

SAY SEWER PLANT TOO SMALL

Sectional High School Basketball Tournament Opens Here

HOME TOWN TALK

By Beddy

Say, listen here, this sewerage disposal business is getting serious. The city has been given due notice by the railroad company to put a stop to refuse flowing down an open ditch on the company's right-of-way.

And now, here comes the state health department; ran into its representative in the sanitary division, Mr. Hargis, this morning and although saying it in a good-natured manner and with no more threatening attitude than possible, he didn't fail to say a few things about the methods, or rather the lack of method in disposing of sewerage here.

First, he said we're violating the state anti-stream pollution laws. Next, the present plant is entirely inadequate, even if it were functioning properly. Next, the present plant cannot function properly because it is not well-located. Next, he declared we'd be wasting money if we attempted to repair or enlarge the present plant.

A report has reached this column that some of the boys down at the railroad shops have been criticized for allowing eight or ten of the Mexican shop employees sign the petition recently presented to the city commission asking that bond issues be submitted to a vote of the people.

A number of the shopmen, we understand, signed this petition. It is our information that the Mexicans who signed it are taxpaying, qualified voters of the city. It strikes us that since those shop boys work with the Mexicans they ought to know whether they are good citizens. The very fact that they own property and pay poll taxes is to believe they are not average run of Mexican people—that they have a right to all the municipal improvements, especially when they are well-educated enough to know what is proposed and what is needed.

We're not running a pro-Mexican column and in fact favor restriction of Mexican immigration. But this report struck us as a bit unfair to the white men who signed the petition, not to speak of the few Mexican citizens.

J. C. McKinnon Funeral Set For Saturday Here

Final arrangements for the funeral of John Calvin McKinnon, 73, one-time resident of this locality, who died in San Antonio early on Thursday morning, have been announced by members of the family who arrived here from San Antonio Friday morning.

The funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday in the chapel of the Charles Eberley funeral home, where the body is being prepared for burial. Rev. W. G. Bailey, pastor of the Methodist church, will have charge of services, assisted by Mrs. Charles Morris, who will lead the song service. Interment will be in the Masonic cemetery.

Mr. McKinnon was born in Alabama in 1856 and was 73 years old at the time of death. He had been a resident of West Texas a number of years previous to moving to San Antonio to make his home. A number of relatives reside in Big Spring and vicinity.

In addition to his widow, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth McKinnon, he leaves the following children: Mrs. J. T. Red, of Beaton; J. M. McKinnon, of the El Paso community; Miss Maggie McKinnon, of San Antonio; and the following who reside here: Mrs. J. H. Stewart, 7; J. C. McKinnon, 7; M. McKinnon, Mrs. E. C. Dunsen, J. F. McKinnon, Mrs. E. H. Dunsen, Mrs. Kelly Dunsen and a sister, Mrs. Mary Hancock, of Dallas.

LIONS HEAR VALENTINE DAY TALK

Blankenship Speaks On Lincoln; Club Favors Carnival

The memory of St. Valentine was commemorated in a brief history at the Lions Club regular weekly meeting held Friday noon in the basement of the First Christian church.

B. T. Cardwell, who had charge of the program traced the practice of exchanging Valentines on Feb. 14 back to St. Valentine, who was executed in Rome because he refused to abandon the Christian faith and return to paganism.

W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of Big Spring schools, talked before the Lions on the life of Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday was celebrated Wednesday. Mr. Blankenship gave a brief outline of Lincoln's life and told of the numerous reversals Lincoln met in his early political life and how his character is truly reflected in his later achievements.

The Lions Club placed its official approval on the spring festival that will be staged in Big Spring under auspices of the Women's Federation and agreed to assist the sponsors in any way possible. Chris Ming, manager of the Kiwanis minstrel that was staged here several weeks ago, briefly outlined plans for the festival and said that 50,000 people from this section of West Texas will probably be attracted to Big Spring during the week.

Visitors at the club luncheon Friday were W. J. Webster, District Attorney George Mahon, District Judge Frits R. Smith, Ben Ely of Dallas and Bob Eycatt.

Former Garza County Banker Arranges Bond

LUBBOCK, Texas, Feb. 14 (AP)—J. M. Pope, former Garza county banker, was free on bond today for the second time on charges growing out of the closing of the bank of Southland Dec. 2.

Through his attorney, Pope made bond of \$2,000 last night in each of six cases charging acceptance of deposits in a bank he was alleged to have known was insolvent. Bond in these cases was reduced yesterday from \$10,000 to \$2,000 in each case.

Pope previously was freed on \$7,500 bail on a charge of theft by bail.

Leader Of Auto Theft Ring Believed Taken

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 14 (AP)—E. W. Gore was held today under \$7,500 bond at Coleman, near here, charged with violation of the national motor vehicle theft act. He was arrested by Sheriff Frank Mills on request of federal agents.

Mills said federal agents had been working several months investigating an automobile theft ring which operated through the southwest from Texas to California and that two other arrests had been made. W. E. Rowell at Abilene and Coleman Armstrong at Clovis, New Mexico, Mills said the ring maintained a string of stations across the southwest, through which stolen cars were passed.

Eubanks Returns From Capital City

L. A. Eubanks has returned from Austin, where he attended a meeting of district representatives of retail credit bureaus in Texas. The meeting was for the purpose of discussing plans and policies of the bureaus in Texas cities during 1930.

The Weather

West Texas: Partly cloudy to night and Saturday.

Mass Meeting For Discussing Affairs Of City Is Called

Handbills announcing a citizens' mass meeting for this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the district court room were distributed in the city Friday morning. The announcement on the leaflets invited all citizens, both men and women, to attend, adding that the conference was to deal with city affairs now before the people. Something like 100 voters signed a petition calling the meeting. It was declared.

"Pro-administration voters as well as citizens ticket voters are welcome. Time will be divided between the two groups for a general discussion of city affairs," were words appearing on the handbills.

Knott Made Independent School Unit

Last steps necessary to making the Knott school district an independent unit were effected Tuesday in a meeting of the Howard county school trustees with the trustees from Martin county. The meeting was held in Stanton when the following Howard county members met with the Martin county group: Tom Ashley, J. A. Bishop, Sam Little and Miss Pauline Cantrell, superintendent of the county schools and secretary to the board. A group of seven trustees will be elected for the new independent school Feb. 28, when all qualified voters will meet in an election in Knott, Miss Cantrell said.

Midnight Show Program Framed

Plans for a special midnight musical minstrel performance Tuesday, Feb. 25, at the Ritz theatre, were announced here Thursday by Chris Ming, director of the City Federation of the projected six-day festival to be given here in May.

Two acts, a musical comedy entitled "Inside In," featuring Ray Simmons as Archibald Doolittle, a hotel clerk, assisted by a selected cast of men and girls, including a chorus of 20, and the second a night club scene, will be presented. Act two will feature Grady Gilder's 11-piece dance orchestra, from Hotel Lubbock. There will also be a cast of 50, including blackface waiters and guests. Songs, dances and comedy will be presented in this act.

Proceeding the midnight show there will be an invitation dance at the Casino, featuring Gilder's orchestra. Proceeds from the dance and show will be devoted to paying preliminary expenses of the May celebration.

Local Women Aid Midland In New Organization

In answer to an invitation from a group of Midland clubwomen, a committee of members of the Big Spring City Federation met in conference in Midland Wednesday, with a view to aiding Midland women to form a federation of women's clubs, similar to the local organization.

Ladies from here who attended the Midland conference included Mrs. E. O. Ellington, president of the city federation; Miss Verbona Barnes, Mrs. F. F. Gary, Mrs. Shine Phillips and Mrs. L. L. Freeman. Mrs. Paul Vickers, of Midland, presided over the meeting, in which methods of effecting a federation were discussed. Many courtesies were extended Big Spring ladies while in Midland, among them a luncheon in the Beharbauer hotel, at which about 25 Midland clubwomen were present.

SALVATION ARMY NOW IN PERMANENT LOCATION
Salvation Army headquarters have been established here by Capt. E. J. Scott and Mrs. Scott at 1301 Young street. The telephone number is 1071.

SNYDER IS FIRST FOE OF STEERS

Colorado And Roby Meet In Opening Contest

Probably the feature game of the district basketball tournament, which opened in Big Spring Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, will be played tonight at 7:30 o'clock between Snyder's Tigers and the Big Spring Steers.

Colorado, Mitchell county representative, and Roby of Fisher county, blasted the lid from the first district basketball tournament to be held in Big Spring. A parade through the business dis-

COLORADO WINS
The Colorado Wolves defeated Roby Lions 45 to 27 in the first game of the western division district tournament which opened in Big Spring Friday afternoon. Colorado will meet the winner of the Snyder-Big Spring game Saturday morning.

trict of Big Spring at noon Friday was the first official tournament entertainment. The high school band, boys and girls' pep squads and approximately 50 cars formed the procession advertising the sport meet.

Due to the fact that only six teams were on hand for the drawings, one game Friday night was eliminated from the original schedule. Big Spring's Steers and Snyder's Tigers, the team that has two victories over Abilene to its credit, will furnish the feature and only entertainment for cage fans Friday night at 7:30 o'clock. Both clubs were pre-tournament favorites and the Friday night game will eliminate one of the two major contenders. With either Snyder or Big Spring definitely out of the picture, Roby is considered the only tournament contender. The Snyder-Steer tilt, competition team capable of giving winner of the title.

The third game of the tournament will be played at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning in which Divide, winner of the Nolan county championship, will tangle with Odessa's club representing Ector county. Girard, winner of the Kent county club title, sent a message to tournament officials that its team will be unable to participate.

At 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning and the Big Spring-Snyder struggle will tangle. The western division district championship game will be played Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Big Spring high school gymnasium.

Oil Field Worker Injured Seriously

Rudy Moseley, employe of the Continental Oil company, sustained a serious head injury Thursday when struck by a mechanical device in the field. He was brought to a local hospital where he has received treatment for concussion of the brain, a broken nose and a fractured jaw bone. His condition is reported by attending physicians as being fairly satisfactory.

Water Department Figures

Net surplus of the city water department for 1929, based on the number of consumers served and the volume of collections made during 1929 will be \$9,717.34 and that sum will be all that will be available for emergencies and depreciation of the department's properties, said City Manager V. R. Smithman Friday morning.

Quoting actual figures from the city's books, Mr. Smithman cited the following for the purpose of acquainting the people with financial condition of the water department:

Total collections from all sources during 1929	5102,587.24
Budget requirements for operation of the department during 1929	345,000
Total necessary for interest and sinking funds for the department	100,000
Sum of two items immediately above, which represent total operating	345,000
Less maintenance, interest and sinking fund	100,000
Net balance of total collections above the expenses listed immediately above	505,737.34
Reduction in collections being caused by raising the minimum monthly water consumption from 2,000 to 2,500 gallons before additional charge of forty cents per thousand gallons is made	11,330
(Based on the present number of consumers, 1929)	
Net surplus is possible but not certain, says Smithman, made necessary during the year used to pay for depreciation	25,717.34

St. Valentine's Day Origin Is Martyr's Memory

BY CAROLYN EARLY

And so for Feb. 14, St. Valentine's day! The red letter day in the calendar of youth throughout Christendom, the day on which the birds wed and lovers send each other tender sentiments of youthful ardor fashioned on dainty filligrees of lace and color. This day was set aside by the early church fathers as a day of lover letters to friends in honor of the good saint whose day it bears, for St. Valentine was a man renowned for his deeds of love and charity. The day, however, was placed on the calendar of saints as a day for the expression of Christian love, instead of secular.

Who was St. Valentine? He was a bishop of Rome during the third century and is described as a man of most amiable nature and remarkable gifts of eloquence, being successful in converting pagan Romans to Christianity. And it was for this reason that he incurred the displeasure of the Emperor Marcus Aurelius Claudius, who hated and persecuted the little Christian band, even going so far as putting to death St. Valentine, whom he had beaten with clubs and then beheaded. His followers are said to have preserved his bones, which are still exhibited to the credulous traveler at the Church of St. Praxedas, in Rome, and he was still further honored by Pope Julius, who erected a church to the martyr's memory. The gate leading to it, which is now called the Porta del Popolo, was known for several centuries as Porta Valentini.

Strange to say, we celebrate the day of his death, instead of the day of his birth, for Feb. 14, 270, is the day on which he was beheaded. Archbishop Wheatly points out the festival of St. Valentine's day was originally meant as a time to express Christian love and charity, and that it is probable that a connection of name and date came from a coincidence of date only. That when the zodiac came to be placed on the calendar, St. Valentine's name was given to the day of his death, rather than the day of his birth, and this was made a festival, to offset that of the Lupercalia, on the fifteenth.

The custom of sending Valentines originated with St. Valentine's own people, the ancient Romans, and it was apparently the practice for both young men and women to write their names upon billets and place them in a receptacle, to be drawn by the opposite sex. From the continent this custom seems to have reached England and Scotland as early as 1446, and was in high favor for centuries. The man apparently had two Valentines, the maiden who drew his name and the one whose name he drew. He was privileged to dismiss himself from all obligation to the former by presenting her with a gift, but he was expected for a given length of time to devote himself to attendance on the maiden whose name he drew. An old writer remarks: "A sport which often ends in love, as might be expected." The girls of that time were probably warm advocates of the practice, for the gentlemen were expected to lavish their Valentines with gifts. The men, however, enjoyed the giving, too, for the successfully defeated the attempted refusal of the sejourning church fathers, who, from time to time, endeavored to substitute the names of saints for those of girls in the lottery. One

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State Comptroller Is Accused



Recent reports by the state auditor have resulted in filing charges of impeachment with the lower house of the state legislature against Sam Houston Terrell, above, state comptroller and member of a family long prominently and honorably identified with official life of Texas. The auditor's report was that something like \$200,000 in funds entrusted to Terrell were "unaccounted for." The house, organized as a committee of the whole, will begin considering the charges Monday. Terrell's attorneys asked delay until then that public accountants retained by Terrell might furnish a check of his office.

FOUR DEATHS RESULT FROM ROAD CRASH

BROTHER OF RENOWNED U. S. MARINE COMMANDER ONE OF VICTIMS

MINERAL WELLS, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP)—Four persons, including a brother of Maj. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, were dead today as a result of an automobile accident here.

Horace Butler, 37, Carrie Lee May, 4, Lawrence Bertino, 26.

The girl was in front of the Butler car, driven by Sam Butler, who swerved his automobile in an attempt to avoid striking her and crashed into the Bertino automobile.

Horace Butler and the girl were killed instantly. Mr. and Mrs. Bertino died in a hospital later.

Molly Gaszoi, sister of Mrs. Bertino, was injured seriously. Sam Butler was expected to recover.

Butler's body was sent to the family home in Westchester, Pa. today. Mrs. Butler and two friends accompanied it. The party will be met in St. Louis tomorrow by Maj. Gen. Butler.

Two Louisiana Banks Fail To Open Doors

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 14 (AP)—The Exchange National bank and the Exchange Bank and Trust company, which had been in business here more than 10 years, failed to open today. Notices posted on the institution's front door read: "Business suspended by order of the board of directors, pending reorganization."

Mrs. G. Martinez Succumbs Here

Funeral services for Mrs. Graciela Martinez, who died in her home in the north section of the city at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning, will be held at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with Father Theo Francis of the Catholic church, in charge.

Lusia Rangel, 22 Claimed By Death

Lusia Rangel, 22, daughter of Antonio Rangel, died in the family home early Friday morning. Funeral services have been announced for 6 o'clock Friday evening, with Father Theo Francis in charge. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Inspector For State IS VISITOR

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William O'Keefe, 80, Pioneer of City Dies In El Paso

Death of William O'Keefe, 80, brother of Mr. William Hayden of Big Spring, occurred at the home of his son, Dan O'Keefe, 810 East River street, El Paso, Friday morning, his relatives here were informed.

Mr. O'Keefe came to Big Spring in 1880 soon after the Texas & Pacific railway reached this point and was well and favorably known as one of the men who helped establish the city. His death followed brief illness from pneumonia, although he had been in failing health several years. Mr. O'Keefe resided here until six years ago.

He was engaged for many years as a boilermaker in the railroad shops here. Twenty-two years ago a bit of steel, lodged in his eye, caused blindness.

Besides his widow and his sister here, who also is one of the early settlers, Mr. O'Keefe is survived by two children, Dan of El Paso and Tom of Fort Worth; three sisters residing in Ohio and a brother, John O'Keefe of Tucson, Arizona.

Funeral services will be held in El Paso Monday. Relatives from Big Spring, as well as several friends, plan attending the rites.

George Washington Bridge Tournery Federation Event

A George Washington bridge tournament will be held by the City Federation next Friday afternoon, according to an announcement made today by federation members.

Infant Of Forsan Couple Interred

Bedside prayer was said at 5 o'clock this afternoon for the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Henson, of Forsan, with Rev. W. G. Bailey, pastor of the Methodist church, in charge. Interment was to be in the New Mt. Olive cemetery. The baby died early this morning.

COUNCIL TO MEET
The home demonstration council of Howard county women's clubs will be held in the office of Mrs. Louisa B. Allgood, home demonstrator, at 6 o'clock Saturday, according to Mrs. Allgood.

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"Your present plant consists of an old, round Embaff tank and a sludge bed," said Hargis, who had inspected it during the morning. "The plant is of an old design not used nowadays and is very inefficient. In the first place, it was designed for a city of not more than 7,500 persons, if that many. You really are violating the stream pollution act by putting this sewerage into a stream in the condition in which it is being allowed to flow down an open stream bed."

Continuing, Mr. Hargis said: "The location of your plant is too near the city. It can never be operated well because there is no method of disposing of the sludge. This inability to dispose of sludge arises from the fact that underground water stands barely under the surface and so long as that condition exists you will be unable to pump off the solids and that's what you have a disposal plant for."

"If the only problem was to get rid of the water in such a way as not to be offensive or dangerous to the public health, it could be an easy matter. The water could be chlorinated. But, under present local conditions, sewerage cannot be given a complete treatment. There is not enough fall from the level of the plant, and besides the ground water makes efficient operation not possible."

Too Small
"The sewer lines leading to the plant are entirely too small to care for present needs of the city. This causes sewer stoppage and overflow of manholes along the open ditch. The present necessity of pumping the untreated sewerage on down the stream bed, past the disposal plant, is inefficient and inefficient. And it also is costly. You have to have a man there to attend to the pump, and I am informed, the power bill for operating this pump is something like \$100 monthly."

"If you could build a gravity flow plant, so that pumping sewerage into it and out of it would not be necessary, operation cost would be cut to practically nothing."

"It is very doubtful that the state health department would approve of any plan for additional sewerage treatment facilities at the site of the present plant. This approval would be necessary before such improvements could be made."

The best solution for Big Spring is a new, larger gravity flow disposal plant more distant from the city."

It was learned from the city manager that an additional disposal plant is being installed at the disposal plant to pump sludge from the present Embaff tank into an open ditch located on the V. & P. (Continued On Page 10)



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KNOTT, Feb. 13.—An anniversary program will be given at the regular meeting of the P. T. A. at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. A large attendance of school patrons is urged, as important school problems will come up for consideration.

The Home Demonstration club will meet with Mrs. O. B. Gaskin next Tuesday afternoon.

The following pupils were honor students in Mrs. Lumpkin's room the last month: Billie Hardin, Evelyn Sample, Thelma Newcomer, Robert Cliek, Paul Turner and M. A. Millam.

Miss Miller was ill Monday and Miss McGregor taught the room. Mrs. Jack Nichols substituted for Miss McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Greer were hosts at a "41" party Thursday evening with the following as guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spaulding, Walter Spaulding and Miss Minnie Belle Page.

J. A. Ratliff and family visited Max Williams and family at Water Valley Sunday. Mr. Williams was principal of the Knott school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips were Lamesa visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spaulding are moving to the farm formerly occupied by Sumner Shaw and will farm the Shaw crops this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Spaulding and baby, of Ryan, Okla., are visiting Mr. Spaulding's brother, J. C. Spaulding, and family here this week.

Miss Edna McGregor, teacher in the Conhoma schools, visited the homefolks last week.

Henry Thomas and Miss Willie Petus were quietly married in a pretty ceremony in the home of the bride's parents in the Brown community Sunday. Rev. J. L. Davis read the wedding ceremony. The bride is the attractive daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Petus and the bridegroom is a prosperous farmer of the Highway community. They will live on the Little farm in the Highway community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Center and son, Nile, of Elbow, and Price Betty and Mr. Crockett, of Big Spring, attended church here in the tabernacle Sunday.

Rev. J. L. Davis preached to a good sized congregation in the tabernacle at 11 o'clock Sunday. There were no church services on Sunday evening, because of lack of heat.

Among those who attended the basketball tourney in Big Spring Saturday were Gerland and Marvin Wood, Mrs. Jack Olson, Mrs. Ernest Greer, Mr. Lumpkin, Miss Altona Miller, J. E. Clarence, Albert, Mrs. L. E. Castle and son, Hughey, Lloyd Nichols and others.

The R-Bar basket ball team played Knott here Thursday, the visitors being defeated.

John Bruyen and family, of Elbow, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Bruyen's father, Howard Gregory, and her sister, Mrs. R. L. Anderson.

Mrs. Ernest Greer is planning a Valentine party for Saturday evening.

The gins were in operation almost all day Saturday. Two bales of cotton caught fire at the community gin Saturday, one of them being totally destroyed.

Jim Roberts has been confined to his bed for several days.

Monroe Shorten, student, is able to be up again after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Nichols are the happy parents of a boy. Both mother and baby are doing nicely in a Big Spring sanitarium.

Thelma Lee Anderson was the guest of Mattie Mae Long Wednesday evening.

Albert Hardin, of Odessa, visited his brother here, J. O. Hardin, on Thursday.

Mrs. M. G. Martin returned Thursday from Arlington, where she was called by the illness of her father.

Mrs. J. A. Boykin and sons, Zolie and Ross left today for Fort Worth to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

STANTON NEWS

Hughie Woody, of Midland, has purchased the barber shop and the equipment of Lynn Watson and has taken over the business. He was formerly connected with the Scharbauer barber shop of Midland.

W. H. Rogers is planning the erection of several brick rent houses in South Stanton. He is making the brick himself.

The Stanton Study club met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Rushing. An excellent program was given, including a talk by Hilton Katerell, of the high school, on "Texas Rangers." The topic for the day was "Eminent Men of Texas." Mrs. Robert W. Hamilton will entertain the club February 20.

The last meeting of the Kongenial Kard Klub was held at the home of Mrs. Raymond Reed. Mrs. Ed Wilkerson won high score and Miss Vera Adams held low score. At the close of the afternoon the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Berna Ray, served a delicious midday plate to the following visitors: Mesdames Moffett, Bart Smith, Guy Baumgartner and Miss Willie Epley and Vera Adams and the following club members: Mesdames Morgan Hall, Sharp, Dale Kelly, Ed Wilkerson, Gilbert Graves and

John Cox was a business visitor in Midland Saturday.

Ed Cross attended the rodeo in Midland Friday.

C. A. Glaser announced his candidacy for county judge in the coming primary. He has resided in Martin county for 23 years and has held the office of county judge for one term.

Mrs. Nell Casey has announced

her candidacy for re-election to the office of county treasurer, subject to the democratic primary in July.

Mrs. Casey has been a resident of Martin county for 14 years and has held the office of county treasurer the past term.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tode Houston was taken to a Big Spring hospital Wednesday to receive treatment for pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Williamson were called to Snyder last week by the death of Mrs. Williamson's father.

Miss Faye Smith, teacher near Patricia, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bart Smith, her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Murphy left for Lamesa last week to make their home.

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What Congress Is Doing

Friday

Senate—Resumes debate on tariff bill.

House—Takes up independent offices appropriations bill under five-minute rule.

Expenditures committee continues hearing on bill to increase salaries of assistant heads of executive departments.

Thursday

Senate—Confirmed nomination of Charles Evans Hughes as chief justice by vote of 82 to 26.

House—Completed general debate on independent offices appropriations bill.

Interstate commerce commission approved miscellaneous bridge bill. Judiciary committee took additional testimony supporting proposal to repeal or amend eighteenth amendment.

Post office committee held hearing on Hoag bill to grant additional compensation to substitute post office clerks and letter carriers.

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Here are hats suitable for the South and early Spring the advance modes that have established the millinery mode. Scores of new styles, made of fine new straws that drape graciously into the soft folds and lines of the season's trend. Off the face, drooping brim, long side lines and wide vagabond models in black and new high shades.—Attractive Prices.

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Abraham Lincoln's First Address

On Feb. 13 each year, many of us, especially those connected with the educational institutions, pause in the day's work to do homage to America's great commoner, Abraham Lincoln, the Civil War president. Most people are familiar with his Gettysburg address, but his first public speech is not so well known. It is given below. (This is taken from an address to the people of Sangamon county, Illinois, at New Salem, March 9, 1832.)

"Every man is said to have his peculiar ambition. Whether it be true or not, I can say, for one, that I have no other so great as that of being truly esteemed by my fellow men, by rendering myself worthy of their esteem. How far I shall succeed in gratifying this ambition is yet to be developed, I am young and unknown to many of you. I was born, and have ever remained, in the most humble walks of life. I have no wealth or popular relations or friends to recommend me. My case is thrown exclusively upon the independent voters of the country; and, if elected, they will have conferred a favor upon me for which I shall be unremitting in my labors to compensate. But, if the good people in their wisdom shall see fit to keep me in the background, I have been too familiar with disappointment to be very much chagrined."

Some golden words of America's great commoner, Abraham Lincoln:

"Gold is good in its place, but living brave and patriotic men are better than gold."

"No men living are more worthy to be trusted than those who toil from poverty."

"Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we understand it."

"If a man is honest in his mind you are pretty safe in trusting him."

"People who tell what they do not know to be true, falsify as much as those who knowingly tell falsehoods."

"With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right as God gives us to see the right; let us strive on to finish the work we are in."

"I want to conduct the affairs of the presidency in such a way that when I lay down my office, if I have no other friends, I can at least be friends with the man down inside of me."

February Birthdays

- Feb. 4—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh.
- Feb. 7—Charles Dickens.
- Feb. 8—General Sherman.
- Feb. 11—Thomas A. Edison.
- Feb. 12—Abraham Lincoln.
- Feb. 12—Gen. Robert E. Lee.
- Feb. 14—St. Valentine's day.
- Feb. 22—George Washington.
- Feb. 22—James Russell Lowell.
- Feb. 27—Henry W. Longfellow.

World To Drill Third Test McDowell Land

World Oil company has staked location for its third well in the McDowell pool of northwestern Glasscock county, it was reported in Big Spring Thursday morning. The well will be drilled in the southeast corner of the west half of the northeast quarter of section 21, block 34, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, and will be two locations south and one east of its No. C-1 McDowell, the original producing well in the region.

NEW YORK—Anybody may have a certain \$50 bill who can pick it up without causing an invisible ray to set off an alarm. The bill is in an unlocked safe. Let a shadow cross the ray and a photo-electric eye rings a gong. A demonstration was given by illuminating engineers.

Personally Speaking

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith have as guest Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. R. D. Smith of Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eddy left Friday morning for a visit in Hobbs, N. M.

M. B. Showalter is spending the week-end in the city.

Ed Werila of Midland has returned home after spending Thursday transacting business here.

Mrs. T. E. Baker returned this morning from a visit in Dallas.

A. R. Anderson and D. E. Luckey of the Texas Electric Service company spent Friday in Midland.

J. D. Boykin is in Dallas looking after business interests.

Secret Practice

The football game was over. And before the parlor grate A maiden and her player Were lingering rather late.

They talked of plays and pames, And the boys of gridiron fame, Jill Cupid donned a nose-guard And broke into the game.

He lined that couple up, And made them toe the mark; And soon he had them going, With a scrimmage in the dark.

The game began in silence, And the play was rather tame. Till the fellow took a notion That a kiss should end the game.

He proceeded then to try one, Just an amateur affair, But he lost it on a fumble, And kissed, instead, the air.

And then he tried another, This time he chalked a score, For he made a thrilling touchdown Where twice he'd failed before.

As they sat there silent still, Communing soul and soul, The parlor door swung open And father kicked a goal.

California And Lockhart Stake Test Locations

Lockhart and company and California Oil company are moving materials into Loving county for two offset locations to Independent Oil and Gas company's No. 1 Wheat, which, about a month ago, extended the Loving county deep high gravity sweet oil production one mile east.

California's northwest offset to the extension well will be No. 1 J. G. Allen, 330 feet from the southeast and southwest lines of section 90, block 1, W. & N. W. Ry. Co. survey. California owns the entire section except the northeast quarter. Its southwest offset will be No. 1 Reagan and Melvain, 330 feet from the northeast and northwest lines of section 84, block 1, W. & N. W. Ry. Co. survey.

Lockhart and company's No. 3 Bowen and Wells will be the west offset to Independent's No. 1 Wheat located 330 feet from the northeast and southeast lines of section 92, block 1, W. & N. W. Ry. Co. survey.

During 24 hours ending last Sunday morning, it flowed 296 barrels through tubing. The well topped pay at 4,311 feet and is 4,318 feet total depth. Location of the extension well is 330 feet out of the west corner of section 85, block 1, W. & N. W. Ry. Co. survey.

Jones County Sheriff Association Head

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP).—Tom Hudson, Jones county sheriff, was elected president of the West Texas Sheriffs' association here today. W. B. Bingham, Stone-wall county sheriff, was chosen vice-president, and Mrs. Joe L. Ray, Dawson county sheriff, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Mutual Aid Moves To Fisher Building

Headquarters of the Big Spring Mutual Aid Association have been moved from the Petroleum Building to 208 Lester Fisher building, according to Nat Shick, secretary-treasurer.

LONGVIEW—Timber crop pays Gregg County more than \$1,000,000.

CENTER—Building program to be sponsored by local Rotary Club.

Georgia has 9,713,324 peach trees.

ADMIT SLAYING CHILD
WOOSTER, Ohio, Feb. 14 (AP).—Assistant Prosecutor Walter Mungue announced today that Earl Condit, former railroad brakeman, and Charles Hanna, of Wooster, had signed statements blaming each other for slaying four-year-old Melvin Horst, missing from Orrville since Dec. 27, 1928.

VALENTINE DANCE
The 300 invitations to the Valentine dance at the Casino Friday evening were sent out by the new telegraphic invitation service. Invitations were also sent out to persons in Colorado, Lamesa and Midland.

A large crowd is expected to attend the event at the Casino this evening.

FALFURRIAS—New well drilled to supply city's future growth.

VAN—Electric lights now available here.

FRESH dressed catfish with heads off—Friday and Saturday, Pickle's White House No. 2, at Coleman Camp, Phone 228.—adv.

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All Shapes
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VEGETABLE PREPARATION NEXT TOPIC

Waffle omelet, waffles, and French toast with crisp bacon were among the recipes received this week which Big Spring ladies use in preparing delicious Sunday morning breakfasts for their families.

Spring Approaches

Spring is almost here and more and more vegetables of all types will be found on the shelves of the local markets and grocery stores. Next week we want unusual ways of preparing fresh vegetables into appetizing dishes. Vegetables are healthful and we should eat more of them. Perhaps new ways of preparing them will lead to a more general use of them. Write your description of your way of preparing some particular vegetable that is on the market now. If your way is published, you will receive a check for \$1.

The winning recipes today are:

WAFFLE OMELET

By Mrs. A. Knickerbocker

Box 1427, Big Spring

Four eggs, 5 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons melted butter, 3-4 teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons hot water.

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WATCH Repairing

For 2-3 years I was watch repair man for George Wilke in the location where I now conduct my own business.

Theron Hicks
Jeweler

Douglas Hotel Bldg.

Beat yolks until thick. Add salt and pepper to flour and blend with hot water. Add butter and mix well. Fold in stiffly beaten whites and bake in pre-heated waffle iron. This recipe makes three bakings.

FRENCH TOAST—CRISP BACON

Mrs. P. N. Allen

Box 442, Big Spring

One-half cup milk, 1 egg, bread in slices one-half inch thick. Beat egg well and add milk. Into this dip bread and fry in hot fat. Serve hot with powdered sugar. Into the same hot fat, after toast is removed, place strips of sliced bacon and cook until it is crisp and well browned. Strawberry preserves will add to this appetizing dish for Sunday morning breakfast.

WAFFLES

Mrs. E. Ryan

1311 Runnels

Two cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 eggs, 1-2 cups

RICH'S Beauty Parlor
Special for this week only:
EUGENE PERMANENTS \$5.00

LESLIE THOMAS Barber Shop
"It Pays To Look Well"
215 Runnels St.

Special Notice

to all those who paid in on school block of land in Jones Addition, said block of land belonging to W. H. Howell. Said land was rejected by School Board and I am authorized by W. H. Howell to refund all just claims.

H. B. Arnold

1305 W. 5th

Commercial Club Postal Visitors

The commercial club of the Big Spring high school were guests of

milk, 1-3 cup melted fat or oil.

Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add milk and the eggs which have been beaten together. Beat in the shortening and fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into hot waffle iron and bake until it stops steaming. (Mrs. Ryan adds that waffles baked by this recipe will not stick to the waffle iron.)

TRIED ALL KINDS OF LAXATIVES

Kellogg's ALL-BRAN Gave Only Permanent Relief

As everybody knows, the market is flooded with cathartics, pills and patent compounds for the relief of constipation. At best, whatever results are obtained are temporary. Besides, there is the danger in certain drugs and the habit-forming menace.

Mr. F. M. Fisher, 517 Olive Street, Scranton, Pa., has something to say on this subject which will be interesting to all constipation sufferers. He says:

"For many years I suffered from constipation and used for relief all kinds of laxatives. After a few days' treatment, I would only find my condition the same as before and at times worse."

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- POINTED Meat, 6 cans for 25c
- LUNCHEON Spread, can 9c
- TABLE Peaches, No. 1 Can 20c
- BEST Label Table Peaches, 2 1/2 can 30c
- FOWLER'S Peaches, 2 1/2 can 20c
- WAMBA Coffee, 3-lb can \$1.35
- TOILET Soap (with bath cloth) 2 bars 20c
- WRIGHT'S Mayonnaise, pint 40c
- SOUR Pickles, good grade 25c
- GREEN Gage Plums, 2 1/2 can 25c
- WAPCO Coffee, 3-lb can \$1.15
- 1-lb can 40c
- VERMONT Maid Syrup, 12-oz can 30c

MEAT SPECIALS (while they last)

- BABY Beef Chuck Roast, lb 20c
- BABY Beef Flat Rib Roast, lb 15c
- ARMOUR'S Star Ham, half or whole, lb 32c

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Furniture refinishing, upholstery, painting and repairing. Spot cash and quick action for used furniture.
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WASH today, wash today in your home. We have a \$165 Apex Electric Washing Machine that has never been used and which we will sell for \$125. Deal here; terms to respectable people. Western Hardware Co., 295 W. 4th.

D. B. DENNIS, dealer in used furniture. I buy, sell and exchange. 1103 W. 3rd St. or phone 794 and we will be at your service.

Livestock and Pets 20

FOR SALE: Two good Jersey 2-Jersey bulls; 19-month old; in about three weeks. J. H. Butler, 15 miles west 5 miles north on Stanton Star Rd.

Poultry & Supplies 21

S. C. WHITE, LESSON baby chicks \$12 per 100; hatching eggs, 75c for 15; order by direct order in advance. Mrs. E. L. Parish, Rt. 1, Box 61.

Exchange 24

WANT to trade a used car for good lot in Coahoma; advise location of lot and price. Address: Box 49-A, care of Herald, Big Spring.

WILL trade car for good suburban filling station. Advise location. Address: Box 48-A, care of Herald.

FOR SALE—24 thoroughbred White Leghorn pullets; 19-month old; English strain; all laying; price \$2.00 each. Phone 770 or 1247-J.

RENTALS

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NICE bedroom with all conveniences. 506 1-2 Bell or Phone 836-J.

NICELY furnished bedroom, adjoining bath; all conveniences in room; gentlemen only. Phone 712.

TWO bedrooms; modern, conveniences; hot and cold water; connecting bath; board if desired. 509 Johnson. Phone 1427-W.

NICELY furnished bedroom in new brick home; private entrance; modern bath; also brick garage. Apply 1200 Main or Phone 522-J.

BEDROOM with all conveniences; new furniture; one or two gentlemen preferred. Six blocks from town. 611 Ayford or Phone 559.

NICELY furnished bedroom with all conveniences. Phone 210-J.

BEDROOM for rent; 504 E. 2nd St. or Phone 575.

BEDROOM in modern home, for couple; next to bath; private entrance; use of kitchen and dining room if desired. Apply 402 State St.

BEDROOM—nicely furnished; two, and one-half blocks of court house; gas heat. 306 Lancaster.

TWO nice clean bedrooms; adjoining bath; in modern home; close in; gentlemen preferred. \$15.00 each per month. 595 Johnson or phone 1190-J.

LARGE upstairs bedroom; convenient to bath; hot and cold water; close in; prefer one or two gentlemen; garage if necessary. 597 Rannels or Phone 1190-W.

BEDROOM, modern; clean bed; gas heat; hot and cold water. 1001 Main St. or Phone 627-W. Mrs. W. H. Morris.

Rooms & Board 29

NICE ROOM AND BOARD. Plenty of gas and hot water; very reasonable. 1410 Main or phone 692-J.

House 30

WELL located 4-room house for rent or sale. FLEWELLEN & HATCH, phone 61, W. T. Nat'l. Bank Bldg.

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TWO-ROOM unfurnished house; all modern conveniences. Apply 712 Abram or phone 301.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished house; with all conveniences. Apply 507 Bell.

SIX-room house for rent very reasonable. Phone 752 or see Elmo Watson.

FIVE-room house, all modern conveniences; \$10.00 per month. Phone 812.

Duplexes 31

MODERN 2-room furnished duplex with sleeping porch and private bath; garage; close in. Apply 601 Gregg.

FOR RENT: 2-room stucco duplex; all built in features and modern in every respect. Call at 303 E. 3rd or phone 1233.

Farms & Ranches 32

FARM FOR RENT: 6 miles west of Big Spring on Bankhead Highway; good for poultry farm; convenient to town and market; cash rent. Address Mrs. Allison, 2721 Wyoming St., El Paso, Texas.

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I am interested in the city-wide celebration to be sponsored here soon by the City Federation and wish to suggest the following as an appropriate name for it:

This enters me in the contest for the \$25 cash prize.

(Signed) _____
Name _____
Street or Box _____
City _____ State _____

MARKETS

BOSTON WOOL
BOSTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Territory wools of 48 50s quality are fairly active. Sales are being closed quite freely at 65 cents secured basis, for average lines strictly combing staple. Current offerings: realigned prices 1 to 2 cents higher. Sizeable quantities 64s and finer wools graded and original bag lines are being sold at steady prices.

TEXAS SPOTS
DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP)—Spot cotton middling, 15.25c; Houston, 15.90c; Galveston, 16.00c.

COTTON FUTURES
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14 (AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net advance of 7/16 to 3/16 points.

	High	Low	Close	Pr. Cl.
March	15.66	15.43	15.58	15.49
May	15.92	15.68	15.83	15.72
July	16.15	15.99	16.06	15.97
October	16.33	16.09	16.22	16.12
December	16.41	16.11	16.38	16.31

Opening: March, 15.90c; May, 15.84c; July, 15.84c; October, 16.23c; December, 16.41c.

FORT WORTH GRAIN
FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP)—Wheat was lower on the cash grain market today. Exporters were reported doing a little business with grain already at Galveston on a basis of \$1.21 for ordinary grain delivered on track at that port, but with millers bidding \$1.23 for ordinary hard red wheat, no export bids are being put out. Offerings of sorghums were very light and more could be handled at this market. Oats slow sale; red oats slightly lower. Bids and offers, basis carload delivered, freight paid to T. C. F.

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RENTALS

Apartment 26

MODERN APARTMENTS

Two-rooms, furnished; hot and cold water. EXCESS of gas.

CAMP DINIE

THREE-room unfurnished apartment; all modern conveniences; garage; close in. Apply 1001 Place and Austin St. Phone 264.

THREE-room furnished apartment; close in; 500; 2-room furnished house \$30; 2-room furnished apartment \$25. HARVEY L. HIX, Phone 309—Hess, 309.

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BOSTON WOOL
BOSTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—The Commercial Bulletin, of Boston, tomorrow will say:
There is a stronger tone in the wool market again this week, and prices for wool in this market are rather against the buyer. Demand was centered especially on fine and fine medium wools, both for the worsted manufacturers and the top makers. Foreign markets are distinctly stronger. Mohair is fairly steady at around

cents for original Texas hair.
Quotations: Scoured bulk Texas—Fine 12 months (collected) 70-72; fine short 12 months, 73-75; fine 8 months, 69-71.
Mohair: Domestic—Good original bag Texas spring, 50-52; good original Texas kid, 43-45.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP) (U. S. D. A.)—Hogs—Receipts 1,300; steady to \$1.00 lower; rail top \$10.50 for medium to good butchers; truck top \$10.00.

Cattle and Calves—Receipts, 1,700; steady; plain fed steers, 25.75 a10.00; top yearlings, \$8.00a8.50; others, \$10.50 and less; cows, on load, \$7.10; butchers, \$8.00a8.50; choice stock steers, \$11.50; heavy slaughter calves, \$10.75a11.00.

Sheep—Receipts 77; steady to strong; lambs, \$9.25; feeder lambs up to \$8.75.

Announcements

The following candidates announce for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 26, 1930:

For County Superintendent: PAULINE CANTRELL

For Sheriff and Tax Collector, Howard County: JESS SLAUGHTER

For County Judge: H. E. DEBENPORT

For County Attorney: JAMES LITTLE JOHN G. WHITAKER

For County Treasurer: E. G. FOWLER

Candidate for Congress, 16th Dist.: E. E. (Pat) MURPHY

For Justice of Peace: CECIL C. COLLINGS

For Constable, Precinct One: JOHN WILLIAMS

For Commissioner, Precinct Number 3: J. O. ROSSER GEORGE G. WHITE

For Commissioner, Precinct Number One: O. C. BAYES

For Commissioner, Precinct Number 2: PETE JOHNSON CHARLIE ROBINSON

For Commissioner, Precinct Number Four: W. B. SNEED

For District Attorney: GEORGE H. MAHON

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Dinner For Visitor At Crawford

Complimentary to Mrs. Sidney Van Zandt of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ora Estes-Johnson and Miss Estelle Hutto were joint hostesses to her at a lovely dinner Wednesday evening in a suite of rooms in the Crawford hotel.

Observant of the season of St. Valentine, the dinner table was appropriately centered with a group of red and white carnations arranged prettily in a Valentine basket. Baskets of red and white flowers were arranged attractively about the rooms. Place cards were lace-frilled Valentines.

Music was given during the dinner period, and guests were entertained with a group of readings by 'Little Miss Charlene Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Johnson. A group of dainty gifts to the honor guest was brought in by the child.

The guest list follows: Misses Bernice Duncan, Pauline Sullivan, Rosaline Adams, Lolabel Stewart, Lois Cochran, Margon Hutto and Mesdames J. D. Biles, Steve Ford, George L. Wilke, Frank W. Jones, H. E. Awtry, C. D. Baxley, Pete Johnson, Robert Parks, Henry Carpenter, Monroe Johnson, O. Y. Miller, the honor guest and the hostesses.

Pastor And Wife Hosts To Class

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Bailey were hosts to members of the Coffee Memorial class of the Methodist church Thursday evening in the Methodist parsonage.

After an evening of games, in which Mrs. King won the prize, a delicious refreshment course with Valentine plate favors, was served to the following: Mesdames Shull, Striplin, Shaw, King, Ward, Crockett, Johnson, Talbot, Painter, Zim, True, Purser, Stolting, Edwards, Pickle, Eason, Gay and Neel.

Mrs. W. H. Ward will be hostess to the class in March. Mrs. E. O. Hardy and son, Wilbur, are guests of relatives in Bronte.

ST. VALENTINE'S

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of the last of these attempted reforms was undertaken by St. Francis de Sales, of Geneva. The historian says, regarding this failure: "Since imitating a saint is a more difficult task than dancing attendance on a pretty girl, we cannot be surprised that the innovation did not take among the young men of Geneva."

Coahoma P.T. A. To Meet Tuesday

COAHOMA, Feb. 14.—The Coahoma P.T. A. organization will hold its next regular meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 18. An interesting program designed to attract all members of the organization and others interested in P.T. A. activity has been arranged, according to J. H. Kannenberg, superintendent of Coahoma schools.

The program will open with the entire group singing "Work for the Night is Coming." A brief invocation will be followed by the business session and then Mrs. G. T. Hutton will discuss the importance of early childhood. Mrs. Sam Smith will present an interesting paper on "Our Children and Their Parents." Dorothy O'Daniel will offer a reading and Julia Boyce will talk on "The Leisure of Tomorrow." Mr. Kannenberg, superintendent of Coahoma schools, will conclude the program with a talk on "The Modern Home and Its Perplexities."

Mrs. Clare Honored

Complimentary to Mrs. W. B. Clare, who observed her birthday anniversary Friday, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Timmons were hosts at a surprise bridge event in the Timmons home in Edwards Heights Thursday evening. The occasion also celebrated the birthday anniversary of Steve D. Ford, another guest.

Guests at the delightful informal event included Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Mahaffey, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilke, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Flewelling, Mr. and Mrs. Steve D. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fahrnkamp, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Clara, Miss Louise Rapp of Homing, Okla., and the hosts.

Miss Cantrell Will Attend N.E.A. Meet

Miss Pauline Cantrell, superintendent of Howard county schools, plans to leave Feb. 20 for Atlantic City, N. J., to attend the fifth annual convention of the National Educational association, to convene there for a week's session ending March 3. Miss Cantrell will return here March 4, she said.

She will report on the convention activities at the regular monthly meeting of the Howard County Teachers' association scheduled for March 8.

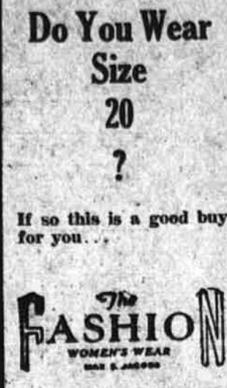
Mrs. H. C. Thames underwent a major operation this morning in a local hospital.

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Milner Home Is Scene For Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Milner, 705 Runnels, were hosts at bridge Thursday evening, when three tables of guests were entertained.

In the games, Mrs. Stanley Norman won high score and Mrs. Earl Read low. Delicious refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games.

The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Norman, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Laney, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Read, Mrs. A. R. Anderson, Miss Letha Whitmire, Miss Emily Bradley and Messrs. Walter Bradley, Wendell Bedichek, and T. E. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weathers have as house guests Mr. and Mrs. Paul Albright of Leonard, who arrived Thursday to remain for several days.

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Local Members At Regional Banquet For Lions Clubs

A group of Big Spring Lions attended the Ladies' night banquet of the Midland Lions Thursday evening in the crystal ballroom of the Scharbauer hotel, when Melvin Jones, of Chicago, secretary-general of Lions International, gave the principal address. A. C. Kater, of Houston, Lions district governor of Texas, was also a speaker.

Cecil Collings, of Big Spring, gave the response to the welcoming address, creating a great deal of comment by his well-worded and well-given talk.

Among the Big Spring aggregation were the following: Frank Boyle, Lion president; M. R. Showalter, now of Roswell, N. M.; H. S. Faw, Cecil Collings, Seth Parsons, R. C. Pycatt, B. T. Cardwell, M. L. Tinsley, Pat Ray and their guests.

Among the 200 banqueters the following Lions clubs of this district were represented: Pecora, Colorado, Big Spring, Big Lake, Stanton and Lamesa, and a visiting Lion from the El Paso club.

PARTY POSTPONED

The evening party planned the Susannah Wesley Sunday School class of the Methodist church for Friday evening, has been postponed indefinitely, according to an announcement made Friday by members.

Robinson Enters Political Race

Charlie Robinson, a resident of Edward county for the past 29 years, authorized The Herald to announce his candidacy for county commissioner from Precinct No. 2. Mr. Robinson has been actively engaged in farming for years in the Midway school community. He is announcing his candidacy for the commissioner's post determined to serve his constituents to the best of his ability if elected.

T. S. Petty, of Porsan, was a business visitor in Big Spring Thursday.

SAY SEWER

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right of way. This is being done, said the city manager, to prevent, at least temporarily, stoppage in the main sewer line leading from the city to the plant. The sewerage is backing up in the main-line and running over into a ditch on the railroad property. Officials of the railroad company recently have asked the city to remedy this condition. The new pump will be in operation by Saturday, it was said.

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SPORTS ON PARADE

By STANLEY NORMAN

FLOWER FADES

Jinx Tucker, the mighty sports writer of Waco, is fading. The fellow always has looked funny, acted funny and now his writings are becoming ludicrous. The fading bloom of a sports writer heaves handful after handful of his slimy black hand soil at the Oil Belt district fair banner. Jinx claims the situation in these parts is becoming disgusting and that he is strong for entering Waco in the proposed class AA football league that the boys are all ballyhooing during the dull season. Tucker's latest and most humorous outbreak was penned after reports of Chuck Bird's transfer to Ranger was made public. The following is a part of Tucker's comment on the situation:

"We do not know whether the Ranger sportsmen have succeeded in luring Bird to Ranger or not. The evidence at hand does not indicate that something has been done along that line, and if the Interscholastic league of Texas had the courage of a kitten, it would appoint one man whose honesty would be unquestioned, and who would have the power to act after investigating. And if that man learned that Ranger, or any other Oil Belt school, or any follower of the Oil Belt school had even so much as approached an athlete in the endeavor to get him to transfer to a certain school, then that school should be expelled from the league. It would, of course, be a bit drastic, but it could be done, and it is the only thing that can be done to clear up the most disgusting situation known to high school or college athletics in all of Texas.

"With such a condition prevailing it is not to be wondered that many of the cities want to form a Triple A league, and while in the past we have been against such a league, we believe now that it is just about the only way out of a situation which is tending to ruin high school football and wreck the interscholastic league, because the interscholastic league is afraid to do anything about it.

"We would suggest, however, that the Triple A league be a bit broader in scope than first planned. It should include the Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston, Gal-

veston, Beaumont, Waco, Amarillo and other schools in cities with population around 20,000, which could produce evidence to the committee in charge that in the past it had always conducted its high school athletics on a high plane. In that event the list would also include such cities as Temple, Corsicana, Cleburne, Austin and many others, but would eliminate most of the Oil Belt contenders.

"It may sound a bit far fetched, but it could be done. Just at this time Breckenridge High school is sending out literature trying to make the fans believe that it won the undisputed football championship of the state last fall. It quotes rules and attempts to twist them around to fit Breckenridge's particular case. All of which is disgusting to the average close football follower. There has never been a college or high school conference in the history of football which forced both teams into a playoff for a title after they had tied for it. Many conferences would not allow a playoff if both teams agreed to it. The interscholastic league was a bit broader in its view than that. It was willing to allow the playoff if the teams wanted it, but Port Arthur did not, and that's nobody's business but the Port Arthur school authorities. We congratulate, rather than condemn, them on their stand."

IT'S TERRIBLE

Ain't it awful? Still, it seems to us rather odd that Tucker took no notice of this serious situation until the Oil Belt representative started boasting his Waco High school Tigers in the hind quarters every time they meet. No such effusion came from Tucker when Waco nosed out Abilene in 1927, or after any of the previous campaigns in which the Central Texas district was victorious. Now, it seems that another section of the state is seriously threatening Waco's domination of high school football and Jinx Tucker, supposedly the dean of sports writers in this state, reveals he is human and starts fighting back with whatever weapon is handy, for the honor of his home town.

CRUCIFIXION

Sports writers of the Oil Belt have been subjected to most every type of ridicule known to mankind, but never before has a card index file system been compiled in which qualifications and demerits are listed. The honor for this noble work goes to Imright Cross,

publicity agent for Coach Bill Bissett and the San Angelo High school Bobcats. Below is Imright's file system:

"Boyce House (Ranger): Takes Boyce House and life in general too seriously. Also, is better equipped to be a chautauqua speaker than sports writer.

"Wes Hodges (Breckenridge): Has no sense of proportion, only a vague idea of sportsmanship, and is too near a twentieth century duplicate of Old Man Ananias to make a practical sports reporter.

"Bruce Francis (Brownwood): Misled his calling. Should be a grade school teacher or beauty shop operator.

"Prexy Anderson (Abilene): A young man who means well. May be okeh in time. Also, takes himself too seriously. Has tendency to be warped in opinion where an athlete not a native or imported son of Abilene is concerned.

"Benny Butler (Cisco): Uses words nobody, probably including himself, understands, thus camouflaging to the nonplussed reader his lack of knowledge on the subject.

"Stanley Norman (Big Spring): Another young man who takes himself and life too seriously. A character of commerce purveyor who was startled into a coma upon suddenly finding himself promoted to the chores of a sports editor. With a few years' experience, after he has regained consciousness, he probably will do.

"R. C. Campbell (Mineral Wells): A fine, upstanding young man gifted with a wonderful imagination and a sense of humor, but handicapped by an occasional tendency to mistake the imaginative for the real. He will do, despite the shortcoming. In fact, did we wish to employ an assistant, we would be pleased to proffer him the position.

"No, there's little wrong with the Oil Belt sports writers. They're fine boys and girls except that some of them are misplaced. We feel that way about ourself. In fact, we believe we could do much better as president of a bank or owner of a big steamship line.

MORE SUBMARINES

As is usually the case after reading some of Imright's stupid remarks, we can't tell whether the boy is taking himself seriously or whether he needed something to write. If Cross is in line for a position as president of a steamship company, we think our duty is clear cut. We should pen a note to the naval conference in London, voicing

Snyder Will Hold Invitation Track And Field Carnival Early In March

Florida Racing Is Given Boost

BY ALAN GOULD

Associated Press Sports Editor JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 14 (AP).—Horse racing, sponsored by "the right people," has come to stay in Florida, despite the existence of a sharp and state-wide conflict on the subject over a period of years. This in the opinion of those well informed upon the political as well as commercial aspects of the situation. As a direct result, the passage is forecast of state legislation to legalize the pari-mutuel system of betting at the Florida tracks, perhaps in time for the 1931 season, certainly by 1932.

Several factors, in addition to a belief that this will be "better business" for Florida, appear to have brought about some change in sentiment, at least along the east coast. Chief among them has been the successful operation of the Hialeah track at Miami, under the direction of a group of wealthy New York and Philadelphia sportsmen, headed by Joseph E. Widener.

Political leaders in Duval county, of which Jacksonville is the center, regard Mr. Widener and his associates as "the right people." Further, they are interested in the proposal for the purchase of Keeney park, located some 20 miles from here, and operation of a 15-day meeting there, starting March 16, to fill the gap between the close of Hialeah and the opening of the Maryland spring season at Bowie. Today, Jacksonville business men planned to confer with representatives of William V. Dwyer, New York sportsman, who heads interests holding an option for the purchase of Keeney park for a price understood to be around \$150,000.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.—William Amory Gardner, who was worth millions and taught Greek at Groton for 45 years because he loved it, has left \$100,000 to Harvard to help increase the salaries of those who teach the classics he loved.

our disapproval of the plan to abandon submarines in hopes that Imright will eventually attempt a transoceanic voyage on one of his seagoing craft.

SNYDER, Tex., Feb. 14.—Thirty class A and B schools of West Texas have been invited to participate in the invitational track and field meet to be held here Saturday, March 8, starting at 10 o'clock. Big Spring High school has been included in the invitation, which includes the following named schools: Lamesa, Post Tahoka, Ralls, Spur, Colorado, Slaton, Roby, Rotan, Sweetwater, Big Spring, Merkel, Stanton and Anson, in the class A division.

Class B schools invited include Ft. Yvanna, Hermleigh, Dunn, Ira, Hobbs, Champion, Blackwell, Byron, Westbrook, Lorraine, Coahoma, Southland, Gail, Claremont and Trent.

The Tiger stadium, said to be the most model high school athletic field in the state, is already being prepared for the event, which is hoped to be the largest gathering of athletic talent ever gathered in West Texas, outside of the larger colleges.

According to General Director W. N. Cory, interscholastic league rules will be followed, with the exception of article 8, sections 13 and 16, applying to eligibility. The Snyder meet welcomes all entrants who are now in school. Entries must be received by March 1, and complete data has been mailed to all schools named. Competent officials will be in charge of all events.

Handsome loving cups, medals and ribbons will be awarded in both class A and class B competition. Lunch will be served at the high school cafeteria.

HERMLEIGH to have small hatchery.

HUNTSVILLE—Dates for Walker County Fair set for October 1-4.

Corsicana Will Join Cities In Lone Star Loop

CORSICANA, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP).—Corsicana today was added to the list of cities endorsing the move to form a Lone Star baseball league to be sponsored by the Texas league. At a meeting last night of baseball fans with Joe Mathes, organizer, the proposed club was endorsed and plans made to petition the city council tomorrow to work with Mathes in forming the club.

A committee headed by Beauford H. Jester, former vice-president of the Corsicana Oilers in the Lone Star league, was instructed to go before the city commission and ask it to provide a playing field.

Mathes left Corsicana last night for Dallas and was scheduled to go today to Sherman, then to Paris, Tyler and Palestine, where fans have signified their intention of entering those cities in the league.

Mexia put up the first installment of its funds quota and signed a formal contract to enter the league. Four other clubs were expected to do likewise, Mathes said last night.

FROM SAN ANGELO

Joe Spiller has arrived in Big Spring to act as representative of the San Angelo Building and Loan association. He has been for some time in the real estate business in Houston.

Shires Will Wear Fists Out Trying Great One Warns Against Giving Hurlers Edge To Aid George Blackerby In Majors

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP).—Modest Art Shires, who wonders what a sphinx is good for, was quoted by the Dallas News today as saying he was going to wear his fists out this coming season making George Blackerby, home run slugger de luxe, make good with the Chisox.

Modest Art is the Chicago American league first baseman—when he is not under suspension and when his contract is signed—and Blackerby is a rookie outfielder from the Texas league, who ambles all over the outfield and chats as well as Art talks.

Here is the way the News quotes Art as talking to George here in Dallas a few days ago:

"The only difference between you and a lot of other fellows who are drawing major league salaries is that you are a better hitter than they are, but they have the confidence which you lack. You get the idea that the pitchers in the majors have an axe on you, and consequently they have.

"If you were to have one day in which you slammed one of those pitchers for four out of five, they never would be able to get you out again. And you are going over this season, or I'll wear out my fists trying to make you."

Last Night's Fights

New Haven, Conn.: Steve Smith, Bridgeport, Conn., outpointed Lew Massey, Philadelphia (10).
St. Joseph, Mo.: John Smagyo, Omaha, outpointed Frank Carbone, Columbus, Ohio (10).

Mrs. William Robinson, of Toyah, was here Tuesday for the Edward Malone funeral.

NERVOUS, WEAK

Texas Lady Says She Was Up One Day and Down the Next. Pains Stopped After She Took Cardui.

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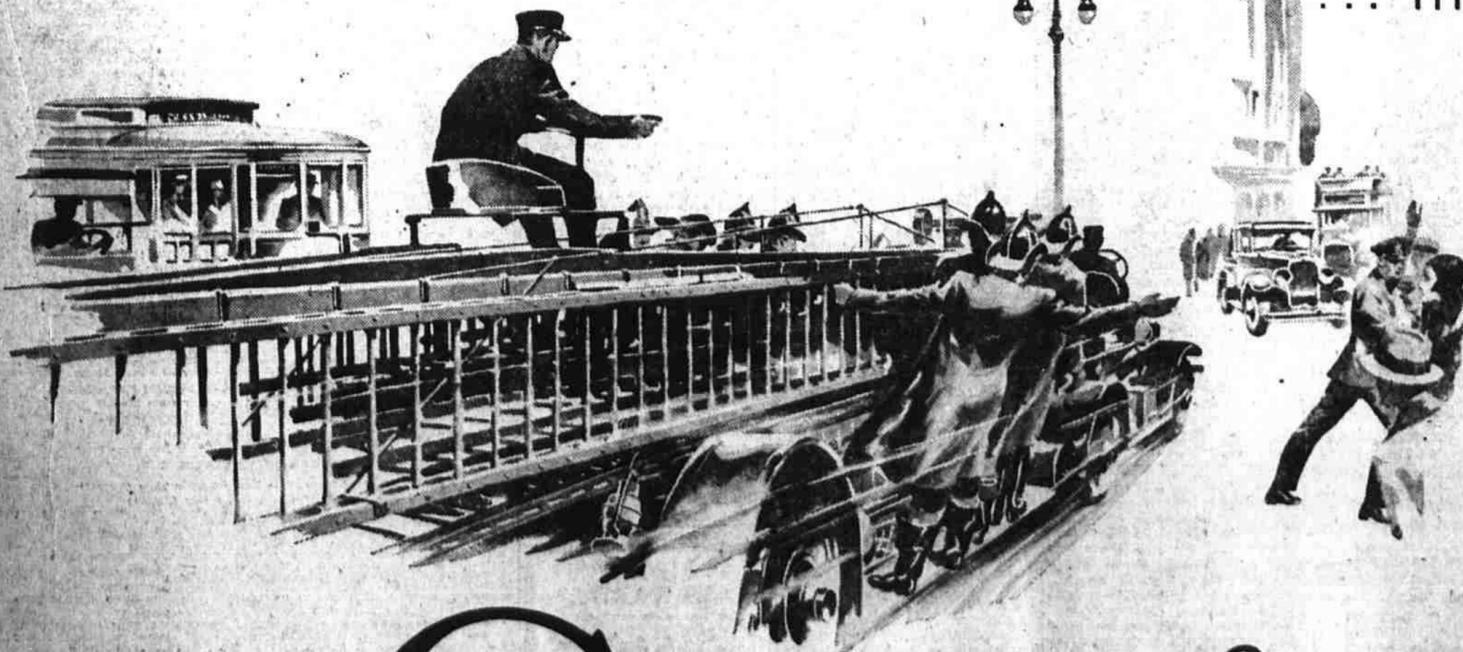
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ACCORDING TO LEGGE

Alexander Legge, who, few
 will deny is an intelligent fel-
 low with tremendous capac-
 ity for organizing, is chairman
 of the federal farm board. He
 was head of a large industrial
 corporation in the north be-
 fore taking the position.

Mr. Legge recently visited
 Texas for conference relative
 to setting up government co-
 operatives to distribute feder-
 al loans on cotton.

Whether Mr. Legge took
 off time to visit the Rio Grande
 valley and its expansive
 turnip patches, orange groves,
 grapefruit ranches, poultry
 farms, and onion plantations
 is unknown.

But, Mr. Legge must have
 at least heard something
 about agriculture in the Rio
 Grande valley country while
 down south.

For the other day in Wash-
 ington he appeared before the
 immigration committee of the
 house to say restriction of
 Mexican immigration would
 result in serious labor short-
 age in the agricultural south-
 west.

Mr. Legge evidently must
 have determined the true con-
 ditions that exist in the cot-
 ton fields of the entire West-
 Texas cotton country; he fac-
 tories, shops and construction
 jobs throughout the south-
 west or he would never have
 testified that restriction of
 Mexican immigration would
 result in a serious labor short-
 age in the agricultural south-
 west.

But we have an idea Mr.
 Legge never has paid very
 much attention to the agricul-
 tural southwest before except
 that before becoming chair-
 man of the farm board he
 made it a point to sell as many
 harvesters out here as possible.

Mr. Legge also testified in
 reply to a question from Rep-
 resentative Box, who is author
 of a bill seeking quota basis
 for western hemisphere immi-
 gration, that considerable ma-
 chinery is used in cotton
 growing in this section and
 that hand labor is not used ex-
 tensively.

There are many people in
 this section of the country
 who believe standards of liv-
 ing would be raised among
 certain groups if Mexican im-
 migration were controlled.
 They believe there are a lot
 of good, law-abiding Mexicans
 in Texas, people who are good
 citizens. But they also believe
 they know—conditions among
 the useful Mexican citizens
 of Texas would be im-
 proved if immigration were
 controlled.

Furthermore they believe
 that right now a good many
 American born families would
 be in better financial condi-
 tion if their breadwinners
 were not competing with Mex-
 ican born laborers.

San Antonio—It wells in
 Darrat Creek now giving 16,000 bar-
 rels of oil.

OPINIONS OF OTHERS

CRUDE OIL AND THE PROTECTIVE PRINCIPLE

Wichita Times.
 As the fight for a tariff on
 crude oil develops at Wash-
 ington, it is interesting to note
 the arguments that are offered
 against such a tariff. Argu-
 ments are beautiful in their
 eloquence and, viewed acad-
 emically, flawless in their
 reasoning, are being advanced.

There is just one trouble
 with the opposition's case.
 That is, that every argument
 that can be offered against a
 tariff on crude oil can also be
 urged with equal force against
 practically every other sched-
 ule in the tariff act. If con-
 gress accepts the reasoning of
 the big oil companies as
 sound, it must reject the pro-
 tective principle altogether. It
 must write a new tariff bill
 clear through. The plea for an
 oil tariff is based on the fun-
 damentals of protection. There
 is scarcely an argument that
 has been offered for a
 protective schedule, in all the
 history of tariff legislation,
 that cannot be justly and
 properly urged in behalf of
 this proposed tariff on crude oil.

What is the essential pur-
 pose of tariff protection? It
 is to safeguard American in-
 dustry from the competition
 of other countries. We are not
 concerned with the rightness
 or wrongness of the protective
 principle, nor with the Demo-
 cracy or Republicanism of
 it. As matters stand now,
 the administration in power is
 committed to the protective
 principle. What the independ-
 ent oil producers are asking
 is that the protection of the
 tariff be thrown around them
 and the manufacturer, that
 their interests be shielded
 from the foreign competition
 that has become so pressing.
 And every argument that can
 be cited in favor of any pro-
 tective schedule can be cited
 in favor of their request. If
 they are wrong, the whole
 scheme of the protection is
 wrong.

One of the favorite argu-
 ments of the opposition is that
 this country is both an export-
 er and an importer of crude
 oil and that the pro-
 posed tariff will afford no
 protection on that account.
 But the same thing is true of
 a great many other commodi-
 ties that are protected. This
 country is both an importer
 and exporter of cotton goods,
 for example, yet cotton mill
 owners are not objecting to
 the tariff on that product. On
 the other hand, they are in-
 sisting that it be retained. Of
 course, if American mill own-
 ers had factories in Europe
 and South America, where la-
 bor is cheaper and operating
 costs lower, they might feel
 different about it.

As a matter of fact, there
 are hundreds of articles and
 commodities that are export-
 ed and yet given the benefits
 of tariff protection. Yet the
 big oil companies would make
 an exception of crude oil.

The solicitude manifested
 for the individual purchaser
 of gasoline, by the opponents
 of the tariff, is downright
 touching. The tariff would
 make gasoline cost more at
 filling stations, they declare.
 Assume for the sake of argu-
 ment that it would, since
 when did the ultimate pur-
 chaser's interests loom so
 large? That argument, like
 all the rest, would apply to
 virtually everything that is
 protected. It was ignored in
 the fixing rates on countless ar-
 ticles of food, clothing, furni-
 ture and other necessities of
 life. Passing strange that it
 should be so eloquently urged
 as to gasoline.

It is to be doubted if the
 tariff will have any effect on
 the price of gasoline. For one
 thing, the crude oil imported
 from Venezuela, which is the
 principal source of oil im-
 ports, is very low in gasoline
 content. Mid-continent oil
 yields two to five times as
 much gasoline per barrel as
 does the South American oil.
 It is a mistake, further, to as-
 sume that the price of gaso-
 line is in anything like con-
 stant ratio to the price of
 crude oil. Crude oil is now
 worth, roughly, 40 per cent
 of what it was five or six
 years ago. It has declined
 about 60 per cent in price. Has
 the price of gasoline dropped
 to the same extent? Every

OUT OUR WAY



THE GUARD AND THE GUARDIANS

Hollywood Sights
Sounds

BY ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—Among other
 things that talking pictures have
 done to the movie industry is the
 minimization of temperamental
 outbursts from the stars.



Reginald Denny

Occasionally one still hears of
 some spoiled darling leaving a
 set in a pique, or sulking as she
 emotes for the camera. But
 there is seldom anything like
 the haughty explosions for which
 Pola Negri was noted, or the
 whimsical fancies of certain others
 equally famous, which made directors
 tear their hair. Jetta Goudal, one of
 the actresses most noted for the
 vivid expression of "artistic tem-
 perament," now is to work in her
 first picture in many months.

SCHOOLING

Since she used Cecil B. DeMille
 and won a \$30,000 judgment from
 the director who objected to her
 caprices, she has been "out" so far
 as movies were concerned. The
 court at the time ruled that she, as
 an artist, was entitled to her "tem-
 perament," but the movie-makers
 apparently decided they could get
 along without it. It is safe to as-
 sume, now she is restored to grace,
 that she will undertake no more to
 tell her directors how their pic-
 tures should be made.

The producers, obviously, do not
 minimize the value of temperament
 in their actors. But in talkie pro-
 duction they cannot afford to have
 whole companies thrown into idleness
 by an actor's whim. Each
 wasted moment is too costly.

CHANGES

The movie business, too, has been
 complicated vastly by the micro-

autoist knows the answer to
 that question.

Much is being made of the
 conservation argument, by
 those who object to the tariff.
 That argument completely ig-
 nores the vast number of pro-
 ducing wells that have had to
 be abandoned because the
 price of oil had dropped to a
 point where it was unprofit-
 able to pump them. It ignores
 the selfishness of the big com-
 panies in masking their ac-
 tivities behind the conserva-
 tion plea.

If it were a question of do-
 mestic production vs. foreign
 production, if the large com-
 panies of this country did not
 control oil fields abroad, and
 foreign companies, instead of
 American ones, were unload-
 ing their tankers at American
 ports, there would have been
 a protective tariff on oil long
 before now. And if an effort
 were being made to remove
 such a tariff, we would be
 hearing no hypocritical talk of
 conservation or of the poor-
 downtrodden ultimate pur-
 chaser.

If there is any semblance of
 justice in the protective prin-
 ciple, it should be applied to
 crude oil.

HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by Dr. Lago Quintana, the New York Academy of Medicine

WHY DO TEETH DECAY?

At one time it was said that a
 clean tooth never decays and in
 consequence, scrupulous cleanli-
 ness of the mouth and teeth was
 recommended as a safeguard
 against dental caries (decay of the
 teeth).
 Of late, however, it has been re-
 cognized that while a clean mouth
 is desirable for a variety of rea-
 sons, it is not an absolute safe-
 guard against caries.
 In a further study of the causes
 of dental decay, the matter of he-
 redity came into prominence. The
 health and nutrition of the mother
 during the child-bearing period
 appeared in some ways to affect
 the development of the child's
 teeth.

In children of badly nourished
 mothers, teeth were found to have
 been imperfectly developed, show-
 ing upon careful examination mi-
 nute pits and fissures—that is, de-
 fects in the enamel.
 More recently, a group of scien-
 tists working at the state univer-
 sity of Iowa demonstrated that
 nutrition deeply affects the power
 of tooth tissue to resist decay.

In children with extensive caries
 they have actually secured an ar-
 rest of the decay process by feed-
 ing them diets rich in mineral and
 vitamin content.
 They report that the children in
 their study were fed daily a quart
 of milk, one egg, a teaspoonful of
 cod liver oil, one ounce of butter,
 one orange and two servings of
 succulent vegetables. This was sup-
 plemented by proteins or meat
 foods.

Starchy foods, including sugars,
 were kept to the safe minimum. In
 all the children studied, tooth de-
 cay was arrested in from one to
 three months. Where the diet was
 over, decay set in once again.
 The use of the tooth brush seem-
 ed to have had little if no effect
 upon decay of the teeth, these scien-
 tists report, but that should not
 be construed as a warrant for ne-
 glect of mouth cleanliness.

ORMOND BEACH, Fla.—There
 are a dozen women's golf clubs in
 John D. Rockefeller's bag—three
 woods and nine irons. The faces of
 the woods are chalked, so that the
 owner can tell whether club face
 meets the ball squarely.

phone, which has made the actor,
 however important, less of a demigod
 on the lot than he was in silent
 pictures. He is—and he knows
 it—an important cog in the wheels
 of a great industry which cannot
 survive without him, to be sure,
 but is equally dependent on trained
 sound engineers, directors, color
 photographers, musicians, wardrobe
 masters, makeup experts and light-
 ing geniuses.

Movie ingenuity conquers another
 law with a simple expedient. A
 scene for a new Reginald Denny
 talkie takes place on the platform
 of a moving observation car. To
 film it a camera truck must follow
 the car, but it is illegal to attach
 any freight conveyor to the rear of
 a passenger train. So what do the
 movie smart boys do but make the
 observation car travel backwards, the
 camera truck ahead?

Alma Rubens, said to be cured of
 her narcotic addiction and restored
 to health, may return to pictures.

WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
 NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—It seldom hap-
 pens that a man is put in prison
 and then makes so much trouble
 that his captors have to boot him
 out, but something of the sort
 seems to be happening to the Phi-
 lipinos.

Thirty years or so ago our
 dreamers of Empire saw one of
 their visions realized when Presi-
 dent McKinley took over the Phi-
 lipino Islands for the good of the
 Philippines. Today the Filipinos
 are squawking louder than ever about
 the disadvantages of American
 rule, and they are joined by vari-
 ous powerful American interests
 which complain that the Filipinos
 are detrimental to us 100 per cent
 Americans.

The Filipinos don't mind their
 unpopularity a bit, thinking that
 the more unpopular they are the
 sooner they are likely to be inde-
 pendent.

Tells How Cause Advances

The attitude and position of the
 Filipinos was outlined in an inter-
 view by Dr. Hilario Camino Mon-
 cado of Los Angeles, president of
 the Filipino Federation of Ameri-
 cans in the United States, of whom
 there are about 55,000. Dr.
 Moncado came here to see Presi-
 dent Hoover in the interests of
 Philippine independence.

"There are 25,000 Filipinos in
 California," he said in discussing
 the recent race-labor riots in that
 state, "and about 85 per cent of
 them are engaged in agriculture,
 living cheaply. These people never
 saw any American laborers in the
 islands and they didn't suppose
 they would be competing with any
 when they came here. There are
 70,000 more in Hawaii and most of
 them hope to get to California
 eventually. All this has worried the
 labor organizations in the far west
 and so for several years we have
 had the American Federation of
 Labor agitating for independence."

"If we weren't part of the United
 States we could be kept outside by
 immigration laws. I'm sure that if
 independence were granted nearly
 all the Filipinos would go back,
 for they are strongly patriotic and
 know they can't be assimilated
 here. The Filipino legislature would
 pass an anti-immigration law be-
 cause we will need men to work
 our resources."

"Then we have the unsolicited
 support of American, Cuban and
 Hawaiian sugar interests, which
 are very anxious for us to be in-
 dependent so that we can't ship in
 any more duty-free sugar. But
 that is all right with us, for if we
 get independence we will be more
 self-reliant. We will develop our
 brains and live simply and get
 along beautifully. We can live for
 90 cents a day in the Philippines."

"We have the Ku Klux Klan on
 our side because it favors a pure-
 ly white race of Americans. We
 are very proud of our race, but we
 will be glad if the Klan will help
 make us free."

"The American and Cuban tobac-
 co interests want us to be inde-
 pendent for the same reason which
 actuates the sugar men. The to-
 bacco interests are supposed to be
 very powerful and I hope their in-
 fluence is not exaggerated."

"In addition we have the true
 American spirit of liberty on our
 side, but somehow we never get
 anywhere on sympathy and ideal-
 ism."

Alpine—Big Texas Company
 makes bid for natural gas fran-
 chise.

WABOAM Broadway
 BY JOSEPH VAN RAALTE

By Central Press
 NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Mel Nan-
 Fang, the Chinese Barroomer, hit
 town the other day to begin an en-
 gagement at the 40th Street The-
 atre. His retinue of Oriental Shirt
 Destroyers includes Signor Chang
 Chiu-Chu, and Brother Che May
 Chen-Hwang of the Bank of China.
 We strongly recommend to our
 visiting thespians the procedure of
 this celestial barroomer: Bring
 your own bankers and play safe.

MRS. FISKE
 Brethren, you can't serve two
 masters. If you set out to please
 your pastor, you'll find before you
 are finished that you've disgusted
 your banker. You have to weigh
 the advantages offered by either
 side, make a decision and stick to
 it.

Look at our own Minnie Mad-
 dern Fiske. Minnie's been tread-
 ing the Upper Levels of Show
 Land so long that it comes as an
 unpleasant surprise to find her,
 along toward the end, making
 obeisance to expediency, hauling
 down her colors and trying to qual-
 ify along the humdrum level of
 the commonplace.

Mrs. Fiske has become what old
 Ed Howe calls "Broadway-mind-
 ed." After a tour of razes she's
 opening up on Mazda Lane with
 one-of-those-things called "It's a
 Grand Life."

ERVINE "LIKES" NEW YORK
 "Sinjin" Ervine, British dramatist
 and critic, who spent a season
 in New York rubbing the Algon-
 quini Back Scratchers the wrong
 way, has written a book called "I
 Liked New York."

In it he tells of some of the
 rough stuff The Boys pulled on
 him while he was here. "I was so-
 licitously invited to 'get the hell
 out of this country' if I didn't like
 it and was told that I was 'a lousy
 Englishman'—which is not quite
 true, for I am an Ulsterman."

It seems too, that he threw a
 small but intense religious society
 into a frenzy of emotion by an-
 nouncing that the Marx Brothers
 were not so funny as they imag-
 ined themselves to be.
 The trouble with "Sinjin" is he
 didn't tarry, till after he got back
 home, that it never pays to engage
 in polemics with a polecat.

NO TREES, NO CHILDREN
 Count that day lost whose low
 descending sun sees not a newspa-
 per story wherein some scientist
 'stays with alarm.'

The papers recently carried two
 stories of this type. One Doc, peer-
 ing over the battlements of the fu-
 ture, saw New York as "a childless
 city." The other one, with his eye
 against a knot hole in the high
 board fence that separates The
 Present From The Ultimate, saw
 New York as a "treeless city."

The funny part of it is that with
 no one paying the least attention
 to their dolorous droning, the Docs
 go right ahead predictin', regard-
 less.

BARBS

The lady next-door thinks St.
 Francis de Sales is the patron saint
 of Bargain Days.

The man who carved 100 words
 on a grain of rice probably was
 trying to start a cereal story.

The ladies may wear their dresses
 touching the ground, but very
 few will wear them long.

The sounds of a number of ani-
 mals were broadcast as part of a
 radio program the other night.
 That is, apart from the regular
 musical program.

A critic declares modern poets
 have one great fault in common.
 We've noticed that, too; nearly all
 of them write poems.

A judge told a reckless driver
 that his only experience with auto-
 mobiles had been to dodge them.
 The judge took several steps in
 the right direction.

PORTLAND, Ore.—The reason
 for some gentlemen's preferences
 is not clear. Sailors speak blondes
 in port because they are tired of
 the deep blue of the ocean. A. E.
 Lawrence, color expert, so informed
 the Oregon Retail Hardware asso-
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 24. Incidences
 25. Years of one's life
 26. Hypothetical force
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 30. Gash
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 32. Fish
 33. Product obtained in smelting

DOWN
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 2. East Indian weight
 3. Sleep
 4. Sheep
 5. Search river
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 7. Kite
 8. Fast horse
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THE BIG SHOT

by FRANK L. PACKARD

SYNOPSIS: New York attracts Enid Howard of Winnipeg, bent on a writing career. She makes the acquaintance of Phil Martin, a newspaperman. Then she finds that the leader of the underworld known as the "Big Shot" whom Martin is hunting, is her brother. A picture of the Big Shot which she recognizes as her brother prompts a search for him. It was given her by Martin by a gangster—Shive Frank—who died, a victim of gangland enemies. Following the trail of the Big Shot she goes to "Twisty" Morgan's house, sees his capture is imminent and warns him in time to escape. She faints and awakes in the Big Shot's house. Face to face with the Big Shot, she tells him he is Roy Howard, her missing brother, but he denies the identity.

Chapter 11

THE REUNION

Enid stared at the Big Shot incredulously from her bed, as though half suspecting that her ears had played her false.

"You're not Roy Howard—not my brother?" she questioned, "Then what is your name?"

"He shrugged his shoulders. "I've had a lot of them," he said. "Varney, for one—Hal Varney. I used that until it got to have too familiar a sound in certain quarters. My real name is—I guess you can be trusted after last night—Kane, Norman Kane—usually known as Norry Kane."

"Your name is Roy Howard," she said in a monotone.

"Norry," he said. "I've told you—Norry Kane."

She bit at her lips, but the tears came. She buried her face in her hands and burst suddenly into sobs.

He came quickly across the room and, sitting on the edge of the bed, put his arm around her shoulders. "What's wrong, kid?" he asked anxiously. "I don't get you."

"Oh, why are you acting this way?" she asked piteously. "Is it because you are trying to save me from—the knowledge that you are pretending to be someone who—that you are pretending you do not know me, that you have never seen me before?"

He drew back from her, staring at her in amazement.

"Your brother!" he gasped. "Do you mean to say that you think I am your brother?"

"I don't think you are at all"—she had steeled her voice again now—"I know! You are Roy, and I am Enid Howard, your sister."

He was silent for an instant, then he laughed a little grimly. "Well, either I must look a lot like him," he said, "or you've got something up your sleeve that I don't understand. Anyway, it won't take a minute to knock the brother proposition on the head."

He opened the door and called down the hall. A moment later he had ushered a man and a woman into the room.

Enid looked swiftly, critically from one to the other. They were middle-aged. The woman was a little overdressed. So was the man. He sported a massive gold watch chain, and the large diamond screwed into the lower part of his tie was vulgarly blatant.

"It was the Big Shot who spoke: "This young lady says that my name is Roy Howard, and that I am her brother. Will you answer that?"

"What's the matter with her?" inquired the man gruffly. "Is she nutty?"

"That is no answer," said the Big Shot quietly.

"I'll answer her!" said the woman sharply. "I'll say you ain't her brother. An' I guess I ought to know—me that bore you!"

"Mr. and Mrs. Kane, my father and mother—Miss Howard." The Big Shot accompanied the introduction with an indignant smile and a shrug of his shoulders. Then he motioned the couple from the room and closed the door upon them.

Enid watched him through blinded eyes as he came back toward the bed. There was no question in her mind but that the Big Shot was Roy.

"Well, that's that!" he said coolly. "And now perhaps you'll tell me how you happened to run into me last night."

"I saw you as I went down the elevated steps," she said, and was conscious that, though prompt, her answer was lame.

"How much could she hold back and still make her story ring true? Somehow, it seemed ironical—unfair that she should be handicapped by being placed on the defensive.

"I've told you my name and I've told you who I am," she said earnestly. "Why you setting as you are, I cannot understand; but you are Roy."

Enid then related the events that brought her to New York and was living with their old maid, Martha. "Tell!" He was staring at her with slightly narrowed eyes as she finished talking. "Just look, then, that you were on the 'L' steps, eh? Well, maybe I believe you—and maybe not. Where does this Martha live?"

She gave him the address without any hesitation whatever.

"Well," he ejaculated, "you seem to have a line-up with about everything that bust loose last night,

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Soash News

Mrs. Lala Low and brother, Frank Ballings, of Lamesa, were week-end guests of J. W. Low and family.

Miss Jessie Aulin, of near Klondike, was a week-end guest of friends here.

G. T. Palmer and family visited Luther Reudersaal and family here Sunday.

Issac Low and wife, of Ackerly, were visitors with relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graham and Prof. Sarge attended the basket ball tournament in Big Spring Saturday.

Miss Velma Adams, of Big Spring, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Prim Woodward, of Knott, visited R. H. Quinn and family Sunday.

Virgil Williams and family, of near Ackerly, visited J. W. Rogers and family Sunday.

Alvis Quinn was a week-end visitor of Willie Graham.

Josie Hannah was in Big Spring Saturday.

Alvin Quinn and William Graham were in Big Spring Monday and Tuesday.

Was Almost In Despair, She Says

LUBBOCK CARPENTER'S WIFE IN MISERABLE HEALTH FOR OVER YEAR—GAINS DAILY ON DRUGATONE (ARGOTANE)

"I was almost in despair and did not know which way to turn for relief when some friends told me about Drugatone (Argotane) and I honestly believe the medicine has done me more real good than anything else I have ever tried," said Mrs. C. A. Anderson, wife of a well known carpenter and residing at 1818 Eight Street, Lubbock, Texas, while in Bowen's Drug Store, recently.

"About a year ago," continued Mrs. Anderson, "I started having pains in my back and this seemed to be the beginning of serious trouble. I soon got so I couldn't eat without suffering severe pains in the pit of my stomach. Gas would form causing intense pains in my back, and sometimes I would have awful headaches. I kept getting worse until almost everything disagreed with me and I could not rest at night. I tried everything, but kept going down until I looked like nothing would ever reach my case. I was so nervous and restless I could scarcely sleep at all. I would lay awake half the night and get up in the mornings feeling about half alive."

"A number of my friends advised me to try Drugatone (Argotane) and

Stanton Man Makes 5000 Brick Per Day

STANTON, Tex., Feb. 14.—W. F. Rogers, of this city, has established a small brick plant in the south part of the city and is turning out 5,000 brick per day and is employing five men. This is an experiment, according to Mr. Rogers, and if successful, and the product is required, he will enlarge the plant.

He is planning to erect buildings for himself with the present product. He is using local sand and clay, most of which are being taken from deposits west of Stanton, to which the Texas & Pacific is building a spur track.

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IT MIGHT BE FUNNY TO YOU, BUT IT'S A PAIN IN THE NECK TO ME

ANOTHER ONE? HUH!

YEP, IT'S FOR YOU

HA! HA! LAUGH THAT OFF, POP!!

HA! HA! HA!

MY VALENTINE

YOU ARE THE ONLY GIRL WHO HAS MADE ME LAUGH AND GIGGLE SINCE I WAS A BOY.

I TELL YOU THERE OUGHT TO BE A LAW AGAINST SUCH THINGS BEING SENT THROUGH THE MAILS!!

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Local men and women in all walks of life are daily visiting the Collins Bros. drug store to find out for themselves about the unusual merit of this celebrated medical preparation, Konjola, which is be-



G. H. MOSBY Discoverer of Konjola

ing introduced to the people of Big Spring and vicinity for the first time. Countless modern people, regardless of their wealth or position, are suffering the same common ailments that arise from an unhealthy inner-system.

Human suffering afflicts the great same as it afflicts the mass of people. This new Konjola goes to the very source of common ailments. By helping Nature, Konjola is far above many of the older known remedies. In this new day of science, a medicine must cleanse the system of all toxic poisons, and this must be done through the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. The same medicine must strengthen and invigorate these organs to more healthy,

normal action. It takes a liquid to do these things. In making Konjola, the juices from twenty two of the finest medical plants and herbs have been selected. It is scientifically made in one of the largest modern laboratories.

One of the first cases for which Konjola was used was kidney trouble—getting up frequently at nights. The man who took it came back the fourth day and said he slept all through the previous night. It was learned afterward that he had been doctoring over ten years for his trouble. Another man had been crippled with rheumatism, swollen joints, stiff, aching limbs and agonizing pains. He had not left his home for eighteen months. He completed a few weeks' treatment of Konjola and said he was walking several blocks for the first time in two years. This, of course, was about three weeks after he completed Konjola. From this case, it was determined that Konjola would do wonders for neuritis. One lady who had tried nearly everything for this trouble said that five bottles of Konjola had completely ended every ache and pain. She had previously taken mineral baths, electric treatments and medicine upon medicine without results. All of these are actual cases and can be verified by the signed statements in our possession.

Another lady was treated with Konjola for stomach trouble. She said in five years she had spent several thousand dollars on her health. She was bed-ridden three days out of five, but shortly after she began with Konjola, she could eat heartily of many things she had not dared to eat in years. Her food agreed with her and she continued with Konjola for a few weeks longer and gained 20 pounds. One lady told us that this medicine did her more good than four years of special dieting. She took Konjola for nervousness and a general rundown system.

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Konjola is now sold in Big Spring at Collins Bros. drug store, where many prominent people are calling daily to find out about this surprising new medicine.—adv.

Mrs. R. B. Zinn has as her guest her niece, Mrs. Ella English, and daughter, Miss Beatrice, of Dickens. Miss English is a teacher in the Colorado public schools. This is the first meeting between Mrs. Zinn and her niece since 1883—

CONTINENTAL DRILLS AHEAD ON TWO TESTS

No. 2 Overton Showing 900 Feet Oil In Hole From 2,176-86

One of two Continental Oil company tests on the Overton tract in southern Howard county was drilling ahead with 900 feet of oil in the hole and the second well on the same tract had started drilling out the cement plug in which casing was set several days ago.

Continental's No. 3 Overton, 990 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line of section 5, block 32, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, started drilling Thursday morning at a total depth of 2,055 feet, where eight and one-fourth inch casing was set and cemented.

Continental's No. 2 Overton, 1,650 feet from the north line and 2,310 feet from the east line of section 5, block 32, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, is drilling at a total depth of 2,205 feet after topping pay at 2,176-86 feet. Approximately 900 feet of oil is standing in the hole and operators are expecting an increase in pay within the next few feet.

Plugging Back Edwards Well

Operators of Glascock brothers' No. 1 Edwards started plugging back 57 more feet Thursday morning, when a test of the plug run early this week revealed that insufficient hole had been filled. Plans of the operators are to plug back to 2,295 feet and produce the original pay in the well from 2,277-99 feet.

No. 1 Edwards is 1,650 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the south line of section 18, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey.

Approximately one mile north of No. 1 Edwards, F. H. E. Oil company's No. 1 Cox, 330 feet from the south line and 2,310 feet from the west line of section 8, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, is rigged up and is reported waiting for water connections before starting to spud.

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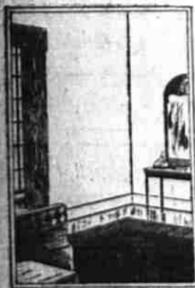
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