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WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday.

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On the "Broadway of America"

EASTLAND, TEXAS, TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 16, 1929

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MAY TRY ROBERT HILL HERE

7 Convictions Obtained In One Day

TWO MURDER CHARGES TO BE TRIED IN EASTLAND

NUMEROUS BURGLARIES INVOLVED

Ernest Oglesby, Alleged Confederate of O. D. Pruitt, Is Convicted of Three Olden Robberies, Two Eastland Burglaries the Same Night.

Loot, obtained in eight or more burglaries, that was found in a farmhouse a short distance over the line in Stephens county, was told of Monday by officers in the trial of Ernest Oglesby who was asleep in the house in which the loot was found, according to the testimony.

Oglesby was given five years on each of the eight charges of burglary and five years on each of three cases of theft. Eleven lipsticks, five pints of prescription whisky, kodaks, fountain pens, bacon, canned goods and casings were some of the articles taken by the robber gang which swooped down upon Olden and robbed three places after having already broken into two places in Eastland—all in one night. The Texas Drug Store and Castleberry's feed store were the Eastland business houses burglarized. A drug store, filling station and grocery store were broken into at Olden.

Besides these five burglaries, Oglesby was convicted of being a participant in Gorman's one-night "crime wave" when a safe was stolen, a car was taken and an old car was set on fire. He was also found guilty of a Cisco burglary.

O. D. Pruitt was recently tried on the same charges and received a total of 112 years but will serve only 20.

In all, 17 cases were tried Monday in 88th District Court before Special Judge J. Frank Sparks. Convictions were obtained in all cases.

Besides the 11 cases against Oglesby, the following were tried: Elmer Nickels, theft, five years, suspended sentence.

Otto Fambrough, passing forged instrument, three years, suspended sentence.

Jack Ingram, theft, five years.

Jack Ingram, burglary, five years.

Merlin Brown, burglary, three years.

Merlin Brown, theft, two years.

The Merlin Brown cases involved the burglary and theft of goods from the J. P. Webster wholesale grocery at Cisco. The Ingram cases pertained to the theft of W. R. Hammett's car at Okra and the breaking into of D. L. Allen's store at Nimrod.

Bandits Get Only \$5.00 From Bank

BELLVILLE, Tex., April 16.—After breaking into the Cal Springs State bank near here early Monday, robbers blew the safe but secured only about five dollars in small change, mostly pennies.

The blast wrecked the walls of the bank and resulted in considerable damage to the fixtures. The attempted robbery was first discovered by Charles Hammett, deputy sheriff, who found the bank door open.

Tools used to pry open a window of the bank had been stolen from Alcohol blacksmith shop. Nitroglycerine was used to open the bank safe.

Officers believe the men fled in an automobile following the robbery.

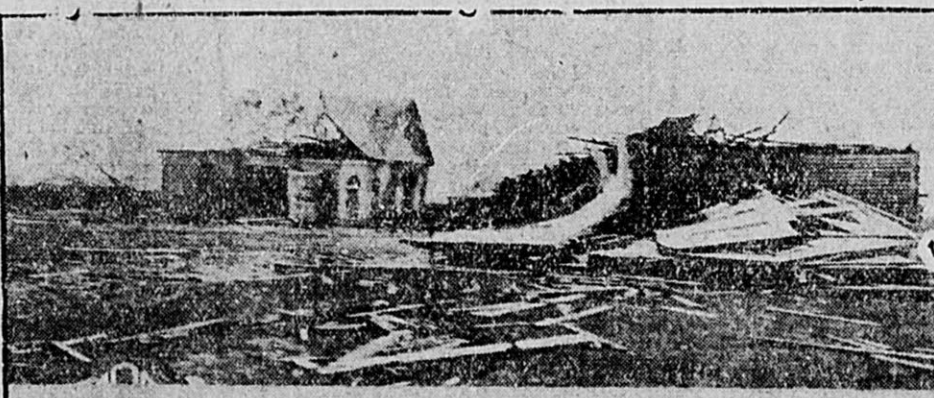
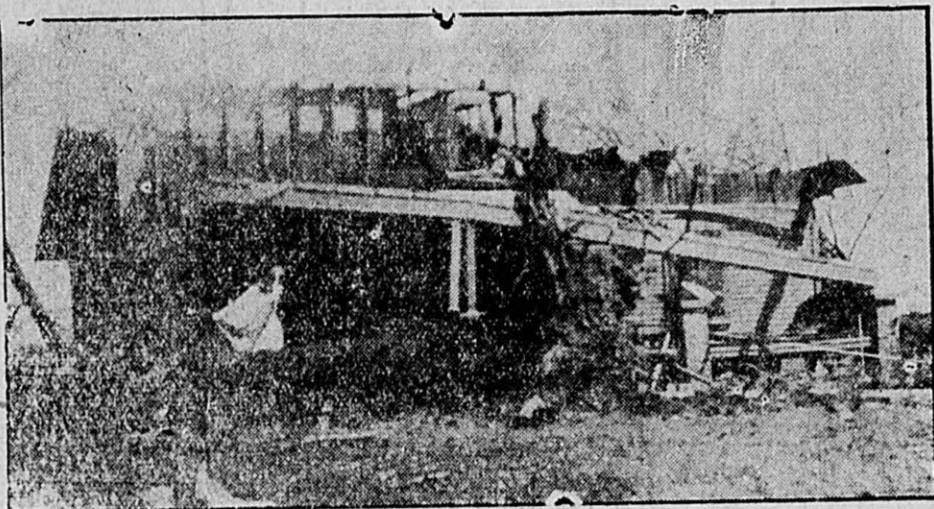
Rides Bike 600 Miles, Has Message to Moody

CHILDRESS, Tex., April 16.—Carrying an invitation to Gov. Moody to attend a Kivans meeting here April 29, Joe (Pie) Stribling, 19, local athlete, was to leave here today aboard his bicycle for Austin.

The 600-mile trip will take about five days. En route to Austin he will be the guest of Kivans clubs at Wichita Falls, Ft. Worth, Waco and Temple.

PARIS, April 16.—Spider Plandner of France was a 5 to 2 favorite today over Frankie Genaro, American flyweight, for their bout at the Velodrome d'Hiver Thursday night.

Arkansas Tornado Scenes



1. Ruins of the Riley home at Sneed, Ark., where Mrs. Ester Riley and her two children Ruth, 6 and Buster 4, lost their lives in the tornado which claimed the lives of 50 Arkansans and injured more than 150 others Wednesday night.

2. Wreckage of the Bono, Ark., school and community church.

3. A new car which had been driven less than 50 miles when it was picked up by the wind near Swift and dashed to earth 300 yards distant.

4. Site of the six-room home of W. H. Lowthart at Larado, Ark., in which Lowthart, his wife and three children were killed.

ENROUTE MARKET, MAN INJURED

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 16.—While en route to the winter garden district to buy produce, J. A. Manasco, 44, Ft. Worth, was seriously injured when he was crushed between two trucks.

OIL IN PECOS KILLING FISH

AUSTIN, Tex., April 16.—Two thousand barrels of oil is daily seeping in route to the Pecos river, Deputy Game Warden S. R. Thrasher reports to the state game department after an investigation into the cause of fish dying in the stream.

Mother Is Saved From Suicide By 6-Year Old Son

KANSAS CITY, Kan., April 16.—Saved from suicide by her 6-year-old son, Mrs. Amelia Stack was unconscious in a hospital here Monday afternoon while police looked for her husband.

John the son, entered the kitchen of his home at noon Monday and found his mother lying on the floor with gas jets open and the room closed. He informed neighbors his mother "wouldn't get up."

Mrs. Stack's husband, captain of a fire department, did not appear at his station Monday and could not be found.

Organized a County Farm Bureau Here

The Eastland County Farm Bureau was organized Monday night at a meeting in the county agent's office in the Eastland courthouse. A number of farmers, representing the different communities and community clubs, met and after discussing the proposed organization, adopted a constitution and by-laws. J. F. Claitor of Grandview community was elected temporary chairman.

The present organization will exist until 25 or more members are signed and at that time a meeting of all members will be called, permanent officers elected and the lines of work for the county planned and put into operation.

The local organization plans to study the agricultural situation in Eastland county and take up such projects as are for the best interests of Eastland county farmers. Every person being engaged in farming or deeply interested in agriculture and the welfare of those engaged therein and desiring to promote a more general and useful organized agency of service to farmers and farm homes is urged to join the Eastland county Farm Bureau.

The action of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation in seeking to have the tax on gasoline, used in farm tractors and in other industries not using the roads, removed or refunded, was heartily endorsed by those present.

H. G. Lucas of Brownwood, president of the Texas Farm Bureau, was present and urged all to make use of their power by forming a strong local organization and improve the Eastland county agricultural situation.

CURLEY WITH BOHNING NOW

Claude—better known to his hundreds of friends as "Curley"—Maynard, has sold his service car business to M. M. Griffin and will accept a position with the Bohning Motor company.

"Curley" has been in the service car business for the past eight years or more and is one of the most popular citizens of Eastland. He left yesterday afternoon for Dallas where he will receive a training course in the Ford plant and then will return to Eastland for his new duties.

Local Band to Share In Concert Proceeds

The Eastland band will share in the proceeds from the sale of tickets to the concert to be given at the Eastland high school auditorium Thursday evening by the Stamps All-Star quartet, according to an announcement made by Director A. J. Campbell of the band.

The band's share in the proceeds will be used to purchase music for the band, Mr. Campbell stated.

FLASHES

By United Press.

JUNEAU, Alaska, April 16.—The first nonstop airplane flight here from the United States was completed today when Ansel Beckman, Seattle aviator, arrived with two passengers, Robert E. Ellis and Jack Mallerton. The trio made the 650 mile flight from Seattle in approximately eight hours. They used a Lockheed Vega monoplane, pioneering a contemplated passenger route between the United States and this territory.

BORGER, Tex., April 16.—Earl C. Scott surrendered to officers late yesterday and is held in the county jail here in connection with the fatal shooting of Mrs. Barney S. Turner, 36, Monday. Mrs. Turner, who is the mother of six children, was shot six times. Her husband is an oil field worker.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Fabe Ruth authorized Christy Walsh today to announce for him that an "announcement as to plans for my immediate future," will be made tomorrow at 10 a. m., and that his wedding to Mrs. Claire Hodgson, former Polles girl, will not take place today. The home run king visited Mrs. Hodgson today at her apartment. Reporters and cameramen besieged the place, seeking word as to when Babe expects to be married. In desperation, Babe called up Walsh and authorized the statement in the hope of ridding himself of the inquisitive press men.

GREENVILLE, Tex., April 16.—The body of M. H. Delaney, Greenville business man, was found today in one of the city reservoirs here. Delaney had been missing since Sunday.

WACO, Tex., April 16.—Gunshot wounds received in a dance hall brawl last night at Tours caused the death today of Martin Uptmore, while C. W. Spicer was in a serious condition in a Waco hospital. A charge of assault with intent to murder was filed against Herman Uptmore, brother of the slain man.

WALLACE, Ida., April 16.—After being entombed in the shaft of the old Frisco mine near here for nearly 48 hours, Oscar Johnson and Joan Amoson, miners, were rescued today. The rescue was effected by crews of hard rock miners from various mines of the Couer d'Alene districts working in relays without stop since Sunday night.

Eastland Lions Opposed to Any Hike In Gas Tax

Individual members of the Eastland Lions Club, at the regular weekly meeting of that organization today expressed their opposition to proposed legislation that would increase the present gasoline tax to more than three cents per gallon.

G. C. Nelson of Osceola, Arkansas, one of the owners of the Clarence Saunders grocery store in Eastland, was a guest of the club today, and in a brief talk before the club stated that he contemplated moving to Eastland in the near future with the view of making this city his permanent home. Mr. Nelson's daughter will be one of the music teachers at the Warner Memorial University to open here this fall.

President Donald Kinnaird appointed as a program committee to arrange a program for the next meeting of the club, Lions Downland, Crowell, and Conley.

RECEIVES BAD CUTS ON FACE

B. M. Collier, secretary of the Eastland Building and Loan association, sustained serious cuts about the face Monday evening when he ran into a barbed wire fence, while he was attending a picnic of the Booster class of the Methodist Sunday school.

The wire cut entirely through his lip and 11 stitches were required to close the wounds. The picnicers were playing a game similar to "wolf over the river" when the accident occurred.

Joe Jones, Prosecuting Attorney, Will Ask for Return of Captured Convict and Will Seek the Death Penalty.

Robert Hills escape from prison may have more serious consequences than a mere return to routine life within "the walls" for District Attorney Joe H. Jones announced this morning that he will ask for the return of Hill to Eastland county to stand trial on murder charges.

The death penalty will be asked by the State.

Hill, who pleaded guilty to the Cisco bank robbery and was given life imprisonment, is under indictment for the murder of Police Chief Bedford and Policeman Geo. Carmichael, who were slain by the bank bandits.

"The fact that Hill has broken out of prison twice although he has been there less than a year proves that he has no desire to reform," the prosecuting attorney declared, "and if he is held merely under a life sentence, he very likely will make another attempt to break out and his future lawless activities may cost the lives of law-abiding citizens."

As evidencing the dangerous character of Hill, the official pointed out that the bank bandit was the man who wielded the pistol when Bob Silver and other escaped convicts commandeered an automobile and forced a young man and a young woman to take them to Houston after the convicts had broken out of prison.

President's Message Goes To Congress

By PAUL R. MALON, United Press Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON, April 16.—Pres. Hoover's first Congressional message was read by clerks in the Senate and House today, causing considerable stir, especially among midwestern farm senators who supported him in the last presidential campaign.

HOOPER'S AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM IN A NUT SHELL. Improvement of waterways. Tariff readjustments. Adjustment of production needs through diversification. Improvement of marketing methods to eliminate waste.

Tariff and waterways are matters for separate legislative measures. The remainder of the program would be carried out by a federal farm board.

"The administration is pledged to create an instrumentality that will investigate the causes, find sound remedies, and have the authority and resources to apply those remedies."

"Every penny of waste between farmer and consumer that we can eliminate, whether it arises from methods of distribution or from hazard or speculation, will be a gain to both farmer and consumer."

"In addition to these special provisions in the direction of improved returns, the board should be organized to investigate every field of economic betterment for the farmer so as to furnish guidance as to need in production, to devise methods for elimination of unprofitable marginal lands and their adaptation to other uses; to develop industrial by-products and to survey a score of other fields of helpfulness."

The president's message mentioned no specific figure for the revolving fund to be placed at the disposal of the farm board. The house bill mentions \$500,000,000.

The message set forth the president's views about farm relief and tariff revision. Couched in (Continued on Page 2)

4-Year Term In Christmas Killing

A killing on Christmas day, 1927, was involved in a trial in Palo Pinto county district court yesterday when Everett Leedy was given four years for his part in the slaying of Paul Pugh, 12-year-old Ranger youth.

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FOUR ESSENTIALS FOR SUCCESS.

What does it take to make a "big boss"—or, in other and more dignified words, what are the fundamental qualifications of a modern business executive?

Colonel Leonard P. Ayres, vice president of the Cleveland Trust company, and one of the best known economists and statisticians in the country, has seen a good many such people; and the other day he sat down and tried to figure out just what qualities a man must have to enable him to assume leadership in the business, industrial or financial world.

He finally decided that there are four essential qualities. His discussion of them is highly interesting.

At the head of the list Colonel Ayres places knowledge of the field in which a man is working. "Mean," he explains, "the practical working knowledge of his own field that enables a person to face with confidence the unending succession of ordinary problems that come along from day to day in the regular course of business."

Second he lists courage; the willingness to take a chance, to accept responsibility, to act decisively even when a man is not quite sure that his course of action is the best one available. And such courage, he explains, grows out of the first qualification.

In the third place Colonel Ayres puts activity. "Persistent activity," he remarks, "is one of the essentials. Leadership is never won by inertia."

Colonel Ayres concludes: The fourth quality is one for which we have no single word or term in English. It is the ability to influence the actions of other people. It is a special social skill. Fundamentally, it appears to be the ability to see things from the other person's point of view, and to use that ability the power to make him see things from our point of view."

Cultivating these four qualities, according to Colonel Ayres, is cultivating the habit of success. You might apply them to such big men as you happen to know and see how they measure up.

UP TO THE SENATE.

Senator Wesley Jones of Washington deserves public support for two measures he intends to introduce in the coming senate session.

One would prevent the senate from considering nominations in secret session, except when a majority of the senate votes for a secret session.

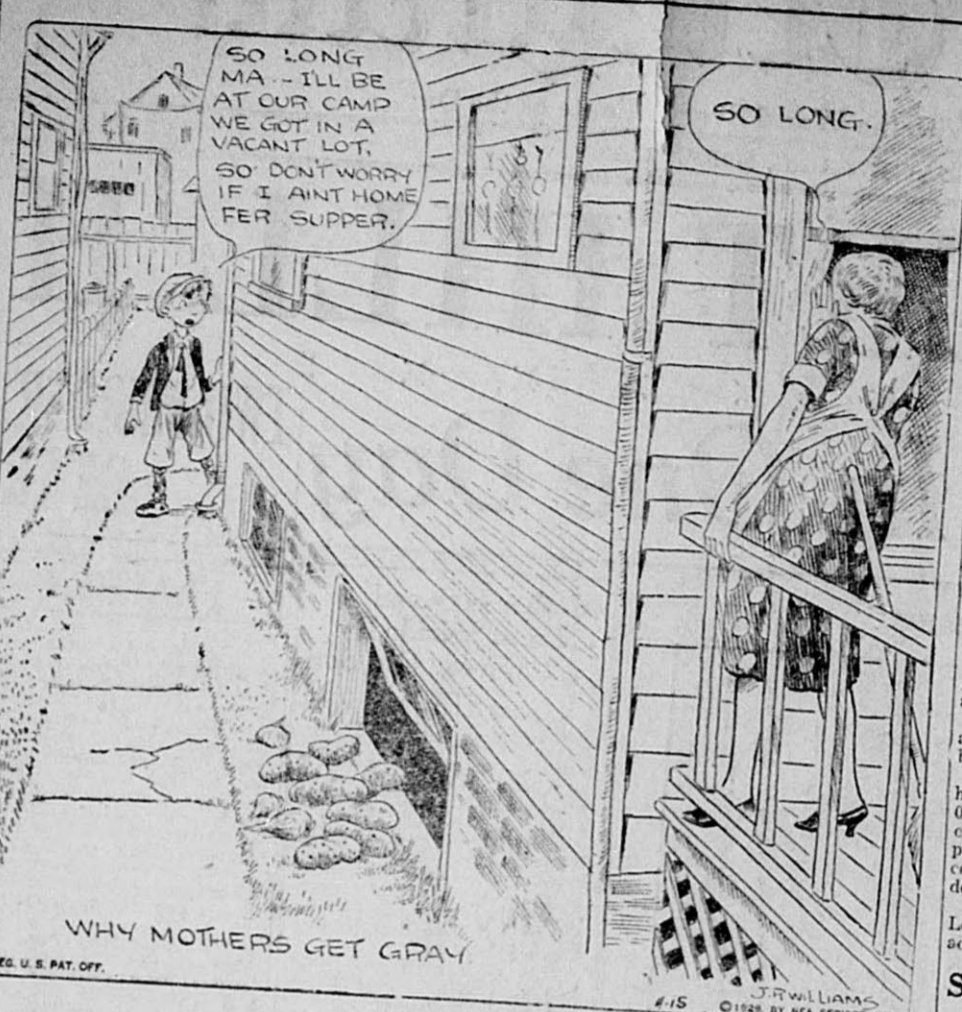
The other would help cut down filibusters by compelling senators to talk only on the subject pending before the senate for consideration.

It is hard to see any valid objection to either of these measures. If the senate is wise it will adopt them. Its secret sessions, in which timorous senators could conceal their votes from their constituents, and its filibusters, have served to impair its prestige immeasurably in recent years.

HARMON WOULD BUY HOCKEY CLUB

By United Press. DETROIT, April 16.—Paddy Harmon, Chicago fight promoter, is attempting to buy the franchise of the Pittsburgh Pirates of the National Hockey League, but refused to pay \$200,000, the asking price.

OUT OUR WAY



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

WEDNESDAY'S FEATURES

Copyright 1929 by United Press WEAF and NBC network 6:30 CST—Bourdon's Symphony Orchestra. WOR and CBS network 7:30 CST—Frank Simmons' Show boat. WEAF and NBC network 8:30 CST—The Revellers and others. WOR and CBS network 9:30 CST—Symphony Orchestra. WJZ and NBC network 9:30 CST—Economics Congress banquet, with noted speakers.

\$200 USED TO BUY SILVER'S FREEDOM

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was expected to indict Silver for robbery by assault with firearms, an offense which, if the jury finds him guilty and assesses the extreme penalty, again may place him in the shadow of the electric chair.

Silver was captured here last night after officers had trailed a woman when she sought to borrow money for an ex-convict. A patrolman heard the chance remark and tipped off Detective Capt. Percy Heard, who, with Detectives George Peyton and Bill Wingo, made the arrest.

Today, three persons were charged with aiding Silver to escape. They were the woman, Pearl Lee King, 27, and Carl (nine fingered) Lawder, former convict, and Jack Shaw, chauffeur.

To an alert patrolman with but fourteen months' police experience, goes the credit for the first clue that led to Silver's arrest, the attempt by the woman to borrow money to put up as a deposit on a rent car.

The patrolman is C. V. Kearns. Heard, Wingo and Peyton trailed the woman to a cleaning and pressing establishment on avenue here. She set a fast past through the traffic maze, but Heard kept his machine close behind.

At the pressing shop, Silver and Lawder entered the rent car followed. Two blocks away, the officers forced the yellow roadster to the curb.

The officers jumped out with pistols drawn. Heard pushed Silver's car back on his head, recaptured the "lifer" and returned to the police station. There the slayer of Roscoe Wilson was the scene of a picture with the woman because "I have a wife," and because the woman was crying and did not want her picture taken.

The stories told by the three at police station differed in some degree. Silver Tells of Hiding Miss King, a divorcee, said she did not know Lawder was an ex-convict but came here to marry him if he were able to obtain a divorce from his wife. She said Lawder told her Silver was his cousin, that Silver had first appeared at the tailor shop on Saturday and that he had rented the car presumably to take Lawder's wife to the railway station to leave the city.

Lawder, who said he served two years in prison for forgery, said he was forger and the other for auto theft. He knew Silver was in jail at Ft. Worth and in "the hole" at Huntsville.

He said he first met Silver at a suit he was wearing when he arrested, and had convinced Silver the best thing to do was to give up. They intended to take one last

Ex-Governor of Florida Indicted



Charged with having aided an alleged plot of counterfeiters, former Governor Sidney J. Catts of Florida, above, has been indicted by a federal grand jury. The wartime Democratic governor, who also is a minister, was alleged to have had an understanding with a Tampa lawyer, whereby he would receive \$25,000 counterfeit in return for a \$5000 investment.

ride in the "free air" and then Silver was to surrender, Lawder said.

Silver himself told how he had slept in basements of apartment houses and buildings here, how he had gone hungry rather than had been seeking food, and declared that he had been determined to surrender when the officers caught him. He offered no resistance and, although the officers found no pistol on searching him, he pulled back his vest and gave them the gun he had concealed there.

"I'm through with this gun-play," he told Heard. "It has been in me in too much trouble before."

"I'm going back to the penitentiary and stay there," he said as he left today with Rangers Moore and McCoy for Huntsville.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE GOES TO CONGRESS

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general terms only, it advocated creation of a Federal farm board to provide credit facilities for agricultural marketing and to control "surpluses created by climatic variations or by harvest congestion."

It strongly opposed the fee or tax system of handling surpluses and made no mention of the de-benture plan upon which the Senate agricultural committee is now working.

CONGRESS TODAY

SENATE: Meets at noon to receive the President's message, with adjournment probably until Thursday. Agriculture committee meets to consider farm relief bill. HOUSE: Meets at noon to receive the President's message.

nounced the dry law as a violation of the constitution which has made thousands of respectable citizens law violators.

Rep. La Guardia, Republican, N. Y., introduced a bill which would legalize 2.75 per cent beer and permit the same alcoholic content for fermented fruit juices.

A second resolution by La Guardia virtually would repeal several provisions of the prohibition law and allow states to fix the alcoholic content of beverages.

Reed Denounces Reparations Conference

Says If United States Is Not Careful It Will Bring Great Bitterness to America.

By United Press. ST. LOUIS, April 16.—"There's a thing going on in Europe now," said former Senator James A. Reed last night, "which, if we aren't careful, will bring great bitterness to America. I mean the reparations conference."

Speaking before 800 admirers at a testimonial banquet here, the former senator from Missouri made a bold denunciation of the conference now in session in Paris, at which two unofficial American delegates are sitting. He termed it "an attempt to make the United States sponsor for collecting allied debts."

Call it the Dawes plan, the Root plan, or anything else," he declared, "it still is the plan of England and the plan of France to extort the last drop of blood from Germany—and I denounce it." Bringing his arm down in a sweeping gesture, Reed shattered a goblet on the table, and cut his hand.

With blood streaming down his fingers, he prophesied war. "There will come a time, when this nation will be at death grips with an enemy. The most likely adversary is the English nation. And if that time comes, America will need friends."

He dwelt on the possibility of antagonizing a possible friend in Germany through the reparations plans.

"I want our nation to come home and stay home," he declared, "I want an American policy and not an international policy."

SAYS AMIEE IN RADIO ROMANCE

SACRAMENTO, Calif., April 16.—A charge that conversations between Amiee Sample McPherson and Kenneth G. Ormiston had been written today into the records of the impeachment trial of Judge Carlos S. Hardy.

The author of the charge was Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman - Sielaff, mystery woman of the fiery-haired evangelist's "kidnapping" which has been revived by prosecutors to prove the charge that Superior Judge Hardy violated his oath of office to accept as a legal fee a \$2,500 check from Angelus Temple.

The prosecution charges Judge Hardy was paid for counsel given Mrs. McPherson during the investigation of her disappearance three years ago.

In support of the prosecution's charge, Mrs. Sielaff testified that Judge Hardy knew of the "affairs" between Ormiston and Mrs. McPherson. She said Judge Hardy told her he had warned Ormiston to end the "affairs."

Judge Hardy, who, Mrs. Sielaff charged, arraigned with her to produce an "alibi" for the evangelist's disappearance, also had heard complaints of several members of the congregation who noticed the frequent friendly talks between Mrs. McPherson and Ormiston over the radio, the witness said.

COMPREHENSIVE BILLS PLANNED

AUSTIN, Tex., April 16.—Representative Ray Holder of Dallas county has completed plans for offering a new highway department bill to the special session of the legislature. It will call for a full-time chairman of the highway commission at a salary of \$7,500 a year. The bill will also include reduced automobile license fees and provide for their distribution and other methods of financing the State highways.

Organization of the State pardon board is to be proposed in another bill planned by Rep. Jack Keller of Dallas.

Governor Moody will also be asked to submit bills affecting West Texas lands. One will validate titles crossing river beds after ten years' occupancy; another will require trial of land opportunity to tamper with bal-

Reasons Given For Failure of Rebels

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Failure of the Mexican revolution to overthrow the established government in Mexico was ascribed today by informed observers to four major factors.

The importance of one of these factors—the attitude of the American government—could not be determined. These factors were outlined to

Saved from Captor

The contest petitions will be held by Speaker Longworth until election committees are organized. House leaders said these committees may not be organized until the regular session next December.

Reports from Mexico City today indicated that the Mexican federal government expects an early collapse of the rebellion.

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HOOPER APPOINTS EX-GOV. COLQUITT

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Pres. Hoover today nominated former Gov. Oscar B. Colquitt of Texas to be a member of the United States board of mediation. He succeeds former Gov. Pat. Neff of Texas, whose term expired last year.

Cleaning Dress With 'Gas' Woman Killed

CUERO, Tex., April 16.—An explosion of gasoline in her home here today proved fatal for Mrs. Emil Leonard.

She was cleaning a dress with gasoline when it became ignited and set fire to her clothing. The flames enveloped her body and she died soon after her neighbors had taken her to a hospital.

The explosion set fire to the house and caused damage of \$15,000. Several pieces of furniture originally from the German imperial palace and brought to this country by her late husband, were destroyed.

Mrs. Leonard's son, Bruno C. Leonard, is manager of the Gold-Packing company here.

REVOLUTION IS DRAGGING ALONG

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KANSAS U. RELAYS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

By United Press. LAWRENCE, Kas., April 16.—Representing 184 colleges, universities and high schools, approximately 2,000 athletes will compete in the seventh annual University of Kansas relays here Friday and Saturday.

POLITICS MURDER CASE STARTS

By United Press. VERNON, Tex., April 16.—Testimony was started today in the trial of W. H. Stroud, charged with murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Wayne Lawson, Tolbert mail carrier.

The jury was completed Monday. One hundred witnesses have been called.

Lawson's stabbing followed a dispute over the sheriff's race in this county.

LONGHORNS ARE WINNERS

AUSTIN, Tex., April 16.—Up-holding an untarnished net record this year, the University of Texas rascopeters took every match in their dual meet with the Southern Methodist University netters here Monday.

J. Y. ORR IS MODERATOR

CORSICANA, Tex., April 16.—J. Y. Orr, elder in the Presbyterian church of Ferris, was elected moderator of the Waco Presbytery at the opening session here last night. The convention, attended by more than 100 persons, will continue through Wednesday.

OIL NEWS

TULSA, Okla., April 16.—The largest decrease in daily average crude oil production in the United States since May 12, 1928, was registered last week.

Oklahoma dropped from 673,190 barrels to 647,845 barrels because of proration and shut in of wells in the Seminole field, the Oil & Gas Journal survey showed.

Mid-Continent production dropped from 1,479,385 barrels, daily average, to 1,433,341 barrels. National daily average was 2,616,082 barrels, a general decline of 44,786 barrels and light oil decrease of 49,141 barrels.

DENIES WEDDING REPORT

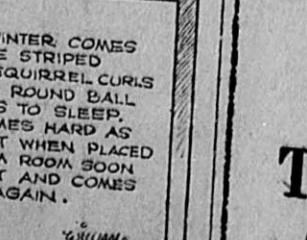
NEW YORK, April 15.—Babe Ruth has his mind on the forthcoming pennant race and not on matrimony, the Yankee manager said today, denying a report that he was to be married this afternoon to a former Follies girl.

WURZBACH TO CONTEST FOR SEAT

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Contests for seats in the House were filed with Speaker Longworth today.

Among them was that of Henry M. Wurzbach, Republican, Texas, who has protested the election of Augustus McCloskey, Dem., on the ground McCloskey, Dem., on after ten years' occupancy; another will require trial of land opportunity to tamper with bal-

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HAS HAPPENED

LAWRENCE meets ARMITAGE when he snatches it in a crowd. Friendship grows until JUDSON, daughter of employer, tries to lure from her. Then HUCK becomes infatuated with both men. Brother, HAROLD, is with Mildred but suspects cares more for Stephen. Mildred tries to get from Huck for she is a leader of a gang. He laughs at her fears she realizes that Pamela is Stephen's mother. He is a serious student he proves his devotion doing everything possible her. When she hears of the accident she calls, feeling regret long absence. He and Mildred in a picnic when her mother covered but business from keeping the car. Pamela tells Stephen Mildred is trying to marry for his money. He defends Pamela is furious. Mildred returns to the office is discharged.

GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XVIII

"your successor?" words held a world of meaning. Mildred. She had been engaged place even before she knew misfortune that had befallen in her absence from the

about a word to the girl at the manager's office. It was unexpected, so unbelievable that perhaps there'd been a mistake. This girl who claimed to be a substitute. . . she'd been misunderstood about it. . . no, it didn't stick. . . Mildred knew in her heart that Dazel had let her go. Mr. Dazel! But why? . . . Mildred clenched her hands together rising anger. Stephen care anything about her. . . it had been with Pamela all day through on Sunday. . . yesterday—while she, Mildred, sat reading to her mother picturing a carefree couple swinging over a perfect golf course on a perfect day? . . . Mildred thought she had come to lose her job. . . Well, at Mr. Dazel should hear what thought of it!

burst into his office with eyes ablaze and signals of battling in her cheeks. . . er. . . good morning, Lawrence," he said unceremoniously, glancing up from some paper on his desk and motioning Mildred to a seat. She made no move to take it. "You wished to see me," she said abruptly. "Why, yes, won't you sit down?" half rose from his chair in comfortable anticipation of a period ahead of him. "I think I know why you sent me," Mildred told him directly. "You've fired me."

She was entirely unconscious of scorn and accusation in her face, though it was sufficient to make the manager wince. He took his head in hasty denial. "No, not I," he said defensively. "I'm sorry, sincerely sorry, but such a course became necessary, but the matter was taken out of my hands."

"I'm sure of that," Mildred affirmed. "But you are the manager. You are not compelled to obey orders from the owner's daughter. You have no right to discharge me without sufficient cause."

"As I said, the matter was taken out of my hands," Mr. Dazel repeated and reached into a drawer of his desk to produce a cablegram which he handed to Mildred. She read it in silence. It was curt and definite message from Mr. Judson himself to the manager ordering him to dispense with Mildred Lawrence's services immediately. She was to have two weeks' salary in lieu of notice, but she was to go at once.

When she finished reading it Mildred suddenly sat down on the floor she had at first refused to get out of her like start out of wet collar. Up until then she had retained a faint hope of being able to induce Mr. Dazel to reverse his decision. She just didn't believe that anyone could fire her for nothing more on a personal animosity. But she couldn't fight a girl whose resources extended to an influential father who could not be reached by the other side. And she had had idea what argument Pamela had used to influence her. It would do no good to plead him blindly. Besides, she did not afford to enter into correspondence by cable. Mr. Dazel spoke gently to her when she got up to go. "Your check is ready in the cashier's office," he said. "And I shall be glad to recommend you most highly whenever you choose to give me a reference. You won't have any trouble finding another position, I'm sure, and I wish you immediate success."



"Pam's back of this," he said furiously. "But she can't get away with it."

"Well, thank God that's over," thought Mildred went weak with a sudden, very real pain in her heart—that she was removed, Stephen probably would forget her. . . out she got about the worst."

Mildred sought a quiet corner until she could overcome the first shattering effects of the shock she had undergone. It wouldn't do to go home to her mother before she could manage to put on a cheerful face, she told herself.

Perhaps, if she stayed downtown, she might find another place before night. She'd put in her application at the best agencies anyway. It oughtn't to be so hard, in a city of millions of people, to find a job.

"A job, yes, but I need a good salary. I can't take the first thing that offers." That was the trouble. With only herself to think of Mildred would not have worried. But they needed money at home. There always were things they ought to have and had to get along without. Little things, like a new tennis racket, an electric fan, the hundred and one things that a school girl cannot be happy without.

"Well," Mildred mentally squared her shoulders, "at least Pamela has done all that she can to me. I won't have to worry about her any more."

But that, she knew, wasn't the whole truth. As long as Stephen remained the only man in the world for Mildred, Pamela could make her worry. And Pamela had got what she wanted. She had removed the girl whom Stephen hadn't quite been able to forget.

Mildred accepted her defeat, but this one thought gave her comfort. Pamela had considered her a dangerous rival, else she would not have bothered about her. Only now—and with this new

"When I'm in a wet state, I'm wet," announced J. Thomas Heflin, Jr., above, son of the dry-voting but wet-sympathizing Senator from Alabama, as he arrived in New York from Panama aboard ship. Some liquor he brought up from Panama hadn't lasted the trip, he said, but "lots of people on board had liquor and they were good to me." He followed his arrival in a police station.



Heflin, Jr., Makes Whoopee in N. Y.

New Court Rooms Completely And Neatly Equipped

The processes of justice—always impressive—have been given an added touch of solemnity by the setting provided in the two district courtrooms in Eastland county's new courthouse. The rooms, which have just been fitted with their furnishings, are ideally arranged and furnished.

The judge's bench is large and massive. Beside it and slightly lower is the clerk's desk and on the other side of the judge's bench—"balancing" with the clerk's desk—is the witness stand. All the furniture is of beautiful oak. Behind the bench are tall rich panels of oak.

The jury box contains heavy, comfortable chairs. Nearby is a well designed desk of the court reporter, the sheriff has a desk too, slightly elevated and the officer can always be instantly located by the judge if needed for any purpose. The sheriff's elevated position enables him to command a view of the entire courtroom.

Two large tables are provided for the attorneys—State and defense, or plaintiff and defendant, of course upon whether the case is criminal or civil. A dozen chairs are grouped across the room from the jury. These chairs are for attorneys not in the case, for officers and for newspapermen.

Beyond the railing are the seats for the public. The courtroom is admirably designed for ventilation and light and there are six or eight large ceiling fans provided. Acoustics is excellent. Sitting near the back of the room, a representative of this newspaper yesterday could hear plainly every word that the witnesses spoke, though they were talking in quite ordinary tones.

The walls of the courtroom are paneled in oak. Above is a frieze work consisting of small designs of a Rotary wheel, Lion, bluebonnet, scales of justice, Lone Star and a horned frog.

Near the judge's bench is the door leading to his private office. At the side of the courtroom, only a few paces from the clerk's desk, is the door leading to the clerk's office. Incidentally, the district courtrooms are situated on opposite sides of the building with the district clerk's office in between. At the back of the courtroom are the witness rooms, consultation room and court reporter's office.

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Will He Dress Like This?



No, you aren't "seeing things"—our trick photographer merely did this to show you how Charles G. Dawes, our new ambassador to Great Britain, will look if he wears the conventional silk knee breeches at British court function and clings to his famous upside down pipe at the same time. Otago American ambassadors to James have worn 'em at court functions—so why not Mr. Dawes?

NUMBER HAVE JOINED BAND

RANGER, Texas, April 16.—Organization of the Ranger junior band is getting well under way. R. L. Maddox, instructor, announced this morning. A number of youths have signed for places in the organization and others are expected to join within the next few days. The band is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and is under the complete direction of Maddox, who also is instructor of the senior band. L. E. Gray, Jr., Jack Davenport, Burt Bollinger and J. B. Bronstein have signed for cornet

BEST DRESSED CABINET ON JOB IN WASHINGTON

HERBERT HOOVER
President Hoover and the new Cabinet ever gathered together in Washington. Comment in the Capital is that the Cabinet is composed of typical "Hoover men." This type has become quite prominent in Washington since Mr. Hoover became Secretary of Commerce in 1921. It is the clean-cut, well-groomed, alert, engineer or business man type—the man who has a healthy

ARTHUR M. HYDE
color, a clear, penetrating eye, a frank, direct manner of speech, self-confidence, poise and good manners. His hair is close-cropped, his shoes are shined, his clothes are made by a good tailor in good taste and are well pressed. He wears a white, starched collar with business suits and the right color combinations in ties, hose and hats. Success and prosperity are stamped all over him as illustrated by the above.

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vision of the Prairie, being stationed at Berger as chief clerk. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. F. Bunch, Albuquerque, N. M.; three sisters, Miss Frances Bunch, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. A. Campbell, Forney, Texas, and a married sister in California, and one brother, Paul A. Bunch, Berger.

FIRE DOES \$30,000 DAMAGE
By United Press.
VAN HORN, Tex., April 16.—Fire which destroyed the mill of the Hazel mine, 14 miles north

of here, Monday, caused damage estimated at \$30,000. The mine is the only silver-copper mine in Texas. A new mill will be built on the site.

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When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875 the needs for a laxative were not so great as they are today. People lived normal, quiet lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air and sunshine. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings to put into their system. So he wrote a prescription for a laxative to be used by his patients.

The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in drug stores in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe, gentle bowel stimulant as Syrup Pepsin.

Under successful management this prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. The fact that millions of bottles are used a year proves that it has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds and fevers.

Millions of families are now never without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and if you will once start using it you will also always have a bottle handy for emergencies. It is particularly pleasing to know that the most of it is bought by mothers for themselves and their children, though Syrup Pepsin is just as valuable for elderly people. All drug stores have the generous bottle.

Dr. B. Caldwell M.D.
AT AGE 83

League Races Will Be Started Today

Attendance of 250,000 Although Rain May Begining of Pennant Races in Some Parks.

By United Press. WASHINGTON, April 16.—Johnson's debut as a manager of the team on which he had for 23 years, was delayed by rain here today.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Opening National league game between the Phillies and the New York Giants here was postponed because of rain.

BOSTON, April 16.—Rain today postponed until tomorrow the opening game of the season between the Boston Braves and the Brooklyn Robins.

By FRANK GETTY. New York Press Sports Editor. NEW YORK, April 16.—One of a million baseball fans witness the start of the pennant races this afternoon.

Of late years, Connie's efforts have been rewarded with a great baseball machine. But it has been his hard luck to be in the same league with the New York Yankees, an even greater team.

The hope for this year has the Yankees a bit weaker. Mack is said to have the greatest pitching staff in the league, so maybe, after all his disappointments, the silver lining will show through for Connie Mack.

BASEBALL TODAY National League New York at Philadelphia. Brooklyn at Boston. St. Louis at Cincinnati. Pittsburgh at Chicago.

American League Boston at New York. Philadelphia at Washington. Detroit at Cleveland. Chicago at St. Louis.

Being akin to the disappointment which marred the flag of 1928 was anticipated. In threatened at New York, due to raise the American pennant as well as that of the world's championship before scheduled game with the Red Sox.

A similar situation existed at Philadelphia, Boston and Philadelphia. Both with new lineups, began the pursuit of the world's pennant.

Detroit Tigers, under new ownership, take on the Cleveland Indians, one of the clubs in the American league definitely assigned by the experts to a second division berth.

St. Louis, one of the few where reasonably favorable ball weather is promised, the Browns, picked by some to be through and win the pennant, engage the Chicago White Sox.

Generally it is agreed that the league race is a more important affair than that in the junior circuit. The New York Giants at Philadelphia, against a club which has suffered misfortune during the spring training, when least able to give anything to its opponents.

The most interesting club in the National league from the point of view of every fan is the Chicago Cubs. Having acquired Rogers Hornsby, the Cubs are hopeful of winning their first pennant in a century.

They open today, at Pittsburgh, against the Pirates, a most unattractive aggregation. Boston fans will have a chance to view their National league contender under the leadership of president Judge Emil Fuchs, who is manager of the Braves. The Brooklyn Robins will be guests of the Red Sox.

Leading figures of the National league will be the sidelines this afternoon. Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis, high commissioner of baseball, was scheduled to present gold watches to the New York Yankees in token of their victory in the 1928 world series.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS By Laufer



With the start of another American League pennant race only a short distance away, Connie Mack visions the realization of his greatest ambition—the winning of another pennant.

Since the collapse of the Athletics in the 1914 world series, the lean leader of the Athletics has experienced many slim baseball years. For a long time the A's were the doormat of the major major organization, but Mack kept patiently to his work of rebuilding.

Texas League Jottings

By United Press. FORT WORTH.—One hundred and sixty-four games face the Fort Worth Panthers after their final workout today at Lagrange Field here.

DALLAS.—Charlie Barnabe, southpaw flash obtained from the Waco Cubs, will pitch the season-opener for the Dallas Steers Wednesday, Manager Milt Stock announced today.

BEAUMONT.—The Exporters here had tough going in the last few days trying to get in some practice. Rain did not keep them away Monday, however, and Manager Robertson put his charges through three stiff hours of workouts in preparation for Wednesday's opener with Houston.

WACO.—Either Lefty Stein or Earl Caldwell will draw the pitching assignment for the Waco Cubs in their opener with the San Antonio Indians Wednesday. Manager Del Pratt announced today.

SAN ANTONIO.—Manager Alexander is not going to have his San Antonio Indians afraid to hit the dirt in their new uniforms Wednesday so the Braves will don their new togs and get them well broken in in the final practice today.

NEW YORK-NEW ORLEANS FUTURES By United Press. NEW YORK, April 16.—Futures opened steady unchanged to 7/16 lower.

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FLYING SCHOOL ASSURED

Many Expected to Enroll in Texas Flying Service Unit.

RANGER, Texas, April 16.—Officials of the Texas Flying Service, Inc., Fort Worth, will arrive in Ranger Wednesday with two Command-Aire planes to officially open the Ranger Flying school, which will serve students of Cisco, Eastland, Breckenridge and Ranger.

At two meetings held at the chamber of commerce Sunday, Capt. W. H. Scott, received prospective students, a number of whom signed for the course to be offered.

Contracts to be signed before a student enters the school are to be obtained at the chamber of commerce.

Among those who attended the meetings Sunday were Charles J. Moore, John D. Gholsen, C. L. Cifers, James M. Matthews, Harry Henry, Boyd Davenport, A. K. Barnes, F. G. Yonker, Howard R. Gholsen, E. B. Neal, Dr. C. C. Craig, Don Sivals, E. L. Ford, J. E. Fletcher, Joe Herrington, Tony Ward, B. H. Murphy, Joe Carroll, Wayne C. Hickey, George Freeze, and Tom Yonker.

HAUGLAND LEAVING Owen I. Haugland, Ranger pilot, who has been in charge of the municipal airport for the past several months, will leave Wednesday for Montana, where he will make his future home.

Hickey Receives Stack Petitions (Ranger Times) Wayne C. Hickey, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, today received three petitions from C. H. Colvin, Eastland, to be circulated in three precincts in this section.

When baseball players go south for spring conditioning, little thought is given to one of the most important cogs in the business of getting a ball team in shape—namely, the trainer.

While the doings of the great stars and the high-priced rookies are before the eyes of the fans, there labors behind the scenes with each club a man who plays an important part in getting the athletes ready for the long grind of the playing season.

Such a man is Max "Lefty" Weisman of the Cleveland Indians. From the day of the first workout in the training camp, Lefty's life becomes a continual battle with aches, strained and swollen muscles.

the provisions of the statutes with reference to stock running at large.

It is necessary that a petition be circulated in each justice of the peace precinct and signed by 12 land owners.

One Man's Opinion

The death of Joseph Weldon Bailey is mourned by 5,000,000 Texans.

He was a statesman of courage, an orator of magnificent power. When this writer was a lad, he heard a man declare it was worth riding horseback all day to hear Sen. Bailey rail forth in reverberating grandeur, "My Fellow Countrymen."

Bailey's passing is especially lamented in Eastland where he was a frequent visitor. The senator was an intimate friend of C. U. Connelley, founder of this city. He spoke here when the Connelley theater was opened.

The thunders of that mighty voice are stilled, the flash of that commanding eye is quenched, the majesty of that royal presence has yielded to death, who knocks with equal hand at cottage door and palace gate.

Bailey is gone. We shall not see his like again.

Babe Ruth Is To Be Married Soon

NEW YORK, April 16.—When Babe Ruth lumbers to the plate in the first inning at the Yankee Stadium today, he may or may not be a married man.

Everyone knew immediately, of course, that she was the former Clara Merritt, daughter of an Athens, Ga., lawyer and one of the more familiar figures in the Ziegfeld follies of days gone by.

SLAIN WITH AN AXE By United Press. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 15.—An unknown assailant wielding an axe, killed Beverly Wharton, 28, and assaulted Mrs. Wharton

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MISSING FACES AND NEW ONES



feature the opening of another baseball season. Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker, two of the greatest players ever in baseball, are missing from the major leagues this season.

to City Clerk Michael Cruise. After they had filled out the blank and handed it back it showed that the future Mrs. Ruth was 28 years old, mother of a daughter by her first marriage.

Two children, Beverly, Jr., 8 who was sleeping between his mother and father, and Betty, 9 were not harmed by the slayer. He took nothing from the house and escaped through a window when Mrs. Wharton broke away from him and screamed.

FOSTER GETS FIVE YEARS By United Press. SWEETWATER, Tex., April 15.—Pleading guilty to a charge of having broken into the home of J. Roy Bradford, Sr., on the night of Feb. 21, Carl Foster today was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by a jury here.

He faces two other indictments of night time burglary. Foster recently gained wide publicity when he was found hiding in the tower of the First Christian church following his escape from the county jail.

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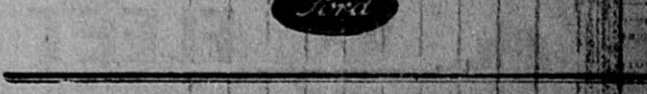
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MRS. W. S. PARKS ELECTED

DALLAS, Tex., April 16.—Mrs. W. S. Parks of Wichita Falls was elected president of the Texas department of the 8 and 40, American Legion Honor society, at the annual convention of the organization here Sunday.

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WEDNESDAY

Public Library open 2 to 5:30 p. m., Community Clubhouse, Civic League of Eastland, 3 p. m., Community Clubhouse, Rebekah Lodge 7:30 p. m., L. O. F. Hall, Presbyterian church choir practice 8 p. m., in church.

MRS. MULLINS ENTER-TAINS CHURCH SOCIETY'S SOCIAL SESSION:

Mrs. W. H. Mullins opened her home to the social meeting of the Missionary society of the Methodist church yesterday afternoon, and her cordial hospitality was augmented by the assistance of the co-hostesses, Meses. Sam Day, Johnathan Jones and B. M. Colie.

The program was opened by Mrs. Luther Bean, their president, and the society gave, ensemble, the hymn, "Savior More Than Life to Me." This period closed with prayer by Mrs. S. P. Rumph. Mrs. June Kimble announced the District Epworth League meeting, which will be held in the Methodist church at Eastland, Friday evening, and requested cooperation from the members of the society in providing refreshments.

The Missionary Conference of Women soon to be held in Fort Worth opening next Tuesday, was discussed, and Mrs. Luther Bean chosen delegate to the conference. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Thomas J. Haley.

Solo, Mrs. Grady Pipkin, with Mrs. Haley accompanying on piano.

An outstanding feature was the address on the "Risen Christ and the Woman," given by Mrs.

Going to France



Miss Elizabeth Cheatham, English instructor at Agnes-Scott College, Decatur, Ga., has been awarded one of the two Franco-American exchange scholarships for study at the University of Toulouse, France, during the 1929-30 session. It amounts to free tuition and living expenses for the academic year beginning Nov. 5 and extending through June 30.

E. C. Satterwhite.

Equally interesting was the story of the Mexican woman, as related by Mrs. B. E. McGlamery.

Rev. George W. Shearer closed the program with prayer. A delightful social period followed, when Mrs. Grady Pipkin sang "Have You Ever Been to Texas in the Spring."

This was the song feature by Earl Gough, of John Tarleton college, on a recent Eastland, Texas, program.

Two clever contests furnished amusement for this period, and a dainty plate refreshment was served of chicken salad, wafers, cake and coffee, at close of afternoon.

The society will meet for regular Bible study session in the church next Monday afternoon with Mrs. S. P. Rumph as leader.

Personnel: Meses. Luther Bean, H. O. Satterwhite, Fred L. Dragoo, Whitten, Amy Gray, I. J. Killough, Mary Hughes, L. A. Constable, S. P. Rumph, J. A. Caton, Fred Davenport, June Kimble, H. O. Tatum, B. E. McGlamery, J. T. Mason, Frank Crowell, Rev. and Mrs. George Shearer and the four hostesses.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY INSTALLS OFFICERS:

The installation of the officers for the incoming year of the Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church was conducted very beautifully and with dignity by Mrs. George E. Cross, their retiring president yesterday afternoon in the church. Officers installed: Mrs. M. C. Hayes, president; Mrs. Charles D. Hubbard, vice president; Mrs. C. M. Hardin, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Ashley, secretary; Mrs. F. W. Courts, missionary education; Mrs. C. J. Sparks, stewardship secretary; Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, overseas sewing; Mrs. James Horton, young peoples secretary; and parliamentarian; Mrs. George E. Cross, secretary literature; Mrs. W. J. Thomas, assistant membership secretary; Mrs. J. L. Molarkey, finance secretary; Mrs. R. L. Perkins, flower chairman; Mrs. J. H. Pangburn, secretary year book of prayer.

The retiring president presented a large bouquet of roses to the incoming president, Mrs. Hayes, who expressed her appreciation very gracefully.

The Auxiliary presented devo-

tional under the leadership of Mrs. C. M. Hardin, followed by the missionary lesson for the day, Negroes in America and Africa.

Topics were discussed by Meses. C. J. Sparks, J. W. Thomas, Arnold, Cross and Hubbard.

Other members present were Meses. F. W. Courts, J. L. Coltingham, C. M. Hardin, H. C. Hayes, James Horton, and W. H. McDonald.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary with program will be on May 6.

BAPTIST W. M. S. ENJOYS SPLENDID MISSIONARY PROGRAM:

One of the most interesting programs the Womens Missionary society of the Baptist church has enjoyed for some time, was that of yesterday afternoon, given in the temporary quarters of the church, and presided over by Mrs. G. W. Dakan.

The program as published in a former issue of this paper, was given in full, and the playlet, given by Mrs. Steele Johnston, Mrs. Wayne Jones and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, was beautifully presented and proved of unusual and intense interest.

A clever lesson was embodied in the little playlet, which revolved about a young woman, popular in both church and society, who, in some instances, let "first things" be second, and the consequences unfolded.

Announcements were made that the circles meet in the homes next Monday.

Those present were: Meses. G. W. Dakan, White, Campbell, Clyde L. Garrett, Horace Conday, Wayne Jones, Davis, P. L. Parker, John Mays, Pentecost, Seibert, A. M. Hearn, Frank Lovett, J. B. Overton, Williams, Crouch, Earl Dick, M. Coblin, Ghent Sanderford, Ohn Norton, Lancaster, John Norton, Jones, Steele Johnston, Halley, T. J. Pitts, W. T. Turner, and Miss Sallie Morris.

INVITATION EXTENDED IN THIS NOTICE TO PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN:

Mrs. F. M. Gill of Abilene, Presbyterial president for the district will visit Eastland Saturday, and will be entertained with an informal reception from 3 to 5 p. m., at the home of Mrs. F. W. Courts.

In this announcement all the women of the Presbyterian church are invited to call at this hour on Saturday and greet Mrs. Hill.

AID SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEETS:

An all-day session was held by several members of the Aid Society of the Christian church, when a new quilt was started to fill the order given by Mrs. W. A. Martin.

A wholesome noon luncheon was contributed from the various baskets carried, and several men joined the workers for the luncheon period. Present: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Gattis, Meses. J. R. Gilbreath, W. R. Webster, and James A. Beard, who were later joined by Meses. Henry Ferrell, Eugene Day, and Fred Davenport.

The next meeting will be in the afternoon, with devotional and business period.

CHURCH OF CHRIST:

The class in evangelism of the Church of Christ enjoyed a very splendid lesson presented by Rev. H. W. Wrye, which told of the work of the Church of Christ as recorded in the last half of second chapter of Acts.

Preparation for the revival which opens on May 5 and lasts for two weeks, were started.

The preacher will be the Rev. Crews of Beaumont, Texas. There was a large membership present including Meses. A. C. Craig, Shelby Smith, Courtney, Childress, E. D. Hurley, Anna Craig, C. D. Knight, Hastings, C. M. Hunt, Fehl, Gold, Elmer Lawrence, Bogress, H. W. Wrye, Harry Woods, Rowe, P. L. Harris, Crossley, Jim Harrell, Chambers, Thomason, Carlisle, Tom Harrell and Allen D. Dabney.

SOME MUSIC WEEK NOTES—MUSIC CLUB MEETS FRIDAY:

At the meeting of the Music Club on Friday afternoon of this week, in addition to the Texas Composers' Day program, Mrs. E. E. McGlamery will present the impression of her acquaintances and association with David Guion, the famous Texas composer.

Another unusual feature will be the "chalk talk" which will include the "high lights" of music week, as depicted by the clever and versatile Mrs. V. T. Seaberry.

Other notes of the music club show the meeting of the music week committee at the home of Mrs. W. K. Jackson, chairman yesterday afternoon, when plans and discussions covering the entire week, were brought up, committees appointed and an outline adopted for the celebration of annual music week, which will be announced later. Dates, May 5 to May 11.

Those present were Meses. Joseph M. Perkins, H. O. Satterwhite, Wayne Jones, A. J. Campbell, E. C. Satterwhite, John M. Meurer, Mrs. Thomas J. Pitts, president of the Music Club, and Mrs. W. K. Jackson, one member

Separating the Tares From the Wheat!



of the committee being absent. The hostess served a dainty iced fruit punch, with fresh caramel cake, pecans and candies.

COMING EVENTS: Mrs. F. M. Gill, district Presbyterial president, tendered informal tea Saturday afternoon, April 20. Presbyterian women at residence of Mrs. F. W. Courts, house hostess.

Junior McDowell Music club, meets with Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, at her residence, Wednesday, April 24.

Mrs. Charles G. Norton, costume recital, Community Clubhouse, on Friday, April 26. Alpha Delphian entertains chapters of surrounding towns, Saturday, May 4, in afternoon at Community Clubhouse.

BOOSTER CLASS ENJOYS PICNIC:

The Booster class of the Methodist church enjoyed an outing last night going in cars to a beautiful spot over the brow of Hillcrest, and building their big camp fire, over which was boiled the coffee and cooked the succulent bacon and veiners. Delicious rolls, breads, sandwiches, cake and fruit, made that supper enjoyed by appetites that had been whetted by the keen spring air.

Mappy spirited games after supper closed, the jolly evening shared by Booster members: Messrs. and Meses. B. M. Collie, T. J. Haley, Turner Collie, Wayne Jones, J. C. Paterson, Neil Mowse, Misses Imogene Hatton, Anita Laurent, Erin Stafford, Catherine Birmingham, Ina Mae Self, Bertha Jones, Minnie Lay, Sybil Truly, and Jessie Lee Ligon, class president; Meses Woody Loventhal, Joe Stephens, Messrs. Lowell Jones, E. Willman, Mr. and Mrs.

HUDRINS DEFEATS EMANUEL LAST NIGHT

Misses Maurine Smith and Claudia Smith of Okmulgee, Ok., are spending the week-end with Misses Faye Tucker and L. G. Tucker.

Try the home cooked plate lunches at the Super Service Sandwich Shop.

LOS ANGELES, April 16.—Ace Huadkins, "Nebraska Wildcat," middleweight, proved too good for Armand Emanuel, Jewish law student of San Francisco and light heavyweight, in a ten round bout at Wrigley field last night.



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"My Dear, Never Took a Drink..."



It was just another good show to Texas Guinan. The federal court room was packed. Tired business men sat in the jury box. And here you see the Queen of Whoopie herself, diamonds and smile sparkling alike, as she leaned forward in shining chiffon and lace and black velvet to croon to the prosecutor: "My dear, I never took a drink in my life!" The government charged her with maintaining a liquor nuisance in the New York night club over which she reigned. She was acquitted.

To Paint or Not to Paint!



It's spring!—and even the lowly dandelion is adorning itself in honor of the occasion. New plumage on the birds and new neckties on mankind bear witness to the universal demand for new adornment in the spring.

And when you are considering a new spring coat of wool for yourself, consider—if you please—a new spring coat of paint for your home.

Well-painted homes mean much for the appearance of Eastland. They show that we are progressive, wide-awake citizenry.

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