

## Meningitis Kills Two Traveling Children

### BIDS DUE FEBRUARY 17 ON 15 BLOCKS SCURRY, GREGG STREETS IN CITY

### HOMETOWN TALK

BY BEDDY

Sam Horton, president of the Association of Mechanical Department Employees of the T&P, in Big Spring, wasn't satisfied with Penrose Metcalfe's recent answer to a wire to him on the railroad-truck matter being discussed so widely in Texas.

Old Sam told him why he wasn't satisfied. "Poured it on old Penrose's back, Penrose means all right. We know him. So it made us laugh over his suffering when we read Sam's letter pouring it on old Penrose."

Happened we talked to Penrose recently about the same question he told us he was in favor of "ing the law so all competition on the main roads and trucks will be absolutely fair—this actually includes taxation, so we figure in the long run Penrose will please the boys. Boy, he'd better."

We're for these railroad boys. The more money the roads get the more money the boys in all departments will make and the better off times will be, too. We're for 'em without any conditions when it comes to fighting for fair taxation and competition between truck-bus and railroad business.

Believe Penrose is too. We're not taking up for him to protect his political office especially. He can take care of himself. He does happen to be a good friend of ours, as well as the whole city and county and we believe he'll come through all right. Ho! he does, anyway.

Yesir. We're for these railroads, especially the T&P. Sam Horton, doggone him, is a straight shooter, the way might nigh all of 'em are. He'll disagree with folks and argue with 'em but won't go personally sore on 'em. That's our sentiment, exactly. All these railroad boys are like that.

Sam fought those road bonds like everything, as did a few other shoo men as well as trainmen. We figured they were wrong. They figured they were wrong. Both sides of the railroad men to do, we feel, is to fight 'em to the last ditch in obtaining fair competition with trucks, etc. But, they ought not to ask the whole public everywhere to hold up their road building until they settle their trouble on truck competition. Trucks are very few compared with the total number of motor vehicles used on public highways. Folks got a right to have better roads and run their cars over them. The railroad never will be able to head that off, whether they ought to or not. When they get proper competition with trucks they'll be better off with good highways than without 'em. We're for better roads and for better and fair competition between railroads and trucks, without any conditions.

Looks like things are being jimmied up enough to kill any chance we ever had of getting better court facilities. Don't think anybody did it for meanness but just because some felt one way and some the other. You never heard us say anything about favoring any man for one of the appointments that would be made if the new district were formed. We're not drumming for any certain fellow. All we're interested in is getting better court facilities. Looks like every lawyer in town ought to be anxious to get this. Looks like they all ought to be anxious to get some bill passed and just as anxious to hold a meeting of the local bar and vote recommendations to the governor for any appointment necessary, getting rid of any jealousy that exists, if any does exist. Not questioning anybody's movements and they ought not to question our sincerity. It's everybody's right to speak their mind, you know.

Incidentally, you know, this newspaper's not trying to support any person for any city or district or county office. We're interested in issues and not any political attempts of any man. Not because we don't think there are plenty of able men. But it's up to every man

### Specifications Issued, City Manager Smithann Announces

#### THREE TYPES NAMED

#### 31,200 Square Yards Paving Included In Plans

Bids on 15 blocks of city paving will be received until 7 p. m. February 17, it was announced Saturday by City Manager V. R. Smithann. Plans and specifications have been completed, and will be ready for prospective bidders Monday, Smithann declared.

The project includes ten blocks on Scurry street, and five blocks on Gregg. The Scurry street project will replace pavement on Highway Nine in the city limits. The Gregg street improvement, starts at Fourth street, extending south to Tenth street.

Cost of the pavement will be borne by the owners of abutting property, with the city issuing approximately \$15,000 in warrants for one-fourth of the expenditure. Alternate bids will be received on three types of pavement, according to Smithann. They include: 1. Six inch stone base with 1-1/2 inches hot mix limestone rock asphalt topping. 2. Six inch reinforced concrete. 3. Five inch plain concrete base with 1-1/2 inches cold rolled limestone rock asphalt topping.

According to the specifications, 31,200 square yards of paving are included. Other quantities include 10,400 lineal feet combined curb and gutter; 1,000 cubic yards fill and unclassified excavation; 1,000 lineal feet concrete header; 500 lineal feet driveway aprons. The city will reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Certified checks in the amount of five per cent of the bid will be required.

### Gertrude Martin Acting Editor Of School's Weekly

Gertrude Martin, daughter of Rube Martin, was announced yesterday by Prof. Houston and Miss Georgia Kirk Davis, high school faculty sponsors, as temporary editor-in-chief of "The Wheel," to be published Tuesday of this week as weekly Big Spring high school publication via The Herald.

Many students are working already. The Wheel will be carefully edited, containing only spot news and real feature articles concerning life and work in high school, deleting "jokes" and "jokes."

### Stanton Boy Buried There

Tommie Gale Bloomer, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bloomer, Stanton, died at a local hospital Friday night at 8 p. m., after a short illness. Funeral services were held at Stanton Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m.

### Local Men Are Injured

#### Avil Knappe, Jack A. Smith Strike Truck Near Trent

Alvis Knappe and Jack A. Smith of Big Spring, members of the local Knights of Pythias lodge, were injured early last night when their coupe struck the rear of a truck on Bankhead Highway. They were carried to a hospital in Merick.

Mr. Knappe was more seriously injured, but was not in a critical condition. His tongue was cut, as well as his face. Mr. Smith was bruised but suffered no broken bones.

It was reported by the Abilene Reporter-News that their car hit the rear of a truck headed in the same direction but with no rear light.

### Conventions Of Three Groups On Big Spring List

Big Spring will be host to three district conventions and annual meetings during March and April. The West Texas Druggists' Association will convene during March, the dates will be announced within the next few days according to Shine Phillips, local druggist.

The Sixth District of Federated Women's Clubs will hold its meeting here during April, the exact date to be decided upon at a meeting of the district presidents to be held in Austin February 3 when the dates of all district meetings for the entire state will be announced.

The women's missionary conference of Northwest Texas, Methodist conference, will hold its meeting here on March 20-21 and April 1. The meeting will be presided over by Mrs. Nat Rollins, president.

### Will Rogers Relief Committee Will Meet Saturday

The Howard county committee appointed for the purpose of deciding how and to whom the \$95 spent in the county for tickets to the Abilene appearance of Will Rogers is to be distributed for relief of needy people will meet at the Chamber of Commerce offices next Saturday afternoon.

### 3,023 Men Register At 'Wander Inn' Since Opened Here

City officials, when the Wander Inn—a home for the homeless—was established here, expressed the opinion that an average of 1,000 men a month would not stay at the city's "free hotel."

### Attorney General Gives First Opinion on New Tax Payments Statute

AUSTIN, Jan. 31 (AP)—In the first ruling on new tax postponement law Attorney General James V. Alfred advised Senator Ben G. O'Neal, its author, that all independent school districts will receive the tax delay except those which are administered as part of a city government whose taxes are collected by the city.

### Relatives, Friends Attend Funeral of Mrs. McMahon Here

The following relatives were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Effie Dean McMahon Friday: Mrs. Hulda Scott of Toyah, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Merritt of Fort Worth; S. E. Scott of Rankin. Out-of-town friends of the family attending were Miss Edna Cordell, Mrs. W. W. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bullock, Lon J. Gear, H. B. Allen, L. E. Musgrove, L. N. Gilder and J. R. Brannon, all of Sweetwater.

### Shakespeare Guild Representative Due In City Tuesday

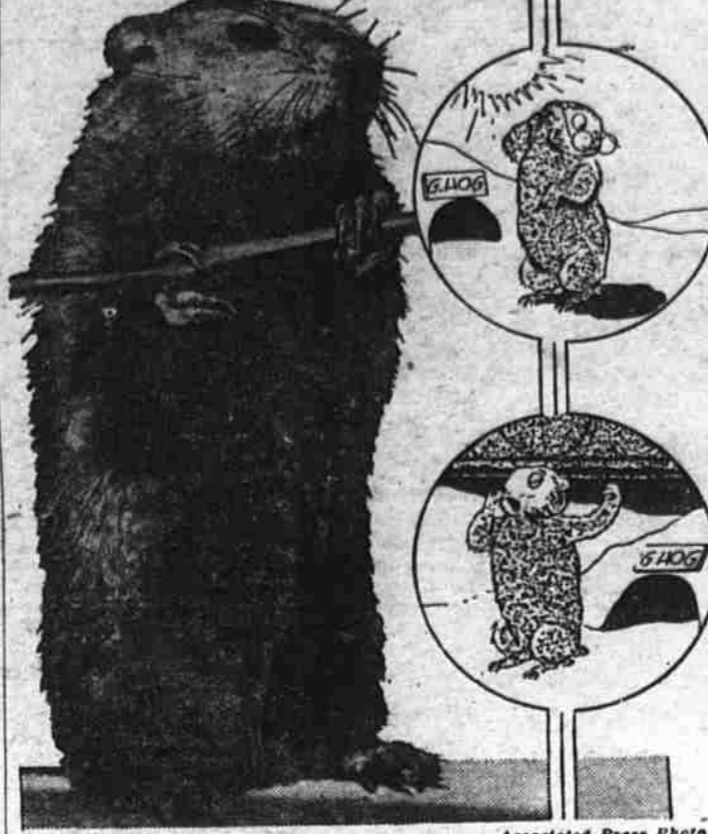
Miss Hortense Reed, educational director of the Shakespeare Guild of America, will arrive here Tuesday morning to address educational and social bodies on "Shakespeare and His Drama."

Miss Reed has a fund of anecdotes of great Shakespearean actors and confines her remarks to the stage presentations of Shakespeare. The guild is sending a portable company of players and gorgeous scenery and costumes to Big Spring February 10 and 11 when William Thornton will appear as "Hamlet" and "Romeo," in Romeo and Juliet and "Shylock" in "The Merchant of Venice." Miss Reed was associated with Robert B. Mantell, Genevieve Hamper and Fritz Leibler.

### Infant Son Buried By Mr. and Mrs. Cathey

Eddie LeRoy Cathey, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cathey, Young street, was buried Saturday afternoon in the new Mt. Olive cemetery. The baby, born Jan. 22, died at 3:30 a. m. Saturday. Funeral services were held at the home.

### WILL HE SEE HIS SHADOW?



The Ground Hog, more accurately known as Marmota Monax, is shown above in a characteristic pose, without put-on or too much humbleness. His appearance will take place Tuesday. He has his say immediately below here in his own article.

### World's News Stands Aside Monday for Great Character

By MARMOTA MONAX  
The news of the world stands aside Monday. It's my day, and it's been my day for a long time. I'm a groundhog, and I'm a character. I'm a character in the country, it seems now of them can tell exactly what goes on in a groundhog's mind.

You know how it works, I'm sure. If you don't, you're quite a bit less educated than some of these groundhogs I know of.

Monday, I'll decide whether I choose to run. I'll venture from my penthouse, and sniff the breeze of a new laden morning. Everything depends upon that one sniff.

I'll venture out to cast a critical eye over the world I departed from last November. If I see my shadow, I scramble back to the heap of feathers and resume my steeze. I'll sleep six weeks longer, and no two-footed human can do anything about it. That little sleep will just mean six weeks additional winter for the world at large.

If, however, I fail to see my reflection trailing along by my side, I'll call it a night and remain out. Then, I will have done my duty by humanity. Then I will have scoffed at calendars, and thrown monkey wrenches in the machinery of weather bureau. Spring will be on its way.

### Teachers On Dry Speakers Coming Here

The "Flying Squadron" fight for the prohibition laws and movement led by three prominent speakers, Alfred L. Mondy, Miss Norma C. Brown and Hon. Oliver W. C. Bellanca, will open its Big Spring program in the First Methodist church at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday evening, continuing with meetings and lectures Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

### Garland A. Woodward Announced Main Speaker

Garland A. Woodward, attorney, will be the principal speaker at the February session of the Howard County Teachers' Association, which meets here February 14. Woodward will speak on the "Responsibility of a Teacher to His or Her Community." He will speak during the afternoon session. The morning session includes a talk by Miss Arab Phillips, principal Lomax school, on the value of the interschool League work. M. E. Boone, principal Coahoma high school, will speak on the Interscholastic League Rules for 1931.

### Three Flying Squadrons In Group Scheduled Locally

The Flying Squadron, organized in 1915, with Hon. Oliver W. Stewart as president, was a strong power for enactment of the 18th amendment. It conducted educational campaigns in nearly every state.

### President Lancaster Of T&P With Guests Stop Here Saturday

President John L. Lancaster of the Texas & Pacific, Texas & Pacific Northern and other associated railway companies, went to sleep in his private car in Big Spring last night. He had arrived at 5:45 p. m. from Dallas with E. L. Jinks, director of the Nickel Plate lines, and Mr. Jinks family, as his guests.

### Natividad Hernandez, 32, Succumbs Friday

Natividad N. Hernandez, 32, wife of Manuel Hernandez, died at 6:30 p. m. Friday.

### Texas & Pacific's Employees Reply To Representative

The local Association of Mechanical Department Employees of the Texas & Pacific Railway company, with S. J. Horton as president, has replied to a letter recently received from Penrose Metcalfe, state representative from this district in answer to a telegram sent him by the local shopmen.

Mr. Horton said Saturday that Mr. Metcalfe's letter stated that "I was glad your telegram of January 15, relative to tax equalization and regulation of motor transportation."

"I agree with you that some rather radical regulations of the truck industry will be necessary. Just what form this will take I am unable to say now, because there are so many suggesting remedies that it will take a sort of winnowing-out process before we can determine the best method to agree upon. I think that both buses and trucks are now too wide and too long, also their speed is perhaps excessive. In order to carry any regulation into effect it is going to be necessary to have an adequate number of patrolmen to see that it is enforced. I am in favor of increasing the present number of motor patrolmen so that our highway laws can be properly carried out."

Sincerely, your friend,  
Penrose Metcalfe.

### End of Third Week In Legislature Leads To Results

By RAYMOND BROOKS  
AUSTIN, Jan. 31 (AP)—Three major economy moves in the legislature, each toward the goal of lower taxes, took shape at the close of the session's third week.

The first of these proposed a saving of over \$10,000,000 a year in the cost of county government. It bracketed proposals by Sen. W. R. Page, Waco, to reduce the number of counties from 254 to 100, cutting down over \$4,000,000 a year cost of government in this way; consolidation of county and city governments in large cities, modifying county government to the manager plan; abolishing the office of county treasurer, and consolidating offices of tax collector and assessor.

Reduction in number of counties is readily possible, Mr. Page said, as a corollary of giving cities exclusive local government over their areas and attaching rural areas to other counties. Sen. John W. Hornsby is author of the plan to combine two county offices, now elective, and the manager system, advocated by many, proposes to trim down further the number of elective officers.

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Rep. R. M. Hubbard, Bowie county, always active in highway legislation since his service on the highway commission, has made known that house proponents of the highway financing plan and Sterling road bond issue are in thorough agreement with Sen. Walter F. Woodard of Houston, who introduced the plan. Other proposals in the house and senate, to repay counties without issuance of bonds go part of the way toward the same economy move.

The third phase was creation of the recently-announced "economy bloc," under a movement sponsored by Reps. J. C. Albritton, E. P. Shelton, G. Y. Lee, R. A. Fuchs, Colton R. Stevenson and others.

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### Airways Official Here Saturday

General John F. O'Brien, New York, vice-president of American Airways, was in Big Spring Saturday, as a passenger on the regular west-bound Southern Air Fast Express line.

According to Marshall McCrea, local representative of the S.A.F.E. organization, Gen. O'Brien was well pleased with the local airport and general conditions of the landing fields.

He was a Major General during the World War, and commanded a division overseas. For ten years he was in command of the New York State National Guard, and one of the outstanding military men of the United States. He was on an inspection tour of the various airports along the American Airways' line.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barrett landed here Friday night in their private plane, Bellanca, with A. P. Barrett, pilot. Barrett is president of Southern Air Transport, Inc., a division of American Airways, Inc.

### Legion Holds Coahoma Meet

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### Funeral Services Held for Infant

Funeral services for Fannie Jean, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel N. Knox, Jones valley, were held at the home at 2 p. m. Saturday.

The baby, 20 days old, died at midnight Friday.

Burial was in the new Mt. Olive cemetery.

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SWEETWATER, Texas, Jan. 31 (AP)—Two small boys, cousins, are dead, a sister of each is critically ill in a hospital here, and eleven other members of the related families are in public detention quarters here tonight as a result of a scourge physicians called spinal meningitis which struck into the tourist group as it reached Sweetwater Friday morning.

The dead are Newton Campbell, 5, and E. R. Beasley, 8. Evelyn Campbell and Irene Beasley, both small girls, are in a grave condition. The quarantined group includes the four parents and seven other children in the two families.

The Campbell boy was seized with convulsions Friday morning shortly after the families, traveling together, stopped at a service station here. He was taken to a hospital, but his malady was not diagnosed until just before he died, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Two hours later the Beasley boy complained of a severe headache, and at 10 o'clock had fever of 106. He died at 3:30 this morning. The girls became ill last night.

The families were en route to their home in Arizona from Henrietta, Okla., where they spent several weeks. They left Henrietta a week ago, traveling through Ardmore and Gainesville to Fort Worth, thence west to Sweetwater on Highway 1.

### Baptist Group To Meet Soon With Midland

The monthly workers' meeting of the Big Spring Baptist Association will be held with the First Baptist church of Midland, February 8.

At 11 a. m. Rev. E. F. Cole of Lamea will preach. He is district organizer for this section of the state and we should give him a good crowd.

### First Baptist Plans Revival

Beginning Sunday, February 8, the First Baptist church will enter into a series of evangelistic services for a period of two weeks. The preaching will be done by the pastor, R. E. Day with Prof. B. B. McKinney of Fort Worth directing the song service.

The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

### 26 Airplanes From Fourteen States Land Here During Month

Twenty-six airplanes from 14 states—that is the record of the local airport during the month of January.

Of the 26 visiting planes, 15 of them, with 32 passengers, remained overnight.

Southern Air Fast Express planes brought 236 passengers through Big Spring, with 47 remaining here during the night.

Visiting planes represented Michigan, Ohio, New York, Kansas, Missouri, Louisiana, Georgia, California, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Washington, Texas, and Canada and Mexico.

### The Weather

West Texas: Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain Sunday; Monday, unsettled, probably rain in east portion, cooler in west portion.

East Texas: Mostly cloudy Sunday; Monday, probably rain. Light to moderate easterly to southerly winds on coast.

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy Sunday; Monday, probably rain.

New Mexico: Unsettled Sunday and Monday, probably occasional showers; little change in temperature.

Arizona: Probably showers north and rain or snow north portion Sunday and Monday; little change in temperature.

Weather outlook for week beginning Monday: Southern Plains and West Gulf States: Considerable cloudiness, with occasional rains early in week and again at close; temperatures generally near or above normal, somewhat colder about middle of week.



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THE WATER BUCKET

Something is wrong in the atmosphere hereabouts. This department has just conferred with the editor of this newspaper, who just a few minutes conferred with the representative of this newspaper in Lamesa. The latter mentioned representative conveyed the news that the Big Spring Steers, reputedly high and mighty among the cagers, had gone flopping down to the tune of something or another before the Lamesa Lions, Tigers, Bearcats, Elephants or what have you. It was only a few days ago that we became terribly heated beneath the collar, witted as it happened to be because someone insinuated the reason the Steers had won so many games was because they hadn't played any teams of mention. Shades of Phog Allen! Is it possible that the black and gold clad Bovines of the maple wood boards, that we have been vaulting to the skies for these many weeks went to Lamesa, and entered a tournament, and got socked there-off? Surely our Lamesa correspondent must have been in error. But he says he was not. And who, in this day and time, doubts the word of another.

If such is the case, we shall confine our remarks to the opportunity the Big Spring hockey club have of winning the great international tournament. We believe the ice hockey team will have very little chance; very little; little.

We stropped up to the high school auditorium Saturday morning winking at our friend Deward H. 'Tiny' Reed, and walked into the auditorium. There, for the better part of a half hour, we watched the Foran and Elbow girls' basketball team battle things out. Foran didn't win, but this department has never seen a better passing aggression among the feminine sex than Foran placed upon the floor. Elbow could shoot the goals, but they couldn't compare with the Foran contingent when it came to passing. Of course, even we realize that passing never won a basketball game, unless it resulted in someone dropping the ball in some goal.

But back to the Lamesa tournament. We were not convinced after talking to the editor of this newspaper, who vowed he talked to our Lamesa correspondent, that Big Spring had fallen before the Lamesa contingent. So, we placed sixty cents in the treasure chest, and called a Mr. Rogers. He happened to be principal of the high school in the Dawson County village. "Mr. Rogers," were interrogated, "is it a true fact that Saturday night the Lamesa basketball team socked unmercifully the Steers? We ask you Mr. Rogers, and we anticipate an answer." "Quite true, Mr. Waterbucket," quite true," responded Mr. Rogers in a cherry voice. "It is very true that the Longhorn loopers bowed in defeat." Wherewith we nonchalantly hung up the receiver.

## From Unexpected Source Comes Suggestion That Texas League Clubs Must Adopt Retrenchment

GALVESTON, Texas, Jan. 31 (AP)—From a most unexpected source, R. L. Tarleton, Jr., business manager of the wealthy Dallas club, came the warning today that Texas league magnates must adopt a policy of drastic retrenchment or see the loop eventually pass from organized baseball. Tarleton's speech featured today's annual schedule meeting which adjourned late this afternoon after adopting the 1931 schedule and deciding to award the player selected by Texas scribes as the most valuable to his team during the season with a scroll signed by President Alvin Gardner and \$100. Dallas has always been in the forefront of those richer clubs which have favored unrestricted salary lists and opposed all non class rules yet Tarleton proposed that the Texas League adopt amendments limiting the salary that any player can receive to \$500 per month and reducing the playing roster from 15 to 16.

Magnates discussed Tarleton's suggestions with the majority seeming to favor the suggested individual salary limit but opposing reduction of the player roster. However, no action was taken.

The 161-game schedule adopted calls for the season to open Wednesday, April 15 with Dallas playing at Shreveport; Fort Worth at Wichita Falls; Houston at Beaumont; and San Antonio at Galveston. The four larger cities will observe their opening Friday, April 17 with opponents unchanged. The league again will present \$250 to designated charities in the cities drawing the largest crowd each opening.

Holiday dates again were awarded to the larger cities with total receipts ordered pooled. On July 4 Galveston is scheduled at San Antonio; Beaumont at Houston; Wichita Falls at Fort Worth, and Shreveport at Dallas. On Labor Day Galveston again invades San Antonio, Beaumont at Houston but Shreveport will play at Fort Worth and Wichita Falls at Dallas. The season closes Sept. 26 with Dallas at Shreveport; Fort Worth at Wichita Falls; Beaumont at Galveston; Houston at Beaumont; and San Antonio at Galveston.

Galveston, and Houston at San Antonio. There are also seven Sunday double headers on the card which books each club against each other for 23 games. Split Is Up The first sectional invasion begins May 1 with the northern clubs traveling south. Should the magnates decide to split the season the second half will begin July 1. So Dreyfuss, president of the Dallas club, suggested that the club owners decide on a split at the meeting but the matter did not come to a vote.

The most valuable player award is being attempted by Texas league writers of each city, acting as a unit, will have one ballot in determining the winner.

Not enough sports editors were on hand to organize a Texas League Baseball Writers Association but a temporary committee of Andy Anderson of the Houston Press, Lloyd Gregory of the Houston Post-Dispatch, Kern Tipton of the Houston Chronicle and Victor Emanuel of the Galveston News were named to have by-laws drawn up and do missionary work by mail.

Magnates and sports writers were guests of Shearn Moody of the Galveston club at dinner tonight.

## SHUTE LEADS TEXAS OPEN

### Champ Defends 1930 Title With 71

Columbus Pro Has Habit Of Finding Himself In Texas Open

By GAYLE TALBOT, JR. Associated Press Sports Writer BRACKENRIDGE PARK, SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 31 (AP)—Leading the Texas open tournament has become a sort of fixed habit with Columbus Shute, the calm young professional from Columbus, Ohio. He has been pacing the field now without a break for almost two years and prospects were he would keep right on with his knitting. Although he wobbled for a time today, the defending champion collected himself before he finished and chalked up a perfect 71 for the course, to remain out in front by three strokes at the halfway mark in the 72-hole event. He was, in consequence, a prohibitive favorite to breeze right on through to his second straight title and \$1,500 first prize in the 36-hole final tomorrow.

The Closest Shute's closest rivals were Harry Cooper, the Chicago star, and Joe Turnesa of Elmswood, N. Y., each with 140 for the first two days under par. Turnesa, himself a former Texas open champion, added a 71 to his 69 yesterday to stay in the thick of things, while Cooper fell off to a 72, compared with his great 68 on the opening round.

Cooper, playing in the same threesome with Shute caught the Columbus star going out today and passed him by a stroke at the start, but couldn't hold it. After taking 39 blows, three over par in the cut nine, Shute regained his form to come in 32 and repaid the damage. A gallery of 2,000 followed Shute, Cooper and Horton Smith, the New York threat. Smith contributed a 71 to place his 36-hole total at 144, along with John Golden, Aquas Calientes open champion from Stamford, Conn., and Frank Walsh, Chicago veteran.

Tied for third place with 141 totals were Tom Lally, San Antonio professional, who carded a 72 today, and Wifty Cox, Brooklyn star, who registered a 70 to tie Craig Wood, Deal, N. J., for the day's low. Although the course played well today, the scores ran consistently higher than yesterday, when 21 equalled or bettered par. Grouped at 142 were three well-known professionals, including Ralph Guldahl, the young Dallas ace, Jack Forrester, veteran from Oradell, N. J., posted a pair of 71's while Frank Scheider of Dallas placed a 73 for his 69 of the previous day to get the same result.

Deadlocked In the next group of five deadlocked at 143 were Charles Guest, Los Angeles; Sammie Schneider, San Antonio; Harold Long, Denver; Abe Espinosa, Chicago, and Craig Wood, Deal, N. J. Well-known professionals who found themselves with slim hopes of getting in on the big money tomorrow included Al Espinosa, Chicago, and Ray Mangrum, Dallas, with 145; Mike Turnesa, Elmswood, N. J., and George Aubach, Waco, Texas, each with 146, and Tony Namor, Elmswood, N. Y., with 147, exactly ten strokes back of the leader.

Sixty-six players who succeeded in doing 154 or better for the two rounds were eligible to play the final 36 tomorrow. Eight of them were amateurs, led by Johnny Dawson of Chicago with 147. Dawson's closest rival among the simon-pure was Tod Menefee of San Antonio, with 150. No well-known professionals failed to qualify for the play-off. One of them who will not be present tomorrow, however, gained fleeting fame today. He was Lew Mathews, Paris, Texas, professional, who sank his tee shot on the 165-yard final hole. His crisp iron shot struck a foot beyond the cup and then bounced back in. Even with that, though, Mathews could do no better than 77 for the round and 157 for the 36 holes.

## Only Twelve of 1929 Track Stars Retain Places In 1931 According To Secretary of Athletic Union

### GAWKY TAKES RICH SUM OF WINTER TURN

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31 (AP)—Beauty means nothing in a horse race as shown today by a gawky, scraggly nag by the name of Jimmy Moran romping down at the fair grounds ahead of 14 thoroughbreds to win the New Orleans Handicap, richest purse on the winter turf. As Jimmy took his place in the starting stalls one automatically thought of the plow but with the jump of the barrier this plug-ugly creature became a dynamo of action.

He went around the half mile floating with the herd but then Jockey James took him in hand and moved him into third place. At the three-quarters he moved up to second place and turned into the stretch out front by a length and a half and crossed the finish line a length ahead of the charging Rocket Glare that came up from thirteenth place to challenge the winner.

### Cosden Easily Beats 'Flu' Quintet

Cosden Refinery's basketball team easily brushed Fluvanna's quintet aside Saturday night, winning in a whirlwind, 62 to 29. West, with 12 field goals totaling 21 points, was high man for the night. He is Cosden's crack forward. Steelman, the other Cosden forward, was second with 22 points. The game was played at Lomax gymnasium.

### CHERRY NAMED SANDIE COACH

AMARILLO, Texas, Jan. 31 (AP)—Coach Blair Cherry, Amarillo high school football coach who, in his first year here took a green team to the state finals, has been re-employed by the school board for two more years. It was announced today. Howard Lynch, assistant coach, was given a one year contract, as was Davis Hill, basketball and track.

### Coahoma And Elbow on Top

#### Junior Boys and Senior Girls Hold County Meet Here

The Coahoma boys' quintet and the Elbow girls' sextet are the champions in the junior and senior sections, respectively, of the county, according to interscholastic League eliminations played Friday and Saturday. In the finals, the Coahoma youths topped the Knott loopers 17 to 7; the Elbow girls winning 21 to 15 over the Knott contingent. The finals were played Saturday night.

### By FOSTER HAILEY Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 (AP)—The All-American track team of 1930, selected each year by Daniel J. Ferris, secretary of the Amateur Athletic Union, for Spalding's athletic almanac, shows that life on the track is as a rule a short and not always a merry one.

Of the 35 places on the team, only twelve of the 1929 all-Americans retain their standing for 1930. Two, Ran Conger, of the Illinois A. C., and Gus Moore, Brooklyn Harriers star formerly of the University of Pittsburgh, again are on the team but listed for different places.

They Pass The 1930 team also records the passing of Pat McDonald, grand old man of American track and field sports, who was supplanted as 56-pound weight throwing champion by Leo Sexton, former Georgetown athlete, no wot the New York A. C. He was the first time a youngster had broken into this weight throw, and was supplanted since the memory of man runner, Pat and Matt McGrath having divided that honor. Another old timer, Clarence DeMar, was returned to the Marathon after a two year absence.

Such track greats as Leo Lermond, Boston; Monty Wells, Dartmouth; Ebb Kelly, San Francisco Olympic club, and Eric Krenz, Stanford, also are missing from this year's list. Steve Anderson of the Washington A. C. surrenders his 225-yard hurdle crown to Robert Maxwell, of the Los Angeles A. C., but retains his place as the leading timber topper at 120 yards.

Replaced Dr. Paul Martin, the Swiss surgeon who runs for the New York A. C., takes Conger's place at 1000 yards and the Illinois flier moves on up to take Lermond's place at the mile. Moore was supplanted as cross country champion by William C. Zepp, of the Dorchester, Mass., club, but himself shouldered James McDeane, of the Millrose A. A., out of the place as leading 10-miler. The full team:

500 yards: Jack Elder, Notre Dame. 70 yards: James Daley, Holy Cross. 100 yards: Frank Wykoff, U.S.C. 225 yards: George Simpson, Ohio State. 400 yards: John Lewis, Detroit City College. 540 yards: Reginald F. Bowen, University of Pittsburgh. 600 yards: Bernard McCafferty, Holy Cross. 800 yards: Edwin Gannung, Washington A. C. 1,000 yards: Dr. Paul Martin, New York A. C. One mile: Ray Conger, Illinois A. C. Two miles: Harold Manning, Wichita, Kans. University. Six miles: Louis Gergory, St. Joseph's A. C., Newark, N. J. Ten miles: Gus Moore, Brooklyn, N. Y. Fifteen miles: William Agee, Emory University of Illinois. Marathon: Clarence DeMar, Keene, N. H. Cross country: William Zepp, Dorchester, Mass., club. Two mile steeplechase: Joseph Mackelvey, Manchester, Conn., registration club. 70 yard hurdles: Lee Sentman, University of Illinois. 120 yard hurdles: Steve Anderson, Washington A. C. 220 yard hurdles: Aubert Maxwell, Los Angeles A. C. 440 yard hurdles: Richard Pomeroy, Los Angeles A. C. Walking: Harry Hinkel, Los Angeles A. C.

### BOXER DIES AFTER BOUT

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 31 (AP)—Bob Louthian, 21-year-old boxer of Texarkana, Ark., died today from concussion of the brain received in a bout with Ward Phelps, Mesa, Arizona, middleweight, here last night. Two investigations into Louthian's death were under way, one by County Attorney Andrews and the other by the Phoenix Boxing Commission. Phelps was at liberty on his own recognizance. Louthian was felled by a blow to the head during the second round and was carried to a hospital, where he died 12 hours later. He left a widow and baby in Minnesota. Louthian had been fighting in the southwest for some time and had collapsed several weeks ago in Texarkana after a bout. He started his career as a boxer in Mississippi.

## 19 NATIONS ENTERED IN TENNIS PLAY

### Campbell Gives First Test Of Car

PARIS, Jan. 31 (AP)—The entry lists for the 1931 European zone Davis cup matches closed with 19 nations entered for the international tennis play. Twenty-five were entered last year.

Although the entry lists officially are closed, any entry mailed before midnight tonight, and so postmarked, will be considered valid. The entry lists for the North American zone also closed today although no official list was given out and will not be until sufficient time has elapsed to permit all mail posted before midnight tonight to be received.

The nineteen nations entered in the European zone are Austria, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Great Britain, Germany, Hungary, Holland, Italy, Ireland, Japan, Spain, Yugoslavia, Monaco, Norway, Poland, Rumania, Sweden and Switzerland. The final official list will be made public Monday.

The draw for play is to be made Wednesday at the Elysee Palace. Japan, Great Britain, Germany and Italy again are favored to go through to the semi-finals unless two of them should meet in the first round, as England and Germany did last year.

### Steer Cagers Downed By Lamesa

Big Spring Steers, after undergoing the second defeat of the year at the hands of the Lamesa Lions, won second place in the Dawson county tournament held Friday night and Saturday. The Steers, after battling their way to the semi-finals, lost to the Lamesa contingent, 19 to 17. It was the second defeat of the season for the Longhorn loopers, compared with 15 victories.

### SPEED KINGS TO MEET FOR GREAT TROPHY

DETROIT, Jan. 31 (AP)—Two of the world's most noted speed kings will meet in the fastest motorboat race yet held in the Detroit river here September 2 and 7 in a race for the Harmsworth trophy. The Detroit gold cup committee in charge of the regatta, announced today receipt of a challenge which will bring together Gar Wood, holder of a long string of speedboat records, and Kaye Don, English race driver and sportsman. The challenge came from Lord Wakefield of Elythe, who would enter the Miss England II, the boat in which Sir Henry Segrave lost his life last June on Lake Windermere, England. The English craft, which overturned while Sir Henry was attempting to determine its maximum speed, has been recon- ditioned, and is said to have been clocked unofficially at a speed of 110 miles an hour.

Miss America Gar Wood, who has successfully defended the Harmsworth trophy against French and British challenges during the last decade, already has had a new Miss America, the tenth of the line, would be built to defend the plaque this year. A race between Kaye Don and Gar Wood undoubtedly would furnish one of the most spectacular contests ever seen in speedboat competition. Miss England II holds the world's official speed record at 98.7 miles an hour, set by Sir Henry Segrave at the time of his death, June 13 last. Wood's fastest time was 93.123 miles an hour.

It is anticipated to lift the Harmsworth trophy from Gar Wood, Kaye Don would be taking up a task given up last summer by Miss Barbara Carstairs, English sports woman after three unsuccessful trials which are said to have cost her close to \$500,000. Mishap has dogged the efforts of foreign challengers almost constantly. Traveling at terrific speed, their boats have burned, fuses have failed or other difficulties have made most of the contests markedly uneven.

### Campbell Gives First Test Of Car

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Jan. 31 (AP)—Captain Malcolm Campbell gave his trim racing car its first test of speed on the beach here today by clicking off nearly 200 miles an hour on a practice trial preliminary to his proposed shot at the world's straightaway record.

A crowd watched the veteran British driver send his 1,450 horsepower machine roaring along over a slightly ruffled beach. On the first run it has made since leaving its factory in England his tachometer or motor speed indicator, registered approximately 192 miles an hour at top speed.

He said he was highly pleased and pronounced the car very satisfactory in condition for official runs. On the second of his two trials today, Campbell averaged 180 miles an hour on a "light pinch" he described it, by stopping his speeding machine just short of a beach crowd.

Traveling at 175 to 180 miles an hour, he saw the spectators a mile and a half ahead, and burned out his brakes stopping.

Campbell described the beach today as being only fair for an official trial. "It was not bad," he said, "but certainly not good enough for a record attempt. The course has been improving and I hope for a record beach soon."

He said he wouldn't take his car to the beach tomorrow, but hoped to do so Monday. His mechanics will repair the damaged brakes over the week-end.

Campbell could not make his official trials for the record before Monday, anyway, because his sanction does not start until then. The present record is 231 miles an hour, established here in 1929 by the late Sir Henry Segrave, also of England.

### CARD OF THANKS

To our friends and neighbors We wish to thank the merchants and citizens of Big Spring and the people of Venimoor for the help and gifts that they gave us when our house burned January 22. We thank one and all. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Long, Venimoor, Texas.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that on the Second Monday in February 1931, which is the 9th day of February 1931, at ten o'clock A. M. on said date at the court house in Garden City, Glasscock county, Texas, the Commissioners' Court of said County will receive sealed proposals from banking corporations, or individual bankers desiring to be selected as the depository of the funds of Glasscock county, Texas. The sealed proposals shall state the rate of interest offered on the funds of the County for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository; interest to be computed upon daily balances. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, (\$500.00) as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder and that if his bid is accepted he will enter into a good and sufficient bond as required by law, provided, however, that he shall fail to give the bond required by law and the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages and the County Judge shall thereupon readvertise for bids.

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### DOLLARS—DO YOUR DUTY

There's a real opportunity going to the present! Last Thursday, Read Wednesday's Herald for particulars. City Wide Dollar Day

# Church Services

(All services not otherwise designated occur Sundays.)

**FIRST METHODIST**  
W. G. Bailey, Pastor  
Fourth and Severy  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Prayer services—11 a. m.  
Evening services—7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
League services, 6:30 p. m. Sundays.

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
H. E. Day, Pastor  
Sixth and Main  
Sunday School—9:30 a. m.  
Prayer—11 a. m.  
Evening service—7:30 p. m.  
R. Y. P. U.—6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Theodore Greve, Minister  
Fourteenth and Main  
Bible Study—2:45 a. m.  
Sermon and worship—11 a. m.  
Sermon and worship—7:30 p. m.  
Junior Training Class—6:30 p. m.  
Senior Training Class—6:30 p. m.  
Ladies' Class Wednesday 2:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

**WEST SIDE BAPTIST**  
E. L. Whitaker, Pastor  
1300 West Fourth  
Sunday School—10 a. m.

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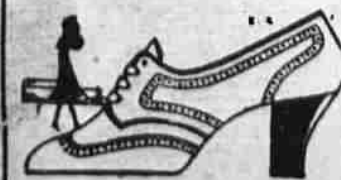
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Holy mass (April to October inclusive) 8:15 a. m.  
Holy mass (last Sunday in the month) 8:15 a. m.  
Holy mass (November to March inclusive) 10 a. m.  
Holy mass (last Sunday of the month) 8:45 a. m.  
Christian doctrine, Saturday 8:30 to 1:30 p. m.  
Christian doctrine, Sunday 1-2 hour before mass.  
Choir practice, Friday 7 p. m.

**SACRED HEART (Spanish)**  
Holy Mass (April to October inclusive) 8:15 a. m.  
Holy Mass (last Sunday of the month) 9:30 a. m.  
Holy Mass (November to March inclusive) 8:45 a. m.  
Holy Mass (last Sunday of the month) 10 a. m.

**PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL**  
W. H. Martin, Minister in Charge  
St. Mary's Mission  
Fifth and Runnels  
Sunday services—11 a. m.  
Church, Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Holy Communion, first Sunday in each month.  
The Woman's Auxiliary meetings every Monday afternoon.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**  
Rev. Theo Francis, O. M. L.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
R. L. Owen, Pastor  
Seventh and Runnels  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship—11 a. m.  
Senior Christian Endeavor—6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship—7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Auxiliary, Monday, 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week services, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

**FOURTH STREET BAPTIST**  
S. B. Hatcher, Pastor  
Fourth and Nolan  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship—11 a. m.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
W. G. Buchsbaender, Pastor  
Fifth and North Green Streets  
Sunday School—10 a. m.  
Sermon hour—10:30 a. m.  
Mid-week services Thursday 7:30 p. m.

**B. Y. P. U. training services, 8:15 p. m.**  
Evening worship—7:30 p. m.  
Monday, W. M. U. meeting at 8 p. m.; first Monday, business meeting; second and third Mondays, in circles; fourth Sunday, monthly missionary meetings.  
Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m., following third Sundays, B. Y. P. U. executive meetings.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week services.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m., choir practice.  
Friday, 7:30 p. m., Boy Scout meeting.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**  
Worship to City Federation Clubhouse  
Fifth and Severy  
Services read at 11 a. m. each Sunday.

**BOSTON WOOL**  
BOSTON, Jan. 31 (AP)—Prices eased on a few early sales of the past week, but toward the close, prices began to show a firmer tendency. The change in feeling toward wool values came largely as a result of a fair amount of buying on a few grades domestic wool, and the receipts of cables from foreign markets indicating firmer to slightly higher prices.

**TEXAS COTTON SEED**  
DALLAS, Texas, Jan. 31 (AP)—Prime cotton seed: North and East Texas, 25; West Texas, 23 at 25. Price cotton seed oil 6 1-4. Prime cotton seed meal 43 0-0 27. Prime cotton seed hulls 10. Linters average mill run 1 1-2 at 1-4.

**FT. WORTH GRAIN**  
FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 31 (AP)—Light offerings on the Fort Worth cash grain market continued to be fairly well absorbed Saturday with corn showing slight declines due to the new lows in contract markets. Number 1 hard wheat was probably worth 77 1-2 at 80c for all proteins, basis delivered Texas common point. Estimated receipts Saturday: wheat 17 cars; corn 3 and sorghum 2. Quotations on coarse grains ranged about as follows, basis car-

loads delivered Texas common point, freight paid: corn number 2 mixed 71 1-2 at 72c; number 2 white 74 at 1-2 at 72c; number 3 yellow 73 1-2 at 74 1-2c.  
Oats No. 2 red 42 1-2 at 43 1-2. Barley No. 2, 53 at 55 1-2c. Sorghums number 2 mill per 100 pounds 23 at 25; No. 2 kafir 122 at 124.

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Buff Rocks	100 chicks . . . . .	12.00
White Rocks	100 chicks . . . . .	12.00
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Golden Lace Wyandottes	100 chicks . . . . .	12.00
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White Wyandottes	100 chicks . . . . .	12.00
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**What A Lyching Does**

It ought to be pointed out that most people who are protesting against the recent lynching at Maryville, Mo., are not moved by any misplaced sympathy for the victim of that outrage. After all, a man who beats a girl to death does not deserve a great deal of consideration, and if this murderer's death was horrible, so was the death of his victim.

What causes indignation at the affair is the fact that it is a blow against all of society. The 200 men who were in the mob that burned that negro alive will be worse men, for the rest of their lives, than they were before. You can not give free vent to cruelty and blood-lust without damaging your whole being.

The main job of civilization, after all, is to lift mankind out of savagery—in "anyway's" words, to "move upward, working out the beast." A crime like this at Maryville sets the whole process back.

**Cut Down the War Debts**

THERE is sound sense to the suggestion of Albert H. Wiggin, chairman of the Chase National Bank of New York that the United States government move for a reduction in interrelated debts "for good business reasons."

Mr. Wiggin points out that business recovery lags because foreign nations cannot get money enough both to pay the war debts with interest, and to buy American exports. Scale the debts down and our export trade would rise again—and American factories now idle will be busy once more.

This is simply common sense; but it is to be doubted if Mr. Wiggin's suggestion will be complied with. There will be plenty of short-sighted people to object to any reduction in the allied debts; plenty of people who cannot see beyond the ends of their own noses, to whom such a step would smack of charity (altruism) and "internationalism."

**OPINIONS OF OTHERS**  
**Cyclone and Hoover**  
Greenville ("xas) Banner: IN a letter to Senator Tom Connally at Washington, Cyclone Davis, of Hopkins county writes: "Senator, I thank God for your courage. You have nailed Hoover to the cross. You have proven that when the twenty millions bid for Russia was pending he, as secretary of commerce, went before the committee and urged its passage because a great drought had blighted part of Russia. But now with vengeance refuses to let fifteen millions go to the large section of the sun-cooked territory in our own country. He can explain this egregious flop by that old gag that "consistency is the virtue of fools." But it certainly does present him in hideous mental and moral deformity.

"The bickering, bantering and bandying that has been carried on by President Hoover and leaders including the Red Cross is discouraging and disgusting. Thomas of Oklahoma, uncovers the leaders of the Red Cross, who sought to conceal twenty millions of their funds in order to prevent immediate relief. McKellor of Tennessee shows that similar relief for suffering has been given by almost every congress for a hundred years. For Mellon, Hoover, Peas and Co., holding a whip hand in government to hand out fifteen millions to one millionaire family and then insolently refuse fifteen million to millions of distressed, unemployed and drought sufferers is disheartening, disgusting, disgraceful and is destroying respect for the majesty of government. The increasing distress of the masses while they read of the voluptuous wealth of the classes, the pompered pets of government is breeding anarchy and hobnobbing. The senate in this session is in fact the people's tribune. Keep up the fight! God knows you are right!"

"The thing that puzzles the Banner editor is how Cyclone ever got on the right side of any campaign during the national campaign he

went over the country preaching Hooverism and telling the voters what a calamity it would be to elect a democrat. At least we are glad to see that Cyclone is now on the right side. Of course no one can tell how long he will remain on one side of any question.

**How Is Your HEALTH?**

Edited by Dr. Ingo Galdston for the New York Academy of Medicine

**SUPERFLUOUS HAIR**  
The growth of hair and its distribution over the body appears among other things, to be subject to the control of certain of the glands of internal secretion.

The character of the hair, its color, shape and quality depend largely upon heredity. There is much about the growth and distribution of hair which still remains unknown to medical science.

Baldness, when it is the result of premature loss of hair, represents a serious problem, and the presence of superfluous hair is equally distressing. It is probably a "toss up" as to which is more annoying and upon which more money is futiley spent.

The permanent removal of superfluous hair, often desirable for cosmetic reasons, requires expert skill and knowledge. When attempted by the inexpert, it may lead to disastrous results, causing disfigurement and blemish and often giving rise to serious skin infections.

Judging from current advertisements, it would appear as if the permanent removal of hair were an easy matter. The fact, however, is that such is not the case. One may remove hair easily enough, but as to permanence that is another matter.

The permanent removal of hair requires the destruction of the hair follicle, or what is commonly termed the hair root, imbedded in the skin. It cannot be reached by the ordinary depilatories.

**Next—Removing Hair**

**Hollywood Sights**  
**Sounds**

**BY ROBBIN COONS**  
**HOLLYWOOD**—How definitely the movies have come to their senses in regard to elevating musical comedy talents to screen fame is reflected sharply in the status of the numerous "Gus Edwards discoveries" who at one time or another played movies.

The "star-maker" himself, after 15 months in Hollywood, is back in New York in theatrical business, and most of his discoveries who blazed into screen fame with nothing but musical abilities have followed him in the return.

Eddie Cantor is set for more pictures, and Bert Wheeler, the comedy team has survived nobly. Johnny Hines, another comedian, remains in short comedies, and Eddie Buzzell, who came as an actor, is now principally concerned with directing.

**ACTORS, NOT SINGERS**  
Groucho Marx of the four brothers, claimed by Edwards as a discovery, no doubt will make more pictures, and Armda, now featured in a Broadway musical, will return. Lila Lee, when she recuperates, is another certainty, and Osa Munson, now on the stage, is set for a return to Hollywood. Lola Lane, too, has remained.

But it is significant that of the names mentioned above, none, with the possible exception of Miss Munson, is dependent upon musical prowess for screen success. The comedians remain for their comedy, and the actresses for their acting.

In the list of Edwards' "protégés" whose screen careers seem ended are George Jessel, Charles King of "Broadway Melody" fame, the Duncan sisters, and Jeanie Lang, who was featured in the Paul White-man screen revue.

**BEAUTIES ACT**  
Flo Ziegfeld is equally well represented on the screen, not only by "Whoopie," which he assisted in presenting, but by numerous Follies beauties who are acting rather than singing in talkies.

In one picture, "Bachelor Apartment," four former Ziegfeld girls have featured roles—Mae Murray returning to the screen, Claudia Dell, Noel Francis and Irene Dunne. Miss Dunne has scored as a dramatic actress in "Cimarron." Marilyn Miller, who divides her time between Ziegfeld and Hollywood talkies, has been successful in both. And there are several silent screen stars, like Dorothy Mackall, who used to be under the Ziegfeld banner.

**Public Records**

Suits Filed in County Court  
W. R. Purser vs. Mrs. B. H. Bowry, foreclosure.  
J. F. Wolcott vs. C. W. Benton and S. P. Benton, note.  
Marriage Licenses  
Monieo Tabor and Maria Flores, Big Spring.  
Thibault M. Hernandez and Dora R. Urias, Big Spring.

**Daily Cross Word Puzzle**

**Solution of Saturday's Puzzle**

**ACROSS**  
1. Tag  
2. Demand of combustion  
3. Energy  
4. Purging  
5. Substantive of suffix  
6. Expense  
7. Inertile law  
8. Taxes into custody again  
9. 150 square meters  
10. Elixir  
11. Fruit  
12. Nickname for Theresa  
13. Region  
14. Tenthredinid  
15. Annuity  
16. Green letter  
17. Cerulean  
18. Period of darkness  
19. Kind of hemp  
20. Period of fasting and prayer  
21. One who tends the stork  
22. Terrible  
23. According to law  
24. Fur-bearing animal  
25. Fall behind  
26. Footlike part  
27. To let about  
28. Iterative  
29. Disordered

**DOWN**  
1. Tibetan priest  
2. Before sunset  
3. Distilling lamp  
4. Rather than  
5. Pertaining to  
6. To let about  
7. Stair  
8. Car

**Across**  
1. Allow  
2. Active metal  
3. Suspend  
4. Unpleasant  
5. Repose  
6. Hooped eye  
7. French pronunciation  
8. Alcoholic drink  
9. Lash  
10. Scolding woman  
11. Every one  
12. Born  
13. Former ruler  
14. Maffers  
15. Southern constellation  
16. Side of a triangle  
17. Binding fabric  
18. The cross  
19. Golden  
20. Frigid in conversation  
21. Celestial orb  
22. Fortification  
23. Rarest  
24. Urgent stakes  
25. Weird  
26. Act  
27. The Great B  
28. Strike greatly  
29. Former governor of Algeria  
30. Use dist. Eng.

**Across**  
1. TAP BASK SOAR  
2. ICE UNTO ERNE  
3. CENTS ARIA ON  
4. CAT RED ADD  
5. TRIM PEAEVES  
6. OIL CUD ORE  
7. POTUN PAR ME  
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9. RAGE HAT ARTS  
10. ODE TAG GNU  
11. SO SOLO NITRE  
12. SERIE TOGA HOW  
13. SENT SNOW SEE

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**Masked Longing**

**BY HOWARD ROCKEY**  
**A ROMANCE OF RADIO**

**SYNOPSIS:** Aileen Gray is disfigured for life when she falls through a glass door at a party celebrating her rise to stardom on Broadway. The reckless plan of her younger sister, Vivienne, to bathe in the fountain is the indirect cause of the accident. Vivienne is fured to the office of Arnold Kronberg, movie magnate, where he makes advances to her. Suddenly a masked woman appears and shoots Kronberg. Vivienne is spirited away to Philadelphia by Dwight Channing, the artist for whom she models, and Jimmy Crane, press agent who is in love with Aileen. Kronberg recovers and says nothing. Channing makes a porcelain mask for Aileen so that she may start a new career as a mysterious masked singer over the radio.

**Chapter 19**  
**MADMOISELLE MASQUE**  
As the liner Colcoctania was warped to its dock, Aileen appeared on deck with Channing, wearing her new mask. They had boarded the ship in the lower harbor.

There was no one else on the gang-plank as the two descended. Aileen was wrapped in a long fur coat, but its turned up collar did not hide the new mask.

"Pipe the dame with the Japanese map!" one astonished reporter exclaimed. A fusillade of cameras began shooting at Aileen. She and Channing were surrounded as they stepped on the pier. The reporters knew Channing, and pleaded with him for a clue to the masked lady's identity.

"Really, I'm sorry," he shook his head. "I can't say a word." "Track 'em!" The dean of the ship-news men snapped. "Arrived at the Ambassador, Aileen and Channing made their escape upstairs."

Jimmy lingered below in the lobby, trying to seem unobtrusive as the reporters who had tried Aileen's taxi hurried in. Knowing Jimmy, they pounced upon him.

"What's up?" he inquired. They confessed their troubles briefly. Jimmy registered surprise, then a light seemed to dawn upon him suddenly.

"Say, maybe I can help you after all," he said. "I remember now I did hear something about this Mademoiselle Masque. Call up the United Broadcasting Company. Ask for Colonel Sherwood—but don't say I told you."

The reporters made a dash for the telephone desk and Jimmy slipped upstairs.

"Your public relations counsel," he announced with a swagger as he entered Aileen's impressive suite. "I've started the little ball rolling. Nothing to do now but wait for the papers to come out!" Max Klein arrived later, bringing the evening papers.

Aileen hummed the air at first. Then her voice drifted into the words, and soon the feeling of the song took possession of her.

Lezinski looked up at her soulfully. "Mademoiselle, as you sing it, I am proud of my little song! The night the whole country hears you—50 million people will call your voice divine!"

Aileen's appearance in the crystal room of the Ambassador caused a stir among the diners. Jimmy wondered how long it would be before natural curiosity might become annoying. He had a premonition of a situation almost certain to arise.

Then, in the most natural way, what Jimmy expected happened. "It seems a pity," Gluck observed, "that all the pictures of Mademoiselle are planned to show her masked. Of course, in view of her purpose, that is very fine. But wouldn't it be a good idea to have some taken without it? Then later on, we can spring a surprise when the time seems ripe. Not just yet, of course. But the public will never be satisfied until it sees her features."

Channing came to the rescue. "You forget our contract, Mr. Gluck. For personal reasons, Mademoiselle prefers to remain unknown."

"I don't forget that Mr. Channing, but who knows that the air may not bring Mademoiselle greater laurels. Then I am sure she will like my suggestion—"

"Oh, no!" Aileen sat petrified. "I'm a business man, and a man of my word. Gluck was a trifle pompous. A contract is a contract. Then, with an effort at gallantry, he leaned toward Aileen. "But it is permitted that I may hope to life that mask some day?"

Aileen held her breath. To gain time, she shrugged her shoulders and slowly fitted a cigarette into her long holder. "I'm afraid that might spoil the illusion." She was pretending to consider. "The unknown is always—more alluring—don't you think?"

Channing promptly helped her out. "Perhaps you remember the

that telegram? Have you two heard any more?"

"Not a thing," said Jimmy. "Well I'll bet you do. What's her name—Adrenalin?—won't miss a chance like this. Not if I know the damn name of the fountain in the indirect cause of the accident. Vivienne is fured to the office of Arnold Kronberg, movie magnate, where he makes advances to her. Suddenly a masked woman appears and shoots Kronberg. Vivienne is spirited away to Philadelphia by Dwight Channing, the artist for whom she models, and Jimmy Crane, press agent who is in love with Aileen. Kronberg recovers and says nothing. Channing makes a porcelain mask for Aileen so that she may start a new career as a mysterious masked singer over the radio."

Aileen herself was keyed-up like a child. She was stunning in her black velvet gown. "As a final precaution, Aileen made sure that the porcelain mask was properly adjusted. The smile on its features challenged the whole world to guess who she might be. More visitors were announced.

Nora Nolan, the maid, opened the door and Aileen stepped over the threshold of a new adventure. Emile Gluck—short, fat and pompous—gaped as though he had seen a vision and did not believe it. "Mademoiselle Masque, gentlemen!" Channing presented them. Colonel Sherwood pressed her fingers. Gluck bowed with a heavy courtesy and the stubby bristles of his moustache tickled Aileen's knuckles.

"So you are going to sing for me?" he beamed. "And you come from Paris—a mystery—just like my Parfum Masque!"

Instantly, Aileen liked him. A caricature of courtliness, he was thoroughly Continental, and Aileen fancied, kindly. He produced a plush-lined case. "The first bottle de luxe—and it is for you!" Gluck presented it proudly.

"It's perfectly exquisite!" Aileen enthused. "Capital!" Sherwood was pleased. "Now I feel that our program is certain to be successful. By the way, Sascha Lezinski has written a theme song for our hour. He calls it Valse Parfum Masque. I've taken the liberty to ask him to come to dinner with us."

Lezinski appeared in the doorway, carrying his violin-case and a roll of music. Aileen led the way to the piano bench. As Lezinski's fingers ripped the keys, Aileen leaned over his shoulder. The melody sang, sighed, breathed of trysts, grew sparkling in its abandonment—suggested fiercely murmured vows—the ecstasy of possession—finally floated off in a mist of tender recollection. Aileen caught the glint of tears in Emile Gluck's eyes.

"I want to try it!" Aileen murmured.

legend of the Chinese Prince. His favorite wife was a beautiful creature whose face he had never seen. But one night, this wife, being human, lit a lamp. The prince saw she was more beautiful than he had even conceived, but he cursed his gods because there was nothing of beauty left to imagine. So he ordered his princess beheaded.

"So purely from the angle of keeping the public guessing, I think we must stick to the mask."

But ignorant of the reasons behind Aileen's objections, Gluck

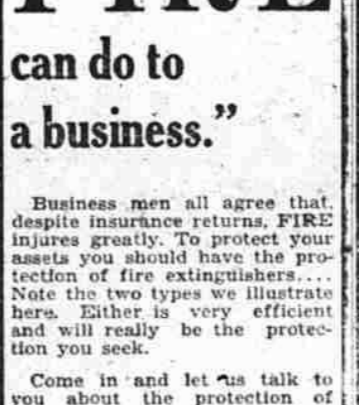
was impelled to continue to play the cavalier. "An interesting story. But I'm not like Mr. Channing's Prince. Perhaps we'd better let the public guess, but I shall hope that some day—I may peep behind

the scenes!" (Copyright, 1930, by The Maceaulay Co.)

Will Aileen's debut be a success? Follow her first appearance "on the air" tomorrow.

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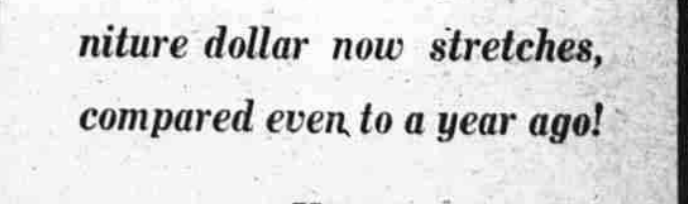
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# RUTH CHATTERTON OPENS TODAY AT RITZ

## "THE RIGHT TO LOVE" TOPIC OF NEW PICTURE

### 'Billy the Kid' Story To Be Opened Friday

#### King Vidor's Talking Picture Presentation At Ritz

"Billy the Kid," King Vidor's talking picture presentation of a slice of real "Wild West" history in the '80's, finds an interesting and capable group of players interpreting characters whose names have been household words in the "cow country" for more than fifty years.

The principal characters of this story, which will come to the Ritz Theatre for Friday and Saturday, are, of course, William Bonney, "Billy the Kid," and his friend and nemesis, Sheriff Pat Garrett. John Mack Brown's good work in "The Single Standard" and Montana Moon won him his big chance, as Billy, while the always capable Wallace Beery came to Garrett from the roles of Butch in "Big House" and Tripod in "Way for a Sailor."

Claire, who provides the love interest of the story, is played by Kay Johnson, of "Dynamite" and "Madam Satan," and Karl Dane is seen as an amusing Swede cowboy, Swenson.

Mr. and Mrs. McSween, Brewer and Tunston are four characters who took part in the cattleman's war which settled around Lincoln. They are played under these correct names in the picture by Russell Simpson, of "Lone Star Ranger" and "The Virginian"; Blanche Frederici, the minister's wife of "Sadie Thompson"; Jack Carlyle, of "What Price Glory"; and Wyndham Standing, of "The Gold Diggers."

Roscoe Ates, like Beery, came from "Big House" to a comedy role as Old Stuff. He was a vaudeville headliner for years.

Ballinger, the deputy whom Billy hates, is interpreted by Warner P. Richmond, of "Strange Cargo" and "The Fire Brigade." Other players of note who interpret strong character roles, include James Marcus Nelson, McDowell, John Beck, Marguerita Padula and Aggie Herring. The continuity was written by Wanda Tuchock, with dialogue by Laurence Stallings and Charles MacArthur. The plot includes such stirring historical episodes as the siege of the McSween home with its subsequent burning; the sensational shooting of two Mexicans by "Billy the Kid" in a bar room; the chase of "The Kid" and his capture, and his escape and period of hiding in Kit Carson's cave near Gallup, New Mexico. Many of the scenes were taken at

Cleopatra won and lost a kingdom exercising her right to love. Josephine rose from an obscure position on the Isle of Martinique to that of Empress of France because of Napoleon's love.

Mary, queen of Scots, went to the beheading block when her right to love disturbed the powers of a nation.

The Taj Mahal was raised as a monument to one of history's greatest loves, that of the Shah Jehan for his wife, Mumtaz-I-Mahal.

Aspasia withstood the jeers of the citizens of Athens and won a niche in the hall of fame because of love for Pericles.

And thus it reads down through the chapters of romantic history, the mistresses of fame building and destroying cities, empires and races in their search for love.

Our modern manners have not changed woman's birthright, which according to Ruth Chatterton, is the right to love.

Woman is still searching and still attempting to quiet the conflict between duty and love, contends Miss Chatterton, who finds the topic of her new starring Paramount production, "The Right to Love," an absorbing subject.

"Love will never take a secondary place in the lives of women," asserts Miss Chatterton. "Careers, fortunes, position and fame seldom swerve women from the goal of love, but strangely enough duty often does."

"Women whose lives have been devoid of love, seldom reach the pinnacle of fame or success. It is well known, that the great writers, musicians, singers, and actresses of the ages have achieved their finest work in the midst of happy love. Women always will depend upon love more than men, who can easily dissociate their devotion from their life's work."

The women of the moment, who push love into the background until they have wrested success from careers are defeated before they begin, in the belief of Miss Chatterton. Too late they realize that by ignoring their right to love, fame becomes a mockery, and financial independence an uninspiring achievement.

The drama of a girl who resolved that love should have its proper consideration, is outlined in Miss Chatterton's newest picture for Paramount, "The Right to Love," which opens a three-day stay at the Ritz theater today.

UNA MERKEL AS "SYBIL"

Una Merkel, who is featured in "Eyes of the World," the Inspiration-United Artists picture to show at the Queen Monday and Tuesday made her screen debut in the memorable role of "Ann Rutledge" in D. W. Griffith's "Abraham Lincoln."

Miss Merkel was born in Covington, Kentucky.

the sides of the Grand Canyon and include shots of buffalo herds and other characteristic vistas of the far West.

### THE RITZ'S HEADLINERS



At the top you see a scene from "Billy The Kid" with John Mack Brown, Blanche Frederici and Kay Johnson talking, the boy being introduced to the young woman. It will be at the Ritz Friday and Saturday. The lower left picture is of Ruth Chatterton, star of the Ritz picture opening today, "The Right to Love." At the right is a smiling pose of Leila Hyams, a star in "Part Time Wife" at the Ritz Wednesday and Thursday.



### Stage Idol's Kin to Wed

#### Clemenceau's Grandson, Bernhardt's Great Granddaughter

PARIS, Jan. 31. (AP)—The grandson of Georges Clemenceau, France's "grand old man of politics," is to marry the great granddaughter of Sarah Bernhardt, France's most illustrious actress.

Mlle. Terka Gross, pretty brown-haired descendant of the "Divine Sarah" and young Pierre Clemenceau, grandson of "The Tiger," hope to be married in April, if they can find an apartment.

The perplexing-housing problem however, is giving them a great deal of concern.

"It wouldn't be so hard," says Mlle. Gross, "if we could spend much money. But we've just everybody else—we have to economize—and an economical apartment in Paris is very hard to find."

Mlle. Gross is the daughter of the former Terka Bernhardt, granddaughter of the tragedienne, and Edgar Gross, an American official in a British manufacturing concern.

She is a graduate of Cour Fenon, an exclusive girls' school in Paris, she made a social debut a few years ago, and between times she has been working with under-privileged French children in a nursery school. She speaks English well, but prefers French.

The 20-year-old descendant of "The Divine Sarah" has no desire to try her fate on the stage. She doesn't believe she has any talent in that direction and she never has wanted to try, despite efforts of American friends to place her in the movies in Hollywood.

She is immersed in cooking recipes and household guides these days, for she expects to do the housekeeping in the Gross-Clemenceau ménage.

Young Clemenceau, who is 27, bronze-skinned and broad-shouldered, says he expects to devote himself to business and has no ambition to follow in the political footsteps of his grandfather.

Recently he made a trip to South America to sell French airplanes to Latin American republics, and now is a salesman for a firm manufacturing electric lights.

The young people met at Saint Raphael in the south of France last summer, while both were taking vacation travels. Their engagement was announced only a few days ago.



### Mistress Of Charm Billed

#### Ruth Chatterton Called First Lady of the Screen

Hollywood's mistress of charm is Ruth Chatterton.

Press writers never fail to include the noun in their interviews with her, but no one has yet captured the words that justly describe the elusive quality of her appeal.

A word picture of the "first lady of the screen," is the only medium through which those who have not met her can understand the inevitable charm of Chatterton, who will be at the Ritz theatre today, Monday and Tuesday.

She is never late for any appointment in or out of the studio.

During the making of her new Paramount talking picture, "The Right to Love," she was the first member of the cast on the set every morning. This is due to her rigid stage training and to a sense of responsibility in everything she undertakes.

She is considered one of the film colony's leading hostesses, yet not more than ten guests at one time are bidden to her home.

She spent six months planning the interior decorations of her Beverly Hills home, which is considered by artists a fine example of French interior.

She is a natural musician, possessing the ability to play a melody after she has heard it rendered once.

Her knowledge of art and music is professional.

She has composed more than eighteen songs.

She is as courteous to her servants as to her guests.

Her voice is pitched low, and is rich in musical qualities.

Her wardrobe is not large, but an ultimate one in taste and reticence.

During the summer months she lives in a ramshackle seaside cottage and her unchanging costume is a bathing suit and overalls.

A library of discrimination has been painstakingly collected, including as many volumes in French and German as in English.

Included in her books is a play of her own translation and production, "La Tendresse."

Her hobby is stimulating conversation.

### Chicago Life Really Seen

Realism in depicting gangland and gangsters is the keynote of "The Widow From Chicago," which is coming to the Queen Wednesday and Thursday.

The picture, a First National production with an all-star cast including Neil Hamilton, Edward G. Robinson, and others.

### "Eyes of the World" At Queen

Una Merkel, who plays the leading feminine role in "Eyes of the World," the Inspiration-United Artists dramatization of the Harold Bell Wright novel which comes to the Queen theater Monday and Tuesday, is still too green in the ways of motion to avail herself of the services of a "double."

This slim Broadway actress was required, during production, to jump into a shallow pool of water from a steep embankment. Henry King, the director, asked her if she wanted a "double" but Miss Merkel shook her head.

"Why?" she demanded. "I can swim."

King then explained that her services were so valuable to the production that any injury, however slight, might cause the company a serious loss of time and money.

The matter was settled finally by Miss Merkel doing her own "doubbling." Later it developed that the actress used to be a constant visitor to the "old swimming hole" near her Covington, Kentucky home.

Others in the cast of "Eyes of the World" are John Holland, Nance O'Neil, Brandon Hurst, Hugh Huntley, Fern Andra, Frederic Burt and William Jeffrey.

### E. Lowe Again Plays Strong Picture Role

#### 'Part Time Wife' Title of Wednesday Ritz Feature

The list of film heroines to whom Edmund Lowe has made love as a husband, sweetheart or lover, would read like a "Who's Who" of film-land. Yet he always manages to impart something original and different to each role, according to the nature and temperament of his leading lady.

For example, in "Part Time Wife," Eddie's latest Fox movietone production coming to the Ritz theater for Wednesday and Thursday, in

### WEEK'S CINEMA PROGRAM

**RITZ**  
 Sunday, Monday, Tuesday—  
 Ruth Chatterton in "The Right to Love."  
 Wednesday, Thursday—  
 "Part Time Wife," with Edmund Lowe, Leila Hyams.  
 Friday, Saturday—  
 "Billy The Kid," starring John Mack Brown, Wallace Beery, Kay Johnson, Karl Dane and others.  
 Midnight Saturday (11:30 P. M.)  
 "The Boudoir Diplomat" (the affairs of a master lover) with Betty Compson, Ian Keith, Mary Duncan, Jeanette Loff.

**QUEEN**  
 Monday, Tuesday—  
 "The Eyes of the World," with John Holland, Una Merkel and Nance O'Neil.  
 Wednesday, Thursday—  
 "The Widow From Chicago," starring Edward G. Robinson and Alice White, with others.  
 Friday, Saturday  
 "Shadow Ranch," with an all-star cast.

### Special Night First Version 'Wow' Picture

#### 'The Boudoir Diplomat' Title of Saturday Matinee Play

The gay affairs of a master lover are depicted in "The Boudoir Diplomat," the Universal special production with an all-star cast, which will be the attraction at the Ritz Theatre, at 11:30 p. m. Saturday of this week. The roster of players includes Betty Compson, Ian Keith, Mary Duncan, Lawrence Grant, Jeanette Loff, Lionel Belmore and Andre Beranger, together with a large number of minor

## RITZ Monday - Tuesday

### INSPIRATION PICTURES & SOL LESSER PRESENT THE EYES OF THE WORLD



FROM THE STORY BY HAROLD BELL WRIGHT

A HENDY KING PRODUCTION WITH UNA MERKEL JOHN HOLLAND & NANCE O'NEIL

An amazing tale of modern loves vibrant with the conflict of red-blooded men for a woman; aglow with the chastening whiteness of great sacrifice and unswerving devotion. A tale of hearts as mighty as the great open spaces in which it takes place.

# RITZ

## TODAY MONDAY AND TUESDAY

FROM THE MOMENT SHE SEES HIM, SHE IS LOST—HE KISSES HER—SHE IS WILDLY HAPPY—BUT—

"THOU SHALT NOT LOVE! - - Your Love Is Tainted Just as Your Mother's Was!"

# Ruth Chatterton

## IN "THE RIGHT TO LOVE"

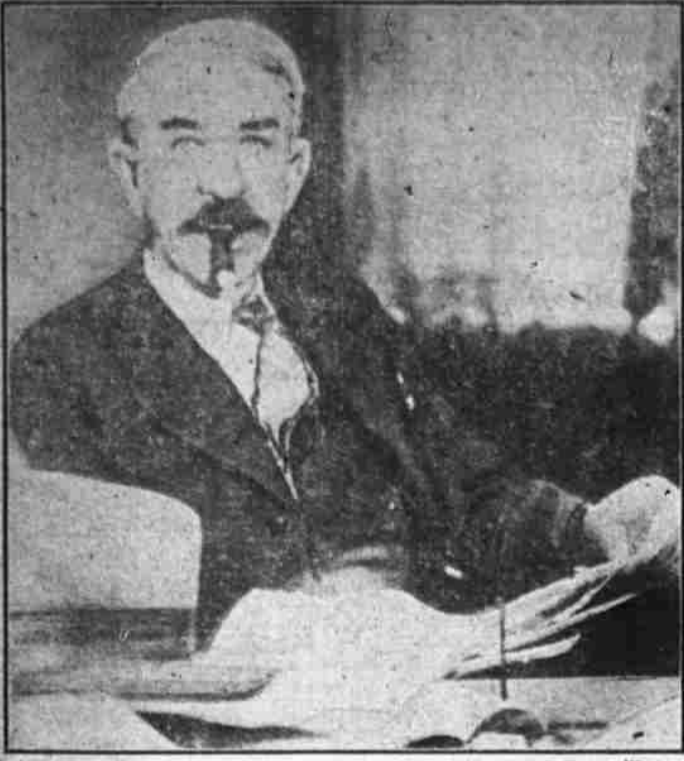
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With PAUL LUKAS

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The First Picture Ever Filmed with the MARVELOUS NEW WESTERN ELECTRIC SYSTEM OF NOISELESS RECORDING.

NEW GOVERNOR OF OKLAHOMA



William H. "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, new governor of Oklahoma, photographed at his desk in the state capitol building, Oklahoma City, shortly after his inauguration. He went into office with his "dander up" and launched upon a program of drastic reform in state laws.

12-Year-Old Flier



Perched in the cockpit on a soap box and two cushions to raise the seat, Joseph Sheehan, Jr., Suffern, N. Y., made a half hour solo flight over Roosevelt field, N. Y.

COACHES BASK IN SOUTHERN SUN



Coach Chick Meehan (left), of New York university, and Bob Zuppke, coach at the University of Illinois, drinking in sunshine, talking at Miami Beach, Fla.

'It' Girl At Trial



Clara Bow, film red-head, wore dark glasses for disguise at the trial of Daisy DeBoe, her former secretary, whom she charges with theft. But she smiled and was recognized.

EX-SHIP CHIEF'S DAUGHTER WEDS



Helen Hurley, daughter of Edward J. Hurley, war-time shipping board chief, was married to William J. Ryan in Chicago. Ryan, an attorney, is a Princeton graduate. Here they are leaving church.

Agua Caliente Star



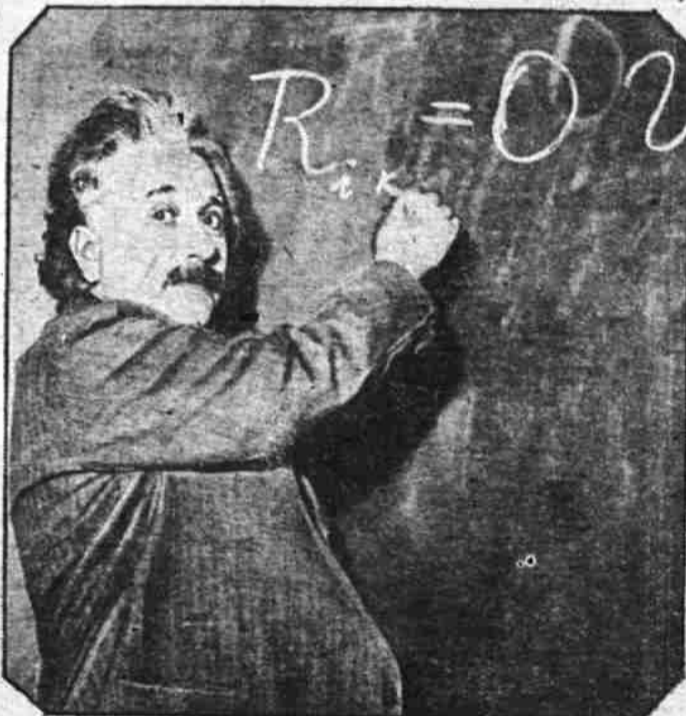
John Golden, Noroton, Conn., professional, set the pace in the early rounds of the \$25,000 Agua Caliente, Mexico, open golf tournament.

Star Netter



Harold Ervin, South Vienna, Ohio, is one of the reasons why Ohio State's basketball team is a factor in the Western conference race.

EINSTEIN STUDIES HIS LESSON



Just a few little figures and letters and there you have the equation for the density of the milky way as written by the German physicist, Dr. Albert Einstein, while studying complicated astronomical problems with American scientists at the Mount Wilson laboratory of the Carnegie Institute, Pasadena, Cal.

HONESTY REWARDS YOUTH



Charles Ashley (right), 17-year-old orphan of Birmingham, Ala., whose honesty in returning a purse he found to its owner led to his adoption by Edward Frischknecht (left), a Washington, D. C., importer. Through his act the youth also is promised an education.

Jap Boy Wins



Masa Matsutani, 15-year-old Japanese boy of Paxton, Neb., won grand championship of national western livestock show at Denver with his fat Hereford, Stubby Maru.

School Boy Hero



W. T. Rowe, Jr., Boonville, Mo., school boy traffic patrol, won Missouri Automobile club medal for saving a schoolmate from being run down by a motor car.

FIRST LADY GUEST AT LUNCHEON



Mrs. Herbert Hoover (center) was guest at a capital luncheon given by wives of senators. On the left is Mrs. David A. Reed of Pennsylvania, and right, Mrs. Hiram Binoham of Connecticut.

TO LIVE 2 WEEKS ON \$2.50



This family of four at England, Ark., has just received a requisition from relief agencies entitling them to \$2.50 worth of food upon which they must live for two weeks.

EX-JOCKEY TRIES THE TALKIES



Earle Sande, famous jockey and student of singing, is to appear in talking motion pictures. Here he is getting his baptism of grease paint in Brooklyn, N. Y., for his first session with the camera.

BISHOP'S SON IN MURDER TRIAL



James Matthew Maxon, Jr. (left), son of the Protestant Episcopal bishop of Tennessee, shown with his attorney, Martin W. Littleton, in a New York court when a jury was selected for his trial on a second degree murder charge. He is charged with the slaying of an aged fellow roomer during a fight in a New York rooming house last April.

Indicted



As a result of the campaign funds investigation in Nebraska, Victor Seymour of Lincoln, a republican leader, was indicted for perjury by a federal grand jury.

Deported From Cuba



John T. Willford, American newspaper editor, was ordered deported from Cuba for criticism of the government in his paper. He is shown after his arrival in Miami, Fla.

CAMPBELL TO TRY FOR SPEED MARK IN CAR OF NEW DESIGN



Capt. Malcolm Campbell of England shown here at the wheel of his automobile, "Blusbird," in which he will try for a world speed record on the sands of Daytona Beach, Fla. He hopes his 1,400-horsepower racer will travel 250 miles an hour. The present 231-mile mark was set by Major Segrave. The "Blusbird," featuring new principles of design, is built to defeat air currents and minimize wind resistance.

Dry Chief Ill



Col. Amos W. W. Woodcock, national prohibition director, was taken seriously ill while investigating prohibition enforcement in Birmingham, N. Y.

Asked Dry Inquiry



Rep. John C. Schafer of Wisconsin, upon whose proposal the house expenditures committee decided to investigate alleged wire tapping by dry agents.

CHILDREN FORM SOUP LINE IN ARKANSAS



Children are being fed in schools in the drought area near England, Ark., because their families are unable to feed them. Here is a portion of a soup line in one of the schools.

Social Whirl of Valentine Parties With Brilliantly Colored Accessories Begins

Mrs. Ray Simmons Entertains Contract Club With Valentine Luncheon; Mrs. Inkman Hostess To Informal Contract Club

Contract and Valentine parties were the chief pastimes of the week-end, attendant with vivid red valentines, unattached hearts, and those little candies called red-hot.

Valentines were favors for youngsters from ten to twenty and on upward. Valentines also made prizes worth the winning.

Such novelties as red sweetpeas appeared on the luncheon tables. It will be a big month for red carnations.

Informal Contract

The Informal Contract Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Inkman for a delightfully informal session with contract bridge.

Delightful refreshments were served at the close of the games. The members present were Mrs. Steve Ford, J. D. Biles, George Wilks, C. W. Cunningham, Homer McNew, Van Gieson, and Shine Phillips. Mrs. Van Gieson made the highest score.

The visitors were Mrs. H. W. Leeper, Mr. Albert Fisher, Mrs. Robert Piner and Mrs. Tom Helton, of Chicago. Mrs. Fisher made the highest score for visitors.

Blue Mt. Camp Social

Mrs. Hershel Petty entertained the members and families of the Blue Mountain Camp No. 727 with a Valentine social Friday evening.

Valentine games, heart puzzles, hidden hearts, fruit games, were the diversions. Prizes went to Misses Clara Bailey, Katherine Thompson, Faye McClane; Mmes. Shelby Hall, Roy Williams, W. Buzbe, M. C. Lawrence and Messrs. Raymond and Rupert Hallbrook, Shelby Hall and M. C. Lawrence.

Refreshments of delicious sandwiches, valentine cakes and coffee were served to the following: Messrs. and Mmes. E. C. Boatler, and Kathleen J. E. Pond and children; Ervin Long and children; M. C. Lawrence and children; Shelby Hall, D. H. Petty and Bobby Gene; and Mmes. Anderson Bailey, C. Taylor, Sam Nabors, Glais Glenn, D. S. Orr, A. C. Wilkerson, Johnnie Miller, O. L. Rush, Willie Buzbe, B. Lytle, P. V. Cochran, of Monahan; and Misses Bonny Miller, Clara Bailey, Faye McClane, Katharine Thompson, Opal Kelley, Mattie Hockerston, Florence Van Open, Clara Allison and Mary Pond; and Messrs. Raymond and Rupert Hallbrook.

MR. SMITHMAN'S DINNER

City Manager V. R. Smithman, Mrs. Smithman and Mrs. M. A. Smithman entertained the employees of the office and invited employees of the city Friday evening.

The party began with a Mexican dinner at Gomez Cafe. The guests went to the Smithman home on Eleventh place after the dinner for an evening of games and contests.

Those attending were City Engineer J. D. Wootton and Mrs. Wootton; City Secretary Merle Stewart and Mrs. Stewart; Mechanic W. J. Goodson and Mrs. Goodson; assistant city secretaries, Misses Alice Leeper, Vallia True; Fireman Robert Fields; Fireman Ollie Cordill; Meter boys, Lee Knuckles and Coulter Richardson; City Sanitary Inspector, J. M. Williams; Tax Collector J. O. Tammit; and Water Works Superintendent, M. A. Ford.

CONTRACT CLUB

The Contract Club was entertained with a Valentine luncheon at the Settles Hotel Friday by Mrs. Ray Simmons.

The guests were seated in one of the private dining rooms. The table was decorated with the brilliant red of Valentine hearts, streamers of paper and valentine nut cups filled with red candies. The floral decorations were red sweet peas and carnations. A four course luncheon was served.

Mrs. E. O. Price was the only guest and was awarded a sports handkerchief. Miss Jeha Jordan made high scores for members and received an electric candle.

Those attending were Mmes. H. S. Paw, Chas. K. Bivings, Wilburn Barker, Carl Blomsheld, Wilburn Barcus, E. O. Price, and Miss Jeha Jordan.

ROZELLE STEPHENS' PARTY

Rozelle Stephens entertained thirteen of her class mates and art classmates at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens on Seury street yesterday, celebrating her tenth birthday.

The house was decorated with valentines. Favors were candy hearts decorated with small valentines.

Refreshments carried out the color scheme of red and white. The cake was decorated with birthday candles and valentines. Ice cream was also served.

The guests were Eleanor Frances Douglass, Winona Joyce Bihlman, Virginia Hilliard, Emily Lee Head, Barbara Earle Collins, Betty Jess Fisher, Mary Louise Wood, Jeanette Wedge, Fred Smithman, Billy Cowan, Weldon Christian, Weldon Bigony and Lee Bromley.

STRAINS GO TO LAMASA

Mrs. and Mrs. R. C. Lamesa are spending the week-end in Lamasa visiting their daughter, Mrs. Lee Hansen. Doris Cunningham accompanied them. This is Doris' first trip from home without having her mother or father along.

MOTOR TO DALLAS

Mrs. Mary Pistola and Mrs. M. L. Tinsley motored to Dallas for the week-end.

Church Activities For Coming Week

Monday The entire Council of the Christian Church will meet at the church this afternoon for a missionary program. Mrs. Gene Crenshaw and Mrs. G. L. Wright will be the hostesses. Mrs. D. R. Lindley will be the leader.

The fifth class of the Standard Leadership School for the Christian church will be held tonight.

The Bible Study Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Cook at 3 o'clock.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet in the church parlors at 2:30 to study the tenth chapter in the study book on Romans. Mrs. J. B. Littler will be the leader. Mrs. W. R. Settles will have charge of the business meeting at the close.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will meet at the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 for a business session. They will study the book, "Great Souls At Prayer."

The First Baptist women will meet at the church to hold the all-day meeting postponed from last Monday. Members of the W. M. S. are asked to bring their own lunches.

The Auxiliary of St. Mary's will meet at the Parish House at 3:30 to study the book, "The Common Life." Mrs. George Garrett will be hostess.

The W. M. S. of the East Fourth Baptist church will meet at church instead of in circles today.

The Sunbeam band of the First Baptist church will meet at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Harry Stalcup will be the leader.

Tuesday Col. A. L. Monday will speak at the First Methodist church at 7:30 on the subject of prohibition.

The Rev. J. M. Lewis, of Lubbock and the Rev. E. K. Tenney, of Dallas, will speak at the Presbyterian church at 7:30. Later Bur Owens will join them in a tour of the presbytery in the interest of evangelistic work.

Wednesday The Methodist High League will meet at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Felton Smith.

The Christian church will hold the sixth and last class of the Standard Leadership school tonight.

Miss Norma C. Brown will speak tonight at the Methodist church on some phase of the prohibition problem.

Thursday Col. Oliver M. Stewart will conclude the Flying Squadron prohibition addresses tonight at the Methodist church.

Fred Keating's Mother Passes

Acay Saturday Mrs. Fred Keating received word from her husband yesterday that his mother had passed away in the night.

Mr. Keating left several days ago for Madison, Wis., where his mother lived. She had been ill for several months and had grown worse.

Mr. Keating will return to Big Spring the latter part of the week.

Tales of Buried Treasure Many Of Them Are True Stories Related To The Author By Seekers

By ONA REAGAN PARSONS "Coronado's Children" By J. FRANK DOBIE (The Southwest Press)

There are certain facts about this book that everyone ought to know before reading it.

First, it is written by Frank and Oona Reagan and is mostly about Texas.

Second, it is published by a Texas publishing house which specializes in Southwestern authors whose outlook is promising.

Third, it has been selected by the Literary Guild of America, for its February book. This is the first time the Guild has ever gone out of New York and Boston (great publishing centers) for a book.

Fourth, the author has published other books which are equally worth reading, notably "A Vaquero of the Brush Country"; and he is, besides being an author, secretary of the Texas Folk-Lore Society and professor at the University of Texas.

After reading it I felt unable to do justice and one of the editors of the Literary Guild, Carl Van Doren, has reviewed it so well in the "Wings," the publication of the Literary Guild, that I have reproduced his review below, to give you an Easter's tribute.

"So far as the Editors of the Literary Guild know, no book issued by a local press has ever hitherto been selected by one of the book clubs for national distribution."

"Coronado's Children" is a book which belongs to the American Southwest which has produced it. The material comes from that section of the world, the writer is a Texan who has done his work in his own state or in the states adjoining the book is being issued in the regular edition by a publisher who has largely confined himself



J. FRANK DOBIE

to books dealing with the Southwest.

Not Local In Appeal "And yet, there is nothing essentially local about 'Coronado's Children,' any more than there is about any other book of which the scene is laid in some particular place. All books which deal with actual human beings have to show them living in some actual place. It is never the scene itself which makes a book local in its appeal.

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Outline of P.T.A. Aims For Year

Mrs. Bernard Fisher Stresses Need Of Parent Education; Health Nurse

Mrs. Bernard Fisher was one of the speakers at the banquet Thursday evening which the Kiwanians tendered their wives. Her talk aroused so much favorable comment, was so practical and set forth the aims of the P.T.A. work in such understandable terms that it is herewith reproduced so that all mothers and fathers of the city can enjoy it. Mrs. Fisher is president of the South Ward P.T.A.

From the time Mr. Hatch asked me to speak, until now, I cannot understand why he picked on me. Banquet speakers are supposed to be long-winded and you know fat folks are short-winded and so are not good speakers. I hope I'll be able to impart a little that is expected of me.

What is a P.T.A.? I have been told to speak on the Service Clubs might help.

P.T.A. do we all understand just what a P.T.A. is?

P.T.A. stands for Parent-Teacher Association. It is a voluntary organization of parents, teachers and other interested persons formed for the purpose of studying reciprocal problems of the child, the home, the school and the relation of each to the community, the state and the nation. It is formed in the belief that the whole nation at life may be strengthened by the making of better, healthier, more contented and more intelligent citizens.

It is a school for grown-ups. It is a cross section of each school community. Membership is open to all who are interested in its aims which are to promote child welfare in home, school, church and community; to raise the standards of home life; to secure more adequate laws for the care and protection of women and children; to bring into closer relation the home and the school that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the training of the child; and to develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for your child the highest advantages in physical, mental, moral and spiritual education.

Kiwanis stands for any good movement in the community. We are for the advancement of education. So we know you believe in the P.T.A.

P.T.A. Needs Fathers We want fathers to belong to the P.T.A. and take an active interest in it. Many will say: oh, that's Mother's job. But fathers have just as many duties to the child as mothers and should be as interested in our children, our schools and our community.

We need your cooperation and support. Encourage the work. Believe we are a needed organization in the community. Cooperate by aiding us in the passing of any legislative measures pertaining to the betterment of women and children.

Changing conditions, which are coming over us—at least so far as our social life is concerned—are increasing the necessity for the work of character building in our schools. Character building is essentially an activity program now. We need to point children to living examples. We want them to do, rather than merely telling them to do. Under our present social relationships, it is more important than ever for the school to pay special attention to character building and enlist the cooperation of the home and you in this work.

Parent Education Our one great objective this year is Parent Education. We must keep up with the times. The most important part in Health. The Health Nurse is one of the greatest helps we have, from both the school and home standpoint. Help us to have always one in this community. The parent and child are being educated concerning the care of the body and what preventive measures should be taken.

We have undernourished children in our schools whom you might help. It is best to make no class distinction and in time parents will understand it is for the good of all children and not a charity affair. The underweight child should have milk to drink at recess. Some children do not like milk but in drinking it in company with others grow to like it. I believe it was six pounds that I heard of one child's gaining at South Ward in a short time from drinking milk given her at recess in the morning.

Some Children Go Without Lunch We find some parents are unable to give children a noon lunch. The child comes to school early, remain-

Free Kindergarten

You should encourage free kindergarten in our public schools and the teaching of music, manual training and physical culture.

You should sponsor an orchestra in each school. They don't need uniforms and such things that cost a great deal. Let the children furnish their own instruments and give them a boost.

We are not working for ourselves or for just our own children but for ALL children, the citizens of tomorrow.

If you put a little loving into all the work you do. And a little bit of gladness. And a little bit of joy. And some pride to sort of make it straight and clear and strong. Not a day will seem too toilsome; Not a day will seem too long; And your work will be attractive. And the world will stop to look. And your life will seem a sweet.

Like the tinklin' of a brook. 'And the work that you're a doin'. Pretty near before you know, Will have set the world a talkin'. And the little winds that blow Will bring echoes of it to you. And you'll see that you have done.

More than you had dreamed of or hoped for. When the task was first begun. And you'll find the bit of lovin' You have put into the same Has come back to you in lovin' And come back to you in fame.

Indian-Spanish Motif To Preval In C.E.H. Club

The Current Events History Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the High School in the Reading Room for an Indian and Spanish program.

The program will commence with Indian and Spanish songs of the Victrola. The pupils of Mrs. Lee Weathers will give an Indian drill.

Mrs. L. S. McDowell and Mrs. B. F. Wills will give talks on Indian Reservations and schools.

The pupils of Miss Verda Ruth Graham will give a play in Spanish.

The Rev. Mr. Cotton of the Mexican church will talk on Cuba.

The Whistling Chorus will conclude the program.

Members of the club, their friends and the public are invited to the meetings.

Eloise Kuykendall Hostess To The S.P.C. Members

The S.P.C. Club met yesterday morning at the home of Eloise Kuykendall on Ninth street.

Games and contests were the order of the morning.

The following were present: Katherine Ringler, Nancy Bell Phillips, Winifred Piner, Camille Koberg, Eddie Ray, Less, Mary Louie Inkman, Ruth Horn.

The next meeting will be with Camille Koberg at her home on Runnels street.

TEA FOR MOTHERS

Mrs. Lee Weathers gave a tea yesterday afternoon in the Recreation Rooms of the Presbyterian church, honoring the mothers of her pupils.

A short program was rendered by the pupils.

GIVES DANCE

Mary Alice Wilke gave an informal dance at her home in Edwards Heights Friday evening. Twenty couples attended.

Social Calendar And Club Notes

Tuesday The O.C.D. club will meet with Miss Lillian Brunner.

The 1922 Bridge club will meet with Mrs. O. E. Wolfe.

The City Federation will meet at the club house at 3 o'clock.

The Eastern Star will meet tonight in the Masonic hall.

The 31 Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Jack Phillips.

The Current Events history club will meet at the high school reading room.

The Cactus Club will not meet on Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Heffley will announce the date later.

A group of women will meet with Mrs. Adams Talley for the purpose of forming a bridge club.

Wednesday The Kilkare Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Chas. Koberg.

The Pioneer Bridge club will meet with Mrs. Bernard Fisher.

The Work Bridge club, unreported.

The Three-Four Bridge club will meet with Mrs. V. W. Latson.

The Rebekahs will meet tonight at 7:30.

The F.U.N. club will give a dance at the Casino tonight.

Thursday The Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority will meet with Miss Roberta Gay.

The Home Garden club will meet at the club house at 3.

The W.O.W. circle will meet tonight at the Woodman hall.

The Petroleum Bridge club will meet with Mrs. P. H. Liberty.

The South Ward P.T.A. will observe Founder's Day this afternoon.

The Ace-High club will meet with Mrs. Larson Lloyd.

The 1930 Bridge club, unreported.

The Thursday Luncheon club will meet with Mrs. V. R. Smithman.

Friday The Child Study club will meet with Mrs. Earl Glaser. Mrs. H. S. Faw will lead the discussion of "Habits."

Susannah Wesley Class social, unreported.

Lone Star Lodge No. 375 E. of R. T. will meet in the Settles hotel instead of the W.O.W. hall.

Saturday The Hyperion club will meet with Mrs. Steve Ford.

The Violin Study Club will meet with Miss Thelma Jackson.

The S. P. C. Club will meet with Camille Koberg.

Lucky Thirteen Enjoy Bridge And Dancing

The Lucky Thirteen was entertained Friday night by Gertrude Martin with a slumber party.

Bridge and dancing were the chief events of the evening.

At midnight a delicious refreshment course was served to the following members and guests: Jennie Dorine Rogers, Kathryn Anthony, Florine Hankins, Dorothy Vandagriff, Mary Kathryn Phillips, Melva Gene Handley, Louise Flowers, Lillian Crawford, Mattie Salterwhite, Pauline Morrison, Edith Ford, Mary Louise Miller.

Music Club Hears Of Jefferson and Story of Violin

The Violin Study Club met yesterday morning at the home of Miss Thelma Jackson.

A contest between members of the club for accomplishing more in practice and progress was announced.

Mamie Wilson told the story of Thomas Jefferson and his violin. Miss Jackson had charge of the lesson.

VISITORS FROM RANCH

William Cushing, Jr. and Mrs. R. E. McEntire spent Saturday in the city visiting their mother, Mrs. Wm. Cushing.

Mrs. B. F. Wills To Give Club Travelogue

The program for the City Federation meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3 at the Club House will consist of a travel talk by Mrs. B. F. Wills, and piano selections by Mrs. H. B. Dunagan.

Mrs. Wills will give an account of her trip to Nicaragua two years ago.

Mrs. Joyce Fisher, the president, will announce the names of the Federation and District Meeting committees.

New members and old members who have not paid their dues are reminded that they are to bring their dues to this meeting. A report from the membership committee will be made.

Miss Keller's Room To Have Charge-Program

The South Ward P. T. A. will meet Thursday afternoon at the South Ward building. Miss Ora Keller's room will have charge of the program.

The meeting will be the annual celebration of the birthday of the founder of the P. T. A. Lighting of candles for the presidents will be part of the ceremony. Important business will be taken care of. All members are asked to keep the date in mind.

Eighth Birthday Celebrated With Cakes, Contests

Ethel Maria Williamson celebrated her eighth birthday Thursday afternoon at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie White.

Many interesting games were played. Winners of the contests were Elizabeth Terry, Mae Dell Halley, Barbara Collins and Lorraine Crenshaw.

Refreshments of cake, cocoa and jello were served to the following: Betty Tessier, Doris Satterwhite, Barbara Collins, Lorraine Crenshaw, Mae Dell Halley, Elizabeth Terry, Wauville White, Billie Dunn, Gene Parks, Flora Belle Williamson.

RETURNS TO OFFICE

Wendell Bedichek has returned to his office after being in bed several days suffering severe pain because of nasal and ear inflammation, following a bad cold.

RETURNED TO DALHART

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Palater have returned to Dalhart after a two-weeks' visit here.

Mrs. A. M. Kemnitz has her mother, Mrs. M. D. Wisdom from Kansas City, Mo., as a visitor.

TIED DOWN?



The Family Wash Need No Longer Hold You Captive

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### District Court To Open Monday

The February term of district court will open Monday morning with a heavy criminal and civil docket, including cases carried over to the February session from 1930.

With district Judge Fritz R. Smith presiding, court will open at 10 a. m. Monday. The grand jury will be impaneled at that time.

As usual, the first and third weeks will be devoted to trying civil cases, with the second one being used for criminal cases.

Since Jan. 1 thirty six new suits have been filed in district court, bringing the total of civil cases to 118. This includes 83 cases carried over from 1930. Of the thirty six new cases, sixteen of them are for divorce action. Forty-one old criminal cases will be brought forward, with chances for a number of them being disposed of during the term.

body of literature devoted more or less to this theme.

**Treasures of the Southwest**

"What gives 'Coronado's Children' a special interest is the fact that it shows this ancient human desire to be still active in the Southwest.

"The conditions there are perfect for the development of the various legends in the book. The present civilization followed an earlier civilization which is expelling from the Southwest. In such circumstances, it is always easy to believe that the former peoples, unable to carry way their treasures, hid them in the expectation of coming back.

"Most of the stories in this book are about Spanish treasure, but the men who look for it are thoroughly twentieth-century. The Editors of the Guild have seen many letters written by actual prospectors to Mr. Dobie.

**Interesting Stories**

"Mr. Dobie has written his book with that combination of learning and liveliness which gives one of the best possible qualities to a piece of history. He has ransacked the field and has run down all the actual cases which he has been able to hear about. He has then told his stories in such a way as to combine the accuracy of a

scholar who knows that there is, of course, no buried treasure with the confidence of a prospector who feels sure that he is bound to find it sooner or later.

"Most of the books about buried treasure have had their scenes laid in the past with historical characters. Mr. Dobie's characters are evidences that the primary desires of mankind are the same in every age.

**Book, a Treasure Itself**

"Coronado's Children" will, no doubt, be read chiefly for the stories in it, and properly so. They reveal, like the map of lost miners and buried treasures, the presence of a whole new element in American life of which many Americans have not even been aware. The readers of this book have found a buried treasure whether the characters have or not.

**Fascinating Characters**

"At the same time, it is impossible not to point out what fascinat-

ing psychological studies these various prospectors make. Almost every one of them, however convinced he may be of the reality of the treasure he is looking for, seems almost to take precautions against ever finding it. There is always some detail missing. He has an imperfect map of the region in which the treasure is buried. Or he has it from a man who actually saw the treasure but who is now dead. Or he knows exactly where the treasure is but lacks the capital necessary to bring it to light.

"In other words, the search for buried treasure is really one of the delusions which men cherish. They think they would like to know the truth, but in fact they want to know it only if it is to be pleasant. If there is a risk that it may not be, they would rather go through a lifetime of hope than bring the matter to a decisive test.

"Men can live a long while on

hope. Disillusionment is a poorer food."

You may write directly to the publishers, The Southwest Press, Dallas, Texas, for the book, or order it from your favorite bookseller.

**FRANCES DOUGLASS ON VISIT**

Frances Douglass and a school friend Catherine Loughbridge are home from Simmons University for the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglass.

**NOTESTINES HAVE SON**

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Notestine announce the arrival of a large, fine-looking boy. He arrived Friday. His parents have found no name good enough for him yet.

**OPERATED ON**

Jo Ann Short, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Short, 1606 Austin street, underwent a tonsillectomy at the Big Spring hospital Saturday.

**BUILDING PERMITS**

Building permits for January, 1931, show a decrease of \$18,929.40 compared with the corresponding period in 1930, according to figures obtained at the office of Meris J. Stewart, city secretary.

The total for January, 1931, was \$5,377. Building permits issued in January, 1930, totaled \$18,959.40.

**MINOR OPERATION**

Mrs. C. P. Filler, 704 East Second Street, underwent a minor operation at the Big Spring hospital.

Mrs. L. O. Hall, 804 Runnels street, is a patient at the Big Spring hospital.

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PHONE 437

**MRS. BILES' HELPERS**

Mrs. J. D. Biles has announced the names of the women who will assist her in the City Federation City-wide membership drive this coming week.

They are Mmes. T. E. Paylor, D. E. Bishop, E. O. Ellington and E. Eberly.

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**Big Spring College**

W. O. W. Building  
114 East Second  
**DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL**  
ENROLL NOW  
PHONE 201

### Tales

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but the theme.

The theme of 'Coronado's Children' happens to be remarkably universal. It is the search for hidden treasure, in this case for treasure known, or believed, to have been hidden in the midst of more or less familiar scenes and, therefore, likely to be found at any moment.

"All over the world there are all sorts of stories about such treasures. The Spaniards have looked for hundreds of years for gold and jewels left by the Moors. Americans along the Atlantic seaboard have believed in countless stories of pirate gold which would some day be discovered and make finders rich. There is a whole

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Name.....  
F. O. ....

**Got A Dollar?**

If you have, and want to really cash in, see Wednesday's Herald for information. Thursday is Dollar Day.

**City Wide Dollar Day**

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(The All-Weather Film)

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(With Apologies to a Well-Known Cigaret)

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**\$1.00**  
(Cash and Carry)

**Harry Lees**  
116 MAIN

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### Page Mr. Bertillion



### by Gene Byrnes



### PA'S SON-IN-LAW



### Who Would Haxe Expected This?



### by Wellington



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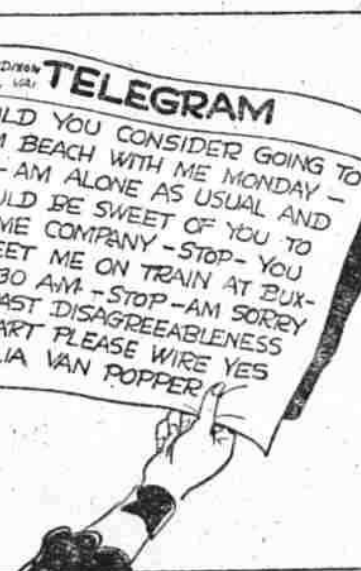
### GLORIA



### TELEGRAM



### ISN'T THAT GORGEOUS, MOTHER?



### OH, GLORIA, THAT WILL BE LOVELY!



### PALM BEACH!



### SCORCHY SMITH



### YES, MISS BELL - IT IS VERY KIND OF YOU TO COME.



### YOU CAN HELP ME I BELIEVE!



### I KNOW THOSE MEN ONLY CASUALLY - BUT IF YOU WILL STATE EXACTLY WHAT IS ON YOUR MIND PERHAPS I CAN ASSIST YOU A LITTLE -



### YOU MEAN YOU HAVE A LIST OF THESE MEN - AND YOU ARE GOING TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT? - ARREST THEM?



### HOMER HOOPEE



### YES AND WHILE WE'LL MISS THE DEAR BOY, STILL I'LL HAVE TO ADMIT 'MAMA' IS RIGHT; SHE'S HAD SO MUCH MORE EXPERIENCE WITH CHILDREN; NATURALLY WE WANT TO DO WHAT IS BEST FOR HIM, THEREFORE WE'RE WILLING TO



### HECTOR KNOWS HIS POWER



### ISN'T IT WONDERFUL? SUCH POWER OF DECISION IN ONE SO YOUNG!!



### by Fred Locher





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**FOR SALE**

**Musical Instruments 18**

PORTABLE VICTROLA  
GOOD condition; 15 records; used very little; sacrifice for immediate sale. Phone 744. Austin, Tex.; after 6, Room 258, Settles Hotel.

**Livestock & Pets 20**

MILCH goat and two kids. Apply 200 Owens.

**Poultry & Supplies 21**

RHODE Island Red pullets; now laying; \$1 each; 1363 Johnson. Phone 1460-W.

**Miscellaneous 21**

ROSS Nursery, 611 E. 2nd, for shade trees, fruit, red bud, schunach, roses, flowering shrubs and evergreens, We landscape—Planting trees. Phone 1225.

OLD fashioned barbecue; cooked daily; only K. C. meats are used; chickens and other specialties to order; 611 E. 3rd. Phone 1225.

## Buster Has A Complaint!



When I'm lost my master finds me with a Herald classified ad... that's all right... but now he has sold my brother and sister the same way... I don't like that a little bit...

Dogs ARE lovable but often they are sold and that's when Herald classified ads come into use. Alredales or terriers... it matters not... there are many dog lovers among the Herald readers and those dog lovers read the Herald classified page!

## Hinsch To Attend Montgomery Ward District Meeting

L. A. Hinsch, the local manager for Montgomery Ward and Company, left Saturday night for Dallas, where he will spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hinsch of Highland Park. Mr. Hinsch will then go to Fort Worth to attend the semi-annual conference of District 13 North Montgomery Ward store managers.

Mr. Hinsch stated that he is very much gratified over his report on conditions in Big Spring, which will be presented there; having concluded a very successful year from all business standpoints.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Sermon subjects for today at the Church of Christ, Fourteenth and Main streets, by Thornton Crews, the minister, will be "The Way to Overcome Fear and All of Our Enemies" 11 a. m.; "How to Read and How to Understand the Bible," 7:15 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymer Pollard were called to Sweetwater Saturday on account of the illness of Mr. Pollard's mother.

## Man Indicted Here In 1929 Being Held

An indictment returned in 1929 Saturday brought here a man accused of possession of intoxicating liquor.

George Horne, indicted in the May term of court, 1929, is in the Howard county jail awaiting trial in the February term of district court.

According to county officials he was arrested after a cargo of liquor was confiscated at Foran during the "boom days."

It is alleged he "jumped" his bond after charges were filed here. He was arrested at Meridian, and returned here by Deputy Sheriff Bob Wolfe of Coahoma.

## Coahoma Man Leases Filling Station Here

O. W. Cathey of Coahoma leased a filling station at Third & Gregg streets here, owned by Mary Byrne. He has a filling station in Coahoma.

Permanent Waves SPECIAL \$5

MODERN BEAUTY SHOP  
208 Main Phone 1044  
(In Payne Barber Shop)

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City Drug Store

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Lodge Notices 0**

STAKED Plains Lodge No. 598 A. F. & M. meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays. Lee Porter, Secy.

**Public Notices 4**

BANBORN, THE TYPEWRITER MAN  
is at Gibson Bldg & Office Supply Company  
Phone 225

COMMENCING Mon., February 2nd: Special on Polishing and Top Dressing—Polishing and Top Dressing—Polishing and Top Dressing—Polishing and Top Dressing. Crawford Hotel Garage.

PHONE 123 and let us do your laundry—rough dry with flat iron—work finished, 5c pound; blankets 25c. One Day Service. Mack Early, 500 State.

**Instruction 5**

EXPERIENCED kindergarten and first grade teacher; school opens Monday, Feb. 2nd. 611 Johnson.

**Business Services 6**

INCOME TAX RETURNS  
Financial Statements  
Best of References  
EXPERIENCED  
Jas. Schmidtly Rm. 7, Reagan Bldg.  
D. C. DeGroat  
MESSAGE ADJUSTMENT, DIET  
Crawford Hotel

**Woman's Column 7**

BEAUTY SHOP  
NEW location, 609 Main St.  
Marcelle 50c; finger waves 25c  
Mrs. Howard Alford

HOSE MENDING  
Save Them! Mend the Run  
MRS. LEVERETT  
United Dry Goods Co.

SPECIAL  
Shampoo & Set 75c; S. L. Permanent \$4.50; Eugene Permanent \$6; French Oil Permanent \$8. Until Feb. 20th only! Neal Miller, Mer. 116 E. 2nd, Ben Allen Beauty Parlor. Phone 2549.

CHINESE NOTICES  
EUGENE and Frederic Permanents \$5; Croquisette and other waves \$5; Shampoo and Set, 75c; Marcelle, 1506 Scurry. Phone 1370-M.

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Help Wanted—Male 9**

IF you have a car, WHY look for a JOB when we need men; collection or sales experience preferred but not necessary. See Murray, 215 W. 4th St.

**Emply' W'rd—Male 11**

DRUGGIST, thoroughly experienced in large drug stores, desires location in West Texas; age 24; single. 507 E. Weatherford, Ft. Worth, Texas.

**FINANCIAL**

**Bus. Opportunities 13**

BEAUTIFULLY well equipped cafe with Frigidaire for rent; best cafe location in Big Spring. Phone 40.

AT bargain price: my residence, grocery stock and fixtures at 410 Austin St., will trade for small farm. Apply 410 Austin.

**Money to Loan 14**

**QUICK AUTO LOANS**  
Insurance—Re-financing  
PAYMENTS REDUCED  
ARTHUR TAYLOR  
401 PETR. BLDG.

**AUTOMOBILE LOANS**  
—on good, late model automobiles; will pay notes; advance more money and make payments smaller. See me first.  
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**PROMPT AUTO LOANS**  
We pay off immediately—Your payments are made at this office.  
COLLINS & GARRETT  
LOANS AND INSURANCE  
122 E. Second Phone 162

**FOR SALE**

**Household Goods 16**

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS**  
TWO 3-4 beds with springs and mattresses; dresser; small roller-top desk; 9x12 wicker rug; 2 rockers; Royal typewriter; all in good condition. He will buy all inquires at Fifty Fifty Cleaners.

**UPHOLSTERING, REFINISHING AND REPAIRING**  
We take stoves and furniture on all work  
Texas Furniture Co. Phone 1044

## RENTALS

**Apartment 26**

**MEYER COURT**  
"For People Who Care"  
Cozy Apartments—Phone 1179

MODERN 3-room furnished apartment; gas light and water; paid; plenty of hot water when you want it; garage for your car; \$5 week. Phone 1023.

UNFURNISHED duplex and furnished apartment over garage. Phone 14. Apply 107 Gregg.

TWO and 3-room furnished apartments; in Highland Park, Nolan, Main or Douglas Sts.; 4-room house and 2-room shack, Jones Valley. H. L. Rix. Phone 193 or 250.

FURN. apt., 3 rooms; bills paid; references required; no children or pets. 302 Gregg. Phone 212.

TWO-room furnished apartment; \$20 per month; also 1 large room apartment; furnished; \$16 per month; all utilities paid. 104 Owens.

THREE-room furnished apartment; in duplex; close in. Phone 217. Apply 305 Goidan.

TWO-room nicely furnished apartment; bath; gas light; water; gas; utilities paid; 610 Gregg; Phone 1277.

APARTMENT—for rent February 1st. Vista Apartments, 4th and Nolan.

CLEAN 2-room furnished apartment in brick apartment house; hot water; built-in features; very warm; utilities paid; priced to rent. 1110 S. Main.

ONE-room furnished garage apartment; bath; garage; close in; cheap rent for permanent renters; couple only. Phone 655.

TWO-room furnished apartment; near high school; walking distance of town; all bills paid; for couple only. Apply 1104 Runnels.

TWO-room furnished apartment; 3-room apartment; nice bedroom; bath; hot water; close in; 603 Runnels. Phone 12.

FOUR-room furnished apartment—\$22.50; 3-room furnished apartment—\$18.50; water and light paid. 408 Abrams. Phone 9229.

FURNISHED apartment; 3 rooms and breakfast nook; private bath; hot and cold water; 7-room house; garage. Phone 42 or 288.

TWO or 3-room furnished apartment; built-in features; all bills paid; garage; 2nd and Willow. Phone 734.

EFFICIENCY apartment; furnished; 406 1-2 W. 8th.

TWO-room furnished apartment; sleeping porch and garage. 601 Gregg.

ONE or 2-room furnished apartments; bills paid. Phone 567-J. Mrs. M. L. Murgrove. 1510 Scurry.

TWO 3-room furnished apartments. Apply at stucco dwelling at rear of 1711 Scurry.

APARTMENT—furnished or unfurnished; all bills paid; garage. Apply 1208 Runnels.

## RENTALS

**Bedrooms 28**

NICE comfortable bedrooms; all modern conveniences; for one or two gentlemen; garage furnished. 1212 Main. Phone 240—Mrs. C. E. Shive.

ROOM and board; or bedroom; very reasonable; gas heat; 805 Gregg. Phone 1291. Mob So. en.

NICE bedroom; adjoining bath; hot and cold water. 609 Gregg. Phone 422.

BEDROOM—clean; private; entrance; all modern conveniences; hot water at all times; priced reasonably. 403 Lancaster. Phone 769-J.

**Rooms & Board 29**

BOARD and room (two rooms adjoining bath) for man and wife; rate: \$20 week (for both); \$75 month. Apply 411 Bell. Mrs. G. A. Brown.

ROOM and board for 2 more men; \$5.50 week—including \$1 worth of personal laundry free. Mrs. Howard Peters, 906 Gregg. Phone 1031-W.

**Houses 30**

SIX-room brick veneer home; will rent or sell; near new West Ward school, Stripling Land Co. Room 1, West Texas Bank Bldg. Phone 718.

FIVE-room house; near West Side Ward school; modern conveniences. Apply 503 Runnels. Phone 402.

MODERN 7-room house; partly furnished; located on Scurry. Phone O. H. McAllister, 24.

FURNISHED house; five large rooms; modern conveniences; within easy walking distance of High School. For information apply at 1406 S. Main.

THREE-room house; located 501 Goidan. See G. J. Early at Ideal Barber Shop.

UNFURNISHED 2-room houses; at end of W. 4th; piped for gas; water furnished; \$12.50 month. Phone 215-J.

FIVE-room house; modern; unfurnished. 503 Johnson.

FOUR-room house; close in; also 2-room, 3-room and 4-room apartments either furnished or unfurnished; reasonable. Call at 401 Bell St.

SMALL stucco house—furnished or unfurnished; walking distance of town; close to school; also have 2-room furnished apartment. Apply 708 Bell.

FIVE-room house; all conveniences; reasonable; close to West Ward School. Call at 700 Bell.

FOUR-room unfurnished house; modern conveniences; new paper and paint; also 2-room furnished apartment. Phone 344 or call at 1800 Scurry.

FIVE-room house; with bath and breakfast nook; garage; servants' room; 1601 Owens. Bruce Franklin. Apply 213 Lester Fisher Bldg. Phone 1222.

MODERN 5-room unfurnished house; \$25 month; located—2309 Runnels. If interested phone 655 or apply at 2201 Runnels.

MODERN 5-room house; hot and cold water; hardwood floors; within 2 blocks of South Ward; one block of High School; just vacated. Phone 440 or 1450-W.

## AUTOMOTIVE

**Used Cars 44**

**USED CAR EXCHANGE**  
Marvin Hull 422 E. 3rd  
Will pay cash for Model-A Fords and Chevrolet 6's

**WORDS—**  
(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)  
What's the theme song of this picture? Why, "Me and My Shadow" you dummy!

What did I do last year? As if you don't know it! Why I ventured out and had fully intended to stay out and turn a cold shoulder on winter, when I heard someone wisecrack, "What you don't know what a groundhog is? Why a groundhog is a sausage! Fine little joke, wasn't it? Fine to greet the only reliable weather forecaster known to man."

That's why I returned to the warmth of my fireside, put my nose under my paw, and took six more weeks to get over my summer hangover.

Just at Mother's Day, and Father's Day, and Valentine Day, and the rest of the "days," a good old-fashioned Marmota Monax day. I'll be out alright Monday. But I haven't decided whether I'll stay out. You see I haven't had my lights tested, and here I am—right handed without a 1931 license plate.

**HOME TOWN—**  
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with political ambitions to sell himself.

We're interested in things that will help the people. The people will take care of themselves when it comes to choosing officials. Reminds us of once in a while seeing a fellow who means all right, but

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**REAL ESTATE**

**Houses for Sale 36**

MODERN 6-room house; garage; 4 blocks from business district; location—609 Lancaster; \$2000 cash; no terms; from owner, Mrs. A. C. Woodham, Box 662, Odessa, Texas. Phone 2515.

**Lots and Acreage 37**

BEAUTIFUL residential lots in Government Heights; 3 blocks north of new 2 & P shops; 2 blocks from new ward school; all city conveniences; reasonably priced; easy terms. See Rube Martin, West Texas National Bank Room 8. Phone 295 or 62.

**Exchange 41**

WOULD sell or trade for good (farm) nice corner lot with stucco house; also have beautiful home for sale at bargain. Apply 703 Bell. Albert Edens.

Northwestern University discontinued its 18-year-old high school indoor track meet because of the disapproval of the National High School Athletic Association.

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Will Visits Capital, Talks With Jack and Nick, Watches Congress' "Comique Opera," and Hears Heflin Illustrate Fraud Charge With Funny Story

By WILL ROGERS
Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, and what I see. Well here the last few weeks I have seen more than I have read.

First place I saw some mighty poor farms flying over Missouri, eastern Oklahoma, and Indiana, on my way to Washington. Just little center shacks, and it was snowing, and lots of em didnt look like they had any wood much less food.

Well I got into Washington and went of course immediately up to "Opera Comique" both ends of it, the Senate and the House. First in to see Nick Longworth in the Speakers office. Thats my official headquarters while at the Capitol building. I leave my overcoat there, (thats trusting) and I work out of there. Phoned Jack Garner, the Democratic Leader, and told him the Democratic Party were ready to caucus, and he come right over. He told me the next time I come that I could still use that game of office, and phone out to Nick to come over and see me there. Its going to be mighty close as to who will be Speaker of the next house.

Next over to see Tilson, Republican Leader but a nice fellow in spite. Then I hiked for the Senate for there is where the fireworks were operating, as they was arguing over whether the Government was to feel its folks or its folks were to feed its folks Joe Robinson of Arkansas was fighting for his Amendment to provide 25 million for food, and he was backed by all the Democrats, and all the "Wid Jackasses." Thats what Mr. Moses called the Insurgent Republicans one time just before election last year. It got a laugh and cost his side two million votes, so that really could be called the two million dollar laugh.

Gillette of Mass. was talking against the Government going into the food business just for our own good, he thought we should send something out to the other Countries, but that we could find some way of tiding our personal hunger over till something turned up, or the Market picked up, or something. Right in the middle of his "America second," why Senator Caraway, who really reminds one of Felix the Cat, in the Movies, who you know is so wise and walkin' ahead with his hands behind him standing.

Well Caraway was prowling up and down, and one of the Boys in the Press stand says, "Caraway is thinking up one 'now to hit him



If you raise the Kivvers on my baby, he'll die.

with," and sure enough he kept sidin' over toward the Republican side. You know they have a line drawn there so you can tell the Republicans from the Democrats, they have to have nowadays; there is no other way telling. Well Caraway said, "You know this Caraway is a smart one, and very sarcastic, he bows em over with a well placed Bon Mot, and it not only floors em but the hurt remains." Well he said to Gillette who is from Mass.

"Whats about that time when Salem, Mass. was destroyed by flames, or was it Witches, and the Government appropriated money to help the distressed. You Senator Gillette was in the House of Representatives, did you say then that it was a Dole, did you say it was bad precedent to set, answer me?"

Well poor Gillette was in the hole, that gag about the Witches of Salem had got him groggy, and he was sorry that Salem had ever had a fire. Well he said that he didnt vote for the relief, or against it either, he just answered "Present," then Felix pounced on him again (he was just playing with him from paw to paw). "You just voted Present did you, well thats courageous Statesmanship. Your State was stricken, they needed help, but their Congress man voted neither to help, or not to help, he just announced that he was there."

Tom Heflin in the last days of his stay in there made one of his while I was in the gallery. They

were going to go down to Alabama and investigate Toms election as he says there was frauds in the counting of the votes, he feels that he was elected but counted out. They can do that. Well his opponent had sent word that he welcomed the investigation. But Tom said that was just a galant gesture, that he didnt welcome the investigation and he told this story to illustrate it.

"Down in my old fine State of Alabama at oHt Springs was Rastus Lincoln, a Nigger. His white Neighbor had lost a Shot, little spotted one weighing about into pounds. Well the Neighbor got the Sheriff and went looking for the hog, and they went to Rastus house. He was sitting on front of the fire place rocking a cradle and singing a baby song, with the covers in the cradle all tucked in both head and foot till you couldnt see a thing of the Baby. Rastus air hit him he would die. You cant see the Baby." "Oh no sir I aint seen him, you can serch the place. I aint see the Shot fall."

They serched, but found nothing, then they asked, "Whats in the cradle?" Thats my baby Gentlemens, thats my little baby. "Let us see the Baby?" "Oh no, the Baby is sick and the Doctor said if I raise the Kivvers on the Baby and the air hit him he would die. You cant see the Baby." But they went toward the cradle and started to lift the quilt, and Rastus said, as he moved toward the door, "I cant stand and see him die. I just got to go." And he did right out the

door and across the cotton patch. They lifted the Kivvers and there lay the 30 pound hog, and thats what will happen when you investigate Committee get to my old State of Alabama. You wont find my people are crooked. My people in Alabama are the finest people God ever let live. I love my People in Alabama. I am not saying a word against the great folks of Alabama. I dont want any blot to be on them. Its the crooked Politicians that done it. Its not the fine people of Alabama. They are the finest folks on this green earth. They elected me. They done it fairly. But the crooks counted me out, and thats why I want this election investigated. You come to Alabama and lift the Kivvers, and you will find the Hog." (Copyright 1931, McNaught Syndicate)

Lowe

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which Lella Hyams portrays the vicious wife, Eddie is a typical young woman and far more interested in his bank account than in his pretty brides charms. Most of Eddie's heroines, in the past, have been exceedingly amenable, but not so Miss Hyams in "Part Time Wife."

"This is something different for me," Lowe remarked during the filming of the picture. "Of course I've been a married man for a long time, and am therefore familiar with a woman's attitude towards her husband, but portraying a dub at love on the screen, such as I do in "Part Time Wife," is certainly putting my life experiences to poor use."

However, Lella not only reacts to his love-making, but insists that it is exactly the kind she has always wanted—so she gains her point by convincing him that all of his time does not belong to his business.

Tommy Clifford is also quite important to the plot of this delightful comedy of marital strife. To him as the friendly little Irish caddy goes much of the credit for Lowe's change in temperament and the final reconciliation of the lovers. Leo McCarey directed "Part Time Wife," which was taken from Stewart Edward White's short story, "The Shepper Newfounder."

Seen also in the supporting cast are Walter McGrail, Louis F. Newhart, Larkin, Boyd Rosing and George Corcoran.

Chicago

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inson, Frank McHugh and Alice White, is based upon Earl Baldwin's popular story of the same title. Edward Cline, who directed it, had many consultations with the author while the film was being made. And it is said to reveal the actual "low-down" on gang life.

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The Boudoir Diplomat was personally produced by Carl Laemmle, Jr., head of the big Universal studios, which have given the screen world such outstanding successes as "All Quiet on the Western Front." The direction of this sparkling comedy-drama was in the hands of Malcolm St. Clair, who has achieved unusual success in the making of clever, scintillating pictures of this type, notably "The Grand Duchess and the Waiter."

The story of "The Boudoir Diplomat" deals with the amorous adventures of a gay bachelor in the European diplomatic service—a man who specializes in other men's wives until he finally secures one of his own. Betty Compton and Mary Duncan are the wives in question, while the role of the philandering bachelor is played by Ian Keith. Jeanette Loff is seen as the true love to whom he finally loses his heart. The maze of intrigue surrounding the love adventures of the diplomat provides many delightful thrilling situations. "The Boudoir Diplomat" was suggested by the brilliant stage comedy by Rudolf Lothar and Fritz Gottwald, and the screen adaptation was made by Benjamin Glaser.

In assembling the players for the picture, the producer has obtained a cast of true all-star proportions. Betty Compton whose screen stardom began with "The Miracle Man," is one of the most sought-after players of the talkies, with a long list of successes to her credit. Ian Keith, who was a celebrated stage star before going to the screen has scored notably in the talking pictures, and is regarded as the ideal choice for the role of the gay Baron Valmi. Mary Duncan

noted beauty of the stage, has added greatly to her star success by her work in pictures. Jeanette Loff registered her greatest success in Universal's big production, "King of Jazz." Among the other principals, Lawrence Grant's recent successes include "The Cat Creeps," mystery-drama and Lionel Belmore and Andre Beranger are noted character actors.

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