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THE WEATHER  
Partly cloudy tonight, colder in  
central and south portions; heavy  
frost in extreme north and the  
interior of central and north  
portions if weather remains clear.

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TI, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Both  
sides in the trial of George  
Remus for the murder of  
Dr. Edward Armstrong, re-  
spective cases this after-  
noon. They had rested their  
cases on Thursday but on a  
ruling by the court they re-  
opened the testimony of the  
witnesses. Closing arguments to  
the jury were to follow, each side  
confined to four hours.  
Wearing a sprig of Christmas  
holly in the lapel of his coat and  
exuding optimism—whether he  
is that way or not—George  
Remus, murder-defendant, is now  
plunging through the closing days  
of his fight to free himself with  
detachment of a lawyer trying  
to save a client.  
Remus is the shadow of the  
man who was the center of the  
trial these final days of the long  
case. He is the thought that he  
is a prisoner at the bar. He is  
George Remus, the lawyer,  
ending one George Remus,  
indicted by the state of Ohio with  
a degree murder for the shoot-  
ing of his wife.  
He has now turned to cross-ex-  
amination. For the first time he  
is doing it himself. A sagacious  
yer he turned bootlegger de-  
Remus is engaged in showing  
jury through his cross-exami-  
nation of Dr. Edward Armstrong,  
one of the three alienists  
pointed by the court to observe  
defendant, that he was insane  
when he fired the fatal shot into  
his wife's body.  
Dr. Baber says Remus was sane  
very moment he fired the  
shot, is sane now and was sane be-  
fore the commission of the crime.  
Whether Nervo or Julius Caesar  
are lunatics were things Remus  
wanted to know today when he rig-  
ously cross-examined Dr. Baber,  
alienist, in an attempt to prove  
Remus insane when the shot and  
Remus was "transitory"  
insane when he shot and  
killed his wife, Imogene, on Oct-  
ober 6. Dr. Baber has testified  
that the defendant was sane be-  
fore he fired the shot and is  
sane now.  
In his dramatic court room man-  
ner, Remus shot questions at the  
witness, finally bringing the sub-  
ject around to lunacy, a term  
which the doctor said he did not  
recognize medically.

## klahoma Leader Maintains Calm As House Charges Him

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 17.—(INS)—Governor Henry S. Johnston today maintained the same unperturbed calm which he held for weeks although the state committee appointed to investigate state officials last night charged against him of moral turpitude.  
"I have nothing to fear from the character assassins I regard it as nothing. I am sorry that innocent people have been drawn into this controversy but I do not contem-  
plate any further extension of the power of the militia," Johnston said.  
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## Negotiations Opened For City Bond Sale

Negotiations for the sale of \$10,000 worth of city refunding bonds are in progress and may be completed within the next few days, according to Mayor E. F. Hatcher, who stated today that the sale had been made.  
The Mayor voiced the hope that the sale might be consummated today by the Commission on Finance and representatives of Eldridge and Company of New York. Should the bond buyers come here is said that there probably would not be any necessity for any of the officials to go to New York in interest of the sale.

## Zero Weather Has Mid-West In Grip

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Zero temperatures with biting winds gripped the entire Central West today as fresh winds from the Canadian Northwest continued. Eight states were locked in the icy grip. Iowa, Minnesota, and parts of Illinois and Michigan reported deep snows. Light snow flurries and continued cold weather was predicted for the Great Lakes area today, tonight and tomorrow morning. Relief was presaged for tomorrow night when rain was scheduled to replace the snow. Vessels enroute to lake harbors covered with ice. Winds continued to make shipping perilous. Warmer weather brought relief to Southern Indiana, southern Illinois and parts of Missouri.

## LINDBERGH WILL HAVE CHRISTMAS WITH HIS MOTHER

Flying Colonel Accepts Invitation To Witness Bull-Fight Despite Efforts Of Societies To Prevent Him  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 17.—(INS)—With his mother coming down to visit him over Christmas, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh today looked forward to a doubly joyous stay at the Mexican capital.  
The flying colonel learned of his mother's decision in a long distance telephone conversation with her yesterday. Mrs. Lindbergh had previously declined to visit her son.  
After the holidays are over, America's Flying Ambassador of good-will will continue on his tour of the Central American countries, the inhabitants of which are already planning to do him great honors when he arrives.  
For a time it appeared that Lindbergh would be drawn into a controversy concerning bull-fights, but today all doubt in the question was dispelled by the young man himself. He has been invited to attend a bull-fight tomorrow. Telegrams from organizations in the United States have urged him not to attend.  
But Lindbergh, feeling that he is the sole judge in such matters, has let it be known that he will attend. According to the flier himself, this happens to be a case of doing in Rome as the Romans do. Besides, as he said, "I believe that Mexicans are perfectly capable of selecting their own sports."  
Col. Lindbergh was elated today over his flight late yesterday over Mexico City in a Mexican Army plane. And American Army pilots were still talking of his remarkable skill at handling a plane.  
Once aloft, Lindbergh exulted in perfect aerial acrobatic style, zooming and looping about in the sky while critical observers below were loud in their praises.

## Husband Slayer To Pass Her Christmas Behind Jail Doors

PAINESVILLE, Ohio, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Verna West, youthful pleasure-loving flapper, accused hammer-slayer of her husband, Thomas Edward West, will spend the holiday season behind jail bars, it was indicated today.  
Attorneys for the 21-year-old blonde, who is alleged to have beat her husband to death at their home, Ohio, five miles east of here, on Dec. 6, because he objected to her desire to attend a bridge party in Cleveland, have apparently abandoned proposed habeas corpus proceedings to obtain their fair clients release on bond, pending action of the lake county grand jury.  
Prosecuting Attorney Seth Paulin today stated that it would probably take two days for the grand jury to consider evidence in the case. He predicted a first degree murder indictment.  
With the grand jury convening on Jan. 9, it is expected Mrs. West will go to trial during the last week of Jan or the first week of Feb.

## War Hero Is Given Belated Recognition

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Belated recognition of one of the outstanding exploits of the World War was given Abraham Krotshinsky, saviour of "The Lost Battalion," today, when President Coolidge issued an executive order making him eligible for appointment in the classified service of the government.  
Immediately upon issuance of the order, Postmaster General New instructed Postmaster John J. Kievy at New York to place Krotshinsky on the rolls with a view to transfer later to a locality yet to be chosen.  
FORT MYERS—4000 lots cleared here during recent campaign launched by Beautification Committee of Chamber of Commerce.

## Consul Leaves Shanghai

SHANGHAI, Dec. 17.—(INS)—After an all-day confinement in the offices of the Commission of Foreign Affairs, the Soviet Consul General at Tankow and fourteen members of his staff with their wives were on their way here today.  
MOVE TO DROP CASE  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—A move to drop contempt proceedings against Samuel Insull, the Chicago multimillionaire, and Daniel F. Schuyler, his personal attorney, was taken today by the Reed Slush Fund Committee.

## CONGRESS MAY LIFT EMBARGO ON AIRPLANES

Triumphant Voyage Of Lindbergh Is Signalized By Attempt Of Congressmen To Abandon Mexican Embargo  
Proposals Backed By Organizations  
This Would Be First Move Towards Establishing Air Lines Between 2 Nations

By William S. Neal  
International News Service Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—The triumphant air voyage of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh to Mexico City was signalized here today by the opening of a Congressional move to abolish the embargo on shipment of airplanes to Mexico.  
Mrs. Edith Neuse Rogers, republican congresswoman from Massachusetts, began the campaign with an appeal to the State Department.  
The proposal is backed by the United States Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce and many other organizations, she said.  
While the United States has erected an embargo wall at the Rio Grande on the theory that exportation of airplanes would aid revolutionists, European aircraft factories have been seizing Mexican business, she said. The possibility of establishing air passenger and freight routes through Mexico to Central and South America is added argument for a change in the policy of the State Department, she asserted.  
"Col. Lindbergh's successful flight to Mexico City suggests that all embarrassing restrictions against the present prohibition against American airplanes crossing the Mexican border be removed by the State Department," said Mrs. Rogers.  
"This must be the first step toward air lines between the United States and Mexico, which would benefit our relations and trade enormously. The potential market in Mexico is as great as our Southern States."  
"Our aircraft factories are losing business to European competitors as a result of this embargo. The Diario Oficial of Mexico City recently recorded an order for \$265 worth of planes in England and a Mexican aviation commission sailed on September 19 to buy planes and engines."  
"This would indicate that this market for our aircraft factories is practically lost in spite of the world-wide prestige of their products."  
"The route through Mexico is an ideal one for future airlines to Central and South America. It is an all land route, has the advantage of greater directness to Central America and the West Coast of South America and would have the advantage of much intermediate traffic."  
The Department of Commerce, it is understood, has given encouragement to the proposal, but is powerless to act in the face of the State Department embargo.  
Despite many rumors, that the government was ready to lift the embargo on firearms and munitions as well as airplanes, the State Department has taken no action to this end.

## Fears Are Held For Missing Mail Plane

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Officials of the National Airways Company here this afternoon were advised by the Inter-city Radio Company that an airplane had crashed at Erie, Pa., at the time an airway plane was due to pass over that city.  
The Cleveland-Buttala air mail service started today, a plane taking off from here for Buffalo at 12:45 P. M. Fears were entertained that it might have been this plane which crashed at Erie, although a check with Erie failed to confirm the Inter-city statement.

## Local Schools Present Christmas Programs On Eve Of Yule Holiday

Sanford schools yesterday joined in the observance of the Yuletide season by giving appropriate Christmas programs, marking the close of the schools for the annual holiday vacation. Readings, songs, instrumental numbers and pantomimes were among the featured parts of the programs.  
At the Seminole High School a series of pantomimes together with the scripture readings upon which they were based formed the principal part of the program. The entertainment opened with the singing of Christmas carols followed by a scripture reading on the birth of Christ, by Fred Stanley and Margaret Tallant.  
The first pantomime, "Shepherds," included the following pupils as participants: Charles Gantt, Mills Lord, Henry Russell and L. A. Summerlin. As the curtain arose on the scene the school choir sang "While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks By Night."  
The second pantomime, "The Visit of Wise Men," was taken on the second pantomime as "The Three Kings From The Orient Are" was sung. Characters in the pantomime were Ted Stamp, J. P. Bates and Steve Shindler.  
A third pantomime, "The Manager Scene" was staged by Elva Pearce as Mary, Jim Stoinoff as Joseph and Georgia Calhoun and Katherine Van Bess as women. Members of the cast were attired in ornate costumes. The high school choir sang "Holy Night" to introduce the number.  
The following program was given at the Junior High School at 1:45 o'clock under the supervision of the several teachers:  
Song, "Joy To The World" by the school.  
Scripture reading, Luke 2:8-16 by section A of grade eight.  
Prayer by Rev. J. Bernard Root.  
Reading, "Christmas Time Song" by Mary Francis Andrews.  
Reading, "Merry Christmas" by Louise Hickson.  
Piano solo by Frances Wilson.  
Reading, "Manny's Skeetuh Song" by Mary Francis Andrews.  
Song, "Mother Machree" by Richard Holtzclaw.  
Reading, "The Longest Day of the Year" by Lois Britt.  
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Reading, "Annie and Willie's Prayer" by Georgia Powell.  
Piano duet by Ruth Pearman and Mary Dighton.  
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Reading, "Christmas Story" by Dorothy Haines.  
Playlet, "The Light of the World."  
Piano duet by Mrs. J. H. Colclough and Miss Charlotte Smith.  
Talk on Christmas by Rev. Root.  
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Christmas Carol by the teachers.  
Reading, "Proved at Last" by Evelyn Echols.  
Reading, "What Happened Christmas Eve," by Winifred Morris.  
Piano solo by Sadie Leinhardt.  
Reading, "Johnny's Christmas," by Earl Branch.  
Reading, "Twas the Night Before Christmas in 1927," by George McKary.  
Graphophone selection by Santa Claus.  
Song, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" by teachers.  
Playlet, "Christmas" by nine children.  
Reading by Orville Touchton.  
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## Flyer Thrown From Plane Several Thousand Feet In Air And Lives To Tell It

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 17.—(INS)—Richard R. Fellers, manager of the Martinsburg, W. Va., Airport, was pitched bodily from the cockpit of a careening airplane several thousand feet above the ground and lived to tell about it.  
Thomas H. Stephens of New York, Va., wealthy engineer and inventor, Alexander Stephens, president of the Confederacy, was thrown out of the plane, pitched thru the air to the ground and broken on the ground by Nelson County.  
The plane in which Fellers and Stephens were passengers was piloted by Charles A. Masson of the United States National Guard. Masson's plane was caught in the "wake turbulence" and got out of control. The force of the air was so violent that both men were pitched out.  
The plane was thrown clear, but Stephens struck a wing. His leg was crushed and he was taken to a hospital. Masson got the plane under control, Fellers worked his way cautiously back into the cockpit.  
The plane was flying over the Shenandoah Valley at a high altitude and were enroute to Richmond to report to the War Department.

## MISSING RECORD BALKS SENATE'S DOCUMENT PROBE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—The Senate's efforts to obtain a record of telegrams exchanged between the Mexican government and its financial agent, Arturo B. Mas, in New York, during 1926, were frustrated today when James E. Brennan, Western Union telegraph official, informed the Reed Committee that all company records for that year had been destroyed.  
It was during the year 1926 that the documents published in the Hearst Newspapers asserted large sums of money were transmitted to Elias from Mexico City for ostensible distribution to four members of the United States Senate.  
Brennan was the first witness called today when the Senate committee resumed its investigation into the documents published in the Hearst Newspapers. The several subpoenas issued for the telegraph records covered primarily 1926, and also asked for messages on various dates in 1927.  
The destruction of the company's records were up to and including the month of Nov. in 1926. Brennan told the committee at the outset. It was early in Aug. of that year that the documents were published in the Hearst Newspapers, asserting more than a million dollars was transmitted to Elias for propaganda purposes in the United States.  
The records for Dec. 1926 and all of 1927 are intact, Brennan said, reading to the committee a list of messages exchanged between Elias and Mexico City. Some of them were in code, he said. The texts were not divulged.  
Brennan reported his search for messages sent Elias by the names "Elias" and "Paul" had been unsuccessful. He said he could find no record of such messages.  
Brennan next said he could find no records of a purported transfer of money from Mexico to Elias in Mar. of this year. He likewise said he could find no records of money transfers from Mexico to the National City Bank, the Guaranty Trust Company or J. P. Morgan and Company, which might have gone later to Elias in Mar. of this year.  
A record of any transfer of money would not be addressed to Mr. Elias or to the bank, Brennan explained. It would be addressed to our officials with instructions to pay over the money to Elias at the bank. Our files show no record of any transfer of money from Mexico to Mr. Elias or any New York Bank in Mar. 1927.

## Banker And Editor To Be Honor Guests At Chamber Dinner

Plans for a New Year's dinner to be given at the Hotel Forrest on the night of January 6 are now being made by officials of the Sanford Chamber of Commerce, according to an announcement today by Secretary E. J. Trotter. Edward W. Lane, president of the Atlantic National Bank of Jacksonville and John Temple Graves II, editor of the Jacksonville Journal, are to be the guests of honor.  
Between 250 and 300 are expected to attend the dinner which will be one of the largest affairs of the year. The program will include talks by both Mr. Lane and Mr. Graves and several entertainment features. S. O. Shindler, president of the Chamber of Commerce will preside over the dinner.  
Efforts will be made to have every business and professional firm in Sanford represented at the dinner. Each will have its own table, it was announced, with a limit placed on the number of reservations for each firm. Mr. Trotter expressed the hope that local business men will respond heartily to the invitation and bring members of their staffs with them. The affair will be for ladies, and a large number present.  
Several local concerns have already spoken for reservations and others are urged to make them as soon as possible.

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## NATIONS PLAN WAYS TO STOP DOPE TRAFFIC

Negotiations Between Leading Countries Are Under-Taken For The Suppression Of Rapidly Increasing Evil  
Smuggling Goes On Despite Officials

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Negotiations are in progress between the United States and a number of other governments in an effort to draft a practical agreement for suppression of the rapidly increasing international narcotic traffic, it was learned today.  
Smuggling of narcotics continued on a large scale and there are no indications of a decrease in the illegal supply unless drastic steps are taken to check the traffic according to treasury officials.  
Agreements among the Governments of United States, England, France, Germany, Cuba and possibly others, similar to the informal pact with Great Britain, may be the outcome of the negotiations, resulting in a general campaign against dope peddlers and smugglers.  
Without an international concerted effort there appears to be little prospect of wiping out one of the most vicious traffic of the underworld, officials said.  
Plans to combat the evil are being drawn up in the foreign control unit of the treasury, headed by Harry F. Anslinger, who was instrumental in bringing about an agreement whereby the smuggling situation between the Bahamas and Florida has been placed on a better basis.  
Col. J. M. Doran, prohibition commissioner, in a report to Secretary Mellon said that cooperation of the European governments has been solicited with respect to great control over manufacture and internal distribution to eliminate what is considered the primary dope supply smuggled into the United States.  
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## Court Imposes \$200 Fine On Davis For Drunken Driving

Ed Davis was assessed a \$200 fine Friday morning in Municipal Court on a charge of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. Eight other cases, most of them for violations of the traffic laws, were on the docket.  
Millard Woolard, charging with parking a car with no lights, was fined \$2. Robert A. Cameron was dismissed on a reckless driving charge and Ed Randall paid \$5 for alleged drunkenness. H. L. Duhart was also dismissed on a reckless driving charge.  
The case of Charles Whittier for parking with no rear light was continued, while the case against Mrs. J. F. Niblack for the same violation was dismissed. George Anderson paid \$5 for operating his car with one light.  
Troubles of the local taxicab drivers were aired in court when Herman Hutcherson was haled before Judge White upon the complaint of Mrs. Bo Takach who claimed Hutcherson hurled an epithet at her. After hearing seven or eight witnesses, the court dismissed Hutcherson.

## Fletcher Asks Probe Of War Finance Body

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—(INS)—A resolution, proposing a Senate investigating into affairs of the War Finance Corporation, now dead for several years, was introduced in the Senate this afternoon by Senator Fletcher (D) of Florida.  
The resolution was aimed at Eugene Meyer Jr., former chairman of the War Finance Corporation, whose recent appointment to the farm loan board is opposed by Fletcher. Senator Edge (R) of New Jersey, blocked immediate action.  
EVERGLADES—New 40-gallon chemical fire extinguisher placed in Everglades Fire House.

## Scandal Is Linked To Name Of Kresge Chain Store Owner

Donor Of Huge Gift To Anti-Saloon League And Philanthropist Defamed In Court  
Wife's Attorney Makes Charge

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—(INS)—Despite threats of the dire things that were to happen to him if he came back to Chicago, "Scarface" Al Capone, far-famed chieftain of gangland, today rested at the home of his mother, unmolested by Chicago police.  
Capone, accompanied by several friends, visited his old haunts after a long train ride from Los Angeles. He and his party were delayed eight hours at Joliet, where they paid an unscheduled visit to that city's jail.  
As he stepped from the train, Capone found himself surrounded by the entire Joliet police force. Chief Corcoran said to the gang leader: "You are Al Capone?"  
"Pleased to meet you," smiled Capone. "Nice of you boys to be here." But Al and his buddies were bundled into the wagon and taken to jail. There Capone met his brother Ralph and several more henchmen, who had made the trip in an automobile from Chicago to meet him and take him home.  
The welcoming committee of Chicago gangsters had arrived an hour before train time and were loafing around the station. Their bulging pockets aroused suspicion. They were arrested, on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.  
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## Three Negroes Are Adjudged Guilty Of Slaying Of Gardner

Three of a quartet of negroes charged with the slaying of Albert Gardner at Midway on the morning of June 26 were found guilty of second degree murder by a jury in circuit court this afternoon. The fourth, Sadie Jackson, was acquitted.  
The jury was out less than an hour, bringing in their verdict shortly before 2 o'clock. Annie Bellamy was found guilty of second degree murder as principal of the first degree and Annie Irene Bellamy and Davis Bellamy were adjudged guilty of murder in the second degree as principals in the second degree. The four were charged with first degree murder in the indictment upon which they were tried.  
Counsel for the defendants, DeCottes and Spencer, filed a motion for a new trial and the court withheld passage of sentence upon the trio.  
The case had consumed three days. The defense rested its case suddenly yesterday afternoon after introducing only one witness, J. H. Lee, who gave testimony to counteract that of state witnesses who claimed to have viewed the fatal shooting from a nearby house. Arguments of counsel lasted until about 11 o'clock this morning and the judge's charge to jury required almost an hour. The jury went to lunch and began its deliberations at 1 o'clock.  
Several persons convicted during the present term of court and others who have entered pleas of guilty were to be sentenced this afternoon following the close of the murder trial.  
Through the months of litigation in their martial warfare, the true basis of Mrs. Kresge's charges has been concealed and not until today did the detailed charges become known.  
Today Walter Lynch, Mrs. Kresge's attorney, declared that not only did Kresge maintain Miss Fish in her apartment but that when she was "out of the city, Kresge entertained young girls in the love nest." Lynch informed the court that he had affidavits to support his charges.  
Lynch, in the course of outlining his plea for separate maintenance, called the court's attention to Kresge's recent \$500,000 Anti-Saloon League gift. (Continued on Page 3)

## AIRPLANE FALLS Bellefonte, Pa.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Dec. 17.—(INS)—An airplane carrying Captain Homer Barry and a passenger fell at Scranton, Penna., today according to word received here this afternoon by H. J. Burhop, radio operator at the government airport.  
Burhop said Capt. Barry and his passenger were unhurt and that the plane only slightly damaged. The plane left Cleveland for New York early today.  
LAGRANGE, Texas, Dec. 17.—(INS)—The jury in the case of Mrs. Rebecca Bradley Rogers today found the former University of Texas co-ed guilty of robbery and sentenced her to 14 years in the penitentiary.

## Second Institution To Burn In 48 Hours Totally Destroyed

QUAKEB, Dec. 17.—(INS)—The St. John Barchman boarding school was a mass of ruins today, the second educational institution to be razed by fire here in the last forty-eight hours. There were 142 boys also in the boarding school when the fire started in the basement last night, but all of them were on the first floor of the building and escaped unharmed.  
With the terrible disaster to the Hospice St. Charles Wednesday night still fresh in the minds of men besieged the boarding school when the fire started, breaking windows and fighting to gain admittance in order to rescue the youngsters. This was the first of the school for the boys to be razed in an orderly manner, however, and no one was injured.



# SPORTS



## Minor Baseball Leagues Will Not Break With The Majors On Draft Matter

By Davis J. Walsh  
International News Service  
Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—An armistice is about to be signed. The Minor Leagues will not break with the Majors on the draft question. This much was certain today as baseball's warring factions withdrew in good order from the theatre of activities behind the statement of Secretary John H. Farrell, of the Minor Leagues, that nothing will be done about the draft until Feb. 1. It is my information that nothing will be done about it then.

In other words, it is the understanding today that the existing Major-Minor League agreement will be allowed to run on until further notice, with the Minors making the best of what possibly is a bad situation. They have been forced to this pass by the attitude of the three class A Leagues, namely the International, the American Association and the Pacific Coast Leagues, all of whom are so closely associated with Major League activities that they have decided they cannot let it "go it alone."

The agitation for an early separate from the Majors has come, it seems, from the leagues of lower classification. These claim that they cannot do business on an economic basis unless the draft is turned on some one else or words to that general effect. They have no real or lasting liaison with the Majors, anyhow, and so they feel that the proposed break would have little effect on them, except for the better.

However, it appears that the so-called "Big Minors" have committed themselves too far in their transaction with the Majors to turn back now or at any immediate date. Deals for players have been consummated, others are on the threshold of being closed and many of the class AA clubs have pared down their players lists on the assumption that the deals in question will be carried through.

That, at least, was the situation, as outlined to me today. These big Minors simply must play along, it appears, or suffer a situation to be created that will affect the structure of baseball. Even the smaller Minors would suffer if the big ones are hurt, it is pointed out, this idea being based on the theory that a corn on the toe is tragedy to the entire foot.

It is understood that Judge Landis expressed sentiments of this nature in discussing the situation at his informal meeting with Minor League representatives. The Judge, of course, is a strict neutral and, in this role, he simply couldn't miss the abiding point of the whole argument, to wit, that the Majors need the Minors and the Minors need the Majors, which leaves both no alternative but to play ball with each other like nice, little gentlemen.

## Gator Grid Chief Leaves Today For Big Game In West

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, Gainesville, Dec. 16. (Athletic News Bureau)—Bill Middlekauff, captain of Florida's famous 1927 "Fighting Gators", and selected to play full back on the All-Star Southern eleven in California on Christmas Day will leave Gainesville for Tusculum Friday Morning, he announced today.

Middlekauff, recently placed upon the All-Time University of Florida eleven, was voted Florida's most valuable player in 1927. In addition to being one of the South's greatest lineup plungers, Middlekauff is a blocker and tackler the like of which is a joy to every college coach.

During the past week, Capt. Middlekauff has kept himself in good physical condition with cross-country jaunts.

In 1925, Florida's celebrated Edgar Jones made the trip to the coast with an all-star aggregation, and despite a broken toe, and injured arm sustained in practice before the game, performed in a most creditable manner.

The entire state of Florida, and Dixie, will watch the performance of Capt. Middlekauff with great interest.

### BOUT TO BE HELD

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—(INS)—Two fifteen-round championship bouts will be held in the same ring here tonight. Tod Morgan, of Seattle, will defend his junior lightweight crown against Joe Glick of Brooklyn, and the winner of the Newboy Brown-Corporal Izzy Schwartz scrap will be recognized by the New York State Athletic Commission as the successor to the flyweight title vacated by Fidel La Barba.

### LEADS IN BILLIARDS

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—(INS)—Otto Reisel of this city, three-cushion billiard champion, was leading Allen Hall of New York, by a score of 60 to 47, following the conclusion of the first half of their 300 points match for the title. The champion had a high run of six and won in 68 innings.

### WARREN WINS FIGHT

DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 16.—(INS)—"F. O." Warren, light heavyweight fighter of Chapel Hill, scored a knockout in the second round of his scheduled 10 round bout here last Wednesday with Law Carntener. It was the sensational college mauler's first professional fight.

## Lawrence Elected Captain Of Track Team At Florida U.

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, Gainesville, Dec. (Athletic News Bureau)—Richard A. "Dick" Lawrence, of Melbourne, has been elected captain of the University of Florida varsity track team for 1928. Lawrence is a senior Arts and Science student and has been a member of the Gator track team for two years, serving both as a pole vaulter and high jumper.

Prospects for track and field are considered brighter in Gatorland than in recent years. Ten letter men will form the nucleus of the 1928 team, while a number of able candidates from last year's freshman contingent are expected to give strength. Letter athletes back include Captain Lawrence, Cecil Beck, Tommy Owens, Bill Middlekauff, Howard Bishop, J. E. Sawyer, "Dutch" Stanley, Carlos Edwards, Arthur Erwin and Dick Trogdon.

From the erstwhile frosh ranks are "Red" McEwan, Royce Goodbread, Lloyd Baldwin "Tubby" Kirchner and W. A. Carruthers as the more outstanding of the newcomers.

Henry Camp of Ocala, elected last year to captain the 1928 track squad, has been unable to return to school, this year owing to ill health, hence the selection of Lawrence, hence the selection of Camp, four other letter men of note are not back, Otto Ziehe, Mark Mahannah, Emory Kerman and Hurlbaum.

Nash Higgins, with a most enviable record for track and field coaching at Wabash College, has already sounded call for athletes, and the quarter-mile oval at Gatorland has been the scene of much activity during the past few days. Coach Higgins is giving many of his men individual instruction, and a new interest seems to prevail in the sport under Higgins' administration.

Sam Byrd, a Sanford boy, is manager of both varsity and freshman track teams. Splendid schedules will be arranged by Athletic Director Von for the two aggregations.

### HAGEN GRANTED GRACE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—(INS)—Walter Hagen, pro golf champion, and John Gangel, former hall player, have been granted one week of grace by the International League in which to raise \$40,000 to complete their purchase of the franchise of the Rochester International League Baseball Team. To date they have made only a partial payment of \$25,000.

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## CHICAGO GUNMEN INVADE SOCIETY IN DRESS SUITS

Leaders Of Gangland Genuinely Despite Reputations; Wives, Sweethearts Know Little About Gang Leaders

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—(INS)—What manner of persons are Chicago's gangsters?

And the answer is they are entirely, absolutely contrary to my impression one may have gained from underworld motion pictures, stage plays and novels.

They are almost without exception quite gentlemanly in appearance, especially the leaders. They dress in good taste, visit manicurists regularly and in a crowd would more than often be taken for successful business men, newspaper reporters, actors or automobile salesmen.

The chiefs of gangland maintain luxurious quarters, albeit gaudy, in the shadow of Chicago's gold coast—the home of the exclusive and wealthy. They have invaded many of the city's leading hotels and apartments and at night, spic and span in evening clothes, may be seen on the dance floors of the most fashionable cabarets and night clubs.

The gangmen have established two distinct social sets. One is made up entirely of their own members and their favorite women friends. The other is composed of the most successful of their number from a financial standpoint and their wives.

Very few of the gangsters element acknowledge the nature of their business and their wives and sweethearts generally learn they lived outside the law when a machine-gun riddled body is carried home.

It is interesting that all gangsters are young and dark. They are inclined to the slick type with sideburns, slick hair and flashing teeth. It is said none ever lives to the age of 35. That is probably an exaggeration.

Recently when police officers raided boxing clubs and extracted 100 or more gangsters in a series of raids, ringside fans were startled to see many quiet-looking ordinary-cost gentlemen removed from their seats. The raiders made many arrests in the expensive ringside section where the gunmen sat side by side with society swells, politicians and city officials.

## FRENCHMEN HAIL AMERICAN ARTIST OF GREAT MERIT

Benjamin Bufano Of Gotham And Formerly Instructor At California University Is One Of Best At Exhibit

PARIS, Dec. 16.—(INS)—An American artist has been hailed as one of the best painters in this year's Salon d'Automne. He is Benjamin Bufano, of New York, formerly professor of art at the University of California and labor instructor at the Art Institute in San Francisco.

His "Crucifixion of Youth" is a pre-pleistocene theme which sums up his idea—the purity and sincerity of the early Italians, the old Chinese and the early Indians.

This year's Salon contains everything from a filling-station for automobiles, complete with a full-sized motor-car to a country-house with bar and shooting-box. In fact one could almost name it a "Salon of Interior Decoration," for the many little furnished rooms are far more interesting than the two thousand paintings, all of which are of a uniform indistinctness.

More than this, there is not even the usual annual sensation this season. There is violence enough, but nothing that is sufficiently scandalous to cause much talking. Even the famous Van Dungen has fallen down on the job.

Many of the best American artists, such as A. Gihon and Mrs. Frieske are not exhibiting this year. Among the landscapes one sees "Pommiers en Fleurs" and "La Place du Havre" by Theodore Earl Butler, Ruth E. Collins has sent several Italian landscapes and Harry Carnohan has a Provencal bit.

Mrs. Florence Standish Whitney exhibits two decorative pieces, "Fruits" and "Fantasie"; Mrs. Ethel Mara "Carpet"; water-colors by Mrs. Evelyn Gladney and

**Elton J. Moughton**  
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## Junior High Defeats Longwood Team, 20-8

The Junior High School quintet defeated the Longwood quintet Wednesday night by a score of 20 to 8 in one of the best games that has been played here this season. The Junior High team demonstrated its superiority throughout although the visitors played a good game.

The lineup were as follows: Longwood (5) Sanford (20) Overstreet (4) R. F. Ponder (4) Brano (2) L. R. Kinkaid (4) Jackson (3) C. Harper (10) Anderson R. G. Holtzlow Entzlainger I. G. Corecoll

### STAITS SWIMMER FAILS

TANGIER, Morocco, Dec. 16.—(INS)—Miss Mercedes Gletze, of water between the African and English Channel swimmer, made an unsuccessful attempt to swim the Straits of Gibraltar today. Miss Gletze started at 2:30 A. M. to swim the 21-mile stretch of water between the African and European coasts, but after eight hours she had to give up and was taken on board a tug to return to Tangier.

dry-points by Margaret Lowen-grund.

Among the four thousand works which were rejected this year was that of Fernand Borf. He began painting at the age of 79. A hatter by trade, he found his evenings long and took up painting for the fun of it. He sells some of his pictures and gives others away. He is now 83 and still hopes to have a picture in the Salon one day.

## Sportwriter Says Tilden Will Not Be Allowed To Represent U.S. In Match

By Davis J. Walsh  
International News Service  
Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Mr. Bill Tilden, who may or may not amount to something in deciding whether we recover or do not recover the Davis Cup, has announced himself as being willing to compete in Europe while our harrowing amateurs are doing the best they can in America. The writer has information that Tilden will not be a member of the team at all or in any part.

He got this information from a member of the Lawn Tennis Association and to divulge the latter's identity would be a breach of confidence.

"When a man pulls a gun on you, what do you do?" inquired an official of the tennis association today. "If you can get rid of him, you do. That's all I have to say about Mr. Tilden's speculation."

If that is not enough to indicate that Tilden and Hunter are through with Davis Cup Play, then all we need is a bit of imagination to assume that a foreign power, with everything in its favor, might expect an assault from a young inexperienced American team.

What I mean to say is that Tilden and Hunter, right now, are out. Whether they stay out or not is up to the United States Lawn Tennis Association. The latter makes no particular bones about the fact that Tilden and Hunter

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SATURDAY DEC. 17, 1927

- THE HERALD'S PROGRAM
1-Continuation of city and county administration.
2-Deeper water routes to Jacksonville.
3-Construction of St. Johns Indian River canal.
4-Construction of monthly "Pay Week".
5-Augmenting of building program—houses, hotels, apartment houses.
6-Community Chest.
7-Completion of city beautification program.
8-A new and modern hospital.

BIBLE VERSE FOR TODAY
MY SOUL AND GOD.—Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God thou art very great; thou art clothed with honour and majesty. Psalm 104:1.

PRAYER.—"Bless, O My Soul the Living God."

AUTUMN AT HOME

I remember autumn at home;
I remember the golden filigree of beech-trees on the hills,
And russet ferns smouldering in the pasture;

I remember the winy scent of apples in October,
Windfall Baldwins lying cupped in short dry grass,

And the glorious chill of grey-aked autumn days,
When leaves run wildly across the yard,

I remember the white-mooned nights, so clear that one could see the mountains,
Silvered and dreaming, far away,

And the cold yet spicy fragrance of chrysanthemums,
Opening golden and amber, fearless of frost;

I remember the rainy days, when maples towered goldenly, like sunlight against the grey,

And wet leaves fell suddenly along the road,

And the nights of Indian summer, when the waxy moon strolled like a daisy across the pasture,

And climbed the ragged pine-tree on the hill.

—By Doris Cairns.
In the Lyric—

Lindbergh reaches goal—touchdown, aviation."

A straight line is not always the shortest distance between two points.

Only a few more days for Christmas shopping. Let the people know what you have to sell and they will buy.

It might easily be said that the citizens of Sarasota, in electing the present mayor to succeed himself, certainly brought home the Bacon.

It is quite true that all men are born equal, but it is equally true that they don't stay that way long.

—Doland News. No, some of them get married.

The Miami Beach Beacon has changed its name to the Miami Beach Sun. That's a good name. It's the sun that brings the tourists to Miami Beach.

Congratulations to the American Legion which has offered its services as a volunteer fire department. Mack Cleveland ought to make pretty good fire fighters out of some of those fire eaters.

A Jacksonville couple, was arrested and fined five dollars for kissing in public. Isn't that terrible, and Jacksonville is a city where murders and robberies never occur without the perpetrators being apprehended and punished.

That new Sanford daily has, to date, failed to reach our exchange table. It may be that the \$200,000 reported to be "behind" it is tied up in the defunct Seminole County Bank. How 'bout it, Berg?—Seminole Gazette. Probably dead two hundred thousand was enough.

The supreme court of the state has quashed the indictments brought by the Seminole county grand jury against Ernest Amos Miller, in connection with the commission of the Seminole County murder. This does not mean that Mr. Miller is blameless. It means there is no law to cover his case.—Palm Beach Independent.

The City Commissioners have decided to live up to the City charter in regard to depositories for the funds, securities and so on.

We commend the action. While some may say this is locking the barn after the horse is stolen, we take the view that it is better to do this than to wait until all the horses, cows and oats have also been stolen away with.

The City Manager

In theory Sanford enjoys the city manager form of government; actually it has been anything but. In theory the city manager form of government empowers the city manager with the entire responsibility of running the city. The commission, aside from determining the policies of the city, and raising money, should confine most of their governmental duties to appointing, and removing at their pleasure, the city manager.

This particular power, that of removing the city manager at will, causes most of the troubles which our form of municipal government experience. The city manager may know perfectly well that a certain thing ought to be done, or ought not to be done, but if he does not do exactly as the commission bids, he is promptly fired. In other words, the city manager is a figure head and the commission, or whoever happens to control the commission, runs everything.

Sanford's City Manager, W. B. Williams, has tendered his resignation to take effect January 1. The matter of appointing his successor is an important one, and should be given utmost consideration by the Commission. The people are at present of the opinion that the City Manager should run the city, as the Charter provides. The appointment should be made with this thought well in mind.

Among other things, our much neglected Charter states, that the "City Manager shall be responsible to the City Commission for the proper administration of all affairs of the City," and that he shall have the power "Except as herein otherwise provided, to appoint and remove all subordinate officers and employees of the City, all appointments to be made upon merit and fitness."

It also states, that he shall be empowered "Except as otherwise provided, to exercise, control and direct supervision over all departments and divisions of the municipal government under this Act, or which may hereafter be created by the City Commission," and "To keep the City Commission fully advised of the financial condition and needs of the City, and to submit for its consideration an annual budget."

And it says that "He shall be the purchasing agent for the City, by whom all purchases of supplies shall be made, and he shall approve all vouchers for the payment of the same. In the capacity of purchasing agent, he shall also conduct the sales of personal property which the Commission may authorize to be sold as having become unnecessary or unfit for the City's use." And so forth.

We merely mention this in the hope that the deeds of future may profit by the mistakes of the past.

Scaling The Heights Again

"Lindy" has scored again. Winging his way over a two-thousand mile course and braving inclement weather, he has made a non-stop flight from Washington to Mexico City to add another laurel to his crown. Just as epochal as his historic hop between New York to Paris was the flight from Washington to the Mexican capital because it was the first time it had ever been accomplished.

The feat was achieved in true Lindbergh style. Unostentatiously he hopped off just as he did on the flight across the Atlantic. There was no blare of trumpets nor shouting of the crowds to announce the takeoff because he surprised the nation by electing to leave when others would have delayed. With characteristic intrepidity he piloted his machine straight into weather that threatened disaster to the expedition at any time. Some thirteen hours of the trip were in total darkness and as if to make the trip more complete with adventure the faithful flier became lost and wandered around over Mexico for two hours before getting his bearings to fly to the capital.

His arrival in Mexico City was a repetition of that in Paris. He was the same unassuming youth that he was when he completed the ocean trip and he waved aside the words of praise that were heaped upon him by an admiring populace. It was all in the day's work and nothing to boast about. Yes, he was a bit tired and the trip was all right except a little bad weather and hard luck in losing his way. He was terribly sorry he had inconvenienced the crowds by being late. That was his chief concern, but wasn't that typical of him?

The significance of the flight is just as important in one sense as that of the one to Paris. It marks another big conquest of the air, to be sure, but there is the influence it will have in promoting better relations between Mexico and the United States. Just as Lindy brought France closer to America so he will join the bonds of fellowship into a closer union between Mexico City and Washington.

CRIMINALS AND THE CRIME POLK COUNTY RECORD

Accounts have been given the South Florida reading public of almost weekly executions of white men paying the penalty for murder at Raiford. Due to the fact that several of the accused were committed in Tampa the newspapers there have gone to unusual lengths and given some very remarkable stories of the execution from a reportorial point of view. The effect of this has been to create some sympathy for the accused men. It is horrible to picture the wretch being taken into the chair, strapped down and life burned from him while last words pleading innocence were still on his lips. And it is impossible not to have such mental pictures if one reads the news stories sent direct from the scene at Raiford.

MY DEBT TO MY HOME TOWN COCHRAN (GA.) JOURNAL

The town of Cochran owes me nothing. If accounts were balanced at this date, I would be the debtor. Haven't I, all these years lived within the limits of Cochran and shared all its benefits. Haven't I had the benefit of its schools, churches, and parks? Haven't I had the protection of its fire, police and health department? Haven't its people, during all this time, been gathering for me, from the four corners of the earth, food for my plate, clothing for my body and material for my home? Haven't this town furnished the patronage by which I have succeeded in my profession (or business)? Haven't it furnished the best friends of my life, whose ideals have been my inspiration, whose kind words have been my cheer and whose helpfulness has carried me over my greatest difficulties? What shall I give in return. Not simply taxes which cover so small a part of what I have received. I want to give more, I want, of my own free will, to give enough so that I can rightfully say, "This is my home town." So that I can take pride in my home town; so that I can take pride in its prosperity, in the honors which come to its citizens, and in all that makes it greater and better. I can do this only by becoming a part of the town—by giving to its generosity of myself. In this way only can I, even in small part, pay the great debt I owe to Cochran.—Cochran (Ga.) Journal.

As Brisbane Sees It

The Fle'd Lindbergh Saw. First We Junk. Then Build. The King's Prayer Book. A New 10,000-Mile Sea.

By Arthur Brisbane
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IN SPITE of fog, Lindbergh flew nonstop from the capital of the United States to the capital of Mexico. The long distance non-stop flight, increasing fuel load, is dangerous. Lindbergh should feel that he has done his share in that direction. After his return from Europe he should make any other flights to Europe via the Azores, the sensible route, taking fuel at the islands, keeping his load light.

LANDING ON Mexico's Valbuena military aviation field. Lindbergh found himself within two and a half miles of Mexico's greatest city, on a landing field six miles square. He would not find anything like that near New York, America's biggest city. Twenty-five miles out, on Long Island, there is a little field so small that Lindbergh almost failed to find it. For Paris, barely a dozen sheds and hangars.

THE BRITISH TOLD reporters the highest non-stop flight would be made in Mexico and Central America. Let's hope it will also stimulate flying and flying field construction in this backward country. What this country lacks in natural and government flying sense is to some extent counterbalanced by individual things. Lindbergh, the young hero of his country, has flown 34,905 miles since he left San Diego bound for Paris last May, a distance about equal to once and a half around the world.

CONGRESS IS asked to appropriate \$725,000,000 for new warships. And a little while ago, to please our British and Japanese friends, who did not afford to keep up with us, we junked hundreds of millions worth of new fighting ships, some not completed. That you would admit, requires a high mark in national policy. Let's hope some of our European friends will persuade our boy soldiers to junk these new ships, before completion.

THE BRITISH house of lords has approved the new and changed prayers in the Church of England prayer book and the book will be submitted for approval to His Majesty, King George. He is interested, because his oath requires him to stick to that book. Some low church Britishers complain that the new book is not strictly "protestant" as the old. The opinion of the only authority on the really counts can't be obtained.

THE Egyptian government considers a suggestion to flood 10,000 square miles of the Sahara desert, lying below the level of the Mediterranean, in ages past. A canal would let Mediterranean waters to the desert sea as the Atlantic, rushing through the straits of Gibraltar, created the Mediterranean, in ages past.

THE ARTIFICIAL desert sea navigable for big ships and promoting rainfall, near the Siwa oasis, would enable that and neighboring territory to support 1,000,000 inhabitants as against 2,000 now.

Such undertakings will be common when men really manage the globe as one big farm.

THE IMPORTANT question is what kind of human beings will be added to earth's population.

No use increasing the number of those that will have to die off, or be killed off because of inferiority.

Great Britain has added 100,000,000 to the population of India by fighting plagues and famine, and science, plus an end to girl baby killing, may change China's 400,000,000 population to 1,000,000,000 in spite of China's wars. Those increases might create problems more serious than any desert or swamp.

SOME, ill-informed oppose vaccination, which prevents smallpox. Facts will not influence them. Nevertheless here are facts supplied by "Hygeia."

In 1751, in France, every tenth death was due to smallpox, and one quarter of all human being were killed, crippled or disfigured for life by smallpox. Jenner introduced vaccination in 1796 and the disease ceased to be a serious danger.

In 1924 there were 1610 cases of smallpox in Detroit, with 163 deaths. In all these cases not one had been vaccinated within five years. Of those that died, 142 had never been vaccinated 10 years, or more, before their infection. Any one indifferent to such facts could be convinced only by smallpox, following non-vaccination.

THE COMPANY guarantees the farmer \$25 to \$40 a year per acre. Plants are being tested in every county. One 2000-acre patch will be planted this month. No tapping trees or gathering sap. All machine and harrower work. A crop every four years. There are seven guayule factories in Mexico now, the plants are gathered wild and hauled to factories on muleback.

New Cook: "About those new tumblers you bought yesterday, mam—"
Mistress: "Well, what about them?"
New Cook: "Well, er, er, they tumbled."—Good Hardware.

LICENSING JOURNALISTS

WICHITA BEACON

Under the above caption, the Miami Herald, in an interesting and instructive editorial for all newspaper readers, takes issue with the suggestion of an eminent educator that "reporters and other writers for newspapers should be subjected to an examination into their knowledge of important subjects, and only those found qualified should be allowed to practice the profession of journalism."

The Miami Herald, "is probably proposed somewhat in the spirit of revenge for the numerous gales which the press has aimed at the higher education of late. It may also be intended as a satirical jab at those who are constantly seeking regulatory laws."

And the Herald further discusses the subject of reporters and editorial writers: "It is a fact that there might be a serious depletion of the newspaper staffs should such a statute be enacted for the journalist is not paid for his book erudition. An editor, a lawyer, a doctor or an engineer must specialize in a particular subject and know that thoroughly. A journalist must be expected to understand a bit of everything or else be able to acquire necessary information."

A writer is not the creator of facts, at least he should not be. He is a reporter of news which he has observed. One day he may report a convention of stove lifters and on the next a meeting for the alleviation of suffering among hunchbacks in Turkey. In the morning he may interview a society lady and the editor of bridge and in the afternoon secure from a distinguished visitor his opinion on conditions in Europe.

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TOYS for the Kiddies Among other things is a great assortment of toys for the smaller children in particular. Many of these articles are just the thing to put in the small boy or girl's stocking on Christmas Eve or Christmas Morning.

KODAKS for Gifts Nothing is a more pleasing or lasting as a gift than a Kodak and an accompanying Kodak album. Here are Kodaks in all sizes and at all prices. There are small inexpensive ones suitable for the young boy or girl and others more expensive for the discriminating adults.

STATIONERY For the Christmas Tree Gift Stationery for the woman is chosen by many as the most suitable of Christmas presents. Here is an assortment ranging from an inexpensive box for only a few dollars to the most costly. The Prices range from \$1 to \$10.

Thermos Bottles. Ideal gifts for either the man or woman at moderate cost. The bottles come in pint and quart sizes and in addition there are jugs to hold still more.

FOUNTAIN PENS Here's something the school boys and schoolgirls always yearn for at Christmas time, a fountain pen. Or better still, a fountain pen and pencil set prepared especially for Christmas by Parker. If you are going to give the children pens, be sure they are Parkers.

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WATCHES Pocket Watches and wrist watches. If your small son has never had a real watch, now is the time to give him one. You'll find nothing will please him more. They are also always suitable gifts for little girls and for the grown folks.

CIGARS Here are cigars in gaily dressed Christmas packages. If the man you are buying a gift for smokes, nothing is more suitable. We have several of the better-known brands. Find out what he smokes and then come in. The prices go from \$2.25 to \$2.50 & \$4.50

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### Radio Programs

**AMONG FEATURED PROGRAMS**  
Saturday, Dec. 17.

- 6—Waldorf-Astoria orchestra, WEAF, three stations.
- 7:30—High Jinkers, WEAF, three stations.
- 8—R. C. A. hour, New York Symphony orchestra, Harmonisch, WJZ, twenty-two stations.
- 8:10—Boston Symphony orchestra, WBZ.
- 9—Old Gold on Broadway, WEAF, five stations.
- 9—Philo hour, WJZ, twenty-two stations.
- 10—Palais d'Or orchestra, WEAF, four stations.
- 10—Baltimore Municipal Band, WBAL.
- 11—Cass Hagan's orchestra, WEAF, two stations.
- 12—Philo hour, GGO, four stations.
- 1a—Saturday Nite Revue, GGO, three stations.

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER, 17.**  
272.6, WPG, Atlantic City, 1100; 6:45, organ recital; 7:05, dinner concert; 10, Harmonica band; 10:30, dance orchestra (1 1/2 hrs.).

285.5, WBAL, Baltimore, 1050; 6:30, dinner orchestra; 7:30, Jubilee Singers; 8, RCA orchestra; 10, Municipal band.

422.3, WOR, Newark, 710; 7:50, ensemble; 8:16, modern songs, organ; 9, Bamberger's Little Symphony; 10, pianist, dance music; 10:45, local duo, dance music.

491.5, WEAF, New York, 610; 6, Waldorf-Astoria orchestra; 7, South Sea Islanders; 7:30, High Jinkers; 9, Old Gold on Broadway; 10, Palais d'Or orchestra; 11, Cass Hagan's orchestra.

464.3, WJZ, New York, 660; 5:30, NBC studio program; 8, New York Symphony orchestra; 9, Philco hour, Havana; 10, Keystone Duo; 11, slumber music.

548.6, WOO, Philadelphia, 880; 6:15, organ and carols; 7:30, children's half hour.

515.6, KDKA, Pittsburgh, 950-6; Westinghouse band; 7, University of Pittsburgh talk, Home Radio club; 7:30, concert; 8, New York Symphony orchestra; 9, Philco hour.

577.5, WHAM, Rochester, 1080; 7:30, studio program; 8, Radiotrons; 9, Philco program; 10, organ recital.

579.5, WGY, Schenectady, 790; 6:30, dinner music; 7:30, "High Jinkers"; 8:30, Old Gold on Broadway; 11, dance orchestra.

468.5, WRC Washington, 640; 6, Waldorf-Astoria orchestra; 8, New York Symphony orchestra; 9, Philco hour; 10, orchestra (2 hrs.).

**Southern.**  
294.9, WWNC Asheville, 1010; 7, Spencer Trio.

475.9, WSB, Atlanta, 630; 7, Sunday school lesson; 7:30 orchestra; 8, New York Symphony orchestra; 9, Philco hour; 11:45 concert.

245.8, WDDO Chattanooga, 1220; 7:45, Kiddie Story Period; 8, Sunday school lesson; 8:30 ensemble.

322.4, WHAS Louisville, 930; 8, RCA program; 9, Philco hour.

516.9, WMC Memphis, 580; 8, New York Symphony hour; 9, Philco hour.

336.9, WSM Nashville, 890; 8, RCA hour, 9, Philco hour; 10, barn dance.

322.4, WSMB New Orleans, 930; 9:30 musical program (2 hrs.).

### Entertainment For Dealers Is Finished By Buick Officials

FLINT MICH., Dec. 17.—The Buick Motor Company this week finished the elaborate program of dealer entertainment which has occupied four days of every week since the middle of September.

The dealers have been coming to Flint from all parts of the country principally by special train, at the rate of about 250 a week. Each party has spent one day inspecting the Buick factory and another day at the General Motors Proving Ground near Milford. The visit is said to have been unique, in that the great majority of Buick's dealer organization of more than 3,000 made the trip.

Buick officials and dealers alike have expressed gratification at the visit's results. "Just as an opportunity to get acquainted more thoroughly with their product, the trip was worth while from the dealers' standpoint, and consequently, from our own," said C. W. Churchill, Buick general sales manager.

"For most of the dealers, it was an entirely new experience to see motor cars built. Judging by their comment, they were no less amazed at the constant testing and inspection than at the extreme efficiency with which quality motor cars are manufactured today. They could scarcely help taking home a new conception of the product they sell,—a realization that the wise manufacturer is really striving to produce reliable transportation rather than individual motor cars.

### S. A. Rive Is Made Oakland -- Pontiac Dealer For County

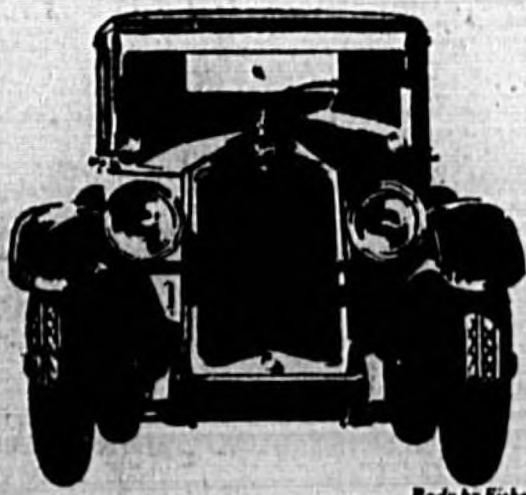
Five models of the new 1928 Oakland and Pontiac were scheduled to arrive at the Seminole Motor Co., 208 West First Street today, according to S. A. Rive, who has just been appointed Oakland-Pontiac dealer for Seminole County.

The cars will be on display at Rive's Garage, which is also headquarters for the Seminole Motor Company. The five models expected here are a Pontiac roadster and four door sedan and an Oakland four door sedan, cabriolet and sport roadster.

This will be the first time any of these new models have been shown in Sanford or in Seminole County. Mr. Rive expects that the many new features on both the Oakland and Pontiac will attract considerable attention among automobile owners.

Mr. Rive has been a resident of Sanford for many years and has been engaged in the automobile business for a long time. He expects to set a new sales record for cars in the price classes of Oakland and Pontiac during the 1928 season.

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