-The Cmaha Bre: Friday, November 23, 1923-"Highpocket" Farmers Vie for Honors Hollywood Xmas Not to Raid

Today Shop Early, Now. Methodists Are Shocked. Men Are Dull-Very.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE

Now is the time to "do your Christmas shopping early." It won't be really early after this. Save yourself time, worry, an-noyance. Show consideration for overworked employes and get now what you cannot get later, the first choice of all that the stores have to offer.

This means women especially, they are considerate.

The Methodist Episcopal board of public morals has things to say about the stage in New York. Young ladies, it seems, many at a time, "troop down to the foot-lights naked from the waist up, end practically naked from the weist down-don't call it nude, just plain naked," so say the board

Much seems to depend on what people are doing, and why, and where. In ancient Greece young girls ran in the races entirely nakwithout hurting anybody's good. That makes all the difference.

Many things on the stage are both immoral, unintentionally stupid, but nevertheless very Women as now presented stupid. to the public, are about as interesting as so many "sides" of dressed beef hung up in a butcher shop. Managers ought to know that.

Young ladies of Chicago's "co-ed" university decide that "all men are talkers" and are all dull. Some, with dullness, combine seriousness others froth, others triviality but all are dull.

Nothing new in that truthful statement. The miracle is that women have endured men's dullness, pretending to be interested in their conversation for so many centuries, from dull modern man back to Adam. He must have had nothing at all to say, being so freshly made and having no gossip to bring home to his wife. You do not wonder that, in the despair of boredom, she talked to the snake.

George Baker, one of the country's four richest men-Mellon, Rockefeller and Ford are the other three-comes from Europe cheerful, saying:

"We are going to have prosper-ity here and Europe's troubles can't prevent it." About getting our debts from

Europe he quotes as saying: "You can't press blood out of a

turnip That probably describes our chances of getting the chests of money we lent to Europe. No-body will mourn over that if we will attend to our own business from now on.

A few years ago, even Henry Ford wouldn't have thought this possible. He will talk, through bossible. He will talk, through the air, from his WWI station at Dearborn, using his 360 metre wave, across 1,000 miles of this continent, 3,000 miles of the At-lantic ocean, to men and women "listening in" in England.

Place, Claim Former Patrolman Tells Jury

Police Told

He Received Special Instructions on Soft **Drink Parlors.**

After a brush between Dan Phillips, ormer policeman, now a deputy sheriff, and Assistant City Attorney Dana Van Dusen, in District Judge Stauffer's court Thursday morning. the judge cautioned Phillips to refrain from volunteering information in his estimony, not called for by the at-

orney's questions. Phillips was testifying in the \$25,000 suit brought against the city by Mrs. Pauline Yost, alleging laxity in enorcement of the prohibition laws. growing out of the death of her husband two years ago after he participated in a drinking party. "Don't you spill any of your rotten polson around here," Van Dusen

shouted at Phillfps prior to the court's dmonition "Well, I am telling the truth,"

Phillips retorted. He said that former Chief of Police Dempsey told him not to go to a place at 1608½ Cass street, where. Phillips said, he had reason to be-lieve liquor was being sold. A few months later the place was raided.

Soft Drink Parlors Avoided. He also testified that he was in tructed he had no right to search oft drink parlors for liquor without search warrant.

The morning session of the trial also was marked by frequent clashes Van Dusen and Elmer etween homas, attorney for the plaintiff. The trial probably will last until the niddle of next week. About 25 witnesses will be called by Mr. Van Dusen. Robert Samardick, general prohibi-

ion agent, testified Wednesday afternoon that many places were selling liquor during the last six months of

and Victoria. Judge Stauffer later

"I knew I'd get moved off the beat Stokes Put End f I did," said Thestrup.

"You obtained convictions, didn't "Yes, through Judge Foster." "Did your transfer from Q street

seat result in your failing to enforce Mrs. Stokes Granted Decree of Separation and Given "No, I enforced the law, but didn't

get away with it." " "Did your get your present position \$800.000 Trust Fund. as deputy sheriff through Eimer By Associated Press.

Thomas Objects.

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Sears.

Mr. Thomas, counsel for Mrs. Yost, Stokes, wealthy hotel man, and his and she spent \$500 for medical treateaped to his feet, exclaiming: "I object. I am trying a law suft merly of Denver, today ended their "I object. I am trying a law sont merly of Denver, today ended then watson intay interview of the statute of Nebraska. Coun-sel for the city has no right to in-ject politics in an attempt to bias the Mrs. Stokes was formally granted a become a candidate on the republican become a candidate on the republican



liquor during the last six months of 1921 without interference from the police to his knowledge. Cross examined by City Attorney Van Dusen regarding any hotels where liquor was sold at that time, Samardick mentioned the Windsor, thoward Plaza. Merchants, Albany Nebraska may be long on corn, but | Mr. Blackwell finally broke a prece-

foward, Plaza, Merchants, Albany cational and Co-operative union. ational and Co-operative union. Both men are a little sensitive about south, having more than 2,000 acres convention of the G. O. P. and victoria. Judge Stautter later ordered his testimony stricken out, on the ground that it was not first-hand. Olaf Thestrup, former police officer in South Omaha, was asked by Van Dusen: "Did you know you were expected "Did you know you were expected "Did you know you were expected "Did you know you were appected "Did you have you were appected "Did you have you were appected

votes for Ford. \$2,500 Awarded Girl for One Pint of Blood to War in Court San Francisco, Nov. 22 .- A jury as awarded Miss Leona P. Standi ford \$2,500 for a pint of blood she gave in an unsuccessful effort to save the life of Mrs. G. P. Hilliard of

Santa Rosa, Cal. Although the patient promised she would be well paid, Miss Standiford said. Mr. Hilliard had given her only New York, Nov. 22 .- W. E. D. \$5. The blood she lost made her ill

Your Credit wife, Mrs. Helen Elwood Stokes, for- ment, Miss Standiford testified,

18 GOOD HERE! Watson May Run. GOOD CLOTHES-Men, Women, Children.

Youngest at Farmers' Meeting

Rum Plot Bared Elta Jean Brown, 1, Guthrie Cen Gurgling Noises in Box of "Films" Land Movie Magnate in Cops' Hands.

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Nov. 22 .- Gurgling

noises emanating from a packing case

ostensibly containing only silent film

dramas, which led to the arrest yes-

terday of Joseph W. Engle, senior

vice president of the Metro Pictures

corporation, today found their echo in

federal investigation of asserted

holesale attempts to ship liquor from

New York to Hollywood in prepara-

ion for Thanksgiving and Christmas

Engle was arraigned before United

States Commissioner Stephen G. Long

late yesterday on a charge of violat-

ing the national prohibition law after

federal agents had found that a large

packing case marked "films" and ad-

dressed to him contained many thou-sand dollars' worth of bonded liquor. He denied all knowledge of the ship-

ment and expressed the belief that

some bootlegger was endeavoring to-

get his wares shipped into Hollywood

without arousing suspicion by the

simple expedient of using a film offi-

cial's name as consignee. He was

Federal authorities declared the ar

rival of a "big box from New York'

wood circles and indicated that other

complete returns from the state pro-

posal meetings held Tuesday, upset-

ting earlier reports that McAdoo and

"big boxes" might be seized soon.

had been anticipated in certain Holly-

released on \$2.000 bail.

Ford Now Said

nolidays.

ter, Ia., was the youngest attendent at the national convention of the Farmers' Educational Co-Operative union, and has been at each session Hotel Castle. Elta Jean is proud to wear her mother's ribbon. Her mother, Mrs. Glen Brown, who is one of the lowa delegates, is shown hold ing her.



alts Glen Brown AND SILL Jean Winner in S. D. Federal Reserve eral Reserve Bank and Its Relation to

the Bond Business Following his talk, the speaker an-Banker Speaks swered questions concerning the operation of the Federal Reserve

> Damage Suit Started. Trial of the \$10,000 suit against the Nebraska Power company by Chris-

Omaha club. Thirty-six members of topher B. Decker, former city emthe organization, which is composed ploye, was begun in federal court of representatives of bond houses of Thursday morning. Dmaha, Lincoln and other Nebraska Decker alleges that in November, 1922, while he was working on a

ompany, president of the associa- working on a nearby pole, dropped a wrench which struck Mr. Phillips' subject was "The Fed back and broke a rib

308 South 15th St.



Deputy Shot to **Death by Bandit**

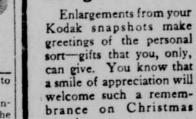
Woman Who Jumps From Window of House Being Robbed Held.

By Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Nov. 22 .- A male bandit, alleged companion of a woman who was seized by police last night after she had leaped from a secondstory window of a house which was being robbed, is being sought by police today as the slayer of Robert McGee, a special deputy sheriff, who was shot and killed in a pistol fight. The woman, who was armed with small pistol and clad in a formal evening gown when arrested, gave her name as Julia Johnson, 25. She admitted that she and a male com panion were robbing the home of J. Belding, when interruted by McGee and two policemen last night, according to authorities. She has refused divulge the name of her comanion, however.

Hot water dampens clothes far nore evenly than cold

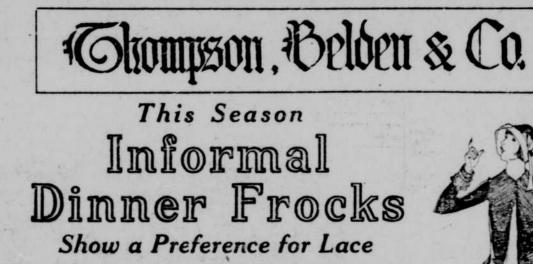
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About this time of year one begins to want a new frock. Surely the feast of Thanksgiving would be an admirable



By International News Service. Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 22 .- Hiram W. Phillips, assistant cashier of Johnson and Henry Ford will be the the Federal Reserve Bank of Omaha, candidates of the two major parties for president if South Dakota has its addressed members of the Nebraska way, according to indications today Investment Bankers' association Wednesday night at a dinner at the following the receipt of practically

owns, attended.

That miracle would have as

ounded those living when the Old Testament was written. Let's hope that in a few thou-

sand years, with every human be-ing able to talk at will with any other on earth, men will decide to stop murdering each other, and follow Joseph Pulitzer's advice, "Don't fight, advertise."

In New York's Madison Square garden on Tuesday night, thou-sands of white men and women yelled, cursed, and enjoyed themlves while two negroes, Siki and Norfolk, fought, their faces and chests streaming with blood. Five hundred years hence, when historians ask what civilization was

in the biggest city in the biggest country of the world, in 1923, that picture of two bleeding negroes, delighting the souls of 5,000 white men and women, will answer them.

Here is something to give the shivers to our best minds. England is seriously discussing a levy on capital, which means solving England's financial situation by simply taking a large part of everybody's fortune, not income, but actual capital, property of all kinds. Only 5,000 pounds would be exempt .From a man with 1.-000,000 pounds, 600,000 pounds would be taken. Imagine that here, where we don't even pretend to collect income tax on the great fortunes.

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New Methodist

Pastor Arrives

Dr. J. E. Wagner, new pastor of the First Methodist church, arrived in Omaha Wednesday, after a drive of six days in his car from Worcester, Mass., his former charge. Mrs. Wagner will come later by train.

Dr. Wagner preaches his first sermon as pastor of an Omaha church next Sunday.

Although he comes to Omaha from Massachusetts, Dr. Wagner is an lowa man, and received his bachelor's and his doctor's degrees from the University of Upper Iowa, at Favette, Ia. He is a member of the Itotary club and the Masonic lodge.

Makes Up Loss, Resigns.

Des Moines, Nov. 22 .-- Accounts of W. L. Tang, former city clerk of Fort Dodge, were short \$7,017.25 April 1, it was declared in a report of State Auditor Glenn Haynes made public yesterday.

Tang is alleged by the report to have appropriated money collected from taxpayers on pavement con-tracts. It was said that Tang has resigned his office and reimbursed the city of Fort Dodge the full amount plus interest, a total of \$8,468-45. Attorney General Ben Gibson said

yesterday the matter had not, been brought to his official attention, but that his office was willing to pro secute if the facts showed actual de falcation.

minds of the jury. You have heard Mrs. Stokes was for no word of politics from me in this Supreme Court Justice Wasserase and you won't."

Van Dusen responded: "If you are vogel dismissed the complaint in win the Indiana delegation from Hi-going to bring in a lot of disappoint- Stokes' suit for a divorce, which a ram Johnson," he announced here d police officers I have a right to jury recently refused to grant him last night. on a retrial. The separation decree how the reason.

show the reason." W. L. Herman, 2909 North Twen-ty-eighth street, testified that he had made complaints of liquor law viola-tions at numerous addresses which he had written in a little book. But nother, where they were placed by a Denver court. It was learned on good authority It was learned on good authority It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority the had written in a little book. But It was learned on good authority

nothing was done about if, he said. It was learned on good authority for 33 days. Two hundred and thity He exhibited the book in which that a trust fund of \$800,000 had been seven, the statement adds, are still dots, dashes and letters stood for the addresses

Case for the prosecution was rested and her two children. Upon her death, the principal is to go to her chil-

ortly after 11 this morning.

Mrs. Stokes is to have no interest whatsoever in Mr. Stokes' estate in Delta Thetas to Lunch. Active and alumni members of the the event of his death. She has re-Delta Theta Phi fraternity are in-leased her dower rights to all of vited to a luncheon in Brandeis grill Stokes' property, including 75 paroom today noon, the occasion being cels in New York, the Patchen Wilkes n honor of President Coolidge's ad breeding farm in Kentucky and ission to the fraternity. property in Long Branch, N. J. Speakers will be President J. F. Mc. Mr. Stokes is not to appeal the formick of Creighton university, L. divorce or separation issues, nor is

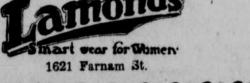
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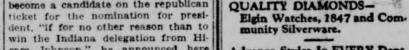
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