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FATE OF BRADY NEARS JURY

Paying Penalty For Too Much Conservatism Says Watson Independents Plead For High Oil Tariff

HOME TOWN TALK

By Beddy

Party doctrines mean little when a fellow's financial welfare is at stake. For instance, a lot of Democrats want a high protective tariff on wool and hides and crude oil and refined petroleum products.

Why? Simply because they believe sufficient supply of these commodities is available within this country to furnish it; that importation is not necessary, but is merely a method of dragging down the price to be obtained for his products.

Oil men advanced on Washington Tuesday—Independent oil men—to seek a tariff of one dollar per barrel on crude oil and fifty cents per barrel on refined products.

The name of the political party whose ticket he voted the last time has nothing to do with his position in this matter; "time honored" party doctrines notwithstanding.

While the more important topics, penitentiary rehabilitation and fee system reform, went neglected Tuesday morning the lower house of the Texas legislature consumed the people's money by engaging in another of its typically absurd discussions on unimportant matters. Polk Hornaday of Harlingen, whose principal object in life is to cuss the highway department with or without provocation, was urging resolution to committee of his resolution to censure the highway department for erecting an office building in Tyler.

Although it has been announced the building was erected only after an opinion from the attorney general informed commissioners it was within their rights, a group of those fellows down there in the house who have been griped ever since West Texas got a representative on the board and their particular corner of the state did not confine such childish tactics.

We know a Big Spring business man whose pet gripe is the United States senate. One of our's is the Texas house of representatives. We're almost constrained, in its case, to echo the sentiments of that guy who testified before the senate lobby committee the other day.

"In that case, you'd just as well do away with the United States senate," roared a senator.

"Well, why not," answered the witness.

Borden Wildcat Cleaning Out

After drilling to a total depth of 2,700 feet, Moccasin at No. 1 Manger, Borden county wildcat oil test, was shut down temporarily to clean out and to rerun six and five-eighths inch casing.

No. 1 Manger is 1,800 feet from the north and east lines of section 35, block 31, township 4 north, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey. The well has drilled approximately 300 feet in the past two or three months, having been temporarily delayed at 2,545 feet where a serious fishing job consumed several weeks' time.

Six inch pipe was originally set at 2,695 feet, but operators decided to pull pipe and rerun the casing after further conditioning the hole. When drilling was halted at 2,700 feet some lime is reported showing, but samples have not been thoroughly tested and oil men would not hazard a lime top statement.

THE WEATHER

West Texas: Fair, somewhat colder tonight; Wednesday fair, warmer in north portion.

Dollar Per Barrel Tariff On Crude Sought By 300 Mid-Western Leaders

C-C CIVIC COMMITTEE IN MEETING

Objectives Predicated On Cooperation Of Citizens

Appealing for support of the entire citizenship, the civic committee of the chamber of commerce, headed by B. F. Robbins, Monday evening to outline a program of work and agreed on the organization of personnel needed.

Bernard Fisher, L. W. Croft, Osborn O'Rear, T. E. Johnson, E. B. Ribble and Mr. Robbins attended the meeting.

Those designated as chairmen of sub-committees were asked by Mr. Robbins to mail him lists of their committeemen by the end of the week.

Items in the committee's 1930 program include the following: Better street lighting, more paving, more sidewalks, parks and playgrounds, beautification program, clean-up and paint-up campaign, beautification of court house grounds, cultivation of more intense civic consciousness and pride, improvement of scenic drive, beautification of school grounds, removal of dumping grounds from alongside highways in and near the city, beautification of church grounds.

Another project discussed was acquisition of a large electric sign to be erected on the summit of Scenic Mountain with the letters, "Big Spring Scenic Drive."

Committees sought to execute this program of work, nine persons to be included in each, follow: One from City Federation, whose president, Mrs. E. O. Ellington, attended the committee session Monday night; one from the Parent-Teacher associations, which were represented at the meeting of Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Read; a third ladies committee of nine taken from ranks of those not identified with organizations; one from the real estate board; one from each of the service clubs; one from each of the labor unions; a committee of all ministers, with the person in charge here for the Salvation Army; a committee of nine selected from among public school teachers with the superintendent as chairman; a committee of nine Boy Scouts with a scoutmaster as chairman.

It was decided to have the county health officer be an ex-officio member of all committees.

Little Theatre Rehearsal Tonight

First rehearsal of the Big Spring Little Theatre's first play, "Talk of the Town," will be held at 7 p. m. this evening in the home of Mrs. Lee Weathers, 807 Runnels street, who will direct the organization's first undertaking.

All members of the cast, who already have been informed of their selection, are urged to attend. Rehearsals, it was announced, would not be held each evening, but attendance of all players was especially urged for this evening.

Fair Enthusiasm Shown In Sales Of Band Tickets

With members of the Kiwanis club selling tickets to the S. M. U. Mustang band concert to be given in the high school auditorium Thursday evening, the ticket sale is going along with fair enthusiasm, according to members of the Kiwanis special committee in charge of the event.

Proceeds from the concert will be donated by the club to the Big Spring Cemetery association for needed work.

Il Duce? No, He's "King's Cousin"



NEA Rome Bureau

Here is a new and striking camera study of Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy. He is wearing the Collar of the Annunciate, which gives him the title of "King's Cousin." It's just an old Italian custom—and an additional honor for the premier.

Body Of Stroke Victim Is Sent To Former Home

The body of G. W. Johnson, 75, who died of apoplexy Monday morning in a basement room, was sent to Mineral Wells Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock where funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Baptist church.

Mr. Johnson had been in Big Spring about one month, but had been a resident of Mineral Wells for more than 30 years. The Bee-then Undertaking Company of Mineral Wells was to receive the body sent from the Chas. Eberly Funeral Home and burial will be made in the Elmwood Cemetery.

J. M. Johnson, a surviving son, who lives in Iran, arrived in Big Spring early Tuesday morning and made arrangements to accompany the body to Mineral Wells. Another son, Grad Johnson of Fort Arthur and four daughters are to meet the body in Mineral Wells. The daughters are, Mrs. H. B. Stone of Hollis, Okla., Mrs. J. I. Crews of Dallas, Mrs. C. H. Hulton of Dallas and Mrs. C. H. Ware of San Antonio.

CEMETERY DONATION

Mrs. H. Sparenburg has donated five dollars to the cemetery fund.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McDowell and son Lorin recently returned from a trip to San Antonio and other points south.

Same Old Lindy Pilots Glider To Safe Landing Minus One Aileron

LEBEC, Calif., Feb. 4 (AP).—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh observed his 28th birthday anniversary today by planning another flight in the glider which he piloted yesterday to a safe landing near here after it had lost an aileron in midair.

The flying colonel, having safely landed the frail, crippled craft in a mountain valley, was highly pleased, rather than dismayed, at the incident which had brought the hearts of his watchers into their throats.

Lindbergh was launched into the air in a test flight preparatory to an attempt planned by Hawley Postus, the sailplane's builder, to establish a new world gliding record, and had reached an altitude of 300 feet when the aileron on the left wing broke and splintered to the ground.

The colonel's head jerked sharply to the side as the ail-

1930 WORK BY C-C HIS TALK TEXT

Rotary Club Hears Of Plans From Manager

Big Spring is now paying the penalty of having been too conservative in the past, C. T. Watson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, told members of the Rotary club in the Tuesday luncheon meeting in the Episcopal parish house, when he outlined the 1930 program of the Chamber of Commerce.

"The towns that accomplish most are the towns that attempt most," he told club members, in issuing his challenge for 1930—that if citizens put their efforts back of the plans which have been made and will be made during the 1930 program by Chamber of Commerce committees, that Big Spring will witness a year of unprecedented growth and development.

Two-Fold

The object of our chamber of commerce must therefore be two-fold, the citizens must cooperate in removing obstacles which impede progress, and it must provide facilities for a larger and more advanced city. Looking at the work of the chamber of commerce from this angle may aid citizens to do their share of the work for 1930," were Mr. Watson's words allotting responsibility for civic development plans.

"As long as there is a difference between Big Spring as it is and Big Spring as it should and could be, then there is work for the chamber of commerce to do," he said in describing the need for "selling" the town first to those who live here and second, to those outside.

Taking one by one the committees of the chamber of commerce, he described briefly the 1930 goal for each.

The road committee would seek the building of more roads in the county and beyond the county boundary in order that the population of nearby smaller places may have easier accessibility to Big Spring. Only in this manner will the trade territory be enlarged, Watson pointed out. The better roads department of the chamber of commerce will also favor a road bond issue in its road program for paved highways, as well as a north and south railroad, he said.

Recognized Mr. Watson touched briefly on

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Taft's Illness Now Very Serious; Hughes Named Chief Justice

NEWTON IS CAPTURED BY TEXANS

Motorcycle Cop Makes Arrests Near School

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4 (AP).—Arrested by a motorcycle officer who was forced to shoot one of them before they surrendered, two men, one of whom admitted he was Joe Newton, convicted of participating in the \$3,000,000 train robbery at Roundout, Ill., in 1924, were held by Fort Worth police today.

Newton admitted his identity after his finger prints were taken. His wounded companion, he said, was Albert Oglesby, a nephew.

In their car, which detectives discovered was stolen last Dec. 17 from M. A. Morgan of Maud, Okla., was found nitroglycerin, dynamite caps, two acetyle cutting torches, and other equipment.

The men were arrested when officer R. H. Kennedy, watching traffic at a school corner, whistled for the mud-spattered car to slow down. An argument ensued and the officer, seeing one of them about to draw a gun, fired, wounding Oglesby. Newton surrendered without further flight. Three pistols were found in the car.

Newton was convicted of participating in the Roundout robbery and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. He was paroled after a year as his reward for turning state's evidence.

Walter Morris, assistant district attorney, who said he had participated in the prosecution of Newton, which could be filed against the men those of carrying firearms, bringing stolen property into the county, or aggravated assault.

Rotarians Visit Sweetwater Club

Eight members of the Big Spring Rotary club attended the luncheon meeting of the Sweetwater Rotarians Monday noon. The local group with C. T. Watson as toastmaster, gave the program for the luncheon.

W. T. Strange, Jr., gave his well known "The Sucker" speech, and Rev. Dow H. Heard, pastor of the First Baptist church, gave a talk on "My Son" using an analogy through ten generations. Damon Deane sang "Little Mother of Mine" which was greatly appreciated by the group, according to Big Spring members. Miss Nancy Deane who accompanied the group gave some piano numbers. Mrs. Deane was also present.

Rotarians who made the trip were: E. E. Fahrkamp, W. C. Blankenship, Reverend Heard, J. R. Pickle, W. T. Strange, J. A. Miller, C. T. Watson, Damon Deane.

Contest Prize Winners Named

Winners of the contest on "Why the Petroleum Building Is The Best Office Location," conducted by Cook & Scheig, building managers, have been selected from a list of 25 entries.

Elizabeth Walquist of 610 Nolan Street won the capital prize of \$10 in gold offered by Cook & Scheig and Mrs. E. T. Holley of Big Spring won second prize consisting of \$5 in merchandise presented by Elmo Wasson Man's Store.

Some of the reasons given by the prize winners included the location of the Petroleum Building in reference to the business district, railway and highways; elevator service, architectural beauty and proper ventilation arrangements.

FOUR SPEAK IN TRIAL OF ATTORNEY

Moses' Address First Of Afternoon; Two Others On Slate

COURT ROOM, AUSTIN, Feb. 4 (AP).—The last phase of John W. Brady's murder trial—the arguments—rapidly was being completed this afternoon, and the probability that the case would reach the jury around 5 p. m., was strong.

Dayton Moses made the second defense speech, and after his two addresses were left—those by E. A. Berry, chief of the Brady staff and District Attorney Henry Brooks.

Moses told again the defense story of Brady's decline after he left the civil appeals bench. The defense, he said, did not and would not deny that Brady had killed Miss Lelia Highsmith.

His point, Moses went on, was whether Brady's mind was capable on the night of the killing, of conceiving malice. Moses insisted that it was not.

COURTROOM, AUSTIN, Feb. 4 (AP).—On the last day of John W. Brady's murder trial, raw and bustling though it was, there was a great crowd to hear the arguments of counsel.

The spectators were sitting quietly, in contrast to their previous demeanor, and those who had put in special seats placed them in orderly rows.

Brady, former civil appeals court judge, accused slayer of Miss Lelia Highsmith, had not come in 10 minutes before time for the session to begin.

Brady came in a little after 9 o'clock, looking a bit white, and the judge then instructed the audience that quiet must be maintained "Mr. Sheriff, bring in the jury," he concluded.

Charge Read Judge J. D. Moore began reading the charge. It went in part:

Malice aforethought includes all those states of mind under which the killing of a person takes place, without any cause which will, in law, justify or excuse or extenuate the homicide.

It is a condition of the mind which shows a heart regardless of social duty fatally bent on mischief, the evidence of which is inferred from acts done or words spoken.

Murder, as defined here in before, may be committed either with or without malice aforethought.

When murder is committed with malice aforethought, the punishment for such murder shall be death, or confinement in the penitentiary for life or confinement in the penitentiary for any term not less than two years.

When murder is committed, but not upon malice aforethought, the punishment for such murder is confinement in the penitentiary for not less than two nor more than five years.

As To Insanity In this case evidence has been introduced in behalf of the defendant to show that at the time of the commission of the offense he was in a state of drunkenness or intoxication, produced by the recent use of ardent spirits or intoxicating liquor; and as to this phase of the case you are instructed: That neither intoxication nor temporary insanity of the mind, produced by the voluntary recent use of ardent spirits or intoxicating liquor constitutes in this state any excuse for the commission of crime, nor does intoxication mitigate the degree of the offense alleged to have been committed, but evidence of temporary insanity may be considered in mitigation of the penalty attached to the offense for which the de-

Mrs. A. M. King Dies In Big Spring

Mrs. A. M. King died in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Staples, 402 State street, at 1:55 o'clock Monday afternoon, following a long illness.

The body was prepared for burial by the Charles Eberly Funeral Home and was shipped to Goose Creek Monday evening, where final arrangements for burial will be made by the Paul U. Lee undertaker.

In addition to Mrs. Staples, the deceased leaves a son, Judson King, who came to Big Spring Monday afternoon to accompany the body to Goose Creek. Burial will be in the family lot where the husband of the deceased has been interred.

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born Saturday morning in the family residence at 402 Johnson. The young lady has been named Myrtle Jean Lou Jolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Lib Coffee and daughter have returned from a two weeks' vacation in Florida.

Mrs. H. B. Dunagan Jr. and infant son, Lloyd, returned Sunday evening from Austin where they have spent the last several weeks.

Fifty Families Given Clothing During Monday

Approximately 50 Big Spring families were clothed Monday afternoon by the Salvation Army, which distributed a total of 386 garments including suits, overcoats, shirts and 41 pairs of shoes to the poor of this city.

Clothing donated to the Salvation Army post here was distributed from the vacant store space on the ground floor of the Petroleum Building. The work was under direction of Captain and Mrs. Scott, who expressed their gratitude at being in position to assist in charitable work for the poor.

Captain Scott asked that all citizens of Big Spring who donated clothes to the Salvation Army cause be thanked.

Youth Who Signed Money Order Held

A youth who signed the name of T. A. McDonald to a telegraph money order Tuesday morning, was arrested by members of the sheriff's department and taken before the grand jury which is now in session. Shortly after the money had been wired from Cisco to Big Spring, the bank at Cisco wired requesting payment be stopped because T. A. McDonald was at the time in Cisco.

Geo. Palmer and Dave Bradley returned Monday from Lima, Ohio, where they have been the guests of relatives for the past month. Mr. Palmer will be associated with Wente Motor Sales Company of Forsan while Mr. Bradley will be with the Gulf Refining Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Shick have returned from a business trip to Austin.

Top & Upholstering work. Tulsa Radiator, Fender-Body Co., 615 East 3rd.—adv.

Miss Mary Jo Alderson Bride of Mr. Warner Neese

Announcement of the wedding in Carlsbad, New Mexico, of Miss Mary Jo Alderson to Mr. Warner Neese, also of Big Spring, on Monday morning, has been received here by friends of both young persons.

Mrs. Neese is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alderson of College Heights, and is one of the most attractive of the younger girls of the city. She was graduated with the mid-winter class of the Big Spring high school in 1928 and attended the College of Industrial Arts for one year.

The bridegroom has made his home here for the last year and is employed as cashier in the Help-

Selfy store. He is a graduate at Vernon high school and attended St. John's Academy in Winfield, Kansas, for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Neese will make their home in Edwards Heights following their return Friday from a brief honeymoon trip.

Presbyterian Ladies Meet

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church assembled at the Old Manse Monday afternoon. The discussion for the afternoon

centered around the 9, 10 and 11th chapters of Acts with Mrs. John B. Little as leader. The following members were present: Mesdames Little, W. R. Bettles, E. L. Owen, J. Wade Johnson, W. C. Barnett, White Reed and L. S. McDowell.

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Two Recent Brides Honored At Shower Given on Saturday

Complimentary to two recent brides, Mrs. Carlos Clover, who was Miss Anita Musgrove, and Mrs. Harold Meador, formerly Miss Reba Leach, Mrs. Val Williams and Miss Mary Jo Alderson were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon in Mrs. Tom Cantrell's home at 406 East Fourth street.

Each honoree was presented with a shower of lovely gifts, following an afternoon of informal fun. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out artistically in all details of the party and in the dainty refreshment course served.

Guests were: Mesdames Bernard Fisher, W. C. Blankenship, J. E. Hammond, Tenn., Taylor, Tom Cantrell, M. L. Musgrove, Randall Pickle, Clarence Wear, Stanley Wheeler, Larson Lloyd, A. D. Meador, Daphne Smith, Nettie Creighton, Wyatt, and Misses Lola Belle Stewart, Marie Hawk, Arthur Hawk, Danice Hutchins, Marian Thomas, Cora Ashley, Mary Gene Dubberly, Nell Davis, Mamie Leach, Opal and Lloyd Creighton, Anna Mae Freeman, Agnes Currie, Lillah Wright, Maurine Leatherwood, Frances Crawford, Thelma Ferris, and the honor guests.

day where they were the guests of relatives for the day.

P. C. Cayton was a week-end guest of friends in Lubbock.

Nate Davis left Saturday night for Fort Worth where he is the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Darrow were Sunday guests of Mr. Darrow's parents, who live in Snyder.

L. D. Davenport of Davenport's Exclusive shop plans to leave Tuesday morning for a brief buying trip in Dallas.

T. B. Sullivan left Friday for Marshall to enter the Texas and Pacific Railway hospital for treatment. He has been ill for two weeks.

Miss Claudia Tatum returned Sunday afternoon for Abilene where she attended the bedside of her mother who underwent a major operation Friday morning.

Misses Fannie Stephens and Salie Wilkerson left Monday for a month's visit in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jolly announce the arrival of a baby girl

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Personally Speaking

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Younger had as week-end guests Mr. Younger's parents and sisters from Roscoe.

E. E. Fahrenkamp and W. T. Strange attended the Rotary luncheon at Sweetwater Monday.

Miss Helen Creath of Forsan was a week-end guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Creath.

Hal Kimberlin is visiting with homefolks in Lillias.

M. R. Showalter left Monday for Hobbs, New Mexico. He plans to go to Utah from there.

Fred D. Olmstead was among those from Big Spring attending the funeral of Fred Cromwell at Strawn today.

J. E. Powell of Colorado was a business visitor in Big Spring Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rainbolt motored to Abilene Sunday where they were guests of Mr. Rainbolt's parents.

Miss Bessie Jean Courson returned Sunday from Lubbock where she had been the guest of relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hargroves were Sunday guests of relatives at Meade.

Miss Billie Nell Firtle of Toyah was the week-end guest of Miss Francis Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris were Saturday guests of M. Harris of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hawley and George Hines motored to Spur Sun-

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No Medicine Equals Orgatone, Says Mother

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"I had just about given up all hope of my daughter, Allean, ever being well and strong but thought she would always be sickly," said Mrs. J. F. Williams, of 502 W. Moss, Eastland, Texas, while talking with the Orgatone representative at her home recently.

"Allean suffered from her stomach," continued Mrs. Williams, "and always felt tired and worn out. Her appetite would leave her and she scarcely ate enough to keep her alive, and lost weight. She had a very bad case of constipation, and always felt tired and an aching feeling would come over her. She needed a good tonic and Orgatone has proven to be just what she needed."

"Orgatone was advertised in the papers so much, we got a bottle for her and she began taking it. It has proven to be a good restorative for her, for she feels just fine now. All of her old troubles are gone, and she feels just fine now, better than she has in a long, long time. I also began taking Orgatone, just for a general run down condition, and it is equal to Orgatone, and I am glad to say a good word for it."

Genuine Orgatone may be obtained in Big Spring at the Cunningham & Phillips Drug Store.—adv.

Withington, Texas, G.O.P. Leader, Dies

FORT WORTH, Feb. 4 (AP).—Leonard Withington, secretary of the republican party in Texas since 1924 and former editor of the old Fort Worth Record, died at his home here yesterday.

Withington had been seriously ill since November when he underwent a major operation. Although well known as a newspaperman and an active American Legion worker, Withington was most prominent as a political leader. Funeral arrangements are pending.

He was a member of the University Club in Dallas and was one of the organizers of the University club in Fort Worth. Withington was a member of Bothwell Kan. Post of the American Legion here.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday at First Congregational church with burial here.

LAKES FOR WILD LIFE. RALEIGH, N. C. (AP).—All state-owned lakes in North Carolina have been set aside as wild life sanctuaries.

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THE BIG SHOT

by FRANK L. PACKARD

Alone in the world, Enid Howard forsakes her mother's name for a career as a writer in New York City. Seeking inspiration for a book of her rugged experiences, she becomes a habitué of the picture show places of the East Side, home of poverty and haven of the lawless. A chance meeting with Phil Martin, a reporter for the Herald-Star leads to several delightful midnight suppers in Joe Capella's Gondola restaurant. Maria tells Enid of his quest for justification and capture of the "Big Shot" recognized by police as the leader of all New York gangdom. Shive Frank, a gangster whom Martin befriended, rejoins with information concerning the Big Shot who he suspects was known as Hal Varney and promises Martin a picture of the man.

Chapter 2
STAYDOWN!
Enid Howard leaned forward tensely as her companion paused with a far off look in his gray eyes.

"Go on," she urged. "I'm going as soon as I've heard the rest of your story. Then you'll be able to at in peace."

"On that basis, I'd like to drag it out," he told her impulsively. "But I'm afraid there isn't much more to tell. Shive and I, separately and together, tried to locate Varney but failed. Shive couldn't find the photograph, and we had little to go on."

"And then, just as I was beginning to think we were up against a stone wall Shive telephoned me today that he'd not only found the photograph but had track of Varney himself. I'm to meet Shive here later tonight."

He paused as he reached the end of his tale. "That's all there is to it—now. What do you think of it?"

She was silent for a moment, her eyes on the greasy little Joe Capella at his desk from which he watched the patrons of his restaurant.

"I think," she said at last, "that eventually you will get the Big Shot, and that your paper will score its scoop, thanks to you; but cannot help feeling that however much the Big Shot is wanted, I wish it were Shive Frank instead of you."

"That's beyond words," he said, "and I'm not sure I can help it. But your success might come through some other medium. Do you mind me saying that?"

"No," she said gravely. "As a matter of fact, I agree with you, though I think the end amply justifies the means in this case. It can't be nice. But there is no other way."

"I suppose not," she admitted reluctantly. "Anyway I want to thank you for telling me the story," she smiled in a quick, friendly way—"trusting me with it. And now I must go! It's an unseasonable hour!" She thrust out her wrist watch for him to see.

"Half-past twelve!"

Martin was gazing at her intently. He spoke. "It's some of my business, of course, and haven't the slightest right to say it, except that—well, I just feel I ought to as a friend—if you will let me call myself that. I know a lot of more about conditions around here in this locality than you do. You're too dashed pretty and attractive to be unaccompanied to joints like this. It's risky and dangerous."

He was too obviously sincere to be misunderstood. Even that determined jaw looked a little more determined now in his earnestness. She answered him in like measure.

"I have never been molested," she said quietly. "And I think that a girl who minds her own business is very little to fear. Besides I feel quite sure I can take care of myself. I've been more or less brought up that way, you see. And have a pistol for emergencies!"

"Good heavens!" he exclaimed, and his eyes strayed to her little black handbag. "You don't mean to say that you've got one here?"

"Perhaps," she smiled.

"Well in spite of all that, I think his sort of thing is dangerous; and above all, I do not think it is safe for you to walk from here alone and at night to the neighborhood where you live."

Enid stiffened suddenly in her chair. "How do you know where I live?" she demanded sharply.

"I followed you," he confessed lamely.

"Oh!" Her face flushed with anger. "Somehow I did not think that you would do that!"

"I have followed you every night, either by myself or with Shive Frank. He searched her face. "Surely you understand. Surely you know why. It couldn't possibly have been to pry upon you—could it?"

She felt the color flood her face. She knew she had been hasty in her judgment. She owed him an apology. He had been genuinely concerned about her.

"I am sorry I said that," she said frankly. "I am quite sure you were prompted only by kindness; and you must never do such a thing again, for I cannot agree with you that there is even the slightest cause for alarm."

"Well," her companion said as she rose to go, "there is no alternative. But if you won't let me go with you, you will be careful, won't you?" he asked earnestly.

"I am always careful," she said.

"Applause" Wednesday At Ritz



Joan Peers, Helen Morgan, Fuller Mellich, Jr. in a scene from "Applause", a Paramount Picture

Helen Morgan, who makes her debut as an emotional screen actress in Paramount's all-talking dramatic sensation of mother-and-daughter love, "Applause" opening at the Ritz Wednesday, is an individual of amazing paradoxes, both professionally and in private life.

Known to New York theatre-goers and photograph-owners the world over for her unique rendition of "blues" songs, Miss Morgan in "Applause" plays a highly emotional role as the burlesque-queen mother who tries to shield her child from the sordid life of the small-time stage.

A striking brunette in real life, she becomes a faded blonde in the screen play.

Intensely feminine always, she does not like perfume or jewelry. Tireless in her before-the-camera work, she hates to pose for the portrait photographer.

Wins Beauty Contest
She won a beauty contest in Montreal some years ago and then promptly dropped out of sight to study singing for a year under Eduard Petri of the Metropolitan Opera School in New York.

She is an almost extravagant purchaser of dresses, but will only wear one kind of flower, the camellia.

She is much sought-after by the eligible bachelors of New York but has never been married or even officially engaged.

Although her musical career demands her presence in New York City until late at night, she maintains a cottage home twenty miles from Broadway where she lives with her mother.

Hails From Illinois
She likes to read Eugene O'Neill's somber plays but doesn't care for Shakespeare.

She won the title of "Miss Canada" in the before-mentioned beauty contest, but is a native of Danville, Illinois, the home of the late Uncle Joe Cannon of political fame.

Although she has been in the theatre since her early girlhood, including chorus and café work, she is shy about exposing her body behind the footlights and refused to permit her mother to see her in "Americana" one of her earlier successes, because she wore too few clothes in a dance number.

All-Day Meeting of W.M.U. Held As Experiment

Trying as an experiment an all-day business and missionary meeting, members of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church met in the church parlors Monday morning at 10 o'clock, with 25 members reporting for the morning session. A larger number attended the afternoon program.

The program was divided into two parts, morning and afternoon, with luncheon served at 11:30 o'clock by the Central Circle.

The program follows: Devotional by Mrs. Harry Staicup; prayer by Mrs. Holmes and a business session with Mrs. J. C. Douglas, president, in charge.

After luncheon the following numbers were given: A talk on Stewardship by Mrs. B. Reagan; a missionary program on "The Home Land, Our Heritage" with Mrs. B. F. Robbins in charge, in which the following numbers were given: Song, "America"; "Within the Walls" by Mrs. Douglas; prayer by Mrs. Lester King; "Faith of Our Fathers" sung by assembly; "Baptists Seeking to Save the Home Land" by Mrs. Woodley; "The Stewardship of Hospitality" by Mrs. Travis Reed; song "America, the Beautiful" by the group; talk on "Let Us Forget" by Mrs. Bruce Frazier; announcement of a watchword, "Be Ye Steadfast," and a closing prayer by Mrs. Reagan.

Communications From Readers

The Herald will print communications that are acceptable to it. They must be free of libel and personal abuse. Short ones will be given preference. Author's name and address must be signed for publication. Only original communications addressed to The Herald will be printed; open letters or letters otherwise addressed to various persons in public life are not acceptable.

(A copy.)
Chairman, Committee on Immigration, United States Senate.
Dear Sir:

Evidence is now being submitted to your committee in regard to the bill to place Mexican immigration on the quota basis. Some evidence has been introduced to the effect that Mexican immigration is not a contributing factor in the increase of unemployment throughout the land.

I call your attention to the fact that Mexicans are today working in factories and steel mills of the northern industrial sections and in the mines in Colorado and Utah, where he is not a seasonal worker as has been contended but a year-around employe. These jobs were formerly held by American workmen.

What, may I ask, has become of the men who were displaced by these Mexicans? The answer is very obvious. They have been compelled to seek work in other lines, thereby creating a surplus of labor in those lines, or they have been forced directly into the ranks of the unemployed.

GAS AFTER MEALS
"Didn't See a Well Day for Weeks—None of My Food Agreed With Me," Says Engineer.

Kansas City, Mo.—"After each meal, distress would come on me and I would suffer bad pain," says Mr. Peter Seeger, a Missouri Pacific railroad engineer, residing at 22 Elmwood Street, this city.

Mr. Seeger explains that the pain seemed to come from indigestion, as he had a sensation of gas, or bloated feeling in his stomach. "I found that by taking a pinch of Black-Draught, dry, after meals, I would be relieved," he says.

"I would carry Black-Draught to work with me. I took it for about a year and a half.

"None of my food agreed with me. I would frequently taste what I ate long after my meals, and I did not see a well day for weeks. I began taking a pinch of Black-Draught after each meal, and kept this up for weeks. Gradually the pain left me, and I began to feel better. I ceased to be troubled with gas, and could eat what I liked.

"I have been well now for a year but I still keep Black-Draught, as I take it to avoid constipation."

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whole or even a small section of the country be benefited if overrun with a class of labor whose wage scale and standard of living are so low that their purchasing power is of almost negligible quantity? All reasoning people must agree that employing Mexicans in large numbers and displacing American workmen is detrimental to the economic welfare of the country for no great reasoning power is needed to deduce how the purchasing power is thereby reduced.

There may be seasons when some Mexican labor, over the supply now available in the United States, may be needed to harvest certain crops but if such an emergency should arise the person, firm or corporation so importing Mexicans should be compelled to post bond to insure the return of said Mexicans to their country.

Mexico protects her workmen to the extent of passing a law to make it compulsory for eighty per cent of the employes on any job to be Mexican. If then a Mexican can fill a job and wants one held by one of the 20 per cent of non-Mexicans, he may get it.

As Mexico protects her workmen we should protect ours. It has been stated by a high official of our government that to place Mexico on the quota basis would jeopardize the friendly relations now existing between the two governments. Did Mexico consider those friendly relations when she passed her labor law? No, and rightly so. Why was it not considered a direct affront to us? Because it is in no way affected our big business interests.

Is it more essential that we maintain pleasant relations with Mexico than to look after the welfare of our internal affairs to the extent of protecting our American working men? Perhaps it is but it should not be.

Therefore as a working man who represents and expresses the sentiments of other working men I ask you to place Mexico under the restrictive clauses of the Immigration Law and make the quota small enough to be consistent with the actual and existing requirements for such labor.

Your very sincerely,
A. A. DEAN.

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official in the federal courts. With the purpose, unquestionably, of making the law drastic to the extreme, the statutes of the state provide penitentiary sentences for prohibition violations with no alternatives of any nature. The federal laws provide no degree of punishment, leaving the judge free to impose fines, jail sentences or penitentiary sentences, or to combine either type of sentence with a fine, in his discretion.

It is in the presence of what are called technicalities, however, that the strength of the state laws is impaired, this amounting, at times, to complete ineffectiveness. For it is of record in the courts that despite evidence of guilt practically indubitable, these mediums have afforded avenues through which verdicts of acquittal were made compulsory. In the federal law these loopholes are absent or are nullified because of provisions which render their usefulness negligible.

As instances of these, the search warrant requirement in the state laws has been proved more vulnerable than effective frequently; the provision requiring the making of an inventory of all property taken from an accused person has been used to advantage in securing instructed verdicts; and the denial of the right of comment to the judges has played its part in the sum total of achievement in escape from penalties of law indicated in all other ways as being justly deserved.

The law is no different from the chain which is no stronger than its weakest link, and it could be true, and probably is, that but for the presence in the governing elements of technicalities which in effect are but vehicles of escape for those brought before them the challenge so often and readily offered in the state courts would lose its potency and the law whose purposes it so often defeats would gain, in proportion, in strength and effectiveness.

OUT OUR WAY



W. B. Broadway

By Central Press
 NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—So long as women continue to read department store ads in the newspapers, you'll find mere man immersed in the financial pages.

"JACK SPRATT"
 A book reviewer in whose judgment I once had faith, told me if I wanted to read a good book to get "Jack Spratt," by Isabel Campbell.

Did you ever paw through a series of lop-sided kodak snapshots pasted up in a moth-eaten, red plush album?

That's "Jack Spratt."

The book deals with a hard-working housewife of the early nineties whose husband is a small-time "cheater." She has two shallow Dotters for whom she sews and washes and irons and scrubs and cooks and darts and pinches pennies. The elder one enters the martial state with a tight-wad, and cashes in when she learns that the younger one has elected to become an unmarried mother.

It's as cheerful as the crack of a crippled baby's leg-brace on a Christmas morning.

JAZZ VERSE
 While we're on the subject of books: Horace Liveright has just released for Brother Max Bodenheim a swill-bucketful of jazz verse. Here's a bit out of "Kaleidoscope," a concoction which concludes with the author's remark that "It takes a lot of dirt to make a song."

"Listen, you palm-scratchers, Lippy, baby-snatchers—Stay 'way from mah Harlem chippy, 'less I get mad! Pawned mah skin to catch her, Now I'm gonna lath her. In mah flat and drink her heart —ah need her bad! Happy dust can make me bust A two-inch pipe; Scrapy juice can turn me loose and burn mah spine. Royal flush can shake me hush Down to mah toes; Pizen-gin can walk right in and steal mah clothes, But when mah brown stamper Sez come on an' vamp her—Baby, ah's a manglin', blazin' low-down lad..."

BIG BOOKS
 Max Salop, the Second Hand Book Baron of New York, is authority for the statement that 'Big books sell best. The public likes to feel it's getting its money's worth; and if the book is big, and has a red or green jacket as well, it's a sure-fire hit.'

Think that over for a minute without discounting Max's judgment. He knows what he's talking about. He's the bird who first conceived the idea of shedding "culture" in book form over cigar and drug store counters.

There are thousands of persons who neither belong to a book club nor patronize bookshops. These are Mr. Salop's customers. Seventy-five per cent of them never had bought a book before he came along.

"Good books don't get a chance nowadays," he says. "The only kind of books the public will buy are those that deal with murder and sex. Books with real merit die after selling a scant 2,000 copies. 'Bad Girl' sold over 200,000."

All publishers know Salop. He has the freedom of their stock rooms. He can take a book that won't sell, slash the price, pep it up in a red or green jacket, and over the top it goes.

"All I ask," he says, "is a fat, red-covered book with pictures—and then watch my smoke!"

GUESTS DEMAND BIBLES
 When New York's biggest and newest hotel, The New Yorker, opened recently, 2,500 Bibles donated by the New York Bible Society had not been delivered. The 2,500 rooms were without Holy Writ when the first guests arrived.

A check of indexed and listed complaints in the first three days revealed that 65 guests wanted to know why they had no Bibles in their rooms. The fourth day brought 74 demands for Bibles.

Just as the famine was assuming serious proportions a consignment arrived from the Bible society and the day was saved.

Maybe the old-time religion isn't as dead as some of our Bright Boys think.

DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS
 1. Grapefruit
 2. Canebrake
 3. Tropical fruit
 4. Italian coin
 5. Italy
 6. The honeybee
 7. Egg-shaped
 8. Non-professional
 9. Canebrake
 10. Phi
 11. June bug
 12. Parasitic
 13. And not
 14. Composition for nine instruments
 15. Abroad
 16. Turf
 17. Tree
 18. Queen of Roumania
 19. Soda
 20. Canebrake
 21. Lamb's pen name
 22. Canebrake
 23. Evergreen tree
 24. Tree to the
 25. Reorganization
 26. Lanky number
 27. Prandly Baker
 28. Foston
 29. Bantling
 30. Mamma's dish
 31. Treat with high respect
 32. And test
 33. Fish sauce

DOWN
 1. Fall suddenly
 2. Beside
 3. European mountains
 4. Public walk
 5. Fatigue
 6. Old measure of length
 7. Dishes
 8. Vegetable
 9. Groggery
 10. Moved rapidly
 11. Separate
 12. Frog

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13. Primarily Italian family
14. Naming
15. Front of the foot
16. Fruit or shrubby var.
17. Grow drowsy
18. Last Greek letter
19. Man servant
20. Great Lake
21. Part of the arm
22. Men's parties
23. More national
24. Head of two terms
25. Don't
26. Measure of length
27. Vagabond
28. Kind of whole
29. Small bag in a garment
30. River island
31. Egg
32. Networks
33. Part of the Bible
34. Turf
35. Examination
36. Medical plant
37. Medical plant
38. Head
39. Leader of the party
40. Printer's measure

FIGHT ON MARRIAGE LICENSE LAW

Within recent weeks there has been considerable newspaper discussion of the marriage license law, which has been in effect in Texas for several months. Practically all the discussion has been for repeal of the law.

Perhaps the one thing that has been arousing the discussion is the fact that in border county seats the number of marriage licenses has fallen considerably, alarmingly some. Where it is convenient for the couples to go to Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas or New Mexico, they cut the time requirement of their own state by crossing the border. Newspapers have been urged to publish marriage license lists of border county seats in the other state in order to carry the news.

Passage of the marriage license law was a point gained, and it is unthinkable that we could slip back just because there is a reduction in the number of marriage licenses issued in this state. The only legitimate objection that could be urged against the marriage license law is that it does not require a health examination of both parties. Both should be protected by this health examination.

When the people become accustomed to the restrictions of the Texas law, and when they get over the hesitancy of demanding a health certificate of the groom, then the protest against the law will have subsided. Even with the law on her side, the woman in the case has perhaps hesitated about asking a health examination of the man when he was not required to give the same. This will be cleared up as a common sense matter. It just takes time.

OPINIONS OF OTHERS

A WEAKNESS IN THE ELECTION LAW

Wichita Daily Times:
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Hollywood Sights

By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD—Mack Sennett, generally regarded as the "father" of motion picture comedy, is considering a rival of his once famous bathing beauties, this time in talkies.

The bathing beauties as presented in 1917, today would be regarded as rather quaint and old-fashioned, in this era of backless suits and one-piece beach costumes, and old photographs stir the risibilities of anyone who has visited a beach resort lately.

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Birth Of An Idea
 The "bathing beauty" idea was born, Sennett says, to take the place of the waning Keystone cops that rushing, stumbling, blundering band of mock policemen which represented to Sennett, when he assembled it, the realization of an ambition—for always he has wanted to make comedies with policemen.

The cops included such well-known names as Chester Conklin Syd Chaplin, Al St. John, Wallace Berry, Ford Sterling, Harry and Eddie Gribbon and Charlie Murray, besides an imposing list of present-day directors such as Mal St. Clair, Wesley Ruggles, William Seiter and William Beaudine.

The cops were popular for many years. Then, because of numerous imitations, it was decided to abandon them. Something had to be used in their place—therefore the bathing beauties.

War To Ethane
 The government, in war days, was assigning to the studios certain educational ideas to inject into their pictures.

Sennett one day was given the task of displaying the qualities of fish as food. His director went to the local fish markets and took shots of the wares, then ended the day's shooting on the beach, with girls in bathing suits holding fish in their hands and later playing baseball on the sands.

The little "propaganda" film served to bring home to Sennett—and indirectly to other producers—the unquestioned value at the time of bathing girl antics.

Sennett's chief interest today, however, is in a feature comedy he is building in sound and dialog around some amazing movies of deep-sea fishing he himself has done in the last three or four years.

Bessie Love will be featured in an original story, "Father's Day." She will start on it when she returns from her honeymoon.

HOW'S your HEALTH

Dr. Lago Goldstein
 Academy of Medicine

IT ISN'T THE COLD
 Like that old bromide, "It isn't the heat, it's the humidity," so we can say, "It isn't the cold, it's the complication, that's dangerous."

Not that colds in themselves are not serious enough to be worthy of medical attention. They are, but even more dangerous are the complications that may follow in the wake of the common cold.

A common cold in the head is an infection which is caused by some germ of virus still unknown. When the infection begins the mucous membrane lining the nose becomes swollen and congested.

The mucous membrane also extends into a series of pockets or cavities in the bones of the face which are known as sinuses. The openings into these sinuses are no larger than the lead in a pencil and may readily become blocked by the swelling of the mucous membrane.

If this blocking continues the sinus may become filled with mucus and pus, resulting in the painful condition called sinusitis.

Because the common cold lowers body vitality it lays the sufferer open to sinus infection, bronchitis, pneumonia, rheumatic fever, inflammatory involvement of the linings and the musculature of the heart, inflammation of the kidneys and inflammation of the sinuses or air spaces in the head.

It is because of these potential complications that it is strongly urged upon the sufferer that he take all possible precautions against aggravating this condition through negligence or indifference.

It is to hasten recovery and to escape the danger of complication that the common cold sufferer is urged to go to bed and to call for competent medical care.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
 NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The coast guard, to say the least, is as much to be pitied as blamed.

Whatever may be thought of some of its shootings and the recorded cases of personnel involved in graft or the theft and consumption of liquor, there is plenty of sympathy here for able and honest officers and men who have spent much of their lives in the service and whose memories antedate the period when it came to be known as the "dry navy."

The coast guard, operating under its present name for only 15 years, has been in business for 135 years, saving life and property and frequently performing acts of the greatest heroism.

Gains Many Enemies
 Today it is doing more of that work than ever before, but through its activities in combating rum runners has achieved a degree of unpopularity seldom if ever matched by any of the old federal services. It still has many friends and possesses especially ardent admirers among the drys, but by millions of others it is regarded in an unfavorable light.

Many army and navy officers profess to view the coast guard with contempt. Secretary of the Navy Adams was recently quoted as warning Bostonians that rowdies observed in uniform were very likely not sailors at all, but only members of the coast guard. General Clarence R. Edwards, who commanded the 26th division in the A. E. F., has said army men would resign rather than perform the duties allotted to the coast guard. A captain of marines talking to this writer the other day, went much further in expressing what he insisted was a general feeling among military and naval men concerning the guard's loss of prestige.

Of course there are always some people glad to find a pretext for looking down on certain other people. And there are army and navy men with a stern sense of duty who hold that the coast guard is doing as well as can be expected in a difficult situation. It is also commonly recognized that few military and naval men are personally dry when they can help it.

Nevertheless, many coast guardsmen, including officers, agree that these are bad days compared with the good old days. In helping enforce prohibition by combating smugglers the service has encountered a torrent of public criticism and abuse of which there was once never a whisper. Much of this has come about through overzeal or gross malfeasance on the part of personnel, but much has also arisen from no more than the conscientious performance of duty.

In the old days officers never had to complain, as they do now, that girls in public dance halls refused to dance with coast guardsmen.

Popular sentiment has been reported against the guard in the places where the service has been most active, climaxing sometimes in public demonstrations and attacks on guardsmen off base. Such adverse sentiment has been especially pronounced in New York, Boston, London and Florida. Outbursts from the press and other sources have always followed such occurrences as the Im Alone sinking, the shooting up of innocent yachting parties, the arrest of a couple of dozen guardsmen for stealing and drinking liquor in New London, the three Black Duck killings, the corruption of poorly paid men by offers of large sums

LOOPHOLES IN STATE DRY LAW

It might well be accepted as an axiom that the farmers of the state prohibition enforcement laws in their zeal or the utmost in drastic provisions, unwittingly opened avenues of escape for persons accused in the courts for whom conviction would result, were not these loopholes afforded, and only the evidence leading directly with guilt or innocence allowed to govern. In giving violations of these laws the status of felonies the enactments both state and federal are similar. Beyond this, there is a wide difference.

Another element affecting successful prosecution in the state courts is that under all of the state laws the right to comment on the evidence, to have a voice in the selection of jurors or on the credibility either of witnesses or of the testimony of witnesses is denied the presiding judge in state courts and granted the

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WAXAHACHIE, TEX.

HILEY TO TRIAL
WAXAHACHIE, Tex., Feb. 4 (AP)—Herman Riley, Lone Cedar farm youth, went to trial on charges of murder Monday in connection with the slaying of his father and mother, Dec. 6. Riley, who first notified authorities his parents had been slain, was arrested after his hidden bloodstained clothes were found.

Fender-Body work, Tulsa Radiator, Fender-Body Co., 815 East 3rd Ave.

STUDENT HURT IN EXPLOSION

AUSTIN, Feb. 3 (AP)—Alan F. Foust of Dublin, graduate student of the University of Texas, was seriously burned today in an explosion in the chemical laboratory on the campus. Doctors expressed belief he would recover.

S. R. Ross made a business trip to Midland Monday.

BARBS

A Tennessee thief stole a feather bed. Maybe the police should try to catch him napping.

It's never a dull season for photographers, with groundhog day just around the corner.

Delegates to the naval conference in London were offered punch, sherry, ale, Benedictine and other drinks. The work of a naval delegate must be very refreshing.

Several reductions have been made in the income tax this year, among them one by Congress and one by the Wajj Street bears.

The bank in a small town in Kansas closed its doors the other day. Three suspicious strangers were in town looking for work, according to an item in the local paper.

Science has given us an unbreakable phonograph record. But you can always sail it out the back window at the neighbor's cat.

Mrs. J. S. Mann returned early Monday morning from Fort Worth where she had been the guest of relatives for several days.

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J. E. Roberts Joins Pharmaceutical Staff, Cunningham-Philips

J. E. Roberts has arrived from Baird to take up his duties as pharmacist in Cunningham and Philips Drug Store No. 1. Mr. Roberts has had 15 years of experience in pharmacy and comes to the local store highly recommended.

Mrs. Roberts and their two children will arrive soon and the family will be home at 136 Main street.

and various abuses.

Despite many acts of heroism, both in combating rum-runners and its more peaceful lines of duty, the guard finds that this prohibition job which it never wanted has lowered it in public esteem. Officially this isn't admitted, but unofficially it is often conceded.

TODAY'S RADIO PROGRAMS

Programs in Central Standard time. All time is P. M. unless otherwise indicated. Wavelengths on left of call letters, kilocycles on right.

454.3—WEAF New York—660 (NBC Chain)
 6:00—Voters' Service (30m.)—Also WJY USAI WJW WDAF WBEW WJAB WJOD WJAS WJMS WJNB WJNY WJOT WJPI WJRW WJTB WJUL WJVA WJWB WJWC WJXD WJYE WJZF WJZG WJZH WJZJ WJZK WJZL WJZM WJZN WJZO WJZP WJZQ WJZR WJZS WJZT WJZU WJZV WJZW WJZX WJZY WJZZ
 7:00—Feature & Orch.—WGY WTAM WJWJ WJX NKSJ WJY WDAF WJAB WJMS WJNB WJNY WJOT WJPI WJRW WJTB WJUL WJVA WJWB WJWC WJXD WJYE WJZF WJZG WJZH WJZJ WJZK WJZL WJZM WJZN WJZO WJZP WJZQ WJZR WJZS WJZT WJZU WJZV WJZW WJZX WJZY WJZZ
 8:00—Labor Lights—Also WGY WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
 9:00—Radio Vaudeville—Also WGY WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
 10:00—The Salute—Also WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
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 12:00—The Salute—Also WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ

394.5—WJZ New York—760 (NBC Chain)
 7:00—Vincent Lopez Orch.—Also WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
 7:30—Around the World, The Rolliters and Orchestra—Also WKDA WJZ WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
 8:00—Neapolitan Nights—Also WKDA WJZ WJY WJRD WJRW WJVA WJVC WJVD WJVE WJVF WJVG WJWH WJWI WJWJ WJWK WJWL WJWM WJWN WJWO WJWP WJWQ WJWR WJWS WJWU WJWV WJWW WJWX WJWY WJWZ
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CENTRAL CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS
 7:15—WJZ Chicago—370
 7:30—Home Circle Concert
 8:00—Music Parade, Melodias
 8:30—WJZ Chicago—370
 9:00—WJZ Chicago—370
 9:30—WJZ Chicago—370
 10:00—WJZ Chicago—370
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 11:30—WJZ Chicago—370
 12:00—WJZ Chicago—370

SOUTHERN CLEAR CHANNEL STATIONS
 408.5—WJZ Atlanta—740
 6:30—Music Box
 7:00—WJZ Atlanta—740
 7:30—WJZ Atlanta—740
 8:00—WJZ Atlanta—740
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 9:00—WJZ Atlanta—740
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 11:30—WJZ Atlanta—740
 12:00—WJZ Atlanta—740

WESTERN CHAIN STATIONS
 Pacific Standard Time (Two Hours Earlier Than Central)
 8:00—Around the World (WJZ)—KOA KSL KGO KGW KMO KMQ KRC
 8:30—Happy Bakers (WEAF)—KOA KSL KGO KGW KMO KMQ KRC
 9:00—Radio Vaudeville (WEAF)—KOA KSL KGO KGW KMO KMQ KRC
 9:30—Amos 'n' Andy (WJZ)—KOA KSL KGO KGW KMO KMQ KRC
 10:00—John and Ned—KGO KGW KMO KMQ KRC

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lodge Notices
The I. O. O. F. lodge meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. Hall. All visiting members welcome.

Lost and Found

LOST one light brown Jersey cow, about 4 or 5 years old. Strayed from stock pen near Emmett Graham, Knox, Texas.

Public Notices

WEST TEXAS Maternity Home and Hospital—Open to receive the unfortunate girl-needing care and refuge; strictly private and modern; licensed by the state. Address Lock Box No. 377, Sweetwater, Texas.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 10
LAUNDRY wanted at 801 Johnson. HOUSEKEEPER wanted for family of three; would consider man and wife. D. S. Satterwhite, Route 1, Big Spring.

Employer's Wanted—Female 12
HOUSEWORK wanted by middle aged lady; would be capable of doing other work. Phone 566-W.

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QUICK AUTOMOBILE LOANS

COLLINS AND GARRETT
LOANS AND INSURANCE
116 East Second St. Phone 462

FOR SALE

Household Goods 16
ONE practically new 4-poster bed and mattress; one three-quarter bed and mattress; two stove burners; for sale at a bargain. 709 Scoury or phone 951-J.

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PRINTING—OFFICE SUPPLIES
TYPEWRITERS
High-class Commercial Printing. Office Supplies, Steel Cabinets, Desks, Letter Files, I-P Loose Leaf Ledgers, Binders and Folders, Sundries and Adding Machines. New and Used Typewriters and Typewriter Repair.

RENTALS

Apartment 26
TWO-rooms, furnished; hot and cold water. PLENTY of gas.

CAMP DIXIE
ONE 4-room apartment; water and light furnished; gas equipped \$45.00 per month; also 1-room apartment, water and light furnished, gas equipped, \$25.00 per month; and one 1-room apartment with water and light. Apply 408 Abram St.

NICELY furnished 3-room apartment; newly papered and painted; also one 1-room apartment; all bills paid. 906 Gregg.

NICELY furnished apartment. Apply 604 Rannels or phone 443. Mrs. John Clarke.

FURNISHED 3-room apartment with all modern conveniences; for rent to couple without small children; close in; references required. Mrs. R. J. Compton, Phone 732.

APARTMENT for rent; two rooms and bath; modern; furnished; all so two rooms and bath; unfurnished. Call 257 office or 595 rgs.

MODERN 3-room furnished apartment with private bath; at 2011 Rannels; or apply 504 E. 16th St.

TWO-room furnished apartment; \$30 per month; located 1305 Scoury. Apply Goodyear Shoe Shop, Theatre Bldg.

TWO-room furn. house \$30; 2-room furn. house \$40; 2-room furn. apartment \$25; 3-room furn. house \$50. HARVEY L. RIX, Ph. Store 280—Res. 128.

TWO-room furnished apartment with all modern conveniences; close to high school. 1301 Scoury.

THREE-room furnished apartment in Washington Place. Phone 1218 office or 1022-W res. Mrs. Pittmann.

APARTMENT—modern in every detail; electric refrigeration; incinerator; Simmons mattresses; overstuffed furniture; warm and comfortable. ALTA VISTA APARTMENTS, East 5th and Nolan.

TWO-room furnished apartment; light, water and gas furnished; 484 W. 4th St.

THREE-room unfurnished apartment; all modern conveniences; garage. Apply at corner of 11th Place and Austin St. Phone 564.

TWO-room furnished apartment; hot and cold water; light and water furnished. 405 E. 2nd.

THREE large furnished rooms with bath; light and water furnished; \$30.00 per month. Phone 493 or call at 2104 Johnson.

THREE-room furnished apartment with private bath; at 2011 Rannels. See J. T. Simmons, three blocks south of Nash Garage, house No. 19, Jones Valley.

FOR RENT: 2-room furnished apartment; modern; all utilities paid. 1903 Lancaster.

Light Housekeeping R'ms 27
TWO light housekeeping rooms; all built in features; hot and cold water; nice and clean; plenty of gas. 903 Lancaster.

FOR RENT—two rooms partly furnished; good location; no gas; hot water; cheap. Apply 703 Douglas or Bill Horn Cafe.

TWO furnished rooms, modern; light and water furnished; equipped for gas; \$30 per month. 602 Lancaster.

Bedrooms 28
STOP AT HEFFERNAN HOTEL
205 Gregg—Phone 569
Beds 50c; Rooms 1.00 and 1.50
Rates by week: \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00

ALL GAS HEATED
Shower Bath Privileges
NICE bedroom with all conveniences. 605 1-2 Bell or phone 443-J.

BEDROOM with everything furnished; modern; garage. 1202 Main. Phone 743-J.

RENTALS

Bedrooms 28
NICE southeast bedroom, connecting bath; hot and cold water; garage; close in. 410 Johnson.

TWO bedrooms; modern conveniences; hot and cold water; connecting bath; board if desired, 803 Johnson. Phone 1102-W.

NICE clean bedroom, modern; gas heat, hot water; reasonable price. 1901 Main Street, Phone 742-W.

SMALL upstairs bedroom; all conveniences; within walking distance of town. Write Box 46-A, care of Herald.

ROOM in modern private home; to lady or gentleman; with use of living room; new furniture; must be seen to be appreciated; reasonable; prefer party who appreciates the comforts of a home. 709 S. Main or phone 406-M.

Rooms & Board 29
GOOD room and board; 308 Gregg street or phone 222.

NICE ROOMS AND BOARD
Close in—Not crowded
411 Rannels Street

House 30
TWO room furnished house. Short distance from shops; ideal for shop men. One block north Broadway Camp, 131 West Second street. Mrs. R. C. Davis.

NICELY furnished, 3-room house with bath; hot and cold water; gas. 1910 Main or Phone 340-J.

ONE large room house furnished; new and clean. Call at 1103 E. 4th.

POUR-room furnished house; modern. Call Mrs. B. Leatherwood, 1214-R or call at 1905 S. Rannels.

Duplexes 31
HALF-DUPLEX unfurnished; three rooms, breakfast nook, private bath and garage; couple only. Location on East 5th St. Phone 552.

Business Property 33
New store for rent; best location in the city; Fort Stockton, Texas. Apply Andrew Mellett, Crawford Coffee Shop.

Wanted to Rent 34
WANT TO RENT AT ONCE
Good five or six-room house, within 6 or 8 blocks of High School. Phone 71.

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 36
DUPLICATE renting \$25 a side; double garage; with only \$1500 against price; payable in rent, \$25 per month; will take some trade. Apply 703 Douglas or Bill Horn Cafe.

Lots & Acreage 37
FOUR lots in Highland Park; also some in Washington Place; for sale cheap by owner. 2103 Main, Phone 340-J.

FOUR nice resident lots near South Ward for sale cheap; or will trade in on house; preferred property in Jones Valley; will trade for anything; will take in car if clear of debt. See J. M. Warren, Ideal Barber Shop, or phone 871-J after 7:30.

Farms & Ranches 38
FOR SALE OR TRADE small improved farm in Arkansas. See Lee Jenkins at Vindex Service Station, 2nd and Gregg.

FOR SALE: one of the best located ranches in the State of Texas; eight sections to buy, one to lease and many for free grazing; shallow water; fine mountain Grammer grass; \$125 per acre; bonus \$75 to State; no oil field or gold mine; just a fine ranch improved. No trade. P. O. Box 6, Finlay, Texas, Hudspeth County.

160 ACRES well improved land, sixteen miles west of Portales, New Mexico; to trade for house and lot in Big Spring, Texas. Apply 1602 Scoury.

Exchange 41
120 acre farm, twenty-seven miles north of Lubbock; on Highway No. 3; all in cultivation; 4-room house; well and windmill; with lots of water; to trade for home in Big Spring, Texas. Owner C. E. Richardson, Rm. 4, Lester Bldg. Phone 284.

AUTOMOTIVE

Used Cars 44
GOOD USED CARS
1920 MARQUETTE Coupe
1920 BUICK Standard Sedan
1925 BUICK Coupe
1925 BUICK Coupe
1925 BUICK Standard Coupe
1922 CHEVROLET Roadster
1926 BUICK Coupe
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1925 OLDSMOBILE Sedan
1925 DODGE Sedan
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1925 CHRYSLER Sedan
1924 CHEVROLET Coupe

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Mrs. Meador Honored With Surprise Shower

Complimenting Mrs. Harold Meador, recent bride, Mesdames N. R. Smith and C. D. Miller were joint hostesses at a surprise shower Monday evening in the home of the latter hostess at 1108 Main street.

A color scheme of pink and white, the colors also carried out in the dainty refreshment plate, was used in house decorations and in gift wrappings.

The bride was kidnapped, blindfolded and with her hands bound, she was taken to the place where the lovely gifts were heaped, and the blindfold removed in order that she might behold the offerings of her friends. Later she was seated in a dainty pink and white seat of honor.

Miss Claudine Miller and Miss Katherine Meador presided over the bride's book in which were registered the names of guests. Following opening of gifts, games were played and the refreshment course served.

Guests were: Mesdames E. N. Ralph, David S. Orr, F. W. Harding, Raymond Dillingham, Lola Curtis, A. D. Meador, F. R. Lovelace, J. P. Meador, S. M. Barbee, Melvin King, Jim Skalcicky, Roy Green, C. D. Herring, W. G. Mimms, Ralph Smith, Loy Smith, Noisy Martin, and Misses Bonnie Allen, Berta McDonald, Lucile Cauble, Alma Reuckart, Beth Crane, Claudine Miller, Louise Weeg, Florence Butler, Elizabeth Owen, Marian Kennedy, Mary Alice Lisbie, Kathryn Meador, Marie Hawk and Mamie Leach.

The following guests unable to be present, sent gifts: Mesdames Ollie McDaniel, Ben Smith, J. A. McGee, Tom Slaughter, Ollie Harding, J. M. B. Gilmore, Doyal Robinson, W. M. Dehlinger, Bob Austin, Hank McDaniel and Misses Jessie Bugg, Frances and Louise Sheeler, Toppie Clark, Katherine Gilliam, Kate Gilmore, Nell Estes, Carrie Scholtz, Stella Shubert and Pauline Schubert.

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PRORATION CUTS WEEK'S OIL OUTPUT

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 4. (AP)—While Oklahoma massed its independent forces for a march on Washington for tariff protection, proration in virtually all fields slashed 43,290 more barrels from the estimated daily average production of crude oil in the state during the week ending February 1.

During the same time, according to current report by the Oil and Gas Journal, the California and Rocky Mountain areas, less affected by curtailment of production, gained approximately 13,924 barrels.

Estimated production of crude oil for the week was 2,585,617 barrels as compared to 2,616,218 for the preceding week. This was a total decrease of 29,511 barrels. The light oil decrease was 30,941 barrels. Heavy crude increased slightly.

The Oklahoma City pool, under 50 per cent and partial 75 per cent proration slashed 25,955 barrels for the major portion of the total. Seminoe under a curtailment program varying from 25 to 33 and one-third per cent, lost 14,850 barrels. St. Louis-Pearson dropped 2,980 barrels.

The West Texas area, principally the miscellaneous pools, added 1,632 barrels while the total mid-continent area declined 43,875 barrels. Heavy crude in this section virtually was constant.

Gulf Coast and Southwest Texas heavy crude areas added, the former 2,405 and the latter 1,420 barrels. Kansas production was 110,210 as compared to 110,180 for the week ending Jan. 25. The Rocky Mountain area added 6,934 barrels.

California, particularly in the Elwood area, added 7,000 barrels of light crude, dropping 3,000 in heavy.

Episcopalians In Short Session
A brief business session was held by the Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Episcopal church Monday afternoon in the parish house.

Following disposal of business over which Mrs. J. S. Nunnally presided, a social hour was engaged in. Those present were: Mesdames B. O. Jones, J. S. Nunnally, Dee Hilliard, W. C. Bray and Carl S. Blomshield.

W. Carroll Barnett returned Monday morning for San Angelo where he was a guest at the Hall-Greenleaf wedding.

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MARKETS

DALLAS COTTON
DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 4. (AP)—Spot cotton middling 15.45; Houston 16.20; Galveston 16.30.

FT. WORTH LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, Feb. 4. (AP)—Hogs: 1,200; 10 to 20c higher; rail top \$10.35 for choice to medium weight butchers; truck top \$9.75.

Cattle and calves: 2,000; steady; slaughter steers 8.00 to 9.00 ranges; cows top \$7.50; light stock yearlings 10.25; heavy calves 10.00; others 9.50 and less.

Sheep: 700; lambs strong; wethers steady; woolled lambs 10.50 to 11.00; aged wethers 7.25.

COTTON TABLE
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4. (AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 13 to 16 points:

Table with columns: High, Low, Close, Prev. Close. Rows for Mar, May, July, Oct, Dec.

Opening: March 1929; May 1928; July 1917; Oct. 1935; Dec. 1947.

FORT WORTH GRAIN
FORT WORTH, Feb. 4. (AP)—While meat was higher today, business was very slow with buyers and sellers far apart in their ideas of values. Exporters bid 1.21 to 1.21 1/2 for No. 1 ordinary export wheat delivered Texas gulf ports but were getting little grain.

Others bids and offers, basis car-

loads delivered freight paid to T. C. P.

Wheat: No. 1 ordinary hard milling 1.22 1/2 to 1.23; No. 1 hard, 13 per cent protein 1.23 to 1.24; 14 per cent 1.27 to 1.28.

Corn: No. 2 mixed 1.00; No. 2 white or yellow 1.01 to 1.02.

Oats: No. 2 good seed quality red oats 61 to 62; No. 3 red oats 59 to 60; No. 3 white oats delivered Texas group one points 56 to 57.

Barley: No. 2 barley nominal, 72 1/2 to 73.

Lions International Secretary To Speak

LAMESA, Feb. 4.—Plans are underway here to have Melvin Jones, general secretary of the Lions International, speak to a joint gathering of Lions clubs on the Lower South Plains during February, according to Judge Thomas S. Christopher, president of the local body.

Christopher wired Jones this week that a joint gathering could be held should it be convenient for the international secretary to be present.

NATURAL GAS IN TRUCKS
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SPORTS ON PARADE

By STANLEY NORMAN

UNJUSTIFIED We have thought and thought, but are still unable to find a legitimate excuse for cluttering up this space with information to find out if the boy Tucker has labeled a seal faced monkey. However, some of the remarks penned by San Angelo's gift to the sport writing business, give us such a huge chortle, it would be a selfish act to keep from the reading public.

MORE GRIEF Here's his latest gossip that will probably end up about like his misinformation concerning P. E. Shotwell's transfer to Amarillo.

"CAREFUL THERE" "Joe Bailey Cheaney is said to have the inside track to the chief coaching job vacated at Mississippi university by Homer Hazel. In event the Howard Payne mentor is employed by Ole Miss, San Angelo's Bobcats may stumble into further complications. An official of Howard Payne tells us that if Cheaney moves on, the college in all likelihood will endeavor to hire Bill Bissett as his successor. Whether or not the Bobcat mentor would accept the position is another question. It has not been discussed with him."

HELL BE THERE Now we haven't delved into the situation carefully, but despite Coach Bissett's outstanding success as director of San Angelo Bobcat football machines, we seriously doubt Howard Payne will offer more than 10,000 annually just to secure Bissett's services. Joe Bailey Cheaney may accept the Mississippi coaching job, but we rather expect Bill Bissett will be coaching high school football next fall, just as he did last season.

NOW HUSH With the signing of Pete Cawthon as coach of Texas Tech athletics, the cries for a mentor that maintains discipline in Lubbock should come to an abrupt halt. While Pete was directing athletics at Austin College, we understand he ruled with an iron hand. Cawthon is not the type of coach that sets up a long list of petty punishments for athletes who insist on fracturing the training rules, but he deals with each individual case as it arises and, fortunately or unfortunately, usually comes out on top. Cawthon is the referee who was knocked silly in the Southern Methodist-Texas Christian championship battle last season, but he wobbled to his feet, shook the cobwebs from his head and continued his duties.

SOME CONTEST We spent an hour or so last night watching the Lomax Hornets' dust off the Stanton Buffaloes. We went into the gym with an open mind, but before the game had been completed we became nearly as interested in the proceedings as the excited supporters of the respective teams. The game lacked polish and speed, but the element of contest was there in all its glory.

CUT IT OUT In regard to the rural games played in Big Spring high school gym, some of the schoolboy athletes, who are playing for Big Spring high school have the erroneous impression that it's their duty to sit around the sidelines and pass belittling remarks about the rural teams. If that group of self appointed tormentors will just remember that much of the future football and basketball material will come from rural schools and that the unintentional sarcastic remarks do not help the rural by select Big Spring as the location for further education, the offense may be reduced appreciably. We are wondering what authority has been vested in some of the wisecracking sophomores and juniors of Big Spring high school that they feel obligated to attend rural basketball games and continue a constant stream of cutting criticism throughout the contest.

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Steer Basketball Artists Travel To Lamesa

PARDUE HAS RECOVERED FOR TUSSLE

Captain Edwards Stays On Crutches; Fans Follow Cagers

Although Lamesa's Golden Tornadoes have gained impressive decisions over Lubbock, Stanton and numerous other cage teams of that section during the past few weeks, the Big Spring Steers will leave Tuesday afternoon for the Dawson county capital determined to win a few more basketball games before the district tournament here Feb. 14 and 15.

One of the two injured regulars, Elmer Pardue, is back in harness and will probably see action against Lamesa Tuesday evening, if he is needed. Pardue went through a short scrimmage drill Monday evening, the first he has experienced since losing a slipping contest with a bar of soap last Friday night in the high school shower room.

Captain Buren Edwards remains attached to his crutches, but his attending physician has indicated he may be ready for the district tournament here Feb. 14 and 15. Edwards will not be used in future pre-tourney games, but will be allowed to enjoy complete rest until his services are most needed.

If Coach Stevens decides to start Pardue at center tonight in Lamesa, Buster Bell and Tommy Hutto will probably get the forward assignments with "Sloppy" Smith and Ted Phillips doing the heavy defensive work. If Pardue is held on the bench until the tide of battle is tested, Fred Martin will probably take the pivot position.

Original plans to take the two pep squads on the Lamesa trips in large buses have been temporarily abandoned. However, several fans are planning to follow the Steer quintet in private cars and early Tuesday morning, Clara Cox, Georgia Kirk Davis and KMy Wingo, sponsors of the pep squads were attempting to find rides for all the rooters in privately owned vehicles.

Last Night's Fights

By The Associated Press ST. LOUIS—Benny Bass, junior lightweight champion, stopped Davy Abad, Panama, (4). Johnnie (Pee Wee) Kaiser, St. Louis, stopped Kid Woods, Indianapolis, (4). Billy De Foe, Minneapolis, knocked out Pete White, St. Louis, (4). PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Sergeant Sammy Baker, New York, outpointed Joe Trippie, Rochester, N. Y., (10). Bobby Young, Detroit, outpointed Ken Hargreaves, New Kensington, Pa., (8). CLEVELAND—Sammy Mandell, world lightweight champion, outpointed Joey Goodman, Cleveland, (12), non-title. ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Bucky Lawless, Syracuse, N. Y., outpointed Young Jack Thompson, Los Angeles, (10). DES MOINES, Ia.—Tommy Grogan, Omaha, Neb., knocked out Tony Liggouri, Des Moines, (2). PHILADELPHIA—Johnny Jaddick, Philadelphia, and Gaston Le Carde, France, drew, (10). Paulie Walker, Newark, N. J., outpointed Joe Dundee, former world welterweight champion, (10). KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Mickey Cohan, Denver, outpointed Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill., (10). Ham Jenkins, Denver, knocked out Johnny Wright, Los Angeles, (5). TULSA, Okla.—Babe Hunt, Ponca City, Okla., knocked out Sandy Moir, Chicago, (2). JOPLIN, Mo.—Nick Broglio, Herrin, Ill., outpointed Kid Peck, Little Rock, Ark., (10). LOUISVILLE—Jimmy Byrne, New York, outpointed Fred Cullen, San Francisco, (10).

NEW YORK—George Bernard Shaw's anger is historic, says a letter: "I always get into a rage very carefully and conscientiously when it is necessary, because it saves a lot of time and makes people realize my opinion vividly and promptly, but my indignation, as you probably guess, is purely histrionic—mere mountebanking." The letter is one of a number involved in litigation which the magazine Plain Talk contemplates against Shaw. The presses were stopped when Shaw forbade publication. Then the magazine decided it was within its rights in printing the correspondence.

OXEN GRADE ROAD FOR CAR BROWNSVILLE, (AP)—When Jesus Lopez, Mexican farmer, recently bought an automobile, he used a yoke of oxen to grade the road from a highway to his home.

LOMAX GAINS VICTORY OVER STANTON IN EXTRA SESSION BATTLE MONDAY NIGHT, 16-15

Ledbetter's Free Toss Ends Exciting Game Between Howard County Rural School Five And Briggs Irvin's Stanton Buffaloes

The Lomax Hornets had their stingers sharpened up Monday night and although they were forced to buzz about the court two extra sessions to secure the desired result, finally evened matters with the Stanton Buffaloes by winning 16 to 15.

Henson, Buffalo forward, led his mates and copped high scoring honors of the game with four field goals and three free tosses. However, it was Robertson who sunk a long field goal just before the close of regular playing time that brought about the first extra three minute period.

During the first three minute extra interval Henson plunked in another field goal from under the basket, but W. Wood, Lomax guard sunk a two-point shot from the foul circle to bring his team abreast of the desperate Buffaloes. The count stood 11 all and there it remained until another three-minute session was ordered by Bill Stevens, referee, to break the deadlock.

After both clubs had scored a brace of two-point counters each in the second extra stanza, Hamilton, Stanton guard, fouled Ledbetter in the act of shooting. There was only ten seconds of playing time left. Ledbetter missed his first effort but the second swished through the net giving Lomax a one point lead which was maintained through the precious few seconds left on the tickers.

Ledbetter and W. Wood were the bright offensive stars for Lomax, but it was left to McGinnis, the smallest man on the court, to break up frequent Stanton dashes down the court. McGinnis was always in the way of Stanton passes and had it not been for his active defense work, the Buffaloes would probably have amassed a more impressive total for their evening's work.

In a game played last week at Stanton, the Buffaloes trampled the Hornets under a 32 to 26 count. Considering the fact that Stanton was leading the Hornets 26 to 5 in that game when the half ended, the final result led Hornets to believe that could change the decision by preventing a first half riot and, therefore, booked a return game.

By virtue of the victory over Stanton Monday night, Lomax became a threat to other rural clubs in Howard county, who will battle in tournament play next Friday and Saturday. Lomax is conceded an opportunity to meet Conhoma in the semi-final contest, but Fairview, Knott and Ackeryl must be considered in the reckoning. Lomax—16. Players: Ledbetter, f, 4 0 1 1 8; Williams, f, 0 0 0 0 0; Lilley, c, 0 1 0 1 1; W. Wood, g, 2 1 2 5; McGinnis, g, 0 1 1 1 1. Totals: 6 4 4 16.

Stanton—15. Players: Epley, f, 1 0 1 2 2; Henson, f, 4 3 2 2 11. Totals: 6 3 9 15. Referee: Bill Stevens (A.C.C.)

Grand Jurors Begin Session

After the grand jury was empaneled and instructed to probe all criminal offenses that are brought to its attention, Fritz H. Smith, judge of the 32nd district court Monday morning proceeded to call the civil docket, set cases for trial and then finished out the first morning of the regular February term hearing uncontested suits. A number of divorce cases were set for trial Tuesday morning.

L. S. Patterson was made foreman of the grand jury and the following eleven men completed the panel. C. E. Talbot, Arch Ford, L. H. Pate, W. C. Westfall, Guy Guffey, H. F. Taylor, Louis Hutto, Otis Chalk, Grub Broughton, L. E. Lomax and Dock Wallace.

The grand jury has approximately 17 or 18 cases to consider during this term, according to George Mahon, district attorney, who arrived in Big Spring with Judge Smith to conduct the regular February term. Mr. Mahon said most of the cases to be considered are forgery offenses.

Judge Smith announced the entire docket is set down for trial next Monday morning, Feb. 10 at 10 o'clock and urged all attorneys retained by defendants and District Attorney Mahon to be ready for trial.

1,230 Pupils In Sunday Schools

A total of 1230 pupils was present in the Sunday schools of six churches last Sunday. Churches reported the following attendance: Methodist church, 449; East Fourth Street Baptist church, 206; Episcopal church, 35; First Baptist church, 360; Presbyterian church, 84; and the Church of Christ, 97.

The East Fourth Street Baptist church announces seven additions to the church following services Sunday. The newly organized church orchestra played at both services.

Pat Ray left Saturday afternoon for Dallas where he will have an infected foot treated.

George Melear motored to Sterling City Sunday. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Melear who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. A. Anstott for the past ten days.

Parks, c-f, 0 0 0 0 0; Kelley, f, 0 0 0 0 0; Robertson, f, 1 0 3 2 2; Hamilton, g, 0 0 3 0 0. Totals: 6 3 9 15. Referee: Bill Stevens (A.C.C.)

MOM N' POP

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "I'VE MADE ALL ARRANGEMENTS. YOU CAN GO TO BED TONIGHT ASSURED THAT AUNT AMY AND HER MILLIONS ARE IN THE GUNN'S BAG." "I'VE BEEN THINKING UP A SCHEME." "WELL, WHILE YOU'VE BEEN CRANKING UP YOUR THINK-TANK, I GOT A REAL IDEA AND IF I DON'T QUER THAT OLD BONEHOOD WITH AUNT AMY THEN THE PRINCE OF WALES NEVER FELL OFF A HORSE." "WHAT DO YOU MEAN—WHAT'S THIS ALL ABOUT?" "YOU'LL FIND OUT SOON ENOUGH. IF I'D TELL YOU NOW YOU'D BE DOWN TO THE CIGAR STORE IN TEN MINUTES TELLING THE WORLD HOW CLEVER YOU WERE TO THINK ABOUT IT." "YEAH? WELL, IF YOU HAVE AN IDEA IN YOUR HEAD BE KIND TO THE LITTLE STRANGER." "WELL, MY LITTLE IDEA WILL MAKE THE COLONEL AS SCARCE AROUND HERE AS MONEY. NOW, THE NEXT TIME HE CALLS I WANT YOU TO SUGGEST A GAME OF POKER AND THEN LEAVE THE REST TO ME!" "POKER! WHY POKER?"

RECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "DAMONE THAT DOG!! ALL HE'S BEEN DOIN' FOR A WEEK IS BARKIN' AT ME—G'WAN!! GIT! YAMOOSE!! BEAT IT!!" "HEY! THAT'S THE COVER FOR MY ORIGINAL HANDSHAKE WITH THE PRESIDENT!! LEGGO—THERE'S A QUARTER IN THERE!!" "I CAN GET ANOTHER SIDE BOX FOR MY HAND BUT QUARTERS AINT SO EASY TO GET—"

Sord Points By Jack Sords

Illustration of a man in a suit with a speech bubble: "IT'S GREAT TO BE CALLED A HAM!" "JACK SORDS MAY SURPASS JACK OBAMPSKY'S BEARS THE GOB IS THROUGH— HE HAS ALREADY GROSSED \$2,000,000 IN GATE RECEIPTS DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS." "EDDIE ROUSH IS A CONVERTED LEFT-HANDER— HIS RIGHT ARM WENT BAD EARLY IN HIS CAREER AND HE WAS SUCCESSFUL IN SHIFTING OVER." "TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO 560 BOWLERS TOOK PART IN THE A. B. C. TOURNAMENT AT CLEVELAND— THIS YEAR THERE WILL BE ABOUT 33,000." "Critic Press Assn."

10 West Texas Counties Gin 152,659 Bales Of 1930 Crop

Pete Cawthon Lands Tech Coaching Post

LEUBOCK, Tex., Feb. 4. (AP)—Pete W. Cawthon, former director of athletics at Sherman College at Sherman, has been selected director of athletics and head football coach of Texas Technological college, Dr. Paul W. Horn, president, announced last night. Although Cawthon is not expected to begin his new duties until the opening of school next fall, he probably will conduct spring football training in April.

Directors Of Lions Club Meet Wednesday

Directors of the Lions club will hold their regular weekly meeting Wednesday night of this week rather than on Monday as has been done in the past. Meetings are held in the office of Cecil Collins, justice of peace, in the Howard county courthouse. Forced absence from the city of two or three directors precipitated postponement.

LONDON-PARIS RECORD SET

LONDON (AP)—A British airplane carrying 20 passengers and weighing nine tons set a record in flying to Paris in 95 minutes. The distance is 200 miles.

Ten counties surrounding Big Spring ginned 152,659 bales of cotton during the 1929 season, according to the government's report. This total was 620 bales more than that for the same counties in the 1928 season.

Dawson ranked highest in the two "tiers" of counties extending westward from Jones, Taylor and Russell to the New Mexico line. Mitchell was second and Howard third, the total for this county having been 21,137 bales or 2,233 bales less than the 1928 season total.

Table showing cotton ginning statistics for various counties in 1928 and 1929. Counties include Dawson, Mitchell, Howard, Scurry, Fisher, Martin, Nolan, Tom Green, Coke, and Gaines.

MISS ROGERS PROMOTED

Friends of Miss Mary Rogers will be interested to know that she has been made assistant manager of the Palace Theatre in Midland, recently. Miss Rogers was formerly organist at the Ritz Theatre in Big Spring.

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Food Preservation Program For January To Be Practiced By Women Of Home Demonstration Groups

Members of the county demonstration clubs will put into practice the lessons of the January program as studied under the supervision of Mrs. Louelle B. Allgood, county demonstration agent. The January program was "Food Preservation in Relation to the 4-H Pantry."

All club women will be demonstrators in February to put into practice the lessons learned last month. Club women will demonstrate one or two of the following lessons: The 4-H Pantry; the 4-H Wardrobe; the Living Room; or Poultry.

Demonstrations will be carried out in the home of club women in "result demonstrations" for the welfare of the members and their families, Mrs. Allgood explained.

For those club women who will demonstrate the 4-H pantry, the following items are required: To produce and preserve foods which will enable them to serve a balanced diet to their families the year around; to provide storage space and to make a menu and recipe file.

In November these demonstrators are expected to open their homes to members of their club in an "Achievement Day" program. The aim of all club women is to provide vegetables and other food stuffs in the non-productive months.

In the 4-H wardrobe demonstration the requirement is planning a woman's wardrobe for the entire year, to make a foundation pattern, to enter a wash dress in the county contest and two dresses in the Howard county fair. The aim of all club women in this demonstration is the making of a foundation pattern and one dress each for the county contest and the County Fair.

In the poultry demonstrations, demonstrators are asked to care for one flock of 100 or more pure bred hens, to raise and feed them properly, to keep account of expenses and receipts. The aim for

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all club women in this demonstration is to concentrate on the breed of pure-bred chickens and to keep a record of accounts. Women who will demonstrate the living room lesson are given until April 15 to make improvements. At that time the room will be scored a second time to determine which demonstrator has made the greatest improvement considering the amount expended. There are 14 club women who will demonstrate the living room.

The aim in the fourth demonstration is for all club women to plan for sufficient natural and artificial light and to plan for a real center.

The monthly literary for Women's clubs is as follows: Tuesday, Vincent and Knott; Wednesday, L. L. Vincent; Thursday, R-Bar; and Friday, Lomax and Hway.

\$100.00 REWARD For the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing cattle from the H. H. Wilkinson Ranch, located 10 miles north-west of Big Spring. Cattle branded Cross P (letter P) with eyes through 10 high up on left shoulder. H. H. Wilkinson Ranch W. E. Ford, Mgr.

Announcements

The following candidates announce for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 26, 1930: For County Superintendent: PAULINE CANTRELL. For Sheriff and Tax Collector: HOWARD COUNTY: JESS SLAUGHTER. For County Judge: H. R. DEBENPORT. For County Attorney: JAMES LITTLE. Candidate for Comptroller, 18th Dist.: E. E. (Pat) MURPHY. For Justice of Peace: CECIL C. COLLINGS. For Constable, Precinct One: JOHN WILLIAMS. For Commissioner, Precinct Number 2: J. O. ROSSER. For Commissioner, Precinct Number 3: O. C. BAYES. For Commissioner, Precinct Number 4: PETE JOHNSON. For District Attorney: GEORGE H. MAHON. For City Commissioner: R. L. COOK. For City Commissioner: J. B. PICKLE. For City Commissioner: C. E. TALEBOT.

By Cowan

By Blosser

Home Repairs Being Stressed

From American Paint Dealer
The President's conference with the industrial leaders has stressed the national importance of a sustained volume of home repairs and alterations. Winter is ordinarily a dull season in the business trades when skilled services are readily obtained. Home owners should find this an opportune time to go ahead with improvements which add to comfort, appearance and value.—R. P. Lamont, Secretary of Commerce.

The above statement recently issued by the Secretary of Commerce should be of inestimable value to those engaged in the paint industry, both the manufacturer and the dealer as well as the contractor, according to Hector H. Elwell, editor of the Home Modernizing Bureau of the National Building Industries, Inc., who declares that it is a call to modernize.

There are in the United States about 12,000,000 homes which need modernizing in one way or another, Mr. Elwell continues, and it is estimated that the average modernizing job costs about \$2,000. That furnishes an estimated modernizing market of \$24,000,000,000, equal to a 20 year new building program.

Valuation
During the twelve months just closed \$500,000,000 worth of modernizing was done in the United States. It is the aim of the Home Modernizing Bureau to help raise this figure to \$2,000,000,000 for 1930, and it has been estimated that the participation of the paint and varnish interests in this enormous potential market would be about \$100,000,000. Scarcely any sort of a modernizing job can be accomplished without the use of some paint, varnish, lacquer or other product of the industry.

It has been one of the functions of the Home Modernizing Bureau to point this out to the consumer. The Bureau publishes a weekly news service which reaches many newspapers throughout the United States, with articles teaching the general public the necessity for and the use of paint and varnish. Color is in vogue and there is much to be said in the way of suggestions on how to apply it, the best combinations, and why it is necessary.

This has been a valuable aid to the paint and varnish industry, but even greater force will be put back of this sort of endeavor by the Bureau in 1930, as the fact that the Bureau has pledged its full support to President Hoover's business stabilizing plan means that the Bureau's efforts must be redoubled. A suggestion was recently made by a man in another branch of the building industry on how to obtain prospects for modernizing work. The idea is just as workable for paint and is now made easier in view of Secretary Lamont's statement.

Survey
The plan is to make a house-to-house survey or canvass in the surrounding territory with a questionnaire. This will get full information for the dealer and manufacturer on just what the needs of those people are for redecorating, painting and general cleaning up. Those working the survey could use Secretary Lamont's statement as an introduction and a reason why the prospect should answer their questions. What a valuable thing such a survey would be for anyone in a direct-by-mail or newspaper advertising campaign.

A new field has been recently opened which will be of interest to the paint and varnish industry. This is in the affiliation of the two great civic movements—Home Modernizing. There are the Home Modernizing Bureau of the National Building Industries, Inc., and the American Farm Bureau Federation. The latter will function as the rural department of the former, thus opening up an avenue into a new \$10,000,000,000 market—modernizing the farm homes. One and one-quarter million farm owners, members of this national organization, have but one objective—"a higher standard of living on the farm—an income from the farm to pay bills."

Through 15,000 active communities serving these members, the Farm Bureau provides the inspiration and suggestions, the practical means of obtaining this higher standard of living through a comfortable, modern, convenient home on every farm in America.

Sorority Meets Thursday Evening

The Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority will meet with Miss Clara Cox at 1307 Johnson street at 7 o'clock Thursday evening when the regular study session will be held.

Members will be dismissed sufficiently early to attend the concert of the S. M. U. Mustang band to be given in the high school auditorium.

G. E. S. TO MEET
The local chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will hold a stated meeting at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the Masonic hall.

A class of six candidates will be given the initiatory degree at that time.

The best equipped body shop, Tulsa Radiator, Fender-Body Co., adv.

TOMORROW-ONE DAY-DOLLAR SALE

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Flannelette \$1

Gowns \$1

Rayon Bloomers \$1

Rayon Crepe de Chine \$1

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Fountain Pens \$1

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Gym Outfit \$1

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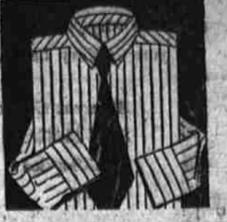
Golf Balls \$1

Our MY brand; live and resilient with tough, zutta percha cover. 3 for \$1

Scout Knife \$1

A pocket tool knife, 1-3-inch blade. Stag pattern handle. \$1

FOR MEN



Dress Shirts \$1

Fancy Patterns \$1

Boys' Neckties \$1

Blue Work Shirts \$1

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Handkerchiefs \$1

Men's fancy bordered rayon finish handkerchief. Our regular 15c value. 10 for \$1

Men's Belt Sets \$1

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HEAD straight for Ward's tomorrow morning! Every department offers money-saving Dollar Day values! Every item from Ward's regular stocks, every item reduced in price and in many cases one dollar will do the work of two! Come early—visit every department.

FOR THE HOME

Mirrors



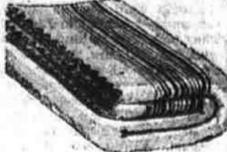
Four Styles to choose from \$1

For hall or living room. Our biggest value!

Card Table

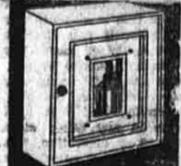


\$1.35 value! Folding, hardwood frame, leatherette covering.



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Plisse Crepe \$1

Permanent crepe, folds easy to launder. A dollar invested in this serviceable crepe will provide many neat, pretty undergarments. 7 yds.

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Color fast and smart these attractive patterns in a tightly woven durable prints. 6 yds.

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Aluminum Kettle \$1

Tightly polished wood grip. Extra quality—and a regular \$1.50 value. 5-qt.

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One-piece, seamless heavy aluminum. Broad rim.

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Made of the best of bamboo, beautifully finished in pink or blue.

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Novelty robes of warm napped cotton blanket cloth. In attractive colors and patterns.

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Copper riveted band. Western style. Made of 8-ounce denim. Regular \$1.35 value.

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Pound of delicious cherries imbedded in rich liquid chocolate and covered with rich bitter sweet chocolate. 2 for \$1

Hand Axe \$1

Specially tempered steel. Finished jet black. Heavy handle. Regular \$1.20 value.

Eclipse Hand Saws \$1

Crucible alloy steel, three-gauge taper ground. Filed and ready for use.

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Forged from selected tool steel bars. Polished head. White hickory handle. 1-lb. head.

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Round point steel blade. Tempered to resist rock and gravel.

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Knife and Fork Set \$1

6 knives and 6 forks with Cocoboll handles and durable blades.

Hunting Vest \$1

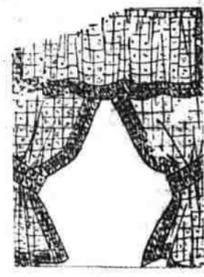
Made of light weight but strong durable duck. Holds about 36 shells.

Hunting Cap \$1

Medium brown color, strongly constructed.

Flashlight \$1

All metal, finished in flashing nickel; yell throw beam 200 feet.



Cottage Curtains

Checked Novelty Vails \$1

Sheer quality, trimmed in fancy colored bands. Tie-backs and valance. Smart and new. Regular \$1.49 value.

Sheets \$1

Deached pure white is this durable sheet. Size 81x90.

White Mirrors \$1

True reflecting mirrors. Ideal for bathroom. Hard wood frames, enameled. Regular \$1.65 value.

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Faded steel frame. 22-inch x 14-inch. Large size. Regular 60c value. 2 for \$1

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Men's Leather Gauntlet

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Transforms starter pedal into a convenient hand lever and brings choke control within easy reach. Nickel plated levers. Regular \$1.49 value.

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Large—fast—easy to operate

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OIL POTENTIAL INCREASES, BUT ALLOWED OUTPUT FALLS TO TOTAL OF 25,093 BBLs.

Twenty-Two Hundred Feet Horizon Surpasses The Three Thousand Feet Wells Gauging 38,806 Barrels Compared To 10,863

Although the book potential of producing wells in the 2,200 and 3,000 feet pay horizons of Howard and Glascock counties increased more than 1,000 barrels, from 57,597 to 58,669 barrels, the allowed output was curtailed from 27,774 barrels to 25,093 barrels, according to the February schedule issued by E. E. Andrews, proration umpire.

The total allowed output figured on a percentage basis is approximately 22 1/2 per cent of the book potential. Pipe line companies purchasing oil from this section have a verbal agreement with operators that proration will be based on the total amount of oil purchasers can handle during the month.

With a total potential of 38,806 barrels daily, the 2,200 feet pay is gradually pulling ahead of the 3,000 feet pay which has an estimated potential of 19,863 barrels during February.

Companies listed in alphabetical order, section numbers, numbers of wells, daily potential and daily allowed output, follow with wells in the 3,000 feet pay listed first:

Three Thousand Feet Amerada Petroleum Corporation, section 137, block 29, Nos. 1, 3, 7 and 10, potential 700 barrels, allowed 700 barrels, potential 138 Nos. 4, 5 and 6, potential 400 barrels, allowed 400 barrels.

American-Maraçabo, section 136 block 29, Nos. B-1 and B-2, potential 250 barrels, allowed 250 barrels; section 156, block 29, No. 1-E Settles, potential 175 barrels, allowed 175 barrels.

California Oil Company, section 137, block 29, Nos. B-2 and B-3 Dora Roberts, potential 400 barrels, allowed 400 barrels; No. B-4 Roberts, potential 1,545 barrels, allowed 255 barrels; Nos. 2 and 6 Roberts, potential 200 barrels, allowed 200 barrels; Nos. 2 and 8 Roberts, potential 200 barrels, allowed 200 barrels.

Cosden Oil Company, section 129, block 29, Nos. A-1, A-2, A-3 and A-4 Roberts, potential 150 barrels, allowed 150 barrels.

Continental Leases Continental Oil Company's No. 1 Clay, section 127, block 29, potential 100 barrels, allowed 100 barrels; No. 1 D Roberts, section 138, block 29, potential 40 barrels, allowed 40 barrels; No. A-2 Settles, section 158, block 29, potential 900 barrels, allowed 207 barrels; No. A-4 Settles, potential 150 barrels, allowed 150 barrels; No. A-5 Settles, section 135, block 29, potential 75 barrels, allowed 75 barrels; No. A-7 Settles, potential 200 barrels, allowed 200 barrels; No. A-8 Settles, potential 200 barrels, allowed 200 barrels.

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BRADY CASE

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defendant is on trial. The defendant pleads insanity as a defense in this case, and you are charged that no person can be punished for an act committed while insane. However, every person is presumed to be sane until the contrary appears from the evidence. He is presumed to entertain until this appears, a sufficient degree of reason to be responsible for his acts.

The defendant in this case has filed with the court an affidavit, stating, among other things, that he has never been convicted of a felony in this state or in any other state. Now, if you find the defendant guilty of murder and the punishment assessed by you is for not more than five years, and you further find that he has never been convicted of a felony in this state or in any other state, you may, in your discretion, cause the sentence to be suspended; and in case you desire to suspend the sentence of the defendant, let your verdict show that you find the defendant has never been convicted of a felony in this state or in any other state, and further show that you recommend the suspension of the sentence.

First Speech Assistant County Attorney Hardy Hollers began the argument. He said the number and brilliance of Brady's attorneys did not awe the prosecution. "Brady, this eminent man, this son of the Gods, and Lehlia Highsmith, a girl from the country, who came to Austin to get a job."

In that manner Hollers described the defendant and victim. "John W. Brady, the man of power, realized that this girl was trying to get away from the life he had been leading her. "John W. Brady, who bragged about his knowledge. John W. Brady went to her house that night; he realized he could not hold her. He determined that if he couldn't hold her, nobody should."

A. G. B. Highsmith, father of the girl, and his wife, sat two tables away from Brady. They were absolutely expressionless as Hollers told of Brady's alleged intimacy with the girl, said that as far as the evidence showed she was "as pure as a lily in the field" before she met Brady.

Plea Attacked The young prosecutor turned then to an attack on the insanity plea, assaulting especially the testimony of Drs. Joe and Goodall Wooten, as old friends of Brady. Hollers launched again a bitter indictment of Brady, saying he went to Miss Lehlia Highsmith's house on the night of last November 9, a sane, rational man, bent on murder.

"Gentlemen, there are only two things for you to determine: 1. Did John W. Brady kill Lehlia Highsmith? 2. Did he know the difference between right and wrong and the nature of consequences of his act?" He spoke but 35 minutes, and Lon Curtis, Brady's boyhood classmate, arose to answer him.

"We are here because we were friends and are friends of Judge Brady. We know the John Brady on trial here is not the John Brady we knew. "The John Brady we knew would not be here today charged with this offense—the John Brady in possession of his mental faculties."

Curtis, a tall thin man about twice Hollers' age, denied the latter's allegation of unfairness and answered: "This is the first time I ever saw the defense denied opportunity to talk to witnesses—denied by the state."

"Bootleg liquor," he went on, "brought Brady to the shattered wreck he was on the night of homicide." She Learned Before this time, Curtis went on, Mrs. Brady had learned of Brady's affair, "had seen him fall from his high state," and had talked to his family physician about leaving him.

"This physician said if he did it would mean his complete ruin and perhaps his suicide." The lawyer went on to describe the insanity contention, telling of all the eccentricities defense witnesses described and the testimony of the alienists.

He painted Brady as a man wildly intoxicated and insane, who went to Lehlia Highsmith's house for no other purpose than to see her. Toward the close of his address, Curtis referred to Brady as a "wonderful father and husband" in years gone by.

County Attorney Roy Archer was next. He told the jury this was the "kind of a case that tries men's souls." Archer pointed to each juror and leaned over almost in their faces. He spoke slowly and theatrically, not so loudly as Hollers.

"No more will the sun come up for Lehlia Highsmith; no more will the sun come up for her." Father Cries Highsmith was crying. Brady was potential 200 barrels, allowed 200 barrels.

Wife Of Former County Officer Dies Tuesday

Mrs. Elizabeth Dent, about 68, died Tuesday morning at 11:15 o'clock. The deceased was the wife of Frank Dent, pioneer of this section and county clerk of Howard county between the years 1888 and 1902. Mr. Dent was succeeded in office by James I. Frichard, the present clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Dent had been residing in other parts of Texas until about eight months ago when the couple returned to Big Spring. They had been making their home with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lloyd at the government experiment station on the Lamesa highway.

Funeral arrangements will not be made until a son, Emmett Dent of Post, Tex., arrives Tuesday afternoon. Another son who lives in Portland Oregon will not attend the funeral. The Chas. Eberly Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Forsan Girl Dies Of Sudden Illness

Glorietta Petersen, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Petersen of Forsan, died in a local hospital Monday night at 8 o'clock. The little girl became seriously ill Monday afternoon and was rushed to Big Spring where she died a few hours later.

The body was sent to Taylor, Texas, Tuesday where funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Petersen is connected with the Southwest Tool & Supply Company at Forsan.

Jimmie Rogers Again To Appear In City

A fellow who, with the personal appearance here last spring made many friends will appear again at the Ritz theater Friday and Saturday, this time in a Columbia short subject entitled, "The Singing Brakeman."

He is Jimmie Rogers, famous "blues yodeler," former railroad brakeman, and now one of the nation's best-known vaudeville and recording artists.

No. 2 Completed By Schermerhorn

Schermerhorn Oil Company has completed its No. 2 Klob, Rumsey and Abrams, the well which has definitely linked the western extension field of southern Howard county with the Coffee-Phillips pool of northern Glascock county, after testing 190 barrels during a one hour swabbing test in which the fluid could not be appreciably lowered.

Pay was first topped at 2,117 feet and was opened to a total depth of 2,539 feet. Oil bearing horizons were broken all the way from the first pay to the total depth, it was reported.

As operators prepared to place the well on the pump, oil stood within 100 or 200 feet of the top of the hole. The well is located 330 feet from the south and west lines of section 13, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

Freshmen Win Play Ticket Award

The freshman class of the Senior high school was awarded the \$5 prize for selling the largest amount of tickets for "Aunt Lucia" play recently staged under auspices of the P. T. A. council. In awarding the prize, the council took into consideration the number of pupils selling tickets and decided on the freshmen class as representative of the groups entered.

leaning his head on his hand, his eyes closed. His wife embraced him as Archer went on, calling Brady a "murderer," saying he "had hounded this girl of her very life." "Is he insane, is he crazy, or is he so hellishly mean he doesn't care?" The county attorney was reading from the charge. He would quote a paragraph and turn again to flay Brady, quoting what state witnesses had said Brady said wherever he could.

Public Records

Civil Suits Filed in 22nd District Court Frita R. Smith, Judge Presiding Rena White vs Virgil White, divorce. James Hulin vs Texas and Pacific Railway, suit for damages.

Notices of Intention to Marry James I. Frichard, county clerk Edgar KuKykendall to Carrie K. Allen. Earl Wilson to Annie Holt. Tom E. Moore to Billie E. Tatum. Porter Hanks to Maurine Iden.

Papers Filed James I. Frichard, County Clerk J. A. Bishop to Dora Roberts, deed of trust, two tracts of land. J. R. Boodle to G. T. Hall, warranty deed, lots 5 and 6, block 112. C. F. Bauer to William B. Currie, deed of trust, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 of block 4.

Carl Bauer et al to Henry Page, deed, lot 4, block 2, Government Heights. E. D. Carron to L. S. Patterson and Miller, deed of trust, part of lots 5 and 6, block 5, Boydston addition. F. W. Carter to C. W. Mitchell, deed, lot 29, block 10, Edwards Heights.

W. H. Howell to W. L. McCollister, warranty deed, Southeast 11, block 7, Cole and Strayhorn addition. Della Hale to V. F. Roberts, warranty deed, not 10, block 10, Coahoma.

Ross Hill to Robert N. Hill, deed, part of section 45, block 38-15. R. F. Lyons to F. C. Hopkins, deed, part of lot 2, block 12 of Morningside Drive. R. F. Lyons to A. T. Angel, deed, lot 10, block 1 Highland Park.

T. R. Long and wife to Clyde McKee, warranty deed, section 25, block 33, township three north. Albert Edens to G. T. Hall, lease section 5, block 31, township one north.

William Fisher to Lorenzo Garcia, warranty deed, lot 6, block 116. Forsan Townsite company to W. H. Roberts, warranty deed, lots 14, 15 and 16, block 31, Forsan. Forsan Townsite company to W. L. Mahan, deed of trust, lots 10, 11, block 9, Forsan.

Lorenzo Garcia to A. B. Shortes, warranty deed, lot 6, block 116. R. V. Middleton to E. W. Searcy, deed, lots 5 and 6 subdivision A, block 19, Fairview Heights. C. A. McKinney to Sam Walker, deed, lot 18, block 19, Coahoma.

Maggie McCauley et al to State National Bank, deed of trust, part section 19 and 20, block 33, township two north. John W. Ogden to E. R. Tomlinson, warranty deed, lot 4, block 39 Chaney addition.

C. D. Read to H. Noble Read and Norman, deed, east 1-2 lots 2 and 3 and all 4, 5 and 6 of block 18. Emmie Robb to T. S. Currie, deed of trust, lot 10, block 43. D. C. Smith to C. H. Lewis, deed, part section 19, block 32, township one south.

Louise Stahlman to Big Spring Building and Loan, deed of trust, north 1-2 of lot 4, block one, Morningside Drive. W. J. Shank to W. E. Shank, deed, lot 4, block 17, Jones Valley. G. N. Teston to Nettie Mills, deed part section 35, block 25, Houston Texas and Central Railway survey.

J. Fred Whitaker and wife to J. A. Forrest, warranty deed, three acres section 5, block 32, township 15, Texas and Pacific Railway survey. Stanley Wheeler to S. Hanson, warranty deed, part of section 29, block 32, township one north. K. R. Woodford to O. L. Williams, deed, lot 11, block 30.

ROTARY WORK

(Continued From Page 1) the need of developing the agricultural resources of the county, stating that the need is fairly well recognized.

The speaker cautioned citizens in the matter of forging ahead after new industries, stating that only industries that are built from within score a continued success. Many cities are seeking new factories when probably natural resources, raw material, living conditions and other requisites are lacking.

In extolling the importance of the civic committee in community welfare, Mr. Watson stressed the necessity for permanence in citizenship, to be gained only through ownership of homes and the subsequent content and pride of the individual citizen.

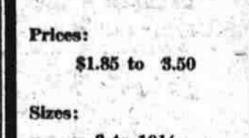
"There is a direct relationship between beautiful homes, well cared for gardens and the earning power of citizens," was his explanation. Publicity Publicity for the chamber of commerce must be as reliable as publicity for any other line of work, and data set forth by that department needs to be as authentic as that from any business house in the city, Rotarians were told.

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which they may outgrow within a few years. Chairman G. H. Hayward had charge of the program which included in addition, a singsong led by Mrs. Bruce Frazier; a group of Hawaiian musicians from Hollywood at present with the Big Spring Music company, and the introduction of visiting Rotarians and guests.

Visiting Rotarians were: Taylor Long of Midland; Bill Bean of Tulsa, Okla.; A. S. Page of Fort Worth, while guests included Mrs. Bruce Frazier, Mr. Longway of Dallas, the Hawaiian trio, and Miss Theresa Pistocco of the Herald staff.

E. Reagan gave a brief report of the visit of local club members to the Sweetwater Rotary club Monday. George L. Wilke reported a decrease in attendance for the last month and urged members to again seek to attain perfect attendance. The club will be apportioned to 10 captains each of whom will look after the attendance of 10 club members.

Boys' Week was announced for next Tuesday when members will be hosts to members of Boy Scout Troop No. 1. Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson returned Monday from San Angelo where they visited their son, Tom Johnson of Hamlin, who recently underwent an extremely serious operation. Their son, they reported, was improving satisfactorily. They were present two weeks ago when the operation was performed.

Mrs. Forrest Walters and Mrs. V. O. Hennen left Monday morning for a visit in Paris and McKinney. Mrs. Verd Van Gleason and Mrs. J. B. Young are in Toyah and El Paso the guests of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Richard F. Scheig is still ill in her home on Fifteenth street. NEW ARMY AIRPORT IN TEXAS MIDLAND, Texas (AP).—Establishment of an intermediate landing field here has been authorized by the secretary of war. It will be manned by four enlisted men of the air corps and two from the signal corps, who will develop necessary meteorological service.

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TAFT'S ILLNESS— (Continued From Page 1) man, too, but they know him, as well, as genial in his daily contacts. Hughes' career began in New York, where his legal abilities brought early prominence and an opportunity for the Republican majority nomination in 1900. This, he declined. Two years later he became governor of the state, and in 1909 he began a second term, but resigned in 1910 to accept appointment as an associate justice of the supreme court. This came from Taft, then president.

The Republican national convention at Chicago nominated him for the presidency June 10, 1916, and he resigned the supreme bench on the same day. After his defeat, he returned to private practice, but again entered public service in 1921 to become secretary of state in the Harding cabinet.

In this capacity he was the principal American delegate to the naval arms conference of 1921. He continued in the cabinet after Harding's death and withdrew at the beginning of President Coolidge's second term in 1925. His international prominence brought him appointment to the arbitration court of The Hague, by Coolidge in 1926, and two years later election by the council and assembly of the League of Nations to an associate justiceship on the permanent court of international justice. In addition, he served as chairman of the American delegation to the sixth Pan-American conference in Havana in 1928.

Taft began and ended his career in the judiciary. His first public office was as judge of the superior court at Cincinnati, to which he was appointed in 1887. In 1890, he became solicitor general of the United States and two years later was appointed federal circuit judge for the sixth judicial circuit. After the Spanish-American war when America was first faced with the problem of the Philippines, he served as a member of a commission appointed to study the question, and in 1901 he was appointed the first civil governor of the islands.

Early in 1904, President Roosevelt brought him to Washington to become his secretary of war. In 1908, he was nominated for the presidency by the Republican national convention and was elected. He sought re-election in 1912, opposing Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt, who had bolted the Republican ticket and formed an independent party. Wilson was elected, Roosevelt was second in the voting and Taft third.

He was appointed chief justice of the United States on June 30, 1921 by President Harding. In this office he worked assiduously, preparing his opinions in long hand, and fighting off the encroachment of failing health. A month and a half ago there was a recurrence of an old bladder ailment, and his nervous system was badly impaired. Against the advice of his physicians he journeyed to Ohio to attend the funeral of a brother, and this trip was said to have seriously affected his condition.

Returning to Washington he entered a hospital here and a week later went to Asheville, North Carolina, for what was expected to be a month's rest followed by a return to his duties as chief justice. His ailment, however, proved to be more serious than was expected. Yesterday, his son Robert A. Taft, called at the White House with Attorney General Mitchell. In his pocket was his father's resignation.

The Hughes nomination was referred by the senate to its committee on the judiciary, which is expected to take it up at its first meeting, probably early next week. Chairman Norris says no opposition to confirmation is in prospect. Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., plans to resign as solicitor general when his father becomes the chief justice. His duties carry him, frequently before the supreme court, and he feels it would be an impropriety to plead government cases before a tribunal of which his father is the presiding officer.

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