

## Oil Men In Stampede To 'Avert Calamity'

### Man Admits Dismembering Body And Scattering Parts Over City; Widow Implicated

#### HOME TOWN TALK

By **BEDDY**

Big Spring, through its Chamber of Commerce and with cooperation of newspaper men, is seeking to obtain the 1923 convention of the West Texas Press Association, which will meet in Lubbock in August.

It happens nowadays, as always, that most cities are not held in positions for the individual like and dislikes, appetites, etc. of visiting delegates.

Since prohibition, they do tell us, some conventions have been pretty alcoholic.

But, we have not yet heard of the entertainment committee representing a host city holding delegates and pouring liquor down 'em.

Yes, delegates to conventions do as they please, insofar as possible, while away from home, as they do at home if allowed to.

But these things appear not to have occurred to Mr. C. R. Payne, editor of the Castro County News, published at Dimmit.

We have a letter and a clipping from Mr. Payne's paper, of the Chamber of Commerce here.

This clipping and letter shows us that Payne not only is good at mind, but also is good at business, but, as are extremists on most any subject, is very liable to do some thing of the imagination in order to find something to shame somebody about.

In other words our Dimmit friend is good at finding something foul in most any little thing. He might even scold a bee for biting a nose.

"The Editor Cam-Payne-Ing" is the title of a column devoted to the same place in the Dimmit paper as this one holds in The Herald.

In this week's painting, Mr. Payne, citing his recent shaming of officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, because several thousand men and women from a hundred cities came to the convention in Lubbock, and depicting some of the delegates as boozing, quotes a letter recently sent all West Texas Press Association members by the local Chamber of Commerce, largely at the instance of The Herald, thus:

"We solicit your support on the basis that we are in line in extending an invitation and we have ample facilities to take care of your every wish including everything and ice water."

"I am an unworthy member of our local Chamber of Commerce, and while I am called the editor of a country paper I hold that a member of such an influential position in society and business should not stop to contribute to the destruction of society and business and government as well as to wink at such a law violation, comments Mr. Payne.

"I refuse to believe it is the will of the Chamber of Commerce or the Texas Press Association that they shall be so represented. There is but little hope that our prohibition laws shall be upheld when organizations like these shall wink at its violation," he continued.

In his letter to your humble servant Payne says that the letter quoted impresses him that "Big Spring Chamber of Commerce in a subtle manner would also have things to drink as did Lubbock in the recent meeting there of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce."

The humorous part about this business is that the man who signed the letter, C. T. Watson, is one of the most notoriously "dry teetotalers" in all this part of the country.

And how Mr. Payne will gather his coal black nightgown around him and grip his broom when he reads a letter sent out yesterday by the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, in which it also announces it wants the Press convention next year. The El Paso letter among other things says, "You know El Paso. You've probably heard of Juarez, Nuff Said."

**MORELAND WINS**  
Gas Moreland Saturday won the Texas amateur golf title, according to news dispatcher from Dallas.

### Woman Gave Him \$300 To Dispose Of Mate, Says Prisoner

NEW YORK, June 6 (AP)—Police said tonight that Charles Obietes of Brooklyn had admitted killing Andrew Zubenki, speakeasy proprietor, dismembering the body and disposing of parts of it over the city during two days.

Mrs. Zubenki paid him three hundred dollars for killing her husband bearing in mind that she had learned of her first husband, Adam Zubenki, said Obietes.

The woman denied any knowledge of the killing and said Zubenki left home March 25. She viewed assembled parts of the body in a morgue and said they were not of the body of Zubenki.

Obietes, police said, stated the killing was done March 25. The first clue was discovery of a human thigh wrapped in a newspaper on Williamsburg bridge two days later. Other parts of the body were found later.

Zubenki in 1922 was a bartender for Vilnius in Cleveland. On May 23 of that year Vilnius' body was found in his back yard.

Obietes, police said, was questioned but permitted to go. They came to Brooklyn and established a speakeasy.

According to Obietes' purported statement he and a friend went for a walk with Zubenki, hit him on the head with a brick and dismembered his body.

### Congressman Will Send Agriculture Yearbook To People of District

"As long as his allotment lasts Congressman R. E. Thompson of this district will be glad to mail copies of the yearbook of the department of agriculture, he has informed The Herald.

Requests should be forwarded to Mr. Thompson, 228 House office building, Washington, D. C.

### Jail Break Averted In Angelo; Man Taken Here Among Suspects

(Special To The Herald)  
SAN ANGELO, June 6.—The second major jail break within three weeks was averted here today when officers, acting on a tip, discovered three men in the same cell block from which five prisoners escaped May 16.

Eight prisoners were in the block, seven of them charged with felonies.

One of the eight was Francis L. Page, held for automobile theft, who was arrested in Big Spring the night of May 16 a few hours after the recent break, when he wrecked the allegedly stolen machine and was wounded in the arm.

Each prisoner disclaimed knowledge of how the laws were procured. One "small hole already had been sawed in bars."

### Wednesday Final Day For Qualification Of Notaries Public

Howard county residents who have received notary public appointments will have until Wednesday to qualify. It was announced Saturday by deputies in the county clerk's office.

Those out of town must qualify ten days after returning.

### Room Mate of Youth In Big Spring Gives Oath To New Judge

**JAMES T. BROOKS**

Twenty-three years ago James T. Brooks and O. Dabberly came to Big Spring. Dabberly was from Hill County, Brooks, from Ellis County. They took a room together and lived there for several months.

Brooks started practicing law. Dabberly went to work in a local mercantile firm. Both were young men.

Twenty-three years after they settled in Howard county, Dabberly, now district clerk, administered the oath of office to Brooks, appointed last week as judge of the newly created special court of the 22nd judicial district. Brooks was appointed by Governor Ross Sterling following approval of the senate bill creating the court for a period of two years.

Dabberly went to Brooks' office in the Lester Fisher building Saturday afternoon on business. While there the matter of the oath of office was brought up.

"I would like," Judge Brooks said, "for you to give me the oath." So Judge Brooks signed the ancient document—the oath that is

### Bugg Bros. No. 3 Store Enlarged

BUGG Bros. No. 3 grocery and market, 405-07 East Third street, has been enlarged and is now one of the most modern business houses in Big Spring.

The floor space of the store has been doubled. It was formerly 26,500 feet. It is now 46,600 feet.

Appearance of the market has been improved with the installation of a background of mirrors.

The soda fountain, operated in connection with the grocery and market, has been rearranged and enlarged.

The grocery department occupies the west half of the building, with the fountain, market and drug store occupying the east half. A complete line of drugs is handled.

The work was done the past week.

### Water Users Urged To Apply For Cut-Off When They Go Away

Residents leaving the city for either a short or long period should have the water at their homes shut off, according to V. R. Smithman, city manager. If the city water department is notified the water will be shut off upon the departure and turned on again upon the return of the resident. No charge is made for this service.

"Regardless of the length of time the resident is to be out of town," Mr. Smithman said, "the water should be cut off. Even though the party is to be gone only a week, it pays to allow the water department to render this free service."

Mr. Smithman said that residents will be charged only for the time the water is on. If a resident leaves the city for a week and has his water cut off, he is charged for only three weeks of the flat rate. The same proportion prevails for longer periods.

"The city water department has found in a number of instances children will turn on outdoor hydrants of absent parties. This naturally increases the water bill. We feel that it is to the best interest of the people to cut the water off during the time they are to be absent from the city."

**IN HOSPITAL**  
James E. Patterson, superintendent Merriek and Bristow, Forsan, is a patient at the Big Spring hospital.

### Tom Jordan In Appeal For Support of City Hall Issue; 'Waiting' Policy Attacked

#### Executive Signs One of Measures Governing Trucks

AUSTIN, June 6 (AP)—Governor Sterling today signed house bill 335, a truck regulatory measure that met the least opposition from truck operators in the recent legislative session. It places all common carriers under jurisdiction of the railroad commission, requiring carriers to obtain certificates of public convenience and necessity and contract carriers to obtain permits.

### Highway Traffic Stopped By Wild Grand Falls Well

Traffic on Texas State Highway No. 82, the road from Monahan to Fort Stockton, was completely stopped when the Bradford and Dorr No. 1 Carson blew in to make the biggest gasser in the Grand Falls area. Traffic was resumed when the well was shut down at 2:14 feet an estimated 8,000,000 feet of gas. It is near the Grand Falls townsite.

### Theft Charged To Two Coleman Men

Charges of theft were filed in Justice of the Peace Cecil C. Collins' court Saturday against G. A. Harrell and R. H. Taylor, said to be of Coleman.

It is alleged in the complaint signed by Deputy Sheriff Denver D. Dunn that the men took forty gallons of oil valued at \$40, and a pump valued at \$12 from the Hill and Jay Service Station, Scirey and Fourth streets. They were arrested last week by City Policemen Coffee and Hovik.

### 'Prodigal Daughter' Topic Announced for Baptist Revivalist

"The Prodigal Daughter" will be the subject of Rev. John W. Newson in a special service this afternoon at 3:30 at West Side Baptist church.

The evangelist promises to tell in plain language some things that mothers need to know concerning their daughters. This service he considers one of the most important of the meeting.

The service is for married men, women and girls only. Their presence is earnestly solicited.

### W. D. Black To Preach At Church of Christ

W. D. Black, well-known evangelist, will occupy the pulpit at the Church of Christ here today. Mr. Black, a brother of Jim Black, of Big Spring, has been an active minister for a number of years and is known by many local members of the church.

### West Side Baptist Revival Continues

Revival services at West Side Baptist church conducted by Rev. John W. Newson will be continued through today at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Intense interest has been manifested in the messages of the evangelist who makes an earnest plea for righteousness.

More than fifty children under 12 years of age are in the Booster Band of singers.

The meeting will extend through the first two days of next week with termination Tuesday night.

### Singers Convening In Mitchell County Today

COLORADO, June 6.—The West Side Singing association of Mitchell county is to convene in regular session Sunday at Fairview, according to an announcement of "Doc" Simpson, president.

### ANNAPOLIS COLOR CEREMONY



Eloise Manford of Syracuse, N. Y., presenting the colors to Lieut. Norman Hall, also of Syracuse, during June week ceremonies at United States naval academy, Annapolis.

### Proration Basis Unchanged For June In Howard-Glasscock Field; May Run Totals 919,613 Barrels

### Completion Of Hart Phillips Building Near

### One-Stop Super Service Station To Occupy Part Of Structure

The Hart Phillips building, which is being erected at the corner of East Third and Gohard streets, will be completed by June 20 at the latest, it was announced Saturday by E. N. Ivey.

According to Mr. Ivey, practically all exterior work has been finished, with the exception of installation of plate glass windows, filling station equipment and driveways.

When completed the building will be one of the finest brick structures in Big Spring. It is of cream colored brick.

Ivey will be manager of the Hart Phillips One-Stop Super Service Station. The Big Spring Battery and Electric Service will move to the new structure. Ivey also will be building manager.

Two store buildings are included in the structure. One of these will be occupied by a grocery and market.

### Young People Given Invitation To C. E. Meeting This Evening

Young people of the city are invited to attend the Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at the First Christian church this afternoon.

A program has been arranged for today with Ben Allen, Jr., as leader. It follows: Topic, "Friendship"; prelude song, "Beautiful City of God"; special song service led by E. B. Bethell; scripture reading, third Psalm by Walter Bell; prayer led by Ben Allen, Jr.; story of friendship by Mrs. Ray Pollard; saxophone solo, Charles Peck.

### Meetings In Three Cities On Schedule

#### Prominent Independents Broadcast Summons For Monday

Barely had the American Petroleum Institute ended a session in Fort Worth before three important conferences of representatives of independent oil producers of the midcontinent had been called.

Six prominent independents Saturday telegraphed messages to a number of active operators urging their presence at a meeting in the Dallas city hall auditorium at 10 a. m. Monday. B. F. Robbins, of Big Spring, a director of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, was summoned.

Joseph Edwards and Robert P. Finer and perhaps other local non-conference representatives of independent oil producers of the midcontinent identified with the oil industry plan attending a called meeting of the directors of the Independent Petroleum Association of Texas in Fort Worth at 10 a. m. Saturday, June 13.

The Independent Petroleum Association of America has called its directors for an emergency meeting at the Tulsa hotel, Tulsa, at 10 a. m. Wednesday, June 10.

The appeal broadcast Saturday by E. L. Smith, Meeks, H. L. Hunt, Tyler, J. D. Callett, Fort Worth; Roy B. Jones, Wichita Falls; F. P. Zoch, San Antonio; E. A. Landreth, Fort Worth, follows:

"An important meeting has been called for ten o'clock Monday morning June 8, at the city hall auditorium, Dallas, to effect an emergency organization to consider ways and means of bringing about some relief from the present crisis in the oil industry and to avert the greater calamity that appears to be impending. Improvement in the situation can be had, we believe, through regulation of production to balance supply with the current demand and, through ratable takings by pipe lines from all producers. The enactment of adequate conservation laws will make possible the fair, equitable and fearless enforcement of conservation rules and regulations to the end that oil producers and royalty owners, large and small, will get their just dues. May we count on your presence."

The American association's board meeting in Tulsa June 10 will consider the distress caused by present prices, the position to be taken, as an organization, in connection with the advisability of asking a special session of congress to restrict imports, proper methods of financing the campaign approved.

### G. A. Woodward and C. J. Coffee Enter Law Partnership

Garland A. Woodward and Thomas J. Coffee, prominent Big Spring attorneys, will be associated in the practice of law, it was announced Saturday.

The new firm will be known as Woodward and Coffee. Offices will be maintained in the Lester Fisher building.

The present firm of Brooks and Woodward will be dissolved effective June 15. J. T. Brooks, of the firm, has recently been appointed judge of the special court of the 22nd judicial district.

Woodward is well known in Texas as law circles. He came here from Coleman four years ago. He is the son of J. O. Woodward, chairman of the state board of pardons, and a brother of Senator Walter Woodward of Coleman.

Coffee, at the present, is city attorney. He came here from Colorado two years ago and has been engaged in the practice of his profession. He is a native of this section.

At the time of his removal here he was mayor of Colorado.

The firm will engage in the practice of both civil and criminal law.

### Yarbrough Transferred To Ft. Worth by T&P

J. A. Yarbrough, who is president of the Association of Mechanical Department Employees of the Texas & Pacific Railway company, left Saturday evening for Fort Worth, having been ordered to report for duty there Monday by his employers.

Mr. Yarbrough said his family would remain here at least temporarily. As chairman of the employees' organization and as a member of the board of directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce he has been active in civic affairs.

### The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy Sunday.  
EAST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, somewhat unsettled Sunday.



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### Tom Jordan

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building now that we need without creating any extra tax burden, and hundreds of our people need work material is cheaper than it has been for many years, the bond market is better condition than it has been, so why wait?  
T. E. JORDAN.

Read Flew's ad on page 5.—adv.

### Room Mate

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given to every appointed office holder.  
The age of the oath is reflected in a paragraph taken from it—and I do solemnly suggest that since the adoption of the constitution of this state, I, being a citizen of this state, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons within this state nor out of it; nor have I sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with deadly weapons; nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending.

### From Birth

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record, to remain there for years; forever.  
Take the case of a youth. Perhaps he purchases an automobile. After he has arranged for the down payment he must next attend to the record. Books kept in the office of Loy Acuff, tax collector, show that there have been 4,520 automobiles registered in this county for this year. That is not even mentioning 513 trucks.

In Court  
And sometimes with a car comes trouble. The person fails to stop at a red signal and the fact immediately is taken in hand by a policeman. The name is placed on the record of the corporation court with the nature of the offense and the disposition of the case written in. The books of Judge Tracy T. Smith reveal that 164 have faced him since January 1 of this year on various charges.  
Or perhaps the offense is more serious, as the criminal docket of Justice of the Peace Cecil C. Colville will show. Since January 1, there have been 284 criminal cases filed in the justice court. This does not include those filed in county court, or those handled by the district court.

468 To Jail  
In case the breaking of the law is extremely serious there is the jail. And it takes but one glance at the jail record book kept in the office of Sheriff J. S. Slaughter to inform the average person that the jail really is a popular place. Since January 1, 468 have been placed in the strong structure. Some of these have been for short terms, some for one night, some for a few hours. But a jail remains a jail, night or hours.

The aforementioned youth marries. He must first put it in the record, with his age, his name and the name of the girl he is to marry. Only fifty-five have obtained marriage licenses in this county since January 1, however.  
If a divorce is in order the records must be respected before the court can act. Thirty-three marched to the bench of justice this year and came away with their marital vows shot asunder.  
If one buys a dog, or finds a dog,

or is given a dog, the name of the animal, the name of the owner must go into the records before the canine is legally a pet. This year 220 dog owners have placed their names in the record.  
And just to round out a life of recording, when one dies the thing that comes after interment is the record. A death certificate must be filed, or else perhaps the insurance company wouldn't believe it. Only 67 have "legally" died in this county since January 1.  
Simple thing, this "keeping the record straight."

### Cards Placed in Hotel

Rooms Welcoming Guests  
Beautifully printed cards have been placed in hotel rooms of the city by the Chamber of Commerce giving this message to guests: "To you who enter this room as guest, The Big Spring Chamber of Commerce extends a hearty welcome."  
We may never see you or have the pleasure of knowing you, but we want you to feel that Big Spring is a Friendly City.

This is your home, be it only a day or night. The people of Big Spring through the management of this hotel and the Chamber of Commerce, wish you a most pleasant sojourn.

Can we make your visit in Big Spring more pleasant?  
May we assist you in locating a fact a person, place or thing?  
We will be glad to furnish literature about our city for yourself or friends.  
We invite you to call at our office or telephone No. 4 for further courtesies or considerations.

### Spanish-American Veterans To Meet

Invitation to members of George Green camp, Spanish-American war veterans, to attend the state convention of veterans, which will open June 28 in San Antonio, has been received by T. M. Chilton, commander of the camp.  
Members of 71 regiments have accepted invitations, it was announced. The Texas regiments to be represented include First Texas Volunteer Cavalry, First Texas Volunteer Infantry, Second Texas Volunteer Infantry, Third Texas Volunteer Infantry, Fourth Texas Volunteer Infantry, and the First U. S. Volunteer Infantry, better known as Roosevelt's Rough Riders, with the First U. S. Volunteer Infantry.

### Communications From Readers

The Herald will print communications that are acceptable to it. They must be free of libel and personal abuse. Short ones will be given preference. Authors' names and addresses must be signed for publication. Only original communication addressed to The Herald will be printed; open letters or letters otherwise addressed to various persons in public life are not acceptable.

everybody else alone. I presume, Mr. Jones, that you are a new comer here, as the Herald has carried the A. O. M. D. E. notice in its labor calendar for 18 months and you are just now proclaiming our standing. I would like to ask you one question: what labor union do you have membership with?  
SAM HORTON.  
President A. of M. D. E.,  
West Fifth Street, Big Spring, Texas.

### Building Permits For Week \$1,730

Big Spring, Texas, June 4, 1931. To the Editor:  
In regard to Mr. John Jones' letter published in the Herald June 2, I would like to say that the Association of Mechanical Department Employees of the Texas & Pacific Railway company and the Missouri Pacific is an independent association composed of boiler makers, machinists, sheet metal workers, blacksmiths, car men, painters and electricians.  
We have no connection with any other labor unions and do not wish any. So you need not worry about this association, as we have a membership of 2,000 of the best mechanics in the United States and have one of the best working agreements with the railroad company that has ever been signed—two thousand well-satisfied mechanics and peace and harmony prevails.  
We wish to make the matter clear to you, Mr. Jones, that we do not seek any affiliation with local or foreign labor unions but would rather remain independent, transact our own business and let

Read Flew's ad on page 5.—adv.

### Cosden Refinery Employees At Picnic

Approximately 90 employees of Cosden refinery and their families enjoyed a picnic at city park Saturday afternoon.  
The picnic was given by the refinery.  
Barbecued beef, with a luncheon, soda pop and ice cream, was served.

### Courtesy Tags Given Visiting Motorists

With brief messages of welcome from the mayor, city manager and chamber of commerce, tags have been put into use here by policemen, who present them to visiting motorists.  
"Visitors welcome to Big Spring."

make yourself at home. We're glad you came, stay as long as you can, park anywhere as long as you wish—at course you don't want to park in front of a fire hydrant," reads the message on one side of the tag. Read Flew's ad on page 5.—adv.

Formerly of Pool-Reid Co., is now operating—the  
**BANKHEAD STATION**  
—He wants his friends to visit his station when they want GOOD Gasoline and Lubricants... Located at—  
1001 E. Third St. (Opposite Meyer Court)  
General Furd L. Pierce in charge of Battery Service  
Auto Repairing GREASING WASHING  
"Your Business Appreciated"

All of Big Spring's Thrifty—  
Rushed to Our Store Saturday  
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# OLDSMOBILE THIS YEAR HOLDS A HIGHER PLACE IN PUBLIC FAVOR THAN EVER BEFORE



Since the enthusiastic reception given the 1931 Oldsmobile on the occasion of its introduction to the public in January of this year, Oldsmobile's popularity has continued to increase, month after month. As a result, Oldsmobile is now enjoying a greater percentage of the business in its price class than any time in its history. And new thousands of owners are telling their friends of the pleasure and satisfaction of Oldsmobile ownership. Many of the reasons for this growing popularity are understandable upon examination of the 1931 Oldsmobile Six... for the desirable features of the car are self-evident. But there are more fundamental reasons for the definite preference being shown for Oldsmobile. Four years ago Olds Motor Works adopted a policy toward owners which has been followed to the letter, year after year, in the development of Oldsmobile cars. This policy took the form of four great responsibilities... to design progressively... to build faithfully... to sell honestly... and to service sincerely. Upon these four responsibilities Olds Motor Works has founded its success. And these constitute the policy which the public has so wholeheartedly endorsed this year. Olds Motor Works wishes to express its appreciation to the men and women throughout the country who have made the 1931 Oldsmobile the car of their choice... and who, by sincerely recommending its good qualities to their friends, are adding still further to Oldsmobile's steady advancement in public esteem.

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I want to put the G. F. Wacker's Store in Big Spring, at the top of the list in sales and efficiency.

Drop in and give our store the once-over. Sales are on the increase. We are here to serve the people.

BILL EDWARDS,  
New Manager.

## G.F. Wacker's Store

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29 Ford Standard Coupe. In good condition, good looking. A bargain at \$225

30 Chevrolet Coupe, looks and runs like a new car. Disc wheels. \$325

28 Ford Roadster, new six-ply tires and ready for that trip. \$140

29 Model "A" Truck, stake body and closed cab. Newly painted. \$275

30 Ford Pickup with closed cab. Has been run only 7000 miles. \$325

29 Oldsmobile two door Sedan. Looks and runs like a new one. \$275

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# The Good Bad Girl' Opens Three-Day Ritz Showing

## Moll Finds Breaking Away From Old Crowd Difficult

For really vital drama go see "The Good Bad Girl," all about a gangster's moll who tried to break away from the racket. Produced by Columbia Pictures, it will open at the Ritz theater today, with Mae Clarke, a striking, emotional actress in the leading role. Ultra sophisticated and teeming with unexpected dramatic twists, this picture contains everything that makes for popular entertainment. Smart dialogue, punctuated by some extremely humorous lines furnishes just enough diversion to bring into relief the stirring action of the plot. It is illustrated against the colorful background of New York night life.

No attempt is made to glorify the hard-boiled gangster, Dan Tyler. A typical gangster with all the faults and virtues of his kind, he is depicted with conscientious realism. Tyler kills a man in cold blood, relying on his sweetheart Marcia Cameron, to prove an alibi for him. But Marcia has other plans. Bob Henderson,

son of a banker, has proposed marriage to her, and she deserts her gangster lover in his hour of need, to seize a little happiness on her own accord. Although she is told that the law of the underworld, "you cannot quit the racket," applies to the women as well as to the men, she disregards his warnings about the consequences of her action, and leaves the old life... but it doesn't leave her. When Tyler is held for murder, her name is involved and the consequences that follow are packed with power. Marcia Cameron was not happy being bad, but the racket wouldn't let her be good. She beats them in the end... but only after a series of harrowing experiences.

Mae Clarke wins strong sympathy throughout her portrayal of Marcia. She makes her such a real person—vibrant, Marie Prevost, as Tricie Barnes full of good-nature and wise-cracks, contributes some delicious comedy scenes. Bob Ellis makes Dan Tyler picturesque in spite of his brutality while James Hall gives a likable portrayal of Bob Henderson. Two gem characterizations are contributed by those two stage veterans, Nance O'Neill and Edmund Breese. Others deserving mention are Paul Porcasi, Wheeler Oakman and James Dolan. Director Roy William Neill has contributed some excellent touches.

## Private Sleuth Uses Experience In Writing Story

Years of experience as a private detective gave Dashiell Hammett the popular story writer and author of the new Gary Cooper-Sylvia Sydney underworld drama, "City Streets," which the Ritz theatre will feature soon, a background of plot and counterplot in the realm of gangdom which he has incorporated and enlarged upon in all his exciting and entertaining writings.

Hammett was, for years, a mainstay of the famous Pinkerton force, an organization of private investigation whose ramifications extend around the globe and whose researches reach from the hideaways of criminals into the glamorous lives of international political plots. Hammett readily admits that most of his stories are written from the great fund of experience he had while tracking criminals and making investigations of all kinds for many clients.

"City Streets," Hammett's first story to be made into a moving picture, is a grippingly realistic romance in which an innocent boy and girl love affair develops through a series of dynamic episodes into a dangerous crime-infested intrigue. Duped by the easy living enjoyed by her friends, the girl tries to induce the man, Gary Cooper, to join the "racket." He refuses, until the girl is caught by police and sent to prison for a crime she did not commit. The man takes the only way he knows to free "his" girl. He joins the racketeers, and, from there on the plot whirls and twists in an ever-punctuating series of action climaxes.

Hammett's magazine stories include, "The Maltese Falcon," "The Thin Man," "Red Harvest" and "The Glass Key."

The cast of "City Streets" includes, in addition to Cooper and Sylvia Sydney, Paul Lukas, William Boyd and Wynne Gibson, Rouben Mamoulian directed the picture.

## Mae Clarke Played Many Roles In Short Career

In less than two years before the camera, Mae Clarke has displayed her versatility by portraying an amazing variety of characterizations. Miss Clarke started as an ingenue in backstage romances, gradually widening her range of parts to include everything from girlish-clad innocents to ladies of easy virtue. In her latest vehicle, "The Good Bad Girl," a Columbia picture showing today at the Ritz Theatre, Miss Clarke essays a highly emotional role—that of a gangster's sweetheart, who wants to quit the racket. James Hall, Marie Prevost and Robert Ellis also play parts in the film.

## James Hall, Dallas Boy, Began Stage Career Early

James Hall, who plays the leading male role opposite Mae Clarke in "The Good Bad Girl," the Columbia drama showing today, Monday and Tuesday at the Ritz Theatre, was born in Dallas, Texas. Educated in public schools there, Stage held lure for him since childhood. When the "Everywoman" company came to Dallas he got a job selling books in the lobby and playing a very small bit on the stage. He stayed with the company when it went to New York—and thus got his opportunity to appear in many New York productions. Among these were "Kismet," the Ziegfeld Follies, three of Shubert's "Passing Shows," "Poppy," "Sweetheart Time," "The Matinee Girl" and "Merry Merry."

Scouts for Paramount saw him in the last-mentioned show and it was the beginning of his splendid movie career. Immediately he was signed to appear opposite Bebe Daniels in seven feature productions. Outstanding screen vehicles since then include "Hell's Angels," "Four Sons," "Hotel Imperial" and "So This Is Heaven."

Hall lives alone in Beverly Hills and admits he is a confirmed bachelor. He is fond of dogs and owns three chows.

## Certain Sort Of Girl At Ritz



Mae Clarke, Marie Prevost, and Robert Ellis in "A GOOD BAD GIRL."

## 'City Streets' On Ritz Bill; Cooper Stars

### Veteran Pinkerton Detective Author of Real-Life Story

You've wanted real, actionful melodrama in the talking films? Here it is!

"City Streets," with a he-man, actionful star, Gary Cooper; a talented new actress, lovely to look at, Sylvia Sydney; a cast of really big motion picture "names"; a thrilling story that's right in line with the day's news.

The bear racketeering gangsters of the big-city underworlds actually gave this story to the screen. Dashiell Hammett its author, for years an underworld operative for the internationally famous Pinkerton detective force, picked its characters, its setting, its drama right off the streets where the big newspaper headlines are made. To the shocked public, which has been reading with startled amazement of the invasion of civilization's capitals by the daring desperadoes of the '20s, '30s and '40s, "City Streets" is a revelation.

This story is NOT fiction! Although dramatized and romanti-

cized with all the skill which makes Hammett's stories exciting reading in the large-circulation magazines, its action is real, true to the facts as they are. It drama IS HAPPENING around you now—and don't forget that! The picture will be featured at the Ritz Friday and Saturday.

Cooper has left the Westerns! In "City Streets," for the first time in many moons, the lanky, outdoor stargis out of uniform, out of chaps and spurs. His admirers will get a new thrill seeing him in "City Streets," making love to a sweet girl who rose to Hollywood stardom overnight. Sylvia Sydney has a wealth of stage experience behind her—"City Streets" is her first real try for screen fame. Does she succeed? Paramount thinks her good enough to star!

Paul Lukas, the suave hero who made a name for himself by sheer weight of personality in three great Chatterton hits, "Anybody's Woman," "The Right to Love," "Unfaithful," heads the supporting cast. William Boyd, the same who battled Cooper to a finish in "The Spoilers," has a lively gangster role. Wynne Gibson is beautiful enough to be remembered, even if her clever acting in "The Gang Buster," "June Moon" and William Powell's "Man of the World" hadn't registered a hit three times. Stanley Fields, big, glister, underworld figure of "Little Caesar"; Guy Kibbee, the stage character comedian you didn't see enough of in "Man of the World," and Betty Sinclair

## Meighan Back Upon Screen; Here 2 Days

### 'Young Sinners' Ends His 'Retirement' From Active Service

More than likely, 99 persons out of every 100 dream to retire late in life, but the only real happiness in this world is enjoyed by those who work.

Such is the philosophy of Thomas Meighan, who two years ago, following his triumphant performance in his initial talkie, "The Racket," retired from motion pictures, but recently returned to the films to play a featured role as the trailer in "Young Sinners," Fox romantic drama opening Wednesday at the Ritz theatre.

"I used to envy the man who didn't have to work, now I pity him," was Meighan's terse comment when asked how it felt to be back in harness. "There's nothing in this game of making it, it's just an empty dream. It sounds all right and one can fool himself for a time, but finally he reaches the point where he is contented only when engaged in some active pursuit."

Meighan portrays the role of the husky Irish trainer in "Young Sinners," Fox comedy drama, and spent ten days on location during the making of the snow sequences for the picture.

Here the popular star of the silent picture era helped himself, and ate his lunch from a tin pan and drank his coffee from a tin-cup while surrounded by his fellow actors and scores of workmen. He was just one of the crowd and happy to be back in pictures.

Meighan's first motion picture role was as a featured player in "The Fighting Hope," but it was his performance in the well-remembered "The Miracle Man" that attracted world wide attention to him.

Many successes followed this picture, included among others being "Irish Luck," "Manlaughter," "The Man Who Found Himself," "Our Leading Citizen" and "The Bachelor Daddy."

He signed a Fox Film contract recently, his first assignment being his present featured part in "Young Sinners," which is adapted from Elmer Harris' successful stage play.

The romantic roles are portrayed by Hardie Albright, who enacted the part of the boy while the play

## This Week's Cinema Schedule

**RITZ**  
TODAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY—  
"THE GOOD BAD GIRL," starring Mae Clarke, James Hall and Marie Prevost.  
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY—  
"YOUNG SINNERS," with Thomas Meighan, Hardie Albright and Dorothy Jordan.  
FRIDAY, SATURDAY—  
"CITY STREETS," featuring Gary Cooper with Sylvia Sydney.

**QUEEN**  
MONDAY, TUESDAY—  
"NEVER THE TWAIN SHALL MEET," with Leslie Howard and Conchita Montenegro.  
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY—  
"THE SPY," with Kay Johnson, Neil Hamilton and John Halliday.  
FRIDAY, SATURDAY—  
A Western feature entitled "WESTWARD BOUND."

## Peter B. Kyne Novel Filmed; To Show Here

### 'Never the Twain Shall Meet' To Open Monday

In "Never the Twain Shall Meet," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer romance of the South Sea Islands which will open at the Queen Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, Conchita Montenegro has set an all-time record for talking pictures.

Mrs. Montenegro arrived in America just eight months ago and could not speak a word of English. She came from her native, Spain and within six months was playing the leading lady in an all-English talking picture. Never before in the history of pictures has any player been featured after such a short period in which to learn the language.

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Thomas Meighan is the only motion picture actor ever elected Shepherd of the famous "Lamb's Club" in New York and he was not only re-elected but refused a third term.

James Kirkwood has, on many occasions, occupied the pulpit of churches to lecture on educational subjects.

## 'The Spy' Has Background Of Russian Life

### Film Has Fury of Teheka, Soviet Secret Service; At Queen

The new tomb of Lenin, known to his followers as the Saint of the Revolution, is the national shrine of Soviet Russia. Built beside the walls of the Kremlin to replace the original wooden tomb in the Red Square, in Moscow, it is considered the best example of modern art in the Soviet Republic. Thus have the Communists honored the man who, as their leader, committed unnumbered outrages during the Red Revolution.

Against this background of menace and persecution, Fox Movie-tone filmed "The Spy," a powerful romantic drama conflicting a warm-blooded Russian romance with the tempestuous fury of the Teheka, the Soviet secret service.

Berthold Viertel, an Austrian by birth and a man who spent four years on the Austrian and Russian fronts during the war, and who is intimately familiar with conditions in the New Russia, directed the picture with the keen insight of a man filled with compassion for the struggles of humanity.

Kay Johnson and Neil Hamilton are seen in the romantic leads of the picture, which is said to bring to the screen for the first time the real story of the Soviets.

"The Spy" is an original screen story by Ernest Pascal. John Halliday enacted the title role. It will be the featured attraction at the Queen theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

## REAL BACHELOR

James Hall, the handsome young leading man who wins Mae Clarke's affections in "The Good Bad Girl," the Columbia picture, showing today at the Ritz Theatre, admits that he is a confirmed bachelor. A city reputed to have more beautiful women to the square foot than any other place of its size in the world, Hall is perfectly content with single blessedness. He lives quite alone in a palatial residence at Beverly Hills. A Japanese butler keeps the house in order, and takes care of Hall's three Chow dogs.



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# RITZ TODAY

MONDAY and TUESDAY

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"THE GOOD BAD GIRL" had to decide.

She Tried To Put The Love Of Her Man On The Spot!

THRILLING HEART THROB DRAMA OF A GIRL WHO WAS WARNED TO STICK TO HER RACKET AND TO HER MAN—  
BUT SHE DIDN'T

## "The GOOD BAD GIRL"

A Heart Throb For Every Tiff and Punch

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James Hall  
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Robert Ellis

Directed by Roy Wm. Neill  
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HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by Dr. Inge Goldstein
The Public outdoor bathing season brings with it a large crop of ear affections.

THE EARS IN BATHING

Through July, August and September physicians and ear specialists are called on to treat many disease conditions of the nose, throat, ears and sinuses, directly traceable to bathing.

Sea bathing in moderation is both pleasant and stimulating. But man is a land and not a water animal, and he is not equipped, especially in the head, for long immersion under the water.

The first precaution to observe is not to bathe in polluted waters, waters into which sewage is emptied or into which refuse is dumped.

Swimming pools are not safe if their waters are not checked daily or more often by bacteriologic tests.

Those bathing in pools should be required to wash before entering the pool and to wear sterilized bathing suits. Of course no one should be permitted to expectorate into the pool.

Make sure that your ear drums are whole before indulging in diving or swimming with the head below the water surface. A perforated or missing ear drum will allow the water to enter the middle ear.

As a precaution it is recommended that the outer ear canals be plugged with tufts of raw cotton from which the natural oil has not been removed.

Remember, as far as you are concerned, sea water is meant for swimming and not to be bargled or swallowed.

Do not blow hard to clear your nostrils. Do not swallow while your nose and throat are full of water.

Don't treat your outer ear roughly, in the effort to get the water out. Shake it out or use the tip of a handkerchief.

Monday—Human Disease Testers
Hollywood Sights
By ROBBIN COONS
HOLLYWOOD — The hundred-ring circus that is Hollywood could give old P. T. Barnum a few lessons in hallyhoo.

And after you've seen here a while you learn that the loudst noise doesn't necessarily indicate the biggest attraction.

It's a regular feature of the movie parade to have "gala" evenings for arriving stars.

John McCormack probably deserves them. The publicity gang goes down to the station and the photographers get busy.

And then in a few days there's a great feast at which the new star appears and is pleasant to everybody.

Billboard boom
The Russian director, Eisenstein, had the same sort of reception.

Of late the hurrah has taken the form of billboard splurging. Marlene Dietrich and Elissa Landi, both since proved worth of any praise, received this treatment.

But the Carmen Barnes fiction—her supposed metamorphosis from writer to star overnight—has quieted down. She is playing supporting roles like any other newcomer.

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Mad Pursuit

By JESSIE DOUGLAS FOX

SYNOPSIS: Nora Lake finds sympathy and understanding at the home of her Aunt Emily after the suicide of her husband, Nicholas Thayer. The girl, conscious of the reproaches of Nicholas' brother, Jonathan, and his stepmother, Damon, accepts their invitation to live with them. But the scolding of her cousin Francis' child delays Nora's departure for the Thayer place, and when Damon and her father leave on a vacation, Nora fears she is doomed to remain in her aunt's middle-class household.

Nora saw Jon's expression, amused, skeptical, but drawn into the circle of her father's willful charm. Alice lifted adoring eyes to this strange fascinating man. Julian demolished the chicken, finished the last biscuit on the plate, drank the last drop of coffee, continuing as he did so to tell stories that had the probability of Baron Munchausen's.

"But now," said Julian with sudden seriousness, "I have a plan that is to bring us fame and fortune." His eyes rested, speculatively on Jon's face. "It only needs the backing of some rich man."

Nora quailed at these words. She saw her father as Jon must see him. The suit he wore looked as though it had been slept in, the dark flowing tie gave him a shabby touch of business. She could not bear it if Jon were laughing at him. But Jon's face was inscrutable.

"Let me show you some things I brought back with me," Julian said, smiling Jon out from the company. She heard them go upstairs. She stood, restlessly moving about, Fergus smiled at her. "I think your father's great, Nora," he said. It was like a sudden handclasp, and she understood for the first time why Fran liked this shabby young doctor.

"Julian, Julian," she said trying to quiet him. "They'll hear you!" But his voice filled all the little spaces of the house with its mellow timbre.

For Jon was shrewdly aware of those who wished to use him for his money. He knew that Julian Lake had singled him out for this purpose; though no word had been spoken.

As Jon took her hand she saw his compassion for her. It stung her to the quick. Jon said in a lowered voice, "When Damon comes home—" but they were interrupted by her father's flamboyant farewell.

Nora felt in that moment the finality of Jon's good-by. This was not his world. He might be amused at it, but he could never enter it. Nora felt all this with pain and pride. She wanted to hold him with a last word; to cling to him. But she stood properly silent as he ran down the steps.

When Nora returned to the dining room she heard her father chuckling to himself. "Oh Julian, how could you? How could you?" she cried.

Her father stared at her in astonishment. "What 'id I do?" "You let him know that you wanted money. That he could help you?"

"Why not, my darling? We belong to the first people who don't need houses and stocks and bonds to make us proud!" "Proud?" she echoed.

Nora sat down at the table before the carcasses of the chicken. With the empty dishes all about it. The candles were making a sucking noise as they guttered down in pools of wax. She looked at him, her face shadowed by weariness.

She could never make him understand. She was bitterly humiliated. "Why do you think I came home, Nora?" She looked at him sorrowfully.

"He cried, 'To make our fortune.' 'Tom' she asked listlessly. 'Leave all that to me. By this time you're going to be proud of me. I have a plan...' He walked about delighted with himself. But he would tell her no more.

"You don't believe me, do you?" He rushed out and brought in something that he unwrapped carefully. It was one of his paintings. "There!" he cried.

Nora looked at the purple house that seemed to tumble down a hill into the murky red water at the bottom. It was ridiculous and pathetic. She could say nothing.

He stood for a while brooding over it. Then he wrapped it carefully again. "What you need is a change. Tomorrow we'll take all the money we can lay our hands on and be on our way. Oh, my darling? I want the smell of the sea again, and a little smack on the sands."

His words were against her desolation. All he could offer her of fresh adventure did not stir her. "Nora, I need money to get started."

"We have no money." "But he has!" "Who?" "Jonathan Thayer."

"Julian, you couldn't take money from him. You must see! Oh, can I make you see? It would kill me if you ask him for money?" "Why?"

"Because I never want to see him again. He pities us. Oh, how I hate him," she said half to herself. "So that's it!"

She knew her cheeks began to burn scarlet. Her father had seen at once what she had not known until now. She loved Jon. She sat very still as though the slightest gesture might betray her.

She loved Jon. That was perhaps why she had come home; why she had married Nicholas; so that she might be near Jon again. And she had not seen through her dark and tangled motive until this moment. She wanted him so dreadfully. And her father had sent him away by letting him know he needed money.

She knew with what uncanny power Julian would lay bare this sudden terrifying knowledge. She sat still, scarcely daring to breathe, to lift her eyes, waiting for the moment when he would pounce upon her secret.

he would roll up in his steamer rug and sleep on the floor. But Nora said that he should have her room and she would sleep on the couch in the back parlor. She hurried up to her own room, thankful to be alone.

But when she reached the attic you said? (Copyright, 1931, Jessie Douglas Fox)

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# Women's, Society and Club News

## Miss Anne Agnell Becomes Bride of Walter Hornaday At Lovely Ring Ceremony

Wedding Held At First Presbyterian Church of Dallas, Friday Afternoon; Many Relatives Present

Miss Anne Agnell was married to Charles Walter Hornaday, of Dallas, Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church of that city. Dr. William M. Anderson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was the officiating minister at the beautiful ring ceremony.

Miss La Rue Johnson, beautifully gowned in white, was the bridesmaid and played for the processional, Lohengrin's Wedding March and Mendelssohn's Wedding March for the recessional. Mrs. J. R. Bradford Jr., also in white, was the soloist.

The bride wearing a white crepe ramage gown and a large picture hat and carrying a bridal bouquet of white Killarney roses and lilies of the valley came in on the arm of her brother, P. W. Agnell, of Austin, who gave her away. Her maid of honor, Miss Madelyn Mays, of Dallas, was also gowned in white and wore a picture hat. She carried a bouquet of pink Columbia roses.

The altar, with its profusion of ferns and palms, relieved by pink and white gladioli, made a lovely setting for the white costumes of the wedding party. All the men wore white suits.

The groom's best man was Jack I. Patton, of Dallas.

**Out-of-Town Guests**  
Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mrs. Della K. Agnell, mother of the bride; Mr. W. Alvin Agnell of Big Spring and P. W. Agnell, of Austin, brothers of the bride; John Newton Russell, of Los Angeles, Calif., cousin of the bride; Russell Sparenberg, of Austin, cousin of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Ashley and Miss Lada Ashley, of Big Spring; Mrs. W. D. Hornaday and Miss Grace Hornaday, of Austin, mother and sister of the groom.

Mrs. Hornaday was born and reared in Big Spring. After finishing high school she went to college at Baylor University. She has been employed by an insurance agency in Dallas for several years.

**On Dallas News Staff**  
Mr. Hornaday is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hornaday of Austin. He obtained his college training at the University of Wisconsin. He is the political writer for the Dallas News and has been with the News and Journal for the past 13 years. Prior to that time, he was city editor of the Austin American.

Mr. and Mrs. Hornaday, following a short honeymoon trip, will make their home in Dallas at 2815 Duval Drive.

Mrs. Hornaday has been the honor guest at many social affairs during the last week, including a musicale Friday evening, a dinner-dance at the Baker Hotel and many other parties during the past week.

## Susannah Wesley Class Has Picnic At City Park

The Susannah Wesley Class of the First Methodist held a picnic party at the City Park Friday afternoon.

The hostesses were Mesdames A. C. Yeager, Joe M. Faucett, D. F. Rigony, J. B. Hodges, and W. D. McDonald.

Various games, stunts and contents were played. A picnic lunch was served to Mesdames W. J. Riggs, Chas. Morris, E. J. Toler, F. R. Crance, C. E. Shive, V. Fiewellen, D. N. Hebbson, Fred Miller, W. A. Miller, A. C. Yeager, R. L. Eubanks, W. G. Bailey, C. M. Franco, Tucker, C. M. Watson, W. Vastine, W. G. Fleeman, J. C. Watts, Emma Davis, Stewart, H. F. Williamson, Ben Lovelace, Felton Smith, L. E. Eddy, F. D. Wilson, Underwood, W. O. Thompson, J. B. Hodges, W. D. McDonald, S. L. Baker, Halsey, Gary Young, J. M. Faucett, D. F. Rigony, W. R. Ivey, Stem, J. Chaney and Miss Verbena Barnes.

## Mrs. Wilke Gives Party For Informal Bridge Members

Mrs. Geo. Wilke entertained the informal Club with a lovely party at her home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Cunningham made high score. At the close of the games, the guests were served seated at the dining table which carried out an attractive color scheme with its blue damask cloth and centerpiece of pink roses. Mrs. Alice Taylor, mother of the hostess, assisted with the serving.

The following were present: Mesdames Albert Fisher, C. W. Cunningham, J. B. Young, V. Van Gie, Homer McNew, Steve Ford, W. W. Inkman and J. D. Biles. Mrs. Inkman will be the next hostess.

## Mrs. Wilson Gives Picnic for Her Niece

Mrs. P. A. Wilson entertained her niece, Polly Thomas, with a surprise picnic at the City Park Friday evening.

Delicious sandwiches and cold drinks were served and games were played. The following were guests: Lucine Sipes, Polly Thomas, Indora Griffith, Larry Whitehead, Ola Mae Hartman, M. L. Moore, Lily Fisherman, Leo Hurley, Tina Lee Sikes, John Kelly, Adrian De Graffam, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Polacek, Mrs. P. A. Wilson.

Mrs. Sam Thurman, of Coleman, mother of Ira Thurman, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thurman. Mrs. John Thurman, of Eastland, Ira's sister-in-law, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Piner.

Temp. Currie, Jr., returned Friday from a week's visit at the Stephen Currie ranch.

## Mrs. C. Walter Hornaday



—Bradshaw Photo.

## Social Calendar And Club Notes

**Monday**  
Mrs. J. Bob Austin will entertain with a bridge luncheon at her home on Runnels Street.

**Tuesday**  
The O.C.D. Club will meet this evening with Miss Nell Davis.

The Cactus Bridge Club will be entertained with a bridge luncheon at the Settles Hotel by Mrs. J. A. Coffey.

The 1922 Bridge Club hostess will be Mrs. Eck Lovelace.

The Ski-Hi Club will meet with Mrs. H. L. Bohannon at 1305 Runnels Street.

The '21 Club will meet with Mrs. J. W. Hargrave.

The 1930 Club will have a chicken barbecue at the City Park this evening.

The Junior Health Club will be organized at the West Side Baptist Church at 1:30.

The B. of C. Auxiliary will meet at W.O.W. Hall for a business meeting.

**Wednesday**  
The Bluebonnet Club will be the guests of Mrs. Lee Weathers at the Bluebonnet Hotel in Sweetwater for a bridge luncheon.

The Pioneer Club will meet with Mrs. C. W. Cunningham.

The Work Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. J. B. Young.

The Triangle Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Omar Pitman at her home.

The Three-Pearl Club will meet with Mrs. I. H. Hamblet.

The Amicable Club will meet with Mrs. W. C. Dunn.

The Killcare Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Chances Kobeg.

The Rebekahs will meet tonight in the Odd Fellows' Hall.

The W.B.A. will meet today.

The Rainbow Girls will meet tonight at the Masonic Hall.

**Thursday**  
The Ace High Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. Warner Neece.

The Thursday Luncheon Club will meet with Mrs. Fred Primm.

The O.U.R. Club will meet with Mrs. Clarence Mann.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at 2:30 at the Settles Hotel-Lodge Rooms.

**Friday**  
The Thimble Club will meet with Mrs. W. E. Pursue.

The Settles Luncheon Club will meet with Mrs. Geo. Wilke as hostess.

The Pythian Sisters will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Odd Fellows' Hall.

**Saturday**  
The Howard County Home Demonstration Council will meet at the Courthouse at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. J. M. Woodley, of El Paso, and her two daughters, Dorothy and May Jeanette, are visiting Mrs. Mae Battle, who is Mrs. Woodley's sister.

## Junior Health Clubs Will Be Organized Soon

A Junior Health Club will be organized Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 at the West Side Baptist Church in Jones Valley. Membership is open to all girls who want to join. Mrs. M. R. Showalter, public health nurse will have charge of the meeting.

If the interest justifies, two clubs will be organized by Mrs. Showalter, the other club to meet at the Court House. The clubs will deal with the fundamentals of health and sanitation, as outlined by the Texas Department of Health. Twelve lectures compose the course: personal hygiene; posture, feet, shoes; cleanliness of person and clothes; right kind of food; sanitation of school; sanitation of home; sanitation of food and water; care of the baby; child management; what to do in an emergency; fractures; examination.

Lessons will begin Wednesday, June 10 at 1:30 p. m. Those interested in forming a class to meet at the courthouse may reach Mrs. Showalter by telephone at 1123 or call at her office at the courthouse, after 3 o'clock on this coming Wednesday. Last year thirty-three girls completed this course.

There is no charge for the course.

## Mrs. Kobeg Entertains For Mrs. Battle's Sister

Mrs. Charles Kobeg entertained with two tables of bridge Thursday afternoon for Mrs. J. H. Woodley, of El Paso.

Mrs. Woodley made high score and was presented with a pair of gloves. Mrs. Wilkinson made second high and received a sports handkerchief.

A lovely ice course was served to the following: Mesdames J. H. Woodley, Bart Wilkinson, Mae Battle, W. K. Gilmer, O. H. McAlister, John McTier, J. S. Nockally, Tom McTier.



## 'Best Short Stories From the Southwest'

Edited by Hilton Greer (The Southwest Press)  
The first series came out two years ago and was a mighty good collection. It was so good that people have been borrowing it from us for club work and representative stories of southwestern authors ever since we reviewed it.

This book is a different collection and was probably much harder on Mr. Greer. He says that he has taken what he could get where he could find it, maintaining always as high a standard as possible.

The stories vary considerably in quality. Stanley Vestal, who is one of our favorites and whose work we always like for its smoothness and richness, starts off the book with an Indian story, "The Listeners-Under-The-Ground."

It would be better for some of the others if his story had come last instead of first. He raises a standard that few of them can reach.

Second to this, we liked Ted Dealey's "Half a Dog." It is just a good story. By that we mean it is a story that keeps the emotions at the proper pitch and a sort of grin on the lips and a suspense in the heart that never suffers a let-

## Miss A. Currie Entertains For Visitors

Six Tables of Guests Enjoy Bridge at Lovely Party

Miss Agnes Currie entertained at contract bridge Friday afternoon honoring Miss Carmen Smith, of Waco, and Miss Kathryn Barber, of Jacksonville, with a lovely party. The honor guests were presented with decks of cards. Mrs. Dunagan made high score and received a green luncheon set. Mrs. Coffey received a green bridge cover as a consolation prize.

A delicious salad plate was served to the following: Mesdames Tracy T. Smith, P. W. Malone, M. McCrea, H. B. Dunagan, Horace Reagan, Robert Parks, J. A. Coffey, H. A. Stegner, M. W. Paulsen, Robert W. Currie and Mesdames Carmen Smith, Kathryn Barber, Jena Jordan, Jeanette, Pickle, Dorothy Jordan, Elsie Jeanette Barnett, Lillian Jordan, Frances Mellon, Louise Jordan, Alice Daves, Zelma Chadd, Clara Pool, Corinne Day, and Dorothy Homan.

## Congenial Club Meets With Mrs. Hayes Stripling

Mrs. Hayes Stripling entertained the members of the Congenial Card Club with a very pretty party Friday afternoon at her home.

Shades of green prevailed in the house decoration, and refreshments. Mrs. Carter made high score. The members present were: Mesdames C. C. Carter, M. A. Cook, W. H. Remel, Hugh Duncan, T. E. Johnson, Gimmie Mason and Raymond Winn. Mrs. Winn will be the next hostess.

## Son of First Baptist Pastor To Sing At Both Sunday Services

Morris Day, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Day of this city, is visiting his parents over the week-end. He has driven with his wife from Brookhaven, Miss., by way of Luling where Mrs. Day remained to visit with her mother. Mr. Day will leave Monday morning for Ballinger, Texas, with his father to conduct a two weeks' revival meeting in the First Baptist church there. Rev. Day will preach and Morris Day will lead the singing.

Mr. Day has served as Educational Director in the First Baptist church at Brookhaven, Miss., the past year. He sang a vocal solo at the worship period of the Daily Vacation Bible School Friday morning and Rev. Day brought an inspirational message.

Dr. J. H. McClain, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ballinger, will occupy the pulpit for Rev. Day next Sunday. The public is cordially invited to hear Dr. McClain.

Mr. Day will sing a solo today at the morning service and a duet with his sister, Miss Corinne Day at the evening service.

Miss Mabel Robinson is spending her vacation in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson Lloyd are spending the day in Sweetwater.

## Visiting in Mexico



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MARY ALICE WILKE  
Mary Alice Wilke is spending the month of June in Mexico City and other nearby points with her friend Charlotte Barton. Before going to Mexico, Mary Alice visited her former schoolmates in Westmoreland School for Girls in San Antonio during commencement.

## Van Guard Class Is Entertained At Home

Miss Hazel Nance entertained the Van Guard Girls' Sunday school class of the East Fourth street Baptist church, with a Kid Party Friday evening at her home.

Several interesting games were played, after which Miss Evelyn Bugg received the prize for being dressed and looking most like a kid.

Delicious refreshments were served to: Mesdames Evelyn Bugg, Josephine Dabney, Eunice Berry, Willie Mae Heath, Catherine Murphy, Jimmie Johnson, M. and Mrs. W. H. Cardwell, Jr., and children, Nina and Carl.

## Four Hostesses Entertain In Lovely Shower

Party at Mrs. Timmons Given for Mrs. Warner Neece

Four hostesses gave a surprise shower for Mrs. Warner Neece Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. C. Timmons. They were Mesdames Timmons, Clarence Wear, W. B. Clark and Miss Mamie Hair.

The honoree was presented with a scrapbook containing advice from the guests. Angel food cake, ice cream and mints in white and pink were served to the following: Mesdames Mabel Eddy, Elizabeth Northington, Zillah Mae Ford, Ruth Taylor, Mary Alderson, Lois Belle Stewart, Mary Gene Duberly and Mesdames Warner Neece, Jack Kilway, Lee Levering, Fred Primm, E. S. Kennedy, Randall Pickle, Lindsey Marchbanks, Stanley Wheeler, Larson Lloyd, Ed Fritchard, Hal Hart, R. L. Carpenter, L. H. Alderson, David Watt, J. J. Hair, Ralph Link, L. A. Talley, J. E. Kuykendall and Max Boyd.

The honor guest received many lovely presents. Those sending gifts who could not attend were Mesdames: L. D. Davenport, Gordon Phillips, Lloyd Wasson, H. L. Talley, E. U. Whitney, Bill Shaw, Alfred Collins, George Handley, Ben Scoggins and Mesdames Katherine Bettle, Clara Scholz, Agnes Currie, and Winona Taylor.

## West Side Baptist W.M.U. Meets Friday

The Women's Missionary Union of the West Side Baptist church met in regular session Friday afternoon at the church at 3 o'clock. Those present were: Mesdames Claybrook, Aitchley, Wright, Pruitt, Campbell, Knox, Hull, McFarland, Murphy, Whitaker, and Miss Morrow.

## Most of the Players in American Legion Play, "Buddies"



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Left to right: Lewis Rix, R. R. Rambeau, Miss Zelma Chadd, M. H. Rice, Mrs. Lee Levering, Ted Leonard, Miss Elsie Jeanette Barnett, Wilburn Barcus, Miss Jeanette Pickle and Bill Turpin.

Tonight is the night for the American Legion benefit play, "Buddies" at the Ritz Theatre at 9 o'clock. It will be directed by Ray Simmons and is put on through special arrangement, with Samuel French, New York City.

The play is to be given for the purpose of raising money to buy drill equipment for the William Frank Martin post.

The story is a wholesome, light-hearted comedy of the "mixed-up" love affair of two American soldiers stationed with their buddies at a farm house in France. There is pathos and laughter and a lot of good singing, as well as good acting.

The entire cast will be: Biff—Coulter Richardson. Buddy—Lewis Rix. Able—Bill Turpin. Johnny—M. H. Rice. Rube—R. R. Rambeau. Fike—Wilburn Barcus. Sonny—Ted Leonard. Alphonse Patibols—John Collin. Madame Benoit—Dorothy Jordan. Babette—Miss Jeanette Pickle. Louise Maitland—Elsie Jeanette Barnett. Julie—Mrs. Lee Levering. Privates—Trilo—Bob Turner, Tom

in which he will bring tears to the eyes of everyone in the audience. Louis Rix, as Buddy, is the typical American doughboy; Bill Turpin, as Able, plays the Jewish comedy role splendidly, and will get, Mr. Simmons believes, his full share of laughs; Mr. Rice, as Johnnie and Mr. Richardson, as Biff, the hard-boiled sergeant, are also good in their parts.

The musical numbers of the show are well selected. The music will be furnished by Bob Turner's orchestra and three of the men will sing in the trio, Messrs. Turner, Alford and Felo.

The songs of the first act will be "Please Learn to Love" by M. H. Levering; "Long, Long Trail from Home" by the soldiers; "My Buddy" by the soldiers; and "Darling, I'm Home" by Mr. Barcus and Mr. Leonard.

In the second act, the song will be "Sweetheart I Love You" by Miss Barnett and Mr. Leonard; in the third act, "Hello Home" by R. R. Rambeau and the soldiers; "Darling, I'm Home" by Mr. Barcus and Mrs. Levering; "My Buddies" by the whole cast.

Tickets are on sale at the Ritz Theatre, and the Settles and Crawford Hotels.

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Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Evening services 8 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.  
League services 7 p. m. Sundays.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
H. E. Day, Pastor  
Katherine Sangster, Educational Director  
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. W. C. Blankenship, superintendent  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Mrs. W. G. Frasier, musician  
H. J. P. P. M.  
John Smith, director  
Evening worship 8 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Theodore Crown, Minister  
Fourth and Main  
Bible Study 9:45 a. m.  
Sermon and worship 11 a. m.  
Sermon and worship 8 p. m.  
Junior Training Class 1:30 p. m.  
Senior Training Class 7:30 p. m.  
Ladies Class Wednesday 2:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.

**WEST SIDE BAPTIST**  
E. L. Whitaker, Pastor  
1200 West Fourth  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Prayer services 11 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 8 p. m.  
Gospel services 8 p. m.  
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Church Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Holy Communion, first Sunday in each month  
The Woman's Auxiliary meetings every Monday afternoon.

**CATHOLIC CHURCHES**  
Rev. Theo. Francis, O. M. I.  
St. Thomas (English speaking)  
Holy Mass April to October inclusive 9:30 a. m.  
Holy Mass (last Sunday of the month) 8:15 a. m.  
Holy Mass (November to March inclusive) 10 a. m.  
Holy Mass (last Sunday of the month) 9:45 a. m.  
Christian doctrine, Saturday 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.  
Catholic doctrine, Sunday 1-2 hour before Mass  
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B. L. Owen, Pastor  
Seventh and Honore  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11 a. m.  
Senior Christian Endeavor 1 p. m.  
Evening worship 8 p. m.  
Woman's Auxiliary, Monday, 8 p. m.  
Mid-week services, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

**FOURTH STREET BAPTIST**  
S. H. Hughes, Pastor  
Fourth and Seize  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Evening worship 8 p. m.  
Monday: W. M. U. meeting at 8 p. m.; first Monday, business meetings; second and third Monday in circles; fourth Sunday, monthly missionary meetings.  
Tuesday: at 8 p. m., following

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
W. G. Buchsacher, Pastor  
Fifth and North Georgia Streets  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Sermon hour 10:30 a. m.

Morning worship 11 a. m. third Sunday, B. Y. P. U. executive meeting.  
Wednesday, 8 p. m. Mid-week services.  
Thursday, 8 p. m. choir practice.  
Friday, 8 p. m. Boy Scout meeting.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**  
D. H. Luster, Pastor  
Fifth and Seary  
Church school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:45 a. m.  
Junior Christian Endeavor 2:30  
Intermediate Christian Endeavor, 8 p. m.  
Senior Christian Endeavor, 8 p. m.  
Evening worship 8 p. m.  
Woman's Council, Monday 8 p. m.  
Church night, Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Choir practice, Thursday 8 p. m.

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**CHURCH OF THE WARRIORS**  
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Rev. Thomas Ahern, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Prayer each Sunday evening, N. Y. P. U. 8 p. m. Sundays.

**TEMPLE ISRAEL**  
Federation Club House, Max Jacobs, director.

**WESLEY MEMORIAL METHODIST**  
East 12th and Green Sts.  
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School, 11 a. m.—Morning service, 7 p. m.—Epworth League, 8 p. m.—Evening service.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
West Fourth Street  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Christ Ambassador services 1:30 p. m.  
Prayer services, 8 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

Young people's prayer meeting, Friday evening.  
Prayer services, Saturday, 8 p. m.

**Mrs. Mae Battle Gives Party For Her Sister**  
Mrs. Mae Battle entertained with two tables of bridge, Friday, honoring her sister, Minnie, Mrs. J. H. Woodley, of El Paso.  
The honor guest received a pair of house as guest prize. Mrs. Nunnally made high score and received a rubber bath mat. Mrs. Gilmer

H. C. Timmons and daughter, Josephine, returned Thursday from Hominy, Okla.

**DR. C. D. BAXLEY**  
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made second high and received a string of beads.  
Those attending were Meses, J. H. Woodley, Bert Wilkinson, Charles Koberg, W. A. Gilmer, John McTier, J. B. Nunnally, Tom Slaughter, John Leysath.

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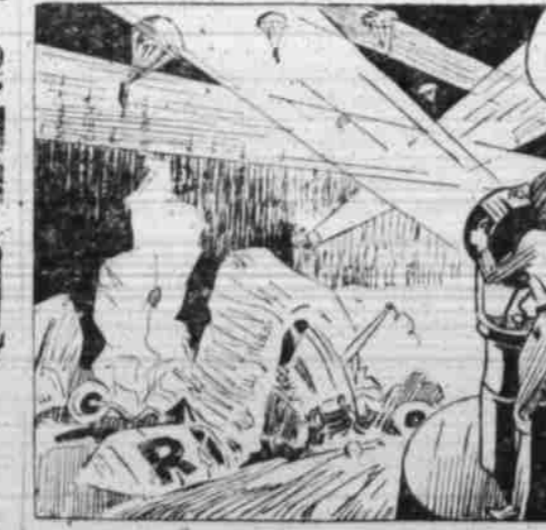
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