

Wichita Falls and vicinity: Tonight generally fair, warmer; Saturday partly cloudy, warmer.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON FARM BILL

AMBASSADOR HARVEY ORDERED TO RETURN FOR A 'CONSULTATION'

LEADER MOONSHINE GANG AND OFFICER KILLED IN BATTLE

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Ambassador Harvey has been called home for a consultation, it was stated at the American embassy this afternoon. He will sail on the Berengaria...

ABILENE 'HI' AND CLEBURNE BATTLE FOR GRID HONORS

ABILENE, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—For the third successive year the football team of Abilene high school today went into the semi-final game...

POINCARÉ READY TO REIRE F ATTITUDE NOT SATISFACTORY

PARIS, Dec. 15.—Premier Poincaré after sketching briefly and optimistically the progress of the negotiations...

PRESIDENT HARDING ASKS APPROPRIATION \$75,000 TO FIGHT THE BOLL WORM

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Harding asked Congress today for an emergency appropriation of \$75,000 for use by the department of agriculture...

LA FOLLETTE OPENS FIGHT ON PROPOSED SHIP SUBSIDY BILL

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FRANCE AND CANADA HAVE NEGOTIATED NEW COMMERCIAL TREATY

PARIS, Dec. 15.—A commercial treaty between France and Canada was signed here today. It replaces the pre-war arrangement...

LEADERS AGAIN SAY ARMENIAN HOME IN TURKEY IMPOSSIBLE

By Associated Press. LANSING, Dec. 15.—Turkey's delegate on the minorities subcommittee today again declared the establishment of a special Armenian homeland in Armenia impossible.

LARGE INCREASE IN PRODUCTION OF GAS DURING NOVEMBER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Gasoline production in the United States during October amounted to 566,278,689 gallons, according to the bureau of mines...

Lady Astor Center of Stormy Scene in Meeting at London

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Lady Astor was the center of a stormy scene at the conference of the national unionist association before the arrival of Prime Minister Bonar Law...

FARMER IDENTIFIES ONE OF DEFENDANTS IN TRIAL OF MINER

MARION, ILL., Dec. 15.—Over storm swept roads, and deep snow in many places today...

GOVERNOR SMALL, WITH ASSOCIATES, MUST FACE TRIAL

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Dec. 15.—Civil suits filed by State Attorney General Brundage, charging Governor Fred Sterling and State Auditor Andrew Ruseell with making improper returns of interest money...

SAYS STANDARD NOT INTERESTED IN GULF OR TEXAS COMPANY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Walter C. Teagle, president of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey declared today that his company is not interested in the Gulf or Texas company...

ALMOST ABANDON HOPE OF FINDING MISSING ARMEN

NOGALLES, ARIZ., Dec. 15.—Virtually all hope of finding Civil War veteran William Webber, missing aviator, or other bodies has been abandoned...

BAREFACED ATTEMPT TO WHITEWASH SAYS KELLER IN COMMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Representative Keller, republican, Minnesota, failed to appear today before the committee on impeachment hearings...

CAPTAIN ARMORE GUARD SUSPENDED RESULT OF REMARK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 15.—Captain Fred Melton of the Oklahoma national guard unit, stationed at Ardmore, was suspended today...

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### GOVERNORS DEBATE DRY ENFORCEMENT AND KU KLUX KLAN

DAILY SESSION CONTINUES  
UNTIL AFTER MIDNIGHT  
THURSDAY.

### CLAN DENOUNCED BY OLCOTT AND PARKER

Governor Morrison of North Carolina  
Protested Action By  
Conference.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., Dec. 15.—State executives attending the fourteenth annual conference of governors here turned on their conference discussions today to an inspection of coal mines.

Particularly did he object, Mr. Morrison said, to Governor Parker's proposal that the conference adopt resolutions looking toward uniform legislation of a police character.

Governor Morrison further declared that he disagreed with Governor Parker and O'Connell on their proposed method for fighting the Klan which he said could not be legislated out of existence, but could be most effectively only by argument.

Mr. Parker rejoined that he did not conceive his attitude on prohibition to be a yielding to lawlessness.

While he did not mean to defend the Klan and deplore its possible danger to the country in arousing the spirit of religious intolerance and racial feeling, Governor Morrison said he could relate many acts of benevolence attributed to the secret organization.

Taking up Mr. Morrison's assertion that the way to meet the Klan was to face it in argument, Governor Kirby of Alabama asked how it was possible to argue with a masked man.

### DETECTIVES INVESTIGATE THE LOSS OF JEWELRY

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Insurance company detectives today were investigating the disappearance of \$2,000 in jewelry from the home of Madie J. Spiegel, owner of a furniture store.

### ASKS MEASURES TO CONTROL OVERFLOW OF MEXICAN LABOR

RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY  
SECRETARY OF LABOR  
DAVIS.

### DECLARED A MENACE TO AMERICAN LABOR

Charges Illegally Admitted  
Mexicans Come As Result  
Labor Supply Agents.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Measures to control what is said to be a vast body of alien Mexican unskilled labor in the United States are recommended to Secretary Davis in a report by special agents of the department of labor made public today.

Recommendations for meeting the situation include a system of registration, together with more rigid mental and physical examination and selective immigration regulation through examination before entry.

It is suggested that the enforcement of such provisions be placed under federal control in the hands of a central body, such as a border patrol.

Detailed discussion is given of Mexican labor employed in seasonal industry in the United States and it is asserted that virtually every family in northern Mexico has one or more members in this country, who from time to time remit sums of money to their relatives at home.

### WICHITA VALLEY DEPOT AT SEYMOUR SCENE OF BURGLARY

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Tugmen blew open the safe in the office of the Wichita Valley railway freight office Thursday night and obtained \$26 in cash. No clue has yet been obtained leading to the identity of the safe blowers.

Eyes tested. Faith Optical Co. adv.

### ITEM OF \$6,000 FIGURES IN BANK CASE IN ARIZONA

YUMA, ARIZ., Dec. 15.—The prosecution in the trial of Alva E. Smith, charged with misappropriation of funds of the Valley Bank of Parker, Ariz., concentrated its efforts yesterday in an effort to establish the fact that Smith transferred \$6,000 of the funds of the Parker bank to the First State bank of Clarita, Okla., shortly after he had purchased stock in the Parker bank.

Smith, who is also wanted in Nebraska and Oklahoma on charges growing out of banking operations, is alleged to have transferred the funds of the Parker bank after he had purchased its stock.

E. R. Taylor, cashier of the First State bank of Clarita, Okla., prior to the time of its closing, testified that this bank had received \$6,000 from the State National bank at Denison, Texas, on April 14 and that this money had been credited to Smith's personal account.

Sam Slowers, bookkeeper of the State National bank at Denison, had earlier in the day that Smith had made an entry on the original books crediting the Clarita bank with \$6,000, which had been wired from an Arizona bank for the credit of the Clarita bank.

Under cross-examination Taylor said he did not know what arrangements Smith and R. E. Callaway, president of the Clarita bank, had made for the holding of Smith's checks and the purchase of the Valley bank of Parker.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 15.—The Russian refugee fleet of 14 ships, loaded with the destitute remnants of the white guard forces of Vladivostok, which arrived here a few days ago out of fuel and provisions, still is lying at anchor in the river, unable to proceed further and barged from landing its human freight by the Chinese authorities.

Chinese social organizations have offered Admiral Stark, leader of the expedition, \$10,000 and the Chinese Red Cross \$1,000 if he will sail away with his charges and agree not to attempt to land at any other Chinese point.

CAPTAIN RAOLD AMUNDSEN ARRIVES AT NOME, ALASKA  
NOME, ALASKA, Dec. 15.—Captain Raold Amundsen, leader of a polar expedition that left Seattle in June, arrived here yesterday by dog team from Wainwright, near Point Barrow, where he is wintering with the plans in which he hopes in the spring to fly over the north pole.

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## Great Christmas Sale of Women's Fine Dresses

A remarkable group of lovely Frocks, including the **\$25**  
very best garments carried in our stock offered in a  
great sale beginning tomorrow

We omit quoting the former price of these dresses, as it would seem impossible to sell such high-grade frocks at such a small price.

Just 150 Dresses in this group. They're our best styles, made of tricotine, poret twills, crepes, velvets and other materials—beautifully trimmed. We offer them Saturday regardless of former price, your choice **\$25.00**

Garment Salons—Second Floor

## A Very Remarkable Sale of "Flapper Dresses"

Saturday

About 25 to select from. These little dresses are modeled from velvets, crepe, wool and silk, showing some unique color combinations in navy, brown, red, and blues. **\$14.85**  
Sizes from 13 to 17—offered in this sale beginning tomorrow, your choice

Second Floor

## Saturday, a Great One-Day Value Giving Sale ANY VELVET HAT



Former selling price or cost disregarded. Your choice  
Saturday (one day only) — **\$5**

An Ideal Purchase for Cold Weather Wear. A Splendid Variety of Styles and Colors.

Women's Fine Hats Make Excellent Christmas Presents  
See the many new arrivals—select a hat for mother, sister, daughter or friend.

Millinery Salons—Second Floor

## Children's Coats, at - - \$1.95

Corduroy and All-Wool

They're wonderful values for the little folks—Just 25 in number—to close out in this remarkable sale, sizes 1 to 8. On sale tomorrow, choice

**\$1.95**

Jasler Departmental—Second Floor

## Luggage Makes Dandy "Christmas Gifts"

Inspect Our Remarkable Stock Tomorrow

Boxing Bags—Solid leather, \$1.95 to \$7.50
Parcel Cases—Extra grade duck, 24-inch size, priced \$1.95
Week-End Cases—15 and 22-inch size, moire and brocade velvet linings, \$12.00 and \$18.00
Week-End Cases—15 to 22-inch, in linings of floral designs, priced \$5.00 to \$10.00
Hat Boxes—Black and brown, \$3.50 to \$5.00
Fitted Bags—14 and 20 in. tan and French blue, moire silk linings, ivory and amber fittings, \$25.00 to \$35.00
Fitted Case—18-inch, ivory fittings priced \$12.50
Fitted Case—15 piece amber fittings, tan, moire silk linings, priced at \$25.00
Fitted Case—15 piece real ivory inlaid with amber, orchid moire lining \$25.00
Fitted Case—15 piece tortoise fittings, old rose brocade, satin lining \$25.00
Hartmann Wardrobe Trunks—Priced \$12.50 to \$25.00
Hand Bags—15x20 inch, guaranteed cowhide, leather lined, \$12.00 to \$25.00
Gladstone Cases—20 and 22 inch guaranteed genuine cowhide, black and brown, \$22.50 to \$25.00

For easy "gift" selections visit the  
"Gift Shop."

Second Floor

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## DAVE PAUL'S Auction Sale

Closes tomorrow, Saturday. Come and buy your Christmas Gifts at your own price.

HURRY—ONLY TWO MORE DAYS

## SILK HOSE WOOL HOSE

Black Cat and Wilson Bro's. Make Silk Hose and Wool Drop Stitch.  
Also plain all-wool Hose for men.

### 2 Pair for \$1.00

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## The Church of Christ

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### URGES REDUCTION MAXIMUM INCOME SURTAX PROVISION

RECOMMENDATION IS MADE BY  
SECRETARY OF THE  
TREASURY.

### WOULD CLOSE AVENUES OF ESCAPE FROM TAXES

No General Revision of Law or Ad-  
ditional Taxes Is  
Proposed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Reduction of the maximum income surtax rate from the present 20 per cent to not more than 25 per cent and the closing up so far as possible of existing avenues of escape from federal taxes are urged by Secretary Mellon in this annual report, transmitted to congress. No general revision of the revenue laws is proposed nor are additional taxes suggested, Mr. Mellon expressing the hope of meeting any indicated government deficit through collection of back taxes and income from other sources.

The treasury secretary informs congress that to attempt alone to stop the gaps through which there is an avoidance of tax payments to the government will not be enough because the existing rates of surtax "put such heavy pressure on the larger taxpayers to reduce their taxable incomes" that new ones would surely be found. He adds that the IRS rates "sound productive" but that the fact remains that they are becoming increasingly ineffective and are yielding less and less revenue each year.

Then bluntly he tells congress the time has come to "face the facts squarely" and to correct the artificial conditions which now prevail and which, he asserts, are not wholesome from the point of view of business or industrial development, and, at the same time, are impairing the revenues of the government.

The more important of the methods used by the taxpayers to reduce the amount of income subject to taxation are listed by Mr. Mellon as follows:

- Methods Employed**
- Deduction of losses on sales of capital assets, with the failure to realize on capital gains.
  - Exchanges of property and securities.
  - Gifts.
  - Losses on sales of property.
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curtles so as to avoid taxable gains. Investment in tax-exempt securities, and. Diversion of property, creation of trusts and the like.

"Not all of these things can be controlled by law or by regulation," he continued, "and most of them lead to unnatural and frequently harmful economic results. To reach the evil in the most necessary is the reduction of the surtax rates themselves, in order to reduce the pressure for avoidance and maintain the revenue derived from the surtax."

"Until some such readjustment is made the yield of the higher surtaxes will tend, in the ordinary course of events, to drop toward the vanishing point. The wise course is to reform the surtaxes now while the system still functions and at the same time to close, so far as possible, the gaps which now exist. On this basis the revision can be made without loss of revenue, and, in the long run, with material benefit to the revenue."

To support his argument that the high surtaxes gradually are "defeating their own purpose," he calls attention to the fact that net incomes of all classes during the period from 1916 to 1920 increased from \$8,293,377,279 in 1916 to \$27,745,229,182 in 1920, and the number of returns from 457,026 in 1916 to 7,259,944 in 1920, the number of returns of incomes over \$200,000 decreased during the same period from 1,256 in 1916 to 336 in 1920, and the amount of incomes over \$200,000 from \$952,929,886 in 1916 to \$46,354,933 in 1920.

In "earnestly urging" prompt adoption of the proposed constitutional amendment against the further issuance of tax-exempt securities, the treasury secretary says these securities, now reaching the market at the rate of about \$1,000,000 annually, form the "outstanding avenue" of escape from the surtaxes.

"With these securities available for investment, fully exempt as they are from federal income surtaxes," Mr. Mellon continues, "investors would normally put their surplus funds into productive enterprise, are automatically driven under the pressure of high surtax rates into investment in tax-exempt securities, with the result that the federal government loses the revenue, business and industry loses the capital, and funds badly needed for productive purposes are diverted into unproductive and frequently wasteful expenditures."

"This is a situation which cannot be permitted to continue without grave danger to our economic structure, as well as our system of taxation."

forded in the section of the law dealing with exchanges of securities, the treasury secretary urges that the statute be amended so as to limit the cases in which securities may be exchanged for other securities, without the realization of taxable income, to those cases where the exchange is in connection with the reorganization, consolidation, or merger of one or more corporations.

Illustrating the actual workings under the provisions of the existing law for the exchange of property held for investment for other property of a like kind without the realization of taxable income, Mr. Mellon says a taxpayer who purchases a bond for \$1,000 which appreciates in value may exchange that bond for another of the value of \$1,000, together with \$100 in cash, without the realization of taxable income.

"This provision of the act is being widely abused," he adds. "Aside from his recommendations for tax revision, Mr. Mellon deals in his report with conditions generally over the country and with the operations of the various divisions of the treasury. He sounds an optimistic note as to the business outlook and reports substantial progress both in the reduction of public expenditures."

The past 12 months, he says, have been marked by further liquidation and recovery from depression, and, more recently, by a substantial revival of business. Prices of commodities have risen materially, the volume of business has been mounting to higher levels and labor throughout the country is again fully employed.

"The year is closing with bountiful crops," the report continues, "and the severe depression in agriculture has been relieved. Banking conditions generally are sound, rates are reasonable, and there is sufficient credit available to meet all legitimate demands."

"In the treasury year has seen a reduction in the gross debt amounting to about \$1,000,000,000, a balanced budget for the fiscal year 1922, showing a surplus of over

\$200,000,000 above expenditures, and substantial progress in the refunding of the short-dated debt, which has now been reduced to manageable proportions. These developments are all helpful, and afford the basis for a revival of business and industry on sound lines."

Note of Warning  
Into this situation, however, Mr. Mellon injects a note of warning. He says the restriction of immigration and the general resumption of industrial activity have resulted in a scarcity of labor embarrassing to some lines of business. He adds that the railroads are suffering from undermaintenance and inadequate equipment, and are finding it difficult to move commodities to meet the demands of business. As a consequence, farm products are selling too low at the farm and too high at the distributing centers.

The secretary also declares that the increase of \$1,000,000,000 in the gold holdings in this country since 1919-1920 has a tendency to expand credit and create an unnatural ease of money for purposes of expansion and credit. Then, too, he calls attention to the uncertainty in Europe which has impaired the corrective forces which used to operate in normal times and has so reduced the buying power of foreign countries as to destroy or endanger the foreign markets for American products.

"Though forces are operating," he continues, "to make us cautious in estimating the prospects for the future and take care lest we build on a false basis, business in this country can not progress indefinitely without its foreign markets, and undue expansion now, with raising costs and artificial values, would inevitably sow the seeds of reaction and make more difficult the reestablishment of normal relationship abroad."

"The treasury aims above all to keep its house in order in the belief that the best basis for extending needed assistance to Europe and for a healthy revival of domestic business on constructive lines."

### RAINS COUNTY HOME OF SWEET POTATOES STATE CROP IS SHORT

HOUSTON, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—Rains county is the home of sweet potatoes, proudly proclaims one of the reports on sweet potatoes in various counties of the state, according to information from the division of crop estimates, bureau of agricultural economics, United States department of agriculture, given the Associated Press today.

In Grayson county the "crop is extra good," and in Austin county all have been gathered, of very good quality, although the crop is

short, about 60 per cent normal, and selling at two cents a pound. Hardeman, Cameron, Somervell and DeWitt counties have average crops. Wood county shows 100 bushels to the acre; Hall, 25 bushels; Red River, 27 bushels; Irion, 40 to 200 bushels; a larger acreage than usual; and Denton county, 65 bushels to the acre. Austin shows 50 bushels and Henderson, with a good crop, selling around 75 a bushel.

Sweet potatoes are raised only for home consumption in El Paso, Blanco, Seely, Mills and Zavalla counties. A good crop but poor market is reported from Navarro,ches county; Brazoria has a good crop; Franklin is short but the quality poor; Hale has a fair crop for family use only; Gillespie, almost entire failure; Donley, half crop, quality good; Hopkins, 60 to 75 per cent normal, price low, 50 to 60 cents, quality good; Anderson, crop cut to 50 per cent on account of extremely dry weather. Comity all have been gathered, of very good quality, although the crop is

unprofitable without irrigation, sometimes a good crop; Baylor, yield short; Washington, too dry, early dug below normal, those that are still in the ground are making fine growth since the last rain. Houston county has about a 40 per cent crop and Miami about a 60 per cent normal crop. Palo Pinto has a light yield; Henderson's crop is short, and Freestone county's also is short owing to the dry fall.

RED CROSS TO SHARE OFFICES WITH LEGION  
CORNICANA.—The local chapter of the American Red Cross has been invited to share its offices with the American Legion here, and proper facilities will be provided immediately. The Ladies Auxiliary of the post also is given full permission to use the hall for all its meetings and feel an equal partner with the legion in sharing the quarters for purposes connected with its work, according to Howard H. Lester, recently selected commander of the post No. 23.

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YOU never heard a doctor say "He is all run down, but his blood is pure and rich."  
The best thing—the biggest thing—that Gude's Pepto-Mangan does is to purify and enrich your blood. Then those weary, run down, dragged out feelings will disappear, and the oldtime vim and "pep" come back again. Get Gude's Pepto-Mangan today.  
At your druggist—liquid or tablets, as you prefer.

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It gives the most consistent results, for every can has the same dependable, high quality.

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The Art Needlework Department Offers a Wonderful Sale Saturday



Lovely finished pieces, dainty hand embroidery work—pieces which we used as models in the art department consisting of Pillows, Scarfs, Bed Spreads, Center Pieces, Towels, Luncheon Sets, Buffet Sets, Women's Gowns, Infant's Dresses, in fact every finished-piece offered Saturday

## Half Price

Art Needlework Department—Second Floor

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## Give a VICTROLA for Christmas

And bring joy and happiness to the hearts of many—  
A Gift of One—Enjoyed By All.

Victrola, the one gift that stands out supreme in appreciation as a gift. Awaken the kiddies on Christmas morn with the beautiful strains of the world's greatest artists.

Note the special terms on the different models in this ad. We have many others not shown here.

Come in now and let us help you make your selection.

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Back Lace Corsets in Values up to \$15.00

The materials are pink Coutil and Silk Broche, and are in sizes from 21 to 38. This is a very unusual sale and will effect a quick clearance Saturday. These corsets were formerly priced up to \$15, but we offer them Saturday and Monday, choice

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## \$5.00

**The Christmas Gift Supreme—Fur Chokers Specially Priced Saturday and Monday, \$39.75**

Tomorrow we offer lovely chokers of Black Fox and Stone Merten in excellent pelts. Nothing is more practical for gifts and any woman will truly appreciate one. An extra large assortment to select from. See them tomorrow, specially priced—

## \$39.75

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**Children's Bath Robes—Practical and Serviceable Gifts**

These little robes are made of good, warm materials, some in Turkish materials, others in Corduroys, combined colors, nicely trimmed. Priced

## \$3.50 to \$11.85

(Second Floor)

**Tea and Fudge Aprons \$1.95**

Dainty applied designs on unbleached materials, also lap crepe and many other lovely fabrics, wide range of colors, choice

## \$1.95

(Second Floor)

## Women's Strap Pumps and Colonials At \$5.45

Pretty and dainty styles featured in our special sale this week. Values from \$7.50 to \$9.00.

On sale, per pair ..... \$5.45

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# TIMES' MAGAZINE-WOMAN'S PAGE

## "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" One Young Woman Proceeds On The Wild Theory That She Is

By MARIAN HALE.  
"What will become of the actresses out of work?" everybody asked last winter when the theatrical slump came.

"If they can't get jobs on the stage," answered Margaret Allen, "they'll have to work at something else until they can."

"Most actresses can sew and make hats. Many can cook and paint. Let's open an exchange and show the public what they can do."

So she opened an exchange in her own parlor and invited all girls out of work to bring in what they could make and she began to sell these offerings.

The enterprise flourished, but didn't make money enough. "Let's open a restaurant as well," Miss Allen said.

Thereupon the Stage Door Inn came into existence. Soon it became one of the most popular eating places in New York.

There are no waitresses. Guests are served by actresses who may be stars one day, but they're hostesses, not waitresses.

Smart New Yorkers and tourists like having their soup brought to them by pretty girls with neat frocks and beautifully kept fingers.

Soon patrons began to ask for actresses to come to their homes to help them as assistant hostesses in receiving their guests.

Also a number of would-be Bernhards proved amazingly clever at arranging tables and making favors. Society women enjoy saying that their decorations are actresses' made.

In the past 10 months Miss Allen has organized 400 girls for work which will not interfere with theatrical job hunting. She has paid out more than \$10,000 in salaries alone.

French Singing, Dancing. "This year I hope to do much more," she says, "for again there is much unemployment."

"Among other things, I plan to provide teachers of French singing and dancing, so that girls may improve themselves and become more valuable to the profession while they wait for positions."

The Inn will be closed on Christmas day to the general public, but it will keep open house for members of the theatrical profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Doble left today for Buffalo and other eastern points, expecting to spend Christmas with Mrs. Doble's people.



MARGARET ALLEN.

### CONSTRUCTIVE WORK IN MODERN FICTION PENWOMEN'S STUDY

An especially interesting program was enjoyed by the members of the Pen Women's club at their regular meeting at the Kemp library on last Thursday afternoon, when the subjects, "The Short Story" and "Modern Fiction" were very capably treated by Mrs. W. A. McKee and Mrs. G. M. Holt.

Holt call was responded to with passages from up-to-date fiction, and a number of informal discussions took place. The final arrangements for the club's Christmas luncheon, which is to be given at the Kemp on Thursday, December 21, were made.

The Penwomen accepted the resignation of their secretary, Mrs. J. H. Abbott, who has found her time somewhat limited by her sociological work. Mrs. M. E. Teichbold, H. P. Weldon, Eugene Sherrod, F. Volney McMorris, Claude Williamson, M. Eagle Johnson, W. H. Sanford and G. M. Holt; Miss Katherine Hendrick and a guest, Mrs. H. W. Robertson.

### JUNIOR TRAVEL STUDIES ABOUT AMERICANIZATION

The Junior Travel club divided its program between Americanization and citizenship Wednesday afternoon at their regular weekly meeting, with Mrs. Watson in charge of the first part of the program and Mrs. Albert Lane, the second.

The regular monthly business meeting preceded the program, with a complimentary drill by Mrs. E. T. Huff, a report from Mrs. C. C. Jones, Jr., the treasurer, from Mrs. W. B. McClain, the critic, and from Mrs. Lane, program chairman.

Mrs. Lane discussed the public health conditions in Wichita Falls. The members present included Mesdames O. T. Allen, F. T. Dutton, E. C. De Montel, Duff, J. J. Fennessy, M. Ferguson, C. C. Jones Jr., Albert Lane, Harold Ross, W. R. McClain, Julian McFall, I. R. Sheldon, Wayne Somerville, George H. Watkins and Gwynne, and Miss Emma Carter.

### SOUTHWEST BAPTIST WOMEN HAVE BAZAAR

The women of the Southwest Baptist church will hold a bazaar at the Miller-Ferguson store, corner Tenth and Indiana, all day Saturday.

### CAN'T WEAR THESE WITH BOBBED HAIR



With the passing of bobbed hair, the elaborate coiffure already in vogue in Paris is headed this way. Besides the high Spanish comb and its modifications so widely popular now, new bandeaux are to be worn low over the forehead, effective, were made.



tively concealing any high eyebrow tendencies. These combs are in color, not only for the evening, but for the afternoon as well. They are shown in jet, tortoise shell, celluloid and colored compositions. Frequently they are jeweled.

### MRS. BROTHERTON HOSTESS HIDE-A-WAY THURSDAY

Mrs. R. C. Brotherton has hosted to the Hide-a-Way Bridge club at her home Thursday evening in the pre-Christmas meeting of the club.

In the games, Mrs. W. G. Church won high score and was presented with a cut glass and silver reliquary, while Mrs. C. V. Darden, who won high among the guests, received a dainty handkerchief.

The hostess served a splendid supper to the following: Mesdames Cleland, Beckman, Church, Doves Gray, Rogers, Darden, Byer and Brotherton.

### ARRANGING TO MAKE POOR HAPPY CHRISTMAS

GREENVILLE.—The Greenville Social Service association is busy arranging to make the poor of the city happy on Christmas Day. Welfare work will continue up to the Yuletide and a host of hearty diners are expected to be placed before those in need.

### Christmas Cantatas Announced; Two Will Be Given Sunday Eve; One the Eve Before Christmas

Three Christmas cantatas have been announced at as many local churches for the coming holidays, two of which will be presented on the coming Sunday evening. These are the "Holy Infant," to be sung by the First Baptist choir, and "The Wondrous Light," to be sung by the Pleasant Heights Methodist choir.

On Christmas eve—Sunday—the First Methodist choir will present "The Christ Child" under the direction of Mrs. E. C. Huckabee. At the First Baptist church R. Vaughn Ray will direct the singing of "The Holy Infant" Sunday evening.

Mrs. Mary E. Adams will direct the cantata at the Floral Heights church the same evening. The Floral Heights choir will be assisted by Jarrel Goss, violinist, and the following soloists: Mrs. Fred Schumann, soprano; Mrs. Adams, mezzo-soprano; Mrs. Brown-Hopkins, contralto; P. G. Evans, tenor; Dr. W. Rhoades, bass, and Mrs. O. E. Nichols, organist.

Mirrors for the home at Decorators Co., 715 Ninth street.—Decorators ground, Faith Optical Co.—adv.

### AUSTIN MOTHERS TO EQUIP REST ROOM

The Austin mothers will equip a rest room at the school for the teachers and girls, according to the report made to the club's Wednesday meeting. Miss Stewart read a list of the necessary furnishings for the room, and members of the club will donate many of them.

The feature of Wednesday's meeting was Mrs. McGregor's report from the Waco Mothers' congress meeting, which was very full and complete, and an inspirational discussion followed. Plans for the bazaar Saturday were completed, and announcement of the ticket sales for the Musicians' University club's artist course made. Later Mrs. Napier and her cafeteria committee, Mesdames L. P. Hammond, Helger, Hentley and Jones served a salad plate with tea and wafer to about 100 mothers from the cafeteria.

The pictures remained in Misses Hughes' and Covey's rooms, those five winning them again for the month with the best representation of mothers present.

## NOW BUY SHOES



### CHRISTMAS FOOTWEAR HERE

With Christmas so near at hand you have probably bought all the lesser gifts and sundries—now buy shoes.

Remember yourself with a new pair and give your family or friends a beautiful new style.

We want to see a pair of "Salmon and Nutt" shoes on every Christmas tree.

New styles in patents; black or brown satin; oxfords, suede and bronze kid are here for your selection. Come and get them.

House slippers make an ideal gift. Special reductions on large stock felt, satin and kid, priced from 95c to \$3.85

## SALMON AND NOTT

Hosiery, Toilet Sets, Men's Furnishings

O boy! It's too late to shop early, but come on anyhow. We are fixed to take care of your late Santa Claus needs.

### Below Find a Few Items Only of Saturday's Splendid Specials

- HANDKERCHIEFS, one very beautiful lot up to 50c values ..... 23c
- TIES, fine large silk four-in-hands 19c
- Men's fine 75c and \$1 Silk Knit Ties 32c
- GLOVES, Ladies best long kids... \$5.95
- Ladies' best short kids ..... \$2.45

- Full Fashionable Silk Hose, black or brown ..... 75c
- 15c pure white heavy Huck Towels 12x21, 5 for ..... 50c
- Best 12.50 Nilson Silk Hose \$1.05
- 12c Fine Fancy Turkish Towels at ..... 45c
- 11c.75 Radium Silk Underwear Sets ..... \$7.05
- \$2.75 Silk Crepe de Chine Underwear Sets ..... \$6.35
- \$2.00 to \$5.00 Bloomers ..... \$3.95
- \$5.00 to \$6.00 all wool Sweaters at ..... \$3.95
- \$1.00 Boy's Best Houses ..... 50c
- 50c to 75c Boy's Caps ..... 35c
- Extra Large Heavy 12.50 Cotton Blankets ..... \$1.95
- Good black and brown Coney Fur Checks ..... \$2.95

NOTICE—Dresses, Coats, Suits, Fur, all reduced 40 per cent to 50 per cent on our Christmas Landslide on Prices.

### IN OUR BASEMENT

All Wool Felt, Trousing and Serge Dresses ..... \$4.95 up from \$7.00  
FREE—We wrap all your parcel post packages in our beautiful Christmas holly wrapping paper.

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## SATURDAY

Will Be the Banner Day of Our Great

## Reduction

## SALE



From the very beginning we planned to make Saturday, December 16 the banner day of our sale. We have assembled such values as we feel our patrons will find most acceptable in kind and value for Christmas choosing.

Regardless of the low prices during this sale, quality standards are maintained throughout. Nothing but first quality merchandise is ever sold in this new ladies' store—in Kimberlin-Smith values you are always safe and sure.

### COATS

Why not give "her" the gift glorious—a fur trimmed wrap. A wonderful selection Saturday at

### 15% to 20% OFF DRESSES

Silk, Wool, Evening and Dinner Frocks at these prices no woman should deny herself a frock until after Christmas. The values are truly astonishing. Saturday they are

### 15% to 25% OFF SUITS

Our entire stock of beautiful fur-trimmed suits, including 3-piece affairs developed in the best materials and fur trimmings the country affords—Saturday at

### 1/2 PRICE OTHER INTERESTING REDUCTIONS

- French Kid Gloves, \$6 values ..... \$4.95
- Short French Kid, \$2.25 values ..... \$1.95
- All Fur Coats, Saturday ..... 1-4 OFF
- Beautiful Platinum Fox Scarfs ..... 1-3 OFF
- Novelty Christmas Scarfs, Saturday ..... \$2.45
- Novelty Wool and Silk Sweaters begin at ..... \$3.45

The most beautiful Silk Underwear ever produced in America, in shades of orchid, apricot, lavender, jade, flesh, white and black.

### ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS DR. SNUFFLES' SURPRISE By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Well now, what is it this time, Dr. Snuffles," asked the Green Wizard kindly.

A week after Dr. Snuffles paid his first visit to the Green Wizard, he came again. "Ting-a-ling-a-ling," went the doorbell of the big pine-tree where the Wizard lived.

"Nancy answered it, as she had before. Dr. Snuffles climbed the steep stairs, the Green Wizard said how-are-you-do and Nick set a chair—all exactly as it had happened before.

"Well now, what is it this time, Dr. Snuffles," asked the Green Wizard kindly. "What can I do for you? Did your magic medicine cure all your patients?"

"Yes, yes indeed," said Dr. Snuffles. "It was wonderful! Mrs. Rabbit said her dyspepsia was completely gone. The only trouble was that now she had her appetite, the lettuce and green stuff were gone, too. The sage-patch garden is as brown as a potato. She'll have to wait until spring for a good square meal."

"Did it cure anybody else?" asked the Wizard.

"Land yes! Old Mr. Mud Turtle is completely over his hay-fever. Philip Frog's rheumatism just seemed to melt away. Mary Muskrat did the entire washing without once feeling her lumbago, and Billy Beaver's tooth only gave one jump. The next time, after taking your magic medicine, the ache jumped clear out of the window."

"That's just fine," answered the Green Wizard. "But it's curious, too. Dr. Snuffles. Quite curious! Do you know that magic medicine was only nice clear spring water. It was the label that did the work. When folks think they're taking magic medicine they get well lots faster. They just imagine themselves well!"

"Well I declare!" exclaimed Dr. Snuffles in amazement. "I'm gone right now to tell them: They all got so well I had to take down my single Now I can't take it up again sure as anything. Good day, sir!"

(To a continued.)  
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Drawings by Bill Holman Verses by Hal Cochran  
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The Economy BAKING POWDER

It is first in quality, received highest awards at the World's Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill. Paris Exposition, Paris, France; first in results—never fails, produces evenly raised, light, tasty, wholesome foods; first in economy—moderate in price—you save when you buy it—you save when you use it.

Used in so many homes that its sale is over 150% greater than that of any other brand.

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## Class Negro To

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### Clad Only in Birthmark, Negro Takes 2-Mile Walk To Escape Police Raid

Clad only in material siming to that of which the pants to French pajamas are made, Sam Walton, negro, walked the two miles from Grant street to town, while the sharp night breezes were blowing early Friday morning.

Sam works in a down town garage and Thursday night he had gotten in bad company and was spending the night away from home, at a servant's house on Grant street. While the police were looking the place over and making other arrests the young negro took flight in a "nude and rude condition."

He remembered that he had left some work clothing at the garage where he works about two miles from the scene of the raid, and set out after them. The other offenders and Sam's clothing were brought to the police station. Others arrested in the house were fined in the Friday morning session of the city court.

Shortly after court was over Friday morning the negro who escaped from the officers came to the city hall with the request that he be allowed to make bond and get his clothing. He appeared in some rather ill-fitting garments which he said he found at the garage.

When asked how he got to the garage the young negro answered: "I just walked down through the alleys, stayed in the dark places until I got to town where I left my other clothes."

The negro admitted that he had had more pleasant trips than his early morning run, but said he preferred it to spending the remainder of the night in jail. He made bond and will appear for trial Saturday morning.

### MARRIED MAN A WEEK BEFORE HIS DEATH AND INHERITS ONE MILLION

(Editor's note: There are no pants to French pajama suits.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Mrs. May Slessinger Bachman, who married David S. Bachman, San Francisco attorney and stock broker at the sanitarium one week before he died, inherited more than half the Bachman estate, valued at \$1,000,000, according to a will filed in court here today. Mrs. Bachman is a miniature portrait painter.

C. W. Campbell, division engineer and E. L. Martin, formerly engineer maintenance of way for the Katy, are on a hunting trip in Oklahoma. Rookwood pottery, a present worth while. Decorators.—adv.

### Local Recruiter Demoted in Rank, With Many Others

First Lieutenant James B. Clearwater, in charge of the local army recruiting station, left Friday morning for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, to be sworn in as a second lieutenant.

"Recent army orders are demoting a number of majors, captains and first lieutenants," he said, "and it falls my lot to be demoted to second lieutenant, but it is gratifying to know that my rate of pay will remain the same."

### ARKANSAS SHERIFF COMING FOR BOTH GIRL AND MAN

Sheriff Fred K. Smith received word Thursday evening that the sheriff of Hope, Ark., was on his way after E. E. Tice and the 17-year-old girl who are being held here. According to the officers the man is held here for transporting a woman from Arkansas to Mexico and then back into Texas. They were arrested Wednesday at a hotel in El Centro.

### 16 VAGRANCY ARRESTS OUT OF TOTAL OF 20 UPON POLICE BLOTTER

Ample evidence that the "lid is on tight" could be had on the police blotter Friday morning. Twenty persons were placed in the city jail during the day Thursday; sixteen arrests were made on vagrancy charges. Several cases of traffic violations and gaming were also booked.

Fines and forfeited bonds in the six vagrancy cases that were tried Friday morning amounted to \$95. Ten cases of vagrancy were passed until Saturday morning. Fines totaling \$50 were assessed in five cases of speeding and traffic violation. Defendants in three gaming charges were fined \$20 each.

M. B. Oates, agricultural agent of the Denver, is back at his desk after an absence of several days attending agricultural meetings.

### STANDARD OIL ABANDONS PLANS FOR DEVELOPMENT CZECHO SLOVAKIA FIELD

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The Herald says today that the Standard Oil company has abandoned its plan for developing the oil resources of Czechoslovakia. Difficulties in reaching an agreement with the Prague government over the nomination of directors of the company which it was proposed to form there, are given by the newspaper as the reason for the decision.

### MOST EFFICIENT MEANS TO BRING RESUSCITATION

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15.—Forced inhalation of oxygen containing a small percentage of carbon dioxide, was referred to as "the most efficient means of bringing about resuscitation" of asphyxiated persons in an address delivered at the thirty-sixth annual meeting of the coal institute of America yesterday by Prof. Wendell Henderson of Yale.

### Men!

You owe it to yourself to investigate the real value in—

### OVERCOATS

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**\$17.50 to \$35.00**  
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The Christmas Spirit Has Linked Hands With Our Fifth Anniversary Sale for the Final Seven Great Selling Days

## GIFT Articles Now on Display in a Variety That Is Appealing to GIFT Shoppers, and Are Included in Our 5th Anniversary Values

### RADIO CONCERTS

7:00 to 8:30 P. M.

D. S. Golding has installed in our store one of the latest and most powerful Westinghouse receiving sets, and beginning Saturday, Dec. 16 and continuing until Christmas eve, we will give radio concerts from 7:00 to 8:30 each evening. We have installed this radiophone receiving set for the pleasure and entertainment of our patrons and will be pleased to have you visit the store evenings to take advantage of these interesting programs, which will be received from such broadcasting stations as Los Angeles, Cal., Davenport, Iowa, Havana, Cuba, Dallas and Fort Worth.



### Men's Suits

\$45 Kuppenheimer Suits, very special for

# \$29.50

### After Supper Sales

7:00 to 8:30 P. M.

Each evening until Christmas Eve we will offer special bargains throughout the store.

These items will be attractive gift articles as well as regular merchandise.

We hope to offer such money saving values that your Christmas shopping will be interesting and at the same time worth while from an economical viewpoint.

OVERCOATS FOR MEN, high-grade garments, \$19.95, \$24.95 to \$39.95

### HOSIERY

One lot Ladies' Silk Hose, \$1.75 values, for **98c**  
 One lot Ladies' \$2.00 Silk Hose, special for **\$1.29**  
 One lot \$4.00 Silk Hose, black and brown, special **\$2.19**  
 One lot Children's 65c hose, special **19c**  
 Men's Hose, priced during our Fifth Anniversary Sale from 10c to **\$1.50**

### UNDERWEAR

One lot Ladies' Kayser Unions, \$4.00 values, special for **\$1.95**  
 \$2.50 Kayser Knit Unions, low neck and sleeveless, special **\$1.19**  
 Men's \$5.00 Unions **\$4.45**  
 Men's \$2.00 Unions **\$1.39**

Boys' Unions at very special reductions.

Men's and Boys' Shirts in Christmas Boxes at Special Reductions

High-Grade Millinery Offered at Surprisingly Low Prices From Now 'Till Christmas Eve.

### BOYS' TWO-PANTS SUITS

The superior gift for growing boys.

\$15.00 Suits for	<b>\$12.95</b>	\$12.50 Suits for	<b>\$10.45</b>
\$13.50 Suits for	<b>\$11.95</b>	\$10.00 Suits for	<b>\$8.95</b>

A baseball free with each suit.

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#### LADIES' SHOES

600 pairs Ladies' fine walking Shoes, light welt soles, Cuban heels, made by the best makers in America, worth \$13.50 per pair on today's market, at **\$2.50**  
 Note: Leathers, brown kid, brown calf and black kid, all sizes AAA to D's.  
 New Colonials in brown suede, mat kid, patent leather and brown kid, hand turned soles and French heels, worth \$12. **\$6.50**  
 to **\$7.00**  
 150 pairs patent leather and black kid one and two-strap pumps, turned soles, Spanish and Cuban heels, values to \$10 at **\$4.00**

#### LADIES' COATS

One lot Ladies' Coats, worth \$49.50 at **\$24.95**

#### PETTIBOCKERS

Silk Bloomers and Pettibockers, worth \$4.50 to \$7.95 at **\$2.95, \$3.45, \$4.95**

#### MESH BAGS

WHITING DAVIS Special \$20 at **\$9.95**  
 Values up to \$15 at **\$6.95**  
 Values up to \$12.50 at **\$5.95**

### DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

Wool Blankets, finest quality, \$5.75 to **\$14.95**  
 Silk Comforts, \$8.95 to **\$18.50**  
 Bed Spreads, \$2.49 to **\$5.95**  
 Breakfast Cloths, \$1.19 and **\$1.49**

Breakfast Sets at **\$3.95**  
 Bath Towels, per pair 45c to **98c**  
 Linen Towels, per pair 98c and **\$1.49**  
 Ladies' Bath Robes, values \$4.95, at **\$3.45**

### MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

#### MEN'S SHOES

75 pairs Edwin Clapp Shoes worth \$14.50, at **\$8.00**  
 100 pairs Crossett and J. P. Smith Shoes, worth \$10 at **\$6.00**  
 60 pairs J. & M. Shoes, narrow widths, worth \$14.50, at **\$5.00**  
 85 pairs Crossett shoes, worth \$10.00 at **\$3.00**  
 75 pairs Oxfords, Crossett and J. & M.'s, worth \$10.00 to \$14.50, at **\$2.00**  
 40 pair lace Boots, values \$8.50 to \$15.00, at **\$3.50 to \$7.00**  
 All belted models, fine fabrics and hand tailored coats.  
 \$50.00 Overcoats at **\$32.50**  
 \$45.00 Overcoats at **\$29.50**  
 \$40.00 Overcoats at **\$27.50**  
 \$32.50 Overcoats at **\$19.50**  
 \$50.00 Men's Suits at \$29.60 to **\$34.00**  
 \$45.00 Men's Suits at **\$29.20**  
 \$40.00 Men's Suits at \$25.85 to **\$27.25**  
 \$35.00 Men's Suits at **\$21.85**  
 Six Men's Full Dress Suits worth \$75.00, at **\$30.00**

#### MEN'S FURNISHINGS

One lot Men's Belts, values to \$1, at **50c**  
 One lot Men's Knit Neckwear, worth \$1.00, at **65c**  
 One lot Men's Knit Neckwear, worth \$1.50, at **85c**  
 One lot Men's Silk Neckwear, worth \$2.00 at **\$1.35**  
 One lot Men's Silk Ties in holiday boxes, worth \$1.50, at **95c**  
 Special attractions in Men's Bath and Lounging Robes, Collar Boxes, Manicure Rolls, Silver Flasks, Gold and Silver Belt Buckles, Traveling Sets, Military Brushes, Full Dress Sets, etc.

#### SHIRT SPECIALS

One lot \$3.00 Dress Shirts at **\$1.95**  
 One lot Shirts worth \$2.50 at **\$1.00**  
 4 dozen gray collar attached Airplane Linen Cloth Shirts, worth \$4.00 each, at **\$2.00**

#### MEN'S HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR SPECIALS

\$1.50 Silk Hose, full fashioned, at per pair **\$1.00**  
 \$1.00 Silk Hose, full fashioned back, seamless foot, at **75c**  
 \$3.50 Men's Wool Mixture Underwear, medium weight, at **\$2.45**

#### BOYS' SUITS

\$12.50 Boys' Suits at **\$8.95**  
 \$11.00 Boys' Suits at **\$7.75**  
 \$9.00 Boys' Suits at **\$6.00**  
 A few Boys' Overcoats, sizes 4 to 12 at great reductions.

#### MEN'S HATS

We are offering hundreds of new Fall Hats at very remarkable reductions. All Hats, including Stetsons, values up to \$10.00 **\$2.00 to \$4.65**

See our window display of Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' Coats, Pettibockers, Men's Overcoats and Christmas novelties.

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### TABULATION SHOWS COMPARATIVE SIZE OF ALLIED NAVIES

GIVES RELATIVE POSITIONS OF BRITISH, AMERICAN AND JAPANESE.

INCLUDES CRUISER AND SUBMARINE STRENGTH

Occasion For Proposal For An International Agreement to Check Building.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—A tabulation obtained today in naval circles showing the relative positions of the British, American and Japanese navies in cruiser and submarine strength apparently shed light on the situation which led the house appropriations committee to propose that President Harding negotiate an international agreement to check competitive building in these types.

The figures credit Great Britain with 45 light cruisers of the first line, built, building or projected, and aggregating 206,480 tons; the United States with 10 ships building, 75,000 tons, and 21 building and projected, aggregating 191,450 tons. In addition the list shows Great Britain to have 12 light cruisers of the second line, 63,230 tons, neither the United States or Japan being credited with any ships in this classification.

In fleet submarines Great Britain is credited with six of the first line, 11,280 tons, six of the second line, 7,700 tons, and two building or projected, 3,580 tons; the United States with three of the first line, 3,218 tons, none of the second line, three building or projected, 2,716 tons, and six additional authorized, but not under contract; Japan with no fleet submarines built, but three under construction, 4,500 tons.

In first line submarines other than fleet submarines, Great Britain is credited with 48 built, 21,148 tons, and six building, 5,850 tons; the United States with 59 built, 37,130 tons, 34 building, 29,575 tons; Japan with 27 built, 21,818 tons, and one program of 16 building, 14,480 tons, and a second building program of 28 vessels "tonnage unknown." While the British navy has decided American inferiority in light cruisers the United States has a distinct advantage in first line destroyers with 215 built, 27,820 tons for Great Britain and 54 for Japan. Six new destroyers are given on the British building program, none on the American, and 22 on the Japanese.

### BRITISH PARLIAMENT IS PROROGUED UNTIL FEB. 13

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The British parliament was prorogued today until February 13. The program for adjournment went through without a hitch despite the widely heralded efforts of a small body of the left wing labor members to prevent the adjournment of the house of commons until a remedy was found for the unemployment situation.

King George in his speech for prorogation stressed the need for the economic habilitation of Europe, asserting that the task of restoring conditions that would be favorable to economic stability was causing deep concern and could only be overcome by cooperation among the nations primarily affected. The question of unemployment which has given rise to so much heated debate in the house of commons, received special consideration in the speech. The king stated that the government would do all in its power to alleviate the conditions against which the laborites have protested.

The king expressed the hope that the Lausanne conference would speedily be able to solve the problems affecting peace in the near east. George Lansbury, leader of the labor "die hard," attempted to block the proceedings but the move proved a weak one. It resulted merely in the opponents of the prorogation being so completely outvoted over by a large and harmoniously delivered ruling by the speaker that Mr. Lansbury speedily submitted and even thanked the speaker for the manner in which the latter had dealt with the point.

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### SAYS REPRIAL OF ACT WOULD AGGRAVATE THE SITUATION

ELEDORADO, KAN., Dec. 15.—Repeal of the transportation act would have a tendency to continue and aggravate the car service from which farmers are suffering, Charles Dillon of Chicago, assistant to the chairman of the western railway presidents' committee, declared in an address here today before members of the Butler county farm bureau. Mr. Dillon said repeal of the act was widely advocated in the west.

Rookwood pottery, a present worth while, Decorators.—adv.

### MOTION PICTURE MAGNATE STUDYING FILM METHODS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 15.—Prince Suscha of Thura and Taxis, tiny principalities of Czecho-Slovakia, is a motion picture magnate and has come to Los Angeles to learn American film methods. He plans to remain a month. The prince formerly was chamberlain to Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary.

### LAW REQUIRES WOMEN TO SERVE ON JURIES

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 15.—A law requiring women to serve on juries in British Columbia has been passed by the provincial legislature.

### SENTENCE MEN CHARGED WITH WOUNDING HARDEN

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Herbert Welchardt and Albert Grens, charged with assaulting and seriously wounding Maximilian Harden last July near Grunewald, were convicted in Berlin today. A dispatch to the Central News from the German capital, Welchardt was sentenced to two years and nine months imprisonment and Grens to four years and nine months.

Pictures for the home make a real present. Decorators.—adv.

Christmas cards at Decorators.—adv.

## Gifts of Heirloom Jewelry

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sizes 1 1/4 to 2 and 2 1/4 to 7 in broad-toe or English style; made of durable tan leather, solid leather soles.

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Both of the styles illustrated are developed in brown leather in Brogue or Blucher style, Goodyear Welt sewed soles and rubber heels—the ideal man's Winter Shoe and truly a remarkable value at \$3.90.

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Padded Elk's bottom's, Everett, Hilo styles in all shades ..... 98c



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A striking new novelty! With a Flat Heel in All-Over Satin, Satin with Brocade Quarters as illustrated, all over Patent and Patent with Brocade Quarters, and all over brocade satin.

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### BANK MESSENGER SHOT AND ROBBED \$10,800 MISSING

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—Seven men in an automobile robbed Harry McKee, bank messenger of the First National bank of Philadelphia, of \$10,800 today while he was taking the weekly payroll to Fels and company, soap manufacturers at 13rd street and Woodland avenue. McKee was shot in the chest.

### CADDO NATIONAL BANK ROBBED BY FIVE MEN

CADDO, OKLA., Dec. 15.—Five men held up Caddo National bank here shortly before noon, locked 14 persons in the vault and escaped in a motor car with approximately \$10,000 in Liberty bonds.

### STATE BANK IS ROBBED AT LA FAYETTE, MINN.

LA FAYETTE, MINN., Dec. 15.—Four robbers entered the Farmers State bank here early today and secured with \$1000 in cash and Liberty bonds, and war savings stamps estimated at more than \$10,000.

### NEWS BRIEVITIES.

Bill Stafford, giving his address as Randlett, Okla.; Ed Walters as Nacoma, Texas; and Charles Porter Giddens Jr., Annona, Texas, have been accepted by the local army recruiting station and will be sent to Fort Sill, Okla., Saturday morning.

R. E. Farmer, dispatcher for the Southern, has gone to Dallas for a few days.

A. Clark of the P. & B. Pipe Line company, leaves Friday for Indianapolis, Ind., on a business trip.

N. O. Scharmann, traveling passenger agent of the Mallory Steamship line of New York, with headquarters in Jacksonville, Fla., is a visitor in the city.

J. A. Spurlock, roadmaster of the Katy, is in Altus, Oklahoma, on company business.

J. J. Melley, master mechanic of the Katy, returned to the city Friday from a Dallas trip.

G. C. Pyle, trainmaster of the Katy, is confined to his bed with sickness.

D. E. Hanna, superintendent of the Katy at Denton, is a visitor in the city.

W. F. Danforth, fuel inspector for the Katy, returned to the city on Thursday en route to other points along the line.

### ALL COMMUNICATION IS CUT OFF BETWEEN BELFAST AND DUBLIN

BELFAST, Dec. 15.—Railway communication between here and Dublin was cut off today as a result of the wrecking of a train supposedly by republican hands at Drogheda, county Louth. Telephone communication also was cut off.

DUBLIN, Dec. 15.—The free state garrisons in Callan, Thomastown and Mullinavat, southern County Wick, are reported to have been overpowered and captured by irregulars.

The Thomastown barracks were burned. Large bodies of men are said to have participated in the attack upon Callan in which machine guns were used.

People arriving in Kilkenny from various parts of the county report that there was widespread activity among the irregulars last night. The roads have been blocked and the present position is uncertain.

### PLAN EXTENSIONS FOR THE GRUBB VOCATIONAL COLLEGE AT ARLINGTON

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—Sixty state senators, representatives and business men of Fort Worth and Dallas met at Grubb Vocational college today and planned extensions for the institution. The meeting was held under auspices of the college authorities and business men of Arlington. Appeals to the state legislature will follow this meeting.

### SPECIAL DEPUTY SHERIFF CHARGED WITH MURDER OF AGED GARLAND MAN

DALLAS, Dec. 15.—H. C. Britts of Garland, special deputy sheriff, was charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of George Sanders, aged Garland resident, in an indictment returned by the grand jury today.

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### STOCK DIVIDEND OF HUNDRED PER CENT BY DRUG COMPANY

DETROIT, Dec. 15.—A stock dividend of 100 per cent, payable December 23 to stockholders of record December 18 was declared today by the board of directors of Parke, Davis and company, drug manufacturers. Capital stock was increased from slightly less than \$12,000,000 to \$25,000,000, leaving slightly more than \$1,000,000 worth of stock in the treasury. The directors also declared a cash dividend of \$2.00 a share, payable January 23 to stockholders of record December 18.

### LEON BRIGGS SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS IN PRISON

HOUSTON, Dec. 15.—The jury which heard the case of Leon Briggs, 24, charged with murder following the fatal shooting last May of Prohibition Officer J. W. ... today returned a verdict of manslaughter and assessed punishment at five years.

### JURY IN JOE HALL CASE AT SHERMAN DISCHARGED

SHERMAN, Dec. 15.—The jury in the case of Joe Hall, charged with slaying Bob James in Fannin county more than a year ago, reported it was unable to agree and was discharged at noon today.

### BECOME PROTEGES OF AMERICAN LEGION POST

GALVESTON, Dec. 15.—Troop No. 5, Boy Scouts, have become the proteges of the Argonne post No. 29 of the American Legion. The older "buddies" will superintend activities of the scouts.

### MUNICIPAL BOARD EXPLAINS ATTITUDE AS TO VOLUNTEERS

In explanation of its efforts to keep the Volunteers of America from soliciting funds on the streets for Christmas charity, the Municipal Welfare board Friday afternoon issued a statement, as follows:

To all contributors in the United Welfare campaign and to the citizens generally:

In a recent campaign, approximately \$40,000 was subscribed, at the request of the Municipal Welfare board by charitable people of this community with the understanding that this money would be carefully and economically used for the relief of the needy and welfare work generally through eight recognized and approved local organizations.

The slogan in this campaign, "Give once for all," and the published and spoken statements led our people to believe that they would be protected from unnecessary and unwarranted solicitation of money for charity.

The charities commission which is a part of this board has a right to investigate persons soliciting money for charity under city ordinance No. 208 and amendment No. 402, passed October 29, 1914, which commission is appointed by the mayor and charged with the responsibility of investigating those desiring to solicit funds for charitable purposes. The Volunteers of America have applied to the secretary of this board for a permit to solicit funds for charity. The secretary and the charities commission after investigation have refused the permit on the ground that this organization would be duplicating

### DALLAS WOMAN DROWNS IN AN ABANDONED WELL

DALLAS, Dec. 15.—Mrs. J. M. Scott, 49, was drowned in an abandoned well near her home here today. She had been in ill health and while looking into the well it is believed she lost her balance and fell.

### TIRE AND VULCANIZING COMPANY IN BANKRUPTCY

The Southern Tire and Vulcanizing company, through its secretary, Herman A. Dodson, Thursday afternoon filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court. The schedule of the corporation lists its liabilities at \$32,255 of which amount \$22,355 is listed as unsecured claims. The total assets as listed amount to \$32,859. Of this amount \$15,000 is in insurance policies.

### BOTTLERS' ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.—The 1923 convention of the Texas Bottlers' association will be held here February 29 and 31, according to announcement of the executive committee comprising J. W. Latham, president, Brownwood; W. H. Reeves, secretary, Greenville; John McNamara, Austin; Taylor Greer,

### PUBLIC DANCE

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### EXPECT OVER-SUBSCRIPTION FOR TREASURY OFFERING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Over-subscription of the recently announced combined offering of treasury notes and certificates was expected today as the treasury began disbursement of \$1,000,000,000 in redemption of Victory notes, cancellation of maturing certificates of indebtedness and certain interest payments.

### CORSICANA—Only three herds of cattle in Navarro county show ticks, according to T. J. Fortenberry, state live stock inspector.

The tick eradication department has made 235 herds of livestock in this county, 276 of which are not quarantined.

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### XMAS SPECIALS

All-Wool O. D. Army Blankets, 4-lb. weight, sizes 12x24. \$3.15 (A big shipment just received)
Bathrobe Blankets, a number of beautiful colors, complete with cords, frogs, etc. \$4.85
Cashmere wool hose, light weight, for father. \$1.50
Boy's corduroy and khaki breeches, lace leg. \$1.50 to \$2.45
Men's Gabardine suits, with straight leg or riding breeches \$11.45
Men's Bedford cord suits, with button bottom riding breeches at \$15.00
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Shirts, collar attached, in the army O. D. wool, French Flannel, Aeroplane Linen, specially priced \$2.35 to \$3.50
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Embroidered Cotton Handkerchiefs in pretty designs, each \$1.25

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These are very special values and many beautiful styles in winter hats are included in this large group. Velvets, silks, suetynnes and metallics are included.

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Choice of these high grade and very smart tailored hats at this low price. Black and colors are included in the assortment.

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One big lot Comforts, \$4.50 values \$2.98

Those \$12.50 all-wool Blankets Saturday \$8.88

Boys' Finest fleece lined Unions, values to \$1.50, all sizes \$7c

Baby Blankets galore \$39c

Folks, our store is running over with Christmas goods. You just cannot afford to miss it. You will not be disappointed—come.

100 more Boys' and Girls Knit Caps, values to 75c. Take them for \$24c

Another lot those bed blankets for \$9c

100 pairs Ladies Pure Thread Silk Hose, pair \$9c

Children's Coats going from \$3.98 up.

First come, first served, on those fine Coats, blouse and plain backs, fur collars, \$46.95 to \$49.85 values \$28.80 Only 20 left

Don't fail to see those Dresses, values to \$20.00, in this big sale for \$9.88

Look at this: 9-4 and 10-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheet- ing, Garza, Restwell and Slumber brands, yard \$39c 5 yards to customer.

Another big one—125 sample spring Pattern Hats, entire drummers sample line. We will save you \$2.00 on each hat. They go for \$3.98, \$4.98 and \$5.85

Those 25c Bungalow Cretonnes Saturday, yard \$16c

Dress Pins, Needles, Safety Pins, paper \$2c

Those Ladies' Knit Throes, \$1.69 up.

Children's fine Dresses, values to \$6.95 \$4.98

If you haven't the Christmas Spirit, come to this basement, if you have, come.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1933

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY. And let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbor; and love no false oath; for all these things do I hate, saith the Lord.—Zechariah 8:17.

PROTECTION FOR OUR FEATHERED FRIENDS.

The Texas Farm and Ranch has given its endorsement to the movement for the organization of a statewide game protective association whose purpose will be the preservation of birds and other harmless game in the state.

The United States department of agriculture has declared that insects annually destroy farm and forest products of an approximate value of \$1,000,000,000.

"Casting aside every sentimental reason why wild life should be protected, the economic value of birds is so great that it can not be estimated.

REGARDING THE M. K. & T. RAILWAY.

As the sale of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway lines is in progress to a group of bond holders and financiers who have provided for the reorganization of the company, announcement is made that the reorganized company plans the expenditure of fifteen million dollars in improvements.

For a number of years the M. K. & T. has suffered from uncertainty resulting from its financial difficulties.

We may believe that the reorganization now in process will eliminate much of this uncertainty and that a settled policy may be adopted regarding service and that the morale of its operating force may be raised to a high standard.

This community, together with all the others served by the M. K. & T., is greatly interested in the refinancing and the reorganization of this system.

New Jersey man wrote his will on a butcher's order book. It is thought he was going to price a steak.

Over in England an old man married a rich young girl, which is a mighty hard thing for an old man to do.

TEXAS PECAN CROP IS VERY LIGHT.

Texas children have been deprived this season of the joys of pecan gathering.

Owners of lands along watered courses where pecan trees thrive have been deprived of a considerable revenue through the sale of pecans.

The pecan crop is reported to be only six per cent of normal in Texas, the largest producer of pecans in the country.

Practically all the pecans in Texas are gathered from native trees growing wild. The time is coming when pecan trees will be planted and cultivated as a money crop.

THE COST OF GOVERNMENT.

Friday is the last day for the payment of the fourth installment of the federal income tax.

Before this time, a majority of the taxpayers have also received statements of their city, county and state taxes which must be paid before the first of February.

Taxpayers therefore are now duly impressed with the cost of government and perhaps now is a good time to offer them this from the Houston Post:

"Perhaps, the principal hope of a reduction in taxes lies in curtailment of the activities of the federal government. Stimular economy could be effected in state governments. Believe both state and federal governments of many of the activities that are non-essential and what the citizens should really take care of themselves, and a way will be opened for decreasing the tax requirements. But as long as the people run to their state capitals and to Washington to get the things done they should do for themselves, they will have high taxes, and no amount of protesting will change the situation."

TODAY'S TALK

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

THE GLITTER OF THE STARS. Whenever you get mixed up in your thoughts about God and life, I suggest that you walk out into the night—alone—and take a long look at the stars.

I often do this—and I always come back to myself in better heart, stronger, fuller of understanding, larger in faith.

Did it ever occur to you that the stars never go out—that they shine as truly by day as by night? With this difference, that the light of the sun being greater for the day, their glitter is dimmed until the sun "goes down."

Which brings out this fact—that it takes darkness to show up the stars.

And it takes darkness to show up God, to reveal beauty, and to teach us how we should walk in the light, when it comes.

It takes darkness to show up a man, too! As in the night we look up into the faces of the stars and learn lessons that have been there for billions of years, so may we go back from the dark nights of our experiences to the sun-strewn days of our happiest moments and find renewed faith awaiting to lead us on.

Darkness is necessary to bring out the glitter of the stars.

In like manner must we become acquainted with grief, tread the wine press of sorrow and adversity, that character may have a meaning in this world-day world.

JUST FOLKS

By Edgar A. Guest

CHARACTER. Build it well and build it straight. Strong enough to buffet fate. Staunch enough to bear the blow. Life compels us all to know; Have it rugged, have it clean.

Build your character to be fit for every eye to see; Never let some secret sin Or some shameful thing creep in; He gives powder to his foe, Who must hide what he may know, Who who keeps his record true, Has no foe who may pursue.

Spite of loss or spite of gain, Let your character remain Free from blemish, free from guile; Let it sing and dance and smile, Keep it cheerful, keep it kind, Big of heart and broad of mind, Then, whatever may befall, You may triumph over all.

SMILE A WHILE

WITH TOM SIMS

Umbrellas make good gifts because you have a chance to get them back.

When in Rome some of the Paecii are doing as the Roman candles do.

What will you girls give for Christmas? A silk nuffer hanging around his neck will remind him of you.

Princeton has a water shortage. She won so many football games it may have been used as chasers.

The most serious mistake on earth is being too serious.

The height of ignorance is thinking you know everything.

A girl tells us none of her fellows will make a date with her because Christmas is so near.

WHAT HAZING IS AND ISN'T

By EDWARD THIERRY, Editor, Service Staff Writer, ANNAPOLIS, MD., Dec. 13.—Congressmen who may want to investigate hazing at the Naval Academy are apt to be misled by the strategy of Admiral Henry B. Wilson, superintendent of the academy and former commander in chief of the Atlantic fleet.

"Who says I'm in favor of hazing?" boomed the admiral in his best sea-going voice. His shaggy eyebrows bristled.

"Not I, sir!" we said, putting the deck between us; the regulations are clear. "Well, tell 'em this: I do not believe in hazing and I never advocated it. It was spasmodic outbreaks at the academy."

"We were going to say, 'Ah, indeed?' But the admiral was too quick. Mental Anguish Now. "But cruel physical hazing has passed. Now the form is mental anguish. Boys think differently from men. But they're finding out there is no place in leadership for the bully. Leadership is by personality, by the man who makes the boys do it. You don't say 'Go do it!' but 'Come on!' He shook his gray head and looked ferocious: 'I'll fire any midshipman who has a lower classman.'"

Then the admiral smiled and looked out at the 2,250 middies marching to the mess hall. Unwritten Rules. "When a fellow gets to be 41 he ought to have some sense," he said. "When I came here a year and a half ago I found a lot of unwritten rules—what the boys called 'rates.' They were used in places to 'take the freshness out of the boys.'"

"Some of these unwritten rules were good things. Helped discipline. Took the sting out of the boys' backs. Some of these unwritten rules were bad things. Helped discipline. Took the sting out of the boys' backs. Some of these unwritten rules were bad things. Helped discipline. Took the sting out of the boys' backs."

YOU AND I

By ALBERT APPLE

FLU. The cause of "flu" remains an unsolved mystery, says the Journal of the American Medical Association. That's alpha and omega, the beginning and the end, trail ends where it starts.

"Flu," which became highly pandemic in our country in 1918, was a disease which followed every great war. It got its start where people were the most miserable, undernourished and unsanitary. Develops strength, it spread and easily struck down victims among the strong. Now that humanity has less of these diseases, it has a greater resisting power against "flu."

Applying the principle to individual—a well-nourished body and a cheerful mind can ward off most diseases. And it's doubtful if our general good health will prevent "flu" epidemic on a big scale.

HEALTH. Are you getting poor health? No human body is absolutely perfect. An old joke, but it's true, a doctor can always find something wrong with you.

Nearly every ailment, including cancer, is curable in the early stages. Neglect is what kills, rather than the disease itself. Important for everyone to have periodical physical examinations—both, as and general overhauling. How long? Once in six months is a good rule. Fires are easily checked at the start.

PENSIONS. Pensioners cost taxpayers over \$250,000,000 in the last fiscal year. This is the Mexican war, 15 years ago. At that rate, some of our World War doughboys should be drawing pensions in the year 1950. Very interesting is government arithmetic.

On June 30, last, pensions were being drawn by 15 soldiers who fought in the Mexican war, 15 years ago. At that rate, some of our World War doughboys should be drawing pensions in the year 1950. Very interesting is government arithmetic.

LOST. Barnum set the country talking about his white elephant—until rain during a parade washed off its coat of whitewash. Stung once, most of us doubt there's really such a thing as a white one. Which is a study in human nature.

Word comes that white elephants are being sold in Siam. Several are kept in captivity in Bangkok, where the straw hats come from. But, alas, the white elephant is losing its prestige among the Siamese, who formerly considered it supernatural. Millions believe that Buddha was a white elephant in one of his incarnations. Ours is an iconoclastic age.

BUSINESS DAY BY DAY

as the Government sees it

PREPARED BY RALPH F. COUCH

Table with 2 columns: MONTH, PASSENGER, TRUCKS. Rows for JULY 1932, AUGUST 1932, SEPTEMBER 1932, OCTOBER 1932.

1922 AUTO PRODUCTION GAINS OVER 1921

October Output Shows Increase of 60% in Passenger Cars and 61% in Trucks

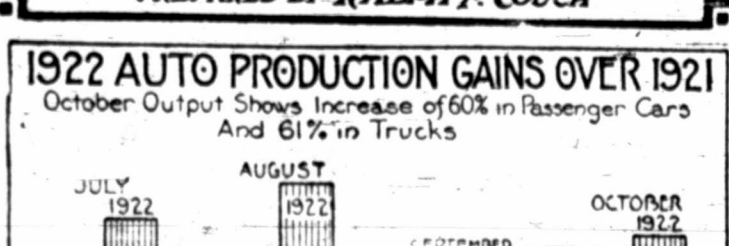
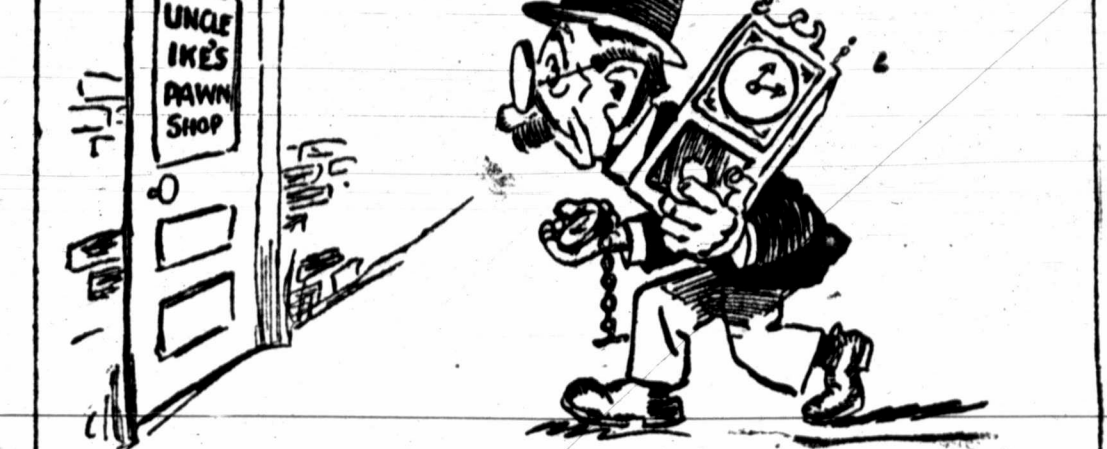


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PAY YOUR INCOME TAX TODAY

By MORRIS



THIS IS THE DAY SOME OF US MUST SEE UNCLE IKE



IN ORDER TO SEE UNCLE SAM

THE SKY LINE OF SPRUCE

By Edison Marshall

A great distance, his voice cool and calm and with an infinite certainty. "Of course," he said. "Of course I'm Darby."

For the moment that chance meeting thrilled all the spectators with the sense of monumental drama. The convicts stared; Howard, the second guard, started absurdly, rather guiltily, when the old man whirled toward him.

"What are you doing with Ben Darby in a convict gang?" the old wanderer demanded.

"What do I do?" Howard's astonishment gave way to righteous indignation. "I'm guardin' convicts, that's what I'm doin'."

"The old man had turned his eyes again to the tall, trembling figure of Ben."

"Ben, Ben," he said, evidently struggling with deep emotion. "What are you doing here?"

"Five years—for burglary," he answered simply. "Guilt, too—I don't know anything more. And I can't remember—who you are."

"You don't know me?" Some of Ben's own bewilderment seemed to pass to him. "You know Ezra Melville?"

"That's the first time he ever recalled his own name."

"I want you to see what I have here," Forest told Ben. "They were your own possessions once—you sent them yourself to Uncle Darby, your late father—and I want you to see if you remember them."

Evidently this was the climax in the examination. Forest opened the box, taking therefrom a roll of white cotton. This he slowly unrolled, revealing two small, ribboned ornaments of gold and silver.

Ben's stammering eyes fastened on them. No doubt he recognized them. "The Victoria Cross, of course," he said slowly, brow wrinkling. "I didn't—I didn't—that day at Ypres—the day my men were trapped."

His words faltered then. The wheels of his memory, starting into motion, were stilled once more. Again over Ben's forehead dropped the great darkness of forgetfulness. Yet to Forest the experiment was an unqualified success.

"There's no doubt of it," he exclaimed. He turned to McNamara, the governor. "His brain is just as sound as yours or mine. With the right environment, the right treatment, he'd be on the straight road to recovery."

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

TWO GIRLS

Under the night sky, the city of the county throughout late hours had been in a state of excitement.

Parents, attracted, their respective time between the clock, the girls who had been in the city.

It was a girl who had been in the city, and she was in the city, and she was in the city.

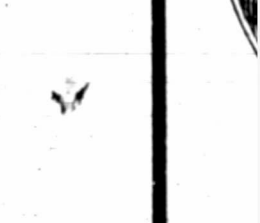
NEW YORK. Vanderbilt, K. Vanderbilt, Yorkville, to go on eleven dog court yesterday for the fine.

WASHINGTON. American feeding a children, the organ expressed there, would the number of children will be not June, may reach.

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You for (leisure) Other

POP SAYS 'LIES TRAVEL FAST' HUH I TOLD A LITTLE FIB BUT I QUICK IT DIDN'T GO QUICK ENOUGH—MAY CAUGHT IT





### TWO 16 YEAR OLD GIRLS DISAPPEAR THURSDAY NIGHT

Under cover of darkness Thursday night, two 16-year-old girls of this city disappeared. Officers of the county were working on the case throughout the day Friday. At a late hour no trace of the two girls had been found.

Parents of the two girls are distracted. It is said that they left their respective homes at approximately the same time. It was some time between midnight and 1:00 o'clock, the parents assert.

It was believed that two other girls who had recently returned from the girls' training school accompanied the two. Two young boys are also thought to have gone with them as they have not been seen since Thursday afternoon.

#### FINED FOR ALLOWING DOG TO GO UNMUZZLED

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Anne Vanderbilt, widow of the elder W. K. Vanderbilt, has been fined \$1 in Yorkville court for allowing her dog to go unmuzzled. She was one of eleven dog owners summoned to the court yesterday. Her butler pleaded guilty for Mrs. Vanderbilt and paid the fine.

#### NOW FEEDING MILLION AND HALF CHILDREN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The American relief association is now feeding a million and a half Russian children, Secretary Hoover, head of the organization, said today. He expressed the opinion, however, that there would be a large increase in the number for which the association will have to provide food before next June. He believes the number may reach 2,000,000.

### HEARING FEBRUARY 25 ON PROPOSED INCREASE IN RATES ON EXPRESS

AUSTIN, Dec. 15.—Hearing will be held at Dallas on February 23 on the proposed increase in interstate express rates asked by the American Railway Express company, at which time shippers and others affected in Texas and adjoining states, will be heard, Clarence E. Gilmore, railroad commissioner, announced today.

### APPEAL IS MADE FOR CHILDREN OF GERMANY

MUNICH, BAVARIA, Dec. 15.—Declaring that any nation whose children no longer laugh and sing and play has lost its "springtime," Cardinal Faulhaber, in an address here, has made a Christmas appeal to foreign lands on behalf of Germany's youngsters.

He emphasized the deplorable psychological effect on the minds and spirits of the coming generation from being hungry and homeless and from constantly seeing at first hand the sordid results of economic distress.

### GROUP MEETINGS TALK MARKETING PROBLEMS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Group meetings for the discussion of cooperative marketing problems by representatives of the various associations handling the same commodities, followed by another session devoted to the general subject of cooperative marketing, finance and rural credits legislation, formed today's program for the meeting here of the national council of farmers cooperative marketing associations.

Christmas cards at Decorators' adv.

### CAPTAIN CHARLES PIKE FACES BIGAMY CHARGE

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Captain Charles Pike, a physician attached to the United States marine hospital here, today was held in the Lake county jail at Crown Point, Ind., awaiting a hearing on a charge of bigamy after having been taken from his bride of six weeks last night. The bigamy charge was preferred by a woman who said she was Mrs. Marjorie Pike of Colorado.

### TOBACCO INDUSTRY IN TURKEY IS THREATENED

RAMPUN, TURKEY, Dec. 15.—Turkey's tobacco industry which is largely supported by Americans, faces ruin as a result of the departure of the Greek and Armenian workers. One of the largest American concerns already has discontinued operations and another large warehouse firm expects to close soon.

### TWO HELD AT AVERY FOR ROBBERY OF BANK

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 15.—Two men are held at Avery, in connection with the robbery of the First state bank there last night. Several blank cashiers' checks and a protograph was the extent of the loot. On December 5, the bank's cashier and his wife were held up by robbers who escaped with \$4,000.

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While you are so busy choosing Christmas gifts for others don't forget that you too will want to look most attractive at holiday time. If you aren't actually going away for Christmas you will surely attend many festivities which are more or less dress occasions and of course you'll want attractive footwear.

Edwin Clapp and Florsheim Shoes

### Gift— Interwoven Hosiery!

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## Colonna Toggery Shop

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## The Throngs of Xmas Shoppers—the 130 Busy Salespeople—the Holiday Buying

# At Saul's Tomorrow

## Will Remind You of a Busy New York Department Store

Children's E-Z Union Suits, all sizes, 2 to 13

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On Sale Till Xmas Eve

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Our entire line of Furs at special Xmas sale prices.

You never saw anything sell like those Men's Silk Knit Ties

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Some Embroidered and With Initials

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Where else but at Saul's can you buy men's Overalls and Jumpers, all sizes, for

# 89c

TOMORROW SPECIAL

Women's Sample Georgette Blouses

Value up to \$5.00

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TOMORROW ON THE BALCONY

3 Pound Lister Cotton Hats

# 29c

8-4 and 10-4 Bleached or Brown Pepperell, Gama or Premium Sheeting—

# 49c

—A Yard

EVERY PAIR OF SHOES In This Largest Shoe Stock

# 10% DISCOUNT

DURING SAUL'S XMAS SALE

SALE LASTS TILL XMAS EVE

A 10 per cent discount on any pair of shoes at Saul's means an opportunity that comes but once a year. Remember the kind of shoes we sell; think of the way we sell them.

3 Pound White, Stitched Cotton Hats

# 89c

BROGADED CORDUROY in 3 Best Colors

# \$1.19

—A Yard

## All Ready-to-Wear at Xmas Sale Prices

WORE NEW COATS, MORE NEW DRESSES came in yesterday, and these ten, 60 at Xmas sale prices. Here are merchandise values.

Suits at **\$17.95** Dresses at **\$13.88**  
Coats at **\$19.95** Coats at **\$24.50**  
Coats at **\$34.50**

Compare These Values in

## Men's Suits and O'coats

# \$15 \$19.85 \$25

Come see them and judge for yourself—and \$15.00 buys men's best Overcoats in stock. Compare them with \$15.00 to \$20.00 O'Coats elsewhere.

# 69c Women's Felt House Shoes 69c

In all sizes 2 to 8 and in 26 different colors. Look if you want them in boxes on sale till Xmas Eve, 69c a pair.

If you are going to buy one of those 27-inch "walking" and "talking" dolls for

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Blankets of all kinds, all at cut prices. \$1.69 and up.

72x84 Woolnap plaid Blankets **\$4.49**

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# ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS

## Abilene and Waco are Favored to Win Friday in State Hi Contests

Abilene vs. Cleburne, at Abilene; Waco vs. Corpus Christi, at Waco. These two games, scheduled for Friday afternoon, follow the semifinals for the high school football championship of Texas which will be played on December 22 or 23 for the state title. While Abilene and Waco are favored by the dopsters, the absence of opposition, which makes comparisons makes the dope worth little. Abilene's games have been all the best in Texas, where comparative little serious opposition was encountered. Cleburne, titular leader of the north Texas districts, has a marred record due to the fact that the strong teams of Dallas and Fort Worth were eliminated by rules rather than by defeat.

## EXPERTS AGREE ON ROBERTSON AS BEST FOOTBALL PLAYER IN TEXAS

By BILLY EVANS.  
Football in Texas had a big season, in keeping with the popularity of the game in other sections of the country. Incidentally the football experts of Texas seem to agree more readily than those from other parts. A dozen critics from the Lone Star State submitted first and second teams for my inspection, so that I might be able to pick the cream of the talent for the "Billy Evans Texas Honor Roll."  
All of the experts agreed on six of the eleven positions for their first team—defensive end, tackle, guard, tackle, guard, tackle, guard, tackle, guard, tackle, guard. On only one position, end, was there any great difference of opinion. Bedford of S. M. U. receiving seven of the twelve votes. According to all the Texas critics, Robertson, the star halfback of the University of Texas, is the outstanding football figure in that section, worthy of All-America consideration.

## EVANS' MISSOURI VALLEY HONOR ROLL BOASTS MANY STAR PLAYERS

Were it not for a 9 to 6 setback by Syracuse, the University of Nebraska would now be in a position to make some sweeping gridiron claims. Nebraska had a great team in the season just closed. Its decisive defeat of Notre Dame in the final game of the year is all the proof that need be offered to substantiate that statement.  
I saw Notre Dame defeat the strong Carnegie Tech team in rather easy style. I was greatly impressed with Rockne's eleven. Yet five days later Nebraska goes out and hands Notre Dame its only defeat of the year.  
When Nebraska came east to play Syracuse, it was doped to win. Just prior to the Nebraska game Syracuse had been beaten by a score of 14 to 0 by Brown, beaten by Penn State 21 to 14 and held to a 0 to 6 tie by Penn State.  
Nebraska invaded the east heralded as supermen of football. One western coach was foolish enough to say that Nebraska could beat Fall Harvard in a series of three successive games. He probably meant it, yet that kind of advertising hurt rather than helped Nebraska.  
Possibly Nebraska had an off day. Incidentally, Syracuse played one of its best games of the year. The result, a 9 to 6 win for Syracuse, put a large kink in Nebraska's aspirations.  
Despite the fact that Nebraska and Drake boasted the outstanding teams in the conference, some mighty brilliant players were to be found on the weaker team.  
Stark of the Kansas Aggies was a popular choice for halfback. Kahn from the same college was almost a unanimous choice for a guard position. Higgins of Kansas ran him a close second.  
Bunker of Nebraska evidently is a great forward since not a single critic overlooked him. Some placed him at guard, a few at center, while the majority favored him as a tackle.  
Although in sober and serious mood, Nebraska boasted two fine ends, neither picked as many first choice votes as Black of Kansas and Marsh of Oklahoma.

## WORTH WHILE ELEVEN

Here are the first choice players of the Missouri Valley conference, as selected by a score of football experts from that section.  
While Nebraska and Drake were generally regarded as the strongest teams in the Missouri Valley, it is evident that many of the other clubs had individual stars, from the rating of the critics.  
Center—Peterson, Nebraska.  
Tackle—Bunker, Nebraska.  
Guard—Hahn, Kansas Aggies.  
Guard—Higgins, Kansas.  
End—Black, Kansas.  
End—Marsh, Oklahoma.  
Quarterback—Preston, Nebraska.  
Halfback—Noble, Nebraska.  
Halfback—Stark, Kansas Aggies.  
Fullback—Hartley, Nebraska.  
The Nebraska players to win a first rating at their respective positions were Weller at tackle, Peterson at center, Noble at halfback, Preston at quarter and Hartley at full.  
Evans' Missouri Valley Honor Roll.  
End—Black, Kansas; Marsh, Oklahoma; Schaefer, Nebraska; Schaeffer, Nebraska; Sebring, Kansas Aggies; Hill, Missouri.  
Tackle—Bunker, Missouri; Weller, Nebraska; Denton, Drake; Hahn, Oklahoma; Fwihg, Kansas Aggies; Cava, Kansas; Wenka, Nebraska.  
Guard—Hahn, Kansas; Higgins, Kansas; Denton, Drake; Bassett, Nebraska; Lewis, Missouri; Darger, Ames.  
Center—Peterson, Nebraska; Smith, Missouri; Harter, Kansas Aggies; Peterson, Drake.  
Quarterback—Preston, Nebraska; Swartz, Kansas Aggies; Orsbaugh, Drake.  
Halfbacks—Stark, Kansas Aggies; Noble, Nebraska; Lawless, Nebraska; Boelter, Drake; Orsbaugh, Drake; Barton, Kansas Aggies.  
Fullbacks—Lincoln, Missouri; McAdams, Kansas; Hartley, Nebraska.

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## BASKET BALL QUIZ by Referee

**TIGER RECRUIT BEST OF CROP**  
Emory "Topper" Rigney is the only recruit of the spring of 1922 who earned a regular job on the infield or outfield of an American league team last season.

## Billy Evans Says

What is the proper thing for the referee to do if the ball after being put in play in the center touches the floor without either center having touched it?  
The referee should simply put it in play again in the same manner at the same place.  
Ball in Play.  
How is the ball put into play after it goes out of bounds?  
That is, after the player, he can either throw, bounce or roll the ball to another player within the court.  
Opponent's Ball.  
When a ball goes out of bounds how does the referee designate who shall put the ball in play?  
It is customary for the referee when the ball goes out of bounds to select an opponent who is near the spot where the ball left the court.

## Drives Ball Into Sweater Pocket

By NEA Service.  
CLEVELAND, OHIO, Dec. 15.—All the complicated plays in sport are not confined to the diamond and gridiron—golf has its share.  
In a recent match played at the Willowick club of this city, Harry Moore pulled a freak play that isn't definitely covered in the book.  
Playing out of a sand trap, Moore, who is a left-handed golfer, drove the ball into the nearby bunker. Striking the bunker, the ball took a severe knock and settled into the right pocket of the sweater which Moore was wearing, the weather being a trifle cool.  
The match was for blood and Moore's opponent insisted that the ball must be played from where it landed.  
Records don't mean a thing to Walter Johnson. If they had, he would have to his credit some pitching performances that would stand for all time.

## JOHNNY DUNDEE IS GIVEN DECISION OVER GENE DELMONT

—NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Johnny Dundee, junior lightweight champion, received the judge's decision over Gene Delmont in a 12-round match here last night.  
Immersion heaters—beats the baby's milk in less than a minute. Doach Electric. Phone 2229, 909 Ninth—adv.

## Men's Initial Handkerchiefs

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, soft finish, with large silk initial, in holiday boxes, special price each **8 1/3 c**

## Men's Dress Slippers

Men's Dress Slippers, Hi-Low and Everett styles . . . . . 95c

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All perfect quality, rich luster, will stand the weather. Satin lined. This is the season's most popular hat. Just the thing to wear with that new ulster, sizes 6-3-4 to 7-1-2.

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### 4-Sided Tie For League Leadership May Result In Friday Night's Games

Basketball fans and the followers of the contests for the city league championship are watching with close interest the first game scheduled for Friday night at the American Legion hall when the Battery D five clashes with the Knights of Columbus team. Battery D has been unlucky this season; every game played has been lost but by only a few points. Collier and London defeated the Battery by only two points; K. of C. lost to the same team by only three points. The teams are well matched and the game is expected to be one of the best this season in city league basketball.

### COYOTE QUINT TO MEET METHODISTS SATURDAY EVENING

The high school basketball team will have its first try-out of the season Saturday night, when it meets the Methodist quint from the city league. The Coyote quint is not yet in form, but is working out steadily, and expects to develop rapidly. Saturday night's game will largely show what the season's expectations are. Gordon, Deams, Powell and McKee as forwards, Herrod and Baldwin as centers, Coffey, Ray, Cameron and Tyson as guards, will constitute the Coyote material for the contest.

### ELLIOTT, SPUDDER'S NEW FIRST SACKER HAS GOOD RECORD

The dope on Elliott, the Spudder's new first baseman, indicates that the busy earner will be well occupied next season. Elliott, who was with Saginaw last season, batted .313 and fielded .881, which is considered fair enough. Waiter Salm does not intend to do any experimenting with youngsters other than pitchers, and has announced a policy of filling infield and outfield positions with more or less seasoned players. Elliott is young 19 years, being only 22, but has had much experience. Salm, the Abilene player who was given a try-out at first at the close of the 1922 season, has been turned back. In his pitching staff, Salm will give promising rookies ample chance to show their stuff. Outside of the pitching, he feels that the chance of developing a Topper Rigney is too remote to worry about.

### 'TO HAVE AND TO HOLD' AMONG BEST PICTURES EXHIBITED HERE



The hundreds who braved Thursday night's cold and wind to see "To Have and to Hold" at the Olympic were well rewarded. Paramount has a picture they can well be proud of, and of its stars and producer. George Fitzmaurice has made a screen production from Mary Johnston's famous novel that is worth twice the price of admission and worth facing much colder weather than last night's to see. The picture ranks in size and numbers of people with the biggest spectacles that have been shown and has a story that has seldom been equalled for heart interest and thrills. The audience was brought to its feet time and again by the scenes where Captain Percy, played by Bert Lytell, battles in the winning of her love, Bert Lytell, romantic hero, wordsman unexcelled, brave and daring, plays his greatest part as Captain Percy. "To Have and to Hold" is worthy of the patronage of every Wichitan who loves the better class photography and loving more. It will be shown the rest of the week.

**MORGAN CAPTURES 'SMALL BUT CUTIE LITTLE' STILL**  
Constable Frank Morgan Thursday evening captured a small but cute little still near the brick yards east of the city. The still had been discovered by the foreman of the brick yard and information given Mr. Morgan. He said that it was one of the best equipped little stills he had ever seen. No ownership could be established.

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### DE MOLAY CHAPTER INITIATES 30 AND ELECTS OFFICERS

Candidates living in this city and four nearby towns, numbering 30 in all, were given the initiatory degree of the order of DeMolay, Junior Masonic order, Thursday in the latest ceremonial that has been staged by the local chapter. Representatives from Henrietta, Burkburnett, Seymour and Decatur took the work.

At 6:30 p. m. Thursday the candidates were assembled in the library of the Masonic temple where they were registered and numbered. At 7:30 o'clock the first degree was given, followed by the second degree at 8:30 o'clock. After the ceremonial several of the candidates made short talks, and the Master Masons present also spoke.

Three new officers were elected. Joe Barbara was elected into the chair of the junior counselor. John Barker was elected to continue his work as treasurer of the chapter and Lowry Critch, scribe. These will take office at the next installation of officers to be held December 28, when Robert McAhee will take his place as master counselor of the chapter.

A banquet has been planned in connection with the installation ceremonies, and the members are invited to bring their girl friends. This will be the last social event of the chapter for 1922, but plans are formed for others soon after the first of the year. The following candidates were taken into the order: Myron Lyle, Louis Haraway, William Callahan, Herman Staton, Kenneth Barker, B. J. Manning, Lee Irwin, Hearn Hines, Marvin Polard, Duncan Clark, Wad Bettie, Raymond Smith, Renfro Lesley, Joyce Williams, Raymond Nix, Dan Oster, Gregory Rowa, Kenneth Nelson, Alvin Williams, Malcolm Terrell, Jack Spiers, Archie Boyd of Seymour, Robert Haley of Seymour, Charles Allen of Henrietta, James Nicka of Burkburnett, James Wallace of Decatur, James Wellman of Burkburnett, James Ford of Burkburnett, Jerry Kimberlin of Burkburnett, James White of Burkburnett.

### AMERICAN NEWSPAPER WOMAN HELD IN RUSSIA THIRD TIME ARRESTED

LONDON, Dec. 15.—A Reuters dispatch from Chita reporting the arrest of Mrs. Marguerite E. Harrison of Baltimore, an American newspaper writer, says that she is being taken to Moscow under escort. The charges against Mrs. Harrison, who was released from a Moscow prison more than a year ago, were not specified. Her arrest at Chita, the dispatch said, was on orders from the Soviet government. Her detention is the third such experience she has had in Russia in the last three years.

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### HANGED FOR THE MURDER OF REFORMATORY GUARD

PONTIAC, Ill., Dec. 15.—Myron Corbridge, 21 years old, was hanged at 9:45 o'clock this morning for the murder of John B. Jones, a reformatory guard, last June.

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### STRAND —TODAY— JACK PICKFORD —IN— "GARRISON'S FINISH"

### EMPRESS TODAY AND SATURDAY TWO BIG FEATURES BUSTER KEATON —IN— "The Blacksmith"

### IRENE RICH —IN— "The Call of Home"

## COMING EVENTS

### Cast Their Shadows Before!

Astronomers have advised that several STARS are to light in Wichita Falls within the next few days. Watch this space for further information as it is something that has never happened in this immediate locality before.

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\$12.50 and \$13.50 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$8.95	\$22.50 and \$25.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats	\$17.95
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## DIRECTORS SELECT ROUTE BY VERNON FOR LEE HIGHWAY

DECISION IS REACHED AT THE MEETING AT WASHINGTON THURSDAY.

## WILL BE ASKED TO VOTE BONDS TO BUILD ROAD

Improvements Planned Also Include Paved Road to Wichita County Line.

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 14.—The people of Vernon are rejoicing over the good news which reached Vernon from Washington Thursday morning to the effect that the directors of the Lee Highway association have designated the Lee highway through Wilbarger county from Ardmore to Vernon, Crowell, Paducah and Plainview, to Clovis, New Mexico. The message came from R. H. Coffey, one of Vernon's leading citizens, who is at Washington attending a meeting of the directors of the Lee Highway association in session at this time.

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- 3 lbs. Extracted Honey \$39¢
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- Jiffy Jell, assorted flavors, per pkg. \$5¢
- Maxwell House Coffee, lb. \$39¢
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from New York by way of Washington, D. C., Memphis, Tenn., Little Rock, Ardmore, Lawton and Frederick, Okla., Vernon, Crowell, Paducah, Malador, Plainview and Muleshoe, Texas, and Clovis, New Mexico, on to California. Much of the road is paved from New York to Memphis, Tenn., and government aid has been assured on all of the road where the state or county votes bonds to pave and build permanent roads.

Willbarger county citizens will be asked soon to vote a bond issue to pave the road across the county from the point on Red river to Rayland where the road strikes the Ford county line. Also at the same time enough bonds will be asked to connect the paved road east of Vernon with the Wichita county line and the paved road at Fairbairn west of Vernon with the Hardeman county line. This is a great road building program and the people of Willbarger county are very enthusiastic over the designation of the Lee highway through this county.

A warm but friendly contest has been waged for some time between Willbarger county citizens and parties from Childress and other points north of Vernon, where the designation finally made Thursday by the directors of the Lee Highway association in Washington, D. C.

R. H. Coffey, one of Vernon's leading citizens, has worked at this matter untiringly for several months, and has spent his time and his own money in an effort to get the highway located through this county. To Mr. Coffey owes more for this good fortune than to any other citizen, and his work and efforts have been greatly appreciated by his many friends and all who know of his altruistic work for Vernon and Willbarger county.

Mr. Coffey is president of the Willbarger county Lee Highway association, and the other members are J. C. Mickernell, R. D. L. Killough, R. E. Gibson, Owen Brunson, Prior Peck and Cully Swarwood.

Baked Whole Cauliflower. One large head cauliflower (cooked until tender). Three tablespoons butter. Three tablespoons flour. One-half teaspoon salt. One-eighth teaspoon pepper. Two cups milk, or one cup milk and one cup water in which cauliflower was cooked. Yolk one egg. Half cup grated cheese.

Soak the cauliflower, head down, in cold water one hour. Trim, leaving the tender leaves nearest to the head on. Cook in boiling water to which one-half tablespoon of salt is added, until the end of stalk may be pierced with a fork. Do not cook too long & time of the flowers will break apart. Cook with cover off kettle.

Drain, place in baking dish (if possible, one which may go to the table), cover with sauce and cheese, and bake 15 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve at once. In making the sauce, melt butter.

add flour, salt and pepper, and the milk. Cook until smooth and thickened, then add yolk of egg and cheese and remove at once from fire.

**Oyster Soup.**  
10 oysters or 1 quart oysters  
3 pints water  
3 stalks celery  
1 onion, thinly sliced  
1 bay leaf  
1 clove  
2 cups raw rice  
2 cups milk  
1½ teaspoons salt  
1½ teaspoons pepper  
Few grains cayenne  
Few gratings nutmeg  
1 cup cream  
Yolk 1 egg  
2 tablespoons chopped parsley  
Parboiled oysters, strain, reserve liquor and finely chop the oysters.

To the liquor add the water, celery, onion, seasonings, oysters, rice and milk. Simmer one hour, rub through a sieve. Add egg yolk and cream and cook without boiling for five minutes. Season more if necessary.

Usually, onions are boiled to be served at dinner, and butter, salt, pepper and occasionally, cream, are added.

Onions, baked, are very good, and a change from the boiled ones. 12 medium-sized onions. 4 tablespoons butter. 2 tablespoons lemon juice. 2 tablespoons chopped parsley. 1 teaspoon salt. 1 teaspoon paprika. 1 teaspoon sugar.

Peel and parboil onions 10 minutes. Mix butter, lemon juice, parsley and seasonings to a paste. Place onions in a baking dish and divide the butter mixture, placing a little on each onion. Add ½ cup water to dish and bake slowly for one hour. Keep dish covered until 10 minutes before onions are to be taken from the oven.

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- Fancy Veal Steak \$12-2c
- Small Pot Roast \$7c
- T-Bone Steak \$16c
- Salt Pork \$16c
- Veal Round or Loin Steak \$19c
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- Fresh Pork Shoulder Roast \$18c
- Spare Ribs \$14c
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Brazil Nuts, lb.	25¢
Large Thin Shell Almonds	40¢
Candied Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	40¢
Citron, the very best, lb.	75¢
Currants, 2 packages	45¢
Dromedary Dates, lb.	25¢
Imported Figs, for stewing, lb.	30¢
Shelled Pecans, new crop, lb.	\$1.40
Shelled Jordan Almonds, lb.	\$1.25
That package sliced Crystalized Fruits	85¢
Empson's Peas (little ones) 2 for	75¢
Empson's Peas (Primrose) 2 for	55¢
Morgan's (Those good ones) 2 for	75¢
Post Bran	15¢

All kinds of salad dressing, pickles and vinegars.

Fresh Country Eggs, doz.	60c
Storage Eggs, dozen	40c

4-lb. can Mrs. Tucker's Shortening	75¢
5-lb. pkg. N. Y. State Buckwheat Flour	50¢
Sweet Mixed Pickles, lb.	40¢
2 cans Campbell's Pork and Beans	25¢
2 cans Campbell's Soup, all flavors	25¢
2 Fancy Boston Beauty Mackerel	35¢
1 Fancy Boston Beauty Mackerel, extra fat	25¢

We will have lots of fat and healthy home dressed Hens, Fryers and Turkeys as well as live ones for your Christmas requirements.

**GROCERIES**

Cranberries, fancy Cape Cod, per qt.	25¢
Stuffed dates, extra large, lb.	65¢
Fancy Comb Honey, in section	40¢
Large can fancy Iowa golden pumpkin	25¢
2 cans Kohinor Corn	35¢
Large can Pratt Low Asparagus	45¢
Small can Sun Kissed Asparagus	25¢
No. 2 sliced Pineapple, the can	30¢
Club House Corn on the cob, the can	65¢
1 can Fruit Salads, (six kinds of fruits)	40¢

**Our Butcher Offers These Items**  
Pure pork sausage, Brookfield sausage, all kinds of bolognas, as well as head cheese, pickle pigs' feet, sweetbreads, pork and beef tenderloins, Swiss cheese, Pimento cheese, brick cheese, American cheese, American loaf cheese, chili, sweet milk, buttermilk, single cream, double cream.

We have fresh from the garden at all times baby beets, artichoke, Brussel sprouts, spinach, radishes, cauliflower, green beans, sweet peppers, turnips, celery lettuce, green onions, cabbage, pumpkins, fresh pineapple, parsley, tomatoes, carrots.

Oysters, fat and sweet, the pint	50c
Oysters, fat and sweet, the quart	95c

We have a big line of Christmas oranges and apples. We solicit A-No. 1 thirty-day accounts. We offer you prompt delivery. Groceries that are clean and the most courteous treatment.

Vegetables, New Potatoes

Your grocery order will not be complete unless it contains M. J. B. Coffee.

**O. W. SMITH Grocery**  
710 Indiana Our Phones 5233-5124

# GROCERY and MARKET DEPARTMENT

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	Open	High	Low	Close
NEW YORK	26.00	26.25	25.75	25.75
NEW ORLEANS	26.00	26.25	25.75	25.75
LIVERPOOL	26.00	26.25	25.75	25.75
MARITIME	26.00	26.25	25.75	25.75

## WHEAT

**NEW YORK.** Dec. 15.—Wheat prices were 1/4 cent higher in the early trading, but fell back to 1.11 1/2 cents by 10 o'clock. The market was a little steadier in the middle of the afternoon on covering and bullish weekend figures. January rallied from 1.11 1/2 to 1.12 1/2 with the active months about 1/8 to 1/4 points lower at 2 o'clock. The market was steady at 2 o'clock with the active months about 1/8 to 1/4 points lower at 2 o'clock.

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MINNEAPOLIS	1.11 1/2	1.12 1/2	1.11 1/2	1.11 1/2

## Stocks and Financial

**New York Stocks.**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A considerably better feeling prevailed on the New York stock market today. A heavy volume of trading was recorded, with the market opening on a high level, and closing with a slight gain. The main feature of the day was the recovery of the Dow Jones Industrial Average, which had been down for several days.

Stock	Price
General Electric	32 1/2
Westinghouse	34 1/2
Edison	36 1/2
International Harvester	42 1/2
Rockefeller	44 1/2

## Livestock

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## Foreign Exchange

**New York.** Dec. 15.—Foreign exchange rates were generally steady today. The dollar was strong against the British pound, while the French franc and the Dutch guilder were weaker.

Country	Rate
Great Britain	48 1/2
France	163 1/2
Netherlands	20 1/2
Sweden	4 1/2

**Very Rich** 1-lb. Carton 50c per lb.

**Extra Rich** 3-lb. Round Cake 75c per lb.

**Nafziger FRUIT CAKE EXTRA RICH Delicious!**

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Closes tomorrow, Saturday. Come and buy your Christmas Gifts at your own price.

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**SAME PRICE For over 30 years**

**25 Ounces for 25¢** (More than a pound and a half for a quarter)

**USE LESS than of higher priced brands Satisfaction Guaranteed**

MILLIONS OF POUNDS BOUGHT BY THE GOVERNMENT

**We Congratulate** the holders of Liberty Bonds that are to be redeemed today and the holders of War Saving Stamps that will be redeemed on January 1st, on the evidence of their thrift and saving. Your funds benefited the nation when needed. Let them now assist in meeting Wichita Falls housing situation in a way that will be very satisfactory and profitable to you. The proceeds from these maturing governmental obligations will help Wichita Falls men and women to own homes if you will place these funds in this institution. We invite your immediate attention to some interesting details in this connection.

**Wichita Falls Building & Loan Association, Inc.**

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**MACARONI cuts the family meat bill**

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Copy for Times classified pages must be in office at following date...

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF CLASSIFIED AD. PATRONS

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LODGE DIRECTORY

- Wichita Falls Lodge No. 625, A. F. & M. S. ... Wichita Falls Chapter No. 102, O. E. S. ...

WANTED-35 sales ladies, over 18 years age; experience unnecessary...

SALESMEN WANTED-Exceptional opportunity. Hustlers earning big. Write Missouri Electric Factory...

SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE-WANT job as mechanic. Twelve years' experience...

SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE-DO all kinds of hair work. Braids, transformations, curls...

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LET Mick's Furniture Co. be Santa Claus to you by turning those pieces of useless furniture into ready cash...

WANT to get your car in good condition for Christmas week...

FOR THE HOME-365 days of good wholesome, instructive and interesting reading...

FOR LINDS and blankets are appropriate and useful gifts for Christmas...

EVERYTHING for Christmas Home-made gifts are the most appreciated...

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Already the New Maid Is Looking for a Raise



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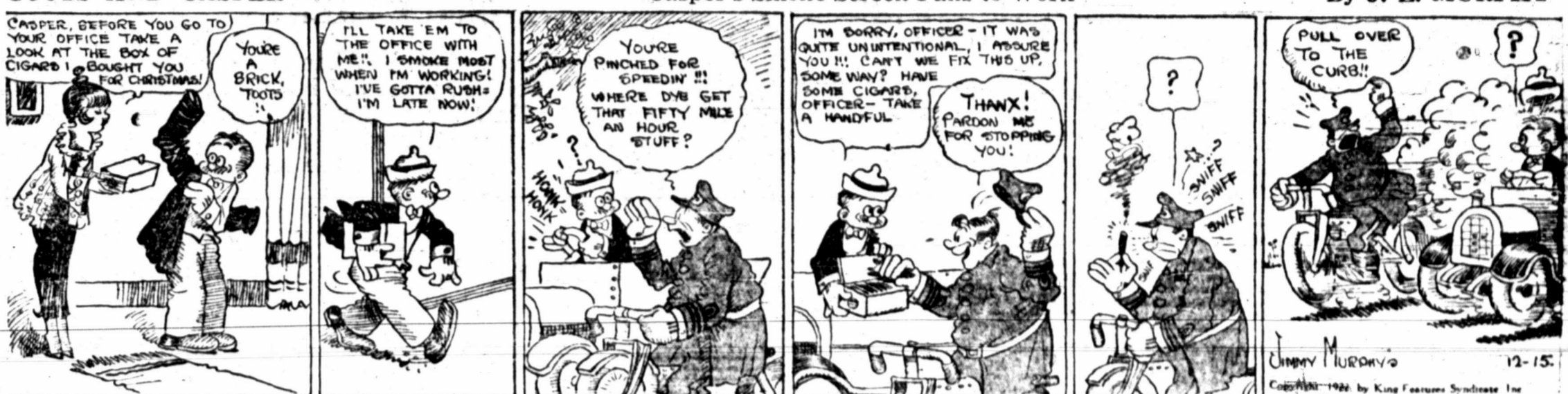
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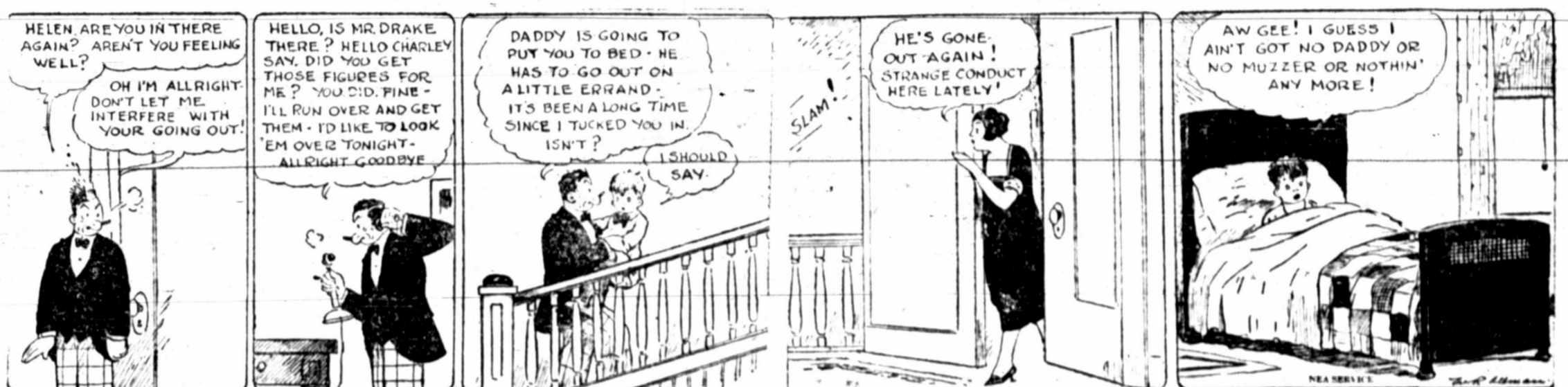
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## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

## Tough on Danny

By ALLMAN



## SALESMAN SAM

## Sam Always Finds a Way

By SWAN



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

## "He Licked the Platter Clean"

By BLOSSER



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE

## By AHERN

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



**BUSINESS PLACES FOR RENT.**  
**FOR SALE or Rent**—One building 2x30, with concrete floor and space for office at 314 Ohio. Phone 61229.  
**FOR RENT**—Space 2x30 foot facing on alley in rear of our establishment. Splendid storage. Faith Optical Co. Phone 6427.  
**FOR RENT**—One small brick building. Phone M. D. Walker, 6960.  
**TORE room on Indiana-ave.**, near Temple theater, for rent. Inquire Myles O'Reilly, 7144 Ninth. Office Phone 2500 to 620. Phone 2021.

**WANTED TO RENT.**  
**WANTED**—To rent nicely furnished house with garage to couple. References given. Phone 6427.  
**WANTED**—By January 1, furnished 7 or 8-room house, furnished, close to Can furnish best of references. Phone 6822.  
**WANTED to Rent**—Five- or 6-room house on pavement by responsible party. Will pay three months' rent in advance. Would like to lease for six months. Must be in Alamo school district. Phone 6384.

**HOUSES FOR SALE.**  
**FIVE ROOM house**, also vacant lot at Stamford, 42nd St. and 10th St. high school, for sale or will trade for real estate or furniture in Wichita Falls or Dallas. Phone 2224 or 3011. Address box 427.

**IF YOU wish a real home in the best part of town at a sacrifice, 40 inside and look at it, at 1802 Ely-enth-st. Six rooms, breakfast room and splendidly arranged. Servant house and garage. On the paving. For sale by owner. Go in and see it.**  
**FOR SALE**—Home on pavement. This house has sitting room, sleeping room, kitchen, breakfast porch, fireplace and bath. Garage on back of lot. 1413 Fillmore-st. Call after 5:30 p. m.

**A RARE BARGAIN.**  
**Six nice, large rooms, breakfast room, all built in features, plastered, garage, solid drive, front porch and a half block off pavement. Actual cost of house alone was \$12,000. Will show between hours of 12 and 1 and after 6 p. m. The price \$10,000 with extra good terms. Phone 2517 or 5024.**

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**  
**Real Estate Transfers**  
 J. L. Morton et ux to J. W. Alexander, lot 10, block 12 and west one-half lot 11, same block, Burkbur-nell, \$5,000.  
 W. L. Robb et ux to Maud Davis, part of lot 19, block 124, city, \$2,000.  
 H. H. Hines et ux to J. Clyde Hall, lots 7 and 8, block 42, Iowa Park, \$200.  
 J. C. Mytinger et al to E. L. Williams, lot 12, block 1, W. L. Williams addition to city, \$1500.  
 Richard Six et ux to Robert L. Dodd, lot 6, block 1, H. M. True-hart subdivision, block 19, Bellevue addition, city, \$575.  
 Lester J. Peterson et ux to Sig-rid Caruthers, lot 12, block 24, Floral Heights, city, \$700.  
 O. J. Naylor et ux to J. Caruthers, lot 12, block 24, Floral Heights, city, \$112.50.

**Leases and Assignments**  
 Reese S. Allen et al to Gulf Pro-duction company 200 acres of south 250 acres, H. T. & B. Co. survey No. 1, certificate 477.  
 W. H. Jones et al to Unity Oil company, north 10 acres of south 321 acres of west 821 acres, block 84, Red river valley lands.

**DECLARES ALCOHOLISM IS NATIONAL PERIL IN GERMANY**  
 BERLIN, Dec. 15.—Economic ne-cessity demands that alcoholism be regarded as a national peril in Ger-many, says a letter sent by the Prus-sian minister of education to the heads of all the provincial schools in which he urges them to encour-age abstemiousness among the youths under their instruction.

**TRANSFER OF PRESIDENCY PASSES OFF QUIETLY**  
**WARSAW, Dec. 15.**—The transfer of the presidency of Poland from Marshal Joseph Pilsudski to Ga-briel Narutowicz yesterday passed off peacefully. Soldiers and police patrolled the streets surrounding the parliament buildings during the transfer.

**AMERICAN CONSEL HAS RECOVERED FROM WOUND**  
**VALETTA, MALTA, Dec. 15.**—Mason Mitchell of New York, American consul on this island, who was shot near Barrera last Tuesday, has recovered from the effects of the slight flesh wound in his left side and is resuming his duties. His as-sistant has been committed to an insane asylum.

**MAN INJURED AT HELIUM PLANT THURSDAY IS DEAD**  
**FORT WORTH, Dec. 15.**—Robert Kemp, who was injured in the ex-plosion of a suction line at the United States helium plant yester-day, died today.

**NOW IS YOUR CHANCE**  
**Five rooms, modern, bath and garage, 18 ft. off Huff pavement. Price, \$1250. Cash \$350; balance easy. Location, 1211 Marshall.**  
 Call  
**B. F. JOHNSON**  
 Exclusive Agent  
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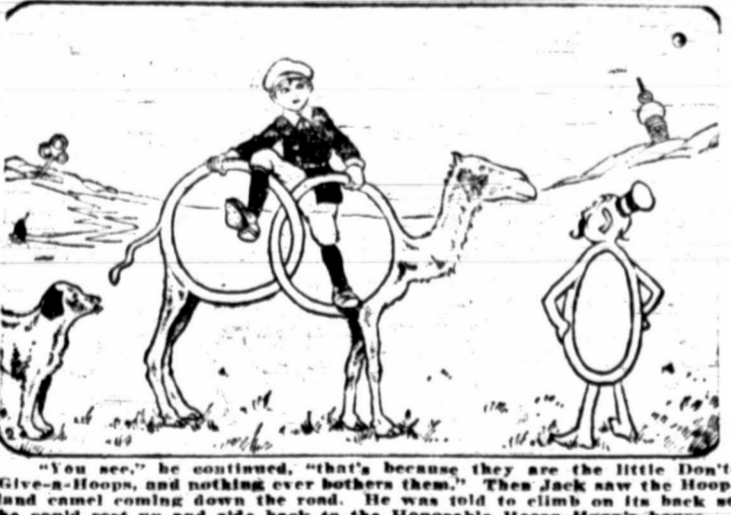
**FOR SALE**—Five-room house completely furnished; double garage and two-room servant house. 1202 Travis.  
**FOR SALE**—Two houses and lots, two blocks off pavement. Would consider vacant lots on pavement in exchange. Call at 1623 McGregor-st. in Wilson's addition. Also gaso-line pump for sale. Fred Fultz.  
**FARMS AND BARGAINS.**  
**FOR SALE**—300 acres of red sand unimproved farming land in Gaines county, \$10 per acre. Easy terms. Mrs. Max M. Dublin, Odessa, Texas.  
**FOR SALE**—Several small farms near town. Will consider trading for city property. H. S. Scommer, 215 American Nat'l Bank Bldg. Phone 5422.

**HOTELS AND ROOMING HOUSES.**  
**\$500 CASH** will handle small hotel, close in, doing good business. Phone 2196.

## JACK DAW IN HOOPLAND



Suddenly the elephant grabbed one of them and tossed him into the air. The little hoop landed on the floor of the cage and bounced, right up on his feet again. "By, they don't seem to care about being thrown around," said Jack. "No," replied the trainer, "they never mind what happens."



"You see," he continued, "that's because they are the little Don't-Give-a-Hoop, and nothing ever bothers them." Then Jack saw the Hoop-land camel coming down the road. He was told to climb on back as he could rest up and ride back to the Honorable Heen Hoop's house.



Unlike all the other hoops in the land, the camel traveled on foot instead of rolling along. This was because he was made of two hoops, instead of one, and he never could keep the two rolling together. "And now," said Heen Hoop, when they arrived, "you must prepare to leave."

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### VOLUNTEERS WILL TEST CITY'S RIGHT TO BAR THEIR POT

The constitutionality of city ordinance No. 208, known as the charity commission ordinance will be tested out before Judge E. W. Nantz of the 17th district court next Monday morning. This is the outgrowth of the arrest of the three members of the Volunteers of America by the city police department Thursday.

### BIG INCREASE IN COTTON GINNINGS SHOWN BY REPORT

A big gain in cotton ginned in Wichita county, over figures for the same period in 1921, is shown by the report of O. P. Martels, government crop reporter for Wichita and Archer counties.

### INSTALLATION OF NEW O. E. S. BODY IS HELD THURSDAY

Faith Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, is now a regular functioning body of the grand chapter of Texas. The new chapter was installed Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Mattie A. Sebilla, worthy grand matron of Texas.

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### Elks Plan Another Amateur Night for Tuesday Evening

Amateur night is again announced by the Elks lodge to take place Monday night, December 18, in their lodge room, when a vaudeville bill will be put on at the close of the regular meeting. These contests are open to all professional and amateur performers.

### Bootlegger and Judge Both Fail To Bar Trip Home

"My trunk done gone; my ticket's bought, but I jes' didn't get off Judge," an old dorky who said he lived in Mineral Wells and who was brought before the city court Friday morning for drunkenness, told Judge Britton, "I was feelin' kinder bad and the weather was kinder cold, he said, when he admitted that he had fallen into the hands of a bootlegger. A fine of \$5 was assessed and the old negro said nothing but stood in front of the desk with a far-away look in his eyes.

### W. R. McCLAIN DIES AT HOME IN WILBARGER

VERNON, TEXAS, Dec. 15.—W. R. McClain, an aged citizen of Wilbarger county, died at his home Wednesday night. Mr. McClain was about 80 years of age and had been in poor health for several years. The county judge of Wilbarger county appointed a guardian for him some time ago. He leaves a large estate and three children, one son who is married, but does not live in this county, and two small children, a girl and a boy, ages eight and eleven, who lived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Thomas.

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### LEGION CONSIDERS STATE BONUS MOVE, MAY VOTE MONDAY

Much sentiment in favor of a state bonus for ex-service men was manifested at a called meeting of the Post-Congress-Post-American Legion, held Thursday night, but no definite action on the proposal was taken. It was decided to call another meeting for Monday night, when it is expected to obtain a representative expression on the subject.

### DR. McKEEVER ADDRESSES STUDENTS ON THURSDAY

Dr. Wm. A. McKeever addressed the students of the seventh grade, junior high and high school at a meeting held at the First Baptist church on Thursday afternoon. He chose for his subject "Taking Your Measure."

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