



MARKETS and FOODS

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

SOCIETY and CLUBS

Closing Daily Vacation Bible School Tonight

Exercises To Be Given At First Presbyterian Church

The Daily Vacation Bible School conducted jointly by the Christian and Presbyterian Churches of the city at the Presbyterian Church closes tonight with a program at 8 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church. The number will be as follows: March, Salute to Christian Flag and "Onward Christian Soldiers," Salute to American flag and song "America," The American Creed given by H. Wardens Finley. Invocation—Rev. R. L. Owen. School Motto: Ecclesiastes 12:1. School song "Now In the Days of Youth." Beginners Demonstration. Primary Demonstration. Song by audience. Junior program. D.V.B.S. song. Surprise period. Awarding of certificates. Presentation of the "Smile Pupils" Offering. Closing Remarks—Rev. D. R. Lindley.

Petroleum Club Meets With Mrs. Mitchell Groves

Mrs. Mitchell Groves was hostess to the Petroleum Club at her home in Continental Oil Camp No. 2 Thursday afternoon for a lovely party. Flowers from Mrs. Groves' garden decorated the house. A pretty salad course was served at the close of the games. Mrs. Frank Hamilton made high score and received a pair of silk hose. Mrs. Wofford Hardy made low and received a fancy vegetable cooper. Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Mrs. Alfred Collins and Miss Emily Bradley were the guests of the club. The members present were Mrs. Bob Austin, Monroe Johnson, Hardy, P. H. Liberty, H. S. Egan, Ben Laffer, W. D. McDonald, Hamilton and Miss Lynn Jones. Mrs. Hamilton will entertain the club next at her home at the California Co.'s camp below Forean.

Big Spring Texas Tech Club To Meet

All members of the Big Spring Texas Tech club are urged to attend a meeting of that body Monday evening at 8 p. m. in the high school building. Malcolm Patterson, president of the organization issued the call for the body to convene.

MISS BETTIE TO LEAVE

Margaret Bettie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bettie, 428 Dallas, plans to leave Sunday evening for Shreveport, Louisiana where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith and family. Miss Bettie is leaving at the beginning of her summer vacation. She is secretary to Judge Debenport.

FOR ROASTING COFFEE EXPLAINED

Hills Bros. Roast Their Coffee Evenly, Continuously... "A Little at a Time"

The ordinary way of roasting coffee is in big drums that contain several hundred pounds. This has disadvantages, for it is not possible to roast each batch alike. One may be underdone—another overdone. As a result, you do not always get the best flavor—frequently, you get different flavors.

Hills Bros.' patented, Controlled Roasting process overcomes these things! As the accuracy of the new glass depends upon an even, continuous flow... a little at a time... so the uniform flavor of Hills Bros. Coffee is produced by this patented process that roasts evenly, continuously... a little at a time. Automatically controlled heat gives every berry an even, perfect roast. The finest flavor results. It is a flavor no other coffee has—no other coffee is roasted this way.

Hills Bros. Coffee is packed in vacuum cans that keep it ever-fresh. Air, which destroys the flavor of coffee, is removed and kept out of these cans. Ordinary "air-tight" cans won't keep coffee fresh. But Hills Bros. Coffee can't go stale. Order some today. Ask for it by name, and look for the Arab trademark on the can.

Hills Bros. Coffee, Inc., Kansas City, Missouri.

Let Plate Dinners Save You Steps This Summer



Every woman is interested in plate meals for they reduce to a minimum the labor of summer food preparation and serving.

Such dinners save many steps to the dining room, and reduce the amount of dish-washing after the meal, for the food is placed on the plates in the kitchen, and then carried to the dining room or cool porch to be eaten. Grill plates—that is plates divided into sections—are very popular now, and a great many people find them practical to use when serving plate meals. If you do not have these grill plates, however, it is a simple matter to divide regular dinner plates into sections with sprigs of watercress or parsley. Then the different foods can be placed in the improvised sections.

The following menus are excellent for plate dinners, and are carefully planned for warm summer days:

- MENU 1 Cold Beef Loaf Baked Tomatoes Stuffed with Corn and Rice Flakes Fresh Vegetables Salad Buttered Rolls Currant Jelly Individual Sponge Cake with Strawberries
MENU 2 Tongue or Other Cold Meat Jellyed Supper Salad Sliced Tomatoes Hot Buttered Rolls Pure Apple Butter Berries with Cream Hot Tea with Lemon
MENU 3 Corn on the Cob Baked Tomato Stuffed with Oven Baked Beans Head Lettuce Salad Celery Stuffed with Sandwich Relish Ice Cream with Butterscotch Sauce Iced Tea
MENU 4 Cold Ham Oven Baked Beans Sweet Mustard Pickles Quick Cole Slaw Brown Bread Sandwiches Currant Mint Punch and Cookies

TIM'S 911 RUNNELS SATURDAY SPECIALS BORDEN'S MILK 3 LARGE OR 3 SMALL 21c EAGLE BRAND MILK 22c CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, 10 bars 25c 3-MINUTE OATS 8c SMALL CAN TOMATOES 6c 10c TOILET PAPER 4 for 25c FAULTLESS STARCH 8c LUX 2 pkgs. 22c PUMPKIN, No. 2 1/2 can, 2 for 25c LARGE HEINZ CATSUP 25c HEINZ INDIA RELISH 14c Paramount Apple Butter, large can 24c Folger's - Hills Bros. COFFEE, per lb. 41c CHEESE - MEATS - BUTTER - FRYERS - ALL SPECIALLY PRICED FOR SATURDAY DRIVE OUT, LOTS OF PARKING SPACE

Antidiphtheria Campaign Cuts Death Rate Down

The high death rate from diphtheria in Honolulu, which had been increasing since 1922, aroused the city board of health to wage campaigns of immunization in 1929 and 1930.

The city chamber of commerce contributed generously to the expenses of both campaigns. Active cooperation was given by 60 physicians, by welfare, civic, and religious bodies, and by the press. In the 1929 campaign the school children chiefly were reached; the principal aim of the 1930 campaign was the immunization of preschool children, the attainment of which was complicated by language differences and by the difficulty of reaching parents who had no older children in school.

To overcome this the consuls and other important representatives of racial groups and the clergymen in the city cooperated in a concerted effort to reach the individual parent.

At the end of the two campaigns 24,444 children in Honolulu were recorded as having received immunization treatments. Of these 12,620 children were under school age, representing about half the estimated population of this age in the city. By June 30, 1930, before the second campaign had been waged, the death rate from diphtheria in Honolulu had been cut in half. (Statement of Board of Health, Territory of Hawaii.)

Overton 4-H Club Has Good Meeting

Overton 4-H club held a regular meeting July 24 at the club house with Mesdames H. C. Phillips and V. E. Phillips as hostesses. There were fifteen members present and three visitors. Mrs. Allgood and Mrs. Showalter attended. Mrs. Allgood presented some practical recipes and some suggestions for making ready for the county agricultural fair. Mrs. Showalter talked to mothers of small children, urging that they be taken to the free clinic Saturday.

Woodman Circle To Have Called Meeting Tonight At WOW Hall

There will be a called meeting of the Woodman Circle tonight at the Woodman Hall at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Goldsticker, district manager, is in town and will preside. Important business must be seen after, she says and she asks for a good attendance at the meeting. Mrs. C. D. Miller left this morning for a visit in Frisco.

tablespoons butter, the eggs, celery, Spanish Olives and American Cheese. Serve in heated patty cases, garnished with sliced Spanish Olives.

Herald Patterns



A CHARMING LOOK FOR YOUTHFUL FIGURES

7267. This is an ideal style for warm summer days, or for informal evening occasions. It may be made without sleeves and with the cape collar, or without the collar and with sleeves. The waist portions are in hip length, above flared skirt sections, the front of these is shaped to form a narrow panel with rounded upper edge that is fastened over the collar. The dress is smart in satin or in lace for evening informal wear.

Designed in 4 Sizes: 14, 16, 18 and 20 years. A 16 year size will require 2 1/2 yards of 35 inch material if made without sleeves and with cape collar or without cape collar and with sleeves. The dress without cape collar and sleeves will require 2 7/8 yards. The cape collar alone requires 2 3/4 yard 35 inch wide. The width of the Dress at the lower edge with fullness extended is 2 2/3 yards.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15c in silver of stamps by The Herald. Send 15c in silver or stamps for our UP-TO-DATE BOOK OF FASHIONS, FALL, 1931.

Mrs. Treatie Goldsticker, of Frisco, is in town for two days.

Mrs. Eubank Announces Assistants To Serve At Clubhouse Market

Mrs. Bob Eubank, as manager of the Clubhouse Market to commence at the Howard County Clubhouse tomorrow, announces that Mrs. Chas. Anderson and Mrs. Joyce Fisher will be her assistants.

It is hoped, said Mrs. Fisher, that every woman in the city will make an attempt to serve at least one Howard County dish on her table for a Sunday dinner. This can consist of chickens raised in the county, or vegetables grown in the county.

Dairy products will also be on sale at the Clubhouse Saturday. The clubhouse will be open at 8 o'clock for those who want to bring their products and those who want to buy. The sale will probably be over by noon.

The idea of the market is to enlarge the field of selling for county women and enable town women to be certain of getting fresh Howard County produce. Even though the market may commence on a small scale, Mrs. Fisher says that is the belief of those interested, that it will eventually become a large and successful market.

YOU NEVER KNEW BRAN COULD BE SO DELICIOUS



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Start the whole family on this health-habit tomorrow. Two tablespoonsful of ALL-BRAN, eaten daily, will prevent and relieve both temporary and recurring constipation. In severe cases, eat ALL-BRAN with each meal. Delicious with milk or cream, fruits or honey added. ALL-BRAN also furnishes iron, which brings color to cheeks and lips. At all grocers in the red-and-green package. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek.



You'll Like to Trade at a White House



Re-Arranged To Serve You BETTER

Although our remodeling program at our Scurry Street store is not completed we can see the effect that the re-arrangement of fixtures has accomplished.

We are in a better position to serve you with the best of groceries. We have more room, more light and a better grouping of our departments. Tomorrow, Saturday, we want you to call and inspect our changed store. You're always WELCOME at a White House but particularly tomorrow we'll expect you. Buy for a week at a White House store. You'll be pleased. Check the items from this list and SHOP SATURDAY.

Save On These Foods SATURDAY and MONDAY

Table listing various food items and prices: Soap Crystal White 10 Bars 25c, Coffee 50c, JELLY or PRESERVES 18c, Card's GRAPE JUICE 20c, Table PEACHES 19c, English PEAS 11c, PINTO BEANS 39c, POTTED MEATS 10c.

BORDEN'S EVAPORATED MILK 6 small cans 25c 3 large cans 25c EAGLE BRAND MILK 20c

Flour Good Grade 48 Lbs. 85c Sugar 10 Lbs. Limit: 10 50c

Table listing market items: Pork 12c, Sliced Breakfast Bacon 25c, STEW MEAT 10c, LONGHORN CHEESE 20c, Wafers 25c, Apples 25c, Oranges 20c, Olives 35c.

AT WHITE HOUSE NO. 2: Bread One Grade Loaf 5c

NO CHARGES AND NO DELIVERY AT THESE PRICES WHITE HOUSE GROCERYS STORE NO. 1 1900 S. SCURRY STORE NO. 2 COLEMAN CAMP 1208 E. 3RD ST.

DO YOU KNOW

That you can save money every day by buying your groceries and meats from us? Compare our prices... compare the quality, and you will join the hundreds of housewives in Howard County that are saving money here.

- Fancy Green Beans lb. 5c BANANAS Nice, Solid Per Dozen 16c Toilet Paper Good Grade 3 for 10c JELLO or ICE CREAM POWDER PKG. 7c BIG FOUR LAUNDRY SOAP 4 BARS 10c Matches 2 boxes 5c Libby's No. 1 PINEAPPLE 10c Libby's No. 2 PINEAPPLE 20c Ice Cream SALT 10 lbs. 12c No. 2 Libby's BEETS 10c

MARKET SPECIALS

- SALT PORK SIDE, lb. 12c SUGAR CURED BACON 22c PORK SAUSAGE 15c BABY BEEF STEAK 20c CREAMERY BUTTER 25c SPECIAL Baby Beef LIVER 10c Lb.

MANY UNADVERTISED BARGAINS Come Early While There Is Plenty Parking Space J. I. Duckworth Phone 220 GROCERY AND MARKET 205 Main

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## Charming Three-Table Party Given By Mrs. H. C. Stipp, Honoring Friends

Bridal Colors of Pink Green and Lavender Are Beautifully Carried Out In Party Accessories

Mrs. Hubert C. Stipp entertained Thursday evening with a delightful party for her friends. The party was honoring the hostesses who so delightfully entertained for her as bride-elect.

Her bridal colors of pink, green and orchid were effectively carried out in all the party accessories. Floral decorations of garden flowers in these colors and orchid-shaded bluebells made the rooms lovely for the occasion.

Miss Ethel Evans made high scores for the evening and received a lovely black and white plaque. Miss Andrea Walker was consoled for making low with novelty China dogs.

Refreshments were of brick ice cream and angelfood squares, both of which carried out the three colors. During the games punch was served.

The guests were Meses. Jake Bishop, George Wilke, William E. Cushing, Chas. Shehane, Clarence Wear and H. B. Dunagan and Meses. Agnes Currie, Dorothy Homan, Digna Torbett, of Marlin, Gertrude McIntyre, Andrea Walker, and Ethel Evans.

Mrs. H. B. Hurley has returned from Temple and is convalescing rapidly.

Mrs. J. L. Rush left this morning for East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Davis have as a guest, Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. James E. Ledbetter, of Henderson, Tenn.

James Ripps is at Palacios attending a R.O.T.C. Camp where he is in the engineering corps.

## \$45 Is Bread Bill Average Family In U.S. Each Year

How much does the average American family spend in a year for bakery goods? The head of a large baking goods company set out to find some information on food budgets, and announced recently that approximately \$40 a year is spent by the average family for baked goods.

Of this amount about \$45 is for bread and rolls. For every dollar spent for food, seven cents buys bread. A definite tendency toward greater consumption of bread is reported in the survey.

Twenty billion dollars is estimated to be the annual food bill of the nation. In 1914 the United States spent only one-third of that sum for food. A larger population, increased prices, better food and greater variety are given as reasons

for the increase in the amount of money spent each year for food.

**WORLD'S LARGEST CASK**  
MUNICH (INS).—The Munich coopers, Joseph and Aloys Dorn, have completed the largest cask in the world designed for actual use. It holds 32,220 gallons, or almost 120,000 bottles, of wine. The famous cask in the Heidelberg Palace holds 56,100 gallons, but it is merely for show purposes.

Mrs. Jim Schmidley and son, James Jr., left today for San Angelo to spend the week-end.

Miss Lois Belle ("Happy") Childress returned recently from a trip to Hico. She is now employed by the Maytag Company.

Mrs. Charles Sheehane has returned from a short trip to Houston and Ft. Worth.

## Poster Display At Methodist Church Today

Women To Be On Hand To Read Books To Children

Members of the W.M.S. of the First Methodist Church have agreed to take certain hours at the Poster and Scrapbook display put on at the Methodist church parlors, today, Saturday and Sunday. They will read the books to the smaller children.

Mrs. Calvin Boykin will have

charge today from 4 to 5; Mrs. J. B. Pickle from 5 to 6; Mrs. A. C. Yeager, Saturday from 4 to 5; and Mrs. V. H. Fleweller from 5 to 6.

The scrapbooks were compiled by boys and girls of high school and college age and deal with world activities. They are being distributed by the World Alliance, a nondenominational organization, in the hope of promoting peace through a better understanding of each nation's problems. The Boys and Girls' Friendship Club of the First Methodist Church is sponsoring the display. It is valued at \$200.

The exhibit is being held today and tomorrow from 4 to 5, and Sunday from 3 to 6. There is no admission charge.

Mrs. A. M. Rippe is leaving tonight for Ft. Worth to take her nephew, Billy Welsh back to his parents.

## Clyde Caraway Recently Married In Greenville

Clyde Caraway was married to Miss Thelma Fae Franks, of Greenville, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Franks, in Greenville Sunday morning.

The Rev. W. B. McDaniel officiated, using the ring ceremony. Only relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom were present.

The attendants were Miss Mildred Franks, twin sister of the bride, and William Little.

The bride was gowned in powder blue crepe with brown hat and accessories. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Big Spring, where the groom is employed by the Big Spring Refining company.

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Mrs. Caraway was the honoree at a lovely shower given by friends of the bride and groom on the evening preceding the wedding. The bride's colors of orchid and green were carried out.

Many lovely gifts were presented to her.

**GONE TO DAVIS MTS.**

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Glover, accompanied by her daughter, Maude Alice, of Dallas, and her sister, Miss Andrea Walker, left this morning for a motor trip to Ft. Stockton, Alpine, Carlsbad and other points in New Mexico. They will be gone for a week.

**VISITORS FROM WACO**

Mrs. Flen DeGraftenreid and daughter, Lillian, of Waco are visiting Mrs. DeGraftenreid's sister, Mrs. Dell Hatch.

**EL-FOOD**  
DRESSING FOR SALADS  
A delicious dressing, made with double the usual amount of egg yolks. You will be delighted with the creamy richness of EL-FOOD.

**THOUSAND ISLAND**  
Made of choice ingredients and blended the special EL-FOOD way... this Thousand Island possesses a rare flavor that is tempting to the taste.

**10 O'CLOCK SPREAD**  
Here's just the thing for that in-between-meal snack. A delicious spread that youngsters and grown-ups alike will enjoy.

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## Specials for SATURDAY and MONDAY

<b>New Spuds</b> 10 lbs. .... 21c	<b>Rice Fancy</b> Bulk, 6 lbs. .... <b>25c</b>
20 lbs. .... 42c	
<b>FLOUR</b>	Primrose, 48 lbs. .... 98c
	White Rose 24 lbs. .... 55c
	Old Mill, 48 lbs. .... 85c
	20 lbs. FANCY CREAM MEAL ..... <b>41c</b>

## All Fruits and Vegetables at Lowest Prices

<b>Compound Lard</b> 8-lb. Pail <b>85c</b>	<b>Milk</b> All Brands 6 small ..... 20c
	3 large ..... 20c
<b>Toilet Tissue</b> Scot Tissue, 3 for 25c	<b>El Food</b> 7 1/2-oz. Size 14c
Waldorf, 6 rolls 25c	<b>MAYONNAISE</b> 16-oz. Size 27c
<b>CEREALS</b>	ALL 15c SELLERS—
	Post Toasties Shredded Wheat
	Pep All Bran Rice Krispies
	Post Bran Flakes Raisin Bran
	Kellogg's Bran Flakes
<b>CORN</b> No. 2 Can Standard <b>10c</b>	<b>WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE</b> Pint ..... 22c
	Quart ..... 43c
<b>CIGARETTES</b> All Kinds Carton ..... \$1.25	<b>PEAS</b> No. 2 Glen Valley Peas—They're Fine <b>10c</b>
<b>JELLO</b> All Flavors 2 Packages ..... 13c	<b>FIRESTONE MATCHES</b> 6 Boxes For ..... 13c
<b>Van Camp's Pork and Beans</b> Small Can <b>5c</b>	Medium Can <b>7c</b>
	Large Can <b>15c</b>
In Our Markets: <b>Sliced, Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon</b> <b>1b....19c</b>	
<b>TOMATOES</b> No. 1 Standard --- Can <b>5c</b>	No. 2 Standard --- Can <b>7c</b>
	3 for 20c
<b>Van Camp's CATSUP</b> Large 14 ounce ..... 12c	<b>BOTTLE CAPS</b> Gross Package ..... 17c
<b>COCOA</b> MOTHER'S 2-lb. Can ..... 25c	<b>PICKLES</b> MAGIC SOU qt. .... 17c
<b>CANNED FISH</b>	<b>BAKING POWDER</b> 25-oz. K. C. 19c
No. 1 Nile Salmon 10c	No. 1/2 Chicken Tuna 19c
<b>PINTO BEANS</b> 32 lbs. <b>\$1</b>	<b>MALT</b> All Brands <b>43c</b>
<b>SOAP SPECIAL</b>	Gallon CANNED GOODS
8 BARS CRYSTAL WHITE ..... 25c	APRICOTS ..... 49c
10 BARS LUNA SOAP ..... 25c	PEACHES ..... 39c
3 BARS PALMOLIVE ..... 19c	APPLES ..... 45c
3 BARS LUX ..... 19c	BLACKBERRIES 49c

## Handy-Andy SPECIALS

FOR SATURDAY

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**BREAD** MEAD'S BUTTER-NUT Toasts So Nicely 500 Loaves— 5c

**Milk** —From Lloyd's Sunshine Dairy Quart 7c | **WHIPPING CREAM** —From Lloyd's Half Pint 10c

**TOMATOES** 3 for 23c

**MILK**, any kind, 3 large or 6 small ..... 23c

**FLOUR** 48 lbs. 91c | 24 lbs. 53c

**BROOMS** Let's all clean house with brooms at this price EACH 38c

**Spuds** —WHITE or RED— A thousand ways to prepare these creamy potatoes 10 lbs. .... 22c

**Vegetables** —And we really have a selection Per Bunch. 5c

**Peaches** —GOLD BAR— A household by-word when you talk peaches No. 2 1/2 can 19c

**Chickens** BIG RHODE ISLAND REDS —Surely Mighty Good— Per Pound 25c

**ROAST** Baby Beef You Can Eat 12 1-2c | **CREAMERY BUTTER** None Better —Clearbrook 27c

**BACON** No Mistake 23c | **SAKES** Tender As Chicken, lb. 17c

**CHEESE** A Real Creamy Cheese, lb. 17c | **WILSON'S CERTIFIED MILK** Half or Whole, lb. 20c

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This paper's first duty is to print all the news that is fit to print honestly and fairly to all unbiased

Industry's Outlook

INDUSTRIAL America of 1931 is a profoundly unlike pioneer America of a century ago

Here is an example. A very prominent and influential industrialist the other day issued a pamphlet

There seems to be a growing tendency to try to shift to the shoulders of each industry the burden of providing for those

Here we have an attempt to approach problems of 1931 in the manner of 1831

Today it is different. Men who cleaved all the rules of thrift and hard work are very badly up against it

WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

So far as Capper, the senior senator, never expressed publicly

Senator Capper is not the type who talks a great deal either on or off the floor of the senate

Among them are families who have kept members in college only at great sacrifice

Specialists would like to call attention to the educational advantages offered to all of West Texas

We have no doubt that it would be possible for the average West Texas family of moderate means

offers in the way of educational facilities and living conditions. It happens that house rent is very cheap here now

The young man or woman desiring a thorough, all-round education in almost any field except a few highly specialized ones

Families with sons and daughters to send to college should not decide that times are too hard to keep them in school this winter

HOW'S your HEALTH

Dr. Isaac Goldstein, Academy of Medicine

ERYSIPPELIS

Erysipelas is a germ disease involving the skin and causing serious systemic disturbances

Its most common place of development is on the face. It may start at the bridge of the nose and spread over both cheeks

Small breaks in the skin serve as a starting point by allowing the entrance of the erysipelas germ

The rash which the disease causes is markedly red, due to the intense inflammation of the skin

Another of the characteristics of the disease is the clean line of demarcation between the diseased and the healthy portion of the skin

The rash has a tendency to spread at the margins and as it spreads the areas first involved tend to fade out and return to normal color

Together with this rash, there are fever and malaise, the patient giving signs of being seriously ill

Erysipelas may attack both young and old, male and female and practically all races

It is a dangerous disease with a mortality rate of from four to seven per cent

When erysipelas involves the face or head it is particularly dangerous. This disease may also be followed by serious complications

In young infants and old persons and in those whose health and resistance have been undermined by alcoholism

Erysipelas is particularly dangerous to newly delivered women and to newborn infants

Today it is different. Men who cleaved all the rules of thrift and hard work are very badly up against it

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with words filled in: CAPBARED ANT, OLE OPINE ROE, LER RETENTION, DEFENDER RANT, ONE VIES, WARD DIARY PA, ARM GRATE RAP, YE MAINE PERT, BARD BAG, SPAR LEGALIZE, PANETELAS LED, ARATEPE DAD, TELESNES SLY

Down crossword puzzle grid with numbers: 1. Orchestra conductor, 2. Bring into line, 3. Slumber, 4. Symbol for tellurium, 5. Dutch masters, 6. Feathered insect, 7. Curious disease, 8. Soggy, 9. Velocity, 10. Large bullfish, 11. Part of the southwest, 12. Ails between Switzerland and Italy

about wondering at Mother Mountain rising into the sky; at the stunted desert vegetation. He looked at the canteen lying on his side and the dark mist spot on the ground which the water had made. Then he saw something else.

"I came to take Bruce back to Ann," said Pierre calmly. "You have killed him." "He was going to leave me here in the desert without water," returned the other. "I shot him in self-defense."

"Yes," said Pierre grimly. "If you try anything like that I shall kill you." "Well, then, why accuse me of murder?" "You got Bruce into this. If it hadn't been for your talk about the millions he could make in this mine if he could get hold of a little capital, Bruce never would have thought of leaving Ann or taking that bank money."

CHAPTER 32 THE FATAL ANTEEN. In the same instant that Donovan reached for his gun and aimed at Pierre appeared behind Donovan, climbing over the low wall of rock.

With an insane laugh, Bruce declared, believing that Pierre had arrived in time to save him? Did he consider Pierre an additional danger? Did he think that whatever the outcome, Donovan would not dare to do the thing he threatened? Or did he deliberately move to end his own torment by taunting the man to the point of killing?

New Champion



Associated Press Photo

Katherine Rawls, 14, Hollywood, Fla., won Eleanor Holm's medley crown and dethroned Margaret Hoffman as 220-yard breast stroke champion in the women's national swimming championship in New York.

IS AGAINST CIGARETTES

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (INS)—Edward Duncan, 47, faces Circuit court trial, a martyr in his own mind to the principles of the woodshed and strap. "I ain't a-goin' to have my daughter a cigarette smoking woman," he said doggedly when held under \$1,000 bond.

GIVES WIFE ALL CREDIT

ELWOOD, Ind. (INS)—John Bell, Elwood resident, who died recently, gave his wife credit in his will for possessing an estate to wit, in bequeathing all his property to his wife, he wrote: "Had it not been



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Smarter than ever before are these new Fall Hats... in navy, sand, green, brown and black... and the styles are well, you'll just have to come and see them.

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Machinery Ordered

To Hasten Highway Work In Mexico

EAGLE PASS, July 31. (AP)—Engineer Pedro Arzu Reus, who is in charge of the highway construction from Piedras Negras to Saltillo, announced on his arrival at Piedras Negras that the Coahuila government had asked for bids on certain machinery. The amount not to exceed \$200,000. The machinery will include a gravel machine and a road grader that will be used to hasten the work of completing the highway from Sabinas to Saltillo.

STRANGE NATURE TALE

SALEM, Ind. (INS)—Two local fishermen brought back a strange nature tale from their latest fishing trip. Enroute to fish in a stream northeast of here, their attention was attracted by the continuous cries of a crow. The cries seemed to emanate from a small branch near the road. Investigating, they discovered a turtle, measuring eight inches across the back, holding fast the wing of a big black and very much alive crow.

MEXICO'S SEA TRAFFIC

MEXICO CITY (INS)—An increase in Mexico's 1930 maritime traffic over the previous year was shown by figures released by the federal government department of statistics. During 1930, according to the figures, 20,316 vessels entered Mexican ports as compared to 17,322 in 1929. The vessels entering in 1930 included 8,523 of foreign register, 3,209 of coastwise trade, and 8,584 devoted to river traffic. The ships carried 38,623 passengers and 2,994,263 tons of cargo.

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# Pirates Beat Spudders, Red Skins Murder Cats, Shippers and Buffs Win

**WICHITA FALLS, July 31.** Hank Thormahlen scattered nine hits to the Spudders yesterday, while the Galveston Pirates hammered Steengrafe, Florrid and Pressnell for 15 hits, including six doubles, to defeat Wichita Falls, 10 to 3. In the eighth, Ratliff, Pratt and Thormahlen doubled in succession off Florrid to start a six-run barrage.

**GALVESTON—AB R H P O A E**  
 Ballew, 2b ..... 4 2 3 2 6 0  
 Speer, cf ..... 4 2 3 1 0 2  
 Cox, lf ..... 4 1 0 3 0 0  
 Bell, rf ..... 5 2 2 2 0 0  
 McGhee, 3b ..... 5 0 2 13 0 0  
 Moleworth, ss ..... 5 0 1 2 2 0  
 Ratliff, c ..... 5 1 2 3 0 0  
 Pratt, 2b ..... 5 1 1 1 0 0  
 Thormahlen, p ..... 0 1 1 0 3 0

Totals ..... 42 19 15 27 11 2

## BASEBALL

### WHERE THEY PLAY WHERE THEY ARE WHAT THEY DID

**RESULTS YESTERDAY**

**Texas League**  
 Galveston 10, Wichita Falls 3.  
 Beaumont 5, Shreveport 0.  
 Houston 7, Dallas 0.  
 San Antonio 16, Fort Worth 1.

**American League**  
 Cleveland 1, Washington 6.  
 St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 6.  
 Two scheduled.

**National League**  
 New York 6, Pittsburgh 9.  
 Chicago 3, St. Louis 10.  
 Two scheduled.

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

**Texas League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Houston	23	7	.767
Dallas	19	13	.594
Beaumont	16	15	.516
Wichita Falls	15	16	.481
Fort Worth	13	17	.432
Shreveport	12	19	.387
Galveston	12	20	.375

**American League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	74	26	.740
Washington	61	37	.622
New York	56	39	.589
Cleveland	47	52	.475
St. Louis	42	53	.442
Boston	38	58	.396
Chicago	36	60	.375
Detroit	35	64	.354

**National League**

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	63	36	.638
New York	50	42	.543
Chicago	52	44	.542
Brooklyn	52	47	.523
Boston	46	47	.495
Pittsburgh	43	50	.462
Philadelphia	39	57	.406
Cincinnati	37	60	.381

**GAMES TODAY**

**Texas League**  
 Houston at Dallas  
 Beaumont at Shreveport  
 Galveston at Wichita Falls

**American League**  
 Boston at New York  
 Brooklyn at Philadelphia  
 Cincinnati at Pittsburgh  
 Chicago at St. Louis

**DALLAS, July 31.** Dizzy Dean held the Dallas Steers to five hits last night and shut them out, 7 to 0. Dean struck out ten men.

The Steers were presented with a real scoring chance in the seventh when Dean walked the bases full. Todd and Mallett fanned to end the threat.

Last night's win ran Dean's total for the season to 21.

Houston ..... 304 600 000-7 15 0  
 Dallas ..... 000 000 000-0 5 1  
 Carson, and Heath; Stoner, J. Harris and M. J. Moore.

**INDIANS 16, PANTHERS 1**

**FORT WORTH, July 31.**—The San Antonio Indians staged an uprising here last night that swept the Panthers back, 16 to 1, in the opening game of the series. Lil Stoner started for the Cats and after being touched for four runs in the first two innings, hurled all tight ball until relieved by a pinch hitter. Then came the rookie Jinx Harris to the mound to allow 12 runs. Carson went the route for the Indians, allowing only six hits.

Score:  
 San Antonio ..... 220 000 004-16 15 0  
 Fort Worth ..... 000 000 100-1 6 4  
 Carson, and Heath; Stoner, J. Harris and M. J. Moore.

**EXPORTERS & SPORTS 0**

**SHREVEPORT, La., July 31.**—Wyatt's effective pitching in the pitches and plenty of speed on the bases enabled the Exporters to beat the Sports 5 to 0 in the first game of the series. Wyatt fanned twelve and hit mates stolen seven bags.

Beaumont ..... 000 000 000-5 8 3  
 Shreveport ..... 000 000 000-0 0 0  
 Wyatt and Wise; Tuero, Moore and Lavogue, Rowland.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**

A. F. Brookshire, an employee of the Witherspoon-Glasscock Oil Company, who received a painful injury to his hand and who was brought to the Big Spring Hospital for treatment is able to leave the hospital.

R. L. Daniels, one of the pioneer Howard county farmers who lives northeast of town and who underwent a blood transfusion yesterday at the Big Spring Hospital is able to leave the hospital.

Rose Kincaide, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Kincaide of Midland, who underwent an operation at the Big Spring Hospital yesterday for removal of tonsils and adenoids is able to leave today. Mr. Kincaide is divisional chief mechanic for the Gulf company.

Mrs. Henry Boatler is a patient at the Big Spring hospital.

E. J. Ahernment, an employee of the Shell Petroleum Corporation at Hobbs, New Mexico, who was brought to the Big Spring hospital for treatment two weeks ago was dismissed yesterday.

**STOCK WITH 6,000 BASS**

**HIGHLAND LAKE, Conn. (INS)**—Just to make sure they will have plenty of fishing in future summers, citizens of Highland Lake have leased six thousand small-mouthed black bass in the waters of their great lake. A thousand bass were turned loose early in the summer, and 5,000 added in mid-July. Four hundred people contributed to the purchase of the fish, which were Connecticut raised.

**SAVED BY 20-STORY LEDGE**

**NEW YORK (INS)**—Few people who fall out of a twenty-first story window ever live to tell the tale. John Carroll did, however, and only suffered a broken ankle. Carroll's lucky "break" came when he grabbed a window ledge on the twentieth floor. Had he fallen one more inch outward he would have plunged to his death.

Negro ground keepers of the Chattanooga baseball club have appeared at games clad in snow-white bathing suits decorated with three stripes.

## Economy, Not Fear Caused Removal of Troops—Gov. Murray

**OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., July 31 (UP).**—Economy, not fear of toll bridge operators, led Governor W. F. Murray to dismiss guards on the pay span, between Durant, Oklahoma, and Denison, Texas, he announced today.

The governor did not revoke his order of martial law over the banks of the Red River connecting the two states. Troops were left on guard over the free bridge, however.

"The minute we need more troops at Durant to keep open the free bridge, we'll send them down there," the governor said. "You and I'll go myself if I'm needed."

"The move was made solely in the interests of economy. Let the owners of the toll bridge bring on anything they choose. We'll be ready."

Toll bridge employees were busy repairing the roadway to the span, torn up two weeks ago by Governor Murray in his campaign to open the free bridge.

## Murray Says Medical Society Is Fanatical

**OKLAHOMA CITY, July 31 (UP).**—The statement that medical associations are "so fanatical that nothing new can be discovered" was made by Governor Murray today in commenting on the controversy over his order to university hospital officials to permit chiropractors at the institution.

"Every new move and every improvement for hundreds of years has been fought strenuously," the governor said. "Fanaticism is what is wrong with the world today. There is fanaticism in religion and in medical science."

## Texas Company Meets Price Hoist in Oil

**HOUSTON, Texas, July 31 (UP).**—The Texas Company met the general price raise posted by Gulf and Vacuum in the past few days.

The Texas Company increase sets Gulf Coast crude at from 40 cents for 26 gravity oil to 36 cents for 40 gravity and above.

San Antonio at Fort Worth.

**American League**  
 New York at Boston.

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

## AFTER FATAL PITTSBURGH FIRE



The Little Sisters of the Poor Home for the Aged in Pittsburgh, Pa., after it had been swept by a fire which resulted in 40 deaths. More than 200 were injured. Lower picture shows the ruins of the third floor where many of the inmates perished.

## Man Gets Sentence For Killing From Rotten Egg Dispute

**BEAUMONT, Texas, July 31 (UP).**—A feud born ten years ago amid a shower of rotten eggs ended here today when one participant was given five years in prison yesterday for the murder of the other.

Joe Mier, 40, and Moise Boudreaux, 42, were neighbors in Louisiana ten years ago. One day they argued and started throwing rotten eggs at each other. They were separated but each vowed vengeance, according to witnesses.

Later both moved to Texas and in August last year they met at a dance at Port Aransas, near here. Boudreaux was shot to death.

## Predatory Animal Eradication Progresses

**SAN ANGELO, July 31 (UP).**—The predatory animal control work in Texas, with a sum of about \$175,000 to be spent in its operations during the fiscal year beginning July 1, will perhaps do one of its most effective year's work, Roscoe Runge, attorney for the Texas Predatory Animal Eradication Association, said here recently.

Runge went to Washington and took part in the framing of the predatory animal bill which gives appropriations for fighting out the range pests on a ten-year plan.

## METEOR MYSTERY SOLVED

**LONDON (INS).**—Leading scientists of Britain recently were puzzled by a mysterious "bridge of light" in the eastern sky. Dr. A. C. D. Crommelin, president of the Royal Astronomical Society, studied it closely and formed the belief that it must be the effect of forty-mile-a-second meteors. The superintendent of the famous observatory at Kew confessed himself completely baffled. Some of the most powerful telescopes in the

London area were used in vain to penetrate the mystery. And then somebody discovered that Fred Hulse, night hand at Woolwich Arsenal, on the outskirts of London, was burning several truck loads of cordite waste on the huge area used as a gun range.

"Fudge" Yockey, city golf champion of Kansas City, Kas., is making a tour playing exhibition matches as partner of "Titan" Thompson.

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Mrs. Ellington High Scorer At Tah-lequah Club

Mrs. J. L. Rush entertained the members of the Tah-lequah Bridge Club with a very enjoyable party at the Settles Hotel Thursday afternoon.

Revival Meeting To End Sunday

The revival meeting that has been in progress for several days under auspices of the Church of the Nazarene at Fifth and Young streets will be closed Sunday evening, according to an announcement by Rev. Thomas Ahern, the pastor.

Local

Table with columns for location and phone numbers. Locations include Odessa, Colorado, Main Street, Midland, Sweetwater, Tangle News, Special Entry, and Texas.

Labor Calendar

Big Spring Typographical Union No. 757 President: N. L. Miller Jr. Secretary: W. E. Yarbro

Texans

(Continued from Page 1) Mrs. R. F. Lindsay, Moun. Pleasant, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs...

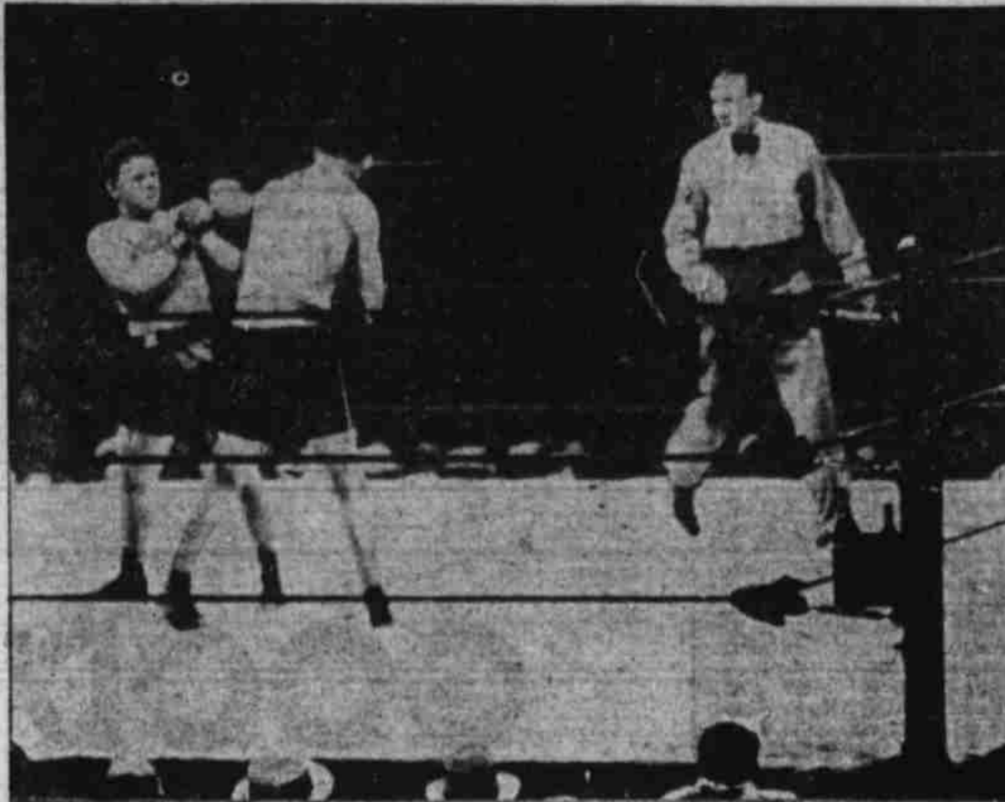
Reduced

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) The federation's proposal for a shorter work week drew favorable comment from William N. Doak, secretary of labor...

Lad Shoots Self

GRAND SALINE, Texas, July 31 (UP)—Lawrence Gray, 19, will lose one eye and possibly his life, physicians said today, from the self-inflicted shot in his left eye...

TOY BULLDOG FIGHTS BOSTON GOB TO DRAW



This Associated Press telephoto shows Mickey Walker, the toy bulldog, slipping away from one of Jack Sharkey's left jabs in the third round of their 15-round battle in Brooklyn which was called a draw.

R-BAR

Mrs. W. C. Rogers returned recently from a visit of two weeks with relatives in Ennis. Mrs. Berry Long and son, Henry, of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long and family...

Crude Prices In Arkansas And Louisiana Hiked

DALLAS, July 31 (UP)—Increases of from four to six cents per barrel were announced in a new price schedule issued today by Magnolia Petroleum company for Arkansas and Louisiana crude.

Wind Digs Wells In Andrews; Herd of 28 Antelope Reported

SAN ANGELO, July 31 (UP)—Out in Andrews county the wind digs wells, says Frank Friend, surveyor of the lands of the University of Texas...

East Texas Opens Shutdown Move

TYLER, Texas, July 31 (UP)—East Texas operators today were called upon to follow the lead of Oklahoma in halting production of oil until the price of crude is raised "at least to the dollar mark."

Exchange Shops Are Closed To Stabilize Mexican Peso Value

MEXICO CITY, July 31 (UP)—All money exchange shops were ordered closed by the treasury department. The action was taken on the grounds that speculation was harming the exchange value of the peso.

Four Dead As Desert Takes Toll

MOTHER and Baby Meet Horrible Fate in Mexican Waste Lands NOGALES, SONORA, Mexico, July 31 (UP)—Four unmasked graves in the blistering wastes and three men who roared insanely in a Sonora hospital provided a real and tragic answer to Thomas A. Edison's famous question...

Vigilant Watch For Violators Of Anti-Trust Statutes Promised West Texans By Attorney General

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 31 (UP)—Prosecution of anti-trust law violators and a vigilant watch for evidence were promised citizens of West Texas today by Attorney General James V. Allred.

On Trial For Murder

Moss E. Garrison shown in San Diego, Cal., court where he was on trial charged with the slaying of his sweetheart, Hazel Bradshaw, who was found stabbed to death in a San Diego park.

Public Health Work Promoted In Five Counties

Under supervision of the state department of health a district containing Llaneta, Dawson, Martin, Howard and Borden counties has been formed with Dr. A. M. Gosh as sanitary and a public health nurse as members of the staff...

Seven Thousand Texas Troops Gather At Bay

PALACIOS, Texas, July 31 (UP)—Seven thousand national guardsmen of Texas will gather here on Matagorda Bay Aug. 1 for their annual 15-day encampment. The military mobilization of the 25th Sixth Division will occur in the space of 24 hours...

Statutory Charge Lodged Against Young Men Being Held Here

T. B. Richards, 22, of Magdalena, N. M., was being held by the sheriff's department here today on a charge of statutory rape, lodged after Sheriff Slaughter had answered a call to a local residence at 2:30 a. m. Friday.

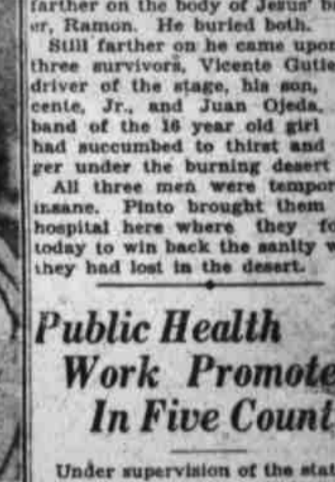
Grain Elevator Fire Believed Incendiary

FORT WORTH, July 31 (UP)—Fire Marshal Ligon was investigating possible incendiary origin of a fire which destroyed the D. S. Moore grain elevator here last night. Damage was estimated at \$20,000.

Newspaper Plant Burned At Frost

CORSICANA, July 31 (UP)—The plant of the Enterprise, weekly newspaper at Frost, burned early today. Loss was estimated at \$13,000. The building was new, having replaced one destroyed by a tornado here in 1930.

Here's Mr. A



12 Drilling Permits Issued In East Texas

KILGORE, Texas, July 31 (UP)—Issuance of 12 drilling permits for tests in five East Texas counties was announced here today. Gregg county led with five permits.

Van, Texas, July 30 (UP)

Prospects of a new pool for southeastern Van Zandt county were seen today in reports that the W. A. Phillips et al No. 1 Morris had cored saturated sand. The wildcat test is located eight miles south of Van and a mile west of Edora.

Longview, Texas, July 31

Magnolia Oil and Gas Company has disposed of its Gregg county holdings to Tidal Oil Company, Tulsa. In a consideration of \$3,000,000, it was reported here today.

### Development Of Potash In Texas Looms

#### Deposits Discovered Under University Land Are Watched

AUSTIN, Texas, July 31.—It is considered as not improbable that some action may be taken in the near future toward the development of the potash resources that are known to underlie lands owned by the University of Texas. Dr. Hal P. Bybee, who has charge of the geologic matters relating to these lands, is preparing to make a thorough investigation of the commercial possibilities of the potash deposits. In drilling oil wells on lands owned by the University in Ector, Upton and Crane counties and probably in other counties of West Texas, strata of potassium sulphate were encountered at what was said to be workable depths. While some analyses have been made of the cores from these wells, no authoritative information as to the commercial properties of the potash beds is said to be available. From time to time, however, during the last few years, highly favorable reports have been made of the vast potash wealth that the University possesses in this undeveloped mineral.

At one time negotiations were pending for the leasing of some of this land for development purposes to a private enterprise, but no final action was taken. In Midland County, steps toward developing a large potash deposit on privately owned lands are reported to be under way.

Interest in this undeveloped resource of West Texas has been recently stimulated by the opening of what is said to be a vast potash deposit near Loving, N. M., by the United States Potash Corporation. This company has expended up to this time nearly \$1,000,000 in sinking a two-compartment shaft into the stratum of potash to a depth of approximately 1,000 feet and in other work. From this shaft, tunnels or shafts have been run into the potash bed for distances of several miles and the mineral is now being mined at the rate of 200 tons a day. As soon as the work of installing machinery and equipment is completed at the mine and the large refinery which the company is building at Loving is finished, the production of potash will be greatly increased. An 18-mile railroad is being constructed to the mine by the Pecos Valley division of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe. It is believed by persons who have knowledge of the underlying potash wealth of West Texas that what is now being done in New Mexico in the matter of commercializing this mineral may be carried on with equal success in this state, especially in the development of the beds that exist beneath the surface of lands owned by the university.

**Texas Marriage Total Reduced By '3-Day' Law**

WASHINGTON, July 30. (INR)—Texas' "three-day" marriage law was responsible for a decided decline in the number of marriages in the state in 1929, it was disclosed in the annual report of the United States census bureau, made public today.

There were 45,153 marriages performed in Texas in 1929, the report shows, as compared with 63,173 in 1928. The decrease totals 18,020 or 28.5 per cent.

Divorces during 1929, also were fewer than in 1928, but the percentage decline was not as large. The percentage of decline in the divorce rate. Divorces in 1929 totalled 18,283. The decrease in 1929 as compared to 1928 was 9.3 per cent.

The estimated population of Texas on July 1, 1929, was 5,853,000 and on July 1, 1928, was 5,738,728. On the basis of these estimates, the number of marriages per 1,000 population was 7.7 in 1929, as against 11.1 in 1928; and the number of divorces per 1,000 population was 2.88 in 1929, as against 3.29 in 1928.

**Divorces Drop**

The figures show that in 1929 there was one divorce in Texas for every 2,706 marriages in 1929 as compared to 2,628 in 1928. Harris county led in both years in divorces, having 3,651 in 1929 and 4,291 in 1928. Divorces in Harris county totalled 2,074 in 1929, as compared to 2,028 in 1928.

Dallas county led in the number of divorces, having 2,129 as compared to only 2,027 marriages. In 1929 the marriages in Dallas county numbered 3,476, and divorces 2,043. Tarrant was one of only two counties with more divorces than marriages. Marriages totalled 1,029 and divorces 1,076.

The statistics for several other representative counties were as follows:

County	1929		1928	
	M	D	M	D
Bexar	2,592	1,466	3,426	1,615
Cameron	644	105	774	103
Dallas	2,207	2,129	3,476	2,043
Gregg	171	35	205	55
Grimes	158	22	218	41
Harris	5,651	2,074	4,291	2,028
Hidalgo	2,075	73	1,179	75
Howard	177	102	240	95
Lamar	141	152	205	200
McLennan	609	414	1,295	409
Nolan	136	52	267	42
Nueces	415	123	792	133
Smith	522	134	1,039	158
Tarrant	1,029	1,076	1,780	1,104
Taylor	271	194	454	140
Tom Grn	289	129	412	157
Travis	778	253	989	289
Victoria	393	40	395	36
Wichita	170	322	276	414

#### Football Equipment Goes To 100 Players At Corsicana High

CORSICANA, July 31. (AP)—Football equipment will be issued to 75 or 100 huskies by Coaches Johnny A. Pierce and Jake Hanna of Corsicana high school August 31, and training will begin September 1. Corsicana went to the semi-finals in the interscholastic league in 1930. The season will be opened with a night game in Dallas, September 18, with the Highland Park eleven.

### 25 Cents Per Barrel Below Development Cost In West Texas

SAN ANGELO, July 31. (AP)—Although back on a basis which may make unnecessary the plugging or shutting in of more small wells, oil at 25 cents a barrel still is below the cost of developing West Texas production, including drilling costs, and the Permian Basin will be afforded but little relief, oil men declare here.

The cost of drilling a producer ranges from \$25,000 to \$30,000 in Howard and Glasscock counties to as high as \$150,000 in the Hobbs field of Lea county, New Mexico, being less, of course, in such shallow areas as the T'ong-Tippett pool in Pecos county and in the Irion county shallow field.

Milt Simpson, the prophetic blacksmith of Iola, Kansas, has sent his horse to the St. Louis Cardinals this year as his world's champion choice.

Burt V. Halbert, a star football player at Transylvania college, Lexington, Kentucky, from 1925 to 1924, will become head coach at his alma mater this fall.

### Prehistoric Life Studied On Plains

AMARILLO, July 31. (AP)—Life very similar to that of the African veldt once flourished on the Texas plains, said Dr. E. C. Case, noted paleontologist of the University of Michigan, who led an expedition to the Panhandle this year to make a study of prehistoric findings.

In discussing "The Lost World of Texas," Dr. Case described camels, elephants, great ground sloths, mastodons, bison, giant dogs, rhinoceri, saber-toothed cats, giant crocodiles, and other strange animals that once lived, fought and died "in the slime of the river plains."

Dr. Case said the Panhandle offered the richest field in the world for the study of animal life of the Triassic age, of which, he said, so little is known.

"The fossil beds which have been found in this country point out the fact that as the water dried up, the animals came to the water, and that when the water supply was entirely gone, there they died," Dr. Case said. "Their fossils lie in the age-old river beds."

"I have been able to stand on the banks of prehistoric streams in this section and piece together fragments until I had a story almost unbelievable, and not believed by many. But such stories are true. "A paleontologist is really an explorer. He reads not the bones but the story of the bones. And these stories and discoveries lie at your very door."

Dr. Case said that the teeth of air-breathing fish, found now only in Australia, had been unearthed in the Panhandle, and that tantalizing fragments of animals still unknown have been picked up in scattered places.

### School Opened In July; To Take 'Holiday' For Gathering Cotton Crop

NORTON, July 31. (AP)—School bells rang in July for the children of Norton. For the first time, the regular school session which usually opens in the fall started in mid-summer. The trustees decided to start the season earlier in order that a "holiday" might be given during the cotton picking season.

Several other West Texas towns plan to open school earlier in order that the children might be released to pick cotton.

### Amarillo Merchants Cooperate To Enforce Sunday Closing Laws

AMARILLO, July 31. (AP)—Amarillo merchants and County Attorney Rheta C. Myers are cooperating in their efforts to enforce the Sunday closing laws.

At the invitation of the county attorney, 43 merchants met and signed an agreement to keep their establishments closed on Sunday during the hours prescribed by law. Those who did not sign the agreement are being arrested when they are found open in violation of the statute. Charges are then dismissed against those who agree to remain closed in the future, and the others are threatened with prosecution.

### John Andrew Brought First Sheep To Section

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 31. (AP)—Old-timers at the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association convention here recalled the first sheep brought into West Texas in 1876 by John Arden, for whom the Arden community on the Middle Concho River, was named.

Arden drove the sheep through

### License Fee Law Will Be Contested

SAN ANTONIO, July 31. (AP)—With the intention of establishing a test case of the state license fee law, Bexar county commissioners are seeking legal advice on the provision which limits county benefits from the tax to \$175,000.

The commissioners claim the tax is unfair.

According to the law, which went into effect January 1, the first \$50,000 collected goes to the county; half of the following proceeds goes to the county until a total of \$175,000 has been received, and the rest goes to the state.

Assistant County Attorney Wright said the law is the only one ever passed in which the legislature expressed a doubt as to constitutionality. He said a provision of the act is that should the law be proven unconstitutional, counties will receive 60 per cent and the state 40 per cent of all collections.

Bexar county already has received \$175,000 this year, all it can expect from the tax under the present statute; but if the 60-40 provision were effective, the county would have received \$497,676.

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## Americans Complete Flight To Turkey

### Body Of Lost Child Is Discovered

Some farmers are not worrying very much about whether they will be able to pay living expenses, because their living expenses amount to very little, although they live better than most folks.

That is indicated by the report of those who went on the Chamber of Commerce motorcade through the northeastern part of the county this morning.

Plenty of good canned food, dairy products, eggs and chickens in addition to the grain sorghum and cotton crops place the practitioners of diversified farming in a position where they can "hold on" indefinitely, no matter what happens to the market for the money crops.

Wonder if we'll ever get to where we can attend a wedding without getting a lump in our throat? Something about 'em is not exact, I said but very solemn, which is as it should be, we reckon. Anyway our heartfelt good wishes go out to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyle, whose wedding we witnessed this morning.

Frank sure scored a home run when he found his partner. Only thing is we feel sorry for Frances if she's got to cook for Frank from now on. Our bunk mate, Hubba Joe Galbraith, is glad he's married because it'll give Joe a better chance to eat more up at Mrs. Lee's boarding house. Some body could have made a lot of money by putting in a special commensury to furnish that pair sufficient victuals.

Parents of children who were not officially listed in the annual scholastic census, take last March, must pay tuition for them to attend school this fall. This is a bad situation, but made necessary by an opinion of the state court. The laws must be changed as quickly as possible to allow any child of scholastic age, whether officially enumerated in the preceding census or not, to attend free of charge.

The scholastic census is not to be confused with the 1930 federal census. All children that were enumerated, whether they lived in this school district at the time or not, are entitled to attend school without cost.

Today eleven Big Spring firms announce formation of the Baby-o-the-Month club, which will present to the first baby born in Big Spring in August, in September and in October. Parents of children born the first days of those months should present birth certificates at the Herald office showing the date, hour, and minute of the baby's arrival.

Pretty nice plan, don't you think?

### Court Asked To Stop Campaign Funds Body From Querying Cannon

WASHINGTON, July 30 (AP)—Robert H. McNeill, attorney for Bishop James Cannon, Jr. asked the District of Columbia supreme court today for a writ preventing the senate campaign funds committee from inquiring into the bishop's anti-Smith activities in 1928.

### Salvation Army Asks For Clothing

The Salvation Army issued an appeal Thursday for those who have old clothing to give to the needy to bring it to Wander Inn, First and Main streets, or call No. 107.

**JAZZ PRE-HISTORIC**  
ERIE, Pa. (INS).—Mexico may have been the cradle of "jazz" music according to James J. Sullivan, a Boston mining engineer, who stopped here enroute to China by way of San Francisco. "Archaeologists have uncovered instruments in the interior of Mexico which were capable of producing music like we hear today," said Sullivan. The instruments resembled in a crude way, Sullivan explained, the modern clarinet and saxophone. "They were played by the prehistoric men, who roamed the North American continent centuries ago," he said.

**STOLEN SHOES TRAP MIM**  
NEW YORK (INS).—Dominick De Villo, 17, today owes his arrest on a larceny charge, and his subsequent confession to 43 similar charges, to the vanity which impelled him to put on a pair of patent leather shoes stolen from his latest victim, Vincent Fogliani, 16, the partner in this Rafael act was the first to be arrested, rushing out of an apartment which the two lads had just robbed into a arms of passing detectives. The youths are accused of over 100 robberies with \$30,000 in booty.

### Testimony By H. F. Sinclair Senate's Wish

OIL MAGNATE RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC REQUEST FROM POLLARD  
AUSTIN, July 30 (AP)—The senate, beginning the last day of its oil investigation voted to request Harry F. Sinclair to appear for questioning.

Senator Tom Pollard of Tyler, author of the resolution, wired Sinclair in Tulsa suggesting that he fly here and testify in the afternoon.

### Seat In Congress Sought By State Senate Member

AUSTIN, July 30 (AP)—The only member of the state senate who is an avowed candidate for a bigger office is Ben G. Neal of Wichita Falls. Neal is going to enter the race for all which has resulted from the decision of Quinn Williams of Decatur to retire from congress at the end of his present term.

W. J. McFarlane and R. D. Sartain, who were candidates against Williams last year, are already running again. McFarlane, who lives in Graham, left the state senate to run for congress. Sartain, a Wichita Falls man, was a leader in the Hoover Democratic ranks in 1928. Sartain got a few more votes than McFarlane to go into the runoff with Williams last year.

Others mentioned as possible candidates are Walter Cline of Wichita Falls, Dr. C. J. Sherrill of Bellevue, a member of the state house of representatives, and Fred Minor of Denton, speaker of the house. The field probably will be large, as it usually is when an incumbent retires.

Minor also has been regarded as a possible candidate for congressman-at-large in event the state should not be redistricted. Prospects for redistricting were considered slim inasmuch as the special session of the legislature ends August 12.

### Negro Baby, Two Years Old, Walked Fifteen Miles In 48 Hours Before Falling Exhausted In Beal Ranch

Out in the silent brush-covered expanse of the Beal pasture, approximately 14 miles from his home, the 3-R ranchhouse west of Snyder, little Collis Wells, who was two years old last February, ended his wanderings Thursday morning.

At 11:30 a. m. the searching party which had been scouring the ranches southwest of the 3-R headquarters since the child negro wandered away from the house with his two dogs about 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, came upon the body of the baby.

He had died of exhaustion and apparently had not been molested by animals or reptiles. His position, indicated he had fallen as he continued his steady southwestward course—the direction in which he had been going since leaving his house.

An undertaker called to take charge of the body said the child had been dead about two hours. He had walked at least 15 miles and continued 48 hours without food under the blistering sun of mid-summer.

Don Teel local aviator, returned to the home port at nightfall Wednesday after having flown over the area several hours without finding any trace of the boy.

Tracks believed to have been made by Collis were found seven miles from the ranch house late Wednesday. Many persons could hardly believe so young a child could have walked so far.

Nathan Reynolds, owner of the 9 R ranch, for whom the child's parents work, stopped briefly at the Crawford hotel Thursday morning enroute from his ranch in the Davis mountains to join in the search for the boy.

The body was discovered by a group of men, members of a party that included as many as 200 persons at various times during the 48-hour hunt.

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### FOUR HORSEMEN GET "ON LOCATION"



The "Four Horsemen" who rode to a national football title for Notre Dame in 1924 are shown with Mrs. Knute Rockne, widow of the man who coached them, arriving in Los Angeles to make a football movie. Left to right: Elmer Layden, Harry Stuhldreher, Mrs. Rockne, Jimmy Crowley and Don Miller.

### Motorcaders Find Howard County Crop Prospects Best in 20 Years On Inspection Trip of Thursday

A small but highly interested group of Big Spring citizens comprising an abbreviated motorcade made a thorough inspection and good will tour through the northeastern part of Howard county Thursday morning. The auto caravan headed by C. T. Watson, secretary of the chamber of commerce, made five halts to inspect crops first hand.

The initial pause was made at the Walter Robinson farm east on Highway No. 1. The motorcade was met by Robinson who led them about the place pointing out various features on the well kept farm. Robinson said his boys were busy working in the field and that the girls were canning peas; he showed the crowd a sample of the canning done by the women. He also said that many other vegetables would be stored in that manner and pointed to a dug out full of freshly canned stock.

Robinson's feed crop was in excellent shape save for slight damage done by a small green "stink bug." His corn was over "head and hands" tall and hundreds of ears were just right for "roasting ears." He followed the idea of two rows of corn alternating with two rows of peas. He has several acres in feed and beautiful cotton. He had a large garden near the house in which he raised cantaloupes, watermelons and other produce. A tank near the windmill pumped a steady stream of water contained fish which were large enough to eat. He had two patches of fine sudan grass in which good stock were grazing. An orchard, which had been struck by the late freeze, bore a few good plums.

Continuing on the Rankhead highway the motorcade next stopped at Coahoma where several business firms were visited. After a pause during which Tom Ashley and Jim Black distributed frozen desserts to the children the procession resumed its itinerary having been joined by B. F. Roberts, Coahoma merchant, A. P. Hauck, bank cashier, and Mr. DeVaney, editor of the Coahoma newspaper.

Going north a short distance the caravan turned west striking the W. F. Rogers farm after having seen farms belonging to Sanders estate, Will Spears, W. W. Lay, Will Robinson, Bob Guthrie, and Sam Buchanan. Here the group saw what many termed the best feed they had observed in Howard county this year. Large heads, for the most part unmolested by bird or insect, averaged six and eight inches in length and about one pound in weight. Rogers had some eight acres of such feed. He led the crowd across one of two sudan grass pastures where horses and mules were grazing. Thence into his cotton field. Here stalks were yet too young to have bolls but the average number of squares found on each stalk was estimated to be well over thirty. The group moved back to the house where chickens roamed in a spick and span yard with a modern chicken house to roost in. The fowls were of the white wyandotte variety and were a perfect picture of successful poultry raising.

The cars resumed the journey turning north to Ben Ben Miller. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 3)

### Emissary Of University In Germany Here

Dr. H. L. Lauke Studying Air Traffic In United States  
More questions concerning Big Spring and West Texas were asked the interviewer Thursday morning at the airport by Dr. Herbert L. Lauke of the University of Stuttgart, Germany, than the interviewer could ask him.

"Undoubtedly Texas is the great country of the future," said the slender young scientist, who is in the United States for inspection of the aviation industry as part of his research work for the university. He speaks English fluently and was keenly interested not only in the properties at the airport but in other phases of West Texas life.

### Tom Ball Is Indicted For Felony Theft

Former Congressman Accused In Alleged Land Deal

### Value Of Helium Interests Must Be Fixed By Court

AMARILLO, July 30 (AP)—After awarding the Bivins estate and associates damages amounting to \$124,411 for gas and oil rights on 9,127 acres of land, three Amarillo men, acting as special U. S. commissioners in condemnation proceedings of the government against the estate, held that the value of helium interests should be decided by a court.

The Bivins heirs and four insurance and oil companies associated with them had asked for \$200,000 damages. The government had offered to pay a little less than \$50,000 for helium rights on the tract, which is a part of the 55,000-acre lease owned by the government in the famous helium-bearing Cliff-side structure.

### Philadelphia Publisher Dies After Long Illness

PHILADELPHIA, July 30 (AP)—William L. McLean, 79, publisher of the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin and former director of the Associated Press, died here after a year's illness.

### New Record For Distance Established

Unsighted Since Take-Off Pair Covers At Least 5039 Miles

ISTANBUL, Turkey, July 30 (AP)—Russell Boardman and John Polando, American aviators, landed here at 1:30 p. m. 3:30 a. m. Friday, Spring time, having covered 5039 miles from New York in 46 hours 30 minutes. They had been unsighted along the way.

WASHINGTON, July 30 (AP)—Naval hydrographers said that the Boardman Polando plane flew at least 5,039 1/2 miles, crossing the Bosphorus near Paris and over the Black Sea. The shortest route from New York to Istanbul was 5,070 1/2 miles.

### Al Capone Is Surprised By Court Ruling

Judge Orders Evidence Introduced In Booze, Tax Cases  
CHICAGO, July 30 (AP)—Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson ordered government and defense to present evidence in the prohibition and income evasion cases against Al Capone beginning this afternoon.

Capone was disconcerted by the order. He previously had pleaded guilty. It was rumored he might withdraw the plea.

The judge said that if Capone asks leniency he must submit to questioning on all proper issues. He said the defense and prosecution agreement could not bind the court. Capone was charged with five thousand prohibition offenses and evading taxes as a million dollar income. Al came to court without a bodyguard.

### Murray Threat Brings No Action From Operator

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 30 (AP)—Oil operators were still inactive in the face of Governor Murray's threat to stop production unless a price of a dollar per barrel is posted by Saturday night. Doubt was expressed that federal court orders or anything short of presidential action would stop Murray.

### Baby-of-the-Month Club Formed By Eleven Big Spring Merchants

And now the first "king of the household" who makes his or her entry during the months of August, September and October is to have just the right recognition that is due him or her... at the time of such an important event as the arrival of a newcomer to the household.

### The Weather

FORECAST BY AP WEST TEXAS—Generally clear except probably showers in the Rio Grande valley. EAST TEXAS—Unsettled with showers in the south portion tonight and Friday.

'We' And Wife Challenge Ocean

Lindberghs To Face Grave Storm Perils In Flight Across Northern Pacific Waters

BY RICHARD MASSOCK NEW YORK (AP)—A new "We" is about to head out over the wind swept sea toward the horizon of adventure. This time it will be a "We" that means a man and his mate and his plane.

Lindbergh no longer flies alone. The man who in a single hop spanned the broad Atlantic Ocean to Paris, fame and, subsequently, a bride is preparing for another feat with his lady at his side.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his wife, the equally brave Anne Morrow Lindbergh, intend to fly across the blue Pacific. A tour in the Orient lies ahead. In keeping with the shiny career of America's aerial hero, they will ride the magic carpet of aviation to the lands of sampans and pagodas and cherry blossoms.

Leave Baby With Grandparents Within a month they plan to leave their baby son, Charles Augustus, Jr., under the watchful eye of the grandparents Benatar and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow of Englewood, N. J., and depart aloft for a tour of China and Japan.

The flight across the north Pacific will be made in a series of short hops. Zooming off the extreme northwestern corner of the country or from Alaska, they probably will pause awhile at Alto, most westerly of the Aleutian islands, which string westward from the Alaskan coast.

From that point it is approximately 600 miles to Shumshu, nearest island of the Japanese empire. Take All Precautions Lindbergh's Lockheed - Sirius monoplane will be equipped with pontoons and every safety precaution taken.

Two other flights have been made over the same approximate route, and another is planned for this year. The previous flights were those of the army round-the-world squadron in 1924 and of the Russian flyers who came to New York in 1925 and were greeted by Lindbergh.

On the way Lindbergh may meet Seiji Yoshikawa, young Japanese, who hopes to hop by easy stages from Tokyo with Washington as his ultimate goal. Yoshikawa started once, but damaged his plane. He will make a second attempt soon.

Many Weather Hazards Regardless of the safety precautions, the weather bureau at Washington indicated that any trans-Pacific flight would be hazardous because generally there are three weather disturbances at once over the Pacific Ocean in June, July and August, the most favorable months.

They're On The Wing Again!



"We"—and "We" now means Anne Morrow Lindbergh as well as her famous husband and their plane—are ready for another ocean flight. This time "We" will cross the Pacific in a series of short hops. And then there will be a tour of the Orient.

Chuck Klein Still Is King

National League Pitchers Having Hard Time This Year

NEW YORK, July 25 (AP)—Although they have received quite a bit of aid from the new and less lively ball that has cut down the hitting averages in the National League, the pitchers of the older major league are finding a rather hard time in the close struggle.

The semi-official averages for this week show that up to last Thursday only five National League pitchers had been able to win more than ten games and only one of these was among the leaders in games won and lost. Paul Derringer of St. Louis had eleven victories to his credit against four defeats for a 73.9 average that gave him fourth place. The other leaders were Guy Bush of Chicago who had won eight games and lost two and two other Cardinals, Jim Lindzey, with four victories and one defeat, and Jess Haines, with seven games won and two lost.

Although he was idle four days last week, Chuck Klein, the Phillies slugger, retained his strangle hold on most of the league's batting honors. He remained the undisciplined leader in the batting average with a .335 mark, nine points ahead of Dick Bartell of Philadelphia, who went into second place as several bivals lost ground. Klein also held first place in four other departments with 83 runs, 129 hits, 23 home runs and 63 runs batted in.

Second place went to English of Chicago with 68 runs; English and Lloyd Newer, Pittsburgh, 122 hits; Ott, New York, 17 homers, and Hornsby, Chicago, 74 runs batted in.

Hornsby continued to lead in two-base hits with 33, five ahead of Dick Bartell of Philadelphia, while eleven triples put Bill Terry of New York one ahead of Pie Traynor of Pittsburgh and George Watkins of St. Louis. Kiki Cuyler of Chicago and Adam Cooney of Pittsburgh again were tied in their base-stealing race, each with eleven thefts.

Behind the two Philadelphians on the list of leading batters, Charley Grimm of Chicago took third place with a .346 average. Other leading regulars were Hendrick, Cincinnati, .345; Hogan, New York, .342; Hornsby, Chicago, .341; Terry, New York, .336; O'Doul, Brooklyn, .332; Cuyler, Chicago, .328; English, Chicago, .325 and Actie, Philadelphia, .325.

Chicago held first place in the club hitting and fielding lists with averages of .29 at bat and .975 in the field. The new rates will place the western part of the Panhandle in a place of competition with Colorado and New Mexico in a territory formerly cut off by high rates.

All of the Panhandle will have new markets for wheat in Kansas City and Chicago, when the new rate schedules place them on an equal footing with Gulf port points so far as freight is concerned. The Panhandle, which has been discriminated against in freight rates heretofore, will fare much better when the new rates become effective, according to S. J. Calhoun, traffic manager of the Amarillo chamber of commerce.

Babe Ruth's Crown Intact

Thirteen Tough Weeks of Work Show No Effect On Big Bam

CHICAGO, July 25 (AP)—Thirteen weeks of work this season had no noticeable effect on Babe Ruth's big frame, and he again was the leading batsman of the American league, according to semi-official figures which include Thursday's games.

The Babe peeled off eleven hits in 32 times at bat last week and boosted his average two points to .378, enabling him to regain the top position from Young Eddie Morgan of Cleveland. Morgan found the pace a little stiff and lost eight points, slipping to third place behind Al Simmons, the Philadelphia slugger, who gained fourteen points to .375.

Lou Gehrig, the other member of the Yankees' home run combination, was no threat for the position occupied by Ruth, but he was in sole possession of four individual leaderships. He batted out four more home runs and led with 35; had batted home 102 runs; had 231 total bases and had scored 96 times himself.

Simmons led in hits with 142 and had an even dozen triples for another leadership, while Earl Webb of Boston was miles out in front in hitting for two bases with 43 doubles. Ben Chapman, another Yankee outsider, had an even greater margin in base-stealing, his collection of thefts having reached 27. Following Ruth and Simmons in the individual race were Morgan, Cleveland, .373; Webb, Boston, .363; Goslin, St. Louis, .355; Gehrig, New York, .352; West, Washington, .352; Averill, Cleveland, .343; Dickey, New York, .339; Cochrane, Philadelphia, .335.

FAIRVIEW-MOORE

BY ELMER WHITE Miss Alpha Rowland spent Saturday night with Miss Lexie Hall. Miss Gussie Mae Corbit and Miss Ruby Childers spent last Saturday and Sunday with Misses Johnnie and Eldora Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jackson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Reed and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wooten.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Rowland and J. D. and Bill Rowland spent last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hayworth and family of Coahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Gabra Hammack and son spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jackson and family.

Misses Christine Brown and Wynelle Rogers spent Sunday with Miss Zan Grant. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Harris and family of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hambrick and family.

Dale Scoggin of Knott spent Saturday night and Sunday with Troy Newton. Van Mason spent Saturday night and Sunday with J. D. Jackson. Dean Hambrick spent Saturday night with Edward Martin.

Margie Lee Hall is spending this week with her grandmother in Coahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stroope and son of Big Spring spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rowland and family.

Charles Lucy and James Roy Horton spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Phelan of Big Spring. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels have moved to Mr. Cook's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Merrick of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Merrick. Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Grant and family. Miss Johnnie Lancaster has been ill the past week.

Stanton Falls Off But Holds Texas Crown

Lil Stoner's Pitching Average Is Highest In League

DALLAS, July 25 (AP)—Buck Stanton, Wichita Falls first baseman, fell off last week in his hitting but managed to solve the pitchers for enough safe blows to hold his throne as the Texas league's premier swatter with an average of .355. Stanton's average is headed only by the .370 figure of Frey, Fort Worth newcomer, who has been less than a hundred times at bat. The ten leading hitters in a hundred or more times at bat through the day game of Thursday, July 25:

Stanton, Wichita Falls, .355; Radcliff, Shreveport, .344; Peal, Houston, .337; Borja, Beaumont, .330; Krauss, Fort Worth, .328; Fuss, Wichita Falls, .325; Stebbins, San Antonio, .321; Seiph, Houston, .316; Hungling, Wichita Falls, .316; Brown, Fort Worth, .315.

Through July 23 day game, Joe White, sensational Beaumont rookie outfielder, led the run getters with 78. He had a close rival in Schuble of Beaumont with 74. Lil Stoner of Fort Worth leads the pitching averages with .875, but Jerome "Dizy" Dean of Houston with 19 victories and six defeats through July 23 is an easy leader in games won.

Dean heads the strikout list with 178. Harris, lately of Galveston but now with Fort Worth, has completed twenty games to lead in this department. Dick McCalp of Fort Worth leads in innings pitched with 206. In his 206 innings on the mound, the Fort Worth pitcher has issued only 27 walks. Other Texas league leaders through day games of July 23: HB: Stanton, Wichita Falls, 147 Doubles: Stanton, Wichita Falls, 35. Triples: White, Beaumont, 15. Home Runs: Solters, Shreveport, 11.

Farish Terms Oil Chaos Greatest In Thirty Years

Lil Stoner's Pitching Average Is Highest In League

AUSTIN, July 25 (INS)—On the testimony of an expert, the Texas legislature attempting to solve the oil industry's woes is dealing with the greatest problem in the last thirty years of the oil industry. This is the testimony of W. S. Farish, Houston, president of the Humble Oil and Refining Company, in testimony before the investigating committee of the whole house.

"Today," he said, "we have a decreasing consumption, a great over-production and lack of control in East Texas. It has brought the oil prices and the greatest problem in my life and I have spent thirty years in the industry." Farish declared that with the exception of Roumania, a small country the United States is the only one of country with unregulated and uncontrolled production. He cited the Dutch East Indies fields, the Perla field and the great lake field in South America with resources comparable to the East Texas pool, all of which have controlled production.

The practice followed in this country of getting out all the oil possible from every pool by every operator, without regard for the rights of others in the pool, he termed legalized piracy. Farish expressed the opinion that nobody knew what the production of oil was in the East Texas field. "I am producing all the oil I can find anyway on earth to dispose of," he said.

Control of the situation, he believes, lies in the state and not the federal government, but the state governments have been "stake" in taking steps in this direction. For the first time in all the mass of testimony which has been heard, Farish details what becomes of a barrel of crude oil. Recovery From a barrel of 32 gravity East Texas crude Humble gets 15.12 gallons of straight run gas, 9.55 gallons of cracked gas, or 34.7 gallons. This brings 2.83 cents per gallon at the refinery, wholesale price. In addition there is 3.15 gallons of refined gasoline—kerosene—at 24.29 cents a gallon, and 66 gallon Diesel oil, at 23.75 cents a gallon. 8.69 gallons of cracked oil—426 gallons of crude bottoms at 1.12 cents a gallon. This makes a value at the refinery of \$9.976. Deducting manufacturing costs, transportation costs, and original cost of the oil, the profit is \$0.9679 a barrel, he said. If 65 cents were added to the price of the oil, the gasoline would retail for about 4 cents more a gallon, he said.

Breakfast Given For Mrs. A. Fox

Mrs. Harold Parks Honors Sister With Two Table Party

Mrs. Harold Parks gave an attractive breakfast Friday morning honoring her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Fox, of Abilene. Two tables of players were present for a delicious three course breakfast, followed by bridge. Mrs. Fox was presented with a black and white plaque as honor prize and Mrs. Pendleton with a similar one for making high score. Mrs. Duff was presented with a score with a box of candy. The players cut for the bud vases on the table filled with summer flowers. These were won by Mrs. Whitteberg and Mrs. Yarbrough. The guests were Meses Fox, Hugh Duncan, Robert E. Lee, Emory Duff, W. W. Pendleton, Lester Stuart, J. B. Whittenberg and W. E. Yarbrough.

Miss Pickle Gives Three-Table Party Before Departure

Miss Jeanette Pickle entertained three tables of her friends Thursday evening with a very happy party at her home. Gay zinnias furnished the color note for the rooms and an enjoyable plate luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. Miss Paulson made high score and was presented with a lovely string of beads. Miss Kraus made second high and received an attractive candy jar. The guests were Meses Vallin, True, Inez Kraus, Nell Davis, Marie Robinson, Fern Wells, Marie Paulson, Zelma Chadd, Agnes Carter, Eloise Wilson, and Meses Fred Harrington and Miller Harris.

RETURN HOME Dick Collins and Lewis Rix returned home Thursday night from a trip to the Rio Grande valley. They rode home with Alfred Collins and R. V. Middleton, who had been on a business trip to San Antonio. Mrs. Mildred M. Jones is recovering from a severe cold. Week-Ending at Christoval Mrs. and Mrs. Victor Fiewellen and son Gene Hardy, and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Croft and daughter Joyce Glenn, left Friday for a week end trip to Christoval.

Laundry Plant Is Opened Here

W. H. Beatty, formerly of Hobbs, New Mexico, and for 1-2 years prior to that operator of a laundry in Lubbock, is opening a modern steam laundry at Sixth and Gould streets in a building just erected by him. Mr. Beatty has been in the laundry business 30 years. He will employ 10 to 15 persons in the local plant, he said. He announced Max Howard and Percy Wood would be his salesmen and solicitors.

Informal Club Has Very Enjoyable Bridge Session

Mrs. J. D. Biles entertained the Informal Club with a very enjoyable club party Friday afternoon at her home on Main street. Blue-bells were the floral decorations. "The members met at 4 o'clock and after the games and unusually delicious refreshments, consisting of two courses, spent the remainder of the afternoon in visiting. Miss Drusha Torbett, of Marlin, and Mrs. W. B. Clars were the visitors. Mrs. Clars made high score. Mrs. Phillips made high score for members. The members present were Meses Homer McNew, C. W. Cunningham, Shine Phillips, Geo. Wilke, and W. W. Inkman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kinard are visiting in El Paso and points in New Mexico. Mrs. W. D. Willbanks and Miss Violet Cox of Big Spring left Sunday morning for Menard, Texas, where Mrs. Willbanks will spend a week with her parents. Miss Cox will spend her vacation on the coast and will be with her mother.

Thimble Club Advances Meet To Go To Picnic

The members of the Thimble Club met on Thursday afternoon instead of Friday, in order to be free to attend the Old Settlers' Picnic. Mrs. G. S. True was the hostess.

The afternoon was delightfully spent in sewing, games and conversation. The hostess served an excellent and pineapple ice. Mrs. J. Luuk was the only visitor. The members were Meses Sam Eason, F. D. Wilson, C. E. Talbot, Pete Johnson, Fox Stripling, Joe B. Neal, J. B. Pickle, W. H. Ward, W. R. Purser, W. R. Ivey. Mrs. Ward will be the next hostess.

Chinese Party Honors Three Visiting Sisters

Miss Frances Douglass and Miss Dowsett Hostess For Party

Miss Frances Douglass and Miss Juania Dowsett were joint hostesses at the Douglass apartment in the Douglas Hotel, Friday evening for a party honoring Miss Katherine Sangster's sisters, from Navasota. J. C. Douglass, Jr., also assisted with the entertaining. The honorees were Meses Alyssa, Jeanette, and Margaret Sangster.

This was a Chinese party; the apartment was decorated with Lotos flowers and perfumed with Oriental incense burners. Instead of using chairs, the guests, who came attired in pajamas, sat on the floor on pillows. The setting was an ideal one for the party. Rook and other games were played. The honorees were presented with beautiful little Oriental gifts. Refreshments consisted of chow mein and a dessert course.

The occasion was the beginning of a summer party at the hotel, and ended with a soiree breakfast for the guests Saturday morning. Those enjoying this very attractive party were, in addition to the honorees, Meses Katherine Sangster, Corinne Day, Mary Vance Kenesier, Arthur Hawk, Dorothy and Ethel Vansgriff.

Abilene and San Angelo Try Half Century To Build Rail Line; Now Await Decision

SAN ANGELO, July 25 (AP)—The current year marks a half century of effort to build a railroad from Abilene to San Angelo. The effort now lies in the hands of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which has held hearings to determine the wisdom of granting an application for the construction of the extension of the Abilene and Southern Railroad from Ballinger to San Angelo. The first attempt was made in 1881 just after the construction of the Texas and Pacific into West Texas. In 1883, however, the Texas and Pacific was in the hands of a receiver who said that if the road was built the citizens of the towns of San Angelo and Abilene would have to put up the money. In March, 1899, there was current a rumor that a group of wealthy Dallas men were planning to build the road. Two men from Dallas came out to this section and collected sums for making a preliminary survey. The surveys were made, but that was all. In June, 1899, Abilene's chamber of commerce determined to raise \$100,000 as Abilene's contribution to the extension. Then in October, 1899, a group of men determined to build a railroad, not in Abilene, formed a company and sold some stock. But big money failed to become interested and the scheme was abandoned and the plan again died. San Angelo and Abilene today are hoping this latest attempt does not follow the ways of its predecessors.

A & S Offices Consolidated With Texas & Pacific With A. E. Pistole As Superintendent for Subsidiary

ABILENE, July 25—General offices of the Abilene & Southern Railway have been consolidated with those of the Texas & Pacific here, W. R. Lence, general manager of the A & S, announced yesterday. The plan is now in operation and all business of the A & S, formerly conducted at the station at South Second and Locust streets, will be carried on from the Texas & Pacific stations. Mr. Lence, continuing as vice president and general manager of the T&P subsidiary, will remain in Abilene, carrying on executive duties under direction of J. L. Lanaster, president of both roads. Mr. Lence said the consolidation of offices meant a reduction of only three in the A & S office personnel. W. R. Dames, general agent and Robert Cray, freight and passenger agent here for the T&P, assume similar offices for the Abilene & Southern; and A. E. Pistole, Big Spring, T & P division superintendent, becomes superintendent for the subsidiary line. Freight offices of the two lines have been consolidated for two years. Mr. Lence said the move was made in the interest of economy. "Earnings of the Abilene & Southern have shown a steady decline for the past 18 months," he said, "and we were forced to make some reduction." He said during the month of May the road showed receipts of about \$5,000, with a deficit of approximately \$10,000. Mr. and Mrs. Lence left on the Sunshine Special last night for Cloudercroft, N. M., where they will spend a ten-day vacation.

15 Per Cent Hike In Rail Charges Hike No Panacea

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, July 25 (AP)—The 15 per cent increase in rates sought by railroads of the country will not bring about the end which the railroads seek, the traffic committee of the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce declares in a protest against the raise filed recently with the Interstate Commerce Commission. "Practically every organization in the Lower Rio Grande Valley has taken action against the proposed increase. "The carriers are in no worse condition financially than other industries, and are in much better shape than many lines of business," the protest of the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce declares. "We believe that if an increase in rail rates be allowed a great amount of tonnage now moving by rail would be diverted to truck line transportation, thereby defeating the purpose of an increase in rail rates and creating more havoc in the economic situation of the rail carriers. "Should an increase be allowed a great amount of the long haul freight, which is around 30,000 carloads per year from this locality, could not stand the increase, and would not move." The protest continues to point out that the Lower Rio Grande Valley now pays a different rate which is described as unjust. This differential starts just south of Corpus Christi, and was put into effect more than 20 years ago, when practically no business developed in the territory. Two hearings have been held on the application of the Valley for removal of this differential, and a decision on the matter is expected soon.

Public Records

Filed in District Court William E. Currie vs Lillie Serenson, foreclosure of loan. Ruth Staha vs J. E. M. Staha, divorce. Mrs. Frank House, of Midland, is spending a few days in this city. Miss Willie Belle Williamson, of Tyler, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Marion Edwards.

Mrs. Felton Smith Made Pythian District Deputy Grand Chief At Meeting

Mountain View Temple, No. 47 of the Pythian Sisters, met in regular session Friday evening at the Odd Fellows' hall. A very interesting and instructive letter was read from the Grand Chief, Mrs. Elsie Moor. Mrs. Felton Smith received her commission as District Deputy Grand Chief. The members present made plans for a picnic, the date of which is to be announced later.

Mrs. Bellanfonte Has Son

To Mrs. Joe Bellanfonte, formerly Mrs. Ralph Wilcox, was born a baby son at the Barcus and Blivings Hospital Friday morning. The mother and child are doing very well. The baby is the grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox.

July Building

July, with 979.84 in building permits has been the greatest month of the year. Nine applications for building permits have been approved by the city officials and but one week remains for the meager total to be boosted. Indications are that the \$105,000 federal building and the 200,000 municipal building, auditorium and fire station will fall under the August total rather than late present month.

Cattleman Is Bullet Victim

Deputy Sheriff Surrenders; Son-in-Law of Deceased Gives Version NACOGDOCHES, July 25 (AP)—George Lowry, 56-year-old cattleman, was shot to death by Deputy Sheriff Red Johnson Friday night in Etoile community. Johnson immediately surrendered to officers. Sam Strahan, son-in-law of the deceased cattleman, said he and Johnson were attempting to take Lowry, who had been drinking, to his home. Lowry allegedly drew a pistol and as it snapped Johnson fired.

Bridge Shower At Hotel Honors Miss Josephine Hammons

Mrs. Calvin Boykin and Mrs. Mary O'Neill entertained with a bridge shower at the Crawford Hotel Wednesday honoring Miss Josephine Hammons, who is leaving the city. Many lovely gifts were presented to the honoree by those present. Mrs. R. R. Martin and Miss Christine Walters, who were unable to attend, sent gifts. Light refreshments were served after the games. Miss Irene Kraus made high score and received a black powder jar. Those present were Meses Elmo Wasson, L. A. Talley, Max Boyd, W. A. Earnest, Ollie Wertzberger, and Lee LeVering, in addition to the hostess.

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## Generation-Old Fear of 'Big Boys' By Independents Crops Out With Renewed Vigor In Special Session

By CHARLES E. SIMONS  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
AUSTIN, Texas, July 29 (UP)—

The generation-old fear of the independent for the "big fellow" in his particular industry has cropped out again with renewed vigor.

In this particular instance the fear of the small man for the larger corporations and his inactive fear of trusts and monopolies is threatening Governor R. S. Sterling's plan to conserve the state's natural resources, and, to speculate, oil and gas conservation.

The Texas legislature was convened in special session July 14 to enact conservation laws, the governor and others being of the opinion that adequate conservation laws automatically would bring about better conditions in the chaotic oil industry. The governor sponsored the plan of a conservation commission to take over the duties of the railroad commission, present administrator of the conservation laws.

But the jealousy between the major companies and the independent oil operators rose to the surface with the first arrival of legislators for the session. And it has continued unabated since the session started with representatives of major companies and independent operators meeting in investigations before both the house and senate.

Many believed that unless the two groups settled their differences and agreed on a program that hoped for constructive legislation to aid the oil industry would be shattered. Many others believe that the two groups are so diametrically opposed it will be impossible for them to get together on anything but minor details.

Divided

It also has been frequently pointed out to the independents are divided among themselves and cannot present a united front on any proposition.

Several legislators are of the opinion that a bill providing for a conservation commission will be passed but expressed doubt if it would obtain enough votes in the house and senate to become effective until 90 days after the end of the session.

At the half-way mark in the session both houses were engaged in concluding investigations into the oil industry. The house started its inquiry shortly after the session convened after considerable sparring about which committee was to take action on the bills proposed. The first investigation resolution called for the investigation to be conducted by the house committee on oil, gas and mining and the senate staff affairs committee.

Opponents offered a resolution calling for the inquiry to be made by the house and senate sitting as a committee of the whole. This resolution was ruled out of order and withdrawn.

The original resolution, by R. P. Lee of Satterwhite of Odessa, was defeated 54 to 42 and another calling for the investigation to be made by the attorney general with the expenses to be paid from the contingent expense fund of the legislature. James V. Allred, attorney general, held this plan to be illegal, claiming the house by simple resolution could not authorize expenditure of state funds.

Resolutions

Satterwhite then offered another resolution to have the investigation made by the house oil committee. The committee was reported to have a majority opposed to passage and an amendment was offered to have the inquiry made by the house sitting as a committee of the whole. It carried by a few votes and then the resolution was adopted overwhelmingly. Throughout the preliminary sparring the lines were clearly drawn, with some terms being the ground rules for the continuing investigation, proration and anti-proration and independent and major.

The resolution authorizing the house investigation clearly stated the inquiry was to be undertaken to determine the truth of charges that the present conditions in the oil industry were caused by trusts and monopolies and to determine the effort of the major oil companies to depress the market and manipulate prices by agreements in restraint of trade.

Since the investigation has started independent operators have heaped imprecations galore on the major companies, claiming they have control of the industry through ownership of the producing leases, pipeline facilities, the smelter and market outlets. The independents charged the price of crude oil was forced down by a deliberate design and agreement among the major companies to "bait the independent operators off the map of the oil industry."

The majors are using the gigantic East Texas field with its uncontrolled production as the lever to pry the independents loose, they charged.

Counter Attack

The majors on the other hand, counter with the statement that the uncontrolled production in East Texas had so upset conditions they were unable to maintain profits from their producing, refining and marketing ends of the business although profits from their pipe line activities were fairly steady. The East Texas giant came at a time when the market was already burdened with production from other big fields in Oklahoma and California, adding to an already critical situation.

The independents came back with charges that the major companies, by controlling the pipe lines and making huge profits from their operation, were enabled to take a loss on producing, refining and marketing. They recommended divestment of major companies from pipe line operations. The majors said divestment would increase overhead expense and would cripple their activities it would be impossible for any but the strongest to survive.

## PRE-SCHOOL CLINIC The following statement is issued by County Health Department concerning the pre-school clinic to be held at the Court House Saturday at 2 o'clock:

A child entering school should not be handicapped. It is unfair to expect a child suffering from a physical or mental sickness to compete with well children; it is also unfair to the school, because the educators are asked to work with defective material.

This is the time to check up on his condition. Bring him to the court house August 1, at 2 p. m.; have him protected against diphtheria or vaccinated against smallpox and given a physical examination.

Children die from the above diseases. The mortality rate has been greatly reduced by immunization and vaccination, yet the United States in 1930 lost 8,000 children from diphtheria. Two doses of diphtheria toxoid given to these children would have saved 5,000 lives.

If you are unaware of the value of vaccination, consult those who remember what happened not so many years ago, when an epidemic of smallpox broke out. Vaccination is a certain and absolute protection against smallpox.

Diphtheria immunization \$1.30. Smallpox vaccination 50 cents. MRS. M. B. SHOWALTER, Howard County Public Health Nurse.

## Many Strong Players Enter Local Tourney

Leo Brady Out But Many Towns to Send Their Stars

Playing host to an exceptionally large field Big Spring will entertain August 6, 7 and 8 with the annual West Texas tennis tournament. More than thirty letters have signified their intention of competing. Players will be given sleeping quarters, according to an announcement from officials in charge of the meet. Winners of the play will be awarded trophies depicting a tennis player in action and permanent possession of the prize goes with it.

Leo Brady, school boy ace from Abilene, winner of last year's swiftly moving meet and accorded champion of West Texas releases the indication that he will not be among those who attend the tourney this season. His absence will necessarily mean a newly crowned leader must arise out of the legion of competitors. Brady would have been seeded number one but his voluntary absence will put the seeding business on a shaky basis.

Possibly Ballard will be accorded that honor followed closely by Cook and McPhail of Wichita Falls. Lander is given a good chance to make matters perplexing for the outstanding candidates for the tennis throne.

Tom McCarty and Hogan of Denton are hoped to be fire cracker in the upper crust while Weldon Larve of Fort Worth, freshman marvel at the University of Texas, comes in for "his share of attention. Somewhere Bishop, Dunagan and Davis will appear and no doubt will be among the last to be forced out of the tournament play.

Others who have let it be known that they intend entering the tourney are McClure, Foster and Onley of Abilene; Charles and James Lutz, Vernon; Price and his partner of Amarillo; Murff and his partner of El Paso; West of Cisco; Dalmy of Toyah; Thomas and Son of Colorado; Charles Wier from Pecos; Doyle Stephenson of Quannah; Bill Pierce from most anywhere; White Clark, Alice, Hatch and Hardesty of Lamesa; Ferguson, Lanham, Godbey, and Frank Stubbeman of Midland; not to mention a host of netters waiting from this city.

The Hilcock west of the courts and the playing grounds will be repaired and refinished in time for the meet. Curtis Bishop and H. B. Dunagan Jr. request that anyone who wishes to have a part in the staging of the tennis tourney see either of them for further information.

## Salt Water Now Problem In East Texas

Pressure Falls, Flow of Brine Grows Along East Side

SAN ANGELO, July 29.—Salt water encroachment from the west side of the East Texas fields has reached such proportions that the building of a canal or a pipe line to the gulf to dispose of the brine has been suggested, says N. P. Isenberger, San Angelo geologist and independent oil operator, just returned from that district. Humble is digging pits into which to dump the water. The state forbids its release in streams.

Sinclair No. 2 Cole was reported making 40 per cent water and a Magnolia off 20 per cent water when Mr. Isenberger left Tyler. These wells are on the east side of the Cole tract, where fire recently raged, south of Gladewater in Gregg County and north of the Bateman-Crim area. The nearest wells making salt water are two miles to the north and about the same distance to the south.

Salt water is increasing and pressure is decreasing to such an extent, says Mr. Isenberger, that estimates on ultimate recovery of oil per acre have been reduced to around 10,000 barrels, compared to as high as 20,000 barrels at one time. This accounts for the scramble to take as much oil as possible quickly. Pipe line companies are seeking new connections with reported crude prices ranging from 15c to 20c a barrel. Humble is said to be paying an average of all prices. When Atlantic completes its 10-inch line to Port Arthur the outlet of the district by trunk lines, small lines to refineries and by tank car will approximate 700,000 barrels, or more than the production.

Proration almost has disappeared and daily average production reported to be close to one-half million barrels actually is around 600,000 barrels. Mr. Isenberger was informed. Many wells that initially had 450 pounds tubing pressure now have only 200, and were 25,000 psi before. Formerly were producing 3,000 and 3,500 barrels daily are now being brought in. Pumping equipment is being moved into the Lathrop area, where the wells are higher above the water level than in any other section in the district. When the flush production becomes less and pumping starts on a big scale the north and lifting the oil likely will come higher and pressure will be less.

Sixteen small operators were reported to have sacrificed their properties last week, selling them to larger companies, because of their inability to meet obligations with low priced oil, and other deals were reported pending. East Texas generally appear not to be taking the interest in proceedings of the court that they did in the fight on proration when it was at its height.

## Unfair Price Bill Offered

Discrimination Fought In Measure Author Delares

AUSTIN, July 28 (UP)—Representative J. T. Cox of Groesbeck introduced a bill preventing unfair price discrimination to destroy competition. The bill would prevent sale of any commodity at different prices in different communities unless caused by different transportation costs or variations in the product. There have been complaints of major oil companies cutting prices on various commodities to destroy local competition.

Member of Swimming Party Is Drowned

CORINTHIAN, July 24 (UP)—Allan Purinton, 18, was drowned last night while swimming with friends in a pool 20 miles south of Corinthian. Funeral services were to be held today.

WANTED FOR THEFT

W. C. Carriage, an oil field worker, is being held by county authorities pending arrival of an officer from Baird where Carriger is wanted on a theft charge. Deputy Sheriff Andrew Merrick made the arrest Saturday.

## Vealmoor Demonstration Club History Related by Mrs. O. L. Thorp, President Of The Club.

Last September I started going to the Home Demonstration Club at South. I did not go long before I realized the need of a Home Demonstration club in our community. I talked with other women and found several interested, so on March 16, of this year, Mrs. Allgood met with us and we organized. About 30 or 35 women and girls were present. We enrolled 13 as club members. Since that time we have done a good deal.

Several members have got a start of evergreen onions; six have made breads and profit from them. On May 1, Mrs. Allgood met with us at the home of Mrs. Mae Zant and gave a salad demonstration. On June 5, she met with us at the home of Mrs. Jim Hanks and gave a cheese demonstration. Both were a wonderful lot of help to those present. Mrs. J. A. Iden and Mrs. E. W. Kelly have made 10 pounds of cheese.

The club is trying to raise money for a pressure cooker and a sealer. Each club member was to sell one pound of cheese. Several have done so. Mrs. E. W. Kelly had charge of a play which made 15 clear. Practically all members are keeping records on eggs, shoes and hose. Eight have filled pantry budget cards and I believe we shall fill them. Four made dresses for the contest at Big Spring. We all felt greatly benefited by both Mrs. Allgood's and Miss Swift's help on them.

Mrs. J. L. Buckhaver bought 277 baby chicks for \$25 and raised 237 of them. She canned 94 fryers which filled 70 No. 3 cans, 10 cans of stewed chicken. The value of the canned chickens was \$31.50. She ate 25, valued at \$7; sold 7 at 35 cents which brought \$2.45, making a total of \$40.95. Cost of chicks at 4 months was \$100. She has 170 pullets left.

All club members are busy canning now. I have just finished canning 74 No. 3 cans of corn. All of this is due to Mrs. Allgood and the club work.

Miss Gladys Pierce, a Soash 4-10 Club girl had some cured onions to sell which she had grown. She was offered 2-1/2 cents in trade for onions. Instead she spent a dime on purple beans and sold them in Big Spring. She received \$7.10 for 142 pounds.

Several places corn towered like a green wall seven and eight feet high. Cotton and feed spread like a heavy verdant blanket in easy flowing rolls as far as the eye could discern. Such sights as these evoked remarks from Coshoia residents that crops were the best seen in that section in more than twenty-seven years.

Leaving that section and passing farms belonging to N. B. Davidson, C. E. Edwards, Rufe Daniels, Mr. Paschal, and Mr. Wooten the motorcade emerged into Highway No. 8 at Fairview. The itinerary led one-half mile south to a cross road carrying the party to Earl Phillips' place where a short visit and inspection of the crops were made. Crops in this section were not so matured because of a late start but indications were that there would be a heavy yield. Following the conclusion of the tour which ended in Big Spring the members of the motorcade were free in their predictions that Howarth county had the best prospects for a crop that she has had in more than twenty years.

The guests assembled at 10:30 and played until high noon when they were served a delicious luncheon in the Coffee Shop. Mrs. Ellington made high scores. Misses Vanilla, Trice, Irene Knous, Dorothy Homan, Fern Wells, Nell Davis, Marie Faulken, and Mrs. Fred Harrington, of Longview.

The next club meeting will be with Miss Faulken at 703 Nolan street.

Cecilia Rue Young Entertains Little Friends On Birthday

Little Miss Cecilia Rue Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Young gave a party celebrating her fourth birthday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Young, Tuesday afternoon.

The house was decorated in the pastel shades of pink, green and white and bouquets of cut flowers. The favors were pink and white carnations which opened to reveal baseball suckers.

Refreshments of ice cream and angelfood cake carrying out the same color scheme were served to the following children: Billy Joe Riggs, Archie Elwood and Cornelia Frances Douglas. Billy Payne, Bertie Mary Smith, Kenneth Wolfson, Peggy June Wotten, Lois Compton, Betty Jean Fisher, Billy Beth Shive, Julian Fisher, George Lee Wright and James Darin Sims.

Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. J. B. Wotter, Mrs. J. L. Rush and Mrs. E. J. Young assisted Mrs. Gary Young with the entertaining.

Dr. and Mrs. Parmlee, son Arrid, and Mr. and Mrs. Glynis Parmley and son, Gerald, left today for Del Rio where they will visit friends and relatives and spend week-ends fishing on the Devil's River.

Callahan Would Vote Bonds To Widen Road

BAIRD, Texas, July 24 (UP)—At a meeting at which practically no opposition was voiced, the commissioners' court of Callahan county ordered an election for August 15 to read district No. 1. Citizens will pass on a \$15,000 bond issue for widening the bankhead (state No. 1) highway through the district.

County funds, if approved, would be used to purchase additional right-of-way and the state highway department has promised to furnish funds for the actual work. Only those living within confines of the district will be eligible for work under terms of the project, as ordered by the court.

## Missionary Work In Latin America Topic

East Fourth Street Baptist W.M.S. Gives Splendid Program

The East Fourth Street Baptist W.M.S. met in regular Bible study at the church Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. After the lesson, which Mrs. H. Morrison conducted, a missionary program was rendered by Mrs. W. D. Thompson and Mrs. O. R. Phillips. The theme was a short imaginary trip around the Gulf of Mexico to see what the missionaries were doing.

A list of those present included: Mrs. J. D. Miller, Ben Carpenter, S. H. Morrison, V. Phillips, Fern Anderson, C. N. Mendinger, R. E. Birmingham, S. B. Hughes, W. D. Thompson, J. A. Stewart, R. W. Janus, John R. Pruitt, M. G. Claybrook, R. L. Campbell, Lee Nuckles, W. W. Hill, R. E. Gay, Geo. O'Brien, Willie Smith, Joe Phillips, J. L. Moreland, L. S. Patterson, H. W. Welch, Bert Stevens, H. D. Hardin, O. R. Phillips, Hart Phillips, (stay) Buford Martin, C. O. Murphy, Rowland, O. L. Alexander, W. E. Carnelle, Peterson, and the Rev. S. B. Hughes.

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The state superintendent has announced that it is a school board duty to transfer between the ages of 12 and 21 or non-scholastic, without payment of tuition, they will have to let all transfers of scholastic age attend free of charge. The state superintendent said he would not allow discrimination against the children, which the supreme court declared has been established under terms of the constitution. The only remedy for the violation of a constitutional amendment, it is declared.

It is obvious that the local school district, like all others, will have to charge tuition for all pupils not enrolled in the last scholastic census, whether they were residents of the district at that time or are transients, said Superintendent W. C. Blankenship.

Abolition Of Fee System Sought

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Returned With Prisoner

Deputy Sheriff Denver Dunn returned Tuesday from Montague, Texas, where he had gone to take into custody G. B. Tumbelson wanted here on a charge of child desertion.

Pleaded Guilty

Juan Carrañones pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in the corporate court Wednesday morning and was fined \$25.00.

Mrs. Arthur Woodall and daughter, Wynell, returned last night from a visit in Marfa.

Mrs. H. C. Timmons and Mrs. W. E. Clare are spending the day in Snyder.

## Readjustment Of Philippines Relations Aim

WASHINGTON, July 28 (UP)—

President Hoover has set as one of his important tasks in the coming months the problem of adjusting relations with the Philippine Islands on a more satisfactory basis, it was learned today.

This appears superficially as a minor and remote affair, but Mr. Hoover faces one of the most embarrassing situations in his term unless he finds a solution of the problem before congress convenes.

"To this end the administration is trying to persuade the Philippines to accept as governor general Theodore Roosevelt, now governor of Porto Rico. Filipino leaders saw Roosevelt while he was here soon but were not a thuratic. The matter is still under consideration as the administration is hopeful of eventually persuading the Philippines they would find Roosevelt a satisfactory successor to Governor General Douglas Davison of Missouri who wishes to retire at the end of the year. The final decision on Roosevelt will wait until after Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley completes his important mission to the Philippines next month.

Mr. Hoover desires to settle the Philippine independence issue as quickly because of the political situation.

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The new congress is really divided. Democrats in 1928 in previous conventions adopted a positive platform declaration advocating Philippine independence.

Recently numerous western Republicans have swung over to independence because they believe it would result in putting the balance outside the tariff giving economic protection against Philippine imports of sugar, coconut oil, tobacco and other products which now come in free from this dependency.

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Returned With Prisoner

Deputy Sheriff Denver Dunn returned Tuesday from Montague, Texas, where he had gone to take into custody G. B. Tumbelson wanted here on a charge of child desertion.

Pleaded Guilty

Juan Carrañones pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny in the corporate court Wednesday morning and was fined \$25.00.

Mrs. Arthur Woodall and daughter, Wynell, returned last night from a visit in Marfa.

Mrs. H. C. Timmons and Mrs. W. E. Clare are spending the day in Snyder.

Big Spring Herald Published Sunday morning and each afternoon except Saturday and...

HOW'S your HEALTH

The average person is inclined to think of health and disease as centered about the home. Home is a place one goes when sick, but sickness may not be the result of home environment or home experience.

The place of work, for example, exercises much influence on one's well-being. This general fact has led to the development of the special branches of industrial medicine and to the formulation of the list of occupational diseases.

Many a headache results from a poorly ventilated shop or factory. Much eye strain is the result of improper lighting, particularly from the glare of unshielded electric bulbs.

Noises, whether the ringing of the telephone bells of a busy common office, or the din of riveting, or the individual's strength.

Certain disease conditions arise from the particular work which the individual is called on to perform. These diseases usually affect the skeleton, posture, sight or hearing.

Over and above all of these conditions stands the matter of workplace sanitation. It is unfortunately a fact that persons in a work place will permit themselves unhygienic practices of which they would be ashamed in their own homes.

A better appreciation of the hazard to health involved in work and the work place tends to reduce it and frequently helps in making a better diagnosis and in the prescribing of better treatment.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

AGROSS Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle 1. Head covering 2. Uncovered 3. Insect 4. Pains...

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-44 and some filled-in letters like W, A, S, P, A, S, V, E, L, P, E, D.

EXIT by Harold Bell Wright

SYNOPSIS: Pierre Donovan tracks Bruce to Mother Mountain, where he is seeking gold. Interested neither in the gold nor in the money he had given Bruce...

Chapter 11 THREE VERSUS THREE BRUCE paused for a moment before replying to Donovan's question as to the mystery surrounding his flight from home. Then he began:

"I had to go to Camden that night to deliver some papers from our bank to Mr. Fuller, the president of the Camden bank. Pierre was ready to go to New York to school, but at the last minute I persuaded him to let me have his school money to invest in this wonderful mine you had been writing me about."

"All right, go on." "Well, I'd made up my mind that if I could get that money from Pierre I would cut loose from Orchard Hill and come out here and join you. So when Pierre turned his money over to me, just a few minutes before I left to catch my train to Camden, I saw my chance. I left a letter for Ann, telling her that I was through for good."

Prosperity Still Clings To Sheep Raisers of State

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 30 (UP)—Two thousand soldiers of prosperity, ranchmen attending the annual meeting of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association of Texas, were in San Angelo this week. Their pockets were not so well filled as in the golden years of 1927, 28 and 29, but the great God of the ranges country, Rain, has visited more than 80 per cent of their places this year, and production costs are lower than in two decades.

Ranch leases have been reduced from 10 to 25 cents an acre. The Federal Intermediate Credit Bank has renewed its loans, many of which have been reduced by payments received from shipments of fat lambs and wool. More than 200,000 head of fat lambs have already moved out of this section to the markets, and their weights have been as high as 80 pounds, almost as good as the prime lambs shipped from Arizona. Prices have averaged around 6 to 6 1/4 cents. Last year there were very small movements of grade-fattening lambs to markets but they brought 9 cents. The average weight this year has been around 70 pounds, bringing in cash to West Texans about \$1,350,000 from this movement. The country now is filled with lambs ready to go when the market improves.

Feeder-buyers are attempting to acquire the spring lambs for fall delivery at 4 cents a pound, but they are not meeting with acceptance. Last fall the price on feeder lambs ranged from 4 to 6 cents a pound, the latter figure being paid in January of this year after the bulk of the crop had moved.

Extensions to the sheep country continue to be made, with ranchmen acquiring leases and buying ranches in what has been the acre-down belt, farther westward. The sheepman's next and his real payday occurs in September. October and November, when Texas lambs will go to 15 or 20 different states to be fed.

Not a single sheepman in the Southwest believes that lambs will languish for lack of feeder-buyers this fall and all of the lambs are expected to be moved out of the country. Last fall the feeders came down to Texas under a cloud of hard-time talk, said they weren't interested in sheep, but before the ranchmen became aware of it the feeders had bought nearly everything in the country.

There are no dokeys, or poorly-grown lambs in Texas this summer. Prices being paid for bucks, now being delivered over the country, range from \$10 to \$15. National Wool Marketing Corporation officials here have announced that advances will be made on Texas fall short wool but are urging that this not be clipped. Receipts of wool and mohair by the five cooperatives of Texas, which function under the National Wool Marketing Corporation, for the year 1931 are announced: Uruguay, 1,918,864 pounds, compared with 915,813 pounds in 1930.

San Angelo, 6,905,995 pounds, compared with 4,945,922 in 1930. Menard, 2,662,722 pounds, compared with 1,407,863 in 1930. Del Rio, 2,471,888 pounds, compared with 1,407,663 in 1930. Bonora, 1,814,826 pounds, compared with 328,319 in 1930.

BLIND, HE MAKES RADIOS NORRISTOWN, Pa. (INR)—Although he has been blind for many years and has never seen one of the newest radios, James Mullin has constructed many of the instruments and for some time was consultant builder for a radio concern. He has recently been taken for treatment to the League Island Naval Base Hospital. He is a Spanish War veteran.

COLLEGE POLICE COURSE MADISON, Wis. (INS)—The University of Wisconsin is considering offering police training through its extension division. Definite plans for such a course are to be worked out by a committee of League of Wisconsin Municipalities. A tentative plan is that a week's training course should be held at Madison once a year and that cities and towns throughout the state should send representatives.

\$15,000 Liquor Load Captured On Coast

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, July 30 (UP)—Customs agents captured a truck near Orange late yesterday loaded with more than 200 cases of imported liquor valued at around \$15,000. The Italian driver escaped.

Beaumont Votes Bonds For Elimination of City's Grade Crossings

BEAUMONT, Texas, July 30 (UP)—Plans for the elimination of grade crossings here moved forward today as a result of the voting of a \$100,000 bond issue here yesterday for the city's share of the track elevating project.

County Auditors For Fee Plan Abolition

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 30 (UP)—Texas county auditors were back at their offices today, recommending that all state, county and precinct officers be paid by salary.

Slain Bandit Found To Be Ex-Wink Man

KILGORE, Texas, July 30 (UP)—A world-beat bandit who was slain early today as he and two companions attempted to hold up a team camp soft drink stand was identified as Jimmie Williamson, 21-year-old oil field character from Wink.

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Sentenced To Sunday School

THE old practice of sentencing malefactors to enrollment in the navy are gone, probably never to return. Uncle Sam discovered that men who were compelled to serve in the navy or go to jail did not make the best sailors. The practice was a hangover from free-boating days, when ships at sea were manned largely by criminals freed from prison.

At Houston last week a municipal judge sentenced four boys to attend a certain Sunday school class for 22 Sundays in succession, in expiation of the crime of having stolen some gasoline from a motorist's tank.

The theory is that the boys will attend Sunday school and learn the joys and privileges of being good. But the practical result is apt to be a hatred of Sunday school on the part of these boys. A dog does not lick the leather strap with which it is beaten. It fears and avoids it. Using the church or Sunday school as a place of punishment is unfair to the church. It is, or should be, a place of love, of trust, of respect, of self-sacrifice.

Frank sentences of all kinds have no place in a civilized age.

Sunday school is a fine place. Every youth should go there occasionally, if not regularly. But he should go voluntarily, in love and humility, not as an unwilling captives.

OPINIONS OF OTHERS

More American Primitives

Chicago Tribune. ANOTHER impromptu reformer has slapped a woman for smoking a cigarette. "My wife and daughter don't smoke," he remarked. "This is the first time I ever slapped a woman. But somehow she just made me mad." A similar case was reported from the Bronx in New York the other day. A citizen knocked a woman down because she lighted a cigarette.

This is, of course, the conduct of primitives. A violation of their tabus enrages them. A savage woman who offended a tabu would be stoned to death by outraged tribesmen or decapitated or impaled. Primitives usually attach a moral value to the tabus. Herman Melville in the South Sea islands found that women were not permitted to enter canoes alone. It was death if they were caught at it. It had become an immoral thing for them to do. Transparencly this item of the moral code originally was intended to keep them from stripping out for other islands and other men.

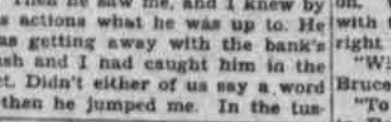


WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

BY HERBERT PLUMMER WASHINGTON—Death has again cut to one the Republican majority in the house of representatives of the seventy-second congress.

But the passing of Bird Vincent of Michigan leaves administration forces as confident as ever that they will have sufficient strength to control organization of the house.

For Vincent represented what is commonly called a "rock-ribbed" Republican district. Joe Fordney came down to Washington from Saginaw for 11 consecutive terms, then voluntarily retired. He remained in the house long enough to amass sufficient seniority to get the chairmanship of the ways and means committee—that is, the chairmanship of the committee of all committee assignments.



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### Mrs. Victor Flewellen Gives Three Attractive Summer Parties At Home

Guests Play At Pastel-Colored Tables For Enjoyable Sessions of Contract Bridge Games

Three delightful summer parties this week-end marked the beginning of a series of parties which Mrs. Victor H. Flewellen is giving this season, in her lovely cool home on Park street. Two were given on Friday and one on Thursday afternoon.

The colors of summer flowers, orchid, pink, yellow and green were effectively carried out in all the bridge accessories.

The tables were covered with tartan in each of these colors. The tables represented summer garden flocks. The score pads and pencils also carried out the appropriate shades.

The two rooms in which the guests played were banked with flowers of the garden variety and the wild bluebells that are native to this country. Gladioli, althea, roses, pansies and many other flowers were used in profusion. Many of these were the gifts of the hostess' many friends.

The refreshments trays were in the four colors named. They were centered with small flower pots of growing ferns containing flowers of harmonizing shades. The ferns were cut for, as prizes at each table. Delicious salad courses were served at the three parties.

The three making high scores during the parties were Mrs. Homer McNew, C. D. Baxley and Victor Martin.

On Thursday afternoon the following cut for high and were given the ferns: Mrs. Geo. Wilke, James Little, J. T. Brooks, and Garland Woodward. On the Friday morning, Mrs. Wofford Hardy, Homer Wright, Baxley and M. W. Paulsen. On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Fred Primm, Joe Fisher, Harvey Richards and Victor Melinger.

The Thursday afternoon guests were Mrs. J. D. Biles, Wilke, E. M. LaBey, C. E. Shive, James Little, W. T. Strang, C. B. Hodges, Bob Austin, Brooks, O. L. Thomas, Ed Hatch, Marion Edwards, M. N. L. A. Talley, Albert Fisher, Woodward.

The Friday morning guests were Mrs. E. O. Price, Monroe Johnson, L. D. Davenport, H. C. Timmons, Roger Gallemore, Robert Parks, Wofford Hardy, R. B. Bliss, Wright, W. H. Clark, L. W. Croft, Baxley, Harry Lester, Paulsen, E. E. Fahrkamp and W. E. Bonham.

The Friday afternoon guests were Mrs. Victor Melinger, Victor Martin, Seth Parsons, Fred Primm, G. K. Porter, Fred Stephens, H. S. Paw, Elena Gould, R. C. Strain, J. L. Webb, Horace Reagan, C. S. Blomsheld, Bernard Fisher, Joe Fisher, M. A. Cook and Buck Richardson.

### Farm Lobby From Corsicana Seeks Acreage Reduction

AUSTIN, Texas, July 24 (INS)—Representing a group of Navarro county and Central Texas farmers, a "farm lobby" from Corsicana was here today in the interest of pending legislation to restrict cotton acreage.

Included in the delegation were John T. Fortson and J. B. Fortson, Corsicana bankers and landowners, and A. A. Allison, also a landowner. Their express purpose was to talk to as many members of the legislature as they could see, and declared the only reason more farmers did not come to urge enactment of the acreage bill was "because it's too far to walk."

Allison declared the legislators should wake up to the fact that many more people are interested in soil conservation than are interested in oil protraction, stating his opinion that 50 out of 100 farmers favored governmental regulation. "If we can't assure the world that we're going to get rid of this surplus," he said, "no man can predict what will happen when the 1931 crop is thrown on the market."

The Fortson brothers told Senator Cunningham of Abilene, sponsor of an acreage cut bill, that landowners as well as tenant farmers favored acreage restriction by law. They declared there was no logical reason why the Texas Farm Board should not start selling its supply of cotton—1,300,000 bales—as it had started selling wheat, unless it could be assured there would be no surplus in 1932.

### On A. A. Staff



KIT McNARY CARSON

Twenty five or thirty miles on a horse constituted a good day's journey for the famous Indian fighter, Kit Carson, but 125 miles an hour is the rule for Kit McNary Carson, new American Airways pilot and a namesake and distant relative of the famous Indian scout. The modern day Kit, whose great-grand father and the Indian scout were cousins, was born in bloody Kansas, which his family fled in settling, but removed to San Antonio at an early age, where he gained his flying experience, according to Jesse Maxwell, local representative, who announced Carson's addition to American Airways' flying personnel.

### 500 Gather For Reunion At Stanton

Early Settlers of Martin County Recount Old Experiences

An estimated crowd of more than five hundred "old timers" thronged the court house lawn of Martin county Thursday night to take part in an annual meeting of Old Settlers. The reunion in Martin county preceded one held today for Howard county pioneers in Big Spring.

According to advisers from Stanton the meeting carried out the old time theme, there being more than enough food for those who attended, barbecue enough left over to feed another large crowd, and lemonade in barrel lots. Pioneer members of the county barbecued beef at their homes during Thursday and transported it to the meeting place in time for the reunion.

Music and speeches featured the program. Many of the first settlers made short talks in which the "good old days" were recalled.

### Mrs. Hopkins Honoree At Two Parties

Mrs. Strahan and Mrs. C. W. Cunningham Entertain Informally

Mrs. Fred Hopkins, of Amarillo, who is visiting friends in Big Spring on the first lap of her summer vacation, has been the honoree at two enjoyable and informal parties this week.

Mrs. V. V. Strahan entertained Wednesday afternoon with two tables of bridge complimenting Mrs. Hopkins.

Her house was lovely with its decorations of bright-colored sinias. She served a salad plate at the close of the games.

The honoree made high score and was given a black and white plaque.

The guests were Mrs. Fred Keating, Eck Lovelace, George Garrett, John Hodges, Robert Parks, Otto Wolfe.

Mrs. Cunningham's party on Thursday Mrs. Grover Cunningham had a merry group of Mrs. Hopkins' friends in for an informal two table bridge session.

Sandwiches, cake and punch were served during the afternoon. Mrs. Bernard Fisher made high score.

Those attending were Mrs. Otto Wolfe, Eck Lovelace, E. E. Fahrkamp, Bernard Fisher, Robert Parks and V. V. Strahan.

### Ace-High Club Meets With Mrs. Wayne Parrish

The Ace-High Bridge Club met with Mrs. Wayne Parrish Thursday afternoon for a lovely party. Pink and green were effectively carried out in the flowers and the refreshments.

Mrs. Marchbanks made high score and received a set of ice tea glasses.

The visitors were Mrs. Glenn Gulley and Mrs. M. M. Manell.

The members present were Mrs. L. T. Sledge, B. N. McKinley, Clarence Wear, Randall Pickle, Warner Neace and Lindsey Marchbanks.

### Grain Freight Rates Reduced

Adjustment Decision Announced By Railroad Commission

AUSTIN, Texas, July 24 (INS)—Effecting a radical reduction in grain freight rates between points in Texas, a grain rate adjustment decision had been announced today by C. V. Terrell, chairman of the state railroad commission.

Effective August 1, the revision will harmonize the Texas intrastate adjustment with the adjustment made by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which was to have been effective June 1, but which was held up by a court injunction, recently dissolved. The interstate rate will also take effect on that date.

"Generally speaking, Terrell said, the Texas adjustment will affect a rather radical reduction, notwithstanding that at present corn, oak and other coarse grains take 50 per cent of the wheat rate, and under the new order will take the full wheat rate."

Illustrations of the effect were cited:

Wheat from Amarillo to Texas ports reduced from 35 cents to 30 1/2 cents; from Lubbock, from 33 cents to 28 cents; from Gainesville, from 33 cents to 22 1/2 cents.

From Amarillo to Fort Worth, reduced from 27 cents to 25 1/2 cents; from Lubbock, reduced from 28 cents to 23 cents in excess of 150 miles. The adjustment is on a group basis, the new tariff showing the rate from each group to each group, with sixty-four groups provided. For short hauls, 150 miles or less, a mileage scale is provided, starting at 10 cents for 50 miles and going to 17 cents at 150 miles.

The adjustment is for temporary use, expiring Dec. 31. Under the group adjustment, the same rate applies to Houston, Galveston, Texas City, Beaumont, Port Arthur and Orange.

### O. U. R. Club Showers Mrs. Welch With Birthday Handkerchiefs

Mrs. J. R. Phillips was hostess to the O. U. R. Club Thursday afternoon at her home.

The members studied the twelfth chapter of Romans and then sewed on quilt blocks.

Mrs. Welch, one of the members, was honored with a handkerchief shower.

Those present were Mrs. B. W. Welch, H. E. Higgins, V. E. Smith, C. O. Murphy, W. O. McChendon and V. L. McDaniels.

### Mrs. Emil Fahrkamp Hostess To Friends Of Triangle Club

Mrs. E. E. Fahrkamp was hostess to the Triangle Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at its regular session. Three tables of players were present.

Mrs. Roger Gallemore made high score for members and Mrs. R. Richardson for guests. Mrs. Richardson was presented with a lovely linen handkerchief.

A dainty ice course was served after the games.

Those present were Mrs. Gallemore, Richardson, W. B. Hardy, E. W. Lomas, Monroe Johnson, Omar Pittman, James Little, L. W. Croft, Robert Currie, and Misses Andrea Walker, Agnes Currie and Jena Jordan.

### Young Man, Facing Death, Tells His Physician True Name; Body In State

Approaching death Saturday caused a youth in local hospital to reveal his real identity after he had previously given his name as Frank McKenzie. Shortly before dying he told the attending physician his name was not McKenzie but Kenneth Allen.

Eight days ago the young man entered the hospital suffering from ulcer of the stomach, but his case was apparently hopeless from the beginning due to lack of medical treatment. Saturday afternoon he died telling attendants that they might be able to get in touch with a grandfather in Jonesboro, Tennessee. His body is lying in state at the Eberley funeral home pending possible word from Tennessee. Late last night nothing had been heard.

### Lovely Parties Compliment Mrs. Smitham

Mrs. Primm and Thursday Luncheon Club Make Her Honoree

The departure of Mr. and Mrs. R. Smitham for Fort Worth, where Mr. Smitham will become City Manager, has been the occasion for several parties this week, honoring Mrs. Smitham.

The Thursday Luncheon club, of which Mrs. Smitham is a member, turned its meeting yesterday into a handkerchief shower for her.

Mrs. Harvey Richards, a New Braunfels, who was a resident here when her husband was manager of the Cameron Lumber Co., was also a guest of the club.

Mrs. Baxley made high score. The guests played in the morning and were served a delicious three-course luncheon at 12:30 by the hostess.

Those attending were Mrs. C. R. Porter, and H. C. Timmons.

Mrs. Primm entertained Wednesday afternoon with an attractive three-table party honoring Mrs. Smitham. Mrs. Harvey Richards was also an honored guest.

Roses and summer flowers were the floral decorations. Pink and green made a dainty color scheme for the salad and ice courses. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. J. L. Webb.

Mrs. Dudley made high score and received a card table cover. Mrs. Smitham was presented with French bath powder and Mrs. Richards with a double deck of cards.

The guests were Mrs. Smitham, Richards, Webb, G. R. Porter, Garland Woodward, C. S. Blomsheld, C. D. Baxley, P. H. Liberty, W. E. Bonham, N. S. Jennings, R. B. Bliss, L. B. Dudley and Lee Levering.

### Montezumans Consummate Nuptials Two Years After License Is Issued

This romance seemed almost to blossom almost two years ago, but some how the following process was delayed and only spread into its full beauty Saturday.

On October 11 in 1929 Saledonia Fierro made an application and received a marriage license to wed Mrs. Juan Dias. Yesterday the county clerk's office received notification of a rumor that rituals had been performed and the couple now man and wife. Perhaps that is adequate proof that the ancient maxim "better late than never" is still bearing a semblance of truth.

### Represent Howard County At A & M Short Course



MRS. DAVE LEATHERWOOD

The Home Demonstration Council of Howard County will send its chairman, Mrs. Lawrence Anderson, of Luther, and one of its prize-winners, Mrs. Dave Leatherwood, of Elbow, to the Short Course for Home Demonstration Agents and Cooperators of A. & M. College this week.

Mrs. Leatherwood won first place in the county and third in the district in the living room contest in her class, No. 1. Mrs. W. C. Rogers won the same in Class No. 2, but she took the trip last summer.



MRS. LOUCILLE ALLOGOOD

This is the second summer that Howard county has done this for the women.

The Short Course is an intensive course, lasting one week, and dealing with all the phases of home demonstration activities. All the county agents are required to attend.

Men and women both go to this course which covers all their activities. At this time of the year the school is not in session so the dormitories and class rooms are turned over to the visitors. Many whole families go and camp near College Station; and father and mother, sons and daughters take in whatever interests them. Howard County's representatives will stay in the dormitory.

Mrs. Rogers was very enthusiastic last year over her experience. It was not only an opportunity to learn what others were doing, she said, but to make friends with people from all over the state.

Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Leatherwood leave in the morning, accompanied by Mrs. Allgood.



MRS. LAWRENCE ANDERSON

Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Leatherwood leave in the morning, accompanied by Mrs. Allgood.

### 3,000 Watch Dance Ending Reunion Here

Cauble Re-Elected; Thomas Wins in Fiddlers' Contest

More than three thousand people watched Howard county Old Settlers write the grand finale on their seventh annual reunion held Friday under the expansive cottonwood trees of Parrish Grove one mile east of Big Spring. Cars belonging to members of the huge crowd that fought its way into the grove to witness an old fashioned dance kept traffic congested for a distance of more than one mile on the Bankhead highway. In addition to automobiles parked on the highway there were hundreds of wagons parked in a orderly fashion inside parking grounds near the grove. Milling crowds in and out the park were common until long after the dance had terminated.

Clustering activities of the afternoon the Old Settlers Association named I. B. (Doc) Cauble, prominent Hereford breeder and pioneer ranchman, to again serve as president of the body. J. N. Cauble and R. Cauble and E. J. McKinley were appointed to succeed T. H. Johnson as vice president of the organization. Mrs. Bud Brown was asked by the gathering of old timers to serve as secretary of the order for another term.

In the old fiddlers contest over which J. S. Winslow presided Bill Thomas emerged as grand prize winner and was given a ten dollar cash award. President I. B. Cauble pushed him closely to take second money of seven and a half dollars, while Mrs. Beva Wilkins was awarded third prize over a large field and was given a five dollar remuneration.

Those competing in the contest were J. J. Curlee, J. D. Williams, W. G. Tannehill, J. H. Custer, T. Grogan, Mrs. Ben Wilkins, A. Armstrong, Bill Thomas, W. H. Spence, I. B. Cauble, Ham Callahan, R. H. Miller, D. H. Thomas, Jess Sanders, Henry Long, and Miss Kimble.

Officials in charge of the gigantic celebration were enthusiastic in declaring it one of the most successful in the history of the organization. It drew the largest crowd of any of preceding reunions.

The Baptist revival meeting was to be opened at the school building Friday night, to continue ten days.

Rev. W. A. Watson and family of McAlester, Okla., were guests of R. W. Adams and family Sunday.

Ray Adams has been on the sick list several days this week.

Rosa Palmer and daughter, Minnie, were guests of Mrs. Virgil Low Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Cook and daughter, Lucille, of near Ackerly, visited the club Monday at the home of G. T. Palmer.

Lee Lauderdale and Frank Verends visited at the home of Harry Graham Sunday afternoon.

Bascom Avery and wife and Mrs. Lander of near Big Spring visited the R. N. Adams home Sunday.

Bowman Williams of Ackerly spent the week-end at the home of Virgil and William Graham.

John Palmer was a guest of William Graham Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Adams has returned home from Abilene. She went to consult a specialist. She has been in ill health some time.

Luther Reudensal visited at the home of W. A. Hannah Sunday.

G. T. Baum and family have moved to Ackerly. Mr. Baum was employed on the R. N. Adams farm.

Bill Sing of Vealboro was a visitor at the H. Graham home Wednesday.

Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. L. N. Adams leader of the Juniors were assisted by Mrs. Harry Stalcup and Mrs. G. H. Hayward.

### One Week Remains For Transfers Of County Scholastics

Miss Helen Hayden, assistant to the county superintendent, announced yesterday that only one week remains for transfers to be effected. In compliance with a recent state ruling absolutely no transfers will be made after August 1, said Miss Hayden. She reiterated the statement of Mrs. Pauline Cantrell Brigham, county superintendent, that only slight attention was being paid the warning and added that only six days remain in which to secure the transfer of scholastics.

### Club Women of County Will Open Market For Home-Canned Products Saturday In Federation Clubhouse

The modern art of canning following several years of work with the county home demonstration agent, Mrs. Loucille Allgood, was gratifying to the Federation members.

The women of the county will bring their goods to the City Federation club house at Fourth and Seary streets. A member of the city federation will be in charge of the market. Those selling their home canned goods there will appropriate 10 per cent of the proceeds to the City Federation to apply on payments due on the clubhouse.

### Texas Eagle Company Sued For \$273,000

State Alleges Failure To Pay Gasoline Taxes Since September

DALLAS, July 24 (UP)—Suit for \$273,000 damages against the Texas Eagle Refining company of Dallas charging failure to pay gasoline taxes since Sept. 1, 1930 was on file today, according to reports from the state attorney general's department.

The refining company has been placed in receivership by District Judge C. A. Wheeler at Austin, who granted the state an injunction against the company.

Ben Rabinowitz, head of the Texas Eagle Refining company, is in a hospital here in a critical condition. He was shot in the head Tuesday morning in the garage at the rear of his home.

Filing of the suit was preceded by an investigation of reports that several companies were mixing kerosene with gasoline and selling it to motorists as gasoline.

Kerosene is tax free. The half-and-half mixture carried a tax of only 2 cents a gallon instead of the 12 cents a gallon tax levied on gasoline, increasing profits of the dealers.

Other suits were expected to be filed, it was learned.

### Chicken Barbecue Given At Park By R. D. Hatch

R. D. Hatch entertained four of his friends at the City Park Thursday evening. He provided them with six barbecued chickens to eat a cantaloupe splotch and plenty of pickles and trimmings.

The four boys who had such a good time were Charles Koberg, Allen Stripling, James Ripps and Joe Pickle.

Mrs. B. F. Pyson is ill at her home, 604 East Third street.

### Enjoyable Summer Party Complimenting Two Guests Given By Mrs. R. C. Strain

Mrs. Wilke and Mrs. McLaughlin, of Austin, Named As Honorees For Attractive Social Event

Mrs. R. C. Strain was hostess to five tables of contract bridge players Thursday morning at a delightful party honoring Mrs. James McLaughlin, niece of Mrs. John Clarke, who is visiting here from Austin, and Mrs. Geo. Wilke, who is leaving for Ft. Worth in the early fall.

The lovely home of the hostess was never more attractive with an abundance of summer flowers, sinias, Shasta daisies, wild bluebells in the tulias and score pads.

Mrs. Wilke and Mrs. McLaughlin were presented with attractive boxes of stationery as honor guests. Mrs. Joe Fisher made high score for the morning.

The guests were, in addition to the honorees, Mrs. John Clarke, C. W. Cunningham, Bob Austin, W. H. Clark, Albert Fisher, H. D. Hill, Fred Stephens, O. Y. Miller, Bernard and Joe Fisher, Buck Richardson, E. O. Ellington, A. E. Plote, Victor Martin, E. E. Fahrkamp, W. Barker and J. J. Hair and Miss Druha Turbett, of Marlin.

A dainty salad and ice course composed the refreshments at the close of the games.

### Auditing Committee Reports To Session Of Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors No. 4277 met at the Settles Hotel lodge rooms Thursday afternoon for initiation ceremonies.

Mrs. Viola Boyles had charge of the game contests and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Boyles and Mrs. Loiz.

The auditing committee, which met with J. J. Bugg, the special auditor Tuesday evening, gave a report of their meeting and the auditor's report which was accepted.

Delicious refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, olives, potato chips, cake and iced tea, were served to the following: Mrs. Della Bugg, Mabel Glenn, Myrtle Orr, Mabel Hall, Ortry Boatner, Myrtle Bugg, Sarah Griffith, Ella Alston, Brooke Martin, Lucy Lotz, Mary Lawrence, Frances Nabors, Eula Pond, Julia Wilkerson, Edna Casey, Mary Van Open, Jewel Williams Hattie, Orr, Winnie Wilson, Bertha Barton, Clara Burns, Viola Boyles, Cito Byers, and Misses Clara Bailey and Ozell Orr.

The Royal Neighbors will give a benefit box supper at the City Park next Thursday evening at 7.30. All Royal Neighbors and their families are invited.

### SOASH

July 21.—The Home Demonstration club met Monday, July 20, at the home of Mrs. G. T. Palmer. There were eight members and three visitors present. The 4-H club girls were present and served ice cream and cake. The next meeting will be held at the school building.

The Baptist revival meeting was to be opened at the school building Friday night, to continue ten days.

Rev. W. A. Watson and family of McAlester, Okla., were guests of R. W. Adams and family Sunday.

Ray Adams has been on the sick list several days this week.

Rosa Palmer and daughter, Minnie, were guests of Mrs. Virgil Low Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Cook and daughter, Lucille, of near Ackerly, visited the club Monday at the home of G. T. Palmer.

Lee Lauderdale and Frank Verends visited at the home of Harry Graham Sunday afternoon.

Bascom Avery and wife and Mrs. Lander of near Big Spring visited the R. N. Adams home Sunday.

Bowman Williams of Ackerly spent the week-end at the home of Virgil and William Graham.

John Palmer was a guest of William Graham Sunday.

### Church Dispute Before Board Of Arbitration

Group of Pastors Hearing Evidence in Westbrook Matter

COLORADO, July 24.—Contending factions in the controversy over pastor of the First Baptist church of Westbrook continuing to occupy his pulpit agreed to arbitrate.

Rev. Bayless of Stanton; Rev. Day, Big Spring; Rev. Reid, Colorado, and Rev. Hardin, Lorraine, pastors of churches in those points, will compose a board together with one other Baptist minister selected by them, were to hear both sides of the affair at a meeting in Westbrook at non Friday. Four witnesses were to be allowed each side.

Neither factions may use the church building until district court dissolves an injunction granted Wednesday. The petition for temporary injunction, granted here by Judge Fritz R. Smith, was presented by County Attorney W. H. Garrison after a complaint had been filed against the pastor, Rev. J. E. McDermitt, charging disturbance of a religious business meeting Sunday. The complaint was dismissed yesterday.

The pastor said the difficulty grew out of a desire of some of the church members for his resignation.

### 5-Hour Quiz Given Head of Oil Company

Holmes Questioned By Alfred In Secret Justice Inquiry

AUSTIN, July 25 (UP)—R. C. Holmes, New York, president of the Texas Company, was questioned nearly five hours today in a secret court inquiry into possible anti-trust law violations in oil industry. The hearing before J. M. Griffith, justice of the peace, was the interrogation carried on by James V. Alfred, attorney general and H. D. Bishop, an assistant. It was the fourth day that the Texas Company head had been testifying here.

### F. M. Franklin To Be Buried

Young Man Survived By Widow and Two Daughters

Last rites for Fannie Moore Franklin will be held today at 2 p. m. in the chapel of the Eberley Funeral Home. Franklin, 33, died at 2:15 p. m. Saturday survived by his widow and two daughters.

He leaves his widow, Mrs. F. M. Franklin, and two daughters, Anita and Mildred. Surviving him are also four sisters; Mrs. Luma Lucita Brannon, Vincent; Mrs. Josephine Abilene; Mrs. Alice Williams, Abilene; Mrs. Edith Stewman, Big Spring.

Rev. S. B. Hughes, pastor of East Fourth Street Baptist church, will conduct the services and interment will be made in the New Mount Olive cemetery.

### McDowell Beauty Shop Is Opened

Opening of the McDowell Beauty Shop was announced Saturday by Mrs. Ruth Edwards McDowell.

The salon will be located at 1210 Johnson street. Complete equipment for the high type of beauty service will be made in Big Spring have been accustomed to receive from Mrs. McDowell for several years has been installed.

# City Federation To Open Market At Club House For County Produce On Saturday

### Mrs. Bob Eubank To Act As Market Manager With Two Assistants Each Week From County And City, Announces President

An enthusiastic meeting at the Federation Club House Saturday afternoon attended by twenty county and town women, formulated plans for the market of county produce which the Federation is sponsoring. The first market will be held Saturday.

The market is intended to aid county women in disposing of their vegetables, butter, eggs, buttermilk and cream and to aid town women in buying these from a central location with little trouble to themselves.

The market will be managed by club woman, Mrs. Bob Eubank, appointed by Mrs. Joyce Fisher to have charge of the sales and to take orders. She will select as her assistant a member of the Federation and a member of the Home Demonstration clubs each Saturday.

The market will open at 9 o'clock in the morning and will continue open as long as the supply lasts. It is believed that the produce will be sold by noon.

Several communities in the county were not represented at the Saturday meeting. Mrs. Fisher explained an invitation to those living in their produce and to get acquainted with the market manager Saturday morning. The club house is making a ten percent charge on everything handled.

Town women can depend on getting fresh home-grown vegetables, great of them picked the day of the sale, and dependable dairy products. They can save time and get away from their homes for a few moments.

The enthusiasm of those attending promises a popular beginning. Town women are requested to call in the morning and not to wait until afternoon to do their buying.

# Golfers Beat Snyder Men

### 32-12 Victory Taken Here In Sand Belt Tournament

Big Spring moved a notch nearer the top in the Sand Belt Golf Association Sunday, winning over Snyder by a decisive count of 32-12 while Midland was dropping an engagement to Colorado in the tournament city by 20-14. At the same time Colorado was strengthening their head Lamesa shaved the distance between herself and Teton by trimming the Texas team 27-17.

Local link adherents instigated the correct procedure when Olin DeLafour, long distance driver, beat W. Hogan of Snyder two up. Robins had an easy time administering an unmerciful beating to Robert nine up, while Northington crushed Baybore by a similar count. C. L. Walden, just the first match of the day in a bitterly contested battle that went 20 miles before Cloud beat him 1 up. Fred Stephen won another 20-hole scrap off Blackard by the same margin. Lab Coffee turned in the third 9 up victory of the day by defeating B. Boren Porter beat Hagan 1 up, in 19 hard fought holes. W. E. Bonham lost the other match for the local golfers. Moore nosed him out on another 18 hole scrap.

Standing of the Sand Belt Golf Association teams—

Table with 2 columns: Team Name, Score. Includes Colorado, Snyder, Midland, etc.

# No Relief Known From Insect Now Praying On Feed

Insects declared to be doing extensive damage to young feed is in scattered localities in Howard county were identified as a species of the stick bug known by the technical name of Thysanus Cusator, by the state entomology department.

A letter to C. T. Watson, manager of the local chamber of commerce, from R. Reppert, extension entomologist for Texas A. & M. College says in part "This is a sucking insect and so cannot be controlled by application of arsenical poisons. We are sorry that we are thus unable to encourage any hope of relief."

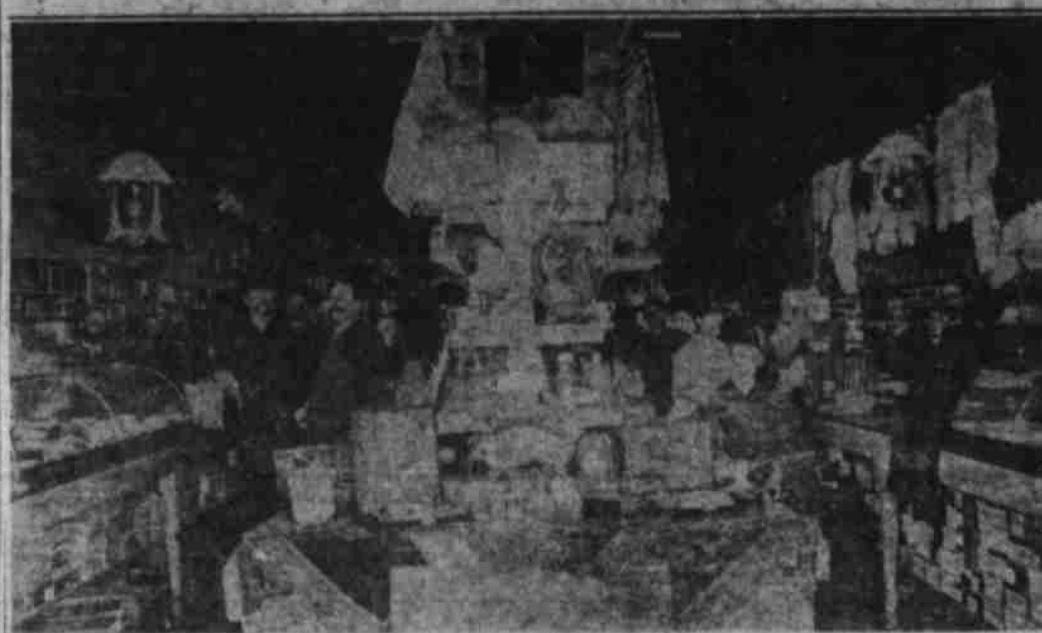
Watson explained that the very fact that the insects were sucking bugs prevented practical eradication without poisoning the plants also. However he said there were only a few stricken localities and apparently the insects were not spreading.

# Mrs. W. A. Chapman, Ellis Pioneer, Dies

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, July 27.—Mrs. W. A. Chapman, 90, native of Texas, died here Sunday night after a long illness. Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Tuesday at the Central Presbyterian church, with her pastor, Dr. G. H. Hogan, officiating.

Mrs. Chapman is survived by five children, R. E. and O. H. Chapman, Mrs. W. M. Baker and Mrs. R. S. Middleton, all of Waxahachie, and Mrs. Ollie McQuown of Sherman.

# Bressie Bros. & Denmark's Store On Fourth Street



R. M. Bressie is the man with the flowing mustache. M. F. Bressie is behind the counter on the left and wears a Vandyke beard. Phil Bressie can hardly be distinguished to the right underneath the scrappie hanging from the ceiling. W. T. Tension is behind the counter on the right; his mustache is slightly flowing.

# Howard County's First Two Settlers



W. T. Roberts was Howard County's first settler. He settled at Moss Springs in 1879. Mr. Hilburn came out with his father to the Big Spring in 1880 when he was 17. He moved to New Mexico in 1882, returned in 1892 for two years and again in 1930. This picture was taken at the Roberts ranch.

# S. M. McIntosh Is Buried Here

### Death Takes Man Two Days Before Fifty-Third Birthday

Last rites of Sam Miles McIntosh, 52, were held at 3:30 p. m. Sunday in the chapel of the Eberley funeral home. Mr. McIntosh died Saturday at 8 p. m. just two days before his fifty-third birthday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Maggie McIntosh, three daughters Mrs. Ruby Wilcox, Opal, Vestal Frances, and Oteana McIntosh. He leaves one son, J. W. McIntosh. The following step children survive him—Mrs. Lizzie Phillips, Gladys; Mrs. Lida Croweover, Big Spring; Bryant Payne, Big Spring; and five grandchildren.

One brother, L. R. McIntosh, remains as does one sister, Mrs. J. H. Yell. Pall bearers were Levi Robinson, Elmer Hull, Eakin Simpson, Jim Yell, Walter Robinson, and W. J. Sneed. Services were conducted by Rev. S. B. Hughes, pastor of the Fourth Baptist Church, and burial was made in the New Mt. Olive cemetery.

# Gaines Wildcat Shows No Change Drilling At 4,756

Landreth Production Corporation's No. 1 Alley, southwestern Gaines Co. wildcat had shown no change in drilling to 4756 feet in grey lime Friday night. It was reported making from a quarter to a half barrel of sulphur water hourly and to have instructions to plug and abandon it and when the water increased to two barrels an hour.

At 4756 feet No. 1 Alley was 1-3/16 feet below sea level and 983 feet in the grey lime, using 4853 feet as the grey lime top. Two and one-half barrels of sulphur water was being struck early in the week from 4,625-37 feet. The water had almost exhausted when a slight increase with a scum of dead oil was picked up from 4,735-48 feet. The oil showing was from 4,622-37 feet.

No. 1 Alley is 990 feet from the north and west lines of section 2, block 30, public school land.

# Bishop Hiram A. Boas Holds Revival Meeting In Rural Community

GAINESVILLE, Texas, July 27.—Memories of his early days as a struggling young circuit rider was recalled by Bishop Hiram A. Boas of Houston, presiding officer of the North Texas Methodist conference, South, as he engaged in a revival meeting at Dexter, 20 miles northeast of Gainesville.

Bishop Boas preached twice daily to his rural audiences, accepting invitations of the laymen to chicken dinners and enjoying the quiet atmosphere of the isolated village of some 200 persons.

The bishop had a pulpit roughly constructed of timbers, covered with a brush arbor, and his congregation sat on board benches in the open air.

Little Miss Mary Jo Barnes, who has been visiting her uncle, Grover Cunningham, has returned to her home in Rockwall.

# Physical Inactivity, Mental Inertness Block Enforcement

### BY RAYMOND S. BROOKS, Special Correspondent AUSTIN, July 25 (AP).—Pat Neff, former governor, Saturday roused a jaded leg, slature to its first deep laugh and the first burst of cheers in his belligerent onslaught against his two colleagues, the majority group of the state railroad commission.

"There hasn't even been an intelligent gesture toward enforcement—we've just protested those who wanted protection," Governor Neff told the house. "Why conservation failed? Physical inactivity, mental inertness, working along the lines of least resistance," he vehemently replied.

That was his answer before the house to testimony of Chairman C. V. Terrell and Commissioner Lon A. Smith, in his long controversy with them over oil and other things.

Neff's Position  
He doesn't believe in trying protection cases "in mass meetings or in newspapers," Neff said. He disapproves wasting \$4 worth of gas on a dollar's oil.

He thinks a new law will be helpful, defining waste, and getting the railroad commission away from the price fixing of the court.

FEDERAL DECISION RULES PROBATION IS NOT VALID  
AUSTIN, July 25 (AP).—Most of the state lawmakers agreed today that the federal court decision invalidating present methods of oil prororation will have material effect in the trend of legislation during the present special session, but were undecided what the effect would be.

Many of them withheld interpositions of the courts' opinion pending additional study and asked for copies of the decision by the three judges of the court.

From the price fixing, ways exist now to enforce conservation if the commission majority would do it, he said.

Neff testified under the strain of continuously expecting a message telling him of the death of his brother, Sam Neff, at Robert Lee W. S. Farish, Humble company president, resumed testifying in support of conservation measures Saturday afternoon.

R. B. Wainman, Austin, was supposed to have been put on six weeks ago as a deputy supervisor, former Governor Neff said.

"The commission has gone on the theory," he said, "that a prororation law would put out its hat and walk out of the books and enforce itself."

He said he "earnestly hoped" if there is a new appointive commission there will be "three minds" in its personnel.

A new court at Austin and quick trials of the cases are needed, Neff said.

A new law better defining waste would be helpful, but the present commission "means for enforcing conservation," he said.

"These include: Defining gas-oil ratio and requiring the gas to be used," the railroad commission should have enforced pipe line proratable taking. This has not been attempted.

"The commission should regulate rates of pipe lines. Nothing was done on that either."

"The common purchaser law should be enforced, but hasn't been."

"When we've enforced these, we've solved the prororation problem."

"We had hearings about waste but inquired then 'how much can you sell?' and got this figure from the operators and fixed it as the allowable." Figures were based on what a field could sell, not on any conservation consideration.

"The East Texas order puts into the hands of the larger companies the selection of an advisory committee, and of the committee selection of the umpire, supposed to represent the state, but not chosen or paid by the state to enforce its orders."

"The order forced more drilling instead of cutting it."

"I conferred with Assistant Attorney General Fred Upchurch, and he said the recent order didn't meet his approval."

"I was not called into the conferences during making of the East Texas order. Frequent conferences were held in Chairman Terrell's room with Mr. Smith, Parker and Mr. Harward and others there."

# 'Three Minds' On Board Big Need He Says

### 'Physical Inactivity, Mental Inertness Block Enforcement'

anything to do with prices." "Dilly-dallied" "We've just dilly-dallied around and allowed the production of the fields to be whatever could be sold." "We've 18 deputy oil and gas supervisors. I urged they should be put in charge of the umpiring." "It is the duty," he added, "of the railroad commission to enforce its orders until some court says we can't do it. But we dutifully and sanctimoniously sent out our orders, and put in the hand of the umpire picked by the companies to say what the potential of each well is."

"Until recently, over my protest, the commission tried to prorote the little wells of down to four or five barrels, when it meant shutting down the little wells."

"Do you have adequate technical advice?" Rep. Walter Beck asked. "We're swimming in technical knowledge—flooded with it."

"Isn't it true that frequently in elective places, persons without qualifications—?"

"I don't think I ought to be asked about the qualifications of candidates," Mr. Neff interrupted.

"No, I didn't say certain special interests have an inside track," he answered further questions. "They may have had access to the commission, which was proper. The objection is that such a situation gives giant strength to the big companies, whether they use it or not. I don't say they do."

Later he said he "didn't remember there ever having been a motion on anything while I have been on the commission." He did not try to get the commission to adopt the Cranfill voluntary agreement plan for East Texas, Neff said.

### Will Harris Goes To New York For Fall Merchandise

Will Harris, proprietor of Harris' which will be re-opened soon on East Third street, is leaving for New York, where he will buy new fall merchandise for this popular ready-to-wear store.

Mr. Harris will return by way of Chicago, Saint Louis and Dallas.

# Work Bridge Club Is Entertained By Mrs. M. M. Edwards

The Work Bridge club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Marion Edwards Wednesday afternoon, for a very happy session.

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There will be a song service Sunday evening at the Church of God on the corner of Main and 11th streets.

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Hardwick he said was attorney for a major company and the central prorotation committee.

"How much gas is being wasted?"

"In Reagan county it ran 140,000,000 cubic feet a day." At the same time Chairman R. L. Batts of the university board was testified before the senate 110,000,000 feet of gas is being wasted from four wells on university land.

"But that is only a pigny compared with the waste in the Panhandle."

"The railroad commission has notice that there is being wasted in Texas every day 500,000,000 cubic feet of gas. East Texas is wasting still more of this than the Panhandle."

"The railroad commission hasn't

# More Crude Run To Tanks During Week

### Daily Average Production Decreases 3,522 Barrels

The decrease in daily average distribution exceeded a drop in daily average production in the Permian Basin, including Lea County, New Mexico, during the week ending July 15 with the result that a daily average of 1,772 barrels of oil was run to storage, 283 barrels daily more than during the week ending July 8.

West Texas added three wells but its total of 2,910 producers yielded a daily average of only 200,236 barrels daily less than during the preceding week. Daily average production in Lea County dropped 2,231 barrels to 39,550 barrels, making a total decline of 5,733 barrels.

Daily average distribution declined 6,494 barrels to 227,653 barrels. Daily average tank car shipments alone registered an increase of 74 barrels to 5,474 barrels. Daily average pipe line runs dropped 4,448 barrels to 210,166 barrels while daily average runs to refineries decreased 1,892 barrels to 22,226 barrels.

Daily average production in West Texas by counties during the week ending July 15 was as follows: Crane 332 wells, 15,584 barrels; Crockett, 44 wells, 1,467 barrels; Elmer, 32 wells, 5,526 barrels; Howard-Gillespie, 535 wells, 25,548 barrels; Irion, 8 wells, 59 barrels; Loving, 49 wells, 2,863 barrels; Mitchell, 145 wells, 1,873 barrels; Pecos, 541 wells, 72,809 barrels; Reagan, 251 wells, 27,028 barrels; Scurry, 5 wells, 54 barrels; Upton, 202 wells, 4,228 barrels; Ward, 74 wells, 3,168 barrels; Winkler, 530 wells, 29,977 barrels; total, 2,919 wells, 200,236 barrels.

Details of the oil movement during the two weeks follow:

Table with 2 columns: Pipeline Name, Quantity. Includes Atlantic P. L. Co., Gulf P. L. Co., etc.

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# News OF THE Day IN Pictures

## WHEN "LEGS" DIAMOND WAS BROUGHT TO TRIAL!



Seeking to send Jack "Legs" Diamond, New York gangster, to prison on charges of assaulting and torturing Grover Parks, a truckman, the state of New York brought him to trial at Troy. Diamond is shown at right wearing straw hat and with his hand on rail as he left jail after lunch during a court recess. Mrs. Diamond is shown in doorway following him as guards surround them. At left is a view of the crowds outside the courtroom.

## WIVES IN MARITAL MIX-UP



Two wives of G. Edward Hudson met in a Los Angeles court when his marriage to Mrs. Minnie "Ma" Kennedy (left) was annulled. Mrs. L. Margaret Newton-Hudson (right) had not been divorced from Hudson when Mrs. Kennedy, mother of Aimee Semple McPherson, married him. Mrs. Newton-Hudson's divorce suit is pending.

## Bacteria Expert



Dr. Arthur Kendall of Northwestern university has discovered a new method of isolating previously invisible bacteria which may bring new understanding of many diseases.

## GARDENER DISCOVERS COMET



Masani Nagata, a Japanese truck gardener of Brawley, Cal., has been credited by astronomers of Mount Wilson, Cal., observatory with discovering a comet in the constellation of Leo. It will be called "Nagata's comet."

## TO CONFER ON GERMAN CRISIS



Premier Ramsay MacDonald (left) and Arthur Henderson, foreign secretary, of Great Britain will discuss Germany's financial crisis with a group of German officials in Berlin. Great Britain hopes the two cabinet members will be able to bring about a lessening of the tension in Germany, now looked on as becoming serious.

## Wins Canadian Title



Walter Hagen (above), Detroit veteran, won the Canadian open golf championship, defeating Percy Arliss of Berlin in a 36-hole playoff at Toronto.

## KNOW HIM? HE'S THE WATKINS BABY



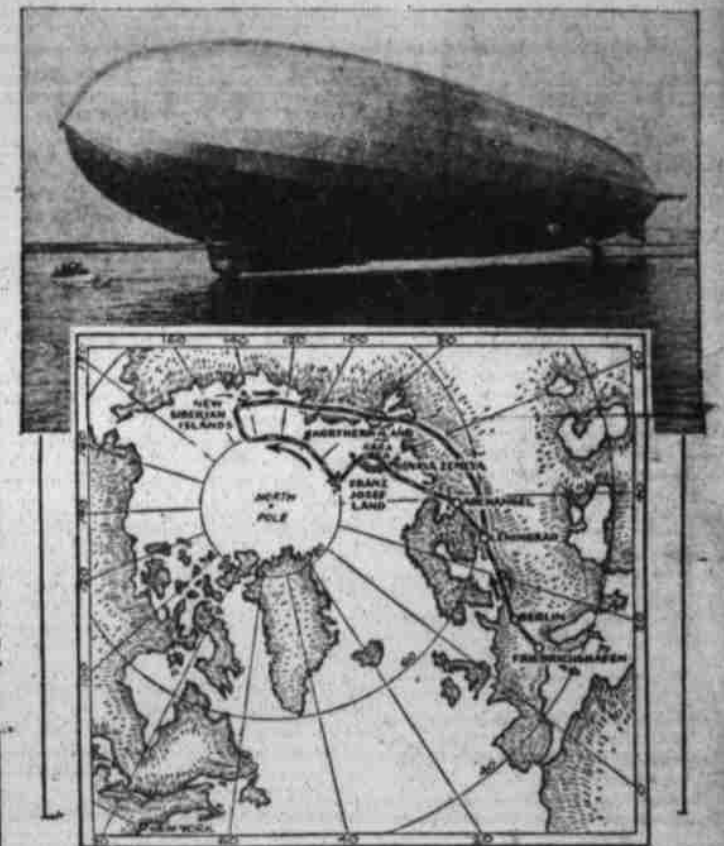
Probably you wouldn't recognize him, but he was much in the news a year ago. His name is Charles Watkins and he was one of the principals in the Watkins-Bamberger baby mixup at Chicago. Now he is a year old and his parents are certain he's their child. He is shown here as he visited in Goshohocken, Pa.

## Baseball Star Weds



Wedding bells have sounded for Lyn Lary, New York Yankee shortstop, and Mary Lawlor, musical comedy actress. Here they are in a New York hotel after their wedding.

## GRAF AND ROUTE OF POLAR FLIGHT



The German airship, Graf Zeppelin, and map of the route it will follow on its scientific expedition to the Arctic. Besides the scientific interest the flight may blaze the way for air trails over the Arctic. The Zeppelin is shown above after alighting on water on pontoons built especially for the northern flight.

## Pleads For German; On Vatican Council



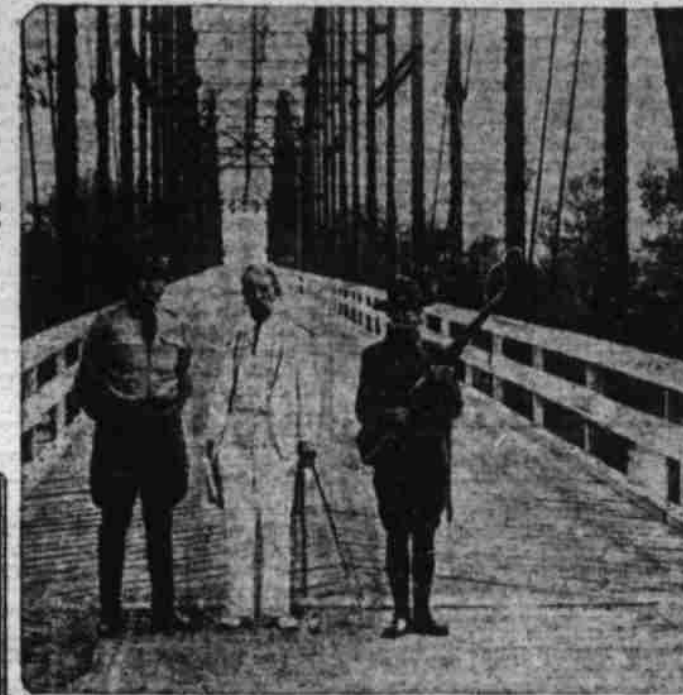
Dr. Victor Bruns, German international law authority, presented his country's side of the Austro-German customs treaty case before the court of international justice at The Hague. Father Fernando Gaudet of New York was appointed a member of the general council of the holiest sacrament at the Vatican. He is the first American member of the council.

## URGE PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE



Senator Harry B. Hawes of Missouri (left) and Senator Key Pittman of Nevada (right), advocates of Philippine freedom, who are in Manila investigating Philippine affairs. A throng estimated at between 100,000 and 200,000 attended a demonstration staged for the two senators.

## MURRAY AT GUARDED BRIDGE



Gov. W. H. Murray of Oklahoma is shown with guardsmen at the Red river toll bridge between Denison, Tex., and Durant, Okla. When a free bridge paralleling the toll bridge was opened, Murray ordered guards to relax their vigilance at the toll bridge. Previously he had defied an injunction to open the toll bridge approach.

## Accused As Slayer



Fred P. Ring, 70 (above), former state legislator, was charged with the slaying of his neighbor, William L. Philbrook, following a pitchfork duel over a farm boundary at Brunswick, Me. He claimed self defense.

## British Net Star



Fred Perry, one of England's outstanding young net stars, will be pitted against the United States players in interzone Davis cup finals in Paris, July 17-19.

## Love Pact Ends



Mrs. Dell Harbaugh of Chicago (above) was jailed after her husband was killed during a struggle in which he tried to take a gun from her. She charged he had broken their "road to happiness" love pact.

## Wins Air Tour



This closeup of Harry Russell was taken after he had won the 1931 national air tour, entitling him to a \$2,500 prize and the Edsel Ford trophy.

## Shriners' Queen



Lucille Smith of Cleveland was chosen queen of the Mardi Gras during the Shriners' convention in Cleveland.

## FIGURE IN YACHT EXPLOSION



Harry Richman (left), New York night club entertainer, was severely burned when his yacht blew up off Long Island. Richman and Mark Hallinger (right), newspaper columnist, rescued Helen Walsh, an actress, from a blazing cabin. Hallinger's wife, Gladys Glad (center), escaped injury.

