

RANGERS, FEDERAL AGENTS RAID WINK

County Highway Contracts Awarded

Eastland County Firm Given Work

Highways Number 67 and 23 Included in Bids Made By E. F. Bucy and Son, Rising Star.

E. F. Bucy & Son of Rising Star were awarded contracts at Austin Tuesday by the State Highway commission for dirt work to be done on Highway No. 23 and Highway No. 67 in Eastland county. Work is to be started immediately.

Highway No. 23 is the highway extending from Cisco south to Rising Star. The right-of-way on this road is being widened from 60 to 80 feet. All but 8 miles of this work has been done heretofore by the State under maintenance plans. That portion of it between Rising Star and Romney is to be done by Bucy & Son. Their contract calls for the expenditure of \$7,063.60 on this particular job.

Resurface Road. In addition to the dirt work on this highway the state highway department will resurface the road where it is necessary and widen the hard surface from 16 to 19 feet. A crew of more than 100 men are now at work on this project.

On Highway No. 67, extending from the Comanche county line near Gorman to the Stephens county line just north of Eastland, a distance of 24 miles, Bucy & Son will do the dirt work in widening the right-of-way from 60 to 80 feet, building the shoulders, drain ditches, etc. The contract on this work calls for an expenditure of \$23,306.64.

Highway No. 1. As on Highway No. 23 the state will resurface highway No. 67 where it is necessary and widen the hard surface from 16 to 19 feet. The work of widening Highway No. 1 through Eastland county, which is known as the Bankhead will be contracted in January, it is stated. Not only the right-of-way, but the hard surface portion of the Bankhead is also to be widened, it is understood.

Robber Wounded In Gun Battle

HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 19.—A middle-aged man who bought pistol shells from a jeweler and then shot the jeweler with the slugs he had just bought was in a hospital here today, himself recovering from a gunshot wound inflicted by an officer.

The man gave his name as Harry Van Wagner and his home at Fort Worth. He is suffering a wound in the left side of the neck just below the jaw.

FATAL BLAST UNDER PROBE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 19.—A police investigation that was expected to result in arrest soon was underway today in the explosion that wrecked a home here last night, injuring five seriously and damaged scores of homes and business places within a radius of four blocks.

Five of the victims were taken to the hospital while many others were given emergency treatment at the scene of the explosion and several others treated their own cuts.

The force of the explosion was so terrific that the front of the building was blown across the street. There was difficulty in obtaining ambulances from a nearby hospital, because the blast put out of order the telephones in the neighborhood and extinguished the electric lights.

DISTRICT COURT JURY EXCUSED. Judge Elzo Bean of the 88th district court this morning excused the jury in his court for the term. Judge Davenport of the 91st district is engaged today in the trial of civil cases. Thursday he will take up again his criminal docket.

CHRISTMAS SERVICE. Christmas services will be held at the First Methodist church this evening at 7:30. Rev. Geo. W. Shearer, the pastor, will preach. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

THIS WILL BRING SANTA CLAUS TO EASTLAND



Santa Claus will zoom out of the North and will arrive at Eastland Thursday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in this tri-motored Ford plane, to greet Eastland children. He will bring presents and is anxious to have all children at the Eastland airport, one-quarter of a mile east on the Bankhead highway.

Precaution Against Fires Urged By Chief

Hennessey Warns People To Observe Law Regarding Shooting of Fireworks.

Chief Mac Hennessey of the Eastland Fire department is making a special plea to the citizenship of Eastland for its co-operation in keeping down fires during the holidays.

"Our fire record so far this year has been the best of any year since 1921 and I am not only anxious to prevent fires but am also anxious that this splendid record be maintained. If we get through until January 1 without any additional fire loss it will give us good rating for the next three years and give us an opportunity of securing an additional 6 per cent credit, which, added to the 6 per cent credit we have, would give us 12 per cent credit. Chief Hennessey said.

Due to the fact that the weather for a long time has been very dry and grass was not burned, fire hazards are plentiful and the Chief issues a warning against the shooting of fireworks in the city. The shooting of fireworks of any kind is prohibited within the fire limits.

Knights of Pythias Elect Collie As Head

B. M. Collie has been elected Chancellor Commander of Eastland Lodge No. 459, Knights of Pythias, it was announced today.

Other officers elected are J. O. Peters, vice chancellor, H. R. Boles, prelate, J. A. Ross, master of work, Joe H. Jones, keeper of records and seals, W. H. Madden, master of finance, J. F. McWilliams, master of exchequer, V. G. Tillie, inner guard, J. F. Tucker, outer guard, E. J. Nicholson, master arm, Dr. R. C. Ferguson, trustee for three year term.

CHRISTMAS SEAL PURCHASERS

Last minute purchases of Christmas Seals boosted the total sales to slightly over half the quota Tuesday. The total now stands at \$256.75, and there remains \$250 yet to be raised by the Eastland division of the Texas Public Health Association.

W. T. Young	\$1.00	Wilbert Irons	1.00
John Barham	1.00	Wm. George	1.00
Robert Henderson	.50	R. E. Jones	1.00
Earl Dick	.25	Charles Overly	1.00
G. Arch Fiddler	1.00	James Amys	1.00
George Harper	2.00	B. M. Collie	1.00
E. C. Satterwhite	1.00	Joseph Leonard	1.00
Frank Beatty	1.00	Tom Lett	1.00
Alex Clarke	1.00	George Massingale	.50
Percy Bittle	1.00	Miss Grichen Overton	.25
Miss Clara Simer	1.00	Travis Bond	1.00
L. G. Summers	1.00	Thomas J. Haley	.50
Mrs. Charles G. Norton	2.00	Miss Millicent Anderson	1.00
H. E. Lawrence	1.00	Mrs. Kathleen Eimer	.25
Doug Barton	1.00	J. W. Watson	.50
W. M. Brashier	2.00		

WOODSON—182 carloads commercial freight consisting mostly of cattle, cotton and sheep have been shipped from this place during last seven months.

Santa Claus Enroute To Eastland Airport In Tri-Motored Plane

Santa Claus will come to Eastland Thursday. The old gentleman, who has given up his aged reindeer for the more modern way of traversing the world, will arrive here tomorrow afternoon at 12:30 o'clock with a sack full of favors for all Eastland children.

He will be brought to Eastland in a big Ford tri-motored plane, piloted by R. S. Riggs, one of the best known commercial airplane pilots.

While Santa Claus is mingling with the children and taking their orders for Christmas toys, and giving candy and favors, the big plane will be used to take passengers on short trips.

The plane is the property of J. M. Kenyon and Jiggs Bausbach, and is operated by the Kenyon Transportation Company of Morris, Minn.

It is equipped with three Wright whirlwind motors of 220 horsepower each, and each is an exact duplicate of the motor in the famous Spirit of St. Louis, used by Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh to cross the Atlantic.

It has a wing spread of 78 feet is 49 feet long and when empty weighs 6,442 pounds. When fully loaded it weighs five tons. It carries 18 passengers at a trip.

Tanks contain 245 gallons of gasoline and 15 gallons of oil. It cost \$61,000.

The owners carry liability insurance for all passengers. The advance agent of the plane has made arrangements to carry passengers all day Thursday. A charge of \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 years of age, will be made for 10 minutes trips over Eastland and surrounding territory.

Riggs has over 2,500 flying hours to his credit and is well known for practice of safety.

The plane will arrive here about 10:30 o'clock and Santa Claus will alight from the plane at 12:30 in the afternoon.

The visit of Saint Nick is sponsored by the Lions Club, assisted by S. M. Reynolds, and the following merchants: Texas Drug Store, Fagg's, D. L. Kinnaird, Modern Dry Cleaners, Palace of Sweets, Majestic Cafe, Beauty-Dress Drug, Texas Coffee Shop, Barrow Furniture Company, Bill's Tailoring Company, Whippet Sales Company, Globe Grocery, Tate's Dry Goods Store.

Former Cyclops Indicted By Grand Jury

Two Arrests Made After Probe of Fatal Election Bet. DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 19.—Officers early today arrested Ben C. Richards Jr., and A. J. Crabbe on two complaints charging forgery and passing a forged instrument.

Richards, a Dallas insurance man and former cyclops of the Ku Klux Klan of Texas, was taken into custody at his home after midnight and several hours later police picked up Crabbe, a former employee of the city.

The complaints charged that the men "did unlawfully write the name of Clyde R. Vest on the back of two cashier's checks for \$1,000 which were passed at the Republic National Bank. Both checks were paid payable to O. L. Matthews."

RESIGNATION OF SEC. MELLON ASKED

Texas Representative Demands That Secretary of Treasury Step Down.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—A demand that Secretary of the Treasury Mellon resign because he furnishes Congress with "misleading and dishonest estimates" was made in the House today by Rep. Garner, Democrat of Texas.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Congress will adjourn Saturday for the Christmas holidays and will reconvene January 3. The House joint resolution proposing these dates was adopted today by the Senate without debate.

Robbers Loot Bank At Small Texas Town

JARRELL, Texas, Dec. 19.—Arrival of a fingerprint expert is being awaited here before opening the safe of the First State bank which was discovered this morning to have been robbed. A hole was burned into it with an acetylene torch. The safe is reported to have contained \$4,500.00.

The bank robbery was discovered by bank employees this morning. The wall had been taken out to enter the vault and a hole burned into the safe.

Officers in nearby cities have been informed to watch out for the car in which the robbers escaped. The bank is capitalized at \$320,000.

Explosion Entombs Six In Mine Shaft

BRACKESBORO, Ky., Dec. 19.—Rescue crews fought valiantly today to reach six men entombed by an explosion in the Black Coal company mine near here during the night.

The blast occurred on the 4,000 foot level, apparently when a shaft beam collapsed and the friction ignited a gas pocket.

Tons of rock and timbers were hurled into the shaft and it was doubtful if the rescue crews would reach the victims before nightfall.

Christmas Tree At A. M. E. Church

The African Methodist Church will hold a community Christmas tree at the church Monday night, December 24.

The movement to have a tree for the colored children is being sponsored by the Colored Civic League.

The committee is composed of Mmes. W. A. Love, S. M. Eason, W. D. Matt, Lizzie Brazil, Hattie East, and F. K. Evans.

Any contributions from the public for the tree will be appreciated by the committee.

Airplanes Search For Missing Pair

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Dec. 19.—Three army airplanes soared over the Grand Canyon of the Colorado river today still searching for Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hyde, amateur explorers of Hanson, Idaho, who left Three Rivers, Utah, two months ago for a trip through the Gorge.

Indians were reported leaving their villages to thread the narrow trail at the river's edge along the bottom of the canyon. A small boat has been launched into the swift waters to shoot the rapids as far as Needles in a search for the missing couple. A second boat will follow today.

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700,000 ILL WITH THE FLU

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Complete reports from 42 states on file today by the U. S. Public Health service gave indications that more than 700,000 persons are afflicted with influenza.

While the official report accounted for a total of 141,000 new cases in the week ending Dec. 15, officials estimated that these were less than one fifth of the total number of cases.

Y. M. C. A. To Serve Christmas Dinner

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 19.—Christmas dinner will be served by the Y. M. C. A. to University of Texas men students who remain in Austin during the holidays, according to W. A. "Block" Smith, secretary. This is a custom started many years ago by Judge J. B. Clark. After his death, the custom was continued first by various faculty members and later by the Y. M. C. A., and the event has come to be known as the Judge Clark Christmas dinner.

This year, the gathering will be presided over by President H. Y. Benedict who has acted as chairman for the last fifteen years. A faculty member will tell a Christmas story, and the group will join in singing Christmas carols. It is expected that approximately 50 boys will attend.

Education School Honors Memory of Former Dean

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 19.—"Sagacity and persistence were perhaps his outstanding traits; but in multiplicity of high qualities, he had few superiors or even peers."

"As a testimonial of our love and respect for our former associate and leader, we, the Faculty of the School of Education of the University of Texas, assembled in special meeting for that express purpose, order this statement filed in the permanent records of this Faculty."

Thus the faculty of the School of Education of the University concluded its resolutions drawn up honoring the memory of Dr. William Seneca Sutton, former acting president of the University and dean emeritus of the school of Education.

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GAMBLING HALLS ARE WIPED OUT

Raids Follow Kidnapping of "Denver Blackie" Burcham.

WINK, Texas, Dec. 19.—A drama of frontier revenge which centered about contraband whiskey has been enacted in this oil boom town, too young to be found on recent maps of Texas.

As a result of the revenge plot, Texas Rangers and federal officers swooped down on Wink during the night and raided 39 alleged gambling halls and vice resorts making a score of arrests.

The revenge plot centered around P. C. Burcham known in this town as "Denver Blackie" who was found Tuesday by Deputy Sheriff Wood, wandering about in the wasteland of North Wink county. He was weakened by hunger and was muttering deliriously. The finding of Burcham, said to be a cafe owner, ended a three-day hunt in which residents of the town joined with officers.

Immediately, Deputy Sheriff Wood arrested two men who made statements regarding the kidnapping of a man "who had double crossed them." The men, officers said, told in detail how "Denver Blackie" had been kidnapped, bound with wire to a fence post and left to die of cold and hunger in the desert. He said he would not tell them where a supply of whisky they said he had stolen, was hid.

EARTHQUAKE REGISTERED

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 19.—An earthquake of the second magnitude was registered on the seismograph at Regis college here today. The tremor lasted about 19 minutes and was probably outside of the American continent.

ENGLISH KING IS RECOVERING

LONDON, Eng., Dec. 19.—King George maintained today the improvement in his condition which began Sunday.

Of the last 7 bulletins issued by his physicians only one, which was issued Monday, is considered to be unsatisfactory.

Students Elected To Law Society

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 19.—Elected on a basis of consistent scholarship, personality and achievement, five University of Texas law students were recently notified of their election to Chancellors, honor law society, when they were "tapped" by members of the fraternity at the annual law banquet. Those elected were Carl M. Anderson of El Campo, Earl B. Craig of San Antonio, Wortham Davenport of Brownsville, Wyman Sim Gideon of Coleman and William M. Ryan of Laredo.

CURB ONE-ARM DRIVING

QUIQUE, Chile.—To curb one-armed driving, authorities here prohibit any woman passenger in Iquique's motor buses from riding next to the driver.

Seats are arranged so that passengers sit with the chauffeur, but any woman taking the place next to him must move before the bus starts, or the driver will be fined.

The official explanation was that girls "distracted the operator's attention."

CHILDREN'S XMAS PARTY SATURDAY

If the fellow who said "there isn't any Santa Claus," will please step up. Just to prove the absurdity of such a statement, the Telegram and the Connelley Theatre are giving a Christmas party to all Eastland children, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

"Little Mickey Grogan," starring Lassie Lou Ahern, who appeared in person at the Connelley last Sunday and Monday, and Frankie Darro are the stars of the picture. It's all free. Parents are asked to allow their children to attend this annual Christmas party at the Connelley Theatre. The show will be over about 12 o'clock.

Will Rogers: "Outside of traffic there is nothing that has held this country back as much as committees."

BRIEF FUNS

Dear Boy!

"Thanks a mighty lot for your gift. Ma, she was sitting by the fireplace without any much do some days ago, and she wondered what you would send me for Christmas. But I told her not worry none cause you had sent a carton of Mail Pouch tobacco, and two plugs of old mule tobacco, for the last five years and reckoned as how you wasn't any better off this year than before.

"I'm right sorry you ain't able to come home this year, cause we was planning for a guiley washing, and sorting time. Soon as Ed gets his chores done Christmas Day we're going to open up what you call a keg of nails" but there ain't no nails in this keg. A genuine old fashioned hard hat what we will chaw down with some of that white lightning and Pod Hanerick sells over on his farm.

"He says he made three gallon of the acre this year. Ha! Ha! Of course grandpa won't touch anything because he told me the reason he had lived to be ninety years old because he hadn't never touched his quivering lips to glassware. quick told him that he had paid a awful price. Ha! Ha!

"So you let a slick saleswoman own to the Gift Shop talk you to buying a fancy jug? I ain't criticizing you none, my boy, but I was you I would stick to fruit jars and not go fooling around with these fancy jugs. Remember your old father never saw no fancy jug in his life.

"Ma was right tickled with what you bought for Christmas. I told her I would give her a washing machine if she would promise not to try to take a bath in it and let herself to death. I had to give her early on account of the holiday wash.

"Your rich aunt Fannie what all lives on that big street in town, and who has been wanting for our good furniture just because she called them antiques is mad as now. I asked her what she wanted me to buy her for a present, and she still just wanted an antique as she calls them. So I bought Jeremiah Tobbs' old 1907 Model automobile and gave it to her. It made her mad.

"Your brother got a cigarette lighter early from somebody and tried it out in the hayloft and burnt the barn down. I didn't hale him though because there ain't nothing in that barn but the winter's feed. We had already saved the cider up to the parlor.

"Your other brother still has a college bee. I want him to go home and learn to be a farmer, but he wants to go to college and be an agriculturist. The only difference is that a farmer makes money on the farm and spends it in town, while the agriculturist makes his in town and spends it on the farm.

"I sent you to college though, and all it did to you was make a messy writer out of you. You make your living with brains and I make mine with brawn. But of course I make a better living cause I got more brawn than you got brains.

"Enclosed find check for your share."

ALVIN—Plans progressing for construction of new City Hall.

Stores May Close For Grid Battle Between East Side, West Side

An effort to have all business stores closed Friday afternoon, December 28, in order that every one might attend the West-East football game, will be made by the committee in charge of the game.

Coach Joe Gibson announced today that the contract for the game had been duly signed by officials representing the two aggregations and that everything is in readiness for the inter-sectional fray.

Blair Cherry, coach of the North Side Fort Worth high school, will bring to Eastland a team composed of the cream of the Dallas and Fort Worth high school elevens.

Sunset's choice men, North Side's stars, the shining lights of Cliff, Diamond Hill, Poly and the Central high gridsters, will make the trip for the battle.

Gibson, on the other hand, has lined up a string of men, each of which has received loud and long praise for the work done this year. All money over expenses of the game will be applied to the Mavrick stadium fund.

It is for this reason that efforts will be made to have all of

the stores closed during the time of the game.

The committee believes that inasmuch as the Christmas rush will be over by that time, it will not be difficult to have a representative crowd at the game.

The game will be one of the best to have ever been played in this section.

It has always been imagined that a team composed of all-oil belt players could not be stopped by any other similar organization. That question, which has proved an interesting morsel for those who argue football between games will be definitely settled when the two strong elevens meet to fight it out.

Fort Worth produces good football players—and how. Dallas always has a strong bunch of boys, who can take it and give it, and do.

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SOCIETY

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THURSDAY

Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Scott Key, hostess.

Blue Bonnet Club; Christmas Party, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. O'Rourke, hostess.

Church of God: Ladies Auxiliary 2:30 p. m. in church.

Junior Department: Methodist Sunday School Entertained in department classroom 7 p. m.

Young Peoples Class of Church of Christ Sunday School gives Xmas party at residence of Mrs. Hackett 8 p. m.

Methodist church: Choir practice 8 p. m., Lower assembly room.

Pythian Sisters 8 p. m., in K. P. Hall.

Intermediate Department of the Methodist Church Sunday school will have their Christmas tree, assembly room, 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.

Mary Sue Rumph, hostess High school students in "The Story Hour."

DELIGHTFUL WEEK END EVENTS: Mrs. Dan Garrett entertained a number of friends with a bridge luncheon at the Connellee Hotel.

Attractive favors were awarded for high and low scores, in bridge. Guests were Meses. John D. McRae, W. H. Taylor, Milburn McCarty, W. T. Garrett, C. U. Connellee, George A. Davidson, and O. C. Funderburk.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garrett had as their dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Curd's A. Hattie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis, and O. D. Caldwell. Bridge was a later diversion.

Saturday evening their guests for bridge were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McManus, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Knox Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hyer, Mr. and Mrs. Scott W. Key, and Mr. Phil Kidd.

High score favor were awarded Mr. Beatty and Mr. Freyschlag, and consolation favors went to Mrs. Freyschlag, and Mr. Edwards. Refreshments of baked Alaska and coffee were served.

The three affairs were marked with beautiful appointments, and touches suggesting the holiday season.

WEST WARD SCHOOL STUDENT RECITAL: The recital in music and expression presented by students of the West Ward School, under the direction of Mrs. F. O. Hunter, and Miss Mary Sue Rumph, in the high school auditorium last night, was attended by a large and interested audience, that almost filled the auditorium.

Special numbers were given by Ruth Resenquest, Jessie Barnett, Marzelle Stover, Juanita Hazel, Lora Maye Frost, and Edna Marie Stow, among the older pupils.

The program was presented in groups of four divisions that included music and reading numbers.

The West Ward Glebe Club gave several popular songs, and Principal Boles of West Ward School, had a surprise for the school and audience in a very delightful Russian pianola, with accompaniment by Mrs. Hunter. Mrs. B. D. Hampton appeared in voice solos "Pale Moon" and an encore.

The program was concluded by a lovely reading, "Song For Peter," a make believe story, with



OUT OUR WAY FOOT AND HEAD WORK.

fictitious characters, given in an intriguing way by Eloise Ligon. The last number was a humorous reading, "The Bald Headed Man," presented by Lura Maye Forst.

The stage was beautifully decorated in gold, and red, carried out in chrysanthemums in gilt baskets and attractive autumn foliage decorations on edge of stage.

The recital was most pleasing and reflected great credit on the directors.

BIDE-A-WEE CLUB Mrs. M. C. Hayes was a delightful hostess to the Bide-A-Wee Club yesterday afternoon, when two tables for the game, with their Santa Claus tallies, and the house decorations of poinsettias and mistletoe, brought Xmas very near.

The red and green color motif was used in all appointments, and favors awarded in the game were quaintly wrapped in these shades.

"42" high score favor, a swan flower container, was awarded Mrs. W. J. Peters, and second high a salt and pepper set in red and green porcelain, went to Mrs. Harry Sene.

Tables were supplied with salted almonds during the game, and a five o'clock tea was served of creamed chicken in patties, individual molded cranberry jelly, sandwiches fashioned of red and green tinted bread, coffee, and fruit cake with whipped cream topping.

The lovely little Xmas tree shed its twinkling lights over the scene. The members exchanged Xmas gifts, and many beautiful mementoes were distributed among Mrs. J. C. Whately, Harry Sene, C. W. Homer, F. L. Roberson, Charles Winston, J. H. Ashley, W. J. Peters, Miss Ruth Kirkland, and hostesses.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON: Joseph M. Weaver had as his guests for an informal family luncheon yesterday, Horace Butler and nephew, Smedley Butler Jr., of California; Howard Key, and F. Weaver, to meet his cousin, Gilbrath Weaver of Ponca City, who arrived Monday for a few days visit with the Weaver family.

FIDELIS MATRONS CLASS ENTERTAINS: The Baptist parsonage was a busy and pretty scene last night, on the occasion of the entertaining of the Fidelis Matrons Class and their husbands, by group two and three, hostesses, directed by Captains, Mrs. W. A. Owens, and Mrs. J. G. Badders.

The entire home was beautifully decorated with autumn flowers over doors and windows, and large sprays of mistletoe.

The entertainment opened with an ensemble chorus, "Joy to the World" followed by devotional conducted by the Rev. W. T. Turner.

Two charming voice duets were rendered by Mrs. A. J. Campbell, and Mrs. Linn Hilburn, with Mrs. B. M. Hayes at the piano, and a party of the Sanbeam Band, of ten children, gave a rousing little chorus number.

A lovely Xmas tree, gay in its dress of tinsel and bright lights, held the class exchange gifts of kerchiefs, perfume, and toilet articles. The children received red and green tartan stockings, filled with nuts and candy.

The program closed with a song. Dainty refreshments were served of salad with whipped cream topping, and fruit cake.

Those present; Meses. John Matthews, Claud Maynard, A. J. Campbell, Jess Seibert, Linn Hilburn, Ruth Hague, Wilbert Irons, C. Seed, D. H. Lankford, Mattie Cook, W. B. Burgamy, J. G. Badders, C. H. Colvin, Jess Allen, Elzo Bean, R. J. Raines, Olin Norton, E. R. Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. B. M.

Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mead, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Ghent Sanderford, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. R. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Lancaster; Meses. Greichen Overton, and Lois McAnally; Otis Craig; and house host and hostess Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Turner.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEET: Last night, the Royal Neighbors of America, planned for their New Years dinner, set for eight o'clock; New Years night, January first, and all R. N. A. and Modern Woodmen of America are invited as well as the juveniles.

The M. W. A. will donate a part of the banquet. These plans were reached at the session presided over by Oracle Tucker. There was an unusually good attendance of members.

WASHINGTON LETTER

BY ALLENE SUMNER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Announcement that Florence Trumbull will NOT be a White House bride has stiffened the marcel and brought out the fingernail polish of this city's blooded ladies who run "Social Bureaus."

For these pilots of society have been insisting ever since the rumor of a Trumbull-Coolidge White House wedding started that it simply could not be; that such a project of bad form never would be established by a daughter of a governor, nor by the son of a Coolidge.

Day after day the society bureau dames called the newspapers to insist that this harping upon a White House wedding simply showed that they didn't know what was proper and befitting, and that they owed it, to the populace to remind it again that "the groom always weds his bride in her own home, no matter how humble."

MRS. ROSE GOUVERNEUR HOES, who runs one of the city's most exclusive social bureaus, who has attended three White House weddings herself, and whose grandmother, Maria Monroe, youngest daughter of President James Monroe, was a White House bride, is very relieved by the announcement from the Connecticut House of Trumbull.

"I felt right along that it simply could not be," she said. "I wondered what would happen to wedding etiquette in general if such a precedent were started. The rule would crash in toto. It would be impossible to expect girls of lesser rank to be married in their own homes if the so-called 'Crown Princess' of the nation rushed off to be married in her fiancée's home simply because he lived in a bigger

been out all week on account of illness, is being substituted for by Mrs. J. M. Ferrill.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. McRae will make a Xmas visit in Waxahachie, and later go to Helena, Little Rock and Hope, Arkansas, returning on January first.

WEST WARD SCHOOL P. T. A.: The West Ward School, Parent Teacher Association enjoyed a delightful social session yesterday afternoon, with program opened by their president, Mrs. R. E. Sikes, with the Lord's Prayer in unison.

Miss Blankenship, presented the Rhythm Band, most attractive in their white and yellow costumes, who played three numbers: "Under the Double Eagle," "Amarillo" and "Jingle Bells," the last with a chorus sung by the little folks.

Reading "Just Before Xmas," (Eugene Fields) was presented by Clara Hackett.

"Star of the East," a three part song was presented by 7-A students Catherine Lankford, Joe Woods, Pauline Pargin, Frances Harrell, and Claudia Fay Perdue.

Florence Perkins appeared in an original and clever series of jokes called a "Bunch of Smiles."

During the brief business period the treasurer stated there was a balance of \$119.00 on hand, and an equipment of volley balls, tennis nets and balls and bats for use of the smaller children, had been provided.

Mrs. G. W. Hampton's room received the \$2.00 prize for having the best attendance of mothers, and mother visitors to class room during month.

The social hour was spent in parents visiting with the teachers. There were thirty members present.

Adjourned to the third Tuesday in January.

FOX FARM CASE, 'PONZI SCHEME,' TO HIGH COURT

Maine Dentist Involved Investors in Project Worth \$3,000,000.

By HERBERT LITTLE, United Press Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A case arising from a \$3,000,000 black-fox farming project, cited by lower courts as a "Ponzi scheme," in which between 3,000 and 4,000 persons invested money, has just reached the United States supreme court from Maine.

The appeal results from the activities of Frank H. Gordon, a dentist from Bangor, who went into the fox fur farming business in 1922 with 17 pairs of foxes which he bought at \$550 each. His plan was to "sell" foxes at \$2,000 a pair, actually retaining the foxes and breeding them. He guaranteed the pair to produce at least two pups a year and that he would purchase the pair of pups for \$1,500, giving a 75 per cent return on the investment. He also sold fractional parts of a pair on the same percentage guarantee.

By the fall of 1924 Gordon had more than \$2,500,000 in fox contracts, and it became necessary for him to pay out around \$1,000,000 in dividends. According to the papers filed here, the promoter was depending on later investments in foxes to pay the year-old investments. Gordon transferred all his business property to a corporation, Frank H. Gordon, Inc., as of Dec. 31, 1924, and in the following October he filed a bill

granted, arguments will be heard in a few months and a decision handed down later on the merits of the controversy.

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

DEAR SANTA: Will you please remember me and my brother and sisters on Christmas as we have no dear daddy to get any nice things for us, as many other little boys and girls have. Just bring us anything. I want a pistol and caps, fire crackers and Roman candles and if you have any dolls bring my little sisters a doll.

I believe in a Santa and I think he will bring us something. Please bring us some nuts and candy and fruit.

I will close wishing you a merry Christmas, Santa. Yours truly, J. T. Wheat, 10 years old.

HEARING WITHOUT EARS—AUSTIN, Tex.—Ears are not needed for hearing, tests at the Texas State School for the Deaf show. Sound waves are being transmitted direct to the auditory nerves, detoured around the ears to the back of the head.

The tests are made with apparatus devised by Dr. J. W. McDonald, in cooperation with the institution officials.

THE LOST IS FOUND WINK, Tex., Dec. 18.—The sheriff's office here reported that T. C. Burchman known as "Den-

ver Blackie" reported kidnaped by run runners and left to die in a camp in the desert, has been found.

The ideas that a venomous snake can strike its full length or more and that it can not strike across from a coiled position, are popular but erroneous beliefs, biologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture state. Most of the poisonous snakes, when irritated can strike from any position, at the greatest length of stroke about three-fourths of their length.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



MOM'N POP



THIS HAS HAPPENED
Fate introduces Jerry Ray to wealthy Alester Carstairs when he crashes his airplane into the camp she is sharing with her roommate Myrtle. She likes his pilot, Dan Harvey, but Alester is struck by her beauty and shows her attention.

Unable to buy a gown for a party Alester has invited her to Jerry yields to the temptation to take one from the store—intending to slip it back next day.

Jerry is discharged from the store when she confesses she has ruined the dress. She seeks another job, and is surprised one evening when Dan calls. He proposes and she tells him she does not believe in love but is going to try to marry money. He leaves after trying to warn her.

Alester takes Jerry for a drive and goes to the deserted camp where he makes advances which she repulses.

Dan happens along and, under cover of his presence, Jerry forces Alester to take her home. He is contrite and when she says she has lost her job on his account, promises to try to get her in a chorus.

Next day he takes her to interview the producer who promises to take her on after a stage test.

Now go on with the story:

CHAPTER XXV
You will need this now," Alester said, flicking the ring a little nearer to Jerry. "Jake's girls will consider you declass if you haven't any jewelry."

Jerry did not peek it up.

"There aren't any strings tied to it," Alester went on, guessing at her thoughts.

"How about wishes?" Jerry asked, giving him a straight look.

Alester leaned forward with a smile.

"Can you imagine what a mad world this would be if everyone could make his wishes come true?"

"I know it would be no place for shop girls," Jerry replied, still eyeing him candidly.

"You mean for chorus girls," Alester corrected. "Forget your department store, Jerry, and—his voice became very serious—'please forget yesterday. Let's declare a new deal. Take the ring; I chose it because it belongs to you and I'll try to stop wishing anything you wouldn't like.'"

He picked up the ring himself and held it out to her. Jerry let him slip it over her finger, then she turned her head quickly to see if they had been observed. No one appeared to have noticed. Not that it mattered, she told herself; it wasn't an engagement ring... she wouldn't want to receive that in public... anyway she hadn't felt guilty... she was a show girl now. People expected them to accept presents.

Alester seemed to have an uncanny perception.

"You're going to be a success, Jerry," he assured her, "and there will be more costly things than this ring for you... if you want them, but I hope you won't."

"I'm afraid I shouldn't take this," Jerry returned doubtfully. "I don't feel like a show girl yet."

"Wait until Jake's stage director gets through with you and you will," Alester grinned. "He punishes them hard, Jerry, and one thing I feel I must warn you about. Hule doesn't like having raw material rung in on him. You may hear him say something pretty hot about you, but don't let your temper. He will make you if you've any talent at all. You can afford to overlook his remarks for

ed to him."

"Then you don't owe him anything," Myrtle said pointedly. "And don't you let him forget it."

"I'll feel that I do if I don't make good," Jerry replied, with a hint of worry in her voice.

"Gee, you're lucky," Myrtle said, "to get a chance like that. Of course you'll make good. What's it like, anyway, the theater in the day time?"

"I haven't been back stage," Jerry confided and went on to tell her roommate all that she had seen. "It was awful," she said, "the way Mr. Weinertz bawled that chorus girl out before everybody. I hope no one talks to me like that."

"Well, they will," Myrtle declared. "You don't want to be touchy, kid. Learn to hand it back. When are you going to rehearse?"

"Tomorrow morning at 10."

"Aren't you lucky! You can sleep until nine!"

But Jerry couldn't. Myrtle disturbed her when she got up and dressed. At eight she herself was at the stage door of the theater.

"Miss Ray, of the chorus," she said to the doorman.

He smiled. "A greenhorn," he said to himself. "Go right in, Miss Ray, I'm sure they're waiting for you."

Jerry flashed him a look of alarm. Had she made a mistake in the moment?

"Rehearsal begins at 10, doesn't it?" she asked excitedly.

The man relented. "You got plenty of time," he said; "go on in."

Jerry walked through the stage door into the magic world of backstage. There was an unappointed table, a chair of the kind that you find in a general store beside it, and a bulletin board on the wall of the place wherein she stood.

The floor was bare and not very clean. At one side Jerry looked into a row of painted backgrounds onto the stage.

The piano was there, and the pianist. He was playing. Jerry stood still and listened. His music flooded the darkened auditorium with rare sound. This was not the jazz, or popular melody, Jerry was not acquainted with the music masters, but the compelling beauty of Rachmaninoff's Prelude in C Sharp Minor stirred her deeply.

She forgot that she had come to rehearse for the chorus and that she didn't know where to go.

The young man at the piano seemed to have forgotten the rehearsal, too. He played on until the first of the lagged chorus arrived and intruded upon him.

Jerry had moved slowly toward him, drawn by his music; the other girls did not see her in the wings.

"Listen, Jael," one of them shouted at the musician. "Don't play that second number so fast this morning. Get me? I had a hard night, trying to get the sugar off my daddy." She laughed shrilly. The young man nodded. Jerry did not know if it were in earnest; she suspected he didn't want to talk to the girl.

The stage door was opening of ten now. She could see girls pouring in as if they had timed their arrival at 10 minutes to 10 precisely, not a minute before, and not a minute after.

"But I like the jade," Jerry replied. "I matches my eyes."

Myrtle guffawed.

"That's some of Alester Carstairs' baloney," she jeered. "That bimbo's going to have you eating out of his hand yet."

"You should worry," Jerry retorted; "but wait until my show opens; there's no baloney about that."

"I wonder what it cost Alester to get you in?" Myrtle mused audibly.

"Nothing," Jerry said with a flush. "Mr. Weinertz was indebted to him."

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place she pulled a stool up beside her own and then started pushing the jars and bottles on the table farther down to clear a space for Jerry's hat and bag.

"I'll tell you what to get," she was saying when a girl in a very short, black satin dress rushed up and wanted to know what in the blankety blank she thought

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AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance levying a tax for the maintenance and support of the city sanitary sewer system; fixing and defining rates to be charged property owners for sanitary sewer connections and service; providing time of payment; providing a penalty for non-payment of said charges; declaring an emergency; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and providing that this ordinance shall become effective from and after January 1, 1929.

WHEREAS, the present sanitary sewer system of the City of Eastland is now inadequate to properly handle and dispose of the sewerage of said city, and

Whereas, the revenue of the city from present sources of income is insufficient to permit of sewer improvement, and

Whereas, the health conditions of the city are endangered by reason of the inadequacy of said system and an urgent public necessity exists for the remedying of these conditions:

Now, Therefore, Be it Ordained by the City Commission of the City of Eastland, Texas:

Section I. Sewer Rates: That there is levied for the construction, support and maintenance of an adequate sanitary sewer system for the City of Eastland, Texas, on each and every property owner, tenant, or other person using said sewer system in the city, a monthly rental service charge for the use thereof the following amounts, to-wit:

1. For every private residence, boarding house, business house, hotel, or other building not herein specifically mentioned, now or here after connected to said city sewer system and containing not more than four plumbing fixtures connected to said sewer system, the sum of seventy-five (\$75) cents per month.

2. For every such building containing more than four plumbing fixtures, there shall be paid an additional sum of ten cents per fixture, up to and including fifteen fixtures, and for every fixture in excess of fifteen, an additional sum of five cents per fixture.

3. Provided that regardless of the number of fixtures, the rates to be charged the following business shall be as follows:

For each steam laundry, Five Dollars (\$5.00) per month.

For laundries other than steam, One Dollar (\$1.00) per month.

For each automobile wash rack, Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month.

For each barber shop, Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month.

For each clothes cleaning establishment, Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month.

For each crematory, Two Dollars, (\$2.00) per month.

For each drug store, Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month.

For each cafe or restaurant, Two Dollars (\$2.00) per month.

For each bottling works, Five Dollars (\$5.00) per month.

4. Provided further that each apartment occupied by a family shall be classified as a separate residence, notwithstanding there may be several apartments contained in a single building with a single connection to the sewer main.

Section II. Time and place of payment penalty:

exist from its passage and publication as required by the City charter and its ordinances.

Passed by unanimous vote on December 12, 1928.

I, E. W. Craig, Clerk of the City of Eastland, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed by the Commissioners of the City of Eastland on the 12th December 12, 1928.

E. W. CRAIG, City Clerk

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SCANDALS DISCOVERED IN SOVIET UNION

Soon to Trial Charged With Lucrative Conspiracy Against Government.

MOSCOW.—The soviet union has its own little "Teapot Dome." At least thirteen persons, seven of whom are members of the communist party, will soon be tried in Baku for having sold out about half a million acres of oil lands, which belonged to the government.

Under the law here, peasants whose land oil is discovered, are compensated for the land which is confiscated by the government. It appears that in the district, the richest soviet oil field, fake "discoveries" were arranged and fake payments were compensated for taken from them.

Through the connivance of members of the Baku soviet, it is believed, oil properties on some of which there were actually live pits, were distributed to peasants who were former owners of the properties. The land was sold and a pretense made of farming activity. Then of a sudden the oil trust "discovered" the oil and arranged to pay the former owners for the land confiscated. The payments, according to the prosecutor, were shared by the former owners and by grafting officials. The scheme was worked for at least three years.

Recently the soviet authorities sought to light other illegal land. Theoretically all land belongs to the government and is leased to farmers on a lifelong basis. The farmer is not allowed

10-Story Building



Pictured above is the new 10-story McBurnett office building in San Angelo on which construction will start shortly after January 1, announced Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McBurnett, the builders.

to sell it, and can sublet it only under special conditions. In practice, however, the peasants often find methods for circumventing the law. Numerous instances in which land was bought and sold like ordinary private property were cited in a speech by Y. N. Erandenburgsky of the commissariat of justice. On several occasions village soviets themselves seem to have been guilty of such trade.

Highway Chiefs Will Recommend

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—The state highway commission at its meeting this week will adopt the suggestions which the highway law requires it to make biennially to the governor.

As each of the members of the commission were in attendance at the meeting of Governor Moody's advisory highway committee, it is expected that the recommendations made by the commission will coincide with those of the advisory committee.

This includes a recommendation for a state road bond issue as advocated by Chairman R. S.

Sterling of the highway commission before the advisory committee.

RELIEF VESSEL DISPATCHED TO ARCTIC COLONY

Failure of One Soviet Ship to Reach Wrangel Island Causes Anxiety.

MOSCOW.—The ice-cutter "Litke" has sailed from Odessa to Wrangel Island in the Arctic Ocean to bring relief to a colony established there that has frozen out more than two years ago.

The Soviet Union became greatly alarmed after the failure of the ship "Stavropol," carrying food, clothes and medicines, to reach the island recently. The "Litke" will go through the Suez Canal, across the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean, up the eastern coast of Asia, reaching Vladivostok early next year. As it will then still have a

Bering Strait, it will not reach the colonists until spring.

Considerable criticism has been voiced here of the "Stavropol's" failure, which is laid to red-tape and inefficiency in the responsible Soviet organizations.

The Wrangel Island group was visited only once, in 1927, since its establishment. It was found then to be in excellent condition, only two persons—a very old man and a new-born baby—having died. There were at that time 62 persons on the island—9 Russians and 53 Chukchees and Eskimos. Of the 62, 25 were men and 37 women; 15 members of the colony were children, 4 of them having been born on Wrangel Island. Two of these four were the offspring of Russian fathers and Chukchee mothers.

The ice-cutter "Litke" was built in 1909 for an American millionaire, for cruising in the waters of northern Canada. It was bought by the Czar's government in 1914.

Sports Matter

By Frank Getty
United Press Sports Editor
The football genius of Head Coach Howard Jones and the all-around play of Don Williams, Trojan quarterback, were two prime factors in giving the University of Southern California the outstanding football team of the far west in 1928.

It may be that the Trojans are the best team of the year, regardless of boundaries, but decision on that point must be reserved until the Golden Tornado of Georgia Tech blows up against the Golden Beags of the University of California in the Tournament of Roses game on New Year's Day.

Meanwhile, Howard Jones' eleven stands undefeated in intercollegiate circles, held to but one tie and that by California in an epic struggle on the coast.

To the genius of Jones, who is brother of the better known T. A. D. Jones, former head coach at Yale, must be credited the fact that his Trojans have been beaten but once in two seasons.

That 1927 Defeat
Notre Dame defeated Morley Drury's eleven on Soldiers Field last year, in a game which the Southern Californians still believe should have been theirs. Riley, Irish quarterback, intercepted a Trojan pass behind his goal line, but dropped the ball after taking a step or two. Jones and Drury have maintained stoutly ever since that Riley fumbled, and that the recovery of the ball by a Notre Dame player a moment later constituted a safety. The officials ruled otherwise, Drury himself failed to kick a goal after touchdown, and the Irish won, 7 to 6. That is the only time the Trojans have tasted defeat since 1926.

This year, Southern California defeated Oregon State, 19 to 6, and Stanford, 10 to 0, finishing the season by beating Notre Dame, 27 to 14. Those who recall how the Oregon Aggies rode roughshod over the eastern champions from New York University, and how Stanford crushed the Army, will realize, even if they did not see these Trojans play, just how good youngsters under Jones' tutelage must have been.

Don Williams was in a class by himself among western quarterbacks, and playing quarterback for Howard Jones means carrying the ball most of the time. Williams was named for the second All-America eleven, and many western coaches considered him a rival of the great Howard Harpster of Carnegie Tech.

Barragar, a Star
Another outstanding star on Southern California's unbeaten team was Nathan Barragar, captain-elect for 1929, one of the great centers of the past season. Barragar, whose home is in San Fernando, is only 20 years of age, a

Family Menu

BY SISTER MARY
BREAKFAST—Stewed dried peaches, cereal, cream, corned beef hash, bran muffins, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Scalloped cabbage, toasted muffins, tapioca custard with apples, milk, tea.

DINNER—Braised liver, French fried potatoes, buttered parsnips, entree with cheese dressing, cherry pie, milk, coffee.

Beef's liver can be used in place of calf's liver. As beef's liver is tougher than calf's liver it should be parboiled before using. Parboil 20 minutes if liver is cooked whole and 5 minutes if sliced.

Braised Liver
About 2 pounds liver, 4 to 6 slices bacon, 1 carrot, 2 onions, 1/2 cup diced celery, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons fat, 2 cups canned tomatoes rubbed through a coarse sieve, 1 bay leaf, 3 whole cloves, 6 peppercorns, 2 tablespoons minced parsley.

Wash, trim and skin liver. Fry with salt and pepper and sear quickly all over in hot fat. Sear and slice carrot, peel and slice onions and combine with celery. Put into casserole and place liver on this bed of vegetables. Cover top with slices of bacon and add tomatoes. Add cloves, peppercorns and bay leaf. Cover closely and bake two hours. Uncover for the last 20 minutes of cooking. Place liver on a hot platter and strain liquid left in casserole. Pour over liver, sprinkle with parsley and serve.

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scrapping six footer weighing 150 pounds. Under his leadership, the Trojans are looking forward confidently to keeping up the good work next year.

"Biff" Jones, head coach of the Army, but no relation to the other Jones boys of football fame, rated Southern California above Georgia Tech and all other eleven on the season's record.

TWO PLAN TO SALVAGE GOLD FROM PACIFIC

Seattle Men After \$3,000,000 Fortune Lost at Sea 36 Year Ago.

SEATTLE, Dec. 17.—The sum of \$3,000,000 in gold lies deep in the cold waters of one of the many passes around Douglas Island on the Inside passage to Alaska.

It is the dream and hope of two Seattle men—George Henderson and H. G. Koller—to recover that fortune.

Twenty-six years ago one cold, foggy September night, the big Alaskan steamer Islander slowly made its way through the treacherous channels.

Aboard the craft was a capacity load of passengers, men and women coming hom from the northern gold fields. Men and women who had won fortunes, in conquering the hardships of the north.

In the small office of the purser there was more than \$3,000,000 in gold. The ship's safe had been filled to overflowing and some of the vast wealth was stacked in boxes and in sacks on the floor.

Suddenly there came a sharp shock, followed by four short blasts on the ship's whistle.

The Islander had struck a submerged reef around Douglas Island. She partially filled, but the rising tide carried the Islander off the reef and she drifted for three miles before sinking with her precious cargo and 78 human lives. The vessel plunged to the bottom—310 feet—far below the reach of any known diving outfit of that day.

New Diving Outfit.
Today, Henderson and Koller, have organized a salvage company, and with a diving outfit designed by Henderson, they plan to seek this treasure. Henderson is positive his outfit can be used successfully in water to a depth of 600 feet. It consists mainly of a tube, about 15 feet long and weighing more than 5,000 pounds. Attached to the tube is a powerful light which the designer says will enable the occupants to see for a distance of 100 feet at any depth.

Salvage will be accomplished by a mechanical hand managed by the occupants. Air is taken down in the tube in a tank, and in sufficient quantity to last for four hours.

Position of the tube will be controlled by men above on a tug, directed by the diver by telephone. According to the designer the tube has been tested in 410 feet of water off Alki point.

There is little doubt among shipping men as to the vast wealth aboard the Islander wreck, as Lloyd's paid claims of more than

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Henderson and Koller plan to start their search as soon as weather permits, probably early in the spring of 1929.

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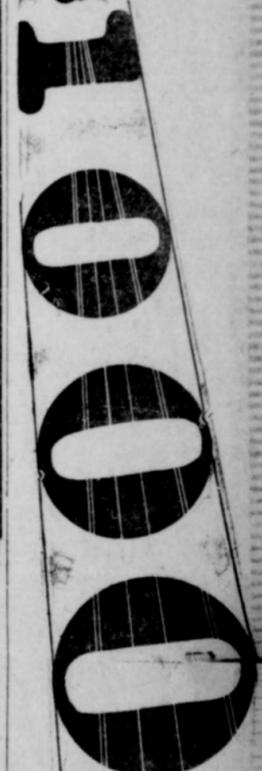
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HIGH FLIGHT

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she was doing.

Evelyn looked at her coldly.

"I'm taking advantage of the rule you girls applied to me," she said calmly. "I wish to have Miss Ray sit here—that's the rule, you know. Friends may have places together even if someone else must change."

"Is that so?" the girl in black satin drawled. "Well, I won't move, see?"

She jerked a stool before the place that Evelyn had cleared for Jerry and popped down on it with decisive finality. Jerry saw her feet twine about the legs of the stool as though they meant to stay there.

Evelyn said nothing more. She was tight-lipped with anger, but she controlled it admirably.

"Go call for help," the other girl sneered as she walked away.

Jerry realized soon that Evelyn had gone for the mistress of the wardrobe, for she returned with the latter in less than a minute.

"Don't make trouble, Lucille," the matron said to the rebellious girl on the stool. "Miss Starr is right. She can claim your place for a friend. Remember, you girls, yourselves, started the custom."

"Aw, go to—"

"None of your swearing now," the older woman warned her quietly. "Move!"

Jerry was shaken by the scene. But no one else seemed to mind

it. Evelyn was perfectly calm.

"Hurry," she said, "and put on your suit." She pointed to a folded garment on the table and Jerry picked it up.

Her first stage costume! Gingham panties and blouse.

"I'll have your size next time," the wardrobe mistress was saying, "but you'd better shake yourself, little one. Old Hule is—"

"Everybody on the stage! Everybody on the stage!"

She was going to be late—at her first rehearsal!

Jerry turned faint.

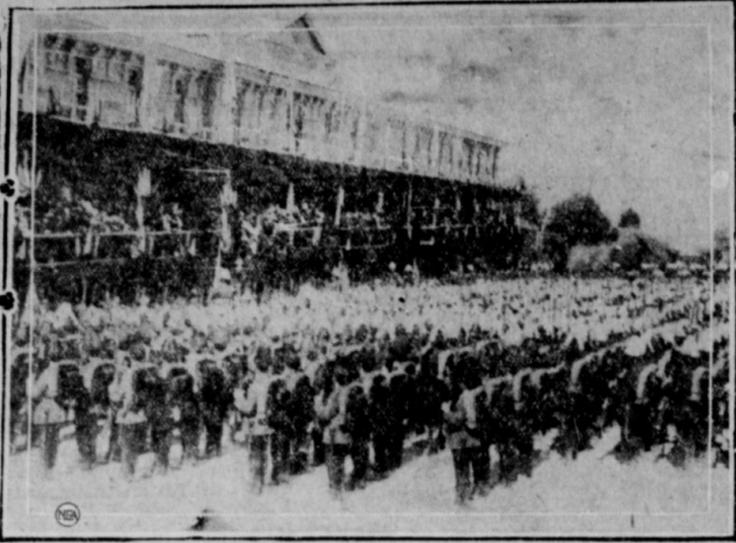
TELEVISION TO AID POLICE OF SCOTLAND YARD

"Set a Wave Length to Check a Crime Wave" is New Slogan.

LONDON.—"Set a wave-length to check a crime." This may become the slogan of Scotland Yard with the increasing use of wireless in the work of the criminal investigation department.

Already London police officials may wireless finger-prints, by code, to New York or Australia and receive a reply within 48 hours. Scotland Yard is now planning to link the principal police stations of Great Britain by wireless. This will remove the difficulty of instant communication

Troops Who Clamor for March on Paraguay



As all Bolivia clamored "to march in the great crusade of conquest and civilization against Paraguay," armed forces were held in readiness and offers of supplies and munitions poured in on the government. Here are pictured Bolivia's crack troops in dress parade. These could be augmented overnight by thousands of volunteers who, seized with war fever, have offered their services. Fifteen thousand men in La Paz alone asked to join the colors.

HERMINE PLANS HANDSOME GIFT FOR EX-KAISER

Wilhelm to Receive Clock-Tower at Doorn for 70th Birthday.

By H. C. BURMAN, United Press Staff Correspondent.

DOORN, Holland.—The birthday present Princess Hermine intends to give the ex-kaiser on his seventieth birthday will not be a surprise.

It is a clock-tower of solid brick which is now being built forming part of the new garages. It faces the castle and is also easily visible to passers-by from the narrow lane that runs through the woods along the castle grounds.

The tower and the carillon it will contain has an interesting history. Princess Hermine, the active, restless wife, who is now 41 years old, is always planning original surprises for the ex-kaiser. She decided that his seventieth birthday should stand out as a milestone in Wilhelm's life.

Finally she hit upon the idea of ornamenting the garage with a tower with a carillon that would chime its sweet peals over the peaceful grounds, through the old beeches and oaks of Huis Doorn to remind Wilhelm hour by hour of his wife's love.

To make this possible it was necessary to let the ex-kaiser into

HERMINE PLANS HANDSOME GIFT FOR EX-KAISER

the "secret," because nothing afoot on the estate escapes his eager eyes, much less the building of a tower 35 feet in height with a flagpole seven and one-half feet in height on top.

Wilhelm and Architecture.

And there was another matter. Suppose the tower had been erected without Wilhelm's knowledge and his critical eye had discovered the design. Suppose his verdict had been "My dearest, it's very sweet of you, but I do not like the style."

For Wilhelm knows one or two things about architecture. Witness the "Roman" quarter around "Emperor Wilhelm's Memorial Church" in Berlin, all planned by the ex-kaiser. There can be no alterations in Huis Doorn, no extensions, or garages or barns, unless Wilhelm first goes over the plans, criticizes the details or alters them. Nothing can be done until he finally puts on the plan "Agreed, Wilhelm I. R. (Imperial Rex)."

Princess Hermine submitted the idea of the tower to her imperial husband and he agreed at once. He was really moved when it was explained that not only Princess Hermine but her children and Wilhelm's children, other members of the family and several higher members of the court intended to furnish the funds for the construction. However, it required many weeks to decide upon the final plans.

The flagpole will be ornamented with the imperial German eagle and usually the kaiser's flag will fly there. Dutch hand-made brick will be used in construction of the tower. There is a large oak door in the tower decorated with hand-

SANITARIUM TO TREAT DIABETES COSTS MILLION

Fully Equipped Hospital at Cleveland Shaped Like Huge Steel Ball.

By JOHN E. DEEGAN, United Press Staff Correspondent.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 18.—The new \$1,000,000 Cunningham sanitarium, which has as its underlying theory increased air pressure as a cure for diabetes, has been formally opened here as a place of treatment for diabetes, pernicious anemia and other diseases heretofore pronounced incurable.

The main compartment of the sanitarium is a huge steel ball, 94 feet in diameter and five stories high. It is a completely equipped hospital. Adjoining is a long cylindrical tank which provides the means of access to the main construction and offers a preliminary test of air pressure to patients about to undergo the cure.

This revolutionary idea in hospitals was introduced eight years ago by Dr. Orville J. Cunningham, of Kansas City, Mo. For years Dr. Cunningham had advocated the use of compressed air for the treatment of various diseases but it was not until he had interested H. H. Timkin, millionaire steel man of Canton, O., that he was able to put his idea into effect. Timkin agreed to finance the institution after a friend had gone to Kansas City and had been treated for diabetes in a small tank Dr. Cunningham had constructed in his own back yard.

There are two other tanks, besides the one used as the entrance, that flank the main compartment. Patients will live in these tanks for a week at a time under an atmospheric pressure of from five to 30 pounds.

After living in the main sphere of one of the smaller tanks for a week, the patient spends seven days at home or in a hotel, before another week in the tanks. This process is repeated until the doctor pronounces a cure.

The huge ball and the adjoining structures are furnished in the interior much after the manner of an up-to-date ocean liner. It has accommodations for 96 persons.

On the first floor of the main tank is the dining room.

Three other floors are given over to bedrooms and the fifth is a spacious recreation hall.

Lighting is furnished through heavy glass portholes.

LIONS WILL MEET.

BORGER, Texas, Dec. 18.—Next zone meeting of the Lions clubs of zone 11, including clubs in the Texas Panhandle around the South Canadian river and north to the Oklahoma state line, will be about March 10, G. G. McBride, deputy district governor announced.

"The meeting will be at either Pampa or Perryton," he said. "The district meeting of Texas will be at Austin in May."

GRANDVIEW—Holtman Bros. garage enlarged and improved.

HOKY AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

Pits Make 'Em Hard

THE K. O. Christner fellow, who hung the sleeper on Knute Hansen's chin recently, is anything but an inspiring fighter but he has a lot of natural color and background.

He worked in the same pit in an Akron tire factory with Bob Martin and any man who serves time in those pits develops a terrific pair of hands and arms. Christner isn't a finished puncher, but he'll knock any man stiff that he tags on the chin with his right or left hand.

Christner did a hitch in the regular army and was a top sergeant of one of the cavalry outfits that trailed behind Black Jack Pershing into Mexico. He is 34 years old, has two children and has been fighting only a year.

Okay By Me

HE was somewhat of a football player before he took up fighting and a story is told of a game in which he appeared as a ringer with a team of deaf mutes.

He had been treating his opponent on the line rather roughly and the opponent lost his temper. "If you wasn't a dummy I'd punch your damn head off," the opponent remarked.

And the dummy replied to him, "Start swinging right, now, fella, but don't miss."

Better Be Smart, Jack

JACK SHARKEY, if he fights as he should fight, ought to have no trouble beating Christner. He doesn't figure to knock him out. But if Sharkey gets cocky and smart as he did in the Dempsey fight he may get his jaw knocked loose. He will also be yelling "Mama" if he gets a couple of pile drivers in his middle. Sharkey doesn't like 'em there. Hansen took a couple of them and just hated them. He tried to crawl out of the ring on a fowl, but Kid McPartland, who was the referee, wouldn't let him.

"You're not going to get out of here on a fowl, Hansen," the Kid told him and he didn't get out on a fowl. He got out on the shoulders of his men.

Have a Quince, Too

HANSEN was roofoo' for two hours, after the fight. He

wrought iron-work. The door leads to a staircase in the belfry. Two dials meet on one corner of the tower and another two dials meet on the opposite corner giving an original impression. The tower and arrangement of dials is designed by Dr. G. Flieringa, a Dutch architect of Doorn.

The most important detail of the tower is the memorial "plaque" informing this and future generations that the tower was presented to his imperial Majesty, Wilhelm II on his seventieth birthday by his imperial wife, Empress Hermine, her children, step-children and others. A large imperial eagle spreads his wings and claws above the dedication.

In January the carillon will chime its melody for the first time through the woods around castle Doorn. The carillon will contain five bells, the largest weighing over 500 pounds. They will be cast by the famous Dutch master, Eijsbout of Asten in North Brabant province. These five bells will chime—with Wilhelm's full consent—the famous Westminster melody.

STATE TAXES ARE DOUBLED

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Dec. 18.—One hundred percent increase in appropriations in the period from 1920 to 1928 while population has increased only 16 percent is pointed out by Former Representative John T. Smith in the current issue of the Texas Tax Journal.

The great increase, he says, are to be found in two state departments—highways and education. Together, he cites figures to show they get 75 percent of all the public money collected for state purposes.

The legislature makes appropriations for two years at a time. Editor Smith cites that the 1921-1922 appropriations were \$24,419,000 and those for 1927-1928,

\$50,741,000.

If the proposed \$350,000,000 state road bond issue becomes a reality, the Tax Journal says, it will cost each man, woman and child in the state \$63.78 without figuring the interest on the bonds.

New Continental Air Mail Route

DALLAS, Tex.—Establishment of a trans-continental air mail line between Louisville, Dallas, El Paso, with Los Angeles as the western terminus awaits only the carrying out of an official survey and the awarding of contracts for the service. Postmaster John W. Philip announced on his return from Washington this week.

W. Irving Glover, assistant postmaster general in charge of air mail, will arrive in Dallas after Jan. 1 to survey the route and study conditions, Philip said.

The new route will be known as the Southern transcontinental route. The facilities at Love Field are ample to care for the additional service, officials there said.

It's strange there aren't more women architects—so many of them are designing.

HUNTSVILLE—New electric stamp cancelling machine installed at local postoffice.

Hinman May Play On Pacific Coast

Garland Hinman will wear colors of Texas in the post-season high school game between a team and an all-star California eleven in Los Angeles next. It was stated here today.

"Ox" has been invited to play on the Fort Worth Central and it is understood that he will accept.

CLUB BOY MAKES \$300

By United Press.

LUBBOCK, Texas, Dec. 18.—Franklyn Bell, 11, a 4-H club boy, has made \$248.75 on a cotton he planted as one of his club work projects. In a letter County Agent D. F. Eaton, Lynn said he pulled 750 pounds of cotton the first time and \$44.50.

BRONZE AGE URNS

COWDENBEATH, Scotland.—After four days of scientific explorations, archaeological recently unearthed five urns of the Bronze Age. The contained cremated human interred 800 years B. C. bones and urns have been in a Glasgow museum.

FAWELL—New \$30,000 elevator under construction.

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showed how goofy he was by the first remark he made when the fog began to lift.

"Do you want me to give you something nice, Whitey?" he asked of his trainer. Whitey had visions of a nice gratuity or reward of some kind and he assured his man Hansen that he would like to be given something nice.

"That's fine," Hansen said. "I'll

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

LARRY FAGAN, a Harrison, N. J., fighter, inherited \$500,000 and an auto sales and repair shop.

And he's going right on fighting. The National League clubs have been ordered to set up a telephone wire between the press box and the playing field.

John McGraw thinks he won the final decision. If Bill Klem quits, Connie Mack, Jr., is a basketball star at Germantown Academy.

He is also a baseball player.

And so was his old man. The Hon. John F. Fitzgerald is living at the famous barn of Harvey Leader at Newmarket, England.

And the cannons are leaving him alone.

The board of directors of the Brooklyn ball club get along a swell together. They were to have had a meeting recently. But couldn't agree on a meeting place.

And didn't meet.

Indians Weren't Tricked

CLEVELAND doesn't agree with the verdict that the Indians got the works when they accepted Tavenner and Holloway for Uble.

The Indians needed a reliable shortstop and they got one in Tavenner and Holloway can't be of less value than Uble.

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