KNOB-KNOCKERS ARE BUSY HERE

NOT GUILTY IS VERDICT ASKED FOR SINCLAIR

Counsel Would Have Judge Find No Cause

EVIDENCE SAID TO BE LACKING

Attorney Asserts His Client Was Not Sworn In

(By The Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, March 14 .- A directed verdict of "not quilty" was asked by the defense today in the contempt trial of Harry Sinclair.

In arguing the motion in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, George Hoover, chief council for the lessee of the Teapot Dome Naval oil reserve declared there was no evidence to show that Sinclair had been sworn as a witness before the Senate oil committee at the time he refused to answer additional questions.

3 Florida Banks Fail To Open For

(By The Associated Press.) WEST PALM BEACH, March 14. -Three banks in this vicinity failed to open for business today.

They are the Ocean City bank of Delray, the First National bank of Lakeworth and the Farmers Bank and Trust company of this city.

Teachers Band To Play Here In

Pampa will be visited March 23 by the West Texas State Teachers located at the southwest corner of the past 11 years. college band, which will make a five- Russell and Browning streets. day tour of the North Plains beginning March 19.

There will be about 32 people in the party, including President J. A. Hill and Mrs. T. V. Reeves, director of the bureau of public service.

The band will arrive here in midafternoon, and play concerts at places to be announced later. Several soloists are included among the Gray-Wheeler Is musicians.

The organization played at the Borger celebration and for its North Plains tour has added a large list of selections of various kinds. Sacred concerts will be given at Dalhart and Stratford on Sunday, March 20. meeting the Magnolia Petroleum Popular and classical numbers are company's cut Saturday on Mid-Congiven according to the desire of the tinent field oil, the Humble Oil Re

During recent years the band has cent cut in five other instances. been the official band for the city of Amarillo, and has helped to bring Wheeler county crude oil. many conventions to that city.

CONFERENCE CALLED ON

GAS TAX MEASURE March 14.--(AP)-House and Senate confrerees went into conference today over differences between the two houses on the motor license fee bill, a companion bill to the new gas tax measure. Both bills passed the Senate last week, with amendments unsatisfactory to the House, where they orig-

Has Time Now



While Miss Rosalie Gardiner Jones, as a mechanic in an automobile repair shop a few years ago, she was asked if she was going to marry, afternoon. Professor Alvord is "I haven't time," she replied. Now, head of the college extension de with women enfranchised, she's an- partment. nounced her engagement to United States Senator Clarence C. Dill, the only Democrat ever to be elected to Mrs. C. U. Gott. 43. Business Today the state of Washington. They will the upper house of Congress from wed in New York.

Presbyterians To Erect An \$8,000 Manse At Once

approved.

The building, a brick bungalow,

The basement will contain quarters for the pastor and rooms for pecial meetings, while the main floor will comprise an auditorium to seat about 250 people. Services are now being held in the Rex theatre.

Exception In New **Humble Crude Cut**

(By The Associated Press.)

HOUSTON, March 14.-Besides fining company today posted t 10-

The one exception was for Gray

Ferguson Goes Into Dairying

AUSTIN, March 14.—Former-Gov- Galveston Man ernor James E. Ferguson, together with his two daughters, has formed a dairy corporation here.

The charter was approved today by the secretary of state. It is to be operated in Live Oak. The capital stock is \$5,000.

Phough Engrossed, Delay May Kill Ferguson Amnesty Repeal

(By The Associated Press.) feeling and strife, the House today The engrossment vote was 90 to shooting occured in Neviow's jewengrossed the Senate bill repealing the amnesty granted former-Gover-

AUSTIN, March 14.—Amid bitter put the bill up for final passage, to put his hands up fast enough. The

nor James E. Ferguson by the 39th bill can be forced to a vote on its final passage before the end of the eration at the emergency hospital

TWO TEACHERS OF A. & M. IN **DAMAGE SUIT**

Plaintiff Draws, Other gun As Result of Collision

HEARING TO BE HELD TODAY

Action for \$15,000 Be-Is Head Extension Work

BRYAN, March 14.—A damage suit between two A. and M. college professors drew the attention of the entire college faculty and community today.

It is a \$15,000 damage suit brought by D. B. Milner, associate professor of architectural drawing suffragist and heiress of Cold Spring against Professor and Mrs. Charles Harbor, Long Island, was working Alvord for alleged injuries receiv-

ed in an automobile collision. The trial has been set for this

Dies-Funeral To Be Held Tuesday

Mrs. C. V. Gott, 43, died at her home here at 11:45 o'clock this morning. Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. James Todd Jr., at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Christian church. Burial will be in the Fairview cemetery. Besides her husband, Mrs. Gott

is survived by four daughters, Immediate erection of an \$8.000 Theota, Leota, Thelma and Wini-Presbyterian manse was decided by fred; her mother, Mrs. S. E. the local congregation Sunday morn-liams, of Oklahoma City; and two up. On March 23 ing, when plans were submitted and homa City, and, Mrs. Fern Fanning, of Portland, Ore.

She was born April 24, 1884. She will be 36 by 48 feet, and will be has made her home in Pampa for

Traded Denver Site For Single Mule

(By The Associated Press.)
BELLEFONTE, Penn., March 14. -Thaddeus Hamilton, 91, who is said to have owned, at one time, alf of the land on which the city

Hamilton traded the land for a mule on which he traveled to Cali- Rhudesall, night watchman, came

U. S. Marine, Dead Is Found Floating On Chinese River

(By The Associated Press.)
SHANGHAI, March 14.—The body of Sergeant James Montague, of the United States Marine corps, was found today in the Vhanhpoo river. Police believe he was murdered.

Shot In Hold-up In Own Store

(By The Associated Press.

GALVESTON, March 14 .- S. Nevchest and a man giving the name charges. of Harry Ludlow was under arrest following a hold-up in the business

Nevlow was shot when he failed elry store.

Mrs. Ed Moore underwent an op-Sunday morning.

Texas Pioneer, 91, Weds Girl of 26



At 91, Colonel Charles Goodnight, ranchman of Clarendon, Texas, has just married Miss Corinne Goodnight, 26, of Butte, Mont. Miss Goodnight, a telegraph operator, read of the colorful life of the colonel, a noted southwestern pioneer, and wrote to him. The romance resulted.

GRAY COUNTY PRISONERS TRY TO CUT DOWN TWO JAILS, AND OFFICERS SEEK ACCOMPLICES

One of the leaders in the jailbreak attempt last night- a man named Murphy, was tried at Lefors today on a charge of auto theft and given a 3-year sentence. He pleaded guilty.

Iron bars do not make a prison, Gray county prisoners know, but it takes quite a while to saw hardened iron without burning the saws

Sunday afternoon the prisoners vere moved into the old jail while officers cleaned and fumigated the new one. During the process the county guests about 1, of them in some manner obtained seven hack saw blades. They worked feverishly trying to saw out of fail. but too slowly, for the officers returned for them just before the last bolt on the door was under the saw. The officers did not notice the work until later, and marched the men back to the newer structure.

During the night the saws were f Denver now stands, died here put into play again, and at 6 o'clock but half a bar was between the men and freedom. Then Scott along on one of his rounds and noticed the activity. He called the deputies and went inside to search the prisoners. One inmate objected and was severely beaten before submitting to search.

> The prisoners attacked the new tail near the same places cut by six men who escaped in the jailbreak of a few weeks ago. The leaders in the work are said to have been three men charged with auto theft. They were brought here from Vernon last week.

Officers were considerably "riled" today because they believe outsiders watched them move the prisoners yesterday and slipped in the saws in broad daylight. The accomplices are believed to have been members of the group which during the night knocked the knobs off two safes in the Fatheree Drug places. store.

Ten additional prisoners were ow was in the hospital here this taken during the week-end, eight morning with a bullet wound in his for gambling and two on vagrancy

> REAL FIRE BREAKS FOR A DEMONSTRATION

Ike Lewis, B. R. White, and Jack Clemens went to Amarillo Sunday where they saw a Seagraves fire truck in action. During the demonstration a fire call was received at the station and the truck made 45 miles an hour on the run.

City Manager

Shot In Office

(By The Associated Press.) AUSTIN, March 14.—(AP)

-Dr. C. W. Goddard, city physician held in connection with the shooting of City Manager Adam Johnson, was found dead in the city jail this afternoon. His throat was cut.

AUSTIN, March 14.-City Manager Adam Johnson was shot five times and seriously wounded in his office here today.

Dr. C. W. Godderd, city health officer, was arrested immediately after the shooting. No details of the affair had

been learned early this after

Rebecca Rogers

(By The Associated Press.)

SAN MARCOS, March 14 .-- No acagainst her.

V. E. FATHEREE **DRUG STORE IS BROKEN OPEN**

Diamond Shop Has Valuables In Good Safe

EFFORTS OF THIEVES FAIL

No Stock Missed By **Proprietors** Today

Prying their way through the front door with heavy bars, intruders last night knocked the knobs off the two safes in V. E. Fatheree Drug company's store but failed to open the doors.

It is believed the men wished cash and diamonds, since they did not molest the stock of the store. However, lack of time might have saved the company the loss.

The Diamond shop operated in connection with the drug store had its valuables in a burglar-proof safe. When the knob was removed the combination automatically became inaccessible.

Safe experts from Amarillo were brought here early this afternoon to open the boxes. When the doors were swung back the contents of the safes were found untouched.

Statements by the night watch man indicated his belief that the attempted robbery took place about daylight. He said he tried the door about 6 o'clock and found it locked. The door was unlocked, however, when the employes of the company came on duty.

The front door-facing was damaged little, and gave little cause for suspicion. Clues on the incident have not given officers anything tangible to work with, but an investigation through the usual channels is under way.

Officers connect the work with that of smuggling hack saw blades into the jail, which nearly resulted in another jail-break.

Indications are that those responsible for the trouble have been watching the officers closely. The boldness of the plans give evidence of professional efforts, officers believe, and the city's idle population will be closely scrutinized.

Lawlessness has been lacking in Pampa since the oil developmentcame along, and last night's activi-Up For Trial ties were unusual here.

JUDGE TEMPLETON DIES

CHILDRESS, March 14.—(AP)tion was taken up to the noon recess Injuries received in an automobile of district court here today on the accident last Friday resulted in the plea of Rebecca Bradley Rogers for death today at Wellington of Judge continuance in the robbery charge R. L. Templeton of the 100th judicial district.

She was to go on trial today on a John Andrews, city marshall, recharge of robbing the Buda bank turned last night from a business

Prizes for Prophecies

The Pampa Daily News will pay ten dollars in prizes for the best written and most probable forecast of Pampa as the city will be next December 31-at the beginning of 1928. The awards will be \$5, \$3 and \$2 for the first, second and third

The competition will be judged by a committee and will be open to everyone except the staff of the Daily News. Articles to be eligible must be received before April 1. Address the Prophecy Editor, Pampa Daily News.

Forecasts should include prophecy as to the description, growth in size and population, living conditions and interests of Pampa. These should be based upon local needs and opportunities and the probability of their being fulfilled. Articles of more than 1,200 words in length, or approximately one column of type, will not be considered. Manuscripts need not

be typewritten. The Pampa Daily News reserves the right to publish the

articles submitted. The prizes will be paid in April, after the judges make their decision. Write out your sincere beliefs and send them to the Prophecy Editor.

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GOOD ROAD SYSTEMS

Increasing trend toward motor vehicle transportation has intensified the necessity for intelligently planned highway systems. Good highways now have the same relation to community development that railroads have to regional prosperity. In the bond election of March 30, Gray county people should evidence their economic intelligence by voting favorably on the issue.

The state highway improvement program may materially alter the economic and social development of a people of any section, and the lack of improvement of a given route is of vital importance to the section not progressive enough to connect its roads with state and national systems.

Intensive, rather than extensive, use of land in the vicinity of Pampa will in the future bring prosperity to this section, and in that tendency the connected, county road system is an absolute necessity. It takes much time to build roads, and Gray county is already behind half a year or more, the counties on the west. The roads will be hard-surfaced sooner or later, and now is the time to begin. State aid is being used in more and more counties every month; Gray county must claim her share before the allotment of funds is changed or delayed. The responsibility of the voters at this time is greater than many are apt to realize, for when the oil field starts on its decline the counties with good roads are going to be favored by those wishing to make investments on the Plains.

Road construction is not the problem it once was. Roadbeds are no longer costly experiments. Local, state and federal engineers have worked out road-building problems affecting every type of demand. Through roads are made of durable material requiring the minimum expense for upkeep. Feeder roads are ders had come from the White private business without comless expensive, but require a House that it was not desired pensation. We need a paid greater relative sum for main- to have such pictures appear city manager for proper adtenance. Huge tractors and in the newspapers. fine road machinery have taken the place of hundreds of reluctance, officially. The horses and men and minimized president of the United States less dog might be a good thing labor difficulties.

TWINKLES

The weather: a good thing to fasten yourself to on these windy days is optimism.

. . . Well, let 'em cut the crude prices the pools aren't leak- shoot as much as they desired, ing and the top of the ground but they couldn't step inside. is looking green.

Another trouble with this mud, a married man says, is that the wife can't carry the groceries home.

Granite, newcomers will be glad to know, is an important stead in Plymouth, Vt., with geological phenomenon, not its huge, lengthy stovepipe bi- ter being a semi-weekly for

It would be bad to shoot all robbers, for our state capitols ed from the direction of the week. The Nunn-Warrenneed, in some capacity, most of the hangers-on thereabout.

Colleges train for only 15 per cent of the essentials of a job, it is said; probably not including the art of fooling the boss, which ranks pretty high in most circles.

The Duet Is Not As Hamonic As Anticipated



WASHINGTON **LETTER**

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer.

WASHINGTON. — President Coolidge is not at all bashful, personally, about posing for photographs.

In fact, it is generally suspected that he is rather fond

interior of the president's new money be expended in hand-temporary home, the Patter-son mansion on Dupont Circle. faced with a similar problem

ed that Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge sary to an efficient administra- tively, and tend it and watch would reside in the home of tion. Towns cannot go along the former Countess Gizycka, always with an out-of-date sysgreat many bright young men engaged in the business of taknot be asked to donate their and vegetables and fruit is in ing photographs bent every effort to obtain photographs in- compensation whatever. Mc-House.

No reason was given for this tions for any thing of such a nature.

the president to desert the dogs have. Take away the White House pending repairs, bark and there is not much and to move into the Dupont left. But it would be a fine Circle place, efforts were re-old world after dark if the doubled to obtain the interior dogs did not raise the air with views. These efforts likewise their howlings. Sleep is a came to naught. The camera thing impossible when a dog boys could stand outside and camp meeting is in progress.

explanation which comes from man who has let his chickens persons who have been inside run loose all winter to ruin his the house, is that the president neighbors' flowering bulbs and feels the interior would hardly plants should be forced to square with the Coolidge tradi-keep his chickens up until tion of Vermont simplicity. plants have time to get a start Anyone who has ever been in of the chickens. side the old Coolidge home-

get the point. A desire has been manifest-daily on Thursday of this as obtained the start in this race White House to stress the in- Nunn company bought the nate simplicity of the Dupont News a little more than a year Circle place. But, under the ago and they have certainly circumstances, that is a rather kept pace with the developdifficult task. The mansion is ment of the Pampa section vastly more ritzy than any with their publication. The before ,2004 persons recently, among state of Vermont.

lication of interior views of ning, except Saturday, and on this little palace would have Sunday morning. Pampa is to any effect on the popular con- be congratulated upon its proception of President Coolidge, gressive newspaper. and the chances are that the president's objections are due to a feeling of modesty. If it were his own, personal dwelling, it might be different.

PRESS FORUM

But you may recall that you paid to the details of city busi-have yet to see a picture of the ness and that more time and It is It is very likely that you of increasing growth and no self-development, new advenwon't. And it's the president's man should be elected on the tures in recreation. incoming board that is not As soon as it was announc- pledged to give the time necesside the temporary White Lean has \$100,000 that will be ural things. Co-operation with spent at the discretion of the Mrs. Schlesinger herself had city council and this expendino objection, it appeared. She ture should have the attention was rather proud of the old of the best men possible, and home, in fact. But Mrs. this class of men cannot afford Schlesinger was powerless. Or- to take the time from their ministration of city affairs.

Canadian Record: A barkseldom has to give explana- - provided the bark was done away with for a fact. But when a dog without a bark As the time approached for the bark is about all some

McLean News: Now that The only suggestion of an it is time to plant gardens, the

Southwest Plainsman: Afmerely a cemetery adornment. secting the sitting room, will some time, the Pampa News began the publication of a

It is hardly likely that pub- is to be published every eve-

SPRING PLANTING

Spring, bringing new life to the world, brings to human beings fresh energy and a new chance. It is a chance to get Pampa Lodge No. 966, A. F. & A out of ruts, to stop fossilizing, M. Regular Meeting, Fourth Satur-McLean News: The city to start something new, to get day in each month. auditors of Pampa recom- into touch again with the vital mended that more attention be forces that press and surge all

It is a time to begin new

Get into the game! Plant it grow.

If there is any space of Mother Earth pays in the pleasure of creation, without counting the crops. And it also awakens minds that have not gone altogether dead from artificial living.

Life itself is a garden. The health and inspiration drawn from spring gardening counteract the dulling effects of mechanical existence, renewing ambition and creative purposes. That little garden plot, flower bed or potato patch or orchard is full of ideas for growth and progress. - Panandle Herald.

Canadian Record: Speaking. the truth does not mean telling all one knows. There are many truths that should be buried deep under silence, and also charity.

EAST TEXAS RESPONDS IN CONQUEST CAMPAIGN

DALLAS, March 12. (AP)-According to Dr. Geo. W. Truett of the Baptist Conquest campaign, East Texas is responding encouragingly. One gift of \$10,000 having been reported, two for \$5,000 each, and sacrificial offerings having been made at Timpson and other churches.

"The whole section has been engaged in rallies, is thoroughly organized and, although Central Texof beneficence, that section must look to its laurels or else be outdone by the piney woods," remarked Dr. Truett.

Benjamino Gigli, opera tenor, sang private residence your corres- new daily has Associated Press whom were twenty-one detectives pondent has ever seen in the stories, NEA pictures and features and a colored comic. It of the singer by the "Blackhand."

Third Member Of Willis Family

The appointment of Newton P. Willis by Governor Dan Moody brings the third member of the Willis family into the district judgeship in this territory.

Frank Willis, father of the newly appointed judge, presided over the first term of court in the 31st district court in the nine countles. Frank Willis Jr., a brother of "Newt," was district judge from 1914 to 1916.

Influence of lawyers and laymen from all parts of the newly created district was instrumental in securing the appointment of Mr. Willis by Governor Moody, in the face of the fact that Willis was not a Moody supporter in the last elec-Judge Willis has been a resident

of Canadian since 1890. He is known as one of the most fluent speakers in the Panhandle. Judge Willis will continue to

make his home in Canadian and

will maintain headquarters for his office at that place, He qualified when he opened the first term of Is District Judge court of the newly created 84th judicial district at Lefors.

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-By Williams

Tech Judging Teams Win In Hard Contests

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LUBBOCK, March 12.-That two students of Texas Technological college should win both first and second individual honors in stock judging at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show at Fort Worth and the Tech stock judging-team should win second place, is considered an evidence of the thorough and high class work being done in the new institution.

Al Jennings led the field with 758 points while Roy Sides came second with 741 points. Oklahoma A. and M., which last year won the international stock judging contest at Chicago, was first at Fort Worth with 3,541 points, while Texas Tech was second with 3,446 points. Texas A. and M. was third with 3,301 points.

The Tech team was first in sheep, second in hogs, third in horses and third in beef cattle. Tech won a total of \$155 in prizes, the Oklahoma team won \$120, and Texas A. and M. won \$25. Professor W. L. Stangel is head of the animal husbandry department in Tech and Professor Ray Mowery was coach of the team.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Ruffled tie-back curtains of cream colored voile or marquisette over a glazed chintz shade are charming for a girl's bedroom.

A pretty garnish for salad is made in the shape of a carrot, with a sprig of parsley at the big end.

Colors in foods add atractiveness to a meal. Green or other bright fruits and vegetables, egg yolk, yellow cheese, browned meats or cake crusts, are all examples of appetizing colorful foods.

Very sweet foods have a tendency to blunt the appetite for other foods that supply materials the body needs. It is best, therefore, to serve sweets in small quantities, or toward the end of a meal.

A appetizing dessert or salad can be made of cooked prunes with the nits removed and the cavities stuffed with cream cheese or cottage cheese seasoned with salt and thick cream. Dates and figs can be used in the

In making boiled icings for a cake. if it does not seem to be cooked enough after it has been takn from the fire, it can be reheated in the syrup has been poured over the egg very promising.

Rich, heavy foods should be sera heavy meat dish.

a meal. Don't repeat the same flavor a decline of 10,200 barrels in the Parks and others No. 1 Noel, in sectoo often. For instance, even though past four days. Thursday this field tion 199, block 3; Prairie Oil and we liked tomatoes, we would not produced 310,000 barrels and Wed- Gas company No. 1-A McConnell, in relish a meal commencing with tomato soup, followed by tomato sauce on the meat, or stewed tomatoes, and fresh sliced tomato salad.

FARM NOTES

Heifers get their inheritance for producing ability equally from their sire and their dam.

Pasteurization doesn't destroy food value in milk. A temperature of 145 degrees Farenheit for 30 minutes hasn't any marked effect on the chemical make-up of milk, or its growth-promoting properties. Some scientists say that pasteurization makes the vitamine which prevents scurvey, less effective. But this same vitamine is also present in fruits and vegetables, so it probably doesn't matter so much. Pasteurization kills disease-producing bacteria in milk.

You can continue a strawberry patch more than two years if you will keep it clean, well cultivated and fertilized, and take out the old plants and save strong young plants each year. It usually is preferable to set out new plants each spring and take out two-year-old plants af-ter they have fruited.

You can't expect tonics, which the hens take internally, to kill cooties, mites, blue bugs, fleas, and those sorts of parasites. Don't waste your money that way. You won't kill the bugs-but you may kill the chick-

Chicago society girls are taking jobs, now that self-support has become a fad.

OUT OUR WAY



of sharp-flavored club cheese rolled in the shape of a carrot, with a sprig Valuables In Fire—Well Near Pampa Logs Favorably Today

A tool house at the No. 1 H. H. | eral weeks. This brings the storage Merton, an Humble Oil company in the field to the 12,000,000-barrel well, burned Sunday, destroying little property, but causing heavy losses to two members of the drill- Line company and Humble Pipe Line ing crew in the south Pampa field.

cash, and two watches of 17 and 21 jewels, respectively. The fire startblew against the clothing.

that it may be a good producer.

through a soft shale, and expected of the 55's there belong to the pipeto pick up the gas during the day. line company. top of a double boiler, even after the The log of the well is said to be

SEMINOLE POOL SLUMPS . ved with lighter, more succutent er slump was registered in the 24- started work on its first main line foods. This evens up the calories hour gauge on greater Seminole steam station at Burnett tank farm and avoids too heavy a tax on the field's production ending at 7 a. m. near Kingsmill. digestive system. For example, a Saturday, when 263 completed wells light lettuce salad is relished with in the area flowed 303,500 barrels. This is a drop of 3,200 barrels as of I. and G. N. survey, in eastern compared to Friday's output, when Carson, and in block 3, in western Contrast in flavor is important in 306,700 barrels were produced and Gray, where are found the J. T.

> age situation shows producers were has gotten its first crude cut. running better than 63,000 barrels of crude to storage last week. It In southeastern Gray county, the St

nesday 316,400.

Prairie Pipe Line company, Gulf Pipe Line company, Magnolia Pipe company are hastening work on The loss was in clothing, \$75 in their new trunk pipelines to the

Prairie Oil and Gas company has ed from a gas flare which the wind started two tank farms at Kingsmill, in Gray county, where the Prairie Pipe Line company will take Oil men are watching No. 1 Leo- over it s crude. At tank farm No. pold, an important test on section 1, there are sixteen tanks of 55,000 141, block 3, about 3 1-2 miles barrels capacity up, besides four northwest of Pampa, in the belief tanks of 80,000 barrels capacity. Three tanks of 55,000 barrels ca-The drillers were making rapid pacity are building as well as one progress at 2,960 feet this morning tank of 37,500 barrels capacity. Two

> At tank farm No. 2 three 55's are up and work has begun on four others, and steel is on the ground for three additional tanks.

Humble Pipe Line company has East Carson-West Gray.

The mile of territory in block 4, section 67, block 4, and several other producers, which was given a A survey of the Panhandle stor- special crude posting a week ago,

ing No. 1 Crews, in the northwest corner of section 9, block 25, of H. and G. N. survey. Title trouble, now cleared up, delayed starting of this important test between Gray and Wheeler county areas.

PRAIRIE SHOWS A

GAIN IN PAST YEAR For the first time in its history, in its 1926 annual report, Prairie Oil and Gas company submitted an income account. Previously, earnings credited to Prairie have been just approximations taken from the balance sheet as shown by change in surplus, plus dividends paid out.

However, Prairie's report for 1926 shows a substantial gain over 1925 and the largest net since 1920. The \$15,952,367 profits shown for the 2,-400,000 shares equalled \$6.63 a share and compare with \$14,181,532

dividend payments \$3,606,456. Consequently there was a large accretion to the already big surplus item. the \$25 par value stock issued.

year, reducing storage by about the been in several years. Securities, same amount as was added in 1925. likewise, showed some decline stand-However, production jumped late in ing at \$21,987,103, against \$23,500, 1926 and in the last quarter crude 574 end of 1925. Prairie's lone curoil storage was again added to. This rent liability is shown as bills and adding to storage is probably still accounts payable, of \$16,582,166, going on, considering the large pro- about \$1,900,000. larger than the duction in Seminole, where Prairie \$14,948,709 at the end of 1925. is a big buyer and producer.

biggest producing month Prairie ment.

or \$5.90 a share, earned in 1925. ever had, with a yield averaging Prairie's net last year was equal about 65,000 barrels gross daily. It to about four and one-half times the is undoubtedly above that figure at

Balance sheet end of 1926 showed The addition of the \$12,355,911 sur- some marked changes, the most notplus profits in 1926 brought the ac- able one being inventories, which cumulated surplus to \$90,962,163 or increased more than \$7,000,000 to slightly more than 150 per cent of \$79,261,239. Receivables were about \$870,000 more, at \$19,974,179. Prairie drew on its crude oil stor- while cash decreased from \$4,517,age for the first nine months of the 709 to \$2,433, 273, the lowest it has

The condition of the surplus ac-Prairie's producing situation im- count indicates Prairie's ability to proved as a result of its participa- pay a substantial stock dividend. tion in Seminole and Panhandle Whether such action is contemplatpools. December, last year, was the ed is not disclosed by the manage-

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Cotton Consumption For February Is Above 1926 Figure

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Coted 590,477 bales of lint and 60,- new funeral home announced a short for February of last year, the cen-planned for a lot opposite the high sus bureau announced today.

TEXAS U. GIRLS TO LIVE IN DORMITORIES (Special to The News.)

AUSTIN, March 14 .- All freshman girls attending the University of Texas will be required to live in dor- and-a-half-fare rates have been mitories beginning with the fall ses- granted by railroad lines leading to sion of 1927-28, unless living with Austin for Dads and Mothers day their parents or persons approved by to be observed on the University of the University dean of women. It Texas campus on Monday, March 28. is believed that the girls can be bet- Mrs. Joe Gilbert of Austin, secretary ter safeguarded and that they can of the Dads and Mothers association, more easily become a part of the will have charge of arranging the University student body if housed one-half fares for the return trip in this manner.

TOURING CAR STOLEN HERE SUNDAY NIGHT

A Buick Master "6", 1926 model touring car belonging to W. H. Hen- longest trips ever made by an unke was stolen Sunday from in front dertaking company in this section of his business office, between 6 and was taken recently by Charlie Duen-

The car bore license number 978- and Undertaking company. 475 and the motor number is 1, 580,882. It has blue paint and new day and returned at 1 a. m. Sunday. balloon tires.

Jealousy; Bang!



Mrs. Anna Mae Wilkinson, 22, killed George Oldham, 36, in his apartment in Memphis, Tenn., because he was jealous of another man and threatened to kill her if she didn't give him up, according to the story she told Memphis police. The girl said Oldham, a former Danvers, Ill., man, was her "boy friend," but that she loved the rival he demanded she quit

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—5-Tube Atwater-Kent Radio with tubes. \$32.50. Phone 218. D1-8tp TEXAN HOTEL Dining Room—Family style meals 50c. Hot biscuits three times a day. Chicken dinner Sundays same price. D2-6tp FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Have two small children. Must be modern and preference given those close in. Write bex "8", care of Pampa Daily News. or see W. H. White at Daily News Office.—dh FOR RENT—Four room modern duplex apart-ment. Furnished. Private bath. See F. A. Hollenbeck. Room 9, Duncan Bldg. D3-3tp WANTED—Your ditch digging, ditch filling, street grading, terracing, house moving, anything handy men and good tractors can do, get our bid, give us a trial. Lee Saltzman, One block east Pennant Filling Station.

D8-8tp

FOR SALE—Modern bungalow, new, with four rooms. Close in, priced at \$2250.00, with terms. Phone 842. D8-8te FOR SALE OR TRADE—4 acres on pavement near Country Club district. Amarillo. P. O. Box 824. Phone 342. D3-8tc

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FOR SALE—At a sacrifice if sold before April lat. 4-room double house, 2 lots, located six blocks west of post office. For information call at first house east of First National Bank

D4-ltp

G. C. Malone today purchased a lot 40 by 100 feet on the east part of the First Baptist church proper-

ton consumed during February total- He will build there at once the 336 linters as compared with 565,- time ago. This is a change in the 118 of lint and 59,408 of linters announced location, which had been school building.

LOW RATES FOR DADS-MOTHERS DAY

(Special to The News.)

AUSTIN, March 14.—Special one-

HEARSE MAKES TRIP " TO CENTER OF STATE

What is believed to be one of the kle of the G. C. Malone Furniture

Duenkle left here at 7 p. m. Fri-He took a body to Fort Worth for

The company is equipped to make any ambulance run or hearse trip, 'anywhere, any time."

ROAD COMMITTEE TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The meeting of the road committee of the Chamber of Commerce to have been held this morning was postponed until tomorrow evening, when the group will hold an important session with the railroad com-

The two committees will discuss all of the transportation problems of this community and will lay out a program of promotion of desired projects.

REGIONAL CAMPS FOR FARM BOYS AND GRILS

Young farm champions in pig calf, corn or poultry raising, health ideas and methods brought back. champions, sewing, cooking and room improvement champions, in fact the best agricultural and home making club members in the States are meeting together each year at three regional camps held in connection with interstate fairs. Here these young farm leaders learn how the best was accomplished in other living and rural leadership under the direction of national and state boys' and girls' club leaders.

ended Camp Vail, the oldest of been studied by la boys and six girls, from each of the 13 Eastern States, winners in farm served for use as fertilizer materactivities, have received training in educational exhibits, public demonstrations, judging and standards of rural living. Camp Vail is held in connection with the Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, Mass. A special training school for leaders is

Club members from 11 of the middle western states held their tenth annual encampment last year at Camp Eaton, Interstate Fair, Sioux City, Iowa. The club members' conference is an important part of this camp, with its inspirational discussions of club work and rural leadership by club leaders and members.

Camp Plumer, the youngest of the three was founded last year at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition, Portland, Ore. Six hundred boys and girls from six western states attended the first encampment and put on a very creditable program of judging, demonstrations,

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Photo Copyright, 1927, NEA Service, Inc. Transmitted by telephoto How Alebtr Frick was kept alive and conscious at St. Francis' Hospital, Evanston, Ill., for 4 days despite his inability to draw a single breath is shown above. Frick (inset) is a victim of complete paralysis of the respiratory organs. In one of the most amazing feats of medical history, doctors and other resuscitation experts kept air flowing to his lungs by rhythmic compression of his chest. With Frick lying helpless in a wheel chair two men at a time alternately compress his chest and then release the pressure, in the manner illustrated by the group photo. This photo was posed especially for Pampa Daily News and NEA Service by members of the resuscitation squad to demonstrate just how the young man's life was being prolonged. At the left of the group is the patient's father, H. C. Frick. The others, reading on to the right, are C. P. Bahneki, J. B. Pangburn in the chair, John Steppen and L. C. Thayer.

boys and girls, member of 4-H clubs conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture cooperating of being selected to attend camp and all members follow with interest the success of their delegates at camp and reap the benefits of the new

MAKING GARBAGE AND OTHER

been worked out by the Bureau of Los Angeles, Calif. Soils of the United States Department of Agriculture as a result of states, forming high ideals of rural its studies of present practices in this field, including disposal by remer Saturday, and his arm badly duction and conversion of refuse into grease and fertilizer. Slaughter-Boys and girls from the Northeast house and cannery refuse have also home by illness today. the three, where for 10 years six w ith a view of making recommendations that these by-products be con-

These camps are events looked ial whenever it is feasable. It has forward to each year by the farm been found possible to compost raw tablishments with certain chemical with the state agricultural colleges, agents in such a way as to avoid for there is always the possibility fly breeding and at the same time to conserve much of the fertilizing constituants contained in the original material

The bureau has also cooperated with the Bureau of Biological Survey in investigations of the potential value of the wastes from the WASTES INTO FERTILIZER meat-rabbit industry, as a source of oil, grease, and fertilizer tankage. A new method of municipal gar- More than 2 tons of rabit wastes are bage disposal by composting has produced daily in the enviorns of

> E. I. Rigdon, a driller, was hit a glancing blow of a sledge ham-

> Dr. R. A. Webb is confined to his

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Is Busy Preparing For County Meets

from 200 schools which will particular building. cipate in county meets within the next month are in the hands of Roy Bedichek, chief of the Interscholastic League bureau of the extension division of the University of Texas.

Employes of the bureau are busy at the present time mailing out 3,000 silent reading tests and 8,000 arithmetic tests for use in the 'three R" contests of the county meets, 4,000 entry blanks for use by member schools, and 5,000 music memory score cards. Extemporaneous speaking and essay writing contests are also being prepared at this time.

Denving current rumors to the effect that baseball is to be added to the program of the league, Mr. Bedichek stated that although the addition of this sport had been seriously considered, the contests would come too near the end of the school year to be practicable.

Miss Estelle Caraway was operated upon at the Hillcrest sanitarium Sunday morning. She was resting well today.

ATHLETIC GROUP MEETS

Acting directors of the proposed Athletic association will meet at 4 o'clock today in the Chamber of Commerce rooms to consider assoc-AUSTIN, March 14.-Reports lation plans, including erection of a

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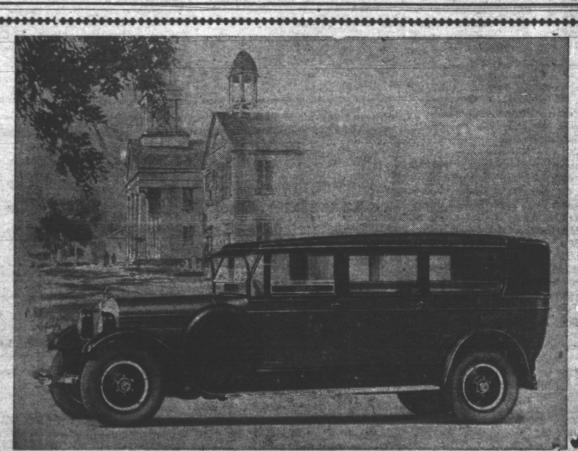
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