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RIOTING MARKS PACKERY STRIKE

BENDY SEIZES RANGER BOUND LIQUOR CARGO

J. B. Ames and Cline Wilson Face Charge of Transporting Liquor.

J. B. Ames and Cline Wilson, of Ranger, captured Monday afternoon east of Cisco in possession of what is said to have been a carload of smuggled booze, made bond yesterday at Abilene for their appearance in the United States District court on charges of transporting liquor. Both men then returned to Eastland, where they made bond for their car, which had been taken into custody by Prohibition Agent T. A. Bendy following the arrest of the pair. The alleged cargo of Cedar Brook whiskey, which is thought to have been brought from the border, was turned over to the federal authorities at Abilene.

Both men were brought to Ranger early Tuesday morning by the prohibition agent and later put on the Sunshine Special on which they made the trip to Abilene alone and arranged bond. The names of the prisoners were withheld by Bendy until learned from other sources.

Tree Across Road.
The alleged booze car, which is said to have been headed toward Ranger, was captured by the prohibition agent and two possemen about ten miles east of Cisco, after the officers had brought the car to a stop by felling a tree across the road and displaying shotguns. The occupants of the car are said to have offered no resistance to arrest and to accompanying the prohibition agent to Ranger. Arriving here about 4 o'clock in the morning, the officer and one of his prisoners slept together. The prohibition agent stated this morning that he had not checked the cargo of liquor and could not say how many quarts it contained.

It is stated in Eastland that the booze car contained about 400 quarts of liquor and that the car was especially equipped with extra heavy springs and otherwise fitted out for hard service. Reports from Eastland state that booze cars are making regular trips from the border with the reliability of Texas & Pacific trains. It was rumored in Ranger this morning that the "law" had been tipped off here Monday morning as to the schedule of the captured machine, which is said to have been bringing in a part of the Christmas supply of red hooch.

TREASURER'S BOND MATTER NOW FIXED UP

EASTLAND, Dec. 7.—The commissioners' court yesterday afternoon rescinded its order of Nov. 18, in which County Treasurer Pritchard was directed to execute a new bond within twenty days on the penalty of being removed from office. The bond was held to be defective because Pritchard had not signed it as principal. The order issued yesterday afternoon states that the defect has or will be remedied by the agreement of the surety company to allow Pritchard to sign the bond now, if the county will furnish them with a certificate to the effect that Pritchard's accounts are straight. It is stated that the certificate will be furnished. The bond in question is executed for \$100,000.

PARKER MUST HANG FOR CONROY MURDER

AUSTIN, Dec. 7.—In affirming the case of Carl Parker, from Harris county, sentenced to death for the murder of Mortie Conroy, service car driver the court of criminal appeals today held in opinion by Presiding Judge W. C. Morrow that the "homicide was a prearranged and heartless murder, cruelly executed for the purpose of gain."

Conroy was murdered on the road near Houston on Feb. 3, 1921. As defense Parker pleaded insanity, resulting from the combined effect of intoxicants and drugs. "The facts upon which the insanity plea was predicated and the existence of the mental derangement was controverted and the conclusion of the jury against appellant upon that issue is supported by evidence" the higher court held today.

New Casing Head Plant Near Ranger

BLANTON TELLS RANGER VOTERS ABOUT CONGRESSIONAL 'DEGREES'

Says He Saved the People \$187,000,000 and Aroused Enmity of House Leaders; Newspapers Fail to Tell People About Things He Has Accomplished.

Those who failed to hear Congressman Blanton last night at the Christian tabernacle missed something. Speaking for an hour and a half, in a sardonic strain, Mr. Blanton gave an insight into Washington life and the "degrees" that had been conferred upon him by the house as a result of his efforts as watchdog of the treasury. Titters rose to laughter and subsided only to rise again as in a whimsical voice he enlarged upon the opposition he had met and the methods by which he had met it. Four "degrees," Mr. Blanton said, had been administered by the enemies he had roused through blocking pet grafts with technicalities and carrying a lone fight against appropriations which he considered wasteful of the people's money.

Congressmen Afraid.
This fight, he said, had been made harder because the individual congressmen, although honest and upright, were afraid to come out in the open and face the ridicule and insult to which he himself had been subjected.

Forty-seven bills, Mr. Blanton asserted, he had blocked unaided, and because of this, Representative Dewalt of Pennsylvania had been chosen as master of the "first degree," which consisted of studied insult hurled in

his face on the floor of the house, the rules of which prevented him answering. He did reply, he said, and invited Representative Dewalt "outside to say what he was saying under the protection of the rules," adding as an inducement that he would smash his teeth down his throat. Mr. Dewalt declined the invitation, and since Mr. Blanton had not been acceded to the floor, his remarks were stricken from the record, the congressman continued. However, he got even with Mr. Dewalt by sending an unabridged copy of the proceedings to all that gentleman's constituents, with the result that another now filled his seat in congress.

Salary Grab.
His second degree was occasioned by an exposure of conditions in government departments and his third came because he blocked the raise in congressional salaries. This incident aroused a controversy with Congressman Summers of Dallas, who asserted that there was no intention in congress to raise salaries. In proof that there had been, Mr. Blanton submitted extracts from various papers, headlines "Blanton Blocks Salary Grab," and the like. He reviewed this controversy and his offer to leave

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CONVICT KILLED FOR GETTING UP TOO EARLY, AFFIDAVIT CHARGES

IOWA GRAND MASTER ADDRESSES TEXAS MASONS

WACO, Dec. 7.—George Shoonover, past grand master of Iowa, delivered an address to Texas Masons at the Wednesday morning session of the grand lodge. Another feature of the eighty-sixth communication Wednesday was a lecture with motion picture accompaniment by W. L. Stockwell, grand secretary of the North Dakota lodge.

The Trinity Valley choir of fourteen voices, from Dallas, will render several selections before the grand lodge Wednesday night.

ROAD WORK ASSAILANT HAS COAT DEMOLISHED

EASTLAND, Dec. 7.—J. R. Stubblefield, one of the attorneys for the relators in the Starnes ouster and kindred litigation was attacked by two unknown assailants last night about 6 o'clock as he was escorting a woman companion to the Eighty-eighth district court room. The attack occurred in the court house, one of the two men seizing the attorney by the coat collar from behind and wrenching the coat from his back. Stubblefield is said not to have recognized either of the men. Details of the affair are lacking. The attorney is said to have proceeded on his way to the court room wearing the sleeves and front of his coat. He introduced Congressman Blanton here this morning and appeared to bear no marks of violence. No charges have been filed.

GUATEMALAIANS REVOLUTE PUTS PRESIDENT IN HOOGSOW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Herrera of Guatemala, and his cabinet, are in prison, following the revolution of Dec. 5, which overthrew the government, the state department was advised today by the American legation there.

GERMAN BANK COLLAPSES WHEN CLERKS SPECULATE

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—The Paesler bank, one of the most important in south Germany, collapsed today. Speculation by confidential clerks is attributed as the cause. The bank had a deficit of 345,000,000 marks.

Prison Officials Admit Three Men Have Been Slain and Facts Kept Secret.

HOUSTON, Dec. 7.—After he was scolded for getting out of his bunk a few minutes ahead of time, a prisoner identified as William Donoare was stabbed to death by T. D. Watkins, a trusty and building tender at the Ferguson state prison farm, on Nov. 28.

This is one of the charges in an affidavit filed with George W. Dixon, local lawyer, termed "the prisoner's friend," made public here today. The affidavit was filed by Dr. W. H. Wallace, of Youngtown, Ohio, a discharged convict.

Dixon is an organizer and active president of the State Prison Reform league, and takes considerable interest in hardships and conditions of prisoners and prisons. Wallace, as many other released convicts have done, went to Dixon with his affidavit to inform the latter of true conditions on the Ferguson farm.

Claims Self-Defense.
Wallace declared Dixon had only violated a minor prison rule. Watkins killed Donoare in self-defense, Captain J. A. Herring, head of the prison commission, stated.

"Donoare attacked Watkins with a knife and cut him across the breast twice," Herring said.

No charges were filed against Watkins, it was stated at the penitentiary. Tom Piper, prisoner from Cherokee county, was killed by guards McAvery and Barrett, after attacking Sam Starnes, a prison official at the Ferguson farm, last April, according to Dr. Watkins' affidavit. A prisoner identified as "Smith" from Grayson county, was killed by Jack Ruyter, a trusty at the Eastham farm, when he was supposed to be escaping, Wallace also charges in the affidavit.

Killings Kept Secret.

None of these alleged killings have been made public before now, it was alleged. Prison officials admitted all of them, but said each was justifiable.

In his affidavit, Wallace also charges that chains and other inhuman means of punishment were used upon the prisoners.

"I was hung in chains in August, a month after Governor Neff issued his order to abolish chains," Wallace said. "No reforms were put into effect."

POTATOES FOR ALL!

WAXAHACHIE, Dec. 7.—The sweet potato curing plant was destroyed by fire of unknown origin last night, causing a loss of about \$20,000. A huge pile of baked potatoes marks the site of the plant this morning.

TREASURY WILL FIGHT ACTION ON BONUS BILL

Mellon Also Says Rich Folks' High Taxes Must Be Reduced.

BY HERBERT W. WALKER, WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The treasury department is still opposed to the passage of the soldier bonus bill, Secretary Mellon today informed congress in his annual report. Conditions, he said, have not changed since President Harding went before the senate and induced it to send the bonus bill back to the finance committee.

"And the treasury's attitude remains the same," Mellon added. He gave no indication as to when the treasury would deem it advisable to grant the bonus. "Even though no soldiers' bonus or adjusted compensation is paid, the federal government will spend in the fiscal year of 1922 and again in the fiscal year of 1923 about \$450,000,000 a year for the relief of veterans of the World war," Mellon said.

Peevish at Tax Bill.
Outstanding in Mellon's report also was his clear dissatisfaction with the way congress had revised the revenue laws. In line with President Harding's opinion, expressed in his message yesterday, that the tax bill must be again revised, Mellon said the "remedy" of the situation that will result from the present measure lies in:

1. A prompt reduction of the surtaxes on big incomes (fixed by congress at a maximum of 50 per cent) to a 25 per cent maximum, and eventually to 10 per cent.
2. A reduction of the corporation income tax, fixed by congress at 15 per cent.
3. Reduction of the present rates on wealthy estates, which range up to 25 per cent.
4. Substitution of a low rate of general tax on a broad class of articles.

As an example, Mellon cited the present levy on automobiles and tires, but he didn't outline his plans definitely. Mellon, through his discussion of taxes, claimed the present high taxes are virtual "seizure by the government of individual property."

"Does anyone believe that if our policy in the past as respects taxation has been for the government to take away from successful efforts one-third, one-half or three-fourths of the gains therefrom, we would have accumulated the wealth which we now possess, or have achieved our present position?" Mellon asked.

The high surtaxes, he claimed, are drying up incentive. "There is not much incentive to a man to take risks in any line of industry, when all the risk must be borne by the individual, and if ultimately a success, a large part of the gain is taken away by the government in taxes," he said.

Estate taxes should be lowered, Mellon said, because many stocks and securities drop in value, due to the necessity of selling large blocks of them to meet tax payments.

TONIGHT

The Shrine club's supper, dance and reception will be held tonight at the Gholson hotel. All nobles are expected to bring ladies. The dance will be held on the lobby floor which has been decorated with Christmas greens. At 10:30 a buffet supper, specially prepared by Manager Arthur Jury of the Gholson, will be served in the green room.

ABILENE FIRM WILL OPERATE NEW INDUSTRY

L. A. Vandervoort to Be General Manager, With Offices Here.

The construction of a large casing-head plant, in the Nannie Walker district near Lacey, by the Wooten-Hughes company of Abilene, will start in the next ten days, with L. A. Vandervoort, former superintendent of the Chestnut & Smith company, in charge, it was announced this morning. The company, a new concern, is financed by Abilene capital and while maintaining headquarters in that city will open offices in Ranger.

The first unit of the plant, to cost \$100,000, will be completed in about sixty days. The plant will be of the low pressure absorption type, electrically driven, and will handle about 2,500,000 feet of gas a day. Arrangements have already been made for the gas. A crew of twenty-five or thirty workmen will be put to work in the next ten days, on the construction of the plant and another crew put to work stringing a high-power line from Ranger, a distance of about nine miles. The exact site of the plant has not yet been decided. The company will construct a loading rack on the Hamon-Kell road near Frankell.

L. A. Vandervoort, who will be in active charge of the plant, is an experienced casinghead refinery operator and mechanical engineer, who came to Ranger over a year ago as head of the Chestnut & Smith company's plant.

FOCH IN TEXAS!

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 7.—Marshal Foch of France spent two busy hours here this morning, during one of which he was the guest of citizens and the other as the guest of Major General John L. Hines, commander of the Eighth corps area, playing host for the army.

The streets from the Southern Pacific depot, where he arrived, to the famous Alamo, where he was greeted by Governor Pat M. Neff and Mayor Black, were lined with people, anxious to greet the famous Frenchman. Following brief but impressive worship at the historic San Fernando cathedral, conducted by Bishop Broessarts, the leader of the allied forces greeted wounded men from the station hospital, and reviewed the Second division at Camp Travis.

He left from the Southern Pacific station at the army camp for Houston at 11:30 a. m.

HOUSTON.
HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 7.—A half holiday was declared here today in preparation for the arrival of Marshal Ferdinand Foch, head of the allied armies during the World war.

The generalissimo was scheduled to arrive here at 5:30 this afternoon when the best reception so far in the United States was to be given him, according to plans. A salute of nineteen guns was to be given as the general stepped from the station. A parade and typical southern banquet, where "possum and tatters" were to be the main dishes, were also to be held.

Brigadier General Roy Hoffman, of Oklahoma, was to be decorated as commander of the Legion of Honor, the highest French honor, by General Foch at the banquet.

Foch was to be decorated by Governor Neff in the name of the people of Texas with a medal commemorating the 36th division.

ESKIMOS THRILLED BY TELEPHONE IN IGLOOS

"To the surprise of the Eskimos, our house in Etah was fitted with electric light," writes Donald B. MacMillan in his book, "Four years in the White North." A large flash light over the door welcomed visiting Eskimos from the south and proved of great value in loading and unloading sledges during the long, dark winter nights. The electric current, generated by a beautiful oil engine and dynamo, was a necessary part of our wireless equipment.

"In my room there was a telephone connected with the igloos of the Eskimos—another wonder, and one which caused no end of talk. "A people really living in the stone age were enjoying, as though by a wave of the hand, two of the greatest of modern discoveries."

SELECTING JURORS FOR BOYD TRIAL

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.
EASTLAND, Dec. 7.—Examination of veniremen began this afternoon in the Ninety-first district court in the trial of Johnny Boyd of Ranger, charged with the murder of Joe Fiebrich. The case of Lloyd Line of Ranger, also charged with the crime, was continued this morning. The case against Jack Stovall, the third man indicted in the murder case, has not been set.

\$200,000 BALM GIVEN GIRL FOR EUROPEAN TRIP

Dallas Cattleman Is Defendant in Suit; Also Given Jail Term for Offense.

DALLAS, Dec. 7.—Rita Jaichner, pretty little Polish girl who alleges she toured Europe with R. L. Slaughter Jr., wealthy son of a pioneer Texas cattleman, was awarded damages in excess of \$200,000 for breach of promise by Judge J. E. Gilbert today. Miss Jaichner was granted several thousand dollars additional as damages for debts which it is alleged Slaughter owed her.

Slaughter was sentenced some time ago to serve thirty days in jail and pay a fine of \$500 upon conviction on a charge of violating the Mann act. He has completed his sentence. Miss Jaichner was the principal witness for the government in the white slave trial.

Miss Jaichner declared that she and Slaughter toured Europe together as man and wife and that Slaughter promised to marry her many times. She said that when she returned to Dallas he refused to do so.

The judgment was by default, neither Slaughter nor his attorneys appearing for the trial of the case.

APPLICATIONS FOR SCRIP TO BE TAKEN TONIGHT

CHINESE DELEGATES QUIT ARMS PARLEY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Conditions within the Chinese delegation to the armament conference became so turbulent today as to constitute a menace to the success of the conference itself.

Following closely on the resignation of Dr. Philip K. C. T'au, secretary of the delegation, because of resentment over the treatment alleged to be accorded Chinese problems, came three more resignations today among the higher advisers in the delegation.

The conference is waiting on word of Tokio's official acceptance of the quadruple entente and the naval ratio plan of the "big three" and was absorbed with far eastern topics. The atmosphere surrounding it had become acrimonious. Offsetting the discord injected by China's resignation "in protest" was the hearty reception given the quadruple entente proposal.

There appeared to be ground for the belief that the naval ratio has been or will be accepted by Japan, and that there will be agreements designed to make for Pacific peace.

WEATHER
Tonight fair and colder, Thursday, fair.

FT. WORTH NEGRO SHOOTING TWO, IS BADLY BEATEN

Troops Out at St. Paul; Slugging at Chicago; Pork Goes Higher.

PICKETING ENJOINED.
FORT WORTH, Dec. 7.—An injunction restraining packing house strikers or any other persons from "in any manner interfering with employes of Armour & company, who have not gone on strike" was granted today by District Judge Bruce Young. The injunction was sought by Armour & company as an outcome of the riot in the stock yard district yesterday afternoon in which two men were shot and a negro employe of Swift & company was badly beaten.

Picketing by the butcher workmen's union was stopped when notice of the injunction was served on the union.

FORT WORTH, Dec. 7.—Both Tom and Tracy Macklin, striking employes of the Swift packing plant, who were shot by a negro, Fred House, near the Swift packing plant yesterday afternoon, will recover, physicians said today.

The Macklin brothers were taken to the city hospital. One of them is shot through the lung and the other through the hip. They said they were standing near the Swift plant, talking to the negro strikebreaker, when he drew a pistol and started firing. When the officers reached him, the negro had been battered until his face was almost unrecognizable.

The negro, said to have been a strikebreaker, is in a critical condition, as the result of a beating he received from strikers and strike sympathizers after the shooting. Dozens of men attacked the black after he had shot the Macklin brothers, beating him with a crowbar, knocking him down, and stamping his face. The packing house district was quiet last night and this morning. Union officials placed all blame for the riot on the negro strikebreaker.

SLUGGING AT CHICAGO.
CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Slugging and other acts of violence were reported throughout the stockyards district as a result of the packing workers' strike today.

Union officials declared that from 15,000 to 20,000 were out, while packers declared they were operating at normal capacity, with less than 2,000 men on strike.

Prices of meat continued to rise, however, pork having advanced from 13 cents to 25 cents a pound since Saturday.

TROOPS AT ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 7.—Four hundred troops guarded the South St. Paul packing plant district today. Thousands of striking employes milled about in the streets and succeeded in maintaining their picket lines, despite the militia. Packing plant officials planned to run in strikebreakers under the protection of the troops.

Guardsmen were sent to South St. Paul at midnight after authorization from Governor Preuss, at Charleston, S. C., was received.

HJACKERS' UNION HAS CHARTER AND LAWS

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Secrets of the "Knights of the Golden Circle," or Big Four, Inc., were disclosed this morning when three "knights" were arrested and a book of rules and a charter were found upon them. The men are charged with an attempt at holdup. Some of the pledges contained in the book of rules were:

"We will never fail to help a brother in distress."
"All money taken shall be divided equally and each shall receive an equal share, regardless of what part he performed."
"No member permitted to work alone."
"No drinking while at work or pulling a stickup."
"Be careful with your tongue in public."

The charter showed branches of the union are maintained in Chicago, New York and Toronto.

AMNESTY FOR IRELAND.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—King George today issued a proclamation of amnesty to all prisoners now in Irish jails on political charges. Instructions were issued for the immediate release of all Sinn Fein prisoners, in accord with the acceptance of Ireland as a free state.

The proclamation was issued at 6 p. m.

POLICE HEADS' PAY LAYS OVER ANOTHER WEEK

In the absence of a quorum, the regular weekly meeting of the city commission was not held yesterday afternoon, all matters up for discussion going over until next Tuesday.

BRITISH HONOR GERMAN CAPTAIN FOR BRAVE DEED

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—There is a saying of the sea that England never forgets a service rendered a subject. This was borne out when it was learned that the British consulate had bestowed on a German merchant marine officer a silver loving cup and medal earned by a daring rescue in 1914.

BIG OIL MEN AT CHICAGO FOR ANNUAL CONVENTION

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Presidents and executives of the leading American oil companies met here Tuesday for the second annual convention of the American Petroleum Institute, to discuss the problems which face the oil industry at the present time.

SMALL FARM PROFITS EVEN WITH LOW PRICES

STILLWATER, Okla., Dec. 7.—That a living can be made on the farm, even in years of low prices, has been shown by Mrs. Laura Leatherwood, a widow of the Starr community, Adair county, according to George Davis, farm demonstration agent for that county.

Blanton Tells Ranger Voters About 'Degrees'

Continued from Page 1. the question of his and Sumner's veracity to a committee of Dallas citizens, which he said Sumner refused.

The "Awful" Fourth. Mr. Blanton then told of the "awful" fourth degree, which came in connection with expunging an affidavit and his speech in connection therewith from the Congressional Record.

Concluding his defense, Mr. Blanton said that he could talk some more, if the audience wished, and was greeted with cordial cries of "Go on!"

The latter portion of the address was devoted to an expose of what Mr. Blanton termed the barber shop, bath and restaurant graft in the capitol.

Mr. Blanton spoke at Eastland this morning and will speak at Cisco tonight. He leaves Cisco for Washington on the night train.

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CHRISTMAS CARDS —There are countless people who would appreciate a card from you—your friends and neighbors, your church members, those people you met elsewhere—send them a greeting card. —Orders for engraved Christmas cards should be placed without delay. There is always a last-minute rush and few orders can be accepted after Dec. 15. —Our selection comprises a wide variety of excellent quality. Ranger Daily Times Phones 222

PROGRAM

TEMPLE—Wanda Hawley in "Her Face Value," and comedy. LIBERTY—Ethel Clayton in "The Sins of Rozanne," and Comedy, "The Lion and the Girl." MAJESTIC—Earle Williams in "Bring Him In," and comedy.

TEMPLE.

You get an interesting view of life in a motion picture colony in "Her Face Value," which shows today only at the Temple theatre, with Wanda Hawley in the stellar role.

You learn, for one thing, that a generous share of your favorite star's salary may go to support a silent but none the less beloved husband who is taking the T. B. cure in Arizona.

You stand behind the camera and see how the "stunts" are pulled off, and the risks the players take, and you begin to understand that there is bitter with the sweets of stardom.

Miss Hawley is again supported by T. Roy Barnes, with his winning smile and his distinctive comedy method. The team, Lincoln Plumer and Richard Rosson, who play Peggy's father and brother respectively, are to be commended for deft characterization. Winifred Bryson is a new asset to the screen, of whom we should hear more, and Donald McDonald makes a human, if not likeable, person of Martin Fox.

TWYMAN FREE ON \$4,000 BOND SIGNED BY FORTY

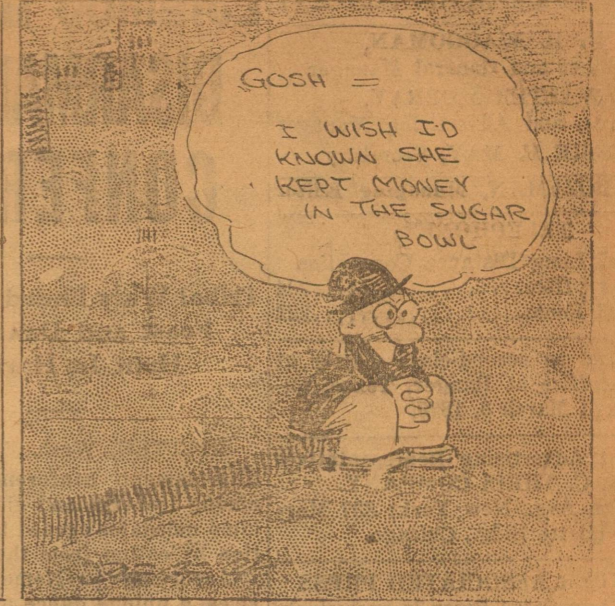
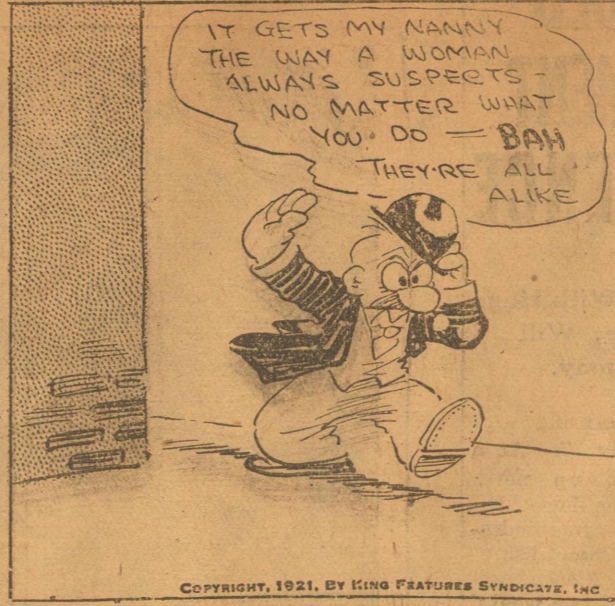
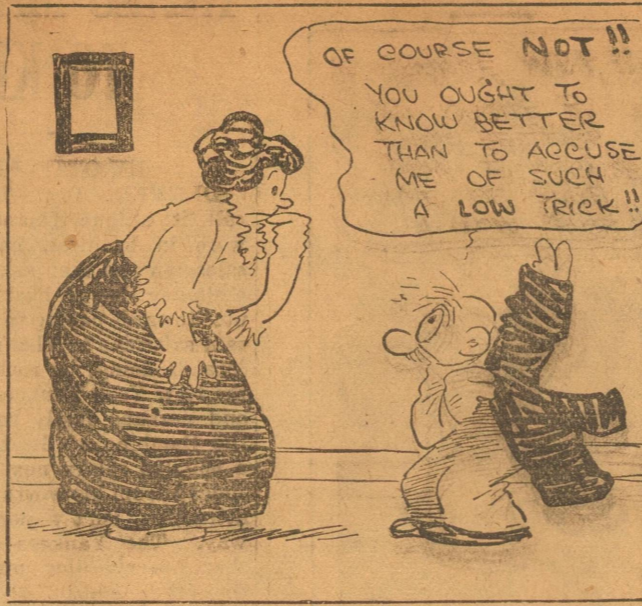
GATESVILLE, Dec. 7.—H. G. Twyman, accused of murder in connection with the death last September of Dell Thames, 15-year-old Beaumont boy, at the State Juvenile Training school here, has been released from custody under \$4,000 bond previously granted at a habeas corpus hearing.

The bond was signed by forty persons, eight of whom were women. The wealth of the signers unofficially was estimated at about \$1,000,000.

RUSSIAN AID VOTED. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The senate today passed its first bill of the session, a measure directing the secretary of war to turn over to the

WAY DOWN EAST logo and text: Coming in Charge of I. C. Jefferies

If Barney Had Only Known!



—By Billy De Beck

American relief administration surplus medical and surgical supplies for use in the famine districts in Russia. Attempts by Senator France, Republican, Maryland, to broaden the scope of the measure to include many other supplies and to authorize the sending of a commission to Russia, were rejected.

WOMAN WITH FLY SWATTER BEATS OFF TWO HOLDUP MEN

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Martha Worum was swatting flies in her parlor. She heard a struggle on the sidewalk. Running to the door she saw Ferdinand Kasse trying to beat off two holdup men with an umbrella. She ran to his assistance with her fly swatter and put the robbers to flight.

MARSHALL, Texas, Dec. 7.—Tuesday morning, while F. P. Whipple, deputy revenue collector, and Dave Allison were en route to Marshall from Longview in a coupe, the car caught fire about three miles out of Longview and was destroyed. The car was owned by Whipple. While they were fighting the fire a stranger drove up and jumped out to assist them. When he went to crank his car it ran over him and broke two of his ribs. The injured man was taken to Longview.

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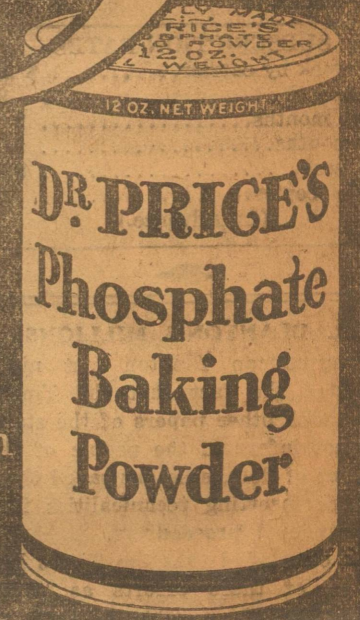
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MR. BLANTON'S MILLIONS.

Congressman Blanton last night lamented the fact that the Times, along with other papers of the state, had not informed the people of the millions of dollars he has saved them through inserting technicalities into congressional proceedings.

He contended that the Times had spoken of these efforts as "little things," which possibly is true, as the Times has at various times referred to the congressman and has not always given him credit for the millions he says he has saved.

Possibly Mr. Blanton's opinion of the importance of what he has done differs from the opinion of the press associations which send Washington news to the Times. At any rate, it would so appear, for most of the technical victories Mr. Blanton has scored are given only casual mention, and the Associated Press, for instance, which covers all governmental activities thoroughly has through long years of service earned the confidence of the people by giving the facts without bias. It bows to no interest and suppresses nothing that it regards as important.

That fact speaks for itself in this connection. What the Times has not published about Mr. Blanton's efforts it has not received from the press associations. So there you are. It appears to be a plain matter of viewpoint.

The Times believes Mr. Blanton is sincere in his efforts to promote the public welfare, but it does not necessarily agree with all his doctrines or give them the importance that they have in his eyes. Possibly they are more important than the world thinks, but expenditure of money is not always waste.

This, of course, is said in friendly spirit, just as Mr. Blanton spoke in friendly spirit last night. The Times has no quarrel with Mr. Blanton. It does not believe Mr. Blanton has any quarrel with the Times.

But we would like to have a federal building in Ranger.

We are not so pretergrinary but that we have observed that the steady and most intensive job in existence is that of raising children to be virtuous, sober, truthful, honest and industrious, and there has never been a legislative body on the face of the earth that could accomplish it.—Houston Post.

We men seem to have good grounds for a breach-of-promise suit against the women who were going to make everything right when they got the vote.—Columbia Record.

They are selling phonograph records to be played while one performs reducing exercises. The melody, of course, is, "Oh, Listen to the Bant!"—Life.

Every generation produces a few hunters who climb through the fence and pull the gun, muzzle first, after them. Then it happens.—Toledo Blade.

The spirit of the law is to abolish the spirit not of the law.—The Shoe Retailer.

ESKIMOS HOLD DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

Tribal Wars Ended With Huge Feast and Dance; Will Hunt in Harmony.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 7.—At a disarmament conference up north among icebergs and eider ducks, Eskimo delegates agreed to arms limitation by eating from the same dish.

According to Nome, Alaska, advices, a unique dance and two weeks' feast has just ended, where over thirty tribes of Alaska Arctic Eskimos sealed all tribal grievances, and henceforth will hunt and labor on a communistic basis.

For hundreds of years many small distinctive tribes of Eskimos have existed on the Bering Sea coast from Point Barrow to Nome, widely separated by jealousy, tribal warfare, never intermarrying nor lending assistance to each other when in distress.

Tribal leaders long ago argued that peace should be made, so that they all could live, hunt in harmony and by a spirit of co-operation successfully seek and kill the big bow-head whale supplying food and fuel.

Enter Communistic Whale Hunt.

This past fall the new program was given a trial, and seventy umiaks, or skin boats, loaded with hunters from every colony, went forth among the tossing bergs on a whale hunt. After the most successful whaling season in twenty years, thirty-one monster bow-heads being taken, the Eskimos planned the ancient "Feast of the Whale," just terminated.

Natives from every part of the bleak coast gathered at Kubeguk settlement to celebrate the abundance of meat, oil and valuable trading material. The feast attracted visiting Eskimos for 600 miles inland, the long mush was turned into profit by the capture of thousands of helpless, half-grown and overfat ducks and geese. These were smoked and packed for winter use.

On the gale-swept, treeless shore dozens of umiaks were drawn from the sea and piled in a large circle for a wind break. In the center a platform of tightly stretched walrus skins supported by big rocks at the edges, was erected, upon which the dusky belles danced to the music of a band of ten skin tamborines.

Ate Hugs Every Three Hours.

Men eager to get acquainted chatted while women prepared chunks of whale, caribou and boiled ducks. Every three hours all the Eskimos regaled themselves with five or six pounds, washed down by quarts of cold water. Both sexes smoked clumsy pipes whose flat bowls held but a few puffs of tobacco.

The ancient whale feast was the only event when Eskimos wore ornaments, so on this occasion they were adorned with tall caps of caribou skin, decorated by bears' teeth and empty cartridge shells.

The Eskimos went back to their homes just before the first big freeze up. They are expert trappers and fur workers. Government schools at Point Barrow have enabled many natives to acquire the education which led to this love feast and treaty making.

WOMAN WHOSE CASE STIRS AMERICA



Mrs. Mrs. Clyde Cassidente and children.

A storm of comment arose in all classes of society throughout the country over the recommendation in the county court, Denver, before Judge Royal R. Graham in the case of Mrs. Clyde Cassidente, mother of five children and wife of a city employe. The proposal was that Mrs. Cassidente surrender her present children or submit to an operation making her incapable of future motherhood. Judge Graham denied her had issued a positive order, but many in the court so understood him. Mrs. Cassidente was haled to court by welfare workers to show cause why her children should not be taken from her because of their undernourished condition and the chronic unsanitary condition of their home environment. Dr. Ray Sunderland, a witness, suggested the sterilizing operation, and Mrs. Cassidente was given until Jan. 15 to decide what she will do.

SPORTS

GIANTS BUY HEINIE GROH FOR BIGGEST PRICE IN B. B. HISTORY

George Burns and Mike Gonzales Go to Reds in Deal; National League Race Already Over, Is Managers' View of Deal; Minors Made Money.

By United Press.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Listeners around the lobby conferences here today might be led to believe that the National League pennant race next year is in.

The bright lights of the majors and the high minds of the minors forced the opinion that John McGraw's purchase of Heinie Groh, the Cincinnati third baseman, gave the New York Giants a head on the next pennant.

Price Too High?

Wise baseball heads, however, did not agree on the business sagacity of the deal whereby the New York club gave a valuable outfielder, George Burns, and a fair catcher, Mike Gonzales, and a reported sum around \$100,000 for a player who has no more than four or five years ahead of him, and no great drawing power at the gate.

The Giants did not announce the cash handed over with the two players. It is known, however, that Garry Herrmann, owner of the Reds, told the Chicago Cubs that he wanted \$150,000 for his star, and that Bill Killefer, club manager, said he was not worth it, and refused to entertain a deal.

Some sentiment also was expressed that the deal would not be good for National league baseball.

VANDY AGREES TO PLAY AT DALLAS NEXT OCT. 21.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 7.—A telegram was received here today from Fielding H. Yost, athletic director at Michigan, offering to play Vanderbilt here on Oct. 7 or 14 of next year. The proffered game was accepted, Vanderbilt expressing willingness to have the Wolverines on either date.

Following the acceptance of the Michigan game a wire was sent to officials of Texas agreeing to return to Dallas for a game there on Oct. 21, next. With the settlement of these two important games Vanderbilt's schedule is rapidly taking definite shape, although negotiations are still pending with Auburn to open the stadium on either Oct. 27 or Nov. 11.

KANSAS TO PLAY ARMY AT WEST POINT OCT. 7

LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 7.—Dr. Forest C. Allen, director of athletics at the University of Kansas, announces that the army's offer for a football game with K. U. to be played at West Point next Oct. 7 had been accepted. The game will be the first one ever played by Kansas in the far East. It will be the first game on the school's schedule.

EASTLAND FIRM IS VOLUNTARY BANKRUPT

ABILENE, Dec. 7.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed in the United States district court here by Kolbrener Brothers of Eastland. J. C. Kolbrener is president. Liabilities are listed at \$107,979.25 and assets at \$79,600. The firm operated stores at Cisco, Eastland and Abilene.

YANKS MAY ASK OTHER CLUBS TO KICK IN ON BABE'S SALARY

BY OTTO FLOTO.
DENVER, Dec. 7.—Would you call it unique financing if you were in business, had a high-class salesman and then asked all others in a similar line of business to contribute toward paying a big salary to said salesman? That's what baseball intends doing, or rather that's what the New York Yankees have in mind, and perhaps justly so.

Babe Ruth, the Bambino of Swat, is demanding a \$60,000 salary next season, which, judged from his worth as a box office attraction, isn't a penny out of the way. The Yankees are willing he should receive this sum, but they feel the other clubs in the American league circuit who also enjoy the benefits of Ruth's box office powers should be willing to shoulder some of this expense. Are they amiss in their demands?

Ruth Biggest Drawing Card.

It has been proved that when the Yankees are on the road and Ruth appears in the lineup that the attendance figures jump to double what they'd be if the Yankees played without Ruth being present. It has been proved that when the Yankees are on the swing around the circuit, the fans in mentioning the game do not say, "Let's go out to the ball game today." On the contrary ninety-nine out of every hundred say, "Let's go out and see Babe Ruth swip the ball today," or words to that effect. Always they mention Ruth as the attraction or suggests to them the ball game to be played. This in itself has established his value so far as the other clubs are concerned.

Sluiger Entitled to \$60,000.

In New York the attendance since Ruth joined the Yankees has doubled and tripled and in 1920 the earnings of the Yankees were sufficient to "pay out" the club. In other words, the Colonels earned enough in that one year to recompense them for all the money laid out to buy the New York franchise in the American league, he can attribute this vast earning power to the presence of Babe Ruth and his home runs, and to nothing else. Therefore, Ruth is entitled to share in the spoils to some extent, and \$60,000 isn't out of proportion at all as we see it.

One old-time manager says: "Ruth is entitled to it all right, but it upsets the morale of your team and causes dissatisfaction among the other players." This is the way we may look at it, but ask any of the supposed dissatisfied players to duplicate the feats of Ruth, both on the field and at the box office window, and note how fearfully short they'd come in accomplishing the task. Dissatisfied at what? It is to laugh to watch \$10,000 men attempting to fill a \$60,000 man's shoes. Get this in your noodle—it's the immutable law of the survival of the fittest, and all of us have a certain niche we fit into while the other fellow has his. The big fellow can't crowd into the little fellow's nook and the little fellow would be lost in the recess carved out for the big fellow.

PENN DECLINES TO PLAY A. & M. IN DALLAS ON JAN. 12

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7.—The University of Pennsylvania declined an invitation from the State Fair association of Texas to send a football team to compete against the Texas Agricultural College in the stadium at Dallas on Jan. 12, 1922.

PARIS, TEXAS, DEC. 7.—M. CAVINESS OF RED RIVER COUNTY, WHO IS ATTENDING A BUSINESS COLLEGE IN THIS CITY, SWALLOWED A PEN POINT SATURDAY. HE HAD THE PEN POINT IN HIS MOUTH WHEN HE SNEEZED. THE PEN POINT DISAPPEARED. CAVINESS BECAME ILL AND WAS SENT TO HIS HOME NEAR CLARKSVILLE.

ABILENE GETS GAME TO DECIDE N. TEXAS TITLE

ABILENE, Dec. 7.—The Oak Cliff High and Abilene High football game for the championship of North Texas will be played in Abilene next Saturday afternoon, it is announced here. The game will take place at the baseball park and one of the largest crowds ever present on a similar occasion here is expected to see the two teams battle for supremacy.

AT THE GHOLSON

Ed Reese, El Paso; Mrs. E. H. Hickman, Strawn; Wm. A. Thurman, Ranger; B. F. McFarland, Dallas; B. F. Wilner, Mexia; Otto H. Beckman, Chicago; B. T. Whitte, Fort Worth; Wm. J. Loeb, Dallas, Geo. J. McManus, Dallas; J. O. Gray, Breckenridge; M. Davis, Ranger; Mrs. W. O. Mitchell, Fort Worth; B. Moore, Dallas; Thomas J. Blanton, Abilene; Paul J. Viyeteu, Chicago; J. O. Moore, Wichita Falls; Mrs. E. E. Kelsey, Cisco; Miss Smith, Cisco; B. O. Cooper, Dallas; Mrs. L. Nichols, Dallas; N. L. Covell, Fort Worth; Geo. C. Garrette, Detroit; F. W. McElroy Brownwood; H. B. Dulaney, Brownwood; H. B. Goldwaithe, Abilene; W. D. Stark, Dallas; H. B. Tinsley, Dallas; B. H. Hopkins, Colorado Springs, Colo.; J. D. Friend, Sherman, Marshall Moore, Breckenridge; C. V. Kieth, Fort Worth; C. M. Weaver, Weatherford; R. Y. Atkins, Cisco; H. E. Mead, Tulsa; O. C. Bates, Desdemona; Sol Benjamin and wife, Albuquerque, N. M.; Miss Beatrice Kleesdorff, Albuquerque; Jno. R. Alexander, Crosbyton, Texas.

DRY LAW OBSERVANCE TO BE TAUGHT IN SCHOOL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—A plan adopted by the prohibition authorities in Iowa of using schools to implant law observance in the minds of pupils was given indorsement of Federal Prohibition Commissioner Haynes today. Following a conference held with State Director Pearson of Sioux City, it was said the Iowa plan would be urged in other states by prohibition officials.

21—LEGAL NOTICE

urday, Dec. 10, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the city pond, northeast corner of T. P. Coal & Oil Co. yards, there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash the following unclaimed livestock, to-wit: 1 bay horse, 16 hands high, 7 years old, white star in face.

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Trades Day at our PRE-HOLIDAY SALE

Three more days of the big sale. Yesterday was better than the first day. We are going to make Thursday better than yesterday. We have the biggest stock of merchandise in Eastland county. This is not a closing out sale, but a stock reduction sale. Sizes are not broken unless so advertised. More specials Thursday than ever. A real sale with a bona fide guarantee. Satisfaction or money back. Come to Ranger Thursday. They're having the biggest sale in the state at Joseph Dry Goods Company.

<p>Ladies' RED CROSS High top Shoes, with low and military heels for— \$7.95</p> <p>27-inch HEAVY OUTING In colors 16^c</p> <p>Ladies' Winter Weight UNION SUITS 98^c</p> <p>RED CROSS High heel Pumps and oxfords up to \$14.50 for \$3.50 <small>(Sizes 2 1-2 to 8, widths AAA to D)</small></p>	<p>THURSDAY From 9 to 10 o'clock we will sell a \$2.75 value pure thread silk full fashioned Black Cat Hose at— \$1.58 PAIR <small>(Limit 2 pair to the customer)</small></p> <p>32-Inch DRESS GINGHAM 25^c</p> <p>Ladies' COTTON HOSE Black and Brown 12^c</p> <p>STETSON HATS —for— \$4.50</p>	<p>Children's RIBBED HOSE 12^c</p> <p>Men, you can buy STACY ADAMS Shoes for— \$10.00 Black only</p> <p>HANES UNION SUITS For Men \$1.19</p> <p>OILCLOTH Best grade of white and colored 32^c YARD</p>	<p>FRENCH SERGE 36-Inch 95^c</p> <p>LADIES' HATS From \$22.50 to \$27.50, go at only— \$7.95</p> <p>Lot No. 2 LADIES' HATS Priced from \$12.50 to \$19.50, for only— \$5.00</p> <p>Lot No. 3 LADIES' SAILORS Regular price from \$6.50 to \$12.50, your choice— \$2.95</p>	<p>BOYS' SUITS Some with 2 pair pants, others have reinforced seat and knees, our regular price from \$6.50 to \$19.50, sale price— \$4.95 TO \$13.50 <small>(Ages 2 1-2 to 20 years)</small></p> <p>CROCHET THREAD Silkline and O. N. T. 9^c</p> <p>Men's Wool UNION SUITS \$3.95</p> <p>Men's Leather WORK GLOVES All go at— 1-2 PRICE</p>	<p>FRIDAY From 9 to 10 o'clock we will sell Ladies' and Misses silk and wool Socks, in sizes 7 1-2 to 10 for— 78^c <small>(Limit 2 pair to the customer)</small></p> <p>Ladies' RED CROSS High top shoes in values up to \$22.50 for— \$5.50 PAIR In Louis Heels only</p> <p>White HANDKERCHIEFS Ladies' and Gentlemen 4^c</p> <p>VAN RAALTE Glove Silk Hose— \$2.78</p>
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GOODS GOING AT HALF PRICE SANTA CLAUS HERE SATURDAY

—37 Ladies' and Misses' Coats of Velour, Bolivia, Normandy, Evora, Silk Plush and Veldine; stylishly cut and well made; sizes 12 to 52; priced regular at \$14.50 to \$85.00—
On Sale at \$7.25 to \$42.50, or Half Price

—119 Dresses of Canton Crepe, Satin, Taffeta, Poirer Twill, Tricotine, Serge and Velvets; sizes 16 to 46; regular price \$12.50 to \$75.00—
Sale Price \$6.25 to \$37.50, or Half Price

—78 Children's Dresses in Serges and Plaids; sizes 3 to 16; regular price \$4.50 to \$22.50—
Sale Price \$2.25 to \$11.25, or Half Price

—214 Corsets; Floraset, LaRevo and Kabo are the makes; sizes 22 to 32; regular price \$1.95 to \$18.50—
Sale Price 98c to \$9.25, or Half Price

—278 Model and Kabo Brassieres, all sizes, materials and styles; regular price 75c to \$8.50—
Sale Price 38c to \$4.25, or Half Price

—89 Men's Suits and Overcoats; Society brand, Curlee and other makes; sizes 33 to 44; regular price \$30.00 to \$75.00—
Sale Price \$15.00 to \$37.50, or Half Price

Coats
—15 Jackman Fur Coats, including everything up to genuine Hudson Seals. Regular price \$89.50 to \$650. Sale price \$44.25 to \$325, or—
Half Price

—78 Men's Raincoats, in sizes 34 to 46; coats for dress and work wear; regular price \$9.50 to \$75.00—
Sale Price \$4.75 to \$37.50, or Half Price

—24 dozen Men's Flannel and Wool Shirts; sizes 14½ to 19; regular price \$2.50 to \$7.50—
Sale Price \$1.25 to \$3.75, or just Half Price

—275 John B. Stetson Hats in grades from Select to 5X Beaver; regular price \$9.00 to \$37.50—
Sale Price \$4.50 to \$18.75

—Ladies' Skirts of fancy plaids, in Satins, Silks and Woolens; regular price \$3.95 to \$19.50—
Sale Price \$1.98 to \$9.75, or Half Price

—Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats; regular price \$7.50 to \$27.50—
Sale Price \$3.75 to \$13.75, or Half Price

—179 Men's and Boys' Sweaters; coat styles, roll collars, jerseys and slip ons—
Go in This Sale at Half Price

Chokers
—Any number of Chokers to select from. Any kind of Fur you may choose to be had. They come single or double. All go at—
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Saturday Is Our Birthda y

One year in our present location. We have invited Santa Claus to our store Saturday. He will be here at 3 o'clock. He is going to give away over

1,000 Presents

He is going to give every child in this store a box Saturday at 3 o'clock. No matter where you live, be here Saturday at 3 and get your box free.

Saturday will be a good day to pick out what you want for Xmas. Toy cars, fire engines, dolls, doll buggies, beds, furniture, bugles and balls, pistols and guns, pianos, in fact everything for Xmas and at reduced prices, too.

Our display of ivory is complete for the Holidays. Complete sets and single pieces to match what you already have. Regular price up to \$65.00—**Sale Price Up to \$49.50.**

It's not too early to commence your Holiday Shopping—in fact we sold hundreds of Gifts during the past two weeks.



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SHRINE CLUB RECEPTION TONIGHT.

In keeping with all the affairs given by the Shrine Club, the one given tonight for Shriners and their families at the Gholson hotel, promises to

be right in line. The decorations will be an innovation in the art of decorating, if trees, and greens and reds, count for anything—it will be colorful, and different. And with such a setting the Shriners and their wives, sweethearts, sisters, and children, could not help but have a good time. The entertainment committee puts special emphasis on "Shriners and their families" coming—in fact it's generally understood that a lone Shriner, unaccompanied by a member of the fair sex, will be an object of pity, a social pariah. Guests are on tip-toe with expectation and anticipation—and it is not believed they will be disappointed.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB.
The Thursday Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. M. H. Hagaman at her home on Tiffin road, Thursday.

DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAHS.
The Daughters of Rebeakahs had a very interesting meeting last night at the I. O. O. F. hall. There were a number of candidates initiated.

HONORING MISS BURKE.
Mes. A. N. Stubblebine and Karl Jones entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stubblebine, in honor of Miss Helen Burke, who after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lytton R. Taylor, will soon return to her home in Las Cruces. The living room of the Stubblebine home was attractively decorated with Christmas colors. The guests brought their needlework and while they sewed, Mrs. Vincent Wakefield favored them with several beautiful instrumental selections. The hostesses assisted by Miss Marion Stubblebine, served a dainty salad course to their guests.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mes. Stubblebine and Jones, and wishing the honoree many returns of this happy occasion were: Mes. C. C. Craig; Arthur Kinard, Lytton R. Taylor, B. B. Liles, T. J. Holmsley, Vincent Wakefield, W. H. Burden, C. H. Moffett, A. N. Harkrider, S. P. Boone, Roy Jameson, Fred Haifley, M. O. Burt, T. L. Lauderdale, C. E. Madocks, Garrett Bohning, Eben Finney Gifford Clegg, the honor guest, Miss Helen Burke, and Misses Dora Mayne Cole, and Marion Stubblebine.

OUT OF TOWN GUESTS.
Among the out-of-town people who attended the masked ball at the Summer Garden last evening were: Messrs. Donald Kinnard, Herschel Pankey, Rural Ellis, Clifford and Dewey Wilson, of Eastland; Luther Mayfield of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Bacus, of Olden.

YOUNG SCHOOL PARENT-TEACHERS' CLUB.
The Parent-Teachers' Club of the Young school met Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock in the Young school auditorium. A very interesting program was rendered, as follows: Reading, Ida May Hayden; Reading, Lavora Chambers; Reading, Pauline Lowe; Piano Solo, Mrs. Gorman; Talk, "The Harm of Cigarettes," Mr. McNew; Paper, "Motherhood," Mrs. L. S. Stevens.

The club at this meeting decided to have a Christmas tree for the pupils of Young school, on Dec. 22, in the auditorium of the school. At this time Mrs. Chaney's expression class will also give a recital.

The next meeting of the club will be Tuesday, Dec. 20th, and a full attendance is requested.

CHILD'S WELFARE MEETING.
The Child's Welfare Club held its regular meeting Tuesday at the Library rooms. A great deal of business was brought up before the club and among other things was a partial report of the physical examinations recently made in our public schools. From the result of this report, the club voted to establish a permanent loan fund for the use of high school students, which would enable them to obtain necessary medical attention.

The Treasurer made a very encouraging report for the furtherance of the work of the club. The next meeting will be held Dec. 20, and all members are urged to be present.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. P. M. Firman of Fort Worth is visiting in Ranger as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Firman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gardenhire and J. R. Gardenhire, Sr. of Mineral Wells were guests of Mrs. R. H. Hansford the first of the week. Mrs. Gardenhire was formerly Miss Jessie Hansford.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Viscount Sitlan, or Lord Lascelles, fiance of Princess Mary, will be the first governor general of the Irish free state, it was reported today, following a meeting of the privy council.

"The Shopping Center of Ranger"

THE BOSTON STORE

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Earliest Buying Makes Happiest Giving

—Christmas is always a joytime, except to those who wait and have all their gifts to buy when the rush is on—when they try to do in the last minute the selecting that could so easily and pleasantly be done a couple of weeks ahead.

—What a treasure house this store is today! How full of new and beautiful things and useful and comfort-giving things.

—How cheerful and comfortable it is before the holiday rush begins! The stocks are so complete; the service is so much better. Customers are not worried and sales-people are not tired out.

—Delightful days, too, to come and look around and to bring the children to see things and make their hearts glad.

Each Day Should Get Some Christmas Problems Solved

—Early purchasers get the best of everything, and what a joy it is, when you get near to Christmas to realize that all your shopping is done and all the gifts are ready and wrapped for mailing, and many are on their way.

—Come where help is so obvious; where window and show case, every counter and shelf give helpful answers to gift problems.

—It is infinitely easier to select gift-things than it is to think them up, when there is nothing but blank space before one's eyes.

—Come where the complete Christmas book is open and all the gift pictures are desirable realities that one may pick out and end the study.

—Here are a few suggestions to help you. There are thousands of others at the store.

Make the Most of Toy Time

—Bring the children in every time you have the opportunity. They are always welcome.

—"Toy Town" has been built for them. We're just as much interested in making them like and remember this store as we are in selling toys to their parents.

—Of course, "Toy Town" which is such an interesting place to the youngsters, during these early days, will soon become so crowded that the little folks won't be able to see and enjoy things as they can now.

Give a Garment for Xmas

—What would be more appreciated!
—What would be more useful!
—What would be more thoughtful than to give one of these—

Slippers for Gifts

- Women's Felt Slippers**
- Soft elk soles and leather soles.
 - Fur trimmed and ribbon trimmed.
 - Bright colors and dark colors.
 - An excellent variety of attractive gift slippers
- Satin Boudoir Slippers**
- Quilted Satin Slippers trimmed with silk pom poms.
 - Elk soles, spring heels; wine, light blue and old rose are the colors.
 - Any woman would enjoy these dainty slippers for her Christmas.



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 9. Replace Coil Unit Points
 10. Replace Fan Belt
 11. Adjust Bands
 12. Replace Priming Wire
 13. Test Magnetos
 14. Flush Out Radiator
 15. Install Hose Connection
 16. Oil or Grease Entire Car
 17. Test Storage Battery
 18. Line Up Front Wheels
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 20. Install Tire Chains
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 22. Replace Electric Bulbs
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- J. & P. Coats sewing thread; 5c Thursday only
- Kayser and Van Raalte Italian and glove silk hose; wonderful quality; \$4.50 value; Thursday \$2.95 only
- Bleached domestic, "Advertiser" brand, best quality; 18c Thursday only (Not over 15 yards to a customer)
- Jergen's toilet water, small size; special 44c
- Ladies' crepe de chine handkerchiefs; all colors; 22c special
- Ladies' fancy silk hose, black, brown and gray; \$5.00 value; special \$3.75
- Ladies leather, velvet, beaded bags; also mesh bags; special 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT.
- Phoenix silk hose, \$1.50 value; special \$1.00
- 9-4 bleached sheeting; best quality; Thursday only 43c (Not over 5 yards to a customer)
- 36-in. genuine cretonne; wonderful colors; 50c and 65c value; 37c Thursday only (Not over 10 yards to a customer)
- Long cloth, 10-yard pieces; soft quality; by the piece only; Thursday only \$1.35
- Colgate talcum powder, in all different scents; Thursday 17c only
- Our best quality 28-in. outing; fancy and solid, including white; special 18c
- Venida or Vanity hair nets; double or single; special 8c (Not over 6 to a customer)
- 36-in. percale, all colors, light and dark; good quality; special 18c
- SPECIAL REDUCTION FOR THIS OCCASION
- 60 and 64-in. mercerized table damask; 75c value; special 57c
- 36-in. custom velvet; black, brown and navy; Thursday \$2.95 only
- Men's Hanan shoes; \$10.00 special
- 33-in. kimono crepe; flowered; 50c value; 37c special
- Bear brand knitting zephyr; 50c balls; Thursday 35c only (Not over 6 balls to a customer)
- Phoenix silk hose, black, brown and white; pure thread silk; \$3.00 value; special for Thursday \$2.45 (Not over 3 pair to a customer)
- 72-in. highly mercerized damask; \$1.25 value; special 79c
- 36-in. scrim; white; Thursday only 17c
- 72-in. natural pure linen damask; \$3.50 value \$2.35
- 72-in. plain pure linen damask; \$4.50 value; special \$3.45
- 72-in. figured pure linen damask; heavy quality. \$3.45
- Napkins are also reduced.

SCRIP AS GOOD AS GOLD

—We're expecting a wire from old Santa most any day now, giving date of his arrival. Watch for our announcement.

—We want every boy and girl in this part of the County to be our guest while he is with us.

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