

# Probe Of Board's Work In East Texas Ordered

## 30 Men Start Work For Charity Funds

### Suit Case And Dynamite Only Robbery Clues

### Officers Seek To Capture Men Who Looted Bank

FORT WORTH (AP)—Two suit cases, one containing seven hundred dollars and the other dynamite and miscellaneous articles, offered the only clues on which officers Thursday investigating Wednesday's Covington State Bank robbery could proceed.

### One Victim Of Hammer Welder Dies Of Hurts

LUFKIN (AP)—Mrs. Roberta McCall, one of four persons beaten with a hammer Tuesday at a farm home north of Lufkin, died Thursday. Her husband, daughter, and mother, Mrs. N. J. Looney, remained in a serious condition. One of six counts against Charles Outlaw was changed to embrace murder with Mrs. McCall's death.

**THANKLESS CHARITY**  
DALLAS, (AP)—Because he gave a haircut and 10 cents cash for a place to sleep, Cleve Hobbs, barber, faces a charge of operating without a license and cutting hair in sleeping quarters.

### NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS: The National

### Whirligig

Written by a group of the best informed newspapermen of Washington and New York. Opinions expressed are those of the writers and should not be interpreted as reflecting the editorial policy of this newspaper.

### Budget

The biggest bankers are getting a little shy about government credit. They have read the budget news out of Washington recently with some trepidation. They are the ones who pushed Treasury Secretary Mills into his campaign for a sales tax and a perfectly balanced book.

He thinks now he may have some trouble floating the long term experimental bond issue around February 1. It would probably be for \$250,000,000. If it has to be suspended or does not go well, agitation for the sales tax will be redoubled.

### Persia Scene Of Important New Discovery

By RAY BLACK  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
CHICAGO (UP)—From Turbulent Persia, embroiled now in arguments with Britain over oil concessions, came an echo of dim antiquity which bespoke the most important archaeological discovery of this age.

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### Racket

A certain senator has designated a private investigator to rummage for evidence on his two scores to save enough for seed.

### Response Encouraging, Lack Of Workers Great Handicap

Thirty of 85 men who were asked to help in raising funds to care for the direct charity problem here through 1933, responded with encouraging response after the work of Thursday morning.

Although there were not enough men at work to carry all the donation cards that had been filled out and more workers will have to be obtained to contact all prospects, it was hoped that seriousness of the situation would arouse a sufficient number to action.

Those who had reported for work by 8:30 a. m. Thursday were: B. O. Jones, Raymond Lyons, E. J. Mary W. C. Blankenship, L. A. Eubank, Max S. Jacobs, Wendell Bedlock, C. T. Watson, W. B. Currie, Bruce Frazier, G. Hayward, W. G. Hayden, D. W. Webber, V. O. Hansen, Ralph Linek, Hayes Stripling, Walton Morrison, Fox Stripling, Earl Phillips, H. L. Bohannon, Merle Black, Dr. P. W. Malone, Dr. J. R. Spann, Victor Mellinger, T. E. Jordan, E. A. Kelley, W. W. Inkman, Joseph Edwards.

The appeal is for money to finance direct charity, leaving the problem of finding employment for those able to work with the county committee in charge of distribution of federal relief employment funds.

The money will be handled by the city and county commissions and used under direction of Mrs. F. C. Scott, city-county welfare worker, whose salary is paid by the city and county.

### RFC Record Read Before Lower House

Members Strenuously Object To Compliance With Request

WASHINGTON (AP)—The house of representatives and the country were told in detail Thursday details of the record of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation members, just how that huge federal relief agency pledged \$1,195,000,000 to help business try to get on an even keel.

In compliance with a special house resolution, the corporation's Speaker John Garner a statement showing the loan authorized between the date of its creation February 2 and July 21 last year. It advanced \$740,000,000 for wheat and cotton stabilization efforts.

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### Bit of Scotch



Mrs. William H. Hyde of Ridge-way, N. J., introduced something a little different in beach fashions at Palm Beach, Fla. It is a one piece suit of orange, black and white Scotch plaid wool with a jacket to match. (Associated Press Photo)

### Scott Ousted As Leader Of Technocracy

Columbia Professors, Now Rivals, Continue With Survey

NEW YORK (UP)—Howard Scott, once undisputed master of technocracy, turned to his followers for funds to continue his energy survey of the North American continent.

Four former associates, now rivals, proceeded with an energy survey of their own, assisted by 65 architects and engineers paid from emergency unemployment relief funds.

Scott retained the name technocracy and 300 charts representing the work accomplished before Prof. Walter Rautenstrauch of Columbia university led the schism that split the organization, but he was deprived of working quarters, assistants, and financial backing.

However, he was not worried. "Who will finance the survey?" he asked jauntily. "Oh, memberships, subscriptions, personal gifts. We haven't had to go to the public for donations yet, and I doubt if we will. Who belongs to it? Oh, why go into that? We only put up a few people at a time."

At Columbia where Dr. Rautenstrauch and his three companions in the revolt against Scott were pressing their own energy survey, the unemployed technicians were drawing new charts to replace those turned over to Scott while other assistants delved through mountains of statistics.

### Boy Scout Leaders Of Region Open Annual Meeting At Settles Hotel

Troop committees, scoutmasters, and assistants of Big Spring, Sweetwater, Colorado, Snyder, Combs, Foran, Midland, Odessa, Barlow, Wink and Pecos were to convene here today 3 p. m. in the Settles hotel in the annual meeting of the Buffalo Trail Council, A. C. Williams, area executive, is in charge.

The meeting was expected to draw more than 100 out of the town scouts, among them J. P. Fitch, regional executive. The evening banquet, starting promptly at 6:30 p. m., is calculated to draw even a larger crowd since women will be invited to attend for the first time since the council was organized.

At 2:30 p. m. registration was to have begun and exhibits viewed. President Charles Paxton of Sweetwater was to call assembly at 3 p. m. when city manager E. V. Spence was to welcome visitors. John P. Howe, Midland and vice-president of the council, was scheduled to respond. Before breaking into group meetings Fitch was to extend greetings to all scouts of this area.

## Man Found Shot To Death In Oil Field

### Rites Here For N. W. Garringer, Burial In Oklahoma Sunday

Nathan W. Garringer, 35, employe of the Plymouth Oil company, was found shot to death about 2 p. m. Wednesday in his home on the company's Base 15 miles southwest of Big Spring.

The body was discovered by M. F. Turner, who called to learn why Mr. Garringer had not returned to work after lunch. They had worked together during the morning. Their wives had gone to Big Spring about 1 o'clock to do shopping.

Mr. Garringer's death was caused by a shotgun discharge which tore away the upper part of his head. The body was found on a bed. Officers said two notes were found lying on a Bible nearby.

Funeral services were to be held beginning at 3 p. m. Thursday at the Charles Eberly chapel with Rev. J. Richard Spann, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiating. The body was to be sent Thursday night to Medford, Oklahoma, home of the parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Garringer, where services were to be held Sunday with burial there.

Nathan Wesley Garringer was born July 28, 1897, in Freeport, Kansas. He is survived by his wife and a young daughter, Phyllis Nadine; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Garringer of Medford, and by nine brothers and sisters. His father and his father-in-law, H. E. Hill, and a sister, Mrs. M. C. Simmons, were here to accompany the body to Medford with Mrs. Garringer and daughter.

Other surviving brothers and sisters are Mary Garringer, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Harold Sherman, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Nedie Bone, Eugene, Oregon; Jessie Garringer, Medford; Edna and Allen Garringer, Oklahoma City; Henry Garringer, Wichita, Kansas.

### N. Y. Exchange Suspends Six Of Members

Most Sweeping Disciplinary Action In Years Announced

NEW YORK (AP)—The New York stock exchange, in one of its most sweeping disciplinary actions in years, Thursday suspended six members for periods ranging from one month to three years.

Traders were suspended primarily because they were interested in bond issues were for paying employees to exchange gratuities without approval of the exchange.

### Foreclosure Suits Continued One Year By District Judge

DIXON, Neb.—District Judge Mark Ryan issued a court order here continuing for one year all mortgage foreclosure cases in his district, after 600 northeast Nebraska farmers presented a petition asking a moratorium on mortgage sales. He stipulated that the occupant of a farm under mortgage should pay a reasonable rent to the mortgagee.

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## State Of City Government Is Reviewed

### Facts Presented Club By City Manager Thursday Noon

State of the municipal government of Big Spring was reviewed before the Kiwanis club here Thursday at the Crawford hotel by City Manager E. V. Spence.

Using diagrams on a blackboard, the following salient facts were brought out:

1. Peak of the requirements for interest and principal payments on the bonded debt was reached during this year, and will begin to decrease with the 1933-34 fiscal year beginning April 1.
2. Property valuations for tax purposes have been lowered from \$7,300,000 to \$6,600,000 since April 1, 1930.
3. The tax rate was reduced from \$1.55 to \$1.50 at the beginning of the fiscal year.
4. Operation expenses of the city have been reduced from \$177,000 to \$102,000 since April 1, 1930.
5. Revenues from the water department reached a peak of \$12,500 in August 1930, with a low of \$8,000 in March, 1931. Water revenues have fallen this fiscal year to a peak of \$8,000 in August and a low of \$6,000 in December.
6. The budget for this year was based on expectation of collecting 90 per cent of taxes levied; \$30,000 must be collected this month to reach that per cent.
7. Requirements for the bonded debt for this fiscal year totaled \$90,000; sixty per cent of taxes levied amounted to \$50,000, therefore the balance of \$40,000 of bonded debt (interest and principal) due this year had to be paid from water revenues, which have decreased.

Summarizing: The city has stayed within its budget, and has some cash on hand. However, valuations and tax rates were reduced; water revenues have decreased. But, operation costs also were lowered. Manager Blanton of the Houston Chamber of Commerce, a guest of the day, spoke briefly. E. W. Potter, basso, sang two selections, with accompaniments by Miss Robert Gay.

### Car Hits Telephone Pole, Driver Fatally Stricken

WACO (UP)—Death of George Bagby, 45, was caused by heart failure induced by the shock of excitement when his automobile careened into a telephone post, Justice Jim Guthrie announced.

### Negro Who Stabbed Wife As She Entered Taxi Is Hunted Here

Officers Thursday were looking for the husband of a negro woman stabbed Wednesday night as she sought to enter a taxi. She was not seriously injured by a cut in the right shoulder, and Thursday was staying at a brother's home in the northwest part of town.

### ACROSS IS BROKE

NEW YORK (UP)—Nita Naldi, once a highly paid star of the screen, confessed yesterday she was broke, possessing no cash, bank account, trust funds, or anything else. She recently filed a petition in bankruptcy and was being questioned by the attorney of her chief creditor, a fur firm to whom she owes \$1,000.

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### I.O.O.F. Members Visit Colorado

Eighteen members of the Big Spring I. O. O. F. lodge attended a meeting of the Colorado lodge Wednesday evening, at which lodge work was put on by members of a number of lodges.

At the Colorado meeting in addition to the Big Spring representatives there were 14 from Sweetwater, one from Hominy, Okla., one from Athens, three from Combs, one from Palava, 5 from Stanton, and 12 of the Colorado lodge.

## THE SUCCESSFUL FISHERMAN



This hitherto unpublished picture of President Hoover, broadly smiling as he battled with one of the large sailfish he caught on his recent trip to Florida, was made by his secretary, Lawrence Richey. It is considered one of the best informal pictures ever taken of the President. (Associated Press Photo)

## New Conservation Order Covering Howard-Glasscock Field Issued

AUSTIN (AP)—The railroad commission Thursday issued a conservation order for the Howard-Glasscock field, dividing it into east and west pools, effective February 1. Top allowable of 14,000 barrels daily was continued. Each well placed on marginal well allowance, and on ratio basis of daily potential of individual wells and total of the field potential.

## Truck, \$10,000 Load Of Goods Taken By Gang

Houston Truck Company's Driver Reports Robbery Near Waco

WACO (AP)—George L. Johnson, driver for a Houston truck company, reported to police Thursday four armed men in an automobile took his truck, trailer and a cargo of merchandise from him ten miles from Waco early Thursday. The men tied Johnson and two companions to fence posts. Houston headquarters told police value of the merchandise was \$10,000.

## Nazi Leader Reconsiders Refusal To Support Cabinet

BERLIN (AP)—German politics took a sensational turn Thursday when Adolf Hitler informed President von Hindenburg he had reconsidered making his support of a "presidential" cabinet conditional upon his own appointment to the chancellorship.

## Charges Filed After Killing At Bowie

MONTAQUE (UP)—Charges of murder were filed against two men, alleged slayers of Ole Stewart, 27, attacked because he remonstrated with three strangers who made uncomplimentary remarks about Bowie, Stewart's home town.

## Death Of Woman Found In Woods Is Mystery

COORIGAN, Tex. (AP)—Officers investigating the slaying of an unidentified young woman whose body, partly covered with leaves and twigs, was found in the woods near here Thursday faced what appeared to be insoluble mystery with nothing to give a clue to the victim's identity.

## House Votes For Inquiry By Committee

### Administration In Big Field Under Fire Before Legislature

AUSTIN (AP)—The house Thursday adopted a resolution authorizing its oil, gas, and mining committee to conduct an investigation of the administration of the railroad commission of oil promotion and conservation in the East Texas field.

## Glass Banking Bill Is Passed

### Action Taken By Senate After Quieting Of Huey

WASHINGTON (AP)—Climaxing a two-year effort that included breaking one of the longest filibusters of a "lame-duck" session, Virginia's 75-year-old senator, Carter Glass, put through the senate his bill to make far-reaching changes in the nation's banking laws.

An overwhelming vote of 54 to 9 sent the measure to the house where leaders have said a combination of opposition and other waiting legislation would block a vote on it there before this congress dies.

The Virginia democrat, a former secretary of the treasury and mentioned as holder of the same post under President-elect Roosevelt, squelched the opposition by circulating a petition to invoke the rigid cloture debate-limiting rule.

Thirty-seven senators, including a dozen or more republicans and five senators who opposed the cloture last week, signed the petition in less than an hour and it was evident the required two-thirds to adopt it was available if Glass called it.

Predict Bill Dead  
In the face of this threat Senators Long of Louisiana and Thomas of Oklahoma, democratic leaders of the filibuster, announced they would no longer delay the bill, but predicted it was as good as "dead." Thomas proposed a unanimous consent agreement restricting debate more than cloture would have done and calling for a vote before adjournment tonight.

He and Long both gave assurances of their good faith by withholding any amendments, and in less than two hours after the agreement to limit debate was reached the bill was passed.

Long, paired against the bill, was absent when the vote was taken. The measure calls for more than 25 changes in the national and federal reserve acts designed to curb bank failures, assist depositors of closed banks and stop the flow of federal reserve credit to speculative channels.

Two Amendments  
Before passage two important amendments were adopted. One, by Senator Steiwer (R., Ore.) would give the comptroller of the currency permissive power to reopen banks on petition of depositors representing 65 per cent of the deposits.

The other, by Senator Gore (D., Okla.) would make it a misdemeanor for any executive officer or a reserve member bank or his relatives to borrow from that bank. The maximum penalty for violating this section was fixed at one year in prison and \$5,000 fine, while the banks involved would have to pay not more than \$10,000.

## The Weather

Big Spring and vicinity—Fair tonight and Friday. Colder tonight and Friday. Colder tonight and warmer in the extreme west portion Friday.	
East Texas—Partly cloudy and colder tonight. Friday generally fair, somewhat colder in the east and south portions.	
New Mexico—Fair tonight and Friday. Colder tonight.	
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### Conoco Prize Contest Ends February 26

\$10,000 In Awards Offered For Name Of New Gasoline

CONCO CITY, Okla.—Accepted as an expression of confidence in the business outlook for 1933 was announcement here today by Continental Oil company of the approval of the largest advertising budget in the company's history, coincident with the release of an advertising campaign announcing a \$10,000 prize contest in connection with the introduction of Conoco's new bronze high test gasoline.

ing budget be the largest in the company history," said President Dan Moran, "but the major portion of the appropriation will be devoted to the purchase of newspaper space." The \$10,000 prize contest, which is being announced today in newspaper advertising throughout the country, offers \$5,000 as a grand prize for the best name for Conoco's new bronze gasoline, and \$5,000 in 54 cash prizes for the best slogans describing the merits of the new high test gasoline. The contest opening today, will close February 26.

### 14-Year-Old Violin Prodigy Years For Engineer's Career

HOUSTON, (UP)—Raphael Flegal, a bright-eyed youth of 14 who is acclaimed as a genius by those who have heard him play the violin, would like to be an engineer. He considers it the tragedy of his life that he must spend long

hours practicing for a career which he believes will not be half so thrilling as engineering. He is philosophical about it, however. "I'd like to be an engineer," he said, "but I guess I'll continue my musical career instead." Young Flegal appeared as guest soloist Jan. 23 with the Houston Symphony orchestra. He came here several years ago from Chicago where his uncle plays the cello in the Chicago symphony. Fast-moving music with plenty of "noise" is Raphael's favorite type. His favorite composer is Bach and the greatest musician of all time, he thinks, is Fritz Kreisler.

### Unfilled Orders Of Texas Textile Mills Five Million Yards

AUSTIN, (UP)—Unfilled orders of Texas textile mills at the close of 1932 amounted to 5,893,000 yards, the highest total since the close of 1929, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business research. The total at the close of 1932 was 7,032,000. Several other evidences of improved conditions in this industry were pointed out. First, the rate of decline in production for 1932 was not as great as for the preceding year. Total production reached 45,962,000 yards for 1932, a decline of 1.8 per cent from the 46,822,000 yards produced in 1931 which was 15 per cent under that of 1930. Although unfilled orders and sales usually decline during December, the report said, in 1932 there was an increase in both.

### Shoe Men To Study Possible Effect Of Sales Tax On Trade

FORT WORTH, (UP)—A state sales tax and its effect on the shoe trade will be discussed in open forum by dealers here for the joint convention of the Texas Shoe R-

tailers, Oklahoma Shoe Retailers, and Southwest Shoe Travelers Association, Feb. 6 to 8. Opposition to the tax from Texas and El Paso convention delegates may lead the joint convention to vigorously condemn the proposed revenue measure, according to Dave L. Tandy, convention chairman. Among leaders in the shoe industry scheduled to speak are Miss Elizabeth Ambrose, New York stylist; Buford Jones, vice president of the Dunn-McCarthy Shoe company, Auburn, N. Y.; James H. Stone, Chicago, secretary-manager of the National Shoe Retailers Association.

### Former Big Spring Men Leaders At Gladewater Chamber's Annual Feast

Two former Big Springs men, Dr. James R. Barcus and W. T. (Tanlac) Strange, were leading figures at the annual banquet of the Gladewater Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening, January 24, the program for the affair shows. Dr. Barcus is president of the organization, and was toastmaster at the banquet. Mr. Strange, who is an architect, delivered one of his popular humorous addresses on "Tanlac." Among speakers were Ollie E. Webb, assistant to the president of the Texas & Pacific Railway company, and Hubert Harrison, manager of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce.

### OLD BELL RINGS AGAIN FORT WORTH, (UP)—An old bell that called Fort Worth's citizens to fires, funerals and weddings half a century ago rang out again this month.

The bell was rung in celebration of the 78th anniversary of the founding of Masonic lodges in Fort Worth. It once hung in the tower of the first Masonic lodge here.

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TODAY and TOMORROW

The Roosevelt-Hoover Meeting

Mr. Hoover has shown a high public spirit by the manner in which he has put aside pride of opinion in order to find ways of bridging the gap between the two administrations.

This way was found by Secretary Stimson. It proved to be nothing more complicated than to talk calmly and thoroughly with Mr. Roosevelt.

These negotiations are not a point where American policy is crystallized as it is, for example, in the Stimson Doctrine.

How Mr. Hoover and Mr. Roosevelt are to set in motion the necessary negotiations for the time being their own business.

It is something more than a coincidence that the attempt to push along negotiations in the field of debts, monetary policy and related questions, should come at a moment when Congress has virtually abandoned the effort to balance the budget.

The notion held by so many of the currency inflationists in congress and elsewhere that the American price level can be detached from the world price level and raised artificially, or that the world level can be detached from American price levels, is a vain delusion.

Nor does any one contribute anything to the solution by crying out that this is internationalism and therefore desirable. This delusion is international in its origin, but it is international in spite of the fact that international bankers also think it is an international crisis.

It is international even though one man likes England but does not like France, though the other man likes France but distrusts England.

In so far as the world price level can be controlled by human agencies, it is necessary to work through the agencies which control it.

She's A Honey!



DOROTHY LOU KENNEDY, above, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Kennedy, is five months, ten days of age.

Collins' Team Goes In Lead

Baptists Beat Aces In Other Game Of City League

Collins Bros. moved into the leadership of the city basketball league Monday by disregarding dope to defeat the strong Christians 17-14 in a closely contested game.

With eight points, Charley Wilson led the Baptists on their success. Both Stemberge and Morton followed closely with seven each.

Table with columns: RAPTISTS, ACES, COLLINS, CHRISTIANS. Rows list players and scores.

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Fences Being Moved Back On Highway Nine. Long stretches of fence are being moved back by the county on highway No. 9.

H. Gilliam of San Antonio will relieve L. B. Williams manager of the Union Bus Terminal, who left on a short visit Sunday.

W. H. Martin Named Secretary Of This District For Church

The Rev. W. H. Martin of the local Episcopal church was again elected secretary of the missionary district of North Texas.

Mr. V. Van Gieson of this city was re-elected treasurer of the Women's Auxiliary work of the district.

Lubbock was selected as host city for 1933. Almost 100 visitors and delegates attended the meeting.

The highlight of Monday morning's program was Mrs. Svenson's address. She stressed the World Day of Prayer, to be observed March 3, and World Peace.

Delegates were given a 1 p. m. luncheon at the Hotel Wooten, and at 2:30 p. m. departed in automobiles on a pilgrimage to Callahan county.

At the Sunday supper hour, the delegates were guests of the young peoples service league who entertained in the parish house.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull and baby daughter spent the forepart of the week visiting friends and relatives in Coahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lacy and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jackson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hamrick spent Sunday and Monday with their daughter, Mrs. Howard Newton, of Lamesa.

Lowie and Bob Wheeler spent Monday with W. P. Petty.

Lives In Dallas, Farms In Valley



Living in Northeast Texas and farming in the Rio Grande Valley 551 miles away makes Andy Burke, American Airways pilot on the line between Dallas and Brownsville, what is believed the champion long distance farmer of Texas if not anywhere.

The attempt to defate Didrikson since she turned professional is not confined altogether to her erstwhile comrades of the Amateur Athletic Union.

"What," he writes, "is so very thrilling about seeing even Babe turn down the track at a speed about equal to the average football player in his full football equipment?"

"Not a word about our own northwest swimmer, Helene Madison, who not only was a double Olympic champion but also was one of a championship relay team in the same Olympics.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davidson, of White.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newton visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wooten Sunday afternoon.

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Westbrook

Mrs. Leon Counts of Hawley is at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Harper, who is ill.

Mrs. Wilbur Barnes of Kilgore is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Castelman and little son, accompanied by Misses Odessa Cook and Hazel Goss of Oakland, Calif., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Castelman last week.

Miss Johnnie Boyce of Coahoma was the guest of Miss Margaret Lassiter Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Johnson returned to their home in Los Angeles, Calif., Saturday after an extended visit here, with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pearcey are visiting in Gorman this week.

Mrs. Floyd Gresset of Mentone is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Alexandre.

Mrs. E. A. Parker of Lorraine was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. U. Parker Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Garber of Mentone visited Mrs. Nellie Van Horn Saturday.

Mrs. Burr Brown spent Sunday in Lorraine.

Sport Slants

The attempt to defate Didrikson since she turned professional is not confined altogether to her erstwhile comrades of the Amateur Athletic Union.

"What," he writes, "is so very thrilling about seeing even Babe turn down the track at a speed about equal to the average football player in his full football equipment?"

"Not a word about our own northwest swimmer, Helene Madison, who not only was a double Olympic champion but also was one of a championship relay team in the same Olympics.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davidson, of White.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Newton visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wooten Sunday afternoon.

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Enforcement - Not Repeal

The case for prohibition is well stated in a communication sent by the W. C. T. U. to the Women's Organization for National Prohibition Reform, which had asked us why we don't join their repeal move; and also asked what the W. C. T. U. is fighting for.

"To discourage the use of alcohol because it is a dangerous, habit-forming narcotic drug," and oppose by every proper means the legal manufacture of and traffic in beverage alcohol.

"We have tried moral suasion, going even to the extent of visiting the saloon keepers on our knees to cease this deadly traffic. We have supported high license and low license. We have tried local option, county option, state prohibition, and in the case of one state, government control.

"President Hoover was right when he said that the Eighteenth Amendment 'smashed the old regime like a stroke of lightning. No other plan has ever done that, until some better and more constructive measure has been proposed and adopted by the government in power, we support the Eighteenth Amendment.'"

"What of it?" we may agree, but give the Babe her due; she is now doing only what Madison, Bauch, Holm, Tolan and most of our other Olympic or college athletic stars are doing to capitalize their name and fame.

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Pharmacy Board Report Filed By Auditor Lynn; State Psychopathic Hospital Construction Criticized

AUSTIN (UP)—Moore Lynn, state auditor and efficiency expert, filed his final report on a survey and audit of the state board of pharmacy.

"We are to have a sales tax, one third of it should be retained by the counties in order that the county and school real estate tax might be reduced.

"The architect's office is more than 250 miles from Galveston and the fee involved was too small to justify the time for study and supervision which the successful completion of such a highly specialized plan involves."

Among criticisms are that the hospital was defective in facilities; that iron pipelines buried in walls and under floors already beginning to give out in the joints; that the conduit accommodating steam lines from John Sealy hospital is not waterproof; that windows of ward floors have been partly barred with a type of bar which seriously defaces the building but does not keep anyone from getting out.

Expense necessary to place piling under the building when it was located at Galveston made it necessary to pare expenditures, present Chairman Claude Teer of the state Board of Control said.

"The funds appropriated for the building of the hospital were ample to build a well-designed, soundly constructed, and thoroughly-erectable plant of its size, but it is estimated that 10 to 15 per cent of the total sum was wasted through bad planning and the results of such planning will continue to be reflected with material increases in cost of operation so long as the plant is occupied. The defects of original design can now be remedied without undue expense."

Location of such a hospital in a "remote corner of a state as large as Texas" is criticized. Location was by the legislature.

The auditor's report has been filed with the governor. The committee report, in printed volumes, was on house members' desk Monday and Harry Graves of the committee said it would be filed formally with the clerk Monday after noon.

City police were notified Monday of the theft of several hundred bars of toilet and laundry soap from a box car on siding at the Wooten Grocery company.

Appointment Is Objective

AUSTIN (AP)—Establishment of a Natural Resources commission to take over the duties now exercised by the railroad commission in oil and gas conservation was introduced in the house Tuesday.

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Revivals Topic Of East Fourth St. Baptist WMU

Mrs. S. M. Moreland was leader of the program on revivals, given at the East Fourth Street Baptist W. M. U., Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Moreland gave the first number, "Lord, Send Us a Revival," followed by Mrs. Turpin speaking on "Revivals and Pentecost and the General Awakening"; Mrs. Johnny McLeod on "The Great Revival of 1927"; Mrs. Low on "Present-Day Revivals"; Mrs. Monroe on "Some Things True of All Revivals"; and Mrs. Woodie W. Smith on "The Need of a Great Revival Today."

Those attending were: Mmes. S. H. Morrison; F. L. Turpin; L. Q. Low; W. L. Munroe; Woodie W. Smith; Ben Carpenter; Joe Phillips.

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Women To Continue Serving Wednesday Lunch

The women of the Methodist Church announced they will continue to serve those good luncheons that members of the Business Men's Luncheon Club enjoyed for so long, at the church every Wednesday noon.

The luncheon will be thrown open to the public at the price of 40 cents a plate. An orchestra will provide the music, but there will be no program. The seating will be at small tables.

The women are selling tickets in advance and announce that they will also be able to take care of people at the last minute.

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Public Records

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To G. C. Robinson to be a garage at 297 E. Third, estimated cost \$1,500.

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It seems certain companies have been threatened with official investigation unless they paid an amount of money. The evidence will be hard to get.

There is no indication that anyone in official position is involved. The private inquiry being directed at an attorney who has only a nominal official connection.

Some textile interests have joined the opposition to the farm bill. That may result in depriving it of three to five senate votes.

The strategy of the opposition lobby now favors delay. They think that if they can prevent action before March 4 they will be all right.

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NEW YORK

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France

The drain on France's gold from this country and elsewhere is assuming serious proportions.

Debts

The Hoover-Roosevelt decision to talk things over with our British debtor meets hearty approval.

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The Iron and Steel Institute headed by ex-Secretary of Commerce Lamont has been a disappointment to its sponsors.

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City

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Republicans

The committee headed by Charles F. Whitman is working for the unification of all republican elements in the city.

Garner

The man in Washington closest to Mr. Roosevelt is Garner.

Parade

The Socialists are supposed to be organizing quietly for a march on Washington inauguration day.

Commerce

Friends of Jesse Straus are backing him militantly for secretary of commerce.

Notes

Those nearest Garner whisper that he is not good enough sports to

Mrs. W. W. Inkman Club High Scorer

Mrs. Shine Phillips entertained the members of the Tuesday Luncheon Club with an enjoyable session at the Settles Hotel.

Christian Women Express Thanks To Business Firms

The members of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church desire to thank publicly the firms who helped them give the football banquet so successfully.

Mrs. Ferguson Loses Test In Senate Vote

AUSTIN—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, who has been governor of Texas since a week ago, lost her first contest in the senate when that body voted to deny her request to withdraw three appointments made by former Governor R. S. Sterling.

Upper House Denies Her Request 16 To 11 After Bitter Debate

The Sterling choices were Ben Tinsler of Garland, C. H. Chernock of Houston and Tom Garwood of Lubbock.

So And Sew Club With Mrs. Johnson

Mrs. J. H. Johnson entertained the members of the So and Sew Club Tuesday afternoon at her home at 1209 Gregg street with a very pleasant party.

Big Spring Man Home From Nicaragua With Last Marine Corps Group

QUANTICO, Va.—Staff Sergeant Ervin V. Masters, USMC, of Big Spring, Texas, is one of the United States Marine Corps fliers who recently returned to the aviation field at Marine Barracks, Quantico, Virginia, from active duty in Nicaragua.

Redistricting Bills Placed Before Solons

AUSTIN (AP)—Rearrangement of Texas' congressional districts to make room for 21 instead of 18 members of the national house of representatives from this state is proposed in two bills placed before the state legislature today.

Air Mail Line To San Antonio Soon To Be Abandoned

WASHINGTON (AP)—Postmaster General Brown informed the house post office committee Wednesday that he proposed to discontinue the air mail route between Big Spring and San Antonio, Texas.

Center Point School Score 845 Points For Standardization

Mrs. Pauline C. Brigham county superintendent, announced Wednesday that Center Point school had been scored and attained a 845 points of a possible 1,000, enabling the school to be standardized, saving for the term length requirement.

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Graduation Exercises Held For Seventh Grade Pupils Finishing Elementary Work During Semester

Graduation exercises for boys and girls who finished the seventh grade at the end of the first semester of the session were held Friday at Big Spring high school.

City Finances Reviewed For Rotary Club

Members of Rotary club at their regular meeting Tuesday noon at the Settles heard C. S. Holmes, scout commissioner Buffalo Trails Area, present the twenty-second annual charter to Troop No. 1, Big Spring, which is sponsored by the Rotary club.

Debt Requirements To Seale Down; Operation Costs Reduced

City Manager E. V. Spence appeared before the club and gave a talk on city finances, calling attention to the necessity of citizens paying their taxes on time required in meeting the city's required bonded indebtedness.

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Death Takes Chas. Nelson

Death claimed Charles Nelson, 23, native of Howard county, at 8:50 p. Tuesday following an illness of a few hours.

Native Of County Esteemed For Courageous Fight Against Injuries

Mr. Nelson, who was a strong candidate for county treasurer in the 1932 primary, was in town Monday afternoon and talked with a number of his many friends.

Rites Held For Mrs. Lozano, 50

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Heart Attack Fatal; Burial Thursday In Boyce, Louisiana

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700-Pound Elk Is Killed By Local Man In Oklahoma

George Hall came home Wednesday afternoon from a hunting trip in southwestern Oklahoma with a 700-pound bull elk which he shot Wednesday about 40 miles north-west of Fort Hill in the Washita mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Entertain At Settles

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Leslie entertained the Friendship League Club at the Settles Hotel Wednesday.



Jake Morgan Leads Steers To Victory Over Roby High School Lions 45 To 21

Woods, Woods And Hare With Townsend Accord Much Assistance In Continuation Of Unbroken String Of Wins

BY CURTIS HISHOP

Full, thin J. C. Morgan, who we call Jake because of a few years prior acquaintance when he was nothing but a skinny, awkward boy who would have sworn never would amount to anything, but who has since become Mister Morgan to the basketball clubs of District 4, almost single-handedly turned back the Roby Lions in the high school gym Friday evening as the Big Springs seniors took a 45 to 21 decision from Dalton Hill's quintet in the first game of a home and home series this week-end.

Morgan, to be truthful, had some help, but the idea is that he could have beaten Roby by himself if necessary. As it was he scored 23 points, dominated his club's offense entirely as the usually efficient Townsend loafed for a quarter and found himself benched in favor of Harris, and took a major share of the defensive burden as well when substitutes entered the local lineup in the second quarter and played most of the game.

The Steer basket expert made 'em with one hand under the basket, near the sidelines, and from far out on the floor. Twenty of his points were goals from scrimmage while he made good three out of five attempts from the foul line.

Most of Morgan's help came from Weldon Woods, Vander Woods, and Bucket Hare, who played neat defensive games at guard, Cecil Reid, who played less than two quarters at center, and Lillian Harris.

The Bovine defense checked the lightning like attack of Knesinger, stellar Roby forward, and the visitors' offensive burden was born by Burke, center, who accounted for eight of their points, tying with Harris of the locals for runner-up in the scoring column.

The Steers led all the way, piling up a 11 to 3 advantage at the end of the first quarter, leading 25 to 10 at the half, and countering 36 to 12 for Roby at the end of the third quarter.

Box score table with columns for player name, points, and other statistics.

Roby: Andrews, f. 2 0 1 0 4; Knesinger, f. 1 1 0 2 3; Ammonda, f. 2 0 1 1 2; Burke, c. 3 2 3 3 8; Davidson, g. 0 0 1 0 0; Justis, f. 1 2 0 4 4; Jones, g. 0 0 1 0 0; Total: 20 10 10 21.

Personally Speaking

Ray Simmons has returned from Fort Worth, where he has been on a business mission.

Shine Phillips was able to be down town Saturday for a short while. He has been suffering from an infection on his left foot.

Rev. J. Richard Spann has returned from Loraine, where he attended a meeting of Kingdom Extension Institute of the Methodist church.

Mrs. George Garrette left Saturday to attend the district convocation of the Episcopal church in Abilene as delegate from the local church. Mrs. V. Van Gleson went as district treasurer.

Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt has returned from a month's visit with her daughter in Gibson, Louisiana, and with relatives in Marshall and Kaufman. Mrs. Tamsitt was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Jane Tamsitt, of Marshall, who will visit relatives in Big Spring.

Miss Lena Smith of Colorado is visiting Miss Margaret Wade for a few days.

Mrs. Andrew Taylor, formerly of Big Spring, underwent a major operation in a hospital at Crosssett, Arkansas, recently and is reported improving satisfactorily.

Body Of Man Found Hanging In Freight Car

SLATON (SP)—Hanging by the neck, the body of an unidentified man was found in a freight car here about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Although Justice of the Peace E. H. Ward, before whom an inquest was conducted, had returned, Louis C. Paine left Friday night for Dallas, where he will spend the week-end with his family. He expects to bring Mrs. Paine and their infant son to Big Spring February 1. They make their home in the Settles hotel.

W. D. Wilson has gone to Goldthwaite to be with a brother who is very ill.

Rufus Elliott of Longview, formerly of this city, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Jim Ferguson Tells Job-Seekers They Must 'Lay Off' Officials

AUSTIN, (AP)—James E. Ferguson, in an impassioned address to men and women crowded the capital seeking work Saturday admonished them to lay off their shoulders and quit trying "to manhandle" the executive office and legislators.

Plane Falls Near Boerne Early Friday

Ray Fuller Was Flying Alone From Big Spring To San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—The dead body of Ray Fuller, air mail pilot who had been missing since shortly after 2 a. m. Friday, was reported to have been found in the wreckage of his ship near Boerne Saturday afternoon.

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—The wrecked plane of Ray Fuller, missing air mail flyer, was sighted near Boerne Saturday afternoon.

There was no report of Fuller himself having been found.

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Parties searching the hilly country north of Boerne for Ray Fuller, missing air mail pilot, had only a parachute flare to encourage them Saturday.

The flare, found near a highway, was identified as belonging to Fuller's plane.

Fuller was last heard from shortly after 2 a. m. Friday when he communicated by radio with Winburn field here.

Ray Fuller, considered an almost invincible pilot, left here at 11 p. m. Thursday on his regular run to San Antonio. He made the usual stop at San Angelo about midnight and took off for San Antonio immediately, following the lighted airway. His plane normally maintained speeds of 100 to 110 miles per hour.

He was last heard from when he told radio operators at ground stations at San Antonio, Big Spring and other points on America Airways lines that the weather was "getting tough." That was shortly after 2 a. m. It was reported he had little fuel at that time. Passengers are not carried on the Big Spring-San Antonio route.

After leaving here about five hours behind the usual schedule it was reported fog became thick along the lower section of the route.

In a chance conversation here late Thursday with a newspaperman Fuller said that he had been getting "tough breaks" from the weather ever since his return January 7 from a month's leave of absence, due to the illness and death of his mother at Platt, South Dakota.

Fuller has been flying a number of years. He is seen on regular duty on this line about a year. Two pilots alternate on duty on this line. Fuller spent every other day in Big Spring and has many friends here. He is an ex-service man and interested in activities of ex-service organizations.

Contract For Forsan School Awarded Here

Auditorium And Gymnasium To Be Housed; Cost Set at \$2,600

J. T. Walkup Friday was awarded the contract to construct in addition to the Forsan school building. His bid, \$2,600, was the lowest of five received. Plans and specifications for the structure were made by E. B. Ribble, local florist and architect. The addition will house a combination gymnasium and auditorium.

Other bids were: E. M. LaBelf, \$2,290; Clyde Dooley, \$2,897; Mr. Wood, \$2,749.75; Cooney Morgan, \$2,693.

Glascock Game Bird Moratorium Provided By Bill

Senator K. M. Regan of Pecos has introduced in the forty-third legislature a bill providing for a closed season on quail, doves and pheasants in Glascock county for a period of three years.

The bill carried the emergency clause and its provisions will become effective immediately after signature by the governor if it is approved by both houses. The bill known as senate bill No. 34, was referred to the senate committee on state affairs.

A similar measure was introduced by Penrose B. Metcalfe, representative in the lower house, in the last special session of the 42nd legislature, but after passage was recalled from the governor's desk and withdrawn.

Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co. Opens Branch Store Here

Sweetwater Cotton Oil company has opened a new branch store in the Planters' Gin building at 300 West North second street, with Raymond L. Bull, a resident

Sport Slants

BY ALAN GOULD

"Sleepy Jim" Crowley, Fordham University's new head football coach, comes quite naturally by his gridiron upbringing when you take a peek at the background of this particular member of the celebrated "Four Horsemen."

Crowley was born in Chicago but acquired his schoolboy training and knowledge in football in the east Green Bay (Wisconsin) High School, from where he was graduated in 1921. If there's any spot in the country where they take their football more seriously or contribute more to the game, per capita, than Green Bay, Wisconsin, we do not at the moment know about it. This applies to amateur as well as professional football.

"Sleepy Jim" never played with the Green Bay Packers or any other professional outfit after leaving Notre Dame. No doubt they would have liked to had him in the backfield but Crowley, under Rockne's guidance, hitched his career to a coaching star that is still on the ascendent.

ROCKS' PRIZE PUPIL He is only 30 years old now but football men will tell you that Crowley is the closest approach to a coach and an individual figure that has come out of Notre Dame within the last ten years. He was successful as an assistant to Harry McHre at

Big Spring for the past five years, as manager. Mr. Bull has been with the Planters' Gin company the past fall as bookkeeper, and entered upon his new duties Saturday as manager of the new feed store.

A fresh stock of dairy, ranch and chicken feeds have been placed in stock, and also a full line of Sweeto Brand feeds will be handled.

Breakdown Of Proration Sought By Major Companies Rail Commissioner Charges During East Texas Hearing

TYLER (UP)—Intimation was given here that the State Railroad Commission believes major oil companies are cutting crude prices to break proration. The intimation came from Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson in the course of a hearing on pipeline practices at which testimony of lease owners was taken.

T. L. Winn, attorney for the Golden-Murchison Company, Dallas, had asked a thorough investigation of production and price-cutting.

"It looks to the commission as if big companies are cutting the price to break proration," Commissioner Thompson said. "It looks as if now that proration has grown up and is kicking its daddy in the pants, they are against it."

The intimation began after it was learned the president of the Stanolind Purchasing Company, Tulsa, and Sam Ross, president of the East Texas Landowners Association, were not present. Both had been summoned to appear.

Ross was expected to appear at the Friday afternoon session and A. M. McCorkle, Fort Worth, representing Stanolind, said he would communicate with Ellison. Ross had been summoned because it was understood he supplied information on which was based a proposal for the legislature to investigate field practices. Ellison was summoned to specify as to overproduction mentioned when Stanolind cut prices of crude this week.

Said Would Appear The commission had been advised Ellison would appear. L. G. Griffin, Kilgore farmer, testified first, telling of leases on his property operated by the American Liberty Company and the Golden-Murchison Company, Dallas. The wells are connected to Atlantic pipelines and he received checks and production reports from Golden-Murchison, he said.

Under questioning of Senator Tom Pollard, Tyler, attorney for independent, the witness said he received no reports of overproduction. Griffin said attempts to force several months operation of the leases by his son, Barton Griffin.

M. M. Martin of Pecos will talk on "Membership" and J. Vance Wallace, representative of the national association, from Dallas, will talk on "National Consumer Reporting."

A luncheon will then be held in the private dining room of Hotel Schabauer and the afternoon program will continue the series of talks.

"Importance of Giving Prompt Service from one Bureau to Another" will be the subject of an address by C. R. Pennington, Abilene secretary. "Operation of the Loan Bank in Connection with Retail Merchants" will be discussed by W. S. Pickett of San Angelo, Mrs. H. F. Ballard of Sweetwater will give a talk on credit reporting.

Election of officers and selection of the next meeting place will conclude the business session.

HOUSE DEMOCRATS SAY 57 MILLIONS SAVED HOOPER HOLDS 15 MILLIONS ADDED IN BILLS

WASHINGTON (AP)—A new money bill said to appropriate \$5,284,000 less than the budget asked was presented in the house Saturday at the same time as a dispute was in full swing

between President Hoover and the Democratic leadership over reductions in federal expenditures.

The president said house Democrats had not cut expenditures 57 millions of dollars on the first five appropriation bills as Chairman Burns, of the appropriations committee, claims that they actually had increased their fifteen millions.

TODAY and TOMORROW

The Beer Bill

Between May and December the House of Representatives has almost exactly reversed its vote on the legislation of beer. In May the O'Connell-Hull bill was approved by 42 per cent of those voting; on

Wednesday the Collier Bill was approved by 58 per cent of those voting. Considering the fact that this Congress was elected when both parties were officially dry, and the fact that the House would almost certainly have voted to submit a resolution for complete repeal had Mr. Garner been a little more considerate of its feelings, there is no longer any doubt that Federal prohibition is nearing its end.

The question naturally arises as to whether it is better to remove Federal prohibition in two stages or in one. The beer bill is an attempt to remove it in two stages; by allowing a light beer while the ratification of complete repeal is in progress. The bill has, of course, still to be approved by the senate, the President and the courts. Its final passage into law is, therefore, doubtful, but purely for argument's sake it may be assumed that beer is legalized before the end of June.

There are three principal advantages in the beer bill. One is that it will provide at least some new revenue for next year. The second is that it will provide some stimulus to trade, construction and employment. The third is that it will help to prepare the country for the problems which it must deal with after prohibition is repealed.

The amount of revenue obtainable from light beer is largely a matter of guess work. The Treasury thinks that in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934, a tax of 35 cents on 2.75 per cent beer might yield between 125 and 150 millions. The House Ways and Means Committee thinks that 3.2 per cent beer might yield 300 millions. Nobody knows. But that there is some revenue to be had is not disputed.

There would also be some revenue obtainable by states and municipalities and it might well be that the beer bill would help them more, relatively speaking, than it would help the federal government.

The possibilities of revenue turn largely on two questions: whether 3.2 per cent beer will find a good market and how heavily this beer can be taxed without making bootlegging profitable. For it is necessary to bear in mind always that the illegal liquor traffic and its underworld organization can not be destroyed except by providing better legal liquor at more reasonable prices. In the last analysis, the only effective remedy for the liquor racket is a competition which will bankrupt it.

The general economic benefits of legal beer can not be measured and are also largely guesswork. It is reasonable to suppose, however, that if 3.2 per cent beer appeals to the public taste, new capital will be profitably invested in breweries and in places of sale. The House committee believes that \$360,000,000 would be invested within the next year for rehabilitation and modernization of breweries. If that estimate is correct this investment would just about make up for the retrenchment on unproductive public works which the federal government will almost certainly be forced to make. A certain amount of money would probably be employed also in providing places where beer could be drunk. It has been suggested, for example, that in a city like New York, where there is an enormous over-supply of theaters, the structures could be rebuilt into beer halls, such as exist in Europe, where people could eat and drink and be entertained. With a little imagination and ingenuity effective competitors to the saloon and the speakeasy might well be created where people might drink in a civilized way.

However, the chief advantage of the beer bill, to my mind, would lie in its power to awaken the people to the need of preparing a regulation of the liquor traffic to take the place of prohibition. It is rather startling to think how near the country is to repeal and how little thought has as yet been given to the system which is to follow it.

For repeal does not solve the liquor problem; it merely restores the problem to the states. Liquor will remain a problem after repeal, and there is no time to be lost in deciding how each state intends to deal with it.

Yet the fact is that the American

people do not like to bother about a question until it is thrust upon them and there is no avoiding it. It is not part of our practice to look ahead and prepare theoretical solutions. We prefer to collide with events. Under the shock of the collision we generally act very rapidly. We have had more than ten years of prohibition, and we are about to abolish it, but no reliable inquiry has been made, unless it be that by the unhappy Wickersham Commission, into the problems raised by the repeal of prohibition. It is like the war debts. Up to about the first of December the powers that be would not touch the question with a ten-foot pole, though it has been clearly in evidence for eighteen months; now suddenly the question must be settled in a terrific hurry.

The chief value of legalizing beer is that it would be an event, concrete and real enough to bring home to us the fact that we were no longer debating prohibition but were actually repealing it. Beer, as it would be sold under the Collier Bill, would unquestionably develop abuses; it would unquestionably force the community to realize that something actually has to be done to regulate liquor after the Eighteenth Amendment is repealed.

It is on this ground, I think, that the method of repealing prohibition in two stages can best be justified.

Bathing Pool Plans Nearly Ready For City

Self-Liquidating Federal Loan Will Be Sought

Plans for a municipal natatorium are being drawn by N. L. Peters and are expected to be received here late this week.

Construction of the proposed bathing pool is to be financed by an R. F. C. self-liquidating loan, receipts alone paying for the project.

In event the pool is installed it will be located on the slope immediately south of the City Park, modern bathing houses, sanitary facilities, water chlorinator, and will be supervised at all times. Water drained from the natatorium will be used in watering the park.

E. V. Spence, city manager, pointed out that no funds except from operation of the pool would be used to pay for it.

"In fact," he said, "R. F. C. is very emphatic about prohibiting taxation as a means to repay a loan. The property owners of Big Spring will not be taxed one dime to repay the loan if it is obtained. Only those who patronize the pool will pay for it."

Two Independent Oil Association Select Local Men Officials

Joseph Edwards of Big Spring recently was named regional vice president and a director of the Texas Oil and Gas Commission association. Ben LeFever, midcontinent manager for the American Marcellite company with offices here, also was made a director.

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### Interest On Debt Of Government Eats Up Large Part Of Tax Money

#### Total Of Twenty Billions Represents Twenty Dollars Per Minute Since Birth Of Christ

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WASHINGTON (UP)—Interest on government debt is eating up a lion's share of tax money and is causing increasing talk of possible ways to scale down this load.

Of every dollar spent by the government, more than 19 cents goes to pay interest.

The government, like railroads, farm owners, business houses and individuals, is bogged down by debt.

Fiscal experts regard this as an excessive load. It is growing each year. Interest charges this year will amount to \$695,000,000. Next year they will jump to \$725,000,000, according to treasury forecasts. This is the largest single item in the budget now except veterans relief.

Cutting this charge down will be one of the first problems confronting the Roosevelt administration. Unofficial talk centers around plans for offering new securities at lower interest rates as substitutes for government bonds now out. Patriotic appeals would have to be made to encourage the public voluntarily to accept a reduction in interest returns.

It is estimated that probably half of the government bonds are held by banks and other large institutions. The other half is believed to be in the hands of small individual holders.

Great Britain recently converted its debt to a lower rate at a saving of millions of dollars a year. The problem is a delicate one and Washington's cautious discussion now is entirely speculative.

A new figure explains the story behind the sharp rise in the federal income taxes which the average person will begin struggling to pay by March 15.

Federal expenses reached a new high post-war level last year. So did the government deficit.

Key figures:

1931—Expenditures, \$4,219,900,000; receipts \$3,317,200,000.

1932—Expenditures, \$5,006,000,000; receipts \$2,121,000,000.

1933—Expenditures (est.) \$3,771,000,000; receipts (est.) \$2,620,000,000.

Deficits:

1931—\$902,700,000.

1932—\$2,885,000,000.

1933—\$1,151,000,000 (est.)

The total debt of the United States now stands at more than \$20,000,000,000. It is an inconceivable sum. One of the best ways to visualize it is to consider it the equivalent of \$20 for each minute since the birth of Christ.

The cost of carrying this debt is one of the obstacles to large-scale economic. Out of every \$100 paid out by the government, \$19.20 goes toward paying interest.

\$14.15 goes toward reducing the debt.

\$7.60 goes toward pensions, etc.

\$15.53 goes toward national defense.

The remaining \$23.51 covers all other operating expenses of the federal government.

Receipts declined 47.9 per cent between 1930 and 1932. Expenses increased 19 per cent in 1932 over the previous year. Since 1929 they have increased 30 per cent.

### Short Course To Be Held For Women At Settles In February

#### All Howard county women—living town and country—are reminded of the approaching Short Course to be given at the Settles Hotel on Feb. 10, 11.

The idea of the short course was originated by the local home demonstration club members and at present business women of the county ask that other women understand that it is not for men alone.

Miss Gladys Kimbrough of the Ball Fruit Jar Co., and Miss Sallie Hill of A. & M. district home demonstration agent are two of the prominent women speakers who will be on the women's division of the program.

Miss Kimbrough and Miss Hill will devote most of the time to classes in canning, proper menu combination, and meal details. Some of the women have asked Miss Hill to conduct a class in bedroom furnishing also.

Wide awake rural women have already realized that the food needs of their families can be taken care of at the minimum of expense by proper methods of canning; said the club leaders.

They have learned that canning with a steam pressure cooker and processes is not a difficult and intricate job and need not be left to manufacturers. Many Howard county women by canning their summer surplus have already provided themselves with a pantry filled with good things for the table that they would have otherwise done without. This applies to town and country women alike.

Although the home demonstration clubs of Howard county are responsible for the visits of these two speakers, they extend a hearty invitation to all town women who want to learn a sure way of providing their families with plenty of good meals throughout the coming winter.

### Hoover And Roosevelt Agree Upon Discussion Of War Debt Problem With English Representative Soon

#### WASHINGTON (AP)—President Hoover and President-elect Roosevelt in Friday's White House conference agreed upon a discussion of war debts with representatives of England, take place in March after a change of administration.

The White House statement issued after an hour and a half meeting said official talks with England would include also economic problems of the world and "ways and means for improving the world situation." Roosevelt let it be known he planned to make a statement after leaving the city.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Likelihood that President-elect Roosevelt will empower some one to speak for him to an extent in early discussions with war debtors was foreseen in administration quarters Friday while he and President Hoover went into related matters at the White House.

No verification from the quarter close to Roosevelt of the suggestion comes except that a move by him in debt matters was imminent.

### Cosmetics Especially Adapted To Climate Of West Texas Perfected

LUBBOCK—For the past four years, Lubbock as a base, a group of research chemists have been working to perfect a line of cosmetics especially adapted to the needs of women living in windy, arid regions of the Southwest.

The fruits of their labor have answered the demands of women living in West Texas for a complete line of scientifically prepared cosmetics particularly adapted to their special needs. This is a challenge to the old idea that cosmetics to be good must come from abroad or from New York City, where the makers are thousands of miles from the climatic conditions that will affect the users of their products.

Leading merchants throughout West Texas and New Mexico are presenting this new line of cosmetics as quickly as its new West Texas plant can supply them.

The company is known as the Gilliam Chemical Company and is located at Lubbock, Texas. Charmes (pronounced sharmay) is the name of this new facial line and it is one of the most carefully compounded lines on the market.

This new line of cosmetics introduces many new features in facial care; every woman has her choice of three types of cleansing cream as Charmes offers a special cleanser for the three predominant types of skin; dry, medium and oily. The Charmes Face Powder is remarkable for its smoothness and clinging quality, and is free of oils and greasy ingredients in many powders that aggravate and in some cases causes hay fever. Every item that the Gilliam Chemical Company manufactures is of the best quality and is made from the highest and purest grades of materials obtainable.

The organization of the Gilliam Chemical Company is another step forward in the industrial growth and development of the great southwest. Many salesmen have been given jobs and a number of people have been given work in various capacities at the new factory which will move with greater speed.

### Fruit Juice From California Flown To Diners In Europe

Diners in the capitals of Europe may soon be able to sip fresh orange juice from California preserved by a special quick-freezing process if a test shipment via air express, which passed through here recently for New York, proves satisfactory, according to Jesse Maxwell, local traffic representative of American Airways.

"Provided the 21 pound shipment reaches its destination the expedient condition the producing company intends to next try a shipment to Europe to establish the practicability of transoceanic business," Mr. Maxwell said.

"Plans of the company for European shipping include the timing of shipments from California over the 28 hours schedule of General Air Express so as to reach New York just in time to be transferred to crack liners with delivery in Europe from California in a week or slightly less."

Frozen orange juice is a new commodity seeking new and distant markets via airline distribution and closely follows on the heels of efforts of fish and seafood merchants who have lately been experimenting with distant shipments of frozen fish and shelled oysters in asbestos containers.

### Jury Fails To Reach Verdict In Second Trial For Damages

Suit of Sidney Gurin, New Haven, Conn., youth against the Texas and Pacific Railway company, for damages must be tried a third time.

The jury in the second trial of the suit was discharged late Saturday when it informed Judge James T. Brooks of 32nd District Special Court, that it would be unable to agree on a verdict.

It was unofficially reported the jury stood 8 to 4 for the defendant corporation.

The case was set down for the March term of court, said the plaintiff's attorney, Clyde E. Thomas.

Gurin seeks damages because of the loss of a foot in an accident in the railroad yards east of the city.

Alvin H. Smith and Mrs. A. M. Ripps have returned from Lubbock where they went days ago when J. H. Smith, a brother to Alvin, became seriously ill. Mrs. H. Smith, mother of J. H., remained in Lubbock. While in Lubbock, Mrs. Ripps visited with her son, James, a junior in Tech.

### Odessa Man Pays Cash For Large Ranch

#### T. G. Hendrick Buys Presidio County Property For \$102,750

SAN ANGELO—T. G. Hendrick of Odessa closed a deal for 35,812 acres out of the eastern end of the old Arthur Mitchell ranch in Presidio county, which is now the property of F. A. Mitchell. The consideration was \$102,750. It was paid in cash. There was no debt against the land, and it represents one of the largest land deals of the last few months. Mr. Mitchell is the brother of W. B. Mitchell, president of the Highland Hereford Association, and himself one of the large cattle raisers of the Highlands hereof county.

Mr. Hendrick owned the sandy flats in Winkler county where the Winkler oil field was discovered five years ago. Crude brought real money in those days and there was more talk about proration than actual curtailment and money rolled in with an ever increasing rush.

100 Per Cent Liquid Bank  
When all banks failed in Odessa, Hendrick opened up the First National, where he now spends a good deal of his time. There are banks which boast about being "liquid"—which lots of people think is what is the matter with the country—but Mr. Hendrick has a bank that is 100 per cent liquid and then some. He does not loan his depositors money. He only loans his own and a part of the capital of the bank. All depositors can come to the First National Bank at any time and get either their money in cash or a cashier's check on some correspondent bank for the total of the bank's deposits.

Previous to the purchase of the Mitchell ranch, Mr. Hendrick bought the 24 section Paisano ranch from Mrs. P. H. Williams. This place adjoins the purchase from the Mitchells.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix and Mrs. Carl Svenson, of Lubbock, who have been attending the Episcopal Convocation at Abilene over the week-end, are expected in this afternoon to visit with relatives and friends before returning to their home.

### \$500,000 Asked For Reimbursement Of Farmers In Pink Bollworm Area

#### Metcalfe And Other House Members Representing Affected Area Plan Introduction Of Measure Monday

Members of the house representing the district in this section of the state that was affected by pink bollworm regulations of several years planned to introduce Monday a bill to appropriate \$500,000 to pay claims of farmers which have become due since amendment of the law in 1929 to authorize such payments.

Penrose E. Metcalfe, representing the district containing Howard county, said in a letter to constituents here that he had the measure prepared immediately after reaching Austin for the present session of the legislature and that all those who come from the affected area expect to co-operate and work for passage of this measure.

This will be the third attempt to have farmers in this section repaid for losses caused by their obedience to the regulations invoked by the state and federal departments of agriculture when slight infestation by the pink bollworm was discovered. The regulations were taken off much of the area some time ago.

Governor Dan Moody, on the plea that the measure as written at that time was unconstitutional, vetoed an appropriation bill for the purpose. Governor Ross Sterling, who had declared he favored such repayment, vetoed a measure providing appropriations totaling \$1,000,000 declaring that he did so because amendments passed tacking other appropriations than that for payment of pink bollworm claims were included in the measure, which, he said, was so drawn that he could not veto part and approve part of it.

### Blaze Destroys 10,000 Gallons Of Gasoline At Great West Plant Here

#### Employees Forced To Watch Fuel Go Up In Smoke After Efforts To Save It Almost Successful

Employees of the Great West Gasoline company and 50 firefighters watched expected momentarily to see the gigantic containers burst into a flaming mass.

A warehouse containing larger tanks, trucks and other equipment was unharmed.

Refinery workers noticed the "stop bucket" soon after it had ignited and rolled it outside. Flames on the interior were extinguished. Then the barrel was rolled off the platform but the blazing contents spilled under the house.

Loss was estimated at \$2500 by workers. It was not protected by insurance.

### Mrs. Ches Anderson Elected Head Of Elbow Home D. Club

#### Mrs. Ches Anderson was elected president of the Elbow Home Demonstration Club at its January meeting held Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Ches Anderson was elected president of the Elbow Home Demonstration Club at its January meeting held Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Lipcomb, former president, resigned.

Other new officers who will serve with Mrs. Anderson are Mrs. Hill, vice-president; and Mrs. Dave Leatherwood, secretary-treasurer.

The women decided that it was necessary to carry on the club work and that they would outline a course of study and have it ready for the next meeting, which will be a social at the home of Mrs. Ches Anderson on Feb. 2 at 2:30 o'clock.

Those attending were: Meses. Bob Asbury, Duke Lipcomb, Dave Leatherwood, Jack McKinnon, Ross Hill, James Caudle, Jim Caudle, McMurry, Ches Anderson.

### Repeal Of Robertson Law Again Asked

AUSTIN, (UP)—Bills introduced in the house of representatives include a group of measures regulating supervision of insurance and repeal of the present Robertson insurance act under which companies operating in the state are required to invest 75 per cent of their reserves in the state.

Attempts to repeal the act have been made at almost every legislative session since it was passed in 1907. The plea for repeal is that it caused big companies to withdraw and keep investment money out of the state rather than causing investment.

Rep. P. L. Anderson, San Antonio, renewed the attempt made by him at the last legislature to stamp out slot machines. His bill declares them a nuisance liable to seizure and destruction. Any machine which delivers more than the value of the coin deposited, dependent on chance or which delivers prizes of varying value or delivers various amounts of slugs or checks is condemned in the bill.

Other outstanding bills in the 146 offered were:

Requiring a party loyalty pledge from candidates in primary elections.

Decreasing the license fees on motorcycles, side cars and automobiles. Under the proposal motorcycles would pay \$4, side cars \$2 and automobiles a graduated fee which works out to \$2.80 on a 2000 pound car and \$11.25 on a 4500 pound car.

Authorizing county commissioners to pay \$20 a month pension to persons over 70 who have less than \$250 yearly income.

Providing for the state furnishing free Spanish text books in Mexican border counties with cities of 5000.

Licensing fish dealers.

Prohibiting suits over mineral claims to be started after five years acquiescence.

Creating one state tax board to take over all tax collecting functions now apportioned among various state departments.

The proposed automobile registration fee act calls for 14 cents per hundred pound weight on cars weighing up to 2000 pounds. Those between 2001 and 3500 pounds would pay 18 cents a hundred; those from between 3501 to 4500 24 cents a hundred and those over 4500 would pay 25 cents a hundred.

Anderson set a legislative record by introducing 15 bills in one day.

### Hyperion Club Elects Mrs. Fisher Head

#### Mrs. C. T. Watson Hostess 'The Cathedral' Reviewed

The Hyperion Club held a business meeting Saturday afternoon at home of Mrs. C. T. Watson, and elected officers who will take office with the first meeting of the next fiscal term.

Mrs. Albert M. Fisher was elected president; Mrs. J. T. Brooks, first vice president; Mrs. Steve Ford, second vice president; Mrs. L. Thomas, recording secretary; Mrs. Seth H. Parsons, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. R. T. Pine, treasurer. Appointive officers will be announced later.

The club also discussed its outline of study for next year.

Mrs. Ford gave a very nice review of Homer Walpole's "The Cathedral."

Mrs. Homer McNew will be the next hostess on February 4. The program will be given by Mrs. Frazier, who will review "Conrad in Quest of His Youth" and Mrs. Brooks who will review "Shepherd in Sackcloth."

### Body Of Ray Fuller, Air Mail Pilot, Started To Platte, South Dakota, For Burial Wednesday At Old Home Town

#### The body of Ray Fuller, 36, who was killed when his ship struck the side of a hill near Boerne Early Friday when he became lost in fog, was started from San Antonio Monday afternoon to Platte, South Dakota, where burial will be held Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Willard, representing American Airways, accompanied the body.

### School Meet Of County Set By Committee

#### March 24 And 25 Dates Fixed; Rules Listed By Directors Of Unit

Annual meet of the Howard County unit of the Texas Inter-school League will be held here March 24 and 25, the executive committee decided in a meeting here Saturday afternoon.

Miss Helen Hayden was named recording secretary of the county league, of which Leland L. Martin, school superintendent at Foran, is director general.

The league committee asked that all trophies other than permanent awards be returned to the office of the county superintendent of schools at once.

Directors of the various events of the county meet will secure judges for activities under their direction. These judges must be chosen and accepted by all schools participating in the event.

Senior boys and junior girls basketball tournament will be played in the Big Spring high school gymnasium February 3 and 4. Entries for both senior boys and junior girls must be in the hands of the director-general not later than Thursday, January 26. It will be necessary to send the names of the participants for the senior boys but this is not necessary for the junior girls. Warwick Toombs of Knott was selected to call the senior boys games, except those games in which his team participates. For these games a referee will be chosen by the two coaches. Ben Comand, requiring a party loyalty pledge from candidates in primary elections.

Decreasing the license fees on motorcycles, side cars and automobiles. Under the proposal motorcycles would pay \$4, side cars \$2 and automobiles a graduated fee which works out to \$2.80 on a 2000 pound car and \$11.25 on a 4500 pound car.

Authorizing county commissioners to pay \$20 a month pension to persons over 70 who have less than \$250 yearly income.

Providing for the state furnishing free Spanish text books in Mexican border counties with cities of 5000.

Licensing fish dealers.

Prohibiting suits over mineral claims to be started after five years acquiescence.

Creating one state tax board to take over all tax collecting functions now apportioned among various state departments.

The proposed automobile registration fee act calls for 14 cents per hundred pound weight on cars weighing up to 2000 pounds. Those between 2001 and 3500 pounds would pay 18 cents a hundred; those from between 3501 to 4500 24 cents a hundred and those over 4500 would pay 25 cents a hundred.

Anderson set a legislative record by introducing 15 bills in one day.

### Fuel Car Of T-P Due In City Tuesday

#### Supervisor Dix To Have Car Here For Two Meetings Of Men

L. E. Dix, fuel supervisor for the Texas and Pacific Railway company, will be here Tuesday and Wednesday for two meetings of the road car club. The car will be parked near the passenger station. All local employees are urged to attend meetings to be held at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday and 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in the car.

Successful bidders on the Big Spring-Baird local run, Texas and Pacific railway, are Charles Eberhart, conductor; F. L. Schull, brakeman; J. T. Allen, brakeman and T. E. Baker, brakeman, and have been assigned.

On account of changing of local runs between Big Spring and Baird the following engineers have been displaced by operation of the regular seniority rules, as listed: Engineer Bunally "bumped" Engineer Freeman, who displaced Engineer Kennedy on the west end. Kennedy goes to the east end and displaced Engineer Gilmore on trains 6 and 8, Gilmore displacing Pike who places himself in freight service, displacing the junior man.

Big Spring post office will continue to remain open on Saturday afternoon, Postmaster H. L. Bohannon said Saturday.

While the majority of other offices in this section are being closed on Saturday afternoon as an economy move, Bohannon has managed to arrange work so far as he can be accommodated here Saturday.

"I think we will be able to scrape around until we can arrange to stay open on Saturday afternoon this quarter," he said. Regular workers who normally would take the afternoon off get some other afternoon off.

### Duggan Made Member Of 10 Committees

#### New Senator From This District Introduced Early Bills

A. P. Duggan, new senator from this, the 30th district, has been appointed to ten of the 35 committees in the upper house of the forty-third legislature, now getting underway in its regular session.

Mr. Duggan was made chairman of the committee on public printing and vice-chairman of the committee on internal improvements, of which Senator Reddick is chairman. He was also named on the following committees by Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt: state penitentiaries, state institutions and departments, state highways and motor traffic, finance, congressional districts, public land and land office, judicial districts, educational affairs.

Senator K. M. Regan, new member from Pecos representing the 29th district, was made chairman of the committee on engrossed bills, and vice-chairman of the committee on banking and mining, irrigation and drainage. He also is a member of the committees on state penitentiaries, senatorial districts, representative districts, public land and land office, judicial districts, educational affairs.

Hospital Protection  
Senator Duggan joined Senator Holbrook of Galveston in introducing a senate bill No. 19, a bill to amend "An act to provide for the care of hospitals and other institutions furnishing care, treatment and maintenance of persons injured in accidents, upon the rights of action claims and demands of such persons against others or corporations for damages on account of negligence causing the injuries, and upon the proceeds of the settlements of any such claims or demands."

The bill was referred to the committee on civil jurisprudence.

Duggan Bill  
Senator Duggan introduced senate bill No. 22, a bill to be entitled "An act authorizing cities and

### 1,800 School Books Returned To State

#### More than 1,800 books were sent to the state department of education and two publishing companies Wednesday by the county superintendent.

Less than half the number went to the education department for further use. The majority were forwarded to the book houses which will pay the state department an exchange price varying from two to five cents per book.

### BIRTH NOTICE

The Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Buchbacher announce the arrival of a daughter, who was born Sunday afternoon.

### Officers Led To Cache Of Loot From Bank

FORT WORTH—Beneath a bush three miles from Grapevine, officers dug a hole and found \$220 in quarters and half dollars. It was three times as much as was reported to which they were directed by Odell Chambliss, a former bank robber of the Grapevine bank. Sheriff J. R. Wright, Fort Worth, said \$600 missing from the bank is still missing.

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Consulting maps, they marked the hill where the plane was found because its altitude was slightly above 1,900 feet. All the other hills in the vicinity were 1,550 feet or less. They went by automobile to Boerne this morning and thence directly to the Z. F. Swope ranch, on which the hill they had marked on the map is located. Twenty minutes after they reached the ranch, they found the plane.

Only a few minutes after they had discovered it, it was sighted from two other planes in the air, one piloted by V. H. Ramsey, chief pilot of hanger six, Winburn Field, and Van J. Weaver, reserve officer, who were part of a searching party that had been seeking the missing plane since Friday morning.

Seeing a man standing beside the but the man later proved to be wrecked plane, one of the observers reported that Fuller still was alive, Williams, who was just leaving to report the discovery.

Pointed Toward San Antonio  
Fuller's plane was pointed toward San Antonio. He was flying between two hills and in clear weather could have seen the lights of the city. He was flying close to the hillside not far from the top. The right wing of his plane struck a clump of small oak trees not more than 20 feet high and careened down the hillside about 50 feet farther on.

It skidded to a stop without turning over and except for the crumpled right wing was not badly damaged. Fuller was seated in the cockpit, a smile on his face.

Searched To Find Return  
Eighteen army planes from Hazelton and Kelly Field and four planes from Winburn Field were notified to return to their landing fields and Bob Spaulding, American Airways, operations manager there, and Wayne Parks, operator of Winburn Field, left immediately by automobile for the scene of the crash. The body was brought back to San Antonio.





ing, smiling. Then she was gone. Instantly everyone was talking. Groups broke up and others reassembled. Kate appeared bearing a heavily laden tray. Trevor Lane separated himself from a girl who was hanging on to him, urged her gently into a seat beside an all-too-willing and engaging youth, and hastened toward Sheila and Dick.

CHAPTER IX

Sheila heard that ripple of laughter. She did not turn and so she did not learn the speaker's identity. But the words brought a chill about her heart. "Dick's girls are always pretty," the unknown woman had said. Of course such a young man as Dick Stanley must know many girls. He must be in constant demand at parties and dinners where there were beautifully gowned, beautifully groomed young women.

And say what you would clothes did make a difference! Look at what they could do for a newly discovered movie star. They had changed Norma Seabury in one short year from a pretty, ordinary little Brooklyn girl to a suave, sophisticated beauty who knew how to walk and talk, to rise from a chair and sit down.

These girls were not like Norma. Their glamour was more natural, less affected. They had been born to this life of luxury. Sheila looked at her at the Mund, black and titan heads, the gleaming white shoulders accented against the trim black coats of the men. Some were dancing, some chatting. Laughter broke forth and trickled across the room in gentle, well-modulated ripples.

There's a clever little girl for you," Dick was saying, clapping as he did so. Following his eyes toward a Japanese screen which half concealed a door into another room, Sheila waited expectantly. She had not heard the announcement which had prompted Dick's words. Another little dart of jealousy shot through her. Here obviously was an entertainer of whom Dick approved.

A hush fell and the girl stood before them. She was slender, not very tall, dressed in flesh-colored lights and a jeweled bodice. A silken ruffle circled her waist. Her dark eyes sparkled in the delicate, piquant little face beneath a lovely pink silk wig. She looked almost like a small boulevard. It was Frances Barton, the eccentric dancer.

Frances was the best in her line—the originator of a dozen routines so difficult that only a few of her imitators could follow them. She had been in half a dozen Broadway shows and was in one now. Like Sheila, she had come to the party following the performance.

Sheila saw Dick Stanley's eyes light and his smile flash. His gaze was as ardent as ever as it had been when he had turned toward Sheila herself. Hotly she told herself that to Dick Stanley she was just another girl. How could she have been so foolish as to believe that he was interested in her? Just because he had taken the trouble to call for her at the theater?

"She's great, isn't she?" Dick was saying, unconscious of the tumult he had caused in Sheila's heart. "You must meet her. I know you'll like her."

"Do you know her well?" Sheila asked. "Know her? I should say I do. Let's move forward. You don't want to miss this, do you?"

"I know her, too," Sheila said, trying to keep her voice steady. "d she is good, isn't she? There's no one else on the stage who can touch her. Frances is in a class by herself."

Dick eyed Sheila almost tenderly. "That's generous," he said, "from another dancer." But he had not said that. "You aren't the same kind of dancer. You are about the best I've seen in your line, you know."

"That's generous too. Thank you. But I can't compare with Frances. That routine would slay me in a week. It just can't be done by anyone else."

Sheila had always a dream of dancing with Frances Barton and even in this moment hoped that she had not minimized the effect the other girl's talent always had on her.

It was cheap—the jealousy—even though no one knew of it but herself. Why should she be jealous of the interest of a young man she had known less than 14 hours ago that she had first seen Dick Stanley?

All day long she had thought of him, not as "that agreeable Mr. Stanley" or as "Mr. Stanley" at all, but as Dick. Trevor Lane had thus addressed him and Sheila had thought at the time that it was an appropriate name.

She was standing close beside him now. Tall, charming, with that delightful smile crinkling his nose, Dick was just a name. How well did Frances know Dick?

on two parties since 11 o'clock. He announced gaily. She wouldn't say where. But she "depended on Trev" for the real enjoyment of the evening, she said. Mona was tiny, blond, sparkling. Sheila could see that she and Trevor Lane were good friends—old friends, it seemed. They joked and teased each other and finally made a lunch engagement for the following day.

"That's a date," her host said warningly. "I'll expect you to be on Long Island where they would swim and spend leisurely hours on the beach."

Then, for days perhaps, Dick would seem to forget her. He might make a flying trip home or to his family's summer cottage, a palatial affair of which he spoke a long and ardent talk in the "stuck." Sometimes Sheila knew he had engagements with girls in Trevor Lane's Long Island set.

Dick made no excuses, asked no questions about how Sheila spent the time during his absence. He would just seem to drop her after a long and ardent talk in which her heart would leap in tumult at his voice over the telephone or "kip a beat when, running down the stairs to greet him in Ma Lowell's hall she would see his brown face and broad smile."

But there was another side of the situation. Sheila had to add "to her wardrobe considerably to keep her well dressed for all these engagements with Dick. As Myrt said, it "ran into money."

"Of course Sheila couldn't compete with those rich girls. Dick would have told her that anything but "cheap" was lovely, but Sheila knew, just the same, that sooner or later he would begin to compare her unconsciously with the carefully groomed girls whom he met in his own set. The comparison could not help but to be to Sheila's disadvantage."

So she bought dresses—picked up here and there in basements, some touch betraying their cheapness removed by Sheila's own skillful fingers, some bit of handwork added possibly. She bought hats that looked well on her. She looked up from her hat at just the right angle and make it look well, almost Fifth Avenue. Shoes and hose remained serious problems. Cheap ones just would not do. It was discouraging business, trying to appear in a while and at the same time to save money.

This morning, attired in a blue linen frock with finely embroidered collar and cuffs of white, a small white hat pulled down over her satin hair, Dick thought Sheila had never looked so lovely.

"Sheila's eyes widened. "Mandrake!" she repeated, her voice filled with unconcealed amazement.

"Mandrake. Sure! You know you saw him at Trev's party." "Of course I saw Mr. Mandrake but did he see me?"

"He certainly did. Called Trevor on the telephone the very next morning." "I didn't think he even looked at me," Sheila said, pouring cream into her cup.

"He didn't. That's a trick of his. When he entirely ignores a girl it means she has made an impression. They say Mona Deane cried for an hour after a party where Mandrake devoted himself to her. He said the money he was watching some other girl with the idea of giving her a part in a play."

"Mona is a star, though." "Yes, Mandrake isn't the only "producer with eyes."

"You needn't be always." Sheila's eyes narrowed slightly, but she shrugged her shoulders and smiled. "You work rather fast, don't you?"

"I have to. I'm not the only man in the world with excellent taste." "Don't you mean perfect taste?"

"He bowed, amused. "I mean that, of course." "We'll see what you mean."

The party was nearing a close. Trevor's cousins, wearing an amazing amount of grime and with yellow scarves, left giggling and giggling. They were going to some club, they said.

"Blind Timmy had disappeared. "I'll take you home, of course," Dick said as Sheila looked about her. "However, I've a few more duties as host. Can you wait?"

Presently the last of the laughing crowd had departed and Sheila and Dick made their way to his car. "Think over what I've said," Dick told her as he drew the reader up before her door. "You're going to see me some time, aren't you?"

more and more of Phil, paying her own checks when they ate together or rode on bus tops together. Riverside Drive, for Phil was diligently saving his money. Then came the week when Phil, flushing with embarrassment, asked Sheila to shop for him in the infants' department of a certain store of which he said Mildred had read.

Sheila shopped about, getting the best value for the money—tiny socks, adorable little gowns and sterner practical night wear. Phil's expression as they packed the things together in Ma Lowell's kitchen was so softened that Sheila was touched. Phil was going home for the great event in August, leaving the show, leaving the show, leaving the show.

"Oh, I'll get a job nearer home. In Detroit, maybe," was his confident explanation. Later he announced that he had already signed up. He was a skillful saxophonist and they were in demand.

And she had to buy a car. He told Sheila, dropping around one afternoon. "A fellow over in Cliffside—waving a hand in the alleged direction of the Pallades—" "Is going to sell me one cheap."

Sheila went with him to view the purchase. It was an old car and she was not to be taken in by school boy who had painted it in whitewash with gay quips. There was no wind shield, a fact which Sheila pointed out, but Phil explained that he could eliminate that disadvantage by wearing colored spectacles from the 10-cent store.

He ripped the rear seat off to make room for his trunk and his saxophone in its shrouded black case. "No one will steal it, will they?" Sheila asked anxiously. For Phil's saxophone was a fine one and expensive.

"I'll take a gun. I have to go through the mountains." "Well—" She hated to see Phil go. Every body did. He was a real friend as well as an experienced trapper.

Anyone Roscoe might find to replace him would be sure to seem an amateur. With Phil gone, Dick away, and Myrtle in the country the summer rolled on. He didn't want Daisy to work, he said, in such hot weather. Other members of the company raised carefully shaped eyebrows at each other when Roscoe reiterated what the heat would do to Daisy.

Frank Mason, who played the cornet, put that wink into words. "With Shayne packing 'em in Moody's he's a fool to take Daisy back."

"I'm afraid these words reached Daisy's ears. By late August Sheila was "out" and Daisy "in" again, smiling, a trifle unsteady and extremely lacking in confidence.

"I never saw a change like that that didn't blow the other one some how," insisted Ma Lowell, a bit mixed in her metaphors. Sheila once more began the round of the booking offices.

As it turned out Ma Lowell's words were prophetic. There was a pause. Mandrake seemed to be waiting for her to speak.

"I—I—that would be fine, Mr. Mandrake." "You aren't signed, I take it? If you aren't I'd like to talk to you this evening. Let me see—there was a pause—"It's free-fair, park-bol' have to eat. Why not have dinner together? Suppose I send my car for you at seven?"

"Thank you so much. I'd love to go." "I'll bring a contract along and we'll talk it over. If we can come to terms I'd like you to go into rehearsal tomorrow."

Sheila hung up the telephone in a daze. Mandrake—a job—and rehearsal tomorrow! Oh, could it all be true? (To Be Continued)

CHAPTER XIII The part Mandrake offered Sheila was a job—but a disappointment as well. The new play, "When Light Are Low," contained a minor part in which there was an opportunity for specialty dances. There were a few lines, too. Sheila didn't mind learning lines, but she did—strenuously—object to these.

"How can you look so innocent and say such things?" the juvenile asked her when, at the first rehearsal, Sheila stumbled through the part.

Sheila nodded and blushed. She was grateful for a friendly word because she knew, when parts are first assigned and possibly not permanent, is the coldest spot on earth. She had never seen this juvenile before. He was a young man with striking blond hair. His profile, however, was mainly clear-cut and his mouth rather sweetly wistful.

Sheila shook her head. "Little head and told herself she hoped the girls wouldn't spoil him. But they would, of course. The first matinee was to bring him a load of mail notes.

"You mean you don't know how hard it is to find a job?" It was Sheila's turn to stare.

"I mean just that. This job found me. I dare say I was lucky—if you look at it that way. Unlucky—if you look at it another. If I don't go over big—that is, big enough to warrant staying here in New York—live out of my own taste for the village. Don't you think?"

"It depends upon the village," Sheila said uncertainly. Was this young man kidding her? Certainly no village youth could have such an air such self-confidence or such a wardrobe. His clothes were expensive, well cut.

"There are two villages. One is New Haven and the other a suburb of Boston." "And a certain village known as Paris and another called London tossed in!" Sheila added.

He laughed gaily. "Is my bitter past as evident as that I say, let me introduce myself. You are Sheila Shayne, I know, for when you were dancing I heard some one say so. Well, my name is Jim Blaine. I suppose they'll change it on the program, provided I ever get that far. That's not flattery enough. Meanwhile I want to call you Sheila if I may. So why not try Jim?"

"Oh—Shayne?" a raucous voice interrupted them. "Do you think this is a pink tea? That's your cue?"

"My fault," whispered Jim, shamefacedly rising from the bit of scenery where he had been seated at her feet. "Never mind that old boss. He praises you when you aren't around!"

"I may not be around tomorrow if he changes his mind," Sheila whispered back. The pianist, a slender, bent young man in shirt sleeves who appeared completely bored, again struck the music cue. Mike, the owner of the voice, stepped back, spreading his hands to clear a group of inquisitive ladies of the ensemble from underfoot. "D-d-d-d!" he hummed, swinging an authoritative forefinger.

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CHAPTER XI

It was June. Sheila was still playing split weeks with Roscoe's set which had not been booked for

Odesa Halts Hiway Work

Citizens Amend Petition Against Charge In Route

MIDLAND—Temporary restraining order against the Texas highway commission's procedure toward Odesa, Tex., has been granted. The order, which was issued by District Judge Charles E. Klapproth in district court Monday morning following a hearing on the petition filed by the Odesa Citizens' League, directed the highway commission to refrain from the proposed widening of State Highway 80 through the corporate limits of Odesa. The order also directed the commission to refrain from the proposed widening of State Highway 80 through the corporate limits of Odesa. The order also directed the commission to refrain from the proposed widening of State Highway 80 through the corporate limits of Odesa. The order also directed the commission to refrain from the proposed widening of State Highway 80 through the corporate limits of Odesa.

Glory Bridge Club Meets At Home Of Miss Audrey Phillips

Miss Audrey Phillips was hostess to the members of the Glory Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. All the members were present. Mrs. Stanley made high score and received a hot dish mat. The next party will be a night party at which the music will be the guests. Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. Broadus will be the hostesses. Salad and coffee were served to the following: Mrs. Huber, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. W. I. Broadus, Harry Lumbering, James Wilcox, and Miller Harris.

NOTICE SEALED BIDS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY BOTH FOR SCHOOL AND COUNTY FUNDS

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of Borden County, Texas, will on Monday the 13th day of February, A. D. 1933, not later than ten o'clock a. m., receive and open sealed bids for the purchase of the county depository of Borden County, Texas, both County and school funds. Said sealed bids shall state the rate of interest such bidders offer to pay on the funds of said county, also for school funds to be deposited on daily balances for a term of two years, or until another depository shall have been selected by said court, and each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check of Five Hundred Dollars payable to the order of the undersigned, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of such bidder.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Glasscock County, Texas, will on Monday the 13th day of February, 1933, receive and open sealed bids for the purchase of the county depository of Glasscock County, Texas. Said sealed bids shall state the rate of interest such bidders offer to pay on the funds of said county, also for school funds to be deposited on daily balances for a term of two years, or until another depository shall have been selected by said court, and each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check of Five Hundred Dollars payable to the order of the undersigned, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of such bidder.





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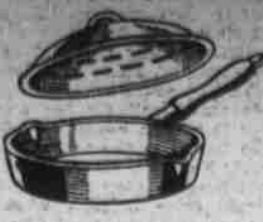
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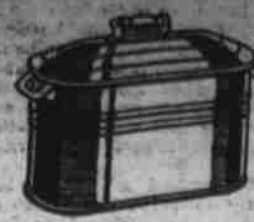
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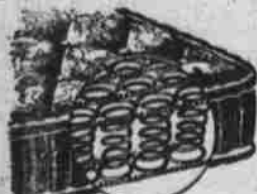
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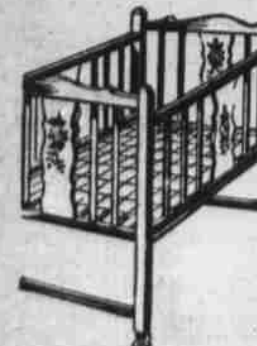
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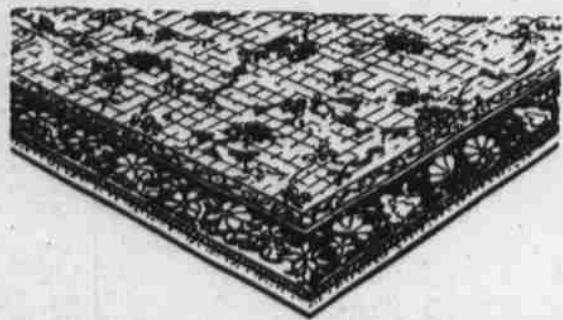
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Washes 9 pounds of clothes in 6 minutes. .50 pounds of clothes in one hour.

**\$48.95**

It's the washer with no post in the tub. Even sheerest lingerie can't tangle or tear. A sturdy washer for years of real service. Back-breaking work is truly ended and money is saved.



IT'S EASY TO CLEAN! 9x12 Foot

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Out of 100 patterns submitted, these were selected as the best. Cheery and bright in colors—neat and conservative in design, there are floral and tile effects suitable for use in any room. Easy to keep clean, too. A whisk of a damp mop does the trick in a twinkling. See them in the Sale.



**GATELEG TABLE!** New square type with rounded corners. Walnut or mahogany veneer. 8-leg base. Sale priced at... **\$9.95**

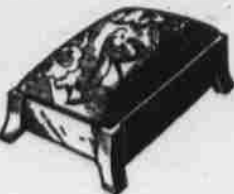


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This chair makes a business of being comfortable. It has a high restful back. Sag seat. Curved arms. And soft Moquette and velour covering. Get yours now—before the February Sale supply is sold out!



**MAGAZINE BASKET!** Ladder back style with very deep pockets for biggest magazines. Walnut finish. Now ..... **\$1.00**



**HANDY FOOT STOOLS** Hardwood frames, finished walnut. Assorted covers. This low price for Sale only ..... **\$1.00**



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**Three-Piece All Mohair Living Room Suite**  
3 Pcs. . . . **\$79.95**

If comfort and value mean anything to you, by all means see this suite. Sink down into those restful, buoyant spring-filled cushions. Note the unusual shaped back Davenport. The high, roll-back Arm Chair. And the genuine Angora Mohair covering. Get it in the Sale and save \$10! Special for the February Sale at only (2 pieces) .....

**\$59.95**

\$5.00 Down \$6.50 Monthly, plus carrying charge

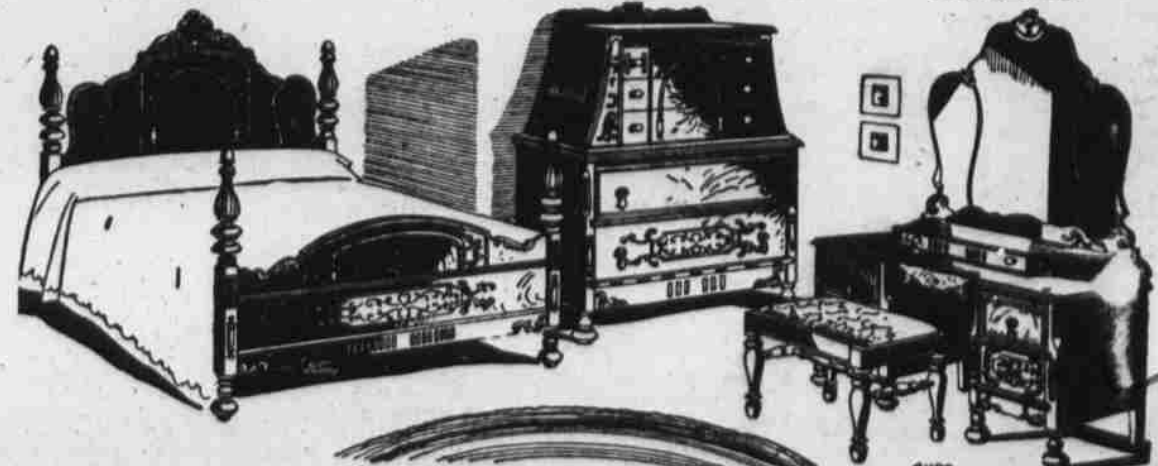


## 6-PIECE WALNUT FINISH DINETTE SET

This started out to be a 5-piece set, but we liked it so well we added the buffet and made it 6. The lines are simple as you can see. The table extends to 5 feet. The 4 chairs have jacquard velour seats. And the buffet is dustproof. Every piece of seasoned hardwood, finished a rich walnut. In the February Sale it's only .....

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## 3-PIECE WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE

If you're after size with value—then see this suite. For we have built it big (every piece is extra size). Built it strong (see the heavy posts). And finished it in a rich walnut with two-tone overlays, and wood carvings galore. Poster bed, roomy 5-drawer decked chest and Hollywood Vanity February sale-priced at .....

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