

# Children Freeze In Snowbound School Bus

## Commission Closes Proration Hearing

### East Texans Fail To Get Continuance

No Witnesses Introduced By Those Opposing Proration  
**HUNTER IS HEARD**  
**'All or None' He Urges; Commission's Power Questioned**

AUSTIN, March 28. (AP)—The railroad commission's oil proration hearing was concluded late today after a request for a continuance by east Texans opposing proration had been denied.

The hearing was on placing an initial curb on the production of the new east Texas pools as well as on setting an allowable production figure for the entire state. Today was the fifth day.

The anti-prorationists, whose counsel was headed by Dan Moody, former governor, did not put on a single witness. Moody, in asking for a continuance until April 3, stated there was some testimony he wanted to adduce but that it was at present unavailable.

The central proration committee, which had recommended a daily allowable for the state for the next six months of from 650,000 to 680,000 barrels and for the new east Texas area of from 50,000 to 70,000 barrels, closed its case without argument of counsel.

Besides Moody, lawyers who spoke were W. Dewey Lawrence, former assistant attorney general, Tom Beauchamp of Paris, Renee Alfred of Henderson, brother of the present attorney general, and Charles F. Harty of Overton.

### DEMPSEY AND WIFE MAY PART



If the above picture could be taken as evidence it would tend to disprove the current rumor that the marital affairs of Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight boxing champion, and his wife, Estelle Taylor, film actress, had encountered serious difficulties. It has been reported that Dempsey planned to establish legal residence in Reno, Nev.

### DEFEAT FEARED FOR BILL TO REPAY WORM LOSSES

Effort to Ad. Tick Quarantine Repayment and Condition of Treasury Throws Shadow on Prospect For Passage

The house will vote Tuesday on final passage of the bill to repay farmers of the pink bollworm area \$300,000 toward reimbursement for cost of sterilizing seed and fumigating lint during the 1929 and 1930 seasons, in obedience to quarantine regulations, Penrose B. Metcalfe, member from this district informed G. A. Woodward Saturday.

### Work Is Sought For Needy Here; Meeting Called

City officials, members of the board of city development, and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock to formulate plans for obtaining work for needy families.

### Dallas Cyclones Win A.A.U. Title

DALLAS, March 28. (AP)—With only a half minute to play and the score 26 to 26, Babe Didrikson, ace forward for the Dallas Cyclones, slipped around Corine Jaax, ace guard for the Wichita Thurstones of Wichita, Kansas, tonight and made a crisp shot—it gave the Dallas Cyclones the 1931 Girls National Amateur Athletic Union basketball championship, 28 to 26.

### Tanner Abused Home, Altman Testifies In Trial For Death Of Stonewall County Rancher

#### WACO THEATRE PANIC INJURES TEN CHILDREN

WACO, Texas, March 28. (AP)—Ten children were carried to hospitals here today after a panic in the Waco theater during a children's matinee when a fuse blew out and an excited woman shouted "Fire."

#### Aspermont Trial To Be Resumed Monday With Arguments

ASPERMONT, Texas, March 28. (AP)—Homer Altman, charged with murder for the slaying of Sam Tanner, testified today that he shot Tanner believing the latter intended to kill him.

#### PALESTINE BANK Bandit Remains Free; Get \$7,620

PALESTINE, March 28. (AP)—No race had been four tonight, the lone, unmasked youth who robbed the First National bank of \$7,620 shortly after it opened for business today.

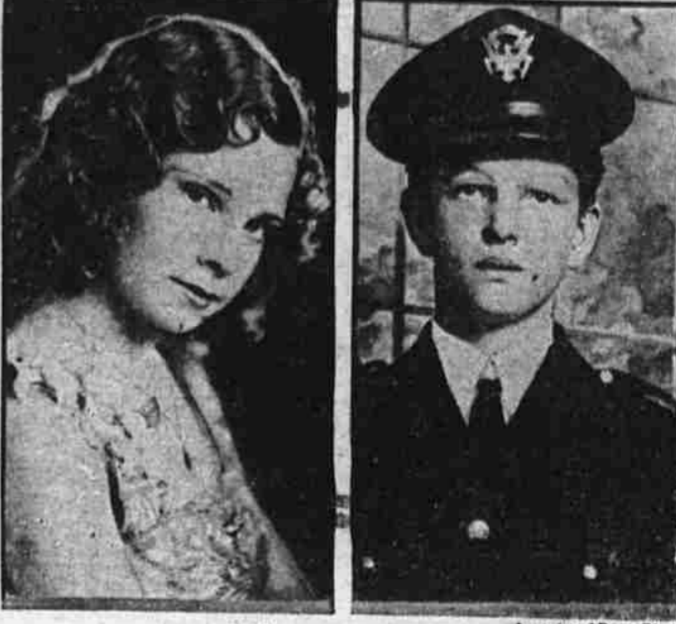
#### Odessa Conferees Ask Tax Measures be Killed

ODESSA, Texas, March 28. (AP)—Forty delegates from nine west Texas counties today attended a meeting of the Texas Tax Association here. A resolution was passed asking the state legislature to vote no further taxes at this time.

#### City Water System Improvements Completed With Local Labor Leave Balance of Bond Issue for Wells

Improvements in the city water system that were proposed preceding an election last March in which a bond issue of \$115,000 was approved for the purpose were listed yesterday by City Manager Smitham.

### KILLS YOUNG WIFE AND SELF



Melson Cropper Wakefield, 18 (right), son of a wealthy Brownwood, Texas, family, killed his bride of one week, Dorothy Bess Craft Wakefield (left) and then shot himself as his mother walked into the room. The tragedy followed a midnight auto ride.

### Armored Car Bristling With Guns To Carry Fred Burke To Michigan For Trial In Death Of Policeman

#### Highway Crash Injuries Fatal To W. H. Gartin

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 28. (AP)—An armored motor car bristling with machine guns will return "America's most dangerous criminal," Fred Burke, to Michigan to face trial for the murder of a policeman.

#### City Commission Candidate Issues Public Statement

The second of eight men who have announced they are candidates for election to the board of city commissioners subject to the election to be held Tuesday, April 7, to make a public statement of his opinions in regard to the office is J. L. Webb, owner of the Webb Motor company.

#### Plans New Evidence CHICAGO, March 28. (AP)—Battle lines for the new week of the Leo V. Brothers murder trial were laid tonight by attorneys anxious to bring the long proceedings to a speedy end.

#### Reservoirs Two water reservoirs also have been built. One is located on the Edwards Heights hill, with capacity of 215,000 gallons, the other further south, alongside the old 1,250,000 gallon reservoir, with capacity of 1,035,000 gallons.

#### Future Bright "Big Spring is one of the best towns in Texas. Her future is bright. Opportunities for promoting the prosperity of her people are due to present themselves in the future as they have in the past. As a city commissioner I would do all in my power to help seize such opportunities and make the most of them."

#### Spelling County—Coahoma, 97-1-2, first; Vincent, 87, second; J. C. Lynn, first; Junior High, 89, third.

#### Story Telling Don Ogle, Coahoma, first; Bessie Lee Coffman, Coahoma, second; Kathleen Hamlin, Foran, third.

#### Playground Ball Rural—(Boys), Vincent, first; Lomax, second; Fairview, third; Girls, Lomax, first; R-Bar, second; Class B—Big Spring first; Foran, second; Coahoma, third (boys); girls, Big Spring, first; Coahoma, second; Foran, third.

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### Five Die, More May Succumb; Driver Found

Blizzard Traps Party In Sub-Zero Weather; Rescue by Plane

#### ORDEAL OF 36 HOURS Ships Fly in Relays To Get Pneumonia Victims To Hospital

TOWNER, Colo., March 28. (AP)—Racing against time, darkness and death, two cabin monopolies were on a frantic mission of mercy late today as they carried pneumonia-stricken child survivors of Towner's bus tragedy in relay flights to a hospital at Lamar, Colo.

Five children died from freezing and exposure and others who survived the 36-hour ordeal in the howling blizzard of Thursday and Friday that hit Southeastern Colorado are suffering with pneumonia and severe frost bite.

Five of those afflicted with pneumonia had been taken to the Lamar hospital today but little hope was held for their recovery.

#### DRIVER'S BODY FOUND HOLLY, Colo., March 28. (AP)—The body of Carl Miller, driver of the bus in which five children were frozen to death Thursday night and Friday near Towner, Colo., was found late today less than three miles from the bus. It was brought to Holly.

Miller left the children early Friday morning in a futile effort to break through the snowdrifts to a farm house for help.

The ships were to continue the flights until all were in the hospital.

The driver of the bus, Carl Miller, was the object of an airplane search in the southeastern Colorado farm district. Miss Maude Moore, the school teacher, who attempted to walk from the school to her home in last Thursday's raging blizzard, was found today at a farm home where she had taken refuge.

#### School League Meet Honors To Lomax, Coahoma

Lomax with 318 1-3 points, and Coahoma with 245 points, won the county interscholastic League meet in the rural and Class B divisions respectively. The literary and track and field events were held here Thursday night, Friday and Saturday.

R-Bar, with 205 1-3 points, and Vincent, with 133 1-3 points, won second and third respectively in the rural division.

Foran scored 115 points to run second to Coahoma in the meet. Following is a partial list of winners in the various events:

Extemporaneous Speaking County—Girls, Bama Hale, Coahoma, first; Estelle Barnhill, Lomax, second; Oleta Ward, R-Bar, third.

Boys, Spurgeon Lynn, Lomax, first; Hodge Hall, Coahoma, second; Comer Huckaby, R-Bar, third.

Debates Lomax boys, Alton Ledbetter and Wofford Williams, first; Coahoma, second. Lomax girls, Ruth Lynn and Minta Riddle, first; Coahoma, second. Foran, third; Coy Cook, Lomax, fourth.

Senior Girls—Jewel Brown, Coahoma, first; Alpha Rowland, Moore, second; Lila Mae Alderman, Fairview, third; Bonnie Shorter, Elbow, fourth.

Senior Boys—Richard LeFever, Foran, first; Granville Lynn, Coahoma, second; Womer Robinson, R-Bar, third; Coy Cook, Lomax, fourth.

Junior Girls—Mattie Mae Moss, Coahoma, first; Dorothy Hoover, Midway, second; Anita Huff, Foran, third; Maurine Tate, Vincent, fourth.

Junior Boys—Thomas Thomason, Coahoma, first; J. C. Lynn, Lomax, second; John Camp Adams, Foran, third; Jack Fruit, Vincent, fourth.

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### The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Increasing cloudiness, warmer except in southwest portion Sunday; Monday partly cloudy except probably showers in southeast portion, cooler in extreme west portion.

# EASTER

## Presentations for Smart Wearers—



**New Frocks**  
\$6.75 to \$29.75

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### New Walk-Over Shoes

Smart new natural color linens and blonde kids. Styled with distinction.

**\$8.50**

Hosiery, in sheer silks, new shades ..... **\$1.95**

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#### 'Keep off the Grass' Ordinance Adopted

The city commission, in regular session Wednesday night, passed an emergency measure an ordinance prohibiting persons from walking on the lawn of the Howard County courthouse.

The ordinance carried a penalty of a fine not exceeding \$10 and not lower than \$1.

The ordinance went into effect immediately. It will apply, however, only where suitable markers warning of the fine, are put in place.

The ordinance was passed in an effort to improve the appearance of the courthouse lawn.

**Fifth Sunday Sermon Subjects Announced**

Special fifth Sunday sermon topics were announced Friday by Thornton Crews, minister of the Church of Christ, Fourteenth and Main streets.

His morning subject will be, "Preaching the Gospel and Letting Others Alone." At the evening service the topic will be "Our Authority in Religion." Special songs

are being arranged for the evening service.

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**Turkey or Chicken 40c**  
Regular Prices On Everything Else Served

### \$2,200,000 In Year Tobacco Company Executive's Pay

The switch is turned. "Would You Like to Take a Walk?" The orchestra lams into it. "Too blue, I don't like those pianos. Shove 'em back further. Make that rhythm snappier. Put some pep in the sticks!"

Rofle is sent for. The music is mended for correction at that point. It's the way you'll hear it tonight.

Terse, snappy, acute, Hill's entire response is emotional. He thinks, acts, breathes in headlines, slogans. The advertising copy of the American Tobacco Co. is said to be largely his. Nothing in promotion-

al work goes out without his approval.

**How a Sloganeer Does It**

He is said to have originated the phrase—"reach for a Lucky instead of a sweet"—while observing two girls at a railroad station, one a buson lass eating candy; the other a lissome miss lighting a cigarette. It is a perfect characterization, since Hill's entire viewpoint is the reconciliation of the phrase to the person.

For these high-pressure humanizations that have put his cigarette in the van of smokes, Hill has just received a bonus of 13,400 shares of A. T. stock, equivalent to \$1,200,000. This is above his unknown salary.

He always has been identified with the promotional work of his company. An alumnus of Williams College, he joined the organization in 1904 in that department. Six years ago, at 41, he succeeded to the presidency upon the death of

his father, Percival B. Hill.

A year or so ago his 40-room house in Mammoth Rock Rd., White Plains, where he lives, a widower, with Percival, 6, and Mary, 7, was destroyed by fire. The loss was estimated at \$100,000. Hill cared little about the mansion. What soured him most was the loss of his prized painting—"The Smugglers"—a canvas by Thomas Moran.

George W. Hill, jazz-boy of business, is high voltage America in person. That \$1,200,000 bonus Hill draws to-day from his American Tobacco Company isn't a cynical crash to his real significance. He hangs a derby hat, slightly cock-eyed, on stuffed shirt Wall St. and they take it and like it—when they see his annual report.

On top of the \$1,200,000, Wall Street has figured out that the bonus plan will bring the smoking magnate about \$1,000,000 more in

cash for 1930—\$2,200,000 a year man is he.

Hill is an upper, swagger and 48, synthetic, tanned, tanned by his ultra-violet rays, hot—and always bothered. His corporation in dance is always two clicks ahead of his customers—and directors. He is as far-reaching as a bath brush. His fair carries all the stabs of Broadway's 500,000 waiters on a wet night.

**He's Likened to a Light**

"What," asked a friend of G. K. Chesterton, who was viewing Times Sq. for the first time, "do you think of it?"

"Marvelous," replied Chesterton. "If a man could read."

"You don't read Hill, you listen to him, watch him."

Today, for example, up at the National Broadcasting Co. studios, where each Saturday morning he puts his Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra through its paces, Hill and his tobacco colleagues,

his advertising experts and the broadcasting program directors take their places at the long table in the directors' room where the music is "piped" up to them. Pads the pencils are the appointments at such places. What you're listening to is Hill's big business blues. Hill sheds his overcoat, chucks a

battered Berastine into a vacant chair and takes another at the head of the table.

Like Schaefer, world's 33.3 ball-line billiards champion, may enter the three-cushion competition next season because of the inactivity in ball-line play.

### Every Automotive Service

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You'll like Deats' service whether you are buying gasoline or having your car washed. Try DEATS' this week and you'll be back regularly.

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#### Pa Speaks Up



#### His Only Shoes



#### PA'S SON-IN-LAW



#### Pa Speaks Up



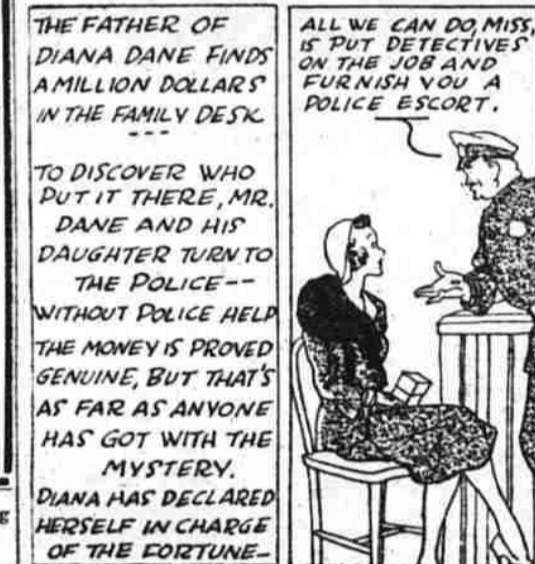
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#### DIANA DANE



#### Trouble



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#### SCORCHY SMITH



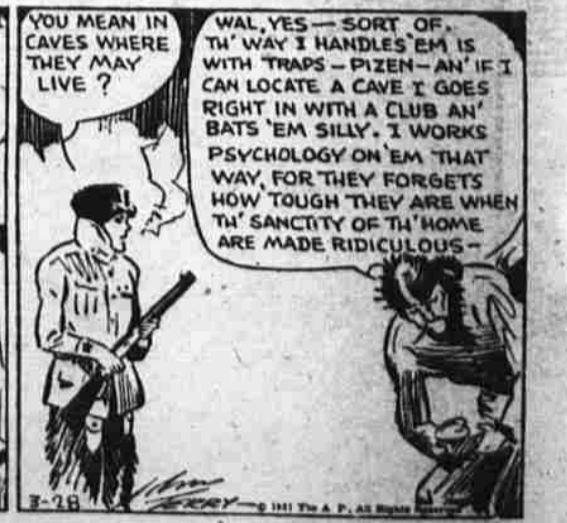
#### Jake's Formula



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#### HOMER HOOPEE



#### Now For Some Education



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## Ford Show To Be Presented In City Mar. 30-31, April 1

How precision in the manufacture of the Ford car and truck is possible by quantity production is graphically illustrated by a sound motion picture and a number of special exhibits on display in a Ford show to be held in a large tent March 30, 31 and April 1 at Fourth and Seury streets. The show, arranged by Wolcott Motor Co., local dealer, in cooperation with the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor Company, will be open to the public free of charge from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. each day.

The picture depicts the manufacture of the Ford from the production of raw materials until the car is driven off the assembly line to join its innumerable predecessors in traffic of the world.

The out of town dealers participating in the show are: Coahoma Motor company, Coahoma; Cowden-Epley Motor company, Midland; Elland Motor company, Stanton; Hildebrand Motor company, McCamey; Lamesa Motor company, Lamesa; Love Motor company, Odessa; Sewell Motor company, Crane; Wilson Motor

company, Gail; Wolcott Motor company, Big Spring.

**Displays**

Supplementing it, the special displays arranged about the tent reveal in detail the infinite precision which has resulted from quantity production and which in turn has made quantity production possible. So close are the limits of measurement maintained that in many instances one part will not vary from more than a tenth of a thousandth part of an inch. A part could be taken from the display board and fitted into any one of a million Fords and it would fit.

Of special interest is a display of Johnson gage blocks, little oblong pieces of shiny metal that are used for checking the gages in the Ford plants. These blocks are manufactured by the Ford Motor Company and are made true to exact measurement within two millionths part of an inch.

Another interesting display is that of rustless steel parts showing step by step how they are formed and polished. Still another is a Triplex glass windshield, which though cracked by a heavy blow, refused to shatter. Of special interest to women visitors are samples of the various cloths used in Ford upholstery.

Displays also include a board showing the stages in the manufacture of the crankshaft and camshaft, a steel-spoke wheel showing its one-piece construction, numer-

ous ball bearings, forgings, shock absorbers, standard accessories, and many other parts.

Unusually interesting are a Tudor cut in half to reveal the details of its construction and a truck chassis with portions cut away to disclose its working parts.

The cars alone, however, are well worth a visit to the show for they include body types to suit any taste and to meet any occasion. Particularly attractive are the deluxe cars in which the upholstery and appointments are of a kind and quality usually found only in more expensive automobiles.

All the body types are featured by the Ford's new beauty of line and color. The deep radiator, the wide generous fenders, and the graceful sweeping lines of the bodies all contribute to a pleasing whole. The cars may be obtained in a variety of colors and combinations which, with the wide choice of body types, enables the owner to reflect his own individuality in his car.

For those interested in trucks, the improved chassis with portions cut away to disclose the construction and mechanism of the four-speed transmission, rear axle assembly and brakes is an interesting demonstration. The Model AA truck may be obtained with a wheel base of either 121 1/2 inches or 157 inches, with a wide variety of body types to meet almost every hauling requirement.

## Building Permits For Month \$8,550

Building permits for the month of March, including Friday, totaled \$8,550, according to figures furnished by Merle J. Stewart, city secretary.

Permits for the following work were issued the past week:

A. Knappe, repair resident, 20th and Nolan streets, cost \$200.

Tulsa Filling Station, remove and install pumps, cost \$30.

F. H. Franklin, construct box house for Carl Williams, lot 9, block 7, Adell addition, cost \$400.

I. C. Holmes, repair residence 510 Abrams, cost \$100.

Wesley Memorial Methodist church, frame building 12th and Owens streets, cost \$300.

W. R. Trucker, sign, Third and Seury streets, cost \$180.

## Wesley Memorial Methodist Meet Today In South Ward

Services of the Wesley Memorial Methodist church will be held in the South Ward school today, ext Sunday the congregation will gather in its own building. Sunday school will begin at 9:45 a. m. with church services opening at 11 a. m. J. H. Crawford, the pastor, will speak this morning on "Thy Will

## Holy Week Services At St. Mary's Listed

The following Holy Week services will be held at Saint Mary's Episcopal church beginning today:

Palm Sunday services, 11 to 12 noon in commemoration of Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Buell T. Cardwell will sing "The Palms."

Tuesday, Holy Communion, at 10 a. m. This will be the Corporate Communion of all the women of the church with the offering of the "Blue Boxes."

Wednesday evening prayer at 8 o'clock.

Good Friday, a three-hour service 12 noon to 3 p. m.

Easter Sunday, Holy Communion at 7:30 and 11.

## F.U.N. Club At Dinner Friday

Members of the F. U. N. Club, after a short business meeting at the home of Lena Kyle, partook of a Mexican dinner at Gomez's Friday evening.

The next meeting will be held Saturday in the home of Margaret Bettie.

Those attending Friday evening's meeting were Margaret Bettie, Lena Rose Black, Lena Kyle, Imogene Runyan, Zillah Mae Ford, Mary Alice Wilke, Veda Robinson.

## Flashes of Life

(By The Associated Press)

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—"No" on a typewriter is two taps; one more tap and "yes" is obvious. Students in a Yale biology class took advantage of this to follow the answers of an exceptionally brilliant blind student who used a portable typewriter at weekly "yes and no" quizzes. The instructor caught on; he asked the blind student to re-verse his answers. The class won goose eggs.

SALEM, Va.—Roanoke College has a goldfish club. Initiates must

swallow alive one goldfish each. Dealers are calling for new supplies. The club numbers 16, including two co-eds, and has a waiting list.

NEW YORK—Alcohol is cheap. It is only 24 cents a gallon in tank car lots now, a drop of 11 cents, and there is talk of a price war. Production costs with molasses at 5 cents a gallon average 23 cents a gallon for alcohol, say distillers.

LOS ANGELES—Douglas Fairbanks has bagged three leopards, a tiger and a panther on his hunting trip in India. The news comes by a runner to Calcutta and cable to Mary Pickford. He shot the panther from an elephant's back.

Mrs. A. E. Pistole, 200 6th street, is a patient at the Big Spring hospital.

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# Spring Just in Time for Easter Buying

## Fashion Week



Spring Dresses are Ladylike--Colorful Correct Fashions Offered in Spring Fashion Week!

It's smart to be "ladylike" this Spring! The new dresses are colorful, demure, and becoming with quaint jackets . . . boleros . . . longer skirts . . . draped necklines. Prints, stripes, and flat crepes, ideal for street, business, and afternoon wear. See them at Ward's Spring Fashion Week!

**\$4.95**

Coats Are Dramatic—

What an opportunity to get an extremely smart and wearable Coat! Our new Spring assortment features the newest and smartest fashion points. Get your Easter Coat in Spring Fashion Week.

**\$9.98**

New Hats for Spring And Straws Are Smartest

Show your curls if you would, be smart this Spring! These hats are made to reveal the hair in a most becoming manner. Fabrics, straws and combinations are fashioned in off-the-face lines. Blacks, navy, and colors. Real Values!

**\$2.95**



"Rochelle" Shoes Lead the Easter Parade

New Arrivals for Spring Fashion Week Show Contrasting Trimmings! One-Straps, Pumps, and Oxfords Popular!

One Straps and step-in Pumps continue to lead in popularity! Trimmings are in demand, but are restrained and inconspicuous. The new "ROCHELLE" Shoes feature plenty of dull kids, and calf, in black, patent, and some lighter tones. See them in Ward's Spring Fashion Week! Every style an OUTSTANDING value!

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New Colors  
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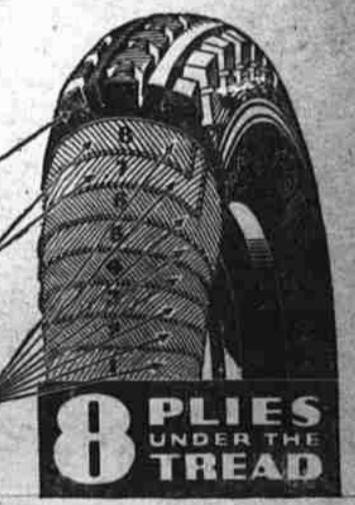


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Rubber Volume . . . . .	165 cu. in.	150 cu. in.
Weight . . . . .	16.80 lbs.	15.68 lbs.
Width . . . . .	4.73 in.	4.73 in.
Ply at Tread . . . . .	6 plies	5 plies
Thickness of Tire . . . . .	.598 in.	.558 in.
Price . . . . .	\$5.69	\$5.69

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Size	Cash Price	Mail Order Price	Our Price	Size	Cash Price	Mail Order Price	Our Price	Size	Cash Price	Mail Order Price	Our Price
4.40-21	\$4.98	\$4.98	\$9.60	30x3 1/2	\$3.97	\$3.97	\$7.74	4.50-20	\$8.55	\$8.60	\$16.70
4.50-21	5.69	5.69	11.10	31x4	6.98	6.98	13.58	4.50-21	8.75	8.75	16.96
4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90	4.40-21	4.55	4.55	8.80	4.75-19	9.70	9.75	18.90
5.00-20	7.10	7.10	13.80	4.50-21	5.15	5.15	9.96	4.75-20	10.25	10.25	19.90
5.25-18	7.90	7.90	15.30	5.25-21	7.75	7.75	15.00	5.00-20	11.25	11.30	21.90
5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70	Firestone BATTERIES				5.25-21	12.95	13.05	25.30
6.00-20H.D.	11.50	11.50	22.30					5.50-20	13.70	13.75	26.70
H. D. TRUCK TIRES				We sell and service the complete line of Firestone Batteries—Come in and see the EXTRA VALUE we give you. We make you an allowance for your old battery.				All Other Sizes Priced Proportionately Low			
30x5	17.95	17.95	34.90	6.50-20	17.15	17.15	33.30	6.00-20	15.20	15.20	29.50
32x6	29.75	29.75	57.90	7.00-21	20.15	21.80	39.10				

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MYSTERIOUS WAY

By Percival Christopher Wren, Author of BEAU GESTE, HEAD IDEAL

**SYNOPSIS:** Among the patients at Dr. Charters' nursing home is Marjorie Lauderdel, not yet 21, who can not understand why she became ill immediately after moving to her uncle's home. Her aunt, Mrs. Lauderdel, was associated with Dr. Charters during his American criminal career, but the doctor's secret seems hidden until a stranger confronts him and brings up his past life. "Spider Schiltz has got his," the intruder says and demands that he be taken into the home and an alibi provided. The Spider Schiltz? It was he and Chink Dorson whom the doctor robbed of their shares of the St. Clair diamond haul in America. How much does this stranger know? Dropping his bluff, Charters agrees to admit "Mr. John Wayne" rather than be exposed as a crook. At breakfast next morning Wayne ramps "Rosemary!" when he sees Marjorie.

Mr. Wayne inquiringly. "Good morning," said the letter. "You haven't seen my elephant, have you?"

"Elephant, Sir?" replied the man reflectively. "What color elephant might it be, Sir? Pinkish?"

"Oh, dear me, no. White as the driven—donkey."

"Well, I haven't acknowledge seen it, Sir. Only my own white elephant, and I can't lose 'em."

"Oh, well, if you're sure, I won't bother about it. I'll just go for a walk, if you'll kindly open the gates for me. I can go out if I want to, I suppose, can't I?"

"Why, certainly, Sir. Everybody comes and goes as free as hair—when the Doctor says so."

"He tells you who may go out, and who may not, eh?"

"Well, Sir, in a manner of speaking. Yes, Sir, there's some gent and ladies as might walk so far that they couldn't get back 'es' like your white elephant."

"Suddenly the face of Mr. John Wayne underwent a remarkable change and, as he produced a note, case from his pocket, the gatekeeper thought he looked less idiotic."

John Wayne, extracting a piece of paper, suggested that the gatekeeper might be able to decipher the writing thereupon. It was a five-pound note.

"No, Sir, no matter 'ow big."

"An 'ere comes the Doctor himself," he added as Dr. Charters, the morning paper in his hand, approached the gate-house.

"Good morning, Mr. Wayne," he said breezily. "Going out for a walk?"

"Yes, Doctor. I was thinking of

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**Chapter 5**  
**INTRODUCTIONS**

JOHN WAYNE tore his gaze from the girl and looked at her neighbor; and the Matron made introduction.

"Mr. Wayne—Colonel Campbell, the Oldest Inhabitant," she added. "Oldest Inhabitant!" snapped Colonel Campbell. "I'm still in my fifties."

"Ah," laughed the Matron. "I meant to say you're our—"

"Monarch of the Glen," suggested Mr. Wayne, and began to recite. "The stag at eve had drunk his fill,"

he said, a remark the less well-received by reason of the fact that all knew the Colonel to be a noted dipsomaniac who was learning the value of a dietary that included other things besides whisky.

Marjorie Lauderdel, with a sharp look at Mr. Wayne, decided that he had spoken in all innocence—perhaps—before the "Old Inhabitant!"

"Haven't we met before?" said a soft voice on Mr. Wayne's right.

"Mr. Wayne—Miss Skinner," murmured the Matron.

"Met before, what Madam?" asked Mr. Wayne.

"Before this," replied Miss Skinner sharply.

"Before this assembly, Madam? Yes, we have met before this assembly."

"Mad as a hatter," chirped Miss Skinner, the rather cross-looking little lady, who sat on the other side of Mr. Wayne, and, taking her empty plate to the sideboard, returned to another seat, as far as possible from the one she had vacated.

After breakfast, having read the morning paper with deepest interest, John Wayne, talking audibly and pleasantly to himself, strolled about the grounds of The Monastery, incidentally making a complete tour of the great high wall that entirely surrounded them.

The Monastery grounds were really an island with a moat about the wall, the only normal access to The Monastery being by the gate-house bridge.

Beneath the archway, above which was a tower, high strong iron gates prevented access to the bridge itself, while at the far end of the bridge, a small door deep-set in a stone wall, prevented access from without, as well as egress from within.

It would be as difficult for an unauthorized person to leave this place as it would be to leave a jail.

A jail. John Wayne shuddered. As he approached the great iron gates, a huge man came out from a door in the gate-house, and eyed

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**Hollywood Sights**  
 Sounds

By **ROBBIN COONS**

**HOLLYWOOD**—George Bernard Shaw recently made the statement among other things, "The technical conditions are different, 'real dramatic' entertainment in the talkies must conform to the same rules as on the stage." Three, even two ears ago, Hollywood might have agreed. But that was when Hollywood was bewildered by its new toy, the microphone, and laboring under the conviction that the screen, now that it talked, must copy the stage.

The replies Shaw received from numerous Hollywood directors only emphasized the complete change that has come in this town's ideas of talking screen technique. The consensus was that, microphones or not, motion is more important to the screen than dialog.

**TOO MUCH TALK**  
 "From the first," said Fred Niblo, "motion pictures have meant movement and action. Dialog, like backgrounds, is merely an aid to better motion pictures."

And that thought was embodied in comments of such directors as Clarence Brown, Wesley Ruggles, Tod Browning, Lloyd Bacon, Mervyn LeRoy and Michael Curtiz. It represents Hollywood's convictions learned through sad experience.

Mack Sennett put it most tersely of all, subtly slapping at what he considers Shaw's verbosity: "Why use 20 words when one will do?"

Most of Hollywood's early talkies bristled with dialog, much of which was mere wordage.

The most casual of commonplace conservation, heard in real life but unessential to screen narration, poured into the microphones. An "all-talkie" in his days was "all-talkie" and no mistake!

**CAMERA! ACTION!**  
 A few box-office returns made producers begin wondering. Audiences were becoming fidgety. Talk halted action, no matter how brilliant was the dialog. Pictures photographed on a single set were no longer motion pictures.

Surfaced with such photographs, stage plays, the fans welcomed eagerly the first return of the "westerns." They were action.

Gradually the realization grew that, although the microphone could record words without end, there was no need to overburden it. The studios, some quicker than others, began acting on the hint.

That principle has grown in popularity, and pattonime has returned to its own on the screen.

**NEW YORK**—In black cassock and biretta the Rev. Elliot White has been protesting the grounds of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, carrying a sign that reads: "Bishop, I ask you for justice." His purpose is to obtain a hearing from Bishop Manning. He was dismissed from the staff of Grace Episcopal Church after upholding Ben Lindsey and compassionate marriage.

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**OPINIONS OF OTHERS**

**Will the Cowboy Talk Turkey?**

Christian Science Monitor: **WANTED**—A cowboy to herd turkeys.

The recent news account concerning this unusual "want ad" which a woman caused to be inserted in a North Dakota newspaper will afford more than one lusty laugh. The idea of a rough-riding cowboy being sought to herd turkeys will be taken quite generally to represent the height—or rather the depths—of the grotesque in the decline of the knight of the lariat and chape.

Yet this is no ordinary request which the western turkey owner saw fit to publish. In the reader at all familiar with the ways of turkeys, or does he regard them as merely overgrown specimens of barnyard birds that always come home to roost?

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### Will Tell of the Building of the Most Famous Mission in the World Supported by all Protestant Denominations

To have fallen into the hands of desperate Chinese bandits and to have been released by no apparent human agency—by no agency seemingly beside that of prayer to a God who had directed their footsteps in the paths of increasing success and prosperity—is an experience that falls to few white men, missionaries or travelers. It is only one of the many and varied incidents in the lives of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, of the China Inland Mission, who will speak in Big Spring today and tomorrow. Their main address is to come before the Fifth Monday Service of the women's auxiliaries of the city tomorrow at 3 o'clock at the East Fourth Baptist Church.

Dr. and Mrs. Taylor were captured eight years ago in the southern part of China by a group of bandits who were among the first to stir up the revolutionary tendencies that have torn that country ever since. They speak of their captors kindly, even though for six weeks Mrs. Taylor, after she was released, had no idea whether her husband was alive, was being tortured as other white men were by the same group, or dead.

Suddenly without explanation after the governor to whom she appealed had refused aid, Dr. Taylor was released, given a horse and told that he could make his way out of the mountains and to the city in safety. That very night while he was on his way to freedom, the governor was killed by the revolutionists and the first flames of uprising and war began to eat its way into the crowded eastern provinces of the Chinese empire.

Dr. Howard Taylor is a son of Dr. Hudson Taylor, that pioneer missionary to the Chinese who, when no English board would listen to his plea that a mission was needed in the interior of China, set out 65 years ago to establish one, trusting to the mercy of God to provide workers and means. His young wife and their three children went where white men had never gone before. As they went they prayed for money and for volunteer workers, who, without promise of a salary and subsistence, would share the glory and the hardships with them in a country four times as populous as the United States.

Workers came to them; money came. Today the China Inland Mission is supported by all Protestant denominations and has missionaries from 22 different countries. The one station has grown to 300 central stations and 2000 out-stations. The work that Dr. Hudson Taylor and his young wife attempted alone is being carried on by 5000 white and Chinese missionaries. It is one of the largest missionary organizations in the world. In the western part of China it has one mission that is 50 days by horseback from its nearest neighbor; and its nearest neighbor is also 50 days by horseback from its nearest neighbor.

Never Asked For Money  
The unusual thing about this work is that it has never been in debt; the account has never been overdrawn at the bank, nor has any appeal for money ever been made, nor any collection taken up. The grounds at Shanghai, for instance, where the central station with its hospital and office is located, were donated to the mission many years ago at what was then the outskirts of the city. Today the city has surrounded the mission; the property is worth 65 times what it originally cost and the mission is selling out and moving again to the edge of the city where it can expand.

The China Inland Mission is conducted on the cooperative plan. No salaries are paid even to Mr. D. E. Elston, the General Director, who stays in Shanghai and controls the interests of the numerous stations. The missionaries are carefully selected before they are sent out. It was a saying of Dr. Hudson Taylor for that an ocean voyage could not make a missionary out of just anyone. Missionaries are chosen for their sincere love of the work and their ability to win souls, more than for their college degrees.

Test of Workers  
The mission has in it, missionaries from all the professions, business men, architects, professional men, and none of these have been accepting without first passing the test of seamanship with the council of the country from which they sail. They must spend three months in the home of some worker, studying the Chinese language and showing their fitness for the work. At the end of this time, they are retained, if they have proved suitable and Mrs. Taylor says that no suitable candidate has ever refused in all the sixty-five years.

When the work began to receive impetus from the Chinese themselves it went on, regardless of revolutions and civil wars. An average of about 5000 souls a year is the present number converted. The work that has torn China in the last several years have not retarded the work.

Outside Difficulties  
The difficulties have grown greater from the outside because of the entry of Communism from the Russians who at present are working up from the south and have massacred as many as 10,000 in a week. Three or four missionaries who have been in the path of these wholesale massacres have lost their lives. Otherwise the mission has not suffered physically.

The Mohammedans are working from the west, seeking to add

# Mrs. E. R. Watts Reads Poetry To Study Club

### Members Enjoy Program Dealing With Facts on Mocking Bird

The Big Spring Study Club met yesterday afternoon at the Settles Hotel for a meeting on "The Texas Mocking Bird."

During the business session it was unanimously voted to help financially the City Federation, entertain the Sixth District of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs by assessing the members one dollar each.

Mrs. T. J. Higgins was appointed as leader of the club for the remainder of the session. Mrs. Chas. Koberg was appointed delegate to the district meeting and Mrs. J. P. Dodge, alternate.

The roll call was answered with sentiments or superstitions connected with the mocking bird. Mrs. Felton Smith told the story of how the mocking bird became Texas' state bird. Mrs. T. J. Higgins read with the introduction, Clyde Walton Hill's "To a Mocking Bird."

The honor guest of the club was Mrs. E. R. Watts, who was asked to read some of her poetry. She read four poems entitled, "Texas," "Sunset Hill," "The China Tree," "Signal Mount."

The next meeting will be at the Settles Hotel on April 10 at the usual hour.

Those present were Misses L. E. Eddy, T. J. Higgins, L. S. McDowell, J. B. Delbridge, Felton Smith, J. P. Dodge and E. R. Watts.

# Social Calendar And Club Notes

**Monday**  
The Interhyphere Bridge Club will meet tonight with Miss Florence Cotton.

**Tuesday**  
The O.C.D. Club will meet with Miss Marie Faubon.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at W.O.W. Hall at 8:30 for picnic at city park.

The 1922 Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. M. H. Bennett.

The '21 Bridge Club, postponed.

**Wednesday**  
The Kilkare Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. O. H. McAllister.

The Pioneer Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Homer McNew.

The Work Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. M. M. Edwards.

The Three-Four Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Jake Bishop.

The Rebekahs will meet tonight at the L.O.O.F. Hall.

**Thursday**  
The Epelon Sigma Alpha Sorority will meet tonight with Miss McElroy.

The South Ward P.T.A. will meet at 8:30.

The O.U.R. Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. Essie Epps.

The Ace High Club will meet with Mrs. Ed Prichard.

The Home Garden Club will meet in the Clubhouse at 3 o'clock.

The Lone Star Lodge, Div. 90, G.I.A. will meet at the W.O.W. Hall at 3 o'clock.

**Friday**  
The Child Study Club will meet with Mrs. E. D. Norman.

The High School P.T.A. will give a barbecue to the High School Athletic team and members of the Pep Squad at the City Park this evening.

The Lone Star Lodge No. 375, L. A. to B. of R. T., will meet at the Settles Hotel, fifteenth floor, at 2:30.

**Saturday**  
The Hyperion Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Fahrnkamp. Mrs. Robert Piner will be the leader.

The Junior Hyperion Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Tracy Smith. Miss Clara Pool will be the leader.

**Rebekahs Honor Four Officials At Clever Dinner**  
The Rebekahs gave a dinner Wednesday evening honoring the new state officer of the local group Mrs. Alma Crenshaw, and the representative to the recent state meeting, Mrs. Della Herring. Mrs. Crenshaw was presented to the members by the members and tapestry bed spread by Mrs. Ida Ramsey.

At the banquet, at which Mrs. Meile Dameron, noble grand of the order, Mrs. Lulu Harper, vice-noble grand, were also honor-nesses, Mrs. Clarence Mann toast-ed Mrs. Herring and Mrs. Ramsey-nated Mrs. Crenshaw. Many clever stunts and reminiscences of the state meeting, were part of the program.

The table was beautifully decorated in the Rebekah's colors of pink and green; pink flowers being used for the centerpiece and green tapers for lighting effects. About fifty guests were present.

# Prize Winners In Violin Contest



PAULINE KING LOUISE WRIGHT

These two girls were the winners in a violin contest recently conducted by Miss Thelma Jackson, teacher of violin, among seven of her pupils. The contest lasted for eight weeks. The prizes were rings bearing a musical emblem, a lyre, enameled in colors on gold.

Louise Wright won the prize for showing the most progress during the period. She has been taking violin for about three months and displays remarkable ability, Miss Jackson says.

Pauline King won the prize for putting in the most hours of practice. She practiced 146 hours, almost three a day (in a six-day week). She has been taking violin for about nine months.

Louise is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wright and Pauline the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack King.

# Party and Shower Honor Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Thompson entertained with a party and shower Friday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson, who were recently married in Snyder.

The honorees received many lovely gifts.

The house was beautifully decorated to carry out the Easter spirit and enjoyable games filled the hours.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Bertha Wray, Irene Crews, Mildred Thompson, Ruth Dodson, Cleo Thomas, Margaret Edwards, Burns Edwards, Claude Chair, Hafvy Childress, Dee Shackelford, Woodrow Campbell, Tharon Gage, Eldon Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acuff, Mr. and Mrs. L. Eunger.

# Royal Neighbors Initiates Two New Candidates at Meet

The Blue Mountain Camp No. 7277 R. N. of A. held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon. Two candidates were initiated, Mrs. Nanna Bell Smith and Elmo Martin.

After the business session, interesting games were enjoyed. Mess-dames Martin, Byers and Smith won the contests. A musical number given by Mrs. Martin and Elmo was enjoyed.

Refreshments were served to: Misses Della Bugk, Cleo Byers, Sarah Griffith, Pearl Ory, Bertha Barton, Annie Wilson, Mary E. Van Open, Alice Wright, Eula Pond, Dollie Sanders, Ozell Orr, Mary Lawrence, Jewell Williams, Willie Weaver, Allene Long, Myrtle Bugg, Brookie Martin, Hattie Orr, Mabel Glenn, Myrtle Orr, Nanna Bell Smith, Katherine Thompson and Elmo Martin.

# G.O.A. Members Honor Mrs. J. T. Deats With 40-Year Badge

The G. I. A. members of the Lone Star division, Number 90, spent a very pleasant afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Deats Friday.

It was the fortieth anniversary of Mrs. Deats' membership in the G. I. A. She is the only living charter member in this division.

Mrs. Max Wiesen presented her with the 40-year badge of the order.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following: L. T. Deats, H. Schwarzenbach, Zack Mullins, Max Wiesen, W. C. Bird, A. F. Weeg, Lamar Smith, A. B. Wade, M. D. Davis, Chas. Vines and Harvey Rix.

# Marriage of Big Spring Young Couple In Carlsbad Announced

Mrs. Fred W. Cromwell announces the marriage of her niece, Miss Margaret Reeves, to Ike Knaus. The marriage occurred Feb. 7 in Carlsbad, N. Mex.

The bride is well known here, having worked as a stenographer in the office of W. T. Mann for sometime.

The groom was employed by the T. and P. before leaving for Longview where he is now employed by the city.

The young couple will make their home in Longview.

# 1931 Bridge Club In Enjoyable Night Session Recently

The 1931 Bridge Club met Friday evening for a happy party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett.

The Easter motif was employed in the table, the table covers and napkins and in the pastel colors of the lovely salad course. Favors were little baskets containing eggs and rabbits.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds won the high scores and received an ash tray and a string of beads, respectively.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Cravens, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lanzy, Miss Emily Bradley and Walter Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Heath will entertain the club next.

**LATIMER RESIGNS**  
H. C. Latimer, who has been employed in the office of superintendent, Texas & Pacific Ry Co., resigned his position and left for Omaha, Neb., Thursday.

Larry Henderson of Toyah, formerly employed in this office has accepted position made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Latimer.

# The LaBeffs Entertain For The J. H. Rives

### Attractive Easter Party for Honorees Who Are Moving from City

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. La Beff entertained Thursday evening with a farewell bridge party for Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rives who are leaving for Corpus Christi where they will make their home.

The Easter motif prevailed in the house decorations and the party accessories.

Mrs. Rives was presented with a boudoir pillow and Mr. Rives, who also made high for the men, with a cigarette lighter. Mrs. Pettoy made high for the women and received a flower basket.

Delicious pie and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Croft, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pettoy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rives, Misses W. D. McDonald, W. A. Earnest, C. E. Shive, Sam Baker, Otto Peters and Gus Pickle.

# Church Activities For Coming Week

**Monday**  
The East Fourth Baptist Church Missionary Society will be hostess to the women's auxiliaries of other churches of the city in a meeting at the church at 3 o'clock. Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor, of the China Inland Missions, will be the speakers.

The officers of the Birdie Bailey Missionary Society are asked to meet at Mrs. A. Knickerbocker's home at 2 o'clock for a short business meeting preceding the joint meeting.

The officers of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society will meet at the church parlors at 2 o'clock for an executive board meeting. Officers are asked to bring blanks to make out quarterly reports. They will then go in a body to the joint meeting.

There will be no meeting of the Altar Society of St. Thomas Catholic church.

At 10 o'clock at St. Mary's Episcopal church there will be corporate communion for the women of the church.

**Wednesday**  
The Christian church will observe Fellowship Night at 7:30. There will be a "clipping bee" put on by the members of the West Circle.

**Thursday**  
The Philathea Sunday school class of the Methodist church has postponed its social meeting because of the Methodist revival.

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The regular Good Friday three-hour services will commence at noon at St. Mary's Episcopal church with other ministers of the city assisting the Rev. W. H. Martin, minister of St. Mary's.

**Every Day**  
The members of the Christian

church will observe Self-Denial Week.

There will be a revival service at the Methodist church every evening. The Rev. W. G. Bailey will be the speaker.

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Mrs. Ed Young, who is a patient in the Big Spring Hospital, is doing very well now and is able to receive company.

J. D. Biles has returned from Ft. Worth. Mrs. Biles will stay a while longer.

Rufus Elliott left Saturday morning for his home in Sherman on a visit.

# Young People of the First Baptist Church Assemble For Sunday School Banquet

### Supt. W. C. Blankenship, Toastmaster; Rev. R. E. Day Chief Speaker Before Unusually Large Crowd

The Young People's Department of the First Baptist Church assembled at the church basement Friday evening for a banquet. The members of the Bykota, Ruth and Young Married Men's Classes were the guests of the Worthwhile and Leaders Classes at a merry April Fool's evening.

The Rev. R. E. Day was the chief speaker of the occasion. His address was "Our Duty to the Church." Supt. W. C. Blankenship was the toastmaster. He introduced the

speakers and conducted one of the wittiest numbers of the program, stunts in rhyme, to which members of the department responded.

Mr. Whaley gave the invocation. Mrs. W. R. Hines gave a reading. The music was furnished by a trio composed of Miss Inez Drake, L. A. Wright and Wayne Matthews, with Mrs. J. H. Kirkpatrick accompanying them at the piano. The classes sang several popular hymns.

Before the guests went into the banquet rooms, they were taken to a spring carnival and given glimpses inside booths containing some unexpected objects. The entrance to the banquet room was prefaced with a grand march led by the toastmaster, Mr. Blankenship.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gomillion, Mr. and Mrs. George Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. William Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Travlin Reed, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Correll, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wright, Mr. and Mrs. B. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Coffe, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mr. and Mrs. David Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. D. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ciere, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Scoggin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harris, Mrs. Bruce Frazier, Della H. Agnell, G. H. Hayward, Tom Am-trell, George Melear, Davis, J. H. Kirkpatrick.

Misses Corene Day, Ola Mae Keller, Georgia Fowler, Lorena Henderson, Claudia Tatum, Katie Hart, Nina Parker, Juanita Dowsett, Pearl Butler, Ethel Vandagriff, Clara Secrest, Carrie Irie, Winnie Dell Rhotan, Abbie Nell Rhotan, Lillian Rhotan, Letha Amerson, Lorena Huggins, Elsie Duff, Eupha Barton, Kathryn Gilliam, Ruby Bell, Lucille Hayley, Letha Whit-mire, Katie Bell, Boyce, Pauline Hart, Edith Hatchett, Jessie Morgan, Ida Hines, June Hines, Mamie Leach, Ruby Creighton, Josephine Tripp, Reba Meador, Opal Creighton, Maude Prather, Lois Cheek, Iona Drake and Ethel Evans.

Messrs. Norris Curtis, R. E. Day, B. B. Ivie, Berry Duff, J. E. Pond, Roy Whaley, Fred Robinson, Mart-telle McDonald, W. E. Purr, C. V. West, W. R. Creighton, B. B. Fetter, Nat Shick, Davis, Wayne Matthews, L. A. Wright, Walter Barrett.

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# Mrs. J. H. Rives Is Hostess To Her Club Friends

Mrs. J. H. Rives entertained a group of friends at Mrs. E. M. La Beff's home Friday afternoon with a lovely Easter party for her friends of the Bluebonnet Bridge Club.

The pastel colors of Easter were carried out in the table and refreshments. Four lovely prizes were presented during the afternoon.

Mrs. Baker made high score and was given a potted plant. Mrs. Miller cut high and was given a kitchen clock. Mrs. Shive made low score and was given a silver tomato server. Mrs. La Beff was presented with a set of silver teaspoons in token of her friendship for Mrs. Rives, who is leaving to make her home in Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Rives was presented by her friends with a box of lovely linen handkerchiefs on which was painted a beautiful bluebonnet scene.

The guests were: Misses Sam Baker, Gus Pickle, Herman Pickle, W. D. McDonald, W. A. Gilmer, J. B. Hodges.

# Pythian Sisters' Pie Supper and Program Scores Enormous Hit

The Pythian Sisters met for a social session and pie supper Friday evening in the L.O.O.F. Hall at 8 o'clock.

A good program was rendered before a large crowd of guests. The music generously was furnished by a trio composed of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pinkston and Mr. Merrick who played the guitar.

Doris Cunningham gave a reading; Mary Ruth Diltz, a dance number; Nancy Bell Phillips a reading; Eloise Kuykendall, a pianologue, all of which were greatly enjoyed. Mrs. Lee Weathers also gave several enjoyable readings.

Delicious pie and coffee was served during the evening.

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# HAROLD LLOYD'S 'FEET FIRST' COMING TO RITZ

## Old Favorite Displays New Acting Ability

### Imaginative Genius as Well As Personal Magnetism Shown

The imaginative and organizing genius, to say nothing of the acting genius, of Harold Lloyd are impressively paraded before the eager public eye and ear again in "Feet First," the new Lloyd picture at the Ritz Theatre Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

There is no doubt of the popularity of Lloyd among young and old alike. And there is no reason why there should ever be anything but a progressive increase in that popularity.



Harold Lloyd, Barbara Kent in "FEET FIRST"

Harold Lloyd, the most popular star who knows the public taste for fun and knows how to appease that appetite.

True, he produces only about one picture a year—but therein may rest his sagacity. That one picture never falls short of the "wow" class.

"Feet First" is a rollicking, breath-taking production.

Harold is seen as the lowly shoe clerk who aspires to high honors as the leading salesman in the chain of shoe stores owned by Robert McWade. A usual he starts off on the wrong foot, being called upon to wait on Lillian Leighton, McWade's wife, and giving her shoes that are six sizes too large. All this because he is flustered at the sight of Barbara Kent, secretary to McWade and his wife. Harold has not met Barbara formally, and he does not know her name, but he guesses that she is a

## Otis Skinner Star In 'Kismet' Billed At Queen Theatre

Probably the largest crew of technical men ever engaged for any picture was used for the shooting of "Kismet." First National's elaborate screen production of the famous Knoblock play, coming to the Queen Theatre Wednesday and Thursday, starring Otis Skinner.

Eighty-six men comprised the staff, including the cream of the technical men in Hollywood. Of the eighty-six, almost half were employed exclusively for camera and sound work, and the remainder took care of lights, props, and wardrobe.

This number does not include the persons who were assigned to do specialized work on "Kismet" but who were not on the set at the time of shooting. For instance, the men who constructed the ornate and intricate sets, or the men and women especially employed to tie turbans in the mob scenes, or the two-score members of the make-up department whose sole duty it was to apply make-up on the backs of over 4,000 extras—the extras themselves applies the rest—and every night wash them with liquid cold cream.

Not does this number include the thirty "beard" men of the company, experts at pasting beards on actors. The eighty-six represent only the persons who cared for the mechanical detail, a record number fully in keeping with the magnitude of the most pretentious picture yet made since the development of Vitaphone.

wealthy daughter of society, and goes for her in a great big way.

After a series of humorous adventures in which Harold poses as a young man of wealth in order to impress Barbara at a society ball, he one day finds himself on board a liner bound from Honolulu on which are Miss McWade, Miss Leighton and Barbara. There follows a veritable barrage of Lloyd-fun as Harold tries to "crash" a social event aboard the ship. Finally he gets ashore only to encounter fresh thrills on the top and sides of a sky-scaper, furnishing a dare-devil climax with hair-raising stunt-stuff.

The closing episode shows Harold making good as a McWade employee and as a successful lover. The climactic thrill-stuff is about the best of its kind the talkies have given us. It exceeds in rapidity the thrilling shots of that famous Lloyd opus, "Safety Last!" The addition of sound and dialogue to this kind of screen material adds realism.

Mr. Lloyd is to be congratulated for having chosen again Barbara Kent as his leading woman. Her work in "Feet First" justifies the first impressions of her debut picture, "Welcome Danger."

## Norma Shearer, Gary Cooper Here



The Ritz program for this week will present two of the screen's most popular figures in their latest pictures. Norma Shearer (top) will be seen once more by local fans in "Strangers May Kiss," today and Monday. Gary Cooper is starred in "Fighting Caravans" (below) Friday and Saturday.

## Recent Literary Guild Selection, 'Little Caesar,' From Burnett Novel Saturday Midnight Matinee Feature

## Gary Cooper Here Friday

### 'Fighting Caravans' At Ritz Friday, Saturday

"Fighting Caravans," the thrilling and spectacular drama of the battling pioneers, who beat new trails across the continent, is the tremendous attraction which the Ritz theatre will show, starting Friday for two days. Gary Cooper and Lily Damita head an exceptionally large and forceful cast of well-known screen favorites in this epic picture of the forefathers of the American West.

"Fighting Caravans" has been filmed on the same gigantic scale which made "The Covered Wagon" a never-to-be-forgotten screen presentation. The lives, the equipment, the characters, even the dangers and privations of those forward-pushing days have been reconstructed, and brought to life on the screen, in a breath-taking production that will make moving picture history.

Into the intense atmosphere of the frontier-busting caravan is introduced a tender romance, featuring Gary Cooper, the swaggering, devil-may-care junior scout of the expedition, and Lily Damita, French girl immigrant whose father dies during the gruelling march, leaving her alone, with a giant wagon and a valuable cargo, to carry on to the Land of Gold Cooper, tempted to take advantage of the girl's helpless position, is quickly brought to his senses by her indomitable will. Their romance blossoms in danger and bursts into full bloom as the struggling caravan struggles into Eldorado.

"Fighting Caravans" is Zane Grey's best-seller novel brought to the screen, made to live against the gorgeous natural backgrounds of the California High Sierras. In the east are Ernest Torrance and Tully Marshall, those two bold scouts of "The Covered Wagon."

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the secretary, Washington, D. C., March 6, 1931.—Proposals are hereby solicited, to be opened in the office of the supervising architect, treasury department, Washington, D. C., at 9 o'clock, a. m., on April 10, 1931, for the sale or donation to the United States or preferably a corner lot containing approximately 31,500 square feet, with a dimension of approximately 170 lineal feet, on the more important of the two street frontages, centrally and conveniently located and suitable for a federal building site at Big Spring, Texas. Upon application, the postmaster will supply prospective bidders with a circular giving particulars as to requirements and instructions for preparation of bids and data to accompany same. D. S. Lowman, Assistant Secretary.

ILL AT SISTER'S HOME Joe Bailey Walter is suffering from pneumonia at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. A. Hartman, 411 Johnson street.

In answer to those who claim that no attention is paid to the realistic presentation of stories by motion picture companies, First National appears with a screen version of a recent Literary Guild selection, "Little Caesar," which is currently to be shown at the Ritz midnight matinee next Saturday, 11:30 p. m., was adapted to the screen from the novel of W. R. Burnett.

In this story of underworld life Mr. Burnett has chosen to present his material from the "inside" viewpoint. He tells his story as one who knows; one who is intimate with his locale and characters.

Burnett made an intensive study of life in gangland during the time he was working on the story, and as a result the characters are particularly well-drawn, and the atmosphere smacks of grim reality.

In his search for authentic gangster material, Burnett met and fraternized with some of the most important figures in the racketeering world. Many who have seen "Little Caesar" claim to recognize well-known gangsters in the characters.

Burnett claims that some of the characters are real; some are entirely fictitious, while others represent a composite of several individuals.

Edward G. Robinson plays the leading role, the part of Rico, "Little Caesar," and is ably supported by Doug Fairbanks, Jr., Gladys Farrell, William Collier, Jr., Sidney Blackmer, Ralph Ince and others in a cast that really deserves to be called all-star.

Fred Kohler has orders from First National Studios to reform. In big Vitaphone dramas in the future the famous "villain" who used to vie with George Bancroft for hard-bitten honors in many a rough-and-ready film will have more sympathetic roles.

As a fast step, he plays the role of "Joe Portugal" in Sir Gilbert Parker's famous-drama and novel plot, "The Right of Way," in a big all-star drama coming to the Queen theatre Monday and Tuesday. The character is a very lovable one which has one of the most forbidding exteriors and initial introductions on dramatic records.

Conrad Nagel and Loretta Young are featured in the romantic roles of "The Right of Way," which Frank Lloyd directed, William Janney, George Pearce, Emmett King, Harry Corling and other favorites play important roles. Kohler has had a number of important roles in First National productions, and he is being coached for stardom in the near future. He was particularly acclaimed recently in "Under Western Skies," a big all-color western "special."

## Rex Lease Stars in Queen Week-End Western Feature

The dawn of a new era in western pictures is at hand, in the opinion of Phil Goldstone, chief studio executive at Tiffany.

What is involved in the charge is summed up by Lester Scott, who supervised the unit producing "The Utah Kid," a Rex Lease action drama under Richard Thorpe's direction.

"The good western picture of today can be judged easily by one test," says Scott. "Look at the picture in rough cut, study the dialogue sheets, and estimate the number of titles necessary to make a silent version of it. If the number of titles is small, no greater than the average of silent picture days, and yet completely expressing all that is in the dialogue and making the proper explanations of time lapses and other switches in silent screen action, then it's a good western picture for today's market."

In other words, according to Scott, action and pantomime, the

## THEATRE PROGRAM OF WEEK

### RITZ

Sunday, Monday— "Strangers May Kiss," featuring Norma Shearer with Neil Hamilton.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday— "Feet First," Harold Lloyd's new picture, with Barbara Kent as leading woman.

Friday, Saturday— "Fighting Caravans," starring Gary Cooper. Saturday 11:30 p. m.

"Little Caesar," with Edward G. Robinson and Douglas Fairbanks Jr.

### QUEEN

Monday, Tuesday— Fred Kohler in "The Right of Way."

Wednesday, Thursday— Otis Skinner in "Kismet."

Friday, Saturday— "The Utah Kid," starring Rex Lease.

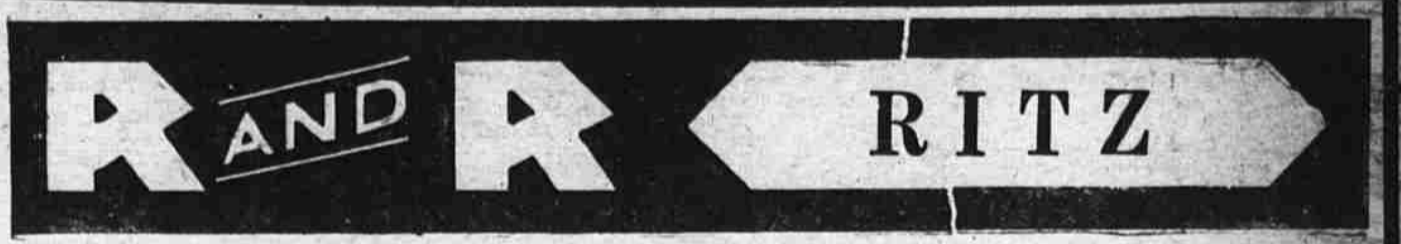
two great features of silent film, story itself, interpreted by action, must predominate, with dialogue reduced to the minimum. Scenes in which sounds of action are present but human speech is lacking, must be plentiful. This is because the

Queen Theatre Friday and Saturday. In the story by Frank Howard Clark, Lewis, Dorothy Sebastian, Thomas Santaschl, Walter Miller and Boris Karloff play principal roles. Excellent scenic backgrounds were secured on location and photographed by Arthur Reed, head cameraman on some of the most important of recent M-G-M specials.

FINED \$100 O. C. Lockhart, negro, is in the county jail reflecting on the best method of raising \$100, and costs. The negro was arrested and a pistol was found in his possession. On a plea of guilty before County Judge H. R. Debenport Thursday he was fined \$100 and costs of the trial.

TO TYLER R. A. Montgomery who has operated a grocery on West Third street for two and a half years is closing out his business and will move to Tyler where he will engage in the same line of business.

His sons, J. W. Montgomery and Robert Montgomery, who have been associated with him in the Big Spring store will go to the East Texas city with their father.



# TODAY And MONDAY (Two Days Only)

## The Novel Sensation

Now the brilliant star's finest talkie



## Strangers May Kiss

ADDED ATTRACTIONS: Paramount Sound News "Laurel and Hardy in 'Laurel and Hardy Murder Case'" Sunday Matinee Starts at 1 p. m. Last Show Starts at 5:30 p. m.

## RITZ AND RITZ QUEEN MONDAY - TUESDAY

Which way is the RIGHT way when devil and angel are bonded to a man's soul?

### The Strangest Romance Ever Told!



## The Right of Way

A FIRST NATIONAL VITAPHONE PICTURE

### Rev. Lindley Ends First Year's Work At First Christian

Rev. D. R. Lindley will close his first year as pastor of the First Christian church with today's services.

During the year, in spite of quiet business conditions, 25 per cent of indebtedness on the church building has been paid. One of the features of Mr. Lindley's ministry has been in the field of leadership training. Two leadership schools and two accredited leadership classes have been conducted, a total of 120 leadership training credits having been earned by workers of the church.

Some of the new agencies in various departments of the church the past year are the workers' conference, the women's council and Eversman's Bible class. Through Saturday Rev. Lindley had received 103 new members into the church's fellowship, representing a net increase of 66 members.

### Fourth Street Baptist Services Announced

"Believers' Inheritance" will be the sermon subject of Rev. S. B. Hughes, pastor of the Fourth Street Baptist church, at this morning's service.

Regular Sunday school classes will begin at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. convenes at 6:30 p. m.

The evening sermon topic will be "Call of the Master."

A total of 17 additions, nine by baptism and eight by letter, resulted from last Sunday's services.

**IN HOT SPRINGS**

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon I. Phillips are spending a few days in Hot Springs National Park. Phillips is a conductor on the Texas & Pacific Railway, and Mrs. Phillips is assistant manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

**VISITING IN BUSH HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Taylor of Crosbyton are spending the week end here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Bush. Mr. Taylor is instructor in vocational agriculture in the Crosbyton schools.

## Reducing Production To Save Oil, Tariff Free, Like Shipping In Autos To Save Autos--Will



How quick a college boy can find out the world is wrong.

Well all I know is just what I read in the papers. But tonight I found out a lot of things without reading em. Bill, our eldest White Hope had a friend that had just come back from some expedition over in China with some College Boys, from Pomona College, of Pomona, Cal. And say, by the way that is one of the best Colleges in this whole County, they are constantly grooming it for "The Oxford of America."

Well these boys had taken a lot of Movies of their trip and he just brought em up to the Ranch to night and run them, and he told us a lot about China. Well China was having some Liquor Bains, and they decided that the trouble with the Country was that the Officials of the Government was doing too much drinking. So they passed em an Amendment, just exactly two thousand years before Andy Volstead got his brilliant idea. So they passed it to keep the Officials from drinking, then nobody would be an Official, they would rather have the drink than the job.

So they not having a Democratic and Republican Party that was both afraid to say where they stood, in those days you stood where you stood. So they started in having trouble with Bootleggers. Just think of that, and here we thought we had the original Bootlegger problem.

**Progressives**

Well along came the "Progressives" and held a Convention and decided to amend the Constitution, and put Liquor back with Rice as a National Commodity. So China really had all this fuss that we are having away back before Confucious time. That old Confucious must have been quite a fellow, he was so smart they are just now figuring out what he really meant. But he didnt get so far in his day, he had to die to make the Boys believe it. It dont do a fellow much good to be too far ahead of his time. Its better that he be a

little Dumber and stay along with the time.

He showed us Movies of that great Chinese wall. It was a good deal like the ones the Republicans erected last year by the Architects, Hawley and Reed Smoot. China wanted to keep out her enemies, and Smoot and Hawley wanted to keep out our friends, and also keep our stuff in.

We keep out everything, unless it is owned by some rich Americans, that want to bring it in, then the tariff dont hold. Take oil for instance. You cant bring in wheat, corn, cotton, or any of those in competition with our own, but Oil you can. You can bring it in from Venezuela or any other place and knock ours out. Why? Well that's because its owned by Americans who are richer and more influential than the ones that have Independent oil Companies over here, but no foreign oil.

**Alabi**

Our Alabi is that "It is saving our Oil." Thats just like shipping in foreign Autos, saying we want to save the ones we make, they might all wear out. But never mind that that wont be changed as long as the Republicans stay in there, as we better just let 'em drop.

This Boy said that China along about two or three hundred A. D. (After Democrats) that China had the first League of Nations, that China was a lot of small Nations and that they formed an exact League of Nations like the one that had the 14 points, and Lodge didnt like any of em. Well they decided that that would be a good way to prevent war, they first got the two biggest ones to sign it, saying they wouldnt fight each other. But they didnt say that they wouldnt join together and fight somebody else, so they scared the little ones till they thought they had to join for protection, and they all met and made out a Covenant, and it worked for a little while till they all got back on their feet from the last war and got armed for the next one, then some Lawyer found a flaw in it, and his country, which was one of the original signers, and the big one they went out and defended their honor against some small ones, till they took em over, and the breaking up of the League of Chinese Nations was the start of the Chinese Empire. The League worked fine till they found out that the only way you can annex more ter-

ritory is not by purchase, but by war.

**To Europe**

Now Morrow has gone over to Europe to tell England and France and Italy that the Treaty they made with each other in Null and void, as far as we are concerned. See a lawyer has found a flaw in it. So from what I hear folks say and what I read, it just looks like China had the original idea of about everything that we had ever done and thought it was new.

Photography was one of theirs, so they are really responsible for Hollywood Printing, Gunpowder, Kinemas, Palmas in the day time, worn by both men and Women. This Boy says that most all the Revolutionary trouble over there starts in the Colleges among the Students. Well ours over here does too, but one good Cop with a Club is generally quell it.

Its funny how quick a College

Boy can find out that the World is wrong. He might go out in the World from High School and live in it, and make a living in it for years and think it wasent such a bad place, but let him go to College and he will be the first one down on the Square on May Day to shout down with the Government. Course not all of em, but there is getting more and more, but soon as they grow up and go out and if they happen to make anything why they backside, and he says it is the same over there.

Well one great thing about China they dont bother nobody but themselves, they sure dont go off hunting trouble like all us "Civilized" Nations Commission some time (that goes all over the world to investigate everybody's business) and go see it.

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**RABBIT DRIVE TUESDAY**

A rabbit drive will be held Tuesday on the D. B. Cox farm, 16 miles southwest of Big Spring, it was announced today. A barbecue will be served at noon. Hunters are urged to attend.

The average age of prisoners received at Missouri state penal institutions is 28 years.

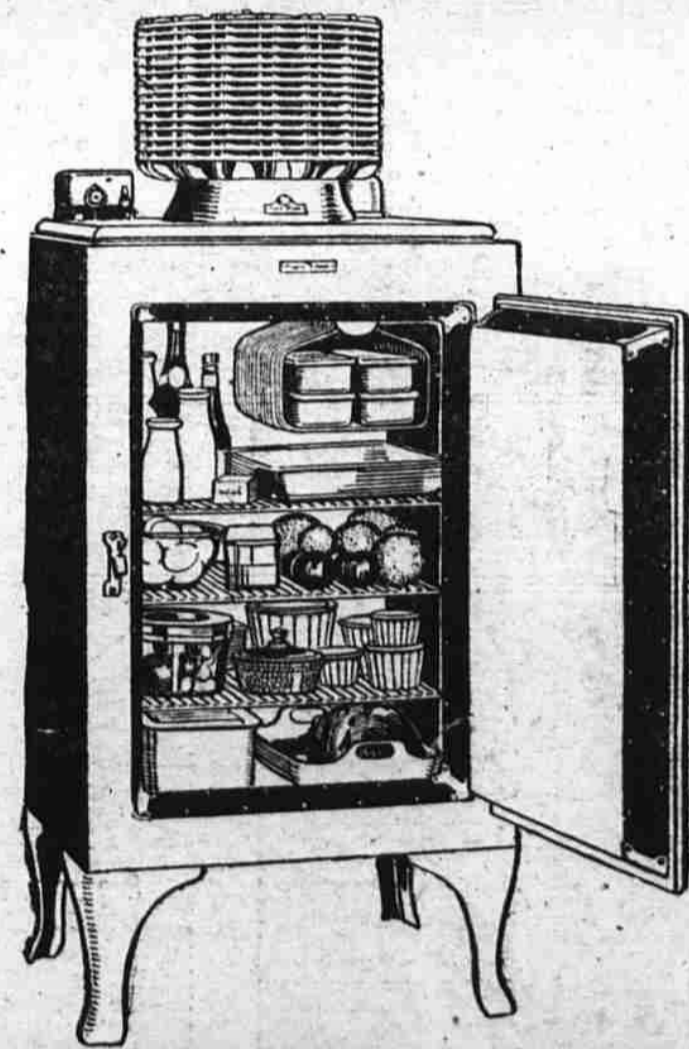
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## ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION BUREAU OF BIG SPRING

# COAHOMA, LOMAX WITH COUNTY MEET SEVEN RECORDS FALL IN RICE RELAYS

Collier Parris Lubbock Journal sports editor informs that football powerhouses are moving into Pampa with regularity. Pampa, Collier says, is making no effort to conceal the fact that Pampa's climatic conditions are of such wonderful bias that football players just can't resist moving into the Panhandle stronghold. Pampa is saying perhaps, that the one-year eligibility rule won't be passed. It will be remembered that Pampa is in the same district with Lubbock, and it was in Lubbock that the one-year rule gained its momentum in the hands of a certain Mr. Duncan. Says Collier in regard to the general importing business of the Harvester Corporation: "If the rule is passed we are asked to believe that Pampa will have just another ball club this fall. Pampa in the Oil Belt schools does not attempt to hide the fact that rich ground material is coming to the Harvester institution in the persons of transfers. Here are three of them: Wayne Kelley, Shamrock lad who was a great factor in the Irish backfield last year; Dan Hill, last season's Central High of Fort Worth; another backfield man of note; and Laurence McWright of Mt. Hope, Alabama. That's getting them from distances. McWright comes from a football family, says Hoar, and if he is eligible he will be counted on to furnish backfield power in the Harvester backfield this year. His brother, the Great McWright of the University of Alabama, was selected by several sportsmen as all-American material at the end of the late grid season.

So there is a bit of the business side of football. Mr. Collier is wrong, however, when he says the Oil Belt does not attempt to hide the facts. He is in error. The Oil Belt not only attempts to hide the facts, but it also attempts to conceal transfers as long as possible. Well do we recall the day when Chackaluck Bird was lured from his native woods by Kansas sportsmen. Although Chickaluck shook the dust of Palo Pinto county out of the seat of his pantalons early in the year, it was not until the following football season that the Ranger newspaper made mention of it. All other newspapers, however, were commenting furiously on the greatest coup ever staged by an Oil Belt eleven—that of hooking a player from a sister team less than fifty miles away.

Bill Stevens had his tracksters galloping to the fore in the county meet here Saturday, although it means nothing. We remained long enough to see Cecil Reid lead the way and finish first in the mile, and Richbourg dash ahead in the 40. We also stayed long enough to see that Dr. Wofford E. Harp did not cause a riot with his pistol, which he slung over his shoulder as if it was a sack of meal, or potatoes maybe.

Simpson, Deiker, Cobb and Brothers and Company, dealers in relay races, added more trophies to the already heavily loaded San Angelo high school medal department, Friday, when Smokey Brothers led his cohorts to the mile and a half relay honors. Bill Bissett's track aspirants repeated their 1930 performance, although they did not equal the record they hung up last year. It looks like a very tough spring for any other state relay team, except, of course, the San Angelo entry. These West Texans are hard to conquer. If you don't believe it ask quietists around these parts who met Bill Stevens' quintet last year. If you don't believe it then, we can refer you to Bissett. Bissett will do the informing in very terse terms.

Lloyd Gerzery of the Houston Post Dispatch, tells his customers that the Knute Rockne backfield of 1931 is intact and ready for battle. The "Fighting Irish" will be composed of Laurie Vejar, a Mexican, quarterback; Nick Lukats, a Greek, halfback; Marchmont Schwartz, a Jew, halfback; and Hantley, there's the Irish part of it, an Irishman, at fullback. And they still insist on referring to them as All-Americans.

Speaking of Notre Dame, figures on spring training are interesting. When calls were sounded in the leading camp, between 40 and 50 turned out at Harvard. Yale had between 60 and 70 ready for the spring workout. That's lots of football players. When the bugle blasted at South Bend, just a mere handful of 30 players snapped in to action—20 football teams. And they wonder why it is that every year a certain fellow named Rockne dashes to the front with winning grid aggregations.

Grantland Rice informs that the trouble with the average golfer is that his body gets in the way of his hands and arms. Instead of working with them, this, says Rice, is largely due to the tension that locks up most of the hinges which should be allowed to work smoothly and freely, without being tied into knots. We knew something was getting in way of our drives, but we thought it were the bushes and trees off to the right; and off to the left.

It has been brought out that the unique name of Sand Bell Golf Association was suggested by L. Coffey, one of the dufters, we believe, of the local country club. Even Coffey admits it's rather a drab name, but defies anyone to suggest a better. The deft can be accepted at will. Personally, we still contend there is nothing in a name but a flock of vowels and consonants.

And, today being Sunday, it is possible that even this department

## Marquette Man Saves Medley Relay

### Tom Warne, Northwestern, Fails To Repeat Brilliant Showing

HOUSTON, Texas, March 28 (AP)—Seven records, four for individuals' performance, fell today in the fifth running of the Rice Institute relays. Five were in the university class, one in the college class and one in the junior college division.

Among the outstanding events were the failure of Tom Warne, Northwestern pole vaulter star, to come back after his defeat yesterday in the Texas-University relay at Austin, and the brilliant finish of J. Walter, anchor man for the Marquette medley relay team, to save his team from defeat by Oklahoma University.

Warne, who held the Texas relay record of 13 feet, 8 1/2 inches in the pole vault tied with four other men, all supposedly inferior, in the Rice meet.

J. Walter pulled the fat out of the fire for fair in the medley. Seventy-five yards to go, a great burst of speed drew Walter abreast. He called by and hit the tape two feet ahead the time, however, was only 10:59.5, almost nine seconds behind the Austin time.

Hugh Rhea, stocky Nebraska football player, dropped record No. 1. He heaved the shot 56 feet, 10 inches—four feet, nine inches better than the old record, established in 1927.

John Hase of Minnesota bettered the 1928 record of Claude Bracey of Rice, in the 100-yard dash, tearing it off in 9.6, extraordinarily good time, considering the hostile wind.

The high jump record was third to fall. Strong of the Southwestern State Teachers of Oklahoma knocked it down, reaching 6 feet, 3 1/4 inches.

Herman of Southern Methodist beat the existing mark in the javelin throw by a scant inch and a half. His throw was 188 feet 7 1/2 inches.

Rice Institute got a little something for racing the show by setting a new record of 3:20 in the one mile relay. Dick Jamerson, a fast football back of last fall, anchored the institute four in downing the Texas A. and M. record of 3:21, set up in 1928.

In the college class, the medley relay record was improved upon by two flat seconds by Abilene Textile Christian. The Christians made it in 3:14.

The junior college assault on the books was successful in the mile relay, the new time, 3:29.7, being made by John Tarleton of Stephenville, Texas.

## TWO PER CENT OF STATE SEE BASKETBALL GAME

LARAMIE, Wyo. (INS)—Wyoming university Cowboy basketballers recently played before approximately two per cent of the population of the entire state, thereby establishing what cowboy fans believe to be a record of some sort.

The game which the Cowboys played with Colorado Teachers college attracted 4,294 fans. According to the 1930 census Wyoming has a total population of 224,567.

The Ohio State archaeological museum has on display an automobile built in 1884, some 14 years before autos came into general use.

Mt. Riga, a Texas Holstein, produced 16,984 pounds of milk and 643.6 pounds of butter fat in a 365-day period.

will go out and dig in the sand and get a little under the belt. We've found that Sunday without golf is very much like coffee without cream, liver without onions, Pat without Mike, ham without eggs, if the comparisons are allowed.

So relieved was the net star that he forgot his influenza and returned to basketball practice.

## Big Spring - The City of West Texas

When every citizen realizes that every other citizen's welfare and prosperity has such a bearing on his own, hopes for success, to the extent that his first thought is for the greater security of his neighbor's position, then we are justified in heralding Big Spring as the City of West Texas.

It is surely in the cards. Every Big Spring citizen has his part to play. We need no knockers—we can make it without boosters—we must have intelligent and consistent workers.

Support the things that support your neighbor and you'll find your neighbor supporting you.

The enterprise that would work your neighbor for less than enough for a mere existence, and the concern, small or large, which, through ignorance or malicious intent, would offer you gasoline at prices ruinous and below the level that begets bankruptcy, means no good to your neighbor, and therein is a threat to the security of your own position.

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## 24 GIRLS ARE AWARDED HONORS

DALLAS, Texas, March 28 (AP)—Twenty-four basketball players who participated in the fourth annual Girls' National Amateur Athletic Union tournament here this week were awarded all-national medals tonight by a committee of sports writers and tournament officials who were appointed to select the tournament's outstanding players. The twenty-four selected will compose the honor roll of the tournament, no first and second teams being named. Forwards selected included:

Captain Babe Haden, Dallas Sunoco Oilers; Dell Harris, Durant, Oklahoma; Homalee McGehee, Chicago, Texas; Sunshine Kenny, Minnig, Texas; and D. Fiford, Cisco, Texas.

Guards selected included: Leon Thaxton, Las Animas, Colorado; Pat Patterson, Cisco, Texas; Doty Marine, Minnig, Texas; and Juanita Faulk, Durant, Oklahoma.

Each player was awarded a gold all-national hat pin with a basketball inscribed.

## Funeral for Johnson To Be Held Wednesday at Indiana

By CHARLES DUNKLEY, Associated Press Sports Writer  
CHICAGO, March 28 (AP)—Two of baseball's greatest leaders, Byron Bancroft Johnson and Ernest Sargent Barnard, have marched on to eternity within less than 18 hours of each other.

The end of the trail came at last for these powerful forces of the American League by a dramatic coincidence between the hours of darkness last night and shortly after dawn today.

Barnard, president of the league, succumbed unexpectedly at 4:59 o'clock yesterday afternoon in a hospital at Rochester, Minn.; Johnson, founder of the organization, passed on at 8:10 a. m. in a St. Louis hospital today, just as a newsboy in St. Louis shouted news of the death of the man who had succeeded him as president of the American League.

## Uniform Rules Urged By BB Officials

BY GAYLE TALBOT JR., Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK, March 28 (AP)—An urgent appeal to the rules committee to devise some means to assure uniform officiating throughout the country was voiced today by the National Association of Basketball Coaches at its final session.

After prolonged debate, during which the cast accused the west of sponsoring rough play and the east declared the east had originated the "block," it was decided to pass the book to the rules body at its meeting here next month.

It was suggested, among other things, that the rules committee get out a moving picture of a model basketball game to be shown to coaches, officials and players in every section. Another scheme called for manufacturers of sporting goods to send a crack set of officials throughout the land to lecture and demonstrate the proper method of calling a game.

Coach A. A. Schabner of Creighton University was unanimously elected president of the association for the next year. Vice presidents named were H. G. Olsen, Ohio State; Roy Mundorf, Georgia Tech; H. B. Ortaer, Cornell; and A. C. Lomborg, Northwestern.

The rules committee also was petitioned to do something toward defining the legitimate "block," such as placing diagrams in the next rule book, to show what constitutes a legal play of that kind. The assembled members were almost unanimous in condemning the "block."

## BELIEVES GOOD SINFU CURED HIS INFLUENZA

MUNCIE, Ind., March 26 (INS)—Eddie (Strings) Harper, star center for the Ball Teachers' College basketball team, believes that a good scare is a cure for influenza.

Harper was headed for his bed to overcome the "flu" when he saw a crowd at a filling station where his brother is employed. Fearing that his brother had been wounded or killed by a bandit, Harper rushed to the station to learn that the brother had shot a robber.

So relieved was the net star that he forgot his influenza and returned to basketball practice.

## Six Schools Will Compete Here In Track And Field Engagement

Six schools in this section will compete in a track and field meet to be held here Friday afternoon, it was announced Saturday by Bill Stevens, coach.

Midland, Stanton, Roscoe, Colorado, and Lamesa will be the guest teams, with Big Spring the host club. The events will be held at Steer Stadium, beginning at 3 o'clock.

## Two of Baseball's Greatest Leaders Are Claimed by Death in Short Time

The faithful will find out Monday night just how good this young Stanley Poreda is and what menace he holds for the veterans of the heavyweight division.

For more than a year now Poreda, husky, finely muscled young warrior from Jersey City, N. J., has been fighting preliminaries and semi-finals in Madison Square Garden. Regularly he has been belting out the smaller fry of the heavyweights.

Monday night he tackles his first big league opposition, rubbery Johnny Risko, the Cleveland veteran, in his first bout at the garden.

If he can batter the baker boy around, a stiff assignment for any youngster, the way is clear to an important role in the outdoor program.

Poreda has been brought along for months has been meeting opposition far below his own ability. He is a clever youngster, cool under fire, and can punch with either hand. He scales around 190 pounds. The experts consider him the best of the youthful crop. A certain future title contender if rated gradually.

The garden has scaled its ticket price down to the level of the golden glove fees and for the first time in the history of the famous arena top price for ringside seats will be \$3 for a major show.

## Poreda - Risko Bout Set Monday

ROCHESTER, N. Y. (INS)—There is an English for motorist violators of traffic laws, but there is an entirely different English for Rochester school boys. These city policemen are now going to school here, learning how to talk to the boys.

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## RITES ARRANGED

ST. LOUIS, March 28 (AP)—The body of Byron Bancroft Johnson, 67, founder of the American League and its president 27 years, lay in state here tonight, preparatory to its removal to Spencer, Ind., where funeral services will be held Wednesday.

Although his death was expected for weeks, Johnson's rugged constitution fought off the combined attacks of diabetes and infection and he survived by 16 hours, President Ernest S. Barnard, of the American League, Johnson's successor in office, who died late yesterday.

Johnson had been in ill health since his retirement as president of the American League in 1927. "A month ago an operation was

performed, surgeons removing a toe because of infection. Later they told him it would be necessary to remove his right leg but he refused to submit and the infection spread into the left leg.

The body will be placed in a \$25,000 mausoleum in Spencer, Johnson built there several years ago.

Tributes from friends and acquaintances of the former czar of baseball, began arriving today from over the country. His widow, Mrs. Jennie Johnson, was en route to St. Louis tonight from her home in Spencer, Ind.

With Johnson, who died this morning, were his physician, Dr. Robert Hyland, and a nurse.

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## Local Golfers Meet Lamesa April 12

### Scheduled for Sand Bell Association Matches Is Drawn

The Big Spring Country Club golf team will open the season of the Sand Bell Golf Association with Lamesa, April 12, according to a schedule drawn by Bob Scott of Colorado, secretary of the league.

The schedule calls for each club playing two games with each team during the summer months.

The complete schedule follows:

April 12  
Midland at Texon; Snyder at Colorado; Big Spring at Lamesa.

April 26  
Midland at Big Spring; Colorado at Texon; Lamesa at Snyder.

May 3  
Colorado at Midland; Texon at Lamesa; Big Spring at Snyder.

May 17  
Snyder at Midland; Texon at Big Spring; Lamesa at Colorado.

May 20-24  
West Texas championship play at Lubbock.

June 14  
Big Spring at Colorado; Midland at Lamesa; Snyder at Texon.

June 28  
Texon at Midland; Colorado at Snyder; Lamesa at Big Spring.

July 12  
Big Spring at Midland; Texon at Colorado; Snyder at Lamesa.

July 24  
Midland at Colorado; Lamesa at Texon; Snyder at Big Spring.

August 9  
Midland at Snyder; Big Spring at Texon; Colorado at Lamesa.

August 23  
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## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends who were so kind to us at the time of the death of our husband and father. We appreciated very much the services of the Masonic lodge, and the floral offerings from these friends.

Mrs. S. P. Echols and Family.

Travea Wamer, cousin of Paul and Lloyd Wamer, big league ball player, is an independent basketball star in Oklahoma.

St. Louis university's basketball squad won 13 out of 19 games during the past season.

## BOWLING NEWS

All Weather Tire Co.

Ellis	108-124-138	370
Bobett	191-111-145	347
Long	124-147-179	443
Jones	213-147-181	539
Cassey	139-122-157	417
Total		2118

Crawford Cleaners

Utt	146-127-143	426
Hall	164-188-190	529
Rutherford	162-194-173	502
Searcy	135-145-163	443
Polack	136-166-133	435
Total		2335

## Turnesa Falls Before Cox In Tilt

BY DILLON GRAHAM, Associated Press Sports Writer  
PINEBLUFF, N. C., March 28 (AP)—Willard (Wiffy) Cox, Brooklynn, today won the 29th annual north and south 72-hole open golf championship by downing Joe Turnesa, Elmsford, N. Y., in a playoff after the pair had finished the regular stretch tied at 288.

It was the first big victory Cox ever had scored. Just a month ago Cox and Turnesa tied for first place in the Jacksonville, Fla., open but did not play off for the title. Cox also paired with Willie McFarlane to win the international four-ball event at Miami a week ago.

Wiffy, two strokes out of the lead after 34 holes of play, shot fine and steady golf today for a 71 which allowed him to overtake Turnesa, leader at 36 and 54 holes, as Joe required a 73 today.

First Tie

Today's result marked the first time in the long history of this event that the play had ended in a deadlock. The victors decided to play nine holes for the title, and split the first and second prize money totaling \$2,500.

The leaders' scores and money prizes included:

Bobby Cruikshank, Purchase, N. Y., 72-74-75-71—289—\$675.

Billy Burke, Greenwich, Conn., 74-71-72-72—289—\$675.

John Golden, Noroton, Conn., 72-72-74—290—\$450.

Willie McFarlane, Tuckahoe, N. Y., 75-74-71-71—291—\$300.

Eddie Williams, Cleveland, 70-74-73-71—293—\$250.

Harry Cooper, Chicago—74-73-74—294—\$183.33.

Tommy Armour, Detroit, 71-76-74-73—294—\$183.33.

Henry Cull, Bridgeport, Conn., 74-73-72-75—294—\$183.33.

More than half the asparagus grown in the United States comes from California, with half the crop sold fresh and the remainder to canneries.

## Coahoma Boy Takes High Honors

### Ledbetter of Lomax School In County Track and Field Meet

Coahoma won the Class B division, beating Foran, with 53 1-2, to capture the honors in Class B.

Lomax easily beat out R-Bar for the laurels in the rural division.

In the junior division Big Spring High School youngsters went south with the title with 21 points. Foran was second with 13, and Coahoma third with 11 1-2.

High point honors for the county went to Hall of Coahoma with 14-7-12. Ledbetter of Lomax was second with 13 1-4, while Neal of Coahoma was third with 13.

Yarbo of Foran breezed through in the junior division to take honors with 12. Townsend of Big Spring was second.

Big Spring high school entered the majority of the events and captured a number of first places, but they were not compelled to enter, being the only Class A school in the county.

A small crowd saw the events at Steer Stadium, Saturday morning and afternoon.

Following is list of winners in the two major divisions of the track and field meet:

## RURAL DIVISION

100 Yard Dash—Castle, Lomax, first; 12; Huebly, R-Bar, second; Appleton, Vincent, third; Read, Elbow, fourth.

One Mile Run—Lilly, Lomax, first; 5:10 1-2; Armstrong, Soash, second; Huebly, R-Bar, third.

440 Yard Dash—Woods, Lomax, first; 58; Robinson, R-Bar, second; Colter, Elbow, third; Halcomb, Elbow, fourth.

120 yard high hurdles—Hull, R-Bar, first.

880 yard run—Lomax of Lomax, first; 2:24; Bond, R-Bar, second.

220 yard dash—Miller, R-Bar, first; 24; Williams, Lomax, second.

Discus Throw—Robinson, R-Bar, first; 83; Read, Elbow, second; 65; Wood, Lomax, third; 57.

230 yard low hurdles—Ledbetter, Lomax, first; 30; McGinnis, Lomax, second; Miller, R-Bar, third; Bond, R-Bar, fourth.

Shot Put—Robinson, R-Bar, first; 31.7; Read, Elbow, second; 31.4; Wood, Lomax, and R. Miller, R-Bar, tied for third.

Javelin Throw—Read, Elbow, first; 129.11; Hull, R-Bar, second; 120; McGinnis, Lomax, third; Miller, R-Bar, fourth.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Lost and Found**

LOST between Big Spring and Lamesa on March 25: black leather hat box filled with baby clothes. Finder please notify J. K. Woolsey, Tahoka, Texas.

**Public Notices**

LAUNDRY wanted: manufacturer guaranteed, 100% Scurry, Ph. 1354.

PHONE 123, and let us do your laundry. Rough dry, with flat work finished, 55¢. Quits and blankets, 45¢. 1-day service. Mack Eley, 509 State.

**Business Services**

Transfer, Storage, Packing and Shipping of Household goods and merchandise. Rix Transfer & Storage Co., Phone 190 day, 193 night.

**Woman's Column**

HOUSE MENDING Let Us Mend This Run MRS. LEVERETT United Dry Goods Co.

SPECIAL—Permanent wave for every one; \$4.50; Henna Pack \$1.50; Finger Wave 35c; Marcel 50c; Phone 1370—Mrs. Rich Beauty Shop, 1024 Secus.

MODERN BEAUTY SHOPPE 217 1-2 Main St. (uptown) PHONE 1044

GUARANTEED—Crescentine Permanent \$4.50; Henna Pack \$1.50; Finger Wave 35c; Marcel 50c; Phone 1370—Mrs. Rich Beauty Shop, 1024 Secus.

HEMSTITCHING Dressmaking; alterations. Moseley Beauty Shop, Phone 666, Petroleum Building.

DRESSMAKING SPECIAL on house dresses \$1; silk \$4; also remodeling; work guaranteed. See Mrs. Owen, 603 Runnels; phone 128.

**ATTENTION!** Practical Nurses! The offer of your services in this "Woman's Column" will cost you but \$1 a line for a month. Two lines will tell where you can be located. Positions will be filled. Let the Herald Classified Dept. tell you more of the monthly rate.

**EMPLOYMENT** Empty W'rd-F'male 12

COMPETENT lady desires position: experienced in bookkeeping; cashiering; clerking and general office work; give references. Call 741 after 1 P. M.

A CAPABLE lady desiring work can give good references; call 774-W.

**FINANCIAL** Money to Loan 14

PROMPT AUTO LOANS We pay off immediately—your payments are made at this office. COLLINS & GARRETT LOANS AND INSURANCE 123 E. Second Phone 562

QUICK AUTO LOANS PAYMENTS REDUCED M. N. MIENER PHONE 29 218-A MAIN

**FOR SALE** Household Goods 16

UPHOLSTERING, REFINISHING AND REPAIRING We have stoves and furniture on all work. West Furniture Co., Phone 1094

ELECTRIC range, at a bargain. Call 1023.

USED washing machines are always wanted by SOMEONE. A classified ad for three days will only cost 80 cents. Capture first CASH prize by offering it for sale this week!

**FOR SALE**

**Livestock & Pets 20**

GIVE children real live rabbits for Easter; several colors; \$1 each. See them at 801 Lancaster or at Healy-Belly store, Phone 786.

**Miscellaneous 23**

SEEDS AND PLANTS FOR SALE: A good supply of black-eyed peas; 1-2 and 2-year blackberry plants and trees now ready. Later: cabbage; tomatoes; peppers; sweet potatoes and blooming pot plants. Office: sales yard; green house; barbecue and sandwich stand in our new location: 503 E. 3rd St.; phone 1225. Ross Nurseries.

DIAMOND ring, \$250 value; will sacrifice for \$100. Call M. Hubbard at 799 or see owner at Healy-Belly.

**RENTALS**

**Apartments 26**

TWO-room furnished house on Main St. three room apartment on Nolan; two-room apartment on Main. Harvey L. Rix, Phone 260 or 124.

ONE, two- and 3-room apartments; private bath; light, gas; special rates weekly. Call and see them. Camp Colman, new management. Phone 51. E. P. Howard, Mgr.

TWO- and 3-room furnished apartments; everything paid; rent reasonable. 124 Scurry St.

BREAKFAST nook, kitchenette, bath and bedroom apartment; comfortably furnished; \$5 week; \$11 bills paid; garage. Phone 1022 or 1023-J.

APARTMENT for rent call at 1011 Johnson St.

3-room furnished apartment in Washington. Place rent reasonable; call Miss Pittman 1218 or 1227.

3-room nicely furnished apartment; all bills paid; to couple only. 214 Runnels; phone 601.

APARTMENT—at Crawford Hotel. Apply at hotel.

MODERN 2-room furnished apartment; garage; 607 E. 13th. Phone 1346.

TWO-room apartment. Apply 507 N. Lancaster.

TWO nicely furnished apartments; 206 W. 6th St. Phone 230.

FURNISHED apartment; 1406 Johnson St. W. A. Reynolds, phone 1193-J.

FURNISHED apartment for two young women; 306 West 5th St.; phone 251. Miss Verberna, Harney.

TWO unfurnished apartments; close in; newly papered and painted throughout; to be vacant April 1; rates reasonable; located 418 Gregg. Apply 305 West 5th St., phone 331. Miss Verberna, Harney.

THREE-room furnished apartment; modern; garage. 794 E. 15th.

TWO-room furnished apartment; private bath; nicely furnished; all utilities paid; \$30 per month. 1507 S. Main.

FOUR-room furnished apartment, \$22.50; 4-room furnished apartment, \$18.50; 1-room furnished apartment, \$12. Light and water furnished. 403 Abraham, Ph. 922.

TWO-room nicely furnished apartment; with private bath; hot and cold water; garage; close in; to couple only. Mrs. Seth Pike; 505 Gollard St.

TWO or three room furnished apartment; walking distance of business district; near Ward School; garage included; call at 804 Lancaster.

ATTRACTIVE and homey apartment; with garage; newly decorated; close in; quiet; close in; with all utilities paid; for couple only, call 410 Johnson.

UNFURNISHED apartment two rooms and bath at 307 1-2 W. 4th. Call 538.

NICE clean bedrooms; hot and cold water; close in; quiet; gentlemanly only. 411 Runnels St.

TWO nicely furnished bedrooms; adjoining bath; hot and cold water; gas heat; 511 Gregg St. Phone 236.

SOUTH-EAST bedroom; close in; modern; garage; good location. Phone 544-J.

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**Rooms & Board 29**

NICE cool bedroom; breakfast and evening meal if desired; suitable for one or two gentlemen. Mrs. Timmons, 413 E. Park. Phone 1053-W.

BOARD and room for two gentlemen; close in; modern conveniences. \$8 per week. Apply 608 Bell St.

ROOM and board \$8.50 week including laundry, free; also have room for month; table boarders; 3 meals day \$6 week; 3 meals day, \$4.50 week. Mrs. Leonard Peters, 946 Gregg. Phone 1091-W.

**Houses 30**

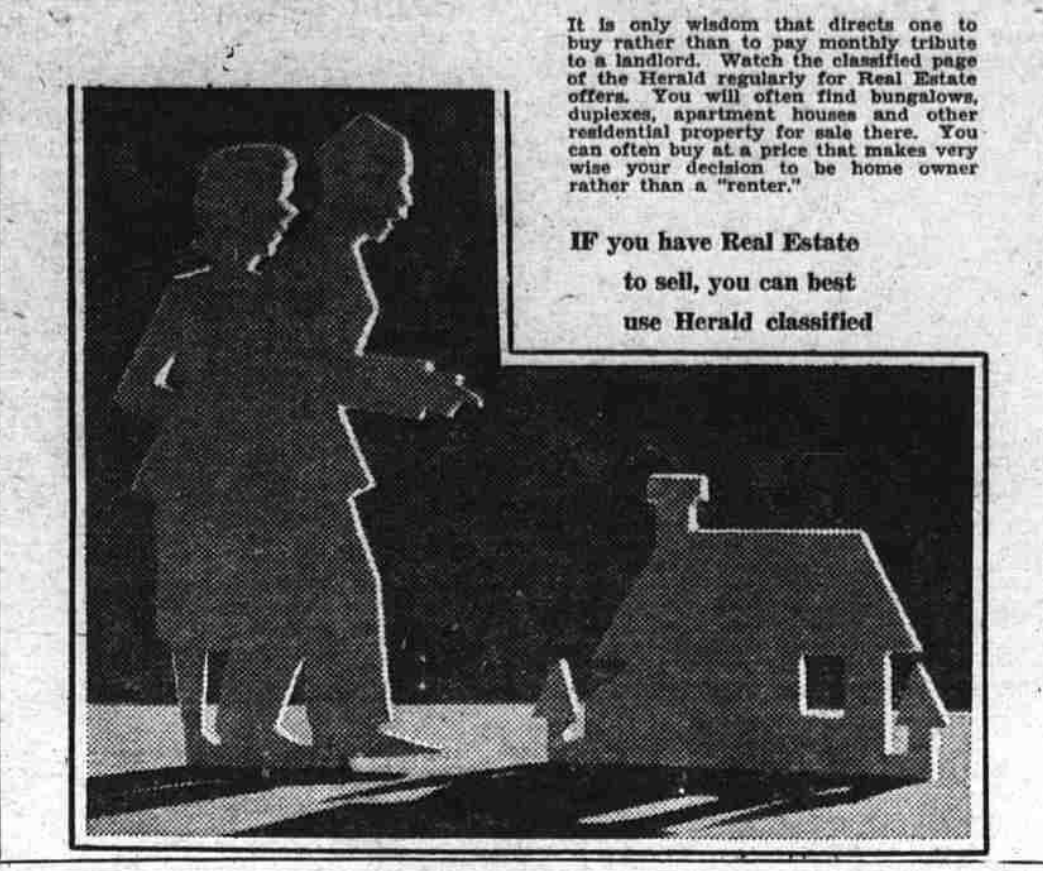
PUR-bungalow; modern; rent reasonable; 3 rms; garage; H.G. Carson, 307 N. W. 8th, Gvt. Bldg.

MODERN 4-room house; bath, sleeping porch, garage. 800 Secus.

FIVE-room house; modern conveniences; near West Ward school. Apply 504 Runnels. Phone 402.

UNFURNISHED 5-room house; practically new; bath and garage; close in; rent reasonable to permanent party; apply at 508 Nolan St.

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**RENTALS**

FURNISHED or unfurnished duplex. Phone 167.

UNFURNISHED duplex; three big rooms and breakfast nook; at 1605 Main; \$25 month, phone 578.

ONE-HALF modern duplex, unfurnished; 4 rooms and bath; convenient to business district and school. Located 606 Bell. Apply 611 Arford or phone 558.

UNFURNISHED 4-room duplex; every modern convenience; close in. Phone 154-W.

**RENTALS**

31; Rich, Coahoma, second, 28.10. Javelin Throw—Neal, Coahoma, first, 140.11; Moody, Foran, second, 120.3; Scuddy, Foran, third, 111.6.

Pole Vault—Hayworth, Coahoma, first, 9; Roberts, Foran, second; Smith, Foran, third.

Broad Jump—Hall, Coahoma, first, 17.5; Neal, Coahoma, second, 16.30; Moody, Foran, third, 16.14; Rich, Coahoma, fourth, 16.1.

High Jump—Hall, Coahoma and Roberts, Foran, tied for first with 4 feet; Wilson, Foran, third; Smith, Foran, fourth.

Shot Put—Neal, Coahoma, first, 49; Foran, second.

**REAL ESTATE**

**Houses for Sale 36**

Think Of The Price! Think Of The Location!

TELL them both... along with other details... in your classified ad. White space in your advertisement and a neat line of lawyer type will help distinguish your ad. Where in your Real Estate? Let the Herald help you sell it.

**BARGAIN**

SIX-room house; close in; clear; gas; lights; bath; for \$1750 cash; write or phone Woodham Auto Service, Odessa, Texas.

**AUTOMOTIVE**

**Used Cars 44**

USED CAR EXCHANGE Marvin Hill, 423 E. 3rd Will buy cash for Make A Ford and Chevrolet's

**AUTOMOBILE LOANS**

For advertisements of concerns who will loan money on cars, see "FINANCIAL" classified ads.

**Coahoma**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 8) ler, R-Bar, fourth.

Folt Vault—Ledbetter, Lomax, first, 9; Daniels, Moore, second; Hull, R-Bar, third; McGinnis, Lomax, fourth.

Broad Jump—Ledbetter, Lomax, first, 18.11; McGinnis, Lomax, second, 17.30; Reed, Elbow, third, 15.8 1-2; Halcombe, Elbow, fourth, 15.4.

High Jump—McGinnis, Lomax, first, 5; Huckaby, R-Bar, second. Relay (one mile)—Lomax, first. Fairview, second; Elbow, third; R-Bar, fourth.

CLASS B 100 yard dash—Hall, Coahoma, first; Woodson, Coahoma, second; Scuddy, Foran, third; Forch, Midway, fourth.

One Mile Run—Epper, Coahoma, first; Smith, Foran, second; 440 Yard Dash—Hall, Coahoma, first; Martin, Coahoma, second; Moody, Foran, third; Scuddy, Foran, fourth.

150 Yard High Hurdles—Wilson, Foran, first; Smith, Foran, second.

850 Yard Run—Rich, Coahoma, first.

220 Yard Dash—Martin, Coahoma, first; Scuddy, Foran, Woodson, Coahoma, tied for second.

Discus Throw—Neal, Coahoma, first, 74.7; Roberts, Foran, second, 66.6; Rich, Coahoma, third, 64.8.

220 Yard High Hurdles—Scuddy, Foran, first; Wilson, Foran, second; Smith, Foran, third.

Shot Put—Neal, Coahoma, first,

**Gray County Votes Bonds**

\$2,250,000 Issue Will Finance 75 Miles; Vote 1482-454

PAMPA, March 28. (AP)—Gray county today voted a \$2,250,000 paving bond issue for hard-surfacing state and federal highways and the principal county roads. Incomplete returns showed a majority for the bonds of 1,482 to 454.

The bonds will absorb a \$627,000 indebtedness of two precincts. Concrete will be used on more than 75 miles of state and federal roads and asphalt and crushed rock on other roads. Work was expected to be expedited in order to give employment to men now idle.

An election set for April 4 in this precinct for a \$1,600,000 issue will not be held. It was planned before the county-wide plan was made.

**Commission**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) jected to criticism. But, I believe the people of Big Spring are as anxious to cooperate with their commissioners for promotion of their mutual interests as those of any city in the country. To serve the public, rich and poor alike, will be my sole aim. When I have done that I will have performed the service the office of city commissioner makes possible and the desire to serve, in my opinion, is the only sound reason why one should seek election to this particular office.

**School**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) ond. Class B—Coahoma, first; Foran, second.

Muscle Memory Lomax, first; R-Bar, second.

Picture Memory Vincent, Lomax, R-Bar, Foran, Big Spring Junior High, tied for first.

Arithmetic Rural: Coahoma, county, Big Spring Junior High, county, individual, Big Spring Junior high.

Tennis County—Doubles (boys), Coahoma, first; R-Bar, second; Foran, third.

Doubles (girls) Foran, first; R-Bar, second; Lomax, third.

Singles—Coahoma, first; R-Bar, second; Lomax, third.

Singles (girls)—Coahoma, first; R-Bar, second; Foran, third.

**Highway**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) dent occurred. He is survived by his widow and one daughter. The family resided at 704 East Fourteenth street. Mr. Carlin operated a ranch near Ackerly.

The body arrived from Weatherford at 9:15 p. m. last night and was taken in charge by the Charles Eberly Funeral Home.

Thornton Crews, minister of the

**Five**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) children made to avert freezing. Wrestling and boxing matches were held to keep the boys warm, while the girls were given articles of clothing. Bryan's brother, Orlo, froze late yesterday afternoon, and a short time later Bryan, utterly exhausted, lay down with the rest, and went to sleep.

"I gave Orlo what clothes I had left," said Bryan, "and all I had left was my underwear. I could hardly move, I was so cold, and pretty soon I had to pile up with the rest of the kids. The next I remember was waking up today by the stove at Mr. Rheinhetz's."

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403 Petroleum Bldg. PHONE 366

**WRECKED?**

Fast Road Service! PHONE 718 Big Spring Neah Co. 1805 W. 3rd

**DR. BRITTIIE S. COX Chiropractor**

Rooms 2 and 4 First National Bank Bldg. Office Phone 437 Res. Phone 1294

**Oily Wreckage of Ship Found After Mysterious SOS**

NEW YORK, March 28. (AP)—Wreckage floating on an oily patch in the Atlantic Ocean 35 miles off Atlantic City late today led government officials to hope for definite information about mysterious SOS message they earlier thought to be a rum runner's fake.

Just as coast guards had decided their mission of "rescue" was due to be a blind so a cargo of liquor could be landed, the coast guard patrol Sebago radioed having found the wreckage and the oil can.

There was a heavy layer of oil, such as a foundering ship might leave on the water, and many bits of debris that might have been cargo.

The spot was in the general location given in the rather vague distress signal before dawn.

The wreckage included more than 100 lanterns with red glass and green bases and with "L. A. Co." painted on their sides, and many bits of several barrels labeled "A.C.L. Crystals—Lot 137," several boxes of paper drinking cups and quantities of brooms, spurs and wick-ages.

All these articles were found floating about in the oily area and the fact they were still so close together indicated they had not been there long.

The messages started at 12:30 a. m. and ceased at 2:06 a. m.—the last word from the air being an ironic "leaving now. Goodby."

**Seattle Millionaire And Woman Acquitted In His Wife's Death**

HILLSBORO, Ore., March 28. (AP)—Nelson C. Bowles, and Miss Irma Loucks were acquitted late today of the murder of Bowles' wife, Mrs. Leone Bowles, prominent Portland society matron.

The jury was out but one hour and ten minutes.

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF The West Texas National Bank OF BIG SPRING, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 25TH, 1931**

Loans and discounts	741,800.72	Overdrafts	570.67
United States Government securities owned	50,000.00	Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	78,850.00
Banking house, \$50,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$15,000.00	65,000.00	Real estate owned other than banking house	38,028.54
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	76,216.11	Cash and due from banks	193,255.32
Cash and due from banks	193,255.32	Outside checks and other cash items	3,890.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,800.00	Other assets	544.34
Total	\$1,228,465.70	LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	50,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits—net	49,261.33	Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to banks, including certificates and cashiers' checks outstanding	6,335.59	Demand deposits	1,031,848.78
Total	\$1,228,465.70		

State of Texas, County of Howard, ss: I, R. V. Middleton, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. V. Middleton, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of March, 1931. MARIE FAUBION, Notary Public.

**The State National Bank OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS**

STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS REPORTED TO THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 25TH, 1931

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts	Capital Stock
Commercial Paper	Surplus Earned
U. S. Bonds and Certificates	Undivided Profits
Other Bonds and Warrants	Borrowed Money
Other Real Estate	Circulation
Banking House & Fixtures	Federal Reserve Bank Stock
5 per cent Redemption Fund	Cotton Acceptances
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	CASH
2,800.00	
968.84	
287,514.02	
\$1,228,235.62	\$1,228,235.62

**For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With Us**

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## 1931 STYLES ... MATERIALS ... TAILORING

Cutting the New  
Low 1931 Prices  
On New Spring Suits

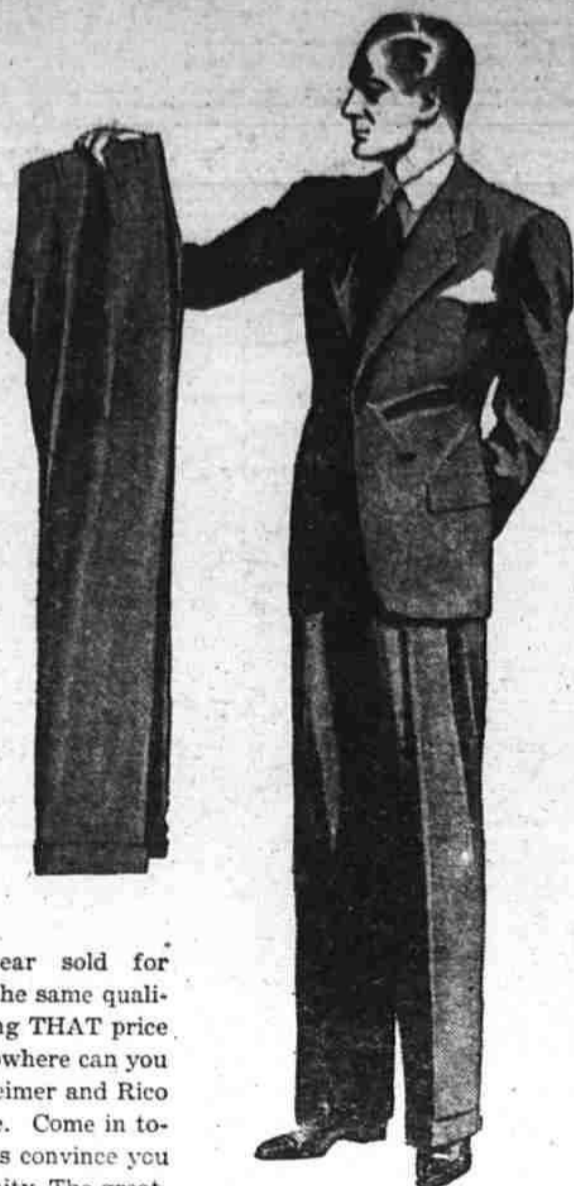
### TWO PANTS SPRING SUITS

\$35 to \$45 values

# \$29.50

\$50 to \$55 \$62.50 to \$79.50

# \$42.50 \$47.50



A suit of the same quality, last year sold for \$41.50, the new low 1931 price on the same quality is \$35.00 NOW! We are lowering THAT price on spring light weight woollens. Nowhere can you find such high quality as Kuppenheimer and Rico Rochester Suits at such a low price. Come in tomorrow. Let the values themselves convince you of this remarkable buying opportunity. The greatest comparable values in ten years.

# Albert M. Fisher Co.

Phone 400

We Deliver

## Books

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feel exactly as he does about it, here are his two best paragraphs: "One can of course say (to the inquiring Easterner) the usual things: Turquoise skies, far horizon, vast reaches of level mesas, wide valleys and rolling hills—blue-veiled mountains with tinted peaks, gray granite crags and purple-shadowed canyons—flaming wonder of the sunset, still mystery of the star-crowded night, gentle majesty of the morning, golden glory of the sun-filled day. But when all this is said there is something more which cannot be told but is only to be felt as one feels a 'still small voice' speaking without words in the hidden depths of one's soul.

"Least of all can one describe the desert in blossom time. I have seen an almost unbroken carpet of living color—an infinite variety of shade and hue—extending as far as the eye could reach. I have seen the foot hills, thirty miles away, turned to solid gold by wild poppies. I have counted, in a space four feet square, fourteen varieties of wild flowers. I have seen the desert when one could not put foot to the ground without crushing a blossom."

All of this does not entirely apply to our part of the country, but if we are kin at all to any other section it is to this one described above. Living so closely on the edge of the Southwest we have never been sufficiently willing to forego the east and yield entire allegiance to the west as New Mexicans and Arizonians do.

Yet Texas has all of these castles and desert glories except the Joshua tree. Even the rare blue palo verde (in English green stick) grows in the Rio Grande region.

The book can not be said to be a very informative book. A single article with the facts it presents:

stripped of the sentimentalities and innumerable adjectives that clutter the pages, would be just as worthwhile. But since there are so few books about the cactus, one cannot ask too much.

If one prefers one's west served with sugar this book would make satisfactory reading. Karl Wilson Baker "Dreamers on Horseback," a volume of collected verse by Karl Wilson Baker, will be published April 10 by the Southwest Press of Dallas. This collection will include, not only most of the poems in the author's "Blue Smoke" (now out of print) and "Burning Bush" but many poems which have never been published in book form.

Never cheaply sensational, Mrs. Baker has long been recognized by discriminating readers as one of the authentic poetic talents in America. Her work lies soundly in the main tradition of English poetry. But within that tradition her range is happily wide—from the flash of sudden wit to the hushed loveliness of a true lyric inspiration. On the one hand she can write:

Some Fellow Poets  
I love to see them sitting solemnly  
Holding their souls like watches to  
their ears,  
And shouting every time they tick.

"A Poem."  
And again:  
Beauty's Hands Are Cool  
Beauty's hands are cool:  
They fall on fevered clay  
'nd mute the sob half uttered  
'nto listening breath:  
Beauty's hands are cool  
As a crab-apple spray,  
And Beauty cares no more for  
tears  
Than Death.

Come thou before her  
Shriven of thy sighs,  
Lay aside thy tumults  
Like a tattered dress:  
Beauty's hands are cool  
's her quiet eyes—  
She will not dim her lucid peace  
With bitterness.

## Taylor

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China, to the east of the Asiatic countries under the Moslem banner. Up the ancient highway, the only road into China from the West, and the oldest highway known to man, they are gradually pushing. Mail from those regions is censored and the latest reports to Dr. and Mrs. Taylor tell of rebellions fostered by the Moslems. Yet the work is going on. Among the missionaries on these outposts are three elderly women who travel across parts of the Gobi desert, to and fro from one station to another, unafraid, and working to the end.

The recent conversion of the president of China, Gen. Chiang Kai-shek, to the protestant church has been a great help to this mission. He married a Chinese girl educated in Wesleyan College, in Macon, Ga., and he voluntarily went to the Southern Methodist mission and asked for baptism.

To Speak Three Times  
Dr. and Mrs. Taylor will speak three times today. Dr. Taylor will talk at the Presbyterian Church at the morning service. Mrs. Taylor will speak at 6:30 to the Baptist young people and at 7:30 at the Presbyterian Church.

Tomorrow afternoon they will both talk to the women of the churches of the city at a joint Fourth Baptist Church. All women, and men, who are interested in hearing of the work these famous missionaries are doing are invited to the 3 o'clock service Monday by the members of the East Fourth Baptist Missionary Society.

Miss Martha Edwards and her sister, Mrs. Houston Cowden, left yesterday morning to visit Mrs. Charlie Faucht in Ft. Worth.

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**The FASHION**  
WOMEN'S WEAR  
MAY & JORDAN

KINGSTON, Ont.—Do fish like beer? If not, it's too bad, for they have just dumped 10,000 gallons into the lake at Kingston harbor as part of the liquidation of a brewery.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay—A dog ran from the dogcatcher into a house. The dogcatcher followed. The house harbored four wanted criminals. The dogcatcher got a \$5,000 reward.

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Beautifully engraved, with four simulated emeralds or sapphires, and bracelet to match, 15 jewels.

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- Playground Balls, (D & M) ... 75c and \$1.50
- Baseballs ... 25c to \$2
- Baseball Gloves ... 75c to \$10
- Tennis Racquets ... \$2.50 to \$9
- Tennis Balls ... 50c each
- Boxing Gloves ... \$5.50 to \$6.50
- Roller Skates ... \$2.50
- Daisy Air Rifles ... \$1.50 to \$5

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Douglass Hotel Bldg.  
Settles Hotel Bldg.

**CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS**  
WOMEN'S STYLING EXPERTS

### Religious Census Workers' Meeting To Be Held Today

Rev. D. R. Lindley, director of the religious census for Big Spring, announces a second meeting of the census workers to be held at the First Christian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting will be for the purpose of completing the organization of the ten units. Forty workers met last Tuesday to be used in the census. About night for the initial organization and instructions. At least one hundred workers are expected at the meeting this afternoon, and that many workers will be used in taking the census.

### A. M. Ripps, Injured In Abilene, Returned Home Friday Evening

A. M. Ripps, Texas & Pacific engineer who was injured Wednesday when he fell from the tender of a locomotive in the Abilene yards, was brought to his home here Friday evening, accompanied by Mrs. Ripps.

Mr. Ripps received severe injuries to the right hand and some painful bruises. He will be unable to return to his duties on the road for several weeks.

### BIRTH NOTICE

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wells announce the birth of a daughter at the Big Spring hospital, Friday afternoon.

### Rodgers, Smith & Co.

Certified Public Accountants  
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901 Western Reserve Life Bldg.  
San Antonio, Texas  
San Antonio Fort Worth  
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### Eleven Applications For U. S. Loans Filed

Eleven applications for federal farm loans had been made up to Friday by Howard county farmers, according to Ben G. Carpenter, chairman of the committee. These loans averaged \$211 each, Carpenter declares. The applications were forwarded to the Fort Worth office of the farm loan bureau for approval. Returns are expected within the next few days.

A number of other applications are pending completion of papers, Carpenter declares.

### BIRTH NOTICE

Born, March 27, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hill, a 10-pound son.

### Public Records

Suits Filed in District Court  
Lee Forbes vs Great American Indemnity Co., to set aside award of Industrial Accident Board.  
Grissom-Robertson Stores, Inc. vs Bob Austin et al, damages; transferred from Taylor County.  
Suits Filed in County Court  
Big Spring Pipe and Supply Co. vs J. E. Smith, note and foreclosure.

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