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## FINNS SCORE SUCCESSES AGAINST SOVIET

Through the Editor's Spectacles  
By GEORGE

le of this day and gen- are witnessing one ory's most astonish- onts, an enigma the hich has not before d. You would not t from reading the ut there is a major Europe, a war invol- lions of men, the na- f three nations and thousands of air- You would have to through the columns morning's newspapers ly to detect a mention onflict which is on a o compare with the ar of 1914. All of ur news is concerned another "Ethiopian" t, in which big Rus- trying to destroy lit- land. It is as tough lers in a main event led a truce to watch little sideshow.

t all this sums up to uzzle that only time ve. Aside from occa- submarine incidents ne scares in the seas England, and a few etory raids between ignot and Seigfried his European war is more than an inten- on of what has been on all the time, a sort ed bluff in which side can quite over- e other or find the e to make the bluff here seems to be lit- bt of the truth of re- at underneath all this y show some desper- orts to approach a atic solution of the is- being made.

ably Russia's dast- attack upon Finland d a sobering effect Germany. The real of the soviet are man- a this move and Hit- ough he took a long ; in joining hands ussia, has little read- ouble the seriousness Russian ambitions. he soviet invasion of d may be an impetus a peaceful settle- of the European quar- specially since it is hat Italy will not join mbination that in- Russia.

ur country the Rus- tack on little Finland to be sufficient warn- those pinks and reds regard the Russian the ideal system and re seeking the over- of this government. lear enough that die- ip and not popular rovers what Russia Dictatorship and ambi- for empire willed this on Finland. If that f government and pol- e the products of com- s then our American nists are going to hard time justifying em under which the cannot govern them- And the American are one people, who,

### Out of a Job--The Hard Way



It's heave-ho and out you go for W. Lint Miller, Georgia state highway board chairman, who, fired by Governor Rivers, refused to leave his office at Atlanta. In the role of "bouncer" is Capitol Custodian W. C. Grimes.

### Pet Parade First of Holiday Series

The first of a series of December holiday trade promotion events will occur here Saturday when a pet parade, sponsored by the chamber of commerce and the junior chamber of commerce, will be held. Prizes of a \$5 photo and \$2.50 in cash for first place and \$1 each for second and third places will be offered winners.

Pet owners in the Cisco trade area and other areas are invited to take part. Carlton Hoider is chairman of the committee and he also has invited owners of saddle horses to ride them in the parade.

The march will form at 14th street and proceed along D avenue to Third street.

The following Saturday old Santa Claus will make his initial visit to Cisco, distributing gifts to the children.

### Rotary Club To Entertain Wives Thursday

Members of the Cisco Rotary club will be hosts tomorrow evening to their wives at the annual Rotary Ann program sponsored by the club. The women will provide the program and Mrs. Sutton Crofts, Mrs. Edward Lee and Mrs. H. H. Monk, the committee in charge, have announced a most interesting one.

The dinner will take place at the Laguna hotel at 7 o'clock. There will be no noon luncheon of the club.

### Cisco Youth Among Navy Raw Recruits

Among the 15 navy recruits scheduled to leave for training assignments next Wednesday, December 11, are R. R. Little, Cisco, son of Mrs. Frances Little, and J. P. Duplap of Eastland. Others are young men recruited from west Texas counties.

According to information from Abilene, from which place the recruits will depart, they will be sworn into the navy at Dallas December 12, when individual assignments will be made.

W. W. Wallace returned Tuesday from a short trip to College Station.

### TAYLOR GOES TO SEGUIN AS CC SECRETARY

New Manager for Cisco Chamber to Be Selected

Resignation of Bob Taylor as secretary of the Cisco chamber of commerce to accept a similar position with the Seguin chamber of commerce was accepted by the board of directors of the Cisco chamber last night with resolutions expressing the appreciation of the Cisco organization for Mr. Taylor's services and commending him to his new employment.

Mr. Taylor came to Cisco from Moran a year ago. During his tenure the Cisco chamber has made excellent progress with a number of projects of promise. Interest in the work of the organization has been increased, largely through the medium of monthly dinner-forums, to which all citizens of Cisco are invited to hear reports on chamber activity and to discuss problems of common interest to which the activities of the chamber are devoted.

Several applications for the position vacated by Mr. Taylor were received, and after a lengthy discussion, the board directed that a committee of five be named to examine the situation and report its recommendations to the chamber not later than ten days from the time of the meeting.

Mr. Taylor will leave to assume his duties at Seguin on December 15.

The meeting was occupied with no other business.

### Texas 4-H Boy's Hereford Entry Grand Champion

CHICAGO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Fame and fortune came to a Texas steer and its owner Tuesday.

Mayfield Kothmann's brown and white Hereford, "Lucky Boy 2nd," was selected as the grand champion of the 2,000 pure bred steers entered in the fortieth annual International Livestock exposition.

It was the tenth time since the grand championship was established in 1900 that a Hereford, considered by stockmen as an ideal range animal, captured the purple and gold ribbon.

Kothmann, an 19-year-old 4-H club boy from Mason, Texas, entered international competition for the first time this year. He said he paid \$35 for "Lucky Boy 2nd" 16 months ago, when the animal was two days old.

It weighed in for competition at 1,240 pounds, and Kothmann may realize more than \$4,000 on it at the public auction Thursday. Last year's grand champion, an Aberdeen-Angus, owned by Irene Brown of Aledo, Ill., brought \$3.35 a pound on the hoof.

### Dollar Wheat Back First Time in 1939

CHICAGO, Dec. 6 (AP)—Dollar wheat came back to the Chicago Board of Trade Tuesday for the first time since early in 1938.

The high price was paid for No. 3 red wheat in the spot market. Better grades were quoted above that figure, but no sales were recorded.

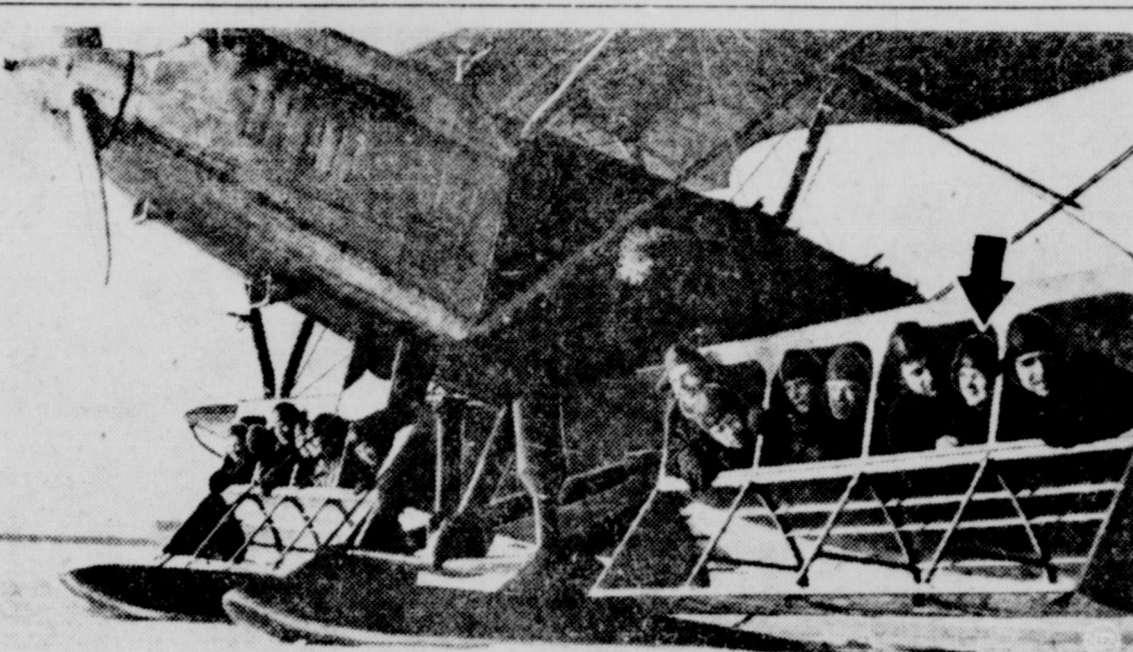
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foxworth have returned from a visit to points in Alabama.

### Weather

WEST TEXAS: Fair, warmer in north portion Wednesday; Thursday fair.

EAST TEXAS: Fair to partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday. Light to moderate variable winds from the coast.

### Soviet Women of War Fly Bombers in Finnish Raids



Soviet women of war are fighting and dying for Russia in the invasion of Finland, according to reports from Helsinki where a female pilot was said to be among red flyers shot down during a bombing raid. Squad of soviet air warriors—who drop from planes in parachutes—includes women, indicated by arrow. It is estimated at least 500 women are in the Russian air force.

### Throckmorton Gets O. K. For Lake Project

THROCKMORTON, Dec. 6 — The annual Throckmorton chamber of commerce dinner Tuesday was far from the routine food-speeches—and soda affair.

In the midst of the sedate festivities, Mayor Sloan Stribling tossed a bombshell. He announced receipt of official approval for a \$55,000 lake reservoir, a project the chamber has been promoting more than a year.

Stribling said he had been notified by the Brazos River authority that the way was clear for local financing of the project. An election to vote revenue bearing bonds will be held as soon as possible, possibly within the next 30 days, Stribling said. A recent mass meeting of Throckmorton residents indicated they favored the bonds.

The reservoir will be located a mile and a half southwest of the town, on the site of the present city lake, and will furnish water for city consumption.

### Cooperative Elevator At Happy Destroyed

HAPPY, Dec. 6 — The Happy wheat growers' elevator was destroyed Monday by fire of undetermined origin. The elevator and approximately 15,000 bushels of wheat were destroyed. The loss, covered by insurance, was estimated at \$27,500.

The elevator was owned and operated by a group of wheat growers in and around Happy. It was built in 1930.

### Texas Free Lunch Sum Gets Approval

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—President Roosevelt Tuesday approved several Works Projects Administration allocations for Texas, including one for \$2,085,000 for free lunches to needy public and parochial school children throughout the state.

Other projects were \$497,829 to Grayson county for road improvements and \$121,204 to Wharton county for drainage and flood control work on Bernard and West Bernard rivers.

### Agreements Reached In Irrigation Plan

BROWNWOOD, Dec. 6 — An agreement was reached here this week between the Brown County Water Improvement district, taxing body which controls the Brownwood irrigation project, and the contractors who built the lateral canals of the irrigation system whereby the contractors would pay the district \$17,500 to take over maintenance of the laterals.

The contractors were under contract to maintain the concrete facilities built by them against defective workmanship and materials for a period of one year.

### GETS 8-POINT BUCK

James Harvey, hunting at the Marble Falls ranch of H. E. Crofts, father of Sutton and Franklin Crofts of Cisco, two weeks ago, shot an eight-point buck.

### TAKE TANKS, PRISONERS IN ARCTIC AREA

Automatic Rifle Used With Deadly Effect on Invaders

HELSINKI, Dec. 6 (AP)—The Finnish army last night reported the capture of many Russian prisoners and the destruction of eight enemy tanks in the Karelian peninsula, while their air force bombed soviet bases beyond the Arctic circle.

The losses were inflicted on the invaders at Salmi, on the north shore of Lake Ladoga, after the Russians launched a heavy artillery attack, it was reported, with the Finns using a new automatic rifle with deadly effect.

At the same time, the army said the Russians had captured the little village of Kuolajarvi, 30 kilometers (about 31 miles) from the border.

The communique said it was evident that the red army was moving large numbers of troops against northern Finland.

Fighting back fiercely against the invaders, Finnish flyers were reported in Norwegian dispatches during the day to have raided a soviet air base at Murmansk, and to have destroyed 60 Russian planes with incendiary bombs. Murmansk is within the Arctic circle, 60 miles from the Finnish border.

Another Finnish air raid on Paldiski, Baltic port which Russian leased from Estonia, and whence soviet bombers are alleged to have set out to bomb Helsinki, was reported. The port is across the Gulf of Finland from Helsinki.

Both reports were without confirmation.

The Finns announced that since the soviet union launched its invasion 2,000 Russian troops and 64 of their tanks have been captured.

The Finnish general staff said that on the whole it was a "dull day" on the southern front in the Karelian isthmus with bad weather keeping airplanes grounded.

But many Finns were fearful of violent air raids against Helsinki today, the 21st anniversary of Finnish independence.

Automatic Rifles

In the Petsamo district, above the Arctic circle, frequent machine gun attacks by Russians were reported, with the Finns using their automatic rifles to good effect.

Finnish troops were reported withdrawing from the towns of

### Mrs. Irby and Library Staff Lions' Guests

The Lions club heard a very interesting program by Mrs. Lucretia Irby and her high school library staff at the noon luncheon today. It was a combination peace and Thanksgiving program. Lion Floyd Shepard was program chairman.

Lion O. L. Stamey was presented with a key membership from Lions International by Dist. Gov. W. H. LaRoque for his outstanding work in the club.

Lion Carney Nevill announced the club's ladies night banquet would be held next Wednesday night.

Lion Roy Tuggle had as his guest Stanley Webb, who is now advertising manager for the Cisco Daily Press.

### Work Resumed on The Scranton Gym

After a shutdown of several months, a WPA project providing for construction of a \$25,000 gymnasium at Scranton school has been resumed, it was stated here today.

The job was shutdown because of technical reasons. The gymnasium will be of the stone masonry type.

### Ranger College Flying School O. K.

RANGER, Dec. 6 (Spc)—Announcement was made Tuesday by W. T. Walton, president of the Ranger Junior college, that word had been received to start the student flight training courses of the college immediately.

The college was approved as one of many to offer flight instruction several weeks ago, and approval has already been secured on the equipment and instructors.

Allied courses in mathematics, meteorology and other subjects will be offered in the regular classes at Ranger Junior college, and the flight instruction will be given at the Ranger airport.

Walton urged that all who are interested in taking the courses register at once, in order that the first list might be sent in and the students approved for the training. One girl for each unit of 10 students can take the flying course.

C. R. West spent the past few days transacting business in west Texas.

George Boedeker and Clare Hedington of Dallas are business visitors here.



### CHRISTIANS, AWAKE!

"Christians, awake! Salute the happy morn, Wheren the Savior of mankind was born . . ."

John Byrom, 18th century English humorist, promised his little daughter, Dorothy, he would write something for her on Christmas in 1745. Among her presents she found the manuscript of this carol, with its original title, "Christmas Day for Dolly."

15 Shopping Days Till Christmas

Bring Your Pets to the Big Pet Parade at Cisco Saturday Dec. 9th.

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### BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

I have set watchmen upon thy walls, O Jeru-  
salem, which shall never hold their peace, day nor  
night; ye that make mention of the Lord keep not  
silence.—ISA. LXIII, 3.

Give thy heart's best treasures,  
And the more thou spendest  
From thy little store,  
With a double bounty  
God will give thee more.  
—A. A. PROCTER.

Remember: People will work the better be-  
cause they work from love, not merely doing their  
duty, and obeying in a blind way.—Miss Muloon.

### Stopping Disease Before It Begins

THE children of those sinewy pioneers who  
chopped down trees and shot down In-  
dians as part of their daily routine to open  
up a wilderness continent are growing soft.  
It is not the fault of Twentieth Century in-  
habitants if there are no more trees to be  
chopped down. Nor can they be blamed if  
they ride around the country in automobiles  
without fear of running into a hostile Indian  
tribe that has to be dusted off or else.

But the American Youth Commission,  
an adjunct of the American Council on Edu-  
cation, is worried about the general state of  
affairs, and is asking that something be done  
about it. The progress of medical science in  
combating disease is not enough. The nation  
at large, the commission believes, must be  
given an opportunity to prevent the ailments  
in the first place so that there will be no  
need for treating them at all.

To bring about such a program, the fed-  
eral government will have to kick in, the  
commission frankly declares in a recent re-  
port. It is perfectly true that individual state

governments are badly prepared financially  
to institute such a program; and if they did,  
the systems adopted would vary with the  
different states. What is proposed now is an  
extension of services being conducted by the  
federal government.

THE modern way of living in America has  
done something to the body. It is less fit  
to withstand disease generally than it was  
when vigorous exercise was part of the daily  
routine. While the treatment of disease has  
advanced steadily, preventative measures  
have not quite kept pace with the simplifica-  
tion of our routine of life.

To prepare youngsters against suscepti-  
bility to disease later in life, steps must be  
taken early. Many schools are already giv-  
ing their pupils regular periods of physical  
instruction and exercises. The Youth Com-  
mission feels these activities are not wide-  
spread enough. The boys and girls who are  
most in need of exercise usually pass up gym-  
nasium classes because they are not adept in  
physical education.

The teaching of hygiene and preventive  
measures is also in need of considerable ex-  
pansion, the commission contends. The re-  
sults of a recent survey conducted revealed  
only about 10 per cent of all students received  
hygiene instruction in high school or col-  
lege. Another recommendation is a regular  
system of frequent physical examinations to  
detect disease or potential disease at the ear-  
liest stage possible.

WHETHER the federal government can be  
persuaded to fork out funds while even  
the president is blue-penciling the budget  
seems pretty uncertain just now. But the  
extension of outdoor recreational activities  
and school physical education programs can  
be undertaken by the schools themselves in co-  
operation with municipal recreational bodies.

Many schools and many cities have al-  
ready developed excellent programs. Peri-  
odical physical examinations are already  
available in many institutions. How much  
further these plans can be carried depends  
entirely on how much money can be laid  
aside. When federal funds are a little more  
abundant, a discreet share might very well  
be given to foster an expanded health pro-  
gram of this nature.

A man convicted of selling phony oil  
leases was sent to a penitentiary, the warden  
of which was one of his victims. There  
should be some pleasant little chats about  
the good old days.

A bus load of 19 traffic cops collided with  
a vegetable truck in California and in a min-  
ute all of the officers were in action. It's  
better not to think about it.

Thieves skinned three mink and made  
off with the pelts valued at \$18, although the  
live mink would have brought \$180. They  
are probably satisfied with small but steady  
profits.

## Postscript to the News From Abroad



the ballot for the second pri-  
mary.  
NOTE: This date conflicts with  
August 12, the Monday follow-  
ing. This conflict will have to  
be reconciled by the democratic  
state executive committee.  
Aug. 16: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
second statement of campaign  
expenses of second primary.  
Aug. 21: Last day for absentee  
voting in second primary.  
Aug. 24: SECOND PRIMARY  
ELECTION DAY.  
Aug. 26: Last day for county  
judges to count returns of first  
primary for legislators.  
Aug. 26: The commissioners' court  
meets to canvass returns of sec-  
ond primary.  
Sept. 3: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
final statement of campaign ex-  
penses of second primary with  
county clerk or secretary of  
state, as case may be. ALSO  
last day for candidates whose  
election was final in second pri-  
mary to file statement of cam-  
paign expenses with county  
judge of candidate's residence.  
Sept. 9: State executive commit-  
tee meets at place selected for  
meeting of democratic state con-  
vention to open and canvass re-  
turns of second primary election  
held to nominate candidates for  
state offices, etc.; also to pre-  
pare list of delegates to state  
convention.  
Sept. 10: Democratic convention  
meets at place named by state  
executive committee on June 10  
to announce a platform of prin-

principles, announce nominations  
for governor and state officers,  
etc.  
Sept. 23: Last day for county  
judge to count returns of sec-  
ond primary for legislators.

### Holiday Workers Urged to Secure S. S. Numbers

SAN ANGELO, Dec. 6 (Sp)—  
Persons who expect to work tem-  
porarily in stores, shops, and other  
business establishments during  
the holiday season were urged by  
W. O. King, manager of the San  
Angelo office of the Social Se-  
curity board, to assure themselves  
that they can produce their so-  
cial security numbers before  
making application for employ-  
ment.  
"Those who have not already  
done so should equip themselves  
with an account number, because  
many employers now require ac-  
count numbers be recorded be-  
fore the worker may start on the  
job," King said. "Duplicate cards  
should be requested by workers  
whose originally-issued cards have  
been lost or destroyed."  
Employment in seasonal busi-  
nesses such as turkey picking,  
pecan shelling, and part-time  
work is covered by law. It was  
pointed out that the fact that  
workers are employed on a tem-  
porary basis does not exclude

them from participation in the  
old-age and survivors insurance  
program. Generally, any employ-  
ment in the fields of commerce  
and industry is covered. Wages  
received for such work are  
counted toward old-age and sur-  
vivors insurance.  
"Employers should request all  
employees to obtain account num-  
bers promptly, and make a re-  
cord of them, since each employ-  
er is requested to report each  
three months the name of his  
worker, his number, and amount  
of wages paid him," King said.  
"Application forms, available in  
San Angelo at the Social Security  
board office, and elsewhere in  
this area in post offices, should  
be filled out and returned to the  
Social Security board, 412 Rust  
building, San Angelo, Texas. To  
those who apply at our office  
personally, we are able to issue  
an account number in just a few  
minutes. Account cards are for-  
warded for applications received  
by mail on the same day they  
are received, provided they are  
properly executed."  
It was explained that persons  
who already have established so-  
cial security accounts should not  
apply for another. King empha-  
sized that a worker keeps his one  
social security account number,  
reporting it to each of his employ-  
ers, throughout his working life-  
time, regardless of the number of  
firms by whom he may be em-  
ployed.

ALMOST all metals are found  
imbedded in rock.

### Italians Wish To Join Finnish Army

ROME, Dec. 6 (P)—Scores of  
Italians sought to enlist in the  
Finnish army Tuesday to fight against  
the Russians. Many young Italians  
appeared at the Finnish legation  
in person to offer their services.  
The prospects of Italian vol-  
unteers going to Finland was con-  
sidered slight in diplomatic cir-  
cles because of the difficulty in  
obtaining passports while Italy is  
intent on defending her own ter-  
ritory.  
Finnish Minister Eero Jarnfelt

told applicants their  
would be gladly accepted if  
found means of reaching Fin-  
  
THE FIRST to distinguish  
between sensory and motor  
was Erasistratus, a great physi-  
of the third century, B. C.  
  
A GOLD URN in a monas-  
chapel overlooking the Black  
is the resting place of the  
of Queen Marie of Romania.  
  
TEN POUNDS of starch  
obtained from a bushel of  
potatoes which have a fairly  
starch content.

### BRUCE CATTON'S AMERICAN ROUNDUP

BY BRUCE CATTON  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON.—Every senator  
spends a good part of his  
time trying to figure out what  
the folks back home want. Sen-  
ator Arthur Capper of Kansas has  
hit upon a direct, fool-proof way  
to find out: he simply hires a hall  
and invites 'em to tell him.  
On Dec. 20 he is going to hold  
the second of his informal farm  
conferences in Topeka.  
He got the idea last year; in-  
vited any and all Kansas farmers  
who had anything on their minds  
to come to a public meeting and  
talk things over. More than 1000  
of them responded. The senator  
listened to a solid day of five-min-  
ute speeches and felt that he  
learned a lot.  
Now he's going to make this  
an annual affair. He has invited  
the governor of Kansas and the  
whole Kansas congressional dele-  
gation to attend the Dec. 20 con-  
ference, together with the heads  
of various farm organizations, and  
hopes that at least as many farm-  
ers will show up as came last year.  
There is no particular political as-  
pect to it, and no set program is  
planned.  
"I'll tell them what's been go-  
ing on during this last session of  
Congress and what seems to be  
planned for the coming session,"  
says Senator Capper.  
"Then I'll ask them to tell me  
what they want and how they've  
been getting along. The idea is to  
express himself and make known  
what he thinks ought to be done."  
"The conference won't make  
any formal recommendations—un-  
less someone gets up and moves  
something—but out of it will come  
some ideas, certainly. It's an ex-  
ample of democracy functioning in  
a direct way."

THE territory of Puerto Rico  
may spend up to half a million  
dollars of territorial funds ad-  
justing its rum next year, if  
now being talked up by some  
of the island's business men  
through.  
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A BIG step in the right direc-  
—in the view of the gov-  
ment experts who want to see  
the United States' trade with  
America built up—was taken  
other day when Brazil announced  
that it would set up a cen-  
tral bank.  
These experts have felt all  
that no substantial, permanent  
increase in trade to the U.  
American nations could be ex-  
pected until central banking in-  
stitutions were established in  
different countries. The Brazil  
finance minister, Arthur de Sa  
Costa, discussed a plan for es-  
tablishing such a bank in Brazil  
Secretary Morgenthau a couple  
years ago. Last year Presi-  
Roosevelt suggested that the  
country extend a \$50,000,000  
loan to Brazil to make it possible  
Congress was cold to the idea.  
Now Brazil's financial posi-  
tion is better. Her gold reserve  
at better than \$32,000,000 and  
has recently been buying a re-  
deal of gold in this country—  
incidentally, a million pounds  
which had been sent to England  
for the purpose of buying ves-

### Texas Political Calendar for 1940

Following is the Texas political  
calendar for the year 1940:  
Jan. 31 Last day to pay poll tax  
or obtain exemption certificates  
when required (these may be  
obtained as early as October 1,  
1939). City poll tax necessary  
in cities where levied. (The  
husband for the wife or the  
wife for the husband may pay  
each other's poll tax or may  
obtain the certificate of ex-  
emption).  
May 4: Democratic primary con-  
vention in each voting precinct  
to name delegates to county  
convention for purpose of ul-  
timately selecting delegates to  
the democratic national conven-  
tion to choose nominees for  
president and vice-president.  
May 7: Democratic county con-  
vention in each county to elect  
delegates to state convention.  
May 28: Democratic convention  
meets to elect delegates to na-  
tional convention.  
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CON-  
VENTION usually held in June,  
time and place to be fixed by  
the democratic national com-  
mittee in January, 1940.  
June 3: Last day for candidates  
to file application for place on  
primary ballot for state and  
district offices; also United  
States senator.  
June 10: State executive commit-  
tee meets to certify names of  
candidates to county chairmen,  
decide upon and publish the  
place where the state conven-  
tion will be held on September  
10.  
June 10: County executive com-  
mittee meets.  
June 15: Last day for candidates  
to file applications for place on  
primary ballot for county and  
precinct offices.  
June 17: County executive com-

mittee meets; county chairman  
to be present.  
June 22: Last day for candidates  
to pay ballot fees.  
June 24: Primary committee meets  
to make up official ballot for  
primary election on July 27.  
July 2: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
first statement of campaign ex-  
penses of first primary.  
July 7: Absentee ballots in the  
first primary may be cast be-  
ginning this date (Sunday).  
July 19: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
second statement of campaign  
expenses of first primary.  
July 24: Last day for absentee  
voting in first primary.  
July 27: FIRST PRIMARY ELEC-  
TION (precinct delegates elect-  
ed, and county and precinct  
chairmen to be elected; candi-  
dates for all other offices to be  
nominated).  
July 29: The commissioners' court  
meets to canvass returns of the  
first primary.  
July 30: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
final statement of campaign ex-  
penses of second primary.  
Aug. 3: County conventions meet  
to elect delegates to state and  
district conventions.  
Aug. 4: Absentee ballots in the  
second primary may be cast  
beginning this date (Sunday).  
Aug. 6: Last day for candidates  
and campaign managers to file  
final statement of campaign ex-  
penses of first primary with  
county clerk or secretary of  
state, as case may be. ALSO  
last day for candidates whose  
election was final in first pri-  
mary to file statement of cam-  
paign expenses with county  
judge of county of candidate's  
residence.  
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ecutive committee to meet and  
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# Chemurgic Sweet Potato Pie Promises Housewife Ease, New Industry for Denton



potato solves difficult storage and shipping difficulties met with by sweet potato growers. Because the sweet potato is about 70 per cent water, it is too delicate to send into cold areas and costs too much to send long distances. But the dehydrated product perfected by Gilbert Wilson, instructor in chemurgy at the Denton Teachers college is a chemically stable form which lasts almost indefinitely, and can be kept under varied weather conditions in all parts of the world.

Wilson had already completed the dehydration of the whole sweet potato before he came to the Denton Teachers college as in-

**Pies made from dehydrated sweet potatoes will be served at the January dinner- forum of the Cisco chamber of commerce, C of C President S. H. Nance has announced. The pies will be made from sweet potato meal furnished by the chemurgic laboratories of the North Texas State Teachers college, where Gilbert C. Wilson, professor of chemurgy, developed it.**

structor of chemurgy. This was done when the young chemurgist was still science instructor at White Oak high school. The first public demonstration of its uses was at a chemurgic banquet at Gladewater last winter, the present being served with sweet potato pie cooked from the dehydrated potato.

Despite the success of this demonstration, however, industrial interest in the production of the product lagged until this winter, when its possibilities were seen by the industrial committee of the Denton chamber of commerce. This committee decided to take over the distribution of the dehydrated potato on a small industrial basis. Wilson, who is also at this time working on the industrial dehydration of the sweet potato for cattle feed and starches for the East Texas Sweet Potato Dehydration association, is serving as technological director of the Denton project.

If production proves successful on the present basis, production will be increased and a permanent industry created for Denton, Fowler has announced. This plant will be operated exclusively by students working their way through the college and will prove a tremendous boon in student aid in the college, according to Wilson. The industry will be able to use sound potatoes, large or small, whereas buyers of fancy table potatoes usually demand number ones — large uniform yams.

Recipes Furnished  
Recipes for cooking with the whole dehydrated sweet potato will be furnished with each sack of flour. These one-pound sacks are now priced to retail at about 20 cents each.

To the housewife, the principal value of the new sweet potato meal will be as a time saver, but it will also get her more uniform pies of smoother texture. With the raw sweet potato she must bake or boil her potatoes, peel and mash them, whereas,

commerce, and, according to Otis Fowler, secretary of the Denton chamber, it is hoped by the committee that the project will become an important industrial development for Denton and the farmers of this area.

The undertaking will serve also as a testing place for an industry that could reach out into many southern communities and aid farmers of the entire south in finding markets throughout the country, especially in the north and east.

Dehydration of the whole sweet

with the dehydrated product she has but to mix the sweet potato "meal" with a given quantity of water, and she is at the same point in pie making which she has reached when she has mashed her potatoes.

Experiments indicate that one cup of meal should be added to the one and two-fifths cup of water to give the equivalent of two cups of baked mashed potatoes.

Since one pound of sweet potato meal is the equivalent of four pounds of raw potatoes, it is estimated that the dehydrated potato will cost the average housewife little, if any more than its equivalent in raw potatoes.

Two one-pound bags of the dehydrated potato will bake five pies. Those pies and other foods baked from the meal will be rich in vitamin content, according to Wilson, since the dehydrated potato retains all of its vitamin content and is especially rich in vitamins A, B and C.

**WAR** lack of jobs and racial antagonisms head the list of items about which high-school students are most concerned, according to a recent Y.M.C.A. survey.

their rights are respected. Cooperation between the hunters and landowners is considered to be to the best interests of both.

## Seek Means to Aid Finns With Debt Payments

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (AP)—As a further gesture of sympathy for Finland, President Roosevelt disclosed Tuesday that he was seeking a method of using Finnish war debt payments for the benefit of people of the little Baltic nation, now being attacked by Russia.

At the same time, he took occasion to slap the critics of his foreign policy. Objection to it has come, he said, from statesmen in Russia and Germany, from the publicity director of the republican national committee—whose name he said he could not remember—and from a small number of politically-minded people in the house and senate.

It was learned, meanwhile, that the administration was postponing a decision on the question of recalling the American ambassador to Russia, a course of action strongly proffered by several republican leaders, who have criticized the president for recognizing

Russia originally. In this connection it was indicated the administration is hopeful the Russo-Finnish hostilities may be ended soon.

**Joint Denunciation.**  
A fourth development of the day was a statement by Sumner Welles, the acting secretary of state, making known that the United States was ready to take part in a joint denunciation of Russia by a number of American nations.

Mr. Roosevelt told of his plans for the Finnish war debt payments at a press conference, in the course of which he replied with an abrupt and emphatic negative to a question whether it would be unneutral to forgive the Finnish debt payments under the circumstances.

As to just what would ultimately be worked out, Mr. Roosevelt was uncertain. Thus far, however, he said, he had asked Secretary Morgenthau to segregate the Finnish debt payment of \$234,000, expected on Dec. 15, in a separate account and leave it untouched until the best method of making the money available to the Finnish people could be worked out. Some similar treatment may be accorded Finland's past payments, he indicated.

The fact that Finland, alone of all the nations of Europe, has scrupulously kept up her debt payments to the United States, has served to intensify the already

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Dec. 6 (Spc)—A cup of potato meal, one and a half cups of water, stir just before average housewife to bake in half.

The story of a pie and the story of a new industry in Denton, Texas, where the chamber of commerce, and

Wilson, instructor in chemurgy at the North Texas State Teachers college, have got and started a brand new industry whose potential significance industrial progress

entire south.  
1. Miss Merrill Horton, senior home economics student from Whitehouse, takes from the oven the first sweet potato pie baked from the dehydrated whole potato in the home economics laboratory at the Denton Teachers college.

2. How it is done—left, raw potatoes; center, the dehydrated product; right, one-pound sacks ready for distribution; front, the pie baked from the dehydrated potato. Gilbert Wilson, NTSTC instructor in chemurgy, had successfully dehydrated the whole potato when he was still a science instructor at White Oak high school, but despite a public demonstration, industrial interest lagged until this fall, when the Denton chamber of commerce in-

dustry.  
The new product is the whole sweet potato, dehydrated for fancy baking—a yellow meal or flour-like substance which promises the housewife sweet potato pies in half the time and trouble and which can be used in the baking of such fancy delicacies as muffins, "patties," sweet potato "sticks," puddings, and desserts of all kinds.

Production and distribution of the dehydrated potato is being sponsored by the industrial committee of the Denton chamber of



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## SERIAL STORY 5 WOULD KILL

**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
**ARNOLD BENTHORNE**—Five persons wished him dead.  
**HELEN BENTHORNE**—His charming young wife.  
**WILLIAM ALSTON**—Benthorne's father-in-law and business associate.  
**JOEY DI TORIO**—Night club owner and gangster.  
**ARA JOHNSON**—The mystery girl.  
**JOHN DOUGLAS**—A young mining engineer, in love with Ara.  
**CAPTAIN DAWSON**—a detective who likes to listen.

**YESTERDAY**, Dawson is almost certain that Douglas killed Benthorne and Joey. Ara comes to plead for Douglas. She was in the passageway when Benthorne was killed, saw di Torio come out. She insists di Torio was the killer. Dawson agrees to spread the rumor that Ara also saw the killer, in an effort to make the murderer strike again.

**CHAPTER XIX**  
A feeling of sincere admiration for this courageous girl swept over Dawson as he watched her leave. She knew that she might soon share Tony's fate, but he was sure she would meet it chin up and smiling. For the first time in her life she had found love—and now nothing else mattered. She was so sure that Douglas was innocent that Dawson thought of searching his case against the youth for possible loopholes. But there were more important things at hand.

It would not be difficult to drop a few hints that Ara knew as much, and possibly more, as di Torio. A couple of questions, even a knowing nod, would tell all he wanted the others to know. Flynn and Krone were old hands at creating just this type of situation. Dawson stepped to the study door and called Flynn. The officer came into the room almost immediately. "Flynn, I want the others—Miss Benthorne, Alston and Douglas—to get the idea that Miss Johnson knows the identity of the person who killed Arnold Benthorne, and also that she saw Tony's murderer. You and Krone can manage that."

Flynn nodded knowingly, and Dawson continued. "In the meantime release Douglas, and permit all of them to go about the house as before. But don't, under any circumstances, let that girl get out of your sight. You will be responsible for her safety. I believe this killer will try to get her out of the way, just as Joey was eliminated. It's your job to see that the attempt—if one is made—does not succeed. Keep your gun handy. Understand?"

"Sure, Captain. But supposing this girl did the killing herself, Flynn suggested. "Then who's going to take a shot at her?"

"We'll have to wait and see. In the meantime, keep your eyes on the girl."

Dawson pondered Flynn's suggestion, after his assistant had left. Could Ara have been the murderer? How about the others?

Methodically, with the precision of a judge, the detective began to mentally weigh the evidence for and against each of the five named in Benthorne's note.

Ara. She had a motive—hate. She had admitted she came to the house determined to kill Benthorne, and only the untimely arrival of Mrs. Benthorne had prevented her. She might even have had the intention as she left the taxicab and returned to the passageway. Was it she, whom di Torio had seen as he peered around the doorway?

There was one argument in her favor—time. Dawson recalled Krone's report that he had started running toward the front of the house with the sound of Flynn's whistle, and had not yet reached the front of the house when he heard the shot. It was likely that Ara could have turned the corner in the cab, run to the passageway door, and made it to Benthorne's study—all in the same space of time that it took Krone to run around the house.

She was definitely in the cab when Flynn blew his whistle. She had to move quickly to make it inside the passageway, as she had said. No time was a conclusive witness for Ara's innocence.

As to Mrs. Benthorne . . . she had been the first to reach the locked study door. Had she come down the front stairs, shot her husband, then hurried back upstairs again, giving Joey his chance to escape?

If she did not love Benthorne as much as she wanted Dawson to believe—and he was certain of that—was the discovery of Benthorne's daughter and the fear of the damage a scandal might do to her social position, and to her pride, sufficient motive for murder? Dawson wondered. Murders were committed for more insignificant reasons.

Then there was the second shooting. If Helen Benthorne had suspected Joey knew too much, could she have gone up the back stairs, crossed the hall to the head of the front stairway and shot Joey from there? She had been panting, as if she had been running. Dawson recalled, when they collided on the back steps.

Panting far more, he realized now, than if she had just run up the few steps from Jameson's quarters. But her shortness of breath might be attributed to excitement.

How about Alston? There was little love between him and his son-in-law. Granting that his heart was not as bad as he had suggested, Alston had had ample time to run from the back entry to the study in the interval between the time he left Krone and the firing of the shot. Then up the back stairs, a pause on the landing and a slow descent down the front stairs.

But there was the problem of Joey again. Alston had taken at least two and possibly three sleeping pills. And two of those pills would make a Rip Van Winkle out of any man. The old man had been sound asleep when di Torio was killed.

It all came back to Douglas. Douglas with a motive, however old—the slaying of his uncle, "Big Red," and the theft of the mine. Douglas at the window; Douglas climbing in the window, threatening Benthorne, finally killing him.

What was it Joey had said he heard?

Douglas hiding in the hall after coming through the passageway. But he had said he didn't know about that entrance.

Douglas listening to the study as Joey recounted what he had seen. Douglas shooting di Torio, dashing down the passageway to get out of the gun and return to the study. Douglas—with mud on his shoes.

What about the blocked door? Had Douglas been inside the study while Flynn and Krone tried to break down the door? Dawson stepped to the door again, shouting, "Flynn, bring Douglas in here!"

"I'm giving you one last chance to give us your side of the story, Douglas," Dawson announced when the young man faced him. "I've been lenient with you—I haven't demanded too many explanations—and you've done just as I expected you to do—talk yourself into a jam. Right now there are half a dozen counts of sound, circumstantial evidence against you—and that's enough in this state. You'd better talk fast and tell the truth. Nothing else will do you any good."

"What about Ara?" Douglas queried, guardedly.

"She's in this as much as you are!" Dawson shot back. "She knows plenty . . . And don't try any heroics—like lying to save

## Report Finnish Composer Killed



Report that Jean Sibelius, famed Finnish composer, had been killed in Helsinki air raids caused anxiety among music lovers throughout the world. Best known for his "Valse Triste" and the patriotic tone poem "Finlandia," he was once before endangered when threatened by Bolsheviks in Independence War of 1918.

the girl. You may only get her more involved."

Douglas studied the detective intently. Perhaps Dawson was right. If he told all he knew now, Ara might be protected. He looked straight into Dawson's cold, penetrating eyes, smiled, and asked: "What do you want to know?"

"Were you in this room before

## A&M To Meet Tulane in Sugar Bowl

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 6.—Powerhouse Texas A. & M., a team that felled 10 straight foes in its greatest season since 1926, greeted the formal announcement it had been selected to play in the Sugar bowl post-season classic against Tulane with rebel Howls.

The New Orleans Mid-Winter Sports association announced Tuesday night that the Green Wave and the Cadets had accepted invitations.

Many hours before, the Aggies, currently ranked the country's best football team, had met in closed session with Coach Homer Norton and voted a preference for the New Orleans classic.

Not, however, until it appeared the last possibility for a New Year's day date with mighty Tennessee in the Dallas Cotton bowl had faded, did the Cadets make their decision.

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Deal. E. J. Kyle, chairman of the Aggie Athletic council, said

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About fifty from our regular stock. Regular values \$12.85.  
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Regular \$1.00 Hose 73c  
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REGULAR \$1.00 TIES

Choice 79c

(Cheney and Arrow Ties)

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Mrs. E. Hooks
Is Hostess For
Delphian Club

The Alpha Delphian Study club met this morning at the club house at 9:30, with Mrs. E. Hooks as hostess.

Mrs. R. S. Cope was program leader for the day and also gave the critic's report.

Mrs. Myrtle Whitney of Breckenridge is visiting relatives here for a short while.

Circle 2 Meets
At The Church

With Mrs. N. H. Bizard and H. L. Jackson as co-hostesses, Circle Two of the First Presbyterian auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Those present for the meeting were Mrs. F. J. Borman, N. H. Bizard, Abbie C. Daniel, H. L. Jackson, John W. McKinney, E. J. Crawford, Chidress, J. H. Jones, E. M. Shurtleff, Elizabeth McCracken, J. G. Jones, Sr., C. H. Fess, O. Gustafson and R. S. Cope.

WMS Has Business Meeting Tuesday

Members of the Women's Missionary society of the First Methodist church met at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the regular monthly business meeting.

Eastern Star Chapter Meets

Chapter 461, Order of Eastern Star met at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening for the regular order of business, and to practice initiatory work.

Plans were discussed for the annual Christmas tree and program, after which the meeting adjourned.

POTATO growers found 1939 one of the driest years on record.

TEXAS farmers produced more than 49,000,000 bushels of wheat last year.

SIXTY per cent of all childhood rheumatic fever cases develop heart trouble in later life.

ENDOWMENT funds for colleges decreased by three per cent during 1938-1939.

East Baptist YWA Meets on Monday

The East Baptist Y. W. A. met Monday evening at the church in an interesting Bible study of the fourth chapter of Matthew.

The Y. W. A. girls will put on a Lottie Moon Christmas Offering program at the church during the prayer service Wednesday evening, beginning at 7:30.

There were six members present.

Personals

Eldon D. Anderson, of Big Spring, is here for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. W. K. Johnston is expected to leave this week for an indefinite stay in El Paso.

The Notebook

Wednesday

The Delphian Study club will meet at the clubhouse at 9:30.

The Baptist W. M. S. will meet at the church at 3:15 with Circle Five in charge.

The Junior G. A. will meet at the church at 4 o'clock.

The Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. Fred Steffey, 510 East 7th, at 7:30 p. m.

Thursday

The Baptist W. M. S. will meet at the church at 3:15, with Circles Six and Seven in charge.

The First Industrial Arts club will meet at the clubhouse at 3 o'clock.

Friday

The Baptist Women's Missionary society will meet at the church at 3:15 with Circle One in charge.

The Twentieth Century club will meet at the club house at 3 o'clock.

Saturday

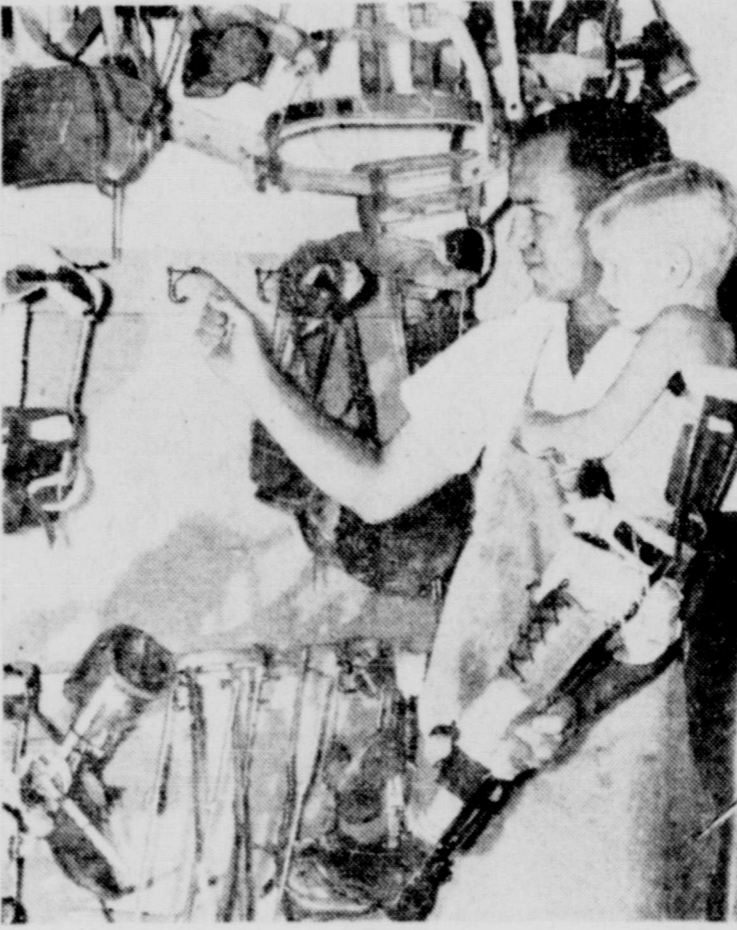
The Intermediate G. A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Leon McPherson at 5:30.

OF ALL THE SEAS, only the Mediterranean is contemporary with recorded history.

Great Britain held the Hawaiian Islands for a period of five months in 1843.

Potatoes are the chief crop of Maine.

This Crippled Youngster Plans Discarding of His Steel Brace



Little Gary Romero, 5, patient at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, Dallas, did not complain of the cumbersome brace he had to wear when Cecil Wren, of the hospital brace shop, showed him the space he's reserving for Gary to hang up the device when he's well.

16,000 Braces Made at Scottish Rite Hospital

DALLAS, Dec. 6 (Spc).—A wide wall covered from floor to ceiling with worn steel and leather braces, plaster casts and old crutches is mute evidence at Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children of hundreds of youngsters who have passed through the institution and emerged, after months\* or years of brace wearing or crutch walking, as healthy, normal children.

10 pounds, braces are blacksmithed into shape and size on a gas forge and anvil.

The figure of Freedmo surmounting the dome of the national capitol weighs 7 1-2 tons.

THE GREATEST area of quicksand in the world is Diamond Shoals, off Cape Hatteras, N. C.

Japan annexed Korea in 1910.

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regardless of all the agitators, the Boobeurinski's, the Molotoffis and the Stalin-skis, and of all the propaganda that comes out of Moscow, are going to have a very decisive voice in how they are governed and who governs them.

Finns Score--

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Uusikirkko, Valkjarvi and Rautu in accordance with a pre-arranged plan.

Heavy pressure was reported on the eastern frontier with the Russians using their motorized equipment with some effectiveness.

For the last two days the Russian fleet was said to have bombed the outer islands of the Gulf of Finland. The largest of the group, Tyrtasaari, was occupied by Russians after Finnish sea guards there moved out.

Finnish fliers managed to make a few reconnaissance flights, attacking some Russian troop concentrations despite the weather, a military spokesman said.

A Finnish announcement said Russian prisoners had declared their officers had informed them the Finns were the aggressors, and that the war would be over in five or six days.

Bounties for the killing of cows have been offered in the United States since 1789.

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A. & M. to Play--

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ing, the fans who stayed with them through their great march this season, a chance to see the Texas game.

Players' Wishes

Throughout the long negotiations, which kept football mad Dallas and Texas at the breaking point, the Aggie officials reminded that the players' wishes would be followed. They voted for the Sugar bowl after being advised that the proposed Tennessee game had struck snags and decisions would necessarily have to be delayed until Saturday.

The belief has always been strong in Texas that Tennessee, not the Aggies, had the inside track for a Rose bowl bid.

The Aggies feared that Tennessee, if it hurdled the Auburn hump, would accept a Rose bowl invitation.

To further confuse the matter, rumors seeped in from the Pacific coast that University of California at Los Angeles, the team Southern California must beat to earn their spot in the Rose bowl, had a definite yen to play the Cadets if they became the western representative for the Pasadena classic.

Not even Christmas shopping could compete with the breathless street corner gossip here today. Newspaper offices were flooded

with calls and radio reports.

A Tulane-Aggie game is new.

For many years the Aggies have battled annually at New Orleans, attracting huge crowds.

Seek Means--

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deep sympathy for that mother hour of duress. She that she be given special treatment regarding her debt have been made in several instances.

However, it has been pointed out that only congress can change terms of any of the present agreements. A default, technical and however, proved by popular opinion, moreover, legally prevents a new government from taking credits here under the act.

THERE IS no such thing as tame honeybees, according to entomologists. They say bees handle the insects because they understand their nature.

WHAT CAUSES EPIDEMICS IS THERE A CURE?

A booklet containing the names of famous doctors on this interesting subject will be sent FREE, which in any reader writing to the Division, 535 Fifth Avenue, N. Y., Dept. D1321

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Advertisement for Carl Johnson Dry Goods. Text: 'NOW OPEN New Stock Dry Goods, Shoes, Ready-to-Wear. South Side of Square EASTLAND, TEXAS. Carl Johnson Dry Goods. CARL JOHNSON, Owner.'

Advertisement for 'THIS CURIOUS WORLD' by William Ferguson. Features illustrations of a runner and a meteor crater. Text: 'SECOND WIND, THE PHENOMENON EXPERIENCED BY DISTANCE RUNNERS, IS MERELY AN ADJUSTMENT OF THE HEART RATE TO BREATHING. KENZKOPFER... THEY HAVE FOUND NO FRAGMENTS OF METEORS IN THE BIG CRATER NEAR WINSLOW, ARIZONA. ENGLISH SOLDIERS AVERAGE FOUR INCHES MORE IN HEIGHT TODAY THAN THEY DID JUST ONE CENTURY AGO.'

Advertisement for W. Shakespeare. Text: 'W. Shakespeare holds the record for using more different words than any other writer ever known. Great stuff, Will. But a billion fancy words about easy Winter starting could scarcely mean as much as this one fact... Special Winter Blend CONOCO BRONZ-Z-Z is the high-mileage gasoline that gives any car in average condition the full Winter starting ease built in at the factory. DRIVE IN TODAY Your Conoco Mileage Merchant'

Advertisement for Tony's fruit. Text: 'We Asked Tony and TONY SAYS: Follow the Crowds! Tony knows what he's talking about. Tony may look blank when you mention "media - emotional copy-layout," but ask him how to sell Fruit, and man!—you're talking to an expert: He's been doing it for years, and what he knows about selling has been learned from experience. Ask Tony where he sells his fruit, and he'll answer, "I just follow the crowds!" There you have Tony's secret of success. He doesn't park his cart on a quiet street. Not Tony! You'll find him where you find the crowds. Maybe you don't sell Fruit, like Tony does. But if you're in business — and you want to sell more than you do — "follow the crowds" by advertising in the Press! The CISCO DAILY PRESS'

Advertisement for 'PALACE NOW BARGAIN DAY'. Lists prices for adults (15c) and children (10c). Features 'BLONDIE BRINGS UP' and 'LARRY SIMMS DAISY'.

Advertisement for 'Housekeeper's Daughter' starring Joan Bennett and Adolphe Menjou. Includes a portrait of Joan Bennett.

Advertisement for 'DRUMS ALONG THE MOHAWK' in Technicolor, starring Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda. Text: 'When torch and tomahawk spread their terror... and a pioneer woman's love had to be as great as her man's courage!'