



SENATOR LODGE IS PRINCIPAL SPEAKER ON PLYMOUTH DAY

LANDING OF PILGRIMS IS CELEBRATED AT PLYMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS.

VICE PRESIDENT-ELECT ALSO DELIVERS ADDRESS

Hymns Appropriate To The Occasion Feature An Interesting Program.

PLYMOUTH, MASS., Dec. 21.—On the shore of Plymouth Bay, where "the breaking waves dashed high" when the Pilgrims set foot on Plymouth Rock on December 21, 1929, their descendants joined with other distinguished men of this generation in America, Great Britain and Holland in observing today with due solemnity the tercentenary of their landing.

An address was delivered by Governor Calvin Coolidge, vice-president-elect, and a poem "1620-1929" was read by Dean Le Baron R. Briggs of the faculty of arts and sciences of Harvard University.

Senator Lodge gave a scholarly outline of the Pilgrim story and in drawing from it a lesson for present day America he pointed out the give men freedom both in body and mind.

"Whatever our faith," he said, "whatever our belief in progress, there can be no nobler purpose for men than to deal with the only earth he knows and the fragment of time awarded him here. While the great republic is true in heart and deed to the memory of the Pilgrims of Plymouth it will take no detriment even from the hand of time."

In stating measures Dean Briggs set forth the vision of the Pilgrims and their prayerful determination: "Freedom Thy new-born nation here shall cherish."

Grant us Thy covenant, unchanging, sure; Earth shall decay; the firmament shall perish; Freedom and truth, immortal shall endure."

The answer of their descendants to this challenge came in these words: "The Pilgrim's faith, the Pilgrim's courage grant us; Still shines the truth that for the Pilgrim's sake not life nor death shall daunt us. The quest for freedom, Pilgrim hearts shall own."

The official party came from Boston on a special train and proceeded immediately to the old Colony Theatre, where the exercises were held. In their number, in addition to the speakers of the day, were official representatives of Great Britain and Holland, several New England governors, members of the New England judiciary, Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama and members of patriotic societies, including the Society of Mayflower Descendants. The presiding officer was Louis K. Liggett of Boston, chairman of the Massachusetts Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission.

After the formal exercises the guests of the day were entertained at luncheon. The remainder of the day they gave over to a pilgrimage to Plymouth Rock, the Cole's Hill burying ground and other parts of the town intimately connected with the Pilgrims' history.

Toucher Upon Objection. Senator Lodge touched upon "the peevish, meaningless objection" that if the great act of history had not accomplished the specific deeds attached to their names "somebody else would have done all these things," and continued: "The 'might have been' have no claims to celebration. That which alone is entitled to this high honor is 'what was.' The actual deed and the men who did the deed which 'breaks the horizon's level line,' not those who did do it, even if they thought about it, alone deserve honor, reverence and commemoration."

"Can we, then, justly place what happened here at Plymouth, and the men and women to whom we owe the great act, in the small, high-class 'decisive' events due to the actual doers of great deeds? Clearly, I think we can. Jamestown and Plymouth were the cornerstones of the four-century upon which the great fabric of the United States has been built up."

The senator sketched briefly the early struggles of the Pilgrims, and went on: "It is clearer than anything else, to those who look into it with considerate eyes, that these men, the leaders especially, had a profound consciousness that they were engaged in a vastly greater task than establishing a colony. They felt in the depths of their being that they were laying the foundation of an empire—a mighty nation."

The underlying and the lasting causes which made the action of the Pilgrims a decisive event in history seem to me to be not what they did with their ships and farms, their trade and their fisheries, but what their minds and with their thoughts. It matters not whether we agree with their theology or with their forms of Christian worship; that which counted then and has counted ever since was that they set the spiritual above the material.

"They never for a moment thought that life and its mysteries could be expressed in economic terms, which seems, if not actually avowed, to be the tendency among all classes today. They set character first. They sought to give men freedom both in body and mind. They tried to reduce the sum of human misery, as we think of them, our reverence and our admiration alike grow ever stronger. While the great republic is true in heart and deed to the memory of the Pilgrims of Plymouth, it will take no detriment even from the hand of time."

sending the shareholders of the institution was taken into custody yesterday after detectives had interviewed Mr. Jones and Keogh, joint managers of the bank. Thomas Farrow, founder of the bank, was also placed under arrest, but was too ill to be taken from his home at St. Leonard's, Sussex, and two constables were placed in the house to guard him.

WEALTHY CHICAGO MEN GET PRIVATE DETECTIVES TO GUARD THEIR HOMES

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—In an effort to combat the crime wave which has swept Chicago since the advent of cold weather, wealthy citizens have employed private detectives to guard their homes.

Roger Gale, Pinkerton detective, while patrolling the street in front of the home of Cyrus H. McCormick, here yesterday, last night, was held up by four men, three of them in soldiers' uniforms, and one, John Johnson, wearing a sailor's uniform. Gale, firing from his pocket, wounded the sailor and captured him. The others escaped.

C. H. HARDEMAN REPORTS THEFT OF HIS FORD CAR

C. H. Hardeeman, 2145 Ave. P, reported to the police Tuesday morning that a five-passenger Ford touring car had been stolen from him shortly before daylight. The car bore a state license number 814646 and engine number 4382764.

BAINBRIDGE COLBY AND PARTY AT RIO DE JANEIRO

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 21.—Bainbridge Colby, the American secretary of state, arrived here this morning on board the battleship Florida from the United States.

MODIFIED CURFEW LAW GETS TEST IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—A modified curfew law designed to aid the police in combating the "crime wave" had its first trial today.

Under orders of Commissioner Enright, uniformed policemen stopped persons on unfrequented streets between midnight and daylight, searching and questioning them.

Dr. R. E. Huff Jr., dentist, 416 First Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 6797. 192-307. Pictures make a present all can enjoy. The Decorators Co. 220-410. Picture frames, The Decorators Co. 220-410.

AMERICANS FREE TO TRADE WITH RUSSIA AT THEIR OWN RISK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—American business men today were free to trade with Russia—"at their own risk."

This means, according to government officials, that while no restrictions will be placed on trade with the soviet neither will any aid be given to such trade and that any American who suffers losses or confiscation of his goods will get no help from this government.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY BRADY PLEADED WITH CONVICTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—District Attorney Matthew Brady today expressed satisfaction over the conviction of Edmund Murphy, pugilist, found guilty last night of attacking Jessie Montgomery, aged 17, last Thanksgiving Day.

"We consider the conviction a great victory," he said. "The other accused gangsters will be tried in quick succession."

The trial of Edward Kravofsky, another pugilist, is set for today.

Mr. Murphy and Kravofsky are members of a gang whose alleged activities resulted in the killing of three peace officers at Santa Rosa, December 5, and the lynching of the alleged slayer later.

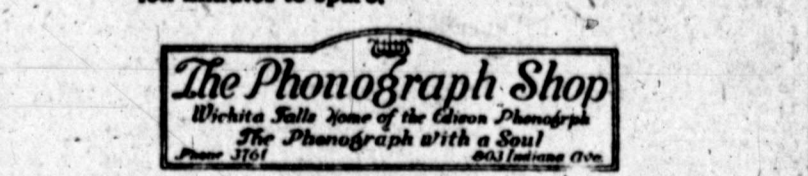
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TWO ARRESTS ARE MADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE BANK FAILURE IN LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Two arrests have been made in connection with the suspension of Farrow's Bank, which was announced yesterday, says the Daily Mail. F. A. Mark, an auditor repre-

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### FEDERAL GRAND JURY AT CHICAGO IS AFTER THE BUILDING TRUST

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—The federal grand jury's investigation of the alleged building trust in Chicago opened today with several truck loads of record books and contracts as evidence. Thirty-three subpoenas were issued last week against secretaries of lumber companies and carpenters' organizations by United States District Attorney Charles F. Clyne.

### STATE'S STAR WITNESS SCHEDULED TO TESTIFY

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 21.—Miss May E. Neely, said to be the state's star witness, is scheduled to testify at today's hearing of the case of Chief Justice of Municipal Courts William H. McGannon, charged with second degree murder in the killing of Harold C. Kazy, a garage owner.

### AMERICA TO PLAY SANTA TO CHILDREN OF EUROPE

VIENNA, Dec. 21.—America will play Santa Claus to more than 250,000 destitute children of Vienna and central Europe this year. The American relief administration will give three garments to each child and a pound of cake made from white flour.

### BROWNWOOD BRICKLAYERS ACCEPT WAGE REDUCTION

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—The Brownwood Bricklayers' union, claiming jurisdiction over 13 counties in this district, announced today it had voluntarily accepted a wage reduction of from \$12, the present scale, to \$11 per day. Decreasing living costs was assigned as the reason for accepting the reduction, which becomes effective January 1.

### PLAN FOR ADVANCED STUDY OF THE SCIENCE OF GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Establishment in Washington of an educational center for advanced study in the science of government and departmental administration, will be undertaken by a committee of college professors and others recently appointed by Paul S. Reisch, president of the American Political Science Association.

### CUBA FACES A PERIOD OF DEFLATION, SAYS REPORT

HAVANA, Dec. 21.—Cuba faces a period of deflation but if the people "work and save" and if no unwise steps are taken, the nation will continue to prosper, said Albert Rathbone, former assistant secretary of the United States treasury, here last night. Mr. Rathbone has been making an investigation of financial conditions in Cuba, at the suggestion of President Menocal.

### PREPARE TO REMOVE THE CARGO OF THE SAN PABLO

HAVANA, Dec. 21.—Preparations have been made to remove the cargo of the United Fruit liner steamer San Pablo, which went ashore at the entrance to Havana harbor a week ago.

### TABLOIDS

Expensive Discarded. CHICAGO.—William Robertson and 26 other members of the Greenback Social club, discussed philosophy and psychology until 3 a. m. Judge Howard Hayes fined them for disorderly conduct.

Stay At Home. VALPARAISO, IND.—For twenty-seven years John Richenshr has lived and worked in the north part of Valparaiso and during all that time he has not visited the business district of the city, which is only a few blocks distant.

Officers Interfere. DETROIT.—Dan Baultu wanted so bad to hang himself. Jail attendants cut him down three times. Dan used his suspenders, pants and shirt but when these were taken away he couldn't hang himself any more. He is resting from his "joke" spree.

Escaped Execution. NEW YORK.—Convicted of stealing a 20-cent tip from a waiter, Samuel Wilder escaped execution, but got three months.

To Make Them Go Up. DALLAS, TEX.—Police and federal officials seized crates labeled "second hand airplane wings" in a local garage. Examination disclosed two hundred cases of bonded "liker" worth \$100,000.

### BREWING COMPANY PLANT IS SEIZED BY GOVERNMENT

WILKESBARRE, PA., Dec. 21.—The entire plant and apparatus of the Stegmaier Brewing company, the largest in Luzerne county, were seized today by the United States government for alleged violation of the Volstead prohibition act. It was the first brewery taken over by the revenue authorities in the state of Pennsylvania.

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### MIDNIGHT CONFERENCE TO FEATURE THE SHEPARD CASE

Macon, GA., Dec. 21.—A midnight conference between two members of the alleged "murder cabal" and several other persons will be brought into the investigation into the death of Frederick Shepard, Georgia peach king. Solicitor General Garrett said today. Questioning one of the defense witnesses, D. McCran, in the preliminary hearing of the four defendants, Garrett drew from him an admission that such a midnight conference had been held after the corpse of Shepard had been exhumed in a search for traces of poison.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21.—O. M. Peckham, chairman of the board of directors of the National Candy Company, died at his home here today from pneumonia. He was 76 years old.

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Our sugar will be just 10 cents a pound, And spuds 40 cents for a peck, And you might buy while you're hanging around Some canned fruit to go down your neck.

Oranges, Apples and all kinds of fruit We have at a reasonable price; Nuts and Candy, I think they will suit, If you're looking for something real nice.

We have Pickles and Spices and Relishes rare And many other things to show, And want you to listen while we solemnly swear, That they are exceptionally low.

If you'll jump in your car and head it for town, And don't stop until you get to our door, We will load it up 'till you're glad you came down And you will say, "I'll come back some more".

We will sell you a big sack of Wichita Flour For two bucks and eighty cents. You can buy your needs in less than an hour And be back at your front yard fence.

If you can't come down, but want a few things That will make you grow stronger and thrive, Just go to your phone and give a few rings, Tell central to give you 2915.

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—Per Kelly



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We desire to announce that we have secured the services of Mr. F. L. Mercer, former manager of Kahn's Company of this city, but recently associated with Sanger Bros. of Fort Worth, as manager and buyer for our Men's Wear Department.

Relying on our belief that High-Grade Clothing has reached its very lowest level for 1920 and 1921, we sent Mr. Mercer to the principal clothing markets, where he found Suits and Overcoats which he purchased far below their real value.

Luckily for us and our customers, this clothing has reached us for our Holiday trade and we invite you to visit our clothing department and inspect this magnificent showing of Suits and Overcoats and to note the wonderful saving which is evidenced by the remarkable price concession.

Mr. Mercer is very desirous of meeting his former friends and customers and also to form the acquaintance of our entire clientele.

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### Here Are Some Gift Suggestions Worthy of Your Attention

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# The Times' Daily Woman's Page

Woman's Page Editor's Phone 6971

## More Than 300 Children Have Written Santa Claus Care the Salvation Army Every Letter to Be Answered Christmas

### PRETTY CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR EXPRESSION PUPILS

The little folks in Miss A. A. Knickerbocker's expression classes were delightfully entertained at her studio Monday evening with one of the prettiest Christmas parties of the season, so far.

Christmas games were played for half an hour or so after the children had gathered until they were interrupted by the sound of bells in another room. The "littles" of the little folks were hurried to the door to see what the noise meant, and found Santa Claus there with a tree as big as he could carry. He was enthusiastically invited in, and the tree set up on a convenient table. (In fact, the table looked very much as if it had waited there for that very purpose, some of the older children thought.) Santa Claus distributed a Christmas stocking to each little guest, the stockings containing little remembrances and candy and nuts.

After the Christmas gifts were all received, several contests were enjoyed. Johnnie Green Hawkins was most successful in blowing out the Christmas candle and received a prize. Little Miss Mary Jane Black guessed most correctly the number of berries on a mistletoe bough, and Morine Clark was most successful in making the bells jingle on Santa's coat by throwing a ball at them. Both were given prizes. After the contests a dainty service of ice cream and cake was made by the hostess. The following children enjoyed the pretty party: Dan White, Leon Deaton Jr., James and Weldon Guest, Sam Wallace Jones, Joe Staley, J. I. Staley Jr., Nathan Claus, B. M. Hester, Harold Simmons, Paul Barnett, Madeline McCarty, Johnnie Woods, Johnnie Green Hawkins, Elynie Hawkins, Marjorie Bright, Dorothy Nolen, Elizabeth Lee, Doris Rudhouse, Dorothy Lee Taylor, Mary Elizabeth Featherstone, Helen Snyder, Margaret Bond, Mary C. Knight, Helen Ingle, Evelyn Barker, Judith Shearod, Morine Clark, Mary Jane Black, Elizabeth Knight and Mignon Sanford.

Mrs. Herbert Little of Waco is expected here to spend Christmas with her daughter, Miss Iva Little.

Miss Margaret Du Bone, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A., left Tuesday morning for Gadsden, Ala., where she will spend Christmas.

John and Miss Eleanor Allen are home from Southwestern University, Georgetown, to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Allen, at 1105 Burnett street.

When you need a plumber, call 2624. Geo. W. Winburne, Jr., 2100 Eighth street. 219-71p

### FOR AFTERNOON WEAR.

The High school orchestra, which gives a well planned program at the First Methodist church, south, Tuesday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, will include among the numbers six of the "best" numbers recently selected for the children's music guessing contest.

The inclusion of these numbers is one among several courtesies on the part of local artists and musical organizations, churches and music dealers, all of whom have offered their assistance in familiarizing the children of the city with the best music, and impressing the names of well loved classics on their minds.

The orchestral numbers on the program will be explained Tuesday evening by the children. Among these will be the "Hallelujah chorus" from Handel's oratorio, the Messiah. The Hallelujah chorus, one of the best, if not the best known selection from a religious musical text, is the grand climax of triumph in the oratorio, and psychologists, it is said, claim that Handel was inspired when he wrote it.

It is further stated that when he first heard the oratorio sung the composer exclaimed, "I did think I saw God Himself!"

When the oratorio was sung before King George II in 1742, the king rose to his feet to show his respect, the audience following his example. This has now become a custom that audiences seldom fail to follow. The children who are hearing this greatest of choruses are also enjoying its wonderful construction.

The "Largo" from Handel's "Xerxes" another number to be played, is usually heard as an instrumental composition, when, in fact, it is the air sung by the tenor in the opera. It is an ode to a

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### MARRIED MONDAY NOON AT HOME OF BRIDE'S PARENTS

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"Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tilden Smith announce the marriage of their daughter, Jessie Bellmont, to Mr. Joseph Maurice Davis, at high noon Monday, December 21st, nineteen hundred and twenty, at their residence, Wichita Falls, Texas."

Miss Mae Hester of Fort Worth came through today en route to Altus, Okla., where she will spend Christmas with her mother. Miss Hester was formally office manager of the G. D. Anderson company here, and has been for the past several months office manager of Mr. Anderson's Fort Worth company. She spent the day here with friends.

### 50-YEAR RECORD GIVING EASE TO SICK BABIES

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plain tree growing in a beautiful garden. This is seldom heard, as sacred words are often attached because of the slow and stately dignity of the popular air.

"The Harmonious Blacksmith," the third Handel number in the contest, received its name in a curious way, it is said. Many years after Handel's death the original publisher of his works was nicknamed "the blacksmith" because of his youthful following of that occupation. He made this air and variations his favorite concert number.

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Christmas Trees at City Hall. 221-21p

Abie Bashara returns from Rice Institute at Houston Thursday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bashara.

Among the young people home from Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas, to spend the holidays with homefolks are John Kay, Miss Madeline and Junius Thomas, Charles Cook, and Walter Nelson.

Misses Cecelia and Sadie Adickes are home to spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. M. M. Adickes, and to attend the Francis-Adickes wedding. Misses Ruth Crowell and Josephine Mayfield are among the young ladies home from Ward-Belmont to spend Christmas.

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45 lbs. Belle of Wichita Flour	22.50
14 lbs. Swift's Premium or Certified Lard	22.50
5 lbs. Swift's Premium or Certified Lard	21.25
8 lbs. Jewel or Advance Compound	11.25
4 lbs. Jewel or Advance Compound	7.50
No. 1 Peaches, Peas or Apricots in heavy syrup	30c
No. 2 Corn, White Swan or Kehlmoor, 20c; per doz.	22.50
No. 2 Potatoes, good brand, 15c; per doz.	11.25
Mistletoe, Alva Vista or Churned Gold Butter	75c
Fresh Eggs	75c
Swift Premium Ham, small, per lb.	34c
Pork Chops, per lb.	30c
Bread, per loaf	12c

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### Georgia Minstrels Delight Big House At Wichita Theater

Rusco and Hockwald's famous Georgia minstrels unlimbered their "Long Toms" and "Big Berthas" at a packed house in the Wichita theatre Monday night, bombarding the audience for over two hours with an endless stream of humor, comedy, foolishness and harmony that has gained for this troupe the name of the best minstrel show that ever exhibited before the public.

It was that the performance was a success in every way and that it found immense favor with the crowd, would be putting it mildly, for there were more laughs per square inch crammed into the minstrel's offerings than in any other show which has exhibited here this year.

The entire company displayed fine talent, both in the matter of dramatics and music. The soloists, without exception, possessed pleasing voices, while the choruses worked and sang together in perfect harmony and unison. The eight piece orchestra also could not have been improved upon for the work required of it and was no small factor in the evening's success.

Individual honors of the night were pretty evenly divided between Chick Beeman and Ed Tollivar, both of whom appeared on numerous occasions and who never failed to elicit howls of glee. In the first half of the performance both were presented in solos that went over big, while in the latter piece Beeman had the stage to himself in a soliloquy that ran the whole gamut of humor in a way that brought down the house. Tollivar, whose main attributes were a mouth of colonial proportions and the ability to make it assume all shapes and sizes, was given ample opportunity to display his stock

in trade, both in solos and dialogues with Elmer Stirmann.

One of the novelty features of the show was the hokey juggling act of Coy Herndon wherein the dusky athlete filled the air and covered the stage with spinning circles of wood. Some of his feats were sensational, and brought hearty applause.

All of the feature attractions of the performance were above par, the Georgia quartette, the Johnson brothers, the Darktown duet and others too numerous to mention being presented in splendid fashion.

The minstrels are scheduled to appear twice today, a matinee at 2:30 and again in the evening at 8:30. Manager Croshaw of the Wichita theatre reports that a packed house is assured for both attractions.

**VERNON GOING TO HAVE A COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE**

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—Vernon will have the first community Christmas tree in its history December 25 when local Elks will provide a tree and presents in their club rooms for all the poor children of the city. The celebration will be held in the afternoon.

A committee has been appointed to get the names, ages, sex, and residences of all the children in Vernon who are apt to be denied a Christmas of cheer, and will call in cars for the little ones, as well as return them to their homes. Each child will receive a present. There will be a speech, songs, and an entertaining program.

Ladies' suits half price. Upstairs Garment Shop, over Woolworth's on Indiana. 219-70c

**Wichita Theatre**  
Tues., Dec. 21  
Matinee Tuesday  
RUSCO & HOCKWALD  
Present

**FAMOUS GEORGIA MINSTRELS**  
33rd Year  
Only Show Of Its Kind In The World  
40 People—Band—Orchestra  
15 Vaudeville Acts 15  
Watch for the Band Parade

Secure your seats early. Prices: Night—Orchestra, \$1.65; First Balcony, \$1.45; Second Balcony, \$1.10; Gallery, \$1.10. Tax included. Matinee Prices—Orchestra and Balcony, \$1.50; Gallery 50c.

### PLAZA Theatre

"The Peek-a-Boo Girls"  
Change of Program Each Day.  
Featuring Jess Myers Comedian and Harmony Trio.  
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"Where the West Begins"  
Mystery, adventure and romance, the three predominating elements properly woven into picturization form make this an inspiring comedy drama.  
Orchestra At Night  
MATINEE 2:30 P. M.

### Pacific Coast Navy To Bring Christmas To 800 Little Ones

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The navy will bring to 800 San Francisco waifs the spirit of Christmas that otherwise would be lacking from their lives this year, according to announcement today. The decks under the shadows of the muzzles of mammoth 14-inch guns of the battleships New York, Texas, Wyoming and Arkansas, comprising division six of battleship squadron, four of the Pacific fleet at Anchor in San Francisco bay, will furnish the scene for the entertainment of four hundred of the children.

The other four hundred will be guests at the naval training station in Yerba Buena island.

Turkey dinner and all the "fixings" and gifts of toys of all kinds will be furnished the children through contributions of the officers and enlisted men.

**THREE WILBARGER SCHOOLS DISMISS FOR HOLIDAYS**

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—Three rural schools in Wilbarger county dismissed for the Christmas holidays last Friday and will suspend sessions until the Monday following New Year's Day. This unusually long vacation, according to the county superintendent, is to enable the farmers to make use of their children as cotton pickers. The three schools named are Tolbert, Guyer and Hancey.

Most of the rural school in Wilbarger county have a week's vacation, and will close either Thursday or Friday of this week.

When you need a plumber, call 3642. Geo. W. Winburn, Jr., 2409 Eighth street. 219-71p

### GOVERNOR OF OKLAHOMA PARDONS 28 PRISONERS

McALESTER, OKLA., Dec. 21.—Twenty-eight prisoners in the state penitentiary here will spend Christmas as free men by the grace of Governor Robertson. Nearly all of them had but a few days or weeks to serve after Christmas, so the Oklahoma executive granted pardons that they might spend the holidays at home—if they have any.

Flour, the best is Honey Bee. Ask your grocer for it. If he has none, phone 6793. 230-41p

Christmas Trees at City Hall, 221-21p

**EMPRESS—FRIDAY  
WM. S. HART  
In a Brand New Picture**

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Consumers Wholesale Grocery Co. Is  
**NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS**  
At 612 Ohio Ave.

You can save money on your Grocery bill by paying \$5.00 per month and getting your  
**GROCERIES AT WHOLESALE PRICE**  
The Same Price That We Pay—Fair to Everybody.  
Come and See for Yourself

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**NECKWEAR \$1**  
Values to \$3.00

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A new shipment of Hand-embroidered Jersey Dresses and Blouses at bargains.

All Coats, Suits and Dresses at big reductions.

Our Clean-Sweep Sale is still in full sway.

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AT 10.20 o'clock  
SOLD 20 Ladies' Suits and 20 Coats in 20 minutes

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**100 DRESSES**  
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These Dresses formerly Sold up to \$150—Silks, Serges and Tricotines

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All Other Dresses, Suits and Coats  
**HALF PRICE**

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Solid Gold Jewelry, Diamonds, Lavalieres, Cuff Buttons, Watch Charms, Bar Pins, Tie Pins, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Cut Glass, Sterling Silver, Ruby Rings, Lodge Emblems, Pearl Necklaces, Knife and Chains, Smoking Sets, Shaving Sets, Wrist Watches, Military Sets—everything in the Jewelry line—  
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A Guarantee With Every Item

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Silk Shirts, Ties, Hose, Belts, Hats, Gloves, Sweaters, Blouses, Underskirts, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Shoes, Dresses, Suits, Underwear, House Shoes and everything made to wear—at prices less than half what others are charging.

**Richardson's**  
704 OHIO

YOU CAN READ THIS.

The secretary of the North Side Purity League and Sewing Circle demands that movies be rigidly censored, declaring that in the one she saw six years ago was an actual close-up scene of a river hugging the shore!

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**It's a Great Life**  
Adapted from the famous story  
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Mary Roberts Rinehart  
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With Dorothy Phillips—Star of "The Heart of Humanity."  
ONCE TO EVERY WOMAN  
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A romance such as only real life reveals, so plausible and so true, that it starts by its very simplicity.

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# WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS!

The merchants who do business in the block between Ohio and Indiana Avenues, on Seventh Street, and the Consumers Cash Store, around the corner on Ohio, invite your patronage. We represent nearly all lines of merchandise and it will be a convenience to you, and save you much time, to purchase all your supplies in one block instead of traveling from one end of the business-district to the other.

In order to induce you to come to our block, each merchant whose advertisement appears hereon is offering you a saving on almost every item that is listed.

**READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS AND THEN COME TO OUR BLOCK:**

## Bananas

SOLID CARLOAD FOR THE CONSUMER

- A bunch ..... **\$2.50**
- Per dozen, **35c**, or 3 dozen for..... **\$1.00**
- California Grapes, per basket..... **\$1.00**
- 3 lbs. Mixed Nuts (1920 crop)..... **\$1.00**
- Solid Sweet Grape Fruit, 3 for..... **25c**
- Large size Cocoanuts, each (and up)..... **15c**
- Dromedary Dates, per pkg..... **20c**
- LEMONS, large size, per dozen..... **12 1/2c**
- California Navel Oranges, per box..... **\$4.50**
- Apples—Winesaps, Arkansas, Black, per bushel ..... **\$4.00 up**

Apples and Oranges by the Dozen  
—a Clear Cut in All Sizes

### VEGETABLE SPECIALS

- Celery, well bleached, 2 bunches..... **25c**
- Lettuce, solid, 2 heads..... **25c**
- Ripe Tomatoes, pink, 2 lbs..... **35c**

All Other Vegetables in Proportion

## Busy Bee Fruit Store

606 Seventh St.

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## Last Chance Before Christmas

Real, Sure-Enough, Useful and Substantial Christmas Gifts at Real, Sure-Enough Reasonable Prices.

—Aluminum Percolators and a full line of Wear-Ever Aluminum.

Sets of China and a complete stock of High-Grade China.

Community Silverware; all patterns.

Casseroles, Thermo Bottles, Fancy Vases,

Cut Glass and lots of useful gifts that would be appreciated.

**A Complete Line of Substantial Wheel Toys for Boys and Girls**

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We are reserving your supply choice fed steers Christmas trade.  
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We also have Milk-fed Veal, Roaster Pigs, choice Spring Lambs, choice fed Turkeys and Chickens. For any of the choice cuts or a selection of any of the above items, place your orders early for reservation.

**A FEW OF OUR PRICES ON FANCY CHRISTMAS STOCK OF MEAT AND POULTRY ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

- CHOICE FED BEEF**
- Loin and Round Steak..... **40c**
  - Shoulder Steak..... **25c**
  - Rolled or Pot Roast..... **20c**
  - Short Ribs, Stew or Boiling Meat..... **15c**
  - Choice Veal, the same as like cut of beef.....
  - Star and Supreme Skinned Hams..... **30c**
  - Premium Star or Supreme Bacon..... **50c**
  - Star Hams and Bacon in Christmas wrapping.....

- FRESH PORK**
- Pork Chops..... **30c**
  - Pork Ham Steak..... **30c**
  - Pork Loin Sausage (extra fancy)..... **30c**
  - Pork Hams (whole)..... **25c**
  - Spare Ribs..... **25c**

We invite you to come to our market and see the unusual high quality of our Christmas Meats, that you may appreciate our effort to have the best available for this occasion.

It's a real treat to be able to secure such quality Meats at our regular price.

Our market will be closed from 9:30 Friday evening until 6:30 Monday morning.

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616 Seventh St.

Phone 25

THE CROWDS SWARMED OUR PLACE EARLY TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SPECIAL OFFERINGS OF OUR GREAT

# 95 Cent Sale

The Timely Offerings Before Christmas Should Appeal to Everyone

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| Men's \$2.00 Ties..... <b>95c</b>                            | Men's Buckskin Flannel Shirts for..... <b>95c</b>        |
| Men's \$2.00 Belts..... <b>95c</b>                           | Men's \$2.50 Flannel Gowns for..... <b>95c</b>           |
| Men's \$2.00 Silk Hose..... <b>95c</b>                       | Babies' Shoes..... <b>95c</b>                            |
| Men's \$3.00 Overalls..... <b>95c</b>                        | Women's Blouses, \$3.00 value for..... <b>95c</b>        |
| Boys' Flannel Blouses, \$1.25 variety, 2 for..... <b>95c</b> | Women's \$2.00 Silk Hose..... <b>95c</b>                 |
| Men's Khaki Pants, the \$2.25 grade for..... <b>95c</b>      | Women's \$3.00 House Aprons for..... <b>95c</b>          |
| Men's and Boys' \$3.00 Caps for..... <b>95c</b>              | Women's 35c Cotton-Fleeced Hose, 4 pairs..... <b>95c</b> |
| Boys' Fur Gloves..... <b>95c</b>                             |  |

Many Other Articles—Too Many to Enumerate

*The People's Store*  
THE HOME/REAL BARGAINS MARKET

602 Seventh Street

## Specials for Christmas Week

### CONSUMERS CASH STORE

622 Ohio Ave. Phone 4316  
FREE DELIVERY

- Sugar, 10 lbs. for..... **\$1.00**
- Belle of Wichita Flour, 24-lb. sack..... **\$1.45**
- Belle of Wichita Flour, 48-lb. sack..... **\$2.85**
- Fancy boxes of Washed Figs, each..... **65c**
- Imported Cluster Raisins, each..... **65c**
- Bul Dates, lb..... **30c**
- No. 2 1/2 Syrup-pack Peaches..... **40c**
- No. 2 1/2 Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple..... **45c**
- No. 1 size Syrup-pack Apricots, per can..... **25c**
- No. 2 Red Pitted Cherries, per can..... **40c**
- Paul's Jams in gallons (Peach and Blackberry)..... **\$3.00**
- Gallon Jelly..... **\$1.35**
- Gallon Grated..... **\$1.25**

#### SUNBEAM JELLIES AND JAMS

- Large Sunbeam Grape Jelly, per jar..... **40c**
- Large Sunbeam Quince Jelly, per jar..... **40c**
- Large Sunbeam Crabapple Jelly, per jar..... **40c**
- Sunbeam brand Pure Peach Jam, per jar..... **50c**
- Sunbeam brand Damson Plum, per jar..... **50c**
- Sunbeam brand Quince Jam, per jar..... **50c**
- Sunbeam brand, Apricot Jam, per jar..... **50c**
- Sunbeam brand Stuffed Figs and Dates, per jar..... **75c**
- Sunbeam brand Mason jars of Mincemeat..... **75c**

#### VEGETABLES

- High-grade Corn, per can..... **15c**  
(Only 6 cans to the person)
- No. 2 Hand-pack Tomatoes, 2 cans for..... **25c**
- No. 2 1/2 Van Camp's Hominy, 2 cans for..... **35c**
- No. 2 Brown Beauty Beans, 2 cans for..... **25c**
- Van Camp's Soup, 2 cans for..... **25c**

#### SYRUP

- Gallon Pure Cane Syrup..... **\$1.25**
- Gallon Koo-Koo Syrup..... **\$1.00**

#### BAKING POWDERS

- 36c cans of Calumet..... **30c**
- 10-lb. cans of Calumet..... **\$1.80**
- 25c cans of Health Club, 2 cans for..... **25c**
- 25c cans of Jack Frost..... **15c**

#### COFFEE

- 1 lb. White Swan Coffee..... **55c**
- 1 lb. Golden Rose..... **40c**
- 1 lb. St. Nicholas..... **60c**
- Bulk Coffee, per lb..... **30c**

#### MISCELLANEOUS

- 3 lbs. of Seedless Raisins..... **\$1.00**
- Large size Prunes, 4 lbs. for..... **\$1.00**
- Blue Ribbon Peaches, 5-lb. box..... **\$1.60**
- Blue Ribbon Peaches, 2-lb. box..... **60c**
- Golden Rod Washing Powder, 16 boxes for..... **\$1.00**
- 20 bars of Joy Soap..... **\$1.00**
- Spuds., per cwt..... **\$2.75**

### CONSUMERS CASH STORE

Free Delivery Service

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## Cream Bakery and Confectionery

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### FRUIT CAKES FOR XMAS

Have just received another shipment of that good Nut Crystal Fruit Cake in 1-lb., 2-lb. and 3-lb. sizes.

We Sell a 15-Oz. Loaf of Bread for 10 Cents

## CREAM BAKERY





### PROPOSED REFORM OF TAX SYSTEM TO FEATURE SESSION

CONSIDERATION PROMISES TO DEVELOP MUCH INTEREST IN LEGISLATURE.

### MINIMUM WAGE LAW AMENDMENT SUGGESTED

Public Utilities Commission is Proposed And Bill is Prepared By Committee.

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—The thirty-seventh Texas legislature, which will convene in regular session at Austin on January 11, 1921, is composed of 142 representatives and thirty-one senators. Lieutenant Governor-elect Lynch Davidson will preside over the senate. A number of representatives have entered the race for speaker of the house, with no definite indications as to which will be successful.

The Texas legislature is overwhelmingly democratic. In the senate thirty democrats are assured with a possible contest between a democrat and a republican for the thirty-first place. Unofficial reports reaching the capital are that four American party candidates for the house of representatives defeated their democratic opponents in the general election. The remainder of the house is democratic. Thus the platform adopted last summer by the state democratic convention is expected to influence to a large extent the trend of more important subjects to be considered by that body.

Proposed reform of the taxation system of the state will in all probability be the most important measure from the state standpoint, to be taken up, and its consideration promises to develop considerable contention. The state platform directs that the legislature consider and try to remedy such defects as may be found in the present system of taxation before taking up a new one. The state comptroller and the state tax commissioner have recommended a state tax board to equalize all property values, while Representative John A. Smith of Austin has prepared a bill proposing radical changes from present taxation methods.

Amendment of the law authorizing the fixing of a minimum wage for women and minors in Texas, which has not been enforced because the commission appointed to fix the minimum said they could not fix a just wage scale under the present law, is the most important labor measure scheduled at present.

#### Judiciary Reform.

A reform of the judiciary system of the state has been urged from several sources, including the state democratic platform, and Representative Joe Burkett of East and has declared that he will introduce a bill proposing to abolish the nine courts of civil appeals and delegate their jurisdiction to the state supreme court, which he would increase from three to five members.

The state democratic platform directs the legislature to submit to the voters a constitutional amendment proposing the new but "American citizens," native or fully naturalized, be allowed the right of suffrage in

### DE VALERA WAS NOT ABOARD AQUITANIA

CHESTERBOURG, Dec. 21.—The liner Aquitania, upon which Eamon De Valera was reported en route from New York to France, is in port. De Valera was not on the ship, close examination showed.

Texas. The legislature is also urged to submit a constitutional amendment proposing the extension of state aid to citizens in the acquiring of homes.

A committee, appointed by the governor at the request of the thirty-sixth legislature, has prepared a bill proposing the creation of a public utilities commission, which will be submitted.

Senator W. H. Bledsoe of Lubbock has announced that he will introduce a bill seeking to prohibit the acquiring of Texas lands by orientals.

Schools, health and sanitation, road building, eleemosynary institutions, improvement of the state agricultural department and the state bureau of markets and revisions of divisions of state departments and commissions, conservation of natural resources and the redistricting of the state into congressional, senatorial and representative districts under the 1920 census are other subjects suggested for consideration of the legislature by the democratic platform.

### LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE MACHINE SHOPS DESTROYED

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Dec. 21.—The shops of the Louisville and Nashville railroad at Etowah, south of the city, were totally destroyed by fire early this morning, according to long distance telephone messages. All of the machinery in the plant was reported lost and the damage was unofficially estimated at several hundred thousand dollars.

### OKLAHOMA REPUBLICAN EDITORS INVITE HARDING

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 21.—Republican editors of Oklahoma today had decided to invite President-elect Harding to address a Lincoln day banquet here February 12.

It Fills the Need When your doctor decides that you need Scott's Emulsion you may rest assured that he knows that it will fill the need better than anything else.

## Xmas GIFTS UNITED

713 Indiana

### BELIEVED THE TOLEDO EXPRESS ROBBERY A JOB FROM "INSIDE"

TOLEDO, OHIO, Dec. 21.—City detectives working in conjunction with investigators for the American Railway Express company began today to investigate the possibility that the \$16,500 robbery at the company's offices here last night was planned from the inside.

George D. Hartman, local manager for the express company, furnished the police with names of guards who were held up by six men armed with shot-guns while transferring a safe containing the money from the office to a truck in the rear of the store for shipment.

The police spent all of last night searching every known hangout for crooks without making a single arrest. The police base their belief that it was an inside job on the fact that something apparent went wrong with the plans. Less than half an hour before the robbery another and larger safe containing more than \$50,000 was

passed through the same door and taken to the railroad station and placed on a train.

This doubtless was the one the robbers were after, the police point out. The smaller safe carried off by the bandits has not been found.

### SEVERAL PROMINENT VISITORS CALL ON THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

MARION, OHIO, Dec. 20.—An imposing array of visitors was in Marion today for conferences with President-elect Harding. They included the following who have figured in cabinet speculations in recent weeks: Governor Sprull, Pennsylvania; W. W. Atterbury, vice-president of the Pennsylvania railroad; Charles Dawes, Chicago; Senator J. K. Shields, democrat, Tennessee; and Henry Wallace, Des Moines, agricultural publisher.

### Fatty Arbuckle In THE LIFE OF THE PARTY OLYMPIC

Wednesday and Thursday

## COLDS STOP THEM NOW



### ASTONISHING RELIEF FROM USE OF HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL

Why let that miserable cold drag on?—when thousands of people are obtaining quick relief by the use of Hunt's Lightning Oil?

For the treatment of colds in the chest, Hunt's Lightning Oil is simply wonderful. Just rub it on. It penetrates at once and a comforting sense of warmth followed by the tingling of the stimulated circulation quickly relieves the congested feeling and the wretched discomfort that colds always bring.

—And for colds in the throat and head, Hunt's Lightning Oil used according to the directions given on the package opens up the air passages, makes breathing easy and clears up that heavy, congested feeling in the head that makes colds so disagreeable.

Why suffer? Hunt's Lightning Oil can be obtained at any drug store and quick relief follows its use. Get a 3c or 7c bottle NOW.

A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas

## HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL

# RAILROAD

## Wreck Sale

### \$40,000 Stock

Must be sold by Christmas

# Prices Talk

### Men's Overcoats

All who seek for latest styles, here are Overcoats decidedly to your liking. They are all-wool and hand-tailored to the very last stitch, any style, any color you may desire.

## \$14.95

### Men's Suits of Clothes

Extreme or conservative dressers, made of all-wool Cassimeres, Cheviots and fancy Scotch Tweeds; hand-tailored throughout; in both single and double-breasted models, in form-fitting and staple styles; all sizes.

## \$22.85

### Leather Bags and Trunks at a Sacrifice

Men's 20c Hose <b>12c</b>	Men's Suits of Clothes A few on hand. Nothing larger than size 38. Special Bargain <b>\$12.95</b>	Men's Heavy Ribbed Union Suits <b>.95c</b>
Young Men's \$100.00 Suits of Clothes 80 of them. Genuine Gaberdines, guaranteed Skinner's silk lining. Only <b>\$36.95</b>	Men's Overalls Union Made <b>98c</b>	Men's Corduroy Suits of Clothes Any size, plain or belted models <b>\$10.95</b>
Men's Dress Pants Special Lot <b>\$2.95</b>	Men's Dress Pants Special Lot <b>\$3.95</b>	Men's Dress Pants Guaranteed All-Wool <b>\$4.95</b>
Boys' Corduroy Knee Pants <b>\$1.38</b>	Men's Corduroy Pants \$7.50 Values <b>\$3.95</b>	Boys' Knee Pants All-Wool <b>\$1.98</b>
Men's Work Shoes <b>\$1.98</b>	One Group of Men's Work Shoes <b>\$3.95</b>	One Group of Men's Dress Shoes <b>\$4.95</b>
One Group Ladies and Children's Shoes <b>\$1.98</b>	Men's Grey Sweaters <b>98c</b>	One Group of Ladies' Dress Shoes <b>\$4.95</b>
Children's Hose Special Lot <b>29c</b>	Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose <b>38c</b>	Ladies' Sweaters All-Wool. A Wonderful Assortment <b>\$3.95</b>
Men's Mackinaws All-Wool <b>\$6.95</b>	Quilts Large Size and Good Weight <b>\$2.98</b>	Ladies' Hose The 50c Kind <b>23c</b>

## CHRISTMAS At The GIFTE SHOPPE

THE GIFT-SHOP IN THE KEMP HOTEL

Is Showing for the Holidays a Wonderful Line of Curios, Antiques, Works of Art and Novelties Not Carried by the Stores in Any Other Line.

These are carved and figured ornaments from the Orient, beautiful articles in hammered brass, delicately carved wood ornaments, lamps that resemble the lamp that Aladdin owned, bric-a-brac from every country in the world—an attractive and interesting display that is well worth seeing. A gift purchased here will possess an individuality, an artistic value, not possessed by the common run of Christmas gifts.

### \$2.00 Special Every Day

There are hundreds of beautiful and interesting gifts in the lot we have arranged at \$2.00—more appropriate and more to be admired than any five-dollar gift you can get from the usual list.

Look Them Over—It Will Be Worth Your While

### 25% Off of Art Lamps

A lamp that will give your room the right kind of finishing touch can be found in this assortment. There are Desk Lamps, Standing Lamps, Art Lamps of all kinds, of delicate workmanship, of brass and other metals, of varied styles and beauty. These Lamps will be on sale Monday at a discount of 25 per cent.

The Gift Shoppe is what its name applies—a place where you will find the unusual, novel and interesting.

Don't Choose Your Gift for Relative or Friend Until You Have Seen the Thousands of Wonderful Gifts Here

## The GIFTE SHOPPE

KEMP HOTEL

# RAILROAD WRECK Sale



Cor. 7th & Ohio Sts.  
M. HARRIS, Manager

# HARDING URGED TO RECOGNIZE LABOR IN NEW CABINET

## PRESIDENT OF RAILWAY TRAINMEN SUGGESTED FOR PLACE.

## ARGUED IT WILL AID CONSERVATIVE ELEMENT

### In Connection With Labor Department Three Considerations Have Been Urged.

By MARK SULLIVAN  
National Political Correspondent of the New York Evening Post.  
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Some things that occurred last week have thrown some light on at least one cabinet position. Those cabinet appointments remain now as they always have been, subjects in which accurate knowledge is in one place only, and that place is Mr. Harding's mind. But some of Mr. Harding's advisers have reflected certain considerations brought up during the past week.

In connection with the department of labor, three sets of considerations have been urged.

One is that a labor man should be appointed, but one with political experience and officially affiliated with the republican party. The man commonly mentioned in this connection is Congressman John Nolan of California. Another suggestion strongly pressed is that a great captain of industry whose contact with labor consists of having been an employer on a large scale should be appointed. One man occasionally mentioned in this connection is Charles M. Schwab. From another angle of this position, Herbert Hoover is frequently suggested for the department of labor.

### Urged Recognized Leader.

The third position is that a recognized leader of union labor who is still identified with labor exclusively and who has the confidence of organized labor should be given the post.

In this latter connection Senator Harding has been specifically urged to name W. G. Lee, head of the Order of Railway Trainmen and one of the three or four men acknowledged to be the ablest and the highest in standing among the leaders of organized labor. Lee began life as a brakeman on the Atchison and the Union Pacific, and has never held any political office except for a brief period many years ago as deputy recorder of deeds in Ford county, Kansas.

The argument that supports Lee is to the effect that it is the wisest policy to give recognition and support to organized labor.

For some years past the conservative leaders of organized labor, including Gompers himself, have been constantly under assault from radical labor men. It is believed to be the best policy to give to these conservative leaders the kind of recognition that will help them in their resistance against radical opposition in their own ranks.

### Policy of Wilson.

President Wilson has followed this policy frankly. He went out of his way to make an address at the annual meeting of the American Federation of Labor at Buffalo three years ago. It was generally accepted that his presence on that occasion was partly due to his wish to give moral support to Mr. Gompers and to help this veteran head of the federation against any attempt which was just then acute to oust him from his position in favor of some one less conservative.

The selection of a secretary of labor is especially important now because the question of policy in that connection is still in the making. The department of labor is new. It was cre-

ated just at the close of Taft's administration, and the first head of it was appointed by President Wilson. This first appointment was given to William B. Wilson, who still holds the post. Mr. Wilson was at that time a member of congress.

### Result of Experience.

But the choice of Wilson as secretary of labor was not dictated so much by his political experience in congress as by his life time experience as leader of organized labor.

Mr. Harding now has the second appointment to make, and if he makes it in the same spirit as the first, it will tend to crystallize the policy of recognition of the conservative leaders of organized labor and give them aid in their resistance to radical insurgents in their own ranks.

All this has been laid before Senator Harding by advisers who are as remote as possible from formal identification with organized labor and whose motives are solely those of far-sighted policy and the public good.

# Bootlegging System of "Better Class" Is Raided by Officials

## DENVER, Dec. 21.—A bootlegging system of "the better class" was taken over by prohibition enforcement officials of Denver today when they commandeered the offices of the Industrial Utilities company, which occupies luxurious quarters in a large downtown office building.

Among the equipment taken over by the dry agents was the customers' index card file containing the names of 300 prominent Denver people. Government officials arrested C. W. Crawford, who asserts he is an income tax expert, and awaited the arrival of "utilities" trade. Two men soon entered and presented "membership cards" calling for two pints of whiskey. A search of the home of the erstwhile tax expert revealed 25 empty whiskey barrels.

# HELD IN CONNECTION WITH THEFT OF A CAR

Roy Timmons who was arrested here Monday by City Detectives George Jackson and John Boone in connection with the theft on December 14 of an automobile in De Leon, Texas, is being held at the police station until the arrival of officers from De Leon.

The automobile found in Timmons' possession has been identified as having been stolen from P. I. Fitzgerald of De Leon, and for the recovery of which a \$50 reward has been posted.

This is the second stolen car to be recovered by Jackson and Boone in a week's time.

# DAVENPORT STATES WELFARE OF PUBLIC INFLUENCES ACTION

Consideration of the welfare and the interests of the tax payers of Wichita county is the reason given by County Attorney John Davenport for not tendering his resignation Monday. It had been anticipated that he would submit his resignation for the action of the court of county commissioners.

It had been rumored for several weeks that the county attorney, who led the democratic ticket at the last general election, was to tender his resignation and when seen having interviews with the county commissioners late Monday afternoon it was expected that Tuesday morning would find a new county attorney in the office.

It appears, however, that Mr. Davenport did not tender his resignation, but only intimated to the court that he intended so doing. A general discussion ensued following the declaration of his intention and when it developed that the court stood two for one aspirant, one for another and the remaining member for another, Mr. Davenport excused himself from the room.

It is stated that outside the court room he stated to his friends that he did not approve of the aspirant, who, he thought would be selected by the board should he resign, and that he did not believe the man whom he thought would be chosen was capable of filling the office.

He had his resignation with him but did not tender it or exhibit it before the court. It was stated, but on the outside of the court room he tore his prepared resignation into bits, stating that before he would see an incapable man take the office that he would complete his term.

Tuesday morning Mr. Davenport could not be reached, as a call at his office revealed that he had left the city for a vacation. The date of his return, it was said, was problematical.

The court of county commissioners does not meet again until January 3 and it was not known whether Mr. Davenport would tender his resignation at that time or whether he has now planned to fill out his term of office.

# CATTLE RAISERS RECESS UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS

FORT WORTH, Dec. 21.—After drawing up a report on co-operative

livestock marketing for Texas producers, the special committee of the cattle raisers association recessed last night until January 11, when the quarterly session of the executive committee will be held in El Paso. While no definite announcement of the plan was made public, it is generally understood the "Omaha plan" was endorsed. The cattlemen have been complaining of the low prices of livestock and the high prices of commission firms at all of the big market centers which is responsible for this co-operative plan.

Fruit cakes at Barker Bros. 316-87p

# FUNERAL SERVICE FRIDAY FOR PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL BISHOP

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Funeral services for the Right Rev. Charles Sumner Burch, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese, who died suddenly here yesterday of heart disease, will be held Friday at the cathedral of St. John, the Divine.

# VICE PRESIDENT OF CUBAN SENATE DIES AT HAVANA

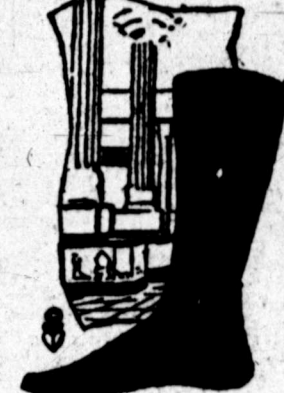
HAVANA, Dec. 21.—Dr. Manuel M. Coronado, 63 years old, vice president of the senate and owner of La Discusion, one of the oldest newspapers in Cuba, died here yesterday from cancer of the lungs.

# Our Greatest Hosiery Sale Starts Wednesday Morning

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Following recommendations the bar association night, Judge P. A. I. district court, whereby he being about in the large dock. The first term of court jury civil cases signed as they and will be tried for good cause advanced on the preference by on motion. No be given to counsel.

Mondays and will be devoted judgments at further notice, specially set court.

The court's hours: 9:30 to 12:00 p. m. 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.

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3237—J. Ray  
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3241—W. C. T.  
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DOCKET IS ASSIGNED FOR JANUARY TERM

Judge P. A. Martin Formulates Plan For Disposition Of Large List Of Cases.

Following the suggestions and recommendations made at the banquet of the bar association last Wednesday night, Judge P. A. Martin of the 59th district court has formulated plans whereby he hopes he may be able to dispose of an expedition disposition of the large docket in his court.

The first two weeks of the January term of court will be devoted to non-jury civil cases. These cases are assigned as they appear on the docket and will be tried in their order unless for good cause shown, a case may be advanced on the docket. All cases given preference by statute will be advanced on motion. Notice of all motions must be given to opposite parties or their counsel.

Mondays and Saturdays of each week will be devoted to motions, default judgments and divorce cases until further notice. All cases given preference by statute will be advanced on motion. Notice of all motions must be given to opposite parties or their counsel.

The court's hours are as before, from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. and from 1:30 to 5:00 p. m. All cases brought over from the October term in which jury fees have not been paid will be treated as non-jury cases and future demands of a jury will not be permitted to delay trial in any case.

A copy of the court's orders and the calendar of the cases assigned will be posted in the court room for the convenience of all attorneys interested in any of the cases. The calendar as made by the judge follows:

Tuesday, January 4. 2675-Levi Gambill vs. J. C. Jones et al. 2676-Power Oil and Refining Co. vs. Red Burk Oil Co. 31790-J. E. McElwee vs. W. F. Dillard et al. 3210-Bert Williams et al vs. E. O'Neal Elyckide et al. 4234-August Wahl et al vs. W. Swenson. 4235-Pittsburgh Texas Oil Co. vs. Texas Electric Refining Co. 6311-J. Ray Cordee vs. Adams Express Co. 6323-E. A. Waggoner vs. Joe Art. 6325-M. B. Henley vs. Kelly Bagnall et al. 6465-Ferry Browning vs. Sanders Oil Co.

Wednesday, January 5. 6483-R. S. Allen vs. W. J. Sheldon et al. 6504-W. W. Brumley et al vs. George Mills et al. 6509-Billy Byers vs. Ard and De Armond. 6503-C. R. Staley vs. J. R. Laws and T. A. Martin. 6507-L. A. Crews vs. H. C. and N. G. Poe. 6711-W. C. Gaum et al vs. Riverside Oil Co. 6715-H. I. Duncan vs. J. W. Evans. 6730-J. P. Friedman vs. A. S. Newberg et al. 6775-First National Bank of Burnett vs. W. A. Evans. 6845-W. M. Fridley vs. Business Men's Oil Co.

Thursday, January 6. 6878-E. F. Jones vs. W. H. Ely et al. 6880-C. E. Jutu Drilling Co. vs. Eita Oil Co. 6882-W. B. Jackson vs. W. B. Adams. 6884-W. A. Smith et al vs. O. E. L. Baunne. 6914-E. H. Staley et al vs. Texas Refining Production Co. 6931-Jim Robinson et al vs. N. B. Beach. 6932-R. M. Cavett vs. S. R. Rowe et al. 6934-G. H. Golden & Co. vs. W. N. Burgess. 7008-L. W. Harrington vs. Texas Refining Oil Co. et al. 7009-F. L. Mallory vs. P. C. McGovern. 7017-Farmers State Bank vs. O. Curvin et al. 7025-W. F. Ramming vs. Tex Electric Ref. Co. 7044-C. B. Vandeman vs. Dan Dill. 7055-T. B. Fairchild vs. O. H. Cox. 7063-J. J. McCook vs. Burk Wonder Oil Co. 7107-A. J. Chapman vs. Cass. W. Robbins. 7109-Texas Employers Ins. Association vs. O. H. West. 7113-C. H. Maddox vs. W. H. Conn. 7123-Elkins and Miller vs. Golden West Oil Co. 7125-V. T. Purins vs. C. J. Ferguson. 7129-Kawfield Oil vs. T. B. Medders. 7130-Southern Oil corporation vs. M. F. Miller, receiver. 7131-W. A. Nyrn vs. Baggott. 7132-Texas Employers Ins. company vs. W. A. Lane et al. 7140-A. G. Pittman vs. Carter and Albert. 7144-Eliza Kemyner vs. D. G. Donnelly. 7147-W. F. Hamilton vs. C. W. Reid et al. 7149-W. J. Brown vs. R. T. Williams. 7171-P. H. Karr vs. C. E. Garrett. 7174-Thos. Van Every vs. J. W. Grant.

Students Active in Charitable Work as The Holiday Nears

Activity at the local high school throughout the past week has been centered mainly in the various organizations and clubs of the institution, all of whom are busily engaged in charity work of one kind or another during the holidays. The service committees of each club have outlined a plan of action and are directing the work of the other members.

The Speaker's Club, one of the largest in the school, has been devoting its time to the support of the starving legions of children in central Europe, making contributions through the American Relief Committee under the direction of Herbert Hoover. At a recent meeting it was voted that the club support at least two children during the coming year by contributing the necessary amounts of cash.

The Girls' Club is confining its activity to domestic affairs and made plans for an elaborate entertainment to be given Tuesday evening at the gymnasium. Gwendolyn Walters, chairman of the service committee, has arranged to take a group of girls to the nursery rooms and entertain the youngsters with music, recitations and other items of amusement. A more substantial gift is also scheduled to be bestowed in the form of a big turkey and a bushel of potatoes which will be used for the nursery Christmas dinner. The goblet was purchased with funds derived from a campaign conducted by the girls at the high school while the potatoes came from the larders of several hundred citizens of this city. Each student at the school was requested to bring one lone potato for this cause and the net accumulation totaled one bushel.

Boys and Girls to Be Supplied With Noise-Making Toy

Boys and girls of Wichita Falls may all have a horn free of charge to make their Christmas noise with, according to a decision announced Monday by the local fire department. The horns will be given absolutely free by any of the business houses listed below, no purchase being required by the children. The offer holds good until Christmas day or until the horns give out. The twenty-three business houses making the offer include: Freeman-Black Co., Colonna Toggery Shop, The People's Store, La Petite Maison, Fine's Dry Goods Store, Baumgardner, Wright's Clothes Shop, P. B. M. Co., Wood Shoe Co., Gildhouse Fashion Store, W. B. McClurkin & Co., Anderson Dry Goods Co., the Howell Store, J. C. Penny & Co., The Clothing Store, Perkins, Timberlake Co., Jozz Dickson, Dave Paul, Globe Clothing Co., Richardson Haberdashery, Burgess Jewelry Co., W. A. Preece Co., and Harry Baum Co.

OIL COMPANIES BELIEVE PREMIUM DAYS ARE OVER

Although announcement has been made by the Prairie Oil & Gas Company and The Texas Company that in the future all purchases of crude in Oklahoma and Kansas would be reduced no such orders have been received yet by the local offices. The Gulf Production Company, however, is purchasing no outside oil and it was stated in the local office that it was thought the premium days are over.

Miss Beryl and Bruce Knickerbocker are home from Southwestern university at Georgetown to spend Christmas with Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Knickerbocker.

Have car load of Christmas trees at 1023 Indiana. Order now. Phone 5214.

HUGE IRRIGATION PROJECT LAUNCHED AT SAN ANGELO

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—A huge irrigation project, likely to be the most extensive of its kind in Texas, has been launched by Tom Green, Coke Runnels and Concho counties in the organization at Miles, Texas, of the Colorado Valley Irrigation Association.

It is planned to erect a huge dam, 2,000 feet long and 200 feet wide at the base, with a height of 70 feet, at a point between Bronte and Robert Lee, both in Coke county. Such a barrier would form a lake about 22 miles long and would impound water sufficient to irrigate 200,000 acres in the four counties. It is estimated.

In the recent session at Miles, Carl S. Guin of Ballinger was elected president of the association; W. R. Kalerim of Bronte, first vice president; Thomas E. Owen of San Angelo, second vice president, and Stuart L. Williams of Ballinger, secretary.

A second meeting will be held in San Angelo during the second week in January during which ways and means for financing the project. Three courses of action are open: A bonded company under the state irrigation law, private subscriptions, or federal aid.

The assistance of the United States government will undoubtedly be asked for in connection with the project. The Roosevelt dam in Arizona and the Elephant Butte dam in New Mexico were constructed according to officials of the organization.

Tillable land along the Colorado river can be purchased for \$30 an acre. Some of the country that would be made subject to irrigation under the project can be bought for as low a price as \$10 an acre.

OPERATION OF RAILROADS IN TEXAS IS BIG LOSS

AUSTIN, Dec. 21.—Operation of railroads in Texas resulted in a big loss of \$4,825,479 during the first eight months of 1920. The Texas railroad commission gave out this statement today and showed the income from operation for 1920 to be \$142,139 per cent, or \$17,430,866 less than for the corresponding period of 1919. Total operating revenues for the eight months of 1920 was \$149,253,465, while operating expenses were \$144,965,892.

Christmas Trees at City Hall, 231-219. Flour, the best is Honey Bee. Ask your grocer for it. It has none. Ladies' suits half price. Upstairs Garment Shop, over Woolworth's, 219-71c Indiana.

They Are Buying a Christmas Dessert

The Jiffy Dessert Company offers to buy a package of Jiffy-Jell for your Christmas dinner. Today they publish an ad with a coupon, good at your grocery store. And they will pay the grocer. Jiffy-Jell is the quick fruit dessert which has the fruit flavors in bottles. They are condensed fruit juices. This remarkable Christmas offer is made to induce every home to try it. Present the coupon at your store. A large variety of aluminum dessert molds is also offered free to Jiffy-Jell users. A catalog of these molds is sent to every woman who writes the Jiffy Dessert Company at Waukegan, Wis.

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS STATE FIRE MARSHAL A WARNING AGAINST FIRE

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Dec. 21.—Christmas greetings sent out by A. P. Woolridge, state fire marshal, contain a warning and the fire dangers attending holiday celebrations.

The warning is printed on a placard, copies of which will be sent to women's clubs and schools over the state. It follows: "At Christmas time, many people are so engrossed with the idea of entertainment and amusement for their children that they are forgetful of the dangers that accompany such entertainments."

Lighted candles, on trees in connection with paper tinsel and celluloid decorations, the same on electric lights or light wires, dried holly or mistletoe on gas light, or electric fixtures, and their wires, any of these might be the cause of the above picture.

Another picture: The little children, a handsome lot, have received their Christmas fire works; the other children, crackers, rockets and roman candles. They are allowed to go forth to the firing of these fire works unaccompanied by an adult, unaccompanied by a fire extinguisher—destructive to both life and property.

The baby fires a sparkler. He can not go out with the older children, it being cold weather. The falling sparks lodge in combustible material and the flames destroy the home with all its contents.

Again, a rocket may fall on the shingle roof of a neighbor's home, and a poor widow, perhaps, loses her home and all that she has, in fire, the origin of which was through no carelessness of her own, but that of her neighbor in not directing the play of his children, with their dangerous toys and amusement devices.

These Christmas time pleasures and programs may be so arranged as to preclude the possibility of any of these tragedies occurring in the home. Pictures make a present all can enjoy. The Decorators Co. 220-71c

Christmas Turkey. We will have them in all sizes, any number. Come and make your selection early. 401 Lee street. F. B. Massey. Phone 5397. 222-31c When you need a plumber, call 3426. Geo. W. Winburne, Jr., 2400 Eighth street. 219-71p Fruit cakes at Barker Bros. 216-81p

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Tonight's Specials AT SAUL'S BETWEEN 6 AND 8 P.M. Choice Best Camisoles \$1.00 Women's \$2.00 Outing Gowns \$1.00 \$2.00 Petticoats \$1.00 Crepe de Chine Gowns \$5.00 THE ABOVE FOUR SPECIALS ON SALE TONIGHT ONLY!

Special Tomorrow Forenoon Only 150-Yard Spools Thread 5c A Spool Forenoon Only Special Tomorrow Night \$7.50 Jersey Silk Petticoats \$2.98 On Sale Wednesday After 6 p. m.

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Open Till 8:30 THANK YOU! Open Till 8:30 ARE YOU ONE OF OUR CUSTOMERS? If not, why not? If so, we are happy. If not, we will not be happy until we have the privilege of serving you. WILL YOU PASS JUDGMENT, PLEASE? Suggestions for Your Gifts— Girls' Boys' Infants' FURS KIMONAS BATH ROBES SUIT WEATER SUITS BATH ROBES COAT COAT DRESS TROUSERS DRESS KNIT CAPS BATH ROBE GOWN UNDERWEAR HOSE UNDERWEAR HANDKERCHIEFS UNDERWEAR SHOES SHOES SWEATERS SWEATERS

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### PREPARE FOR ANNUAL SPRING RODEO SHOW

Matter Is Discussed At Meeting Of Chamber Of Commerce Wednesday Morning.

Active steps to prepare for the annual spring rodeo show on a larger scale than ever before were taken by the directors of the chamber of commerce this morning at their last meeting of the year. Tom Burnett has submitted a proposition to the chamber offering to conduct the show on a fifty-fifty basis, or to handle the entire affair alone if the organization will provide suitable grounds.

J. B. Marlow, G. C. Wood, W. Newton Maer and W. E. Norton were named by President Martin as a committee to work out the details, with authority to select the grounds, make arrangements for building a suitable grandstand and necessary expense money. The matter was brought before the directors by Marlow, who stated that motion pictures of last spring's round-up show had been shown in Chicago and other big cities and had been of tremendous advertising value to Wichita Falls.

The directors voted unanimously to commend the action of the commissioners' court in deciding to discontinue county road building. It was pointed out by J. A. Kemp that the new county highway to Lake Wichita, about four and one-half miles in length, had cost approximately \$20,000. It was pointed out that it was the opinion of the directors that Wichita county will never be able to construct its highway system on such a basis. J. M. McFall was made chairman of a committee to confer with the county commissioners from time to time on this matter, with W. S. Curlee and J. B. Marlow as associate members.

### DISMISS ANNUAL MEETING

Arrangements for the annual meeting and election of officers on Thursday, January 12, were discussed, and a nominating committee was named as follows: W. N. Maer, W. S. Curlee, C. M. Mytinger, T. B. Smock and C. E. McCutcheon. It will be the duty of the committee to place in nomination the names of ten men for directors; the names will be posted for ten days and five directors will be elected from this list. A special committee on arrangements also was appointed. J. M. McFall, W. W. Anderson, Stanley Field, W. S. Cline and G. C. Wood. It is probable that the annual meeting and dinner will be held in the First Baptist church, where between 800 and 900 persons can be served. The chamber at present has over 1,600 firms and individuals holding membership in the organization.

Secretary Harrison reported that it would be impossible to turn on the new

street lights Christmas night, as had been planned, owing to delays in receiving various parts of the electrical equipment. The system will not be completed until some time after January 1st.

### CONGRATULATE LOCAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Additional Letters Received Praising Recent Trade Development Dinner.

Letters are being received daily at the chamber of commerce from officials of other cities congratulating the local organization on the success of the recent trade development dinner here. Dr. Joe Davis, mayor of the city of Munday, contributed one such letter this morning, which indicates the general sentiment, and the good feeling fostered in this trade territory by the dinner.

"I wish to express my appreciation, personally and in behalf of the town of Munday," he wrote, "for the reception accorded me on the occasion of the trade development dinner, December 11. The business men of Munday are anxious to see Wichita Falls grow into a great jobbing center as a matter of personal interest as well as for the benefit of this part of the state at large.

"So we are with your organization on anything looking toward the development of your city or this part of Texas. And should you want to dam a river, we will help you dam it."

### HOLSTEIN COW MAKES A NEW WORLD'S RECORD

SEATTLE, WASH., Dec. 21.—"Segis Pictorje Prospect," Holstein cow owned by the Carnation stock farms here, has completed a year's test with a total production of 37,344 pounds of milk and 1,452 pounds of butter, thus establishing a new world's record. It was announced here today by A. M. Cornley, superintendent of the farms.

### ARMENIAN SOVIET SENDS ULTIMATUM TO GEORGIA

LONDON, Dec. 21.—The Armenian soviet has sent an ultimatum to Georgia, demanding evacuation of the neutral zone between the two countries, according to official information here today.

Georgia was said to have refused to comply.

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### EXPRESSMAN DIES AS RESULT TRAIN WRECK

Number Of Victims Of Accident Near Fort Worth Is Increased To Two.

PORT WORTH, Dec. 21.—Fatalities in yesterday's collision on the Frisco at Cresson were increased to two today when Expressman Louis Arthur of Fort Worth died in a local hospital as the result of his injuries. The other injured are improving. The body of the young woman victim has been identified as Ethel Johnson of Cypress, La.

### TIME BOMB DAMAGES A ST. LOUIS SHOE STORE

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21.—What police declare was a time bomb exploded in front of a shoe store conducted by Harry Sachs in the business district early today, causing \$15,000 damage. The front part of the building was wrecked. A hole was blown in the roof and a cavity several feet deep blown in the pavement. A number of buildings in the vicinity suffered considerable damage mostly from broken glass.

No theory in connection with the placing of the bomb had been advanced at an early hour.

### WILL ATTEMPT TO BREAK ENDURANCE FLIGHT RECORD

MINEOLA, N. Y., Dec. 21.—An attempt was made at Mitchell field today by Lieutenant Ross C. Kirkpatrick and Max Goodnough, a mechanic, to break the world endurance flight record.

The army men started their flight at 7:30 a. m. in a 10-passenger Curtiss eagle airplane. They hoped to remain in the air 25 hours. The present record, 24 hours and 19 minutes, was made in England in 1914.

The aviators, who were to alternate in driving through a system of dual control, planned to maintain an average altitude of 2,000 feet.

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- Sunshine and Stone Fruit Cakes, any size.
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| Fresh Nuts, of all kinds, lb.       | 35c    |
| Sugar, 10 lbs.                      | \$1.00 |
| Crisco, 6 lbs.                      | \$1.55 |
| Crisco, 3 lbs.                      | 80c    |
| White Beauty Shortening, 6 lbs.     | \$1.40 |
| White Beauty Compound, 8 lbs.       | \$1.50 |
| Pure Hog Lard, home rendered, lb.   | 30c    |
| Nice Fresh Eggs, guaranteed, dozen. | 65c    |

For those who want a nice Hen for Christmas we have made special arrangements for you. Large young one weighing from five to seven pounds.

### FRESH FRUITS.

California Naval Oranges, large or small; Bananas; Grape Fruit; Extra Fancy, Delicious and Arkansas Black Apples and Winesaps.

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Cranberries; Jumbo Celery, specially bleached; Cauliflower; Parsley; Carrots; Pumpkins Yam Sweet Potatoes; Purple Top Turnips.

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Here are the finest silks, the most refined colorings, the choicest patterns and the smartest shapes.

Whether you want to send him just one superb Tie, or a half dozen, our Holiday collections will give you gratifying selection, at whatever price you wish to pay.

(Men's Department—First Floor)

## Had You Thought of a Sweater?

Whether the gift is for a man, a woman, a girl, a boy, or a little tot, a Sweater is always a safe selection. Nowadays, everybody wants several Sweaters, of various weights and colors, and a new one receives a warm welcome.

### A Silk Petticoat Is Always a Pleasing Gift

It looks so handsome when the box is opened. The Silk or Satin is so rich—the colors are so effective—the platings and ruffings are so impressive; and it is always gratifying to any woman to have a liberal supply of these useful garments.

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### REGISTER A PROTEST AGAINST THE SIZE OF NOVEMBER GAS BILLS

MATTER DISCUSSED AT LENGTH AT COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT.

### TO REPAVE TENTH STREET IN DOWNTOWN DISTRICT

Order Installation Of Twenty More Automatic Fire Alarm Boxes.

The voice of the people was heard distinctly in the council room of the Wichita Falls board of aldermen last night. And the voice was roaring mightily against the size of November gas bills. The old question whether actual gas pressure makes the meters register, or a north wind turns 'em around and around, came up for argument again—and the ears of officials of the North Texas Gas company must be burning this morning.

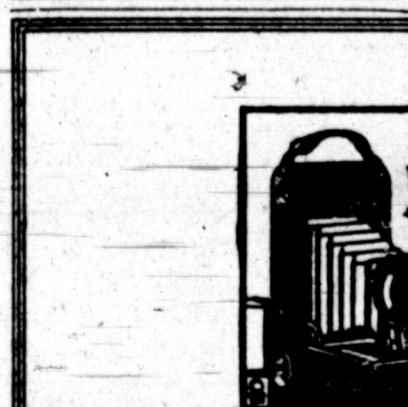
One lone citizen laid down the opening barrage, behind which the entire company went into action. City Clerk George Thorburn won the distinguished service medal, however, when he casually remarked that the October gas bill for the city had been \$8, whereas the November bill was a paltry \$85 higher than that figure. Mayor Cline admitted his November bill had soared to \$38, as compared with about \$11 the month before. "But I sure burned the gas," he confessed.

It was contended that citizens should learn to read their meters, which seemed like a sensible suggestion until Police Commissioner Bralley said he could read his, but it didn't help him any; he still had to pay the gas bill!

Thorburn Has System. George Thorburn went into a scientific discussion of how to run a gas stove in such a manner that one's gas bills in the winter are no larger than in the summer; and he declared he had proved the system in his own home. But it sounded complicated, and Alderman Overton McDowell was the only man who made a desperate attempt to learn George's secret.

There was general agreement that November was a colder month than October, and there was likewise general agreement that a gas bill is performing creditably in the running high jump when it leaps from \$3 one month to \$11 the next, despite the fact that a man's wife is working and his only child is in school. It was finally agreed tacitly, however, to let the matter rest for the time being, and give the gas company a suspended sentence. There

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will probably be another heated (?) discussion in January over the December bills.

The council voted to put in concrete paving on Tenth street between Ohio and Scott avenues, and to remove the Sierra Madre range of mountains created in that section of thoroughfare by swelling wooden blocks.

More Fire Alarm Boxes. Fire Marshal J. L. McClure spent a happy evening. The board of aldermen authorized the installation of 20 more automatic fire alarm boxes. Feta Rogers was not present, out interest in fires having waned since he retired as vice president and general manager of the water company.

The council also got reckless with the city's cash, and ordered the treasurer to pay over to the chamber of commerce \$2,000 expended several years ago in constructing the water mains to Call Field.

Judge W. N. Bonner, public utilities commissioner, served advance notice on his fellow aldermen that the Wichita Falls Traction company is preparing to submit next week a request for permission to so amend its franchise as to build a line from the business district up Eighth street, connecting with the factory line at Ninth and Broad. City Attorney Mann is working on the legal papers.

Judge Bonner also was requested to take up with the traction company the question of separating negro and white passengers in the street cars. A number of complaints have been received recently. George Thorburn stated, and the company will be asked to put proper signs in all cars designating the seating space reserved for colored passengers.

The meeting finally wore itself out

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