program will consist of Christmas carols, readings, a Christmas play, an address by Rev. W. J. Coleman, and several Christmas carols from the "Magi's Gift," a Christmas operetta by Grubb.

Grade Schools

The Midland primary schools north ward and south ward, will give their programs Friday afternoon in their respective buildings at 2 o'clock. Chorus from these two schools entertained over 700 people Wednesday morning in the high school auditorium with special numbers and with eight or ten of the well known Christmas carols. The public is cordially invited.

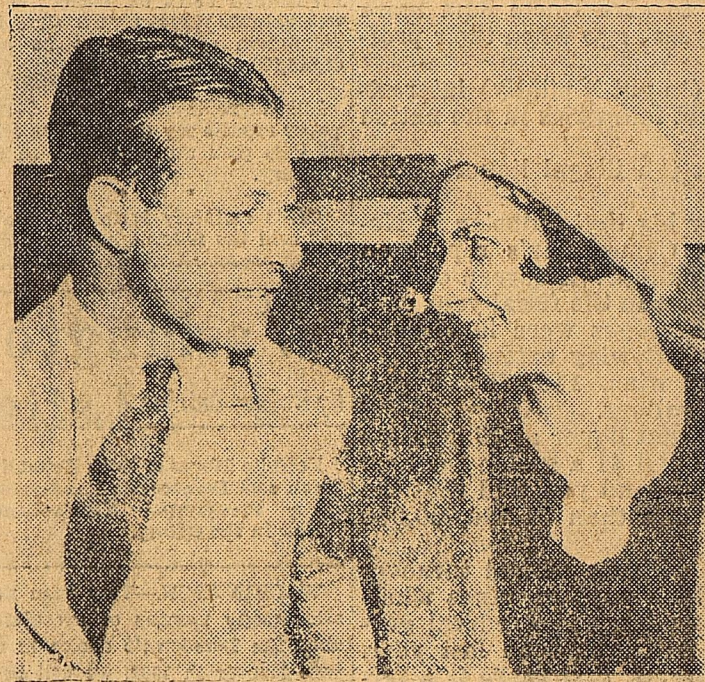
The programs follows, the first being that of the high school tonight:

- PART I MIDLAND HIGH SCHOOL BAND Russell E. Shrader, Director (a) "National High School Band," March—Mader. (b) "Gala Night," Modern Overture—Chenetite. (c) "Canton Area Club," March—King.
- PART II Prayer—Rev. Edwin C. Calhoun. Christmas Poem: Luke II: 8-14 Bible—Midland high school literary society. Male chorus: "Silent Night," Haydn; (b) "Fishing," Parks—boys' glee club. Quartet: (a) "Massa's in De Cold Cold Ground," Parks-Foster; (b) "The Story of a Tack," Parks—Ed Watts, G. B. Hallman, Barney Grafa, Cecil McEntire.
- PART III A Christmas Cantata: "The Wondrous Story," Kountz—Miss Solomon, conductor; Mr. Wallace Wimberly at the piano; Miss Elizabeth Lomax at the piano; sung by boys' glee club and girls' choral club. Chorus in the cantata: 1. The Shepherds. 2. The Angel Choirs. 3. The Three Wise Men. 4. Chorus—"Into the Town of Bethlehem." 5. The Manger. 6. Christmas Dawn—"The Wondrous Story."
- PART IV Play: "The Ghost Story," Booth-Tarkington.

JOHN M. COWDEN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Grades Christmas Carol: "Silent Night" (Franz Gruber), Junior high school chorus. Reading: Luke 2:8-15 (Bible), junior high school. (See CHRISTMAS page 4)

Spotlights in the News



Beatrice Barclay Pickereil, 15, daughter of wealthy John C. Barclay, of Montclair, N. J., appeared in court and helped her truckman-husband, Bevis T. Pickereil, raise bond for later appearance on an abduction charge preferred by her father. She slid down a sheet and escaped from home recently. The above photo was snapped as the couple were reunited in court.



Happily displaying their marriage certificate, Clara Bow and Rex Bell are shown here in their Beverly Hills home as the IT girl returned to filmland from Bell's Nevada ranch to resume her screen career. Clara has recovered from the breakdown which interrupted her movie-making.

NO CHANGE IS REPORTED FOR MIDLAND GIRL

Practically no change in the condition of Mrs. Mabel Dale Killough, former Midland girl who was critically injured from the accidental discharge of a gun Monday at her home in Hobbs, was reported from the Hobbs hospital this morning. Doctors gave little hope for her recovery Wednesday when it became necessary for blood transfusions and fever began rising.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dale, parents of Mrs. Killough and her brother and sisters of Midland were remaining at her bedside today.

Stanton Grid Team To Regional Play

Stanton won over Snyder in ineligibility charges on the Snyder club and, as a result, will go into the regional playoff with Comanche some time during the holidays. Stanton reports today established. Stanton lost by a top-heavy score to the Snyder club, but brought charges against Robert Dunn, who was alleged to have made less than his required scholastic subjects. It is likely the game will be played either in Abilene or Comanche.

FRISCO HEAD DIES

PORT WORTH, Dec. 17. (UP).—Orin H. McCarty, 67, vice president and general manager of the Frisco lines, died suddenly here today.

ALLRED FILES AGAINST SIX OIL COMPANIES

AUSTIN, Dec. 17. (UP).—Attorney General Allred today filed suits against the Texon Oil & Land company, Texas Oil & Land company, Group No. 1 Oil Corporation, Group No. 2 Oil Corporation, Reagan County Purchasing company, and the Humble Oil & Refining company, asking for the recovery of \$575,000 allegedly due Texas university in oil royalties.

Every Odessa Store Decorated

ODESSA, Dec. 17.—Odessa is in Christmas garb again this year and the spirit of Christmas is prevalent. Many beautiful colored lights adorn the main street and individual Christmas trees are in front of each business house. The community Christmas tree standing in the center of the city has been beautifully decorated and lends an enchanting sight to all tourists and visitors. Many residents have displayed Christmas trees either on their porches or in their yards. Not a single business house in Odessa is undecorated.

MRS. BLAIR TO BORGER

Mrs. Bill Blair left this morning for Borger to join her husband who left early in the week to assume the position of manager of the Griffith Amusement company shows in Borger.

FOREIGN COUNTRIES ARE SILENT

House Approves Vets' Appropriation, However

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (UP).—Henry F. Davidson of the J. P. Morgan company told the house ways and means committee today that none of the foreign governments indicated to the United States had deposited funds in this country to meet payments due Dec. 15.

Payments were postponed under the Hoover moratorium which congress is considering. The committee closed the hearing after Davidson's testimony, going into executive session to act upon the moratorium ratification bill.

Additional Employ Officers Okeyed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (UP).—The house today passed a bill for \$120,000 appropriation to establish additional federal employment offices.

The house also approved the \$200,000 appropriation for the veterans' bureau to be used in paying veterans' loans approved by the last session of congress.

Nation's Deficit Passes Billion

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. (UP).—The government's deficit for the fiscal year today passed the billion mark, reaching \$1,282,631,150.00.

Long-Time Credit Plan for Cattleman

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17. (UP).—Establishment of long-time credit associations to finance livestock that must be "poured into the vacuum formerly filled with cotton" was advocated today by C. C. Moser, vice president of the American Cotton Cooperative association.

Southern banks often will be unable to finance large purchases of livestock that will be needed on southern farms if cotton acreage is reduced, as planned, Moser said. He warned that success of a livestock program must not be endangered by having the "sword of short time finance hanging above it."

Moser said that establishment of suggested long-time credit associations would encourage local banks to do much lending that is now considered unsafe.

"It is possible under our banking laws to form an agricultural credit corporation of practically any size which can discount its loans from six to ten times the value of the capital stock, Moser declared. "Associations may be local, regional or nationwide. Success of our acreage adjustment plan is closed tied up in creation of such agencies. It will be hard to keep the farmer from planting cotton until he can see something in its place. If that something is to be livestock, the farmer wants to know that he is financed on terms that will allow him the time to 'grow into the business.' "Cotton cooperative associations can succeed to the full extent only when their members are financially independent, when they need grow (See CREDIT PLAN page 4)

HUNTER FANNY SAYS



There's nothing like a holiday to keep you in trim.

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OUR UNTAXED MAJOR INDUSTRY

The American citizen is about to have his taxes boosted. Uncle Sam is about to declare himself in on a larger cut of our income.

Whether President Hoover's plan—outlined in his recent message to Congress—is adopted, or whether some other program goes through, some sort of sharp upward revision in taxes is inevitable.

The individual taxpayer, in innumerable cases, has had to accustom himself to a smaller income during the past 12 months—and he will have to hand a larger percentage of it over to the tax collector.

These things being so, it is (to put it mildly) interesting to note that one of the largest industries in the nation is paying no tax whatever.

That industry, of course, is the illegal liquor industry.

We don't know exactly how big that industry is. Nobody does. In the Wickersham Commission's report on prohibition, however, a report by the U. S. Bureau of Prohibition is quoted as estimating that in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1930, alcoholic beverages were in circulation in the United States to the following extent:

Spirits, 69,829,218 gallons; wine, 118,476,200 gallons; malt liquors 684,176,800 gallons.

Estimate the prices paid for that liquor at \$5 a gallon for whisky, \$2 a gallon for wine and \$1 a gallon for beer—which, by the way, is very low—and you find that the liquor industry had a take of more than \$1,500,000,000 in that year.

Here, then, is an industry with an annual turnover of fully a billion and a half which pays no taxes whatever. Furthermore, counting everything, the federal government spent \$40,000,000 on its suppression last year.

Is, or isn't it, in order to remark that there is a fertile field for the tax collector there?

EDUCATION A MENACE?

A new slant on the possible effects of universal education in a world gripped by financial depression was furnished the other day by Dr. Robert A. Millikan, famous scientist, in an address at Hendrix College, in Arkansas.

Dr. Millikan was sounding a warning that colleges and universities must not try to educate too many students. This, he said, is a practice that tax-supported schools are especially apt to adopt; and he pointed to conditions in Germany as an example.

In Germany, he said, young men are crowding into the universities as never before, and he added:

"The state has made such education practically free. The easiest and cheapest thing to do in a time of unemployment is to go to the university. The result is that the professions are being flooded with men for whom there are no possible jobs; and jobless, educated men make for social unrest, for revolutions and for wars."

The implications of that remark are interesting. Teaching a man how to think, apparently, is fine business as long as there is some thing for the man to do with himself; but if you let him sit down in idleness he is apt to start thinking about the society in which he lives, and if he sits down long enough he may decide that something ought to be done about it.

This, of course, is just another way of voicing a truth that we often overlook—that educating a man is simply a process of making him dissatisfied with things as they are; a process of arousing his discontent, and fixing his eyes on the world that ought to be instead of the world that is.

It works out this way all the way down the line. The illiterate is less apt to protest about bad living and working conditions than the man who managed to get through grammar school as a boy. That man, in turn, is more easily satisfied than the high school graduate, who doesn't get discontented as quickly as the college man.

In a nation that is committed to a belief in the value of universal education, the possible effects of that rising scale of discontent are worth thinking about.

Side Glances by Clark



"Do you think we should include the Billingsfors in this list, or shall we just send them a card this year."



The Town Quack

(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.)

An account of the party follows: The members of the S. I. T. club met at the home of Miss Irene Knaus Thursday evening and spent a very enjoyable evening making mats and pot-lifters for Miss George Kirk Davis, a prospective bride.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Misses Clara Cox, Mary McElroy, Letha Amerson, Lorena Huggins, Davis and Vallia True, Mmes. H. A. Stegner, Geo. Brown, Frank Boyle and Lige Davis.

SOCIETY

Miss Davis Receives Favor From Big Spring Club

The S. I. T. club of Big Spring has recently complimented Miss George Kirk Davis, who will be married to Mr. Teague Hutchison in Midland December 29.

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Christmas Recital

An evening recital for parents of students of the Vickers studio is to be presented Friday evening at 7:30 in the Co-Workers' class room. The program, which immediately follows the community Christmas tree on the courthouse lawn, will feature Christmas dances, readings and songs.

Personals

P. H. Whiteman of Houston is a business visitor in Midland today.

Mrs. Elic Turner of Dallas has arrived in Midland to spend the holidays with her husband who is connected with the Scharbauer Cattle company office.

Don C. Davis of Dallas arrived here Wednesday to spend a few days transacting business. He formerly lived in Midland.

J. B. Thompson of Seminole and Millard Eidson of Lovington were in Midland this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingham were in town Wednesday from their ranch south of here.

Jay Harmon and E. M. Glenn of El Paso left this morning after spending Wednesday night in Midland.

Bill Doss of San Angelo was a business visitor here today.

E. A. Elkans of Houston was in Midland today transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Anguish of Monahan were in Midland visiting Wednesday. They formerly made their home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pegues of Odessa were in Midland Wednesday afternoon.

H. L. Roberts of San Angelo was in Midland this morning.

Chinese War Lords Hunt for Fortune

PEIPING. (UP)—Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang is wondering what has happened to a personal fortune, estimated at \$30,000,000 (silver), which was accumulated largely by his father, Chang Tso-lin, and somewhat increased by his own efforts.

Only one life was lost in every 4,000,000 persons carried on ocean-going vessels during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931, according to a report of the U. S. department of commerce.

Seth Thomas clocks, 25 per cent off. D. H. Roettger.

The Former H. B. DORSEY BOOT SHOP Now Owned and Operated by BOB & TOM 111 W. Texas Ave.

HOLIDAY DANCE Hotel SCHARBAUER Sat., Dec. 19 9:30 to 12 Admission \$1.50 Couple Music by MIDLAND MELODY MAKERS

Happy Birthday!

TOMORROW Roy McKee Dorothy Wimberly.

Wednesday Club Program Given At Elkin Home

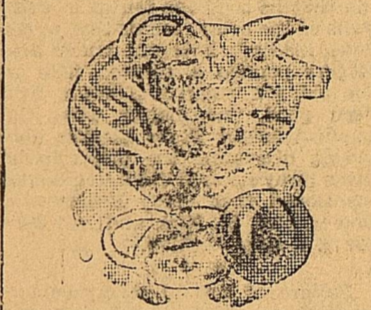
At the meeting in the home of Mrs. Frank Elkin Wednesday afternoon, members of the Wednesday club continued their year's study of Africa.

A splendid talk on "The Lake Country," supplemented by the use of a map, was given by Mrs. Andrew Fasken.

Mrs. Elliott Cowden read an instructive paper on "Heroism and Drama in the Uganda." Mrs. J. M. DeArmond, president, appointed Mrs. Homer Rowe and Mrs. Leon Goodman as a committee to prepare a Christmas basket for the Welfare association.

Santa Suggests—

MEXICAN POTTERY BANKS



By LILLIAN Likely to prove a big saving are new, gay Mexican pottery banks that can be used for mantel decorations or make a lively centerpiece heaped in a pile in a decorated wooden bowl.

They come in animal shapes and in the guise of different fruits. In addition to being decorative, they can be given away as favors for guests to put their dimes, quarters and nickels into—for the unemployment fund!

Green—Plus Brown Brown accessories are smart with a green evening gown. Select your velvet wrap, gloves, shoes and perhaps a bag of a soft, rich shade of brown and you'll be exceptionally chic.

Simmons watch chains, 25 per cent discount. D. H. Roettger.

WELCOME THROUGHOUT THE YEAR A SUBSCRIPTION TO Reporter-Telegram

Special Christmas Program Enjoyed by Mothers' Club

The Christmas spirit prevailed in the program arrangement of the Mothers' Self Culture club at a meeting in the Co-Workers' class room Wednesday afternoon when special musical numbers and stories of the season were presented.

Mrs. Duke Kimbrough presided as hostess and program leader. Francis Lowe Peters opened the program with a reading.

Expressing in an attractive manner the real meaning of Christmas, Mrs. Edwin C. Calhoun told a beautiful Yuletide story.

Jessa Lynn Tuttle appeared in a dancy, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. O. L. Walton.

Stereoscopic views of the 23rd Psalm were given by Mrs. J. D. Young.

Members of the Co-Workers' quartet sang Christmas carols. A splendid percentage of the membership attended.

Choice Cooks' Corner

Five-Minute Cabbage 2 cups milk 1 1-2 quarts shredded cabbage 1 cup top milk 3 tablespoons flour 2 tablespoons melted butter or other fat

Salt Pepper Heat the milk and cook the cabbage in it for 2 minutes. Add the cup of top milk, the blended flour and fat, and the seasonings, cook rapidly for 3 or 4 minutes and stir constantly. The cabbage retains its crispness and is delicate in flavor and color.

Tomato Jelly Salad 3 tsp. gelatin 1-2 cup cold water 1 quart canned tomatoes 2 or 3 slices onion 1 1-2 tsp. salt 1 tsp. sugar

Soak the gelatin in the cold water for 5 minutes. Boil the tomatoes and onion for 5 minutes, strain through a fine sieve, pour the hot tomato juice over the softened gelatin, and stir until it is dissolved. Add the salt and sugar and chill. If the mixture is not tart enough, add a little lemon juice or vinegar. Pour into wet custard cups and place in a cold place until set, turn out on crisp lettuce leaves, and serve with or without salad dressing.

Silver plated Holloware and Flatware, 25 per cent off. D. H. Roettger.

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Washington

By Rodney Dutcher Letter

Definite Moves of Both Republican and Democratic Candidates For Presidential Nominations Now in the Offing.

WASHINGTON.—Very soon now, after many months of speculation about the Democratic choice to oppose Hoover in 1932, we will begin to get down to cases.

The picture will become increasingly clear almost from the beginning of January. Thus far no man has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination—any more than Hoover has admitted his obvious desire to succeed himself. And a large assortment of Democratic politicians, although some of them seem to lean this way or that, are still on the fence.

At the Democratic national committee meeting here on Jan. 9 we will get a much better slant on the actual strength of Governor Roosevelt of New York and of the opponents of his candidacy. And a more definite size-up of the potential strength of Newton D. Baker. It will be possible to canvass sentiment among the assembled politicians and a significant cleavage may come as a result of Chairman John J. Russett's efforts to make the committee declare itself against prohibition. The extent to which Al Smith is prepared to fight the nomination of Roosevelt may also become apparent.

Then in February come the first of the presidential primary fillings when Hoover and Roosevelt are likely to be smoked out from the virtually mutual attitude which is designed to make you a low-minded, gross person if you ever suspect that they haven't been too busy with public affairs to give even a thought to their political futures. The Republican machine is all set to do its duty of renomination as a matter of course, and Roosevelt's political friends have been hunting assurances of delegates for many months but both the president and the governor will admit their candidacies in such a way as to make it appear that they bow to popular clamor and are being drafted rather than following their personal inclinations.

The first break should come in Ohio, as it did in 1928 when Hoover first admitted his candidacy for nomination by filing for the primaries there. In Ohio a candidate has to file in person in February if he wants any delegates. The primary is in March. The track will be clear for Hoover. But the situation is

A post card addressed to the Seymour-Legg corporation here was delivered to Legg. And to think that the receiver works in the same office.

Christmas parties for the young folks will start soon. Likely as not, every mistletoe the mark.

Headline: "Proposed tax will hit everybody." Such a bill just couldn't pass.

Careful how you take a seat in the women's corner. Vergil is up to his old tricks.

It's only a week until the night before Christmas.

Pete Flahgan had a good laugh last year when Moon Myrick gave him a yellow tie, but now he's glad of it because it will save him from having to buy something for Doc Bloss.

likely to be different for Roosevelt.

Ohio is the home state of Baker, who seems more widely supported for the nomination than anyone except Roosevelt. Baker has refused to support any active campaign in his behalf. He would be just as pleased to be president as Roosevelt or any of the rest of us, but he won't start a fight for it. If he has made any subterranean efforts toward getting the nomination no one in Washington knows about them and no one believes he has.

Baker has just given his support to the "favorite son" candidacy of Governor White of Ohio. That seems to be the prevailing idea among Ohio's organization Democrats. But no one expects White to be nominated. If the state sends her 43 delegates pledged to vote for White on the first ballot or two those 43 would be a splendid prize for one of the leading candidates when the favorite sons began to disappear. Baker, of course, would be much more likely to get them than Roosevelt.

Roosevelt would be unlikely to file if Baker filed, for he would stand to take a bad licking. But he may or may not file against White and try to get as many Ohio delegates as he can. The prospects unquestionably are being studied by his political managers, who must decide what can be hoped for if they do and what if they don't.

But by that time there will be little point in concealing one's candidacy any more. In March the primary season starts off with a rush and 19 states will have had such polls by the end of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pegues of Odessa were in Midland Wednesday afternoon.

H. L. Roberts of San Angelo was in Midland this morning.

Only one life was lost in every 4,000,000 persons carried on ocean-going vessels during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931, according to a report of the U. S. department of commerce.

Seth Thomas clocks, 25 per cent off. D. H. Roettger.

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That's what several hundred students told Dr. Charles A. Simonds, principal of Aptos junior high school when he asked them for anonymous opinions of their teachers.

"You see," Dr. Simonds explained, "most every parent knows what the teacher thinks of the pupil because all parents get report cards."

"And most children know what they think of the teacher. But what teacher wants to know is what all Johnnies and Marys think of her."

And so the teachers found out. They learned, Dr. Simonds revealed, that some of their replies to pupils' queries were "impudent and personal"; that teachers shouldn't have "teacher's pets"; that too many teachers used an over-abundance of cosmetics; and that many of them failed to keep the classroom in order.

"Many of the children," said Dr. Simonds, "expressed it by saying they wanted their teachers to be motherly."

"Another thought that was expressed many times was that they desired healthy teachers."

Wrist watch bands, 25 to 50 per cent discount. D. H. Roettger.

STICKERS

A SYMMETRICAL CUT TAPERS EVENLY

The name of a city is hidden in the above sentence. Can you find it?

Midland Lodge No. 145 of KNIGHTS PYTHIAS Meets every Monday night at Castle Hall over Hokus - Pokus Store. Frank Stubbeman, C. C. R. D. Lee, K. R. S.

MIDLAND LODGE No. 623 A. F. & A. M. Stated communications 2nd and 4th Thursday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons invited. Henry Butler, W. M. Claude O. Crane, Secy.

GOODYEAR Tires LOW PRICES Willis Truck and Tractor Co. Phone 899

Announcements

Friday Martha-Fidelis class members will be entertained with a Christmas tree party at the city hall at 7:30. All members invited.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Haltom at 7:30.

Box supper will be held by the Eastern Star at the Masonic building at 7:30. All members of Masonic bodies are invited.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. T. S. Nettleton, 506 North Lorraine street, at 3 o'clock.

Saturday The Christmas party of the Edelweiss club will be held at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Roy Parks. Boxes for the Welfare association will be packed at this meeting.

Thursday club members will be guests of Mrs. Joe Hemphill and Mrs. Jack Hazeltine at a Christmas dinner-bridge party at Hotel Scharbauer at 7 o'clock.

Boys' and Girls' World club at the Methodist church at 3:30.

Children's story hour at the court house from 2:30 to 3:30.

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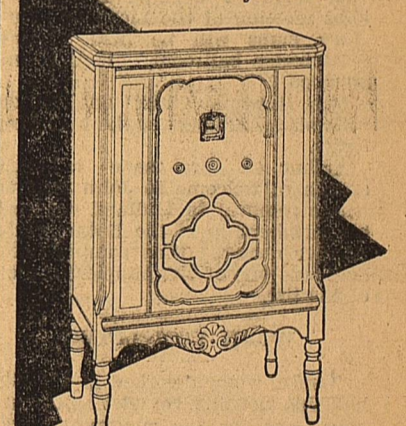
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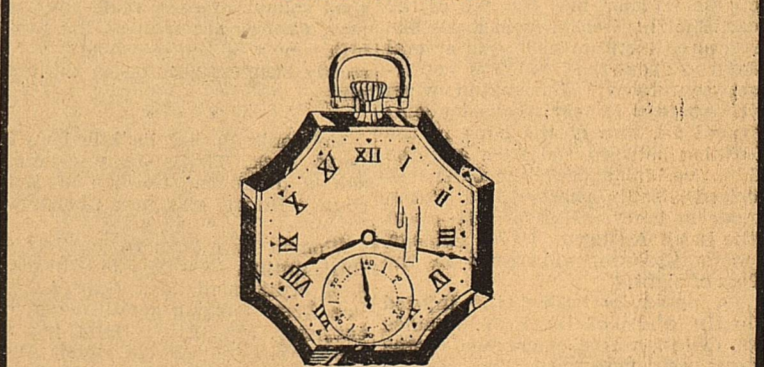
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LOST or stolen: 8-months-old red Jersey heifer; unbranded; reward. Finder please notify Mrs. E. W. Hyatt, phone 81. 242-3p

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FOUR rooms in duplex; modern; all bills paid. Apply 407 North Colorado. 240-3p

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FOR RENT: My home, furnished, six rooms; modern; close in. Available at once; cheap. Ed Dozier, 200 South A street. 240-3z

Oil Well Waste Takes Deer Toll

HARRISBURG, Pa. (UP)—Some chemical in the waste from an oil well in Leontia has caused the death of numerous deer, according to officials of the State Game commission.

The deer have died near the well after having licked the waste, it is reported.

Lungs of several deer, and samples of waste from the well, are being analyzed. Meanwhile, the game commission has ordered the well fenced off.

Evans & Golden Wheel lighters, 50 per cent off. D. H. Roettger.

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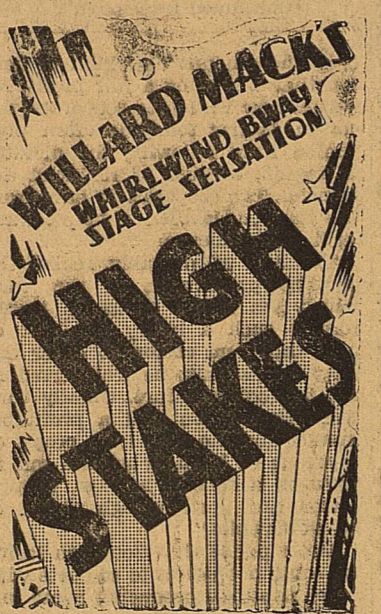
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Money Takes Back Seat for Divorcees

RENO, Nev. (UP)—Money is of secondary consequence while freedom is everything, when men and women come here for divorce, records for the first seven months of the divorce regime under the six-weeks law would indicate.

Four thousand one hundred people came to Nevada between May 1 and Nov. 1 and obtained divorces, a gain of more than 33 per cent over the same period of 1930, and yet more of them went to the cities where divorces are more costly.

Las Vegas and Reno, the two largest cities in Nevada, both showed a large gain. The southern metropolis had a 44 per cent increase in the divorce business, while Reno, "the divorce capital of America," showed a 34 per cent gain. There were 3,284 divorces granted here, an average of about 16 a day. Las Vegas registered 442 divorces during the period, an average of two a day.

While the two major cities were gaining divorce business under the six weeks law, many of the smaller counties showed a loss. Elko county divorces fell off 13, from 100 to 87. Mineral county lost 14. Pershing, five, and other smaller counties like numbers.

One of the noticeable gains registered was by Ormsby county, in which Carson City, the state capital, is located. This almost ghost town, which has dropped in population from 10,000 to 2,000, saw 80 persons win their decrees in seven months, an increase of 57.

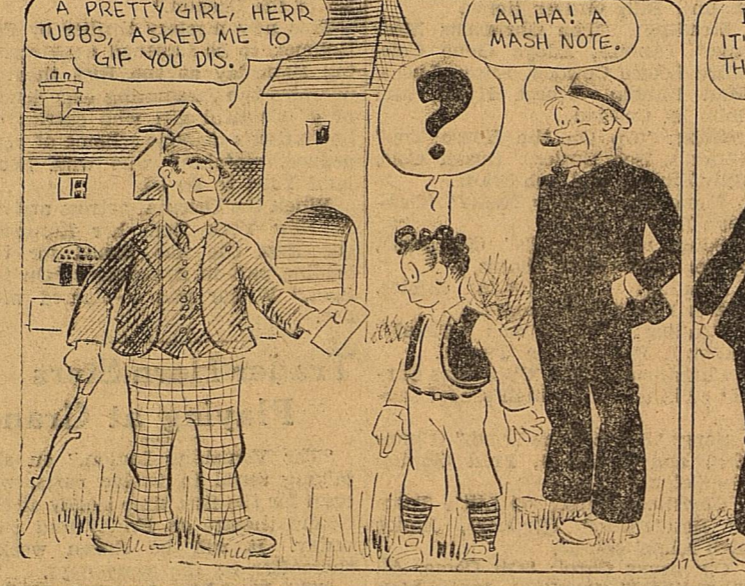
On the strength of the showing, Carson City is to have a new \$50,000 hotel to house divorcees during their indefinite stay.

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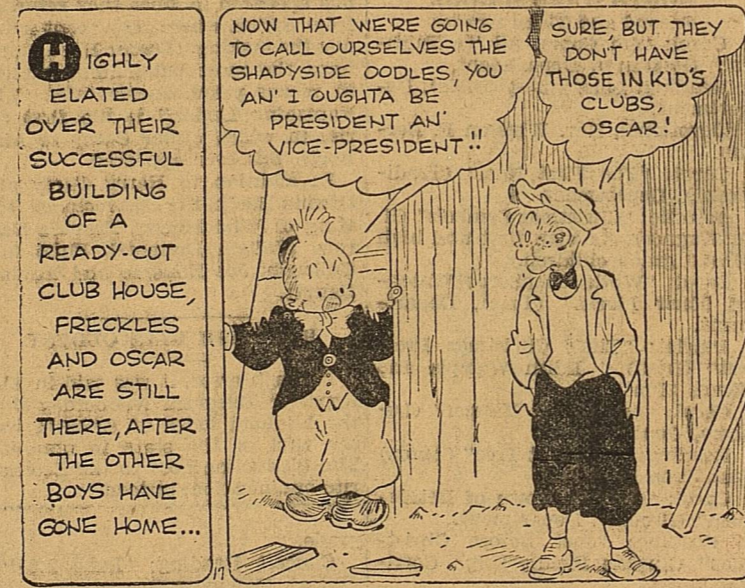
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



WASH TUBBS



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Hooks and Slides

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER
Aw, Gwan!
Speaking of harsh treatment, received at the hands of Rogers Hornsby and officials of the Cubs, Hack Wilson said "they took the bat right out of my hands." Mr. Wilson should have kept his mouth shut.

They Don't Look Right
The conductor of this column has nothing in the world against Johnny Weissmuller, but is beginning to feel that he can get along pretty well without seeing any more of Mr. Weissmuller's Hollywood-posed pictures in the papers.

Or, A Sixteenth
The conductor of this column is would devote at least 500 words to the comeback of Charley Paddock if he thought Mr. Paddock could run again any distance up to and including an eighth of an inch.

How Can You Know?
The St. Louis Cardinals will lose four games next year to the team employing Mr. Burleigh Grimes.

No Judges
The conductor of this column is not in favor of the games, but is all out of sympathy with the idea of having judges decide the winners of football contests. Look what judges have done to boxing!

Why "Defense"?
The headline, "Londos Defends Mat Crown," is always placed at the top of a story the conductor of this column does not care to read.

DID YOU KNOW THAT—
Joe Vossnick, quick-rising young outfield star of the Cleveland Indians, is perhaps the first big leaguer to receive a raise during his first month in the majors. . . . during the first month of the 1930 season he hit 600. . . . Billy Evans called him in and facked one grand (one thousand berries) to his contract. . . . and did Joe play ball? . . . he wound up the season with a batting mark of .320. . . . and drove in something like 100 run.

They Go Away
Ohio State university would have a better football team if all the Ohio boys who play football matriolated at Columbus. Captain-elect Wilbur of Yale and Captain-elect Hageman of Harvard are two good football players from Ohio we can think of offhand.

Ask Pop About It
Pop Warner is given credit for developing Jim Thorpe and Ernie Nevers, two of the greatest football players of all time. The conductor of this column cannot help wondering how much development these young men required.

How About It, Jonesy?
If you were to ask Howard Jones the name of the greatest football player who ever worked for him and he were to give you some name other than Duke Slater, he would be just ribbing you along.

How About Big Ten?
They play pretty harsh football in the Big Ten, too, but within the memory of the conductor of this column, no player has been killed. It is because they still feed babies corn on the cob in the middwest.

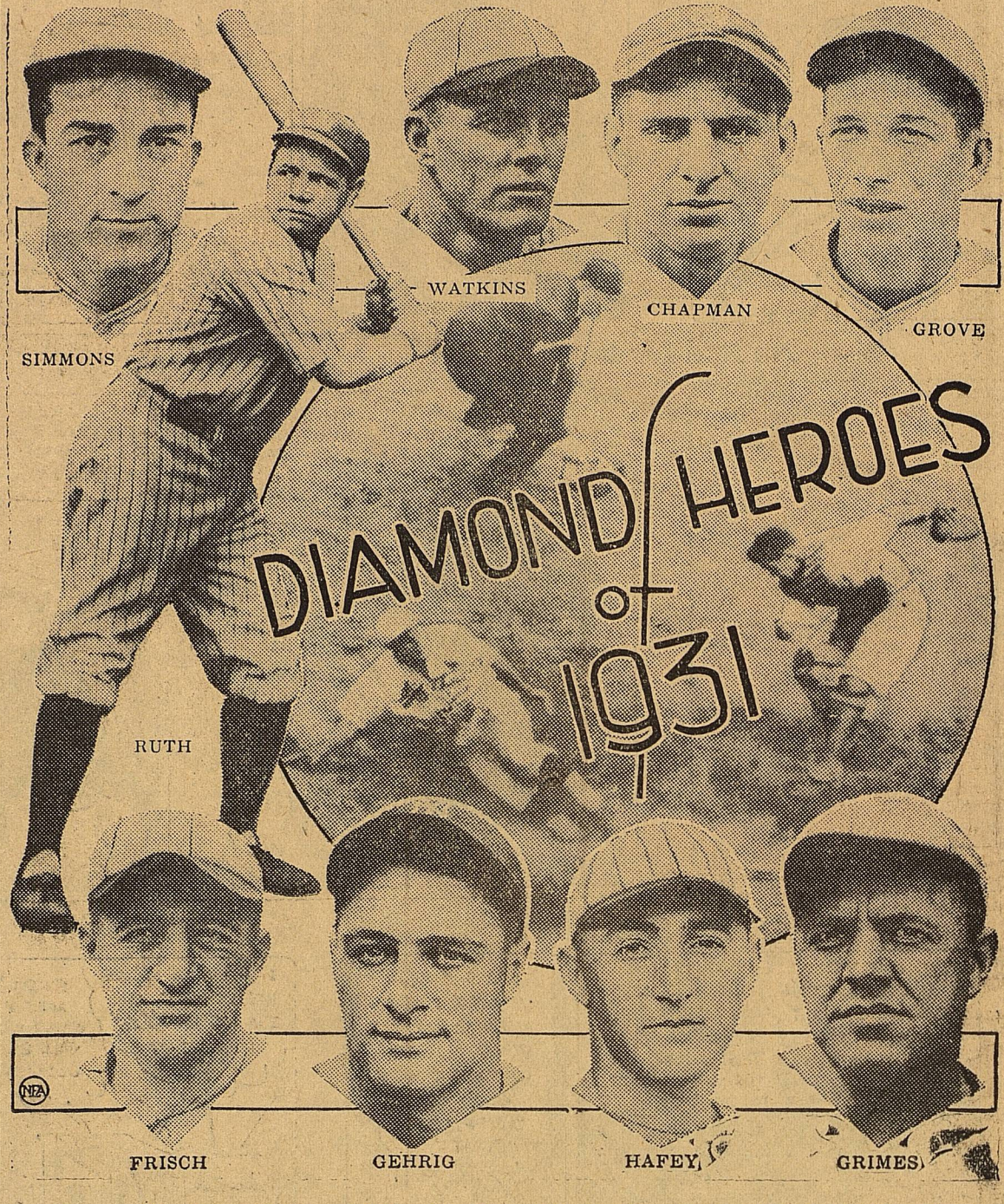
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Cardinal Conquest Stands Out Over Baseball Season



Here are the diamond heroes of 1931, with "Pepper" Martin shown in an action shot in the center.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first of a series of articles reviewing outstanding feats in the sports world during the year that is ending.
By WILLIAM BRAUCHER
NEW YORK.—Big George Earnshaw wound up and a little while streak leaped out of his hand toward the plate.

inspirational average of something more than 1000 per cent.
These are glowing pictures, but in their intensity they were almost matched by other features of the diamond campaign. Babe Ruth fought Lou Gehrig to a tie with 46 homers to lead both leagues in the department of sock. And Ruth still remains the great story of the baseball world as he comes to grips with Colonel Ruppert over the matter of continuing that \$80,000 salary. But to hurry along over the ground—

The characters who played heroic parts in that drama were an old gentleman farmer with a spitball and a heart as big as a washbub—and a daring young hick hailing from Oklahoma, who for the moment imagined himself a cross between Babe Ruth and Ty Cobb, and whose unprecedented exploits on the bases made the batterymen of the A's think there was a flock of wild horses on the diamond.
Grimes and Martin! What pictures they furnished—old Burleigh on his last legs pitching as he never had pitched before—and little Pepper diving headfirst into the bases!

After a long fight, Wilbert Robinson finally was deposed as manager of the Brooklyn Robins in favor of Max Carey, and baseball lost one of its most colorful and beloved figures.
Jewel Ens was displaced as manager of the hapless Pirates by George Gibson, former pirate catcher—and a few weeks later Ens was employed by Bucky Harris as coach for his stricken Tigers.
Donie Bush was dismissed as manager of the White Sox, and Outfielder Lew Ponsessa, after playing the role of castoff for years, was named boss of the Hose.
Rochester, most important unit in the powerful farm system by which the Cardinals are building baseball supremacy, won the "little world series" in a battle with St. Paul of the American Association.



CHRISTMAS HAPPINESS

How Modern Women Lose Pounds of Fat Swiftly—Safely
Gain Physical Vigor—Youthfulness With Clear Skin and Vivacious Eyes That Sparkle With Glorious Health
Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.

Keystone Chapter No. 172 R. A. M. Stated communications first Tuesday of each month, 7:30. All members and visiting Chapter Masons invited.

Christmas Carols: (a) "Come, All Ye Children" (Castilian melody); (b) "O Come, Little Children" (Schulz); (c) "Midnight Strikes in Yonder Town" (Bressan); (d) "O Come, All Ye Faithful" (Reading); selected voices.
Address, Rev. W. J. Coleman, Pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

JOHN M. COWDEN JUNIOR HIGH Third and Fourth Grades
Christmas Carol: "Cradle Hymn" (Herbert), Junior high school chorus.
Song: "Jesus, Tender Shepherd, Hear Us" (Barnard), Freda Fae Turner, Edith Rippin, Cleo Tidwell, and Jessa Lynn Tuttle.

CHRISTMAS CLOUDS (Anon.), Freda Fae Turner.
Christmas Carol: "Christmas Carol" (Willis), Junior high school chorus.
Song: "Santa Claus Land" (Churchill and Grindell), Fred Gordon Middleton.

NORTH WARD SCHOOL Second and Third Grades
Carol: "Oh Come, All Ye Faithful" (Reading), Department.
Reading: Luke 2:8-14 (Bible), Department.
Devotional, Rev. Winston F. Borum.

CHRISTMAS-- (Continued from page 1)
Christmas Carols: (a) "Christmas Brings Joy to Every Heart" (Weise); (b) "O Christmas Tree" (from the German); (c) "I Saw Three Ships" (Traditional), selected voices.

NORTH WARD SCHOOL Low First
Song: "Merry Christmas" (Riley), Department.
Poem: "Christmas," (Ransom), Department.
Reading: "Hang Up the Baby's Stocking" (Anon.), Lou Nell Hudman.

SOUTH WARD SCHOOL Primary Department
Song: "Luther's Cradle Hymn" (Herbert), Department.
Reading: "Christmas Greeting" (Anon.), Foy Lee Branch.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS MAY CALL AT Mrs. Cragin's Gift Shop, 823 West Kansas, during the evenings. (Adv.)

Actress Shakes Hands With Dream
Real life happenings of stage and screen, the world of "make-believe," often are stranger than those enacted to entertain.
Sixteen years ago, a Chinese child barely tall enough to slide her nickel through the box-office window, spent each Saturday afternoon watching her first film idol rescue a beautiful heroine.

TRADER HORN STARS Playing at Grand
"The Vanishing Legion," an all-talking serial in twelve parts, will open for the first time locally at the Grand theatre on Friday and Saturday. It will be shown weekly thereafter on the same days.

SCOTTISH RITE OLDEST
Through error, it was said in The Reporter-Telegram Wednesday that the Midland lodge of AF&AM was the first of the state to organize. The distinction goes to the Scottish Rite organization, instead.

SOUTH WARD SCHOOL Primary Department
Song: "Luther's Cradle Hymn" (Herbert), Department.
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Box Supper Calls
Masons to Meeting
Members of the local order of Eastern Star and of all Masonic bodies were being urged by officers today to attend the box supper Friday night at the Masonic building.

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GRAND BEST SOUND IN TOWN Today

BIG TURKEY SHOOT Your skill at shooting can win a Turkey for your Xmas.

Accident Victims Improving Today
Victims of auto accidents Tuesday evening were improving today. P. H. Williams, who sustained a broken shoulder when hit by a car, was resting better at a local hospital. He is wearing a cast today.

CREDIT PLAN-- (Continued from page 1)
only the amount and kind of cotton that will bring a fair profit. No matter how willing to cooperate, the cotton farmer today is often prevented from following the dictates of reason, because of financial exigencies.

'Bout Xmas-- (Continued from page 1)
according to Sheriff A. C. Francis. The boys had 46 pounds of turkey Thanksgiving and their Sunday meals are always different from the regular fare.

DALLAS BROTHER DIES
ODESSA, Dec. 17.—S. J. Murry, 55, who has been ill for quite a number of months died Monday at his home in Dallas.

WARNER OLAND ANNA MAY WONG DAUGHTER OF THE DRAGON

EDMUND LOWE LOIS MORAN COMING SUNDAY

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GREYHOUND Lines

EXTRA GIFTS with the dollars you'll save going by Greyhound . . .

Parade Starts off Scout Fund Raising
Midland people will be asked to assist in raising funds for boy scouts. A campaign for that purpose begins Saturday. Other towns of the Buffalo Trail council have pledged themselves to do their "bit," and little doubt is held here, according to scoutmasters, as to Midland's response.

MIDLANDER BOXES
Tommy Irwin, Midland boxer, goes into the ring this evening in Abilene against J. Farrell of Abilene. Irwin has won an imposing number of fights during the winter while boxing along the gulf coast and in New Mexico.

LOADING CONVENIENCE
Through a new train schedule, stockmen may load cattle in the afternoon rather than the evenings, Station Agent J. J. Hamlett announced.

COMING SUNDAY Geo. Bancroft in "RICH MAN'S FOLLY"

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