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## 100,000 BARRAGED MILITARILY FLOOD

### PROGRESSIVES STAGE FIRST ATTACK ON G. O. P. REGULARS

#### TWO EXTENSIVE MAIL THEFT PLOTS REVEALED IN NEW YORK

#### Three Villages In Italy Destroyed And Dead Number Three Hundred Result of Breaking of Great Dike

ROME, Dec. 1. (AP)—A great dike near Bergamo, about 40 miles northwest of Milan, flooding three villages today, according to a Milan dispatch of the Tribune. The artificial dike was situated in the fertile valley of Comasco, about 10 miles from Bergamo. The breaking of the dike was followed by a series of smaller ones, which have been blasted out. Some fields were completely destroyed by the water, which covered several acres. The church steeple can be seen. Five general stores were so badly damaged that the city of Bergamo is without food.

#### INDICATED ALLIES NOT IN SYMPATHY WITH FRENCH PLAN

BRITISH AND ITALIAN MEMBERS ARE ORDERED TO REMAIN PASSIVE. GOVERNMENT HAVE ISSUED IDENTICAL INSTRUCTIONS. Are Not to Undertake Any Central or Inspection Work in the Ruhr.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND, Universal Service Correspondent. BRUXELLES, Dec. 1. (AP)—The British and Italian members of the inter-allied military control commission headed by the French general, Louis Franchet d'Espèrey, are reported to be in a state of virtual inactivity. It is reported that they are instructed to offer passive resistance to the French plan for remaining in the Ruhr and control within the next few weeks of Germany's actual military forces and armaments.

#### FRENCH TAKE OVER ADMINISTRATION OF CITY OF BIEBRICH

MATZEN, Germany, Dec. 1. (AP)—The French took over the administration of the city of Biebrich today. The city is situated on the Rhine river and is a strategic point. The French troops are reported to be in full control of the city and its surroundings.

#### DISMISS CASE AGAINST DOCTOR CHARGED WITH MURDER AMARILLO MAN

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 1. (AP)—Dr. Charles H. Johnson, charged with the murder of the Amarillo man, was today dismissed from the case. The doctor was found not guilty of the crime.

#### PROPOSES PLAN FOR FUND TO PAY SOLDIERS BONUS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Payment of a soldiers bonus with funds raised by a poll tax of \$500 on each citizen and \$100 on every alien resident, a tax of two per cent of gross income of foreign corporations in the United States, an increase of the inheritance tax and an excess profits tax is proposed in a bill drafted by Representative Watkins, Democrat, Oregon. The bill provides for a one-time payment of \$1.25 a day for foreign service and \$1 for home service. The methods of receiving the bonus are provided as follows: Adjusted service certificates, credit on any form of government insurance held by the veteran, vocational training, farm or home aid, and land settlement.

#### NEW AGREEMENT FOR OPERATION OF VESSELS OF U. S.

NEXT STEP IN PLAN FOR GENERAL CONSOLIDATION OF ROUTES. PLAN FINAL OPERATION BY BOARD SUPERVISION. Modify Managing Operators' Plan in Use For the Past Several Years.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Terms of the new agreement under which managing agents or government shipping tonnage will operate were announced tonight by Chairman Farley of the shipping board as the next step in the plan for a general consolidation of routes and their eventual operation under the board's supervision.

#### PILOT MAIL PLANE LANDS SAFELY NEAR LAST CHANCE MINE

GRASS VALLEY, Cal., Dec. 1. (AP)—Clare K. Vance, air mail pilot, who was in charge of the mail plane which crashed near Last Chance Mine, today landed safely near the mine.

#### GENERAL MARKHAM REAPPOINTED CHIEF OKLAHOMA GUARD

By Universal Service. OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 1. (AP)—Governor Frank Schuchman today reappointed General H. H. Markham, whose previous appointment was terminated by a catastrophe, today reappointed General Markham chief of the Oklahoma national guard.

#### PLANS TAKE UP SEARCH FOR MISSING AVIATOR

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 1. (AP)—Two airplanes, one carrying Superintendent Clifton Nelson of the western division of the United States air mail service, left here at 3:25 p. m. today for Reno, where Mr. Nelson will take charge of the search for Clara Vance, pilot missing since late yesterday in the Sierra Nevada mountains.

#### HOLD EMPLOYEES AT BAY AND TAKE \$2000 PATROLL

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—Four bandits held 63 employees of the Acme Shoe Company at bay today and took \$2,000. The bandits were reported to have taken the employees to a nearby location and held them for ransom.

#### WEATHER FORECAST FOR COMING WEEK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday: Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys—Considerable snow or rain, colder first of week and frequent alternations of temperature thereafter.

#### DRAMATIC SCENES EXPECTED AT TRIAL GEN. LUDENDORFF

BELIEVED FORMER MILITARY CHIEF WILL ASK DISCONTINUING QUESTIONS. GERMANS AND FOREIGNERS MANIFEST MUCH INTEREST.

Ludendorff Announces That He Welcomes Proposed Trial For Treason. By KARL H. VON WIEGAND, Universal Service Correspondent. MUNICH, Dec. 1. (AP)—The stage is being slowly set for what promises to develop into the most dramatic trial yet in Germany for many years.

#### WEATHER FORECAST

Wichita Falls and vicinity: Maximum temperature 45 degrees. Minimum temperature 25 degrees. Saturday at 5 p. m. Saturday at 8 p. m. Sunday at 5 p. m. Sunday at 8 p. m. Barometer 29.6.

#### WEATHER FORECAST

West Texas: Sunday partly cloudy; Monday probably fair, warmer in north portion. East Texas: Sunday partly cloudy in north, rain in south portion. Monday: colder; Monday general fair and warmer in north portion.

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#### GILLETT ENDORSED FOR REELECTION AS SPEAKER OF HOUSE

RECEIVES 190 VOTES TO 15 FOR COOPER AND EIGHT FOR MADDEN. LONGWORTH IS SELECTED FOR REPUBLICAN LEADER. Progressives Declare That They Will Be Able to Develop Deadlock.

#### OFFICERS INVESTIGATING STROUD CASE CONVINCED THAT MAN WAS MURDERED; POSSE TO RESUME SEARCH ON SUNDAY

Special to The Times. CHILDRESS, TEXAS, Dec. 1.—That Perry C. Stroud, young farmer who disappeared here mysteriously last Tuesday was murdered and that his body is hidden somewhere along the Pease River or in the Cedar Breaks is the positive opinion of State Rangers J. W. McCormick and W. W. Belcher and Sheriff Jim Crane after an all day investigation Saturday.

#### DECLARES LEASE INVOLVED GRAVE MILITARY SECRET

EXECUTIVE SESSION HELD TO HEAR TESTIMONY IN TAP POT DOME CASE. Former Secretary of Interior Advises He Is Ready to Appear Any Time.

#### CONSIDERABLE EVIDENCE HEARD BY COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Considerations which impelled the navy department in 1921 to hasten the letting of contracts for the storage of oil from naval reserves were laid before the senate public lands committee today in executive session.

#### PRESIDENT ANNOUNCES RECESS APPOINTMENTS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—President Coolidge tonight gave recess appointments to John W. Van Heest, a United States marshal for the southern district of Alabama, and Douglas Smith as United States marshal for the middle district of Alabama.

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#### MAIL IS LOOTED ON SHIPS AND BAGS THROWN INTO SEA

DISCOVERY MADE BY FISHERMEN AND THREE ARE ARRESTED. MAIL IS ALSO ROBBED AT GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL. Both Jobs Are Believed to Have Been the Work of Men On the "Inside."

#### SHERIFF READY TO DEFEND JAIL AGAINST A MOB

BRISTOL, Va., Dec. 1. (AP)—Preparations are being made by Sheriff Corder at Bristol, Va., to defend the jail there against a mob formed to take Policeman Tyler Smith from the jail, according to telephonic reports received here from Wise early this morning.

#### SENATOR HIRAN JOHNSON PLANS FOR AN EXTENSIVE SPEAKING TOUR OF U. S.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Senator Hiram Johnson said today he expected to begin an extensive speaking tour within a few weeks in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination.

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#### YACHT AND LARGE QUANTITY LIQUOR SEIZED OFF L. I.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—The Dragon, described as a sumptuously equipped yacht, was seized by customs men off Fort Jefferson, Long Island, tonight and a large quantity of liquor was confiscated. It was reported to officials at the bureau of customs that the yacht was said to be under Canadian registry with a crew of six men.

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#### 19 more SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE Xmas

Illustration of a person shopping. The text indicates that there are 19 more shopping days before Christmas.

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# LET AMERICAN SPEAKERS DEFEND MONROE DOCTRINE

DECLARED TO BE ESSENTIAL TO PAN-AMERICAN DOCTRINE

## CONCERNS ALL NATIONS OF HEMISPHERE ALIKE

Professor Philip Marshall Brown, of Princeton University, Principal Speaker.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Commencement of the 10th anniversary of the Monroe doctrine continued here tonight when diplomatic representatives of several Latin-American countries delivered addresses at a meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

Those who spoke tonight included Jacob G. Varela, Uruguayan minister to the United States; Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, minister from Panama; Salvador Covarrubias, minister from Honduras; and Professor Philip Marshall Brown of Princeton University.

Dr. Alfaro said the Monroe doctrine has advanced to the benefit of the Latin-American nations, demanding their respect for their territorial integrity of Honduras might have been placed under a foreign flag.

The United States has no real reason for its attitude to insist the sole interpretation of the Monroe doctrine, said Professor Philip Marshall Brown.

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# Three Men and Fifty-Gallon Still Seized

Three men were arrested and a fifty-gallon still, three gallons of whiskey and eight barrels of moonshine were seized by Constable Frank Morgan, Deputy Constable Melvin Johnson and Motorcyclist Constable J. Scott of Elkton at 3 o'clock Saturday morning, when they found the still in operation twelve miles south of Elkton on the banks of Beaver creek.

The men are lodged in the county jail. After carefully examining the still, the officers were advised by the Falls constable that the still was used for the purpose of distilling moonshine.

# New Discoveries Mortuary Chapel King Tut's Tomb

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Howard Carter's researches today in the shrine of the mortuary chapel of King Tutankhamen revealed two alabaster statues, one seated and one standing, which the officers seized tested well and is said to be some of the best corn liquor ever seized by officers in this country.

# MEXICAN GENERAL IN STATE OF GUERRERO IN REBELLIOUS ATTITUDE

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 1.—(AP)—General Romulo Figueroa, chief of military operations in the state of Guerrero, has organized an army of 2,000 men to fight against the federal government in the state of Guerrero.

# REDUCTION THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF DECEMBER ON JACKSON FURS

As an introduction to the public of this new permanent department which we have recently added to our store and to more thoroughly acquaint the ladies of North Texas with the wonderful quality in Jackson's high-grade furs a 25 per cent discount will be given on our entire stock of

**Kimberlin-Smith Co**  
INCORPORATED  
Correct Apparel for Women & Misses

# HEARST DISCUSSES TAX REDUCTION ON VISIT TO CAPITAL

APPROVED PLAN SUGGESTED BY SECRETARY OF TREASURY. WITH MRS. HEARST PAYS VISIT TO WHITE HOUSE. Spends Nearly An Hour in Conference With President Coolidge.

By Universal Service. WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—William Randolph Hearst and Mrs. Hearst were received by President and Mrs. Coolidge at the White House today. Mr. Hearst talked with the President nearly an hour.

On leaving the executive mansion Mr. Hearst answered the questions of newspaper men concerning his views on tax reduction, the soldier bonus and national politics in general.

"What do you think of the proposed reduction of taxes?" Mr. Hearst was asked. "I am heartily in favor of it," he replied. "I think all taxes are a burden upon the community no matter where the taxes are imposed."

# Local Masons to Attend Meeting Of Grand Lodge

A number of members of the local Masonic fraternity will attend the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Texas, which will convene in Waco Monday and continue for several days.

# REPORT NEGROES ARE RETURNING TO SOUTH

RAMON, Ind., Dec. 1.—On account of the curtailment of production in the manufacturing of the Calumet region in Hammond, Gary and East Chicago, Negro and Mexican laborers are leaving the district by the hundreds.

See Diddy Raggedy Andy at Decorators Co. show window, to be given away Christmas.—adv.

# Former Wife of McCormick Meets His Newest Wife

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Society, which ever since Harold P. McCormick brought his second wife, Grace Weston, the French dancer known to Chicago, has been awaiting a thrill when the beautiful singer should meet socially Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, her predecessor, long devoted to the arts, the sports and even more prosaic business, failed to obtain the anticipated attention.

The dinner was given by Miss Elizabeth McCormick, daughter of the late H. M. McCormick, who has been explained as the most pleasant to have all members of the family present at his dinner.

"I am heartily in favor of it," he replied. "I think all taxes are a burden upon the community no matter where the taxes are imposed."

# ROCK ISLAND PLANS TO SPEND LARGE AMOUNT ON EQUIPMENT FOR ROAD

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 1.—(AP)—More than \$100,000,000 or about \$25,000,000 a year for five years will be required by the Rock Island, La Crosse & Pacific Railroad for improvements and additional facilities to be provided sufficient to care for constantly growing traffic.

# VIOLATION TO TELL MAN WHERE HE CAN GET DRINK

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 1.—(AP)—Telling a man where he can get a drink is included under the definition of conspiracy to violate laws of the United States, Federal Judge George W. McClintock instructed a special grand jury which went into session today.

# SHRINERS PREPARE FOR BIG TIME ON FRIDAY DECEMBER 7

Nobles of Market Temple are planning for a big time next Friday evening, December 7, at Market Temple at Coll Plaza. The evening's program will begin at 8 o'clock sharp and all Nobles and their wives of Wichita Falls and vicinity are cordially invited to attend.

# Oklahoma Supreme Court Rules Disposition of Missouri Mules Of "Open and Notorious" Nature

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 1.—The disposition of Missouri mules is "open and notorious" according to an opinion of the Oklahoma supreme court, and for that reason persons who steal them from the owner are liable for recovery of damages.

The court so held last yesterday when it reversed a decision of a jury in district court at McAlester which had awarded L. G. Vio a judgment of \$100 against the Fort Smith & Western railroad because an army mule bit him on the leg.

# CLAIM OF GREAT BRITAIN AGAINST UNITED STATES DISMISSED BY TRIBUNAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—(AP)—The claim of the British government against the United States for 125,400 pounds sterling in connection with the operations of the Rio Grande Irrigation & Land Company Ltd., has been dismissed by the American and British claims arbitral tribunal sitting in London.

# JAPANESE PRIMA DONNA WITH MADAME BUTTERFLY IS DIVORCED AT TOKYO

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Mrs. Takano, a Japanese prima donna, announced here today she had received word that her husband, Dr. Masataro Minura, noted Japanese physician, had been granted a divorce from her in the courts of Tokyo, Japan.

# SLIGHT ERUPTION Mount Vesuvius Attracts Interest

NAPLES, Italy, Dec. 1.—(AP)—A slight eruption of Mount Vesuvius is attracting the interest of tourists, especially Americans, who are making excursions near to the crater as possible.

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# NEW SHALLOW WELL NEAR CARBON MAY OPEN UP NEW FIELD

MARYLAND, Dec. 1.—(AP)—A well of exceptional character in an old territory that may result in a boom near the town of Carbon has been completed and is making 20 barrels daily from a depth of 10 feet. There is no production for miles around, it is stated, and it is believed that it may result in the opening up of a shallow field that will rival Moran in its productivity.

# MRS. KENNEDY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE STRUCK BY CAR CRASH SATURDAY

Mrs. M. D. Kennedy, 55, of 504 Travis avenue, was slightly injured Saturday evening about 3 o'clock when the automobile in which she and her son, J. J. Kennedy, and several other people were riding, collided with a street car at Ninth and Travis streets. She recovered to the General Hospital in a private automobile.

# FORMER GOVERNOR OF MISSOURI SUGGESTED DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 1.—(AP)—Former Governor Frederick D. Gardner of Missouri, late today was endorsed for the Democratic presidential nomination in resolutions adopted at a meeting here of the Democratic Fore Association of Missouri.

# Governor-Elect Is Warned That Trouble Is Ahead

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 1.—(AP)—Governor-elect H. L. Whitfield called at the office of the United States attorney today to get a few "pointers" from the retiring executive.

# ATTORNEYS NAMED TO AID IN INVESTIGATION OF VETERANS BUREAU

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—(AP)—General ordered the senate veterans committee, John E. O'Ryan of New York and Charles E. Whittier of Massachusetts to assist the department of justice in a complete investigation of the charges of irregularity which were developed at the public hearings of the senate committee.

# Only 19 More Shopping Days Till Christmas

Needed improvements of the Rock Island, La Crosse & Pacific Railroad, as included: Roadway and structures \$66,500,000; improving present equipment \$8,500,000; new locomotives, freight and passenger, \$17,500,000; new freight and passenger stations, has added, are required at Oklahoma City, Dallas and Tucuman.

# Selection Packages on Request

Our Intelligent Christmas Shopping Service means much to you, as it does to every Season Buyer. Here in this store of sensible gift things, we have spared neither effort nor expense to insure your receiving just this character of service.

# For a Lasting Remembrance Give Jewelry

Beautiful blue white absolutely perfect diamond mounted in an all platinum ladies ring mounting. Specially priced at \$275

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL NO. 2 Blue white diamond in an 18-k. white gold ring mounting. Special \$37.50

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL NUMBER 3 Blue white diamond weighing about one quarter karat. Solid white gold ring mounting. Special \$75

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL NUMBER 4 Latest designs in platinum top bar pins. One, three and five stones. Specially priced from \$12.50 to \$75

ELGIN GIFT WATCHES Beautifully carved white-gold or yellow gold cases fitted with Elgin movements. Special \$14.75

ELGIN WRIST WATCHES are perfect timekeepers. The smallest size of movements cased in solid white gold cases. Special \$33.75 White gold filled cases at \$22.50

Whiting & Davis Mesh Bags No accessory of feminine attire is so conspicuously beautiful. Votives for all occasions, Opera, dance, wedding, street or business, mildy finds her mesh bag indispensable. Priced from \$5 to \$10, thus affording ample opportunity for modest choice or generous giving.

**ART JEWELRY CO.**  
8th and Indiana

Join our Gift Club now and have your Gifts paid for by Christmas.

See Diddy Raggedy Andy at Decorators Co. show window, to be given away Christmas.—adv.

Give Furniture the Practical Gift This Christmas

# FURNITURE

Only 19 More Shopping Days Until Christmas

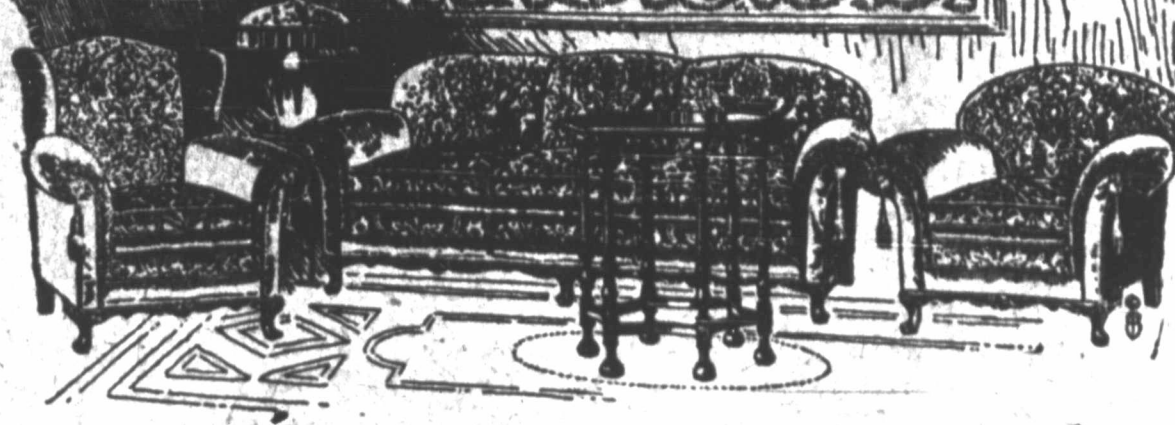
## The Practical Gift



### An Artistic Gift Torchieres

These exquisite and highly artistic Torchieres are sure to be appreciated as Christmas gifts. With their polychrome—all weighted—bases and their highly colored cylindrical shades they reflect real beauty.

Priced per set \$18.50



### Lamps for Gifts

All With the Enduring Charm of Distinction

Floor, Boudoir or Reading Lamps that make serviceable and practical gifts for the home comprise what we deem our most pretentious yuletide display in years. Come, see them at the earliest opportunity. Every lamp on view here has some particular artistic feature to it—either in the finish shade or style itself. Really, they're of such rare beauty and elegance as would be hard to find elsewhere.



### Brighten the Home With Rugs for Christmas

If you need a rug to brighten the home we urge that you come here to make your selection as our showing at this time is very complete. In a variety of designs and sizes ready for your inspection.

What Better Gift for the Home Than a Suite of

### Fenske Bros. Living Room Furniture

Beautiful living room suites. We offer an opportunity to you to furnish your living room with a wonderful Fenske Brothers Suite. High grade materials and workmanship make this line of furniture ideal for the proper furnishings of the living room. Just imagine a beautiful suite of this furniture in your living room on Christmas morning. In rich upholstery of varied designs you are sure to find what you desire. They come in either Cane Back Suites or Overstuffed Suites.

Cane Back Suites \$155 to \$235  
Overstuffed Suites \$185 to \$575

## A FREE DOLL!

We wish to interest the children of Wichita Falls in "Better Homes"



See the Beautiful Madam Hendron Doll in our window which we will give away.

MISS DOROTHY M'CONNELL BROTHERS

She will be presented to some Wichita Falls girl of 12 years or under who writes us the best letter in our opinion on the subject of "Home." All letters must be received by December 15th. Our decision will be made and Miss Dorothy will be presented to her new mistress

DECEMBER 17th

The winners name will be published in daily papers with letter—and displayed in our show window.  
Write plainly, not over 200 words, and upon one side of paper.

### DINING ROOM FURNITURE

That should interest Christmas Shoppers. Our large showing at this time makes it possible for you to make your selections for the Holiday season.

8-Piece Suite \$125 to \$495

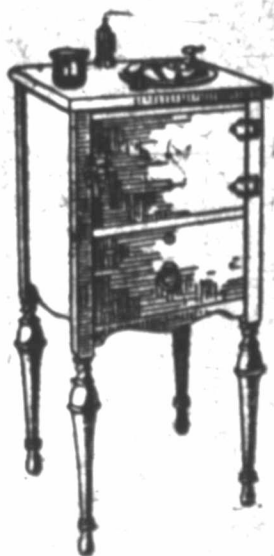
### Restful and Charming Bedroom Furniture

Suites of beautiful walnut, wondrous in charm. Bow-end beds. Vanity Dressers with triple mirrors. Dust proof drawers. Suites in Ivory, Mahogany and the beautiful two-tone effects. A bedroom suite will be appreciated for the home.

5-Piece Suite \$98.50 to \$475

### Smoking Stands

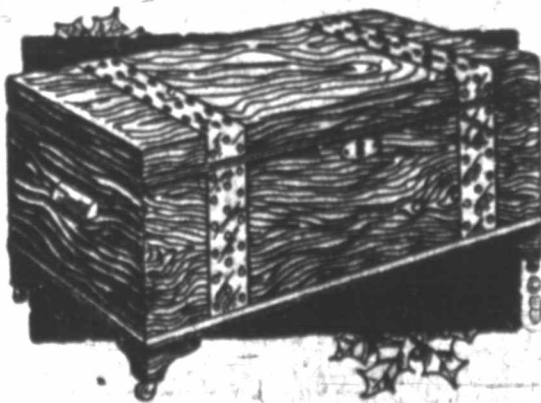
Give him a smoker set for Christmas



Any gentleman who smokes can appreciate and enjoy a smoker set every day in the year. Come and see our big selection, in any style that you could wish for. Comfort and pleasure guaranteed as well as price satisfaction.

### Cedar Chests

Are Always Appreciated Gifts



Because they can be used the year round for the storage of clothing out of season. Made of genuine Cedar in a variety of sizes and styles. You will make no mistake when you select a Cedar Chest for Christmas. Many are equipped with two or more compartments.

### Winter Is Here

COME IN NOW AND GET YOUR New Method Radiant Heater

Have the home properly equipped so that you may have it properly heated during the Holiday season. The New Method Radiant Heater is the logical heater to buy. If you need a heater be sure that you see the New Method Heater demonstrated before you buy. They come in upright and mantle styles. Wide range of sizes for your individual selection.

# Victrola

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

## The Practical Gift

What more pleasing gift than a Victrola for Christmas. A gift of one for the whole family.

Upright or Console styles. Have music on Christmas and throughout the year. Victrola is known for tone. Come in and let us demonstrate. Showing a beautiful selection of the new Victrola styles.

Join Our Christmas Victrola Club Now, \$5 Cash for a Victrola, Balance Easy Terms

Just stop and think what a five dollar bill will do. It will bring a Victrola to your home on Christmas which means operatic selections, concert numbers, songs, dance and every other kind of musical entertainment into your home.

A \$5 payment makes you a member—the Victrola of your choice will be delivered to your home any time between now and Christmas, balance easy terms.

Priced \$25 to \$1500



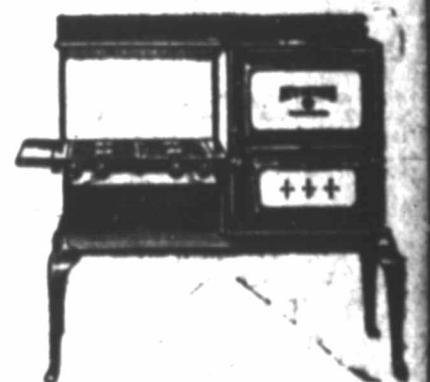
### A GIFT OF VICTOR RECORDS

Is one that will be appreciated by any Victor owner. We are issuing Victor record certificates. Here's the plan. Come in and pay for as many records as you desire to give, we will issue you a Victor Record Certificate, made out to the recipient, then you can give the certificate to them and they can come in at any time and make the selection of Victor Records that they desire. In this way you eliminate the possibility of duplication of records.

### Give a New Method Gas Range

It's a Practical Gift

This range will save you 30 to 50 per cent on your gas bills and will make a gift that will be long appreciated. A large variety of styles from which to make your selection.



Delight the Housewife On Christmas Morn With A

# HOOSIER

This gift will be welcomed by the housewife. You can make a small payment down and the balance easy terms and we will deliver the Hoosier to your home on Christmas. The Hoosier will make housework lighter for the whole year.

Priced \$44.50 to \$97

SHOP NOW PAY LATER

# McCONNELL BROTHERS

821-823 Indiana Ave.

HOME FURNISHERS

Phone 5723

EASY TERMS TO SUIT

# BESSIE BOUTON CASE ONE OF STRANGEST IN U. S. HISTORY

## Long Shot Andrews With Several Hammer Murders on His Record Probably Slew Girl, Says Thomson

By SIR BASIL THOMSON

The director of Bureau of Criminal Investigation in Scotland Yard recalls the case of Bessie Bouton because of the light it throws on the phases of American life rather than because it is an unsolved crime, for though no one was brought to justice for the murder on Mount Cutler in the summer of 1908 I believe that the murderer met his fate.

Every one who has visited Colorado Springs in the summer knows Mount Cutler and the spot where, looking westward at sunset, the gorgeous scenery of Cheyenne Canyon and the Garden of the Gods is displayed before him. There one morning was found the dead body of a young woman, who had been shot through the head from behind while she was gazing on the view. Her features had been burned away to prevent identification, and an empty pint bottle lying near the body and smelling of gasoline showed how this had been done.

The police issued the usual circular and also mailed to every dentist in the country a minute description of the young girl and in the teeth dentists file a record of their work and a few weeks later a dentist at Poughkeepsie informed them that the description tallied with work he had done for a Miss Bessie Bouton, a college graduate who had set up as a beauty specialist in his town. The description tallied with work he had done for a Miss Bessie Bouton, a college graduate who had set up as a beauty specialist in his town.

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## THE COTTON BOLL WEEVIL

By CLARENCE M. SPARKMAN

Editor's Note.—The following article on the boll weevil has been furnished by the Times by Clarence M. Sparkman, inventor of a cotton pest exterminator. Mr. Sparkman says he has obtained much of the information contained in his article from the publications of the department of agriculture.

The cotton boll weevil is not a native of the United States. It originated in Central America. Previous to 1925 they had spread over much of Mexico, but little is known regarding the extent or rapidity of this dispersal. All records indicate, however, that it had caused the abandonment of cotton in certain regions. In 1925 the boll weevil crossed the Rio Grande near Brownsville, Texas. It may have been blown across, but it is possible it was carried across in seed cotton.

At first it was supposed that Andrews was living in some other house and that the girl was taking his food to him. It was easy to follow her, but for two days she pursued the same routine. She would stroll about the streets for a while and then make for the grocery store, purchase eggs and go straight home with them. One day while she was out the police bored a small sugar hole in her door. That night a detective crept to the door without



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## Method of Maturation

An average life of the adult weevil is thirty days, although they have been known to live twelve months. The adult weevil takes winter quarters in fence rows, cracks, any place to protect it from the weather. They come out in mid-spring and wait for the cotton to grow. My method of control is to give them a drink. They will drink water freely if you offer it in the right way. I have a machine and device that will properly apply the poisonous liquid and have the poisonous liquid of my own discovery. It will kill anything that eats or drinks it and as a distinct advantage it keeps everything away. My invention relates to an insect exterminator comprising a tank or fluid container mounted upon a vehicle having tubular connections with

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### FIVE PRISONERS GET TRUTH SERUM AT NEW ORLEANS

By Universal Service  
**NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 25.**—Five prisoners in the Orleans parish prison, four of them negroes, all avowedly themselves innocent of the charges under which they were convicted, underwent the "truth serum" test in the prison's hospital Tuesday.

A gathering composed of distinguished men in medical, scientific and legal fields, is carefully watching the progress of the demonstration, being conducted under the personal supervision of Dr. Robert Emmett House, discoverer of the new and strange application of the drug scopolamin.

At 11 o'clock a number of prisoners, assembled in the negro yard, were asked to offer themselves for this test.

"Those of you who know yourselves guilty had better get some forward, because this will make you tell the truth," warned Dr. House.

These five were chosen: William Howard, negro, charged with breaking and entering and petty larceny.

Cornelius Gillman, negro, assault and robbery.

Willie Taylor, negro, breaking and entering.

James Green, negro, breaking and entering.

Emile Blonde, breaking and entering.

It was with some difficulty that the physicians administering the drug brought the five prisoners "under."

When the questioning began, it seemed difficult to draw a clear answer out of any of the four negroes.

Thomas, Green, Taylor and Howard stuck to their claim of innocence. When Howard was being questioned about his past, he was asked if he had ever shot any one.

"Uh, yes," he drawled.

"Was it a policeman?"

After a brief hesitation, he said, "Yes."

Giving signs of brain fatigue, the questioning of Howard was discontinued by Dr. House.

When Thomas was being questioned, a flashlight was exploded by a photographer.

Thomas jumped and drawled: "Who did it?"

"Oh, that's nothing," said a physician.

"Huh," groaned the subject. "I thought they were shooting a trap, they was hanging somebody."

Giving the four negroes a rest, the physician turned to Blonde, who some weeks ago had confessed that it was he who stole a considerable quantity of narcotics from the vault in the federal building.

When Blonde finally was prepared for the injection, he was asked if it was true that he stole \$25,000 worth of drugs from the federal vault.

"No, I didn't take the drugs," he answered.

"Why did you say that you did?"

"Well, they had a trap set and I was hanging somebody and I sooner go to Atlanta, I thought by confessing that drug theft when I read it in the paper, I'd get a term in Atlanta rather than to Bathing House."

On three different occasions Blonde was asked these same questions, each time he returned the same answer.

Blonde's sensational "confession" of the drug theft was doubted by police, but he never repudiated it until on this instance when he was under the influence of scopolamin.

Dr. House will remain in New Orleans until Wednesday night, when he will go to Austin, Texas.

After that he is to administer the drug to a man accused in a sensational murder case.

**RETURNS TO ITALY AFTER TWO MONTHS VACATION**

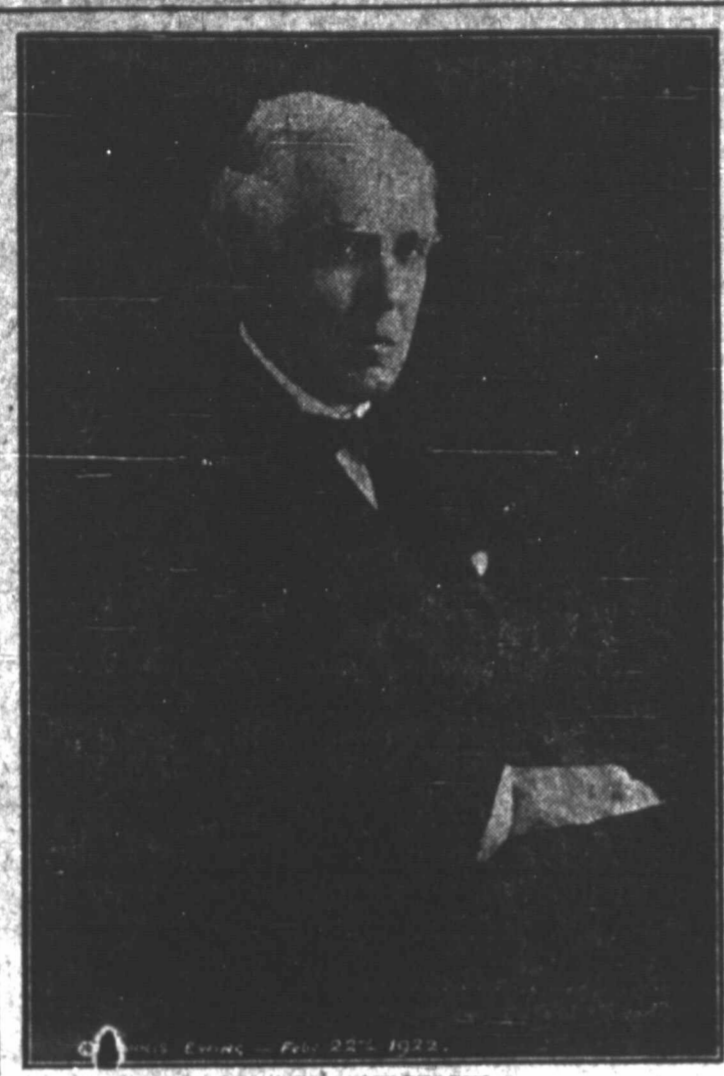
**NEW YORK, Dec. 1.**—Richard Washburn Child, United States ambassador to Italy, sailed today on the steamship Sarnia to return to his post after a two months' holiday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Child.

Asked concerning reports of his impending resignation, Mr. Child replied that he had no immediate intention of returning to private life.

"I am in the same position I was when these reports were first circulated," he said. "I say now, as I said then, I want to retire when my time is up."

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### PERSONAL REMINISCENCES OF SENATOR CHAS. A. CULBERSON



CHARLES A. CULBERSON

Editor's Note.—Senator Charles A. Culbertson, of Texas, is spending the winter in Washington, writing his "Personal Reminiscences," in the form of "Short Letters." There will be 22 of these letters, covering the 22 years of his public service, January 17, 1891, to March 4, 1923. He served successively as attorney general twice, governor twice, and senator four times. He rose to the leadership of his party in the senate, and during the period of Democratic control of that body, 1903-1913, which embraced the entire period of the World War, he was chairman of the senate committee on the judiciary, the great law committee of that body. The first of this series of letters is published today. A subsequent letter will appear every succeeding Sunday until the entire 22 have been published.

**SHORT LETTERS—FIRST**  
 Washington, December 2.—The oldest son of David B. Culbertson and Eugenia Kimball Culbertson, I was born in Dadeville, Alabama, in June, 1856.

In 1868 my parents moved from Alabama to Texas, coming overland with a number of other families.

They located in Upshur county on a farm and my father opened a law office at Gilmer, where he practiced his profession until 1891, when we moved to Jefferson.

When Texas seceded from the union and the Civil War began, my father assisted in raising the 18th Texas Infantry, of which regiment he was afterward the colonel.

After going to school in Jefferson and at Gilmer, I entered the Virginia Military Institute in 1876, from which I was graduated in 1879.

This was the school in which Stonewall Jackson was a professor, which gave the Confederacy a number of distinguished generals and the corps of cadets which immortalized itself in the Battle of New Market.

I studied law under my father and later under Professor Minor and Southwell at the University of Virginia.

While in the University of Virginia, I was judge of the student law courts, the highest honor in the law class, and the final orator of the Jefferson Literary Society in 1877.

On the night the exercises of this society were held John W. Daniel, of Virginia, was in the audience, seated on the stage.

When I concluded my speech he sent an usher to me to say that since the exercises were over he wanted to see me.

After receiving his congratulations, he asked me to go to his hotel with him, which I did.

While there he prepared two telegrams, one to the newspaper at Lynchburg, where he resided, and the other to a newspaper at Richmond, giving an account of the evening and speaking very kindly of me.

He suggested that I secure copies of the newspapers containing the telegrams and send to my father, which I did the next day.

Twenty-two years afterward I had the honor of serving with this distinguished orator in the senate of the United States.

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### CELEBRATION OF FEASTS OF LIGHTS TO BEGIN SUNDAY

Chanukah, known as the feast of illumination and by other titles of similar significance will be celebrated by Jewish people of Wichita Falls for eight days, beginning Sunday evening and continuing through December 19. Rabbi A. Rabinowitz stated Saturday. Complete arrangements have been made and several celebrations are scheduled during the holidays.

According to Rabbi Rabinowitz, Chanukah voices the hope that eventually the value of the few, championing justice and truth will prevail over the horde who are striving to install race-hatred, selfishness and violence among men.

### BOY TAKEN INTO CUSTODY; FATHER PAWNEED CLOTHES

Juvenile Officer W. G. Bralley has in custody a little 6-year old boy, whose father, according to the officer, pawned the little fellow's clothes and is now being held in the city jail at Electra on a charge of drunkenness.

Mr. Bralley was called to Electra Friday evening and upon investigation of the case found that the boy had been living with his father. His mother lives in east Texas. Friday morning the boy's father had

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- She'll Like a Rug at \$45 to \$56**  
This is the unusually low price on a splendid collection of 9x12 Axminster Rugs for Christmas giving.
- A Joy Bringer at \$24.50 to \$37.50**  
Just think how happy a little desk like this will make the recipient. It's in the latest mahogany finish, too.
- Another Good Gift at \$14.50**  
An end table and book trough in an unusual design, richly finished in genuine walnut, at this remarkably low price.



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Two Barrels of Mash and a Small Quantity of Liqueur Captured.

ARCHER CITY, Texas, Dec. 1.—Sheriff Goodwin, with two of his deputies captured a still, two barrels of mash and a small quantity of liquor on a farm east of here. The still was located in a cellar under the house in which the family lived. The owner was arrested but released after giving bond in the sum of \$1500. This is the first still found in that section of the country in more than a year.

Thanksgiving Service. A union Thanksgiving service was held at the Methodist church Thursday morning, where a large crowd had gathered for the occasion. The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Miss Lois Stewart; song, choir; reading, Hazel Herron; prayer, scripture reading; vocal solo, Mrs. E. H. Hard; sermon, by pastor of Baptist church, Rev. H. D. Blair; song; benediction.

Miss Emma Joda Morrison, teacher in the West Vernon school is spending Thanksgiving with home folks. Miss Fayett Herron, who is attending school at Fort Worth, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Herron. Mr. and Mrs. Clara Long and little son spent Thanksgiving at Henrietta.

Miss Beas Day and sister of Wichita Falls visited friends here Thursday. Miss Beas Day and sister of Wichita Falls visited friends here Thursday.

Miss Harvey Thompson of Vernon is visiting friends here this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison and little daughter spent Thanksgiving here.

Rev. B. R. Hall's mother is visiting him. Mrs. Arthur Stallcup and children of Eastland are visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. B. R. Morrison.

Rev. B. R. Hall conducted chapel exercises at school Monday morning. The first grade pupils under the direction of their teacher, Miss Irma Churchwell, also gave a very interesting program.

Dr. Frank Church of the White-Myers Locomotive Company gave a lecture on "The New Americanism" to a large crowd in the school auditorium Monday night. He also spoke Tuesday morning to all the school. Both lectures were of a high-class and appreciated by every one who heard him.

Jim Wilson, who is attending

TEACHERS APPROVE RELIGIOUS TRAINING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FORT WORTH, Dec. 1.—Religious training as a part of public education is favored by the State Teachers' Association of Texas, who adopted a resolution at the final session this afternoon of a three-day convention here.

The association of Texas colleges and the commission on classification and accredited high schools to adopt a plan whereby credits may be given toward high school graduation and college entrance for week day courses in religious education.

Other resolutions adopted by the teachers gave endorsement and tender of support to the Texas educational survey authorized by the 26th legislature and to the Texas Federated Educational Council recently formed at Dallas.

Another resolution declared for loyalty and devotion to the constitution of the state and nation and specifically declared for enforcement of all laws "and especially the provisions of the federal and state laws regulating the liquor traffic and specifically the prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors."

The committee which drafted and offered the resolution was composed of Dr. F. M. Bralley, Denton; chairman; L. G. Allen, Canyon; H. F. Bettel, Huntville; J. C. Fry, Sherman; and Miss Mary Shipp, Georgetown.

The next meeting place of the convention will be selected by the executive committee of the association which will meet at the call of the chairman.

George G. Gough, superintendent of the public schools of Tyler, was elected president of the State Teachers' Association, to succeed J. C. Wilson, professor of education of Sam Houston State Teachers' College, Huntsville, according to an announcement from the committee on elections made at the general session of the convention this morning.

By Universal Service. TAMICO, Mexico, Dec. 1.—Following on the heels of President Obregon's ultimatum to the electrical workers here that they must spend the remainder of the week working the strikers have sent word to the president that they would resume on provision that Harvey A. Leach, an American and general manager of the Tampico Light and Power Company, be immediately deported from Mexico to the United States under article 33 of the constitution relating to pernicious foreigners.

The strikers allege that Leach's activities are in violation of Mexican laws and that he does not observe the attitude that foreigners should assume toward another country.

See Daddy Raggedy Andy at Decorators Co. show window, to be given away Christmas.—adv.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Abilene, Texas, Dec. 1.—Born on the day before President James Monroe announced his famous doctrine in the Congress of the United States, William Lackey today celebrated his 100th birthday at Winters, 40 miles south of here. Lackey was born December 1, 1823, in Sevier county, Arkansas, and is the father of 32 children. He is hale and hearty.

Commerce, Texas, Dec. 1.—Burglars last night broke into and robbed St. Monica's Catholic church at Commerce. The intruders robbed the steel and gilt container on the altar, taking the vessel used for the repose of the blessed sacrament. It is thought the burglars believed the container had money and valuables stored within its enclosure.

Killed in Accident. GREENVILLE, Texas, Dec. 1.—Mr. W. Sparks, 55, Hunt county school teacher, was instantly killed today when the automobile he was driving was struck by a Texas Midland motor car at Commerce, 15 miles north of here.

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WILL END STRIKE SOON AS MANAGER PLANT DEPORTED

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LARGE ENGINE IS ADDED TO VERNON MUNICIPAL PLANT

VERNON, Texas, Dec. 1.—The city's new 300-horsepower Fairbanks-Morse engine to be used for the municipal light plant has arrived and is now at the light plant to be installed. It will be in operation in about 10 days, according to reports of city officials.

The value of the engine is about \$21,000. The new engine was leased and not bought, officials say, and will be added to the 200-horsepower engine the city has already in operation, making the total horsepower for the city light plant amount to 500.

The new engine is so large that it was pulled from the station by a caterpillar tractor, which however, could not be used on the pavement. The engine was brought down Cumberland street to the pavement at the intersection of Texas street and then the caterpillar took a position in the rear and shoved the truck bearing the engine onto the pavement. A long cable was attached in front and the caterpillar then was attached to the cable beyond the pavement on Cumberland street and pulled the truck at long range until the pavement was passed.

The engine was so heavy that a great deal of trouble was encountered even on hard streets, by the wheels of the truck sinking deep into the ground. It took almost two days to move the engine from the station to the light plant.

R. H. Coffee improved. R. H. Coffee is reported improving rapidly following an operation for appendicitis at a local hospital last Monday afternoon. His condition has been favorable, although

RAIN AND COLDER OVER NORTHWEST TEXAS TERRITORY

A drizzling rain began falling in Wichita Falls Saturday night and unsettled weather, with probably more rain or snow, is the forecast received from government weather observers.

At 11 o'clock only a small fraction of an inch of rain had been reported. According to reports received by railroad dispatchers the rain is general in Northwest Texas and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas dispatcher stated that the weather was turning cold north of Wichita Falls will reach Wichita Falls before Sunday. It is believed that the cold wave day morning.

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STATE CHAIRMAN OF SOUTH DAKOTA ENDORSES M'ADOO

HEURON, S. D., Dec. 1.—An unqualified endorsement of William G. McAdoo for the South Dakota presidential primary nomination was voiced today by the Democratic state chairman, W. W. Howes of Wesley, following a conference with state leaders here in preparation for the party proposal convention at Pierre next Tuesday.

Plan McAdoo Club. By Universal Service: Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 1.—The William G. McAdoo Old Home Town Club will soon be launched here. More than five hundred voters in the city have signed the cards that are being distributed through the McAdoo clearing-house of the second congressional district that is being operated by Judge Williams of the municipal court. Mr. McAdoo at the age of eight sponsored the old Hall House School in Knoxville and completed his education by graduating from the University of Tennessee.

Mr. Williams stated that when one thousand of the cards are signed, which would be in the next few days, the members would be called together to perfect the organization.

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Read this message and take heed for the time is short. Don't wait until the last minute but resolve to start your Christmas shopping at once. Make your lists and decide what you are going to purchase for the holiday season. Shop early in the morning, early in the week, and NOW. You will be the winner for you can get better service from the merchant and better selections for your gifts.

Get the Christmas Spirit people,  
And practice what you preach.  
Your last year's sad experience  
Should these wise lessons teach.

Take time, give thought to proper  
gifts.  
Don't buy and then repent  
Because if you act hastily  
That's money poorly spent.

Shop Early—Don't procrastinate,  
No laggard be, nor slacker  
Don't buy a pair of slippers  
For the man who wants "Ter-  
backer."

Don't put off 'till tomorrow  
What you can do today  
Buy early, that's the surest  
And by far the safest way.

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### BURKBURNETT TO HAVE POULTRY SHOW DECEMBER 7 AND 8

SPLENDID DISPLAY OF BIRDS IS EXPECTED BY ASSO. CIATION.

### FIRST ANNUAL EXHIBIT MUCH INTEREST IS SHOWN

Small Fee is Charged For Entries to Defray Expense of Show.

BURKBURNETT, Tex., Dec. 1.—The officers of the Burkburnett Poultry Association report prospects for a splendid display of birds at the first show to be held here on December 7-8. The show will be held in the building formerly occupied by the Burk Motors Company. A fee of 25 cents or single birds and 75 cents for pens is being made by the association to defray the expense of the show. It is said that the prizes are ample to repay exhibitors for their trouble in furnishing exhibits of fine poultry. Catalogs and entry blanks may be obtained from the chamber of commerce at this time.

WHI Lecture Tuesday. Lila D. Albert, sociologist, journalist, author and lecturer, will lecture here at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, December 11. He will speak using the subject of "The Young People of 1929." Mr. Albert was for several years chairman of the executive committee of the Washington, D. C. Chamber of Commerce. In 1911 and 1912 he served as president of the Minnesota Academy of Social Science. He was for several years president of the Federation of the Church Clubs of the Episcopal Diocese of Minnesota, and was vice-president of the Minnesota State Arts Commission.

Observe Thanksgiving. Practically all business houses were closed on Thanksgiving Day. All churches of the city attended a union service at the First Baptist Church. Rev. McConnell preached the Thanksgiving sermon and this was followed by a Thanksgiving offering which was liberally subscribed to by those present. Some inconvenience was had by automobile owners who had failed to secure a supply of gas on the day before as all of the stations were closed in observance of the national holiday.

Extend Waterworks. Workmen are now engaged in making excavations for the additional extension to the waterworks now supplying the city. Large reservoirs are to be built of concrete so structure which will receive their supply of water from springs now prevalent in the river bluffs in the locality where the work is being done. Probably twenty or thirty thousand dollars will be spent by the city in making the proposed water extensions and it is expected that an ample supply of pure water will be had in an amount sufficient to supply all the needs of the city for some time to come.

Art Exhibit. An art exhibit will be shown at the high school auditorium on Dec. 7-8. Four hundred fine masterpieces of art will be shown by the Colonial Art Company of Oklahoma City, Okla. The exhibit will be open from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. on both Friday and Saturday and a small admission of 15 cents will be charged to be used in making purchases of pictures for the new school building.

Worshipment Churches. The pastor, Dr. L. E. Finney, will preach at both morning and night services at the Baptist church here Sunday. The morning subject will be "The Angels of the Church."

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HIS ATTITUDE DRAWS SEVERE  
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CHARGE WASHINGTON IS  
UNDER FRENCH INFLUENCE

Declare American Statesmen Are  
Fond of Making High Flown  
Speeches.

BERLIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—Secretary  
Hughes' Philadelphia speech, cabled  
here in brief form, draws adverse  
criticism from the conservative and  
junkie organs, which generally  
complain that the utterances of the  
American cabinet chief provide no  
concrete help for Germany in her  
present sorry plight.

The conservative Tages Zeitung  
says Mr. Hughes' statement is ob-  
viously intended as impartial, but  
it is regrettable that "Washington  
remains under the influence of  
French propaganda and fails to  
recognize that not France, but Ger-  
many is threatened and needs  
security for the future."

"If what Roosevelt understands  
by security becomes a reality, namely,  
the complete and permanent sub-  
jection of Germany under American  
tutelage," the newspaper adds,  
"all good wishes for Germany's  
prospects amount to naught."  
The Pan-German Zeitung says the  
speech was of the "Wilsonian type,"  
and the monarchist Reichs Bote ex-  
claims bitterly: "American states-  
men are fond of making high flown  
speeches, but when they come to  
deal with Prussia's tyranny and  
oppression of a defenseless people  
they shrug their shoulders and  
say that Europe is none of their  
business, notwithstanding the fact  
that America by her participation in  
the war plunged central Europe  
into misery."

The Voelkische Zeitung, the only  
other conservative paper, declares  
the speech is the starting point of a  
new American peace policy for  
Europe and emphasizes the im-  
portance of the fact that France  
and Great Britain have been driven  
to the recognition of the necessity  
of applying new methods in solution  
of the reparations problem.

CANCELLATION EUROPEAN  
DEBT IS "UNTHINKABLE"  
SAYS ELBERT H. GARY

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. (AP)—Cancella-  
tion of the European war debt was  
characterized as "unthinkable" by  
the ever-ready American pundit  
Elbert H. Gary, directing head of  
the United States Steel Corporation,  
in setting forth his views on the  
virtues and uses of charity at Town  
Hall last night.

There is a strenuous agitation go-  
ing on at present, he asserted, in  
favor of abolishing the war debt of  
the date of foreign countries to the  
United States. From the viewpoint  
of the United States, he said, the  
proposal would appear to be "irrational and  
preposterous," he said.

"I do not remember clearly  
what took place at that time, but  
during the war by those who bor-  
rowed money."

"We remember how urgent they  
were, how profuse in promises, how  
grateful for accommodations, it is  
difficult to believe there is a change  
of sentiment."

He compared the German "scrap  
of paper" attitude toward treaties  
with the proposals of European na-  
tions to ignore their financial obli-  
gations.

OVERSUBSCRIPTION TO  
IRISH FREE STATE LOAN  
INDICATED IN REPORTS

DUBLIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—It is esti-  
mated that 100,000 pounds sterling  
of the Irish free state loan of 10,  
000,000 pounds was subscribed dur-  
ing the week which has elapsed  
since the opening of the subscrip-  
tion. This calculation is based  
mainly on the results in Dublin and  
it is expected that when the full  
reports are received from the coun-  
try branch banks it will be found  
that the loan is oversubscribed.

There has been an attempt to ob-  
struct the loan, but the representatives  
are declaring that the free state will  
be disappointed by the time the  
loan matures, it was stated. This  
prophesy has not deterred the big  
financial interests, banks, railways  
and insurance companies from sup-  
porting the loan.

ANTI-KU KLUX KLAN  
CONFERENCE IS HELD  
AT DURANT, OKLAHOMA

DURANT, Okla., Dec. 1. (AP)—A  
conference of anti-Ku Klux Klan  
organizations adjourned early today  
after an all-night session here at  
which five county units were  
amalgamated.

The consolidation embraces Atoka,  
Bryan, Marshall, Johnston and  
Choctaw counties.

The society did not assume a  
name and details of the organiza-  
tion were left unmentioned with a  
view to union later with a proposed state  
order opposed to the Klan.

Virtually the entire night was  
devoted to an attempt to have the  
farm labor union affiliate with the  
organization, but spokesmen for the  
union remained firm in their de-  
cision not to join.

A resolution was adopted favor-  
ing a merger of all anti-Klan orders  
in the state.

OFFER REWARD OF \$500  
FOR ARREST ROY COYNE

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 1. (AP)—A re-  
ward of \$500 today was offered by  
District Attorney Vanden for the  
arrest of Roy Coyne, alleged crim-  
inal, who for the second time  
within the year jumped his bond.  
The bond of \$1,000 on which Coyne  
had been released following his ar-  
rest in Ohio during the summer, was  
declared forfeited yesterday by  
George F. Dushke, judge of the west  
side criminal court here, after  
Coyne had failed to put in his ap-  
pearance, and permit a continuation  
of his trial on charges of operating a  
confidence game.

Coyne forfeited a bond of \$2,000  
last January when during the pro-  
cess of selecting a jury to try him  
and 15 others on similar charges,  
he left the city. He finally was ar-  
rested early in June in Cleveland,  
Ohio, and was returned here for  
trial.

PRESIDENT'S REFERENCE  
TO JAPANESE CREATES  
FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

TOKIO, Dec. 1. (AP)—The deepest  
impression has been made upon the  
Japanese people by President Cool-  
idge's reference to the great earth-  
quake disaster in his Thanksgiving  
proclamation according to a state-  
ment by Toranomiya Yamamoto to the  
Associated Press.

"The Japanese government has  
noted," said the premier, "that  
President Coolidge in his Thanksgiv-  
ing Day proclamation stated that  
the year had brought to the Ameri-  
can people two tragic experiences,  
the earthquake disaster and the  
hardship and the other the disaster  
to the friendly people of Japan."  
"Comparing our tragedy with the  
bereavement of your country is an  
indication of sympathy that has  
touched the depths of our hearts,  
though we Japanese do not observe  
a specific day of thanksgiving, we  
are profoundly grateful, even in our  
distress, for the evidence of friend-  
ship which has come to us from every  
quarter of the earth."

"The fact that we Japanese will  
always cherish the memory of the  
late president of your kindly coun-  
try, who summoned the nations to  
meet at the Washington conference  
out of which came the first agree-  
ment the world has ever known to  
achieve a material reduction of  
armament among the greatest na-  
tions."

PREMIER OF ITALY IS  
IN FAVOR RECOGNITION  
OF SOVIET GOVERNMENT

ROME, Dec. 1. (AP)—Premier Mus-  
solini speaking in the chamber of  
deputies yesterday strongly favored  
recognition of the Soviet govern-  
ment and declared such  
recognition should be advantageous  
to Italy.

He contended that all countries  
would have to resume economic re-  
lations with Russia, either directly  
or indirectly. Great Britain, France  
and the United States have taken  
considerable steps in that direction.  
The premier said he would say to  
Russia: "The Italian government  
recognizes the Russian government  
and restores it to the political and  
diplomatic comity of the western  
nations. The Russian government  
must grant a good commercial  
treaty and concessions for the raw  
materials of which Italy stands in  
great need. If Russia will concede  
what we ask, negotiations now in progress  
will be satisfactorily concluded."

CHARGE "LOAN SHARKS"  
UNCONSCIOUS TO EXTORT  
UNREASONABLE INTEREST

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1. (AP)—The  
filing of a \$100,000 damage suit in  
federal court here yesterday by  
John N. Rhodes, 44, Kansas City,  
Mo., against a group of seven  
men who Rhodes alleges conspired  
to extort usurious interest from  
him launched a nation-wide legal  
attack on "loan sharks" according  
to Anthony F. Nugent, one of the  
attorneys for the plaintiff. Nugent  
also is counsel for five other rail-  
road employes who allege that they  
have been victimized by loan com-  
panies. He asserted that injunctive  
and damage suits would be filed in  
various federal courts throughout  
the United States in an effort "to  
bring the loan shark trade to a  
halt."

RECOMMEND CHANGE IN  
METHOD OF ESTIMATING  
CONDITION COTTON CROP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—Re-  
adjustment of the methods used in es-  
timating the cotton crop by the gov-  
ernment was recommended in a res-  
olution adopted at a meeting today  
of the newly organized cotton bloc  
in congress. A committee of five  
was named to draw up and present  
legislation.

Representative Rankin, Democrat,  
Mississippi, who introduced the res-  
olution, declared cotton growers had  
lost more this year through "mis-  
information upon the crop prepared  
by the government than from the  
boll weevil and other ravages." He  
advocated that the estimates be pre-  
pared by the same branch of the  
department of agriculture and cen-  
sus bureau.

The conference also approved a  
resolution favoring enactment of  
legislation at this session of con-  
gress taxing Russia 10 cents a ton  
for the cotton.

NOISY DEMONSTRATION  
IN WARSAW PARLIAMENT  
RESULT MAJORITY VOTE

WARSAW, Dec. 1. (AP)—A noisy  
demonstration occurred last night  
after the German government had  
decided to raise the parliamentary  
immunity of two socialist deputies  
accused of instigating the Crows  
rebellion and delivering to the gov-  
ernment. The radicals protested vio-  
lently.

The uproar surprised spectators in  
the galleries, for they had just  
witnessed a joyous feast accompan-  
ing ratification of treaties with  
Turkey.

The diet unanimously ratified  
three treaties with Turkey signed  
at Lausanne, Oct. 10, as a part of  
"eternal friendship" and the others  
pertain to commerce.

The ratification was made the oc-  
casion of friendly manifestations  
toward the Turkish republic.

DECLINE TO RECOGNIZE  
LEGALITY OF OCCUPATION

BERLIN, Dec. 1. (AP)—In a note  
which the German government has  
sent to the reparations commission  
concerning the recent agreements  
signed by the occupation authorities  
and the German industrialists, the  
reich declines to recognize the leg-  
ality of the occupation, the policy  
of the German industrialists, the  
agreements, and gives detailed argu-  
ments supporting its contention that  
all deliveries in kind should be credited  
wholly to the reich's reparations ac-  
count.

It is claimed that all reparations  
require unanimous action by the al-  
lies and that no individual power  
has the right to take separate  
action against the debtor state.

Case of Spahnke.  
Since the fire which destroyed our  
home and everything in it last  
Tuesday night, November 27, we  
wish to express our thanks and ap-  
preciation to the Producer's Credit  
Company, where I am employed for  
the prices presented by them,  
and also to our many friends and  
neighbors for the nice and useful  
things given us by them. Hiram  
Sib and Mrs. A. W. Bell—Advs.

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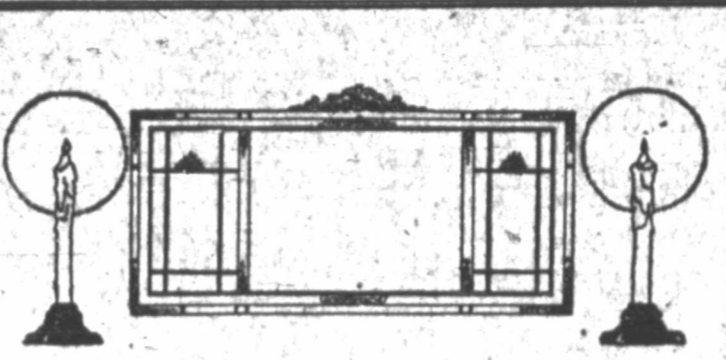


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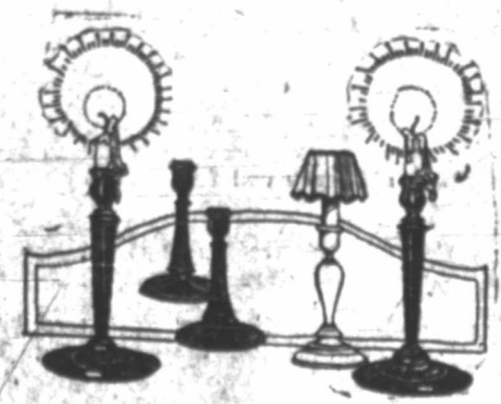


### The Little Daisy Toy Carpet Sweeper

This useful toy is a delight of the little mistress of a doll's house. Price each

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Give toys to the children which will help to teach them serviceable lessons of life.



### Let Your Light Shine Cherry Candle Sticks

With candles to match. They come in blue, red, pink and yellow. Price, per pair

**\$3.50**

# OPERATIONS BECOMING MORE ACTIVE IN ARCHER FIELDS

## Johnson 600 Barrel Well Geraldine Townsite Feature of Week; Several Other Good Completions Reported

A review of activities in the Archer field for the week ending Saturday, Dec. 1, showed an increase in the number of drilling wells, several new locations and the completion of a number of good producers.

The finding of new sands in a number of tests with possibilities of extending the pay has attracted the attention of operators. The Jerry No. 1 on the W. P. Parina tract, which has encountered a sand at 125 feet, which was penetrated and flowed to a showing of oil; six and five-eighths casing has been set to test this. It is located about 4,000 feet east and a half north of the Jetter well, which extended the Wilmot pool to the south. In the event that the Herdasty Jeffery test proves to be a producer, it will mean a three-quarter of a mile extension for the field. With the Texas Company and Higgins Oil and Refining Company holding considerable acreage between the Jetter and Herdasty tests, an increase in the number of drilling wells in this part of the field is looked for in the near future.

Two locations were made by the R. M. F. Oil Company in its Archer lease, and drilling will commence in the next few days. Location for No. 2 has been made on the Egbert tract, 300 feet west of No. 1, which came in last week with an initial production of 1,889 barrels daily and a well flowing and putting up in the neighborhood of 400 barrels daily. The same company's No. 1 L. F. Wilson is located in the southeast corner of section 24, A. T. N. C. L. survey, and in the northeast corner of lot 29.

The Underwood Drilling Company has made location for No. 2 well located in the Wilmot tract, abstract 1044, R. M. F. R. R. survey, No. 4. The Derrick is set and machinery on the ground for Bridwell-Herdasty No. 1 in the northwest corner of section 24, lot 29, abstract 1044, R. M. F. R. R. survey, No. 4. The Derrick is up and machinery is being moved to the location.

Muschenlo and Fain are rigging up for their No. 1 test in the southwest corner of section 24, lot 29, abstract 1044, R. M. F. R. R. survey, No. 4. Wilson land, Geraldine townsite.

Carter Farm Oil Company No. 1 is located in the west corner of section 24, lot 29, abstract 1044, R. M. F. R. R. survey, No. 4. The Derrick is up and machinery is being moved to the location.

Flowers and Green are making preparations for the drilling of a deep test on the Abernethy and Taylor land, 1 1/2 feet north of the southeast corner of block 65, Harold subdivision, Club ranch. The Derrick is up and machinery is being moved to the location.

Johnson Well Good for 600

West of the Art-Haynes producer on the Wilma land, No. 1 well at Meadows and Dickson has set casing on top of a broken sand at 180 feet, which was tested and reported to be a good producer.

Drilling will continue in an effort to get the deeper pay.

The best well brought in for the week was completed by the Johnson on his tract in lot 218, L. F. Wilson land, Geraldine townsite, with a daily output of between 600 and 700 barrels.

The well, which is an offset to the west of the Jetter-Brannen-Medger producer, encountered the top of the pay at 154 feet and was penetrated four feet when the well started to flow by heads and later at 182 feet. The well is reported to be a daily producer of between 600 and 700 barrels.

The bringing in of this "big boy" well, the third well with big production in the field during the past few weeks, Jetter and associates brought in the first or discovery well, which is still making 500 barrels daily, six hundred feet to the northwest of the Jetter and a short distance northeast of the Jetter well. The well is at present pumping and flowing at the rate of 100 barrels daily.

The locations for No. 3 and No. 4 Wilson have been made by D. O. Johnson. The former offsets the producer to the west and No. 1 will offset the R. M. F. producer to the west.

The Kentucky Oil Corporation completed a site little well in No. 2 lease B, Wilmot tract, in the 1,000-foot pay which is pumping between 300 and 400 barrels daily.

On the Carter tract in block 22, P. F. Gwynn also finished his No. 2 lease B well, with a daily production of 100 barrels from the sand at 167 feet.

## WILSON FARM OIL CO. GETS 800 BARREL WELL ON SATURDAY

Early Saturday afternoon the Wilson Farm Oil Company No. 1 on the L. F. Wilson land, section 24, came in flowing a steady stream of oil and from present indications will continue in production both the big Magnolia and the Johnson wells. The top of the pay was penetrated at 125 feet, which has all the earmarks of a producer.

The well was completed and casing was set and drilling will commence at once on the Beaudoin-Boyd test, located in the south part of the Mrs. Carter tract, block 21. The top of the sand being sought was struck at 160 feet, showing plenty of oil with promise of making a producer.

With the growing demand for oil which has been apparent for the past week, a number of changes of ownership in many tracts have been reported and hardly a day passes that one or more leases do not change hands. The largest test reported was the purchase by the McGee company from A. F. Minchow of part of his holdings in the Wilmot and Wilson lands for a consideration of \$150,000. Several smaller buys, including production, were made.

## JONES AND HILL OF WICHITA FALLS ARE TESTING AT MORAN

Special to The Times.

Moran, Texas, Dec. 1.—Jones and Hill, prominent oil operators of Wichita Falls, have contracted with J. L. Barber et al to drill a deep test in the south part of section 15, R. A. lands, R. A. Elliott fee, which location is about one-half mile northeast of the Humble Parham discovery well, which came in at 2900 feet about three months ago.

The contract calls for the beginning of operations by December 15. The test is to be followed by others, if successful.

The first snow storm of the season was ushered in Wednesday morning and while it was welcomed since it had retarded oil operations and development for some time, it was also a source of concern for the men who are now taking all of the oil and making oil connections requested near their lines. For new wells and new tests, the roads are also several deep test contracts being worked out covering the territory all the way from Putnam to the Texas field.

Elliott and Chandler, drilling contractors, this week brought in two extra good shallow wells in the 400-foot sand on the 22-acre lease of Sheriff Head et al, Dennis estate, in section 15, R. A. lands. This makes the fifth good shallow well drilled on these adjacent leases by this drilling firm without a single failure or dry hole.

In the South field, two women operators, Mrs. Dr. Manning and Mrs. L. E. Miller, succeeded in bringing in a 40 barrel well, fresh production, in section 217, T. R. & L. lands, Callahan county, about 10 miles south of Moran. The well is less than 400 feet deep and while generally known as the Humble pool, with its surrounding leases, it is the big South pool, what it is where they had recently drilled a number of wells that came in for a fresh production all the way from 100 to 200 barrels per day. These ladies offset a dry hole that their husbands had drilled and now their husbands are trying to borrow the rabbits' foot from their wives for which they are having to put up a strong talk.

## ANOTHER ECHO OF THRIFT WAGGONER BANK TO BE HEARD

Another echo of the Thrift Waggoner bank in the Northwest oil fields, which closed its doors in the fall of 1931, will be heard Monday in the United States district court. A number of creditors of the bank name a number of stockholders in the banking institution as defendants, alleging that the bank was not incorporated and therefore, being a joint stock association or a partnership, the stockholders are liable for the debt.

The United States district court will convene Monday morning, after a recess since last Tuesday afternoon, when Judge Wm. H. Atwell left for his home in Dallas.

A number of equity and bankruptcy cases have been set for trial for the coming week. The fall term of the federal court here will come to a close some time toward the latter part of the week.

## SUNDAY IS PAYDAY FOR WICHITA FALLS BATTERY

Sunday afternoon is payday for the local National Guard, according to Captain John H. Fletcher, of the local battery. All members will report at the Armory at 11:30 a. m. for regulation uniform. Drill will be mounted. After drill there will be polo practice.

## SCHOOL OF OSTEOPATHY BUILDING IS DAMAGED

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 1. (AP)—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed the downtown building occupied by the College of Osteopathy. With the building which was almost completely wrecked the school lost most of its laboratory equipment.

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## Few Small Producers Completed in Wichita County and Number of New Locations Made During Past Week

With the exception of a few wells completed with small production and a number of new locations made, Wichita county just finished one of the quietest weeks in the history of the oil industry.

The best well for the week was the McGee Oil Company's No. 2 Saunders in the Clara pool, which is good for 150 barrels from the top of the pay at 1817 feet.

On the Allingham tract, south of Elnora, the Herford Oil Company completed a 100-barrel producer in the sand at 1914 feet.

Several tests are drilling on the Magnolia Company's various leases on the Waggoner land, the same company finished its No. 1 Pare Waggoner in section 22, which is good for 50 barrels from the sand at 1815-15 feet, the location has been made for No. 2 in the southeast corner of section 22, abstract 104, for a deep cable tool test. On the L. P. Douglas in the C. A. Mumford survey is rigging up a star machine to spud in at once.

To the south of Elnora, on the Waggoner tract, the Howa Drilling Company is preparing to test out a good looking sand at 1810 feet.

The Buffalo Oil Company has taken over the drilling of the No. 1 well of the Cline Oil Company on the Waggoner tract, section 8, block 2.

13, H. E. C. R. H. survey, located eight miles southwest of Elnora, and will put down a deep test. The best at present is down 910 feet.

A location with a Derrick up has been made by W. L. Sims for No. 14, on his lease in section five Barrelet, abstract 141, H. E. C. R. survey.

Many New Locations

Bas and Dilard have made a location for their main test on the Seal-Scott survey, Waggoner land and will offset the Texas Company's well to the south.

In section 21, Waggoner, the Houston Oil Company has made a location for No. 16 in the southeast corner of the lease and will put down a test at once.

The Huffingham Company has started drilling on the No. 4 L. P. Douglas lease B and is down 100 feet.

On the Kennedy lease in the Sunshine Hill district, Baldwin brothers have set casing and will test out a sand at 1414 feet in their No. 1 well. The Buffalo Oil Company is proceeding about 10 barrels daily. No. 7 Douglas in the C. A. Mumford survey is rigging up a star machine to spud in at once.

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## SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF ANDERSON'S STORE SEES THREEFOLD INCREASE

Six years ago a small one-story building housed a little dry goods business owned by W. W. Anderson. Friday in the same location Anderson's Sixth Anniversary sale was started in a building affording three times the space, with stock and sales force more than three times as large as the little store afforded six years ago.

The entire stock of the store, including holiday goods, is on sale at

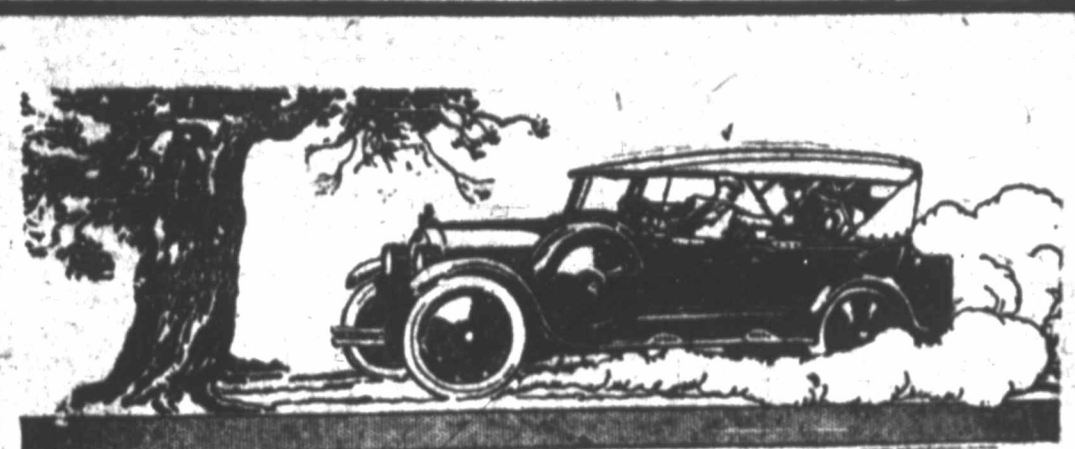
discount prices and remarkable values are offered in each and every line handled by the store, including ready to wear, knit wear and women's millinery, shoes, piece goods and notions.

A large crowd thronged the store from the opening hour Friday morning, taking advantage of an early chance at the bargains and of the music and novelties featured as part of the opening of the sale.

About 25 extra people are employed in connection with the sale, which will last until Christmas Eve, it was stated.

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COYOTES AND TEXARKANA CLASH ON GRIDIRON SATURDAY

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COYOTE CUBS ARE DEATEN BY HEAVY BURKURNETT TEAM

Playing a losing game against a heavier team, the Coyote Cubs of the local junior high school played their second game within the last three days and went down to defeat before the Burkurnett eleven, 19 to 13. Outweighed by about 10 pounds to the man, the Cubs, failing to gain through the heavy line, were unable to make any headway against the smashing charges of the opponents.

The Coyotes, intercollegiate champions of district 3 and 4 in their victories over Strawn and Oak Cliff, Dallas, will meet Texarkana, another bi-district championship club, Saturday afternoon. This district was reached Saturday morning following a conference between Lee Jones, coach of the Texarkana high school squad and "Big" McCallum, Coyotes manager.

INDIAN COACHES GO BIG WITH POWERS OF WASHINGTON U.



Left to right: A. A. Krenzlin, W. H. Dietz

Washington State college is strong for Indian coaches. A. A. Krenzlin, an All-American end in his playing days and for the past nine years football coach at Georgetown University, is directing the destinies of the Coyotes this year.

MATCHES MADE AND HANDICAPS SET IN GOLF TOURNAMENT

Drawings were made and handicaps set for the Kruger Jewelry Company golf tournament at the Wichita Falls Golf and Country Club Saturday afternoon. Play will begin at once and one week is allowed for each match or otherwise forfeitures will be declared.

2,000 People Assemble at Depot To Welcome Home Conquering Heroes of Oak Cliff Contest

Mail the conquerors' heroes through the city of home after a hard campaign, the wounded were borne by their comrades along the line of parade. It was with the Coyotes Saturday, 1911, that the two players who were injured in Friday's contest were assisted by their playing mates.

GEORGIA FIGHTS CENTRE IN FINAL GAME TO 3-3 TIE

ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 1. (AP)—Smarting under two successive defeats administered by Vanderbilt and Alabama, the University of Georgia fought desperately in its final game of the season and held Centre to a 3-3 tie here today.

PURDUE AND OHIO OPEN SCHEDULE OF BIG TEN IN 1924

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—The 1924 Big Ten football schedule follows: October 4—Purdue at Ohio; October 11—Ohio at Iowa; October 18—Michigan at Illinois; October 25—Chicago; Purdue at Northwestern; October 25—Wisconsin at Michigan; Minnesota at Iowa; Chicago at Northwestern; November 1—Michigan at Minnesota; Iowa at Illinois; Indiana at Northwestern; Purdue at Chicago; November 8—Northwestern at Michigan; Ohio at Indiana; Illinois at Chicago; November 15—Michigan at Ohio; Wisconsin at Minnesota; Northwestern at Chicago; November 22—Iowa at Michigan; Ohio at Illinois; Indiana at Purdue; Wisconsin at Chicago.

Vanderbilt Selected Winner of Pickens Trophy Judged Best Team in Southern Conference

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 1. (AP)—Vanderbilt University was today selected as the winner of the Camp Pickens trophy, a prize given the Southern Intercollegiate conference football eleven which was poured the best team as judged by leading sports writers of the south.

Coyote Squad to Be Entertained By Kiwanis Club

The entire Coyote squad, regulars, substitutes and coaches has been invited to the Kiwanis Club luncheon at the Kemp Hotel, 12:15 Monday. Frank Quisner, secretary of the club, attended the luncheon following the return of the squad from Dallas Saturday.

REACH A TENTATIVE AGREEMENT FOR GAME

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. (AP)—Coach Zuppke and Toot today reached a tentative agreement for a football game next fall between Michigan and Illinois, joint holders of the 1923 big ten football championship, on October 18, to be played probably at Illinois when the new \$2,000,000 stadium there will be completed and formally dedicated.

MARINES BEAT THIRD ARMY CORPS 7 TO 0

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—The Quantico Marines defeated the Third Army Corps football team here today, 7 to 0, the touchdowns coming in the closing minutes of play after a series of line plunges starting on the Army's 34-yard line. Goettge, the Marine's quarterback, carried the ball over and Rykman place kicked for the winning point. A 15-yard penalty by the Army followed by Henry intercepting one of the Marine's forward passes placed the Marine in position for the drive.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Amerillo 22,allis 7; Beaumont 8, San Antonio, Main Avenue 8.

Association to Hold Its Annual Meet at Dallas

ARLINGTON, Texas, Dec. 1. (AP)—The Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association will hold its annual meeting at the Oriental Hotel in Dallas on Thursday morning, December 6, it was announced here today by A. E. Kinsinger, president of the association.

Top Caps Press. BOWEN, Md., Dec. 1. (AP)—The 1923 intercollegiate basketball championship game between the University of Maryland and Duke University was played at the University of Maryland on Saturday night. The game was a close contest, with Maryland winning by a score of 23 to 21.

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ALVESTON GETS 3 PL OF PORTLAND. MARLEO THROUGH RA WILL WINS. FLAINVIEW, TEXAS. AMARILLO GOLDEN. BOSTON COLLEGE DEFEATS B OF HO. By Universal Service. BOSTON, Dec. 1. (AP)—With a show of unassisted Holy Cross, a final round of the Boston College and Harvard football game at Harvard Field. At the outset it is Holy Cross who put down in a few minutes.

### ALVESTON CLUB GETS 3 PLAYERS OF PORTLAND TEAM

ALVESTON, Texas, Dec. 1.—(AP)—It appears to be one of the biggest deals yet pulled by President B. Leopold in his move to rebuild the Alveston club. Leopold announced tonight when he secured outfielder Les King, pitcher Crumpler and infielder Stump from the Portland team of the Pacific Coast League in exchange for George Dietel, Stump, and a cash consideration. Leopold, who is president of the club, secured Crumpler, pitching for Salt Lake last season, won 14 games and seven shutouts in the player released by the Portland club last year, but who was later turned over to the Alveston club. Leopold is in the cleanup position for Portland last season.

### MARILLO PLOWS THROUGH RALLS AT WILL WINS 32 TO 7

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Dec. 1.—(AP)—An Amarillo Golden Sandstorm won championship of district 1 and of the Interscholastic League of the Panhandle-Plains here this morning when he defeated the all-Jack Rabbits, 32 to 7. The storm plowed through the Rabbits' defense at will and resorted to a variety of strategy, kicking, scoring in every quarter on a muddy field the sandstorm clearly outdistanced the Rabbits. He scored almost exclusively on the forward pass and trick plays.

### Boston College Defeats Eleven Of Holy Cross

BOSTON, Dec. 1.—Boston College won a show of unexpected power defeated Holy Cross 15 to 7 in the annual gridiron combat between the two Jesuit colleges of New England at the stadium in Boston today. At the outset it looked good for Holy Cross who put over a touchdown in a few minutes after play began.

### The Nut Cracker

Speaking of the Big "Nut Cracker" all three this year. The Nut Cracker was here to harden their heads. How politicians' heads get that way is unknown.

Apparently the Tale building has quit running around with pompadour and is back on a diet of red meat.

By beat in Memoriam by a nose. Showing what can be done with a nose that has been raised properly and given the advantage of a broad-minded, liberal, democratic training.

Wonders never come singly. Tale goes in for modern football and Bryan refuses to be interviewed.

### WAKEFIELD OF VANDERBILT RATED PREMIER END OF ENTIRE SOUTH



By NEA Service. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 1.—Hek Wakefield, of Vanderbilt, rated by Coach Voss of Michigan as one of the greatest ends that ever played in the Midwest after the Michigan-Illinois game today, stands in a class by himself as the south's greatest end.

### GRIDIRON HEROES OHIO STATE HELP OPERATE A STORE

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 1.—One week ago sturdy Ohio State football heroes were giving their best to repel the onslaught of the champion Illinois team. Today they are helping to operate a store.

Front basement to top floor, from receiving room to office, as heads of departments and sales people more than 100 picked Ohio State students of the department of commerce are in complete control of one of Columbus' large department stores carrying forward on a strictly business basis every detail of the enterprise.

### FIRST HOLDUP STAGED WAS N. Y. POLICEMAN

By Universal Service. NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The first person Manuel Ruiz met when he started out as a hold-up man was Policeman Matamoros, opposite the muzzle of his German automatic pistol against the uniformed policeman's chest and asked him to hold up his hands. The patriot was complied. Then James Walsh, a civilian passerby, rushed in behind Ruiz and seized him in a bear hug while Matamoros put handcuffs on his assailant.

### FALLS INTO CLUTCHES OF MEXICAN SECRET SERVICE

By Universal Service. MEXICO CITY, Dec. 1.—R. A. Chappell, fell into the clutches of the Mexican secret service. Chappell, an opposite Brownsville, Texas, and is charged with being a smuggler of gold, tobacco, diamonds and other desirable goods.

### SECOND ACCIDENT PILES CAR ON TOP OF ANOTHER

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1.—Police hurried to the gap in a boulevard fence where an automobile was reported to have plunged off the road into the ditch found that another car had slid in the same place and fallen squarely on top of the first car. Several persons were slightly injured.

Francis-Portis Drug Co. "The Nyal Store" A STORE WHERE COURTEOUS SERVICE REIGNS. Phone 3113-3114 700 Indiana

### Runyon Says--

New Law Ends All Star Cards For Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—Many Philadelphia "ring worms" stand strong for pugilistic patrons, think the boxing game here will be killed by the new state law, providing for ten round bouts with decisions. The new law went into effect tonight.

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Former Chicago star, rates the Vandy flankman as the outstanding player of the entire south. Wakefield weighs only 145 pounds, but tackled with deadly precision, drops kicks steadily inside the 50-yard line, and leads the Vanderbilt offense.

### WAGER ON S. M. U. BAYLOR GAME IS TAKEN TO COURT

DALLAS, Texas, Dec. 1.—Lester I. Logan, owner of farm land in Hunt and Collin counties, today obtained a temporary restraining order to prevent the check of Hunt and Collin counties from receiving from E. W. Lanster and recording deeds to the farm.

### Zeo Is Winner Of \$286,573.57 During Career

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(AP)—Zev, Harry F. Sinclair's three-year-old colt which defeated Peppercorn in the recent international match race, today was credited with having won \$286,573.57 in his career.

### Fearing Death In Earthquake Man Kills His Family

FUEBIA, Mexico, Dec. 1.—Fearing death on the first of next January when an earthquake even more awe inspiring and terrible than the Japanese has been predicted for this city, Antonio Alvarez, after leaving a note explaining his crime killed his wife and eight children while they slept.

### FREDRICKS LABOR WELL HAVE WORKING MAJORITY

LONDON, Dec. 1.—George Bernard Shaw, who has been campaigning on behalf of the labor party predicted today that the election would result in giving the working man a majority party. But he cautioned, if McDonald is suggested as premier with a labor cabinet the conservatives and liberals will rush into each other's arms.

### WILLS' MANAGER INSISTS ON FIGHT WITH DEMPSEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Paddy Mullin, manager of Harry Wills, believes the talk of a Wills-Lein Firpo fight under the promotion of Tex Rickard is another attempt to sidetrack the negro challenger from a chance at Champion Jack Dempsey.

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By Universal Service. SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 1.—Investigation of the disappearance of Nell Austin, Seattle school teacher, who vanished Sunday and was found Wednesday in Vancouver, B. C., was formally closed today by Chief of Police Severino of this city.

### DO EXTENSIVE BUSINESS IN U. S. POSTAGE STAMPS ALLEGED TO BE STOLEN

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1.—Postoffice Inspector R. A. Ward said today that Herman C. Davis had received more than \$100,000 in the last two years from stamps sold to an official of the C. E. Huseman Stamp Company of this city, but that the company did not know the stamps had been stolen.

### ITALIAN PAPER COMMENTS ON SPEECH OF HUGHES

ROME, Dec. 1.—Commenting on the speech of Secretary of State Hughes in Mexico, the Italian paper "Giornale d'Italia" says: "America has spoken. All the premises laid out by Mr. Hughes find complete, spontaneous adoption on our part."

### EARLY TEST FOR NEW CABINET OF GERMAN REPUBLIC

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—(AP)—The new cabinet under Dr. Brüning here is expected to be selected shortly to a test before the Reichstag. That body will probably meet here next Tuesday and it is expected the government will immediately face the introduction by the communists and perhaps also by the socialists of "no confidence" votes, according to the parliamentary forecast of the Lokal Anzeiger today.

The Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung organ of Hugo Brinnes, takes much the same view, declaring Dr. Stresemann might as well have remained chancellor. This newspaper thinks the order through he is rather dubious about Wills ever getting a crack at the title because of three years of unswerving effort to close the match.

### SEATTLE TEACHER WAS NOT INJURED BY BLOW OR FALL

VAN COUVER, B. C., Dec. 1.—An X-ray examination today of the head of Nell Austin, Seattle school teacher, who was found on a beach porch near the beach here Wednesday, showed, according to physicians, that she had suffered no injury by any blow or fall.

By Universal Service. OREGON IS GREATLY IMPROVED IN HEALTH. WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—President Oregon is greatly improved in health and rumors that he contemplated resigning are without foundation, according to an official statement issued by the Mexican embassy today.

### Famous Persons Bequeath Brain To Prof. Smith

LONDON, Dec. 1.—It became known today that many famous men in recent years had bequeathed their brains to Professor Elliott Smith, Britain's greatest authority on the human brain.

### AMERICAN YEOMEN INJUNCTION TO BE HEARD THIS WEEK

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 1.—District Judge Lester L. Thompson will set a date early next week for a restraining injunction against the officers and board of directors of the society of policies for failure to pay higher rates.

### VERDICT NOT GUILTY IN CHICAGO LIQUOR CASE

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The federal jury trying nine defendants including Roscoe Andrews, former prohibition agent for Illinois, charged of conspiring to violate the prohibition laws in connection with the dissolution of the liquor firm of Grossman and Ulrich, tonight returned a verdict finding all the defendants not guilty. The jury deliberated about ten hours.

### ACTION EARLY IN WEEK ON PARDON FOR CRAIG

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Action will be taken early next week by President Coolidge upon the question of a pardon for Charles L. Craig, comptroller of New York City, who is under sentence of sixty days in jail imposed by Federal Judge Mayer for contempt of court.

### CAMPAIGN CENTERS ABOUT THE FARMER IN SOUTH DAKOTA

BURTON, S. D., Dec. 1.—(AP)—A campaign center about the farmer is the one thing of which South Dakota is certain in the things political for the 1936 presidential year. In the view of the leaders from all sections of the state, here today to lay plans for the Republican, Democratic and Farmer-Labor state proposal convention at Pierre next Tuesday.

Today's informal gatherings of county proposal men, who will name presidential preferences, frame state tickets and build the party platform at Pierre, revealed the sentiment for agricultural relief as virtually unanimous in all parties. At the same time bringing forth relief panacea varied as the multitude of factors to which are attributed agricultural ills.

By Universal Service. NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Harry Franklin, an employee in the New York office of the Metro Pictures Corporation, was held today in a federal court on a charge of shipping liquor from New York to Los Angeles in violation of the interstate commerce law. Franklin asserted that he made only one shipment to accommodate a friend.

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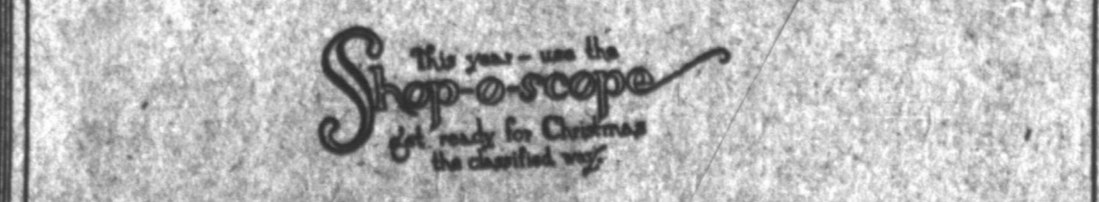
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TIMES DAILY MARKETS

Table with columns for Cotton Market, Grain and Produce, and Livestock. Includes sub-sections like 'COTTON MARKET' and 'GRAIN AND PRODUCE'.

Young Ministers Warned Against 'Klan' by Bishop

LETTER ROCK, Ark., Dec. 10.—"I want to warn you against the Ku Klux Klan," Bishop James Atkins of Juntura, N. C., said in exhorting a class of young ministers...

SATURDAY MORNING RIDING CLASS CELEBRATES MASS HAMPSHIRE'S BIRTHDAY

The Saturday Morning Riding Class had a special program Saturday morning when it celebrated the 100th anniversary of the birth of the state of Hampshire...

BOY STRUCK BY STREET CAR SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND SLIGHTLY INJURED

Clyde Taylor, aged 11, of 1204 Clearview street, was slightly injured when he was struck by a factory street car near the end of the car line Saturday afternoon...

PRELIMINARY HEARING IN CASE OF MISS CURRY ON CHARGE OF MURDER

MOUND CITY, Kan., Dec. 10.—That Arlene Scott, charged with complicity in the murder of her sister, Miss Curry, is a girl of 17 years...

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE: I have a beautiful home in Floral Heights on paved street, with modern kitchen, built-in refrigerator, two fireplaces, a bath, and a garage...

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FAVORITE WINTER SPORTS



BRING ON your fancy polo teams! This hardy outfit from Lowery Post, American Legion, in Lawton, Okla., uses burros instead of ponies for mounts. Crowds of several thousands have watched the Legionnaires play.



TRAPPEE STAR. Lillian Lottel is shown here in an unusual pose. The American public is used to seeing her aloft under the circus tent, for Lillian is the best word among aerialists. The best way, for her mother was, one below her, in France and Lillian was born as a circus acrobat in the circus.



SOME SMOKE! Down in the Philippines Islands they smoke 'em strong. Judging from the expression on this lad's face, he is in doubt whether he ought to finish the EE. Hope he's smoking. It's powerful enough to pick him up and walk away with him.



NEW IDEA in bicycles. It's German, of course, because the Germans are always inventing freak bikes. This one is especially adapted for mountain roads. It is propelled by means of a thumb-like foot power instead of the usual pedals and chain.



DELICATE WORK. Photo shows Mrs. E. Schull Walls at work in her studio, painting grasses for the Farmers' Bulletin published by the government. Her work is so delicate she paints by microscope.



GENIUS or prodigy, call him what you will. Shura Cherkassky, shown here, is 11 years of age and is a red plume player. He is making a record, American concert tour, the violin, xylo master, in the streets of Essen, Germany.



BRUIN is a good natured fellow, one he'd step the whole crowd down with one sweep of his south paw. He is a familiar figure, with his second, American concert tour, the violin, xylo master, in the streets of Essen, Germany.



SEVEN WILD GEENSE were bagged by this successful Nimrod in the swamps just over the line from San Antonio, Tex. Texans think they have the finest shooting in the country, and this one offers proof that game is plentiful.



FIGHTING "BOBBIE" FRENCH (in front) is captain of the football team at Temple University, Philadelphia. Under her leadership the team has developed a scrappy spirit and so far has more than held its own with other Quaker City teams.

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# SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



## In the Pictures

Left: Miss Madeline Mackechny, who became the bride of Jack Fulbright, of Fayetteville, Ark., Saturday afternoon.

In the layout: Center, Little Miss Fairy McGregor; left, in the large oval, Little Miss Betty Lee; left, top square, Little Miss Jane Clayton; right, Little Miss Helen Clayton; all flower girls in the Fulbright-Mackechny wedding.

Lower: Miss Fay McKennon, of Dumas, Arkansas, maid of honor in the wedding.

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## Fulbright-Mackechny Wedding Solemnized Saturday Afternoon At Church of the Good Shepherd

Madeline, only daughter of Dr. L. Mackechny, was given in marriage Saturday afternoon to Jack Fulbright, of Fayetteville, Ark., the nuptials solemnized at the Church of the Good Shepherd at 1:30 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. F. T. Dalton said the ceremony, whose celebration and setting were exceptionally solemn and beautiful. The church presented an exquisite background of greenery, with white, yellow, pink and blue flowers covering almost the entire interior of the building, and great bouquets of beautiful chrysanthemums throughout the interspaces of green. While nuptial candles, lighted immediately preceding the ceremony by the two little pages, James Lee and Benjamin Marcus, flickered their soft flames on the wedding party and marked their path down the aisle, white tall altar candles were set high above them on either side of the altar.

Madame Sammons was at the organ and gave for a prelude the Nevin Stumber Song. Mrs. Jeanette Bonner played "At Dawn" as a violin solo and Mrs. Fred Weeks sang the pre-nuptial song, "I Love You Truly," with the violin obligato by Mrs. J. H. Sammons. During the entrance of the bride party she played the "Lullaby" march, and later during the ceremony, "O Perfect Love."

The bride party consisted of the bride, the brides and matrons wearing beautiful afternoon gowns of various velvet in rose, green, rust, coral and beautiful shades, and carried arm bouquets of chrysanthemums. The brides and matrons included Madames W. U. McCutchen and Harold Hayes, and Misses Maurine Pearce of Dallas, Sibyl Kell and Adela Marcus, with Miss Fay McKennon of Dumas, Ark., maid of honor. The little flower girls were in pastel shades of tulle, and were Little Miss Helen and Jane Clayton, Patry McGregor and Betty Lee. Their costumes were lovely little colonial evening frocks with poke bonnets, and they carried small ostrich fans, the gifts of the bride. Miss McKennon, the best woman, wore a beautiful gown of tulle and the little pillow bearers, Harold Hayes Jr. and Johnnie Thomas, and wore a handsome gown from ribbons, buckles, and bows.

The bride entered with her father, Dr. Mackechny, and was escorted by her brother, William Fulbright, his best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulbright left immediately after the ceremony on their wedding trip east, after which they will go to Fayetteville, Ark., where they will make their home.

**Dinner and Reception**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Marcus entertained the Fulbright-Mackechny wedding party at a dinner dance at the Wichita Club Friday night.

The party was an exceptionally attractive one, the best of the season, and it is estimated that the guests numbered in the neighborhood of 150. The decorations were very lovely, carried out in the best shades of sweet peas and carnations, with orchid at the bride's place. Dainty little bouquets of sweet peas in the guests' hands, and a silver and white and matron's cover, while for the men there were buttonholes of carnations and fern. The bride's closest took advantage of the occasion to present her maids and matrons with beautiful little remembrances, so that at each of their covers was laid either a silver Remembrance or a sterling lip-stick holder. For the men of the party the groom had provided sterling cigarette holders. Music was furnished by Templeton's orchestra during the evening.

**Card of Thanks**

We wish to express our gratitude to all for their sympathy and love shown us in recent bereavement in the loss of our darling baby. Also for the beautiful floral offerings, and the kind and loving attention of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Aldridge and children.

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## Mrs. Griswold and Mrs. Newton Present An Attractive Visitor

Mrs. E. M. Griswold and Mrs. M. O. Newton received about a hundred guests Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Griswold's pretty home on Huff avenue to present Mrs. Newton's sister, Mrs. George F. Pennick of Los Angeles.

Chrysanthemums were the favorite flowers for decoration in the living room and dining room settings, where the two hostesses were assisted in their attractive hospitality by a dozen of more friends. In the living room there were Madames C. R. Hartwood, at the door, Griswold, Pennick, Newton, W. P. Killingsworth, Ed Howard, T. T. Reese, and Dale. In the dining room, where the table was centered with a lovely mass of chrysanthemums and where softly burning tapers, marked the corners for the table, Madames Ola G. Hamlin, W. W. Cook, G. T. Driskard, R. E. Shaffer, and W. W. Anderson assisted in entertaining the guests and served a dainty plate of ice cream and cake. In the punch room, Mrs. Wayne Holmes presided over a bowl with the assistance of Miss Louise Hamlin. During the afternoon, music was furnished by Mrs. B. C. Crouch, violin, with Mrs. R. E. Strang at the piano.

Little Miss Mary Allen Newton received the guests' cards, the list including the following: Madames M. R. Garrison, J. M. Isabel, W. R. Dolbe, Leslie Stringer, W. T. Willis, R. W. Wade, O. E. Maer, J. W. Meador, Edwin Webb, G. T. Gorzinski, Earl Zimmerman, C. M. Richardson, C. A. Rogers, H. B. Patterson, Julian Montgomery, John R. Hyatt, Lucile Brooks Huff, Louella B. Gant, L. E. Fisher, E. W. Wiley, Claude Gilbert, J. L. Pope, R. L. Mathis, J. H. Collins, Charles Preston, John Davensport, Tom McDaniel and Tom McDaniel Jr.

## WICHITA FALLS GUESTS ENTERTAINED IN BOWIE

The Bowie social reporter gives an account in her Sunday news of two beautiful parties which complimented Mrs. E. F. Walden, Mrs. Harry May, and Miss Manda Thomas of this city, who were guests of Madames Cecil Thomas and Glen Grayson, J. Sidney Pittman, A. M. Bissel, W. H. Downing, J. K. Massey, J. W. Siringard, H. R. Davis, Alfred M. Miller, T. A. Hunter, Kenneth Webb, A. E. Dunuch, Frank Hoover, J. E. H. Bailey, W. Gardner, Carrie Wilcox, L. W. Brewster, W. L. Harbille, Edith Pittsburg, R. E. Basham, R. A. Thompson, G. D. Anderson, Nat F.

## MUSICIANS CLUB PROGRAM PRESENTS NEW ARTISTS

The program rendered by the Musicians' Club at the open meeting Thursday evening, was one of the most delightful that the music lovers of Wichita Falls have ever enjoyed. Mrs. Lucile Brooks Huff was hostess for the evening and Mrs. C. Y. Tully was leader and in charge of the program for the entertainment.

Two new artists in the city, Mrs. Carl Lobitz, pianist, and Mrs. C. E. Eysen, violinist, made their first appearance before a Wichita Falls audience and were enthusiastically received. Others taking part were Madames T. H. Greenwood, Lucile Brooks Huff, King, Parker, W. H. Tully, Shaefer, Fridy, Shesherd, Lyle, Luella Thompson, Shesherd, Misses Annette Walsh, Florence Farnsworth, Messrs. W. E. Young and Stanley Raub were already favorites of the appreciative audience. The only disappointing feature of the program was the announcement that there would be no encore, however, each performer was compelled to respond to certain calls.

**WEDNESDAY ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED LAST WEEK**

The engagement and approaching wedding of Miss Nellie May Mask, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mask of 1201 Austin, to Mr. William Nathan White of Del Rio, Texas, was announced at an attractively planned party given by the bride-elect Thursday afternoon of last week at Miss Ruth Oldiges.

"Hearts" were played during the afternoon. Miss Temple Brown, winning high score and receiving a recipe book, with Miss Thelma Williams, receiving a year book for "dates." The "Oldies" game was prettily decorated in baskets of chrysanthemums in the gold and white color scheme, with big numbers being drawn. The little announcement cards were decorated in the wedding cake, and drawn therefrom with a pink ribbon. A miniature wedding party topped the card. Refreshments of sandwiches, olives, and nuts were served to the following: Madames M. C. Morris, Walter Dechman, M. G. Gaffney, Marie Jammer, Estelma Williams, Hagemann, J. R. Young and J. A. Oldiges; Misses Nettie May Mask, Gertrude Taylor, Irma Schenck, Marie Jammer, Estelma Williams, Lela Williams, Temple Bray, Neale McClure, Margaret Kennedy, Ruby Lagan and Winnie May Oldiges.

Picture framing artists supplied, Chas. E. Watson Paint Co.—Ad.

## DAUGHTER OF FORMER RESIDENT WINS PLACE WITH ZIEGFELD FOLLIES

Miss Mary Jane Wilkerson, daughter of Mrs. Halle Belle Wilkerson, former resident of this city who will be remembered by many who recall the late Mrs. Wilkerson, is on her way from her home in Memphis, Tenn., to join the Ziegfeld Follies, according to an account in the Memphis News-Scimitar of last Sunday.

The News-Scimitar prints a beautiful picture of the young dancer, who will go up and down Broadway where in a recent No. 80 contest she beauty contest and is said to be an exceptionally gifted young person. The contest, through arrangement with Florenz Ziegfeld, promised the winner a place in the Follies for 1934, and Miss Wilkerson, accompanied by her mother, left for New York Saturday night, and will also be given a tryout in the Broadway and Famous Players' studios for screen work. A part of the News-Scimitar account follows, and will be of interest to the old friends of Mrs. Wilkerson, who was a daughter of E. P. (Lish) Stevens, also formerly of this city.

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## MRS. DAN BLACKBURN IS HOSTESS TO IDEAL HOUR

Mrs. Dan Blackburn was hostess to the Ideal Hour Bridge Club members at her home on Harrison street last week, when tables were arranged in the prettily decorated living room and dining room for three sets of players.

In the games Mrs. Fred Lane won high score and received a beautiful oriental vase, while Mrs. Compton Smith was consoled among the "also rans" with a pretty dresser stand. Refreshments of sandwiches, salad, olives, cake and coffee were served to Madames Williams, R. B. Parker, Compton Smith, Deshae, W. P. Parker, John L. Swanner, C. Naylor, Fred Lane, A. D. Terrell, Moore, Stanley Marlowe and Eugene Nicholson.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE SHOWER FOR MR. AND MRS. ALBERTSON

Mr. M. P. Albertson and his bride of a week, formerly Miss Elizabeth Peyton, were pleasantly surprised by the Epworth Leaguers of Senior League No. 1 of the First Methodist Church, South, Tenth and Lamar, at a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening, in the League room at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Albertson have for several years been active workers in the league as well as other phases of church activity. Mrs. Albertson at present being superintendent of the church. After the surprise feature of the shower, several games were played

## 160 Guests Attend Beautiful Dinner Dance at Country Club And Enjoy Delightful Occasion

under the direction of Messrs. Hooper and Tomlin, after which refreshments, consisting of sandwiches and coffee, were served to the following: Messrs. and Madames Murrell Hooper, H. F. Thomas, J. W. Thorne, Carl Marx, Roy E. Carter, R. A. Douglas, A. H. Drake, J. W. Akin Jr., E. C. Huchacek, Madames Mattie Jacob, mother of the bride, and L. A. Kinkadee, Misses Alene Covey, Rae Marion, Ida Haggitt, Nell Smith, Margaret Hagan, Grace Haynie, Minnie Mae Peyton, Lucile Campbell, Winnie Foster, Hilda Masters, Mildred Masters, F. H. Temple, Bonnie Hayes, Oma Hughes, R. W. McCulloch, L. O. Ray.

With its entire reception suite an autumn glory of color, furnished by masses of crimson, flaming yellow, and dull green leaves, lovely varieties of cut flowers furnishing fragrance, and soft lights from autumn-lit candles shed over the pretty scene, the new country club house afforded a beautiful setting for the big dinner dance which its members and invited guests enjoyed there Tuesday evening.

The affair, planned by Messrs. Vaughn Ray, Norton and Coleman, was quite one of the prettiest ever given in the city, and undoubtedly one of the most enjoyable and successful in the series with which the new club house is being distinguished. The past few months Tables for the seven-course dinner were arranged around three sides of the big dining room and on the immediate floor, with special arrangements and in many cases special appointments and decorations for the occasion.

The dinner menu provided a sumptuous Thanksgiving feast, with turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, and a large quantity of turkey legs, which was enjoyed until sometime after midnight.

The guest list included the following: Messrs. and Madames W. H. Maxson, Fred Cooper, Justice Hooper, Charles J. Francis, James Peyton, F. G. Gray, D. L. Fritz, P. A. Harker, A. M. Miller, H. F. Voss, C. W. Murchison, Jack Bernard, Donald W. C. Wither, A. H. Carr, Stanley Bonner, C. W. Gilliland, W. H. Hamilton, C. B. Feider, W. P. Hester, Mark Thomas, J. A. Fisher, P. F. Langford, T. W. Harwood, C. H. Shannon, Van Wagoner, Harwood Stacy, Earl Clayton, Abe Marcus, Charles J. Francis, James W. Powell, Jim Bernard, R. O. Harvey, Harry Baum, Lester Burns, C. W. Murchison, Jack Bernard, Dudley Golding, Dave Frame, William Donner and Bill Cranfill; Madames Harry Weeks, Bessie Donald, Wanda of Idaho, and Roger, Misses Dent, Frances Ann Sanders, Adela Marcus, Thelma Kahn, Sadie Adkins, Lee Strawn, Vera Haly, Agnes Reid, Lucy Morris and Catherine Moore; Messrs. C. W. Snider, Frank Wood, W. E. Abbott, Ernest Pain, Vaughn Ray, H. G. Harvey, J. E. Glass, Captain, Roy Lee, C. J. Norton, Coleman, Allan Montgomery, and W. E. Abbott; Messrs. Mark Thomas, Mrs. R. W. Marston, Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stringer and guests.

## TRUSTEES' MEETING WEDNESDAY

The marriage of Miss Dora McCurtley to Carl Treisky was solemnized Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the First Christian church, Rev. Lambrecht Hancock officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Treisky expect to make their home here.

## Gift Shop and Exchange

Gifts for all occasions. Orders taken for party favors. Hand work work button holes, cards and cards. Mrs. E. Marlin, 1200 Collins, Phone 1460.—Ad.

## Artist's material

White of Dallas, and C. M. Miller.



**Eighteen Hole Tournament for Women's Golf Association Is Scheduled for Coming Monday**

A big eighteen-hole tournament is scheduled for Monday by the Women's Golf Association, the ladies to play for a silver loving cup offered by Mr. A. E. Kendall.

**A. R. MONTHLY MEET AND LUNCHEON SATURDAY**

The Daughters of the American Revolution, Major Francis Grice chapter, met in regular monthly social and business session Saturday noon at the... (text continues with names and details of the meeting)

**MRS. ROSEBERG HOSTESS TO BELLEVILLE PLAYERS**

Mrs. Lela Roseberg entertained the "Belleville" Bridge Club at her home Tuesday, when the pretty house decorations were suggestive of the Thanksgiving season with a color scheme of yellow and blue.

**MISS LUCILLE HOUTER AND MARY ASHBURNERS ENTERTAINED FRIENDS FRIDAY AFTERNOON**

Miss Lucille Houter and Mary Ashburners entertained a number of friends Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Joyce when four tables of bridge were enjoyed.

**Schumann-Heink Will Sing Here Monday, the 10th**

Madame Schumann-Heink, probably the most beloved singer before the American public, sings in Wichita Falls Monday, December 10, at the Palace theater.

**BRIEFS AND NOTICES**

The Southside Civic League will meet with Mrs. W. D. Cook at Yule and Twenty-second street Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

**MRS. DANIEL LAST WEEK**

Mrs. E. B. Daniel entertained the Wednesday "42" club at her home last week, and the members enjoyed a very delightful party.

**NEWLYWEDS HONORED SHOWER ON MONDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Albritton were married at recent date, and were honored with a shower at the home of the groom's parents.

**PERSONAL MENTION**

Mrs. J. E. Lawrence of Houston is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fowler, until after Christmas.

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**The Tangle**  
Letter from Leslie Prescott to Leslie Prescott, continued.  
"I don't mean anything in particular," said Ruth evasively, "except that every man has to do this when his wife has money of her own."

**Free Instructions In Dennison's Art-Craft Beginning Monday**

Miss Ann Cargill, a graduate of Dennison's New York school will be in our Dennison Department, beginning tomorrow, a series of free instructions in Dennison's Art-Craft.

**Luggage Makes Dandy Christmas Gifts**  
Make your selection early and we will hold and deliver any time between now and Christmas.  
Hartmann Wardrobe Trunks \$39.75 to \$195  
Fitted Cases, Bags and Hat Boxes, \$17.50 to \$75  
Gladstone Coat Cases, excellent leathers, \$22.50 to \$65  
Traveling Bags, solid leather, single and double handle, silk and pigskin lined, priced \$15 to \$45  
Hat Boxes, round and square shapes, plain and silk linings, priced \$7 to \$45

**Binner Corset Demonstration All This Week**  
We wish to announce that Miss Frances Pillsbury of New York EXPERT CORSETIERE  
Will give individual fittings of the Binner Corset, in our corset department, all this week.  
We cordially invite you to visit our corset section and avail yourself of Miss Pillsbury's service.  
This service is in addition to our own graduate Corsetiers Corset Section—(2nd Floor)

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It seldom fails to remove the treatment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.—adv.

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SOCIETY NEWS FROM NEARBY NORTHWEST TEXAS TOWNS

Bowie News

Members of Mrs. Donald's home... The rooms were beautiful in their autumn decorations...

Haskell

The marriage of Miss Ruth Lewis and Mr. Frank Reid was solemnized at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Stephenson...

Wichita Falls

There were many lovely and useful gifts. Chicken sandwiches, hot chocolate and whipped cream were served...

Wichita Falls

Members of the Thursday Bridge Club... The home was made very attractive by the use of fall flowers...

Wichita Falls

Community Christmas Tree... Haskell and Haskell county are uniting in putting on an even better community Christmas tree...

Wichita Falls

Thursday Luncheon Club Dinner... One of the most delightful hospitalities of the season was the Thursday Luncheon Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Couch...

Wichita Falls

Wichita Falls... The two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Smith who was operated on for appendicitis died Tuesday morning and will be laid to rest in Haskell.

Wichita Falls

Leavitt of California are here for the Williams-Sherrill wedding... Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cunningham of Wichita Falls are visiting relatives here.

Wichita Falls

Marjorie Thomas entertained a few of her friends with a line party at the Majestic theater last Saturday evening in celebration of her thirtieth birthday.

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From No Seymour... The Ladies Aid of... Mrs. W. B. Credde... DENTIST Dr. Green Easy Workman Gold Crowns \$5 Up Bridge Work \$5 Up

From Nearby Northwest Texas Towns

Seymour

Mrs. W. E. Craddock... The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church met with Mrs. W. E. Craddock Monday afternoon... The Panny Circle of the Methodist church met Monday in its monthly session with Mrs. W. E. Craddock and Geo. Knight at the home of Mrs. Francis...

Spiced Chicken Dinner

Mr. R. J. Hayley was born March 24, 1856, in Marshall county, Miss., and died Saturday evening, Nov. 24, 1923, being 71 years old...

Harmony Club Hostess

One of the most delightful entertainments was given Monday evening at the Presbyterian church when the Harmony Club has as their guests the women of the various clubs of the city...

Wichita Artists Entertained

Mrs. A. H. Brittain, Mrs. Lois Parker, Messrs. R. Vaughn Ray, W. E. Young, and Mr. Stanley Haskett of Wichita Falls who pleased a large...

A Moist Brush Beautifies Hair

Girls! Try This! Effect is Astonishing



Stamford

Mrs. Swanson Hostess... The Forty-Two club was very delightfully entertained with a pretty party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Swanson...

Stamford Delphians Club

The Delphians Club met Friday afternoon at the library with Walter Keith as leader of the lesson on religion and art of Egypt...

Little Ladies Reception

Little Miss Mary Alice Abbott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mackell Abbott, gave a lovely reception...

Stamford as well as what...

W. O. Britton and Mrs. Lawrence... introduced her home-quest, Little Miss Alice Sue Watson of Fort Worth...

Baptist Church Meet

The five circles of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the church. A short devotional was led by Mrs. L. B. Donohoe...

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THEODORE N. VAIL AWARDS ENCOURAGE EMPLOYEES OF BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

Awards of Theodore N. Vail medals in gold and silver for noteworthy public service were announced by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company Saturday...

Best of Health

A gentleman who has a boy away at college was rather anxious to hear from him and complained as usual after mail brought no word...

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Colbert have returned from Kansas City. Judge and Mrs. W. T. Andrews are in Mineral Wells...

Children Cry For



Fletcher's Castoria

MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrup, especially prepared for Infants in arms and Children all ages...

The Operation I Avoided—



Mrs. Coffman's Letter Follows:

IF there is one thing more than another a woman dreads, it is a surgical operation, and to be told that one is necessary is very disheartening...

Another Operation Avoided

CORONA, N. Y.—I had a terrible pain in my left side and had to go to bed every so often. Doctors had told me I must be operated on, but I do not believe in it...

Before Submitting to an operation Women should try

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. LYNN, MASS.

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ONE LOT \$69. This lot formerly sold \$83.75 to \$100.

ONE LOT \$57. These Coats formerly sold \$68.75 to \$79.50.

ONE LOT \$45. Formerly selling \$58.50 to \$63.75.

ONE LOT \$35. Formerly selling \$45.00 to \$57.50.

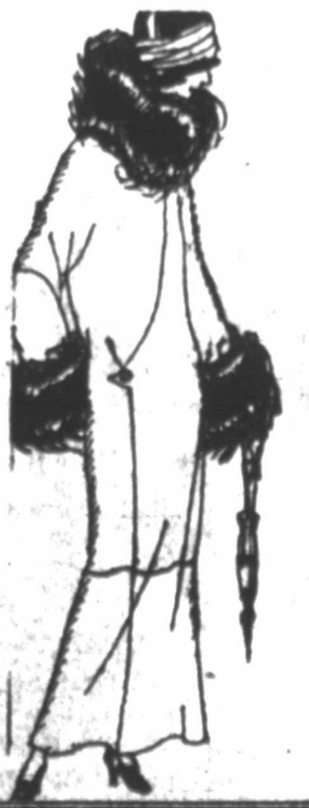
ONE LOT \$25. Formerly Selling \$35.00 to \$42.50.

ONE LOT \$19. Formerly Selling \$27.50 to \$34.50.

Expensive Coats at Inexpensive Prices. Our coats have been the best for the money all the fall and at these absolute bona fide reductions they will make quick clearance.

Notice to make more room for Ready-to-Wear we are closing out Dress Goods, Silks, Piece Goods, etc.

Miller-Ferguson Co., Inc. Indiana and 10th Store Dependable



# NEW CONDITIONS TO CONFRONT COOLIDGE DURING CONGRESS

## Will Face Difficult Situations And Be Judged by Different Tests Future Depends on Record Made

By MARK SULLIVAN

Next Tuesday we shall know his public policies. And from Tuesday we shall begin to learn that other aspect of his presidency on which his future fortune will be much determined: From Tuesday on congress and the senate will be in session at one end of Pennsylvania Avenue. As the other end Coolidge will be in the White House. And there will gradually unfold the answer to the question whether Coolidge is to be merely the president of the United States, or whether he is to be also the leader of his party, the spokesman of the people, the one who partly by leading partly by driving either with a big stick or persuasion, brings it about that the congress in which his party has a majority shall carry out a program of legislation with the president as leader.

In this respect Coolidge either will be like Harding, or most unlike him. Harding's position was frank and clear. He would not lead congress, or drive congress, or persuade congress, or take any responsibility whatever for congress. Harding was the president and congress was congress. Harding departed completely from the precedent that was begun with great vigor by Roosevelt, was carried on to some degree by Taft and was renewed by Wilson with a vigor equal to Roosevelt's. From all that Harding got completely away. He would have none of it. It was the judgment of some of us here in Washington that this was a mistake on Harding's part—certainly that it was a mistake from the point of view of his leadership of the Republican party. We had begun to feel fairly sure that the result was going to be disastrous in the political sense both to

Harding and to the Republican majority in congress. In the recently published letters of Franklin D. Lane there was a question from a letter he wrote to President Wilson on November 8, 1918, two or three days after Wilson had been elected. Although Lane was not personally known to Wilson at the time he wrote this letter, Wilson later took Lane into his cabinet. The quotation reads: "I am persuaded, from my experience here, that no president can be a success unless he takes the position of a real party leader—the premier in parliament as well as a chief executive. The theoretical idea of the president's aloofness from congress—of a president dealing with the national legislature as if he were an independent government dealing with another—"

wrong, because it has been demonstrated to be ineffective and ruinous. We need definiteness of program and co-operation between both ends of Pennsylvania Avenue. There is generally one end of the avenue that does not know its own mind, and sometimes it is one and sometimes the other. Coolidge will know his own mind. There cannot be the faintest possibility of doubt about that. But the question about which there is complete lack of knowledge, as to which we shall begin to know the answer within a month, is whether or not he will attempt to provide leadership to congress in the way Mr. Lane says is not only desirable but essential. More than 17,000 miles of wire are used in the fire alarm system on Manhattan Island, New York.

Other Up  
Why double other people's woes by looking grim and gray?  
Let's whistle up a hope or two to chase the fears away!

Say—what's the use of carrying the feast we haven't got?  
Let's count the currents in our buns—will cheer us up a lot.  
We won't talk glibly, dimly, of trouble, grief, and loss—  
We'll chat of blessings, thankfully, and hide each petty cross.

For don't we know—of course we do—life never has treats of care?  
But still it has some sunny smiles—thank God that they are there!—gliding our way in The-Bis (London).

One Thing After Another  
An Atchison motorist chanted this complaint: "We stopped, looked and listened, and a blooming idiot pumped into our rear."—Kansas City Star.

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If you suffer with Female Troubles such as Ovarian Pain, Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Irritability, etc., you may be made well and strong again. Write for free booklet describing a wonderful new treatment. Not a single word is said about medicine. It is a natural method. Write for free booklet. Box 100, P.O. Box 100, St. Louis, Mo.

Coolidge's first four months have been distinguished by several clearly defined features, some of them obviously deliberately intended by him. Of these one of the most conspicuous has been the intention, which was obviously the thing most to the front in his mind when he took office, to perpetuate Harding's policies and the personnel of Harding's administration. It was plain that he regarded himself as stepping in to speak into the middle of the situation, and as assuming it was policy to carry out things as they had been begun, rather than to make abrupt changes or to inaugurate new departures on his own initiative. By a practice which was imitated by President Harding—and which now can be seen as a wise forecast of his own future—Coolidge made Coolidge's experience as Vice-President different from that of any other Vice-President who ever held the office. Coolidge had not by Harding's side in the making of the cabinet, except for occasional absences from Washington. This gave him a complete and accurate knowledge of the current business of the government as Harding himself had had and made it easy and natural for him to take the position of carrying out Harding's policies.

Not only did Coolidge determine to carry out Harding's policies, in the same spirit he determined to preserve as far as possible the personnel of the Harding administration. To every member of the Harding administration who as a matter of form tendered his resignation Coolidge brought a much earnestness of persuasion as was necessary to keep him in office. Not only as to the cabinet, but as to minor members of the personnel of Harding's administration, Coolidge took pains and patience to keep them where they were. Doubtless he has the estimate that others have of the relative value of the personnel of the administration, high and low. But regardless of what these estimates are, his part may have been to regard it as sound policy to maintain the continuity of his predecessor's administration. It would have on the public at a time when it was naturally in a sensitive mood, and for the sake of expediting the public business throughout a time which might otherwise have had some of the aspects of a crisis.

In addition to the public motive for this policy, a sound political motive was undoubtedly present. It was inevitable that the policy of maintaining the personnel and principles of Harding's administration would carry with it a substantial probability from the point of view of practical politics, that Coolidge at the end of the term in which he is a substitute would be nominated for a term in the presidency on his own account. This has actually turned out to be the case. The bulk of the men and of the party mechanism that will lead to give Coolidge the nomination and thus consists of the members of the Harding administration and their affiliates throughout the country.

The next most obvious aspect of these first four months of Coolidge's tenure of the white house has been the determination to make during this period no public speech and no other revelation of policy. All that has been reserved for the speech Tuesday. With four months passed, the desirability—for the sake of its stabilizing influence on the public mind—no longer exists of showing the departure from the past policies and initiating new policies. Coolidge next Tuesday will reveal his own policies and from that day on will stand before the country as Coolidge, rather than merely as the successor and heir of Harding.

Before considering the coming phase of Coolidge's period of probation it will be interesting to speak for a moment of the impressions he has made on the country during the first phase. One would suppose that the policy of reticence he has followed of refraining from initiative would have prevented the public from much opportunity of forming an estimate of him. To some extent this has been the case, and has given rise to that spirit of eager suspense with which Coolidge's revelation of himself and of his policies next Tuesday is awaited. And yet it is also true that to a considerable degree the country has actually got an accurate impression of Coolidge. It is one of the commonest observations of persons who follow such matters closely that the side public throughout the country, confined though it is to mere scraps and fragments of information, nevertheless seems to have a curious and dependable capacity for arriving at impressions about public men which to a startling degree coincide with the impressions made upon observers who stand almost at the White House door. Again and again, through the congressmen and senators who are just returning to Washington from their distant constituencies there has come the report that Coolidge is looked upon as a careful, steady man of quiet mind and sound judgment. This is the same impression gathered by men here in Washington who have allowed Coolidge from day to day with the watchful curiosity inherent in the nature of the situation.

The largest number of appearances that Coolidge has made, either before individuals or before groups of men, has consisted of two series of occasions. One has been the five-a-week cabinet meetings; the other has been the twice-a-week meetings with newspaper men which follow each cabinet meeting. Although no member of the cabinet owes his selection as such to Coolidge, although every one of

them owes his office to Harding, the fact is, that omitting perhaps the elimination of personal interest in a few cases, they have as strong a loyalty to Coolidge as they had to Harding. Necessarily the cabinet members possess a different view of Harding's way of carrying on his cabinet relations and Coolidge's. The difference is wholly intellectual and carries no charge whatever in the spirit of loyalty.

High Administrative Talent.  
Both Harding and Coolidge were men of high administrative talent, but in ways as different as the poles. When any cabinet member went to Harding with a proposal or for the purpose of discussing a detail of the public business Harding had the air, and frequently the literal words, "I selected you for your job. I have complete faith in your character and complete confidence in your judgment. You go ahead and do this in your own way. If you encounter any difficulties come back to me and I will smooth them out." This is one method of administration which, wherever it is found, in any business or in any industry, is universally recognized as an able and leading to success.

Coolidge in his relations with his subordinates has a different method, but one which also is recognized wherever found as a secure pathway to the best administrative results. When a subordinate comes to Coolidge with a proposal the latter listens carefully. He takes it all in and at the end he gives to the subordinate a mandate which does not differ in its benefits from what Harding used to give. But in Coolidge's case there is this slight difference. Harding used to recognize the difficulty and friction which would arise somewhere and would hold himself in complete readiness to smooth out the difficulty as soon as he had a chance. Coolidge's method, on the other hand, anticipates the difficulty in advance and avoids it. Coolidge carries carefully by his mind the business of the country as a whole. When a subordinate comes to discuss one detail of it Coolidge follows closely and considers the proposal in its relation to the public business as a whole and to all the things he knows that his other subordinates are doing. From this standpoint Coolidge discusses the matter with his subordinate, puts his finger on the possible points of contact of the proposal with other things that are being done, and suggests the modifications which will enable the proposal to fit in perfectly with the business of government as a whole. Each of his subordinates is satisfied with the result of the cabinet, and probably no cabinet member has any self-consciousness about any difference between his status under Harding and his status under Coolidge, either as respects the successful conduct of the public business or as respects his personal relations with his chief, barring of course the element of personal intimacy that existed in a few cases between Harding and his cabinet members.

Clearness of Vision.  
As seen by others than cabinet members, Coolidge's most conspicuous intellectual quality is clearness of thinking and clearness of vision that always attends clear thinking. Coolidge's thoughts and utterances, as well as his actions, are always within the field of two plus two makes four. He knows that simple equation and all the variations of it through every arithmetical, algebraic, geometrical and trigonometrical intricacy thereof. Literally, Coolidge never makes a mistake in the field of intellect, never falls into error through loose thinking or lazy thinking. His intellectual processes are as unerring as an adding machine.

This, of course, is not the whole of any man. Especially is it not the whole of a president or of any one who holds a political responsibility and must take account of masses of mankind who have moods, temperaments and emotions, as well as intellects. A man might be the greatest logician in the world, and yet fall short of the necessities of the White House.

But the fact is that just because Coolidge has this quality of intellectual accuracy to a striking degree, other marked qualities that he has in other fields have been overlooked. For example, Coolidge has fully as much humor as Harding. It is a different kind of humor, but of its kind it is deep and rich. Coolidge has quite as much poise as Harding—and Harding was marked for his poise. Coolidge, in his quiet, restrained way, has rather more self-confidence about his job and all its details than Harding has. The confidence is probably due to Coolidge's greater experience in similar offices, as governor of Massachusetts and elsewhere.

Coolidge carries in his head the mandates and limitations of the constitution, the requirements of the office and the duties of the current business of the United States as completely and accurately as any good president of a bank carries his. Indeed, there is an analogy to Coolidge that occurs in the present. A never so frequently as the shrewd, competent, careful president of the Old First National Bank, who never makes a mistake, never gets caught with a bad loan and has a humorously confident insight into the difference between him who are good stock and one who are not.

Tuesday, December 2nd.  
So much for Coolidge up to date.



## Keep Him Smiling

Let's think that every sales person is a Santa Claus—a Santa Claus of service, and that Santa Claus will be all the more satisfactory if we keep him smiling—EARLY SHOPPING IS THE ANSWER.

There are about 100,000 people within a buying radius of Wichita Falls, and it is a very fair estimate to say that at least 250,000 gifts are to be selected, purchased, wrapped and delivered.

But nineteen shopping days remain in which to complete this mammoth task. Salespeople, wrappers and delivery men are only human—so let's not commit the error of putting off our shopping. "Procrastination is the thief of time" and serves no one.

Let's keep Santa Claus smiling by shopping early and, if possible, in the morning. The salespeople are refreshed and eager for a day of record sales, stocks are rearranged, new merchandise has been unpacked and prompt delivery service assured.

The advantages of morning shopping are parking spaces, an opportunity for an afternoon of bridge, Mah-Jong, matinee or other social engagements.

You save time and money by first shopping in The Wichita Daily Times, Northwest Texas' greatest shopping guide, where hundreds of different concerns print their messages, of which many use no other newspaper.



**PART TWO**

**WICHITA DAILY TIMES**

**ELECT**

"A woman's fall."

This was the title of a column in the Wichita Daily Times, published on Monday, December 1st, 1923. The column was a humorous and satirical piece, written by a woman, and it dealt with the fashion and social customs of the time. It was a popular feature of the newspaper and was read with interest by many of its readers.

**LOCOMOTIVE CELEBRATION ANNIVERSARY**

Beginning Sunday meetings will be the United States... celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Locomotive Firemen's Association. The celebration will be held in Wichita, Kansas, and will include a variety of events, including a parade, a banquet, and a fireworks display. The Locomotive Firemen's Association is a fraternal organization of firemen, and it has a long and distinguished history. Its members are known for their bravery and their dedication to their profession.

**TELEPHONE SAFETY TEAM AT FORT WORTH**

Captain C. H. E. of the Telephone Company, stated that the team of telephone operators at Fort Worth, Texas, had been selected to participate in a safety contest. The contest was held in Dallas, Texas, and was a test of the operators' ability to handle emergency calls. The team from Fort Worth performed very well and was awarded a prize for their excellent work. This is a testament to the skill and dedication of the telephone operators at Fort Worth.

# Anderson's

## SIXTH Anniversary Sale

A Sale of Many Bargain Opportunities to Meet a Busy Shopping Schedule



SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

### Coat Sale

The season's best numbers in wrappy and tailored Coats in a special reduction.

One lot Ladies' Coats, values up to \$35. Materials are velours and Normandy cloths. Some have fur collars, others with collars of self material. In this special selling for **\$19.95**

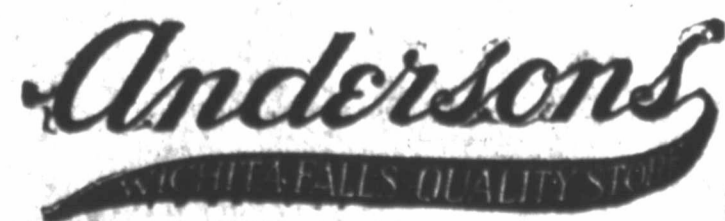
One lot Coats, \$37.50 values, of Normandy and Bolivia cloth, with both plain and fur collars—colors brown and navy. Special for **\$24.95**

One lot \$60 Coats. All the favored new materials, and in the leading shades of brown, reindeer and navy. With collars of beaver, caracul and wolf. Special **\$34.95**

One lot new wrappy Coats, which were marked to sell regularly at \$75. Developed in the highest classes on new cloths and having Fashion's latest ideas in fur collars. Very special in this sale for **\$49.95**

\$100 Coats of such fine cloths as Velverette, Lustrosa and Fashona. These are the finest coats that have been shown this season and are the last word in style, service and quality. The collars are of beaver, squirrel and fox. Extra special values for **\$59.95**

Fine Furs and Fur Coats, one-fourth off the regular selling price.



SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

### Dress Sale

Here are groupings of the newest modes in high-class Dresses at almost unbelievable reductions.

One special lot of \$22.50 Dresses in Canton, Poiret Twill, Tricotine. There is a good color range, and the trimmings are beads, braid and embroideries. Priced for this sale **\$11.95**

One lot of Dresses that sold regularly for \$30. Made of Canton, Costume Velvet, Poiret Twill, Serge and Wool Eponge. Some are tucked, some are braided and others embroidered. All good values for **\$14.95**

\$35 Dresses of Canton, Satin-back Canton and Poiret Twill, in the better modes and colors. These dresses have the latest sleeves and are embellished with splashes of bright color in embroidery or ornaments. Unusual values for only **\$19.95**

These are exceptional values at \$45, for which they were marked to sell, but during our Sixth Anniversary Sale they are offered for **\$24.95**

A very few exclusive models worth to \$55. Developed in Velvet, Satin Canton and Poiret Twill. These are frocks that must be seen to be really appreciated. In the newest individual styles and with trimmings that are very exceptional values **\$34.95**



### Sixth Anniversary Blouse Sale

Here are midseason Blouse styles in the new crepes and colors—some brocaded, some beaded and others with Chinese embroidery. Special Monday

\$5<sup>85</sup>



\$5<sup>85</sup>

### Sixth Anniversary Sale of Skirts

An extraordinary group of Sports Skirts just came in.

Included are Camels Hair Cloth, Polo Cloth and fancy skirtings.

PRICED SPECIALLY FOR THIS SALE

\$5<sup>40</sup>



SIXTH ANNIVERSARY

### Millinery Sale

Every beautiful hat in this, the largest millinery stock in town, offered at

1/2 Price and Less

In our French Room on the second floor we have arranged all our finest Hats, including imported and Americanized Paris creations that express Fashion's latest decree in the really correct mode. These chapeaux are regular \$24.95 and \$30 models. Your choice of these finest Hats during the Sixth Anniversary Sale **\$12.95**

Values to \$20 in Ladies' Hats. Grouped for your selection during the Sixth Anniversary Sale, choice **\$9.95**

Ladies' beautiful Hats. One choice showing worth to \$12.50. Sixth Anniversary Sale **\$4.95**

Ladies' Hats worth to \$10. Very special for our Sixth Anniversary Sale, each **\$2.95**



### INTUITION CAUSES TIMELY PURCHASE ELECTRIC STOVE

"A woman's intuition seldom fails." This was the statement made by E. A. Rogers Saturday when he told of the purchase of an electric range from the Wichita Falls Electric Company by the wife of a prominent local professional man Wednesday morning just a few hours before the gas was curtailed by the company, which supplies the fuel to the Municipal Gas Company.

Early Wednesday morning the telephone rang. Mr. Rogers declared she wanted to purchase an electric range and inquired how soon it could be installed. An electrician was sent to the house and after a thorough examination he declared that the wiring in the house would furnish plenty of current for the successful operation of the range.

Within three hours after the telephone call was received the range was installed in the home and was in use, Mr. Rogers stated.

A few hours after the range was installed the gas supply was cut off. Many Wichita Falls citizens were forced to eat cold suppers and wear their overcoats in their homes, but this particular family ate a hot supper, which was cooked on the new electric range.

### LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN CELEBRATE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF UNION

Beginning Sunday, December 2, meetings will be held throughout the United States and Canada celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers. On December 1, 1873, eleven locomotive firemen in the service of the Erie Railroad met in Fort Jervis, New York, and under the leadership of Joshua A. Leach, started this great organization on its career of service to humanity.

The Brotherhood now has a membership of 115,000, who are enrolled under the banner of "Protection, Charity, Sobriety, and Industry," the motto of the organization since its beginning. Through the beneficiary department there has been paid in death and disability claims to the members and their dependents more than thirty million dollars. The order has in force \$150,000,000 in insurance, and its total assets are \$11,000,000. In recent years there has been established a pension, accident, indemnity, and general benefit departments to further aid the membership.

To the locomotive firemen and engine hostlers this great institution has meant reduction of working hours, increase of wages, the dignifying of their toil, and improved conditions of health and homes. It has steadily advocated a living wage, because a saving wage means a comfortable home, educated children, self-respect and good citizenship.

Through its national legislative department, in conjunction with other organizations of labor, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, has advocated legislation of benefit to all the people. An investigation of such legislation will show an unselfish purpose in view. It will show that in practically all instances public safety, education and health are the controlling idea and purpose of their legislative measures. All bills considered by congress to improve health conditions and the extension of educational opportunities in the public free schools have had their hearty support. The federal safety appliance law, that placed air brakes and all other safety appliances on railroad trains, was obtained by these organizations after ten years of struggle and sacrifice. Its approval is said to have been the last official act of President Harrison.

In Texas these organizations, through their state legislative departments, have sponsored a number of laws that merit commendation by the general public. They championed the first child labor law of the state in 1885, and introduced by Representative Callan, a union printer. Among other measures receiving their effective support are: Compulsory school attendance law; free text book law; nine 8-hour law for the protection of women workers; law requiring electric headlamps on locomotives; law requiring two outlets to mines; health, safety and comfort law for female employees; law requiring railroads to maintain signal lights on all main line switches at night, and provide derail switches on all main line sidings; law creating the state department of labor; law to protect workmen on high buildings from falling great distances, and numerous others of like character.

Through the kindness of the editor of this publication the above facts are given publicly as a tribute to the thousands of patriotic men and women who belong to these organizations, and who have performed a wise, unselfish and righteous deed.

Respectfully, Joseph S. Myers, commissioner of labor of Texas.

### TELEPHONE COMPANY SAFETY TEAM TO COMPETE AT FORT WORTH DEC. 15

Captain C. H. Scruggs of the safety team of the Wichita Falls branch of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, stated Saturday afternoon that the team would go to Fort Worth December 15 to compete with other teams from North Texas for the championship of the district. The winning team of the Fort Worth meet will go to Dallas January 8 to compete for the championship of the state.

Members of the local team are most enthusiastic and are hard at work. More than an hour of practice is being had by the local team every night in the club room of the company's building.

It is probable that the state championship team will be sent to St. Louis to compete for the honors of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's entire territory.

Members of the Wichita Falls team are Captain Scruggs, J. H. Dickerson, J. L. Hathaway, J. M. Briggs and C. H. Jernigan.

Chorus girls demand more clothes. We've yet to meet one that wasn't hungry for something.

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# STORY OF BIRTH OF THE NEW CZECHO-SLOVAK REPUBLIC

## Dr. Edward Benes Gives Carpenter Inside History on the Founding of Young Nation of Central Europe

A Tale of Siberia, Washington, and Paris—A Modern Thomas Jefferson—How the New Government Compared With Ours—Its Relations With the United States—Why It Cannot Disarm—The League of Nations and the Little Entente—An Interesting Interview With the Youngest and Ablest Statesman of Central Europe.

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PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia.—I have just returned from a luncheon with Dr. Edward Benes at the Hradchiny, the enormous palace of the Kings of Bohemia on the high, green-walled bluff overlooking the wide, deep Moldau River which winds its way through this capital of Czechoslovakia. The palace is hundreds of years old. It is of vast extent, containing huge buildings after buildings, connected by tunnels, surrounding the massive Cathedral of St. Vitus, and running several hundred feet above and a thousand feet or so along the river, overlooking the city. It has not only the offices of the chief departments of the new republic, but the homes of the president, Dr. Masaryk, and of Dr. Benes, the minister of foreign affairs. Dr. Benes' palace is opposite the cathedral, and it was on the third floor over his offices that we talked for several hours about this new nation, which has just sprung into being as one of the live virile powers of the world.

A Modern Thomas Jefferson. Every one has heard of Dr. Edward Benes, and we read of him in the newspapers every week. He was one of the live figures at the peace conference of Versailles, and in a part of every active conservative movement going on in central Europe today. If President Masaryk is the George Washington of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Benes may be rightly called its Thomas Jefferson and Alexander Hamilton combined. He was one of the organizers of the new nation. He was the father of the Little Entente, composed of Czechoslovakia, Rumania and to some extent Poland; and he is recognized as the leader in the republican movement which has changed Central Europe from a land of feudal kings and aristocratic land barons to one of democracies, where the people have risen above the countries, and are ruling themselves to an even greater extent than we are.

Born on a farm in the heart of Bohemia, at the age of twelve he started out to earn his own living. He put himself through the University of Prague where he was star football player and then went to Paris where he studied at the Sorbonne. He completed his schooling in Berlin and London, while acting as the foreign correspondent for a Prague newspaper and later became a professor of sociology at the University of Prague. He was twenty-four years old when the war broke out and then began to scheme for the independence of his country. He organized a secret service society which gave information to the allies and did some sabotage work and just as the Austrian police were about to arrest him, he slipped past the sentries and escaped to Switzerland. Here he spent some time at Geneva with Dr. Masaryk, his old professor, and the two went to Paris together, where in company



(Copyright 1922, Carpenter World Travels) Dr. Benes, the minister of foreign affairs of the new republic, is seen here with the author.

with General Stefanek they laid the plans which finally resulted in the creation of the republic of Czechoslovakia. Ever since then Dr. Benes has been the live, active leader of the new nation and now at thirty-eight he is recognized as the dominant statesman of Central Europe.

How Benes Looks. As you read this you probably picture to yourself the man of the state of our little President Harding, the dignity of Secretary Hughes, and the weight of Lloyd George. You do not see straight. The Dr. Benes who met and shook hands with me in the most democratic manner, is not more than five feet inches tall and he weighs less than one hundred and twenty-five pounds. Lean and wiry with a broad Slav forehead and bright grey eyes, which snap and laugh as he talks, he is the soul of simplicity and as plain in his ways as any of his clerks. At the luncheon for instance, an elaborate affair of wine and several courses, I noticed he drank only milk and later when the liquor and cigarettes were passed he said he did not smoke nor drink and when asked why, he replied: "I am a diplomat and I have to deal with all sorts of public matters and delicate situations, and I need all of my brain unimpaired with liquor." In conversation, Dr. Benes is an intellectual dynamo, sending off sparks after sparks as he talks, never at a loss for a word, and never backward or cautious in saying just what he thinks. As they say in Alaska: "His witshone is not where his backbone should be." One talk was in English. It began by my asking to know in a nutshell how the new nation of Czechoslovakia was born.

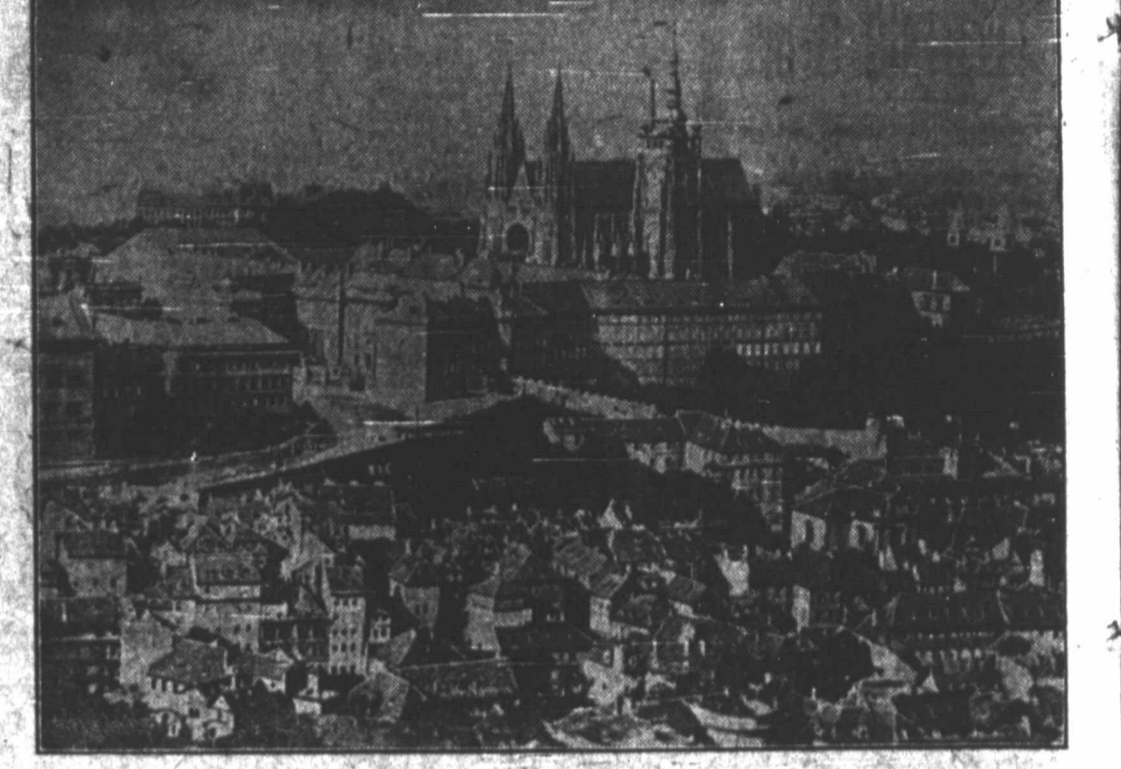
The Birth of a Nation. Said Dr. Benes: "The birth of this republic was unlike that of any in history. It took place far

not read and write, and no family they had not any daily newspapers. There is practically none that is not a supporter of the government." "We have a rich country in one of the best trading positions of Europe. Our soil is fat, we have an abundance of timber and mines which give us most of our raw materials. We have great industries and our farms can feed four fifths of the population. Just now almost four men out of every ten are on the farms and a little more than that are in the factories or working at home making things to sell. I feel that we do not want to increase number in the factories. I should like to add to the farm population. We should not decrease our ability to feed ourselves." "Farm versus Factory. "But you are surrounded by agricultural countries, Hungary is little more than a great farm and Poland, Rumania and Russia, will always gain the old market if possible, and we must keep ourselves independent. We do not want to become like England, an island of factories which must go abroad for its food and stuff that is cut off for three months or so. We are to a certain extent an industrial island surrounded by lands which would like to supply us. But our people have a higher standard of wages than any other country in Europe. It makes it so that we cannot compete with them as to agricultural products. We are willing to make arrangements with them to exchange our manufactures for food but we must keep independent."

What is the chief market of Czechoslovakia? "Under the Austro-Hungarian Empire it numbered 23,000,000 people. Now our domestic market is a population of only 14,000,000, and we shall have to export to keep our factories running. We want to remain in living conditions, stable, but we expect to trade with our immediate neighbors. This is one of the reasons for the Little Entente. The arrangement is political and in the interests of peace, but it is also economic and for the establishment of such relations as will be for the mutual benefit of all. Such arrangements are gradually coming, and as soon as commercial and financial conditions are stable we shall have all of our old market and the new one as well."

Trying to Help Austria. "How about the Austrians and Germans? Will they trade with Czechoslovakia?" "The feeling between the countries is growing better and better. Austria has already established trade relations, and we are doing what we can to put her on her feet. We shall be able to do business with Germany as soon as their money will enable them to do business with anyone. As it is now, we have the somewhat decided advantage of a currency like that of the gold money countries. At the close of the war, your money and that of Germany were one parity. Now one Czech Kronen is worth several thousand marks. Similar differences exist as to the currencies of Austria, Hungary, Poland and the lands of the Balkans."

Will They Buy Our Beer. "What are your relations with the United States?" "They are of the most friendly nature. There are a million or so Czechoslovaks in the United States and they are personally interested in us. Our President, Dr. Masaryk married an American woman, and during his many visits to



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your country he acquired a warm sympathy for American culture, and the American people. We feel that you have been our friends during and since the war. We have borrowed money of you which we expect to pay and we want you to come over and trade with us to a greater extent than you have done before. The relations between the two countries cannot be too intimate from our point of view. The ideals of the two countries are the same and we should like to be considered sister republics."

Why do you not visit America yourself, Dr. Benes? "I expect to do so. I am coming near to deliver some lectures at the Political Institute at Williams College. I had arranged to come this last summer but the complications here were such that I was not able to leave."

Uncle Sam and Europe. "What can the United States do for Europe?" "It can do a great deal but not in the way that Europe expects. Europe is sick. It has been calling upon America for material help, but I do not believe that is what is needed. Its sickness is largely psychological, and I believe it needs moral help and that you can give. The moral problem is the real one. It must be settled first and the material help will come. You might send over money now but you could not be sure that it would not be spent uselessly and some of it perhaps swallowed up in armaments. The United States can help most by saying in plain words just what it means, and that is that Europe must first put its house in order and create an atmosphere of honesty, good will and democracy among its several nations. As it is now we are still living in the war time psychology and treating each

other with suspicion if not as enemies. As for us, we are doing all we can to establish peaceful relations both at home and abroad. Why Czechoslovakia Needs Soldiers. "Do you believe in disarmament?" "Yes, emphatically. But you people in the United States do not realize the situation we have here in Europe. It is a situation made by the revolutions in the various countries, and one of a struggle between the classes that is still going on. The war has injured the privileged classes and they want revenge. If a socialist should ask me to disarm our 120,000 soldiers, I would say, 'I will do it tomorrow if you can show me there is no danger of war, or if you can take me to Germany and show that the socialists there are prepared to defend the rights of the people and are stronger than the militarists and the Junkers. You must give us new states a few years more to pacify our domestic and foreign relations and to become strong enough to show that the old privileged classes cannot reestablish the old order of things.'"

Moral Help Only. "Do you expect the United States to do anything as to the present situation?" "Not just now perhaps, but I think you will come as you came during the war. You will arrive at the psychological moment just as you did when you came over to France. It was the United States which saved the war, and it will be the United States which will come to the aid of Europe when she has established some economic and political conditions, and is ready to accept your material aid upon such a basis as will be mutually safe and profitable to you and to her."

The League of Nations. "What do you think of the League of Nations, Dr. Benes?"

"I am in favor of it. I know it is not perfect as yet, but it seems to me that it is a great step along the path of international democracy. We now have domestic democracies in most countries but we want a democracy of nations, a great world republic whose members will work together for all the world. This can only be brought about by a union of the nations, and the league needs the assistance of every country and especially of the United States. You could do much to protect it and make it effective. We need such a league, not only for general welfare matters but as a protection to the smaller nations and I believe it is the duty of the big nations to join and support it."

"But, Dr. Benes, do we need the league? What can Europe give to the United States?" "It can give you a great opportunity as it did during the war. It gives you a basis for a new work along international lines and eventually the new markets for which American business is striving."

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# THE RING IS FILLING UP WITH HATS

By WILL ROGERS

As I go to press away out here in the mortgaged spaces, where every man is either in jail or the movies or in Moscow, I pick up my morning paper and start in to review the political situation, as it affects the honest man. Talk about hats in the ring! Why, yesterday it just rained hats.

Senator Hiram Horner Johnston, late of California, just yanked his old Sombroso off and, after brushing the second choice dust of various campaigns from its wrinkled folds, decided that it would be able to weather another convention defeat. The dull thud of its landing in the political arena had hardly sounded around the world when William Jiggs McAdoo decided that he was horseshodded from now until the Democrats met next June to pick their worst man.

So, as I go to press, I am the only Resident of glorious sun-burned California that still has his hat on.

Mind you, this was not all the day's gathering of hats. This was only California's contribution to our National rubbish pile. Other States have littered up the entire premises of the Garbage Ring with every known and unknown form of headgear from Senator Underwood's old black flopped brim (nearly Beaver), with the scent of the Julep fresh on its crown to the Radiator capped slopes of Michigan, where they are ready to contribute the one Man Top of their Favorite Son.

We spend millions of dollars every 10 years trying to collect the contents of this indecorous Commonwealth of America, when all we can do is to wait until a Presidential year, and then count the candidates.

Mr. Cox, of Ohio, is the only name in America that has gone through this entire year without the smirch of a Presidential nomination.

This having been a year of Prohibition unearthing, even the robbing of William Dyer's Bryan has been again cast asunder and it just usually on the edge of the enclosure, where it will await the verdict next June of some 5 thousand uneducated modern chimpanzees.

Kareful Kai Koolidge, with the usual New England thrift, throws nothing into a ring, not even a hat, until he is sure it will be returned with 10 thousand a year interest. He got abused, as Vice President, to have no one pay any attention to what any of them said, that he can't realize that we might listen to him now.

I thought for a while, the way Lloyd George was complimenting us over here, that he might possibly be considering tossing that old Welsh Cap of his onto the White House Lawn. But I, along with various other slow thinking citizens of our Land, find that he didn't come here just to put wreaths on England's Feet of former days out of any particular love for them. He knew that we are the Champion Yap Nation of the World for swallowing Propaganda.

YOU CAN TAKE A SOB STORY AND A STICK OF CANDY AND LEAD AMERICA RIGHT OFF INTO THE DEAD SEA. He read the life of Lincoln, coming over on the boat, and we marveled at his knowledge and admiration of our great Commoner. Perhaps he used the same Adjectives that he had many times applied to Cromwell in England. His next jump was direct to Mount Vernon to the tomb of Washington.

Now, you know what he thought of Washington. You know what Firpo thinks of Dempsey.

He is a super politician. Instead of going through the Country, doing the old Gag of kissing the Babies of the Voters, he pulled a New One. He visited all the graves of our departed Heroes who he knew were dear to us, and he complimented them and told what they would do for Civilization if they were alive today. He knew they couldn't raise up and deny it. You didn't hear him complimenting any of our living little men.

He is a wonderful little man; a marvelous personality and the greatest Salesman that England ever sent over here. He is so good that he darn near sold us another War. England is always sending some Big Men over here claiming they come just sightseeing, and only want to see the Country. But you can't see this Country from a Speaker's Platform inside a Hall.

Now, for some unknown reason, we had Ambassador Harvey returned to us. I look for Ex-Ambassador George to tear off his powdered Wig which he used on State occasions over around the King, and cast it into the Political Mud Hole. Mr. Harvey would make us a good Social President. He could tell you at what hour Tea should be served.

I am glad Mr. McAdoo has come out in the open and declared himself. I had a very pleasant evening over at his home here in Los Angeles just before he went East the last time. I thought I would get all the political news from him and find out if he was really going to run. He showed me all over his House. He seemed to be more interested in how cheap he had gotten it than in who was to be President.



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gent. We had a lovely Dinner, and here is one for the Drys. He had nothing to even offer for Drinks. Well, that was such a Novelty I feel that it is worth mentioning.

After seeing how modest he lived and the way he talked as though a Dollar was really a Dollar, I related conversations I had heard during his term in office that he would "after holding all that authority, and controlling all that money, retire the richest man in this Country." It was not Political enemies but people that really thought—here is a Man that has a chance to clean up.

He laughed and told me the real story of how he had to retire from the Cabinet because he simply had no more money to maintain his position on. Here he was, handling and paying out the most colossal sums ever dreamed of during the war, and he had to borrow money on his small insurance. Policy to keep his Children in School.

I said to him, "Why, if I handled all that dough I would manipulate around some way to raise my Salary privately, or casually sweep out a couple of Billion Dollar Bills." Then he said to me, almost sadly, "No, Will, there is so much red Tape you can't get a Cent—even the Secretary of the Treasury." Maybe that is the true story of why he resigned. Now he wants another office where there is not so much red Tape.

He is back lawing for his living. That's one thing these Politicians, when they can't make Politics pay, can always fall back on—the honorable practice of Law.

Whatever we can ever say about graft and the thousands of Millions that was made by the War, you can rest assured that the Treasurer who handled all the Money came out broke. So, if Bill is lucky enough to get back into Washington, I want to see him get a position this time where he will be able to get a hold of something.

I asked him about the Railroads. He said all he got out of that was his name on the Towels.

So from what I learned from him these Cabinet Jobs don't look so good to me. These U. S. Senators look to be about the best graft, as there is no one to watch them. Guess the people figure that the class of men they send to the senate would get caught if they took anything, whether they had any one watching them or not.

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## ATTORNEY GENERAL WILL RECOMMEND PARDON FOR CRAIG

By W. F. FLETCHER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Attorney General Daugherty late Friday began writing a recommendation that Congressman Charles L. Craig, who was sentenced to serve sixty days for contempt of court, be pardoned by the president.

The former application was submitted Friday morning with receipt of a recommendation and comment by United States Judge Mayer, who sentenced the New York City official for writing a letter criticizing a decision by him.

Mr. Daugherty immediately took the letter to President Coolidge and the two discussed it at great length, as well as the strictly legal question of whether the president had the right to extend a pardon in a case of this kind.

Both matters were disposed of in such a way that the element of time is not the only obstacle standing between Craig and executive clemency. Attorney General Daugherty said he would conclude the matter within a "very few days" and at the same time the United States supreme court announced that the mandate which would commit Craig to jail would not go forward until 14 days from the time of the decision upholding the contempt sentence. This allows until about December 12.

While the text of Judge Mayer's communication was withheld from publication, it is understood that he stood by the decision which has caused a storm of protest to sweep the country. But while he did not retract, he said that his position has been vindicated by the supreme court and that there is no practical end to be accomplished by compelling Craig to serve his sentence. It was intimated.

## Rehearsals Fire And Police Show To Begin Monday

Rehearsals for the musical and vaudeville performance to be given for the benefit of the police and fire departments relief funds will begin at the American Legion hall on Ohio avenue, Monday night.

George H. Hodgins, who will direct the performance, announced Sunday that it includes the best amateur and professional talent in the city. All the performers have offered their services and in this way the entire proceeds of the performance will be available for the depleted relief funds.

At the first meeting Monday night, committees will be appointed to handle the sale of tickets, publicity and other essential arrangements for the show. The Green will have charge of the ticket sale, under the direction of Fire Chief J. E. McClure; announcement of the date of sale will be made at an early date.

The Palace Theater has been secured and the musical will have a two-night stand; the exact date of

the performance has not been announced, but present plans are to stage it about the middle of December.

## DEPARTURE ENSIGN CORLISS DELAYED UNTIL JANUARY 6

Ensign L. Corliss, commander of the Wichita Falls post of the Salvation Army, will not leave to resume his new duties as commander of Chicago post No. 1 until January 6, according to an announcement made Saturday morning.

The postponement of the departure of Ensign Corliss was arranged by Colonel G. W. Wood, commander of the southwestern forces of the Salvation Army, who asked the headquarters

of the army at Chicago to grant permission to Ensign Corliss to remain in Wichita Falls on account of the strenuous Christmas program which is being planned for the post here.

Colonel Wood's request was granted and Ensign Corliss was notified by a telegram received Saturday not to leave this city until January 6.

Christmas dinner baskets for the poor of the city, a gigantic Christmas tree and a program for the poor children of the city and other big undertakings are being planned by the Salvation Army for the Christmas holidays.

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Your last chance to buy those Ladies' Handkerchiefs

They have all been picked over—but good values.

**25c**

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MOTHERS! SEE SAUL'S BIG STOCK OF

## Boys' 2-Pant Wool Suits

Every suit has 2 pair pants

**\$5.00 to \$18.00**

Wide range of good serviceable patterns

BIG LINE BOYS' OVERCOATS \$3.98 up to ..... **\$18**

Men's and Young Men's

2-PANT SUITS ..... **\$18**

Wonderful Showing Men's and young men's Overcoats \$18 to \$45

Extra Special **\$13.85**

SALE OF MEN'S 3-PIECE SUITS

Men's regulation O. D. Wool Army Shirts, regular \$4 values ..... **\$2.95**

THE LARGEST STOCK IN NORTHWEST TEXAS. 7 EXPERIENCED SHOE MEN to show you any kind of shoe you want—any price shoe you want—and don't forget Saul's Shoes wear better and cost less.

# SHOES

Extra Special **TUESDAY**

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THE BEST LOT WE HAVE YET HAD—ALL LARGE ONES

Each

Men's Silk Lined Velour and Felt Hats Regular \$2.85 Value **\$2.85**

# SAUL'S

WICHITA FALLS' FOREMOST CASH DEPARTMENT STORE

2000 pairs Women's Felt House Shoes, all sizes 1 to 11 **59c**

—A Pair

MARY PICKFORD IN "ROSITA" OLYMPIC THEATER ALL WEEK

Laughter, Tears and Many Thrills In New Mary Pickford Production; Seen in Role of Grown Up Heroine

Shirley Mason in The Eleventh Hour Mission Thursday

In a recent interview with a fashion writer, Shirley Mason, who is co-starring with Charles Jones in the sensational Fox picture, "The Eleventh Hour," said: "The dress is a reflection of one's personality. For that reason, I don't believe in a cut-and-dried style. Personality is not out and dried. Some girls can wear the long-waisted dress; others, the short-waisted. Why should either type wear the kind that presents them in a poor way? Style enhances class; it lifts style to the level of the girl wearing her own living should refrain from indulging in extreme clothes of any sort during business hours. This is because she is so attractive when well-dressed and well-made. These days the girls earning their own living are in the majority. I would say, 'You have the four hundred of society.' Why not the four hundred thousand of business?"

"FREEZONE"

CORNS lift right off



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little 'Freezone' on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting then shortly you lift it right off with fingers. Truly a corn cure.

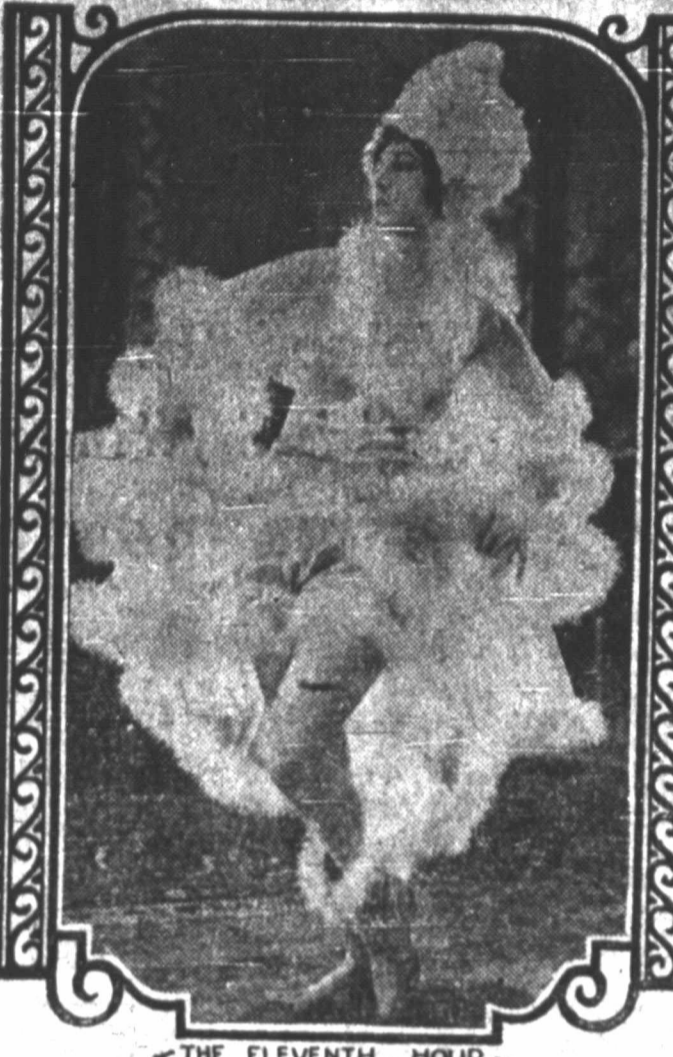
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THIS WEEK Gem Theater THIS WEEK EVERY DAY A FEATURE DAY SUNDAY—Grant Mitchell in "Radio Mania" MONDAY—Alice Terry and Ramon Navarro in "Where the Pavement Ends," also Pete Morrison comedy. TUESDAY—Special "Jewell" production "Bav". WEDNESDAY—Jack Perrin in "The Lone Horseman" THURSDAY—Will Rogers and Lila Lee in "One Glorious Day." FRIDAY—Bull Montana in "Breaking Into Society." SATURDAY—Bill Patton in "The Law of Remorse," also "Our Gang Comedy." ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAM DAILY

MISSION ATTRACTION THURSDAY



THE ELEVENTH HOUR. A WILLIAM FOX Special Production.

COMES TO GEM THEATER THURSDAY



Will Rogers and Lila Lee in the Paramount Picture "One Glorious Day"

Old Indian Scout Helps in Filming Prairie Massacre

An Indian scout who was recruited one of the big scenes in "Pioneer Trails," a Vitagraph special production, which will be shown at the Mission theater, four days starting today. David Smith, director of the picture, has reproduced in this scene the most famous Indian massacre, preserving carefully every historical detail. To insure that the attack be historically correct, Mr. Smith enlisted himself of the services of an old Indian scout, "Pop" King, who is ninety years old, is the sole survivor of a group that started to California in the gold rush of 1850. All the others were killed off during the attack, in which King, thought dead, was scalped. He was rescued later and brought back to health.

King made the trip when he was seventeen years old. According to his story, the vanguard of the train hurried back to the main body when the Indians were discovered, evidently on the war path. The defense was speedily formed by drawing up the carts into a circle. Boxes, trunks, bedding and other baggage were packed into the openings between wagons.

Hardly had the barricade been completed when they were surrounded by the fast riding, yelling Indians. After several hours battle practically every member of the party was either killed or wounded. The Indians broke through the ring.

The next thing he knew he was lying on a cot in a military barracks, his head in bandage. He had been picked up by a troop of cavalry sent in pursuit of the marauding Indians. King had been scalped. He was one of the few men that survived the attack.

King proved quite helpful in the making of the caravan scenes in "Pioneer Trails." His knowledge and experience helped Mr. Smith in correctly portraying an Indian attack, which forms one of the most thrilling episodes ever made. The old rifle used by King figures in the photograph. King loaned it to Vitagraph. It is six feet two and one-quarter inches in length. It is a smooth bore, muzzle loading affair, taking a slug seven-sixteenths of an inch in diameter.

FRIDAY FAMILY NIGHT AT OLYMPIC THEATER

All aboard, crank up the Ford and let's head for the Olympic on Friday night. That night each week has been designated by the Olympic management as family night at that theater and when nobody is left home but the cat. All children under 12 will be admitted free when accompanied by either or both parents for either lower floor of balcony seats.

Manager Ford states that he arranges programs for the last half of each week that will be of interest to all members of the family from little kiddie to grandma. "We will always have a new Pathé News and two real Educational Comedy Friday nights," said Mr. Ford, "and clean, entertaining feature pictures that will give the entire family an enjoyable evening entertainment."

"We watch very closely the temperature of the auditorium to keep it warm and comfortable as a cold night," he continued, "and at the same time a ventilating system is constantly changing the air in the building."

STARTING SUNDAY AT THE OLYMPIC THEATER



MARY PICKFORD and HOLBROOK BLINN in "ROSITA"

SPECIAL ORCHESTRA FOR MARY PICKFORD'S 'ROSITA'

The Olympic theatre in keeping with its policy of giving the proper atmosphere setting to all its exceptionally big pictures has engaged The Sevillian Strollers, a five piece string orchestra specializing

in Spanish music to assist the organ during the run of Mary Pickford in "Rosita" which opens Sunday. A beautiful little orchestra has been arranged to precede the picture for the evening shows and an orchestration of which practically every number was composed to fit the scene of the picture will be played by the Spanish orchestra and the

Olympic organ with Juanita Akht at the console. Other Way Head "Was your landlady indignant when you asked her for another month's rent?" "On the contrary, old man. It was I who was put out."—Chaparral.



Season's Greatest Attraction Schumann-Heink Palace Theater, December 10th Wichita Falls, Texas.

PREMIER: 8:00, 8:15, 8:30, 8:45, 9:00. Five 10 Cent War Tax Local and out of town mail orders filled now. Box office opens for public sale December 4th. Checks and money orders made payable to Luella B. Thompson, 1151 Scott street.

MISSION 4 DAYS BEGINNING TODAY A MASTERPIECE OF THE PLAINS 'Pioneer Trails' CULLEN LANDIS ALICE CALHOUN A picture that envisions the time of the great Indian massacres, the romantic day of the West. The most spectacular pioneer picture ever produced. EXTRAS: Rolin Comedy—Fox News THURS. FRI. SAT. THE ELEVENTH HOUR Up-to-the minute melodrama LINCOLN J. CARTER CHARLES JONES SHIRLEY MASON TODAY ONLY Original Southern Trampeters DIXIE BAND

MARY PICKFORD in "Rosita" A Spanish Romance with HOLBROOK BLINN OLYMPIC STARTING SUNDAY Her Beautiful Curly of Gold Piled high on her head in an Empire period coiffure. The World's Sweetheart enters into her rightful heritage of glorious, vital, alluring womanhood in her characterization of "Rosita." Presented (at evening shows) with a production and musical setting of Spanish numbers by "The Sevillian Strollers" A five piece string orchestra and Juanita Akht at the silver-throated Wurliitzer organ.

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Rex Ingram, who was latest production "Ends," Monday an extraordinary man to the Nauman, he went through storms that ment to give whom death is again, by his Ingram spent on debt! He his courage by the fact drew in an suffer the au in a study, All night over and of "Where I greeted in his front it was until the marks the re announced the back to with America. Then the se It drove the waves from the reef, invisible bring a change vessel, but not of the reef could blow them out times the app break in his hand to a wh in his impo But, finally "Where the adapted by R Terry and Ra portant roles

INSTALL TENTH MAINS

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# STRAND FEATURES "THE COMMON LAW" STARTING ON SUNDAY

## Brilliant Constellation of Stars In Remarkable Film Production of Robert W. Chambers' Great Story

### 'Where Pavement Ends' on Monday At Gem Theater

Rex Ingram, famous Metro director, who was in Miami making his latest production, "Where the Pavement Ends" at the Gem theater Monday can spin his yarn with any astuteness these days. On a trip to Nassau, in the Bahamas group, he went through two terrific electrical storms in a forty-foot boat, storms that threatened at any moment to swamp the cockpit, whose decks were swept time and again by huge waves. And Rex Ingram spent the whole of his time on deck! He admits frankly that his courage was bolstered chiefly by the fact that he preferred to drown in an ocean wave rather than suffer the quins of mal de mer in a stifling, cooling cabin.

All night long white Jove raged overhead and John Russell, author of "Where the Pavement Ends," groaned in his bunk below the boat, as though he had gotten back to within striking distance of America. Then the sea showed its malice. It drove them on great sweeping waves toward the white line of the reef, invisible now but audible by the roar and surge of the sea upon it. Frantic efforts were made to bring a change in the course of the vessel, but not until the last "fringe" of the reef could be seen did a mercurial change come in the wind to blow them out again to sea. Three times the approach was made to the break in the bar, three times they were blown back. Rex Ingram was called on by the captain to lead his hand to a wheel that spun furiously in his impatient hands. But, finally they got in. "Where the Pavement Ends" was adapted by Rex Ingram and photographed by John P. Seitz. Alice Terry and Ramon Novarro play important roles.

### INSTALLATION OF TENTH STREET GAS MAINS COMPLETED

Work of installing the new gas mains on Tenth street between Brook and Taylor streets has been completed and repaving of the sidewalks and pavement which were broken by the workmen will begin Monday. H. T. McLaughlin, district manager of the Municipal Gas Company, stated Saturday morning. The contract for the repaving of the streets and the sidewalks which were torn up in order that the new mains could be installed has been awarded to I. H. Roberts, cement contractor, by the Municipal Gas Company, Mr. McLaughlin declared. Two four-inch mains which have been in use on Tenth street for several years were taken up by the workmen and a new six-inch main was installed. According to the officials of the gas company, consumers in this district will now receive much better service. The pressure and supply of gas carried in a six-inch main is much greater than that of two four-inch mains, the official declared. With the completion of the main from Brook to Taylor streets, a distance of more than 4,000 feet, a 16-inch main now runs from Ohio avenue to Taylor street. The work is being done in line with the company's program to build one of the finest gas plants in the southwest at Wichita Falls and the plant and extensions when completed will readily serve a city of more than 100,000 people, Mr. McLaughlin declared. Months hardly ever touch anything wrapped in newspapers. Winter clothes thus stored are almost certain to escape damage.

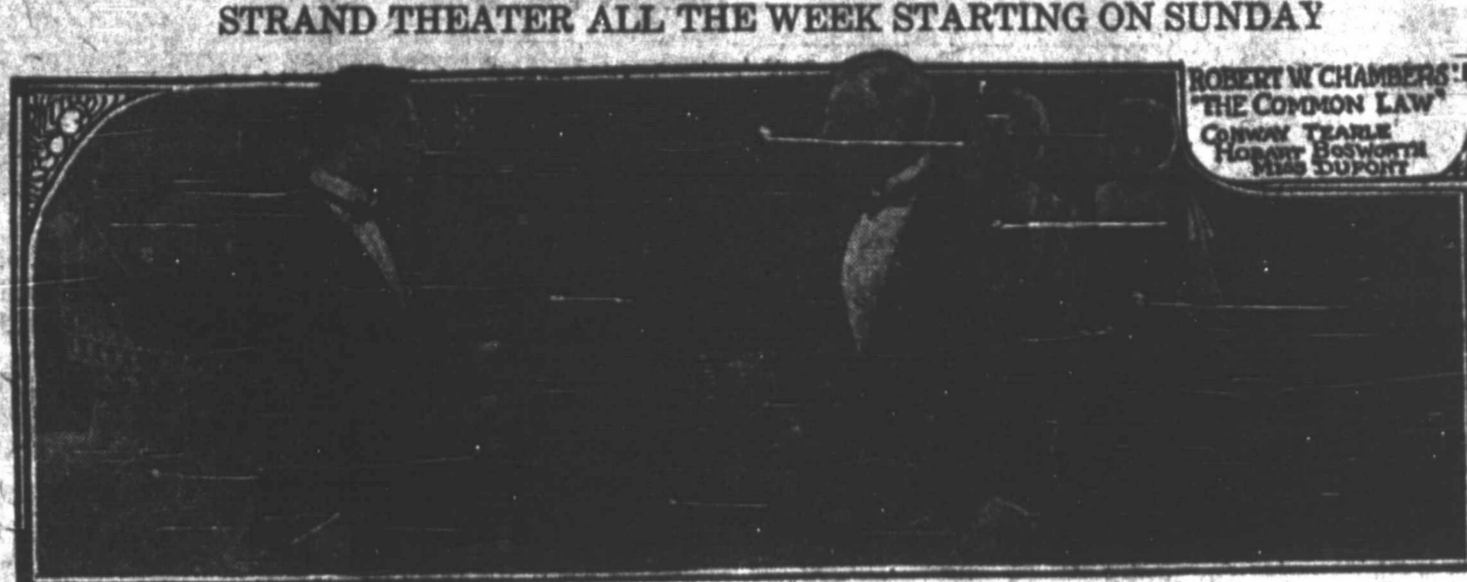
In "The Common Law," the screen version of the novel by the well known author, R. W. Chambers, which opens a week's engagement at the Strand, Sunday an old problem is depicted in a new way—the problem which often occurs in the life of wealthy young men of whether to choose love or fortune. Beautiful Corinne Griffith in the role of Valerie West, an artist's model, and Conway Tearle, as her employer, are deeply in love with each other but Conway's screen parents strenuously object to the marriage and are planning to force their son to marry a cold-blooded society girl whom he does not love and in this way enable him to climb the social ladder. The father threatens to cut his son off without a cent if the latter persists in carrying out his plans to marry Valerie. The girl, however, is not a dried type of fiction or drama, the hero would unhesitatingly renounce all claims to the paternal fortune and choose the course of true love. But it is just here that "The Common Law" displays originality, and is more true to life than its predecessors of similar nature, for the hero in this case listens to the paternal admonitions and turns his back upon Mr. Conard. Nor does he alter his decision to the very end of the story. "Terrible!—Unmanly!—Conduct unbecoming a hero," you exclaim. Quite true, but it is in keeping with the character, for the artist is not regenerated by love until the very end of the last reel, and then his parents withdraw their opposition to the match and all ends as it should. This is only one of the points wherein "The Common Law" differs from previous stories built upon this theme. The popular Elliott Dexter also has a prominent role in the cast, that of Quince, another artist.

Five Hundred Extras  
Several of the principal players and more than five hundred extras worked through two nights making scenes for "The Common Law." The picture was shot in New York City's big cafes on New Year's Eve and one of the largest sets ever used in Hollywood was constructed—a replica of one of Broadway's famous gilded palaces. A jazz band played through both evenings to supply music to the dancers, and a long of confetti, streamers, garlands, etc., was demolished in the effecting of wild pre-prohibition hilarity. Corinne Griffith, Conway Tearle, Elliott Dexter, Phyllis Haver, Bryant Washburn, and Harry Myers served in the all-night vigil which lasted until five o'clock in the morning. Several well known screen players visited the set and took part in the scenes of the frolic, and practically every extra in Hollywood was used in the immense cafe. Ginger also flowed freely from champagne bottles, and director George J. Aronson secured the atmosphere of a bacchanalian revel.

### "FLOGGING" CASES SET FOR TRIAL IN 89TH FOR MONDAY

Trial of criminal cases will begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the 89th district court, when the alleged flogging cases in which indictments were returned two weeks ago, have been set. A jury panel of 100 men has been summoned, from which jurors will be selected to try the cases. The settings as announced a week ago follow:  
1215—A. C. Golden, perjury.  
1216—A. C. Golden, assault with a prohibited weapon and assault with intent to maim.  
1217—A. C. Golden, assault with a prohibited weapon and assault with intent to maim.  
1218—A. C. Golden, assault with a prohibited weapon and assault with intent to maim.  
1219—Dr. Gordon Clark, assault with a prohibited weapon and assault with intent to maim.  
1220—Dr. Gordon Clark, assault with intent to maim.  
1221—R. Longford, assault with a prohibited weapon and assault with intent to maim.  
1222—W. W. Murphy, false swearing.  
1223—W. W. Murphy, false swearing.  
1224—W. W. Murphy, false swearing.

### "PIONEER TRAILS" AT MISSION, STARTS SUNDAY



### Madame Schumann-Heink Coming To Palace Theater on December 10 Great Friend World War Veterans

Wherever there is hospital disabled veterans, and American Legion post or a branch of any of the several army and navy organizations that grew out of the World War, there is loved and revered Madame Schumann-Heink. Strangely enough, the uniformed public sometimes set her down as a German, but the doughboys and the gals know her for the intensely patriotic American that she is. The great contralto is one of the civilian war workers who has not forgotten the extravagant promises made to these boys when they went to the front, what happened to many of them over there nor what has happened to them since they were brought back, crippled and hopelessly maimed soldiers and sailors, receiving all the care the government can give them have lacked these compensating comforts that only sympathetic interest can give. It has been her unceasing efforts to supply insofar as her talents permit these comforts that have won for Madame Schumann-Heink the affectionate name of "Mother" not only all over the United States but everywhere her concert tours have taken her. "Do you never tire? Doesn't your voice ever give out?" she was asked recently when at an afternoon before an exacting concert program she appeared at one of the many army hospitals to sing for "my boys." "Oh no, no," she exclaimed. "As long as I have any voice left to give them pleasure, I will do it. There is nothing too much I can do for them. Remember what they did for our country and for us." The lives in California now have moved to that famous climate from Long Island, but more than once she has traveled half way across the continent at her own expense to keep a promise to sing at a veteran's convention, or at an army or navy hospital or one of the many convalescent or rehabilitation institutions. If there seems to be no time to do a thing like that, she makes the time. There is no applause she would rather hear than that which comes from army cotts. Her present concert tour, which brings her to Wichita Falls on December 10, is dotted all the way with appointments she has made herself, and some that will be surprise visits, to sing for the wounded and the sick. These occasions have none of the formality of the concert stage, either; if such a thing as formality can be imagined in connection with the big hearted favorite of many opera companies. The intimate talks with the patients, the jokes, the swift sympathy and often the understanding tears explain why she is called "Mother" as such as does her glorious voice, now at the height of its power and beauty in spite of her silver crowned head and her 42 years.

### WELFARE CONTRIBUTOR'S CARDS ARE APPEARING THROUGHOUT THE CITY

The circulation of cards to contributors to the Municipal Welfare campaign has been large and cards are seen in practically every office in the city. The cards are printed in green ink on white pasteboard and read as follows:  
"We have subscribed to the 1924-25 Welfare campaign with the sum of \$1.00. We respectfully request that you will be relieved of frequent and unwarranted solicitation of money and we respectfully refer all solicitors to the Municipal Welfare board, city hall."

### FINAL SHEET PILING WORK IS PROGRESSING AT DIVERSION DAM

The work of driving sheet piling across the 100 foot gap in the river channel part of the diversion dam will begin Monday. R. A. Thompson, chief engineer of the Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1, announced Saturday. The task will take about two days and all supplies are on hand. As soon as the sheet piling is placed, engineers will begin the process of puddling to build up the core wall of the large dam and the work of constructing the earthen portions will continue at the same time. Mr. Thompson stated Saturday that he believed the diversion dam would be completed within 30 days, except for the placing of rip-rap on the upstream slope of the large earthen dam.

### BUILDING PERMITS IN NOVEMBER WERE FOR TOTAL \$51,700

A marked and noticeable slump in building, which contractors and dealers in building material attribute to the approaching holidays, continued throughout the week ending December 1. For the past two weeks building permits issued from the office of the city clerk indicated that there had been a slackening in the amount of building that is under way. A noticeable feature of the building is that practically all of the permits issued during the month provide for the erection of residence property or for buildings for domestic purposes. For the first part of the month of November, prospects for a banner month in building were the best. The major portion of the permits, totalling \$51,700 for the month, were issued during the first week of November. Until now no new building was commenced during the latter part of the month. During the month of November only 27 permits were issued; they involved an expenditure of \$57,700. It is the opinion of W. E. McBrook, city clerk, and other city officials who are concerned with the building of the city, that permits are being issued for only about 75 per cent of the building that is being done. Beginning with the new year, arrangements have been made with the electrical and plumbing inspectors to check their records with the building permits. In this way it will be possible to keep a correct record and enforce the city ordinance which requires the builder to secure a permit. The ordinance which requires the builder to obtain a permit from the city clerk does not authorize the collection of any fee for the issuing of the permit, but provides for a penalty for failure to comply with the ordinance. Announcement has been made that the ordinance will be rigidly enforced, beginning Jan. 1, 1925. Criminal misdemeanor cases will be tried each day of the week beginning Monday morning in the county court at law. Judge Guy Rogers announced the case settings several days ago. The cases as set will be taken up for trial in order and defendants and witnesses in cases set for Monday morning are asked to be present at 9 o'clock. The criminal docket of the county court at law is smaller at this time than it has been for the past year. Judge Rogers and Assistant County Attorney Wayne Somerville, six months ago arranged to try criminal cases the first week of each month and in this manner have succeeded in keeping caught up with the docket.



## The Joy of Hearing a Voice

When you are traveling, evening brings lonesome hours. You would be glad if it were possible to pack your grip and find yourself instantly at home. You imagine the joyful cry, "It's Daddy!" responding to your call. You cannot make this quick visit, but at the nearest telephone "Long Distance" will send your voice—you—over rivers, mountains and deserts to your loved ones. It will bring them to you. When you hear the voice, you feel the presence. The voice is the person. Your voice is you. Ask the Long Distance operator about Station to Station calls and particularly the low rates prevailing after 8:30 p. m.

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Your Voice is You—Visit Them by Telephone

### MUCH INTEREST IS BEING DISPLAYED IN POULTRY SHOW

Much interest is being displayed by poultry fanciers and breeders over this entire section of the state in the big Mid-Winter Poultry Show, which will be staged in Wichita Falls by the local poultry association, December 13 to 16. The fact that much interest has been aroused was demonstrated by the large attendance at a meeting of the association held during the past week in the court house. A total of 175 persons were present to hear M. R. Oates, agricultural agent of the association, and C. Murphy of Seymour speak on various subjects of interest to poultry breeders. Mr. Oates spoke of the develop-

## STRAND 5 Big Days STARTING TODAY

**ROBERT W. CHAMBERS' SELZNICK**  
**The COMMON LAW**  
CORINNE GRIFFITH  
CONWAY TEARLE  
ELLIOTT DEXTER

Doris May, Harry Myers, Bryant Washburn, Miss Dupont, Phyllis Haver, Wally Van, and Hobart Bosworth

### It Answers the Cry of the "Moderns"

## "Is Marriage Essential?"

"A man had much rather—crush a woman in his arms when ordered to do so by her eyes than by her lips and voice. Half the thrill and illusion is lost when the woman's lips move and her voice says, 'Take me, John.' He would rather her beautiful eyes of brown or blue telegraphed him the silent message."

Shows 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 P. M.

EXTRA  
"Nip and Tuck" Comedy

Fourth Annual Poultry Show of North Clay County at Byers Was Best in History of Association

BYERS, Texas, Dec. 1.—The fourth annual poultry show of the North Clay County Poultry Association was a grand success and goes down in history as the greatest show ever held in Clay county. The show was held at the Byers Hotel, which had been cleaned up in honor of the occasion. The show was held from Monday to Wednesday, and was the largest ever held in the county. The show was held at the Byers Hotel, which had been cleaned up in honor of the occasion. The show was held from Monday to Wednesday, and was the largest ever held in the county.

possibilities of the crop. Mr. Oates said, "M. A. Humphill of Montague county sowed 18 acres of five acres of second year clover this year and he is highly pleased with sweet clover as a pasture crop. The cows were put in the pasture March 1. The advantage of sweet clover over other crops are that it comes in the spring, seldom if ever causes cattle to bloat and will pasture two years by seed of state growers. It is more growth retaining than alfalfa and can be grown in most parts of northwest Texas without irrigation. It has about the same feeding value as alfalfa and is the best soil builder known in this section.

At the present time sweet clover seeds are quoted at nine and ten cents by seed of state growers, but on account of the good seed crop grown this year it is likely that seed will sell at twelve to fifteen cents per pound, rather than higher. So long as we will have supplies of seed located. It is extremely important for all who expect to plant sweet clover to prepare the land immediately, because it must have plenty of time to settle before seeding time in January. On the plains February 1 is about the right time to sow the seeds for sweet clover.

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SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR EARLY SHOPPERS ARE OFFERED AT KRUGER'S THIS WEEK

We're making it possible for everyone to give the gift supreme, jewelry, this Christmas. Never have we offered greater values, never has our stock offered a larger, more varied selection, from the least expensive to the most exclusive jewelry and diamond creations are offered here. Early shoppers will find a host of worth-while values, offered this week.

DIAMOND SPECIALS!

Perfect Blue-White Stones—Attractive Mountings Special Prices



Table with jewelry items and prices: Beautiful Blue White—Absolutely Perfect 3-4 KARAT, BLUE WHITE DIAMOND \$345 \$195. One Group Ladies' Rings \$29.75. One Group Platinum Bar Pins \$29.75. Platinum Top and Diamond Shrine Pins \$10.45.

A wonderful selection of Diamond Wrist Watches, Cuff Links, Scarf Pins and other appropriate gifts are offered at very special prices for this week's selling.

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"WHERE TRADING IS A PLEASURE" New Location—Eighth and Scott

More Than 25,000 Acres of Land Served By Southside Canal Will Be Open to Irrigation By April 1, 1924

More than 25,000 acres of land, which is served by the south side canal and laterals in the Wichita irrigation district, can be irrigated during the winter months, officials of the Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 1 announced Friday morning.

Wichita Falls Joins World Today In Celebrating International Golden Rule Day Benefit Near East Relief

Attention, all citizens of Wichita Falls—you are invited to dinner Sunday. The International Golden Rule Sunday Association of the Near East Relief, through the district manager of this territory, Mrs. J. D. White of Kemp Court, requests the pleasure of your company at a dinner to be held simultaneously all over the world Sunday noon, for the benefit of the refugee orphans in the Near East. R. V. F.

side canal in the area between the diversion dam and Wichita Falls, by way of Holliday, south of the Wichita river would be supplied with plenty of water within sixty days. Farmers are urged to prepare their lands for irrigation during the coming season, as water will be plentiful along the south side canal of the district. The south canal is complete and the work is being rushed on laterals and ditches. Within 60 days the work on the canal and laterals will be possible on a large scale. Engineers are most optimistic of the success of the project and proof will be established during the coming season in land adjacent to the south side canal.

Special Silverware Values BEAUTIFUL 26-PIECE CHEST OF 50-YEAR GUARANTEED SILVERWARE \$9.75

Vim and Vigor of Youth Once More

Looking into the future, a noted... The remarkable statement... "A study of the duties... glandular system will likely lead... to some 'reagent' which, properly... supplied to the human system, will... maintain the vigor of youth far... beyond the re-accend-ten—not only... physical vigor, but the power... which enables men (and women)... to work longer hours and... longer hours, after they have... reached the mental prime of life."

UPSET STOMACH, GAS, INDIGESTION... Dispersin... Stomach Feels Fine!

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The world court and federal interference with state sovereignty were attacked by Senator J. A. Reed of Missouri in an address last night before the annual meeting of the Illinois Bar Association.

Advertisement for William's products. Includes: Ladies' Felt Slippers 55c, Ladies' Fine Coats \$11.85, Ladies' Wool and Silk Dresses \$10.75, Men's Winter Union Suits 85c, Men's Headlight Overalls \$1.45, Men's 2-Pant Suits \$16.85, Men's Endicott-Johnson Scout Shoes \$1.50.

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# Young Folks Are Real Home Bosses in Choice Of Phonograph Records

"Who buys the phonograph records, papa or mamma?" several places handling records were asked last week.

The answer to this question gave further proof as to who is the real boss in the present day, modern home—no, not the woman—the young people. They are the ones it seems who do the most of the record buying, and they don't care a cent for the old-time records. They want the new, the latest, the most popular, the most up-to-date, the most modern, the most interesting, the most exciting, the most thrilling, the most sensational, the most sensational, the most sensational.

Classical music and refused to buy the boys' selections although they were insistent and would not consider any other type of music. Finally the jazz pieces were selected and bought by the mother.

**New Day Better Grade**

Men usually buy a better grade of music than women, it was stated, and men nearly always prefer modern voices, John McCormack being a decided favorite. They insist on their opera being in English, which is of course impossible in most instances.

Medians like soft, melodious music and often call for Hawaiian selections, very seldom daring for jazz. Down to the least child, they all know and want "La Paloma," and even the children are familiar with the highest class of Spanish music.

The country folk prefer good clean music, including Uncle Sam and Billy Murray, and also a good deal of dance music, but especially jazz, and they want a fast tempo.

Older people nearly always want sacred selections and people who are particularly partial to a certain artist take the religious selections sung by the present, even though they apparently have no inclinations in that direction.

**Wants de Grave-Ted Blues**

is a demand heard many times from local inhabitants of the colored persuasion for two months before such a record was put out at all, and this is true in regard to many "Blues." It was stated, one salesman said, "I don't know where they got it, but the negroes always know way ahead when a new 'Blues' is coming out and begin calling for it long before there is such a record." It was agreed at all shops that this is the only type of music that the average negro buyer can be interested in. Most of them absolutely refuse to listen to anything else.

**Old Song Still Popular**

When asked if there seemed to be any decline in the demand for jazz, Miss Anis Campbell of McCConnell Brothers, declared that there is not with Victor records, although she added that this may be due to some extent to the fact that Victor has only had "Blues" records the past four or five months. Victor has always had only the best artists in every line and has made a consistent effort to turn the public taste in music a little more to the melodious and to calm the jazz down a bit.

Malley of the Phonograph Shop declared that every day they sell the old "stand-by" such as "Silver Stars" and "The Gold 'Humorsong.'" "Harry Mc Hank of Old Virginia," "When You and I Were Young Maggie," "Jazz and Rhythm" and "Poppy" songs, "Jazz" come and go, but there are a number of these beautiful old selections that are always popular, year in and year out, and bought by people from every walk of life.

**Women buyers** at the Wichita Music Store were declared to be interested generally in soft, melodious music, including violin and sentimental selections. "Of course, there are always many exceptions," it was declared, "but young people going away to school nearly always want dance and jazz records and the majority of record buyers like vocal selections."

It was declared at Martin's Book Store that young people from the country like jazz just as do those in town, but have a strong leaning to "Blues." A great demand for classical selections among the people with wealth was reported at this shop and many calls for sacred selections from the older people.

When the present school children are grown-up, with homes of their own, it is predicted that a very much higher type of music will be the general rule in American homes—and that this class of music will be generally understood and appreciated to a much greater extent than is now the case.

# "When You Find A Fellow Getting Into Trouble, You Nearly Always Find That He Has 'Busted Some Proverb"—Kay

The usefulness and truth of proverbs, both Biblical and secular, were brought out by Judge John C. Kay Sunday morning, Nov. 25, at the Strand Theatre, in addressing his Bible class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Two hundred and forty-nine were present. Following is the text of Judge Kay's lecture, as reported by Mrs. Lillian A. Ward:

"Gentlemen, once in a while I like to go outside the four walls of the lecture in the book, in an attempt to drop you a little proverb or two, or rather an application of the truth."

"I am a great believer in proverbs, not only these proverbs in the Bible, but most of the others. Now, when you find a fellow getting into trouble, you nearly always find that he has 'busted some proverb.' For instance, the proverb of 'Oh, how many times I have tried to go through that door that says: 'Those who live in glass houses must not cast stones.' There is a great deal of truth in that proverb. It is very important. It fits you and me as well as this man in Oklahoma. 'The old knights in the days of chivalry wore armour. They had men who were armour makers. To keep on this armour was to keep off and keep out danger; to keep away, the shafts and the swords of the enemy, but your danger and your peril is from the inside. There is no armour, there is no brass or metal that can save you, or me, from evil thinking, evil planning, or an evil heart. Our trouble is more apt to be, and our enemy is more apt to be, from the inside than from the outside, and how prone we are to attribute our weakness, and our sin, and our failures to other people, and to outside influences, and how few there are among us who are willing to say: 'My disaster, my failure, came upon me because of an inside enemy.'"

**Enough to French About**

"Now, this proverb today is taken from a great prayer of the Savior, and help God, because He works through man."

"Now, when these apostles were sent out, what were they promised? They were sent out by one who never had a home, without stir or purse, with no earthly reward, as we commonly measure reward. You know the best work is never paid for. If you get paid for what you do, you are not a top-notch. When I die, as I die I must, I want them to build up somewhere that has in something that this fellow did, that nobody ever did pay him for. And I hope that you, when you come at last to the end of this life, will not be able to say, I am square with the world. Why, some of you fellows, as I said here once before, want to be paid off every Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. You know, I am just selfish enough to want you to owe me something in the world, and my thought is and my prayer is that I may accomplish something that the world hasn't got any money to pay for."

"Old John Milton got 25 for 'Paradise Lost,' and I know one line in it that is worth more than that to me."

"George Washington! You all know he was a great man, but there might be some of you young fellows that didn't know he never did take any salary in the Revolutionary war. You can't buy them, and you can't pay them when they get big enough. Out there in the snow at Valley Forge, leaving his salary in the pitiful treasury that the people of the United States had at that time."

**Our Mission to Help God.**

"Now, what are you going to do that you are going to leave on the ledger unbalanced? Ah, the good things that I have had, and the money that I have been paid, I have always said that men were exceptionally good to me, that they have always heaped my cup up and run it over, and not only have been just, but generous to me. But, what can I do to leave them in my debt? To go out here and help God, I say, is one of your missions, one of your important missions."

"That was the Savior's own mission. Even as a little boy He said: 'I must be about my Father's business.' Now, what did He mean by business? (If that is a good translation, and I think it is.) Ah, men, religion ought to be the great business of life. As you grow older, can't you begin to see, and won't you begin to see, that some of the prizes that you fight for here, and seek for here, are not worth while? And that there is something higher and better for you to strive for than that thing that men call success?"

"And He said, 'I am sending these men out.' How? How were the apostles sent out? And every man is authorized to be an apostle. How were they sent out? Even as I was sent. That is the way the book

# RHEUMATISM PAINS QUICKLY ENDED BY RED PEPPER HEAT

When you are suffering without reason, as you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

Nothing has such concentrated penetrating heat as red pepper. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes you warm the sore spot through and through. Press the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and the old rheumatism torture is gone. Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Use it for lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, colds, etc.

**Oh, Yes, We Have Bananas.**

NEW YORK.—This song about no bananas seems to be the wrong note. Recent statistics reveal approximately 15,000,000 are eaten daily in the United States.

## Court Records

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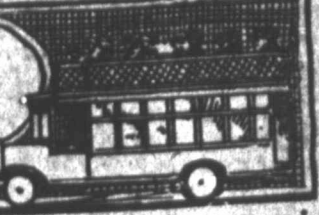
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# AUTOMOBILE NEWS



## THE SWEET HOME AND NIGHT FOR OWNER OF CHAMPION

Would you pack up your troubles, equipment and hunting dogs these crisp autumn days, in fifty cubic feet of space, right inside of your car and take to the bush where the drumming of the partridge lulls you to sleep? Would you, when night comes down on a busy day with your twelve gauge, remove both the front and rear seat of your car with the upholstery and make up a luxurious bed occupying the whole length and width of the coach—without the usual construction of a bed? If you would do all of these things in a single day, you would be in a position to enjoy the sweet home and night for the owner of a Champion.

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Not until 1914 were there more than 1,000,000 registered cars throughout the United States. Today there are more than 12,000,000. In the last ten years the number of registered cars in the United States has increased at an average rate greater than 1,000,000 a year.

The city dweller has the idea that most of the automobiles manufactured throughout the United States must be shipped to his particular city. But what are the facts? Seven of every five cars are in cities and towns of less than 10,000. Thirty per cent. are in towns of less than 1,000.

In the north 30 per cent. are on the farms. In the south, where there are the most farms—Texas has the largest number of farms, with 40 per cent. of the cars. Kentucky, North Carolina, fourth—there are 40 per cent. of the cars on farms.

Only nine per cent. of all the registered cars are in cities of more than 500,000.

In our great cities the country visitor is so impressed by the number of high-priced cars on the streets that he gets the impression that there must be more better cars being manufactured than he imagined. But the truth is that the fifty-four million manufacturing cars which sell for \$1,500 or less are doing 84 per cent. of the business. The forty-six companies making cars which sell from \$1,500 to \$4,000 have 5 per cent. of the business, and the twelve manufacturers who produce cars which sell for more than \$4,000 are competing for just 1 per cent. of the business.

One of the best answers to the question whether or not the automobile industry is building soundly is to study income tax returns and car ownership, all the time keeping in mind that it is cheap and medium-priced cars, selling for less than \$1,500, which are being purchased today.

The states with the highest income have the most cars. There is a relationship between the two. New York has the greatest total income and the largest number of motor vehicles. Nevada has the smallest income and also the smallest number of automobiles.

Facts are available to show that car ownership promotes home ownership. Those states which have the most automobiles in proportion to population also have the highest percentage of homes owned by their occupants. Conversely, where there are most common, the supply of motor transportation is relatively less. The states with the fewest cars in ratio to population have the largest percentage of rented homes. The automotive industry is so large that it is difficult to comprehend the size. As a manufacturing industry it is larger than the steel business and is exceeded only by slaughtering and meat-packing and by petroleum. And where would the petroleum industry be without the motor car? With the allied industries—petroleum, road building and steel, the automotive industry is the largest of all industries, and employs 15 per cent. of the population of the United States. It has been responsible for the development and growth of the largest of all construction industries—road building. The industry is the third largest rail shipper of manufactured articles. Petroleum and its products are first. The industry absorbs 4 per cent. of all the iron and steel, 35 per cent. of the aluminum, 107 per cent. of the copper, 34 per cent. of the plate glass, and 34 per cent. of the upholstery leather. The health of any business which is related to so many industries and which has such a direct bearing upon economic conditions generally, should be of national concern.

There is no question but that in the years to come new cars will be seen, but there will be fewer makers of cars and larger companies making them. The larger companies will continue to find ways of eliminating waste and of reducing costs by standardization and the result will be cheaper cars and more of them. Where the banker thinks of the automobile as a means of transportation, the manufacturer thinks of it as a means of production. One manufacturer has already, to his visitor's surprise, indicated that his replacement business will keep his factories going for many years at his present rate of production.

The motor car is a revolutionary influence. For example, it is responsible largely for the disintegration of urban residential life and the development of suburbs. Think of what a creator of economic wealth the automobile has been in making possible suburban development. Think of what a creator of economic wealth the automobile has been in making possible suburban development. Think of what a creator of economic wealth the automobile has been in making possible suburban development.

## Motor Car Revolutionary Influence And Creator of Economic Wealth, With Promise of Wonderful Future

Bankers are watching with interest business tendencies in the automotive industry. Of the 112 companies manufacturing motor cars today Henry Ford is doing 45 per cent. of the total gross business. General Motors, Dodge, Studebaker, Willys-Overland and Hudson-Essex are doing 30 per cent. These six companies have 85 per cent. of the business and 100 companies are dividing 15 per cent. What is to be the next development?

In 1924 the total production of motor cars in the United States was 4,600,000. Today at Columbus Circle, in New York City, 50,000 cars pass every twenty-four hours. In 1924 the total production of motor cars was 2,500,000. Last year the production was 3,600,000. In the first six months of 1925 there were registered more motor cars than in the entire year of 1922.

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## MARMON DEALERS' CONVENTION MARKS 22ND ANNIVERSARY

Word has just been received by D. L. Fritz, local Marmon dealer, that the Marmon and Marmon Company, of Indianapolis, Ind., will hold a dealers' and distributors' convention December 10, 11 and 12, at Indianapolis. Sales problems for 1924 will be the principal topic of discussion.

The company was established under the same firm name in 1902, having been organized in 1901. It has been manufacturing automobiles for twenty-one years. Factory officials assert the Marmon proposition is the best at this time which has ever been offered to the public or to prospective dealers.

The company is producing a finer car at a lower price.

The dealers and distributors will be taken to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway during their visit for a test of the Marmon four-wheel brakes, which are offered as optional equipment on all Marmons at a slight additional cost.

Tests will be made on the two and a half mile brick track, where the 400 mile international sweepstakes automobile races are run each year, of cars equipped with brakes on four wheels and those equipped with rear wheel brakes only.

H. H. Brooks, sales manager of the company, will preside over the convention sessions. Walter C. Marmon, president of the company, will deliver the address of welcome and will give a general business outlook talk.

One of Marmon's strong selling points is the remarkable safety qualities of the car. Its strong frame and wide steel running boards, which serve as side sumps, are among the safety features of the car.

The highway bills, advocated by the Texas Highway Association, and passed during the 58th legislature, made it possible for the state to take over this important work.

## All State Highways Maintained and Marking Financed and Controlled By State Department After Jan. 1, 1924

Stay Away From Here  
LAHORE, Afghanistan—Some Americans think their prohibition laws are about the toughest thing in the world. But they would change their minds if forced to observe Afghanistan's. A soldier, who had stayed a bit too much here recently, was fined \$144, lashed 99 times and paraded through the streets as an example to others who might fall by the wayside, as he did.

FRANKLIN CHOSEN FOR HARD WINTER DRIVING IN NORWAY  
KRISTIANIA, Norway, Nov. 29.—Franklin Automobile Aktieselskap of this city has just sold a Franklin Touring to the state constabulary of Norway, who will use the car in prohibition enforcement work. Every car represented in Norway was tested out before the final decision was made, the work of the prohibition squad being highly strenuous.

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due to the combination of severe winter weather, many "rky" motor, rough roads and long coast line. The Franklin was chosen because of its ability to withstand punishment and because its air-cooled motor obviated radiator repairs which were a constant trouble in the past winter in the case of one car operated by the constabulary, aggregated 2,900 kroner.

A California man says he can talk to monkeys. Well, perhaps, at times one might as well.—Detroit News.

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## AN UNUSUAL TEST PROVES DURABILITY OAKLAND FINISH

An unusual experiment to prove the exceptional durability of the oak finish on the new 1924 Oakland was made recently carried out by the distributor of this company in San Francisco.

In the presence of Roy Thornberg, consulting chemist for the Thorberg Electric Company, and a group of business men, the chemical contents of a powerful fire extinguisher were sprayed against the side of an Oakland touring car and allowed to dry in the sun before the surface was polished.

The experiment, which was probably the most severe test ever given an automobile paint job, proved that the finish of the oak finish and the oak finish of the car polished to a shine and no damage was noted. Rustic spots, also, were put on the paint but were easily rubbed off.

"I don't believe a paint was made that would withstand sulphuric acid," Mr. Thornberg said after the test. "I have never seen a surface of oak finish that has been so severely tested and still remains so good."

The oak finish is made of a mixture of natural oils and resins. Because of this oak finish is very susceptible to acid, I never saw anything like this in my life and did not know such a thing was possible.

The acid discharged from the fire extinguisher was so strong that it left scars on the enamel of the car in several spots.

A little rain helps down a lot of rust.

Where there's a will there's a way. There's a right and one wrong. Most of the success in the world has been won because of the spur of competition.

If you are not afraid of failure it is very probable you will never have to fail.—Answers (London).

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was very strictly drawn. The Samaritans had no special reason for rejecting the Gospel when it was brought to them, confirmed by the resurrection and by manifestation of healing power, whereas, under the influence of the Jewish leaders, some of the Jews have never heard the Gospel or more easily converted than those who have grown up in religious communities and are gradually, though unconsciously, hardened by repeated recollections of religious appeals.

It will be noticed that portions of our chapter are omitted from the lesson text; for instance, those dealing with Simon Magus, who deceived the people of Samaria, and are gradually, though unconsciously, hardened by repeated recollections of religious appeals.

Simon heard Philip and believed also. He was baptized and continued with Philip and wondered at the signs which he saw and the miracles which were done. Later he is set forth as a man who had turned to the Holy Ghost as his own personal power.

When Simon saw that through the laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money. But Peter said unto him: "Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money."

Then follows a rebuke that needs to be uttered to many of those now living: "Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter; for thy heart is not right in the sight of God. Repent therefore of this thy wickedness." Simon answered: "Tray ye to Lord for me, that some of these things which ye have spoken come upon me."

If Simon had been filled with the Holy Ghost, as the disciples were, he would have been more interested in saving souls and in healing diseases than in turning this power to his own pecuniary advantage. This power, therefore, is to be used for things supplied by those to whom they preached—but the idea of selling the truth committed unto them was abhorrent.

Those to whom God reveals truth do not keep still; they feel compelled to proclaim that which has been committed to them. They are not guardians of the truth; they are heralds of the truth. The spirit of the Holy Ghost is not to be used for the sake of the money which he might add to the magic by which he profited the supernatural power exercised by the disciples through the influence of the Holy Ghost.

Our chapter ends with the narrative of the descent of the Holy Ghost in the ministry of Philip. Philip undertook a journey from Jerusalem to Gaza. On the way he met a man of Ethiopia, an eunuch of great authority under Candace.

Then said they their hands on him, and they received the Holy Ghost. And they, when they had testified, and preached the word of the Lord, returned to their own country, and preached the gospel in many villages of the Samaritans.

the man of God, who alone could do this. He was a Jew, a Galilean, a man of the days of the temple; just as Daniel, a captive in Babylon, was a Jew, a man of the days of the temple, and a man of the days of the temple.

The Christian finds not only strength but fortitude and patience in the life of the martyr. The martyr, therefore, is a man of the days of the temple, and a man of the days of the temple.

Philip, one of the persecuted Christians, went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them.

Samaria was, so to speak, the "center of the world" at that time. The Samaritans were a people who had been separated from the Jews, and who had been living in a state of hostility to the Jews.

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William Jennings Bryan's Bible Talk

"How Christianity Becomes a World Religion" By WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN

A wonderful chapter of the Bible is that from which our text for today's talk is taken. It is the eighth chapter of Acts; it is full of interest to us today, and it vividly tells how the early Christian church began its outreach from Jerusalem to the ends of the earth.

Our chapter begins with a reference to the death of Stephen, the first martyr of the church. Stephen was a man of great power and signs, and he was stoned to death because he was preaching the Gospel to the Gentiles.

After a few words describing the burial of Stephen and the lamentation over him, we come to the third verse of our chapter, which tells us that the persecution against the Christians in Jerusalem increased.

The first thought to be emphasized is the effect of persecution as a means of spreading the Gospel. Persecution scattered the Christians, but it did not stop them from preaching the Gospel.

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