

**The Weather**  
West Texas: Considerable cloudiness Sunday and Monday. Rising temperatures Sunday, continued warm Monday.  
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# THE PAMPA NEWS

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**Good Morning**  
Trample down abuses, and love those who love you.—Voltaire.



**JOE BLACKWOOD** is shown above as he plays the role of Spud Erwin in the senior class play, "Ever Since Eve," which will be staged Dec. 11 and 12 in Junior High school auditorium. The play presents the adventures, romances and troubles of high school students and is being directed by Robert Raitch. "What a Life," which was a hit production last school term, Blackwood played in the junior play last year and was one of Kenneth Garman's best dramatic students. "Ever Since Eve" is being directed by Robert Raitch, head of the high school speech and drama department, and rehearsals have been underway three weeks. Others in the cast include Frankie Lou Keesh, Phillip Silcott, Ralph Burnett, Bob Thomas, Dorothy Drescher, Maxine Smart.

## Building Totals \$25,300 In Week

Permits for five new residences, three repair jobs, and a large electrical sign were issued by the building inspector last week, total amount of the permits being \$25,300. Total permits for the year reached \$311,000. Building is continuing unabated in Pampa despite winter months. Approximately 90 per cent of the permits issued so far this year have been for new houses.

## Rabbit Makes Dog Dog-Gone Unhappy

DALLAS, Dec. 6 (AP)—Roy Eastus jammed on the brakes of his car when he saw a 10-gallon milk can rolling down an embankment directly into his path. The driver, noting the can bouncing around curiously, alighted. He saw the four feet and body of a large German shepherd dog thrashing furiously. The dog's head was wedged in the can. He howled when Eastus tried to free him. Victor Gugenheim came along and the two men applied a pair of small tinspits to no avail. At a garage 30 minutes later a mechanic chiselled away the neck of the can. The freed dog shook himself. Inside the can was the answer to why the dog got himself into such a jam in the first place. A badly maulled cotton-tail rabbit was still struggling to get away.

## Litvinoff Arrives in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Maxim Litvinoff, new Russian ambassador, arrived in the United States today with the promise that the Red army would fight on "in defense of the world," against "the enemy of humanity—Hitler." The Soviet diplomat, nearing the end of a flight carrying him three-quarters of the way around the globe, good-naturedly declined to discuss politics on anything from the clipper plane from Honolulu, but said "I am looking forward with confidence to my work in Washington."

## I HEARD . . . .

That the "gang" out at Portland Gasoline plant gave Bobby Carr a going-away present before he left for army service Friday. It was something in which he could keep his spare clothes—a gunny sack, all wrapped up and tied with pretty ribbons.

For moist, warm, circulated air, see the Estate Heatrola, Lewis Hardware.

# FDR Sends Direct Message To Emperor In Jap Crisis

## Britain Mobilizes All Far East Forces

## Funeral For Sam Anderson To Be Today

Samuel Little "Uncle Sam" Anderson, 75, died Friday night at the family home, 121 North Wynne street. Although in failing health for some time, Mr. Anderson was bedfast for less than two weeks. Mr. Anderson was born in Mayville, Arkansas. He came to Texas in 1886. He had resided in Pampa for 23 years, operating the Pampa Land company most of that time. He retired from active business a few years ago. He was known by young and old and children, young people and old people knew him as "Uncle Sam."

Mr. Anderson was a member of the Masonic lodge at Crowell where he resided before moving to Pampa. Survivors are the widow, six daughters, Mrs. W. D. Key and Mrs. R. A. Sims, both of Mobeetie, Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Kress, Mrs. L. G. Lunsford, Sundown, Miss Kate Anderson and Miss Blanche Anderson, both of Pampa, four sons, E. L. Anderson, L. H. Anderson, Ben B. Anderson and J. Harvey Anderson, all of Pampa, a sister, Mrs. Charles Elston, Lingsville, a brother, Arch Anderson, Elk City, Okla., 20 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## Have You Bought Banquet Ticket?

Have you bought your ticket to the Harvester football banquet to be held Wednesday night at 7 o'clock in the cafeteria of the new high school? If you haven't, you'd better because there are only 400 available and many more than that want to hear Coach "Dutch" Meyer of TCU speak and show pictures of the TCU-Texas game. Tickets are available from members of the arrangement committee, headed by Dr. Calvin Jones, and at all downtown drug stores. Tickets sell for \$1.

## Knox Declares Navy "Finest In World"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—Secretary Knox told President Roosevelt today that the American navy was the finest in the world but must be increased rapidly to be a match for any combination of powers. "Our aim must always be to have forces sufficient to enable us to have complete freedom of action in either ocean while retaining forces in the other ocean for effective defense of our vital security," the navy secretary said in his annual report. "Anything less than this strength is hazardous to the security of the nation and must be considered unacceptable—as long as it is within our power to produce and man the forces necessary to meet these requirements."

## Note Seen As Last Resort To Avoid War

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—President Roosevelt has dispatched a personal message to Emperor Hirohito of Japan in the midst of darkening war clouds in the Far East, it was disclosed by the State Department tonight. The President's direct message to the emperor, who is regarded as divine by the Japanese, was immediately interpreted in well-informed quarters as a reflection of his dissatisfaction with the explanation made by Premier Tojo of Japan through the Japanese envoys here as to the reason for Japanese troop concentrations in French Indo-China.

## Streets Crowded As Santa Visits Pampa

Santa Claus made his annual visit to Pampa yesterday, forerunner of his December 24 trip, and thrilled boys and girls of the Top O' Texas area as he called Christmas greetings from a truck on which he rode in the Santa Day parade, seen by a crowd that lined both sides of Cuyler street. L. H. (Jack) Johnson, president of the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of Santa Day, estimated the parade crowd as from 12,000 to 15,000. Pampa streets began filling up in earnest in the afternoon, and constant streams of cars were driven down the principal downtown thoroughfares. Many parked their cars several blocks distant from Cuyler. North Ballard, which ordinarily does not have many parked cars on Saturday afternoon, was lined with vehicles.

## Legion Toy Matinee To Be Held Saturday

A feature, Walt Disney cartoon, and chapters of two serials, are booked for the benefit Christmas Toy matinee sponsored by the local post of the American Legion, to be held from 1 to 4:30 p. m., Saturday, Dec. 13, at the LaNora theater. Hollis Keys, chairman of the committee for the matinee, today listed the rules on admission to the special show arranged in cooperation with Carl Benefield, theater manager. Children up to the age of 12 will be admitted on presentation of either a new or an old toy. If an old toy, the article must be in such a condition that it can be readily repaired; if new, its value must not be less than 10 cents.

## Martin Convicted At Perryton

PERRYTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—Mac Martin was convicted on a charge of murder today and sentenced to four years in the penitentiary in the slaying of Ernest Anderson at his home here on Sept. 13. The natural mellow finish is restored to your hat by Roberts, The Hat Man.

## Dinner To Be Held Tonight At School

A benefit Turkey dinner will be served from 5 o'clock this afternoon to 8 o'clock tonight at Holy Souls school, 800 W. Browning. The dinner is sponsored by the Altair society of Holy Souls church. General chairman of the dinner is Mrs. William Finkbeiner.

## Nazis Reveal Marriage Of Belgian King

LONDON, Dec. 6 (AP)—A report broadcast by the German radio that King Leopold III of the Belgians had married Mary Lelia Baels, daughter of a former Belgian cabinet minister, was termed by Belgians here tonight as "incredible" and "strange," but in Stockholm the sister-in-law of Leopold's late wife confirmed it. The German broadcast said the marriage of the king and Mlle. Baels on Sept. 11 would be announced in Belgian churches tomorrow in a pastoral letter by Bishop Van Roey of Belgium. The broadcast said the letter would state that children from the king's second marriage will be ineligible to succeed to the throne, that right being reserved for Leopold's two sons and one daughter by his first wife, Queen Astrid, who was killed in an automobile accident in 1935. In Stockholm, Princess Elsa Bernadotte, wife of Prince Charles, who is the brother of the late Queen Astrid, said Leopold had married a well educated, simple woman named Baels.

## Parade Ends Day

The parade, held at 4:30 yesterday afternoon, concluded the day's program. In the parade were colorful floats, and the bands of Sam Houston, Woodrow Wilson, Horace Mann, B. M. Baker, Junior High, all of Pampa, Miami High school band, flag bearers, and a "rain-bow" band. In the form of trucks, and some vehicles pulled by Shetland ponies, included Princess Mary Christmas, Old King Cole, an Eskimo igloo scene, Santa's workshop, and the Old Woman who Lived in a shoe. Keep 'Em Flying. Fourteen Characters. Characters depicted by costumed and masked participants were: Fat Man, Mike Gavin; Fat Woman, Loyd Harvey; Old King Cole, Alton Winbourne; Olive Oyl, Lane Kenner; Popeye, T. J. Crab; Betty Boop, Allen Erickson; Pinocchio, Raymond Robin. Chinese, Arnold Erickson and Dan Elson; Mickey Mouse, Bill Kenner; Joe Brown, Billy Reeves; Clown, Bert Dyson; Old Man Mose, Breck Combs; Savage, Delmer Belflower; Englishman, Maurice Lockhart; Doney Gen Grace.

## Surplus Of Roping

The Jaycees distributed more than 5,000 sacks of candy to children at 12 o'clock yesterday morning, at the intersection of Cuyler and Foster. An unused surplus of 200 yards of juniper roping, left over from street decorations, is offered for sale by the Jaycees. Prospective purchasers can obtain further information from Jim Johnson, Jaycee president. Charlie Lamka, Santa Day chairman, today thanked the Pampa fire department, schools both local and out-of-town, members of the Santa Day committees, and all other groups and individuals that helped to stage the annual welcome to Santa Claus.

## Rules For Christmas Decorations Given

If the Garden club has its way, every home in Pampa will have some sort of outdoor lighting for Christmas this year. Rules for the home decoration lighting contest to be sponsored by the Pampa Garden club from December 21 to January 1, inclusive, have been broadened to make it possible for every home to compete in one of the four classes in which prizes will be awarded, says Mrs. H. B. Landrum, chairman of the home lighting contest committee. The city will be divided into three districts as in previous years, but instead of the usual first, second, and third place awards for each district, all types of decorations competing in one class, prizes will be given for the best decorated home in each district in each of four classes, with a grand prize for the best decorated home in the city, regardless of classification. The exact amount of prizes will be announced later, but the total will be approximately \$100.

## Temperatures In Pampa

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|------------------|----|
| 6 p. m. Friday   | 40 |
| 9 p. m. Friday   | 32 |
| Midnight         | 31 |
| 6 a. m. Saturday | 30 |
| 9 a. m.          | 31 |
| 11 a. m.         | 34 |
| 1 p. m.          | 45 |
| 3 p. m.          | 54 |
| 5 p. m.          | 58 |
| 6 p. m.          | 58 |
| 8 p. m.          | 45 |
| 10 p. m.         | 35 |
| 11 p. m.         | 30 |
| Midnight         | 28 |
| Friday's Maximum | 58 |
| Friday's Minimum | 28 |



## McNally Elected Chairman Of API

R. T. McNally, superintendent of the production division of the Shell Petroleum Company, with headquarters in Pampa, was elected chairman of the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute for 1942 preceding the annual party Friday night. He succeeds Charlie Alford of Pampa. Other officers elected were A. J. Beagle, partner in the Rock Oil company, Pampa, first vice-chairman, and Earl Blackburn, vice-president of the Huber Oil corporation, Berger, second vice-chairman, Bob Huff, deputy supervisor in charge of the Pampa office of the Texas Railroad commission, was named secretary-treasurer.

## Captain Euchner Will Be Speaker At C-C Luncheon

Noel Dalton, Glen Ragsdale and Garnet Reeves returned last night from Dallas where they visited the OPM Defense train which is touring the nation familiarizing the small business men with methods of securing national defense contracts. They will make a report at the regular chamber of commerce luncheon Tuesday noon in the basement of the First Methodist church. Principal speaker will be Captain Perry Euchner of El Paso who will speak on "The Importance of Aviation as Related to National Defense." Captain Euchner, aviation recruiting officer for this section, is being brought to Pampa by the "Keep 'Em Flying" club.

## Plans Started For Annual Yule "Party"

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## Norwegians Claim Nazi Wounded Sent To Norway

TORONTO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Norwegians who arrived here recently for training in the free Norwegian armed forces said today that as many as 35 carloads of German wounded have arrived in Norway daily from the Russian front.

## Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hunter are the parents of a daughter, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces, born Saturday morning at a local hospital. She has been named Letha Sharon.

## Finnish Ships Confiscated By U. S. Navy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—The United States tonight ordered Finnish ships in American ports put under protective custody, finally and reluctantly taking the view that her one-time close international friend was now part and parcel of the Axis.

Announcement of the action was made through the Navy Department which said it had instructed the coastguard to take over Finnish merchantmen tied up in ports of this country. The order was timed to fit the hour at which Great Britain formally declared herself at war with Finland, Hungary and Rumania—one minute after midnight, British time.

Hjalmar Procopé, the Finnish minister, had called at the State Department a few hours earlier and presumably the decision was made known to him at that time. The Navy announcement listed six ships known to be in American ports at this time. While the Navy Department's announcement was restricted to the brief order to the coast guard, it was assumed the action was the result of Great Britain's formal designation of Finland as a belligerent partner of the Axis powers. The navy announcement gave this accounting of Finnish ships: Bolivia, known to be at Boston December 4; Kuutanes, and the motor vessel Salma, both of which were at New York December 5; Aavama, at Philadelphia on December 5; Agot, at Baltimore December 5; motor vessel Aurora, at Newport News December 5.

## British Navy Sinks Third German Raider

LONDON, Dec. 6 (AP)—Destruction of the German raider—the third announced within a week—was credited by the admiralty tonight to the Cruiser Dorsetshire, the British warship which fired the final, fatal torpedoes into the German battleship Bismarck.

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## 16 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Madame Za-Za, that greatest of mystics. From the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Bought her spirits new sheets. Seven baskets of sweets. And a short course in ghost town ballistics.



### Nationwide Walkout Of Welders Set

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 6 (AP)—A nationwide walkout of welders, which had its beginnings in a jurisdictional strike of 67 men on a \$40,000,000 ordinance plant, today was called for Tuesday unless there is government intervention.

At odds with the American Federation of Labor over rejection of demands for a separate union, the United Brotherhood of Welders, Cutters and Helpers announced the strike would be effective throughout the country Tuesday morning.

GOODYEAR SHOE REPAIRING can save almost any pair of shoes.

GOODYEAR SHOE SHOP D. W. SASSER One Door West of Perkins Drug

Lloyd Payne, brotherhood secretary, in announcing the executive board's decision in Washington, said 75,000 men would leave their jobs in shipyards and defense construction projects. The union claims 125,000 members.

In Los Angeles, where one small shipyard was closed and another at work on cargo vessels aggregating more than \$75,000,000 — was seriously hampered by a walkout several weeks ago, welders forecast almost immediate lockouts because of persistent refusal to pay dues in the AFL boilermakers union.

Heber James Brown of Oakland, Calif., attorney for the independent union, said President Roosevelt had been advised the brotherhood had no alternative but to strike.

The welders, who tie together sections of steel and pipe into working parts of ships and buildings, are affiliated with various unions within the AFL, among them ironworkers, steamfitters and boilermakers.

They are seeking autonomy within AFL and are opposed to what they term exorbitant work permit fees charged by the locals to which they may be attached.

### Market Briefs

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 (AP)—Stocks today found the scene a bit rough in spite of last-minute bidding for selected issues enabled the list to conclude a generally successful week with gains predominating. Further heavy tax offerings, which were fairly heavy on the week, were a factor at 519,000 shares, largest for any Saturday since last Dec. 25. The total a week ago was 420,000. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up 3 1/2 points at 335.5 and on the week showed a net advance of one full point. Of 608 stocks traded, 311 were up, 187 down and 230 unchanged.

Despite the usual precautionary lightening of commitments for the week-end, some short covering and new buying cropped up in the final half hour on the theory the market had not exhausted its rally. Ammunition. At that, many customers were restrained by persistent Far Eastern tension and the lack of confidence in the rally. Another string of optimistic earnings statements and dividends was a contributing factor in the one-stock market. Stocks did better as forecasts of higher mill operations next week were made. Growing concern, however, that there was a cloud on this industry. Motors received white rails were spotty.

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| Am. Cyan         | 14 3/8    | 14 1/2    | 14 1/2    |
| Am. Gas & El.    | 47 3/4    | 47 3/4    | 47 3/4    |
| El. Bond & Sh.   | 34 1/4    | 34 1/4    | 34 1/4    |
| Gen. Motors      | 59 3/8    | 59 3/8    | 59 3/8    |
| Greyhound        | 7 1/4     | 7 1/4     | 7 1/4     |
| Nat. Dairy       | 13 1/4    | 13 1/4    | 13 1/4    |
| Simms Pet.       | 1 1/4     | 1 1/4     | 1 1/4     |
| Southern Ry.     | 8 1/4     | 8 1/4     | 8 1/4     |
| SO Ind.          | 20 3/4    | 20 3/4    | 20 3/4    |
| SO NJ            | 45 49 1/2 | 46 1/2    | 46 1/2    |
| Texas Gulf Prod. | 2 1/4     | 2 1/4     | 2 1/4     |
| Tex. Gulf Sulph. | 4 3/4     | 4 3/4     | 4 3/4     |
| Tide Wat.        | 36 11 1/2 | 36 11 1/2 | 36 11 1/2 |
| United Carbon    | 42 1/2    | 42 1/2    | 42 1/2    |
| US Steel         | 55 5/8    | 55 1/2    | 55 1/2    |
| White Motor      | 7 15 1/2  | 15 1/2    | 15 1/2    |

### U. S. Feeds Wild Life But Not Our Own People, Says Californian

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6 (AP)—Migrations of millions of Americans because of the defense emergency have created this nation's greatest social problem. And they will create a postwar whirlpool of unemployed more dangerous to our economy than any military attack, speakers from opposite coasts agreed today.

Rep. John H. Tolah (D-Calif.) warned the California department of employment that state and federal agencies would have to meet an anticipated postwar unemployment crisis, then charged:

"There are no big men in Congress. They spend billions of dollars to save the world but do not have the brains or heart to take care of our own people."

"Congress has a standing committee on wild life that provides feeding ponds for ducks in every state, and even in Canada. But they have no feeding places for our own people who migrate from one state to another in search of a livelihood."

He is a member of a congressional committee investigating defense migration. After traveling 50,000 miles, he estimated that 25,000,000 Americans are living in states other than those in which they were born.

Jay A. Urlice of New York, executive secretary of the national board of the Y.M.C.A. and an executive committee member of the United Service organizations, asserted in an interview:

"Our western migrations in the pioneering days, or the dust bowl migration) for importance in consequences to the country."

"Industrial workers have gone to new communities or old ones that have no capacity to accommodate them. Factories are expanding, needing more men than are available. So the end is not yet."

"The problem x x x affects the whole community's life. Sewers are not sufficient. School houses are not adequate. People are living under most undesirable circumstances."

"The social and economic consequences will be a permanent change of our national scene, affecting agriculture, industry, our economies."

NICE BRUNIE!  
HICKORY, N. C. (AP)—Immediately after Worth Whitener had his picture snapped with a big black bear in the Great Smoky Mountains National park the bruin took a piece out of Whitener's leg. No, the photographer didn't get the action shot.

### No Change In Oil Production Before Jan. 1, Says Sadler

AUSTIN, Dec. 6 (AP)—There will be no change in Texas' oil production pattern before Jan. 1, Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler asserted today.

Sadler, commenting on a statement from his colleague, Ernest O. Thompson, advocating removal of shutdown days to test productive ability of wells, declared the commission would make no change in the allowable plan without notice of hearing.

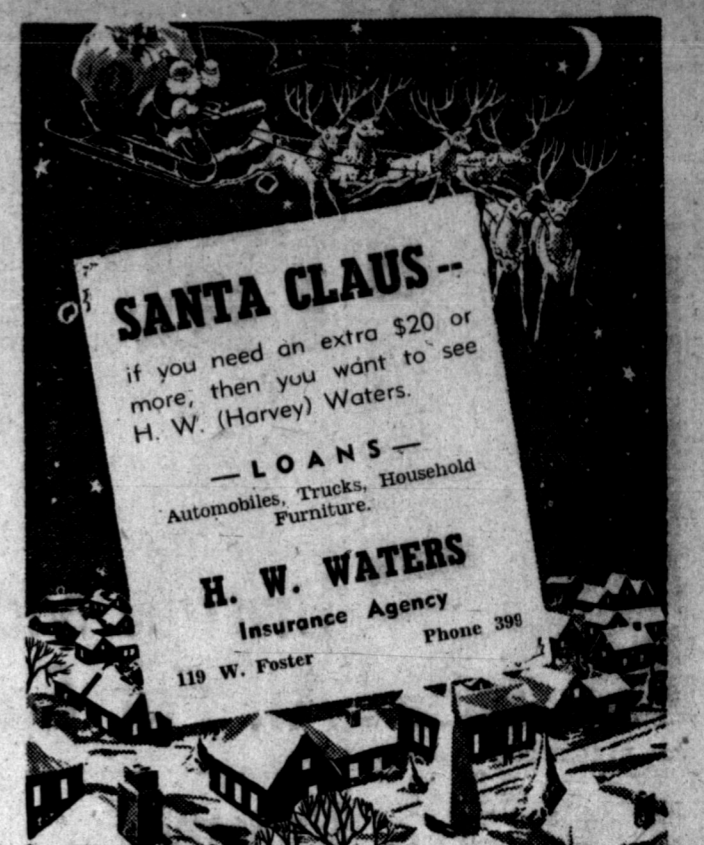
The next state-wide proration hearing will be held in Austin Dec. 15.

### Lefors Seniors To Stage 'Hodge-Podge'

Special To The NEWS  
LEFORS, Dec. 6—LeFors seniors, under the sponsorship of Miss Ila Mae Hastings and Durward Brown, will present their class "Hodge Podge," at 7:30 o'clock Monday night in the high school auditorium.

The show will include a Bergen-McCarthy impersonation, gawdy girls revue, style show, impersonations of Carmen Miranda, jitterbugs deluxe, and recitations ad lib.

Announcer of the program will be Dusty Brown. Music will be by the Senior Swing Serenaders.



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CHICAGO GRAIN  
CHICAGO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Soybean prices tumbled as much as 4 cents a bushel of one time today, and grain futures reacted largely in sympathy with the break in beans, losing fractions to a cent a bushel.

Grain futures quotations were lower despite the fact that at theseah grain tables brokers were quoting actual wheat and oats at four-year peak prices. A car of No. 2 red wheat sold at \$1.20 a bushel, 5 cents over the government loan rate. Top grades of white oats were quoted up to 6 1/2%.

Although rallying slightly from the low point due to late short covering, soybeans closed 2 1/2% cent lower than yesterday, with December at \$1.65, almost 5 cents higher than a week ago. Wheat finished \$1.21 1/2; corn 1 1/2; soybean oil 27 1/2; soybean meal 30 1/2; and lard unchanged to 10 lower.

PORT WORTH LIVESTOCK  
PORT WORTH, Dec. 6 (AP) (USDA) nominal. Top mature beef steers 11.50; cattle salable 10; calves salable 15.00; Triad good heifers 11.00; cutter cows 5.75; killing calves 10.00.

Hogs salable 300; top 10.15; packing sows 9.25 down.

Sheep salable 200; trade nominal; woolled fat lambs 10.00-10.50; woolled yearlings 9.25 and 9.50; woolled aged wethers 6.25.

### Canadian Juniors Stage Class Play

Special To The NEWS  
CANADIAN, Dec. 6—The junior class of Canadian High School presented the drama, "My One and Only While," in the high school auditorium Thursday night.

This was a three-act comedy directed by Miss Virginia Goode and Miss Georgine Henson, teachers.

The high school chorus, under direction of L. E. Cooper, music instructor in the Canadian schools, supplied music.

The junior class presented the play to make money for a fund to defray expenses of the spring banquet which the junior class gives each year honoring the seniors.

Characters in the play were represented by Norma Jean Tepe, Jane Stovall, Margaret Puckett, Dorothea Elsen, Edna Cansler, Jerry Moseley, Selma McPherson, Benny Tece, John Jennings, Harold Stevenson, J. B. Lindley, Nolan Clark, and Bill Hodges.

Selma McPherson is president of the junior class.

### Centralization Of Defense Program Attracts Support

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—A proposal to centralize administration of the defense program under a new cabinet officer attracted strong support in Congress today, with Senator Mead (D-N. Y.) declaring that some such plan must be adopted if little business is to be saved from destruction.

This plan is embodied in a bill introduced by Senator Kilgore (D-W. Va.) It calls for the establishment of a department of defense co-ordination and control, with jurisdiction over all defense purchases and over the utilization of industrial plants.

In offering the measure, Kilgore said he believed the time had come for co-ordination of the defense effort under one responsible head.

Arguing with this idea, Mead told reporters that he believed such a setup would facilitate the spreading of government contracts to smaller concerns, eliminate waste, and give non-defense industries a better chance of obtaining needed materials. "Something ought to be done, too, about these lobbyists and high pressure people who are running around Washington," the New York senator declared.

Senator Norris (Ind.-Neb.) said he favored placing a civilian in charge of the production program—one who would be concerned with keeping costs down and with spreading the contract work to all sections of the country.

Chairman Reynolds (D-N. C.) of the military affairs committee, to which the bill was referred, said he would order hearings on it soon. While not committed to the proposal, Reynolds said he was convinced that steps ought to be taken speedily to "eliminate waste, duplication and competition among government agencies" in the defense program.

But Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) said that while the objective might be praiseworthy, he felt that this was no time to overhaul the entire defense setup, despite some obvious defects in the machinery.

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### FDR SENDS

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ward toward the Gulf of Siam (Thailand). It had become apparent earlier that officials here were completely unimpressed by Tokyo's explanation of the troop concentrations.

Discussions with Japanese diplomatic representatives here were in abeyance, and when or whether they would be renewed was a matter of speculation. The Japanese have expressed a desire that they be resumed but officials here have not indicated their attitude.

Although there could be no doubt that President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull found Tokyo's explanation of Japanese military operations in French Indo-China unacceptable, neither would make any public comment.

Reports from the Orient during the day told of hostile expressions

of opinion in the Japanese press, with one paper saying that in the event of "American aggression a billion people in East Asia would become bombs" against the United States and the Dutch East Indies. There was a growing impatience at Japan's delay in replying to a memorandum given the Japanese envoys, (Kichisaburo Nomura and Saburo Kurosu), by Secretary Hull ten days ago, reaffirming American policy in the Orient and again stating America's opposition to Japanese conquest and aggression.

The explanation of troop movements in French Indo-China came in reply to a question asked later by President Roosevelt. In effect he asked how Tokyo could reconcile its peace talks in Washington with simultaneous warlike acts in the Orient.

Japan replied that its troops were in Indo-China under an agreement with the government at Vichy, France, as a precautionary move made necessary by the presence of

### BRITAIN

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became formal enemies of Britain at one minute past last midnight as London declarations of war went into effect against them for their refusal to pull out of the war against Russia. In London Scotland Yard operatives anticipated the war declaration.

Chinese forces just across the border in Yunnan province. Washington officials strongly suspect that the Japanese troop movements actually presage an invasion of Thailand, America, England, the Dutch East Indies and China, acting in concert are apparently ready to offer armed resistance in the event that the Japanese attack Thailand.

Some officials looked forward to the arrival tomorrow of Maxim Litvinoff, the new Russian ambassador, as holding possibilities of providing them with valuable information.

tions by arresting for removal to concentration camps 200 persons, including 150 Finns, made "enemy aliens" by the declarations. The new state of war between Britain and the three German satellites was not expected to change the course of present military operations but rather in effect to place these countries on the losers' side of the peace table.

On the north African desert, where a fortnight of British offensive may have aided the Russians by pulling away vital German tank and air forces, the first British effort appeared to be spent and needing reorganization before a resumption of the drive to clear the Axis forces out of Libya. The British claimed they already have taken more than 7,000 Axis prisoners there and destroyed 223 Axis planes. Germans said they captured 9,000 British and destroyed 800 tanks and destroyed or captured 134 planes.

The explosive far eastern situation was intensified further by an urgent order which brought sailors of Britain's far eastern fleet, army and airforce personnel to their battle stations literally on the run. Thousands of men left football fields, theaters and clubs to report for duty and trucks were sent to downtown Singapore to pick them up. A communique called it a normal move following complete mobilization of Straits Settlements volunteers.

The Australian Associated Press announced Australian planes, ships and men would be dispatched to protect the Netherlands East Indies in the event of war. Authoritative Melbourne sources disclosed an "eleventh hour" agreement among Australia, the United States, Britain, China and the Netherlands to meet any Japanese aggression.

Japan made no overt move but the Japanese press, accusing President Roosevelt of insincerity in Washington peace talks, said the United States had turned clearly from appeasement to an offensive attitude. Niichi Niichi said the United States was only playing for time.

Calnest Japanese voice was that of 88-year-old Count Kentaro Kaneko, member of the privy council, who urged one more try at a negotiated settlement.

The United States army was disclosed to be rushing work on strategic defense posts in Alaska.

### Mainly About People

Mr. and Mrs. Tom M. Cook have returned from Midland where they have been for the past three months.

See our beautiful line of Christmas greeting cards. With or without your name. The Pampa News. Mrs. A. E. Cook, wife of Detective Abby Cook of Bakersfield, California, visited recently with Mr. F. P. Reid, while enroute home following a three weeks visit in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Bring the family to Holy Souls school for Sunday evening meal, Turkey and all the trimmings. Adults 90c, children 30c. 5:30 to 8 p. m. Altar Society sponsors.

M. P. Bales of Albuquerque, New Mexico, has moved to Pampa to take charge of the furniture and rug department of Montgomery Ward and company. Mr. Bales, who has been with Montgomery Ward for 11 years, is replacing O. C. Brandon who has been transferred to Alamosa, Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Bales and their nine-year-old son are at home at 520 East Browning.

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A marriage license was issued here Saturday to Paul B. Barrick and Louise Miller. Rush to the Presbyterian Auxiliary Bazaar on Tuesday and Wednesday at S. W. Public Service Co.

Total of Christmas seal sales by the Gray County Tuberculosis association had reached \$469.35 Saturday.

Lost at A. P. I. dance: Costume clip, valued as keepsake. Reward, return to Pampa News.

Report of County Treasurer W. E. James for the month of November shows receipts as \$158,509.72, disbursements, \$40,985.23. Cash on hand November 1 was \$475,585.87; on December 1, \$593,730.36.

See our beautiful line of Christmas greeting cards. With or without your name. The Pampa News. Miss Margaret Stockstill left yesterday for Phoenix, Ariz., on a vacation trip. She was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Stockstill.

Enjoy fellowship and delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings at Holy Souls school, sponsored by Altar Society Sunday evening, beginning at 5:30 through 8 p. m. Adults 60c, children 30c. Mickey Ledrick, student at West Texas State college, Canyon, is spending the week-end at his home here.

C. E. McGrew attended the Lubbock-Wichita Falls game in Wichita Falls yesterday.

### Late News

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 6 (AP)—Three wild pistol shots were fired today at Arturo Alessandri, former president of Chile, by a woman who was said by police to be mentally unbalanced.

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Two stars of the Robert Lee High school football team, Jack Tubb and Lloyd Higgins, each 17, were killed last night when Tubb's automobile failed to take a curve and overturned on the San Angelo-

Robert Lee road. Another member of the squad, Jack Latham, 18, was injured critically. He is unconscious in a San Angelo hospital.

EL PASO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Dr. R. B. Housar, Jr., chairman of the Sun Bowl organization, said tonight no choice of a host team to meet Tulsa's Golden Hurricane here Jan. 1 would be forthcoming until tomorrow.

The Border conference was conducting a poll of its members to select Tulsa's football opponent. The El Paso Post said the Univer-

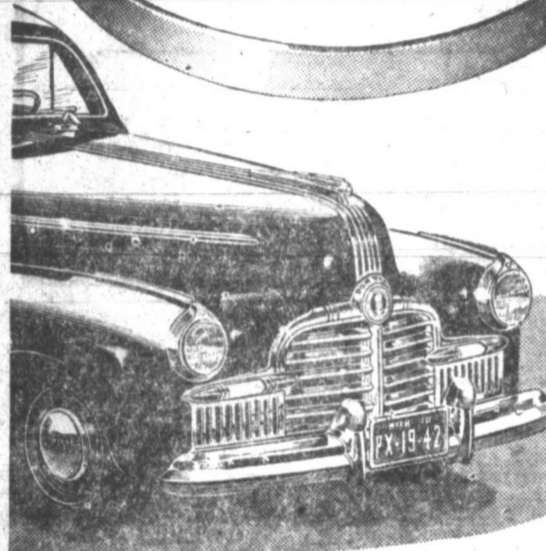
sity of Arizona, co-champion, was assumed to be the leading choice, although it lost to Utah 12-6 today.

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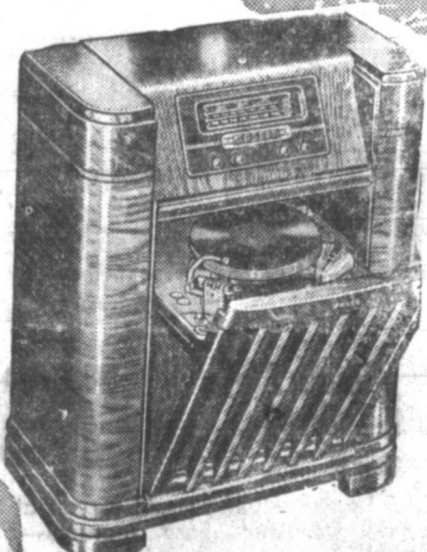
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### DECORATIONS

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decoration of doorways. The committee feels that every home in Pampa can be decorated in such a way as to be eligible to compete in one of these four groups.

In view of the fact that decorations using scenes or cut-outs in addition to lights cost more than those using only lighting, prizes for groups one and two will be slightly larger than for groups three and four.

To be eligible for a prize, installations competing must be illuminated every night between the hours of 7 and 10:30 o'clock from December 21 to January 1 inclusive. Judging will

be done sometime between these dates. Displays to be judged must be large enough to be clearly viewed from the street. Decorations will be judged on the basis of general artistic effect, originality, ingenuity in utilizing surroundings, conformity to the spirit of Christmas, and size. Rules governing the contest are as follows:

**ELIGIBILITY:** Installations competing must be illuminated every night between the hours of 7 and 10:30 o'clock from December 21 to January 1 inclusive.

**GROUPS:** Decorations will be grouped in four classes: Group 1—Displays featuring scenes or cutouts of a religious nature, including the peace theme. Group 2—Displays featuring scenes or cut-outs representing things connected with Christmas nature, such as Santas, sleighs and reindeer, snow scenes, modernistic effects, etc. Group 3—Displays using only lights or festoons to harmonize with surroundings, without the addition of scenes or cut-outs.

**DISTRICTS:** The city will be divided into three districts as follows: District 1—All houses east of Cuyler or Mary Ellen streets and north of Foster street. District 2—All houses west of Cuyler or Mary Ellen streets, east of Hobart street, and north of Foster street. District 3—All houses south of Foster street and all houses west of Hobart street.

**PRIZES:** Prizes will be awarded within each of the three districts for the home judged to be the best in each of the four groups. A grand prize will be awarded the home judged to be the best decorated in the city regardless of classification. No home will be eligible to receive more than one prize.

**JUDGING SCORE:** Decorations in each group will be rated on the following basis:

General artistic effect, 50; originality, 20; ingenuity in utilizing surroundings, 10; conformity to the spirit of Christmas, 10; and size, including proportion, 10.

Members of the contest committee, in addition to Mrs. Landrum, general chairman, are Mrs. Bob McCoy, president of the Garden club, and Mrs. O. R. Humphrey, Mrs. Glen Pool, Mrs. H. E. Schwartz, and Mrs. Hol Wagner. These women will explain the contest to the various women's clubs, civic clubs, and P. T. A.'s, handle publicity, and arrange for judges.

### Wellington Kiwanis Group Gives Program

Members of the Wellington club presented the program at an inter-club meeting of the Pampa and Wellington Kiwanis clubs, at a luncheon held here Friday noon.

Principal speaker was Charles C. Bishop, Wellington, Collingsworth county judge. A vocal solo by Frank A. Pope, accompanied at the piano by Miss Donita Lane, and a trombone solo by John Hooper, band director of Wellington High school, were other parts of the program. The other Wellington Kiwanian attending was N. C. Bush, chairman of the club's inter-club relations committee.

Raymond Allen was elected as a new director of the Pampa club. Attendance at the luncheon was 56.

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### Yule Gifts Asked For Texas Orphans

AUSTIN, Dec. 6 (AP)—Do you want to make an orphan happy this Christmas?

Well, the best way to contribute to and share in the Yuletide spirit of mother-less and father-less children in the Texas government's two homes for the homeless, in the opinion of the State Board of Control, is:

- 1) To contribute gifts to the boys and girls, and,
- 2) Arrange now—and at least be-

fore the Dec. 15 deadline—to go to the home Christmas day, get the child, take it to your home, take good care of it and return it yourself to the institution a few days later.

These kids, say Superintendents A. C. Wiebush of Waco State home and John H. Robertson of the State Orphans' home at Corsicana, have a really swell time themselves in their dormitories Christmas morning, what with Christmas trees, tinsel, toys, and gifts provided by charitable organizations and individuals.

But this year, with the strain of the national defense efforts on the coffers of benevolent societies, the happiness in the homes is threatened by a possible lack of gifts for the orphans.

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8:45—Moderators.  
9:00—Assembly of God Church—Studio.  
9:30—Jungle Jim.  
9:45—All Request Hour.  
10:00—First Baptist Church.  
10:30—Serenade of Springs.  
10:45—Interlude in Song.  
11:00—Voice in Song.  
11:15—Wilson Ames at the Console.  
11:30—Front Page Drama.  
11:45—Miraclous Melodies.  
12:00—Top Tunes of the Day.  
12:15—Father Flanagan's Boys Town.  
12:30—Songs of Herb Jeffrey.  
1:00—Masters of Music.  
1:15—Tea Time Tunes.  
1:30—The Hymn Singer.  
1:45—The Four Notes.  
1:50—Kronston Sunday Symphony.  
4:30—Pied Piper, Jr.  
5:00—Goodnight.



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### MEET YOUR PAMPA NEWS CARRIER BOY

(Editor's Note: This is the eighth in a series of 20 biographical sketches of The Pampa News carrier boys. Pictures of the boys and accompanying sketches will be published in The News daily.)

Basketball is a favorite sport of Donald's, along with football. He's on the Harvester basketball squad. Donald carries Route 8 for The News, Warren, Wynne, Hazel, and Sloan streets. He had one route before this, and has been a carrier for one year and three months. Dale Harrell carried Route 8 before Donald took it over.

Donald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rook, 528 S. Ballard. He is 15 years old, was born September 23, 1926, at Sayre, Okla.

A lawyer is what Donald wants to be when he grows up. He's a sophomore in Pampa High school, and along with basketball and football, likes to hunt and swim.

**MONDAY**  
7:00—Cousin Hal and his Kinfolks.  
7:15—News—WKY.  
7:30—Riding the Range—WKY.  
7:45—The Musical Cuckoo.  
8:30—Timely Events.  
8:45—Vocal Roundup.  
8:55—Adam and Eve—Studio.  
9:00—Sam's Club of the Air.  
9:15—What's Happening Around Pampa—Studio.  
9:30—Dance Orchestra.  
9:45—News Bulletin—Studio.  
10:00—The Woman's Page of the Air.  
10:30—The Trading Post.  
10:35—Interlude.  
10:45—News—Studio.  
11:00—Little Show.  
11:15—Novelty in Swing.  
11:30—Light of the World—WKY.  
11:45—White's School of the Air.  
12:00—Jerry Sears.  
12:15—Lum and Abner.  
12:30—News with Tex DeWeese.  
12:45—Latin Serenade.  
12:55—Marketplace—WKY.  
1:00—Let's Dance.  
1:30—Sign Off!  
1:35—Sign On!  
1:40—Melody Parade.  
1:55—Santa Speaks from Toyland.  
2:30—Trading Post.  
2:45—News with Bill Browne—Studio.  
4:00—Songs of Ken Bennett—Studio.  
6:15—The Question Mark.  
6:30—Sports Picture.  
6:45—Santa's Personal Gift Guide.  
8:00—The Sherk's Trio—Studio.  
8:15—Monitor Views the News.  
8:30—Sunshine Serenades—Studio.  
8:45—Isle of Paradise.  
9:00—Concert Under the Stars.  
9:15—Gaslight Harmonies.  
9:30—Best Band in the Land.  
9:45—Lum and Abner.  
10:00—Goodnight.

### Houston Takes Lead in Texas Building

(By The Associated Press)

Houston pushed to the lead among Texas cities with building permits for the week of \$342,730, upping its total for the year to \$18,455,006.

| City           | Week      | Year         |
|----------------|-----------|--------------|
| Houston        | \$342,730 | \$18,455,006 |
| Dallas         | 276,844   | 12,675,073   |
| Fort Worth     | 264,935   | 6,382,736    |
| Tyler          | 127,935   | 880,827      |
| Lubbock        | 88,165    | 3,573,286    |
| Amarillo       | 70,950    | 2,692,672    |
| Corpus Christi | 60,820    | 11,893,045   |
| Wichita Falls  | 54,525    | 2,331,410    |
| Austin         | 49,036    | 5,133,379    |
| Waco           | 48,736    | 3,976,159    |
| Midland        | 32,775    | 571,040      |
| Galveston      | 27,483    | 5,349,687    |
| Pampa          | 25,300    | 311,000      |
| El Paso        | 22,669    | 2,920,476    |
| Odessa         | 15,125    | 443,870      |

Best known as a textile yarn, nylon is made in other forms including monofil, used for brush bristles, a solution for insulation on wire, and as a cement.

There were 48.8 tuberculosis deaths per 100,000 of the population in Georgia during 1939.

### Woodmen And Circle Elect New Officers

Woodmen of the World Pampa Camp, No. 4023 at their last regular meeting elected the following officers to serve the Camp during the coming year: W. W. McDonald Jr., past consul commander; A. J. Taylor, Jr., consul commander; R. H. Sanford, banker; Joe C. Myers, adviser lieutenant; Jung Mulanax, escort; S. M. Enterline, inner sentinel; M. O. Armstrong, outer sentinel; G. T. Andrews, team captain; G. D. Holmes, H. F. Matlock, and H. L. Belew, auditors; Dr. H. L. Wilder, camp physician; W. W. McDonald, financial secretary.

The retiring officers are C. H. Walker, past consul commander; W. W. McDonald Jr., consul commander; S. M. Enterline, banker; D. L. Irby, adviser lieutenant; R. B. Brummett, inner sentinel; Eimer Irving, outer sentinel.

The new officers will be installed January 9th, jointly with the Woodmen Circle's elected officers, by J. R. Sims, state manager of the Woodmen of the World and Mrs. Laura V. Krebs, state manager of the Woodmen Circle.

The Woodmen Circle in regular meeting Friday night elected the following officers to serve during the coming year: Mrs. Kate Beverly, past guardian; Zelida Zoe Hobbs, guardian; Mollie McDonald, adviser; Myrtle McDonald, financial secretary; Ethel Olsen, banker; Susie Long, Louise Hallford and Lora M. Brummett, auditors; Katy Hummel, chaplain; Eliza Matlock, attendant; Isabella Enterline, asst. attendant; Lora M. Brummett, musician; Ruby Mulanax, captain; Martha M. Brummett, correspondent; Mable Clark, inner sentinel; Batty Rae Dooley, outer sentinel.

The officers elected will be installed January 9th by the State Manager Mrs. Laura V. Krebs, Austin. The installation ceremonies will be put on by the Popular Grove Drill Team of Amarillo.

### Today's War Analysis

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
Wide World War Analyst

Aside from its prestige significance as the first real Nazi military set-back of the war, the German retreat from Rostov under furious Russian counter-attacks is a major disaster for Hitler.

Unless Russian, British, American and all other students of Nazi war economy are wrong, dwindling oil reserves led Germany to attempt the Russian "crusade."

Only in lush Russian fields along the far distant Caspian Sea could Hitler find the oil essential not only to his vast war effort but to his proclaimed "new order" economy in Europe.

With Nazi forces knocking at the Rostov gate to the Caucasus and also menacing it on the flank from the Crimea, the Germans were dangerously close to their goal. Yet close students of world oil sources and supplies estimate that Hitler even then was perilously close to oil starvation of much of his war machine.

Columns of figures have been marshaled to prove the point. Among them perhaps the most impressive are from Russian sources up to the time of the Hitler turn-about against Russia. Soviet representatives dickered with the Germans over trade pacts must have learned with reasonable accuracy these points: the amount of German oil reserves; the capacity limits of Nazi synthetic fuel plants; the effect of sporadic British bombing of such plants on their output. Oil was the prime commodity the Germans sought in their pre-war dealings with their great eastern neighbor. They probably had to lay their cards on the table to get it.

And the consensus of both Russian and all other anti-Axis oil specialists now seems to be that, due to the unexpectedly terrific drain on German oil sources and reserves in the prolonged Russian campaign, Hitler is getting close to the bottom of the tank. Some authorities estimate that he can not have, even now, enough fuel to keep going on all fronts simultaneously for more than a few months longer.

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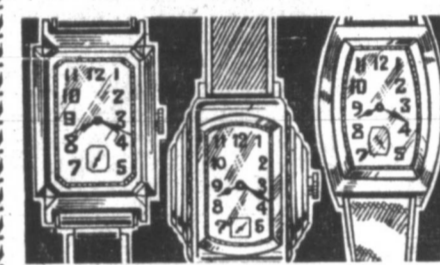


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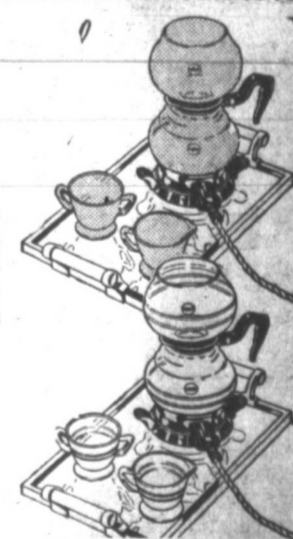


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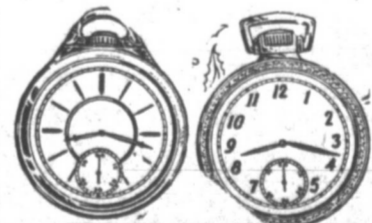


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How About Waste?

In one of his recent columns, David Lawrence pointed out a great and often overlooked danger in the government's present spending program.

"Drastic taxation—the most severe America has ever experienced—is planned," he wrote. "And yet not a word is heard about cutting out wasteful expenditures."

"If the American people submit to a tax program such as is being rightly proposed to finance defense and still permit spending-as-usual on projects that can be omitted or else postponed, it will mean that the day of reckoning will bring an economic depression in the United States far more perilous than that of 1929-33."

"Scarcely a week passes that there isn't some impetus given to projects which are being planned on a big scale which have relatively little to do with defense, but which are being dragged into the picture with defense as an excuse."

Mr. Lawrence doesn't just criticize—he points to definite places where major cuts in government spending are both possible and desirable. There is, for instance, the proposal that \$450,000,000 be spent on farm subsidy payments—a boost of \$238,000,000 over last year.

Mr. Lawrence goes to the heart of the matter when he says that only the American people can do anything about this situation. They are willing to spend any amount necessary for defense. Are they willing to make unprecedented tax and debt sacrifices merely to pay for political luxuries, for experiments in state socialism, for a bigger and bigger bureaucracy, or for any activity which is not absolutely unavoidable?

Eliminating Sacred Cows

Getting rid of "sacred cows" is revolutionizing American business. We have seen it in automobiles, railroad trains, homes, factories and merchandising.

According to Mr. Baumgartner of the Mark Hopkins hotel in San Francisco, many people go out of the large hotels to coffee shops for their meals because they can get variety and choice in foods and prices not found on the "sacred cow" menus of the hotels.

The Nation's Press

There is a dreadful antiquity in nearly every idea proposed as new in the present turmoil of war. In these repetitions people everywhere might find cause for dismay. At unteachable men forever to rule, and are deivable people always to respond to them?

The antiquity is dreadful because it confines nations within walls of tradition from which they will never escape so long as they continue to react with predictable certainty to the stimulation their ambitious or unteachable rulers know how to relect.

The United States, now getting a second knock-out dose of this, has had less experience with it, first, because it is a young nation, and second, because its founders and its wise men for over a century clearly saw the movement of the circle of cause and consequence. They indoctrinated the American people and the people respected their teaching.

The people then believed that Europe had primary interests in which this republic was not concerned and in which it should not involve itself. They believed that it would be dangerous to form foreign attachments, to adopt alien partnerships, and to take on other loyalties. They thought of their land as an asylum for people fleeing from wars and oppression. It might be found that we began to suffer from a change of policy when we stopped immigration. The psychological effect of that on America may have been greater than the economic effect on Europe.

Common Ground

By E. C. HOLLES

"I speak the plain-word principle, I give the stir of democracy. By God! I will accept nothing which cannot have their counterpart on the same terms."

THE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY QUESTION. The statement that all people should have equal opportunity has caused very great confusion leading to much unnecessary poverty. This is because "opportunity" is often construed to mean "probability of accomplishment".

Do we mean equal opportunity to pursue, or probability of securing, happiness? Equal opportunity to live, or probability of living? Equal opportunity to acquire, or probability of getting material things? Equal opportunity to gain, or probability of gaining, understanding? Equal opportunity to acquire, or probability of getting, spiritual things, or the Kingdom of Heaven within?

Most of our confusion comes from believing that equal opportunity means all individuals should have more nearly the same probability of success by having the state equalize the tools to work with—either knowledge as a tool or material tools. Of course, this kind of an equal opportunity is an impossibility. The Divine Architect never made two people with the same talents. It would have been too wasteful to give all men the same tools or the same knowledge with which to have more nearly the same probability of accomplishment, is to take away from some people their equal opportunity to pursue happiness, their equal opportunity to live and to use their initiative.

So, any attempt by the state to take wealth or service from those who have, or are more capable, to be used to assist the less efficient so he can have a greater probability of success, is to lose the most important and the real quality of opportunity for which we should strive.

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Follow money through and you will see that this is the case. Your income is taxed by the government and your buying power is reduced proportionately. The government buys airplanes with the income tax money and the manufacturer of airplanes pays most of it out as wages to his employees. Their buying power is enhanced by as much as the taxpayers' buying power is decreased.

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The alert businessman doesn't need to be told by Mr. Psychology how to get more goods. He knows that his bank will lend him the money. You don't have to be a businessman but only alert enough to have read the newspapers to know that banks are full of money, much of which has been nearly idle for more than a decade. That's why interest rates have been and still are so low. So Mr. Alert Merchant borrows the desired money, and since he is typical of hundreds of thousands, the "velocity of circulation" begins to increase.

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A Word to The Unwise—On Prices

By HALBERT P. GILLETTE, Los Angeles Times

The President is advising Congress to increase taxes greatly and at once "to prevent a further sharp increase in the cost of living and in the cost of the defense program itself."

Now he wants to keep prices down by a new scheme, namely, high taxes. One is tempted to ask why he does not apply his old theory, in reverse, and try to prevent inflation by restoring the gold dollar to its former weight.

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Behind The News In Washington

By MILTON BRONNER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Santa Claus this Christmas season will be just as jolly as ever and will have his bag just as full of coins for the kids, despite the national-defense program, the priority rulings on many raw materials, and the growing scarcity of many commodities.

But next year—sorry! His bag, like Mother Hubbard's famous cupboard will be pretty bare, for by that time the full effect of the defense program will be felt.

The reason for comparative abundance this Christmas is that the manufacturers of toys and of Christmas ornaments begin work early in the year, and in the late winter and early spring months of 1941 priorities were not bothering factory owners.

Time was when the bulk of toys for American children was imported from Europe and Japan. After the last war, a native toy industry sprang up and has been increasing ever since. For instance, taking 1939, the last year for which figures are available, the United States imported \$189,000 worth of dolls. But in America the value of dolls manufactured was \$12,529,000.

Christmas tree ornaments once came largely from Germany, Czechoslovakia, and Japan. The glittering glass balls and other ornaments were largely made by hand. One big glass company now makes by machine process as much in one year as dozens of European factories used to make. The newest thing in tree ornaments is a wide variety of plastics, and the Department of Commerce here has a Christmas tree on display completely adorned with plastics.

Next year the toy variety will be more restricted because lead and other metals will all go into defense materials. Toy makers complain that 2,400 tons of crude rubber if allowed them, would make millions of rubber toys.

BIGGEST CHRISTMAS. It is not only in Christmas toys and ornaments that the Christmas trade is booming. The same applies to almost every branch of the Christmas business. The higher percentage in dollar figures is partly due to higher prices for goods, but also applies to volume. Consumer spending for Christmas is expected to exceed all previous years, including the banner ones of 1929 and 1940.

Employment in factories making goods for national defense has swelled the national income payments to workers in the unprecedented figures. The Department of Commerce estimated the income for last September would total \$8,099,000,000. For all of 1941 it is estimated an all-time high will be attained, an increase over 1940 by one-sixth.

Federal Reserve bank figures that for the first 10 months of 1941, department store sales gained 17 per cent above the same period last year. This has been especially marked in cities where large national department stores are located, the rise being anywhere from 18 per cent in Toledo to 39 in Norfolk.

TAXES CUT SALES. There has been and probably will continue to be for the balance of the year an easing-up in sales of radios, phonographs, jewelry, perfumes, and furs, which are now heavily taxed. The ease-up is largely due to the fact that before these taxes went into effect buying was heavy.

Indications are that the supply of goods for the Christmas trade will be adequate, though the effects of the large draft of defense upon materials will be reflected in the reduced availability of some individual commodities. However, stocks for the Christmas trade are usually bought well in advance and government reports show that purchases have been made in anticipation of strong year-end business. Taking the years 1923-25 as a yardstick with inventories for department stores at 100, the inventories for September last year stood at 70, while in the same month for 1941, they stood at 92.

Government authorities refused to state what commodities would not be as available as usual. They said the published list would result in a rush to buy that would exhaust the counters, and leave nothing for more modest buyers.

WASHINGTON WET FACTS. Brandy distillers are gearing to produce ethyl alcohol, vital explosive ingredient. The domestic wine industry is stepping up the quantity of cream "knock" made from storage "bank" lees and deposits. Cream of tartar, besides fluffing up your angel-food cake, helps make smokeless powder.

Wine taxes fattened the treasury fund by \$30,000,000 last year, and that was before the new excise tax took effect. Americans guzzled an all-time high of 90,000,000 gallons of wine in 1940. In June, 1940 (beginning of the defense program), there were 3,000,000 unemployed. In August, 1941, this figure was down to 3,300,000—and still shrinking.

Who Is Under Secretary? Patton to deny that, that right? would not be the first time men have managed a business. I run a newspaper, or defied dictators or preached the Gospel behind prison bars. The owners of property or the members of a labor union alone have the right to elect the officials to run their factory or union.

The right of owners of property to manage it is itself a property right. The right to own and the right to manage stand or fall together. Therefore, the Constitution has protected these rights. They are now being set aside. They are part of the "Fifth Freedom" former President Hoover urged Americans to defend in America.

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TEX'S TOPICS

By Tex DeWeese

THE Girl Across the Way says that husbands are people who are fond of clinging gowns—the kind that cling about three years.

County Attorney Joe Gordon, speaking for Pampa's Texas U graduates, reports that it's going to be a bit uncomfortable for the local alumni to sit through the motion pictures—of that "TCU Texas game which Dutch Meyer is bringing up from Fort Worth to show at the Harvesters' football banquet Wednesday night.

Mr. Gordon says the only hope the Texas "ex" boys have for avoiding complete embarrassment lies in the fact that John Osborne, who plays "exes," is to toastmaster at the banquet.

Someone along the line during the evening, the county attorney figure, Mr. Osborne will defend the honor of Little Nell.

Then there is the girl who asked the other girl if she ever had much experience with sailors. The reply: "Oh, my yes—gobs and gobs!"

WE just read that the greatest case of misplaced confidence on record is that of the circus dog who buried a big fat, juicy bone at the foot of the main circus tent in Los Angeles, and then over his paw half off trying to dig it up when the circus played San Francisco.

P. O. Sanders is a man who takes people at their word, but because he did—Postmaster C. H. Walker may have to do some explaining to the southwestern Bell. A. T. & T. COG, et al.

Sanders was dropped into the post-office yesterday, met the postmaster in the lobby and asked to use the telephone in Mr. Walker's office. "Sure, go ahead," joked the postmaster, "and just leave the nickel on my desk."

Mr. Sanders returned to his phone booth and departed. Later Mr. Walker returned to his office. And there lay the nickel. (There is a public pay telephone in the postoffice.)

THURSDAY we expressed the hope that the McLean Tigers would make a monkey out of the crystal ball. Well, the crystal ball did all right on the first half, but from there on out the Tigers not only made a monkey out of the crystal ball they put a crack in it. They can come to the city and take the field. Floydada team, we're going to ride with them in their next game with Phillips. Phillips, you know, is tougher than a boot.

It's the team they've been saying has enough class to make up into Dixie 1-A contest. If the McLean Tigers keep on playing like they did Friday afternoon they, too, would be plenty tough for 1-A-A. We should have known better than to pick Floydada.

Sports Editor Harry Hoan's play on the Phillips-Amarillo game, you'd better pick the other—unless you don't care what happens to your money. McLean has a grand team. Crafty Coach Sewell Cox is d e s share of praise, too, for the way he tutors a football machine that uses his head.

Incidentally, that McLean-Phillips game should be played out at Harvester Stadium in Pampa, this weekend. But it won't be—for reasons best known to the Phillips coach. Pampa is the halfway mark between the two towns, and judging from the interest and the many fans who want to see the much-talked about Phillips team (because it was suggested as 1-AA material) it will require a place with the facilities and the parking capacity to handle the crowd. Add to that the interest which now attaches to the McLean team for its masterful victory over Floydada Friday and you just about have a perfect set-up insofar as schoolboy football goes. The bar doubt goes on McLean. The game will be played at Phillips.

THE crystal ball was right on that Wichita Falls-Lubbock game, just as it was right on Amarillo and Phillips-Amarillo. We still believe Pampa would have done a better job against Wichita Falls than Lubbock. Yesterday's 30 to 13 shattering of Lubbock by Wichita Falls should give Amarillo something to think about.

So the district AA football activity for 1941 folds up now—and we hope Amarillo is happy over the outcome.

Yesteryear In The News

Ten Years Ago Today. Pampa Civic Chorus, directed by E. J. Thomas, was rehearsing "The Messiah".

O. K. Gaylor suffered cuts and bruises in an automobile collision that demolished his car at the intersection of Hobart and Highway 60.

Five Years Ago Today. J. M. Collins and J. S. Wynne left for Amarillo to attend a U. S. Highway 60 association meeting.

A drive for a \$5,000 supplementary relief fund was started. The treasurer was named temporary chairman. Other members of the committee were Art Teed, Siler Paulkner, John Roby, Earl O'Keefe, Aaron Meek, Dr. K. L. Buckner, Dan Gibson, and Tex DeWeese.

under the world situation of today we are not a free people. We can only claim to be freer than are other less fortunate peoples.

Mrs. CHASE G. WOODHOUSE, Connecticut Secretary of State.

Around Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 6.—The movie colony has been doing pretty handsomely by the pleasant practice of entraining groups of service men in private homes, and Mervyn Douglas is one of the busier hosts.

Other day he telephoned the committee that arranges such things offering to feed and fete 50 of the boys. Said to send 'em around about 4 p. m., and he'd see that they got back by midnight. Also, promised the actor confidently, he'd provide dates for everyone. He was thanked and assigned 50 marines.

Maybe you know how Hollywood gals are about appointments, or if you don't, you're lucky. Anyway there was a hitch somewhere in the cutie recruiting arrangements, and only 35 showed up. Douglas didn't wait long for stragglers. He picked a couple of handsome, athletic-looking fellows from a block or so over to Beverly boulevard, took up a post on the curb and began thumbing.

There was no indiscriminate signaling, of course. Only pretty girls in cars. A few prospects got by, but most of them recognized the star (whose last job was kissing Greta Garbo) and they left him with a "well-shrieking brake. After that, it was easy. Within half an hour, 15 eminently satisfactory young things had been detoured to the home of Douglas and Helen Gaghan and were busy on the telephone, breaking dates with fiancés and regular boy friends.

YOU MEAN HEDY LAMOUR? On a San Diego board train, Dorothy Lamour was asked if she'd mind going forward a few cars to be introduced to a coach full of soldiers. She said of course she'd do it, and that she hoped the boys wouldn't mind because she didn't happen to be traveling in a sarong.

The remark seemed only to confuse the young officer who escorted her. After yelping for attention he announced her as "Dorothy Lamour" and then, thinking to correct himself, as "Hedy Lamour."

Miss Lamour wasn't flustered. "Just call me Hedy," she told the boys. And they did.

Militia outfit called the California State Guard has been recruiting hereabout, but it got little support from the film colony. Col. Lewis Stone began organizing the 1st Evacuation Regiment. This will be a transport outfit, motorized with station wagons, and charged with the job of removing people from zones of bombing or disaster. Almost every star in town seems to own a station wagon, and future evacuees can figure on being rescued in style, with a Cooper or a Gable at the wheel, and air-conditioning and a cocktail bar to help turn the retreat into a memorable excursion.

BLOCKS BOMBERS. A few weeks ago I had an account of how technical advisers of historical policies nearly go goofy trying to keep wrist watches out of scenes. All such anachronisms are a problem even for as careful a man as Cecil DeMille.

Yours ago, flimsy Cleopatra.

People You Know

By Archer Fullingim

The McLean Tigers proved they are real champions all right. Like champions they never get discouraged when they get into a bad situation. They give their all and try everything in the books, they confidently passed on the four-yard line for a touchdown and passed on the fourth down for a huge gain. Both teams fell on their extra points on the first three touchdowns. Then Floydada kicked theirs, and McLean came right back and made their extra point. This was tied 25-

25 at the beginning of the fourth quarter. That's where the comeback McLean showed for three quarters while Floydada was leading. I talked to the players in the dressing room after the game and found I was not so popular with them, but when they said "I was very nervous, and I was very nervous when I stepped the hook pushed my hat off."

The question in everybody's mind when he is around mentally unbalanced folks is "How did they get that way?" Here is the answer:

1. These unbalanced folks worried too much about tomorrow.

2. They lost their faith in God and in their fellow man and in themselves.

These two reasons in the majority of cases caused the mental breakdown. In times like these, unless the proper remedy is applied there will be an increase in the number of these inmates.

An outstanding physician gave one of our leading industrialists a remedy and he charged five thousand dollars for it; but the remedy was found good. Here it is:

First, when you find yourself down in the dumps, irritable, cross, feeling sorry for yourself, and you begin to worry about the future, repeat over and over again, "I don't care a damn! I will master the future when I get to it!"

Secondly, there is a higher power, believe it or not, that you can turn to, and without price, and receive for the asking guidance and courage to help you overcome the blackout and the blitz of the sacrificial loss.

Read again the story of Job. Who is Under Secretary? Patton to deny that, that right? would not be the first time men have managed a business. I run a newspaper, or defied dictators or preached the Gospel behind prison bars. The owners of property or the members of a labor union alone have the right to elect the officials to run their factory or union.



# COYOTES BEAT WESTERNERS; YSLETA UPSETS SWEETWATER

## Phillips, Chessher Named On All-District Eleven

Co-Captain Roland Phillips and John Chessher, Pampa Harvester tackles, were named on the District 1AA All-District team selected by coaches and sports writers. The poll was conducted by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

L. J. Halter, Charlie Boyles and Co-Captain Ralph Burnet, drew places on the second team. Lubbock dominated the All-District team with four players. Plainview was next in line with three members while Pampa and Amarillo drew two places each. Borger failed to place a boy on the district eleven. Pampa also had Edmondson, Cox and Cornett placed on the honorable mention list.

The All-District team follows: Blackwell, Lubbock, and Thomas, Plainview, ends; Phillips and Chessher, Pampa, ends; Warner, Amarillo, and McKinley, Lubbock, tackles; Butler, Lubbock, Burnet, Pampa, guards; Barry, Plainview, center; Halter, Pampa, Burson, Borger, J. Mason, Plainview and Boyles, Pampa, backs.

Honorable mention—Jolly, Amarillo; Cox, Pampa; Cornett, Pampa; ends; Carter, Borger, tackle; Edmondson, Pampa, Briggs, Borger, Malone, Plainview, and Walthall, Lubbock, backs.

Nabors and W. Mason were unanimous choices of five coaches and five sports writers. Blackwell, Phillips, Collins, Wright top heavy favorites, and others in a close race.



ROLAND PHILLIPS AND JOHN CHESSHER, Pampa Harvester tackles pictured above, were selected on the District 1AA All-District team, named by coaches and sports writers of member cities.



The pair of giant tackles were outstanding in every game played and were nearly unanimous choices for the team. Ralph Burnet, L. J. Halter and Charlie Boyles were selected on the second team.

## Arkansas Looks Too Tough For Teams In Southwest

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF (P) Feature Service  
DALLAS—When you mention basketball down here in the Southwest it's spelled A-r-k-a-n-s-a-s.

The tall Razorbacks have won eight championships and tied for another in 17 years and the signs say they'll be up there battling for the crown again come December.

They call Coach Glen Rose "Gloomy Glen" although he's had little to be sad about since Arkansas entered the Southwest conference in 1924. This time though, he has a wall coming, but you still can't count the Porkers out of the race.

Noble Robbins, big, steady forward, decided to get married and that left only four lettermen, but what guys!

Tall Timber  
Center Gordon Carpenter is 6-foot-6, forward O'Neal Adams is 6-foot-3, and Guards R. C. Pitts and Clayton Wynne each are 6-foot-4.

The defending champion Razorbacks, who swept through 12 games for a perfect season in the conference and lost to only one college team throughout the campaign, lost Fred Johnson, Adams, Center John Freiburger, and Guard Howard Hickey.

"We'll have a good ball club but we need ball hustlers like John Adams and Howard Hickey," Rose said in commenting on conference prospects. "Right now Pitts looks like the player most likely to hawk the ball all the time."

Rose predicted Rice and Southern Methodist would be as strong or stronger than Arkansas.

"The Owls' two or three individual stars and the Mustangs' abundance of fine team play men will make them tough to beat," he said.

Southern Methodist, however, can't match Arkansas when it comes to lettermen. The Mustangs had figured on four but Bryan Lloyd, star forward, joined the air corps, leaving Johnny Sebeck and Roy Bacaus, guards, and Big Hugh Welch, center. S.M.U. has come up, though, with several potential greats from junior colleges and some promising squadmen.

Rice threatens to be plenty troublesome. In fact, Rice might well be labeled the favorite with its wealth of material including towering Bob Kinney, who got all-America mention at center last season, and forward Bill Tom Cross. Both are 6-foot-6. There are seven lettermen in the Rice fold, including the 1941 captain, Placido Gomez, who missed competition last season because of a broken foot.

Texas A. & M. also has seven lettermen. Baylor has five, Texas Christian four, and Texas three.

## Wichita Falls Takes To Air For Victory

(By The Associated Press)  
Wichita Falls' Coyotes exploded the Lubbock bubble in the Texas schoolboy football race Saturday, heading eight teams into the quarter-finals of a campaign headed for Panhandle to Gulf by a swarms upris.

Lubbock, the dark horse, fell before the pass magic of the comeback kids 30-13 to push the Coyotes to the top rung of favoritism.

Adding to the already super-rare race was the 14-7 defeat of Sweetwater by little Ysleta.

Sunset of Dallas was one of the few teams to live up to predictions, the speedy Bison pushing Amon Carter Riverside of Fort Worth out 14-0.

The praying Ganders of Robert E. Lee lost their first game of the season to Lamar (Houston) 7-0 to complete the quarter-final round.

Next week-end they play like this: Wichita Falls vs. Ysleta, Highland Park vs. Ysleta, Temple vs. Tyler, and Austin vs. Lamar.

Highland Park won its bi-district game Friday by beating Paris 19-0. Temple nosed out Breckenridge 13-7. Tyler blasted Naacochies 28-7, and Austin downed favored Corpus Christi 30-12.

Only Temple and Sunset remain undefeated and untied for the year. Wichita Falls came from behind to blast the Westerners with three touchdowns and a safety in the half and to leave little doubt the Coyotes were the team to beat in the upper bracket of the schoolboy race.

Gene Hill was on the pitching end of the sensational Wichita Falls aerial attack, passing for all of the Coyote touchdowns.

Bill Blackburn and Sonny Kemble, a couple of boys with speed to burn, crushed Amon Carter Riverside's hopes of taking up where ineligible Masonic Home left off. It was through ineligibility of the Masons that Amon Carter Riverside got into the play-off. Masonic Home had been the popular choice for the state championship until that time.

Blackburn and Kemble drove over for the Sunset touchdowns and Kemble-kicked both extra points.

Ysleta came from behind to beat the favored Sweetwater Mustangs. Brown passed to Ballentine for the first touchdown and the latter converted, then after Ysleta had recovered Planagan's fumble on its 45, the Indians marched to victory with Ballentine's pass to Gates, bringing the pay-off touchdown.

Ballentine again kicked the extra point.

It is the first time Ysleta ever had been outside its district. Lamar drove 59 yards in the second period for the touchdown that brought Goose Creek to the first defeat of the season. The counter came on a pass from Raymond Borneman, the state's second highest scorer, to Floyd Ford. Borneman converted to bring his total to 164.

Goose Creek got as far as the 10-yard line in the third period but the Houston team stopped the drive. Borneman had saved a touchdown by tackling Joe Hazelwood on the two after a 42-yard sprint.

Sites and states of all quarter-final games except one have been determined.

Highland Park and Sunset will meet at Dallas Saturday, Tyler and Temple play at Temple Friday, and Austin clashes with Lamar at Austin Saturday.

## M'Lean Deflates Floydada 43-25; Phillips Get Championship Battle

HARRY E. HOARE Sports Editor, The Pampa News  
McLean, Dec. 6—McLean's mighty mites were the big Floydada Whirlwinds down to their own size and then beat them 43 to 25 in a bi-district game here Friday afternoon before 2,000 fans.

The win gave the McLean Tigers the championship of Districts 3A and 4A and the right to meet the Phillips Blackhaws, winners of Districts 1A and 2A, in a regional championship game on Saturday.

Three minutes after the opening whistle the Floydada Whirlwinds crossed the McLean goal line and from then until the final whistle the game was a parade of touchdowns.

Four times the Whirlwinds whirled to the front during the first three periods but every time the Tigers came back to tie the count. Then came the last quarter when the snapping Tigers broke loose and smothered the Whirlwind under a barrage of touchdowns.

## Class A Champs To Be Decided

(By The Associated Press)  
Regional championships will be determined this week in Class A schoolboy football, thus ending the season for this division.

Bi-district titles all were decided over the week-end.

Defeat of Grapeland's hitherto-unscored on Sandies was the high-point of the last week. Jasper tumbled the Sandies 13-6.

As a result of the bi-district round they will meet as follows for regional titles:  
Region 1—Phillips vs. McLean.  
Region 2—Brownfield vs. Ballinger.  
Region 3—Stamford vs. Comanche.  
Region 4—Handley vs. La Vega.  
Region 5—Rockwall vs. Gilmer.  
Region 6—Center vs. Gaston.  
Region 7—Jasper vs. Dayton.  
Region 8—Aldine vs. Navasota.  
Region 9—Taylor vs. Harlandale (San Antonio).  
Region 10—Hondo vs. Mission.

Except for one bi-district championship the Class B division has finished the season. Nixon and Littlefield met in the championship of Districts 3A and 4A last week.

Bi-district titlists in Class B are: Follet, Amherst, Ozona, Eden, Rochester, Belles, Lancaster, Hughes Springs, Tenaha, Frost, Lorena.

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Wortham, Round Rock, Barbers Hill, Columbus, and San Diego. The championships of Districts 5 and 6 will not be determined. The Iraan and Alpine schools could not agree on a site.

Lancaster finished with the outstanding record of the year—533 points in 11 games without allowing the opposition a score.

Barbers Hill has the greatest winning streak—21 straight. This season Barbers Hill won 11 games, scoring 455 points to 12 for the opposition. The team had not been scored on until Sealy twice crossed the goal line last night while Barbers Hill was winning 25-12.

## Football Scores

YOLLEGE  
Oregon 0-7, Texas 28-11.  
Utah 12, Arizona 6.  
Hardin-Simmons 20, Arizona State Teachers College at Temple 0-0.  
Florida A. and M. 15, Tuskegee 7.  
UCLA 1.  
Mississippi State 26, San Francisco 12.  
Ouchitua College 55, 32nd Division (Ind-Wa) 7.  
Kansas All-State 21, Fort Riley 6.  
18th Field Artillery (Fort Sill) 6, 45th Division (Camp Barkeley) 26.

HIGH SCHOOL  
Corpus Christi 12, Austin High 36.  
Frensham 10, Breckenridge 0 (bi-district 9-10-AA).  
Highland Park (Dallas) 19, Paris 0 (bi-district 11-AA).  
Tyler 28, Naacochies 7 (championship of district 11-AA).  
Lamar (Houston) 7, Goose Creek 0.  
Sweetwater 7, Ysleta 14.  
Sunset 14, Temple 14.  
Amon Carter Riverside of Fort Worth 0.

## Buffaloes Defeat New Mexico 111-22

SUNDOWN, N. M., Dec. 6 (AP)—The West Texas State basketball team swarmed over its hapless Eastern New Mexico opponents tonight, 111 to 22.  
Charles Halbert led the Buffalo scoring with 30 points.

a good chance of climbing into the first division. We need infield help and we need one really good pitcher. We have a lot of average pitchers, but we need one that can win 20 games for us, Catcher Harry Daning, by the way, is going to stay with us.

"Hank Leiber (just obtained from the Chicago Cubs) should help our outfield. He not a thorough going-over at Mayo Clinic and they say he is completely recovered from his injury of last year. We won't know for a couple more weeks whether we are going to lose First Baseman Babe Young in the draft."

Mel said he felt almost certain he would complete a deal with Brooklyn during the Chicago confab, and the way he said "Babe Phelps is a mighty fine hitter" convinced his listeners that the Dodger catcher would be in the Giants' livery next year.

More than 800 types of alloy steel have been developed by steel research workers.

The Tiger eleven worked as one man, the bigger boys helping the little fellows, especially in the line, where a 135-pound guard had to wrestle a 280-pound tackle. And the little fellow left the game battered but unbowed while the big Whirlwind was staggering.

Rushing Leads Floydada  
Picking an outstanding player on the McLean team would be impossible, but not so on the Whirlwind eleven. The whole Floydada team was built around a 160-pound fullback named Joe Rushing and he lived up to his name. The one-man blitzkrieg carried the ball on 30 of the 40 ground plays run by the Whirlwinds and he flipped 10 of 13 passes and was on the receiving end of one. Rushing had to be blocked and on three passes his ace receiver was End Sparks, who took two of Rushing's heaves for touchdowns. Rushing plowed for the other three.

Joe Cook was the spearhead of the Tiger attack with John Kelley yards on six completed passes. Floydada made 206 yards on the ground and 135 yards on five completed passes. McLean drew 16 yards in penalties and Floydada 33 yards.

Neither team displayed a defense that could stop the other, especially in the air. The Tigers threw 12 passes, completing six, with five incomplete and one intercepted. On the other hand the Whirlwinds threw 13 passes, completing five and having six fall incomplete with two being intercepted.

Pressure of weight broke the Floydada drive on the 15-yard line. The secondary had to stop Rushing's drives but when their goal line was threatened the Tiger forward wall dug in and made several sensational stands. The play of Jones, Roth, and Batson was particularly bright.

Both Teams Gamble  
Baxter, 200-pound tackle, was an offensive star but defensively he was checkmated by McLean's mid-guard who alternated against him. Patterson, big end, who was seriously injured, Fawver, and Sparks were defensive standouts.

Both teams gambled for breaks with each getting one while two touchdowns were set up when one of Cook's passes from behind his goal line was intercepted on the 15 after they had stopped a touchdown drive on the 15-yard line. On the first play after the interception Rushing passed to Sparks in the end zone. The try for extra point was wide and Floydada led 6 to 0.

McLean took the Whirlwind kick-off on the 30 and marched 30 yards for a touchdown in five plays, which included three passes, the last from Cook to Lee good for 47 yards. The McLean try for extra point was wide and the score was tied.

Then it was Floydada's turn to take the ball so the Whirlwinds marched the kick-off to the 40, gained five times on the ground, switched to rushing on the 1-yard line from where Rushing went over. The score: Whirlwinds 12, McLean 6.

Cook Goes 85 Yards  
McLean took the Whirlwind kick-off to the 27 and then lost 15 yards on two attempted laterals. With their backs to the wall the Tigers gambled, and won. Dyer taking over the passing job and Cook the receiving. Cook taking a 25-yard heave from Dyer and then making the rest of the 85 yards for a touchdown. Cook did a beautiful job of sidestepping on the jaunt. The try for extra point was wide leaving the score 12-12.

Without losing the ball after the kickoff, Floydada scored again when Rutledge carried six times for a

total of 55 yards and a touchdown. Once more the try for point was wide and the score stood 18 to 12, Floydada.

All that happened in the first half. Between halves bands from Floydada, Clarendon, Shamrock, Kellerville, and McLean entertained the large crowd.

Tired of being behind, the Tigers opened a devastating ground attack in the third quarter and with every man in the backfield jugging the ball, roared to a touchdown with Dwight making the last yard to tie the score at 18-18 as the extra point went wide.

Two line plays by Rushing and Rutledge put the ball on the McLean 28-yard line from where Rushing passed to Sparks for a touchdown. This time Rushing added the extra point to make the score 25 to 18.

Tigers Start Roaring  
On a fourth down and 10 to go, Floydada gambled and ran the ball but McLean killed the threat and took over on the midfield stripe. Cook flipped an 18-yard pass to Lee and then Lee flitted around left end to score. This time Cook also added the extra point and again the score was tied.

Inspired by their power to come from behind, McLean started to function like a well-oiled machine. Lee intercepted a Rushing pass on his 35-yard line. Dyer passed 59 yards from the goal line which they crossed again when Cook plunked over. Cook attempted a drop kick but it went wide. That put the Tigers out in front 37 to 25.

Not satisfied to let up their drive, the Tigers scored with two minutes to play when Dyer made the last yards of a 50-yard drive which started with a pass interception.

At that point in the game Floydada's Rushing was injured and left the game, the first time he had received an injury in three years. Floydada rushed to the McLean 20-yard stripe at the final gun.

Starting lineup:  
McLean—Batson and J. Lisman, ends; P. Lisman and Roth, tackles; Boyd, and J. Hill, guards; Jones, center; Cook, quarter; Lee and Dyer, halves; Dwight, full.  
Floydada—Patterson and Sparks, ends; Baxter and Tyler, tackles; Warren and Fawver, guards; Boteler, center; Rutledge, quarter; Morrison and Loran, halves; Rushing, full.  
Officials—Hinger of Pampa, Brown of LeFors, and Douglas of Claude

## Aggies Victims When Thieves Loot Rooms

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 6 (AP)—Most of the players on the Texas A. & M. football team were robbed of valuables left behind in their hotel rooms today while they were playing Washington State college.

Sums of money from \$5 to \$35 each were taken from the boys' trunks along with watches, wallets, and other personal effects. A team spokesman said about \$200 was stolen.

The thief or thieves made a systematic prowling of the players' rooms in one of the city's leading hotels. The police department started an immediate investigation.

## WANTED: Boys for Pampa News Routes. Must be 14 years of age or over. Apply at Pampa News office at once.

Advertisement for Christmas Savings Club with a picture of Santa Claus. Text: "Join Now! EVERYWHERE December 1941 Christmas Savings Club Smart You DOLLARS Extra Christmas Santa Claus PAY TO THE ORDER OF 10851H"

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Table showing gift amounts and corresponding weekly savings amounts. Columns: Amt. paid each week, Amt rec'd 1 yr. later.

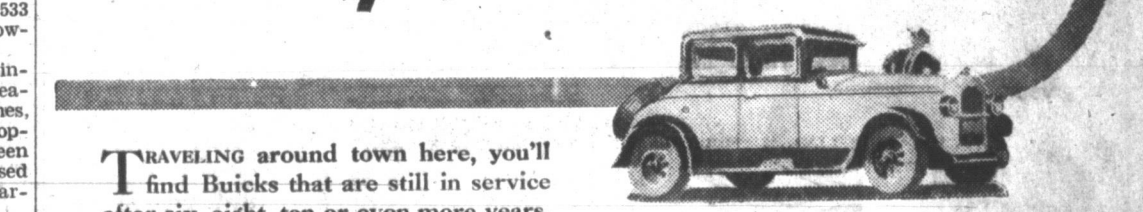
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You'll never miss the amount you put away each week and it'll be just like someone giving you money for gifts.

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To Be Paid You Two Weeks Before Christmas  
Citizens Bank And TRUST CO.  
"The Friendly Bank — With The Friendly Service"

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORP.

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TRAVELING around town here, you'll find Buicks that are still in service after six, eight, ten or even more years.

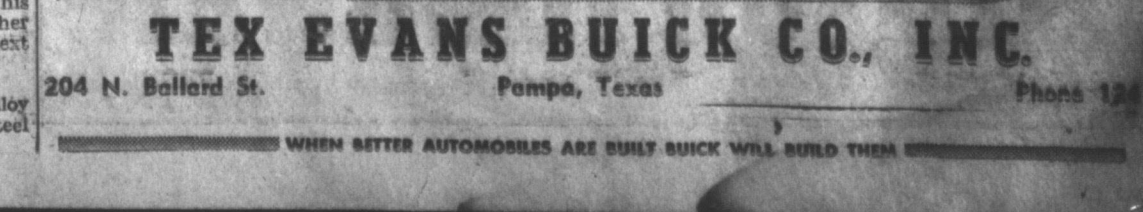
It's worth noting that these sturdy old Buicks are still serving faithfully and well, for several reasons.

They have the same basic type of engine as the sleek 1942 Buick — a rugged, long-lived, extra-efficient valve-in-head, though it is now made better by FIREBALL combustion.

There's more comfort, more convenience, more beauty, more value in these '42 models.

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Frames are fundamentally the same now as then; brakes, though hydraulic now, use the same, efficient, self-energizing action.



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### Arizona Bows To Utah University

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 6 (AP)—The best team of the Big Seven was too good for the co-champion of the Border conference today as Utah defeated Arizona 12 to 6 in a well-played game witnessed by 8,000 spectators.

Utah scored a touchdown in the first quarter, Peterson plunging over after Spector dashed 60 yards to the Arizona 5. This advantage stood up until the fourth quarter was more than half gone. With six and one-half minutes to play, Arizona's passing clicked, taking the ball on the Utah 40 after a punt. Ruman passed to Matulis on the Redskins 5, and threw another to Matulis, who scored. Gay Adelit, Utah left half, blocked Irish's conversion attempt, and it was 8-6.

With three minutes to play, Utah applied the clincher. White replaced Spector at right half and made a first down on the Arizona 18, then added eight on the next play. Spector bucked to the seven, and then White scored the touchdown. The conversion attempt was blocked.

Arizona gained a measure of consolation when Henry Stanton, stellar end, established a new national pass-catching record by snagging nine today to bring his season's total to 50. The old mark was 47, made by Benton of Arkansas in 1937.

### Trustees Favor Change In Hog Coaching Setup

EL DORADO, Ark., Dec. 6 (AP)—Chairman J. G. Ragsdale announced tonight that a majority of the nine trustees of the University of Arkansas favored a change in the coaching staff at the school and that the trustees would meet within two weeks to seek a settlement of Head Coach Fred C. Thomsen's unexpired \$6,000 a year contract.

Acting in response to what he said were requests from alumni for replacement of Thomsen, Ragsdale announced that he would lead a committee to study the situation.

Ragsdale asserted no determination as to Thomsen's possible successor had been made. Mentioned in connection with the prospective change have been Milam Creighton, Hot Springs high school coach; Paul "Bear" Bryant, Vanderbilt university assistant coach; Bill Walton, Ouachita college coach; John Tucker, Arkansas Tech coach; Tom Murphy, former Henderson teachers coach; and Joe Diddy, Blytheville high school coach.

## Texas, Rice And Aggies Win Closing 1941 Games

**BY ARY NEUMANN**  
**AUSTIN, Dec. 6 (AP)—**The team called Texas' greatest in history reached the end of the gridiron trail today with a smashing 71 to 7 victory over the University of Oregon.

Crushing the heavier Pacific coast conference team at every turn, the Texans' scoring almost at will, used three full teams to demolish the Webfoots.

The Longhorn first stringers, headed by Pete Layden, Jack Crain, Malcolm Kutner, et al, were accorded a tremendous ovation when they left the field for the last time.

About the only weapon used with any effect by Oregon was passing, and a tricky hand-off reverse play by which it managed its only score. This touchdown came in the second period when, catching the Steers flatfooted, Halfback James Stewart handed the ball to Curt Meacham, who chased wide for eight yards and the marker. Newquist booted the point.

Devastating blocking and raging line play on the part of the Steers featured the contest which bowed out 16 Texas seniors. The game under a bright sun and before 20,000 spectators.

The Longhorns' first touchdown came after a 71-yard march, Halfback Jack Crain, who turned in one of the greatest performances in his career, chasing over from the one. Fullback Pete Layden and Halfback Noble Doss also carried the ball in the campaign.

Layden hurled one to Kutner for 20 yards and the Steers' second marker while Doss, on a beautiful 38-yard gallop which carried him through most of the Webfoot eleven, tallied the third.

The Oregon score culminated a 31-yard drive, Meacham crashing to a first down, then passing to Tony Crish. A penalty placed the ball on the Texas 27 from where Meacham aeriaded to Newquist who was nailed on the eight from where Meacham scored.

Texas scored again when Guard Jack Freeman recovered Meacham's fumble on the Oregon 10. Spec Sanders of the Steer second team crashed through for five and Ken Matthews added four. Sanders ripped around end for the tally.

The Oregon team managed four points on safeties by blocking Webfoot punts which rolled out of the end zone. One of these occurred shortly before the half-time whistle, making the Texas 30, Oregon 7. Freeman blocked the kick.

A 50-yard drive resulted in another Texas marker to open the second half. A pass, Layden to Preston Flanagan, set up the score, with Layden crashing over from the two.

After Doss intercepted an Oregon pass, Kutner on an end-around shook off several tacklers in a 20-

yard romp to the seven. It was Crain who scampered around end and then fought his way over to pay dirt.

Opening the final period, R. L. Harkins uncorked a rainbow over-head good for 60 yards all told to set up the next Steer tally. He then hurled one to Wallace Scott on the Webfoot 7 from where he ripped through the middle for a score.

The Longhorn third-stringers, not to be denied, then went out and punched over a score of their own—a 29-yard campaign featuring Walter Roberts, Lewis Mayne and Max Minor who went over from the seven.

The Longhorn first team returned to the fray by Coach D. X. Bible for one last exhibition, obliged with another touchdown. It drove 43 yards on two passes, one from Layden to Doss who was hauled down on the Oregon five and Layden to Vernon Martin, the Steers' great blocking back, in the end zone. It was Martin's only touchdown of the year.

A final Texas marker came when the Texas second-stringers passed 27 yards to Sanders, over the goal after halting an ineffective Webfoot pass barrage.

Crain, Sanders and Flanagan booted all the Steers' extra points.

**BY GAIL FOWLER**  
**TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 6 (AP)—**A couple of substitutes sopped mere sacks landed in the fabled mounds of the first half today to score the only touchdown for Texas A. and M., and give the Aggies a 7 to 0 victory over Washington State college before more than 25,000 fans in "Evergreen Bowl."

It was the last game for the Aggies, Southwest conference champions, before they play Alabama in the Cotton Bowl New Year's day.

The starring team was pass pitcher Dan Daniels, a sophomore in competition although not in classes, and Cullen Rogers.

Derace Moser, the Aggies' star passer, had done most of the work as the Aggies got to the Cougar 38. Then Daniels replaced him. He threw a long sharp pass to his left. Rogers hauled it, spun as the flying body of defending Felix Fletcher, W. S. C. half, tried to flag him, then turned and outran Safety Man Jay Stoves for the touchdown.

It was Rogers' ninth touchdown pass reception of the season.

Veteran Jack Webster, fullback, kicked the extra point right out of the open end of the concrete nose at the fourth down in the railroad tracks which skirt scenic Commencement Bay of Puget Sound.

Up to that time the Cougars had dominated the first half. The second half, however, was just about all Aggie.

Moser passed six yards to End Jim Sterling, and eight more to End Elvis Simmons before Daniels came running in. The 170-pound halfback hurled a screen pass good for 13 yards to Marshall Spivey, which wound up on the Cougar 38.

Then came the touchdown pass from Daniels to Rogers.

The Aggies took the offensive at the onset of the second half and pretty well controlled the play. They marched and passed their way to the Cougar 24 before yielding on downs.

Moser and Daniels started shooting aerials again in the fourth down. Moser threw a 23 yard pass to Daniels 10. The Aggies outdone the Cougars, 11 to 9, but were out-rushed, 86 to 68.

**BY HAROLD V. RATLIFF**  
**DALLAS, Dec. 6 (AP)—**The Rice Owls made one magnificent surge of 66 yards for a touchdown to defeat Southern Methodist 6-0 in the Southwest conference finale here today.

All the action was jammed into the closing periods, Rice scoring to open the third quarter and the Mustangs driving to the Rice 24 within three minutes to go only to lose the ball before the sterling Owl pass defense.

A crowd of 10,000 witnessed the game, the result of which clinched third-place honors in the conference race for Rice.

Texas and M. finished first and Texas and Texas Christian tied for second.

The Owl touchdown drive came on eight plays with Stoop Dickson, Rice's great punter, racing 18-

yards on a lateral from Bob Brumley for the score.

The first half was colorless, featuring a punting duel between Dickson and Clark Wells of the Owls and Bo Campbell and Abel Gonzales of the Mustangs.

Rice took the ball on the third period kick off on its 14-yard line. Dickson made one at guard, then pitched to Joe Price for 17. Dickson then whipped around right end for 24.

Dickson rammed left tackle for four and Brumley made it first down on the Southern Methodist 30. Dickson crunched into tackle for two, Price picked up two at left end, then Brumley dashed through right tackle. He had gone six yards when a group of Mustangs ganged him. Seeing he was trapped, Brumley lateraled to Dickson who scored on the touchdown.

The Owls rolled up 127 yards rushing to 33 for Southern Methodist and got 50 yards passing compared to 96 for the Mustangs.

The Rice punting stood out, especially that of Dickson, the Owl average being 43.3 yards.

It was the last play of the game, being the chief ground gainer with 80 yards in addition to his great punting. Brumley was next with 50.

Little Hardy Miller, who figured in most of the SMU passing attack, kicked several long-gainers, led the Mustangs with a net of 16 carrying the ball.

The game had been advertised as a duel between Preston Johnston, Southern Methodist's durable fullback who never in three years of play had been held out for him, and the baffling Brumley. But Johnston became ill with influenza today and did not even suit out.

**ENID Youth Best Sandlot Player**  
**ENID, Okla., Dec. 6 (AP)—**A seventeen-year-old college student, Monte Basgall, was named today by the National youth baseball congress as the nation's number one sandlot player for the 1941 season.

He was second baseman for the Enid champions, who won their second consecutive national championship at the Boston Red Sox stadium in the eighth annual tournament at Wichita.

Basgall, a student at Sterling (Kan.) college, was the leading hitter among 500 players in the 1941 national tournament competition with a 400 record. His fielding was flawless.

Other awards for the 1941 season, announced today by the congress, included:

Leading sandlot pitcher—20-year-old Larry Bridges, Buford, Ga., signed by the Boston Red Sox.

Leading service team—Ft. Riley, Kan., winner of seventh place in national tournament.

Most commendable feat: Baton Rouge Essos, winners of fifth consecutive Louisiana State championship.

Leading industrial club: Enid champions by virtue their second consecutive national crown.

Leading "town" team: Waco, Tex. Dons, runners-up to national title.

**CHICAGO, Dec. 6 (AP)—**Baseball's big market place opens in the loop next week when the bosses and bar-tenders of the business gather for the major league meetings.

The New York Giants, under a new manager, Mel Ott, and the Cleveland Indians, reorganizing under their new boss, Lou Boudreau, figured on some additional moves here when consultations get under way Tuesday, and there was scarcely a club unmentioned in pre-parley discussions of possible deals.

The Chicago Cubs, possessors of Pitcher Bob Bowman and a wallet-full of cash as a result of peddling Hank Leiber back to the New York Giants, still cast covetous eyes on Bill McGee, another of the Giant hirings, and also considered the chances of acquiring First Baseman Johnny Mize from the Cardinals.

But the Brooklyn Dodgers were also reported interested in Mize, inasmuch as General Manager Larry MacPhail and Manager Leo Durocher may have decided to dispose with the services of their first sacker, Dolph Camilli as a result, Branch Rickey of the Cardinals had a good idea he would not be wanting for companions in hotel room sessions.

With the St. Louis Browns and Philadelphia Phillies the only clubs apparently reluctant to fork over certified checks for new material chances were seen of player swaps involving either of these clubs.

It required approximately 141,000 tons of wrapping paper to do up the products of butchers and grocers last year, according to the census.

### Santa Receives More Letters From Children

Santa Claus received four letters and one postcard this week from Pampa children.

Joan Hash, Box 114, asks Santa to "just bring me anything that is left," and concludes her letter with: "How are you? Answer soon. I still love you lots."

A writing desk, nurses kit, and paper dolls, are on the Christmas want list of Patsy Kay White, 5,527 S. Nelson. She assures Santa, "I will leave some cake on the table for you and your little reindeer."

Dolores Ann Miller wants Santa to bring her a doll, a game, and a red wagon.

A letter, signed Lester Mundy, 411 Hill, asks for a train, football, two guns, two scabbards, boxing gloves, brick blocks and logs, army tank "that shoots" and a submarine.

The postcard is signed by R. L. Wooten, Box 32. He wants a wagon, little car, gun, hoister, candy, fruits, and nuts.

### Texan Killed When Army Plane Crashes

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 (AP)—An army P-40 pursuit plane crashed into the Atlantic ocean a mile off Rockaway beach today taking the life of its pilot, Aviation Cadet Charles L. Davenport, 24, of Silsbee, Tex., who would have been commissioned an air corps second lieutenant next Friday at Mitchell Field, Long Island.

Army officials identified the pilot's body after it was brought ashore by a Coast Guard patrol plane, but declined comment on the nature of the accident.

**NBC Manager Takes Life**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 6 (AP)—Walter Frey Preston, Jr., 39, manager of the National Broadcasting company's public service division, was found dead in his apartment today and was declared a suicide by Dr. Philip Goldstein, assistant medical examiner. His report said Preston had taken an overdose of a sedative.

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**SANTA'S WONDERLAND**  
**Chapter 12—Lots of Helping Hands!**  
By HAL COCHRAN

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FIRST OF ALL COPIES LITTLE BOY WENT HELLO TELL YOU WHAT HERE GOING TO DO!

INSTEAD OF BLOWING MY OWN TRN SHEER I'LL TEST ALL THESE TO MAKE SURE THEY TOOK ON CHRISTMAS MORNING!

LOOK! JACK AND THE BEANSTALK ARE GOING UP THE BEANSTALK TO GET SOME WATER! AND THIS TIME THEY PROMISED NOT TO FALL DOWN!

THEN ON THE LATTER OLD NORTH WIND ALL HIS MIGHT AND TURN IT INTO SNOW-FLAKES SO OUR CHRISTMAS TREES WILL BE WHITE!

GOODNESS SAHES, MARY QUITE CONTRARY! WHY ARE YOU GROWING?

WHY, SILVER BELLS OF COURSE-FOR SANTA TO HANG ON CHRISTMAS TREES!

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# THE PAMPA NEWS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1941 PAMPA, TEXAS (VOL. 39, NO. 208)

Items for the Woman's  
Page are welcomed  
From Pampa and  
surrounding  
territory.

## Just Between Us Girls

BY JOHNNIE DAVIS

Dear Santa Claus:

Today I learned some news that sprised me greatly: it's bout my pet, Chuck Chipmunk—I haven't seen him lately. And when I asked my Mother why he didn't come around, she said, "Why chipmunks hi-ber-nate—He's sleeping underground, or in a hollow log somewhere. He'll not awake till Spring comes back." "But how'll he know it's Spring?" I said. "He'll know by the chipmunks' almanac." And then she laughed and shook her head—and told me it was "Time for bed!"

But I can't sleep a wink because it's almost—you know, Santa Claus, and think—just think—that run-away will sleep right through all Christmas Day! And that is why I'm writing you, for you'll know where to find him) to ask you, please, to leave him nuts and cookies, and remind him that I'll be waiting for him when his almanac says 'Spring again!'

Thank you . . . I'm sleepy now. . . Good night. . . A Merry Christmas to you. . . You are so kind to everyone. . . I wish I really knew you.

Yours sincerely,  
Tommie Greely.

During the approaching Christmas season Santa Claus will receive many letters typical of the one above written by Marion Doyle.

While walking down a street in Santa Ana, California, last week, Mrs. E. B. Tracey, formerly of Pampa, had an experience which thrills many who visit or live in California—that of meeting a movie star. . . Mrs. Tracey met Joan Blondell and her young daughter and after they had exchanged greetings, Mrs. Tracey drew a quick breath and asked for Miss Blondell's autograph which she cheerfully gave. . . Joan and her husband, Dick Powell, live at Balboa Beach, a short distance from Santa Ana. . . "Was I excited!" Mrs. Tracey exclaimed in a letter to Mr. Tracey, who has returned to Pampa to resume his work as advertising manager of The News. . . Mrs. Tracey will arrive after the first of the year.

What happened to the hobby show which was announced earlier in the fall? . . . Considering the number of interesting collections here, a hobby exhibit should be very successful. . . Both Mrs. A. L. Prigmore and Mrs. Irving Cole are among those who have extensive salt and pepper collections. Nearly every state in the union is represented in Mrs. Prigmore's collection. . . Mrs. Rufe Jordan has an unusual collection of vases, particularly miniature containers. Included in this group is one Italian vase as well as another from Mexico.

One male writer wants to know if we've just got to have bottle-necks in this country, why can't they be in:

The firewagon red fingernail polish industry;  
Chewing gum factories;  
Industrial plants manufacturing slacks for feminine wear;  
After-game football conversation;  
And peanut politics?

Those attending the Presbyterian Women's Auxiliary bazaar next Tuesday and Wednesday at the Southwestern Public Service company office will have an opportunity to purchase handmade articles, cooked foods and many other items appropriate for Christmas gifts. . . All Presbyterian women and others interested are contributing to the project.

The following lines on "Thoughts About a Baby Boy" definitely do not tally with the remarks which have been made by some of the proud new fathers:

His small demanding presence fills  
My heart with wonder and with song.  
He is so soft and warm and sweet!  
So fair and rosy-limbed and strong!

His eyes are blue dolphins;  
His tiny mouth a rosebud red.  
Such silky hair! It almost curls  
Around his lovely little head!

"Isn't he handsome!" I cried,  
In fond maternal ecstasy.  
"Oh, I don't know," his dad replied,  
"All babies look alike to me."  
—From a poem by Ruth Incho.

Two of the new papas are Oran Payne and Joe Mitchell. . . Either will talk about his son just as long as you will listen. . . Admirers wanting to see Joe Mitchell's new son are not welcome if they smoke cigars.

Many American women are acting as Santa Claus' helpers this year. . . Ann Sheridan of the movies is going to entertain a dozen girls from a home for wayward girls in Los Angeles at Christmas dinner. . . Olivia de Havilland has donated her Christmas card money to a California orphanage. . . The women in the House of Detention for Women, in New York, directed by Ruth Collins, have made and dressed hundreds of dolls to be hung on police precinct Christmas trees. . . Jean Coffey, who is blind and makes her living by weaving, in her spare time knits socks and helmets for the Red Cross shipment to England. . . Mrs. Leopold Simon, a Manhattan lawyer, taught a group of her children's friends to make scrapbooks for hospital wards. . . Iris Halsey, a Chicago nurse, thought up a Christmas gift trick to help youngsters overcome the fear of the dark. She covers wooly lambs and ducks with luminous paint which makes those favorite toys glow with a soft luminous light after other lights have been turned out.

Fruit cake making time has arrived again. . . Several recent brides are making their first fruit cakes this year and very successfully. . . An experienced cake-maker is Mrs. L. B. Scruggs who has made her fruit cakes for Christmas already. Mrs. Scruggs has a favorite English recipe which she uses.

That little number, "Tonight We Love," which is from Tchaikovsky's "Piano Concerto in B Flat Major," was introduced to movie goers in the Bette Davis picture, "The Great Lie." . . You may recall that Mary Astor "played" the number on the piano.

Among the Pampanas attending the beautiful wedding of Jacqueline Davis and Ryan Patrick Slavin of Clarendon at Lubbock were Mr. and Mrs. Geston Harbor. . . Mr. Harbor was an usher at the wedding.

The state of Texas ranked seventh in the sale of Defense Savings bonds; tenth in the sale of Defense Savings stamps in a five-month period, May 1 to Oct. 1, according to an organization letter sent out by the Defense Savings staff of the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. . . Bond sales totaled \$26,768,000 in Texas and stamps, \$758,209. . . Defense stamps as bridge prizes are gaining in favor as well as for Christmas gifts. . . The patriotic practice is being adopted by several local groups.

Best way to keep friendship is to return it. . . It was Dwight Morrow who once said, "I have never met a man who has given me as much trouble as myself. . . When a man says he runs things around his house, he's really referring to such things as vacuum cleaners and washing machines.

## Mrs. Hurst Will Head Council of Church Women

Officers for the new year were installed by the Rev. B. A. Norris of First Christian church at the meeting of the Pampa Council of Church Women Friday afternoon in Harrah Methodist church.

Those installed were Mrs. S. A. Hurst, president; Mrs. Hot Wagner, first vice-president; Mrs. Robert Gilchrist, second vice-president; Mrs. Ben Coffey, recording secretary; Mrs. Clyde Carruth, corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. N. Franklin, treasurer; and Mrs. F. E. Leech, reporter.

"When we accept Christ as Savior and Lord, we automatically become leaders in the world in which we live for Christ who said, 'Ye are the light of the world.' Christ realized there were special posts of responsibility for which some shall be called; no organization can rise higher than its leadership," Rev. Norris stated.

"The Christian Family with its Many Phases of Life in the World of Today" was the subject of the program prepared and presented by Mrs. W. G. Kinzer. The devotional presented by Mrs. E. A. Norris was in keeping with the beautiful picture on the wall of Harrah church. A new light was given in the story of the lost sheep being found and protected as Mrs. Norris gave the following poem:

"Was a sheep, not a lamb that went astray  
In the parable Jesus told:  
"Was a grown-up sheep that wandered  
Ed away  
From the ninety and nine in the fold  
Saw out on the hill-tops and out in the cold  
"Was a sheep that the Good Shepherd  
And back to the fold, back to the fold  
"Was a sheep that the Good Shepherd  
brought.

Now, why should the sheep be so carefully  
And cared for still today?  
If there is danger if they go wrong  
They will lead the lamb astray  
For the lambs will follow the sheep you  
know.

Wherever they wander, wherever they go,  
If the sheep go wrong, it will not be long  
"Till the lambs are as wrong as they";  
So, still with the sheep we most earnestly  
pledge

For the sake of the lamb today,  
If the lambs are lost, what a terrible cost  
sheep will have to pay.  
Mrs. William Dixon, Mrs. Paul Briggs, Mrs. Bob Alford, and Mrs. Ben Coffey, as they were introduced by Mrs. Kinzer, gave many thoughts for remembrance and for practice in the families of those present: "The widening of family horizon; the family in the world's smallest democracy, the family depends even more completely than the nation on the whole hearted devotion of its members, imagination needed to be developed and utilized; there must be play, work, under- standing, responsibility and sacrifice on the part of each member in any well-managed group, family, or nation. Illustrations of these and other vital statements were given.

"Christ should be the center around which the family is built then perhaps a Christian nation could become a reality," it was pointed out.

A recommendation was made by Mrs. Charles Madetra and a committee appointed to investigate and further the work of the Pampa Council in promoting education for Democracy in the local community. The personnel of the committee, Mrs. Roy McMullen, chairman, Mrs. W. Pruviance, and Mrs. W. M. Dixon.

This meeting concludes the two year term with Mrs. F. E. Leech, president, presiding. Mrs. S. A. Hurst will preside at the next meeting.

Contract Club  
Entertained At  
Colorful Party

Mrs. E. J. Haslam entertained members and guests of Thursday Contract club at a colorful party given at Mrs. Thut's tea room.

Christmas color set the note for the event at which Mrs. G. C. Walstad, Sr., received the award for high score and Mrs. J. B. Massa, second high.

Attending were Mmes. E. J. Haslam, Henry Thut, A. B. Zahn, Frank Klein, Clifford Brady, Sr., Mel Davis, J. C. Richey, Tom Rose, Sr., W. C. Mitchell, members; and Mmes. R. J. Hagan, George Walstad, Sr., and J. B. Massa, guests.

Dance And Taffy Pull Entertains LaRosa Sorority

LaRosa sorority members and guests were entertained at a dance and taffy pull in the Stanolind community hall, northwest of town.

Attending the entertainment were Barbara Mathews, Betty Myers, Buddy Simmons, Alynne Osborn, Ada Simmons, Elaine Dawson, Mollie Kennedy, Fern Simmons, Ralph Burnett, Glen Stafford, Butch Smith, Price Doster, L. J. Hailer, Hugh Montore, Buddy Wilson, and Harry Korbow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simmons were sponsors.

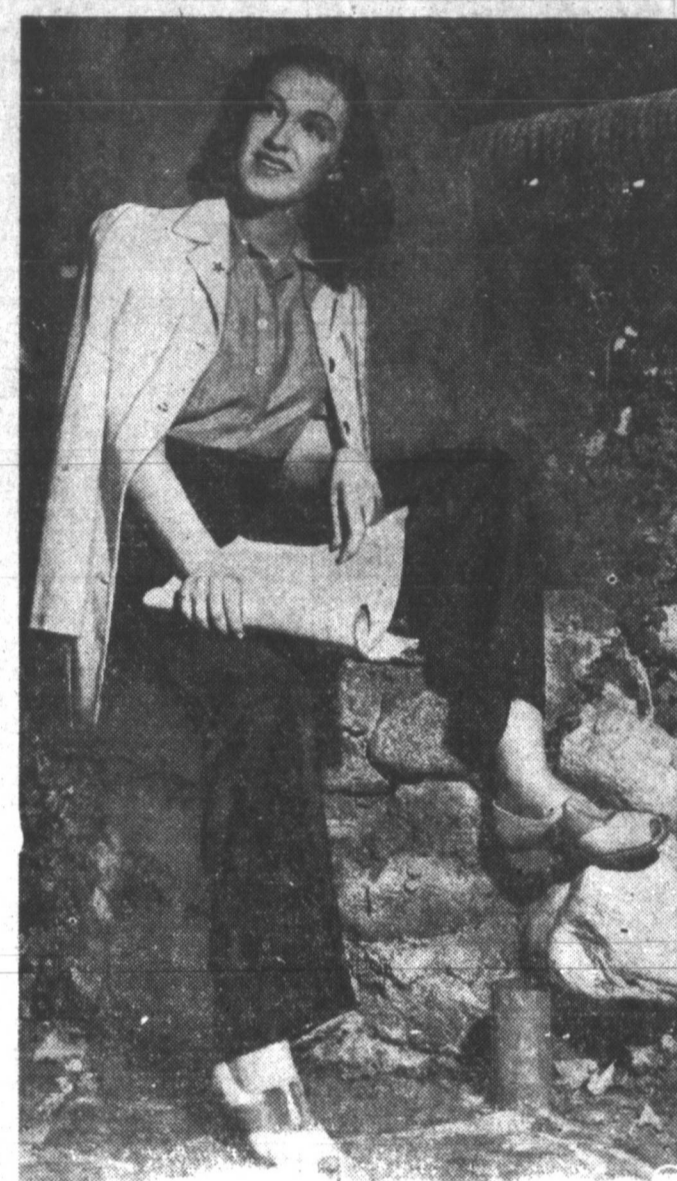
Methodist WSCS To Conclude Year At Meeting Monday

All circles of Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church for a business meeting concluding the first year's work of the W.S.C.S.

Circle leaders are asked to give reports of the past 12 months' work.

On Thursday the Harvest Day program of the Clarendon District will be held at the First church beginning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Floyd Thompson, district secretary, will preside and the theme of the program will be "Our Candles Light."

Lunch will be served in the fellowship hall at noon, and the afternoon session will begin at 1 o'clock.



## "NEVER WEAR COLOR AS A FLAG" WARNS SOPRANO RISE STEVENS

Black is a bore, says Rise Stevens, welcoming the season's fashionable color contrast. She wears it spectacularly, right in a black and red dinner gown.



Rise Stevens' costume at the left consists of live-brown slacks, which accent her glistening hair and her beautiful long limbs; beige shirt and white knitted jacket. She'd never wear striped slacks or jacket, she says, because that would turn her into a beanie.

## Girl Scout Troops Will Elect Scribes At Next Meetings

Presiding at the meeting of Girl Scout Leaders club held Friday afternoon in the Girl Scout offices was Mrs. D. C. Caldwell.

Mrs. Earle Scheig, who was presented as publicity chairman, announced that each Girl Scout troop is to elect a scribe at the next meeting. Each scribe will represent her troop on the Scout paper, Kactus Krier.

Mrs. J. H. Fish was appointed representative to the Junior Garden club. A nominating committee, Mrs. Jess Clay, Mrs. Sam Arisman, and Mrs. Estell Purvis, was named. Officers will be elected at a meeting to be held on January 7.

A report of the recent convention held in Dallas was given by Miss Sallie Cahill. Representatives attending the convention were Mrs. D. C. Caldwell, Miss Maxine French, and Miss Sallie Cahill.

Miss French had charge of the program on "Arts and Crafts." She displayed articles on crafts made by girls in various troops.

## Surprise Dinner Party Compliments Janette Ethridge

A surprise dinner party honoring Janette Ethridge on her tenth birthday was given Friday afternoon by the honoree's mother, Mrs. E. E. Ethridge.

Guests had gathered at the Ethridge home and as Janette entered the house after school, the group sang "Happy Birthday."

Streamers attached to a large red bell above the table, extended to the place cards which were decorated with tiny Santa Claus figures.

Present were LaJoy Duff, Joyce Harrah, Norma Dee Hall, Bessie Glen Coberly, Arthur Lynn Coberly, Wanda Fish, Etha Frances Haney, Lydia Burba, Joan Clay, and the honoree.

## Recital To Feature Piano, Expression And Voice Students

Mrs. Roy W. Reeder will present her pupils at a recital in piano, voice and expression next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the city club rooms.

Appearing will be Fred Boatwright, Jean Boyd, Marilyn Adame, Harold Dean Courson, Jimmie Sue Day, Ethel Gilbert, Patty Jean Reynolds, Ruby Mae Kelley, Wilma Partridge, J. D. Partridge, Billie Boatwright, Daris Jones, Gwen Weston, Wilbert Wade, Icele Wade, and Eleanor McNamara.

Of special interest will be the vocals, showing definite evidence of the adaptation of the American and Italian methods to the development of young voices. Harold Dean Courson, age seven, will show what early training can do in training the ear; Billie Boatwright, age seven, and in his second year of voice training, gives remarkable evidence of the value of vocal training at an early age. Mrs. Reeder pointed out. He will do two full groups of numbers with a wide variety in his repertoire. Daris Jones, age 14, and in his fourth year of voice study, shows the value of training during the time that a boy's voice is changing.

In Pampa where people are not, as a rule, conscious of the need for early vocal training, such a choice in the musical field is unusual, Mrs. Reeder added.

## Mrs. Hall Named Honoree At Shower By Five Hostesses

Mrs. Vernon Hall was named honoree at a layette shower given in the home of Mrs. J. W. Crister with Mrs. Ed Wylie, Mrs. Roy Sullivan, Mrs. Jim King, and Mrs. Jess Clay as co-hostesses.

## Mrs. Neal Hostess To T.E.L. Class At Christmas Party

T. E. L. class of Central Baptist church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. T. C. Neal for a monthly business meeting and Christmas Party.

The entertainment rooms were attractively decorated in the Christmas motif.

Mrs. Robert Seeds, president, conducted the business preceding the devotional by Mrs. H. A. Overall and a prayer by Mrs. W. O. Grace. Mrs.

Tom Duval gave two readings in keeping with the Yuletide season after which Christmas carols were sung.

Mum pals were revealed when gifts were exchanged. A corsage was presented to Mrs. H. B. Taylor, teacher, and Mrs. Tom Duval.

A refreshment plate carrying out the same theme was served to Mmes. Pearl Erwin, Tom Duval, J. B. Hilburn, H. B. Taylor, Roy Hallman, E. P. Marlin, W. O. Grace, C. Stark, H. T. Beckham, G. B. Dodd, W. L. McAnally, E. C. Riley, Ada McCase, Lee Porter, June Jackson, H. A. Overall, M. C. Mercer, W. A. Hill, May Monroe, H. C. Chandler, Bob Seeds, T. C. Neal, and one visitor, Mrs. W. A. Fuller.

## Federated Clubs Will Have Annual Holiday Programs

Programs in the Yuletide theme will be presented at the meetings of federated clubs Tuesday afternoon when the final study of the 1941 season will be conducted.

Three members of Twentieth Century, Mrs. Raymond Harrah, Mrs. Roy McMullen, and Mrs. F. L. Stallings, will be hostesses at 2:45 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Harrah. Mrs. Tom Rose, Sr., leader of the program, will review "The Man Who Gave Us Christmas." By Winifred Kirland, and Mrs. Roger McConnell will present "The Good Shepherd" by Gunnar Gunnarsson. A lighted Christmas tree will decorate the room where gifts will be exchanged by the members.

"Christmas Customs in the Americas" will be discussed at the meeting of Twentieth Century Culture club in the home of Mrs. Frank D. Smith. Favorite Bible verses will be quoted in answer to roll call, after which Mrs. Henry Ellis will speak on "Christmas Observances in the Americas." "Adventures in Taste" by Mrs. W. B. Weathered will precede the topic, "Christmas in Mexico," by Mrs. J. P. Wehring. Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

Twentieth Century Forum members will meet in the home of Mrs. E. L. Green, Jr., where Mrs. Don Conley will lead the program which is to feature a book review.

Mrs. R. W. Lane will be hostess at the Yuletide meeting of Varietas Study club Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Christmas customs will be named in answer to roll call preceding a Christmas story by Mrs. J. E. Kirchman, leader. "Christmas Customs of Other Lands" will be discussed by Mrs. Luther Pierson, and Mrs. Bob McCoy will have charge of the music.

Replacing the regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, El Progresso club will have its annual guest night on Dec. 18, when a banquet will be given at the Schneider hotel.

A regular meeting of Civic Culture club will be held Tuesday afternoon also.

## Christmas Party To Be Given For Business Girls

Young Business Girls' class of First Baptist church will have a Christmas party Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Rufe Jordan, teacher, at 321 Warren street.

Gifts will be exchanged by the members during the evening's entertainment.

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# V Notes RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS

"V Notes" was chosen last summer as the name for this column because V stands for volunteers and also for victory, a goal achieved, the goal in this case being the completion of our Red Cross quota for war relief. Only 24 more days remain in which to achieve that goal on time, for our 1941 quota is supposed to be completed by December 31.

Every day we grow more victorious as scores of garments made by volunteers are turned in at the Red Cross production room in the basement of the post office, and the room is lined with boxes ready for shipment and garments folded and bundled ready to be packed.

Now that the cutting is finished, few women realize that there is still work to be done at the production room. Volunteers are needed every day to help prepare garments for shipment. In addition to the women who regularly spend time at the production room in charge of various phases of the work—Mmes. De-Lea Vickers, L. L. Davis, W. R. Warner, Joe Shelton, Charlie Thut, and Bruce Walters—the following women helped this past week: Mmes. Ornduick, A. Cole, C. Herbert Walker, Tom Bunting, and Walter Daugherty. Mrs. Daugherty, one of our steadiest knitters, had charge of the production room Wednesday morning in the absence of Mrs. V. L. Hobbs. Little Miss Janet Walters made herself very useful Tuesday afternoon helping her mother pack layettes.

Persons having baby garments checked out are asked if possible to complete them this week but to turn them all in by the end of the week whether or not they are completed. Seventy-seven of the layettes are now ready for shipment, and Mrs. Walters hopes to get the full

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Putting buttonholes in the toddler garments is no small task, as there are eight buttonholes in each pair of rompers and five in each snow suit. This past week Mrs. W. R. Cummins put buttonholes in 18 snow suits and 7 pairs of rompers, and Mrs. C. W. Lawrence did the same for 14 pairs of rompers and 8 snow suits—that's more than 140 buttonholes apiece. In addition Mrs. Lawrence completed two hospital bed shirts. She has made seven children's dresses, three convalescent robes, and four hospital bed shirts for this quota.

New volunteers checking out materials this past week include Mrs. L. M. Key, Mrs. Theron Bowers, Mrs. W. H. Putnam, and Miss Ruth Darnall. Hi-Y is also helping by winding yarn.

Mrs. J. B. White, Red Cross executive secretary, is asking for volunteers to make 30 or 40 bandages to be used in first aid classes—a standard course is now in progress and more will be started after the first of the year. The bandages are large triangles of unbleached muslin. All that has to be done is to hem them. The Red Cross telephone number is 960.

Mrs. E. P. Hollingshead has volunteered to work two afternoons a week in the Red Cross office in the basement of the city hall. Perhaps there are others like Mrs. Hollingshead who do not care to sew or knit but would like to do something for the Red Cross and would enjoy doing typing, filing, and general office work. Mrs. White really needs someone to help in the office every day, especially since she frequently has to be out doing case work. Any others who would like to volunteer their services in this capacity should get in touch with Mrs. White and learn just what abilities will be required.

Most of the 100 children's gowns which we agreed to add to our already large quota when an urgent plea came from Britain for these garments have been completed. During the past week Cities Service auxiliary turned in ten, Esther club 12, Harrah Methodist church eight, and Mrs. Otto Patton ten. Couldn't the rest be finished this week so that the 100 warm nighties can be sent speeding to the children of Britain? You know it's winter over there too.

Miss Ione Gill's home economics classes at the LeFors High school completed ten children's dresses, six toddler sleepers, and two skirts for

the Red Cross this past week.

Knitted garments are coming in more rapidly now. Nine sweaters, eight pairs of socks, three toddler sets, and two knitted suits were completed this past week. It still looks as though we're going to fall far short of our quota unless we have more knitters or speed up production, one.

Women of the Francis Avenue Church of Christ turned in 12 toddler sleepers, 23 pairs of rompers, 60 toddler undershirts, and one skirt this past week.

Despite the fact that they're busy working on articles for their bazaars to be held Wednesday, women of the Presbyterian auxiliary turned in 52 more baby undershirts, bringing their total up to 170.

The American Legion auxiliary turned in 18 operating gowns this past week and the city culture club turned in three dresses, one sweater, and four toddler sleepers.

Fully a third of the women present at the meeting of the City Council of Church Women Friday brought their Red Cross knitting. Sewing machine has now been secured to make all 100 pairs of baby mittens. The Holy Souls Altar society donated the yarn for six pairs which they made this past week.

Garments were turned in this past week as follows: First Baptist, W. M. U.—one layette; American Legion Auxiliary—18 operating gowns; Mrs. Orval Batson—three baby dresses trimmed; Mrs. C. C. Bogan—three pairs of baby mittens; Mrs. R. M. Bellamy—one man's sweater; Mrs. Irvin Cole—three pairs of rompers; Cities Service auxiliary—ten gowns; Mrs. W. L. Call—three pairs of rompers; Mrs. Frank Culbertson—one knitted sweater and pants suit; Mrs. W. R. Cummins—put buttonholes in 18 snow suits and seven pairs of rompers; Mrs. Joe Don Carlos—two skirts; Civic Culture club—one woman's sweater and three dresses.

Esther club—12 gowns; Mrs. V. F. Francis—five gertrudes; Francis Avenue Church of Christ—12 sleepers, 23 pairs of rompers, one skirt, and 60 toddler undershirts; Mrs. E. B. Howard—two pairs of rompers; Holy Souls Altar society—six pairs of baby mittens; LeFors home economics class—ten children's dresses; six toddler sleepers, and two skirts; Mrs. J. W. Gorman for Holy Souls Altar society—one woman's dress; Kate Jones—two baby gowns; Mrs. W. G. Kinzer—one sweater; Mrs. W. S. Kiser—one shawl; Mrs. A. B. Kitchens—two skirts; Mrs. C. W. Lawrence—two hospital bed shirts.

put buttonholes in 14 rompers and six snow suits; Mrs. B. O. Lilly—two snow suits.

Mrs. F. C. Ledrick—one child's sweater; Mrs. R. D. Morris—three pairs of baby mittens; Mrs. Roy McKernan—one pair of socks; Mrs. Roy McMillen—one child's sweater; Mrs. C. H. Mundy—one skirt and one gown; Mrs. B. A. Norris—one pair of socks; Mrs. J. M. Nichols for Harrah Methodist church—eight children's gowns; Mrs. Otto Patton—ten gowns; Mrs. Elma Phelps—one knitted sweater and pants suit, finished two sweaters started by other women; Miss Willie Joe Priest—one woman's sweater; Mrs. N. A. Purdy—one skirt; Mrs. Clarence Qualls—one child's sweater; Presbyterian auxiliary—52 baby undershirts; Mrs. T. M. Sanders for Civic Culture club—four sleepers.

Mrs. R. B. Reckard—two toddler sets of sweater, beanie, and mittens; Mrs. R. E. Vanderhook; St. Matthew's Episcopal auxiliary—ten pairs of baby mittens; Mrs. J. C. Spurlock—one toddler set of sweater, beanie, and mittens; Mrs. A. A. Tremann—one pair of socks; Mrs. J. Lee Vickers—one pair of socks; Mrs. W. H. Ward—two pairs of socks; Mrs. C. V. Weber—three girl's skirts; and Mrs. J. S. Wynne—one pair of socks.

## Barbecue Given For Wayside HD Club On Friday

A barbecue entertaining Wayside Home Demonstration club and the Wayside community was given Friday evening by husbands of the club members at the Wayside school house.

Barbecued pork, beef, chicken, duck, and guinea were served with a picnic lunch, after which games of bingo were played.

Arrangements for the entertainment were made by J. S. Fuqua and L. R. Taylor.

More than 200 members and guests from Pampa, Miami, and Hoover attended.

## Seventh Birthday Of Teddy Faye Scruggs Observed

Special To The NEWS  
SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 6.—Honoring her daughter, Teddy Faye, on her seventh birthday, Mrs. Ted Scruggs entertained a group of children at home recently. Games were played and gifts were presented to the honoree after which refreshments of birthday cake, cocoa, and pop corn balls were served with Santa Claus plate (lunch). Present were Bobby Decker, Betty Lou Cofer, Charlotte Paris, Kathryn Johnson, Grace Longbrake, Beverly Ann Roe, Dana Lou Tiffany, Darrell Tiffany, Gay Lynn Tiffany, Carroll, Delores, Jimmie Kalka, Phyllis Ann Barron, and the honoree.

## The Social Calendar

**MONDAY**  
Woman's Society of Christian Service of First Methodist church will meet in the fellowship hall at 2:30 o'clock for the final business meeting of the year.  
Mother Singer group of P. T. A. will meet at 4:15 o'clock in the Junior High school room 217.  
Civitas Sisters, temple 41 will meet at 7:30 o'clock.  
First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

**TUESDAY**  
Sam Houston Parent Education Study group will meet with B. M. Baker Study group at 1:45 o'clock rather than having a regular meeting Tuesday afternoon.  
M. Baker P. T. A. executive board will meet at 1:30 o'clock in the office of Principal Aaron Meach. General meeting will be held at 2:45 o'clock in the auditorium.  
Twentieth Century club will have a Christmas party at 2:45 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Raymond Harrah.  
Horace Mann executive board will meet at 2:45 o'clock at school.  
Keepers class of Central Baptist church will have a social and Christmas tree at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Clyde Ives, 610 North Nelson street.  
Writers group of A. A. U. W. will meet in the home of Miss Mildred Talbot, 529 North Somerville street, at 7:30 o'clock.  
Twentieth Century Progressive club will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Miss Gibbons, 108 East Browning avenue.  
Young Business Girls class of First Baptist church will have a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Rufe Jordan, 321 Warren street, at 1:30 o'clock.  
Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. E. Via, 613 West Browning.  
A weekly meeting of B. G. K. club will meet at 7:30 o'clock.  
Business and Professional Women's club will have a business meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the city club rooms.  
Mrs. Frank Smith will be hostess to Twentieth Century Culture club at 2:30 o'clock.  
Twentieth Century Forum will meet in the home of Mrs. E. L. Green, 314 Mrs. W. Lane will be hostess to Varietas Study club at 2:30 o'clock.  
Civic Culture club will have a meeting at 2:30 o'clock.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Parochial P. T. A. will meet at 3:30 o'clock in the school hall.  
Women's Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church will have a bazaar at the Southwestern Public Service company office.  
Church of Brethren (Loma) Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.  
First Baptist Woman's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock.  
All circles of Women's Missionary society of Central Baptist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock.

**THURSDAY**  
Sam Houston P. T. A. will meet for a regular monthly program at 2:30 o'clock in the school.  
Woodrow Wilson P. T. A. executive board will meet at 2:30 o'clock; lunch at 12:45 o'clock; discussion group at 1:30 o'clock; and regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock.  
A regular meeting of Ladies Society will be held at 7 o'clock in the home of Miss Anita Kenning, 215 East Atchison.  
Sub Deb club will meet in the home of Miss Elaine Carlson.  
A regular meeting of Horace Mann P. T. A. will be held in the school auditorium at 2:30 o'clock.  
A monthly dinner and dance will be given at the Country club.  
Rehearsal lodge will meet at 7:30 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall.

**FRIDAY**  
Sub Deb will have a presentation dance. Wayside Home Demonstration club will have a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. A. B. Carruth at 2 o'clock.  
Cottage Home Demonstration club will have Christmas party in the home of Mrs. L. R. Spence with Mrs. Kenneth in charge of entertainment.  
A. A. U. W. will have its annual tea for members and guests.

Population of the Netherlands East Indies increased about 23 per cent between 1920 and 1939, and now is more than 1,000,000.

## News Of Activities In Local Parent Teacher Groups

**Sam Houston P. T. A.**  
Sam Houston Parent-Teacher Association will have a monthly meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the school. Mrs. W. S. Dixon will have charge of the program which is to include special numbers by the choral club directed by Miss LaNelle Scheinagen, and a talk by the Rev. Robert Boshen, guest speaker, on "Responsibility for Spiritual Development." The program will be followed by a Christmas tea.

**Sam Houston Parent Education Study Group** will meet with B. M. Baker Study group at 1:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon rather than having a regular meeting on Tuesday morning as scheduled.

**Woodrow Wilson P. T. A.**  
The December meeting of Woodrow Wilson P. T. A. will be held Thursday at school. The executive board will meet at 9:30 o'clock in the office of Principal H. A. Yoder and a luncheon will be served at 12:45 o'clock in the cafeteria. All room mothers are urged to attend the lunch and give reports.

The Rev. B. A. Norris of First Christian church, will speak on "Who Is to Blame" at the meeting

of the discussion group at 1:20 which will precede the regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock. The program will include Christmas carols by Mrs. J. W. Gorman who will be accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Yoder. Guest speaker will be Ernest W. Caba whose topic will be "Creating Respect for All Races and Creeds."

**Parochial P. T. A.**  
Parochial Parent-Teacher Association will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the school hall where the Rev. William Stack will speak on "Responsibility for Spiritual Development in Home, School, and Community." The mothers' group will sing several numbers.

**Horace Mann P. T. A.**  
Executive board will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock in the office of Miss Josephine Thomas, principal, at the school. All officers and standing chairmen are asked to be present.

A regular meeting of the P. T. A. will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the school auditorium. Opening numbers will be sung by the school choral club under the direction of Miss Marion Reichling. The subject for the program will be "Creating Respect for All Races and Creeds" and the Rev. E. W. Henshaw of St. Matthew's Episcopal church, will be guest speaker. Miss Sallie Cahill will show pictures of Girl Scouting.

**B. M. Baker P. T. A.**  
Baker P. T. A. executive board

will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Principal's office. Study group will meet at 1:45 o'clock with Mrs. Roy Holt, program chairman. The program will include a panel led by Mrs. C. E. Cary on "What We Learned from the State Convention." Delegates to the convention will take part in the discussion.

A regular meeting of Baker P. T. A. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock when Christmas carols will be sung by the Baker choral club. Devotional will be given by the Rev. E. M. Dunsworth, of Calvary Baptist church. Moving pictures on Girl Scouting will be shown by Mrs. Mel Davis, Girl Scout commissioner, and Mrs. R. E. McKernan, Girl Scout membership chairman.

## Mrs. Devitt Hostess At Contract Party

Special To The NEWS  
SKELLYTOWN, Dec. 6.—Mrs. Carl Devitt entertained Wednesday Contract club last week.

Awards were presented to Mrs. H. W. Pierce for high score and to Mrs. R. P. Hill for second high. Refreshments were served by Mmes. R. P. Hill, Fred Anderson, W. A. Smith, L. A. Pinkham, Fred Taylor, H. W. Pierce, Fred Price and Paul Thurman.

An average of 120 pounds of ivory tusks are yielded by the average elephant.

## Mrs. Purviance Has Part On Program At Harvest Meeting

Special To The NEWS  
MIAMI, Dec. 6.—A large number of men and women from the Miami church attended the Amarillo District annual Harvest meeting of the Methodist W.S.C.S. held in Amarillo Wednesday.

Miss Teresa Webb, district secretary, presided at the W.S.C.S. meeting which convened in Folk Street Methodist church. "Fields White Unto Harvest," was the theme of the meeting which had largely to do with reports of progress in the various societies for the past year.

Mrs. W. Purviance of Pampa brought an inspirational devotional. The main speaker of the day was Mrs. E. B. Howard, a missionary to Puerto Rico. A number of violin selections by Miss Ruby Hutchison, and a vocal solo by Mrs. M. G. Mathis, both of Amarillo, featured the musical part of the program.

Mrs. Mathis' song was "Thou Shalt Not Pass Again This Way." Members of the local society attending were Mmes. J. K. McKenzie, W. D. Allen, W. E. Cowan, E. Lee Stanford, H. H. Hardin, W. L. Russell, Edna Newman, Harvey Lan-irum, W. H. Craig, Eunice Holland.

A layman's and pastor's meeting was held in other buildings in conjunction with the women's meeting.

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|  | <b>SLEEVELESS PULLOVERS</b><br>1.65 to 2.50     |
|  | <b>GIFT LUGGAGE</b><br>7.50 to 27.50            |
|  | <b>COCKTAIL JACKETS</b><br>3.50 to 10.00        |
|   | <b>STETSON HATS</b><br>5.00 to 15.00            |
|   | <b>GABERDINE SHIRTS</b><br>5.50 to 8.50         |
|   | <b>LEATHER JACKETS</b><br>10.95 to 21.50        |
|   | <b>HOUSESHOES</b><br>1.39 to 6.00               |
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for Dr. Kildare's wedding, the death of Laraine, and the problem and struggle he goes through pulling himself together. The cast has the old standbys, Lionel Barrymore, Ayres, Day, Samuel Hinds, Alma Kruger, plus "visitors," Nils Asther and Red Skelton. Running time of film is 82 minutes.

One event which will make "Dr. Kildare's Wedding Day" outstanding is the playing for the first time in a motion picture of a truly fine piece of music. It is called "Tableau Russe," a Symphonic Suite, written by Lionel Barrymore and it's superior to a great many pieces of music written by our best modern composers.

Coldest town on the British Isles is Braemar, which has an average yearly temperature of 11.3 degrees above zero.

**SABU AND RAYMOND MASSEY** are other principals in the splendid Korda production which is showing today, tomorrow, and Tuesday at the Crown.

**"SWAMP WATER" ABSORBING AND WELL-PERFORMED FILM DRAMA**

Colorful Georgia Swamps Background Of Story Opening Today At LaNora; Alexander Korda's "Drums," With Valerie Hobson, On Crown Screen

By **BROWNWOOD EMERSON**

Such simple qualities among folks as courage, faith, and honesty take on a new meaning in the drama, "Swamp Water," laid in the Okefenokee swamp region in Georgia. The 90-minute 20th-Fox picture is showing today through Wednesday at the LaNora.

Opening the week at the Crown, and showing tomorrow and Tuesday is Valerie Hobson and Roger Livesay in a magnificent Alexander Korda production, "Drums."

The tempo of "Swamp Water" is as languid as the rivers that course through the swamps, and there is a tense foreboding that pre-figures the explosion of human emotions.

Jean Renoir, French film director, in his initial Hollywood film assignment, is presented with a chunky slice of Americana, the first time out, says the Film Daily.

The story is based on the Satepost yarn of Vereen Bell. It concerns a young Georgia trapper known as Tom Keefer who flees to the swamps to avoid imprisonment on a false murder charge.

Walter Brennan, Walter Houston, Anne Baxter, and Dana Andrews are featured in the cast.

**NAT PENDLETON** as "Top Sergeant Mulligan" gets set to resist the "advance" of Carol Hughes and Marjorie Reynolds in Monogram's uproarious army comedy at the Rex, Wednesday and Thursday.

**THIS WEEK IN PAMPA THEATERS**

**LANORA**  
Today through Wednesday: "Swamp Water," with Walter Brennan, Walter Houston.  
Thursday, Friday, and Saturday: "Dr. Kildare's Wedding Day," Lew Ayres, Laraine Day, Lionel Barrymore.

**REX**  
Today, tomorrow, and Tuesday: "Last of the Duanes," George Montgomery.  
Wednesday and Thursday: "Top Sergeant Mulligan," Nat Pendleton, Carol Hughes.

**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:** "Gangs of Sonora," The Three Mesquiteers.

**STATE**  
Today and tomorrow: "Hold That Ghost," Lew Costello, Bud Abbott.  
Tuesday: "A Very Young Lady," Jane Withers, Nancy Kelly.

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY:** "Underground," Jeffrey Lynn, Philip Dorn.  
Friday and Saturday: "Border Vigilantes," William Boyd.

**CROWN**  
Today, tomorrow, and Tuesday: "Drums," with Sabu, Raymond Massey, Valerie Hobson.  
Wednesday and Thursday: "Elery Queen, Master Detective," with Ralph Bellamy.

**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:** "Silent Code," all-star cast; chapter 11, "The Spider Returns"; cartoon and news.

Searl as the sissy, play a part in "Glamour Boy"—and that's why Paramount looked up Searl to carry on.

In the new story Searl has continued in film and is now the star while Cooper has faded, which reverses the facts.

They found Searl earning \$35 a week as a riveter at a Burbank aircraft plant. Skeptical, having had no movie calls for a couple of years, Jackie took a leave of absence for the picture, got it extended when he won a bigger part in Jane Withers' "Small Town Deb" through Mrs. Withers.

"I made good money when I was in pictures, and I've got a nice place in the valley to show for it, but it was a long time between calls and I figured I'd better get a regular job," he says.

**From the Metro Front**  
"Babes on Broadway," co-starring Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland, dramatizes the adventures and heart-throbs of the army of young actors who, chief rendezvous is the drug store at the corner of Broadway and 44th street. There is such an organization in real life.

**To Asia for outstanding service** to his canine friends. Through his movie roles he has done much to gain appreciation for all dogs.

The McKinley Kennel club of Canton, Ohio, is sending a plaque—bearing that inscription—to the famous wire-haired terrier who shares billing with William Powell in "Myra's Loy" in "Shadow of the Thin Man." The plaque will be the first of a series of awards the club plans to present each year to the dog attracting the most favorable attention to canines.

**Columbia Reports**  
Richard Lebert, organist at Radio City Music hall, is featured in Columbia's "Community Sing 4." The reel presents the following of the season's most popular songs: "Yours," "I Don't Want To Set The World On Fire," "Aurora," "The Reveille," and "The Band Played On." The reel was produced by B. K. Blake and is scheduled for release this month.

Jinx Falkenburg was assigned to her third important role this week, when she was selected for the principal role in "Professional Model," scheduled by Columbia for early production. The young actress has just completed "Sing For Your Supper," in which she played opposite Buddy Rogers, and recently appeared as one of the leads in "Two Latins From Manhattan."

Miss Falkenburg was one of the most photographed advertising models in America before coming to the screen. During the past three years, she has posed for 52 magazine covers, and more than 1,500 advertisements.

Lupe Velez, has completed recordings on two new songs for Columbia's "Honolulu Lu." Written by the team of Sammy Cahn and Saul Chaplin, the numbers are "That's the Kind of Work I Do," and the title melody, "Honolulu Lu." Bruce Bennett shares the top spot with Miss Velez.

Glenn Ford has been selected for one of the plum roles of the year—the title part in Columbia's film version of Jack London's "Martin Eden." The two feminine leads have been assigned to Claire Trevor, recently seen in "Texas," and Evelyn Keyes, who had important roles in the studio's "Here Comes Mr. Jordan" and "Ladies in Retirement." Sidney Selkow directs.

**THERE IS STILL TIME TO ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS**

We are equipped to give you one hour service on imprinted greeting cards. We have the largest stock of Christmas Cards in the Panhandle (bar none). Select your greeting cards now. We will be glad to show you our large stock, all reasonably priced.

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**Story For Juveniles**  
Regeneration of a 'tomboy' into a young lady who thinks of boys and love is the theme of 20th-Fox's "A Very Young Lady." 75-minute comedy at the State Tuesday. Jane Withers has the chief role, with Nancy Kelly and John Sutton, as the other principals. As Kitty Russell, Jane is a madcap student at an exclusive girls school.

**Good Sagebrush Opera**  
A topnotch western is Paramount's 62-minute "Border Vigilantes," with William (Hopalong Cassidy) Boyd, Russell Hayden, and Andy Clyde. Story tells how Hopalong breaks up a gang that is systematically robbing the miners in a small western city. It's on the State screen Friday and Saturday.

AP's Robin Coons tells this interesting yarn.  
It's not every actor who can lay the foundation for his future screen comeback when he's 9 or 10 years old. That's what Jackie Searl did—when he made "Skippy" with Jackie Cooper in 1931.

This 10-year-old picture is the reason Jackie, now a strapping 20, was sought for "Glamour Boy." The story is of a boy star (Jackie Cooper) who grows up into the oblivion of soda jerking.

A movie studio with a new child wonder on its hands (Darryl Hickman) decides to remake an old picture—"Skippy"—and hires the former star to coach the new one.

Scenes of the old "Skippy," which was Cooper's first hit and featured

The locale of this story is the Okefenokee Swamp in the State of Georgia. Not so many years ago, its seven hundred miles of marsh and cypress were an unknown wilderness to the people who lived around its edges. They knew that its sluggish waters were filled with alligators and that its boggy forests harbored the deadly cottonmouth snake. They feared these creatures, but much more, they feared the unexplored vastness in which a man might disappear, never to be seen again.

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From The Saturday Evening Post Story by Vereen Bell  
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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**1—Card of Thanks**  
 WE wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings received from our kind friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Stella Jones, who passed away on November 20, 1941. We are especially grateful for the beautiful services rendered by Daniel Carmichael, Rev. J. J. Jones, Rev. T. D. Sumral of the Baptist church and Rev. Newton Starnes of the Methodist church. Mrs. Stella Jones, Mrs. Donald Jones, Raymond Gabberty, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sims and family.

**2—Special Notices**  
 1. Our dance floor is hard to beat.  
 2. Our sandwiches are good to eat.  
 3. Our beer is ice cold.  
 4. Our phone number 9655.  
 E. Balvedere Cafe, Broadway Highway.  
**ROY CHISM**, your motor specialist. He'll know what to do without tearing your motor apart to find out. Motor Insurance. **LANE'S** at 4 Points where your dollar has more cents. 8 Stop and shop. Groceries, meats and motor supplies.  
**TAKE** time out for pleasures. Dine and dance where you will enjoy the association of friends. Park Inn.  
**ATTENTION!** Before you buy a Christmas tree see the fine stock of all sizes, colors, radio Cedars at Pampa Feed Store, 522 S. Cuyler, Ph. 1677.  
**SAVE** on gas prices at Long's Amarillo Service Station. White gas 14c, green lead 15c, regular 16c, and Ethyl 16c. Come by.

**THE Guaranty Abstract & Title Co.**  
 Successors To Plains Abstract Co.  
**NEW LOCATION**  
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**3—Bus-Travel-Transportation**  
**AMARILLO NEWS**—Globe delivered daily for breakfast or by mail. Pampa News Stand and Travel Bureau, Phone 831.  
**CAR** to Los Angeles, San Francisco, Cincinnati, etc. \$12.00. Round trip. Advance passengers. Your cost small. Leave your phone number or address at News Stand, 522 S. Cuyler, Phone 666 or write Box 110, Pampa News.

**4—Lost and Found**  
**LOST:** 650 by 20 six ply Goodyear truck tire and Ford wheel South Pampa. Reward. Return to Pampa News.  
**ONE** large envelope containing 2 books of stamps of W. O. W. circle. Finder return to News or 501 N. Cuyler, for reward.

**EMPLOYMENT**

**11—Situation Wanted**  
**EXPERIENCED** female stenographer; steady, dependable, non-smoker; capable temporary employment. References. Sophia L. Kinzie, Sweetwater, Oklahoma.  
**POSITION WANTED:** 15 years general office experience. Reference. Write Box V-89, Pampa.

**"BUSINESS SERVICE"**

**12—Instruction**  
**TRUCK DRIVER** wants job. Experienced, sober, reliable. Write Box V-10 Pampa News.

**15-B—Electrical Repairing**  
**TOP REKREID** has had years of experience in electrical wiring work. Call him or take your job to his shop, 315 N. Stark-weather.

**17—Floor Sanding-Refinishing**  
**CALL** about our special offer on re-sanding your old floors, Lovell's A-1 Floor Service, Phone 62.

**18—Building Materials**  
**HAVE** you plenty of closet space in your home? Do your china cabinets look overcrowded? Call Ward for advice. Phone 3048.  
**WILL** your home be comfortable for Christmas? We'll have your windows, curtains, and floor burners. Des Mores, Phone 102.

**18-A—Plumbing & Heating**  
**WE** have experienced men and modern equipment for all kinds of plumbing and repair work. Storey Plumbing Co. Phone 356.

**19—Landscape Gardening**  
**HAVE** the plans and specifications drawn up for your landscaping work. Drawings in perspective. Thomas Clayton, 210 N. Nelson. PAMPA NURSERY CO.

**22—Sand and Gravel Hauling**  
**SAND AND GRAVEL** and General Hauling. Phone 799-J. L. O. Lane.

**26—Beauty Parlor Service**  
**MAKE** your appointment early for permanent. You will feel better able to enjoy holiday season. Phone 297. Leja's Beauty Shop.  
**THE BEAUTY** of our Creme Oil Permalots will give you pride and joy through and after holidays. \$1.50 per set. Our special offer to you at \$4.00. Other waxes \$2.50 value for \$2.00. Shampoo, set and dry, 50c. Hilda's Beauty Shop, 416 S. Cuyler, Ph. 2403.  
**CHRISTMAS** special! All permanent oil machinery, complete oil permaments one for \$1.50. Bring a friend and pay for extra 2. Ph. 255-90. Mrs. W. J. Smith, 416 S. Cuyler, Ph. 2403. Write: Finger wave, 15c; dry, 25c. Edna's Beauty Shop, 520 Doyle St., Talley Add. Ph. 255-52.

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### QUICKIES



SERIAL STORY

LADY BY REQUEST

BY HELEN R. WOODWARD

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"THE STORY: Famous writer and commentator Stephen Curt and his wife, Diana, are growing increasingly fond of each other, although their marriage is one of convenience by which Diana is to remain a bride for six months and \$10,000, thus saving for Stephen a \$20,000 inheritance which would have had her not married before he was 35. His stepmother, Edna Curt, and Diana's former father, are hoping, however, that they will come to care for each other. Complications are presented by Evalyn Thorpe, beautiful blind wife of lawyer Richard Thorpe, Stephen's former employer and Diana's and the woman Stephen has always loved; Adela, Stephen's spiteful, spoiled sister, who is having an affair with Diana's brother; and Phil Bruce, Diana's best friend, who she will be reluctant to give up her luxurious life as Mrs. Curt. The evening a frantic maid tells Diana that Adela is heading for the night with Thorpe at his hunting lodge, Diana, regretfully forgetting a quiet evening alone with Stephen, tells him she must go on an "errand."

**TRAPPED BY TRICKERY**  
CHAPTER XVII  
DIANA closed the door behind her, conscious of a savage desire to tear Adela Curt apart. Anything might have happened between her and Stephen this evening—their whole future settled. She climbed into the coupe and slung it angrily into motion. Edna had said it was 15 miles to Thorpe's lodge. By the time she persuaded Adela to return it would be very late and Stephen would more than likely have gone to bed.

The snow was falling thick and heavy over the roadway when Diana left the city streets behind and plunged into the open country. It seemed a long time until she came in sight of the lodge, its lights twinkling through the snow. Her headlights picked out the name on the gate. Doubts assailed her. A moment later she was looking into the amazed eyes of Richard Thorpe. "Well, this is a surprise!" He stepped back as she came into the warmly lighted room and closed the door behind her. "I'm sure I've no idea to what I owe this visit," Thorpe said, his eyes lighting at sight of her clear, fresh beauty. "But now that you're here you must let me take your wraps and give you a drink to warm you!" "Thank you," she said curtly. "I shan't stay. I've come for Adela."

"I don't believe you! I have information—" He laughed aloud, mockingly. "So you're being a Girl Scout and rescuing her from the cruel clutches of a worthless scoundrel, eh? Well, my advice to you, my dear, is to let Adela go her own merry way to hell! She's eminently capable of taking care of herself—and also of getting you into lots of trouble!" Diana was stunned. If Richard Thorpe was speaking the truth—"You have her hidden somewhere!" she accused. "You have the privilege of searching the place."

"Thank you, I will!" He followed her from room to room, throwing open doors, chuckling softly, enjoying her chagrin. At last they were before the living room fire again. "Convinced?" Diana ran a weary hand over her face. "Yes, but I don't understand—" How could Edna have been so mistaken? "Just some sort of a misunderstanding. But you mustn't go! Now that you've found out I'm not nearly so bad as I've been painted—" "I HAVE no further business here," Diana said coldly, but his hand on her arm stayed her. "Wait! Why can't we be friends, Diana? I know we got started off on the wrong foot. But I happen to know that before many months you may need friends."

"If I need friends, I'll probably be able to find them! And you won't be among them!" she retorted. "Neither will Stephen Curt, nor Phil Bruce, nor my angelic wife—if they should find out you visited me here tonight!" Her face was hot with shame. He was drawing her roughly into his arms. His face was dark above hers. "You've always maddened me—defied me—you beautiful, desirable icicle! Do you think I'd bother with Adela or Evalyn—or any of them—if I could have you? Now you've come here of your own free will. What a delight to conquer you—possess you—"

A shaft of cold air pierced the room and Richard Thorpe released her so abruptly that she almost fell. They turned to see Stephen Curt standing in the doorway, his face a white mask, his eyes hard, his mouth grim. Diana's breath caught, her heart turning over within her, and right then and there all hope vanished. No one—not even Stephen Curt with his understanding—could be

expected to forgive or forget the scene just witnessed.

It was Richard Thorpe who recovered and spoke first. "Well, Steve, I wasn't expecting you tonight!" Stephen's lip curled. "Evidently not."

"I suppose it's useless to say I wasn't expecting Diana, either!" "Quiet!" Stephen turned to Diana sharply. "You'll come with me at once!"

DIANA sat stunned. Who had told him she'd be at Richard's lodge? Who, but Adela? It had all been a plot to discredit her in Stephen's eyes!

They drove silently through the night until they reached the portico of the house in Green street. Then Stephen said wearily, "I must remind you again, Diana, that you are still my wife and that I have a certain position to maintain. Also, you've made a bargain which you must live up to. And nothing must appear any different to the outside world—even after tonight. I demand it! Do you understand?"

"Yes, Stephen," she said softly, heart-brokenly, and climbed out of the car and went into the big, quiet house.

Wearily she climbed the stairs to her room, and in the upper hallway met a sleepy-eyed Adela. "Been somewhere, Diana?"

Adela asked, smiling maddeningly. "You do choose the nicest nights to run around in!" Diana felt herself writhe with cold, helpless fury. Adela would not feel so complacently triumphant if she knew how her precious Richard had made love to Diana.

"You wouldn't know where I've been, I suppose?" Adela shrugged. "Should I?" "Your brother is satisfied that I am a liar and a cheat. That's what you wanted, wasn't it?" "I don't know what you're talking about!"

"Don't y-a-y!" Flashes of fury darted along Diana's spine. "Then perhaps you'll understand this! I love Stephen Curt and I'm going to fight for him! What do you think of that?" A sneer crossed Adela's face. "Do you really think you'll win?" Diana drooped suddenly, her eyes filled with tears, all defiance was gone. "Perhaps not," she admitted, "for you won't hesitate to lie and steal and perjure yourself to get what you want. But, with a fierce intensity, "even you can't keep me from loving him with all my heart!"

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L'L ABNER



The Fall Of The House Of Bopshire!



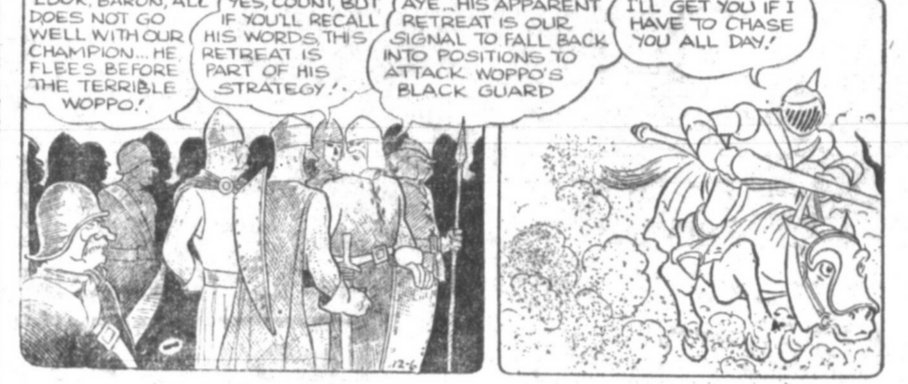
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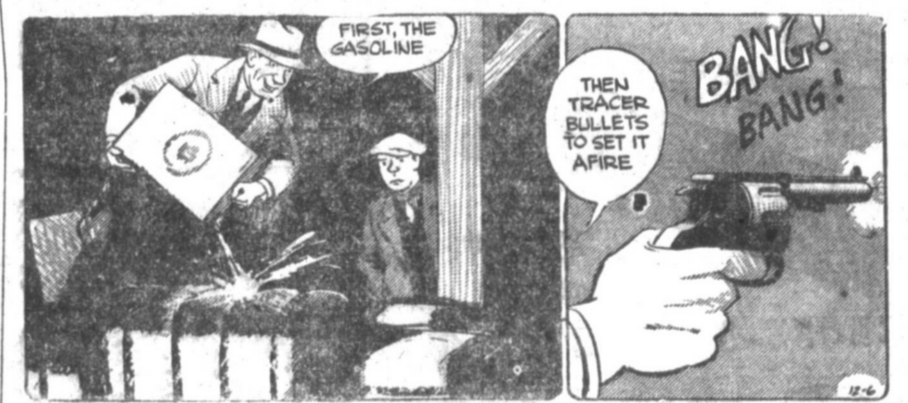
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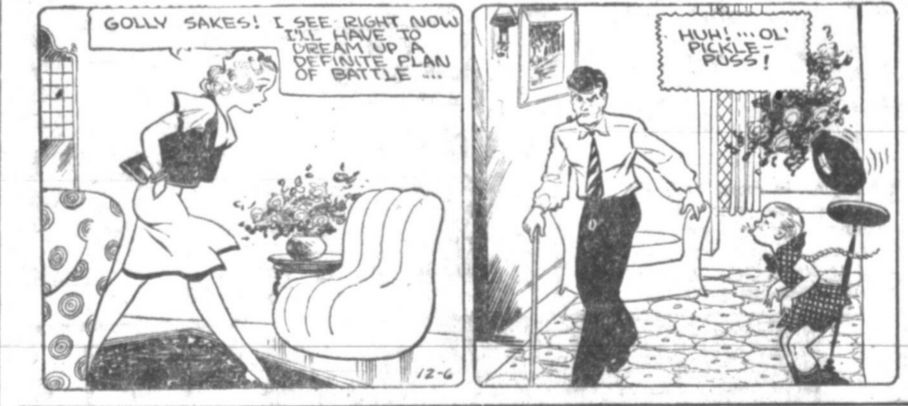
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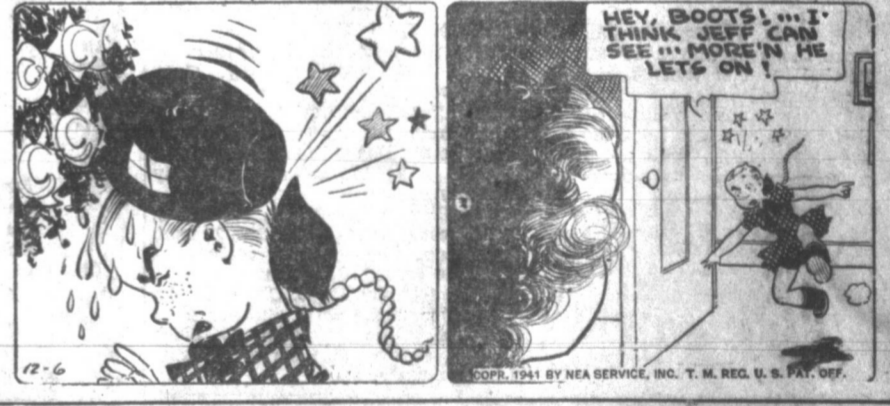
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The Skeptic



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Japs Fleeing Back To Their Native Land

TOKYO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Repatriation of Japanese nationals from strategic areas in and along the Pacific gained ominous pace today amid signs of deteriorating relations with the United States and associated powers, including a new skirmish with Russians on the Manchukuo frontier.

Emperor Hirohito called at the army section of imperial headquarters where he received in audience General Gen Sugiyama, chief of the general staff, who, as it was formally announced, reported on "matters in his jurisdiction."

Hirohito also gave a mass audience to the headquarters staff. Premier General Hideki Tojo attended, causing a delay in today's regular, scheduled meeting of the cabinet.

The emperor stopped off at the army headquarters en route back to his palace after attending the 55th graduation ceremony of the military staff college. One of the graduates was his youngest brother, Captain Prince Takahiko.

The Japanese liner Tatuta Maru, which sailed from Yokohama on Tuesday to brig Japanese nationals home from the United States and Panama, also will call at Manzanillo, Mexico, the government announced. The ship is scheduled to reach Los Angeles on Dec. 14 and Manzanillo Dec. 21.

The Japanese minister to Mexico, Yoshiaki Miura, has been ordered home at once for consultations on "the actual situation" in Mexico.

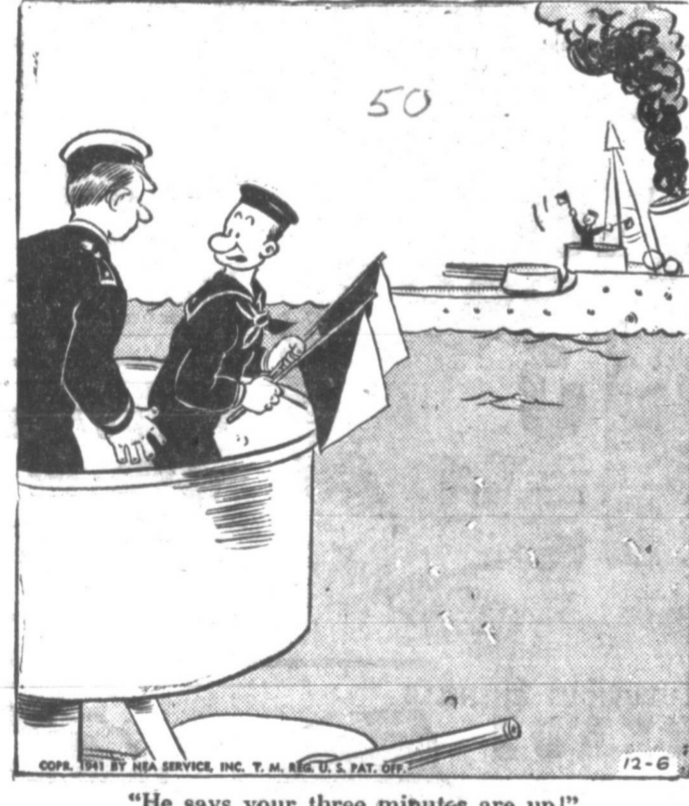
"At Mexico City, he said, "only God knows how this crisis will be resolved."

"There have been reports, now apparently confirmed, that Japan would recall her subjects from Mexico."

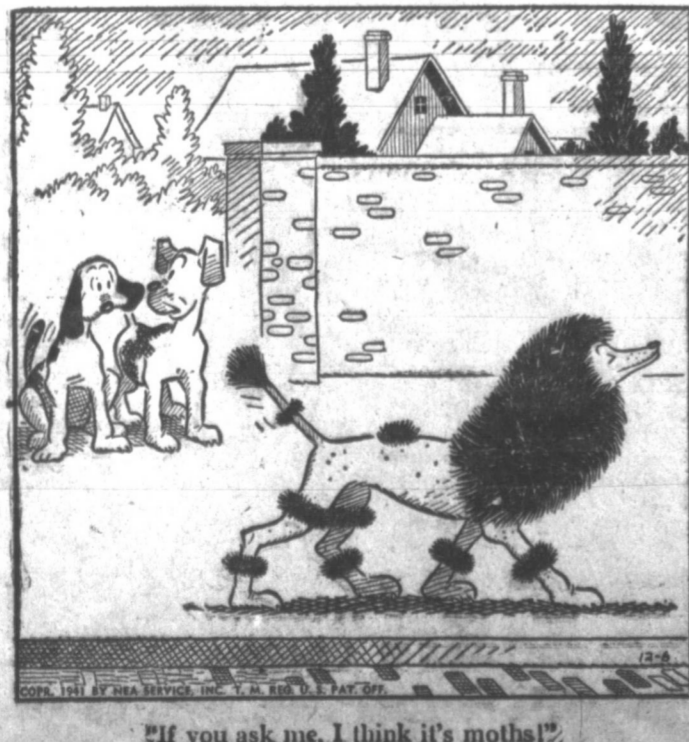
"Many out of the 4,500 Japanese residing there were said to be trying to dispose of their property because of expressed fear that the Mexican republic might be involved in any conflict between the United States and Japan."

"(Since the Japanese minister to Mexico and his staff have asked for transit visas for Los Angeles, it was assumed that the Tatuta Maru would pick up other Japanese at Manzanillo.)"

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**Six Killed And 13 Injured In Crash**  
AMERICUS, Ga., Dec. 6 (AP)—Six persons were killed and 13 injured early yesterday when a fast-moving automobile and a school bus home bound from a basketball game crashed head-on near Dawson.

Among the dead was 20-year-old Dorothy Casey who died at City hospital here soon after the wreck, one of the worst in the history of southwest Georgia.

State Highway Patrol Sergeant J. P. Smith said four of the dead



# Texas Tries To Connect Davidson, Taylor Pools

The Texas company will attempt to connect the Davidson and Taylor Ranch pools in central Gray county with a test on their Benedict lease in section 55, block B-2, H&GN survey. The new test will be a mile northeast of the new Taylor pool and about a mile south of the Davidson pool.

The Panhandle wildcats, with the exception of the Wiener and Gourley, Devore and Slade in Swisher county, which is shut down waiting for pipe, are drilling ahead without reports of pay formations.

The Panhandle field reported 13 new oil wells last week, adding a total of 3,018 barrels to the field potential and two gas wells good for a total open flow potential of 37,900,000 cubic feet. To date this year, a total of 632 oil and gas wells have been completed in the Panhandle field.

Drilling showed an increase last week with 11 first intentions being filed at the local office of the Texas Railroad commission, hiking the year's total to 924. Five of the new tests were staked in Gray county, four in Hutchinson county, and one each in Moore and Carson counties.

Seven of the new oil wells tested were in Hutchinson county, with four in Gray and one each in Carson and Wheeler counties. Both oil and gas wells were in Moore county.

The local office of the Texas Railroad commission received word Friday that all division offices will close the afternoon of Dec. 23 and not reopen until the morning of Jan. 2. It marks the first time commission offices have been closed for the Christmas vacation period.

Completion by counties follow:

**In Carson County**  
W. W. Holmes et al No. 11 Quinn, section 7, block 9, I&GN survey gauged 373 barrels.

**In Hutchinson County**  
Pennova Oil & Gas co., No. 3 J. J. Perkins, McDonald survey, tested 390 barrels.

Phillips Petroleum co., No. 17 D. Jordan, section 6, block M-21, TCRR survey, gauged 71 barrels.

Shell Oil co., No. 37 Harvey Slaters "B" section 14, block M-21, TCRR survey, was given a potential of 393 barrels.

Power Petroleum co., No. 12 Halls, section 24, block M-21, TCRR survey, gauged 18 barrels.

Guilf Oil corp., No. 9 Cockrell Tract C, section 2, block M-21, TCRR survey, tested 39 barrels.

Danube Oil co., No. 6 Sanford "A" section 78, block 46, H&TC survey, was gauged for 175 barrels.

Phillips Petroleum co., No. 2 E. Swanson, section 87, block B-2, I&GN survey, gauged 277 barrels.

Sikelly Oil co., No. 140 Schafer, section 197, block 3, I&GN survey, was given a potential of 271 barrels.

Sikelly Oil co., No. 5 H. B. Lovett, section 36, block B-2, H&GN survey, gauged 91 barrels.

**In Wheeler County**  
Pars and Ward No. 2 Patterson, section 89, block 23, H&GN survey, was given a potential of 192 barrels.

Gas wells tested and given potentials:

**In Moore County**  
Kerlyn co., No. 2 McDowell, section 15, block M-16, AB&M survey, tested 8,000,000 cubic feet.

Phillips Petroleum co., No. 1 Melvin, section 311, block 44, H&TC survey, gauged 29,000,000 cubic feet.

Intentions to drill:  
Texas co., W. H. Taylor "F" No. 6, 997' from the north and 990' from the east line of section 37, block B-2, H&GN survey, Gray county.

Texas co., W. Benedict No. 1, 330' from the east and 2,310' from the north line of section 55, block B-2, H&GN survey, Gray county.

Cy Rieger, Groves No. 6, 492' from the west and 2,030' from the north line of section 28, block M-23, TCRR survey, Hutchinson county.

Shell Oil co., Harvey Slaters "B" No. 49, 990' from the north and 990' from the east line of section 14, block M-21, TCRR survey, Hutchinson county.

Shamrock Oil & Gas, McKee "A" No. 1, 750' from the north and 660' from the east line SW/4 of section 39, block 44, H&TC survey, Moore county.

Sikelly Oil co., Schafer Ranch No. 145, 440' from the south and 440' from the east line of section 197, block 3, I&GN survey, Carson county.

Sikelly Oil co., W. H. Taylor No. 9, 330' from the north and 330' from the east SE/4 of section 24, block B-2, H&GN survey, Gray county.

Phillips Petroleum co., Tay No. 5, 990' from the east and 990' from the south line NE/4 of section 24, block B-2, H&GN survey, Gray county.

Phillips Petroleum co., Tay No. 6, 330' from the south and 990' from the east line NE/4 of section 24, H&GN survey, Gray county.

## Investigation Of Crude Production Costs Started

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—The Bureau of Mines reported today stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended Nov. 29 totaled 242,844,000 barrels, a net increase of 928,000 barrels compared with the previous week. Stocks of domestic oil increased 903,000 barrels for the week and foreign crude increased 25,000 barrels.

Daily average production for the week was 4,087,000 barrels or a decrease of 250,000 barrels compared with the previous week's level. Runs to stills averaged 4,115,000 barrels daily, compared with 3,995,000 barrels for the preceding week.

Stock of crude petroleum and change from previous week (in thousands of barrels):

| Grade           | Nov. 29 | From Nov. 22 |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Oklahoma        | 51,841  | Dec. 307     |
| East Texas      | 20,679  | Inc. 368     |
| West Texas      | 17,605  | Inc. 468     |
| Gulf Coast Tex. | 23,551  | Dec. 723     |
| Other Texas     | 20,056  | Inc. 338     |

## Three Sacks Of Found 89 Years Old Found In Philly

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6 (AP)—Three sacks of mail, apparently hidden 89 years ago by a robber, today held high hopes for philatelists and historians—and the reason why love affairs and business dealings inexplicably went awry in the fall of 1852.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heugh, young commercial artists, discovered the cache among attic eaves while renovating an old house they recently purchased in downtown Philadelphia.

Among the 100 pieces of mail was a copy of the New York Herald for November 2, 1852, election day. Postal inspectors believed this dated the robbery and local newspapers of that time tell of a series of mail thefts "between here and Baltimore."

All seals had been broken—the letters were not in envelopes but folded and sealed as was done then—and investigators were of the opinion the robber had hidden his loot after taking any cash found in the mail.

But the cancelled stamps he casually stuffed away may be worth a small fortune, a collector here said. He pointed out that catalogs list a one-cent blue stamp current in those years at \$2,000. Other issues in common usage then are quoted from \$5 to \$2,500.

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## British Expecting Expeditionary Force Says Congressman

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—Chairman Snyder (D-Pa.) of the house military subcommittee, just back from England, declared today none of Britain's highest ranking officials with whom he talked, including Prime Minister Churchill, "even hinted that they expected an expeditionary force from the United States."

Snyder who went to Britain with a letter from President Roosevelt, declared, however, that the British "all daily hope for the arrival of more equipment and munitions," from America.

## Esso Director Will Speak At Chemical Meet

A. Voorhies, Jr., associate director of the Esso Corporation of Louisiana, will be principal speaker at a meeting of the Panhandle Plains section of the American Chemical Society Monday night at 7 o'clock in the Capitol hotel, Amarillo, the meeting being open to the public.

Mr. Voorhies has a bachelor of arts degree from St. Charles college, a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering from Louisiana State university, and a master of science degree in chemistry from Loyola university. Prior to joining the Esso corporation, Mr. Voorhies taught at Louisiana State Normal and at Loyola university. He is a member of the American Chemical society and Alpha Chi Sigma.

Subject of Mr. Voorhies' talk will be "Sulphuric Acid Alkylation Process." His talk will be accompanied by interesting slides.

## New Officers Of Stinnett Kiwanis Club Installed

District-Governor Fred Thompson of Pampa installed new officers of the Stinnett Kiwanis club at an installation banquet Thursday night in the gymnasium of the Stinnett school.

Principal speaker of the program was Joe Gordon, president-elect of the Pampa Kiwanis club.

Pampa, Sanford, and the three Amarillo Kiwanis clubs were represented at the banquet, attended by 325 persons.

Present from Pampa was the district governor, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goldston, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Caruth.

W. R. Goodwin is the new president of the Stinnett club.

The new officers are: President, W. R. Goodwin; Vice-President, J. V. New; Secretary, J. V. New; Treasurer, J. V. New; Past President, J. V. New; and District Governor, Fred Thompson.

The installation banquet was held at the Pampa Hotel and was a most successful affair. The program was well planned and the entertainment was of high quality.

The new officers of the Stinnett Kiwanis club are confident that they will be able to carry on the work of the club in a most efficient manner.

The Stinnett Kiwanis club has a long and honorable record and the new officers are sure to continue this tradition.

The club has many fine projects and the new officers are sure to see that these are carried out to the best of their ability.

The club has a very active membership and the new officers are sure to keep this membership active and growing.

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