

CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO—Pop. 13,000; 1,814 feet above the sea; 5 lakes water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

EASTLAND CO. — Area 925 square miles; population 125,000; cotton, fruit, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; Cisco is headquarters for operators of great shallow oil fields; churches of all denominations.

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GORMAN PIONEER BURNED TO DEATH

Vare Dramatically Pleads for Seat in U. S. Senate

TAX CUT BILL FAVORABLY REPORTED

160 MILLION REDUCTION IS PROVIDED

Only One Vote Cast Against Motion to Favor.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. — The house ways and means committee today reported favorably the \$160,000,000 tax reduction bill. Only one vote was cast against the motion for a favorable report.

PROVIDES MAXIMUM OF RELIEF.

By KENNETH G. CRAWFORD United Press Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. — The treasury's \$160,000,000 tax reduction bill provides maximum of relief to taxpayers without endangering a deficit in government finances. Under secretary of Treasury Ogden Mills said the house ways and means committee today in a detailed statement explaining the measure.

The house committee prepared to hold an executive session after Mills completed his statement today and immediately report the bill to the house, where it will be debated and probably passed tomorrow. Chairman Smoot of the senate finance committee promised to start hearings this week with a view to recommending the measure to the senate early next week.

Bill Explained.

Mills explained the bill will reduce the calendar year 1929 the net-tax on the first \$4,000 of individual incomes from 1 1/2 per cent to half of one per cent; on the second \$4,000 from 3 per cent to 2 per cent; and in the balance of taxable income from 5 per cent to 4 per cent; and on taxable corporate incomes from 12 per cent to 11 per cent.

The outstanding features of the measure, Mills continued, "are that it limits the new rates to calendar year in question (1929), which is a novelty in the history of income tax legislation in this country; and in the second place, that it gives some measure of relief to maximum number of income taxpayers with relatively large benefits these with smaller incomes." The total reduction, \$70,000,000, goes to individuals and \$90,000,000 to corporations, Mills said, answering criticism of the bill already by some senators that corporate income taxes have long been high while the vast majority of individuals pay "but an insignificant amount at a very low rate."

Eastland Musician to Give Concert

Dr. Breitwiser, dean of music, of the Memorial university, of Eastland, will give a free piano recital at the First Baptist church at 4 p. m. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 8. Prof. Breitwiser comes from the Chicago College of Music, where he was teacher of piano and theory. He will be assisted by the Ely Family Orchestra.

SHOOT'S SELF.

DALLAS, Dec. 4. — Funeral arrangements were being completed for Charles Stewart, 32, Elam, Tex., a cowboy who fired a bullet into his brain last night. He shot himself in front of his wife.

RADIO

Thursday's Five Best Radio Features (By United Press) WEAF NBC Network, 7 CST—The Hushmann Hour, with Rudy Vallee. WEAF NBC Network, 8 CST—The Singing Singers. WABC CBS Network, 8 CST—The Detective Mysteries. WEAF NBC Network, 9 CST—The Hushmann Hour. WEAF NBC Network, 10 CST—The Secret of Suzanne, with E. Wolfe and Frederic Bear.

PERSHING ATTENDS WARREN RITES



Gen. John J. Pershing, son-in-law of the late Sen. Francis E. Warren, and Mrs. Warren are shown here as they left the capitol after attending funeral services for the 85-year-old Wyoming solon. Behind the general is the senator's son, Fred Warren, and his wife and directly behind them is Warren Pershing, son of Gen. Pershing.

Vernon Tells of Skill as Rider

PAWNEE, Ok., Dec. 4.—Tom Vernon, confessed train wrecker and robber, today told his prison audience of his prowess as a fancy rider as the race between California and Wyoming for his extradition moved to the state capital. He was arrested here Sunday night when California and Wyoming officers traced him here to Major Gordon P. (Pawnee Bill) Lillie's famous buffalo ranch to which Vernon had come seeking employment. Faced with charges of robbing and wrecking a train near Los Angeles and another near Cheyenne, Vernon confessed to the California wrecking but denied the Wyoming job.

Sheriff T. J. Higgins, Los Angeles, went to Oklahoma City to seek requisition of Vernon to California. Higgins, who had been familiar with Vernon's career the last twenty years, told the governor he had spent all of the last two weeks tracking Vernon. Vernon was beginning to be irked with prison life today. Described as a likeable conversationalist, he had re-told his story of life in the wild west's first movies, rodeo shows and other glamorous experiences until he said he was bored. He did not talk of the twenty years he had spent in western penitentiaries for various crimes, but told of his free life. He has written an autobiography which says he was born in Sweetwater Basin, Carson county, Wyoming, in 1884. His parents were James Averilla and Ella Watson, known as "Cattle Kate," both of whom were hanged for cattle rustling when Tom was 5 years old.

Vernon was taken by the Indians the night his parents were hanged and his brother shot, the autobiography related. Residence in Chief Iron Tail's tepee at the age of 6 had gained for him accomplishments as a rider and the name of Tom Vernon. When he left the Indians he "hired out" as a fancy rider to show acts and had worked with Buffalo Bill and Pawnee Bill wild west shows. His return to the life of a brecheo buster on Major Lillie's ranch was Vernon's goal when arrested.

IS INDICTED.

HOUSTON, Dec. 4.—Harry M. Myers, Fort Worth attorney, was indicted today on a charge of attempting to assault a minor here today. The girl was attacked in a house in the residential section, after answering an ad for a stenographer, she charged. The alleged attack took place Nov. 25. Since then Myers has been in jail here.

RISING TEMPERATURES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Winter was in a general mood throughout the middle west today as rising temperatures broke the intense cold spell of the last week.

BULLET WOUNDS FATAL.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 4.—Bullet wounds suffered in a gun fight with gangsters resulted today in the death of C. H. Dingman, Jr., Kansas City motorcycle policeman.

DECLARES HIS ELECTION WAS LEGALLY HELD

Is Assisted Into Senate During Norris Speech.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4. — William S. Vare, Republican senator-elect of Pennsylvania, stood dramatically before his accusers in the senate today and pleaded for his seat on the ground that he had been constitutionally elected. The Philadelphia Republican leader, victim of two recent paralytic strokes, hobbled into the chamber on a cane to read a 2,500 word defense in which he said the case against him was "a fabrication of the wildest theories, unaccompanied by any proof."

Telling the senate that the contest to oust him had aggravated his bodily affliction, Vare said he had always stood for what is just and right in politics. "I have always tried to lead an upright life both socially and politically," he told the senate, which shortly is to vote upon the Norris resolution declaring him unfit for a senate seat because of his campaign activities including expenditure of \$785,000.

Concluding, Vare said: "Denied Rights."

"I respectfully submit that you deny me my just rights in this matter but it cannot be done without a technical and a basic principle of the constitution." The Philadelphia made an effort to appease his accusers in the chamber. At the outset he charged they had been "unfair and unjust" and that they had twisted "mere clerical technicalities into acts of political fraud and conspiracy."

Regarding the charge that there were many Philadelphia precincts in which no votes were tabulated for his opponent, Vare said there were many precincts in the south where the Republican votes were registered. "A period was given over to the discussion of 'Ways and Means Whereby the Scouts May Aid in Christmas Good Turns.'" Scoutmasters representing the Cisco district set the date for their next field day meet as Saturday, Jan. 4, to be held in Cisco.

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DIRECTORS OF WTCC DISTRICT ARE SUMMONED

Pursuant to the plan of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to divide the region covered by the organization into districts with organizations of their own headed by a director appointed in each district, C. M. Caldwell, of Abilene, director of district No. 5, has called a meeting of the board of directors of the district to take place in Abilene, 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, December 10 at the chamber of commerce building.

Extended Hand.

Vare extended his hand and Robinson arose to accept the greeting. Other Democratic senators also shook hands with him, but Walsh Democrat, Montana, was the only one who went out of his way to come down to the front of the chamber.

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Honesty Won Him Trip Home

WICHITA, Kas., Dec. 4.—Honesty today won Alfred Barrax, of Denver, penniless wanderer, a ticket to his home and "food money."

Barrax was standing in front of a restaurant this morning, watching the cook hungrily, when thugs tossed a brick in a jewelry shop window, seized a handful of diamond rings and fled. As they passed him, they dropped a ring valued at \$125. Barrax recovered the ring and turned it over to the jeweler. A \$10 bill and promise of aid was his reward.

SCOUTMASTERS HAVE MEETING AT EASTLAND

A very interesting program was held by the scoutmasters of the Oil Belt council at Scout headquarters at Eastland Tuesday night at 7 o'clock.

H. D. Chisholm, scoutmaster of Troop No. 1 handled the discussion on "How to Give Scout Tests." J. T. Maddux, scoutmaster of Troop No. 2 opened the discussion on "Securing the Cooperation of the Church." E. E. Lennon, scoutmaster Troop No. 4 spoke on "How a Scoutmaster May Sell His Troop to a Sponsoring Church." John Parker, scoutmaster Troop No. 6, on "How I Handle Troop Attendance." F. M. Woods, scoutmaster Troop No. 12 on "Inspiring Boys to Pass Tests."

Scoutmaster Woods' discussion met with a great deal of interest from the other scoutmasters as Mr. Woods presented several charts that he uses in his troop work.

Dr. R. G. Head, scoutmaster Troop No. 15, handled the subject of "Athletics in Troop Meetings." O. J. Russell, assistant scoutmaster Troop No. 2, led the discussion on "Methods Used on a Successful Overnight Camp."

The meeting opened with a "Dutch dinner" with Life Scout Roger Moorehead serving.

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WOMAN HAS PLACE IN HALL OF FAME

A bronze bust of Miss Alice Robertson will be placed in the Hall of Fame in Washington in the section allotted to Oklahoma beside that of Sequoyia, inventor of the Cherokee Indian alphabet.

She is a remarkable woman, a brilliant woman, a woman without a peer.

Her father was one of the early missionaries among the Indians. She grew up in the Indian territory.

OUT OUR WAY



THE SURPRISE PACKAGE.

He advised that business brains get busy on the job and let the stock ticker alone. He advised a lower price for commodities. He declared the only thing that should be high priced in this country is the man "ho works."

Henry Ford is an industrial capitalist who practices what he preaches. He believes in high standards of living. He believes in high wages for efficient workers.

There are American statesmen who call themselves economists who should sit at the feet of Henry Ford and gain wisdom.

Did You Ever Stop to Think? By EDSON R. WAITE Shawnee, Oklahoma.

R. J. Cronin, publisher of the Vancouver 'B. C. Sun' says: That the greatest business potential in the world today is Asia's one billion population.

CLARION, Pa., Dec. 4.—Twelve planes hopped off today for the vicinity of Lake Erie where it is believed Pilot Thomas P. Nelson, missing since early Monday morning, might have crashed.

WACO, Dec. 4.—Bog Buchanan, 39, former sheriff of McLennan county, who figured several years ago in the Lorenza Ku Klux Klan parade fight in which he was wounded, died here today from the effects of a paralytic stroke sustained several weeks ago.

CLEMENCEAU TOMB



Georges Clemenceau, the 'Tiger of France', was buried in a tomb erected under the guidance of his own hand. This picture shows the gravestone erected secretly by Clemenceau four years ago on his estate in southern France.

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Former Sheriff of McLennan Is Dead

Two Charged in Auto Theft Ring

Police said the ring has been operating in Dallas, Waco, Temple, Littlefield, Hillsboro, Malone, Lubbock and Bowie.

QUICK REFERENCE CLASSIFIED ADS

There is a Place for Everything and Everything in Its Place. These inexpensive advertisements are a "Clearing House" for most everything, such as Buying, Selling, Renting, Restoring Lost articles, Finding Help or Employment and Securing New Patronage for your business.

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14-Year-Old Boy to Sing. DALLAS, Dec. 4.—Tonight Charles Avelar will sing a concert here. Four years ago—then a ragged boy of 10—he stood on the streets of San Antonio selling papers and singing "just to keep up spirits."

Hatcher Will Not "Play Santa Claus". AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher today served notice upon state employees that he will not "play" Santa Claus with state money.

9-Year-Old Girl Held Competent to Be a Witness. AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—A nine-year old child who said she would be punished if she told a lie though she did not know who would punish her, was held to be a competent witness by the court of criminal appeals today.

Plot to Escape Is Frustrated. DALLAS, Dec. 4.—A prisoner in the Hillsboro jail plotted to escape Tuesday but was frustrated in his attempt by Captain Luther Phillips of the automobile theft division of the Dallas police.

Eastland Children Take Rabies Serum. EASTLAND, Dec. 4.—Three children of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gibson who reside one and one-half miles from Eastland and near Eastland Lake, are taking serum for the prevention of rabies.

Cotton Farmer Not Aided Says Terrell. AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—The federal farm board has not given any material aid to cotton farmers, State Agricultural Commissioner George B. Terrell said in a statement here today.

Devil in Woman Cropped Out in Son Who Confessed to Robber Says Old-Timers. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 4.—The devil in Cattle Kate, lady wild cat of the Wyoming plains, who with her husband died at rope ends on a cottonwood tree for cattle rustling, cropped out in her son, Tom Vernon, confessed robber-wrecker of a train in California and suspected of a similar crime near here recently, old timers are agreed.

Sound business conditions and nation-wide banking were reported to Pres. Hoover by members of the Federal Reserve board, headed by Gov. Roy A. Young, above, at a conference in Washington.

FOR CHILDREN'S COUGHS SHE USED LIN-O-NINE FOR YEARS. "From Nine Months Up Our Children's Colds and Coughs Never Worried Us."

Dr. Kerr the famous man who created the formula for Lin-O-Nine lives in Danbury, my hometown so I've always known it was perfectly safe and harmless and have given it to my children from nine months up. The children have continued to use it since grown-up it is so pleasant and effective," declares Mrs. Frank P. Morgan, 68 west Wooster St., Danbury, Conn.

News want ads bring results.

Police said the ring has been operating in Dallas, Waco, Temple, Littlefield, Hillsboro, Malone, Lubbock and Bowie. The members are thought to have followed the practice of burning the identification numbers and disposing of them through a "fence" garage in Waco.

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Pres. Rubio... first time since... to head the southern...

Lodge Opens Annual Conclave

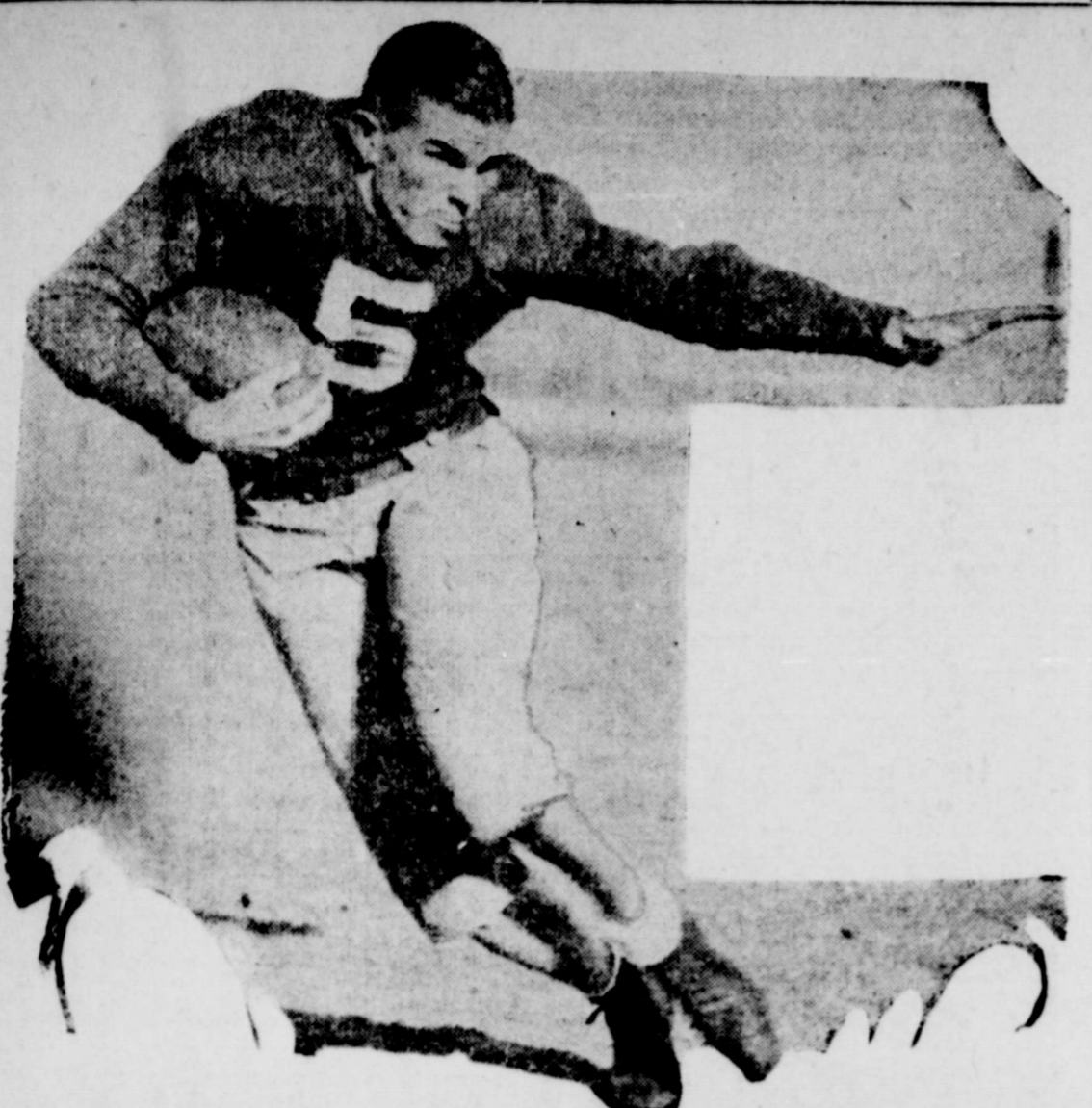
Dec. 4.—With distinction... grand Texas Masonry today...

dicted Solon



Edward E. Demison... faces trial... liquor law... indicted by a grand jury...

Horned Frog Star Speed Demon



Three years ago, in the spring of 1926, a cotton-haired, rather slender lad in Lubbock high school, took a notice...

Five Leading Boxers on Garden Program

By DIXON STEWART United Press Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Five of the world's leading heavyweights are scheduled to appear at Madison Square Garden next Monday night...

Says Breckenridge Should Have Case Against Captain Carey Passed Upon

By BOYCE HOUSE Any, it is offered in a friendly spirit from one who would be pleased to see Breckenridge sail through to the state championship...

Vasconcelos Hints of New Revolution

NOGALES ARIZ., Dec. 4.—Hint of another revolution in Mexico was given by Jose Vasconcelos, defeated candidate for president of the republic...

Composite District Elevens Are Named

Composite all-district high school elevens have been compiled by the sports writers of the oil belt district at the instance of Prexy Anderson, of the Abilene Morning News...

- FIRST TEAM Position—Player School End—G. Cary (21) Breckenridge Tackle—Grimes (24) San Angelo Guard—R. Miller (20) Cisco Center—King (16) San Angelo Guard—Neely (14) Abilene Tackle—Cox (24) Breckenridge End—McQueen (16) Brownwood Quarter—B. Magness (24) Breck Hall—Allen (22) Abilene Hall—McLaughlin (19) Ranger Full—Graham (21) Breckenridge

ABILENE, Dec. 4.—Amid a landslide of votes for four Breckenridge players and for one man each from Abilene, Ranger, Cisco and San Angelo, the polls of the composite All-Oil Belt team were closed last night...

Eastern Eleven for Charity Go Named

(By United Press) HAMILTON, N. Y., Dec. 4.—Eleven players who have been invited to play with the All-Eastern football team which will engage a picked team of western stars for charity at San Francisco New Years Day were announced last night by Coach Andy Kerr of Colgate...

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McKemy Will Run for Congress

DENISON, Dec. 4.—Charles McKemy, state labor commissioner, announced here today that he will be a candidate for congress from the fourth Texas district which is made up of Fannin, Grayson, Collin, Hunt and Rains counties...

Not Proof Against Fire

AND YET THE MAN WHO INVESTS IN INSURANCE FOR HIS CAR WILL NOT SUFFER FINANCIALLY IF TROUBLE COMES. Full motor insurance is as vital as gasoline to the wise motorist. Let us tell you about it.

STATE G. O. P. TO CONTINUE NOTE SYSTEM

DALLAS, Dec. 4.—The Texas republican organization will continue its practice of financing campaigns through the note system of contributions from office holders as well as non-office holders republican leaders said today...

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Advertisement for Skiles Grocery & Market, featuring a 'THANK YOU, FOLKS' message and a 'NOT PROOF AGAINST FIRE' advertisement for E. P. Crawford.

APPROPRIATIONS OF \$3,830,455,231 RECOMMENDED IN BUDGET ESTIMATE

REDUCTION OF \$145,696,000 REPRESENTED

Recommendations Are Submitted to Congress.

By CECIL OWEN
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—President Hoover transmitted to congress today his first budget recommending total appropriations for the fiscal year of 1931 of \$3,830,455,231, a reduction of \$145,696,000, as compared with expenditures of the current fiscal year.

Estimating governmental surpluses of \$223,000,000 this year and \$122,000,000 in 1931, Pres. Hoover proposed a tax reduction 1929 income as already outlined by Secretary Mellon. This program will provide a cut of one per cent in the normal tax aggregating \$160,000,000.

Warning congress that only a temporary tax decrease is justified by the state of government finances now, Mr. Hoover said a year hence it will be possible to determine whether the continuation or even extension of the reduction is justified. Every effort will be made, he added, to conduct the government finances as to continue the benefits of reduced taxation for succeeding calendar years.

"Experience has shown," the president said, "that each reduction in taxes has resulted in revenue in excess of the mathematically computed return under the reduced rates. Undoubtedly an increase in the prosperity of business brought forth by tax reduction is partly responsible for this experience. Such reduction saves the taxpayer correspondingly more for his own use and thus increases the capital available for general business."

Although the total 1931 budget is nearly \$150,000,000 under the last budget of the Coolidge administration, Pres. Hoover proposed increases in the appropriations for several important branches.

Principal increases recommended to congress by the president included enlarged funds by \$10,000,000 for food control and rivers and harbors, additional funds for the justice department of \$4,079,000 and for the state department of \$2,443,000. An increase of about \$3,100,000 in the appropriation for Indians, and of \$2,000,000 for forest fire protection was requested.

An additional \$5,000,000 for government construction under the federal building program is to be asked later, congress was advised in a supplementary estimate. To be submitted when the treasury has completed a survey to determine how the funds should be allocated.

Provision was made in the building program for construction projects at several federal penitentiaries as follows: Leavenworth, \$2,000,000; Atlanta, \$79,000; McNeil Island, \$139,000, and \$450,000 for continuing construction of the Chillicothe, O., industrial reformatory. Total building estimates of \$59,240,000 were contained in the budget.

Estimates for war and navy department appropriations provide an aggregate of \$719,089,000 for national defense, Pres. Hoover said after excluding all items of a non-military character. Substantial amounts were carried in the budget for carrying forward the aviation programs of both services the housing program of the army modernization of battleships, and construction of new naval vessels authorized by the 15 cruiser bill passed by the last session of congress.

"With regard to the 15 new cruisers authorized by the act of last February," the president stated, "provision is made for continuing work on the two cruisers already laid down and on the aircraft carrier and three cruisers to be laid down in the fiscal year 1930, and for the commencement of the construction of the second and third blocks of five cruisers each, late in the fiscal year 1931."

Under the air service programs for the army and navy, the president asked a total of \$33,000,000 for procurement of airplanes. In addition he asked for the same purpose for the coast guard, department of commerce and the national advisory committee for aeronautics a total of \$460,000. An additional \$10,325,890 was asked also for lighting and equipping airways, inspection and licensing pilots and pilots, and furnishing of weather reports to aviators.

Difference of Opinion Exists As to How Rising Star Came to Be Named

(From Rising Star Record)
The following item, written by Sam Ashburn of the San Angelo Standard, and carried in the Record the past week has been the cause of quite a little discussion:
Rising Star, Eastland county, is said to have received its name from the evening star. In 1830, when Rising Star was a trading post, letters were sent to the proprietor of the store. He carried them in his pocket until he chanced to see the persons to whom they were addressed. The time came when a postoffice was needed. A name must be selected.

"The storekeeper," my informant relates, "was more or less sentimental and while watching the evening star in all its glory, exclaimed: 'The new post-office shall be called Rising Star!' Some less beauty-seeking persons claim that it was named Rising Star because it was expected to outshine the other small villages then building in this section. But all such reports smack of pure jealousy."

Differs With Story.
Uncle John Cooper, one of the earliest settlers in this section, differs with the above very materially. Mr. Cooper states that the first postoffice was located out on the Sipe Springs road about three miles east of town and was known as Coppertown. Ashley Hardin was the first postmaster, Mr. Cooper says. The postoffice was later moved up nearer town to a man's place by the name of Wheat but was still known as Coppertown and Mr. Cooper continued to get his mail there. About this time a school house was built

near the place and named Rising Star school house. Soon afterward the local Methodist church was organized and the place was still called Rising Star. A little later the postoffice was moved to the store opened here by T. A. Anderson and was called Rising Star, the same as the church and school. Mr. Cooper is sure that this version is correct.

Another Story.
Uncle Jim Clark, another of the old timers here, understands that it was the purpose of the first settlers to call the postoffice simply Star, but upon learning from the postoffice department that there was another postoffice of that name in the state the Rising was added to it to set the postoffice department straight. D. M. Jacobs, who was in this section at the time, doesn't have a clear idea of how the postoffice was named, but says he does remember when the school was located here. He says there was a little community out southeast of town about 3 miles near the location of the Edd Lane farm. This community, "Star, Star's Delight" for a man by the name of Stell, put up a hard fight for the school but lost. He is rather of the opinion that the Stell community people called this place Rising Star in derision, but is not sure.

During the past several years the Record has made a diligent effort to find out the why for the name but has been unsuccessful. We have heard and read a number of fantastic reasons but none of them seem to hold water. We would be glad to hear from any of the old timers and have any information we can get.

Eliminating the figure of \$150,000,000 appropriated for the revolving fund of the federal farm board this year and which is not included in the budget for next year the 1931 budget exceeds the expenditures for the current year by \$4,304,000. An estimate of \$300,000,000 for farm board expenditures in the 1931 fiscal year was included, however, for the purpose of estimating the surplus.

Pres. Hoover estimated total receipts of the government in the fiscal year 1931 beginning next July 1 and ending June 30, 1931, at \$4,225,727,666, while total expenditures were placed at \$4,102,928,700, leaving an excess of receipts of \$122,808,966.

For the present fiscal year which closes June 30, 1930, receipts were estimated at \$4,243,293,434 and expenditures at \$4,023,681,900, permitting the surplus of \$225,381,534. For the fiscal year 1929, which closed last June 30, the actual surplus was \$184,787,035.

Mr. Hoover noted a marked improvement in the financial situation during the current fiscal year. Compared with the estimates made one year ago in the last budget, he said, receipts show an increase of \$408,000,000 and expenditures about \$243,000,000.

Prohibition enforcement activities gained an increased budget estimate for the justice department, coast guard, customs service and prohibition bureau, although the latter estimate merely recommended continuing the \$1,275,000 obtained in a supplemental estimate this year. The coast guard estimate was increased by \$2,450,000 for new vessels, pay raises and additional personnel.

In the estimates for the justice department of \$32,017,292, there was included an increase of \$4,079,222 over last year's appropriation for raising salaries, adding new investigators and other officials, detecting and prosecuting crime, and expansion of federal penitentiaries.

Leading increases in the budget estimates for 1931 as compared with the present budget were stated as follows:
Enlarging capitol grounds, \$1,600,000; completion senate office building, \$2,700,000; Interstate Commerce Commission, \$2,000,000; Veterans' bureau for soldier compensation, \$4,550,000; medical and hospital service, \$3,950,000; military and naval insurance, \$1,750,000; Forest service, \$7,300,000; public roads, \$2,500,000; plant quarantine and control, \$1,100,000; aeronautics branch commerce department, \$2,500,000; Indian service, \$3,100,000; justice department expenses, \$1,200,000; penal and correctional institutions, \$2,250,000; alterations to navy vessels, \$6,950,000; increase of navy \$3,250,000; state department, foreign service \$1,800,000; treasury department, refunding taxes collected illegally, \$10,000,000; war department, buildings at military posts \$1,600,000; air corps \$1,100,000; rivers and harbors \$5,000,000; food and control \$5,000,000; District of Columbia \$3,500,000; public debt \$11,500,000.

Concluding his summary of the 1931 budget, Pres. Hoover sounded

a note of optimism. He advised congress:
"Our finances are in sound condition. The public debt which at its peak in August, 1919, amounted to \$23,596,000, stood at \$16,931,000 on June 30, 1929. We are wisely committed to a policy which insures the further progressive reduction of the debt. We will reach in 1931 for the first time the period when the annual reduction required by law in the principal of the debt will be greater than the annual interest charges on the debt."
"We are also committed to the annual amortization of our other long term commitments—such as the adjusted service certificates of the world war veterans and our liability under the retirement laws affecting civilian personnel. Our estimated expenditures for this year and the next year are well within our expected receipts. With the recommended reduction in taxes the margin between the two will be considerably lessened, but to what extent we do not definitely know today. This situation emphasizes the necessity for a careful scrutiny of any proposed additional activities which would involve a material increase in expenditures in order that we

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Utilities Will Spend \$200,000 in Expansion During Next Year

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Eleven utilities companies with which Samuel Insull is connected will do business as usual in 1930 by expending about \$200,000,000 for expansion, the middle west financier has announced.

Speaking on the subject, "business as usual," before the economic club here Insull said that the nation's success and welfare depend upon the value of a single dollar.

"The thing most needed now is to keep our heads. We need to get back to our jobs of creating something useful in our country's economy; we need to give up dreams of getting something for nothing in the stock market."

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 4.—Oklahoma City field continuing activity Tuesday with the completion of a new well and a of three new locations. The newest producer, T. T. I. O. No. 2 Watters, which blew Monday, was flowing more 2,000 barrels Tuesday and gas flow of 70,000,000 cubic feet.

Drilling activity was kept to standard in the Sawkaw with T. T. I. O. adding a new No. 2-Fleet which flows barrels in 12 hours.

Services for the day had called off in a Breckenridge when an explosion in the room, early Sunday morning the heating system out of control had broken several windows.

Not having time to go to Raymondville locomotive ran into a big buck on the killed it, pulled it up in the had plenty of venison.

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6 Ice Tea Glasses, 6 Ice Tea Coster, 6 Ice Tea Sippers, \$1.50 6 Ice Tea Spoons, \$2.00 All for only \$3.50 \$2.19

LaCreole Hair Tonic 75c LaCreole Shampoo .50c \$1.25 Both for .79c

Golden Peacock Cleansing Cream \$1.00 Special .49c

Wild Root Shampoo 25c and 50c Special .19c, 39c

Muffit 35c A Perfect Dry Cleaner Special .27c

Chamberlain's Hand Lotion 50c Special .39c

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Mentholatum 30c and 60c Special .23c and 46c

Stacomb, liquid 50c Stacomb, solid 75c Special .39c and 56c

McK & R Analgesic Balm 50c Special .29c

Pure Castile Soap 25c value, 2 for 25c

Whites Specific Soap 25c value, 2 for 25c

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Rbeco Tooth Paste 50c Special .39c

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Lasting Designs, Ladies and Gents. Warwick Wrist Watch With a Guarantee \$10.00 .80 \$18.50 .80 \$24.00 .80 \$25.00 .80

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Soup Spoons \$7.50, 50 year Guarantee

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Teaspoon Special \$2.50 Set of 6 .75 \$4.50 Set of 6 .75

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Beaded Bags Made in Venice. Latest \$65, Special

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by Anne Austin, author of "The Black Pigeon," "Rival Wives," etc.

THIS HAS HAPPENED

Emma Hogarth, said to be a money hoarder in her second floor of Mrs. Rhodes' house, is strangled to death by Bonnie Dundee, "cub" detective, assists Lieut. Strawn in investigation. Police suspect Sevier, former boarder whom Hogarth accused of trying to rob her and who has disappeared. She Barker, boarder and pianist, thought to have had affair with Sevier, is arrested. Material witness against him, released on bail. Others under suspicion are: Hendon, Norma Paige, Walteres, near bankrupt, who had dealings with Mrs. Hogarth; Bertus, amateur scenario writer, is heard typing in his room; and raising the sheepskin papers secreted in Mrs. Hogarth's trunk, Dundee learns Sally Graves, who had written Mrs. Hogarth once a month in daughter and that the "D." mentioned in her diary is Dan Griffin, son-in-law embezzler of the return she lives in dead-end street. The mysterious details of Mrs. Hogarth's murder in New York. Dundee concludes Griffin derided both women. He turns attention to Dowd and Magnew boarders. Dowd's information about himself proves false. Dundee's investigation leads to a fine in an envelope which had held a rail ticket, with name on it, showing he left New York June 3. In the greenie he finds evidence that points to Sevier's having been there the night.

But gradually, as little pile of promising finds, his squeamishness was waning. He was in the first sneek — the first one — that Dundee made important discovery. It was a Pennsylvania railroad envelope, on the face of which had been printed the ticket seller: N. Y. 6:15 p. m. June 3. The left of these two lines concealed memorandum of amount of the fare and the for both railroad and Pullman ticket were in the pocket and crumpled envelope, but not this discovery which Bonnie Dundee whistle long.

Very careless of you, dear — or whatever your name is," Dundee murmured. "And you really ought to print more neatly if you are going to adopt that method of disguising your penmanship." On the back of the railroad envelope were three names of Henry Dowd's amateur writing, and the samples were names: Henry Dobbs, Herbold, Henry Dowd. The two had been crossed out, and that the man who was known as Henry Dowd had reasons known only to himself, on the last of the three as piece of an alias, to fit the of his real name, whatever it might be.

"Henry Dowd" was an name no surprise to Dundee, and suspected as much after finding the wire from the Des Moines chief of police. But that "Dowd" had left New York the 3, one day after Sally had been murdered — the first time since he had up his profession Bonnie Dundee felt the itch to apply the detective. With all his heart, then, he longed to belabor the week, diffident little Mr. Hendon with a machine-gun fire. But since he was under orders to remain incognito, so his official connection with the case was concerned, the says for the third degree were by Dundee — yet. And he had fish for the idea of turning new information and Henry over to Sergeant Turner. After all — he consoled himself — nothing could really be until Strawn had wired description of Dan Griffin. It should bring back Griffin's prints, too, and samples of handwriting. If Dowd's fingerprints matched those of the bank robber —

"Bonnie my lad!" the detective checked himself. "Even if we proved that Dowd is Dan Griffin, we'd be pretty far from a conviction either the Sally Graves or the Hogarth murder. If murderer or Mrs. Hogarth's letter left a single clue on the of the crime we've still to go. Except —" and he grinned. "Bad penny. Good old penny. I'm afraid Strawn — that our one eyewitness would never be allowed to stand. Too bad, Cap'n. There's more sense than a lot of brains who raise their right hand and swear to tell the truth, whole truth and nothing but the truth — and then tell anything but the truth! Heigh-ho! Now what?"

"That" was a wad of yellow paper — four sheets together six times, so that result was a small tight oblong. But what made it puzzling was the fact that the wad was oil-stained. After looking over it a bit Dundee tossed it aside, but when, farther on the sack, he came upon an exactly similar wad he decided to add it to his collection of that should be powdered

discarded versions of Bert Magnus' scenario, "More To Be Pitied" — torn across twice. Poor devil! He could revise that drivel till he was a gray-haired old man, and still it would be fit only for the waste-basket, Dundee reflected. "Believe I'll help him make a scenario out of this case, if I ever solve it," he grumbled. "It ought to make a swell talkie — with Cap'n in the title role."

On the very bottom of the bag he found half a dozen crumpled sheets of the yellow typing paper. As he smoothed one his heart leaped, and involuntarily he raised the paper to his lips. For it was HERB slim, white little fingers which had blunderingly hit the keys to record the lines with which the sheet was half filled. There was her lovely name, comically misspelled, so that she became "Norman Elizabeth Paige."

With the fourth line of practice, however, Norma had become quite proficient. Three times she got it beautifully correct — Norma Elizabeth Paige. And then she had essayed a new practice line, not quite so successfully, for she had written: "Mrs. Walter Havreford Styles." Possibly it was disgust at having so mutilated her future name that had made the girl tear the sheet from the machine and discard it.

Of the remaining crumpled sheets, two were doubtless Norma's, two Bert's, for Dundee recognized badly typed paragraphs from the scenario. But the ownership of the last sheet was problematical. There was nothing on it but a string of q's, then, half-way down the sheet and several spaces toward the center, a q struck over so many times that it pruned over almost cut through.

"Machine out of order," Dundee diagnosed, and made vague plans of hinting to Norma that he was awfully good at fixing things. It was her typewriter that was "acting up" he might have the inestimable pleasure of repairing it for her.

He was about to stuff the mass of trash back into the bag when his exploring fingers touched something hard and cold, and he brought out into the light a broken pinace lens. The glass had snapped at the edge where the nosepiece had gripped it. Without thinking much about it, Dundee added the broken lens to his small collection.

Stuffing the trash back into the bag, the detective caught sight of a crumpled sheet of pale blue notepaper. Funny he hadn't noticed it before. He smoothed it over his knee, saw that the handwriting was a woman's, that it was dated "The Rhodes House, Sunday, June 22" — just one week before

Mrs. Hogarth was murdered. A girl's unfinished letter — and certainly none of his business, Dundee told himself. Then his eyes involuntarily swept over the short, incomplete message, and he discovered, with a startled exclamation, that it was most decidedly his business.

CHAPTER XXXII
Bonnie Dundee sprang to his feet and held the crumpled sheet of pale blue notepaper close to the unshaded blub which swung from the ceiling of the basement. But his eyes, in the dimmer light of the corner where the trash bags were kept, had not deceived him. He read it again:

"The Rhodes House, Sunday, June 22. "I have asked you repeatedly not to bother me. I have no intention of doing what you ask and it will be useless to call me or write me again —"

"Now who?" he frowned, and then so simple an explanation occurred to him that he could have kicked himself for his stupidity. "Cora, of course! Warning Emil Sevier to lay off, that she wouldn't have anything to do with his plan

to rob Mrs. Hogarth." He added the note to his little pile of possibly important "clues" and he knew not exactly what, and was rummaging in the other trash bag when his self-respect reared its bruised head and demanded audience with his brain.

"Why should Cora Barker have to WRITE to Emil Sevier, when they worked side by side at the movie theater? Why couldn't she simply tell him to let her alone? And somehow — I can't see Cora using baby-blue stationery. Orchid cream or gray — yes; but baby-blue? No!"

Then he temporarily dismissed the unfinished letter from his mind, for he had made another discovery. Not much of a find, certainly, but at least it gave him an excellent specimen of Emil Sevier's handwriting, if such a thing should ever be needed.

The thing Dundee held in his hand was a Little Queen Theater program, for the week of June 9-15. The double sheet had been folded back and forth, time and again, in "accordian pleating," but before nervous or absent-minded fingers had done the pleating, they had written all over the white

margins: "Emil Sevier, Emil Sylvester Sevier, E. S. Sevier." It was a dashing signature, one ornamented with many fancy flourishes. It was easy for Dundee to picture the man who was now a fugitive from justice, brooding in his room, and absent-mindedly scribbling his name upon the program of the theater which he had honored with his services as violinist.

"Join your little friends, Emil, but don't contaminate them," Dundee chuckled, as he laid the pleated theater program beside his other finds.

And back to the messy task he went. Lord, what a lot of junk accumulated in a boarding house! Empty face powder and candy boxes; silk stockings hopelessly "laddered;" wrapping paper and twine; advertising circulars; cigar stubs —ugh! And then he found still another sheet of paper which made him pause and speculate with narrowed eyes.

It was a billhead of "The Gentlemen's Shop," owned by Walter Styles. There was one long column of figures, which added to a four-figure total, and other short, column whose sum was consider-

bly smaller. The liabilities and the assets of "The Gentlemen's Shop"? More than likely, Dundee concluded. Scrawled across the two columns were the words, "Oh, God! What's the use?" And helter-skelter across the bottom of the sheet he found:

"\$20,000? \$15,000? \$10,000?" "My dear Walter, I do believe you were speculating upon the amount of money poor old Mrs. Hogarth had cached away in her room, and which you were temporarily an heir to! Or were these interesting calculations and speculations made AFTER you were disinherited, and just before you proposed to Norma Paige, the new heiress? . . . At any rate, my dear Walter, one might say offhand that you were a fairly desperate young man when you did this bit of figuring."

That betraying evidence of Walter Styles' urgent need for money was the last find Dundee was able to add to his little collection, however. Bundling the lot into his handkerchief and stuffing it into his coat pocket, he trudged upstairs to the kitchen, where he found Mrs. Rhodes temporarily alone, engaged in dicing apples and celery for the dinner salad.

"One more favor, Mother Rhodes," he coaxed, as he returned the key to the basement door. "Do you recognize this handwriting?" and he showed her the sheet of pale-blue stationery, taking care, however, that only the first words, of it — "The Rhodes House, (To Be Continued)

"It's better to have it and not need it than to need it and not have it."

Those with wind storm insurance are secure from financial loss if a harsh cyclone or wind storm comes.

J. M. WILLIAMSON & CO.
CITY HALL GENERAL INSURANCE PHONE 111
"Pleasant Dealings—a Feature We Like to Advertise"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.

OSCAR'S MOTHER CALLED UP AND SAID THAT HE WANTED ME TO FINISH HIS ESSAY FOR HIM AND SEND IT IN—SAID HE DIDN'T WANT ANYBODY BUT ME TO FINISH IT FOR HIM!!

WELL—THAT'S A MIGHTY FINE COMPLIMENT TO YOU, FRECKLES!!

IT HAS TO BE IN THE MAIL BY MONDAY BECAUSE THE CONTEST CLOSES THEN—GEE!! I MIGHT GO AND SPOIL THE WHOLE THING FOR HIM—

JUST DO THE BEST YOU CAN—OSCAR TRUSTS YOU

UNDER QUARANTINE AND ISOLATED FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD

MUMPS! MUMPS!! I'D GIVE TWO CENTS TO KNOW WHERE I PICKED THIS UP—JUST WHEN I WAS GOING SO GOOD ON MY ESSAY TOO—OH, WELL, FRECKLES IS SMART TOO!!

WE HAD IT FOR DINNER TODAY—WHAT'LL WE WISH FOR, WILLIE?

THAT OSCAR BETS WELL, AND THAT HIS ESSAY WINS THE PRIZE AND THAT WE DON'T KETCH THE MUMPS!!

MUMPS ON THANKSGIVING DAY!!

MOM'N POP.

AND YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT OUR NATIONAL BIRD IS?

IS IT THE HAWK OR THE SPARROW OR THE ROBIN REBBREAST?

WELL, I'M SURPRISED YOU DON'T KNOW THE BIRD THAT STANDS FOR UNCLE SAM

OH, I KNOW! THE TURKEY!!

NO! NO! NO! YOU'RE ALL WRONG! IT'S THE AMERICAN EAGLE

COME ON! EVERYTHING IS READY

WELL, I BETCH'N THE TURKEY IS THE NATIONAL BIRD TO-DAY, ANYWAY, POP

Raising the Family - It would have been very embarrassing for Ma if anyone had seen it.

IS YA HAS DRESS, SPOSED TO HAVE THAT FANCY BUSINESS HANGIN' ON THE BOTTOM OF IT?

WHEN YOU AND ME WAS YOUNG MARRIAGE

JUST A MOMENT MA!

EVERY TIME I BORROW SOPHIE'S PETTICOAT I HAVE TROUBLE WITH IT!

DO YOU KNOW WHY --- A Cigar Has So Much influence?

WELL, SPILL IT

I HAVE A VERY IMPORTANT MATTER TO LAY BEFORE YOU, MR. GRAFT

NIX, NIX, ON THAT STUFF CANT BUY ME

IF YOU'LL GET ME THIS JOB I'LL GIVE \$500 CASH

NOTHING WILL MAKE ME ALTER MY DECISION

I'LL SLIP YOU \$1000 IN COLD CASH FOR THE FAVOR

UM—YES AND I'LL SEE WHAT I CAN DO FOR YOU ABOUT THAT JOB

MAYBE YOU'LL HAVE A CIGAR

NOBODY CAN BRIBE ME

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'ROUND ABOUT THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. T. Peters spent Monday in Stamford. Mrs. L. A. White and Mrs. Larry Waterbury returned last night from a trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Mobley of Corsicana are visiting relatives in Cisco. Carl Molden will leave today for College Station after a visit in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Orn have returned from Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Esen are expected home today from Houston.

Mrs. W. T. Hoy has returned to Midland after spending several days with Mrs. J. L. McMurray. Mrs. Allan Wood is sufficiently recovered to be up after a recent illness.

Jack Brown has returned to Fort Worth after a visit in Cisco. Mrs. W. H. Hayes was called to Dublin this week on account of the illness of her grandmother.

Mrs. E. McCracken is visiting friends in Fort Worth and Quamah this week. Word has been received here that Quincy Lee, who is attending Washington University at Washington, D. C., is planning to fly to Cisco Christmas with Captain Ira Eaker, who attained notoriety recently by his endurance flight in the Question Mark at Los Angeles.

W. C. Lawhon and Roy Overlees of San Angelo visited in Cisco yesterday en route to Dallas. Mrs. A. J. Wisdom of Seguin is spending the week with Mrs. F. E. Aycock.

Mrs. Bob Key and daughter, Margaret Laverne, and Mrs. O. K. Morgan and children have returned from a visit in Ballinger. Mrs. Morgan went on to her home in Ballinger.

Mrs. Glenn Eager and baby of Abilene are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt. Miss Loma V. Rainbolt has returned to Dallas after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Rainbolt.

Mrs. Bertha Maynard and Mrs. E. M. Howard of Rising Star attended the meeting of the Episcopal Auxiliary here yesterday. A box was packed to send to the St. Matthews home in Dallas. Plans were made also for the bridge tournament to be held Dec. 19 at the home of Mrs. E. C. Hayes. Delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

CISCO GIRL WEDS WEWOKA MAN Miss Edna Frey of Cisco, Tex., and Mr. R. P. Fitzke of Wewoka, were married last month at Tecumseh by J. A. Button, justice of the peace. Present at the ceremony were Mrs. Edna Jacks of Wewoka, sister of the bride and Mrs. C. W. Witt of Seminole, mother of the bridegroom, a former Shawnee resident. The bride, who is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Frey of Cisco, is an attractive young woman and was charming in a frock of brown satin with harmonizing accessories. Mr. Fitzke is foreman of the Prairie Oil company of Wewoka and the couple will make their home in that city.

'Virginian' Comes to Palace Friday A spectacular outdoor action scene in which 300 head of bellowing cattle swim across the swirling current of the Stanislaus river in California is one of the big features of 'The Virginian,' which comes to the Palace theater Friday and Saturday.

The action scene represents a new chapter in talking picture history. It is the first time such a spectacle has ever been recorded on films. The crossing was made at Byrne's Ferry, twenty miles from S. Norra, mining town in California's 'Mother Lode.' Seven cameras and a battery of microphones recorded the action and sound.

When the mechanical and electrical equipment had been installed at various points along the river bank a group of cowboys, responding to a signal from Victor Fleming, the director, stampeded the protesting cattle into the swirling stream. The herd milled and turned out for the far shore. The swift current carried most of the heaves and the mounted riders 200 yards downstream before the objective was reached.

These youngsters were selected from contestants representing 28 states in the 4-H congress held with the International Livestock show. The announcement was made as the contestants went into the banquet room in the hotel Sherman where they broke training by eating French pastry.

Harold and Victor were guarded carefully by chaperons, and their addresses kept secret. Rev. F. E. Singleton, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city, and president of the board of home missions of the Central Texas conference of the Methodist church, left today for Raleigh, N. C., where he will represent the Central Texas conference at the fourth annual meeting of the General Missionary council of the Methodist Episcopal church, South. The meeting opens on Dec. 10 to continue through Dec. 12.

Mr. Singleton will be gone from Cisco about 10 days, spending three days with relatives at Gulf Port, Miss., en route. Among the speakers on the program at Raleigh will be Dr. John R. Mott and Hon. Josephus Daniels.

NEW CHARTERS AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Chartered; Bee Line Coaches, Inc., Waco; 2,000 non par value shares; incorporators, Sam H. Day, Michael S. Hunt, H. H. Latimer.

Austin Wholesale Credit Men's association, Austin; without capital stock; incorporators, Fred Adams, Sid B. Smith, Tom Miller. W. S. Water Softener corporation, Amarillo; capital stock \$2,000; incorporators, W. W. McLarty, R. C. Cummins, J. W. Steffens.

Stamp collectors at Corsicana may be under suspicion since a burglar entered an office there and stole nothing except ten two-cent stamps.

BARBER LICENSES. AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Licenses will not be issued by the state barber board until Jan. 1. It was announced Tuesday after a meeting of the board. The printed licenses will not be ready before that time. Duplicate photographs of the barbers now are being received by the board. One is retained and one is stamped with the board seal and will be returned for display with the license.

Thorndale—Installation of talkies in Gem theater completed.

AT PINNACLE OF 4-H CLUB ACHIEVEMENT

By MERTON T. AKERS United Press Staff Correspondent CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—A pretty Florida Miss with a soft drawl and a husky Indiana had stood at the pinnacle of 4-H club achievement today, the healthiest among the 750,000 farm youths enrolled in the organization.

Florence Snook, Lake county, Fla., brunette, long haired and shirtd, is 97.7 per cent perfect and Harold Deatline, Morgan county, Ind., is within 8 of 1 per cent of 100 per cent perfect, a formidable array of Judges decided after much examination and considerable conferring.

Both are 17 years old. Neither is athletic. They were as one in citing the value of at least eight hours sleep at night. Both shun coffee, tea and cigarettes.

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REV. SINGLETON WILL ATTEND MISSION MEET

Urges Care in Shipping Parcels In anticipation of a substantial Christmas business this year, the Railway Express agency has prepared more than a million special holiday package address labels for distribution to express shippers during the next few weeks according to J. B. Farmer, agent.

The purpose is to encourage early shipping and good packing and proper preparation of Christmas gift packages.

The express traffic of the country in Mr. Farmer's opinion, is a good barometer of general business conditions.

"It is significant," he states, "that the traffic is well up to the average of other years."

Proper packing of gifts, with due consideration to the fragile nature of the commodity, is urged by Mr. Farmer who advises that much of the holiday traffic comes from infrequent shippers not always familiar with the essentials of a "good package."

The complete and legible addressing of packages is of vital importance as illeisible or incorrect "marks" often cause delays in transit. Owing to the growth of so many small towns which have become sizeable cities, express people urge that the complete street and number of the receiver of a package be indicated in the address.

Care in writing the names of states, especially when abbreviations are used, is also important. There are dozens of cities and towns of the same name located in different states. If the state is abbreviated in such a way as to suggest the wrong state location, packages may go astray, no matter what care is taken by the transportation people in handling them.

Mr. Farmer announced that a supply of holiday package address labels has arrived at the local express office and are ready for distribution.

A. and M. Directors to Open Land Bids AUSTIN, Dec. 4.—Texas A. & M. directors will meet in Austin sometime in December to open bids on offers for oil leases on 300 acres of land in Cherokee county, it was announced here.

This will be the first oil leases to be awarded by the college. The land is part of the 7,800 acres of forestry research lands recently put in the hands of the college by act of the legislature.

The cake eater de luxe has appeared at Beaumont in a burglar who stole nice fruit cakes at once from a local store.

Immigrant Boy Is New U. S. Senator

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 4.—Patrick J. Sullivan, an awe-struck emigrant boy from Ireland 41 years ago, ex-sieve-dore and sheep herder, today is United States senator from Wyoming, succeeding the late Francis E. Warren, Republican, who died in Washington Nov. 24.

Sullivan was appointed last night by Governor Frank C. Emery after a conference with the Republican state central committee.

Born in County Cork, Ireland, on St. Patrick's day, 1885, the newly appointed senator is a typical son of old Erin and still speaks with a slight brogue. In 1888, when he was 24, Sullivan set out to seek fame and fortune in America, and at 64 has attained the highest office to which a citizen not native born American may aspire.

He was Hoover supporter during the national election. The newly appointed senator will leave for Washington after receiving his commission here Thursday.

STATES THAT IT CERTAINLY WAS BLESSING TO HER

Suffered With Stomach and Kidney Trouble Five Years—Recovering Health Since Taking Orgatone.

"My friends all want to know what made the big improvement in my health and appearance, and I just say, 'Orgatone,'" said Mrs. E. J. Shannon, 608 South Hal-bryan street, Eastland, Texas.

"My trouble began about five years ago," she continued, "and when my stomach got in such a condition that everything I ate would sour on my stomach and cause gas to form and press against my heart making it palpitate, and I was always in dread that something was the matter with my heart. I also had shortness of breath and dizzy spells whenever I would stoop over, and at times when one of those spells would come on I would just reel as if I were about to fall and often I would have to lie down until the attack passed off. I also had pains across the middle of my back and my kidneys bothered me continually.

"I took Orgatone on the advice of a friend, and right away I began to get better. The first thing I noticed was that my appetite returned and that I stopped having trouble after meals. I can now eat anything and I certainly nourishes me, too. My housework had almost gotten to be bigger than I could carry, but Orgatone is making me so well and strong that I can do all my work without any discomfort now. Orgatone put a good deal of good healthy color in my face and I am certainly thankful for this. The constipation is corrected, too, and I sleep soundly every night instead of lying awake for hours as I used to do. My nerves are calm and quiet now and anybody looking at me now would never guess that I was almost a nervous wreck only a few weeks ago. Orgatone certainly proved a blessing to me."

Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Cisco, Texas, at Dean's Drug Store.—Adv.

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DRILL REPORT

Records for date of Dec. 2, 1929, listed as follows: Shappell Oil company No. 6, Upshur county school land, block 27, application to drill 1300 feet. Well record No. 5, TD 1259 feet; estimated 50 barrel well. Throckmorton county.

Big State Oil corporation No. 1 John Mason, sec. 5, William Woodward survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 1300 feet.

F. N. Palm, No. 3 Mrs. Valina Palm, sec. 44, BAL survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 600 feet.

Hart & Gist No. 1 T. A. Deats, sec. 20, blk. 11, T&P Ry. survey, Shackelford county, application to plug. Same company's Clarke & Biggs No. 3, sec. 2, BAL survey, intention to drill 900 feet. No. 2, application to plug, well record and plugging record TD 888 feet.

Union Oil company of Nevada, I. N. Jackson No. 1, sec. 20, ET Ry. survey, Callahan county, application to drill 1150 feet.

Union Oil company of Nevada et al. No. 1 W. Y. & R. A. Davis, sec. 24, blk. 12, T&P Ry. survey, Shackelford county, well record TD 1507 feet.

Moutray Oil company Claude A. Flores No. 7, sec. 149, BBB&C Ry. survey, Callahan county, application to drill 800 feet.

Jack L. Harmon No. 1 D. M. Proctor, sec. 167 ET Ry. survey, Shackelford county, application to plug, well record and plugging record TD 1652 feet.

Putnam Oil company No. 31 J. T. Cockrell, sec. 6, LAL survey, Shackelford county, well record and plugging record TD 406 feet.

Records for date of Dec. 3rd, 1929, listed as follows: Union Oil & Mining Co., No. 47 L. C. Huskey, Sec. 548 TEL survey, Shackelford county. Application to drill 500 feet.

Mary Bros. & Perini, W. Y. & R. A. Davis, No. 2 Sec. 15 Blk. 12 T&P Ry. survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 1600 feet.

Culbertson Bros., Robert Henney No. 1, section 86, Blk. 13, T&P Ry. survey, Shackelford county well record, TD 1724 feet.

Carter Dev. Co. No. 1, J. H. Nail, section 66 ET Ry. survey, Shackelford county, application to plug, well record and plugging record TD 1315 feet. Application to drill on section 52, No. 2, 1,200 feet.

Merrick & Lamb, No. B-5 J. B. Matthews, Sec. 32, ET Ry. survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 1250 feet. (Dull-Earle lease)

Gorge Mollenkopf, Nos. 1 and 2, J. T. Odell, section 696 TEL survey, Throckmorton county, application to drill 430 feet and 600 feet respectively.

Smith Archer Oil Co., No. 1 A. T. Martin, section 509 TEL survey, Throckmorton county, application to plug.

C. L. McCleary, Ace Hickman, No.

1 section 1 I. & G. N. Ry. survey, Callahan county, application to drill 600 feet.

Sherwood B. Owens, No. 1 Morris & Bule (Proctor ranch), section 170 ET Ry survey, Shackelford county, well record and plugging record TD 1,697 feet.

Geo. Callihan et al., No. 1 A. A. Clarke, section 2, BAL survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 1,100 feet.

W. L. Jackson et al., No. 1 P. T. A. Jones, W. G. Anderson survey, Callahan county, application to drill 500 feet.

Coombs & Rogers, No. 1 C. Compton, section 49 and 50 BAL survey, Shackelford county, application to drill 300 feet.

Geo. Mollenkopf No. 2 J. E. Hughes, section 602 TEL survey, Throckmorton county, well record TD 348 feet, estimated production 20 barrels oil.

W. B. Flynn, No. 21, L. J. Kelley, section 2289 TEL survey, Callahan county, plugging record TD 440 feet.

Records for date of Dec. 4, 1929, listed as follows: Roeser & Pendleton, C-1-60, W. I. Cook, sec. 60, ET Ry. survey, Shackelford county, plugging record TD 1340 feet.

Ashe Syndicate No. 2, No. 1 M. I. Hart, sec. 22, blk. 3, T P Ry. survey, Stephens county, well record and plugging record TD 800 feet.

Ewmo Oil corporation A. Beasley No. 7, sec. 25, D&DA survey, Callahan county, application to plug. NLB Davis et al. No. 4, sec. 801 TEL survey, Throckmorton county, well record and plugging record TD 370 feet.

Shappell Oil company No. 7 Upshur county school land, Throckmorton county, sec. 27, application to drill 700 feet.

Cranfill & Reynolds No. 1 N. G. Barrett, sec. 199, blk. 1 BBB&C Ry. survey, Fisher county, well record TD 3116 feet, 128 barrel well.

Continental Oil company S. J. Walker Nos. 7 & 8 sec. 907 TEL survey, Throckmorton county, application to drill 350 feet. Nos. 4 & 6 same lease well records estimated production 10 barrels at TD 355 and 337 respectively.

Dalhart—D. R. Childers to erect building for housing of new farm implement business.

FORD & GREEN MUSIC CO.

FOR TWO WEEKS, FROM NOV. 1ST TO JAN. 1ST, INclusive, we will allow you ten cents credit for every Victor Record you bring to our store. We will accept all your old Victor Records, regardless of age, size or type. We will give you new Victor Records—any selection you choose—in exchange for your old ones. With your old records, therefore, you can build up a credit with us that will pay for a new selection of Victor Records of your choice, without the expenditure of a penny on your part.

THE ONLY CONDITIONS ARE THESE: 1. All records returned must be Victor Records. 2. All records must be unbroken. 3. All records must be defaced by a large X scratched across the label.

THAT'S ALL! Come in! Bring in your old records! Choose your favorite new ones from our huge stock, and take home FREE a new stock of 10 Great Victor music for your Victrola or Victor Radio-Electrola.

Advertisement for '4 Devils' movie at the Palace. Features Janet Gaynor in the first talking picture. Includes the text 'Watch the "4 Devils"! Follow the "4 Devils"! HEAR the "4 Devils" in their sensational Fox Movietone talking picture.' and 'Also: "THE COLLEGIANS"'

Advertisement for 'The Virginian' movie. Features Gary Cooper and Mary Brian. Includes the text 'See and Hear! Spectacular scenes vivid with outdoor sound. The greatest outdoor sensation ever.' and 'Immortalized in Owen Wister's history-making book, the glamorous, swaggering, cattle-range days of the pioneer West LIVE again for you. You HEAR, as well as SEE, the great human love story. Like "The Covered Wagon" in sound.'

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