

## Norris Eliminates Self As Third Party Candidate In 1932

Will Ask For Abolishment Of Electoral College System Of Choosing Officials

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Senator Norris yesterday eliminated himself as a possible third party candidate for president in 1932. At the same time, the Nebraska Republican Independent served notice he would begin in the next Congress fight for the abolition of the electoral college provision of the Constitution, "so it would be possible for a man to run independent of any party in the United States."

Commenting on the letter of Dr. John Dewey, head of the League for Independent Political Action, suggesting that Norris leave Republican ranks and lead a third party movement, the Nebraskan told newspapermen it would be futile to attempt to organize another political faction with any hope of success as long as the electoral college exists.

"I doubt if we could start now and get much of a nucleus behind a third party movement," he said, adding that under the present two-party system national conventions "pay little heed to the rank and file."

"Now, in order to nominate a man," he asserted, "for practical purposes you have got to organize in every congressional district and select candidates for the electoral college. It can't be done in any case without the expenditure of

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## Bishop's Son Bound Over On Charge Of Issuing Bad Checks

DEL MONTE, Calif., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Maj. Richard M. Cannon, son of Bishop James Cannon of the Methodist Episcopal church, Booth, was bound over to the superior court for trial on three charges of issuing worthless checks after a preliminary hearing yesterday before Justice of the Peace Wilson.

One check charge was dismissed on motion of the prosecutor. Major Cannon also faced several other claims, to which he pleaded not guilty and asked for jury trials. The first trial will be held here Jan. 8.

The check charges grew out of an alleged worthless \$100 check given to George H. Myers, a plastering contractor. The second was for \$25 given to Calvert S. Wilson, solicitor for the military schools here, which Cannon was launching. The third charge alleged Cannon gave Miss Rose Burwell a sum for \$40, which was not paid the bank.

Bills aggregated \$100. Eugene H. Case, commandant of the military school, testified Cannon told him to know there was not sufficient money in the bank to cover the checks, but as he had overdrafts in one case, he decided to issue the others. Case quoted the bishop's son as having the district attorney probably wouldn't act until he had three checks at least, and he didn't think the various claimants would know about the other checks issued.

## 4 Negro Robbers Fail In Stick-Up Of Depot

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—(AP)—George Wells, 26, ticket agent at an outlying railway station got his chance to be a hero today and made good. Four negro robbers entered the station and leveled guns at him. Even since last February he had been prepared because he was robbed at that time. Today, when he stopped as if to get the cash he came up shooting. The patrol blazed away three times and the robbers were probably fatally wounded. Two others returned the fire of the agent but missed. They attempted to drag their wounded comrade but delayed so long that they were able to round up all four of them.

WEST PALM BEACH—After 10 days the robbery started operations at the new citrus plant on Flamingo

## ANOTHER PLOT AT OVERTHROW NIPPED IN CUBA

Leading Figure In Nationalist Party Is Arrested In Connection With Intrigue

HAVANA, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Authorities last night disclosed that a revolutionary plot, scheduled to mature Christmas eve, had been frustrated by secret police.

Col. Aurelio Hevia, a leading figure in the nationalist union party, was arrested in connection with the alleged conspiracy.

Arms and ammunition had been secured and a demonstration had been set for Christmas eve, officials said, but the demonstration was cancelled by its leaders when they learned that the government knew of the plans.

A number of nationalists and communists were involved along with some university students, the authorities said.

Colonel Hevia was taken to Cabanas fortress and it was announced he will be tried before a military court for his part in the alleged conspiracy.

President Machado yesterday ordered the deportation of Aldo Baroni, news editor of the Diario de la Marina, for his part in the publication of objectionable articles which resulted in suspension of the paper last week.

Baroni, an Italian, was expelled from Cuba during the administration of President Menocal but was permitted to return under a general amnesty decree. He is imprisoned at the Cabanas fortress.

The presidential decree of expulsion did not stipulate the date for his deportation.

The Diario resumed publication yesterday under a provisional provision.

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## Garner's Plan For Veterans Payment Meets Resistance

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Opposition to the proposal of Representative Garner, (D., Tex.), for optional cash payment on veterans' compensation certificates, was expressed yesterday by Chairman Hawley of the House Ways and Means Committee.

"I am standing by the American Legion convention in Boston," Hawley said. "The matter was before the convention three weeks ago and the Legion decided to take action on it."

"We've been working with the Legion all the way through and so far it has presented nothing of this nature."

When asked whether a change in the Legion's attitude would modify his position, Hawley said: "That is a question for the future."

The Oregonian said he plans no hearings by his committee on pending bills for cash payments on certificates. His committee would act on such measures.

Meanwhile Representative Fish, (R., N. Y.), has started a drive to get the American Legion on record on his plan for a payment of one-fourth the face value of the certificates. Fish said local chapters have already unanimously endorsed his measure and National Commander O'Neill of Kansas has been asked for his opinion.

Some Of Fruit Fly Losses To Be Paid

TAMPA, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Loss or damage to private property during the fruit fly campaign will be reimbursed not to exceed a thousand dollars per claim, if filed within one year from the date of damage, said a letter from Charles Marvin, acting secretary of the Department of Agriculture in Washington.

Last in the evening, the Elks will hold an invitation dance in the large ballroom. All Elks and their families, are expected to be present, and the guest list finds the names of many out-of-town Elks of prominence on it.

## PALM BEACHER DIES

WEST PALM BEACH, Dec. 27.—(AP)—This community pays final respects to R. E. Oliver, 58, former Palm Beach county legislator who died suddenly of a heart attack as his club here last night just Monday afternoon. Oliver has been in business here for more than 16 years and was a prominent citizen.

## MEXICAN LEADER SLAIN

ANGANGUE, Michoacan, Mexico, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Guillermo Trejo, president of the regional confederation of Mexican workers, was assassinated yesterday as he left his place of business.

## FORTY-SIX YEARS ON FORCE



CHICAGO—Capt. John E. Pieack of the Lawndale police district completed his forty-sixth year in service on the Chicago police force.

## HELENDOHERTY'S DEBUTANTES OF FAME ISN'T JUST, NEW YORK BOOST STATES MOTHER HOTEL REVENUES

Says Her Daughter Is Not As Talented As Reports Have Said

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—In the whirling vortex of the most stupendous holiday party of the many Washington season, Mrs. Henry L. Doherty of New York took time last night to do a bit of debunking on the subject of her debutante daughter, Helen Lee Doherty.

To be mother of one whose daughter had shabbied and tripped in the muckin, assuming the proportions of a record-making event, apparently had been somewhat disconcerting to Mrs. Doherty, despite an ever evident sense of humor.

She expressed her surprise at the tremendous stir caused by Helen Lee's night after Christmas ball at the fashionable Mayflower hotel in which the motherless daughter bowed to society.

She attributed the swelling crowds to her daughter's great artistic and literary fame, which, she said, had grown somewhat out of proportion to actuality.

Mrs. Doherty said her daughter did not dominate the king of Spain's sport car, that her work on the silhouette spots without doubt has been that of thinking out the idea and planning the details. "My daughter is not a finish artist, but simply an amateur." (Continued on page four)

## Kennel Club Official Here For Race Meet

WACROSS, Dec. 27.—(AP)—

Authorities early today announced the recapture of H. B. Parker, condemned slayer of his eight-month-old daughter, who escaped in a jail break here Thursday night. Parker was seized at the home of a relative of his late wife for whose murder he is a fugitive.

He was given a death sentence for slaying his daughter and has not been tried for killing his wife. He offered no resistance.

The bodies of the child and Mrs. Parker were found on a farm several months ago. Parker was convicted but his asserted paternity, Mrs. Cora Hansen was acquitted in the child's death. She is still under indictment for killing the woman. Three former and a rubber were the other in the case.

The grounds are open at all times to visitors and dog fanciers and an invitation to inspect the track and the dogs is extended to every resident. Two or three nights before the opening night, series of schooling races will be run, to which the public is specially invited.

LORD MELCHETT DEAD

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—

Lord Melchett, the former Sir Alfred Mond, one of Britain's leading industrial financiers, died here this afternoon. He was known before his elevation, in 1924 as the "Nickel King," and head of the largest chemical manufacturing concern in the British Empire.

Invitations were mailed from the office of the Chamber of Commerce this morning calling to the attention of the 200 or more members of the local trade body that the regular bi-monthly membership luncheon will be held Monday noon at the Valdez Hotel grill.

President Harry M. Papworth

is expected to have a message for

the assembled guests, while reports on some of the year's activities will also be heard. A full attendance is urged.

PROF. MCINN DIES

DUR. WEST, S. C., Dec. 27.—

(AP)—John L. McCull, Ph.D., for

40 years professor of English in

Erding College, died here yesterday. He was 73.

## NAVY DIRIGIBLE TO TAKE PART IN MANEUVERS

## VISITS FLORIDA



Los Angeles To Scout For 1st Time When Fleet Begins Operations in Canal Zone

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—

The Los Angeles is scheduled to fly to Panama on the first clear day after Feb. 10.

Admiral William V. Pratt, chief of naval operations, yesterday decided to use the dirigible for the first time in its new capacity as a military weapon. The Los Angeles will be used as a scouting and reconnoiter ship during the fleet concentration in Panama waters, Feb. 12 to Mar. 24.

Under agreement with Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, the United States, in receiving the ship from Germany in 1923 was not permitted to use the ship for military purposes but permission to make such use of it was obtained recently.

David S. Ingalls, assistant secretary for aeronautics, said the Los Angeles would not be equipped with bombs or armament, but would be used for scouting work.

The Panama flight will be the second the Los Angeles has made to the Central American country.

During fleet concentration, the dirigible will be under command of Admiral John V. Chase, commander in chief of the United States fleet, from his battleship, Texas.

It is expected the ship will make the 2220-mile trip from the Lakehurst, N. J., hangar to Panama in 24 to 36 hours, dependent upon wind conditions. The U. S. S. Patoka, equipped

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## Youth Is Sentenced For Attempting To Put Over Extortion

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—(AP)—

Admitting an attempt to extort \$25,000 from R. A. Long, wealthy lumberman, Charles T. Duncan, 23, was sentenced to two and a half years in the Missouri penitentiary in Criminal Court yesterday in a charge of third degree robbery.

Catering to debauchees in a big industry in New York, the girls come from all over the country to make their boys in the City Casino, Speakeasy, the Central Park Casino, Sherry's, the May Plaza, Park Lane and other clubs which invite big money out parties.

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The youth was arrested Wednesday when he started to recover a heavy package placed by detectives at a place designated in letters received by Long demanding \$25,000.

The youth declared his innocence through 20 hours of questioning, confessing, police said, when confronted with identical misspellings of words in the threatening letter and in a test made by officers.

Joe Davis, brought into court on two counts of disorderly conduct, the other petit larceny, started serving a 60-day sentence imposed on him on the latter charge, because he was unable to pay the \$100 fine set by Judge

Sharon. The disorderly conduct charge was dismissed.

Novel Burns was fined, and paid \$20 on a charge of disorderly conduct. James Proctor, drunk and disorderly, was fined \$15 and sentenced to serve 30 days.

Disorderly conduct charges were dismissed against Emma Facer, Carrie Williams, Will Jordan, Perkins Tillman, and Eddie Muir Dixon, but Mattie Butler, charged with disorderly conduct and possession of liquor, is being held until Monday when the latter charge will be heard. The first charge was dismissed.

CANAL POINT HAS BIG FIRE

CANAL POINT, Dec. 27.—(AP)—

Fire today destroyed three stores and damaged the building formerly occupied by the Bank of

Canal Point. The damage was estimated at \$5 to 20 thousand dollars. The cause of the fire is un-

determined.

PROMINENT ATLANTIC DIES

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 27.—(AP)—

Robert Carl Crowley, 44, well known in the automobile business here, died yesterday in a hospital

## LIMITATIONS IN USE OF RELIEF FUNDS DEFINED

Secretary Hyde Says No Provision Was Made For Farmers Using Loan For Food

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Hyde yesterday definitely blasted any idea that the \$45,000,000 federal drought relief fund recently authorized can be used for food loans, as well as for general seed, feed, and crop production loans.

The \$45,000,000 authorization by Congress was a compromise between the House \$60,000,000 bill and the Senate \$30,000,000 bill, the former providing that loans should be made to farmers for food as well as for other purposes.

In the final bill a clause was inserted which provided for loans for seed, feed, and other purposes incident to crop production. The group of House leaders in favor of food loans has contended that this wording can be construed to cover the food loans, since the farmer must have food to produce his crops.

Hyde, however, definitely declared that the department does not adhere to this construction. When the Senate bill was being framed by the federal drought relief committee, members of that body suggested that it would be necessary to provide for the purchase of gasoline and oil for operation of tractors in farming, and the clause was inserted. (Continued on Page Three)

## Midshipman Forced To Quit Because Of Dormitory Pranks

ANAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 27.—(AP)—Discovery of wires radiating from his room, controlling clocks, telephones and elevators in a wing of Bancroft Hall, home of the midshipmen of the United States Naval Academy, has resulted in the resignation of a member of the second, or sophomore, class, it became known today.

The name of the student, whose quarters had been converted into a counting house for the dormitory, was not made public but his name is John Price, 16, of Reform, Ala.

Charles Gathright, 23, Birningham, driver of the big bus, Mrs. Cora Sessions, Jackson, Miss., bus passenger.

The injured: Griffith Price, 21,

## LAWRENCE TEAM BEATS OHIO BOYS BY 18 TO 0

Southerners Are Too Fast For Visitors From Northern City

MIAMI, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Fleet-footed ground gainers of the Miami High School football team proved too much for the aggressors from Stivers High, Dayton, Ohio, here yesterday, and won an intercollegiate Christmas Day game, 18-0, before a crowd of approximately 2500.

The feature of the contest, played in semitropic weather and under a warm sun, was a 62-yard dash for a touchdown by Jack Henderson, Miami quarterback, in the third quarter. Henderson dodged and turned his way over 20 yards of the distance before he freed himself from clinging Stivers tacklers for an undisputed run to the goal line.

Beckwith, Miami halfback, accounted for the other 12 points. He pushed the ball over in the first period after a 60-yard drive by his teammates. This followed 50 yards of gains by Stivers and the subsequent loss of the ball on downs to Miami.

Beckwith's second touchdown was almost a repetition of the first, as he plunged off left tackle for a counter as a climax to another long march. Attempts for point after touchdown by passing failed in each instance.

Both teams threatened their opponents' goals at times, without result. A long pass by Miami put the ball on Stivers one-yard line in the half ended.

Late in the game, a desperate lateral attack by the Indians placed the ball on Miami's one-yard line. The Stingers held Stivers on downs, but lost the ball on the next play as Leven fumbled on the 11-yard line. Hetzel, of Stivers, recovered, but Mohler, Stivers substitute back, fumbled within a few plays to return the ball to Miami on the 16-yard line.

The game ended with the ball all into Stivers territory after an exchange of punts.

**Lineups:**

Miami (18)	Poss.	(0) Stivers
McKinnie	LE	George
McKinie	LT	Welland
McKinie	LG	Bally
McKinie	C	Scheat
McKinie	RG	Hetzell
McKinie	RT	Hetzell
McKinie	RE	Robertson
McKinie	QB	Werner
McKinie	LH	Winger
McKinie	RH	Armbuster
McKinie	FB	Melmer
Scores by periods:		
Miami High	6	6
Stivers	0	0
Scoring: Touchdowns, Beckwith; 2; J. Henderson; try for point after touchdown, J. Henderson (drop kick); missed; J. Henderson (two passes), failed.	0	0

## Judge Signs Writ In Silver Springs Case

TAMPA, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Federal Judge Akerman today signed an order restraining the Silver Spring Paradise Company from using the name of Silver Springs or its corporate name, from displaying signs on the highways bearing those words and operating glass bottom boats for hire over parts of Silver Springs and Silver Springs River.

The suit was filed by W. C. Ray and W. G. Davidson, lessors of Silver Springs, was asked for a permanent injunction. They contested the right of the company to use the name of their park for another section bordering the river and from operating sightseeing boats.

## NEW GERMAN ROYAL BABY

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(AP)—There's a new heir to the Iron Chancellor's title. Prince and Princess Otto Von Bismarck have a son—the first-born recently at the German embassy here where the prince is secretary. The child is a great-grandson of the famous German chancellor.

## TWO KILLED BY EXPLOSION

MONTGOMERY, Pa., Dec. 26.—(AP)—A happy Christmas celebration in the home of Robert Tilburg turned into tragedy yesterday when an explosion in the kitchen which took the lives of Robert Tilburg's small children, John, 4, and Anna Louise, 6.

DETROIT CITY.—Another large plant under construction by the Seaboard Air Line, 100 Bernards Street, east Detroit.

## WAKING UP!



## PANTHER COACH GOES TO MIAMI TO COACH STARS

### Will Drill Aggregation Scheduled To Play White Plains

TAMPA, Dec. 26.—Tom McCann, director of physical education and head coach of all sports at Plant high school, who has been named to coach the all-Florida high school football team which is scheduled to meet the White Plains, N. Y., eleven in a charity game at Miami on New Year's day, left for the east coast city this morning to assume his post.

The Panther coach was given the assignment after it was learned that Charles Bachman, football coach at the University of Florida, would be unable to direct the all-stars in the game. New Year's day. However, the Gator mentor will be on hand to get the team started, that is, through several drills but will leave the burden of directing the team in the game with McCann. Coach Bachman is scheduled to attend the annual meeting of the Football Coaches association in New York next week.

Bob Shoun and Julian Lane, two of the Hillsborough high school stars, selected for the team, will accompany Coach McCann. Charlie Fleming and Hal Starzuck, Panther stars named, left last night by train. The first workout of the squad is scheduled for this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Coach McCann said last night.

Alex Reeve, former Gator football star, and now coach at Bradenton high school, will be picked up by the Panther coach in the Manatee county city and will aid in coaching of the team. Major Van Fleet, one of the assistant coaches of the Gator team, also will help McCann.

During his absence, Coach McCann has turned his basketball team over to Bob Sherrill, former coach at George Washington junior high school. Sherrill will direct the team against the Seminole Huskies in a practice game, which will be the second half of a doubleheader at the American Legion home tonight.

## Newspaper In Havana Resumes Publication

HAVANA, Dec. 26.—(AP)—Dario de la Marina, Spanish language newspaper closed Dec. 19 by order of the national government, resumed publication yesterday following a conference Wednesday night between President Machado and Count de Rivera, publisher of the paper.

A provisional permit was granted Wednesday, giving the newspaper the right to resume publication.

Aldo Baroni, news editor, arrested and imprisoned in connection with the closing of La Marina, is still being held.

## MARKETS REOPEN TODAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 26—Christmas was observed with a complete cessation of activity in the financial district yesterday. The New York stock and curb exchanges, banks and the commodity exchanges will reopen this morning.

## STORE SAFE ROBBED

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 26.—(AP)—The safe of the Bry-Block Mercantile company, a department store here, was blown open and looted early yesterday. A store official estimated \$4500 was stolen. No trace of the money or the thieves had been found.

## Crowded Courts Are Blamed On Prohibition Law

(Continued From Page One) jury trials could be avoided in such cases. Otherwise, it contended the cost would rise to \$350,000,000 with an additional \$20,000,000 added for the coast guard and customs service.

"All persons who have studied the problem," the association said, "agree that the enormous profits from the illicit liquor trade are now used to finance the underworld, and to strengthen the grip of criminal gangs in communities throughout the country."

Citing a statement made last year by President Hoover that only a small part of the number of felonies "can be attributed to the Eighteenth Amendment," John C. Gehart, the association's research director asserted this was "an example of misinformation," since 88 percent of the prohibition violators sentenced in federal courts are misdemeanants and not felons.

The effect of liquor law violations, both federal and state, the association concluded, "can not be measured by the number sent to federal and state prisons and penitentiaries—only a small proportion of those convicted are given felony sentences."

"Federal courts and the personnel of the attorney general's department have never been increased sufficiently to take care of the 70,000 prohibition cases which the courts must handle each year."

The pamphlets also contained figures designed to show that if there had been no prisoners for violation of the Volstead act there would have been no increase in the number of federal prisoners since 1920. It was contended that last year 16,783 persons convicted of violating the prohibition law were boarded out in state and county jails, to add to the already overcrowded condition of these local institutions.

## FAMED STEAMER SOLD

NEWHAVEN, England, Dec. 26.—(AP)—The cross channel packet steamer Brighton, upon which the late President and Mrs. Wilson went from England to France to the peace conference, has been sold and relegated to the river packet class.

## WOMAN ENDS LIFE

PINEHURST, Ark., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Alarmed by her absence from the house yesterday morning relatives of Miss Ritchie Howard, 28, found her body in the garage with a pistol clenched in her hand. She had been shot once in the heart. Members of Miss Howard's family tried officers who had been despondent because of her health.

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## WASHINGTON AND ALABAMA DRILL FOR ROSE GAME

### Cougars Hit Fast Pace For New Year's Day Clash In Pasadena

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Washington State and Alabama gave vent to their Christmas spirit yesterday by dashing through workouts for their New Year's Rose Bowl clash.

The Cougars hit a stiff pace again with considerable work on offensive formations, Coach Orin (Babe) Hollingsby said he would stage hard drills today and Saturday but would not work his men Monday.

Coach Wallace Wade put the Crimson Tide through about two hours of fundamentals and finished off by running signals. He continued his policy of conditioning the team and paid little attention to brushing up on new plays.

After yesterday's workout Hollingsby said he felt his team had only a few more hard sessions. He plans to start tapering down next week.

When told the Tide would probably outweigh his men with the possible exception of Glenn Edwards, the Cougar mentor said it didn't worry him any. "We were outweighed many pounds per man in almost every game this season, but it did not affect the outcome of a single one of the contests."

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## BURNED TO DEATH

GREENVILLE, S. C., Dec. 26.—(AP)—E. C. Couch, 22, was burned to death early yesterday when the combination office and waiting room of the Eastern Air Transport, Inc., at the local airport was destroyed by fire.

## WATER WOULD SPOIL THIS EXHIBIT

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## Only History.

It has been less than a year since the Mediterranean fruit fly made its appearance generally known and caused the growers of this state to entertain grave apprehensions over the future of their crops. To say the least, the situation at that time was extremely dark and the fact that the pest and his ravages have been almost forgotten by this time is a bit of good fortune for which we may all be thankful. In discussing this episode of the state's citrus history, the Tampa Tribune says:

"Reporting the results of campaigns against the major plant pests which are the subjects of domestic quarantines, and summarizing the activities which guard the nation against the introduction of insects and plant diseases new to the United States, Lee A. Strong, Chief of the Plant Quarantine and Control Administration, in his annual report, devotes principal attention to the Mediterranean fruit fly and the pink bollworm. The European corn borer, the Japanese beetle, the gypsy moth, the Mexican fruit worm, and the white pine blister rust, are among other more important plant pests and diseases on account of which quarantines are enforced by the Plant Quarantine and Control Administration, which, on July 1, 1928, took over the regulatory duties previously performed by the Federal Horticultural Board and several of the scientific bureaus of the Department. The report covers the year ended June 30, 1930."

"Mr. Strong, in reviewing the campaign against the Mediterranean fruit fly, the quarantine on account of which has been withdrawn recently, says it is as yet too early to draw definite conclusions in regard to the outcome of eradication efforts, but states, 'If the fly has been eradicated, this has been accomplished with much less loss of property than was anticipated at the beginning of the campaign. As compared with the citrus-canker eradication campaign conducted in Florida by the State Plant Board from 1914 over a period of several years, the destruction of property in the Mediterranean fruit fly campaign was much less. Despite charges of wholesale destruction, the fact remains that the Plant Commissioner of Florida reports that there were destroyed by official forces in Florida in the fruit fly eradication campaign some 608,000 boxes of citrus fruits, much of which would probably not have been marketed in any event; approximately 50,000 bushels of host vegetables, and less than 28,000 bushels of minor and non-citrus fruits.'

"Extensive scouting in other fruit-growing regions has not revealed any place outside of Florida in which this fruit fly has established itself. Mr. Strong's report reviews the quarantine activities and control measures employed in confining fruit fly infestation to Florida and in eradicating the infestation to the degree that made it safe to remove the quarantine."

## Advertising Florida

The time to advertise most is when business conditions are bad and, possibly with this in view, a movement has been started to advertise Florida on a consistent and national basis for the next three years, the plan being to appropriate at least \$500,000 for the campaign. "The plan," says the Miami Herald, "will be under the direction of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce and a committee sponsored by Governor Carlton, who is chairman, and upon which are representative leaders from different cities. The Hamilton M. Wright Syndicate will direct the advertising, that syndicate having supervised publicity for the state and Miami. The funds will come from Northern firms with investments in Florida to the amount of more than half a billion dollars. Headquarters are in New York."

"Florida does receive a great amount of advertising, possibly more than any other commonwealth. Newspapers and magazines are constantly carrying news, features and pictures of this state. For example, the front cover of The American Magazine for January depicts a young man looking over travel folders, with one blazoning the name of Florida. That is the only state represented."

"Such ideas keep our name before the nation and the world. They maintain interest in us. When winter vacationists consider a journey they naturally think of Florida."

"Most of our publicity is directed along these lines, together with the advertising of hotels and transportation agencies. Novel poses of bathing girls are constantly being scattered broadcast, but in course of time that kind of display wears out its appeal. We must tell the North we have something besides bare backs and limbs. These are all right as methods of luring the temporary tourist, in sketching the attractions of our winter playgrounds."

"However, to build soundly the advertising and publicity for the state should be based upon permanent factors of industry, agriculture, commerce, location, not forgetting the climatic features and the resort facilities."

"Consequently, it is pleasing to know that the new advertising will be designed to make the most effective appeal in the area where it is offered. It will emphasize industrial, colonization, agricultural and vacation possibilities. It should stress the remarkable growth of the state. It should point to the fact that Metropolitan Miami is leading the nation in expansion. That will arouse interest and curiosity. The public will ask why and will investigate. People go where people flock. Success breeds success. Advertising is the keynote of many successful American enterprises. Tell the world what we have and the world will come."

## TELLING THE WORLD

By NEAL O'HARA

## MAIL EARLY

"Here it's only a short time before Christmas, Angie, and we haven't mailed our Christmas cards yet."

"We aren't sending them to anyone in Czechoslovakia, are we? What's all the hurry?"

"You should get them in the mail early so people won't think it's an afterthought."

"I don't see any point in wishing people a merry Christmas right after the Fourth of July—practically."

"And I don't believe in putting things off till the last minute, especially greeting cards. Besides, if everyone starts posting their greetings early, it'll give more people time."

"Everybody's got jobs now. If they have to increase the postal employees, it will ruin the apple selling business."

"Now stop procrastinating and get that mailing list now."

"All right, here it is—125 names."

"At a dime apiece, that's \$12.50, not counting the stamps."

"Who told me we were paying a dime apiece for Christmas cards?"

## WORLD'S WINDOW

By PIERRE VAN PAASSEN

"There are some dead men that can't be killed." One of them is Aristide Bruant, in his day—the 90's—a curiosity of Montmartre night-life, chansonnier-cabaretier, and poet of Paris ruffians generally. Less than two years ago the affixing of a tablet on the house where he died brought him to life again in the presence of the Paris municipal authorities, including the Prefect de la Seine, at that time M. Paul Bouju, himself a poet, but his muse is less capacious than was Bruant's. This time they are talking of a statue for Bryant. In the old days, every Parisian knew his burly figure, dressed in black velveteen, baggy breeches tucked into top-boots, and with a broad-brimmed soft hat and a big red scarf framing, as it were, a clean-shaven face of the type that nowadays would be called a Mussalinean. It would be exaggeration to say that he was a celebrity; but he was most decidedly notorious. Quite a fashionable amusement then was to go at night up to Bruant's cabaret, the Mirliton. It was a dingy, smoke-clouded, beer-drenched room vilely decorated with imitation antiques, frameless daubs and daubless frames. There the "poet" reigned despotically, blackguarding his customers in the most vigorous Parisian equivalent of the foulest Billingsgate. No one was spared. Every newcomer was greeted with a demoniacal yell, taken up in chorus: Oh là là c'est guéule, c'est binetille . . . while the chansonnier, after expressing his unflattering opinion of the visitor, would allow him, or her, to pay for drinks all round and applaud his songs. The crowning point of his popularity was the visit of the Grand Duke, Vladimir and Alexis. They arrived one evening, with a group of "friends" policemen, in disguise, and were greeted uproariously. Everything passed off harmoniously, Bruant howling insults at all as usual, reserving some choice specimens for the imperial visitors. He had been warned of their coming and ordered to keep the secret and play the comedy thoroughly. The evening was a huge success, and when the news of it spread abroad a call at Bruant's den became an obligatory part of the program of a night at Montmartre.

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A South African writer, Mr. Pienaar by name, has written a "Story of a Lion Family." The interesting part of this story is that the author describes a lion hunt not from the point of view of the hunter, but of that of the lion, with the result that the sportsmanlike reader is apt to wish the unhappy lions good luck. Mr. Pienaar's book comes almost simultaneously with the showing of a fine film taken by the Martin Johnsons on their trips in Africa. The film helps a great deal to make Mr. Pienaar's book clear. When the Johnsons leave the coast, they are followed by a regiment of porters, ten big movie cameras, five lorries, a lot of camels and oxen without number, so much indeed that the expression "having so much baggage as the Johnsons" has become a popular pleasantries. What we learn from the film is that the lions have a panicky fear of the hunter, if he happens to be of the white race. This is also the impression gathered from Mr. Pien-

"I don't remember them. Shall I cross them off?"

"Go ahead—it'll save you a nickel. I suppose you think I can go out and buy a mink coat with that!"

"Oh, never mind that stuff now. Here are the Blootches on this list."

"Cross 'em off and save another nickel, Shylock. They didn't send us a card last year."

"I still think we ought to send them one. Maybe they're got lost."

"Oh, yes—just because they're friends of yours! They probably left us off because they think they're too snooty."

"Well I'll leave them on. Now how about the Graffs?"

"Don't bother to send them one. They've moved."

"Just because they have a new address, shouldn't we wish them a merry Christmas?"

"It won't make one bit of difference to me, either way. Nor to them, either."

"Well, I'll leave 'em on."

"All right, Great Heart."

"How about the Bartletts?"

"Oh! Just because they're friends of mine, you just as soon cross them off!"

"It isn't, that at all, Angie. But—"

"I wish you were married to some wives! What clothes have I bought this year that were extravagant? Name me just one! You know well when we got invited to a bridge party I didn't have a decent stitch to wear. I just wish you could get along with as few clothes as I do. Why—"

"And so on for the rest of the year—which explains why Christmas greeting cards are often late in the mail."

## A PRETTY ROCKET



## THIS AND THAT

Einstein will reach Los Angeles on New Year's Day. That will make it the most unusual day's weather they've had that year.

Knute Rockne has gone to Mayo Brothers' clinic for treatment. That's one hurdle which Knute won't give the signals.

An Iowa burial society has for its slogan, "No man can live forever." It sounds like Calvin Coolidge was writing their ads.

A Washington order forbids prohibition agents from pulling off any more raids in dress suits. But that won't put an end to their swallow tails.

In Wall Street they are referring to Mr. Hoover's regime as the ad-minus-tration.

If the financiers are working to improve the psychology of things, they might stop the market from being heavy if they took away its bathroom scales.

shoots out a little flame and that flame carries a burning bee which pierces the body with excruciating pain. The lion's magnificent disdain for the boys who beat the lion's growls and snorts and the tall, but the moment he spots the white man with that magic stick he loses his composure. Take one of the lions in the film. Osa Johnson has tracked him. He dances around, sniffs the sand between his paws, but obviously he can't make out the cold calmness of the lady who awaits him confidently and almost smilingly. All in all, looking at this film one feels somehow that it is not such a tremendous achievement—this hunting lions in Kenya or Central Africa. It looks more like a very easy victory, especially for such a tremble at the voice of their mother-in-law or the traffic cop.

## "It's the little things that tell"

THAT'S what big sister said to her boy friend as she pulled little brother out from under the sofa. But wait till big sister and the boy friend are man and wife, with a home of their own to run. Then how much more she'll realize the truth of her observation!

For then the age old problems will come pressing hard. So much in the pocketbook. So much on the shopping list. Will it fit? Then's when the little things make the big difference. The little savings—the small economies—the slightly better values of which a good housekeeper takes advantage.

Then's when big sister will read the advertisements as she never read them before. Comparing values; learning reliable brands; watching the bargain and reduction announcements . . . . The advertisements will help her in a thousand ways to take care of the little things, acquire the little short-cuts in time and effort—in the big job of running a home.



Read the advertisements every day. Consistently advertised goods are worthy of your confidence. . . otherwise they couldn't be consistently advertised.

# Social And Personal Activities

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## Social Calendar

MONDAY.

Circle Number Five of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. Francis E. Bolz, chairman, will meet at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Bolz, 1101 Park Avenue.

Circle Number Six of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. Sarah Stewart, chairman, will meet with Mrs. Stewart at her home on Mallory Avenue, at 8:30 o'clock.

Circle Number Seven of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. George Cole, chairman, will meet at 8:30 o'clock with Mrs. C. A. Anderson at her home on West Ninth Street.

The business woman's circle of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Roy King at 8 o'clock.

Circle Number Four of the First Baptist Church will meet at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. Stanley, 320 Eighteenth Street.

TUESDAY.

Installation of officers of the Eastern Star will be at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. The public is invited to attend.

The regular meeting of the Girl's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Francis E. Bolz, 1101 Park Avenue, at 8:30 o'clock. Every member is asked to bring a 10-cent gift.

FRIDAY.

The Rose Circle of the Garden Club will meet at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. E. Watson, Rose Court, with Mrs. Watson and Mrs. J. H. Colebaugh as hostesses. A buffet luncheon will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

## Mrs. R. E. Tolar Gives Party For Daughter

Emphasizing the Christmas idea were the decorations at the dance given last night by Mrs. R. E. Tolar at her home on Magnolia Avenue complimenting her daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tolar. Quantities of holly, mistletoe and evergreens were arranged about the party rooms while the lights were covered with red crepe paper. A striking feature in the living room was the large lighted and decorated Christmas tree.

Throughout the evening dancing was enjoyed to the music of a four piece orchestra. During the short intermission the guests were entertained by one of the members of the orchestra who danced and performed "magical" tricks.

Punch was served during the evening and at the supper hour tea in red and green sandwiches were served by the girls. Among those present in the Misses Christine Stoumire, Marjorie Boniske and a guest, Pearle Loken, of Cora, Pauline Stoumire, Finlayson, of Leesburg, and Miss Billie Whidden, of Atlanta, Ga., are the house guests of Miss Marjorie Boniske at the home of her parents on West Sixteenth Street.

Among visitors here today were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hale, of Hartford, Conn., who state that since their last visit they note many improvements in the city. Mr. Hale has been publisher of the Gazette at East Hartford, Conn. for the past 14 years.

An announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Anna Clark and Mrs. W. T. Walker was well attended for a rainy evening. Rain Shrewsbury was exceptionally good in his role as Santa Claus. Dorothy Lee and Charlotte Lawton who assisted this department were good in roles as Miss Brown and Mammy Jones a negro mammy in the family.

The O. H. S. Senior basket team played in Winter Park last Friday night. Orlando girls were visitors in the girls game while the Winter Park boys won over Orlando.

The primary and intermediate rooms of the school enjoyed a Christmas tree in each room gifts were given to the name each child had previously drawn.

Miss Elizabeth Lawton of Jacksonville arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stewart of Longwood and Mrs. Amos McCall of Ocoee were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mock.

Mr. George Crawford the grandson of Mrs. A. K. Crawford who is attending St. Charles College in Cantonville, Md., expects to spend the Christmas holidays in New York City and will probably attend Grand Opera at the Metropolitan.

Miss Edith Mariner arrived Friday last week for the holidays with her mother Mrs. C. S. Mariner.

Rev. C. W. Mathison left Monday for Fernandina where he will spend the week with his wife and daughter Mrs. Bahman. Mrs. Mathison who preceded him by several weeks and was ill and is now somewhat improved.

## SERVICE POSTPONED.

Because of bad weather last Sunday night, the sermon which was to have been preached by the pastor of the First Methodist Church on "The Seven Greatest Chapters in the Bible" was postponed until tomorrow night. The pastor is most cordially invited to speak.

## TO GIVE PROGRAM

A general student night sponsored by the First Baptist Church will be given Sunday at 7:30 o'clock.

An interesting service has been arranged and a cordial invitation extended to all students, faculty and parents to attend

## Christmas Party Is Given By Galloway

Entertaining informally for a number of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Galloway were "at home" Christmas afternoon from 4 o'clock until 6 o'clock at their house in Mayfair. Accentuating the spirit of the Yuletide season were the decorations which consisted of quantities of poinsettias, holly, mistletoe and evergreens arranged in profusion about the rooms of the Galloway home.

Throughout the afternoon, refreshments were served buffet style by the hostess. Among those invited were Judge and Mrs. J. G. Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hazelard of Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. Raymond C. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Chase Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Melch Jr., Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Willison, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cauther Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holler, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whiter Jr., Miss Marguerite Graves, of Columbia, S. C., Miss Maude Lake, Miss Helen Marenstein, Miss Lenore Hagan, Forrest Lake, James Sharon Jr., Andrew Carraway, Algernon Speer and the Rev. H. Irving Loulin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoy arrived last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heerer were the guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barbour.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Forches and Mrs. Roy Holler, at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Morgan

were as their guests at their home on Summerlin Avenue, the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Mettinger and daughter, Miss Ruth Mettinger, of Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Danforth and son, Danny, of Columbia, S. C., are spending the holidays here with Mrs. Danforth's mother, Mrs. J. E. Spurling. Mrs. Danforth will be remembered as the former Miss Thelma Spurling.

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At the close of the program Madame J. N. Thompson, Joseph Leinhardt and S. R. Wainright

served a lovely candle laden

course with coffee. Friends from out of town who participated in this delightful program were Mrs. Arthur Brammer and Mrs. Deas of Sanford, Mrs. Earle Cole, Mrs. L. West and Mr. D. L. Thomas of Winter Park.

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## BIRDS DECIDE FIELDING RECORD

**Southerner Lands On Top Of Heap After Successful Season**

**NEW YORK**, Dec. 27.—(AP)—W. L. (Young) Stirling, of Miami, is the top fielding expert in the country, and the world in the collecting of records. The captain of 70 leading baseball players, whose weightings were leading heavyweights was named yesterday by the New York World.

Stirling's quick knockouts of Von Purst and Phil Smith, and his decision over Young Tuffy Griffith during 1950 raised his rating from eighth place to the top of the heap.

Jack Shockey was ranked second, and only a few percentage points below Stirling, with Max Schmeling, recognized heavyweight champion third.

Stirling's record twelve wins during the year, in Miami, with Scott, and in New York against Schmeling, winning the first on a questionable knockout and losing the second on a technical foul.

The Boston sailor led the list last year.

Stirling, who was given first rank by 35 of the critics, made the most progress during the year, giving 18 first place, while Schmeling 10, Mickey Walker, Max Baer and Tommy Longahan, one each.

Three of last year's first, Otto von Purst and Paul Haas—failed to finish in the money this year, their places being taken by Prime Carneros, the man mountain; Tom Kelly, who died in October; and Johnnie Banks.

The ratings were: Stirling, 647 (of a possible 70); Purst, 598; Schmeling, 548; Prime, 500; Walker, 480; Longahan, 460; Vito Campolo, 167; Tommy Longahan, 160; Baer, 145; and Banks, 94.

One of the surprises in the poll was the ranking of Carneros, the man mountain, who, according to critics, failed to beat Stirling and Schmeling to be in a class by themselves as Carneros, in fourth place, was far below Stirling.

Stirling's critics contributed to the 1950 consensus as compared with 1950. Points were awarded for each first place won, plus five for second, and so on down to tenth, each successive being asked to rank 10 best boxers. The highest total possible for any boxer this year was 700, as compared with 700 in 1950, and the relative value of the point totals.

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MIAMI BIRDIES SITTING IN A TREE

MIAMI—Indeed, when these beauties disport on the palm-fringed shores at Miami Old Man Sol

knew it's time to get busy and warm things up a bit for the bleached Yankee vacationists coming from the North.

ANOTHER PLOT AT OVERTHROW NIPPED IN CUBA

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The air of mystery surrounding the attempted Soviet invasion of Cuba, minister to Peru, remained unknown today as inquirers sought a confirmation of reports that he had been declared persona non grata in the Cuban capital.

The fleet problem to be worked out involves the defense of Panama, and the American leaders, members, senators those who names dot the special register—a round thousand of notables—arrived at the airport to greet him.

An itinerary for the flight was not arranged but stops at St. Joseph's, Florida, and Gandy Harbor, Miami, were made.

The Western eleven, coached by Dany X. Bille, of Nebraska, and Perry Loeoy of the San Francisco Olympic Club, is expected to report entirely to a racing track.

The outstanding players in each position, according to the press, were: Eddie Arcoria, of Chicago; Adams, St. Louis, third base; Harold Marquess, Boston, first base; Paulino, Wall, Boston; and Gandy Harbor, Miami, South Carolina, are probable.

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