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Phillips Plant at Okmulgee Blows Up

OKMULGEE, Okla., Dec. 1 (AP)—Hundreds of residents near the blazing Phillips Petroleum Co. refinery were warned today to evacuate their homes as flames feared a giant gasoline tank might explode and hurl steel and fire over a wide area.

At least one man was killed and 15 others burned as explosions ripped through the gasoline department at the plant.

Residents for six blocks south and west of the refinery were asked to leave their homes and a movement out of the area began. Streets into the district were blocked and travel over U. S. Highway 75 was detoured.

An intense heat radiated from the blazing plant. At Wilson school, ten blocks away, children playing outside before classes began were taken into the building to escape the heat.

The explosion occurred about 9 a. m., and firemen reported that it still menaced one of the largest storage tanks at the plant and that they were battling to prevent it from detonating.

Two ambulance attendants, Leonard Davis and Carney Wise, went to the scene to work to rescue injured men.

The dead man was identified as James Hawk, a yardman whose charred body was found near the edge of the fire.

Those injured included: Elmer Decolbert, C. J. Steigler, John Rogers, Louis Pope, George Van Stratton, John Ferguson, Jim West, Wendell (Babe) Hurst, W. O. Doster, Orvid Collins, Fred Sehrandt, F. H. Kirk, Ed Cleveland, Cleveland Ferguson, Kirk, Steigler and Decolbert were reported in a critical condition of burns.

The blast shook the downtown district a mile away. Flames shot a hundred or more feet into the air as fire roared up after the blast, all but one telephone line into the plant was out.

Rescue workers feared that other employees may have been trapped and burned to death in the raging tangle of steel and fuel.

Panhandle Power Plant Gets High Priority Rating

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 (AP)—Defense petroleum coordinator Ikeks announced today top priority rating has been obtained for five more plants which will manufacture 100-octane gasoline or some of its components.

Ikeks said the new ratings brought to 25 the number of such plants under construction or soon to be completed. He said that in addition to the five plants, high priority ratings had been obtained for materials for construction of facilities for the manufacture of aviation and other special lubricating oils.

Ikeks said it would take from 10 to 14 months to finish the new plants. The five new ones include: The Warren Petroleum company, Tulsa, Okla.—isobutane; Talylic cracking plant; the Gulf Oil Corporation, Fort Arthur, Texas—100-octane; the Sinclair Refining company, Houston, Texas, aviation lubes.

High priority rating also was obtained for material for a plant for the Panhandle Power and Light company, Borger, Texas, for a boiler plant to supply power to a new 100-octane plant.

Hint For Hitch-Hikers SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 1 (AP)—County commissioners had to put a lock on a new pedestrian-controlled traffic semaphore.

Temperatures In Pampa

Table with 2 columns: Time and Temperature. Includes Sunday maximum and minimum.

Nazis Retreat; Japan Prefers To Continue Talks

Coinciding with Russian reports of the greatest German reversals since Adolf Hitler put "blitzkrieg" into the world's vocabulary, Japan voiced a preference today for further negotiations with the United States for peace in the Pacific in place of war.

Domel, authoritative Japanese news agency, said that the cabinet, weighing the issues at hand in the gravest crisis of long-troubled Japanese-United States relations, had decided to continue negotiations despite great differences in the viewpoints of the two governments.

This was the tentative decision on a United States formula for peace re-stating basic Washington principles which ran counter to virtually every aspect of Japan's expansionist program.

Whether the Japanese decision was a step toward a final settlement which conceivably might take Tokyo out of the Axis camp or a mere extemporizing in the hope of a more propitious day for hard talk with the United States remained to be seen.

Domel said the cabinet made its decision after a special session in which Foreign Minister Shigenori Togo outlined the course of the talks which have been under way for months in Washington, capped only last week by Secretary of State Hull's delivery of the settlement formula.

Togo's statement, Domel said, made it clear that there was a "great difference in views between Japan and America." Nevertheless, Japan chose to keep on talking instead of fighting.

"Japan probably will redouble efforts to make the United States reconsider Pacific problems by continuing negotiations," it is understood, as Domel put it. The special session lasted an hour and a quarter.

It was likely that the Japanese stand, embodied in a new, conciliatory approach, would be presented in Washington conference today when President Roosevelt himself is scheduled to meet with the negotiators.

What bearing the new turns in the Russian-German war had on the decision in Tokyo could not, of course, be precisely ascertained, but past Japanese action in the Far East has been so consistently tied up with major developments in the European war that today's step, it seemed, could not be mere coincidence.

The Japanese government had in the back of its mind, at least Russia's recapture of Rostov, with the routing of the German invasion at that point apparently ending all Nazi hope of an immediate campaign into the Caucasus. In addition, there were the Russian reports of another great counter-offensive which has blunted the German spearheads piercing toward Moscow.

The Moscow radio, quoting Pravda, reported that a second counter-drive by southern Red forces threatened to cut off the Germans west of Rostov with a prospective thrust to the Sea of Azov at their rear.

As if to escape the new threat, the Russian reports indicated the Germans were abandoning Taganrog, 40 miles west of Rostov, in favor of Mariupol, another 60 miles to the west.

The Germans themselves, inexperienced in explaining a retreat,

Jap Envoys Talk An Hour With Hull

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 (AP)—Negotiations on the delicate far eastern situation were resumed today by Secretary of State Hull and the Japanese ambassadors, after which the secretary hurried across the street to the White House to report to President Roosevelt, who had cut short a southern holiday.

The President and Hull conferred themselves in Mr. Roosevelt's oval study immediately after the secretary concluded his talk with the Japanese, which concerned only subordinate phases of the Pacific situation. The envoys brought no reply to the document in which the United States last week delineated its position.

Mr. Roosevelt called Harry L. Hopkins, lend lease supervisor who has been inactive because of illness, for luncheon but made no other engagements for the day.

Ambassador Kichisaburo Nomura looked grave when he and the special envoy, Saburo Kurusu, emerged from Hull's office. When a reporter asked him whether there still was a wide gap between the American and Japanese positions, he replied:

"I believe there must be wise statesmanship to save the situation."

Kurusu, when asked whether he and Nomura planned to see Hull again, said:

"Yes, we are instructed to that effect by our government."

While the Japanese and Hull were conferring, President Roosevelt returned to the capital from Warm Springs, Ga., having cut short a related Thanksgiving holiday to be on hand for developments in the far eastern crisis. He arranged to see Hull soon after the Japanese left the state department.

Kurusu said in response to questions that he and Nomura had merely gone over again various angles of their previous talks with Hull.

Later, state department officials said that the Japanese reply to the document Hull handed them last week had not yet arrived but is expected soon. "In the meantime, these officials said, Hull and the Japanese today discussed some subordinate phases of the matter pending. They added that no further discussion has been arranged so far.

Kurusu told newspapermen that he and Nomura brought no final answer to the document handed them last Wednesday by Hull restating and clarifying the United States attitude toward far eastern questions.

When asked about Premier Hideki Tojo's reported statement that east Asia must be "purged" of British and American exploitation, Kurusu said he thought Tojo had been "badly misquoted" in news dispatches.

"We are asking Tokyo for a full text of the speech," he added. Kurusu did not detail the particulars in which he thought Tojo had been misquoted.

To questions bearing on reported Japanese preparations to invade Thailand, Kurusu replied non-

Lights To Be Turned On At Carol Sing

Pampa Jaycees assisted by firemen, put up Christmas "greenery" around electric light posts on downtown Pampa streets, and jumpy roping and Christmas lights were strung yesterday in preparation for the annual visit of Santa Claus.

In order to coincide with the Christmas carol singing program, arranged for Wednesday night, the turning on of the Christmas lights, has been postponed from tonight, as originally planned, until Wednesday night.

The capella choir, directed by Miss Helen Martin, the junior high band, and the public will join in the singing of carols.

An important meeting of Santa Day chairman and committee members, and Jaycee directors, has been called for 7 o'clock tonight in the BCD committee room at the city hall, by Charles Lamka, Santa Day chairman.

Among business to be transacted is to decide exactly how and where candy for the children will be distributed on Santa Day, Saturday, December 6.

Chairman Lamka said the details of school participation in the special day would be worked out following a meeting of school principals to be held tomorrow.

Instead of distributing candy after the parade, as has been done in the past, the candy will be put out at 10 a. m. preceding the parade which is to be held at 4:30 that afternoon.

Route of the parade was given today by Jimmie Dodge, parade committee chairman.

The parade will assemble at 3:30 p. m. at the junior high school gymnasium, move promptly south on Cuyler to Atchison, thence west on Atchison to Frost, south on Frost to Tyn, east on Tyn to Cuyler, and then south to Brown.

Workers at the Craftshop will repair the broken toys and have them ready for the Christmas tree to be held the week before Christmas. That leaves only three weeks for the collection and repairing of hundreds of toys needed for the less fortunate children of Pampa.

Broken mechanical toys are being repaired by Robert Carter's shop class at Junior high school.

A minimum of 500 toys, for both boys and girls, will be required to give every needy child in Pampa a gift this Christmas and less than 100 toys have been received at the Craftshop.

Persons having old toys that can be repaired are asked to take them to the Craftshop immediately. New toys will also be accepted.

Floggers Refused Pardon By Talmadge

ATLANTA, Dec. 1 (AP)—Governor Eugene Talmadge today refused to pardon or parole six convicted floggers who were identified at their trials as members of the Ku Klux Klan.

The governor's action followed a sensational hearing last week at which the six white men's plea for clemency was opposed by a large number of Atlanta ministers and other persons.

The convicted floggers had carried on a reign of terror in suburban Atlanta for several years, according to assistant solicitor General Dan Duke.

The men are Dan Edison, Walter Forster, W. T. Walton, Raymond Bryant, George Cameron and Henry Caverton.

The state prison and parole board had previously declined to recommend clemency.

Drys Hold Lead In Limestone Election

MEXIA, Dec. 1 (AP)—Drys held a lead of 28 votes today with five small rural boxes still unreported in Saturday's election to decide whether the sale of beer shall be prohibited in Limestone county.

U. S. Forces In Philippines In Readiness

MANILA, Dec. 1 (AP)—United States Army and naval forces in the Philippines were held in readiness for any emergency today as war fears in the Far East were fed by the arrival of fresh British reinforcements in Burma, intense military preparations in Thailand and reports that the Japanese were pouring additional troops into neighboring French Indo-China.

Belief grew here that the Japanese might strike at any moment at Thailand in an effort to cut the Burma road supplying China, whose defenses soon will be strengthened by an all-American air unit composed of American-made planes flown under the Chinese flag.

Both the Japanese press and radio declared yesterday that establishment of such a patrol would be "an example of the most provocative armed aggression."

The serious view of the situation taken by United States officials in the Philippines was reflected in orders cancelling all leaves from Corregidor, island fortress guarding Manila Bay, and enforcing nightly blackouts at the naval bases of Cavite and Olongapo. Many officers on leave were reported recalled to duty.

In Shanghai, the United States consulate again advised American citizens to go home as speedily as possible. Americans in Thailand also were warned to be ready to leave.

In Hongkong, all British troops were called back to barracks, navy men were ordered to stand by and the military command announced that the crown colony was "in an advanced state of preparedness" following a three-day defense test.

(A Reuters dispatch from Singapore said a state of emergency had been proclaimed there and that volunteers in the Singapore naval reserve an dthe Malay volunteer air force had been mobilized.)

A large contingent of seasoned British and Indian troops—many veterans of fighting in other theaters of war—landed in Rangoon, Burma, during the week-end and were taking up positions along the 1,700-mile front which Britain is building up through the jungles and mountains of Malaya and Burma.

(The London radio also said that more British warships had been sent to the Far East.)

Simultaneously Alfred Duff Cooper, British Far East coordinator, and General Sir Thomas Blamey, Australian deputy commander-in-chief in the Middle East, arrived in Singapore from Australia. Sir Thomas was expected to leave for the Middle East in three of four days.

In Canberra, the Australian cabinet was summoned to a special session today to discuss the Far Eastern situation.

(News of the swift British military preparations in the Far East coincided with an official announcement in New Delhi, India, that the Indian army was rapidly approaching a strength of 1,000,000 fighting men.)

The Bangkok radio continued to broadcast a stream of warnings to the Thailand population to be ready for any emergency as reports from many sources told of growing Japanese naval activity in the waters off Indo-China.

ISAW... R. G. Caudier, Tolens Davis and Helen Dudley back from Texas University for the holidays and it was their unanimous opinion that Texas' football slump was due to too much football. They denied that inter-team, airite, jealousy, fraternity fights or anything else was responsible.

20 SHOPPING DAYS to Christmas Also GIVE U.S. Defense Savings BONDS and STAMPS



THE CHINESE DRAGON'S TAIL—Spectacular airshow shows China's Burma Road, tail of the dragon still untwisted by invading Japanese. Arrow points to truck negotiating hazardous turn.



# Age To Be Announced Here December 23

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Lois Hinton and Harry J. Hughes of Corpus Christi was made Sunday afternoon at a tea given in the home of Mrs. James B. Massa, 1110 Christine street.

The wedding is to be solemnized in the First Methodist church on December 23, the fifty-second anniversary of Miss Hinton's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hinton, of McLean.

Receiving the guests at the tea were Mrs. Massa, Miss Hinton, and Mrs. W. L. Hinton of McLean, aunt of the honoree.

Decorating the rooms were varicolored chrysanthemums. In the dining room the table was centered with a satin covered wedding ring set with white pompon chrysanthemums. Forming the base of the ring were white, pink and yellow chrysanthemums arranged on a reflector. Repeating the honoree's chosen colors of white and autumn shades, an arrangement of barberry and handens flanked with white, gold, and copper tapers decorated the buffet. Names of the betrothed couple and the date of the wedding were revealed on autumn leaves to which yellow pompon chrysanthemums were attached.

Mrs. Robert Seeds, who poured tea, was assisted by Mrs. Kermit Lawson and Mrs. Lester Aldrich. Other members of the house party were Misses Helen Houston, Mary Foster, of McLean, Sarah Ellen Foster, of Borger, and Eula Fay Foster. Miss Alice Gordon presided at the guest book. During the afternoon Misses Mary and Sarah Ellen Foster sang "At Dawning."

The guest list included Mrs. Walter Foster, Bob McCoy, Roy L. Coston, Claud Hinton of McLean, E. F. Gordon, Edward Hughes of Panhandle, Fred Gordon of Miami, John M. Nutting, Wheeler Foster of McLean, Willie Boyett of McLean, D. C. Hartman, Jeff Bearden, W. B. Weathered, Raymond Harbin, Kenneth Hartman, Fred Thompson, Arthur M. Teed, Robert Curry, W. G. Gaskins, James L. Myers, E. E. Shelhamer, Volney Day, Robert M. Klinger, Bill Anderson, Roy L. Kay, R. P. Kulan, Charles Vaughn, Wilmer Waggoner of Skellytown, Henry Parker, Oscar Hinger, Frank Hill, Troy Hinton of Kingsmill, W. L. Cockerill, and C. T. Hunkapillar of Portland, Oregon.

Misses Parale Pickett, Evelyn Stecker, Frankie Shugart, Betty Jo Townsend, Dorothy Jo Taylor, Ernestine Francis, Kathryn LaMaster, Winifred Wiseman, Louise Smith of Amarillo, Minnie Olive Montgomery, Margaret Stockstill and Johnnie Davis.

Miss Hinton, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hinton of Poydras, was graduated from McLean High school and Lipscomb Business college at Plainview. The bride-elect has made her home in Pampa since 1936 and is employed by Bob McCoy. She is a member of Upsilon chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority of which she was one of the first pledges. Also Miss Hinton has taken part in numerous musical activities.

Mr. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hughes of Searcy, Arkansas, is a former Pampa. He is employed by Columbia Carbon company at Corpus Christi.



MISS JEAN GIBSON, DAUGHTER OF MR. and Mrs. Homer Gibson of Borger, got the thrill of a coed's lifetime recently when she was selected "Miss Arkansas" of the University of Arkansas and reigned over the Arkansas-Texas A. & M. football game at Little Rock.

## Former Pampa Reigns Over Game As "Miss Arkansas University"

Pretty Miss Jean Gibson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gibson of Borger, got the thrill of a coed's lifetime recently when she was selected "Miss Arkansas" of the University of Arkansas and reigned over the Arkansas-Texas A. & M. football game at Little Rock.

This is Jean's first year at the University and her father, who is superintendent of the Panhandle and Carson plants of the Phillips Company, and her mother were on hand to see the governor of Arkansas present their daughter with a big floral bouquet.

Graduated from Pampa High school in 1939, Jean belonged to the National Honor Society, the Coterie, social club, and in the two years she attended Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha, belonged to the Em-H social club, was consistent honor roll student and was her class model.

Jean is majoring in commerce.

## Home Progress Club Has Annual Guest Party In Locke Home

MIAMI, Dec. 1.—The annual guest party was given by the Home Progress club Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. T. Locke, with Mrs. C. W. Bowers, C. C. Carr, Ross Cowan, R. B. Dial, Harvey Landrum, Roy Mathers, E. C. Meador, and W. F. Holland, assisting hostesses. Each member invited one guest.

The president, Mrs. W. L. Russell, called for roll-call after which she introduced Mrs. Paul Bowers as the guest speaker. Mrs. Bowers reviewed the book, "There's One In Every Family," by Francis Eisenberg.

The hostesses served a dessert course to Mrs. J. E. Kinney, J. K. McKenzie, Van Webb, W. F. Locke, E. Lee Stanford, W. L. Russell, A. L. Muncy, J. B. Saul, M. W. O'Loughlin, C. S. Seiber, Glynn Dodson, E. Sides, D. I. Barnett, Ivey Pursley, Agatha Locke, W. W. Davis, Thos. Jenkins, C. Carmichael, Lee Newman, C. P. Pursley, and Sheb McLaughlin of McLean.

## Miami WMS Begins Week Of Prayer Observance Today

MIAMI, Dec. 1.—Week of Prayer for foreign missions will be observed by women of the Baptist W.M.S. here, beginning today and continuing through Friday.

Today the women convened at the church at 11 o'clock when the book, "These Things Remain," was reviewed by Mrs. W. F. Locke. This book, written by Ella B. Robertson, is to be given as a prelude to the program planned for the week.

After luncheon the regular program for Monday was presented. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the women will meet at 3 o'clock for one hour of discussion and prayer. Friday which is the Day of Prayer around the world will be planned later.

Approximately 600,000,000 pounds of food and feed, valued at \$36,000,000, were produced last year by the prepared feed and meat packing industries, according to the Census.

## Homemaking Club Honors Mothers At Tea In Lefors

LEFORS, Dec. 1.—A Mother-Daughter tea was given in honor of the Mothers of the Homemaking Club Girls of Lefors with the sponsorship of the third-year girls.

Pauline Upham, hostess, led the guests to the Homemaking department. Betty Webb received the guests at the door.

Refreshments of punch and sandwiches were served to the guests and club members.

Betty Mae Vanlandingham presided at the punch bowl.

## HOUSE PAINT SALE

First Quality Paint and Stain  
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## Shower Given As Courtesy To Mrs. King Recently

Mrs. E. C. King, Jr., was guest of honor at a layette shower given by Mrs. E. E. Morse recently.

After the gifts were opened, pink and white ice cream, cookies, and favors were served by the hostess.

Attending were Mrs. T. A. Goldsmith, J. P. Stephens, Bob Brown, Henry Baxter, George Higgins, Carrigan, J. P. Tiffany, W. K. Hawkins, J. E. Fish, Aubrey, Ruby Say, T. E. Braas, O. M. Winget, Mrs. Brown, Clyde King, Adell Swafford, Jasper Stokes, Bill Bell, A. M. Nash, C. E. Flemmings, A. D. Baker, P. Y. Long, Norman Clemmons, A. B. Wade, M. L. Bergert, and J. M. Winget.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. Florence Rife, Frank Barton, E. A. Simmons, Sam B. Wade, E. W. Hoover, W. H. Glenn, Jimmie Gay, Vernon Thomas, Mitchell Hill, Addie Graham, Shevaker, C. Jones, LeRoy Moore, Emma Alsup of Canton, Alabama; Jasper Sargent of Corpus Christi, and Walt Roper of Gadsden, Alabama.

## Five New Members Welcomed By County Wide 4-H Club Group

Girls of County-Wide 4-H club met Saturday afternoon in the office of Mrs. Julia E. Kelley, county home demonstration agent, when five new members, Norma Faye Parks, Betty Parks, Mary Alice Hummel, Loyese York, and Virginia Fay York, were present.

The president, who was elected at the last meeting of the group, is Martha Wright. Additional officers elected at that time are Loyese York, vice-president; Jean Smith, secretary-treasurer; Dollie Jean Chambliss, Dena Lee Powell, Eva Lou Cox, and Virginia Fay York, social committee; Mary Alice Kummel, reporter; and Betty Parks, assistant reporter.

Plans were made for a Christmas party at the next meeting which is to be held Dec. 20 at 2 o'clock.

Songs were sung and at the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Kelley showed the girls how to make checker boards and waste baskets.

Attending were Norma Faye Parks, Betty Parks, Mary Alice Kummel, Loyese York, Virginia Fay York, Jean Chambliss, Martha Sue Wright, Jean Smith, Fay Kitchens, and Mrs. Julia E. Kelley.

## Mrs. Swink Named Honoree At Shower By Four Hostesses

Complimenting Mrs. Joe Swink, Jr., who was Miss Wanda Downs before her marriage, a miscellaneous shower was given Friday night at the home of Mrs. Harvey Downson, with Mrs. Day White, Roy Downson, and Miss Pauline Bednorz as co-hostesses.

Arrangements of chrysanthemums, roses, and dahlias decorated the rooms.

After games were conducted, gifts were presented to the honoree.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Rupert Orr, W. E. James, R. E. Hamm, Agnes Morris, Geneva Briscoe, Howard Giles, Angus Oswald, Mary Wilson, Hattie Hindman, W. M. McWright, R. E. Arcey, George Casey, Sr., A. B. Cross, Dayton White, H. M. Cone, Roy Barnard, T. J. Green, Tracey Cary, C. L. Stephens, Hugh Ellis, Roy Downson, Harry Downs; Misses Louise Almond, Polly Oswald, Fern Simmons, Barbara Matthews, Evelyn Barbes, Kathryn Robinson, Edna Nordstrom, Pauline Bednorz, and Mildred Bowman.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. J. B. Boss, Gladys Adkins, Moe Johnson, Sam Turner, Bob Cecil, Bill Phillips, Babe Robinson, John McFall, Mary Kathryn Dyson, Bob Dyson, Dorothy Peacock, May Freeman, Pete Sumner, and Elwood White.

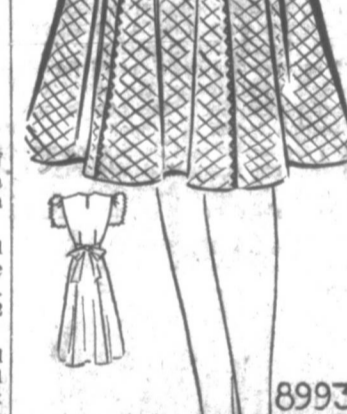
## Baptist WMS To Have Lunch And Program Wednesday

Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church will have a general meeting at the church on Wednesday.

A meeting of the executive board at 12:30 o'clock will precede the luncheon to be served at 1 o'clock. A program will be presented at 2 o'clock.

Today, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday members of the society will meet at the church at 2 o'clock for observance of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer.

## Housework Will Never Seem Dull When You Are Dressed For It In This Perky, Gracefully Fitted Frock!



Housework will never seem dull when you are dressed for it in this perky, gracefully fitted frock! The panel, section down the front achieves a streamline smoothness which entirely overcomes the bumps and curves of an overweight figure. The front holds a flat line because of the side sashes which tie in back; the gathers below the bodice allow ample ease. Here is an attractive neckline, too, and sleeves which are outlined with the ric-rac braid with which this frock is so pleasantly trimmed.

Pattern No. 8993 is designed for sizes 12 to 20, and 40. Size 14 takes 3 1/2 yards 58-inch material without nap. 5/8 yards ric-rac.

For this attractive pattern, send 15c in coin, your name, address, pattern number, and size, to The Pampa News Today's Pattern Service, 211 W. Wacker Drive, Chicago, Ill.

For other excellent styles for school wardrobes see our Fashion Book, a complete review of patterns for winter. Order your copy today. Pattern No. Pattern Book, 15c; One Pattern and Pattern Book, ordered together, 25c.



"The vision of her child's life keyed to the drums of war."

## Women Won't Like Dictum: 'Have Children To Win War'

By RUTH MILLET

"If we don't keep the population up, we may win this war—and lose the next one," is the argument of Dr. Carl Zimmerman, of Harvard, who thinks it is the duty of every married couple in this country to have at least four children.

Dr. Zimmerman is a sociologist, but it seems evident from his argument that he is not even an amateur psychologist.

For Dr. Zimmerman's reasoning won't appeal to American women. German women can be sold on the idea, that it is their duty to have children so that there will be sons to fight for the protection and glory of the fatherland, and daughters to raise more sons.

But American women aren't that military-minded.

The very thought that their future children might have to face the same uncertain world that confronts young folks today is enough to make a woman with any motherly instincts at all wonder if she should bring children into the world. The vision of her child's life keyed to the drums of war certainly won't convince her that she should.

No, Dr. Zimmerman, you can't interest American women in having children so that America will be sure to win the next war.

The reasons for having children that appeal to women are much more personal. If they have four or five children, they want to experience a large family, because they can give those children a better world than the one they are inheriting. They want to see their children grow up and contribute to the defense of their country. But war in itself isn't a thing to make any woman fanatical.

## Engagement Of Miss Sue Dodson And W. R. Jenkins Announced In Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dodson of Amarillo, formerly of Pampa, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Sue Dodson, to W. R. Jenkins of Wichita Falls. The wedding will take place on Saturday, Dec. 27.

The bride-elect's parents held open house for her at their home, 1614 Van Buren street Sunday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Dodson, Mrs. J. B. Jenkins of Wichita Falls, Miss Dodson, Mrs. R. L. Vineyard, Miss Byron Dodson, Mrs. Preston O'Neal of Ada, Okla., sister of the bride, Mrs. M. C. Wright, R. E. Arcey, George Casey, Sr., A. B. Cross, Dayton White, H. M. Cone, Roy Barnard, T. J. Green, Tracey Cary, C. L. Stephens, Hugh Ellis, Roy Downson, Harry Downs; Misses Louise Almond, Polly Oswald, Fern Simmons, Barbara Matthews, Evelyn Barbes, Kathryn Robinson, Edna Nordstrom, Pauline Bednorz, and Mildred Bowman.

Decorations featured shades of rose, ranging from pink to wine.

Mrs. Tomi Rose of Pampa and Mrs. R. C. Johnson poured.

Others in the house party were: Mesdames S. G. Surratt of Pampa, Robert Wilson, George Tiffany of Pampa, Henry Houser, and Misses Inebell Boxwell, Jane Loring, Jane Manning and Mary Jane Potter.

## The Social Calendar

Pampa Nurses club will have its December social meeting at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. L. Leech, 1428 Christine street.

**TUESDAY**  
Eurelian class of First Baptist church will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. L. Leech, 1428 Christine street.  
Eagles class of Central Baptist church will meet at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. B. L. Sanders, 612 LeFors street.  
W. R. Jenkins Home Demonstration club will meet in the home of Mrs. E. L. Leech at 9:30 o'clock.  
A. A. U. W. will meet at 4 o'clock in room 217 of the Masonic hall.  
Mrs. W. R. Ewing will be hostess to Amuse Bridge club at Mrs. Henry Thut's home, 412 West Francis avenue, at 2:30 o'clock.  
Afternoon Bridge club will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. F. E. Leech.  
F. E. Leech club will meet in the home of Miss Betty Jo Townsend when new members will be elected.  
Nasarene Woman's Missionary society will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the church.  
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## District Deputy Makes Official Visit At O. E. S.

Special To The NEWS  
WHITE DEER, Dec. 1.—Mrs. Nell Christian of Claude, district deputy visit of the O.E.S., made her official visit to the White Deer chapter last week.

Grand officers present were Mrs. Lillian Bernhard of Lubbock, associate grand conductress, and Mrs. Ethel Simmons of White Deer, grand representative of Ohio. A large number of visitors from Claude and Pampa also attended.

A covered dish luncheon was served before the chapter opened.

## HELPS FOR HOUSEWIVES

Bowls or vases of flowers sometime leave white stains and rings on polished furniture. To remove them rub quickly with alcohol applied on a soft cloth, wipe dry with another clean soft cloth and then apply a good furniture polish on a cloth to restore the finish.

Put an extra layer of waxed paper in the pan used for baking gingerbread or molasses cake. Molasses has a way of burning easily so the extra waxed paper is a protection.

Chopped salted peanuts blended with pineapple conserve, raisin jam or orange marmalade make a delicious filling for whole wheat bread sandwiches that go in the school lunch boxes.

Cranberry jelly cubes piled up on slices of grapefruit perched on crisp lettuce, make a luscious salad just right to serve with fowl, fish, or meat.

Sliced Brazil nuts or cashews give a nutty topping to escalloped dishes, such as corn, potatoes, tomatoes, celery, potatoes, or fish.

Six whole cloves and a crushed bay leaf added with the other seasonings to a cooking pot roast give a new flavor.

With simple precautions, enameled wear will last a long time and give efficient service.

## Musical Program Presented At P-TA

Special To The NEWS  
LEFORS, Dec. 1.—Lefors P-TA had its regular meeting in the school auditorium with Mrs. George Tyson, president, in charge of the business meeting.

The program was presented by part of the primary department and the school orchestra. Three Thanksgiving songs were sung by a group of second grade pupils conducted by Miss Goldie Potts and the orchestra played four numbers, "Jolly Cooperation," "Giriberry," a string number, "Tea for Two" and "Down on the Farm."

Following these musical numbers, Mrs. Tyson gave a report of the P-TA activities in Austin, which she attended last month.

## Nurses Will Have December Social Meeting Tonight

Pampa Nurses club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. L. Layne, 1228 Christine street.

The December social of the group will be held at that time.

To make everyday vegetables more interesting, serve with a light cheese sauce to which grated Brazil nuts have been added.

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and Apple Salad...  
cranberries...  
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raspberry jello...  
wash cranberries, core...  
grind through food...  
Add sugar and allow to...  
3 or 4 hours...  
solve raspberry jello in 1/2 c. of...  
and add to mixture. Chop...  
and celery before mixing to...  
ingredients. Allow to stand...  
firm, cut and serve on lettuce...  
top with salad dressing.

**Cranberry Ham Slices**  
cups cranberries...  
c. strained honey...  
slices ham (1/2 to 1 inch thick)...  
T. whole cloves...  
six cranberries and honey, but...  
dices off ham and put in boiling...  
dish and cover with cranberry...  
and...  
sherry mixture. Stick whole...  
res around edge of ham slices...  
in moderate oven (350° heat)...  
until tender, about 1 1/2 hours...  
occasionally with liquid in...

## Mrs. Reeves Gives Convention Report At Fine Arts Club

Special To The NEWS  
LEFORS, December 1.—Mrs. F. Reeves, club delegate to the convention of Texas Federation Women's clubs in Dallas, gave report on the highlights of the convention at the regular meeting of the LeFors Fine Arts club in her home when Miss Ione Gill was co-hostess.

Mrs. Reeves divided her report to four divisions: statistics of the convention, reports, entertainments and addresses, giving many points of interest for the club members.

The program for the evening was "The Art of Everyday Living" by Mrs. John Rankin. Members of a swirled roll call with "One thing admired in personality."

Mrs. Rankin gave a talk on "May Hospitality and Friendship An Art." Guest for the evening was Rex Reeves who spoke on "Building a Satisfying Philosophy of Life."

The club president appointed Mrs. Ima Scott as club motion picture chairman. Plans were made for Christmas party to be given on December 15.

Refreshments were served. Mrs. Joe Champion, Charles E. Hart, Merrill Ellis, J. D. Foxburg, E. Frost, A. J. Hill, Elvris Mrs. John Rankin, R. V. Reed, F. Reeves, and Misses Lurline Bonipian, Ruth Darnall, Ione Gill, Mae Hastings, Kathleen Haferne Holland, Myrtle Lilly, Mildred Matteson, Goldie Potts, Irma Scott, Maldee Thompson, and Arzel Williams.

## Mrs. Todd Hostess To A-Muse-U Club

Special To The NEWS  
CANADAY, Dec. 1.—Mrs. W. Todd was hostess Friday afternoon to the A-Muse-U club. Forty-two was the pastime for the afternoon.

An attractive supper plate was served to the following:

Mrs. R. H. Stone, Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. John Isaacs, Mrs. S. Isaacs, Mrs. Geo. L. Bader, Mrs. H. Snyder, Mrs. Charles Teas, J. Oscar Studer, Mrs. J. B. Lind, Mrs. H. S. Wilbur, Mrs. D. A. V. Mrs. A. B. Curtice, and the hostess.

The Christmas meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. H. S. Wilbur.

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### Today's War Analysis

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Wide World War Analyst

Japan's decision to continue negotiations with the United States came as the breath of war was blowing hot upon the Pacific, but it isn't surprising since it bears out the indications that Tokyo is anxious to evade conflict with America.

This decision was impelled by necessity. It may even be that it is calculated to give the Japanese more time to try to make up their minds who is going to win the European war.

One of Japan's greatest problems has been to guess the outcome of the conflict correctly. If she crosses swords with America and Britain, and Germany loses, it will be just as bad for the Land of the Rising Sun. It might be just too bad anyway, but that is a hazard of another sort.

This being so, it is quite possible that the reverses suffered by the Germans in these last critical hours of the Japanese cabinet's debate may have had much to do with the decision to continue negotiations with Washington. Had Hitler's forces swept on into Moscow, or knocked the allies out in Libya, we might have had a different story from Japan.

They call the Nazi chieftain "Lucky Hitler" in Germany because of the uncanny frequency of his successes, but the past week-end very definitely has been one of his off-times. The allies have struck some powerful blows of great potential importance.

The Fuehrer has had a tremendous setback in the sensational feat of the Red army not only in forcing the Nazis out of Rostov—the hinge on which swings the gate of the Caucasus—but in hurling back the invaders to the west along the Black Sea coast. Indeed, if the Bolsheviks can hold the advantage they have achieved it will have a vital bearing not only on the out-

come of the war but on its duration.

Here it is necessary to repeat what has been said in this column before to the effect that Hitler's resources aren't likely to stand the strain unless he can tap new supplies. Either he must knock Russia cold as he did France; or he must escape the increasingly chaotic conditions on the blockaded European continent by breaking into the Caucasus and the Middle East.

The greatest blow Hitler has had in his efforts to reach this land of milk and honey is the Red victory at Rostov and westward there are few things which the allies could have achieved that would have contributed more toward shortening the war in their favor. Don't forget that this conflict is going to be won on resources, and the allied strategy must forever be directed toward keeping the Nazis from reaching fresh supplies.

As a companion piece to the Rostov victory, the allied forces in Libya continued to maintain the advantage in their offensive against the Axis forces. The Germans and Italians appear to be trapped in Cirene, for the allies have raced westward across the hot sands; to the Gulf of Sirte and bid fair to cut the Axis off from retreat toward Tripoli. In other words, the German-Italian forces in Libya are in grave danger of being annihilated or captured, a fact recognized in the fierce defense they are making.

### Man Loses Life Seeking Buried Treasure At Mines

GEORGETOWN, Tex., Dec. 1 (AP)—Funeral services will be held in Coleman this afternoon for C. M. Ewing, 52, who lost his life while seeking buried treasure at the Bobo mines five miles from here.

Legend has it that 71 other men have been killed while searching for the treasure, reportedly buried by Sam Bass, Jesse James and other early day bandits.

Ewing was found dead yesterday 300 yards from the digging, and Justice of the Peace W. H. Davis, Jr.,

### Gloria's Gown and Hair Go Down



The glittering Gloria Vanderbilt's gown hits a new low and her hair also comes down from that towering pompadour she sported few weeks back. With Gloria, center, in New York are Bruce Cabot and Rita Hayworth of the movies.

### Dallas Youth Charged With Armed Robberies

WICHITA FALLS, Dec. 1 (AP)—In custody here today was Rex Beard, Jr., 19, of Dallas, charged with armed robbery last night after he signed a statement describing a series of robberies including three bank holdups.

Beard was wounded by a bullet from the pistol of Detective Gene Brown when he tried to escape after being arrested in a cafe. Two of Beard's companions fled.

The charge against the youth is in connection with a robbery here, District Attorney Z. D. Allen said.

Beard was recognized in the cafe by James Hanks, doorman who was present when a theater was held up May 25. Hanks called officers.

Police Chief Chris Jensen said \$1,614 were found on Beard and in his automobile.

Eighteen robberies were listed in Beard's statement, which mentioned bank holdups at Bowie, Stamford, Nocona, Wichita Falls, Abilene, Fort Worth, Waco, Lubbock and Amarillo. Beard estimated the total loot at \$8,670.

### Born With 2 Teeth



Beverly Ann Saxton shows cameraman at Cleveland hospital the two lower teeth that came into this world right along with her. Beverly was 11 days old when this picture was made.

### Big Egg Saves Life Of Fat Hen

MORRISDALE, Pa., Dec. 1 (AP)—A hen in the flock of H. B. Smeal is alive and clucking because of some well-timed egg-laying.

When Smeal went out to the coop to kill her for Thanksgiving Day dinner, he found she had just laid

an egg nearly three and a half inches long.

Smeal was so impressed he decided to let her stay on the job. He chose another chicken for the dinner.

### South And Johnson Have Opponents

AUSTIN, Dec. 1 (AP)—Two candi-

dates in opposition to incumbent Texas congressmen were announced here today.

Harry K. Cox, of Brownwood, chairman of the State Board of Control and a close friend of Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, announced his candidacy in the 21st district, now represented by Charles L. South of Coleman.

Tom Martin of Austin, newspaper columnist, lawyer and former member of the legislature, announced in the 10th district, represented by Lyndon Johnson of Austin, ardent New Deal supporter.

### Pythian Officers To Be Nominated At Meeting Tonight

Knights of Pythias lodge members will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the castle hall in the Wynne-Merten building instead of on Thursday night, regular meeting date. A report will be received from the nominating committee.

Change in meeting date was made so that the Pythian Sisters can use the hall Thursday night when they'll hold a pie supper.

New officers of the lodge will be elected at next Thursday's meeting. Maxine Fann is the outgoing chancellor commander. The new officers

will be installed in January.

Rank of Knight will be conferred on Bob Brown and Elmer Brown tonight's meeting.

### Privates Get Good Laugh At Sergeant

CAMP BLANDING, Fla., Dec. 1 (AP)—It was roll call time for headquarters detachment of station complement.

The name "Lambert" was called. No answer.

"Lambert!"

"No answer."

"Sgt. Sidney Lambert!"

Immediately the roll-caller started mumbling: "Lambert, Sgt. That's me."

The roll call went on apace. Sgt. Grantville, Ga., soldier still pink in face.

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### SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



"I realize how important it is to pick the right college for Junior, but can't it wait until you finish drying the dishes?"

### SOVIET GENERAL

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Pictured Soviet army commander.

13 Intermediate Scandinavian coin.

16 Within.

18 Auto.

20 Suitor.

22 Proceed.

23 Afternoon meals.

25 Trinitrotoluene (abbr.).

26 Exclamation.

27 Noun suffix.

29 Music note.

30 Deeply malignant.

33 Ducks.

34 Fasten.

38 Shield.

39 Exist.

40 Calls back.

43 Form of "be."

45 Tree.

47 Populace.

48 Mountain pass.

49 Genus of

24 Gatherings of people.

28 Knots.

31 Regis. r. (abbr.).

32 Limit (comb. form).

34 Suppress.

35 Either.

36 Crimson.

37 Title.

41 String instrument.

42 Long (comb. form).

44 Raced.

46 Throw.

48 Scottish Highlander.

50 Gallon (abbr.).

51 Hall.

53 Girl's name.

54 Nothing.

56 For example (abbr.).

58 Out of (prefix).

52 Nickname for Leonard.

8 Doctor (abbr.).

53 Senseless.

9 Goddess of dawn.

10 Compass point.

11 Tidy.

12 Near.

15 Poker stakes.

17 State of being noisy.

19 Philippine dwarf.

7 He gives his commands

VERTICAL

2 Print measure

3 Myself.

4 Branches in tracks.

5 Upon.

6 Beverages.

7 He defended

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**Common Ground** By G. G. HOILES

"I speak the plain-word principle, I give the sign of democracy. By God! I will accept nothing which all men have their counterpart of on the same terms."  
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The so-called laws that Roosevelt, socialists and communists and union labor leaders call labor's gains are the Clayton Amendment to the Sherman Anti-Trust law, the Wagner law, the Social Security law, the Minimum Wage law, the Norris-LaGuardia law and the discriminatory tax laws. If continued these laws mean chains for every worker in the land. They mean chains because they take away from each man the rights that God, Jesus and the Constitution intended every man to have; namely, his equal right to pursue happiness by working and producing anything that anyone else has a right to produce, without interference from, or paying tribute to, anyone for so doing.

And the so-called social gains of labor mean that in the final analysis, the workers will be able to get information only from sources approved by the labor racketeers. They will be in the same positions as the workers in Europe, except that their source of information will be censored by the labor unions instead of the collectivist government.

To call this social gain a mockery, a delusion and a snare.

Pegler's statement that the so-called social gains are labor's chains should be repeated millions of times in millions of places until the working men finally realize what our government, our cowardly politicians, our cowardly church people, our cowardly newspapers, our cowardly communists, our cowardly educators have been doing to them.

We repeat, the so-called "labor's gains" are labor's chains.

**"ALL YOURS, BOY"**



**Something To Think About**

This country is just beginning to encounter some of the biggest and most difficult problems that a military economy makes unavoidable.

The arms program is getting into stride. Our aircraft production is at the rate of about 25,000 planes a year. Production of tanks, machine guns, army trucks and other vital necessities, is increasing. The two-ocean navy will be completed far ahead of the original schedule. In the next two years something unexpected occurs to change the picture, we should become the foremost military power on earth.

Doesn't mean that we are doing our theoretical utmost. We aren't. Labor troubles continue to mount and undermine production. Government red tape, delay and indecision still hamper industry. A few segments of industry have not been able to get away from the "business as usual" point of view. There is plenty of politics in the defense set-up, and there is too much divided responsibility which makes for passing of the buck and general disorder. Even so, the gigantic American production machine is moving forward, and it is making the immense change from a peace-time to a war-time economy.

To some, this change means profits and expanded opportunity. To others, the change means possible ruin. In that sorry category fall thousands of businesses which have not been given a place in the defense picture, and which are now unable to continue their normal peace-time ways.

These are the businesses which are caught by priorities. No one without a high priority rating can now obtain the basic metals. No one can build homes costing more than \$4,000. There are shortages of paper, cloth, rubber, chemicals, cleaning aids—commodities which in normal periods are extensively abundant. And legions of businesses, employing millions of people, depend on such commodities as these for their very life.

Businessmen who have this defense program may mean the virtual death of little business in this nation. This may be an excessively dark forecast, but the hard fact remains that no one has yet been able to formulate a program under which we may have maximum military production and at the same time reserve our business system more or less as of course, has given attention to this problem. There has been an effort to contract, under a sub-contracting system, so that small and middle-sized concerns may obtain a fair share of the orders. So far, however, little progress has been made. The bulk of small businesses haven't the equipment or the personnel which are needed. When you want a tremendous job done, you naturally turn to the great mass-production industries which are geared to make the largest possible quantities of goods in the shortest possible period of time. The dollar-a-year men in the defense business are taken from big industries, and so small business finds it more and more difficult to obtain the supplies it must have.

If this trend continues, it is apparent that a revolutionary change will take place in the American economy. Whether that change will be for the better or worse is a matter of argument. In the meantime, it is an ironical fact that hundreds of thousands of men are being thrown out of jobs during a time when there is a shortage of suitable labor—and thousands of businesses are in danger of being shut down during a time when consumer demand and consumer purchasing power for all manner of commodities, is extremely high. The figures indicate that there simply isn't sufficient supply of many basic materials to meet the war demand and the normal demand at the same time. And the smaller enterprises of the country, which aren't able to produce the tools of war, are taking the beating.

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**Around Hollywood**

By JOE COTTEN

Actor for Mercury Productions, and today's guest columnist for Paul Harrison.

**HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 1**—For my first—and probably last—attempt at public writing, I've decided to lead for today's "What's Wrong With Hollywood." This is not to be confused with the other subject that everyone picks: "What's Wrong With the Movies." About that I know nothing.

Hollywood is not what it appears from the magazines. This is a blow from which few actors ever recover, Cotten included. For one thing, when I came to Hollywood, I had a good part safely snagged. Hundreds of others, I found, have had an equally easy time. That wrecked my reputation for me. It's such a pity that a positive quantity can be discovered just as easily in Keokuk or New Bedford.

**FRONT YARD FRAMER**

My introduction to this tinsel land started me half to death. I drove in from New York and started out to find the house which had been rented for me. To reach same, I must cruise down Sunset boulevard. On reaching the part of Los Angeles which is Hollywood, my supposedly sophisticated eye met nothing by a succession of enormous—and I mean enormous—photo portraits. These were posed, and still do, on what seems to be every front lawn of every other house for about two miles along the boulevard. It occurred to me that this was certainly a novel way of attracting attention to your potential worth as an actor or actress. It was a week before I learned they were professional portrait studios.

Arriving at the house picked for me, it was time for bed. So consider the shattering discovery of the morning: No swimming pool! I thought everyone in the movie business had a swimming pool. My only solace is that I don't particularly want one.

This all happened when Orson Welles was producing a number called "Citizen Kane." I was cast as Jed Leland. The morning after getting into the studio full of fire, ambition, and most of all, curiosity. A studio! Oh, boy! plush settings, thousands of beautiful girls parading around, a sort of Arabian Nights in modern dress. And what happened? Collapse. They started plastering me with rubber cement and two weeks later I managed to get myself in front of a camera playing a man of 80.

**SOUNDS LIKE FUN**

After "Citizen Kane," I played opposite Merle Oberon in "Lydia," and by that time I was getting wise. I had learned the sad fact that they make movies in exactly the same fashion they make anything else. You go to work at 8 and you quit at 6 or 7 in the evening and then you go home on eat.

Now I'm in "The Magnificent Ambersons," produced and directed by Welles. He happens to be the most un-Hollywood, young man I've met here—except that I met him in New York. He would, if he could, upset all of Hollywood's traditions. He would have the wild, harum-scarum life, the swimming pools, the millions of gorgeous girls, the fantastic parties I read about. Unfortunately, Orson also is disillusioned. He goes to bed at 11 p. m. and is at work in the studio at 7 a. m.

But my spells of disappointment in the movie village don't last long. I always remember the time when I was a paint salesman. And I change my mind quick. Just like that. Hollywood? Boy, do I love it!

**People You Know**

By Archer Fullingim

A few persons, but only a very few, thought it was unportsmanlike to attack Amarillo for not voting for Pampa to represent this district in the state football playoffs, but was it unportsmanlike for Amarillo to vote against us just because Amarillo doesn't want the word to get out that Pampa must be a pretty good town to knock off Amarillo and win the district? Was it good sportsmanship for Amarillo to conceal from their newspaper readers that Supt. Rogers voted for Lubbock at the behest of Coach Howard Lynch? What's wrong, I ask you, with protesting against a stab in the back that took place in a conference room? Why didn't Amarillo be a sport and tell how they voted? Remember we are Amarillo's neighbor and some Pampans are foolish enough to trade over there. There was a doubt which was the best team, Pampa or Lubbock. The game with Wichita Falls would have helped us. Our athletic department needed that money. It would have given Pampa a good name; we would have been mentioned as the team that FIRST whipped Amarillo, but Amarillo could not take that. No, Pampa must be kept in her place. Amarillo knows they played dirty pool.

Just as they have many times in the past, when they tried to keep railroads and highways out of Pampa. They want the world to think Amarillo is the oil center of the Panhandle and the Hereford capital of the world, when they know good and well that Pampa and Borger are the twin oil capitals of the Panhandle, and they know that there are more pure-bred Herefords in the Pampa territory than Amarillo ever saw. I ask you is it sportsmanship for Amarillo to continually try to hog everything—just like they tried to hog everything Dalhart ever got, including Albert Law's recent dust bowl story. After Amarillo took that in hand they used it for the sole purpose of glorifying selfish, living Amarilloans. Remember when we got the Coronado Entada first? Well, Amarillo said they were going to produce it until after we had our show. Then they announced that they had cancelled it. Naturally that kept many people from coming to Pampa to see it.

Talk about good sportsmanship! This last stab in the back is only one of many. Well, Amarillo, the worm has turned, and don't you think it hasn't. Pampa some day will begin to fight for her rights, and in the open, too.

The five States with the highest provision rates for 1940 were: New Mexico 27.7; Utah 24.6; Mississippi 24.1; Arizona 23.5; and South Carolina 22.7. Census reports show. The birth rate of the District of Columbia was 23.1.

**Highlights From Latest Books**

**WINDY WENCH IS HEROINE OF NEW NOVEL**

Add to the list of lusty wenches who spread havoc, worry and some little joy through the pages of literature the name of Maria, Maria's fling lasted only 12 days, but that was long enough to make her the entrancing hussy of George R. Stewart's story, "Storm" (Random House: \$2.50).

Maria was just a puff of wind in the eastern Pacific or maybe a Chinaman's sneeze when she donned her debutante clothes on the weather or heroine of books rather than girls he had known."

Many books have centered about storms, but Stewart comes through with the first story in which a storm itself is the main figure. This is much more than the synopsis of a dull-weather story, Stewart makes Maria sit up and talk, and the reader is more conscious of the storm as a person than of any of his characters.

Among other things, Maria breaks a ruinous drouth, but while at it she capers over a snowbound mountain pass to blow a tree against a telephone pole, killing a linesman; she jittersbug cloudbursts from the sky; ties up a streamline train "which is always on time" gets telephone, airline, power and highway bosses out of bed at unearthly hours; ends in death the week-end of a nice young couple; spins merrily toward the bright lights of Broadway, where her lightly offsprung cousin, Mayor La Guardia, to call out thousands of snow sweepers.

"Storm," refreshingly different now that half the writers are trying to save the world, should sweep many dull problem novels from the shelves.

The larval and pupal stages are the two stages of development of butterflies between the egg and adult.

**Yesteryear In The News**

**Ten Years Ago Today**  
 An ordinance creating the Pampa Public Library was passed by the city commission.  
 The Pampa Welfare board planned a \$10,000 drive. Reference was made to a "community chest" of the preceding year, which totaled \$12,339.22, the first time such a movement had been mentioned.

**Five Years Ago Today**  
 There were 22 candidates for the Harvester basketball team. Albert Ayer, Ivan Robbitt, and Doyle Enloe, were named as likely candidates for the quintet.

**Cranium Crackers**  
**LABOR PROBLEMS**  
 Bugaboo of defense for past year has been large number of strikes in industries producing vital war products. Sample of how tough it is to cope with these problems is given in solving the following five questions about labor and defense.

1. What are "captive mines"?
2. What were first three plants taken over by government's armed forces to insure production?
3. What labor office does John L. Lewis hold?
4. How many man-days were lost in defense industries in the six months period from April to September of this year?
5. What is the government agency set up to cope with defense strikes?

**Answers on Classified page**

**So They Say**

Children want to belong to something. If federal, state, and municipal government cannot offer them supervised clubs and play spaces, they will huddle together in unwholesome gangs.

—JAMES MARSHALL, president N. Y. Board of Education.

Food will win the war and write the peace.  
 —H. B. LITTLE, president, N. Y. Association of County Agents.

The forces trying to divide all groups against each other, may perhaps succeed if we forget we are American citizens above everything else.  
 —MORRIS SAYRE, industrialist.

**first half of 1942.**  
 Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming, complaining that the little fellows are being kicked around from pillar to post, has introduced a bill to help small business. Under it, any person whose business operations are adversely affected by assignment of priority in any materials used in his business shall be afforded a chance to present his views to an agency designated by the president.

If he shows that his business operations will be hurt by a shortage of materials, or that his inability to continue business will result in unemployment for his employees, the agency shall so report to the president, "I, S. Destroyer Reuben James Sunk." Into the company's files goes the die and order: 300 boxes of stationery for "Reuben James." Underneath scribbled, "Slink sunk." Soldiers like the four foot laundry company of the Floyd Odlum as director of OPM's division of contract distribution is a solution. Senator Hatch of New Mexico has introduced a bill to investigate defense program contracts, is alarmed lest America have the experience of Britain, where 20,000 manufacturing plants were shut down almost overnight in the chaos of the transition to war economy. According to Odlum's own estimate, 2 per cent of the supply of strategic materials would enable 30,000 to 45,000 small metal-working U. S. plants to continue during the

**The Nation's Press**

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 (Kansas City Star)

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**Licenses And Leashes** (Chicago Tribune)

Congress is justified in being suspicious of the motives of the administration in insisting that provision for the licensing of industries be restored to the price control bill. To use a humble metaphor, when the citizen acquiesces to licensing of his dog, he finds that the matter does not stop there. The authorities may also insist that he put the animal on a leash and muzzle it, otherwise they will put it in the pound. Government, if given the power to license industry, is quite capable of putting industry on a leash, muzzling its protests, and putting it in the dog house, if not the lethal chamber, in case it offends.

The theory behind licensing is that business will not voluntarily cooperate in keeping prices down. This conforms with New Deal doctrine from the beginning. Under NRA the New Deal shouted threats to crack down on "chiselers." In the 1936 campaign the battle was against "economic royalists." Both the chiselers and royalists are figments of a feverish imagination. There is no evidence that business will refuse to cooperate in staving off inflation. To do otherwise would be to commit suicide. The opposition is mostly coming from labor, even the labor is not threatened with wage ceilings.

Many members of congress express fear that the administration seeks the licensing provision not as a summary means of slapping down on private violators but as a device to saddle a totalitarian system on the nation's economy. Leon Henderson, the price czar-designate, has not reassured any one that this is not the intention of a given licensing powers, he could be expected to establish a vast price control gestapo to pry into every business in the country. His private police would be a made to order instrument for regimenting the national economy.

The doubter need only look at the collateral actions of the administration in prosecuting the rearmament program. It now is proposing a change in the management of the Consolidated Aircraft corporation to eliminate its president, Maj. Reuben Fleet, an outspoken critic of the administration war policy. This high handed action is justified because the government has placed \$750,000 worth of orders with Consolidated. In Oklahoma the administration has arbitrarily disposed the state authority from control of the Grand River dam and has placed the \$25,000,000 hydro-electric project under control of the Federal Works administration. Again the pretext is "interference with national defense."

On every hand the administration is seen moving in on the preserves of private industry or regulating the doctrine of state rights to the limbo of forgotten things. There is no evidence anywhere that once this government gets anything in its clutches it will surrender it.

Licensing is not necessary to enforce price control. If the government could not make control effective thru the voluntary, patriotic response it has every reason to expect from business, it could do so thru its control of priorities or by recourse to the civil courts. Licensing is wanted for other reasons, and they are obvious.

The city of Chicago licenses cleaning and dyeing plants, and recently when it came to the attention of authorities that one of these establishments was in the hands of gangsters who apparently did not shun murder as an instrument for discouraging competition, they summarily closed the plant by revoking its license. The result may have been praiseworthy, but the means may be questioned. If a government with licensing powers over business can close a plant because it does not like the morality of its management, is there any reason to believe that the same government would hesitate to invoke the weapon of revocation if it does not like a man's politics or his views on foreign policy?

The revised price control bill would exempt the radio and more particularly the press from licensing. Partly this exemption may be in recognition of constitutional guarantees, but there is also a justifiable suspicion that it is also done to silence the only expression of opposition to licensing that might arise. So far as this newspaper is concerned, it will not be humored into silencing its protests.



# MISSOURI AND FORDHAM INVITED TO PLAY IN SUGAR BOWL

## Duke Accepts Invitation Of Oregon State

By HAROLD CLAASSEN  
NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (AP)—Touchdown-conscious eleven predominates the selection made for the various New Year's Day Bowl games with only Oregon State, Rose Bowl host, classed as a defensive unit although Missouri's No. 1 Sugar Bowl line hasn't yielded a touchdown all season.

The west coast school needed 20 hours of discussion before selecting Duke, unbeaten and powerful enough to collect 311 points in nine games, as its Jan. 1 guest at Pasadena. The Duke touchdown collection is a record for the Blue Devils.

Simultaneous with the Missouri acceptance, Sugar Bowl officials named Fordham as the Tiger foe in the New Orleans Classic. In contrast to previous years, it was a bevy of high-scoring backs rather than a non-yielding line that brought the New York Rams to the heights.

Even before Frankie Strikwich and his Georgia mates had left the showers Saturday after blanking Georgia Tech, 21 to 0, the Orange Bowl committee in Miami selected the Bulldogs as their Southern choice. The equally point-crazy Texas Longhorns have been chosen, unofficially, as the opponent.

The Texas players met this afternoon to vote an answer to the invitation.

Texas A. and M.'s first Southwest conference school to share in three consecutive loop titles, and a 13 to 12 victory in the Dallas Cotton Bowl a year ago, returns there. Unbeaten Duquesne, Mississippi State and Penn State are among the possible foes.

Even though Oregon State is listed as the lone defensive Bowl participant, it ran up scores of 27 and 33 against Montana and Idaho, respectively, and finished the season with 123 points scored to 33 permitted.

Fordham, famed as the home of the seven blocks of granite a few years ago, counters this season with Steve Filipowicz, a pass-throwing fullback; Jim Blumenstock, a broken field speedster; a horde of loose-lipped sophomores, and Jim Lansing, an outstanding end.

The T-minded Missourians three times have plowed to more than 400 yards gained in a single game and the "terrible touchdown trio" of Harry E. Bob Steuber and Maurice Wade has averaged 64.5 yards every time it touched the ball. Like Fordham, it was defeated once.

The Tigers were spilled by Ohio State in their opener, with Capt. Darold Jenkins, their great center, sidelined. Fordham was dumped by a surprise in midseason.

Unkwick, tough enough to gnaw back to the game, was guided by the Georgia eleven to eight victories and a tie in a 10-game program Alabama was their only conqueror as the Bulldogs made the adding machines creak with a total of 271 points to 56.

Texas, their probable foe, was regarded as the country's top team early in the season as it crushed each of its October rivals by more than four touchdowns. It bogged down midway, however, and recovered in time to send Jack Crain and Pete Layden against the Texas Aggies for a 23 to 0 win.

The Aggies, with only two starters left from their great team of a year ago, managed to remain undefeated until Thanksgiving Day, primarily because of their halfback, Derace Moser, and a rugged end, James Sterling.

During the campaign—each of the Texas clubs has another scheduled game remaining—the Aggies collected 253 points with 46 against, to 267 for and 48 against as the Longhorn record.



HE FLIES THROUGH AIR WITH GREATEST OF EASE—N. Sparks, punting TCU back has both feet off the ground as he smashes into the SMU secondary for an 8-yard gain in the game played at Ft. Worth, Texas. Palmer (22), McMinn (32), and Razor (65) stop the flying ball carrier.

## Pampa Golfers Defeat Phillips Team 42 To 30

Summer came back to the Panhandle golfers, long enough at least to let golfers get in a big day at their favorite sport. Yesterday afternoon at the Pampa Country club course Pampa golfers defeated a team from Phillips 42 points to 30 points, each match being played for three points.

Three weeks ago in Phillips the Pampa golfers eked out a 20 to 19 decision on the grass greens. Play yesterday was over the back nine holes, the front nine being torn up for installation of grass greens.

Results of yesterday's matches, Pampa golfers named first:

Hawthorne 1 1/2, Lloyd 1 1/2, Grover Austin, Sr., 2, Fisher 1, Hoffman 1/2, Tindall 2 1/2, Marr 0, Brown 3, Frank Shotwell, Sr., 3, Hatfield 0, Frank Shotwell, Jr., 0, Lobough 3, Crowson 1, Cox 2, Tommie White 3, C. Cox 0, Speed 2 1/2, Obauh 1/2, Gee 0, Rigdon 3, Willis 0, Bond 3, Miller 3, Mitchell 0, Harris 2, Johnson 1, Heath 3, Sandifer 0, Cummings 3, Hudson 0, Hines 0, Markel 3, Cleveland 1 1/2, Ham 2 1/2, LaSalle 2, Sweeney 0, LaSalle 2, Sappington 1 1/2, McGinnis 3, Farmer 0, Richeson 1 1/2, Holt 1 1/2, Coombs 3, Fowck 0, Cribbin 3, Hock 0.

## Barbers Hill Has Won 20 Straight Games

(By The Associated Press)  
Class A football, which doesn't get the attention of Class AA in Texas but which produces its share of fine teams and stars completes the bi-district round this week. There are 40 champions and in several instances bi-district games already have been played.

Probably the outstanding team of Class A ranks is Barbers Hill, which has won 20 straight and scored 430 points while holding the opposition to none in 10 games.

Class A football goes only to regional championships whereas AA plays through to a state title.

Champions of Class A by regions and districts are:

Region 1—Hereford; 2, Phillips; 3, McLean; 4, Floydada; 5, Merker; 6, Monahans; 8, Ballinger; 9, Chilton; 10, Stamford; 11, Bowie; 12, Comanche; Region 4—13, Handley; 14, Mesquite; 15, La Vega; 16, Mart; Region 5—17, Rockwall; 18, Honey Grove; 19, Gilmer; 20, Ran; Region 6—21, Atlanta; 22, Center; 23, White Oak; 24, Gaston; Region 7—25, Grapeland; 26, Jasper; 27, Dayton; 28, Port Neches; Region 8—29, Aldine; 30, Richmond; 31, Brenham; 32, Navasota; Region 9—33, Taylor; 34, San Saba; 35, San Marcos; 6, Harlandale (San Antonio); Region 10—37, Hondo; 38, Kenedy; 39, Aransas Pass; 40, Mission.

Phillips defeated Hereford 34-7 in their bi-district game. Rockwall won over Honey Grove 40-0.

## Baseball Men Collecting For Annual Winter Meeting

By JUDSON BAILEY  
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 1 (AP)—Baseball men from all over the country were collecting today for their annual winter meeting and tending for trades, but their first deal was a joke.

If several hundred of the leading figures of the national pastime had not put in their appearance here well in advance of the sessions which open Wednesday, the transaction would have gone unnoticed.

But for want of better entertainment, the David Hays of baseball gave hearty here-haves to the jinks of a couple of Texas league items.

The first deal of the convention was made in an airplane by Ole Massa Rogers Hornsby, new manager of Fort Worth's Texas league club, and George Scheppe, head of the Dallas club, and it was a whiz.

Hornsby sacrificed a 46-year-old pitcher, Jackie Reed, to get a player who is on baseball's ineligible list, Pitcher Earl Overman.

The deal was a pig in the poke, but it gave major leaguers something to shoot at today.

Representatives of many big league clubs arrived yesterday. Most others are due today and action of more consequence is expected momentarily.

Warren Giles, general manager of the Cincinnati Reds, said he was determined to make a trade for a hard-hitting outfielder if at all possible. He ridiculed reports that the Reds would give up Lefty John Vander Meer to the Brooklyn Dodgers, National league champions, but readily agreed that he would have to let loose of some of his pitchers to gain his goal.

President Larry MacPhail of the Dodgers was one of the first major leaguers on the scene, amply reinforced by Manager Leo Durocher and a half dozen other subalterns. They are avowedly seeking a pitcher, plus, in this order, a left handed hitting outfielder, a reserve catcher and an utility infielder.

Zack Zeller, general manager of the Detroit Tigers, Branch Rickety of the St. Louis Cardinals, George Weiss, secretary and farm director of the Cardinals, and Manager Casey Stengel of the Boston Braves were among the other big leaguers who got to work early.

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## Dudley Scoring Leader Of Nation

(By The Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (AP)—Bullet Bill Dudley, Virginia's backfield ace, is the collegiate football scoring leader of the nation for 1941.

Dudley moved into the lead in his final game when he scored 22 points, boosting his total to 134. Ben Collins of West Texas State finished in second place with 123 points.

Dudley succeeds Jackie Hunt of Marshall college, who tallied 162 points last year. Hunt this year scored only 54 points.

## AP Poll Will Be Announced Tuesday

This season's final regular Associated Press football ranking poll, on which the mythical U. S. championship is based, will be announced Tuesday, December 2.

The AP poll, consensus of more than 125 sports writers, is recognized as the nation's foremost appraiser of college football teams.

Watch for the AP football poll in The Pampa News.

## Packers And Bears Win Sunday Games

CHICAGO, Dec. 1 (AP)—The Chicago Bears, needing only one victory to tie the Green Bay Packers for the Western title of the National Football League, will have as their final opponent Sunday the fourth-place Chicago Cardinals—who would gladly gum up the works for their north side neighbors.

The Bears must win to deadlock the Packers and force a playoff Dec. 14 for the Western division crown. The winner would meet the New York Giants, Eastern titlist, for the league championship Dec. 21.

But if the Bears should lose to the Cardinals, the Packers would take an indisputable Western title and would play the New Yorkers for the championship Dec. 14.

The Packers assured themselves of at least a tie yesterday by defeating the fading Washington Redskins, 22-17, in their last regularly scheduled game. The Bears rolled over the Philadelphia Eagles, 49-14.

The Brooklyn Dodgers clinched a tie for second place in the Eastern division by slugging the Pittsburgh Steelers, 35-7.

The Cardinals, who will be gunning for an upset win over the Detroit Lions, 21-3, and yielded third place in the West to the Lions, Byron (Whizzer) White, Detroit star soon to join the nation's arm-forges, played his last game.

The New York Giants were idle. Cleveland ended its season a week ago.

## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(Wide World)—Must have been a surprise to west coast football fans to learn that Fordham and Missouri had a decision to play in the Rose Bowl that they "weren't given a chance" to turn down a bid.

Still there shouldn't be any complaint about Duke except from southern California sports writers who blasted Wallace Wade the last time he was out there.

Wonder if Duquesne, which needs the dough and could put up a swell show, will get the go-by from all of them?

Mail is full of suggestions for Sun Bowl teams, but nearly every-thing figures Tech will be the homecoming pageant between halves of a game with Louisiana Tech. One of them was found 12 hours later at Waxhaw, N. C., some 900 miles away.

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## Both Texas And Aggies Have Outside Opponents Saturday

(By The Associated Press)  
The Southwest conference winds up its football campaign this week.

Texas A. & M. won the title 10 days ago—the seventh flag to wave at Aggland since the conference was born 27 years ago.

It gave the Aggies a definite corner on titles because no other team has managed to take more than four pennants.

And counting seven championships for A. & M. does not include the tie for the title last season with Southern Methodist.

S. M. U., incidentally, ranks second in championships with four, while Baylor, Texas, and Texas Christian have three each, Rice, two, and Arkansas one. The latter really won it in 1933 but was disqualified.

S. M. U. also has a tie to its credit.

Only one conference game remains on the schedule, Southern Methodist playing Rice at Dallas Saturday. Third place in the final standing will be at stake.

Texas and Texas Christian, which finished their schedules last week, are tied for second.

But this conference isn't through with its inter-sectional goings-on, with Texas and A. & M. both having games with outside opponents Saturday, the Longhorns meeting Oregon at Austin, and the Aggies playing Washington State at Tacoma.

## Prospects Bright For 1942 Football Season

### Only Five Schoolboy Champs Back From Last Season

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
Associated Press Sports Editor  
Sixteen district champions—only five of them back from last season—square off this week in the opening round of the Texas schoolboy football title race.

They are a heterogeneous collection from a weird campaign split by ineligibility and starting upsets. Some are mighty teams, capable of taking their places alongside the best in schoolboy annals.

Others are products of district campaigns where the strength was distributed so evenly one little slip made a champion.

Two of the state's greatest teams—Masonic Home and Lufkin—fell ahwart the ineligibility bugaboo. Amarillo's once mighty Sandies faltered in the stretch. Powerful Odessa fell out because of an eligibility ruling at the last minute.

Wichita Falls, Paris, Sunset, Temple and Corpus Christi are the champions able to repeat and all five are highly-regarded in the bi-district round. Four of them—Paris, Sunset, Temple and Corpus Christi—are among the state's slender list of unbeaten teams.

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## Texas Tech May Be Host Team In Sun Bowl

EL PASO, Dec. 1. (AP)—The straws point to the Texas Tech Red Raiders of Lubbock as the host team for El Paso's Sun Bowl football game, but a decision awaits Saturday's concluding play in the border conference.

The Border champion customarily represents the conference in the New Year's classic. This year there may be a co-championship, making the ballot of loop members more than a formality.

The situation sums up this way: Arizona university, already in on half the title with a sweep of conference play, has given unofficial hints that it might not be interested.

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## Cleaning The Cuff

Mose Simms' latest suggestion in his more - dough - for - footballers campaign is that the players form a union.

Ted Lyons' new Chicago bowling emporium is doing so well that Ted complains he has no time to bowl except when some of his ballplayer pals drop in. As to his skill, Ted says: "Sometimes I'm as wild as left-handed rookie."

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## Quote, Unquote

Larry MacPhail: "We've spent \$100,000 toward the 1942 ball club already. So far we've only been Smokeless powder is smokeless not because it has no smoke, but because it leaves no solid residue."

## Football Scores

(By The Associated Press)  
SUNDAY  
Loyola (Los Angeles) 19, Nevada 7.  
San Francisco 11, Fort Ord 13.  
Fort Monmouth 28, Fort Dupont 0.  
Pacific Lutheran 15, College of Pacific 7.  
Mississippi Southern 7, St. Mary's (Texas) 0.  
Texas A. and I. 35, Texas Wesleyan 18.  
Occidental 24, Colorado college 20.  
Jacksonville Naval Air Station 79, University of Havana 0.  
Texas Mines 23, Arkansas State 20.  
Camp Croft 14, Wofford college 0.

## Wrong Tackle Lost Game For Ole Miss

OXFORD, Miss., Dec. 1 (AP)—A tackle by mistake probably cost Mississippi university a tie or possible victory over Mississippi State here Saturday afternoon, but State won 6 to 0 and annexed its first Southeastern conference football championship.

A chunky sophomore quarterback named Jennings Moates—an unknown until Saturday—slithered 38 yards through an amazed Rebel eleven for the winning score.

Early in the second quarter the Rebels had the ball on their 48 where Junie Hovious passed to Ray Poole, who was in the open, but his teammate, Bobby Yandell, half-back, tackled him by mistake, and brought him down on State's 45.

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M'Lean Girl Wants Santa Claus
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boys in Amarillo in one of the
Santa Claus letters received today
by The Pampa News. Signed, Wanda
Gail Bullock, Box 564, McLean.

Commands RAF
in Libyan Drive
Air Vice Marshal Arthur Coningham,
46, Australian ace in
World War I, commands air
force in British offensive against
Libya, while the brothers Cun-
ningham handle land and sea
attacks.

'One-Man' Army
Leaves For Camp
Gray county's "one-man" army
left today for Fort Sill, Okla.
The "army" was composed of
Jimmy Wallace Giddens, selectee,
who departed by bus this morning
for the army induction station.

Answers to
Cranium Crackers
Questions on Editorial page
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RAIL MEDIATION HEAD 'Not So Hopeful' After Long Session

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 (AP)--After
nearly 23 hours of continuous ses-
sion President Roosevelt's special
peace finding board called a brief re-
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SANTA'S WONDERLAND

Comic strip titled 'Santa's Wonderland' by Hal Cochran. Features Santa Claus and his helpers in a whimsical setting.



SERIAL STORY

LADY BY REQUEST

BY HELEN R. WOODWARD

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**THE STORY:** At last Mrs. Stephen Curtis knows whom her husband loves—Evalyn Thorpe, beautiful blind wife of blind millionaire Richard Thorpe, who had seduced Mrs. Curtis, then his secretary, when she had been just Diana Tucker, but with spunk enough to resist his advances. That spunk Stephen, a famous writer and commentator, had admired. When he offered Diana \$10,000 to be his wife for six months, long enough to clear his inheritance of \$200,000 for which he must marry before the age of 35, she accepts after first consulting her sensible father, Bill. Mr. Tucker and Stephen's stepmother, Eliza Curtis, hope the couple will come to love each other. Diana, Stephen's spoiled, spoiled sister, is afraid that they will. Diana, Stephen's best friend who is strongly attracted by Diana's sparkling beauty, knows nothing of the arrangement. This is the situation when the Thorpe couple and Evalyn arrive. This new friendship smooths Diana's hurt when she finds that Diana Thorpe, who has been drinking too much, has just married Bill. At that moment Bill, Diana's childhood sweetheart, arrives at the Curtis home.

"Maybe, still, loving you as I do, I figured I had a right to know a moment given up—the thought that one day you'll come back—you'll remember that I'm waiting to offer you a lot of devotion—that I can make you comfortable. Somehow this marriage doesn't seem to make a lot of difference in my mind. Your father, too—when I questioned him, he evaded me."

"All right, Bill!" Diana said. "I'll tell you the truth."

In a few words she told him of the business arrangement she had with Stephen Curt. He was silent when she had finished.

"WELL?"

"Still he did not answer. 'Bill, don't stand there like a dummy!'"

"Words fail me," he said finally. "I wouldn't have thought you'd be so mercenary!"

How exasperating he was. She wished he hadn't come—wished she wouldn't have to spend the night with the thoughts he had started in motion.

When Larkin let them in, Bill stepped inside for a moment just as Stephen was crossing the hallway from the library. He stopped, came toward them, smiling pleasantly.

"Too bad you didn't come earlier, Mr. Jackson. Any friend of Diana's is always welcome. To be sure it was a rather dull affair."

Bill looked at him steadily and Diana, watching them, realized that they were something alike.

"I think I ought to tell you, Mr. Curt," Bill was saying, "I came tonight because it struck me as rather queer that Diana should have married you out of a clear sky, and because I wanted to be sure of her happiness and well being. You see, I love her very much."

Stephen's face did not change by so much as the flicker of an eyelash. "I see," he answered after a moment. "And I think I ought to tell you that Diana did not mention to me that there was another man in her life."

"It was that Diana's temper, held in leash, but fed now by a sort of nervous exhaustion, flashed forth."

"And I'll tell both of you that Bill knows I am not in love with him and never have been! And what's more, never will be! Oh, I'm fond of him—have known him since childhood. But that doesn't give him the right to come here and question my motives!"

SHE turned angrily to Stephen, the bright tears glistening on her lashes. "And there's no part of our bargain that gives you the right to question what I do or do not tell you. I'll have you both remember that I'm quite able to manage my affairs without assistance from either of you!"

She stood there trembling, and suddenly Stephen laughed. "There's no use in getting all wrought up like this," he said. "I think it's very commendable that Mr. Jackson here took the trouble to find out if you were all right." He turned to Bill. "Forgive Diana, won't you? She's tired. And won't you come again when you're in town?"

Bill knew that he was being quietly, efficiently dismissed, and after a few words for Diana accompanied by a look of misery, he made his departure.

Stephen turned to her. "Want to talk about it?"

She got up and walked about, picking up an object here and there, while he watched her through half-closed lids. "Oh, life's so muddled! Just when you think things are straightening out, they snarl up again. Nobody seems entirely contented. Everyone wants something they haven't got."

"I remember quite well your saying, 'The woman I love married another man.' And tonight, Stephen—when I saw Evalyn Thorpe—when I saw the look on your face—I knew."

He said nothing. The flight playing on his features revealed nothing of his thoughts. It was very quiet now in the big book-lined room and Diana sat on a small hassock near Stephen's knees. For a long time they gazed quietly into the flames, each absorbed in his own thoughts, feeling no need of speech. Finally, not knowing why, she turned to him, slipped her fingers beneath his, felt them close about her own warmly. All the turmoil of the evening seemed to be dissolved in that firm, sure grasp.

"All my life I'll be grateful for your friendship, Stephen," she said softly.

He stood up, drew her gently into the circle of his arms, placed his lips for a brief moment on her forehead. "I'm going to see that things come out right for you, Diana, if there's anything I can do about it," he muttered a little fiercely. "And now, my dear child, do you realize it's nearly morning?"

(To Be Continued)

LIL ABNER

The Trophy

By AL CAPP



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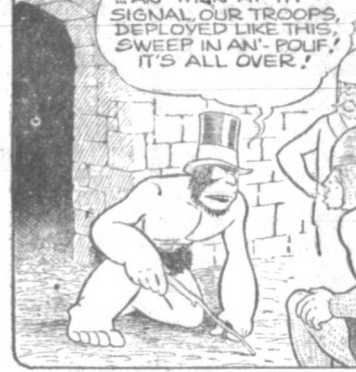
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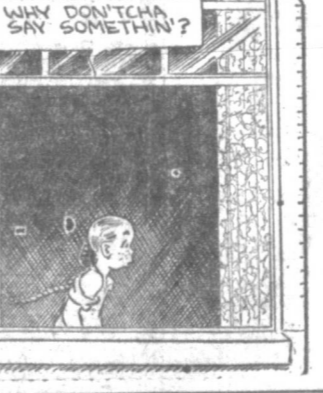
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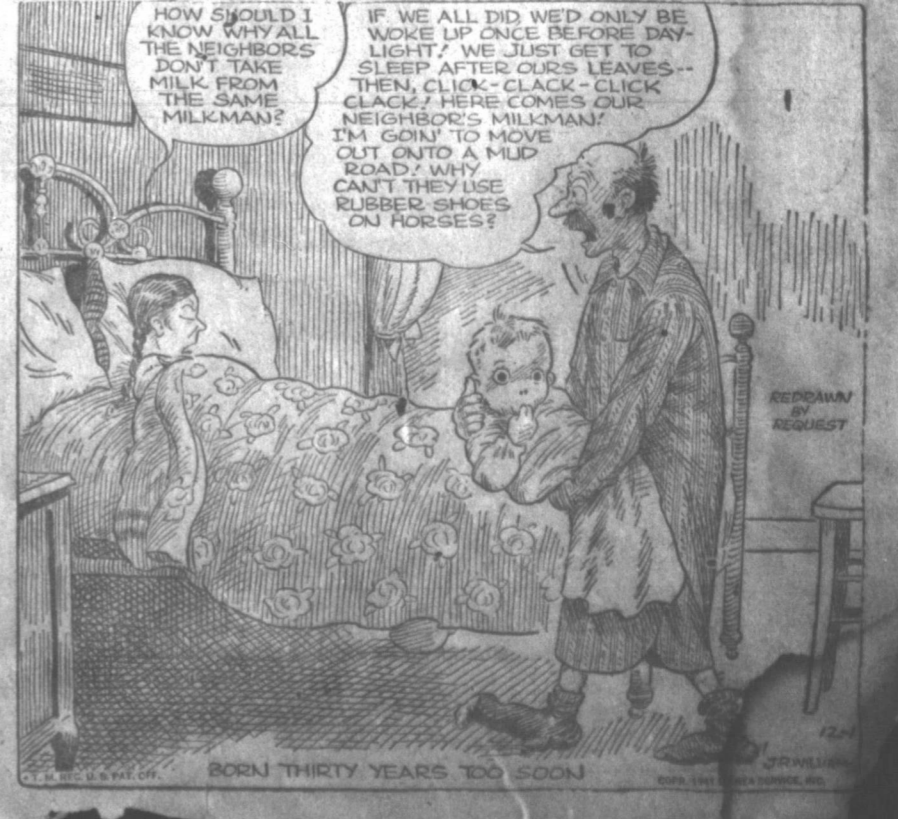
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE With MAJOR HOOPLE

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



Many Persons Seek Patents On Letter 'V'

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 (AP)—The popularity of the 22nd letter of the alphabet as a symbol for victory over the Axis has brought a stream of "V" designs to the patent office, a check of recent records showed today.

Many persons with ideas for dressing up the letter with shields, eagles, flags, lions and most of all—dots and dashes have submitted their designs with requests for patents, and 12 of these have been approved within four weeks.

Patent officials explained that the possibilities were nearly unlimited, since a design patent covers only the particular design and purpose described in the patent, or "substantially similar" designs and purposes. Thus, it was pointed out, one cannot patent the letter "V" as such.

Among recently patented uses of "V" designs are emblems, lapel buttons, pins, fabric figures, ornamental pins and a pennant.

The pennant was patented by Platho P. Scott of Tulsa, Okla., and is described as "The ornamental design for a flag or similar article, substantially as shown." It is a three cornered flag with part of the border forming a V, inside of which are three dots and a dash—international radio code for the letter.

This patent, officials explained, will cover only flags of substantially that design.

Among persons granted "V" design patents is Stanislaw K. Ostrowski of New York, who was awarded patents on three lapel buttons which use the "V" in connection with a lion rampant and two eagles.

17 Lose Lives In Texas Accidents

(By The Associated Press)

Seventeen persons lost their lives in Texas accidents during the weekend.

T. J. Landers, 19, of Cross, Grimes county, was killed and six other young men were injured when a truck left Highway 21, ten miles west of Bryan.

Pvt. James E. Alexander, 22, of Stephenville, died at Brownwood, bringing to six the number fatally injured in a head-on collision Friday. The fifth death was that of Miss Treva Magness, 25, of Comanche, who died Friday night. The others were Mrs. W. C. Magness, 60, mother of the dead girl; Homer Twain, 27, of Comanche; Corp. Richard C. Woolverton, 22 and Pvt. Charles R. Wilson, both of Camp Bowie.

Four were killed in a grade crossing crash at Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hayes, Bernard Nelson of End, Okla., member of an orchestra, and Johnny Rieks, railroad switchman.

Mrs. W. H. Johnson, 72, of Dal-

HOLD EVERYTHING



FUNNY BUSINESS





NAZIS

(Continued From Page 1)

tain, and his first lieutenant, Admiral Darlan, were meeting today with Hitler himself at Orleans. Vichy acknowledged that a conference with "high German officials" in the occupied zone was at hand.

The break in the Pacific tension followed a tremendous show of collaboration between the United States and Britain, pivoting on Prime Minister Churchill's recent declaration that Britain would join the United States "within the hour" in event of a fight with Japan.

"Despite Japan's expressed disposition to keep on talking, general preparedness continued throughout the Orient.

The governor general of the Dutch East Indies ordered mobilization of the army and air force.

Virtually all the remaining Japanese at Hongkong, British crown colony on the South China coast, were reported preparing to leave for Canton by steamer tomorrow.

The British Hongkong garrison was held in "an advanced state of preparedness" after a three-day test of defenses, and British nationals not required for military duty were urged to leave.

A Chinese government spokesman, holding that intensified action if the Washington talks fail, expressed confidence that no Washington agreement harmful in any way to China's interests could eventuate.

At Bangkok, qualified observers attached significance to a statement of the Bangkok radio that Thailand would welcome the assistance of friendly powers if the Thais were forced to fight for their independence.

The British said further that the remainder of the German and Italian forces in the Tobruk sector would be vanquished by midweek "if the fight continues as well as it is going now."

Foremost in the minds of observers in Manila was a belief that the Japanese might strike at any moment at Thailand in an effort to cut the Burma road over which flow supplies for China.

The Bangkok, Thailand, radio, however, asserted that "Thailand will never be attacked by Japanese troops."

Despite that confidence, the U. S. consular authorities in Bangkok have advised American citizens living in that country to be prepared to leave in event of an emergency. In Shanghai, the U. S. consulate again urged Americans to go home as soon as possible.

It was disclosed during the week-end that Britain had landed a large force of veteran British and Indian troops at Rangoon, Burma, to take up positions along the 1,700-mile front the British are building through the jungles and mountains of Malaya and Burma.

It also was disclosed that an all-American unit composed of American planes flown by American pilots under the Chinese flag would soon be defending the Burma road.

In Tokyo, Foreign Minister Tojo declared in an address Sunday night that Japanese negotiations with Washington had taken a most serious turn and the newspaper Asahi said the signing of Japanese proposals in the United States was imminent.

Domestically, Japanese news agency with authoritative connections, quoted foreign office officials as saying the "Belgian" speech of Premier General Hideki Tojo this week-end had been misinterpreted. General Tojo said Japan "must purge" American and British influence "from East Asia with a vengeance." Domestically, the officials pointed out that the premier had declared for a purge of British and American "exploitation" in the Far East rather than for the elimination of the powers themselves from the scene.

In the war at sea, the British announced that the cruiser Devonshire sank an armed German merchant raider Nov 22 in the south Atlantic but was unable to pick up survivors because a submarine was in the vicinity.

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LOUISE EADS, TITIAN HAIR-ED BEAUTY—will be featured by Kathryn Duffy of Oklahoma City when she presents her famous "Fun Marches On" revue at the annual party given by the Panhandle chapter of the American Petroleum Institute Friday night at the Southern club. The glamorous dancer will

be featured in "May Festival" and in "On the Good Ship Smile-A-While." Tickets are on sale at the Schneider hotel and by members of the chapter advisory board. Two dance orchestras will be presented before and after the floor show. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock with the floor show at 10 o'clock.

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Market Briefs

NEW YORK, Dec. 1 (AP)—News generally was on the side of the stock markets today but while an assortment of favorites managed to acquire modest improvements, many leaders failed to recover any ground.

The list exhibited mild rallying signs at the start. Scattered weak spots then cropped up and irregularly lower tendencies prevailed until the final hour when light buying in the rails brought aid to other departments. The closing tone, however, still was mixed. Fractional variations were the rule but a few wider losses and gains were in evidence.

Tax selling persisted as a market brake, with large blocks of low-price issues helping to bridge numerous slow intervals and putting the day's turnover at around 900,000 shares.

Table with columns for NEW YORK CURB, CHICAGO WHEAT, and CHICAGO GRAIN, listing various commodities and their prices.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1 (AP)—Soybean prices soared 6 cents a bushel today, the limit permitted in one session, carrying other grains upward in a general advance.

Traders attributed buying of beans to receipt of scattered rains in important producing sections over the week-end and sharply reduced receipts at principal terminal markets. They said the rains probably would interfere with harvest, which already is serious in some areas.

Wheat closed 15-20 cents higher than yesterday. December 1.16 1/4-11.16, May 11.2-11.21; corn 1.23 1/4-1.23 1/4, December 75 1/2-75 1/2, May 81 1/2-81 1/2; oats 51 1/2-51 1/2, December 1.23 1/4-1.23 1/4, May 1.23 1/4-1.23 1/4; soybeans 5 1/4-5 1/4 cents higher.

OKLAHOMA CITY LIVESTOCK OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 1 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Cattle, 3,000; calves, 1,100; killing classes opening slow, undertone weak on city butchers; 5 to 10 cents higher; packer market steady; practical top \$10.20; few selected lots to \$10.25; butchers paying \$10.05 and do not packing; hogs steady, mostly \$9.25-\$9.50; stock pigs \$9.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Hogs, 4,200; fairly active; few high; top \$10.15 to all; good to choice 18 to 20; top \$10.15 to \$10.20; stock pigs \$9.25-\$9.50; top \$9.25-\$9.50; stock pigs \$9.25-\$9.50; top \$9.25-\$9.50; stock pigs \$9.25-\$9.50.

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DO YOU RECOGNIZE the slim, smiling young fellow at the extreme left—the one who is playing the accordion? Well, who should it be but Bill Kenton, former Pampan, but now a member of the United States Marines, and a member of the Marines band. Judging by Bill's youthful appearance in the picture he must have found the service a veritable fountain of youth. The picture above shows

members of the Marine hillbilly band organized by Kenton—except that the two violinists formerly played with SYMPHONY ORCHESTRAS, and that should give you an idea how good they are. The violinist on the right was a pupil of Leopold Auer, teacher of Heifetz, Zimbalist, Kreisler, and the one on the left has appeared in RKO and MGM pictures, the guitarist on the right has appeared in Republic pictures. The above picture was published in the San Diego Un-

ion when the orchestra was featured at the Coronado Red Cross Motor corps benefit in the Hotel del Coronado in San Diego. Members of the group are (standing, left to right) Bill Kenton, Frank Bowlin, Luchan (Chief) West, Tommy Schlosser, (sitting) Dave Amsterdam, Louis V. Heggedus. You will remember that Kenton was a popular entertainer over KPND and played his accordion at countless functions and with numerous bands.

Criminologist Disputes Claims Of Dr. Torrance

MONTERREY, Mexico, Dec. 1 (AP)—Dr. Arthur Torrance's contention that his wealthy, elderly bride was injured fatally in an automobile accident was disputed today by the Monterrey municipal criminologist, who said an autopsy showed she had been killed by a "blunt instrument."

Dr. Torrance, who is facing murder charges, has maintained that his wife—the former Mrs. Ada Loveland of Kalamazoo, Mich.—died of injuries suffered when her head struck the edge of a rear-view mirror after she had swerved their honeymoon sedan to avoid striking an animal on the highway.

The criminologist, Gilberto Zandana, asserted in a report, however, that a sharp object such as the edge of the mirror could not have caused the death.

Zandana said that the mirror, found unbroken on the floor of the car, apparently had been wrenched from its place by hand. He added there were no skid marks at the scene of the reported mishap and that there was no evidence the car overturned.

Miami Church Holds Special Service At Fellowship Dinner

MIAMI, Dec. 1—A large crowd was in attendance at the Thanksgiving service held in the basement of the Methodist church. After the Fellowship dinner which is now a part of each month's recreation program in the church, the Rev. E. Lee Stanford led in the special Thanksgiving hour.

A number of appropriate songs were sung in unison, then Rev. Stanford conducted a round-table on Thanksgiving. Assisted by a number of other speakers, he brought out a number of interesting things about the day, the origin, how it is observed, how it should be observed, and what we should be

thankful for, were some of these subjects.

Since the Stanfords have just been returned to the church pastorate for another year, a surprise feature of the program was a tribute of appreciation in their honor rendered by different organizations of the church. J. K. McKenna represented the church. Mrs. McKenna, the women's society, and Mrs. Paul Bowers, the young people, in this tribute.

A song "Oh, Master Let Me Walk With Thee," was sung by Mrs. W. H. Craig and Mrs. Theo Jenkins in concluding the program. This song was dedicated to Rev. and Mrs. Stanford.

It's A Good Trick If You Can Do It

CHICAGO, Dec. 1 (AP)—W. L. Carlyle can thump a steer on the back and tell how it would taste sliced up into porterhouse steaks.

It's a neat trick, but he's spent 50 years perfecting it.

Carlyle is the chief live stock judge at the 42nd International Live Stock exposition. He also manages the Duke of Windsor's Canadian ranch near Calgary, Alta., and once was professor of animal husbandry at the University of Wisconsin.

During this year's eight-day exposition, he will examine, slap, pat, poke, and pinch more than 2,000 fine steers and heifers—one of which will be crowned the North American grand champion.

Watching a live stock judge in action is intriguing, but somewhat mystifying to the average urbanite. Yet every caress or poke Carlyle bestows upon a specimen is necessary for the final determination—the quality of meat that the animal will provide for human consumption.

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Mainly About People

Miss Hazel Wanner returned to Arkansas City, Kan., yesterday after visiting her brother Walter Wanner and Mrs. Wanner.

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Three men, all charged with being intoxicated, were fined in city police court today. Fines totaled \$45.

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Roy Bourland transacted business in Amarillo Saturday.

City Manager Steve Matthews will return tomorrow from Miami, Fla., where he attended a meeting of city managers.

Lieutenant Lawrence C. McMurry, son of L. C. McMurry, 905 E. Bery Pampa, is now stationed at McClellan field, Calif., following his graduation from the air corps advanced flying school at Stockton, Calif.

Robert L. Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland H. Floyd of McLean, is one of 1,972 cadets assigned to the first class of cadets in the new air corps replacement center, (aircrew) at Kelly field.

Former Resident Of Pampa, Mrs. George Farley, Dies

Friends in Pampa last night were informed of the death of Mrs. George Farley of Crossville, Ill., formerly of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley resided here for 10 years. They left Pampa three years ago to make their home in Illinois.

Mrs. Farley died last Monday at her home in Crossville. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Survivors are the husband, one son, who resides in Detroit, Mich., and a daughter, whose home is in Walnut Hill, Ill.

Mrs. Farley was a member of group 2 of the women's council of the First Christian church and regularly attended services at that church.

Holy Souls School To Serve Turkey Dinner Sunday Night

Sponsored by the Altar society of Holy Souls church, a benefit turkey dinner will be held from 5 to 8 p. m. Sunday night at Holy Souls school.

General chairman of the dinner is Mrs. William Finkbeiner. In charge of ticket sales is Mrs. Frank Kelm. Arrangements for the hall are in charge of Mrs. Tom O'Rourke Jr.; cooking, Mrs. William Haley; publicity, Mrs. W. H. Davis; supplies, Mrs. W. H. Putnam.

Census records indicate that a white male baby born now has a life expectancy of 60.6 years. Female white babies now have a life expectancy of 64.5 years, as compared with 51.08 in 1900.

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Advertisement for Prophet Foresees Long, Hard Winter. Text: 'LAURYS STATTON, Pa., Dec. 1 (AP)—Get ready for the worst winter in years, warns Willoughby H. Troxell, 71-year-old goose-bone weather prophet. After examining the well-picked bones of his Thanksgiving—dark bones means a long, hard winter—he predicted: "Come Christmas and New Years, there'll be snow enough to stall a tank brigade. Come January, it'll be colder'n a pawnbroker's ticket. So put in wood, boys, and pile it high!" County Officials Plan Banquet And Christmas Tree For the first time in history, county officials and court house employees are going to have a Christmas party. A banquet, Christmas tree, and a game of gifts is on the program for the party, which is to be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday night, Dec. 19, at the First Methodist church. W. E. James, county treasurer, is making arrangements for the party, and 64 persons attached to court house offices have already signified their intention of attending.'

Advertisement for Wolves To Decide Fate Of Thompson. Text: 'EL DORADO, Ark., Dec. 1 (AP)—University of Arkansas trustees have been asked by letter for their opinions as to whether Fred C. Thomsen should be retained as coach of the Razorbacks. J. G. Ragsdale, chairman of the board, said last night. Ragsdale declared he had received no replies to his letters, but expected to hear from all of the members by Wednesday or Thursday. The chairman asserted his inquiry was started because of expressions of a "number of alumni over the state who have been clamoring for Thomsen's removal." If a majority of the board members want a new coach, the matter will be taken up at a meeting in the next few weeks, Ragsdale said.'

Large advertisement for Doak's CLOSED. Text: 'COTTON STAMPS GOOD HERE! DOAK'S CLOSED Tuesday & Wednesday Open Thursday 9 A. M. SECOND CALL On the BIG STOCK of DRYGOODS MEN'S & WOMEN'S FURNISHINGS HOME FURNISHINGS AND SHOES BARGAIN DAYS HERE'