

Senate Votes To Shorten Sessions In Order To Give Committee Time To Consider Stack Proposed Bills

AUSTIN, Feb. 12 (AP).—The senate today voted to shorten its sessions for the next thirty days to give committees leeway in their consideration of bills.

Oil Belt Mayors Asked to Parley Abilene, Feb. 18

ABILENE, Feb. 12 (AP).—A conference of mayors and other officials of all West Texas cities and towns served by the Community Natural Gas company, distributing subsidiary of the Lone Star Gas company, has been called for next Wednesday, February 18, in Abilene.

Cotton Acreage Bill Introduced In House

AUSTIN, Feb. 12 (AP).—A bill to reduce cotton acreage by allotting one bale of cotton to each four acres of land under cultivation and placing a tax of \$5 per acre on each bale in excess of the allotment was introduced today by Representative Donnell of Hillsboro.

Lincoln Relics



Not the young woman, but the cane, chain, square and compass are newly discovered Abraham Lincoln relics. Lincoln made the cane for his stepmother and the oxen chain, square and compass he used helping his father build a log cabin in Coles county, Ill., in the 1830's. The relics are in Chicago. Verne Connors is exhibiting them.

Pope's Speech Opens Vatican Radio Station

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 12 (AP).—For the first time in history the Pope today sent his voice to millions throughout the world in a radio message of peace to mankind. Smiling and tranquil as though he were a veteran of radio broadcasting, he spoke over HVJ, the new Vatican City radio station built for him by Guglielmo Marconi and inaugurated in celebration of the ninth anniversary of his coronation as Pius XI.

DEATH SILENCES EX-COUNCILMAN



Former Councilman William E. Potter of Cleveland was slain, it is believed, to seal his lips against further testimony in city land graft cases. Above, Potter and his wife, who had not seen him the week before he was found murdered in an apartment near his home.

Hyde Informs Senate There Is No Prohibition In Relief Bill Against Using Funds For Food

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—Secretary Hyde today informed the senate there is no prohibition in the drought relief compromise against using the loans for the purchase of food and clothing by farmers "if necessary to effect the purpose of crop production and agricultural rehabilitation."

Houston Business Man Will Recover From Gun Attack

HOUSTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—Joseph R. Navarro, 58-year-old prominent Italian business man who fell last night in his home before a blast of shotgun slugs fired from an automobile outside, was recovering today.

Negro Tramps Murder Youth

MEXIA, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP).—Charles Hunter, 26, of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., was thrown off a freight train and killed after a fight between him and a brother and a group of negroes as the train was en route south between Thornton and Kossie today.

Only One Juror In Indian Case

NEW BRAUNFELS, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP).—Fixed opinions of residents of New Braunfels and Comal county in regard to the death last fall in the little German town of a 2-year old Evangelina Cayce, daughter of a San Antonio circus owner, loomed as an obstacle in the selection of a jury today for the trial of Chief Red Wing, Cherokee Indian, charged with the murder of the child.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Cloudy, local rains, colder in the Panhandle tonight; Friday cloudy, local rain in southeast portion, colder.

Children School Head Arrested On Charges of Warrant Forgery

CHILDRESS, Texas, Feb. 12. —Charged with forging warrants on common school districts of the county, B. B. Ainsworth, former county superintendent of public instruction, has been released on \$1,500 bond to await action of the grand jury.

Robbery Mail Truck Nets Nothing

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12 (AP).—One hundred and twenty-two years ago today a boy was born in the backwoods of Kentucky. No particular importance was attached to his coming, but today, the anniversary of his birth, an entire nation paid tribute to the memory of the most famous backwoods rail splitter of them all.

A&S Extension Would Aid Feeding

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 12 (AP).—Testing an extension of the Abilene & Southern into San Angelo would encourage the feeding of cattle and sheep in the area between San Angelo and Ballinger, witnesses today said that the real reason was that the new route would offer overnight delivery to Fort Worth markets, in the hearing being conducted by Examiner Thomas F. Sullivan for the interstate commerce commission. The hearing will close today.

Vaughn Named Head of Mail Line Project

John L. Vaughn, Lubbock postmaster, was elected president of a temporary organization formed here Wednesday, to prepare data relative to obtaining an extension of air mail service from Big Spring to Amarillo, via Lamesa and Lubbock. Gerald Wren, Lubbock Chamber of Commerce official, was named secretary.

Mexicans Held For Extortion

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 12 (AP).—R. W. Morrison, rail king, was the intended victim of a third extortion plot. It was revealed today after a carefully laid and daintily executed trap had lured two Mexicans in the county jail.

Cotton Seed To Be Standardized

In an effort to standardize cotton seed used by Howard county farmers, a group will meet at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. T. S. Currie, F. E. Keating, J. V. Bush, George White and Sam Lamar will attend the meeting.

Condensed Text of Pope's Radio Talk

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 12 (AP).—The text of the pope's radio address, as translated from Latin into English, follows: "We are the first successors of the prince of the apostles to whom it has been given to speak to all nations and to all places."

Two Years Given For Stealing Car

J. B. Fulcher was assessed a two-year penitentiary term by a jury in district court Wednesday afternoon on a car theft indictment. It was Judge Fulcher was a member of a group of three boys who stole an automobile belonging to S. L. Everhart.

Former Resident Of Big Spring Is Dead

Word was received here today by Mrs. G. L. Brown of the death of Miss Virginia Gorden, former resident of Big Spring. Miss Gorden died at Clyde today.

Illness Fatal

HOUSTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—Doris Conrad, six-year old daughter of G. W. Conrad, mayor of Pasadena, Texas, died at a hospital here today. An emergency operation had been performed.

Entire Nation Observes Anniversary And Pays Tribute to Lincoln's Memory

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—A daring holdup of a mail truck carrying registered pouches in the Union Station here early this morning was announced by postal officials today as netting the robbers nothing but mutilated currency.

Civic Committee To Meet Monday

A meeting of the Civic Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has been set for 10 a. m. Monday at the local office. It was announced today. Plans for the year's work will be outlined.

Rabbit Meat For Unfortunate Families Plan Of Local Body

Rabbit meat for the unfortunate! That is a plan that will be adopted at a meeting to be held at the Chamber of Commerce at 8:30 a. m. Friday.

Howard Co. School Superintendent Explains Petition About Tax Rate

Declaring that rumors to the effect she is sponsoring measures designed to increase the school tax rate are unfounded, Mrs. James E. Brigham, county superintendent, issued a statement today regarding a petition she has in her office.

NEW! for SPRING

In All Widths



EDWARDS Shoes for girls and misses afford the support, combined with freedom, which the growing foot needs. For the slender foot we have narrow widths in practically all sizes, ranging from 1 1/4 to 7. Widths A, R, C and D.

One-Straps
Sports
Oxfords

Smartly designed, straps of patent leather, comfortable sports oxfords of elk skin... styles either for dress or school wear. Mothers appreciate their economy—daughters appreciate their smartness and comfort.

\$5 to \$6.50

1882 **J. & W. FISHER** 1931
The Store That Quality Built
307 MAIN



Cooke County Prisoners In Third Escape

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—Four men under prison sentence, all of whom had previous experience in breaking out of the same jail, escaped from the Cooke county jail last night. They sawed through the bars of a vestibule door, overpowered Jailer Joe Montgomery, and locked his daughter, Grace, in a cell when she attempted to telephons for help. It was the third jail escape here within a month.

County Attorney William C. Culp issued a statement today that, unless the commissioners' court builds a new jail, the county prosecutor may as well cease to convict criminals.

under sentence of 30 years from Cooke and Denton counties; George and Dewey Chandler, sentenced to 10 years each for theft and burglary, and Howard Hendon, under a three-year forgery sentence. Goodson Monday received a 15-year sentence for robbery with firearms as a result of his part in a break January 16, when he escaped to be recaptured later during a robbery attempt at Paul's Valley, Okla. The Chandler brothers and Hendon were among nine men escaping on January 12.

Jailer Montgomery offered to resign after the second break, but Sheriff Bert Browning refused to accept his resignation.

Raw silk and silk textiles compose more than 52 per cent of Japan's merchandise exports.

A tiny look for pictures of memoranda forges the setting of a recently patented finger ring.

Former Wheeler County Sheriff Given 5 Years

WHEELER, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—Found guilty of murder, Tom C. J. Johnson, former Wheeler county deputy sheriff, was assessed five years in the penitentiary today for the slaying of George Brooks of Shamrock last October 11.

The jury reported shortly before 11 o'clock today, having deliberated over the evidence since 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Defense attorneys were preparing a motion for a new trial, and announced that the case would be appealed if the new trial is denied.

The shooting occurred in a Shamrock lunch room, where Brooks and a friend were eating a noonday meal.

Johnson, according to state's witnesses, walked through the cafe into a club room in the rear, then returned to the partition door and, ordering Brooks to turn around, fired. Johnson said Brooks whirled on the stool and that he thought Brooks was reaching for a gun. Bulk of the defense testimony referred to a fight between Johnson and Brooks that occurred almost two months before the slaying and in which Johnson is said to have received a fractured skull. Relatives and friends testified that he had not been "right" since receiving the injury.

David Whimpey, 34, of Lehi, Utah, raised \$320 worth of cucumbers on a third of an acre. The year before he received \$274 for his crop.

To All Who Suffer Stomach Agony, Gas and Indigestion

Money Back If One Bottle of Dare's Mentha Pepsin Doesn't Do You More Good Than Anything You Ever Used

You can be so distressed with gas and fullness and bloating that you think your heart is going to stop beating. Your stomach may be so distended that your breathing is short and gaspy. You think perhaps you are suffocating. You are dizzy and pray for quick relief—what's to be done? Just one tablespoonful of Dare's Mentha Pepsin and in ten minutes the gas disappears, the pressing on the heart ceases and you can breathe deep and naturally. Oh! What blessed relief, but why not get rid of such attacks altogether? Why have indigestion at all? With this wonderful stomach medicine you can overcome indigestion or dyspepsia, or any condition that keeps the stomach in constant rebellion and distress and one bottle will prove it. Ask for and insist on getting Dare's Mentha Pepsin, a pleasant to take, health building tonic stomach elixir that Collins Bros. Drugs and regular pharmacists anywhere in America guarantee—Adv.

Dr. W. B. Hardy

announces the opening Monday, February 16th, of his office for the general practice of dentistry and dental surgery.

402 Petroleum Bldg.
Phone 366

A Different Day Has Dawned

Competition in business is keener today than in the days of Abraham Lincoln... The race now is not only to the swift but also to the thrifty... to the one whose connections in the business world are properly selected. The counsel of a bank is needed in every business. We offer you the many services of our bank... May we talk to you concerning any financial problems which you may have... Our services are at your disposal... Please use them...



Abraham Lincoln 1800-1865

The West Texas National Bank
The Bank Where You Feel At Home.

Campus Liquor Arrests Start Student Probe

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Feb. 12 (AP)—University and county authorities were preparing today to determine what disciplinary action should be taken against 79 University of Michigan students, members of five Greek letter fraternities in whose houses quantities of liquor were seized in a series of surprise raids yesterday.

The committee on student affairs of the university senate has been summoned for a meeting this afternoon to consider the matter, while the students are to appear in justice court tomorrow to learn what formal charges, if any, are to be preferred against them.

County Prosecutor Albert Rapp said he had been too busy with a student bootlegging case to give careful thought to the fraternity house raids, but that he believed no more serious charges than disorderly conduct would be preferred. Rapp said his office was more concerned with apprehending the bootleggers who had furnished the liquor found in the fraternity houses and seized in previous raids about the campus. Arrest of one alleged bootlegger, Joseph Looney, and a young companion, Shirley O'Toole, precipitated yesterday's raids.

Preliminary action on another campus liquor case was completed yesterday afternoon when Oris Brown, Spencer, Iowa, law student at the university, was bound over to the circuit court by Justice Ray Payne on a charge of possessing liquor for sale.

MEXICO CITY—Senor Viteches Pena, bullfighter, is quite indignant and has complained to the police. In the bull ring when a torador wishes to please a particular spectator, he tosses his hat and after killing a bull goes to the spectator for the hat and a gift. The spectator had vanished when Pena got to the spot where his hat landed.

Automobiles in use in Egypt increased from 10,300 in 1923 to 27,673 last year.

By loosening a clip the blades of a new meat chopper can be released for sharpening.

COUGHS
Rub on throat; place some on tongue and swallow salt melts.
VICKS VAPORUB
OVER 12 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY



HOW TO SAVE MONEY on LONG DISTANCE CALLS

NEARLY twenty thousand persons have requested FREE copies of a personal out-of-town telephone directory in the last six months. You, too, may find this book helpful because:

1. It tells you how to get the fastest long distance service at the lowest cost.
2. It lists the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and the exact cost of a three-minute visit with your out-of-town relatives, friends, and business associates.
3. It is a handy reference... if there is an emergency... if you want to tell the folks you're driving up for the week-end... if a slight touch of homesickness seems to require a distant voice.

List on a sheet of paper, the names of people in other cities you have occasion to call. Mail it with the coupon. We'll send an out-of-town telephone directory, prepared especially for you, without cost or obligation.

Manager
Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.
City
Please send me an "out-of-town number book" containing telephone numbers, etc., of the persons listed on the attached sheet.
Your Name _____
Street _____ Tel. No. _____
City _____



Spring
Footwear

Combination blonde kid and light watersnake.
\$6

JUST one example of scores of new ideas in Footwear for the spring season. From every angle, including prices, here's Footwear that appeals.

O'Rear's Bootery
Second and Runnels

\$15,000 STOCK

H & M DOLLAR STORE

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

BANKRUPT SALE

Starting Tomorrow Morning
FRIDAY, FEB. 13th
9 A. M. SHARP

SOLD BY U. S. COURT AT PUBLIC AUCTION
AND BOUGHT BY BANKRUPT SALES & SALVAGE CO., TAMPA, FLA.

Your Greatest SAVINGS!

ON QUALITY MERCHANDISE IN THE HISTORY OF BIG SPRING

ENTIRE STOCK AND FIXTURES
MUST BE SOLD IN 8 DAYS
Regardless of Former Price

LET NOTHING KEEP YOU AWAY
NEW EXTRA BARGAINS EVERY DAY

ENTIRE STOCK HAS BEEN MOVED TO THE SEGAL BUILDING NEXT DOOR TO BALLARD DRUG STORE. LOOK FOR THE BIG RED ARROW!

H & M DOLLAR STORE

FIRE SALE THE SALE OF SALES

FORCED TO MAKE MORE ROOM

Our big store is filled to overflowing with merchandise and more is coming in. We must have room! We are not only trying to make more room, but also reaching out for more customers.

We have just received part of several large dry goods, gent's furnishings and shoe stocks, which we are offering at drastic, low prices. Get the habit of trading at the Fire Sale. Be here early Friday morning and get your share of these bargains.

Sale Opens Friday Morning Feb. 13th at 9 O'clock

Extra Special
66x80 Part Wool
BLANKETS

Good Quality
Regular \$3.95 Values
Very Special
\$1.98 pair

Men's Dress Shirts

A Real Value
Color Fast
Broadcloth
69c

Extra Special
Friday Morning, 9 O'Clock

Good Quality
36-inch Fast Color
Prints
Bleached Domestic
Limit:
5 yards
to a
Customer
5c yard

Ladies' Felt Hats

You Will Want
Several
At This Price
49c

MEN'S Clothing

Just arrived, a portion of one of the highest class gents' furnishing stocks of Eastland, Texas. Such well known brands as Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits, Florsheim, and Packard Shoes, Stetson Hats, etc. This entire stock now on sale.

One Lot of
Men's Suits
SOME WITH 2 PAIR TROUSERS
Values up to \$42.50
\$8.89

One Big Lot of
Men's Suits
Formerly Priced up to \$34.50
\$6.89

One Lot of
Men's Suits
Slightly damaged Worth Twice What We Are Selling Them For.
\$4.89

MEN'S OVERCOATS
Take your choice of our entire stock of all-wool
Overcoats Values up to \$42.50
\$8.89

MEN'S FLANNEL
Night Shirts
\$1.50 Values
Now **49c**

Ladies' Silk and
Rayon Hose
Silk to Top 75c values
39c

Lounging Robes
Slippers to Match (Only 3 of these)
\$7.00 Value
\$3.49

Ladies' Outing
Gowns
Regular 75c Values
39c

MEN'S
Dress Shirts
\$1.75 Values
98c

Brassiers
One group of silk lace and ribbon. Very special—
29c

LADIES' Ready-To-Wear

You will be surprised at the quality of our ready-to-wear, which we are offering at such drastic low prices.

One Big Lot of
Ladies' Dresses
Formerly sold up to \$39.50
This is indeed a wonderful value
\$4.98

One Lot
Ladies' Dresses
This is a wonderful group and look at the price.
\$3.98

One Big Lot of
Ladies' Dresses
Values up to \$39.50
\$1.49

Ladies' Coats
Your Choice of Our Entire Stock
Values up to \$69.50
\$6.49

One Big Lot of
Ladies' Coats
It's hard to believe, but—
\$2.98

A SALE OF FINE SHOES

Included in our sale of fine shoes you will find such well known brands as Selby Arch Preservers, J & K Foot Savers, Lape and Alder for women, Packard, Florsheims, Bostonians and others for men. Read the drastic low prices listed below. Now is the time to buy shoes. Fit the entire family for the price of one

Selby Arch Preservers J & K Foot Savers Values to \$13.50
\$4.89

Widths AAAA to D One Lot

One Lot of Men's
OXFORDS
Included in this lot Packard, Florsheim, Bostonian and others.
Values to \$12.00
\$4.49

One Lot
Ladies' Slippers
Good Styles. All Sizes Values to \$4.95
\$1.89

—EXTRA SPECIAL—
One Lot of
Ladies' Slippers
Broken Sizes. Slightly Damaged. A Real Value ...
\$1.00

MEN'S AND BOYS'
Dress Caps
Regular Values up to \$3.50
Now—
98c

Men's
Dress Ties
Regular values up to \$1.25—A Wonderful Assortment
59c

Men's Heavy
Underwear
Regular \$1.50 Values
Now
79c

Woolen Materials
All put together for quick selling. Values to \$4.95 yard. Now—
19c

Ladies' Silk Hose
One big lot of full fashioned silk hose. Good quality. Only—
79c Pair

LADIES' SILK
Underwear
Bloomers, step-ins, panties, shorts, teddies, slips, etc. Of Rayon and silk.
59c

MEN'S
Dress Hats
A wonderful stock of Men's Dress Hats, including Stetson, Mallory and other well known brands.

Regular \$7.50 Values	\$3.49
Regular \$5.00 Values	\$2.98
Regular \$4.00 Values	\$2.49
Regular \$3.50 Values	\$2.19

RIC RAC BRAID
Values to 10c
1c

WHISK BROOMS
Values to 50c—Now
19c

DRESS SNAP
Values to 10c
3c

SAFETY PINS
Values to 10c
3c

ODOR-RO-NO
Regular 30c Values
19c

SHOE STRINGS
Buy Several Pairs
3c

Bargains Galore

Kolynos Tooth Paste 30c value **14c**

Sewing Thread 5c value **4c**

Bias Tape All colors **7c**

Silk Thread 10c values **5c**

Peroxide 25c value **15c**

FIRE SALE

DOBSON & COMPANY, SELLING AGENTS

212 MAIN STREET

FIRE SALE

DOBSON & COMPANY, SELLING AGENTS

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

FIRE SALE

DOBSON & COMPANY, SELLING AGENTS

MARKETS and FOODS

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

SOCIETY and CLUBS

TENNIS STAR AND BRIDE



John Hope Deeg of Santa Monica, Cal., national tennis singles champion, and his bride leaving Trinity cathedral, Newark, N. J., after their wedding ceremony.

How A Housekeeper Earned \$1600

This Howard County woman considers she is only doing her duty. A woman who can earn \$1600.00 as a side line, without spending a cent on overhead has a message for the world.

Spring flowers are club decorations for ideal members. Mrs. W. E. Clark entertained the members of the Ideal Bridge Club at her home in Edwards Heights yesterday.

Members Of Contract Club Adopt Name

Justamere Bridge Club Is Cognomen of Game-Lover's Group. Final organization details of the contract bridge club were finished at the meeting yesterday, when the club decided to adopt as a name Justamere Bridge club.

Do You Remember

When the Fourth Grade Was In Central Ward Basement? Old Central Ward has been crowded as far back as 1908. This was why they had to make an extra room in the basement to hold the fourth graders.

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Powder Horn Used In Revolutionary War, Relic Here

A powder horn used by his great-grandfather, Enoch Baldwin, is one of the treasured possessions of William F. Cushing. He has agreed to allow the Episcopal Auxiliary to display it at their antique party Monday afternoon.

Five Guests At Bluebonnet Club Enjoy Hospitality

The Bluebonnet Bridge club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Jack Hodges for an attractive Valentine party. Tallies, prize-wrappings and refreshments carried out the Valentine motif.

WHAT CONGRESS IS DOING

THURSDAY Senate. Continues debate on compromise relief plan. Agriculture sub-committee continues food price investigation.

WEDNESDAY Senate

Continued debate on compromise relief plan and adopted resolution to ask Secretary Hyde whether it would include food loans.

'Hamlet' Played Before Large Appreciative Audience at High School Auditorium Last Night

Splendid Performance and Shadowy Lighting Effects Make It Easily Outstanding Stage Event of the Season. William Thornton and his Shakespearean company have played before the worst and the best that Big Spring can produce in the way of audiences.

Group No. Four Hostess To The Homemakers Class

The Homemakers of the First Baptist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Hines in Washington Place for their regular monthly social meeting.

Dallas Man's Bond \$10,000 In Slaying

DENTON, Texas, Feb. 12. (AP)—Bond of \$10,000 was set today for Dr. J. J. Smith of Dallas, charged with murder in connection with the death of Mrs. Audrey A. McMillan Cribbs, wife of W. J. Cribbs, C. I. A. faculty member. Mrs. Cribbs died Tuesday.

Davenport's offers for FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

50 Early Spring Hats Values to \$5.95 - for quick clearance \$2.95. Several choice styles - prints and solid color crepes. Were \$10 and \$12.95 dresses - now offered at \$7.95 2 for \$15.

Extraordinary Gift For Violin and Piano Displayed In Recital

R. T. Miller Jr. and Alfred Miller, grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Miller who taught in the Coahoma schools, were presented last week in violin and piano recital in Austin, that attracted a great deal of attention.

WEEK-END GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Everett and son, Richard, are expected in this evening to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cunningham.

Study Club Meets Friday

The Big Spring Study club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

Is Your Face Covered With Pimples?

Wichita Falls, Texas - "My son was in poor health when he was about twenty years of age. His blood became thin and he was pale. He was also troubled with his stomach and his face broke out with pimples. Finally, I decided to have him try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

Arno Art Club Studies Lives Of Two Artists

Plans to Entertain Midland Art Club to Meet With Them Next Session. The Arno Art club met with Mrs. Bernard Fisher yesterday afternoon for a study of the painters, Giorgione and Carpaccio and their pictures.

DOUGHNUT SALE

The women of the Christian church want everybody to remember their doughnut sale tomorrow at the church. Drop in as you pass by and take a dozen home or call Mrs. Rockhold, 1104, or Mrs. Harpole, 1015R, if you want them delivered.

Protect Your Beauty

MARATHA LEE astringent lotion. The secret of a smooth, youthful complexion is "texture." Enlarged pores mar your appearance. Martha Lee's Astringent Lotion closes pores and softens the skin, leaving it delightfully fresh and smooth.

L. C. Burr & Co. 115-17 East Second St. Big Spring, Texas. SPRING DRESSES Smartest New Styles \$3.95 Lovely Silk Crepes! You'll simply adore these new spring frocks. Clever prints... smart models in fashionable pastel shades... every dress with the unusual details of sleeve or neckline that mark the 1931 Spring Styles. And priced so amazingly low! Come tomorrow for an early choice of these new arrivals!

LOSE FAT Safely and Quickly. Kruschen Salts - (a perfect combination of the six mineral salts your body should have to function properly) purify your blood of harmful acids, and aid the kidneys and bowels to throw off waste matter - the continual formation of which is probably the cause of your fat.

STEVE D. FORD GENERAL INSURANCE INVESTMENTS. You May Be Next - But before your time comes - and it may be tonight - secure adequate protection.

A Big Success Our \$7.95 DRESS SALE. Several choice styles - prints and solid color crepes. Were \$10 and \$12.95 dresses - now offered at \$7.95 2 for \$15.

DAVENPORTS Exchange Shops. Davenport's offers for FRIDAY AND SATURDAY 50 Early Spring Hats Values to \$5.95 - for quick clearance \$2.95.

HANDKERCHIEFS. Buy Several for a Valentine's Day Gift 3c Assorted Patterns. An exceptional buying opportunity! Lovely high count handkerchief cloth... smart patterns... clever prints...

Golden Value CHICKEN FEEDERS. 23-chick capacity durable metal 19c.

INDICTED IN MAIL FRAUD CASE



A pamphlet "Why Investors Lose In Oil" led to the indictment of 19 persons on charges of using the mails to defraud by a federal grand jury in Oklahoma City. Among them were Richard E. Enright (upper left), a former New York police commissioner; J. C. Walton (lower left), impeached as governor of Oklahoma, and S. E. J. Cox, Oklahoma City stock promoter and said to be the unofficial head of the group.

Giant Rookie



Associated Press Photo
Jim Mooney, Charlotte south-west strikeout king of the South Atlantic association last year, will try out with the New York Giants this spring.

RITCHIE TAKES OATH OF OFFICE



Associated Press Photo
Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, who has been mentioned as a possible democratic presidential candidate in 1932, shown taking the oath of office from Judge Carroll T. Boyd, chief justice of Maryland court of appeals. He is beginning his fourth term.

Condemned To Death



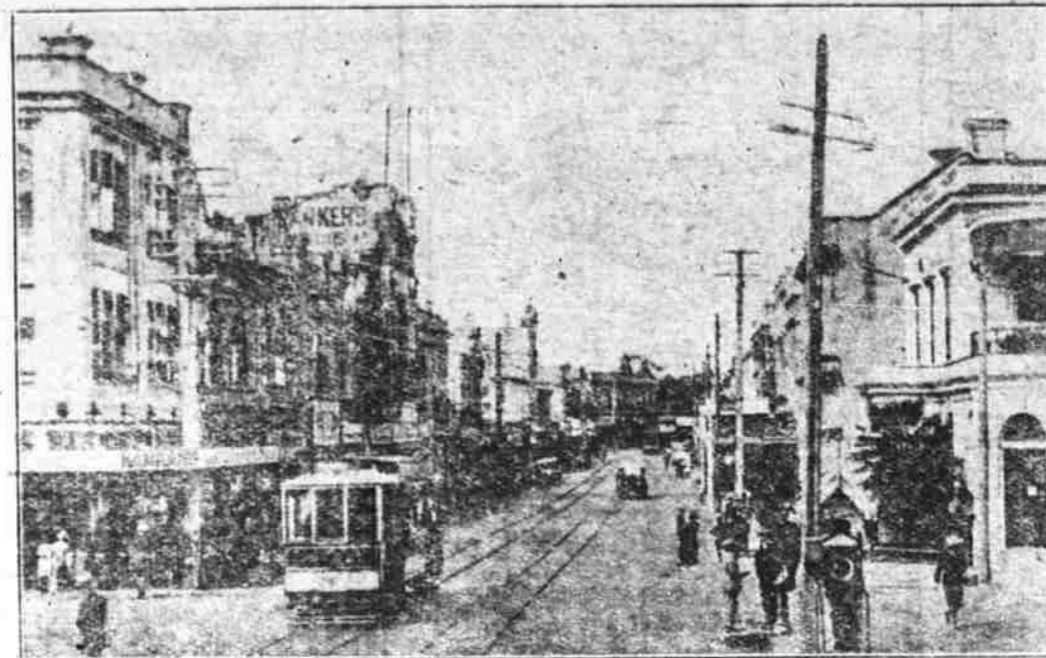
Associated Press Photo
Mrs. Hattie Evans may be the first woman electrocuted in New Jersey. She was found guilty of participating in the murder of her husband and his friend at Lakehurst, N. J.

OLDEST NATIVE KANSAS WOMAN



Associated Press Photo
The Kansas Pioneer Women's Memorial Association found Mrs. M. Fitterington (seated), Lawrence, was the oldest native born woman. She is 83 and was born at Shawnee Mission. Left to right (standing), Mrs. Etta Covell Brunt, Topeka, association vice president; Mrs. George Norris, Arkansas City, president; and Kathryn Wilson, society writer, Lawrence.

WHERE QUAKES KILLED 100 IN NEW ZEALAND



Associated Press Photo
Scene in the seaport of Napier, New Zealand, where 100 were killed in a series of earthquakes that caused heavy damage on North Island. Besides the dead and hundreds of injured at Napier, many others were killed and hurt at Hastings and Wairoa.

Hunted In Swindle



Associated Press Photo
Jules "Nicky" Arnstein, New York confidence man, was sought in the investigation of the swindle in which Mrs. Myrtle Blackledge of Chicago said she lost \$50,000 which she borrowed from Edward R. Linger.

Attacks Will



Associated Press Photo
Lindsay McRae, Detroit, son of Milton A. McRae, late millionaire newspaper publisher, is seeking to break his father's will. He was bequeathed an income of \$500 a month.

In Congress Row



Associated Press Photo
Senator Thaddeus Craway (above), Arkansas, challenged Rep. Louis C. Cramton, Michigan, to repeat remarks he made on the house floor "to his face."

New Navy Coach



Associated Press Photo
Edgar E. "Rip" Miller, navy line coach for the last five years, succeeds "Navy Bill" Ingram as head football coach at the naval academy.

Denies Victor



Associated Press Photo
Frank L. Magie, defeated for reelection as Duluth, Minn., sheriff, refuses to give up office to Emil J. Erickson, Magie (above), who served 12 years, says he will hold on until proper court order is served.

GOLFERS TO COME TO U. S.



Associated Press Photo
Nine British women golfers led by Diana Flehwick (inset), British champion, invade the United States soon for tournament play. Betty Dix Perkin (right) and Marjory White (left) are members of the squad.

Baron Shidehara



Associated Press Photo
Baron Kijuro Shidehara, foreign minister of Japan, who is acting prime minister in place of Premier Yuko Hamaguchi.

KING TO AID QUAKE RELIEF



Associated Press Photo
Several persons were killed and many injured in the area surrounding Koritza, Albania, by a series of earthquakes. More than 200 buildings were destroyed. King Zog of Albania, who was in Vienna to undergo medical treatment, cut short his visit to return to supervise aid and reconstruction in the stricken area shown in the map.



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Indicted For Murder



Associated Press Photo
E. B. Hastings, 47, wealthy former owner of the Winston-Salem, N. C., baseball club, has been indicted for the murder of W. H. Zindel at an Asheville, N. C., hotel.

Faces Oil Charge



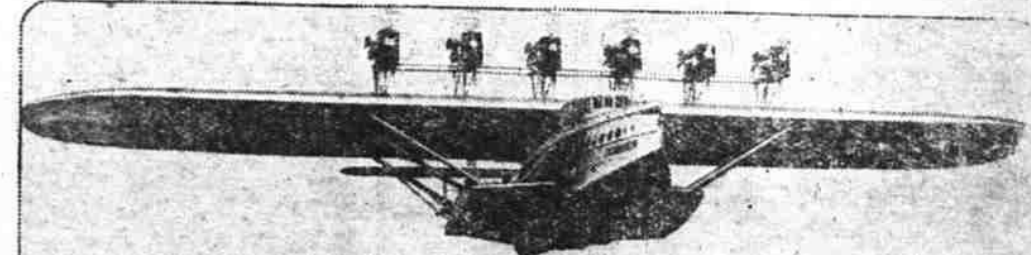
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Charges that Herbert J. Hagerman, special Indian commissioner for the Navajos, was guilty of "improper conduct" in leasing Indian oil lands was investigated by the senate Indian affairs committee.

Held As Slayer



Associated Press Photo
Darwin King, 35, is charged with killing his former wife and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dieter, while they were spending their honeymoon on a farm near Salamanca, New York.

DO-X SET FOR SOUTH ATLANTIC FLIGHT



Associated Press Photo
The giant German seaplane, DO-X, shown above as it took off on a recent flight, will attempt a crossing of the Atlantic ocean following the route shown in map. Com. Friedrich Christiansen (right) will be in charge. Lieut. Clarence Schildhauer (left), an American, is a co-pilot and second in command.

SCHALL AND MITCHELL IN ROW



Associated Press Photo
Attorney General Mitchell (right) and Senator Schall of Minnesota (left) engaged in a controversy over the appointment of Ernest A. Michel as federal judge in Minnesota. Mitchell opposed Michel.

Makes Survey



Associated Press Photo
Col. Campbell Hodges, military aide to the President, made a survey of drought conditions at Little Rock, Ark., for the President's war department.

Under Fire



Associated Press Photo
Charges of maladministration were made against Walter A. Jessup, president of the University of Iowa. The state legislature will ask to name a joint committee to investigate the charges.

Fights Ouster



Associated Press Photo
Fred R. Smith, South Dakota state bank superintendent, will fight ouster proceedings begun by Governor Green to remove him.

ALFALFA BILL AND HIS NEW KERNEL



Associated Press Photo
Will Rogers called upon Governor Murray of Oklahoma and they had lunch off "Alfalfa Bill" desk. They evidently differ on their beverages. The governor made Rogers a colonel on his staff—chief of the out brigade.

Prettiest In Hungary



Associated Press Photo
Teanady Fekette Maria who was selected "Miss Hungary" at a national beauty contest in Budapest. She'll seek international honors.

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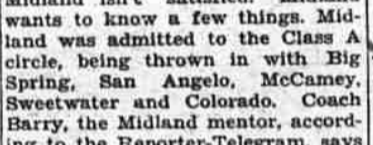


A Classified Ad... Key to the Buyer's Mind

The housewife seeks BARGAINS... in furniture, in homes, in beauty parlor work, in poultry...



THE WATER BUCKET
The new arrangement of districts adopted by the Intercollegiate League solves a problem Mr. Boyce House, Ranger's gift to the sports world. We were afraid it wouldn't.



ATHLETES MEET For Tournament
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12 (AP)—Some of the country's outstanding athletes gathered here today for the annual Meadowbrook track and field meet tonight.



COSDEN CAGERS TO MEET WINK
Cosden Refinery cagers and a Wink aggregation will clash at the high school gymnasium tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

STEERS, HORNETS SET FOR DISTRICT MEET

First Baseball Humorist Is Dead

By CHARLES W. DUNKLEY
CHICAGO, Feb. 12 (AP)—Charles Dryden, first and perhaps the greatest of all baseball humorists, is dead.

MORE MAJOR MOORES MIGHT MAKE MORE MAJOR MOANING

CHICAGO, Feb. 12 (AP)—The more Moores able to stick with major league baseball clubs next season, the more moaning by baseball writers.

Annual Battle At Colorado Two Days

Howard county's two crack schoolboy basketball units will invade Colorado Friday in an effort to carry a notch higher their maple wood floor prowess.

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LOST—black suede pocket book containing money and 2 gold pins; reward. Call Mrs. Bruner, 415-J, Alta Vista Apartments.

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SANBORN, THE TYPEWRITER is at Gibson Pig & Office Supply Company, Phone 124.

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BEAUTY SHOP NEW location at 603 Main St. Marcella 56c, longer waves 35c. Mrs. Howard Alford.

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MIDDLE aged lady and daughter desire housework; best references. 103 Donley.

FINANCIAL
Bus. Opportunities 13
FILLING station with accessories department; best location on Bankhead Highway; doing good business; owner leaving city; call Babe S. Martin, room 8, West Texas Natl. Bank Bldg.

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We pay off immediately—Your payments are made at this office. COLLINS & GARRETT LOANS AND INSURANCE 122 E. Second — Phone 822

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UPHOLSTERING, REFINISHING AND REPAIRING We take stoves and furniture on all work. Texas Furniture Co., Phone 1054

RENTALS
Apartments 26
MEYER COURT 'For People Who Care' Cozy Apartments—Phone 1179

REAL ESTATE
Lots and Acreage 37
HEALTHFUL residential lots in Government Heights; 3 blocks north of new T&I shops; blocks from school; all city conveniences; reasonably priced; easy terms. See Rubs Martin, West Texas National Bank Room 8, Phone 265 or 54

Used Cars 44
USED CAR EXCHANGE Marvin Hall 432 E. 2nd Will pay cash for Model A Fords and Chevrolet's

Automotive
MENAIRD—New courthouse to be constructed here at cost of about \$120,000.

Automotive
WINTERS—Halls Barber Shop moves from location on East Dale street to Spill building in space formerly occupied by Fashion Shoppe.

BOWLING NEWS

Ritz Theater—Robb, 378; E. Settle, 376; R. Elliott, 533; Whiteside, 411; Hambe, 461. Total, 2159. 323; Hepper, 400; Ford, 486; Scherrubel, 400; Henley, 391. Total, 2100.

American Sets New Shot Mark

NEW PLYMOUTH, N. Z., Feb. 12 (AP)—At a sports meet here today the American, Rothert, put a shot 49 feet and 6 1/8 inches, establishing a new New Zealand record.

Make FRIDAY The 13th Your Lucky Day



13 cents down Special Price \$8.95 13 months to pay
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Cars Washed And Greased \$1.50 Feb. 1 to 10th TP Service Sta. O. W. CATHEY, 3rd & Gregg Phone 1178

Covered Fire

When Dryden decided to become a writer he went to San Francisco. He hung around a newspaper office and when a big fire broke out and there being no regular reporters available, Dryden was assigned to the job. He wrote an amusing story about the fire, neglecting to mention that several firemen had been killed, but the story made such a hit with the editors that...

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If Big Spring people familiarized themselves with the superior qualities of Cosden Liquid Gas, bought and enthusiastically boosted it? The obvious answer is this: Cosden refinery operation would grow in Big Spring. We offer as a way to prosperity, conscientious support of the things that support Big Spring. Until a better solution of our problems occurs to you, play with us and watch the community wrinkles of care spread out into smiles—the stamp of worthy things initiated and growing.

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We have a most complete stock of favors, prizes, nut cups, candy boxes, etc., in keeping with the spirit of the occasion. Let us help make your party a success.

If she could buy her own Valentine... it would be a Frank by **NELLY DON** 1.95 to 5.95

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Railway Solons Seek Method Of Fighting Truck

DALLAS, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—Representatives of most of the railways in Texas came before Examiner G. H. Mattingly of the interstate commerce commission today, asking the right to set up whatever rates may be necessary to meet the "fluctuating rates" of motor truck competition.

S. G. Reed, freight traffic manager for the Southern Pacific, testified that in the 1926-27 season the railways hauled 7,535,578 bales of cotton to Texas ports, as against 3,557,732 last season. Trucks, he said, carried only 64,112 bales in 1927-28, but 1,138,935 in the season just passed. Reed declared that on January 1 last year 182,957 trucks were registered in Texas, making the state sixth in the nation for motor truck traffic.

State Rests In Donohoe Trial

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—The state rested today in the trial of Verner Donohoe, charged with the slaying of Herman Walden in 1929, after introducing a total of 12 witnesses.

Walden's bullet-ridden body was found near a creek in this section on Feb. 15 of that year. Donohoe, previously tried and sentenced to 25 years, was granted a new trial after appealing.

E. E. Whittenburg testified regarding gaming on the afternoon before the day of Walden's disappearance. Other state witnesses testified that shot taken from Walden's body and empty shotgun shells found near Walden's home, found near Walden's home.

Murder Charges Against Convict

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—Murder charges were filed today against Tommy Reis in connection with the slaying of J. L. Guard Joe Meyer, killed when Reis escaped from jail here recently. Reis, under 35-year sentence for beating and robbing an aged woman, was later captured in Houston.

County Attorney Ralph Crawford announced that Claude Pond, jail trustee, had identified Roy Britton as the man who fatally wounded the jail guard when Reis escaped.

Sam Rivette, also charged with the slaying of Meyer, today was allowed to confer with an attorney.

Louisiana Senator Dies At Eastland

EASTLAND, Texas, Feb. 12 (AP)—T. B. Gilbert, 67, state senator from Winsler, La., died early today at a hotel here. The attending physician said death was due to heart disease.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis of Winsler, his traveling companions, said Gilbert had suffered a slight attack in Yosemite Park, Cal., earlier in the week. The three were on their way from California to Winsler.

Gilbert is survived by three sons and a daughter, now en route here to take charge of funeral arrangements.

Gilbert owned and operated in Franklin parish one of the largest and most modern plantations in the south.

In addition he was president of the Franklin State Bank and Trust company of Winsboro, La., and a director in the Louisiana Light and Power company.

Senator Gilbert was one of the foremost political leaders of north Louisiana. His name had been prominently mentioned in connection with the forthcoming gubernatorial campaign.

San Saba Attorney Deplores Defiance Of the Modern Laws

BRADY, Feb. 12 (AP)—James Baker, San Saba attorney, deplored modern defiance of law in an address before the West Texas Sheriff's convention here today. He urged more liberal laws which would be supported by public sentiment and thus be more easily enforceable. Baker said some of the prohibition laws were almost impossible to enforce.

W. H. Adkins, Brady attorney, told the sheriffs that mob violence and murders would increase if capital punishment were abolished. About 50 sheriffs were attending the convention.

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THE STORY OF THE STRANGEST PASSION THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN—
A MONSTER TURNED LOOSE ON SOCIETY—
"DRACULA"
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PLEASE NOTE: DUE TO THE INTENSE EXCITEMENT CREATED BY VIEWING THIS PICTURE, WE HONESTLY ADVISE ANYONE WITH A WEAK HEART NOT TO SEE "DRACULA."

Bill Passed

According to Mrs. Brigham, the legislature last year passed a bill giving the senate authority to grant to any county the right to vote on the question of raising the tax maximum. Before the county is allowed the privilege, however, a petition bearing signatures of voters must be presented.

The petition which Mrs. Brigham has is as follows: "We, the undersigned, citizens and property tax payers of Howard county, Texas, hereby petition you to introduce and expound the passage of a bill through the legislature permitting independent school districts, common school districts and county line school districts in Howard county, Texas, to vote upon the proposition whether or not any of them should levy a tax not to exceed \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation of all taxable property in any said district, meaning hereby that the limitation \$1 on the \$100 valuation of all taxable property be changed to \$1.50."

The petition bears the signatures of Mrs. Brigham, N. G. Hoover, E. W. Marian, A. E. Ford, J. R. Merrick, O. W. Anderson, R. N. Adams, M. L. Rowland, Alvin Simpson.

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\$1 box of Double Dipped **CHOCOLATE CHERRIES 49c**

—Lunch Special— Petroleum Pharmacy **HOT LUNCH**

—Thirty Cents—

\$1.50 **VIRGINIA DARE Tonic 98c**

Pepsodent Tooth Paste 50c Tube **39c**

Kotex 39c, 3 for **\$1.00**

Pond's Creams 65c Jar **56c**

Woodbury's Soap 25c Bar **19c**

Nujol Mineral Oil \$1.00 Size **89c**

Squibbs Tooth Paste 40c Tube **29c**

Syrup Pepsin \$1.20 Bottle **98c**

Elmo Cleansing Cream \$1 jar **79c**

Dorothy Perkins Cleansing Cream 75c jar **59c**

Elmo Tissue Cream \$1 jar **79c**

Mineral Oil \$1 Russian Oil **69c**

Hinds Honey and Almond Cream 50c **39c**

Vaseline Hair Tonic \$1 size **79c**

Mentholatum 30c size **24c**

Kleenex 50c size **39c**

Kruschen Salts 85c size **69c**

Admirine Tonic \$1.20 Bottle **79c**

Hot Water Bottle \$1.50 value **69c**

Bridge Cards \$1 value **39c**