

Ranger Times

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Now comes fresh evidence of the dire lack of employment. A half dozen men have appeared in the news recently professing their willingness to marry women who have plenty of money.

THE WEATHER.
Texas—Rain in south and north portions tonight, colder in extreme west. Friday partly cloudy; rain in extreme east possibly colder.

HOUSE IS SLASHING APPROPRIATIONS

res. Hoover Will Veto Beer Bill Report Says

ING THRU NOTHOLE LL MAYES

Today we put a fresh sheet of paper in our typewriter, then sat there for nearly half an hour about thinking of a thing to write about this is the season for writing of Santa Claus and Christmas, our thoughts could not be indulged along these lines. Instead we got New York ideas and followed the news of the past year. All the new year opened Japan and China were battling along the front that was not a battle-line, fighting battles that were battles in a war that was not really a war.

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation, which has already material good in Eastland was formed with Charles Dávila as president. He later resigned. Secretary of the Treasury Mellon resigned from the cabinet and was appointed as ambassador to the Court of St. James, which was selected by President Hoover as ambassador to England. The Washington bicentennial was officially opened.

Al Capone was convicted, his conviction was upheld and he was sent to Atlanta to serve 11 years, evading income taxes. Lindbergh's was kidnapped and was later murdered, after a long search, and the Colonel had a large ransom.

A bill legalizing and taxing beer introduced in the house once and failed since before it was finally passed in the house. Utility magnate Chicago, resigned, was indicted, and the country and was followed by France, Spain and finally Greece. His brother, Martin, was indicted and arrested in Canada.

Major Jimmie Walker of New York was compelled to resign as governor of New York. The Bonus Army marched on Washington, camped along the shore of the Potomac and was finally dispersed in the "Battle of Anacostia" in which one veteran killed and several policemen were wounded.

The farmers of Iowa went on a strike for higher prices for their produce. Several minor rebellions resulted with no serious results. Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York and Speaker John N. Garner of Texas were elected president in the most up-to-date Democratic landslide in history.

President Hoover called on Gov. Clegg to confer with him on a debt problem, which were later paid by England, Italy and other nations while France and Belgium were chief defaulters. The Toledo, or a series of torpedoes, claimed the lives of some people in Alabama, Georgia, Virginia and South Carolina. 49 were killed in one storm in South Texas.

Miss Annam A. Ferguson was nominated as the Democratic candidate for governor of Texas and, in the general election, defeated the incumbent, her Republican opponent.

SENATE SENDS MEASURE TO COMMITTEE

Authorities Believe Senate Will Follow Action In The House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—A presidential veto today appeared to be the one real obstacle in the way of swift modification of national prohibition. Authoritative polls indicated the senate would follow the lead of the house, which passed the Collier bill legalizing 3.2 per cent beer. Authoritative information has reached the capital that President Hoover, under no conditions, will sign any sort of a beer bill. Modificationists lack the two-thirds strength necessary to override a veto, therefore it is believed beer will have to wait for the new democratic congress and administration.

The senate today received the Collier beer bill and immediately referred it to the senate judiciary committee.

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 22.—Juarez bar owners, hit hard by the depression and high Mexican taxes, today renewed plans to move across the Rio Grande when and if the Collier 3.2 per cent beer becomes a law. Nearly every American saloon owner in Juarez plans to operate some kind of a drinking establishment in Texas or New Mexico, if allowed to do so. Americans have invested more than \$1,000,000 in Juarez saloons and distilleries since prohibition.

Troops Removed From East Texas

By United Press.
KILGORE, Tex., Dec. 22.—The great East Texas oil field was free today of military rule for the first time since national guardsmen were sent to it in August, 1931, to enforce prohibition orders. The last of the troops were homeward bound. The retiring contingent numbered less than 25 men. Withdrawal of troops has been in progress for several months, even before the United States supreme court ruled Sterling exceeded his authority in using the troops.

Fugitive From Chain Gang Gets Protection

By United Press.
NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 22.—New Jersey's protection of Robert Elliott Burns, Georgia chain gang fugitive, will continue as long as he lives the life of a decent citizen, according to Gov. Harry Moore, who refused late yesterday, to extradite Burns.

Christmas Customs For Foreign Lands



Shopping Days Until Christmas



WINTER LAYS SIEGE TO THE CAPITOL



Old Man Winter was visiting Washington, and seemed to be doing his best to enter the national capitol, when this striking picture was taken. Note how the white drifts had piled against the steps in the distance. The snow fell to a depth of more than a foot, and was Washington's heaviest in a decade. About 1000 men, including the remnants of the bonus army, were hired to attack the drifts.

YOUNG SCHOOL PTA TO WORK ON CASH PLAN

The Young School Parent-Teachers association of Ranger met this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of making plans for aiding in the movement to have the taxpayers of the town pay cash for teachers' warrants with which to pay school taxes, and at the same time give the teachers more cash with which they can make purchases.

Similar meetings were held in the Cooper and Hodges Oak Park schools recently and each organization is working on the project, which promises to be quite a success.

At the meeting held this morning, the following letter was written and will be sent to the taxpayers in the Young addition in an effort to secure more money on the teachers' salaries:

Casket Helps To Sustain a College

By United Press.
EVERGREEN, Ala.—Caskets are life-savers in Evergreen. "Our agricultural school will die if we don't raise money," Mayor J. L. Kelly said to W. C. Galloway, owner of the Georgiana Casket company.

CALORIMETER INJURES TWO

By United Press.
SEATTLE, Wash.—Harold K. Skramstad, teaching fellow in physics at the University of Washington, suffered cuts on the arm and face and Dorothea Davis, home economics major, suffered burns, when a calorimeter, a heat-measuring instrument, exploded in the laboratory class.

Thrill-Hunting Teacher Held



Because she liked a gayer life than teaching school in Newport, Ohio, Hilda Shaw, above, forged her father's name in savings deposit certificates totaling \$1400 and used the money to take trips to New York and Pittsburgh and to entertain her boy friend. That is the accusation in three charges of forgery on which she was held by the sheriff when the victimized father refused to prefer charges.

Texas Wheat Crop Planting Reduced

By United Press.
AUSTIN, Dec. 22.—Texas' winter wheat acreage was estimated at 3,833,000 or 5 per cent less than last year by state and federal crop statisticians here today.

Mellon Distillery Will Make Whiskey

BROAD FORD, Pa.—For the third time since the prohibition amendment was passed, the Overholt Distillery here, controlled by the Mellon interests, will be in operation in 1933.

TEXAS TOPICS

CROSBRYTON—Con Parrish, cotton farmer west of town, purchased 12 new cotton harvesters.

POSSE KILLS ONE BANDIT WOUNDS OTHER

WINGATE, Texas, Dec. 22.—One bandit was dead and one dying here today following the robbery of the Security State bank of Wingate, near Sweetwater, about 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The automobile driven by the bandits went into a ditch and the pursuing men wounded and captured one of the bandits, but the other escaped in another car. This second car also went into a ditch and the remaining bandit was shot and killed.

Blacksnake Halts A Trolley Car

LATROBE, Pa.—A six-foot blacksnake stopped a street car here by pulling the trolley from the electric cable, according to Motorman C. E. Haugh.

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COWBOY SHOT ENFORCING HIS DAD'S ORDERS

PADUCAH, Texas, Dec. 22.—A 22-year-old cowboy died in a hospital because he tried to enforce orders of his father, A. Holmberg, for 30 years manager of the Swenson ranch near Dumont, southwest of here.

Carl Holmberg, the victim, was shot by Vic Goodgame, after he tried, unsuccessfully to drive Goodgame off the ranch. The youthful cowboy said he met Goodgame at the main gate of the ranch, driving a wagon onto the property. He said Goodgame was intending to gather wood from the pastures.

Goodgame is held in county jail here awaiting examining trial. The ranch manager said the property had been posted against wood gatherers for two years. Disregard of this warning, he said, had resulted in his ordering his cowpunchers to drive invaders off the ranch.

Ranger Scouts to Solicit Donations for Christmas Fund

Members of the Boy Scout troops of Ranger will be stationed at the 12 stores at which barrels have been placed for receiving donations of food, clothing and toys for the needy, where they will remain all day Friday urging the people to drop in some little contribution for the poor.

Cripple Wins a Political Post

By United Press.
ALLEGAN, Mich.—A 26-year-old lawyer, crippled by infantile paralysis when he was 12, achieved his first political post in the county. His appeal to the voters was simple and direct—he merely made a door-to-door campaign urging the citizens' support because "I need the job."

Candidates For Speakership Claim Many Supporters

AUSTIN.—The fight for the speakership of the 43rd legislature is one of conflicting promises. Coke Stephenson, Junction, says more than 100 have definitely pledged him their support for the post.

Auto Fatalities Show An Increase In Texas Cities

DALLAS.—Slight increase in automobile accident fatalities in five representative Texas cities is shown in the current report of the department of commerce for the four-week period ending Nov. 26.

Truck Robbery Case Before Court

FORT WORTH, Dec. 22.—Robbery of a transfer truck as it rolled westward on the Bankhead highway, was described in federal district court here today in the trial of two men charged with the theft.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT HARDEST HIT

\$206,901,043 Is Eliminated By Appropriations Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Slashing highway funds and official activities right and left, the house appropriations committee today reported a bill reducing department of agriculture expenditures by nearly two thirds.

The committee recommended the department be given \$206,902,043 than current appropriations.

Ranger Children Donate Toys for Christmas Baskets

P. O. Hatley, principal of the Hodges Oak Park school in Ranger, asked all the children in the school who had toys at home they could give the poor children of the city to bring them to the school.

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IF YOU MISS
YOUR PAPER
CALL 224 THE
TIMES OFFICE
BETWEEN
8 AND 6

Grocers Offering Special Bargains For the Shoppers

Christmas shoppers, who are planning their Christmas dinners now, will receive many valuable suggestions by looking over the advertising contained in today's issue of the Times.

E. H. E. P. Mills, A. & P. Piggly-Wiggly and the "M" System groceries are today offering a large assortment of grocery items for Christmas.

The shoppers are urged to remember that the stores will be closed all day Monday so they must buy enough groceries to last them over the two-day holiday.

WINTERS—M. C. Dale acquired City hotel property on North Main street.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS

Dear Santa Claus: Thought I would write you a line and ask you to come to see me this Christmas as times are so hard I was afraid you might miss me and my little sister and brother. My sister is 8 years old and my brother is 9. I am 11 years old. I know unless you bring us something we will not have anything. My Daddy is dead. I have a step-daddy but he's out of work. Anything you bring us we will sure thank you. I am your friend, JACK WALDROP. I live south side of the swimming pool, in Ranger, just under the hill from Mr. Hammett. Sincerely yours, JACK WALDROP.

Dear Santa: It is almost time for you again. I am 10 years old, and I go to Colony school. I am

in the 5th grade. Since the depression is so bad I am not asking for anything for myself. But I do think through the Goodfellow and Child's Welfare you may be able to call on all the little unfortunate children and leave them a little Christmas gift. Every girl and boy should be willing to give up lots of their desires this year so as the poor kiddies may have a Merry Merry Christmas. Lots of love and best wishes, Santa, from BETTY LOU WESTFALL, Ranger, Texas.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 9 years old. I have been quite good this year and make good grades at school. I have two little sisters and two little brothers and I do hope you remember them as well as me, and please, Santa, remember my dear mother. For Christmas you may bring me a baby doll, a set of dishes, a new coat, and a pair of black boots. (Continued on page 3)

Ranger Stores Offer A Wide Range Of Suggestions For the Shoppers

Today's issue of The Times contains so many gift suggestions from the stores of Ranger that it is almost impossible to make mention of them all. However, among the advertising columns today will be found more about the following stores and the gifts they have to offer their customers, all at prices that should appeal to the buying public.

Hassen company is featuring gifts in pewter, toys, house shoes, hosiery and other items, any of which would make suitable gifts to someone you know.

Scott Store is making a specialty of toys, large, small, all kinds of toys at prices that anyone can afford to pay. And they will bring joy to any child's heart on Christmas Day.

Killingsworth-Cox is featuring furniture gifts, gifts that will be useful for many years and which would be appreciated by anyone. Coffee tables, cedar chests, lamps and many other odd pieces of furniture that would appeal to the most discriminating can be found.

At The Globe gifts for men who appreciate quality in their wearing apparel can be found. Belts and ties are always useful gifts and today The Globe is featuring these two gift suggestions, though they have many more from which the shopper can make a selection.

Across the street at the United Dry Goods Store the "A. B. C.'s" of bargains are offered, one gift suggestion for each letter in the alphabet being offered as a stimulus to the buyer who may be having trouble in making up his or her mind. All are at lower prices.

J. C. Penney is offering gifts for both men and women, as well as the children. Today they are specializing in bathrobes, either for men or women, in addition to the suggestions for smaller gifts, including billfolds, handbags, or even toys.

The Ranger Furniture Exchange, with its one gift suggestion of the day, offers one that will give years of pleasure. They are offering either the "Septet Lowboy" or the "Fiver," seven and five tube radio sets made by Crosley, which would make an ideal gift for anyone.

The Joseph Dry Goods company is catering to the shopper for gifts for the ladies. Today's specials include lingerie, house shoes, hosiery and other articles for the ladies, all of which have been selected with care and are as useful and delightful as any gift could be.

Montgomery Ward has gifts that range from the smallest to the largest suitable for any occasion. Today they recommend a new, twin-speaker radio, a bicycle for the boy or girl or warm leather jackets for those who spend most of their time out of doors.

Clyde Davis has a variety of jewelry suggestions that will appeal to the shopper, the giver or the receiver of gifts. His large variety of suggestions prevents

General Opens New Reichstag



Replacing "Firebrand" Clara Zetkin, veteran radical, the new presiding officer of the opening session of the German Reichstag on Dec. 6 is General Litzmann, above, commander of the Eighth Army during the World War. He is the oldest Reichstag member, 82, and is expected to be sympathetic to the aims of Germany's new chancellor, Gen. Kurt von Schleicher.

NEGROES TO BE KEPT IN AFRICA

By United Press. See from the Congo will never again travel north of the Equator. The French government shipped the last boatload back to Africa from Bordeaux, shivering with cold and bundled to the neck. The government has ruled that they may never again leave their country or be exhibited.

BIG BILLS STILL CIRCULATED

By United Press. RENO, Nev.—That hundreds of the old-fashioned large bills are in circulation was demonstrated here when many showed up in payment of taxes during a banking morning. Citizens, finding that checks on the closed banks could not be used in paying taxes, dug into safety deposit boxes, tin cans and other repositories and came back with the big bills which had been in hiding for years.

MOST POWERFUL ICE BREAKER

By United Press. MALMOE, Sweden, Dec. 17.—The world's most powerful ice breaker, the "Ymer," the name in Norse mythology of the father of giants, has been launched here at the Kockum wharf for the Swedish coastal service. It is to be driven by Diesel motors with dynamos acting directly on the propeller shafts, after an American model.

Turkeys Will Be Given Away

Announcement was made by Horace Adams of the first turkey to be given away at the store at 9 o'clock, the turkey will be given away. Anyone must be present at the time of the turkey's distribution in the office. Mr. Adams said he announced the turkey would not only be given away but it would be a good one which might be a good one for their Christmas. The announcement of this unusual offer was another part of the

OIL, GAS PROSPECTS FILE APPLICATIONS

GREAT FALLS, Mont.—Gas prospectors have filed applications covering the public domain in central Montana in 1932, when the land was under federal gas prospectors.

Red Tubes Free

Super Tread Tires, insured for one year against cuts, bruises, blowouts, or any other road injury, no matter how caused

Hi-Volt Batteries insured free for two years against freezing, cracking, breakage, loss from fire or theft, or any accidental injury

NATIONAL GIFT-O-GRAM

Denver, Colo., Dec. 16, 1932.

F. H. and R. R. Plumley, Plumley Bros., Ranger, Texas.

This authorizes you to give every customer a Christmas gift of a Super Quality Red Tube absolutely free with each Super Tread Passenger or Truck Tire bought during the week of Dec. 18 to 24. Here is your opportunity—during this week only—to get insured tires and receive tubes worth from \$1.85 to \$6.65 without cost.

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Swindled Friends, Goes to Pen



While a weeping wife, two sons, and two daughters looked on, Charles F. Glaeser, lawyer and real estate man, was sentenced in a Chicago court to prison for what may prove to be the rest of his life. Through conspiracy and forgery, Glaeser embezzled more than \$500,000 from trusting friends, neighbors and customers. Many of the 57 complainants against Glaeser were in the courtroom, loudly demanding justice. Glaeser's conscience tortured him into public accusation of himself two months ago.

GYPSY INDIAN CHIEF DIES
MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 17.—George Mitchell, 52, claiming to be chief of the Shoshone Indians in Utah, Nevada and Wyoming, but who police said is just another gypsy, died at Jackson Memorial Hospital here almost at the same moment that a son was born to a gypsy mother from the same gypsy camp in Dade County hospital. She was under arrest at the time.

	IONA PEAS Standard Quality No. 2 Cans 9c	ANN PAGE Preserves Asst. Fruit Flavors 16-oz. Jars 15c	DELMONTE Pineapple Crushed or Sliced 2 No. 2 Cans 25c
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At A&P you will find a complete line of seasonable foods for Christmas dinner. Our entire line is priced extremely low for the holidays.

Cranberries Pound 13c	Lettuce Firm Heads 4c	Cocoanuts Large Size, Each 7c	Winesap Apples 2 Dozen 25c
Cigarettes Popular Brands Christmas Cartons \$1.55	ORANGES 2 1/2 Size Doz. 19c	ASSORTED CANDY Chocolate 5-Lb. Boxes 89c	ANN PAGE JELLY 8-oz. Jars 2 for 25c
BE SURE AND VISIT OUR FRUIT DEPARTMENT! — ORANGES, APPLES, GRAPE FRUIT, ALL SIZES! AT VERY LOW PRICES!	Quaker APPLE SAUCE 2 med Cans 17c	GRAPES Lb. 7c	CELERY Mammoth Size Bunch 14c
In the Vegetable Dept. we have Celery, Lettuce, Cranberries, Cauliflower, Carrots, Green Beans, Egg Plant, and other items AT VERY LOW PRICE!	The ideal gift for rich or poor—A. & P. DOLLAR CERTIFICATE—Redeemable at any A. & P. Store in the United States for \$1.00 worth of merchandise.	WILSON'S SLICED BACON 13c	DRY SALT BACON 4- to 6-pound Average 7c
BULK Shortening 2 lbs. 15c	SAUSAGE Pure Pork 2 lbs. 15c	Seven ROAST 9c	TURKEYS
ARMOUR'S CURED HAMS 10c	HENS	ROAST Fresh Pork Ham lb. 12c	FRYERS
SHANKLESS PICNIC Shoulders Half or Whole 9c	Center Slices CURED HAM 19c	BRICK CHILI Lb. 13c	

The GLOBE Plays Santa With These GIFT SUGGESTIONS!

Give Him a HICKOK BELT and BUCKLE SET with initials
\$1.00 Set

Handkerchief and Tie Sets
Beautiful Silk Sets that will please every man **\$1.00** Set

TIES That Will Capture His Fancy!
With a tie of his favorite colors and pattern. You do the picking—we'll guarantee the serviceability. A wonderful collection, special, all \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Ties

\$1.50

Silk, Velvet and Wool Lounging Robes. An excellent gift. **\$3.95** up

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APPLES	A Selection of Delicious Jonathan, Winesap! All Sizes
ORANGES	Both California and Texas ALL SIZES
NUTS	ALMONDS, BRAZILS, WALNUTS, FILBERTS, MIXED NUTS ETC.
CANDIES	BONBONS, CHOCOLATES, Mixed CANDIES, BOX CHOCOLATES
BANANAS, COCOANUTS, CELERY, LETTUCE, CRANBERRIES—IN EVERYTHING FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS DINNER!	
PINEAPPLE	Libby's No. 2 Cans 13c
PEACHES	Banquet Large Can 12c
PUMPKIN	Large Can 9c
MINCE MEAT	Blue Ribbon Pkg. 9c
CHERRIES	Red Pitted No. 2 Cr. 12c
OATS	Quick Quaker Large pkg. 15c Small pkg. 7c
DATES	Bardo 2-lb. pkg. 25c 1-lb. pitted 22c
RAISINS	15-oz. Pkg. 8c
OLIVES	QUEENS Quart 29c
PICKLES	full quart SOUR or HOT RELISH 15c
PEAS	No. 2 can GLEN VALLEY—PETIT POIS 17c
CORN	No. 2 can STOKLEY'S FINEST 10c
QUALITY MEATS HENS—TURKEYS—FRYERS	
Our Special	SLICED BACON lb.
Full Cream	CHEESE No. 1 QUALITY lb.
PORK HAM ROAST or STEAK	lb.
ROAST	Any Cut FANCY FED BABY BEEF lb.
BUTTER	Cloverbloom lb.
Pure Pork	SAUSAGE 3 lbs.

Simple List of Practical Gifts for Last Minute SHOPPERS

- Delon Hosiery, silk; the pair **49c**
- Belts, Hickok Belts, Buckles and Chains; each **49c**
- Woolen Sweater-piece Sewel Set **59c**
- Dance Set; Beautiful Silk Set **\$1.25**
- Excellent Value in New Dress Hats **\$1.98**
- Fancy Socks for Men; Highest Quality Silk; 3 pair for **\$1.00**
- Gloves, Men's Fleece-lined Cape Gloves; the pair **\$1.00**
- Hat and Scarf Set; classy and durable; pair set **\$1.00**
- Infants Knit Sets; Socks, Cap and Bootie **69c**
- Jacket, Men's Suede Jackets; a dandy for **\$4.98**
- Knit Dresses; make a nice gift at **\$2.38**
- Lovely Silk Pajamas; with jacket **\$1.98**
- Men's Shirts; custom tailored **49c**
- New Susquehanna Silk Scarfs **\$1.98**
- Oxfords Goodyear Welt; two-tone or Black; the pair **\$1.98**
- Practical Gift for the Boys; Leatherette Coats **\$1.39**
- Quality Hosiery; ask for No. 1795; the pair **79c**
- Rayon Bedspreads; beautiful assortment **98c**
- Shirt and Shorts; non-run Rayon; each **25c**
- Ties and Tie Sets that will please; set **49c**
- Unusual Values in Ladies' Silk Dresses **\$3.88**
- Very Smart Shoes; Pumps and Ties; the pair **\$1.98**
- Wearable Work Shoes; the pair **\$1.98**
- Extra Values in Box Handkerchiefs **49c**
- Young Men's Novelty Oxfords; regular \$5. values, the pair **\$3.00**
- Zipper Bags; all kinds of Bags **69c**



"It is impossible to balance the budget with the souls of the nation," was one of the arguments used by these women dry leaders as they opposed, before the House Ways and Means committee, the Collier bill to legalize sale of light wine and beer. Mrs. Henry W. Peabody of New York (left) marshalled the dry forces in the arguments and is shown conferring with two of her lieutenants, Mrs. F. I. Johnson (center) of New York and Mrs. Jesse W. Nicholson of Chevy Chase, Md.

HERE--- AND THERE

By ELVIE B. JACKSON

Only two more days 'til Christmas! And then, eager little hands will be reaching out for the stockings which they hung with such fond hopes, up where Santa would surely see them, and to which they will be looking with expectancy that Santa hasn't forgotten them on this day of days, that surely above all belongs to little people.

It is heartening to see the interest in these unhappy times that is taken by the more affluent (or at least those supposed to rank in this favored division) in providing some way in which to meet the children's happy expectation.

Many a local pre-Christmas party both of club and private nature has indulged the novel and pleasant plan of exchanging some bright, gay little Christmas toy, instead of the usual perfumes, handkerchiefs, pictures, etc., and have taken these toys to a central place where they will be distributed on Christmas eve by fine, big-hearted women, to the poor children of Eastland, in connection with giving them a real turkey Christmas dinner that night.

Church societies have also adopted this plan, and many of the interesting gifts from their trees, these bright toys, are now on their way to their ultimate collection, for distribution.

This beautiful custom was started in Eastland by the Thursday Afternoon Study club, which also supports the public library, and which, through its arrangement this summer, was enabled to keep the library opened for those readers who had not been able to patronize it under the usual conditions, and who had the advantage of the three months of library free usage.

But when we look about at the pretty parties in progress, and just see the surface of things, so many of us so often fail to look under-

Named to Lead Western Rails

Harry G. Taylor, above, has been named Commissioner of Western Railroads. "To secure co-operative action between lines in rates and train schedules," Taylor also will be chairman of the Western Association of Railway Executives, with headquarters in Chicago. He is a former newspaper editor of Alameda, Kan., and Central City, Neb., who became manager of public relations for the American Railway association.



German Soldiers Organize in Texas

HOUSTON. — Fourteen short years ago they were gray-clad German soldiers, facing death for the Fatherland in the greatest war of history.

Today they are banded together in an organization to draw closer ties of friendship between America and Germany and between the men who fought each other in France.

The charter for their organization, The Steelhelmet, Legion of Veterans, has been issued. The Houston chapter has 12 members. The local chapter is a branch of a national organization having headquarters in Detroit. Practically every local member is a graduate of one of the great German universities.

They meet once a month at the home of Paul O. Bottler, an honorary member. The clubroom which Bottler has fitted up for them has on its walls pictures of the former Kaiser Wilhelm, the crown prince and President Paul Von Hindenburg.

Nothing but German is spoken at the meetings. Most of the members are employed as geologists by oil companies here.

Contract let for proposed Asarco-Yuleta road widening route—El Paso World News.

FIRE COMPANY RESCUES DOG

GREEN BAY, Wis.—An entire fire company was called to the rescue when "Toy," the year-old chow puppy owned by Mrs. Anton Venge, ventured onto a slippery roof from an upstairs porch. Toy managed to climb to the peak of the roof but was unable to keep his paws from slipping when he attempted the descent. He lay down with his front feet on one side of the ridge and his hind legs on the other and howled until the firemen were called.

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- ORANGES Red Ball dozen **39c**
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- APPLES DELICIOUS—Extra Large Size dozen **39c**
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- LETTUCE New Crop—Arizona—LARGE FIRM HEADS **4 1/2c**
- JELLO—All flavors 3 pkgs. **19c**
- PINEAPPLE, No. 1 flats 3 for **25c**
- PINEAPPLE, No. 2 size, broken slices, can 14c
- PUMPKIN, No. 2 1/2 size cans, solid packed, each 14c
- BEANS, No. 2 size cans, fancy cut stringless 2 cans **29c**
- TOMATO JUICE, Swift's tall cans 3 for **25c**
- PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 size, heavy syrup 2 cans **25c**
- CHERRIES, red pitted, No. 2 size cans 2 for **25c**
- PEAS, White Swan, No. 1 can 2 cans **25c**
- CORN, No. 2 size cans, Fancy Golden Bantam 2 cans **25c**
- MACARONI or SPAGHETTI 3 for **25c**
- COMPOUND Swift's Jewel in Cartons 4-lb. cartons **25c**
8-lb. cartons **49c**
- COCOA—Hershey's pound size **19c**
- SUGAR—Powdered or Brown 2 pkgs. **15c**
- SWEET POTATOES Fancy Juicy YELLOW YAMS 10 lbs. **19c**
- White Swan COFFEE 1-pound glass jars, each **35c**
- 3-pound can, fresh packed White Swan COFFEE, **99c**
- TURKEYS Dressed Lb. **12 1/2c** Live Lb. **10c**
- Coffee FRESH ROASTED pkg. **17c**
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OUR SPECIAL BREAK O' MORN 2 pkgs. **25c**
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- BEEF ROAST Lean Cuts lb. **10c**
- PORK CHOPS No. 1 Grade 2 lbs. **25c**
- HAMS 10- to 12-lb. average lb. **13c**
- SALT PORK lb. **10c**
- STEAKS Fancy Fed Beef 3 lbs. **25c**
- PORK ROAST lb. **12c**
- Sliced BACON lb. **17c**
- LAMB Leg o' Lamb . . . lb. **10c**
ROAST lb. **8c**
STEW lb. **5c**
- Plenty Hens, Fryers, Ducks, Geese—Live or Dressed!

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RESIDENCE 288

Tonight.
Methodist church choir practice, 7 p. m., Wilda Drago, director.
Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, pianist.
Baptist church choir practice, Mrs. O. B. Darby, director, Mrs. D. L. Kinnaird, pianist.
Mrs. Sue Spencer, kindergarten recital, program and playlet, 7:30 p. m., First Baptist church auditorium. Public invited.
Rebekah lodge, 7:30 p. m., I. O. O. F. hall.

Friday.
Public library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., community clubhouse.
Christmas tree for primary and beginners department, in afternoon, First Baptist church.
Nattopew group, Camp Fire Girls, 3 p. m., Mrs. Tom Harrell, guardian.

Church of Christ, Christmas tree for Sunday school, 7:30 p. m., in church.
Christian church, Christmas tree, 7:30 p. m., in church.
Presbyterian church Sunday school Christmas party, announced for Friday, in the church parlors, called off an account of sickness.

Christmas Sunday School Parties.
As the days hasten to a close just before Christmas they bring a congregation of Sunday school classes Christmas parties, announced for Friday and Saturday, in their respective churches.

The young people's class of the Church of Christ spent a delightful evening Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hurley, in the suburbs.
After an evening of merry games, and music, gifts were distributed from the tree in exchange of compiments and merry Christmas wishes.

Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, Christmas candy and hot chocolate were served Misses Lurline Wrayner, Loraine Chambers, Elizabeth Ann Harrell, Dora B. Williams, Patsy Kaykendall, Howell Boggs, Coleman Hurley, Bud Ezzeis, Jack and Ed Hurley.

Presbyterian Sunday School Party Cancelled.

Mrs. James Horton, superintendent of the Sunday school of the Presbyterian church, has had to cancel all arrangements that have been under way for some days for the Sunday school church party, announced for Friday night, in the Presbyterian church parlors, due to the prevalent influenza among the church Sunday school members.

Announcement is also made there will be no Sunday school held on Sunday morning.

Primary Department M. E. Church Sunday School.

A lovely little Christmas tree glowing with icicles, green, red and white electric lights, and which was heaped about with gifts from Santa for eager little hands, awaiting the visit of Kris Kringle, focused the eyes of the children of the primary department of the Methodist church Sunday school, on Wednesday night, in the primary room of the church, when Mrs. Earl Bender, assistant superintendent of the department, received the little people, assisted by Mrs. J. Frank Sparks, and helped them entertain their mothers, many of whom were present, as well as a few fathers.

A program consisting of the story of the Birth of Christ was given in verse and song by the young folks, and closed with a song, "Story of the Wise Men," prettily presented by Virginia Ferguson. This was illustrated by the picture arranged in front of the tree, a reproduction of the Manger and Child, of those olden days.

Gifts from the tree of dolls, airplanes, hankies, and a Christmas box each of nuts and candies with child's initial on box, were distributed by Santa whose emissary, Ernest H. Jones, came, in crimson and snow and a jolly red face, to visit the 35 children present, and parents, Mmes. Earle Johnson, Guy Parker, C. U. Johnson, J. Frank Sparks, teachers of department; and Mmes. E. C. Ferguson, Howard Brock, Louise Crossley, Carl Hoffman, Ernest H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Day, and Earle Johnson, and H. C. Davis.

BISHOP CANNON LEADS DRY'S WAR AGAINST LEGALIZED BEER



The "mad rush to legalize beer" is comparable to the fiddling of Nero while Rome burned. Bishop James Cannon of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, is telling the House Ways and Means committee at Washington in opposing the Collier Bill for legalization of wines and beer.

In his school building on Wednesday evening, in a number of readings, papers, solos, duets and choruses, all climaxing in the story of Christmas and what it means.

A delicious surprise was in store for the children and teacher in a bushel of fine apples, bags of nuts, candies and cakes, presented by Rev. S. H. Williams, who is always working for the betterment

of his people, and who on this occasion gave them a splendid talk on community life, and the ideals of the Christian.

Frank Evans, the school principal, in a brief address showed that the majority of the students are making a very favorable showing in their grades, and that to date there but five cases of influenza reported among them.

Beautiful Recital.

Draws Very Good Attendance.
In a stage setting of cedar trees, tall lighted candles, and evergreen, the students of Mrs. F. O. Hunter were presented in piano and glow club recital in the high school auditorium, to an unusually good audience, considering the prevalent sickness, on Tuesday night.

Numbers were given by Elizabeth Sikes, Billie Gage, Kathryn White, Laboma Turner, Nina Mae Seale, Jeanne Kitley, Edith Meek, Cecil Seale, Ruth Meek, Bonnie Kate Wood, Eleanor Harper, Mary Frances Hunter, Edmond Heering, Homer Meek, Wendell Hunter.

The freshmen class in classy outfit of black and white gave a group of Christmas carols, that showed the fine training of Mrs. Joe A. Gibson, and were directed by Mary Frances Hunter.

The girls' glee club of the school, in white costume with yellow accessories, presented two numbers.

Several of the members were unable to attend on account of illness and included Miss Onita Russell, Anna Joe Tabelman, Ouida Sanderson, and little Laura B. Heering, and Tom Ward of Olden.

Famous Inventor

HORIZONTAL
1. Inventor of wireless telegraph (high frequency).
2. Hoaried.
3. Otherwise called.
4. Optical effect seen on deserts.
5. Half quart.
6. Combining form for Chinese.
7. Quess.
8. Guided.
9. Having a rounded, indented end.
10. Caterpillar.
11. Half an em.
12. Shrub yield incense.
13. To expand.
14. Sorrowful.
15. To feast.
16. To ridicule.
17. Students at West Point.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

VERTICAL
1. Actor shrub.
2. Stranger.
3. Bark.
4. Puss.
5. Bone.
6. Material for a brewing.
7. Contest of speed.
8. Since.
9. You.
10. Cassock.
11. To habituate.

16. Calyx leaves.
17. To ebb.
18. Spar of timber.
19. To tell.
20. Cubes.
21. Compendium.
22. Sea skeletons.
23. To infer.
24. Arid, barren tract.
25. Month of fasting for Mohammedans.
26. Fiendish.
27. Down (combining form).
28. Switchboard compartment.
29. To fondle.
30. Dove's home.
31. Inventor of the magnetic telegraph.
32. To apportion medicine.
33. Accomplishes.
34. Writing implement.
35. 'o and '7.
36. Therefore.
37. Italian river.

Christmas Party Honors Lyric Theatre Personnel.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burk entertained last evening with a most pleasant party at their home on Commerce street in honor of the Lyric theatre personnel. The house was attractively decorated in bright Christmas colors and a pretty tree from which each guest was presented with a lovely gift. Bridge was enjoyed after which refreshments were served to the

Christmas party honorees, Doyle Maynard, Homer Norton, Jack Sylatt and Miss Merle Self. Others present were Misses Iona Rains, Faye Hock, Mrs. Clyatt, Mr. Virgil Brown, and hostess, Mrs. Burk.

If a man tells a lie often enough he'll eventually come to believe it, says a novelist. Married men who are frequently "detained at the office," will have to be careful about demanding overtime pay.

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LADIES' FULL-FASH SILEK TO TOP CH HOSIER pair 49

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OUT OUR WAY. I DON'T UNDERSTAND IT - YOU KNOW I COULDN'T TIGHTEN THEM THAT TIGHT. I COULD TAKE ONE DOWN TO MR. GELTZ - HE'S GOT AWFUL BIG HANDS, SHOEIN' HORSES ALL TH' TIME. NEVER MIND! I'M GETTIN' BIG HANDS, TOO, FROM OPENIN' FRUIT ALL TH' TIME. HERE'S ALL OF TH' PEACHES - IF YOU CAN'T OPEN ONE OF THESE, WE'LL HAVE TO HAVE PEARS, AN IF YOU CAN'T OPEN TH' PEARS, WE'LL HAVE TO HAVE PLUMS. BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON. J. WILLIAMS

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen. FIFTY DOLLARS! FIFTY ISN'T A FORTUNE, BUT AFTER YOU'VE MADE UP YOUR MIND THAT YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO SPEND ANYTHING FOR CHRISTMAS, IT LOOKS LIKE ALL THE MONEY IN THE U.S. MINT. MERRY CHRISTMAS. GEE, THAT'S ALWAYS THE WAY - IF YOU EXPECT A LOT, YOU'RE NEVER SATISFIED WITH A LITTLE. 'YEAH, AND WHEN YOU HAVE NOTHING AND ARE IN THE DUMPS, IT TAKES ONLY A LITTLE BIT TO SET YOU UP ON TOP OF THE WORLD.

SHOE STORE 132 YEARS OLD. BOSTON.—Few, if any, shoe stores in the United States have been doing business at the same stand longer than the William H. Learnard company. This store has been located on short and narrow Marshall street, in Boston's North End, for 132 years. It was established only a few months after George Washington's death. 60-YEAR-OLD CIGAR SMOKED. KEENE, N. H.—A 60-year-old cigar was smoked here recently. It was one of three presented to John J. Holbrook at Brown university class dinners in 1869, 1870 and 1871. Holbrook died in 1884. The souvenir cigars were found among the effects of his late sister, Mrs. Chloe Evers.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser. WHILE THE REST OF THE FAMILY AND BILLY BOWLESS ATTEND A MOVIE, UNCLE HARRY AND FRECKLES HAVE A VISIT ALL TO THEMSELVES. YES, I'M SAILING ON MY YACHT DOWN THE WEST COAST OF MEXICO... JUST A WAY OF MISSING COLD WEATHER! BOY! YOU HAVE IT PRETTY SOFT, UNCLE HARRY! MUST BE GREAT TO HAVE LOTS OF MONEY!! OH, I DON'T KNOW... PERHAPS, IF IT WEREN'T FOR MY MONEY, I COULD SETTLE DOWN IN ONE PLACE AND BE LOTS HAPPIER... THESE TRIPS ARE VERY LONESOME FOR ME SOMETIMES. WITH BILLY BOWLESS ALONG, I DON'T SEE HOW YOU COULD EVER GET LONESOME. HE TELLS! HE'S GOING WITH YOU, ISN'T HE? GEE, I THINK HE'S A SWELL FELLOW!! YES, BILLY'S GOING ALONG... WHAT WOULD YOU SAY TO A TRIP TO ISLANDS AND LANDS OF STRANGE PEOPLE, FRECKLES? YOU'RE ASKIN' ME?

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES. Texas Electric Service Co. Valves Ground. Any Six-Cylinder Automobile \$6.00. QUICK SERVICE Garage. Phone 23. SAFEGUARD YOUR HEALTH. By using hot water. Seventy per cent of the water used in the average home is, or should be, hot. Automatic gas water heaters at a surprisingly low price. Texas-Louisiana Power Co. PIGGLY WIGGLY. "All Over the World". Joseph Dry Goods Co. Ranger's Foremost Department Store. 208-10 Main St. Ranger.

SCOUT NEWS. BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA. President's Award. It looks as though every troop in the Comanche Trail Council that is eligible to receive the President's Award will win same Dec. 31. To win the award, a troop must have been registered before June 1932, must have had regular meetings, satisfactory advancement, and an increase in membership over that of Dec. 31, 1931. Troop News. Many Christmas good turns are being done, and being planned by the different troops over the council. There is only a few days left and if your troop has not planned a Christmas Good Turn, now is the time before it is too late. We want every troop to score 100 per cent on this activity. A court of honor was held in Goldthwaite last Monday night with several boys up for awards. A court of honor was held in Dublin Tuesday night week ago with four scouts receiving Star rank. Many scoutmasters and scouts have had the flu, however, most troops have carried on even though their scoutmaster had to be absent. We wish for every scout and scoutmaster who is sick at this time, a speedy recovery so that they may be in position to enjoy the Christmas season. The Eagle Scout camp which is to start Monday night at Camp Billy Gibbons will be the first camp which is to become an annual affair for all Eagle Scouts in the Comanche Trail Council. Registrations for this camp are coming into the office daily. Some phases of winter camping, hiking, etc., however, the three days is more or less an outing for the Eagle Scouts. Annual Meeting. We will be in a position next week to present the program for the annual meeting, Jan. 5, where all Scouts of the Comanche Trail Council will gather in Brownwood to discuss and set objectives for the ensuing year. ODD CHARGES MADE. HANFORD, Calif.—Charges that her husband forced her to eat all her meals at his restaurant, when she much preferred to eat at home, were basis for a divorce action filed in superior court here by Mrs. Mary Stavros against Louis Stavros. She also charged that when he was annoyed with her, he twisted her thumb until it went out of its socket. George Stimer is ill at this time. Miss Henderson will present the choral club in a Christmas cantata at the Olden Methodist church Thursday night at 7:30. Miss Jewel Russell is working at Joseph Dry Goods store in Ranger through the holidays. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Tammie Hunter, age 29, the son of Mrs. Dovie Hunter of Olden. Interment was in the family burial ground, 12 miles from Thurber. Mrs. Hunter and other relatives have the sincere sympathy of this entire community. Joyelle Joiner is still quite sick with flu. Dr. Isbell and some assistants

Plots Dry Fight To Balk Repeal. Throwing legal wrangles into the machinery for repeal of the 18th amendment is the job of Edward B. Dunford, above, general counsel for Anti-Saloon League. Dunford, lieutenant of the late Wayne B. Wheeler, shuns conspicuous leadership of the dry fight, but if the repeal amendment gets tied up in a constitutional tangle he's likely to be chiefly responsible. OLDEN NEWS. Special Correspondent. OLDEN, Dec. 21.—Lem Loftis is suffering from an attack of appendicitis. W. R. McGawon has been transferred to Desdemona by the Magnolia Petroleum company. He expects to move his family to Desdemona this week. Miss Maxine Henderson and Mrs. Carl Timmons, both teachers in the Olden school, are ill with flu at this time. Little Juanita McMinn, who has been quite ill with diphtheria, is improving rapidly. George Stimer is ill at this time. Miss Henderson will present the choral club in a Christmas cantata at the Olden Methodist church Thursday night at 7:30. Miss Jewel Russell is working at Joseph Dry Goods store in Ranger through the holidays. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Tammie Hunter, age 29, the son of Mrs. Dovie Hunter of Olden. Interment was in the family burial ground, 12 miles from Thurber. Mrs. Hunter and other relatives have the sincere sympathy of this entire community. Joyelle Joiner is still quite sick with flu. Dr. Isbell and some assistants

SANTA SAYS: SCOTT'S STORE. Is the Place to Buy Toys. Be sure to bring the kiddies in to see Toyland! Anything and everything you can think of! Hard Candies! The kiddies find these brightly colored, attractively shaped, deliciously flavored hard candies irresistible. Elephants, trains, trucks, marbles, dishes, dominos, checker boards, etc. Hundreds of other Toys and Trinkets that will gladden the hearts of the kiddies of Ranger and surrounding territory. OPEN EVENINGS! SCOTT STORES, INC. RANGER, TEXAS

BARRELS OF OIL PRODUCED. LETHBRIDGE, Alberta.—Oil production in the province of Alberta totalled 2,657,389 barrels from Oct. 1, 1929, when the provincial government took control of natural resources of the region, to date. Production during the first year of control was 1,666,454 barrels, and 991,125 barrels during the second year. How Doctors Treat Colds and Coughs. To break up a cold overnight and relieve the congestion that makes you cough, thousands of physicians are now recommending Calotabs, the painless, caloric compound tablets that give you the effects of calomel and salts without the unpleasant effects of either. One or two Calotabs at bedtime with a glass of sweet milk or water. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you wish—no danger. Calotabs are sold in 10c and 35c packages at drug stores. (Ad)

Give Her Flowers For Christmas! Flowers add immeasurably to the joys of this festive day. For the table or as a gift to your hostess, they are appropriate. If you can't go home... remember to send flowers to Mother and the home-folks. A Complete Line of Cut Flowers and Potted Plants! "WE TELEGRAPH FLOWERS" GOLDEN, Florist. readia Theatre Bldg. Day and Night Phones 279. pen Evening and All Day Christmas for Your Convenience

7 TUBES. AUTOMATIC VOLUME CONTROL AND TONE CONTROL. The NEW CROSLY Septet Lowboy. And here we have the CROSLY SEPTET LOWBOY, a lovely piece of furniture that you will be proud of. Front panel is of center matched walnut veneer, decorated with an arch of burl maple. Top and sides are finished in Adam brown. What a splendid setting for the 7-tube CROSLY superheterodyne Chassis described above. A Sensational Set. Sensationally Priced! \$39.99 with Tubes Tax Paid. YOU'RE THERE WITH A CROSLY 5 TUBES. The SENSATIONAL FIVER! Here is the Radio that has charmed America at a price that has startled the radio world. See this set, and you, too, will ask as thousands have asked: "How is it possible?" UNBELIEVABLE as it seems, CROSLY has made possible a 5-tube superheterodyne in a beautiful table model... a powerful, sensitive, selective high-quality radio set... for less than \$20. Think of it! Marvelous reception, perfect balance, gorgeous tone at such a low price! \$19.99 with Tubes Tax Paid. Both in Battery and Electric Sets. OPEN EVENINGS! Ranger FURNITURE Exchange RANGER AND EASTLAND

Ranger Social News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT, Editor, Phone 224, Ranger

Young Tots of Kindergarten Class to Present Christmas Program

This evening at 7:30 o'clock the young tots composing the kindergarten class taught by Mrs. H. H. Durham, will entertain with their annual Christmas program in the prettily decorated basement of the First Methodist church.

Parents and friends of this group of children look forward each year with as much enthusiasm as does the students, due to the clever little two and three, act plays interspersed with interruptions such as pretty and delightful exchange gift feature, during which period of the entertainment parents are presented hand-made gifts finished by the artistic fingers of their son or daughter.

Bright Holiday Decorations To Lead Color to Functions.

The clubrooms of the Ranger Country Club, and American Legion Hall, together with the comfortable and spacious livingrooms of many homes, will be fragrant with the scent of cedar and pine from Christmas trees, when guests are entertained during the next few days.

Trees will twinkle with gaily colored lights and gleam from the shored and silver silvers and frozen icicles. Snow and tinsel will also add their whiteness and silver to the many pretty scenes.

Friday evening, the lovely rock fire-place, will immediately send a note of welcome to guests who attend the Ranger Country Club dance, with music to be played by Clayton Hunt and his seven-piece orchestra.

Saturday evening, gay Christmas Eve, dance guests will again be entertained with dance at the American Legion hall, with Hogan Haddock and his thirteen-piece orchestra, who appears for the first time in our city. Both dance features may be relied upon to provide smartly clad entertainment with the usual college "bunch" present to lend touches of added swank.

Co-Workers Club To Meet in Final Social of Year.

The Co-Workers Home Demonstration Club will meet in the final social of the year, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Fred Driehof, Breckenridge highway, with Mrs. Louis Pitcock, co-hostess.

An election of officers will be held during the hour, which was postponed from last meeting due to poor attendance.

Eastern Star Members, Have You Delivered Your Package To Bills Dry Cleaning Plant? Eastern Star members, those of you who have not delivered your package to be included in the Good Cheer baskets, please do so not later than Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Clardy, who is in charge of the baskets, has announced that they are to be distributed Saturday afternoon and much work is to be completed between now and that time.

Cables from Nice report that "Jimmy" Walker gave Miss Betty Compton some sage, if futile, advice when she was \$100 ahead at a Casino gaming table. "We'd better quit while we're winning," said he. Jimmy's one fellow who ought to know.

M'ALLEN — Construction to start soon on new federal building.

Woman Champ Gets 8th 300 Game



Mrs. Floretta D. McCutcheon, above, of Pueblo, Colo., known as the world's woman bowling champion, certainly was knocking the pins around the other night in St. Paul, Minn. She rolled 12 games for a record average of 248, and then stepped out to get a perfect 300 score, her fourth of the present year, and the eighth of her career.

RANGER Personal

Miss Marjorie Maddocks, who was absent from her desk at the C. E. Maddocks Insurance company yesterday is reported today to be suffering from an uncomfortable attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hotman of Abilene, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Hotman's sister, Mrs. Walter Murray, Strawn highway.

Mrs. B. A. Tunnell, has recovered from several days illness, during which time she was confined to her home, North Commerce street. Milburn McCarty of Dartmouth, who motored from New Hampshire, was scheduled to arrive at the home of his parents in Eastland today. Mr. McCarty was accompanied from Texas University by his sister, Miss Mary McCarty, and Sam Genter, Billy Key and Miss Dorothy Outlaw, of Ranger.

PAINT ROCK—J. E. Dorsett purchased old theatre building from J. H. Houston and opened produce house.

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White Lie Put A Man in Jail

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Charlie White has been thrown out of jail because he was untruthful. White went to the jail here recently, told the warden he was a conscience-stricken escaped convict, who wanted to settle his debt to the state.

For a week, Charlie smiled through the bars. He told the warden he was smiling because his conscience no longer troubled him. The warden telephoned the state prison, advising that he had Charlie White in jail. And wardens are entitled to the state's standing reward of \$50 for the apprehension of each escaped convict.

The state prison checked the records and informed the warden they were not looking for a "Charlie White."

Then came Charlie's dramatic confession that he was hungry and cold and out of work. "Why shouldn't I smile through them bars?" he asked. "Good grub—warm place to sleep."

The warden threw him out in the cold again. Strangely, this man who sought the self-imposed confinement was a seaman, who had sailed twelve times around the world.

A French scientist declares it's not necessary for a person to swallow liquor to get a "kick." Gargling a drink is just as effective, says he. At least this should stop drinking on the quiet.

Moral Code Theme In "Age of Consent"

Grandmother's moral code, it's pretty generally agreed, by now is almost confined to illustrated calendars, the old Third Reader and tradition.

In contrast, the problems, the philosophies, the pitfalls and the pleasures of modern youth are radically different. Just how different is dramatically emphasized in the new picture, "The Age of Consent," which is coming to the Arcadia theatre Friday.

A boy and a girl on a college campus face the question of whether to marry or finish their education. Two teachers, a man and a woman, counsel against them throwing up their degrees. But the youngsters see that, in waiting, this very couple has lost happiness—love has passed them by while

they waited. College sheepskins decorate their walls, but no marriage license.

The boy is impulsive, the girl hesitant. Meanwhile both are caught up in the social swirl of the campus life. A midnight drinking bout leads the boy into complications with another girl. A stern parent declares it can only be straightened out by wedding service.

And here the film raises a question of importance to parents and to philandering youth at the same time.

MAN'S GUESTS ARRESTED.

By United Press.
MONTERANO, Wash.—Leonard Huttala invited Cecil Cousins and his companions to share beds in his home. Cecil Cousins and companions were arrested next day, charged with attempting theft of the beds.

Charity Show To Be Given At The Connellee, Eastland

The children of Eastland are invited to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Belcher at the Connellee theatre Saturday morning (Christmas eve) at 9 o'clock. There is absolutely no charge for admission, but children who have toys to give to other children who have none may bring them to the theatre for distribution among the needy.

There will be candy and fruit for all children. Also a Christmas tree where presents will be placed for children who had registered their names to the theatre management. All children in and around Eastland are given a cordial invitation.

Glenn Swanson, treasurer, couldn't appear in "The Age of Consent" in a Los Angeles, Calif. What more file, these days.

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