

MARTIN INSULL MAY BE DEPORTED SOON

CADDO MAN IS INDICTED IN DEATH OF WIFE

BRECKENRIDGE, Dec. 21.—Nine indictments returned by the grand jury, which has just completed its work, show one for murder, four for burglary and theft, one for swindling, and one for possession of narcotics.

The murder indictment was brought against Rupert Hudspeth, farmer residing near Cadde, in connection with the death of his wife, who was found shot in the back of the head in their farm home a few weeks ago. A complaint was filed against the husband following an investigation of the case.

William Harper and Dee Hutton had two bills each, returned charging burglary and theft in connection with the blowing of the safe of the Russell Grain company, which was the result of investigations of several safe blowings in Breckenridge within the past two months.

R. O. Palmer was indicted for swindling with worthless checks and Jim Corben was charged with the possession of Morphine.

Judge Carl Hamlin set the bond of Hudspeth at \$10,000. Attorneys and friends of the indicted man were seeking to have the bond lowered. The charges are the outgrowth of the finding of Mrs. Hudspeth sitting in her chair dead at her home with a bullet wound in her head and a .22 calibre rifle nearby on a table.

Two indictments returned were not announced today as arrests have not been made in the cases.

City Hires Extra Police to Thwart Xmas Shoplifters

To safeguard store owners and shoppers at the Christmas season, Eastland city officials have shifted Bill Mead, police chief, to the day-light police shift and hired Hilton Kuykendall to assist the former.

Postoffice Open All Day Saturday

The Eastland postoffice will be open Saturday afternoon to accommodate Christmas mailers. Frank A. Jones, postmaster, said the office will be open until 6 o'clock on that date.

The postmaster stated that the office will be closed on Christmas Day in order to give employees a holiday. Service at the office will be curtailed with the exception of delivery of perishable packages, special delivery matter and placement of box mail. Outgoing mail will not be affected in the service curtailment.

Arthur C. Wilson Accepts Sentence

EL PASO, Dec. 21.—Arthur C. Wilson, desert slayer of Mrs. Irene DeBolt of Cleveland, Ohio, today accepted the life sentence given him by a jury last week.

BURNED WRECK OF THE "FLYING HOTEL" FOUND

BAGDAD, Iraq, Dec. 21.—Burned wreckage of the Netherland airliner "Uliver" was found today 10 miles south of a lonely blockhouse in the desert. Its seven occupants, three passengers and crew of four, all Netherlanders, were reported killed.

British royal airplanes found the wreckage of the great "flying hotel," an American-built Douglas-built transport, which finished second in the England-Australia air race. It was believed the plane might have been struck by lightning.

Yillie Stevens III



Yillie Stevens (above), brother of Mrs. Frances Stevens Mills and co-defendant in the famous Hall-Mills murder trial nearly a decade ago, was reported to be seriously ill at Mrs. Mills' home in New Brunswick, N. J.

"that reminds me..."

Real treats come in the form of home talent and nothing is more inspiring than to see our young folks get up on the stage and act. In this instance tonight the Eastland Hi-Y club is going to "strut" their stuff to perfection for the entertainment of all those who buy tickets for the occasion and everybody should be there. "Cyclone Sally," a rip roaring dramatic club production will feature the interesting event. The play will have in its cast, Kathleen Cottingham, Betty Perkins, Orvel Harrell, Jean Kissinger, Bill Satterwhite, Leslie Cook, Jo Earl Utz, Betty Kissinger and Rex Gray. Three acts will involve the interest of the audience, and specialty numbers will be given between the acts. Don't fail to see this play. We'll guarantee that it will be good.

Christmas shoppers are flooding the stores of Eastland each day, and we hear comments of praise for the stores on every side that have made such wonderful preparations this year to see that Eastland folks could buy what they want at home and not trek all over the country wandering around in a daze as to what to buy. From here on out the business interests can well see that our citizens would rather trade at home provided that the stocks are carried to justify it, and by all means tell them about it in the advertising columns of the newspaper.

According to reports from Mr. Albert Taylor, vice president and cashier of the Eastland National bank the lock boxes that have just been installed are going fast. The main point is that it is dangerous to keep valuable papers around in some nook in the house particularly during the holiday season. Lock boxes in the bank are reasonable in price and any loss. It takes two keys to open any box; one is kept at the bank and the other is kept by the customer without both keys there is nothing doing to get into the box. That makes it private, safe, and as we said, most economical. Get your lock box today and take the frown of worry from your mind. Three sizes are available—small, medium and large—\$2, \$3 and \$4.

This is one Christmas that most folks can eat, drink and be merry. Eat just enough, drink mostly water, and let the merriment be of an innocent and vibrating nature, and Christmas will pass off just as it should be. The fellow that eats too much will get the "belly ache." The one that drinks too much "hard substance" will get the headache, and the ones that mixes it all together and makes too merry is liable to land in the hospital or jail. Do take it easy and make it a real honest-to-goodness Christmas.

Tonight hundreds of kiddies will be made happy by the efforts of the Eastland Civic League in seeing that Santa Claus is on the dot, on time. The big Christmas tree on the courthouse lawn will be full of gifts and light the ray of sunshine.

HI-Y CLUB TO PRESENT PLAY THIS EVENING

By RALPH MAHON Music! Lights! Laughter! All these plus the warmth of Christmas excitement and good cheer will contribute to the dramatic club production, "Cyclone Sally," which the Hi-Y club will present at the high school auditorium, tonight at 8:30 o'clock, with the curtain rising promptly at that time, which is expected to be late enough to avoid interference with the community tree.

Not only will you enjoy the humorous play, directed by Mrs. Ammerman, and with Rex Gray, Betty Perkins, Jean Kissinger, Bill Satterwhite, Kathleen Cottingham, Betty Kissinger, Orvel Harrell, Leslie Cook, and Jo Earl Utz, but you will be entertained as never before by the amusing and distinctively original between-acts features. "Ah, at last, my little Nelly, you're in my power. Ha-ha-ha!" "Oh, you brute, you dastardly villain!" The high school quartet, composed of Wendell Siebert, Billy Doss, Parker Brown, and Leslie Cook, will revive the catchy songs and thrilling drama of the gay nineties. Not only will they stir the memories of the old folks, but with Wesley Lane and Elbertine Bagley they will harmoniously render popular tunes that you will cheerily whistle long after you reluctantly watch them leave the stage.

Hear ye! Hear ye! Don't fail to see this splendid play, these gay, nonchalant between-act features, all presented by the Hi-Y club, a club of fine, enthusiastic boys. This mirth provoking entertainment plus the intoxicating atmosphere of a cheerful Christmas crowd is worth many times the price of admission. We'll see you at 8:30!

Many Entrants Vie In Lighting Contest

Interest in the Civic League's second annual lighting contest is more than that evidenced heretofore, according to Mrs. W. K. Jackson, director of the project. Mrs. R. L. Perkins Sr., is chairman for the contest.

Awards will be presented to persons who have arranged the best decorated home window, yard or tree and commercial store window. Judges for the contest reside out of town.

The Trio will judge and make decisions between Dec. 23 and 26.

How Texas Cities Got Their Names

Rosebud, a tiny town of north-east Texas, was named intentionally or otherwise through sarcasm. When the first postoffice was established there, the citizens decided it needed a name. One of the wittier members suggested Rosebud. Now one can mail letters to Rosebud, Texas.

Waxahachie is one of Texas' many cities whose title may be traced to Indian days. A creek by that name ran thru the territory and when the first settler built his hut along its bank the title was not altered.

Texas cities with the suffix "view" probably are unique in number for the entire nation. Longview, Plainview, Bellview, Lakeview, Valley View, and others show early colonists' interest in scenery.

Longview is credited with receiving name for a Texas & Pacific railroad engineer who sighted the spot from a distance and cried the spot from a long view! The remark, according to legend, became the city's title.

Death Toll In Riot At Shelbyville Up

SHELBYVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 21. The death toll in Wednesday's race rioting here rose to four today when Paul Lawes, farmer, died of wounds suffered when national guardsmen fired into a mob that stormed the courthouse in an attempt to seize a negro assault suspect.

Crowd Storms Murder Hearing



Milling through the corridors of Tulsa common pleas court building, a crowd estimated at 3000 broke through the locked doors shown at right above in an effort to hear proceedings in the preliminary hearing of Philip Kennamer, charged with the murder of John Gorell, Jr. On Kennamer's trial centers widespread talk of an "amateur crime ring" and wild escapades among Tulsa's "younger set."

Committeean Who Resigned Said Even Potentates Suffered From His Errors

Powers of Europe and "even Little America" seem to be suffering from my mistakes, said a letter received by J. C. Patterson, county agent, from a committeean who resigned from the county corn-hog control association. The letter was received some time ago. The letter in part read: "To the Honorable Agent and Committeemen of the Eastland County Corn-Hog Control Association, Gentlemen: After carefully examining my record as one of your members, it seems only fair and just, I tender my resignation. "During my administration as committeean of the corn-hog control association of Eastland county, Texas, the people of the world in general have become more restless, more dissatisfied than ever before since the beginning of time. "The royal families and dictators of Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia, and the islands of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, and even Little America, seem to be suffering from my mistakes. Bim Gump's romance blasted and his life ruined and many other catastrophes, calamities and heinous crimes at home and abroad. "Gentlemen, my work and association with you has been pleasant and profitable, indeed. In order to be fair to you, to myself and the people of all the earth and to my posterity, I offer my resignation, effective now." His resignation was accepted.

Roosevelt Is Just Beginning Fight On Utility Rates

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—President Roosevelt has just begun to fight for lower utility rates, administration leaders said today as they pushed forward with a federal program backed by millions of dollars of PWA money.

Eastland Twins On College Honor Roll

ABILENE, Texas, Dec. 21.—Three hundred twenty-one students in Abilene Christian college are listed in the second six weeks reports with honor grades in one or more subjects, according to records in the office of Mrs. Clara Bishop, registrar. Students from this community who are on the list of honor students for this period are Elmer and Delmer Brown, well known twins and trackmen from Eastland who are listed for honor grades in public speaking.



"Mistletoe, mistletoe . . . yer last chance, madame."

SEN. WATSON DENIES PART IN DYE TARIFFS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Former Senator Republican Leader James E. Watson of Indiana told the senate munitions committee today he resented implications that he was "involved" in a campaign in 1920 to seek congressional favors for the DuPont company's dye industry.

His name was mentioned in earliest testimony relating to tariff legislation on dyes. "Nobody ever needed to urge me to be a protectionist," he said, "but no member of the DuPont family ever spoke to me about the tariff question at any time."

YOUTH ADMITS HE KILLED HIS FATHER IN ROW

SEGUIN, Texas, Dec. 21.—Emil W. Bock Jr., 17, confessed to detectives today that he killed his father, wealthy business man and farmer, with a piece of iron pipe. The youth, large for his age, said he beat his father to death in the dining-room of the palatial Bock home here because the elder Bock refused to sanction his marriage. A murder complaint was filed against Emil Bock in peace justice court here and preliminary hearing was set for tomorrow at 3 p. m. The son, 170-pound only child, told San Antonio detectives, Fred Littlepage and Homer Long, summoned hereby Sheriff A. W. Sargent, that he quarreled with his father over the youth's proposed marriage.

Man is Seriously Hurt in Crash at Strawn Thursday

Alfred Clark of Palo Pinto was seriously injured in an automobile collision about a mile north of Strawn late Thursday when the car in which he was riding collided with another machine.

Clark's injuries were described by Dr. Paul Pedigo of Strawn Thursday night as being a hemorrhage of the brain, lacerations about the scalp and neck and possible other injuries. His condition was said to be grave.

Another man, whose name was not immediately learned, suffered a broken knee cap, which was said to be in bad condition, but that the man was in no grave danger. Several other occupants of the cars received minor injuries and were given medical aid at Strawn, where all were taken after the accident.

Thieves Handy With Knives Cut Hose at 3 Eastland Stations

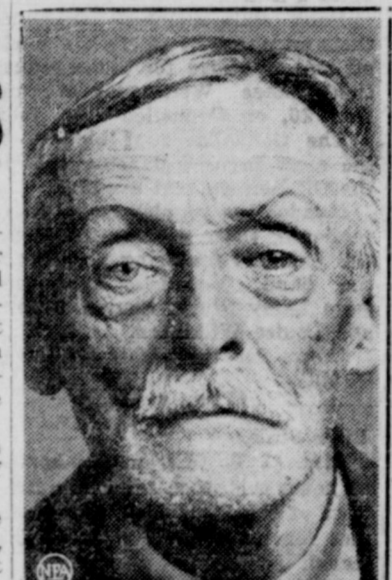
Sneak thieves Thursday night or Friday morning handy with a knife cut filling station hose at three places in the west part of Eastland, it was reported to city officials.

Places where the thieves committed their mischief and stole the hose were reported as being at the Red Top, Flower Pot and Ray Chandler's. The thieves stole the hose and water was left running at one of the stations, it was said. All the stations are located on West Commerce street. No arrests have been made.

PET DEER WORE RED PANTS

ALPENA, Mich.—"Sandy," E. J. Bouchey's pet deer, wore a pair of red pants during the recent deer hunting season to restrain hunters from taking pot shots at him. Bouchey rescued Sandy, who is now a full grown buck, from a forest fire and set a broken leg for him more than a year ago. The leg knit so well that Sandy can now run as well as his wild cousins in the forests. Although he is allowed to roam at large, he has never chosen to revert to his former life.

Wan Murderer Was Dapper Thief



Thirty years that took their toll of Albert H. Fish's youth also turned a dapper young thief into a wan old murderer. These two pictures show rogues gallery photos of Fish, held in New York as the slayer of young Grace Budd, as he appears now and when in the toils of the police in 1904 on theft charges. The bowler hat and eravat were the height of fashion in 1904.

Cisco Man Killed Accidentally By A Fellow Hunter

Larry Bartine, an employe of the Humble Pipe Line company of Cisco, was accidentally shot and killed Friday morning while duck hunting near Cisco.

Details of the accidental shooting were meagre this afternoon, though it was said that he was hunting with William C. Clough, another employe of the same company, and that he raised up in front of Clough's line of fire. The body was taken to Cisco where it was being held pending funeral arrangements.

1934 FRESHMEN LARGER

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass.—The members of the freshman class at Mount Holyoke have it all over their sisters who entered college six years ago. Statistics reveal they are taller, heavier and sturdier than the girls who entered college in 1928. Miss Class of 1938 averages 5 feet, 4.73 inches in height and weighs 124.84 pounds. Ten years ago, the average freshman was 5 feet, 3.8 inches tall and weighed 119.59 pounds.

INDIAN BATTLE AX FOUND

EASTHAM, Mass.—Believed to be more than 300 years old, an Indian battleaxe was found while dragging for scallops here. According to Cleon Crowell, an authority on Indian archeology, the well-preserved weapon was one of the finest specimens of Indian handiwork. It was recovered from the water a mile from the first Pilgrim encounter with the Indians. The ax weighed about three pounds, measured 10 inches in circumference at the shoulder and had an eight-inch blade.

OFFICERS WAIT IN COURT TO ARREST HIM

If Acquitted Deportation Proceedings Will Be Instigated.

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—While a jury argued excitedly over evidence charging Martin J. Insull with embezzling \$344,720 today, a group of police officers waited in Judge Cornelius J. Harrington's criminal courtroom to take Insull into custody for deportation in the event of his acquittal. The jury, which received the case early today, remained deadlocked at noon. It was reported the jurors stood nine to three for acquittal.

Insull, a British subject who came to this country in 1888, was extradited from Canada last spring to face the state charges of embezzlement.

County Judge Otis Miller of Anson Eastland Visitor

County Judge Otis Miller of Anson, Jones county, was among the out-of-town visitors in the 11th court of civil appeals at Eastland Friday.

The visit was relative to mandamus proceedings in a case styled C. J. Pace, administrator, vs. Otis Miller, county judge, in which assertedly the appellant endeavors to have issued a mandamus in order that the county officials may not preside in a case, in which it is averred the judge is disqualified.

Other visitors were Owen Thomas, Anson; J. L. Chandler, Stephenville; Hobart Price, Dallas; R. N. Grisham, Eastland, and A. K. Doss, Abilene.

Stabilization of Money Systems Is Being Urged

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Chancellor of Exchequer Neville Chamberlain expressed hope today that the United States government would be successful in achieving greater harmony between the dollar and the franc as a preliminary to monetary stabilization. Speaking in the house of commons the chancellor said that Great Britain must delay stabilization until "there is such a change in the price levels as might bring the dollar and franc into greater harmony with each other."

Dole Is Condemned By Administration

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The suggestion of business leaders that the dole replace work relief in caring for 18,000,000 needy was rejected today by administration spokesmen. "I don't see how anybody could have made a suggestion worse for the American people," Harry Hopkins, federal relief administration head, said.

No Paper Monday But One Will Be Issued Christmas

No issue of this paper will be printed on Monday, Dec. 24, but a Christmas edition will be published on Tuesday morning and distributed among the regular subscribers. This policy has been carried out each Christmas in order that all the employes might have Christmas Day off from their work. The issue on Christmas Day will be the regular, annual Christmas edition of the paper, which will be issued just as on previous Christmas Days.

# DESDEMONA

Special Correspondent

Mrs. I. N. Williams and Mrs. Roy Ashburn drove to Stephenville on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. John Mendenhall and her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Henry, visited L. F. Mendenhall and family at Cisco Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. Derrick and daughter, Mrs. Style McEntire, and baby, James Edward, left early Monday morning for Kilgore to visit her other daughter, Mrs. Donald Howell, and family. Mrs. Howell recently had the misfortune of having her house catch on fire.

Saturday Mrs. Derrick and her two daughters and their children will go to Bremond and visit her stepfather, Mr. McMollum, who will celebrate his eighty-fourth birthday Sunday.

Roy Ashburn, I. N. Williams, Denny Moss and Raymond Joiner returned Wednesday from Mason county, where they had spent several days hunting deer.

Alton Brown and Arch Brown were in Eastland on business Thursday.

J. T. Goodman, who lives near Stephenville, was here Thursday looking after his property.

Friday night the Desdemona Epworth league attended the district league meeting at Eastland and brought back the banner, as there are 13 members of the Desdemona league and 13 went to Eastland.

Mrs. N. Rudman and two daughters, of Eastland, visited here Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Henslee, Mrs. E. D. Lewis and Mrs. Mattie Henry shopped in Ranger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Stark visited her parents at Olden Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Nash of Breckenridge was here Thursday, paying her taxes and visiting old friends. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover enjoyed a week-end visit recently from two of their sons, Elmer Stover of Dallas and Rev. Sherrod Stover of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snead shopped at Comanche Friday.

Luther McMillan of O'Donnell and A. A. McMillan of Hermleigh were here Thursday paying their taxes and visiting old friends.

Misses Latrelle McGuire, Nell Robert and Romalee Wright returned Sunday to Stephenville after spending the week-end at their homes.

Mrs. Dewey Jones entertained Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ellis House as honoree. A large number of friends were present and gave Mrs. House a miscellaneous shower of pretty and useful gifts. Mrs. Jones was assisted in serving delicious refreshments by her mother, Mrs. S. T. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashburn drove to Fort Worth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ussery and

little daughter, of Hamlin, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitworth. Raymond Stark and Raymond Anderson of Olden visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

An unusual thing happened Saturday when W. C. Clayton, who has one of the best equipped farms in the Desdemona school district, went into the office of W. C. Bedford, school tax collector, paid his taxes and said that it was a pleasure to pay those taxes; that his three children graduated at this school and they had done well and he was proud of them and appreciated the advantages the school afforded.

# Society

Book Club to Have a Dance

Book club members announce their engagement of Horace Puckett and orchestra for the organization's dance Wednesday evening, Dec. 26, on Connelley hotel roof.

The Connelley roof bids to be the most favored dancing spot in the Oil Belt on that evening.

Besides the regular music to be rendered, there are promised special numbers featuring vocalists of the band. Vocalists announced were Larry Story, Evelyn Walker and Louise Wilkinson.

Hours for the affair are 10 p. m. till . . . . .

Bible Study

Mrs. E. T. Walton was hostess at home this week when the Bible class of the First Christian church met for the regular weekly Bible lesson.

Mrs. B. S. Dudley led the lesson an interesting one from several favored chapters of the Old Testament.

Beginning with the New Year all lessons are to be taken from the New Testament.

Members present were: Mmes. Donald Smith, N. L. Perry, B. S. Dudley, R. A. Jones, Wallace and Nath Pirkle.

"WHITE PARADE" TELLS LIFE OF YOUNG NURSES

A tribute paid to the nursing profession by the late President Theodore Roosevelt, following a siege in a hospital, provides the inspiration and theme for Jesse L. Lasky's "The White Parade," the tremendous Fox Film production, which opens Sunday at the Lyric theatre.

First film to glorify America's "young ladies in white," "The White Parade" was made at the Fox Film studios under the direction of Irving Cummings, with Loretta Young and John Boles in the leading roles.

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

PICTURES OF SILVER

By BEULAH K. HICKS

## THE CHRISTIAN HOME

(Christmas Lesson)

Luke 2:8-19; Ephesians 6:1-4

It was a "Silent Night, Holy Night" as the shepherds tended their flocks of sheep which were used in sacrifice in the temple at Jerusalem, on the same fields in which David had watched; the same fields of Boaz wherein Ruth gleaned the golden sheaves.

Suddenly the silence was broken, the heavens opened

"And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them."

They were frightened. Perhaps even the sheep were huddled and still under the shining glory

"And the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people:

"For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord."

Still the holy, radiant silence deepened as they listened to the sign that would lead them to the Christ child for whom they had been watching and waiting for so long.

"And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

The heavenly host departed. The shepherds stirred from their silent positions thinking of the Christ child who in prophecy had been called The Messiah, Saviour of Men, Lamb of God, Mighty Counselor and many other beautiful titles.

They were men of heaving hearts and never doubted their vision but hastened to Bethlehem to "see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us."

There in the little city of Bethlehem they found Mary and Joseph, and the newly born babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger.

Mary and Joseph were both of the royal house of David and had traveled from Nazareth to pay their taxes in their ancestral home city. But the city was so crowded that there was no room at the inn for them.

The shepherds were overjoyed and as all who heard them as "they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child," marveled and wondered.

But Mary, the mother, kept these sayings and "wondered them in her heart." She remembered again the visit of the angel who had told her of the coming child whose name would be called Jesus: not

clearly understanding everything but leaving it in God's hands to mold as the potter molds the clay.

The Christ Child was a human child by nature but was also divine.

"Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."

These words were spoken hundreds of years before the birth of Christ. (Isaiah 7:14).

This picture of Mary, Joseph and the Christ Child if seen by seeing eyes and hearing hearts of parents today cannot help but lift the home life to higher levels of Christian conduct.

It is only the great in heart who have contacted Christ who lived, suffered and died for the world that can rightly understand child life as Christ would have them see it.

A little child to be taught either the worldly way wherein lies selfishness or worship of self or the heavenly way of service for Christ which has the angel songs to guide them on, is a great responsibility to parents, teachers and friends.

With Christ as the head of the family, it should not be hard to teach children obedience and honor for parents but lead them joyfully to know more of Christ and His kingdom.

But bow the heart of the Friend of Friends must yearn over the poor and unprotected children who have no one to teach or care for them in their misery of cold and hunger.

Christ left His work for Christians to carry on. This holy celebration should not be spent in drunkenness and over-feasting but in thankfulness of heart and service for the Christ.

There will be many lonely children and among them may be found great men and women of the future.

If you would have a part in their lives, help carry on the office of Christ, "to comfort all that mourn; to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness."

Such a Christian will bring the peace that passeth all understanding to those who have seeing eyes and hearing hearts.

Golden Text: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men. Luke 2:14.

# THURBER

Special Correspondent

On Thursday night, Dec. 13, the Order of Eastern Star and Masons gave a joint banquet at the Masonic temple. The color scheme of red and green were used in the decorations. A regular turkey supper was served. Afterwards games of various kinds were enjoyed. There were 30 or more present and each expressed themselves as having had a delightful time.

At 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon the ladies of the Methodist church entertained the ladies of the Presbyterian church with a buffet luncheon in the home of Mrs. Ralph Wynne. After the luncheon, games and contests were enjoyed. Those present were Mrs. H. M. Brown, Mrs. Will Oyley, Mrs. Dixie Fenner, Mrs. Glen Simon, Mrs. W.

M. Brown, Mrs. Harry Warner, Mrs. Ted Botts, Mrs. Henry Lattimer, Mrs. Jim Southern of Mingus, Miss Lucy Opler, Mrs. Lyman E. Forrest, Miss Lillian Meredith, Mrs. Cicero Harris, Mrs. Bill Eyley, Mrs. C. C. Mitchell, Mrs. West, Mrs. Maggie Masters, Mrs. J. E. S. Lee, Mrs. Ben Robinson, Mrs. Franks, Mrs. M. H. Patterson, Mrs. O. E. Callaway, Mrs. Ralph Wynne.

Mrs. Sid Tackett entertained with a party at her home Saturday afternoon honoring her son, Milton Wayne's eighth birthday. The little folks played games during the afternoon, and later were served cake and hot chocolate.

Those present were Doran Foster, Ernest Dale Foster, Richard Beasley, Marguerite Henley, Velma Beasley, Anita Tackett, Marie Hammit, Larry Havens, De Roy Tackett, Mertice Hammit and Lanelle Johnson. The honoree was the recipient of lovely and useful gifts.

There will be a community Christmas tree and program at the school auditorium Monday evening, Dec. 24. Santa Claus will be there in person. Everyone is invited to be present.

Kenneth Bridges was the recipient of some lovely gifts Saturday, Dec. 15, as his friends remembered it was his twelfth birthday. Kenneth has been in bed since he broke his leg in September. He appreciated the thoughtfulness of his friends.

Cecil Cross and Douglas Conn of Strawn attended the show here Wednesday night.

Dixie Fenner Jr., Forest Black and Robert Fenner visited the Strawn skating rink Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Browning and daughter, Betty Jean, of Hannibal, were Thurber visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sharp and children were Ranger visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Masters, Mrs. Vinson, Clifford Masters, Mrs. Reuben Anderson and Louise Green were shopping in Ranger Saturday afternoon.

Wheeler Self and Mitchell Bulard attended the show in Ranger Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Fenner visited a short time with his uncle, Dixie Fenner, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fenner were on route from Eastland to Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Freeman and little son, Jimmie, of Hohertz, visited Sunday with Mr. Freeman's sister, Mrs. Frank Whitworth and family.

Dean Robert Hiatt accidentally shot one of his toes off while hunting. He was treated at the Strawn hospital and is going nicely.

Miss Velma Tackett and De Roy Tackett spent Friday and Saturday night with their aunt, Mrs. L. H. Browning and family at Hannibal.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Burnett and children from Coleman are spending a few days with Mrs. Burnett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson.

## That Reminds Me

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in the hearts for many days to come. All those who have been working on the project are elated over the wonderful co-operation they have received, and Old Santa is ready to swoop down, deliver the said gifts and be on his way. It's going to be a great night for the underprivileged children, and what a beautiful day Old Santa picked to see that it is well done.

Try a WANT-AD!

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

HOLDING A 100-POUND WEIGHT ABOVE YOUR HEAD IS NOT WORK. WORK IS DEFINED PHYSICALLY AS FORCE, PRODUCING MOTION THROUGH SPACE.



THE moon, being about one-fourth the size of the earth, is not large enough to attract an atmosphere. There is no air or water surrounding it and, since it has no weather, not the slightest change ever takes place on its surface.

NEXT: What nine words make up one-fourth of our conversation?

## DEDICATED TO DUTY



Loretta Young plays an eager and devoted young student nurse in Jesse L. Lasky's richly human screen story, "The White Parade," released by Fox Film.

## SALEM

Special Correspondent

We had a large crowd out to Sunday school Sunday. Everyone is welcome to come. We had two local preachers with us, Rev. Armstrong and Rev. McGlostin from Cisco.

Mrs. Earl Redwine spent Friday with Mrs. W. H. Sparger.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ila Redwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson and Mrs. Bud Wisdom were in Gorman Monday.

Doyle Johnson, Otto Barnes and Charlie Williams of Howard community visited Ila Redwine Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perrin visited Otto Beaver Saturday night.

T. L. Johnson was in Ranger on business Saturday.

Mrs. John White of Ranger visited her daughter, Mrs. Roy Watson, last week.

Walter Griffin has been gone to the Plains to visit his daughter, who has been for several weeks.

Mrs. John Fonville, Lee Fonville, Mrs. Zelvin Fonville and Denzil Rainey were in Ranger shopping Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Melton are the proud parents of a new baby girl, born Dec. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine and Mrs. Ila Redwine drove down to Desdemona Tuesday.

W. H. Sparger was in Gorman Wednesday. Burley and Orba Wayland of

Jakehamon visited their aunt, Mrs. Ila Redwine, Wednesday night.

There will be a Christmas tree here Friday night and a play. The title of the play is "Too Much of a Good Thing."

The Sunday school will have a Christmas tree Monday night, at which time a program and some plays will be given.

E. A. Highsmith was in Desdemona Tuesday.

Mrs. Oren Lee spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Rippeot.

Ila Redwine was in Gorman on business Monday.

Tobe Johnson and Bud Wisdom were in Desdemona Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Highsmith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hobson.

Tobe Johnson spent Sunday with Ila Redwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Alsbrook and Dovie Lee and O. B. Abels were in Ranger shopping Saturday.

They have been doing some work on the school ground this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Sparger and Marvin Sparger of Albany visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sparger, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ila Redwine spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sparger.

Mr. and Mrs. Zelvin Fonville spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rainey.

Gollie Bailey of Rotan visited W. H. Sparger this week.

Inez and Bonnie Fay Highsmith were in Ranger shopping Saturday.

Dorothy King of Alameda spent Monday night with Bartloe Cameron.

## Although 81 Years Old, Cyclone Davis Plans Hard Race

By United Press

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas.—Although 81 years old, James Harvey (Cyclone) Davis, once a national political figure, plans to run for governor and may marry.

His arrow-straight six-foot form is accentuated by slimmness and long beard, snowy as his hair. He voice that once swung political audiences from Canada to Cuba now has a strange falsetto quirk at times, but four score years have not dimmed his enthusiasm.

Cyclone Davis burst into national fame with the speed of his name, as one of the organizers of the Populist party. He ran for congress unsuccessfully as a Populist.

Later he was elected to Congress in 1914 as a Democrat. Defeated in 1916, he returned to his home here.

In his heyday, Davis was the most feared political debater of the state. He stumped Texas and states for Populism. He spoke for Prohibition from Canada to Cuba and lectured nation-wide for the Farmers' Alliance.

It was for his vigorous political attacks that he was called "Cyclone" as a nickname. When a state committee refused to put "Cyclone" on an election ballot he had a court make the name of ficial and ran under it.

Texas has had two "boy" governors elected. It has twice elected a woman governor. Now Davis thinks it is time to turn to age and wisdom. In two years he plans to run for governor.

His marriage plans are not so definite, but he wrote a friend recently asking advice on such a venture.

WANTS TRUCKS U. S. TO BE LICENSED

By United Press

CLEVELAND.—Insolvency of railroads, directly affecting almost every American citizen, is a strong possibility unless government regulation is applied to motor trucks.

John J. Cornwell, general counsel of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad warned here in a Rotary club address.

ROBBERS WORK AS QUINTET

By United Press

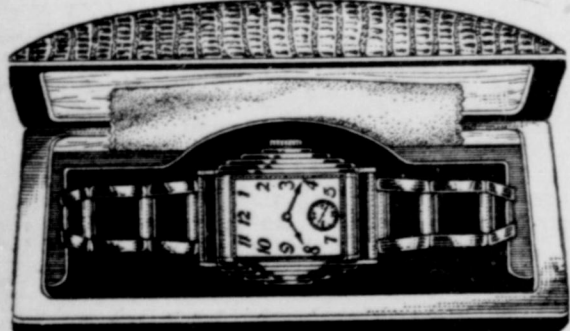
CLEVELAND.—"Put 'em up, Buddy," Sam Taseff, restaurant employe, heard an ominous voice command. He turned around to comply and saw five revolvers.

While four of the gunmen kept him covered, the fifth took \$35 from the cash register.



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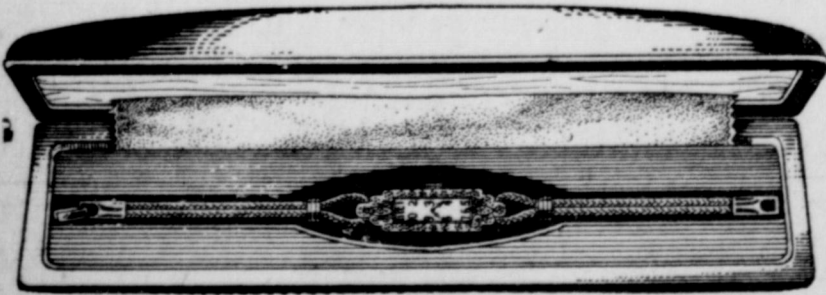


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Specials Good Friday, Saturday and Monday

# ON TEXAS FARMS

Jeter Newman and Beecher Newman of Harrison county have started a pasture demonstration. They have cut the brush, contoured the hillside and placed Bermuda grass sod on the contours. Each acre of them has seeded an acre with bur, hop, and white Dutch clovers.

Through the cooperation of his tenant, his county farm demonstration agent and his commissioner, S. L. Johnson of Leonard in Fannin county was enabled to terrace his blackland farm for \$2 per acre. The tenant said: "When the spring rains caused me to lose good seed and several days' work by having to replant, and then in the fall when my lint yield was about 80 pounds less per acre than the adjoining terraced farm, I became

interested in getting my landlord to terrace."

L. W. Watson of Cordle in Jackson county states: "In 1932 I made 120 bales of cotton at a net profit of \$120 or only \$1 per bale. This year, though I produced less cotton due to reduction, I made more money from my crop. I made a net return this year of over \$40 per bale on my cotton. "According to the farm demonstration agent, Mr. Watson keeps an accurate record of his cost of production and knows wherein his profit lies.

Five hooked mats have been made from discarded silk hose and underwear by Miss Nora Walters of Haskell county. The mats have a money value of \$7.50 and the only expense was 30 cents for dye.

These mats are used for chair cushions, covers for tables or footstools.

BAIRD—D. M. Jones of Callahan county will have fresh tomatoes for the Christmas holidays because he packed green tomatoes in dry sand and allowed them to ripen, according to Ross B. Jenkins, farm demonstration agent. Due to the late rains in the fall, Callahan county farmers had a fine crop of green tomatoes, and many inquired as to how they might preserve them for fresh use. Under the direction of the farm demonstration agent, Mr. Jones packed them in dry sand using care that no tomato touched another and leaving about half inch stem on each tomato. That was done before the first frost, and about 30 days later he exhibited some evenly ripened fruit. He says that he can easily hold the tomatoes for 60 days.

MADISONVILLE.—Gid Manning of Madison county is thor-

oughly convinced of the value of culling, dusting and feeding his flock of white leghorn hens properly, according to W. L. David, farm demonstration agent. Mr. Manning had about 300 hens which were laying 75 eggs a day. These chickens were badly infested with fleas and lice and were not getting a balanced ration. After culling his flock to 190 hens and treating them for fleas and lice, Mr. Manning put them on a balanced ration. As a result of this, he is getting 100 eggs a day from his 190 hens.

SULPHUR SPRINGS—One-third more cotton was gathered this year on terraced fields on a farm operated by I. G. Davis of Hopkins county than was gathered on adjoining fields which were un-terraced, according to S. L. Neal, farm demonstration agent. Terrace lines were run and terraces constructed on approximately 70 acres in November, 1933. The average width of the terraces was 24 feet and the height was two feet with a fall of one foot to two inches per 100 feet. Gullies from two to five feet deep were filled in and rows run with the terraces.

McKINNEY—A cutting bed 6 by 18 feet started in February, 1933, has furnished a total of 137 strong plants for use as screen and foundation plantings in the yard of Mrs. Bart Bryant of Collin county, according to Miss Helen Dunlap, home demonstration agent. Although a freeze followed the first planting of the cutting-bed, 32 cuttings were transplanted last fall as plants to screen the outbuildings. New cuttings were planted, and now Mrs. Bryant has a total of 105 living plants which will be used in foundation plantings. She plans to use waste water from the milk house to water the cutting bed by running it through subirrigation tile.

HASKELL—An investment of \$1.29 for 90 feet of concrete tile netted \$14.50 in fresh vegetables and canned products for Mrs. Paul Frierson of the Midway Home Demonstration club in Haskell county, according to Miss Peggy Taylor, home demonstration agent. In addition to using 100 pounds of fresh tomatoes, Mrs. Frierson preserved 12 quarts of soup mixture, 12 quarts of tomato juice, 4 quarts of catsup, and 12 quarts of canned tomatoes.

Spinach was grown over the tile in the early spring before the tomato plants were set out. Mrs. Frierson plants to put down 90 feet more of the tile and plant lettuce, mustard, and radishes before time to set out tomato plants.

WHEELER—In checking the list of things she had planned to can Mrs. Glen King of Wheeler county finds 25 varieties she could not get because of the drought, but she does have 165 varieties on her pantry shelves, according to Miss Viola Jones, home demonstration agent. The 84½ quarts are arranged and labeled, and her pantry also contains special shelves of food for use when unexpected company comes or in other emergencies. Sale of canned products has paid the grocery bill, paid the canning expenses, and left a bank balance of \$79.75 for other expenses.

## OAK GROVE

Special Correspondent  
Tom Bryant and son, Adrian, were business visitors in Eastland Saturday.  
We are needing more rain in this community. Stock water is getting scarce. There is plenty of moisture for plowing but nobody seems to be plowing.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe, Mrs. B. B. Poe and Miss Lucile Fir have

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## WAYLAND

Special Correspondent

The home of Claude Mae Johnson was effectively decorated to carry out the holiday motif Tuesday evening when she entertained the intermediate class of the Methodist Sunday school. The shooting of fireworks and lively games filled the evening. After the passing of a paity refreshment plate to Ima Gene Ledbetter, Jack Fambro, Leota Gray, Joyce Satterwhite, Ethel Gilbert, Weldon Head, Susie Mae Thackeron, Alton Head, Virginia Mansker, Billy Sam Fambro, Maurine Richardson, Skeeter Fambro, Claudia Mae Johnson, Byron Richardson, and their teacher, Miss Moseley, the gifts were taken from the lovely tree and distributed, while Virginia Mansker played some beautiful Christmas carols. Mr. and Mrs. Peacock were shopping in Breckenridge Wednesday. Mrs. Tom Lauderdale is visiting in Denton. Misses Pat Cooper, Elva John-

son, Lola Gray, Ethel Gilbert, Ima Gene Ledbetter, Emma Laura Tackett and Grace Helms were among those shopping in Breckenridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransdell and Miss Gentry were Ranger visitors Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sikes of Breckenridge were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foreman were in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thackeron drove to Breckenridge Tuesday.

The junior boys' and girls' basketball teams played the Parks teams last week and the girls were victorious. They will play the Oakley teams Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Tolan visited her father, Mrs. Scott, Sunday.

Mrs. Alex Fambro served the children of the primary room and Miss Moseley delicious fudge and popcorn Monday afternoon at the schoolhouse, when she honored her son, Joe, on his sixth birthday.

Mr. Ransdell's, Miss Gentry's and Miss Moseley's rooms will have

their Christmas tree together Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

## DEPRESSION HITS GRADS

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The depression has reduced the number of girls enrolled in Pennsylvania high schools as compared with boys, the department of public instruction reports. In 1926 Pennsylvania high schools graduated 18 per cent more girls than boys, while in 1934 4 per cent more boys than girls finished these schools.

A Cleveland bridge expert sues two others in New York for not recognizing his system, although he wouldn't care if they didn't recognize it in a game against them.

Co-eds in a midwestern university have been getting low grades to attract the boys, says a professor. That's not so dumb!

A Philadelphia woman has willed \$5,000 a year to the man who marries her daughter. It's a dare that can't be overlooked.

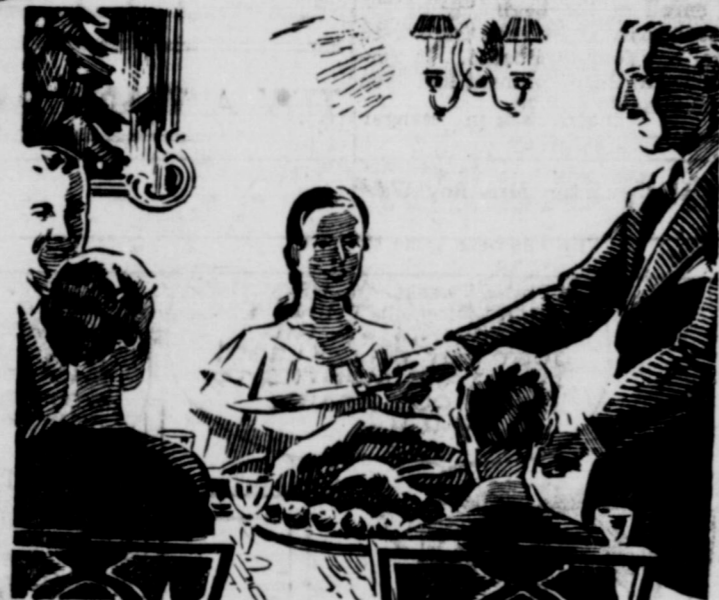
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33c

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COFFEE  
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LIME RICKEY 2 24-oz. 25c  
ORANGE SODA 2 bottles 25c

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LIBBY'S LOGANBERRY JUICE 15-oz. Cans 17c

Libby's ASPARAGUS 2 Picnic cans 27c Square cans 23c

GLOUCESTER No. 2 Cans PEAS 3 for 25c

CRYSTAL WEDDING OATS large pkg. 21c

PRUNES Size 50-60 3 lbs. 25c

BLISS 2-lb. Can COCOA 19c

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New Smyrna 2 pounds DATES 25c

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MIXED NUTS Pound 19c

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PUMPKIN 2 large cans 25c

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CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 3 cans 19c

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3-lb. box 69c JELLY BEANS 2 lbs. 25c

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Fascism and Communism Both Live on Blood of Opponents

The way the public reacts to atrocity stories seems to depend largely on where the stories come from.

Last spring a wave of horror went over the United States when the Hitler government in Germany executed some 75 men for counter-revolutionary activity.

A week or so ago a very similar thing happened in Russia. Some sort of plot—just what it was could not quite be made out, at this distance—was uncovered.

Now the odd thing about it is that hardly anybody in the United States gave the matter a second thought.

Why should that be? The actual circumstances of the Russian "blood purge"—as dictators fondly call these little exercises—were actually more revolting than those of its German counterpart.

Why should the German affair shock us when the Russian did not? Perhaps part of the answer is the fact that we long since got case-hardened, with Russia.

With Germany the case is different. Human life was supposed to be secure in that land.

We expect violence and bloodshed in Russia. We don't expect it in Germany.

Nevertheless, it is worth remembering that such bloody outrages are the only way in which a dictatorship can operate.

Flying Hazards World-Wide

When the United States army undertook to fly the air mail during that emergency period of unpleasant memory, the citizens generally were profoundly shocked.

When a bombing plane of the Royal Air Force crashed near Birmingham, England, the other day, killing three men, it brought the Royal Air Force's casualty list for the year to 32.

Such a total may not be scandalously high, but it does indicate that military aviation is an affair of abnormal risks under even the best of circumstances.

Nature's Ways Are Most Impressive

Dr. Allan R. Dafoe, the Ontario doctor who brought the famous Dionne quintuplets into the world, seems to have had an excellent time on his vacation trip to New York.

Newspaper reporters discovered that, while he was duly shown all the great sights, he found it ever so much more exciting to talk about the five little girls who have been his especial care for the last few months.

And this, after all, is quite natural. Wealth and invention may combine to rear some surprising wonders—but the miracles Mother Nature can achieve, when she sets her mind to it, make these look small.

What is an Empire State building or a skyscraper skyline compared with five babies who all arrived at once?

HELLO, SUCKER!



GOOD TIMES



HARD TIMES

Lovable

By MARY RAYMOND

BEGIN HERE TODAY ANN HOLTER, pretty 20, breaks her engagement to TONY MICKLE, commercial artist, because of his drinking.

ANN awakened early and dressed while Peter was still asleep. When he came out of his room she was sitting by a window, reading the morning newspaper.

"Why didn't you tell me?" Ann asked Peter. "I didn't want you to worry," he said.

"More money?" Peter smiled at her, but answered seriously. "Yes and no. They are being paid more than most factory workers and to raise their wages now isn't advisable from the directors' standpoint.

"Yes," Peter answered. "But this is not the way to get it. Some day he would tell Ann about Oscar's home, about the undernourished children playing in one corner of the room.

Peter had been shocked, and stirred. Something was wrong when human beings labored and struggled, yet came no nearer comfort than this.

"Why didn't you wait? The paper says it is foolhardy to begin work today."

Peter shook his head. "Any time would be bad."

ANN waited until his car was out of sight and then went to her room and put on her coat and hat. Soon she was flying along the road over which Peter's car had passed shortly before.

Every nerve was tense as she passed Kendallwood and came into the town which was almost deserted. She took the road leading to the factory, passing crowds of women along the way. Some stared at her curiously. There were ugly looks from others.

ANN's heart was pounding with excitement when she drove into the grounds and parked her car.

It was evidently at a standstill she were threatening faces, violent gestures, angry voices. Now then someone raised a voice and denunciation.

There was silence in the crowd as Peter began to speak. "Men, we're beginning our work in a few minutes. You must get to your places in the building or off the grounds."

"Hear him," a woman near Ann mocked. And the cry was taken up. "Hear him. Get out, will we? Who's to make us?"

"Oscar," he said clearly. "I'm surprised to see you there. And you, Jim Foster, and you, Dan Walters. You men who have stood shoulder to shoulder with my grandfather for so many years."

"The crowd was still, but only for a moment. 'And what did it get them, young man? What did it get them?'"

Coarse laughter, oaths, hysterical cries from women.

ANN found herself holding tightly to the arm of an old woman with a wrinkled, weatherbeaten face. The woman said, "I've known that boy since he was knee-high. He's a good sort."

A good sort. Ann pressed the thin arm gratefully. She knew how good Peter was. Just as Ann did. It was a bond between them.

Eric Olesen stepped out from the crowd and faced Peter. He was haggard. His face was covered by a beard, his eyes smoldered.

"Sure you would blame my father," he said. "You're a Kendall. All you're thinking about is more money for yourself and kin. More money to put into machines. You think we should be grateful for the wages we get."

"Yes, I think you should be grateful, Eric," Peter said. "They're better wages than most factory men draw. None of you have suffered. You have jobs, food, a shelter for yourselves and children. That's more than many men can say today."

"We don't want the new plant," yelled a man. "Put the money in our pay envelopes."

And then a cry. "Stop talking. We've had enough talking. Get back to town where you belong."

"I belong here. I'm a Kendall." During another lull, his voice came clearly. "What do you expect to gain by this? What can you gain? Nothing. The work will be gone. If you try to stop it by violence it will be started again. You can't beat organized law men. If I were killed someone else would be ready to step into my place. Some of you would be killed too. Widows, fatherless kids, some of you rotting in prison for the rest of your lives—death for others. What would you gain? Nothing. The new plant is going to be built. If you try to stop it new workers will take your places. What can you gain?"

"Accept the new plant," Peter went on. "It will make your work less difficult and not a man of you will lose his job because of the new machinery. Ask for more pay if you feel you are entitled to it. Show my grandfather that everyone who works should have more than a living wage. That you are entitled to some of the comforts and joys of life from your efforts. I'm ready to meet with you, discuss your needs, and lay your claims before my grandfather."

"You mean you will be for us, Mr. Peter?" Oscar said. "For you and for my grandfather. But I think you have a case. I'm willing to argue for you."

There was a general murmur of approval that almost drowned the scattered cries of "Turncoats, traitors!"

"One lone voice shouted. 'We know you slick rich folks. Just a lot of words. We don't want the work to begin!'"

The man stepped out of the crowd, shouting, "You are?"

"Lord love us," the old woman cried to Ann, "Listen to him! Ann was listening with tears of happiness and pride in her eyes. Peter had gone inside. Peter had won!"

The grounds cleared rapidly as workers moved toward the big buildings. Ann got into her car and drove away. When she reached home she undressed and flung herself on her bed, to cry first and then to fall into a deep, weary sleep.

When she awoke the afternoon newspapers had come. They carried the story of Peter's victory. The workers had returned to their places and work had gone forward as usual. Cool talk by young Kendall had saved the day. Plans for working out problems through arbitration with the veteran owner, his board, and a committee of workers would begin immediately. Young Kendall had stated he would personally investigate the problems of the workers.

ANN laid the paper aside. She was glowing with pride, happy, excited. Peter was her husband. She loved him, as she had never loved anyone before.

She had thought she loved Tony, had been attracted by his magnetism. But Peter was the sun, moon and stars.

(To Be Continued)

Capitol Measured To Settle Disputes

AUSTIN, Dec. 20.—So many conflicting reports have gone out about the size of the Texas state capitol that its engineering departments take accurate measurements and counts.

These show that the top of the statue on the dome is 311 feet from the grade line and 308 feet four inches above the basement floor.

The building now has 392 rooms, including 130 wood-partitioned rooms, formed since the capitol was completed in 1888. It has 924 windows and 554 doors.

TOWN PLANS CENTENNIAL

STURGEON BAY, Wis.—A centennial in honor of the coming of the first white settler to Door county in 1835, is being announced here by the Increase Clafin committee.

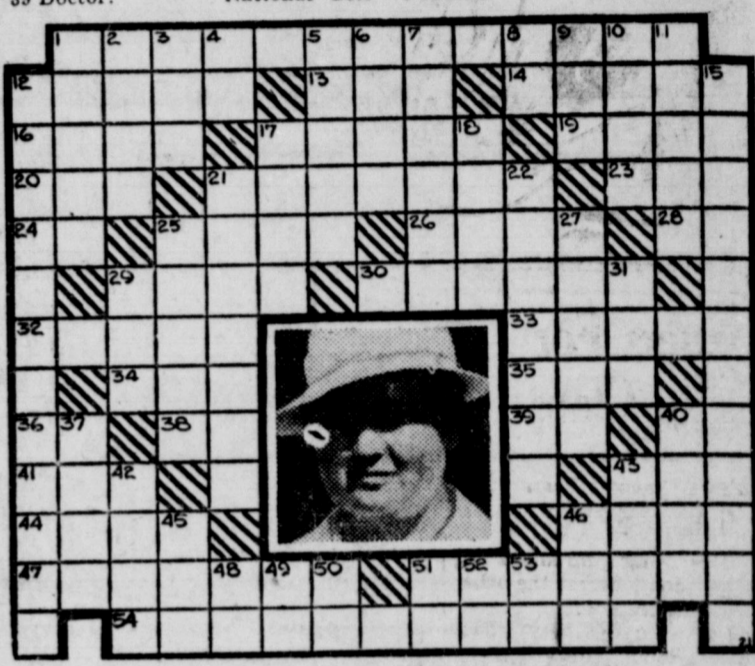
ENROLLMENT UP

CHILTON, Wis.—Wisconsin's smallest student body was increased 300 per cent in one day recently when three new students enrolled at the Hayton public school near here.

Golf Star

Answer to Previous Puzzle
HORIZONTAL
1 Who is the American golf player in the picture?
2 By what?
13 O. Zan of hearing.
14 Eye tumors.
16 Hummock.
17 Mistake.
19 Heating vessel.
20 Onager.
21 More obdurate.
23 Iniquity.
24 Myself.
25 Lunar orb.
26 To turn over.
28 Provided.
29 Present.
30 Metal tokens of office.
32 Imbecile.
33 Oat grass.
34 Three.
35 To soak flax.
36 North Dakota.
38 You.
40 South Carolina.
41 Male courtesy title.
43 Rumanian coins.
44 To harken.
46 Second-rate actors.
47 To encroach.
51 Native of Asia.
54 She was runner-up in the 1934 Women's National Golf

VERTICAL
1 To immerse.
2 Amoebas.
3 To tear stitches.
4 Upon.
5 Eret.
6 Spun wool.
7 Team of three horses.
8 Like.
9 Indian.
10 Eggs of insects.
11 Demons.
12 She played against Virginia Van Winkle for the...
15 She comes from California.
17 Stiff collar.
18 Long grass.
21 Dirtier.
22 Considerations.
25 Bogey.
27 Starting bar.
29 Moreel.
31 To harden.
37 Day.
40 Half.
42 Tense.
43 Upright shafts.
45 Stream.
46 Headgear.
48 Chaos.
49 Grain.
50 Half an em.
51 Form of "be".
52 Southeast.
53 Within.



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"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen



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SUNBURY, Pa. — Sunbury's clergy dug up an old forgotten law enacted in 1903 to stop a walkathon contest which had been under way two weeks at the Island Park pavilion.

recess, he slapped her on the back while she stood at a blackboard. Examination showed two ribs torn loose from the vertebrae. She also suffered from nervous shock.

ARTISTS HOLD EXHIBIT
MILWAUKEE.—Forty-five amateur Milwaukee artists recently organized the Men's Sketch Club, and now are holding their first exhibition at the City Club.

SLAP TORE LOOSE RIGS
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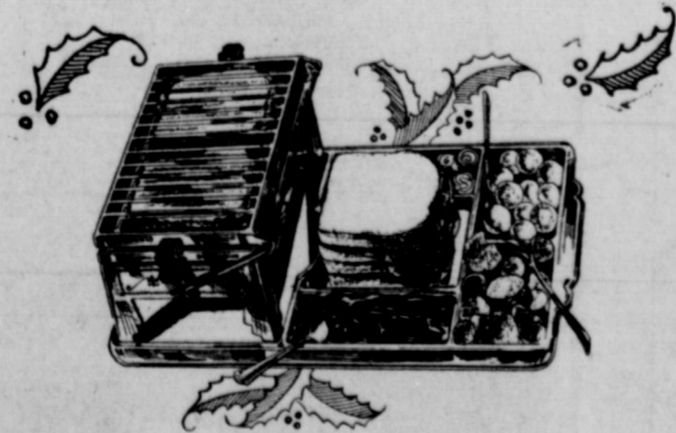
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Letters For Santa Claus

Santa Claus: Please bring electric train and a cowboy and some fireworks and a bag of chewing gum and a baggy and don't forget the other little children and orphans don't have any mother or dad—please don't forget them. Please don't forget them anything they want. Things down to the company Christmas tree. (As dictated by Charles Layton, age 5, and, Texas.

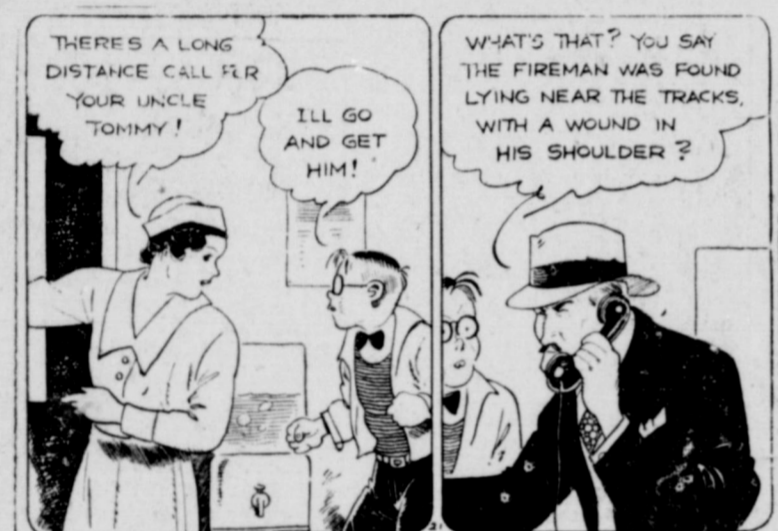
Santa Claus: I am a little four years old and for Christmas I want a pair of riding pants, please, Santa, try to find a blackboard, and would like to play volley ball and a leather ball, and a shirt to wear with pants, and anything else you can bring me. And don't forget other little boys and girls. Love, your little friend, Norville, Ranger, Texas.

Santa Claus: I am a little four years old and I would like you to visit me and bring me a purse, and a chair. Santa, you would also fill my stocking with candy, fruit, and nuts. I tried to be a nice little girl, please remember me. Your little friend, Zoma Mozelle Sneed, Bell street, Ranger, Texas.

Santa: I am a little girl four years old. I go to Young school. I would like for you to bring me a baby doll and an electric stove. Please fill my stocking with candy, fruits and nuts. Your friend, Betty Jean Sneed, Bell street, Ranger, Texas.

BAR BATTLER WILL LIVE
DULHAM, Wash.—John Huel, famed Olympic peninsula man, celebrated his 68th birthday, well-recovered from injury suffered in a hand-to-hand fight with a bear. He once carried a kitchen range 20 miles over rough trail on his back, combed because a sack of flour in his sash shifted, making balancing difficult.

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DAILY NEWSPAPER TO BE ILLUSTRATED WAS THE NEW YORK DAILY GRAPHIC, 1873

THE Chicago river tunnel at Washington street had two roadways and a footpath. Now it is used for surface traffic only. Sperry put his reading lamp plan into effect in 1896. The green lamp business now has a volume of several million dollars a year. The Daily Graphic sold for 5 cents a copy. Zinc plate etchings were used.

# Local--Eastland--Social

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**Tonight**  
Young Women's association, candy party, 6:30 p. m. assembly-room Baptist church.

**Civic league**, annual community Christmas tree, south side courthouse square. Program begins at 6:30 p. m. All children invited.

**Hi-Y club** presents play, "Cyclone Sally," 8:30 p. h., high school auditorium.

**Saturday**  
Junior organizations meets 10:30 a. m., Baptist church.

### Martha Dorcas Party

The pre-Christmas week has ushered in many beautiful affairs, given by clubs and organizations and of these, an outstanding one, the Martha Dorcas Christmas party, Wednesday afternoon, at the home of the house hostess, Mrs. M. B. Griffin, proved a social affair in harmonious Yuletide setting of red candles in white holders that illuminated the rooms, decorated gracefully in Christmas greens and lighted by shaded red and green lusters.

An immense cedar Christmas tree in a glittering dress of icicles, silver and colored lights was laden with the class members gift exchange, attractively wrapped in green or silver.

Guests were received at the door by Mrs. Mack O'Neal, president of the class and registered at a candle decorated table by Mmes. James Harkrider and Roy Stokes.

Other hostesses, Mmes. R. L. Perkins, B. O. Hartwell, W. A. Hart, Fred Hale, W. H. Mullings, E. R. Stanford, W. Van Geem, and Milton Newman, assisted in the dining-room, and in other days.

Following the informal reception the group sang the carols, "Silent Night" and "Jingle Bells," led by Mrs. Griffin.

Mrs. E. R. Stanford gave a very beautiful reading, "The Other Shepherd."

An interesting note brought each one's most outstanding Christmas of her life, forming a cheerful and timely program followed with the distribution of the Christmas gifts.

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by Mrs. R. L. Perkins, the Santa Claus.

A box of gifts from the class to their adopted family was given to the social service chairman, Mrs. D. J. Jobe, to be taken to the family on Sunday.

A candle salad plate with cheese wafers, coffee and a chocolate Santa as favors was served Mmes. W. B. Harris, D. C. Hawley, A. E. Ashley, C. L. Sylvester, Dee High, Ed T. Cox Jr., J. Atchley, D. O. Wyatt, W. A. Hart, C. J. Germany, J. F. Little, Howard Brock, W. J. Peters, O. M. White, W. E. Coleman, Ora E. Jones, D. Bera Todd, F. Roberson, R. N. Grisham, B. O. Harrell, D. J. Jobe, W. A. Martin, Frank A. Jones, and the hostesses, Misses Carrye Mitchell and several children.

### Junior Music Club

At the called meeting of the Junior Music club held in the high school auditorium, under direction of Mrs. Arthur Vaughn, 15 members brought in their gifts for the community Christmas tree, to be held this evening on the courthouse square.

Several absent members later carried their gifts to Mrs. Vaughn, who delivered them to the Chamber of Commerce.

### Book Review

The Book club of Eastland met with a gracious response in the attendance at their book review, Wednesday afternoon in assembly-room of community clubhouse, with several guests from Ranger in compliment the reader.

Mrs. Curtis Hertig, president of the club and Mrs. Loyd McEwen, received at the door, and Mrs. P. G. Russell, in a gracious introduction, presented the reader, Mrs. A. Neill, of Eastland, member of the Ranger Junior College faculty.

"The Folks," by Ruth Suckow was given entirely from memory, with illustrative passages read from the book.

The clubroom had a distinctive decoration of an immense bunch of mistletoe, with trailing red ribbons and which graced a porcelain handled basket base placed near the grand piano.

### Junior High School Choral Club

The choral club of the junior high school was entertained with a Christmas party by their sponsor, Miss Wilma Beard, a mid-week event held in the music room of the school, in a setting of mistletoe and autumn foliage decorations, lighted by a beautifully dressed Christmas tree, which carried the exchange of pretty Christmas gifts.

The informal program opened with the carol, by the club, "Silent Night," and a violin solo, by Donese Parker, with Mrs. F. O. Hunt-

er, accompanist for choral club, at the piano.

Melba Ruth Wood gave a pleasing reading, "The First Christmas," and Virginia Garrett, a timely voice solo, "The Old Spinning Wheel."

Miss Beard and Mrs. Hunter served refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, punch and candies to their guests.

### Eastland Talent Loaned to Fort Worth

Mrs. O. B. Darby returned home Wednesday from Fort Worth, where she was invited to sing in the grand oratorio, Handel's "Messiah," given in its entirety from 7 to 10:30 p. m., at the Baptist Seminary on Tuesday night, by their school of sacred music.

Mrs. Darby is the director of the choir of the Eastland Baptist church, which put on a brilliant cantata, a pre-Christmas offering at last Sunday evening's service.

### Senior Department Depression Party

Mrs. B. E. McGlamery, superintendent of the senior department of the Methodist church Sunday school, was the sponsor of a clever entertainment for the members, a "depression party," Wednesday night, in lower assembly-room of Methodist church.

No effort was made to "dress up," as everyone was in depression or hobo costume.

The decorations of autumn branches and mistletoe proved to be the only exalted touch of the peppy affair, which opened with a parade led by the chosen queen, a raggedy working girl, Maxine Coleman; and king, in hobo guise, Bob White.

The court was entertained with stunts assigned by numbers, which brought, reading the alphabet backwards; counting 100 in reverse, and nursery rhymes, illustrated with gestures.

A debate on "unemployment" was won by Miss Edith Meek, awarded the prize of a bag of turkeys.

Merry games closed the evening, finished up with popcorn, apples, and a stick of candy each, served by Miss Maifred Hale, and Mr. H. C. Davis, who assisted Mrs. McGlamery.

### Side Lights on Community Christmas Tree

A mother visited the Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday in quest of clothes for her little boys, three, five and seven years old, whom she wanted to visit the community Christmas tree tonight, but felt they could not come without something fit to wear.

The necessary garments were found for her by a committee of Civic league women working at the C. of C. rooms with the sorting of the community tree gifts.

Busy hands were classifying the hundreds of gifts for the children, putting boys in one group, girls in another, and again divided according to ages of children.

Tom Lovelace has generously given his truck for the loads of

## A Little Quarrel Over the Bride



Nat Pendleton, Chester Morris, Carole Lombard in "The Gay Bride"

When a girl faces her admirers at the altar and can't decide even then just which one is the "best man," a lot of complications are bound to result. The situation has been treated in a hilarious vein in "The Gay Bride," new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer comedy romance, which opens today at the Lyric theatre. Carole Lombard in the picture's gay bride and among the gentlemen who fall under her spell are Chester Morris, Leo Carrillo and Nat Pendleton. The plot is based on the widely-read Saturday Evening Post story, "Repeal," by Charles Francis Coe.

Christmas gifts for the tree, and Ben Hamner has given the Civic league the use of his trailer all week for the collecting of baskets of toys, boxes of fruit and candy and other materials for the tree.

A splendid personal gift was received from Wayne Caton, who at night, after his work hours were over at the power plant, made 25 toys of doll beds, little wagons, small chairs, and other novelties, manufactured on his own jig-saw; attractively painted and delivered by him to Santa's toy shop in the Chamber of Commerce, Thursday.

Two or three hundred toys made by the relief office force were placed in sacks, contributed by Grady Pipkin, and will be delivered into the homes of those for whom these gifts are intended with the name of each child on the sack.

Mrs. James Horton and Mrs. Walter I. Clark are in charge of this division of the community Christmas tree project.

Any extra toys needed will be made Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce, so H. C. Davis, secretary, told the committee in charge.

All those children to whom toys were delivered are invited to the tree tonight to receive the Civic league's contributed toys and their pretty sacks filled with fruit, nuts and candy to be given them by Santa Claus.

Every child in Eastland who won't have a Christmas tree at home, is invited to the community Christmas tree tonight, and asked to be there promptly at 6:30 o'clock and line up on the south side of the square.

### Eastland Personals

Miss Faye Hock will visit her parents in Loraine, Texas, from Friday afternoon to Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Steele Johnston of Sweetwater, a former prominent club woman of Eastland, telephoned various friends Thursday in greeting. Miss Shirley Ferrell, Jim Golden

and Mrs. N. C. Smith were in Dallas and Fort Worth Tuesday.

Jep Turner is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Tanner.

No. 14299  
Treasury Department  
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3, 1934  
Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that Eastland National Bank, in the City of Eastland, in the County of Eastland and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now therefore I, J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that Eastland National Bank, in the City of Eastland in the County of Eastland and State of Texas is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in Section 5169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 3rd day of November, 1934.  
(Seal) J. F. T. O'CONNOR,  
Comptroller of the Currency.

SHERIFF'S SALE  
THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Parker.

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable 56th district court of Galveston county, on the 3rd day of December, 1934, by J. C. Glegler, clerk of said court, upon a judgment in favor of Guaranty Building and Loan Co., for the sum of Thirty-One Hundred and Seventeen and 97/100 (\$3117.97) Dollars and cost of suit, in cause No. 49,785 in said court, styled Guaranty Building and Loan Company versus Fred D. Maxey and wife, Bryta Rose Maxey, and placed in my hands for service, I, Virge Foster,

as sheriff of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 6th day of December, 1934, levy on certain real estate situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

The following described real estate situated in the City of Eastland, Eastland county, Texas, viz: That certain lot, tract or parcel of land more particularly described as: Lot Five (5) and the south half of Lot Seven (7), Block Eleven (11), Daugherty Addition to the Town of Eastland, Eastland county, Texas, being the identical property as conveyed by Homer Breisford Jr., and wife, to Fred D. Maxey in deed of date June 1, 1928, of record in the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said Fred D. Maxey and wife, Bryta Rose Maxey, and on Tuesday, the 1st day of January, 1935, at the courthouse door of Eastland county, in the city of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., I will sell said real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Fred D. Maxey and wife, Bryta Rose Maxey, by virtue of said levy and order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Eastland Daily Telegram, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1934.

Virge Foster,  
Sheriff, Eastland County, Texas.  
By D. J. Jobe, Deputy.  
Dec. 7-14-21-28

quite interesting. They are: Horace Aylor, "Horse Collar;" Oneda Bowen, "Dude;" Dora Mae Cooper, "Door Knob;" Dorothy Davis, "Dot;" Loys Hammond, "Strawberry;" Clifton King, "Kicky;" Geraldine Means, "Gerry;" Warford Mosley, "Conceited;" G. D. Smith, "Cabb;" Jack Stuard, "Blackie;" Etherage Williamson, "Eddie."

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Smith entertained the juniors and seniors Monday night with a Christmas party. Games were played and refreshments served to the following guests: Misses Frankie Thompson, Aline Lane, Modine Miller, Margaret Briden, Mary Bell Anderson, Viva Briscoe, Nelle Waters, Gertrude Griffith, Audrey Carey, and Messrs. Otis Anderson, Wesley Poyner, Adron Baxter, Nugent Davis, Harold Smith and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Miss Nelle Waters and Miss Gertrude Griffith entertained the seventh and eighth grades with a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Mills last Thursday evening. Refreshments were served and Santa came to see those who attended. They all reported a very enjoyable evening.

The basketball boys and girls played ball at Beattie last Saturday but were defeated. We get lots of fun from playing even though we are defeated at times. Someone always has to win if a game is interesting. Our boys played Alameda teams on our home courts one day last week and won both games.

Each room teacher is quite busy working up his or her part of the

Christmas program, which given Friday afternoon, reason we bid you farewell each and every on bright, merry Christmas prosperous New Year.

Disregarding small change, a famous classic is cited, says Director Norrog, who has recently the direction of Paramount Wiggs of the Cabbage coming Tuesday to the atre, and featuring Pa in the title role and W. ZaSu Pitts, Evelyn Venable, Kent Taylor, in the pictured parts.

"In my experience," the director, "I have the public rises up, in protest if one of the ch a famous book is changed from the image formed in reading it."

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## COLONY

Special Correspondent  
Colony school will close for the Christmas holidays Friday, Dec. 21 and take up Dec. 31. We will have our school Christmas tree and program Dec. 21, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. We urge the parents to be present.

Miss Audrey Carey spent the week-end with her father, W. L. Carey, of Caddo.

Miss Lillian Aylor, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Aylor has returned to her home in Honey Grove, Texas.

Oakley school will present a Christmas program Friday night, Dec. 21. No admission charge will be made.

Just a bit of paint, a few window panes and the window screens repaired surely makes a wonderful change. Our school building is under repair in every way and is rapidly showing improvement.

Miss Dorothy Davis spent the week-end with Miss Jovce Alderson.

The sophomore class has assumed the responsibility of decorating the English room. They say: "Just wait until you see it."

People all over the world go by queer names during this day and time. The nick-names for the members of the sophomore class are

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	<b>Cowboy SHOES</b> \$6.95	<b>TAM SETS</b> 69c
	<b>OXFORDS</b> ..... \$2.25 Goodyear Welts, All Styles. CALFSKIN, all-leather, boot heels or rubber ..... \$2.95	<b>ANKLETS</b> 15c
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