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## AIRPLANE USED IN BANDIT HUNT

### T. D. HOBART OF PAMPA SLATED TO HEAD CATTLEMEN

### REBELS AT TORREON ARE REPORTED TO BE IN FULL FLIGHT

#### EVACUATION IS NEAR ROUT AT TORREON NOW

General Escobar Takes Up Stronger City of Escalon

#### FEDERALS ENTER HIS OLD CAMP

Almazan Claims Panic Has Seized the Revolters

MEXICO CITY, March 18. (P)—The government announced today the rebels are panic-stricken and have evacuated Torreon in full flight.

The rebels were fleeing apparently towards Chihuahua City, it was said at Chapultepec castle. Federal cavalry under General Benigno Serrato expected to occupy Torreon at 5 p. m.

General Almazan, leader of the federal armies advancing against Torreon from Monterey, telegraphed the presidential palace from San Pedro de las Colonias that the rebels began their flight from Torreon at sunrise. They were completely evacuating the city, Almazan said.

WITH THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY AT ESCALON, Chihuahua, March 18. (P)—General Jose Gonzalez Escobar, chief of the revolutionary forces, arrived at the head of his command this morning from Torreon. Escalon is about 100 miles north of the former rebel stronghold.

WASHINGTON, March 18. (P)—As the center of the Mexican revolutionary activity progresses northward toward the United States boundary, American officials are giving close attention to policies with respect to rebels who may strike for safety in this country.

While no formal announcement has been made of the American policy, there was a suggestion that in addition to detaining any rebels who may cross the boundary, steps might be taken to keep them out of this country.

MEXICO CITY, March 18. (P)—General Plutarco Elias Calles, federal generalissimo, notified President Emilio Portes Gil today he was moving to attack Torreon in force and expected to occupy the city by tomorrow night.

The general's message to the president said the rebels must either fight or surrender now since a small force operating north of Torreon yesterday succeeded in burning bridges and tearing up rails for a distance of 10 miles near Escalon.

His army—estimated here to contain 20,000 men—would be divided into four columns for the attack, General Calles said. He added airplanes flying over Torreon had seen further evidences of evacuation of the city. These troops movement, however, now are taken to mean withdrawal from the city proper to Gomez Palacio, where the railroad stops and a soap factory are located, three miles from Torreon. It provides even a better natural defense than Torreon.

Sheriff E. S. Graves is confined to his home by illness today.

#### THE WEATHER VANE

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; warmer tonight.

PORT ARTHUR, (P)—All the king's horses failed with Humpty-Dumpty, but four steeds pulling on a seine were enough to get out of the Gulf of Mexico a 1,350-pound turtle that had been cut a bit, evidently by a ship's propeller. The turtle is about 300 years old.

#### CAPTAIN EAKER IS LIKELY TO REACH BROWNSVILLE TODAY

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala, March 18. (P)—Capt. Ira C. Eaker, speeding northward from Panama in an effort to reach Brownsville before dark, arrived here at 11 a. m., from Managua and 15 minutes later took off again towards Brownsville.

The captain was expected to make his next stop at Minatitlan, in Southern Mexico, after which he will strike Tampico and then continue on to the United States.

His arrival at Guatemala City marked the end of his third lap and brought him more than half way to his goal, making his chances for success bright.

Captain Eaker took off from Brownsville Saturday, hoping to reach France Field, Panama, by dusk, but was forced down at Managua, Nicaragua.

#### DISTRICT COURT DISMISSALS ARE FREQUENT TODAY

The 31st district court under its new arrangement convened here this morning with Judge W. Reece Ewing presiding. Judge Ewing has never missed a term of court in Gray county since organization of the county in December of 1902.

When Judge Ewing attended his first district court in LeFors that year, there were two cases on the docket. Judge B. M. Baker was the presiding judge. Today there are 283 civil suits and 91 criminal cases awaiting action.

The first action of the court this morning was to instruct the sheriff to pick a grand jury to report to the court Wednesday morning. Judge Ewing also instructed the sheriff to pick a petit jury of 40 men to report Monday morning.

Shortly before noon, Judge Ewing called the civil docket. Of the first 20 cases called, 15 were dismissed. Some of the cases had been on the docket for more than two years. Calling of the docket was continued at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Non-jury cases will be heard this week, Judge Ewing says. Next week will be devoted to civil suits, then the judge plans to hear criminal jail cases. He says that he wants to clear the county jail before warm weather.

This term of the 31st district court will last 10 weeks with Judge W. Reece Ewing presiding and Clifford Braly as district attorney. One other long session will be held this year. Next year the court will last 12 weeks at each setting.

Judge and Mrs. Ivy E. Duncan and their children visited relatives in Spearman yesterday.

#### VICE PRESIDENT USUALLY RAISED TO PRESIDENCY

Biggest Organization of Stockmen to Meet Tomorrow

#### SAN ANGELO IS SEEKING MEETING

Dallas Also to Ask Session of Next Year

HOUSTON, March 18. (P)—The executive committee of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association met today as a prelude to the annual convention here tomorrow, Wednesday, and Thursday.

Several hundred ranchers were in the city and more in sombreros were entering the hotels every hour.

Among the arrivals yesterday were E. B. Spiller, Fort Worth, secretary and general manager of the association for the past 19 years; T. A. D. Moses, Fort Worth, assistant secretary, and Joe D. Jackson, Alpine, former president.

Mr. Jackson said that he and W. W. Turney of El Paso, another past president, were supporting San Angelo's claim for the 1930 convention. Both San Angelo and Dallas were reported to be sending large delegations to capture next year's conclave.

T. D. Hobart of Pampa will be named president of the association if it follows its custom of elevating the vice-president to the presidency after a vice-president has served two terms. R. B. Kieberg of Kingsville is ending his second year as head of the organization.

Although all the conventions have been held in Texas and all the presidents have been Texans, the association embraces also Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona, Kansas, Mexico, and Louisiana. Sizeable delegations from Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Kansas are expected here.

#### San Antonio Banker Dies in Car Wreck

SAN ANTONIO, March 18. (P)—George D. Campbell, 52, chairman of the board of directors of the Guaranty State bank, was drowned here today when his automobile crashed through an iron railing beside the municipal auditorium and dropped 15 feet into the San Antonio river.

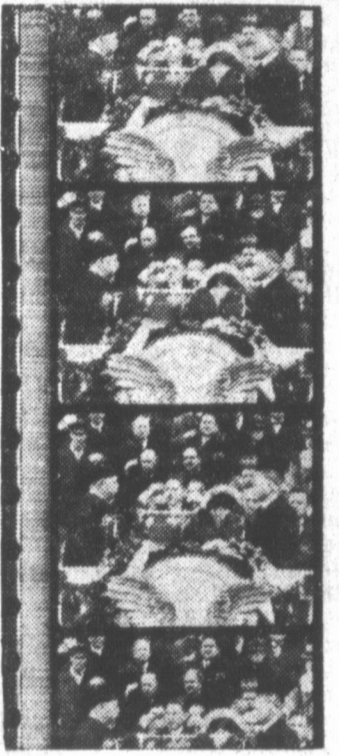
Firemen pulled him from the wreckage and worked over the body for 35 minutes but were unable to restore respiration. An abrasion on the head indicated Campbell was knocked unconscious.

Dr. T. J. Worrell spent the week-end in Dalhart.

#### She Reversed Verdict of Chief Justice!



Little Helen Terwilliger was right, and Chief Justice Taft of the United States Supreme Court was wrong—and just let him try to get out of it now. When he administered the oath of office to President Hoover, Helen, pictured above, was listening in from her home in Walden, N. Y. Helen is only 13, but she has studied her civics in school and knows that "preserve, protect and defend" is the phrase used in the Constitution. After hearing him say "preserve, maintain and defend," she wrote him a letter about it. Chief Justice Taft admitted a misquotation, but denied that he had made it just that way. But the Fox Movietone film, right, recording the sound and sight of the inauguration ceremony, reverses the decision made by the nation's foremost jurist.



#### GRAY COUNTY STATE BANK IS NOW UNDER NATIONAL CHARTER; INSTITUTION WAS FORMED IN 1907

Pampa now has two National banks. The Gray County State bank today announces its chartering under the federal plan. There is no change in personnel or organization of the staff.

During the last year, the bank's capital stock was raised from \$25,000 to \$50,000. Deposits have grown from \$350,000 to \$1,250,000 in the last two years.

The officers are: C. L. Thomas, president; J. M. Dodson, acting vice-president; C. B. Barnard, vice-president; A. J. McAlister, cashier; C. M. Carlock, assistant cashier; A. L. Prigmore, assistant cashier; W. H. Morrow, assistant cashier. Directors are C. L. Thomas, C. B. Barnard, E. E. Reynolds, J. M. Saunders, L. C. McConnell, D. W. Osborne, and J. M. Dodson.

The banking institution was organized in 1907 with J. S. Wynne as its first president. The capitalization was \$10,000. Mr. Wynne was its head until 1919, when the bank was sold to Scott and Blackmer of Hobart, Okla.

It changed hands a few weeks later, when it was taken over by the present group, headed by C. L. Thomas. J. M. Dodson came here from Ranger about two years ago to become active vice-president.

#### Rev. Brabham to Attend Meeting on McMurry Drive

The Rev. Tom W. Brabham, pastor of the First Methodist church, left this morning for Abilene, where he will attend a meeting of the board of education of the Northwest Texas conference and the board of trustees of McMurry college with Bishop John M. Moore and the presiding elders of the conference.

Mr. Brabham is a trustee of McMurry college, Abilene, and a member of the board of education.

The purpose of the meeting is to launch a drive for an endowment of \$500,000 for McMurry college. Under a ruling of the educational commission of the Methodist colleges and universities of Texas, approved and adopted by the Northwest Texas conference in session at Lubbock last November, all A-grade schools of the denomination are required to have an endowment of \$500,000 to retain their status. The drive to raise the fund for McMurry will be stretched over a period of from two to five years, Mr. Brabham said.

Pampa has representatives on the board of education and on the board of trustees of the college. They are the Rev. Brabham and J. M. Dodson. Both are members also of the endowment commission. Mr. Dodson is not attending the meeting at Abilene.

Mike Hanna, superintendent of the Empire company's booster station, left yesterday for Independence, Kan. Mrs. Hanna, who has been visiting with her sick mother for the past month, will return with him later in the week.

#### TWO OF FOUR BURGLARS ARE CAUGHT BY POSSE FOLLOWING LOOTING OF STORES AT BOYD

Nitro Blasts Awaken Citizens Early Today as Four Men Blow Safes Then Shoot Way Past Constable

#### TWO REMAINING FUGITIVES ARE SURROUNDED IN CREEK BOTTOMS

Gun Battles Take Place But No Casualties Are Reported—Merchandise Obtained Dropped by Fleeing Men

FORT WORTH, March 18.—(AP)—Two men were captured, and two others were believed surrounded in the Indian Creek bottoms near Newark, at noon following the burglary of the postoffice and two business establishments at Boyd earlier in the day.

The two men were captured by Sheriff George Gage of Wise county and Constable J. A. Scroggins of Boyd, about 3 miles south of Newark. The officers were walking when they encountered the bandits. Both men were armed with .32 calibre revolvers. They were disarmed and taken to Decatur.

A posse consisting of officers from Fort Worth and Wise county, about 50 citizens and an airplane of the Texas Air Transport, Inc., to take part in the man hunt, and it was reported the two remaining bandits were hemmed in.

The officers engaged the suspects in a skirmish just north of Newark, about seven miles south of Boyd. All were on foot, and so far as could be learned, no one was injured.

Seven officers and a few citizens were in the posse that engaged the suspects near Newark about 6 a. m. according to word received by W. R. Boyd proprietor of one of the stores which was burglarized.

The posse then walked along the railroad tracks until daybreak, when they overtook the four men just outside of Newark. After a short exchange of shots the suspects ran, escaping in the brush and high grass.

FORT WORTH, March 18. (P)—The roar of nitroglycerine blasts and the rapid firing of small guns awoke the inhabitants of the little town of Boyd, Wise county, early today.

The burglars were fired on by a constable and his two sons, but made their escape. A posse of officers from Fort Worth and Wise counties was organized, and an intensive hunt was launched.

More than 75 shots were exchanged between the bandits and the officer and his sons.

The loss in the three places was not expected to be heavy, damage to property probably will run highest. It was not immediately determined, however, what was taken out of the safe at the post office. About \$500 worth of merchandise was taken from the Boyd store, but most of that was dropped near the front of the Lewis store by the robbers.

#### Slick Sells Big Share of Interests to Prairie Company

INDEPENDENCE, Kans., March 18. (P)—Confirmation of the purchase of the T. B. Slick crude production and storage and one-half interest in all his undeveloped acreage, was made today by the Prairie Oil & Gas company at its general offices here.

The consideration was not announced, as the work of testing production and gauging stored oils is in progress and attorneys are busy drawing up the documents for the transfer of property rights.

Included in the purchase are 30,000 to 35,000 barrels of daily crude production and all sweet oils from the Kansas, Oklahoma and Northern Texas fields. No low grade West Texas production is included.

#### Fire at Jackson Well Snuffed Out

Fire, which destroyed the derrick on the Phillips Petroleum company's No. 2 Jackson, in section 88, block B-2, and burned five people Saturday night, was easily snuffed out yesterday morning. The blaze was caused from an explosion which occurred after a bailer had been taken from the hole.

Herman Atkins was severely injured and burned when he was hurled through the side of the "dog house" by the force of the explosion. Mrs. J. Bevelin, wife of one of the drillers on the well, was badly burned about the face, legs and arms. Three others were slightly burned.

The injured and burned were brought to Pampa hospital.

#### FORT WORTH WOMAN AND MAN DEAD IN SHOOTING

FORT WORTH, March 18. (P)—Herod Freeman, 54, and Mrs. Wallace Williams, 32, are dead as the result of a shooting which took place in front of Freeman's residence today.

Freeman, a contractor, owned several houses in block and Mrs. Williams, a widow, rented one of them.

A controversy over rent, Assistant District Attorney Hooper was told by Mrs. Freeman, preceded the shooting. Mrs. Freeman told Hooper that Mrs. Williams came to the Freeman home shortly before the shooting and had a brief conversation with her husband on the front porch.

John Riley, a neighbor, said he

ran to his front porch after hearing the first two shots fired.

He stated that he saw Mrs. Williams, mortally wounded, lying in the street near the curb and that he then heard another shot and saw Freeman fall mortally wounded.

Mrs. Williams was shot only through the right shoulder and once through the chest. She died en route to a hospital, where she and Freeman were taken in an ambulance. Free died at the hospital.

A revolver was found beside Freeman by Police Justice Faulkner has conducted an inquest. Freeman is said to be survived by ten children and his widow and Mrs. Williams by four children.

#### Operators Oil Company's Jackson Gusher Increases Flow to 4,375 Barrels Daily—Gas Well in Horizon at LeFors Turned to Oil by Deepening to Lower Pay

The Operators Oil company's No. 3 Jackson, in section 88, block B-2, is showing an increase in production. The first 24 hours the well flowed 4,116 barrels of high gravity oil. The second 24 hours, ending yesterday morning, the well produced 4,375 barrels. This morning's report showed another increase.

Pay was topped Friday night at 2,845 feet when drilling ceased. Before storage could be erected the test blew itself in, making more than 150 barrels an hour. The well ran wild until 1 o'clock the next morning when it was placed under control.

It is a south offset to the Texas company's wonder well, which has produced more than 1,225,000 barrels of oil since being brought in a year ago last December. Pay in the Operators test was encountered 45 feet higher than in the Texas company's producer.

In the Wilcox pool the Wilcox Oil company's No. 4 Coombs, in section 60, block 3, is drilling ahead at 2,810 feet with expectations of striking pay tomorrow at 2,850 feet. More than 4,000,000 feet of gas has been cased off. This test is on the south edge of the old Wilcox pool.

A gas well is being turned into an oil well in the LeFors pool. It is the Texas company's No. 1 J. E. Williams, in the northwest corner of section 7, block 1, A. C. H. & B. survey. The test was completed as a gasser last April at a depth of 2,595 feet. Since

that time the well has been producing 59,000,000 feet of gas.

The hole was cleaned out a few weeks ago and deepening began. A light spray of oil was encountered Friday afternoon at 2,664 feet and the test shut down for storage. This well is located a mile south of the LeFors townsite.

After the gas was killed, the Marland Oil company's No. 1 Brown-Finley, in the northeast corner of the east half of section 43, block B-2, resumed drilling Saturday at 2,850 feet. This morning the test was drilling at 2,840 feet.

The derrick was burned down three weeks ago when a flow of 60,000,000 feet of gas was encountered at 2,785 feet.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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"It's Like This"

INTRODUCING A PRESIDENT is something of a journalistic ritual. But it is seldom that it is desirable to introduce both the outgoing and the incoming president at the same time.

Editor Ray Long of Cosmopolitan in presenting the first of a series of "human documents" by the recent president, says of him that "there never was a man who took himself less seriously; but there never was a man who took his position more seriously."

The disarming manner in which ex-President Coolidge disclaims any idea of personal greatness is almost an admitted admission that he felt his capabilities but doubted that he would ever be called upon to serve as chief executive.

"Had I been chosen for the first place, I could have accepted it only with a great deal of trepidation, but when the events of August, 1923, bestowed upon me the presidential office, I felt at once that power had been given me to administer it."

While I felt qualified to serve, I was also well aware that there were many others who were better qualified. It would be my province to get the benefit of their opinions and advice. It is a great advantage to a president, and a major source of safety to the country, for him to know that he is not a great man.

Although long an office holder, Mr. Coolidge finds the function of a president "almost entirely confined to the realm of economics," rather than to "politics." He confesses that "my personal experience with business had been such as comes to a country lawyer."

that to many it appeared that he regarded the financial opportunity of the position too highly. The Coolidge idea of wealth is contained in the following extract:

"Wealth comes from industry and from the hard experience of human toil. To dissipate it in waste and extravagance is disloyalty to humanity. This is by no means a doctrine of parsimony. Both men and nations should live in accordance with their means and devote their substance not only to productive industry, but to the creation of the various forms of beauty and the pursuit of culture which give adornments to the art of life."

It is hard for a New Englander to "humanize" himself, but writing will do it if anything will; journalism of the personal essay type calls forth many of the innermost lines of reasoning.

A president of the Rooseveltian type is abused, and in turn loses shafts at enemies real or fancied. A Coolidge may be the butt of jokes and ridicule, yet arouse little downright criticism.

Mr. Coolidge suggests, "perhaps one of the reasons I have been a target for so little abuse is because I have tried to refrain from abusing other people. The words of the president have an enormous weight and ought not to be used indiscriminately."

Mr. Coolidge is not a poor journalist by any means. It is to be hoped, however, that he may not "color" his writings much beyond the more or less colorless tone of his own record. He is known as a conscientious man who would not begrudge sacrifices.

The death of Calvin, Jr., following his sustaining a blister while playing tennis on the White House courts, could hardly be said to have been due to his father's being president, although the opportunity to play was thereby presented.

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON—Unquestionably the foreign diplomat in Washington who has had the most difficult and delicate task during the last ten years is Don Manuel C. Tellez, the ambassador from Mexico.

If he had not proved himself nearly a super-diplomat, he probably would not still be here. If his foot had slipped there were innumerable politicians in Mexico who hungered for his job.

Probably his most harrowing days came during 1926 and 1927 when the State Department anonymously released the story that the Mexican government had sold out to the Bolsheviks and when hot notes were being exchanged between the two capitals by the score.

These are busy and possibly worried days for Tellez, too, but now the United States is openly on the side of the Mexican government as it undertakes to put down a military insurrection and his load is not as heavy.

It was when Mexican-American relations were at their very worst that Don Manuel began to build a doll house. It was a very remarkable doll house. It was built upon a billiard table in the embassy and required a year for the making.

Today the three Tellez children, all born in the United States, play with the doll house, which is as large as a small automobile. It is an embassy among doll houses, with special furniture—even period furniture, a tasteful little bathroom with tub and showers for the dollies, and other household items, all constructed by Don Manuel. It can be taken apart and stowed compactly.

The Tellez hobbies are children and books. He keeps up with his social obligations, but his life is very simple and he often works on warm days in his shirtsleeves. His complete lack of "front" his failure to put on any dog except when obviously required, is one of the impressive things about the ambassador.

He is a rare combination of practicality and artistic ability and his endowment with the latter attribute is shown annually when he stages his famous children's party at the embassy.

He went the power and the glory of the presidency went with him.

TWINKLES

This should be the week of weeks for maybe-Governor Johnston of Oklahoma. Either he is going to be kicked out in disgrace or there are going to be the sickest newspaper publishers and legislators on the globe in the neighboring capital.

The Oklahoma affair has been so tame that even the notoriously mild Mexican revolutionary maneuvers have superseded it in the headlines. The only come-backs that have been made have come from Mrs. Hammonds, and public men do not like to argue with a woman.

"The flood situation at a glance," says a headline. Some glance. One way to make a West Texan prouder of his dry country would be to let him get marooned in one of those towns with water for miles around. He would do some tall hankering for a real sandstorm.

Lindbergh's popularity in these parts is going to wane somewhat if he doesn't contrive to get forced down or doesn't just naturally stop. But he has taken to wearing parachutes since getting engaged and he will have to have plausible excuses for doing everything from now on. No more little overnight jaunts to little towns and friends in the country, however innocent.

Army men cannot endorse cigarettes. So we will have a truthful army, which is something.

The Yellow Pencil with the Red Band. Eagle Pencil Co. Mikado. Lawn Grass Seed. Stark & McMillan. Phone 205.



OUT OUR WAY By Williams



MOMMY POP Prize Problems. By Cowan. \$500 in prize money. Mommy Pop is still out gunning for a name and he's going to give \$250 to the person sending in the best name for his cat.

YOU'RE SURE PICKED OUT A LOT OF GREAT TOP YOURSELF WHEN YOU GOT THE RIGHT MUNCH OF OFFERING A PRIZE FOR A NAME FOR YOUR CAT. WHAT IF A BUNCH OF PEOPLE SEND IN THE SAME NAME?

YES, AND HOW WILL YOU DECIDE ON WHO TO GIVE THE \$250 TO? GOSH! YOU WOULD THINK OF SOMETHING LIKE THAT!

WE'VE PUT ALL THE NAMES OF THE PEOPLE WHO SUGGESTED IT IN A HAT AND DRAWN OUT THE WINNER. THAT'S SIMPLE. ANOTHER WRINKLE YOU'D BETTER IRON OUT JIMMY O'BRYON OF CHICAGO SENDS IN A LIST OF FORTY NAMES. HOW ARE YOU GOING TO HANDLE THAT?

I'M NOT TRYING TO SPIN YOUR FUN, BUT YOU MUST ATTEND TO DETAIL. YOU'RE ALWAYS GOING OFF HALF COCKED ON EVERYTHING YOU GO INTO.

FRECKLES Too Late! By Blosser. JUST AS FRECKLES AND UNCLE HARRY WERE ZOOMING OVER SAN PEDRO, THEY SAW THE BOAT THAT THEY WERE TO TAKE FOR HAWAII DISAPPEAR OVER THE HORIZON...

WE MIGHT JUST AS WELL CIRCLE AROUND AND GO BACK TO A LANDING FIELD, LEO!

WELL, ANYWAY WE HAD A THRILLING RIDE FROM THE DESERT, DIDN'T WE, FRECKLES? WE CERTAINLY DID UNCLE HARRY!

NOW THAT WE MISSED THE BOAT FOR HAWAII, WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO? YOU GOT ME, FRECKLES—IT LOOKS LIKE OUR TRIP HAS GONE FLOOY!

WHY UNCLE HARRY! REMEMBER OUT ON THE DESERT WHEN YOU TOLD ME THAT WHEN YOU GET YOUR MIND TO DO SOMETHING NEVER GIVE UP UNTIL IT'S DONE!! YOU'RE RIGHT, WE'LL GET TO HAWAII OR BUST!!

### Pampa Social News

BY MISS WILLETTE COLE

PHONE 666

#### Pampa and Kingsmill Teachers Present Entertaining Program Friday Evening; Proceeds Benefit Convention Fund

Teachers of Pampa's five schools and the Kingsmill school united their talents, Friday evening, to produce an exceptionally interesting program at Central auditorium, benefitting the fund for the annual convention of the Eighth district Parent-Teacher associations. A large audience was entertained. Mrs. R. C. Campbell, chairman of the convention finance committee reported that ticket receipts totaled \$100. This amount bring the fund to \$410, Mrs. Campbell said.

The teachers who presented the program were as follows: Kingsmill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Burke; Lamar, Mrs. Annie Daniels, Mrs. J. L. Lester, Mrs. May Wofford, Mrs. Tom Morris, Mrs. I. E. Bradley, Mrs. L. K. Stout, Miss Kathleen Bestly, Miss Thelma Tynes, Miss Cleo Snodgrass, and Miss Julia Mae Barnhart.

Central high, R. C. Campbell, superintendent; Mrs. W. M. Gould, Miss Bernice Whiteley, Miss Fannie Florence Sims, Miss Mable Gene Campbell, Miss Adelle Lee Smith, Miss VeLora Reed, Miss Mary Shell, Miss Anna Esta Goerner, Miss Fannie May, Miss Jewel Williamson, Miss Frances Kimble, Miss Emma Cearley, Miss Louise Durrenberger, J. L. Lester, H. C. Plattner, C. S. Cheney, L. K. Maxcy, A. M. Fox, and Odus Mitchell.

Baker, Mrs. Earl Lewis, Mrs. Sam Irwin, Mrs. C. C. Cockerill, Mrs. C. L. King, Miss Helen Anderson, Miss Eurltha Henry, Miss Maxine Collins, Miss Beulah Hall, Miss Amie Cochran, Miss Della Beeler, and J. A. Meek.

West Ward, Miss Josephine Thomas, Mrs. C. W. Stowell, Mrs. Ronald McKimming, Mrs. I. E. Kullman, Mrs. E. B. Cox, Miss Nettie Sims, Miss Wilma Chapman, Miss Mary Nail, and Miss Opal Snodgrass. Music department, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fannell and Mrs. Dorothy Ives.

Junior high, Boyce Smith, principal, Mrs. J. A. Meek, Mrs. Elbert Thomas, Mrs. J. H. Hayes, Mrs. J. B. Austin, Mrs. E. L. Norman, Miss Ruth Abramson, Miss Claire Robinson, Miss Josephine Carriker, Miss Dorothy Pollard, Miss Jettie Mae Barber, Miss Loretta Baker, and Miss Estelle Rodgers.

East Ward, E. W. Lewis, Mrs. Ralph

### Social Calendar

#### TUESDAY

The Wayside club will meet at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Will Jackson. Officers will be elected.

The Amusu Bridge club will meet at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Edwin Vicars.

Mrs. Lloyd Bennett will entertain the Kongential Kard Klub, with the game commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

#### WEDNESDAY

The Women's auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Camp.

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. M. Castleberry.

The Epworth League will give a play, entitled, "Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!" in the Central auditorium at 8:30 o'clock.

#### THURSDAY

All officers of the five Parent-Teacher associations are requested to meet in Mrs. Annie Daniels room at Lamar school, at 3:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a P-T. A. city council. Mrs. Joe M. Smith, president of Central P-T. A., has called the meeting upon the vote of her association.

#### FRIDAY

Mrs. S. L. Maynard will entertain the Just We Bridge club at 2:30 o'clock in her suite at the Hotel Davis.

Dunbar, Mrs. E. F. Strickland, Mrs. C. A. Barber, Miss Mildred Wilson, Miss Mildren Stewart, Miss Louise Cearley, Miss Nell Crane, and Miss Kate Talley.

#### Sunday School Class Has Picnic Saturday

Members of the Junior class of the Presbyterian Sunday school, with their teacher, Mrs. Joe M. Smith, and a few of their friends, had an all-day picnic Saturday at Green's ranch. Games and contests were enjoyed, and at noon the youngsters cooked lunch over a bon-fire.

Special guests were: Mary F. Hamlett, Pauline Noel, Dorothy Brumley, Paul Keim, and Otto Rice. The following class members attended:

#### Mrs. T. E. Simmons Honors Mr. Simmons at Birthday Party

Mrs. T. E. Simmons entertained at bridge Saturday evening, observing her husband's birthday with a surprise party. Simple decorations, suggestive of St. Patrick's day, made the card tables doubly attractive. "White elephant" favors were awarded for favorable combinations to the following: Mrs. Paul Kasishke and Mrs. J. M. Quinn, two each, Mrs. Paul Shepherd, Mrs. H. R. McDonald, and Mr. Quinn.

Mr. Simmons received many handsome and useful gifts from the friends who were present. A prettily decorated birthday cake was cut and served with ices molded in shamrock forms.

The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hisky, Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kasishke, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gould, Miss Mabel Davis, and Herbert Henry.

#### Mrs. M. A. Graham Entertains with Pretty Bridge Tea

Members of Club Mayfar were entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. M. A. Graham, who arranged four tables for the game and included special guests in her invitation list. Tallies and score pads were decorated in symbols of St. Patrick's day.

At the end of the games, a green basket was placed in the center of each card table, with tulle streamers extending to the players' places. Drawing these streamers, three players received little green elephants, while the fourth received a boutonniere as a favor. The cut favors went to Mrs. R. R. House, Mrs. Swanson, Miss Mae Bennett of Clarendon, and Miss Ruth Anne Mitchell. A pistachio ice was served with dainty cakes decorated with Irish clay pipes, top hats, and Shamrocks, giving further accent to the holiday note.

Mrs. Graham's guests were: Mrs. Alex Schneider, Mrs. N. A. Helstand, Mrs. Floyd McConnell, Mrs. R. R. House, Mrs. Otto Studer, Mrs. Swanson, Mrs. C. C. Cook, Mrs. Ed. Dunigan, Mrs. Mel Davis, Mrs. Ivy Duncan, Mrs. George Gill, Mrs. Clyde Fatheree, Mrs. M. A. Finney, Mrs. W. T. Fraser, Mrs. E. G. Hughes, and the latter's sister, Miss Mae Bennett.

Jeanne Camp, Lois Todd, Evelyn Bicknell, Phyllis Smith, Murry Feenberg, Neil and Miles Sweatman, Jr., Harlan Ellston, Paul Schneider, Eddie Phillips, Jack Byrne and Earl Rice.

### INDIANS ENJOY RICHES AS LAND ONCE SCORNFUL YIELDS OIL AND METALS



The Osage and Quapaw Indians lived in poverty until the discovery of oil, zinc and lead on their hilly and rocky holdings. Victor Griffin (lower left), Quapaw interpreter, is a zinc and lead king, and Maud Lee Mudd (upper right) Osage-Seneca maiden, has a fortune estimated at \$5,000,000. The rich Indians build fine homes, like the one shown above.

By BENNETT WOLFE (Associated Press Staff Writer) OKLAHOMA CITY, (AP)—The Osage and Quapaw Indian tribes enjoy untold riches because the white man put them on land he did not want. When the reservations were marked off, nobody dreamed that some day

the hills given to the Osages would be dotted with oil derricks and the prairie sea side for the Quapaws would yield zinc and lead as well as hay.

Today the Osages are the richest people on earth, the 2,229 "headrights" or estates in the tribe exceeding \$100,000 each in value. Unlike the Quapaws, the Osages hold their wealth in common.

The lead and zinc holdings of the Quapaws bring more than \$1,500,000 in royalties to 65 restricted members of the tribe but marriage and inheritance have served to distribute the money generally among the other members.

Mrs. Anna Beaver Bear Hallam, restricted owner of land on which is located the Anna Beaver mine, owned by Harry Payne Whitney of New York, gets some of the largest royalty payments. For several months her income from the metals piled up at the rate of \$50,000 a month. Four years ago, she was almost penniless.

The Quapaws were a nomadic tribe when they were placed on their present reservation in 1837. The land was valued at a dime an acre by white men.

Under the treaty by which the tribe was given the reservation, the government, "in view of their wretched and impoverished condition", agreed to move the Quapaws to their new home and to furnish them livestock, farm implements, firearms and other equipment.

Nothing except hay was produced on the tribe's new lands. White men leased it, paying the Indians a pittance. The town of Quapaw prang up and became the greatest hay shipping point in the world for a time. The Indians cared nothing for the hay, the land or much of anything else. They wanted to fish and hunt and be left alone.

In 1905, zinc ore was found while a water well was being drilled on the land of Felix Dardene, a Quapaw Indian. The driller knew the metal in the cuttings from his drill denoted a

rich strike, but he lacked the business sense to take advantage of the opportunity to win a great fortune.

He quit work and drove to Baxter Springs, Kas., where he spread the news. A bystander in one of the crowds the driller drew slipped away and visited Dardene, leasing all his land and much surrounding it. He made a fortune.

It has meant something to be an Osage Indian with a large family born prior to 1907, when the tribal allotment of lands was made. Each Osage was given more than 700 acres that year. A man with a wife and five children had control of 5,000 acres of land, and received \$21,000 quarterly until the eldest child became of age.

Ditinction of having the largest Osage family was held by Clement de Noya. He controlled eleven headrights, including his own, his wife's and those of their nine children. This family has received as much as \$40,000 in one quarterly payment.

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Circumstances tossed these three widely different types together. Huck Connor, left above, was a desperate racketeer. Harold Judson, center, was the pampered, weak-willed son of the owner of the fashionable Judson Hotel. Stephen Armitage, right, was a young automobile salesman.

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### Eminent Speakers are Listed on Program of Congress of Mothers and P.-T. A. to be Held Here

The seven-fold program of home and school as applied to the four ages of childhood will be the general theme of the sixth annual convention of the Eighth district Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher associations, which is to be held in Pampa, April 3, 4, and 5. Each lecture and each program of the three-day meeting will emphasize and give instruction on some special phase of this comprehensive program.

In arranging the convention program the district executive board spared no effort to secure specialists of note on each line of work to be developed. In addition to the large number of state and district officers of the P.-T. A. who are to be here, the lecturers will include deans and college professors and public school teachers who have achieved distinction in the field. According to Mrs. J. M. Crain, district president, who spoke two weeks ago to the local steering committee, the most distinguished group of speakers ever assembled for a Eighth district convention will furnish the program at the meeting here.

Mrs. Grace Noyes Darling, president of the Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher associations, will be the main speaker for the evening of the opening day. She will speak on "The Significance of the Parent-Teacher Movement." On Friday afternoon, the last day of the convention, she will conduct a school of instruction for delegates.

Mrs. H. B. Grace of Fort Worth is another state officer who will speak. She is state chairman of Pre-School associations. Mrs. Grace will talk on "The Importance of the Pre-School Age and Worthy Home Service."

Mrs. J. I. Kendrick of Amarillo, a past president of the Eighth district and now fourth vice-president of the state, will speak on "Public Welfare."

Mrs. Emanuel Toomin, a state chairman, will give a lecture on "Humane Education." She also is from Fort Worth.

Rush M. Caldwell, president of the

Texas State Teachers Association, will be here from Dallas to speak on "The Mastery of the Tool and Technique of Learning." It is expected that his lecture will be one of the best of the convention.

H. T. Burton, president of Clarendon Municipal Junior college and former athletic coach of that school will discuss "Sound Health." Dr. S. H. Condon, dean of men at West Texas State Teachers college, Canyon, will deliver an address on "The Wise Use of Leisure."

Dr. J. M. Gordon, dean of Texas Tech at Lubbock, will speak on "Vocational Effectiveness." Mrs. Geraldine Green, who is dean of women at West Texas State Teachers college, is to talk on "Ethical Character."

"The High School and the P.-T. A." will be the subject of an address by Mrs. Gervis Taylor, dean of girls, Amarillo high school. Miss Elizabeth Nixon, principal of Amarillo Central Junior high school, who is said to be without a superior on the rules and conduct of the installation ceremony, will give a lecture or demonstration on the subject. Mrs. J. E. Griggs, president of the fourteenth district, will officially extend greetings.

All sessions will be held in the Methodist church. The lectures will be interspersed with entertainment numbers that are being arranged by a local committee, with Mrs. A. H. Doucette as chairman, and by recreation periods under the direction of Mrs. J. W. Sanders of Amarillo, fifth vice-president. Mrs. Doucette is drawing on the musical and dramatic talent of the city in arranging the entertainment numbers.

Social features of the convention will include a high tea; a trip to the oil fields; and three luncheons, all of which will be given by the local Parent-Teacher associations. Delegates and alternates from other cities will be guests in the homes of local citizens for the three days of the meeting. It is expected that about 200 out-of-town visitors will be here.



This store at Cushing, Okla., is No. 16, the latest addition to the L. T. Hill chain. Before deciding on a new location the Hill organization makes a very scientific survey of the prospective community organization. By this method only the best cities are selected for store locations.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Brown will leave this afternoon for New York City on a business and pleasure trip. They will be gone a month. While in New York Mr. Brown will meet his nephew who is coming from England on a visit. He will return to Pampa with Miss Willie Mae Stewart of Clarendon spent the week-end here with her sister, Miss Mildred Stewart, who is a teacher in the East Ward school.

### Moody Not "Peeved" at Legislature and Believes Contact With Home Folks Will Lead to Good Special Session

By R. W. BARRY  
Associated Press Staff Writer

AUSTIN, March 18. (AP)—Governor Dan Moody is not peeved at the legislature which just adjourned. When it reassembles under his call within a few weeks he will submit anew to it some of the legislation he recommended at the start of the regular session, but which the lawmakers failed to enact.

While some governors would probably be inclined to mount a "high horse" and say things about a legislature which turned its back so readily upon a chief executive's program as did the 41st, the present occupant of the office is inclined to forgive. He refuses to only forget.

In the closing hours of the long session, the governor did a little "kidding," but it was good natured. Commenting upon the fate of the things he so much hoped would meet with approval at the hands of the legislature, he told the membership he had in a way evened the score, when he vetoed a number of "local" bills raising salaries of tax collectors, assessors, sheriffs, constables, county judges and other officials.

"I am sorry that I could not have been here on the floor when those veto messages were read to see the reaction reflected in the faces of those who had

hoped to get them over," he said.

But, revenge for the treatment given his measures is not a wish of the governor. He firmly believes that it is an evenly-balanced, smart and safe legislature. He said so, after the evacuation.

He believes the membership, having had time to reflect during the regular session, and having heard from the folks at home, will return with a more definite purpose and its mind more nearly made up as to what it wants to do about serious problems facing the state and which it failed to solve on first trial.

The governor realizes that the membership of both houses this time was made up of almost half and half old and new lawmakers. It was reported in the capitol that more than half of those who remained until the last were new members who had confessed that their only reason for staying on the job sine die adjournment was one of curiosity—just to see how a legislature came to a stopping point.

Governor Moody believes the large number of new members had much to do with the defeat of some proposals he desired to succeed. He is of the opinion they will return to the special session more or less "seasoned" and prepared to look with a new slant on some of the measures they opposed.

**MARSHAL FOCH WORSE**  
PARIS, March 18. (AP)—Marshal Foch is authoritatively reported to have suffered another serious heart-sinking attack.

**JOHNSON DEFENSE RESTS**  
OKLAHOMA CITY, March 18. (AP)—The defense in the impeachment trial of Henry S. Johnston, suspended governor of Oklahoma, rested today. Defense testimony occupied more than three weeks.

Miss Mary Stockett and Miss Catherine Cole of Clarendon visited Miss Anna Esta Goerner and Miss Willette Cole yesterday afternoon.

**Too Late to Classify**  
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### Six Track and Field Squads Will Take Part in Tourney on Saturday

### Negro Attacker Spirited Away to Escape Crowd

BRYAN, March 18. (AP)—Fearing mob vengeance on Matthew Sanders, 20-year-old negro charged with attempted criminal assault on an 18-year-old girl at Millican, Brazos county, Sheriff J. H. Reed, last night spirited Sanders away from the Brazos county jail here.

A mob, drawing its membership from as far away as Navasota, formed after hearing of the negro's arrest. Reed learned of its formation and drove in an automobile with his son at top speed to Bryan. When the mob arrived at the jail, Reed showed its representatives that Sanders had been taken away.

Track and field teams from Canyon, Amarillo, Panhandle, Miami and Borger will compete in a meet to be held here next Saturday afternoon. Shamrock has been invited, but has not yet accepted. All events scheduled as interscholastic requirements will be on the card.

Competition should be keen, Coach Odus Mitchell says. All the teams entered are supposed to be the fastest and best in their territory. The local invitation tourney will be held in place of the county interscholastic meet, which has been postponed until April 5 and 6.

The events will be held at Fair Park, north of the Cook-Adams addition, on the ground recently purchased by the school board and the Pampa Fair association. The first race will begin at 1:30 o'clock.

Coach Mitchell's track team will be considerably strengthened with the addition of Albert Lard and Perry Morgan. Lard, fleet footed short distance man, underwent an operation two weeks ago but is able to be out for practice. He will be in condition for county competition, Coach Mitchell says. Morgan, a senior, is a fast track man and was discovered while spring football training was underway last week.

### Markets

**KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK**  
KANSAS CITY, March 18. (AP)—Hogs: 12,000; steady to strong; top \$11.65 on 190 to 225 pounds; packing sows \$9.00@10.35.  
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Sheep: Receipts 7,000; lambs 25c higher; sheep steady; lambs, good and choice (92 pounds down) \$15.75@16.85; medium \$14.75@15.75; ewes, medium to choice (150 pounds down) \$8.25@10.25.

**CHICAGO GRAIN**  
CHICAGO, March 18. (AP)—Wheat: No. 4 red, 1.28; No. 2 hard 1.25 1-2@1.27.  
Corn: No. 2 mixed, 95; No. 3 yellow, 94@1-2.  
Oats: No. 2 white 51 1-4; No. 4 white 46@3-4.

### New Ambulance for Malone's Best in This Section

A Packard straight "8" ambulance was received Saturday by the G. C. Malone Undertaking company, and was used the same evening for the first time. The new creation has no equal in the Panhandle. Biggs Horn, local Packard agent through whom the ambulance was purchased, says.

The new addition to the Malone fleet of ambulances and hearses, will be used exclusively for ambulance work, Mr. Malone said this morning. It is equipped with a cot and two chairs. It has electric lights, a heater, an electric fan and a medicine cabinet in the rear part. The machine is a dark gray trimmed with black and was purchased at a cost of approximately \$4,500 equipped.

The upholstery is of pure leather. The floor is covered with inlaid linoleum. Large plate glass windows may be covered with light-proof blinds.

**ORIENT LINE, SONORA TO SAN ANGELO, IS PROPOSED**  
WASHINGTON, March 18. (AP)—The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad, recently purchased by the Santa Fe system, today asked the interstate commerce commission for authority to build 65 miles of new line from San Angelo to Sonora, Texas. Funds for operation would be advanced by the Santa Fe, and the line would be turned over to the Panhandle & Santa Fe, another subsidiary of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, for operation.

### Operators Head Flies to Pampa

Robert F. Garland of Tulsa, president of the Operators Oil company and president of the Garland Aircraft firm, landed here this morning in a Stearman biplane, piloted by Major Fred Lord, English war ace.

Mr. Garland came in from Tulsa to see the new Operators Oil company's well in the Bowers-McGee pool which came in last Friday for 4,000 barrels a day.

The president of the aircraft works returned to Tulsa yesterday from Brownsville, where he had been delivering planes to the Mexican government.

Major Lord left immediately for Amarillo, but will return here tomorrow.

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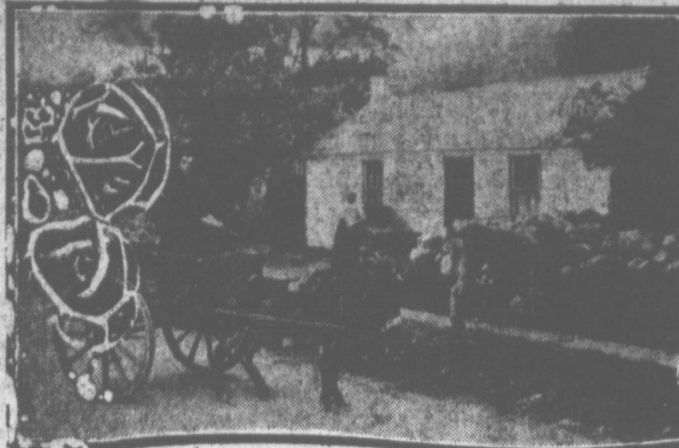
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# AMAZING MIRACLES OF SAINT PATRICK



A VILLAGE SCENE IN IRELAND

### He Began To Perform Them When He Was a Baby, and the Banishment of the Snakes from Ireland Was No More Remarkable Than Many Others.

By RENE BACHE

SAINT PATRICK was what in these days would be called a "miracle." If the annals of his life be accepted as authentic, he was a practitioner of magic. But he was a "white" magic, performed for the purpose of good, and altogether different from the black magic of the evil sorcerers who afflicted Ireland at the time of his mission there.

At that period, which was in the fifth century, A. D., the green Isle was inhabited by Celtic tribes, whose religion was sun-worship. There was the cult of the Druids, an "idol" whose human sacrifices were made. The country was chiefly infested by demons, and its remote places fire-breathing dragons had their lairs.

It was this primitive religion which Saint Patrick undertook to combat and root out, when he came to Ireland as an apostle of the Christian faith. Quite naturally, the chief opponents of his propaganda were the Druid priests, who practiced the blackest of magic, and with whom the saint came into rather violent collision.

But to begin at the beginning, Saint Patrick was born in the south of Scotland—the exact place is uncertain—and his father and brother being dead, he and his mother were taken in charge by neighbors who adopted them. That was soon after his birth. A flood came, and put out the fire in the hut of his foster parents, and it was then when he was hardly more than an infant, that he performed his first miracle.

He made fire with water. There were no matches in those days, and to start the fire again was a difficult matter. But Patrick solved the problem easily. He dipped his little fingers into the flood water, threw a few drops of it upon the sticks in the hearth, and the wood instantly burst into flames.

But more dry wood was lacking, and how to get it? The weather had suddenly turned bitter cold, and the trees in the nearby forest

were festooned with icicles. The child, sent into the woods to procure some sticks, came back with a double-handful of icicles. His foster mother was angry with him, but he cast the icicles upon the fire, and lo! they turned into wood, making a roaring blaze.

King Claude, who then ruled that part of Scotland, required his own hearth to be cleaned once a fortnight. It came the turn of Patrick's foster parents to tackle the job. But the little boy, whom they took with them for the day, waved his hand, and in an instant the hearth was perfectly swept. Not only that, but it was so miraculously cleaned that it never could get dirty again, and wood burned on it left no trace of ashes.

Not long afterwards the foster parents found themselves unable to pay their regular tax in milk curds and butter, and were fearful that, for punishment, they would be imprisoned in a dungeon in King Claude's castle. But little Patrick picked up a quantity of snow, and turned it into the most delicious butter that any one had ever tasted, and so the tax was paid.

#### Carried Off Into Slavery

The boy did many other wonderful things—such, for instance, as bringing a neighbor's dead cow to life. But when he was sixteen years of age, a raiding party from Ireland descended upon the coast, burned the village in which he lived, and carried him off as a slave.

Thus it was that, through misfortune, he first saw Ireland, where he was destined to spend fourteen years of enforced and wretched labor, herding swine. One night he dreamed that he was bidden to follow a certain black pig, and that thereby his liberation would be accomplished. On the following day he trailed the black pig, which roared up with its snout a bag of money. With the aid of this money he was able to escape and to reach France.

In France he sought refuge with some "old" men at a place near Tours, and himself becoming a priest, spent many years in various monasteries. Later, he became a hermit, and, devoting his time to pious meditation, finally became convinced that his appointed task was to go back to Ireland as an apostle of the Christian faith and convert the pagan natives to that religion.



SAINT PATRICK

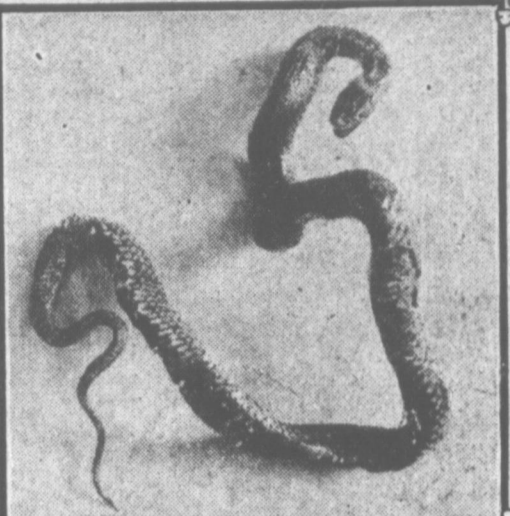
This project he carried out. But he did not go to Ireland alone. He took with him a very considerable retinue, including a coadjutor, a psalm-singer, a personal champion or strong-arm man, a bell-ringer, a cook, a brewer, a chaplain and two servants. Three women, one of them his sister, accompanied the party, their most important duty being to make altar cloths and sacerdotal vestments.

Spreading the Faith. It was a good-sized troupe, corresponding somewhat in makeup and character to the traveling organization of a twentieth century professional evangelist. Saint Patrick built his own tabernacles wherever he went, and converts of exceptional worthiness were hastily instructed and ordained as priests.

At that time there was, as usual, much political turmoil in Ireland. The principal seat of government was at Tara; but seven kings, who ruled as many different provinces in feudal style, were constantly at war with one another. They were too busy fighting to pay much attention to the man who had come to introduce a new religion.

Saint Patrick threw down the famous and much venerated Druid idol Cromm Cruach. He gathered together all the Druid books he could lay hands upon and burned them. This was a misfortune to literature, and the archeology of later times, but manifestly they were "works of the Devil," and needed to be destroyed. At Armagh he settled down and established a sort of religious school for the instruction of young men ambitious to become priests.

In the meantime the new religions spread rapidly among the people. But, as might be supposed, not without vigorous opposition by the Druid priest-magicians and their followers. The business of conversion was on the whole a rough job.



THE 'RINGED' SNAKE, THE ONLY SPECIES LEFT IN IRELAND



EXTRACTING A DEVIL FROM A PERSON IN SAINT PATRICK'S TIME (FROM A MEDIEVAL PRINT)



BLEACHING THE FAMOUS IRISH LINEN

There was one particular magician who challenged Saint Patrick to a contest of supernatural powers. On a clear day in summer, he demanded that the Saint should prove the value of his own magic by causing snow to fall. When Patrick refused to attempt anything of the kind, he himself brought on an immediate snowfall of such depth that the onlookers stood up to their waists in it. Then he insisted that his rival be burned at the stake, as a fraudulent pretender.

Triumph of the Saint. Saint Patrick was undaunted. He replied that snow in such quantity made everybody uncomfortable in mid-summer, and that he would rather cause it to depart. He lifted up his hands, and immediately the snow disappeared.

The wonders wrought by Saint Patrick brought him great fame and thousands of converts. His reputation soon spread all over Ireland. But his crowning achievement was the banishment from the green Isle of the demons, evil spirits, fire-breathing dragons, etc., which inhabited the country. Together with these "objectionables" were classed the snakes and toads, which were deemed hostile to mankind and possessed of supernatural attributes. When the Saint undertook to drive the snakes out of Ireland, it was merely incidental to a general cleaning-up.

Driving Out The Demons. On that momentous and never-to-be-forgotten occasion he climbed the mountain which today is called Croagh Patrick. The mountain overlooks the sea, and between it and the sea is a great chasm. All the demons in Ireland, the evil spirits, the dragons, the snakes, etc., had been collected by the power of God and dumped into that chasm, where, in a frightful coil, they kept up a continuous roaring and hissing.

The Saint, having reached the summit of the mountain, advanced to the brink of the chasm, holding in one hand his pastoral staff and in the other a bell. "Wretched spawn of Satan," he said, addressing the abominations beneath him, "be accursed!"

There was quite a lot more of that curse; for the curses of religious authority in those times were elaborate and comprehensive. It wound up with a magnificent especially addressed to the unclean "Foul species, who in the unnatural means by which you possess your unnatural bodies, and in the poison of the Devil contained in your mouths, declare your abominable origin, be banished from this green land. Forever and forever depart!"

Uplifting his arms, he rang the four-sided pewter bell. A horrible noise arose from the chasm, and the assembled throng beheld the demons, the serpents, and the rest by thousands in flight down the mountain side and into the sea. Since then there have been no snakes in Ireland, and no demons except good and friendly ones.

Amiable Spirits. As a matter of strict fact, there is still one species of snake in Ireland. It is called the "ringed" snake, and is small and harmless. There is still one rather alarming demon, the Banshee, which waits to give notice of an approaching death, but nobody ever heard of its doing any-one any harm.

Of the friendly demons there are plenty. Evidently Saint Patrick did not think it worth while to drive them out. Indeed, they contribute most cheerfully and agreeably to the folklore of the Emerald Isle. Some of them, such as the leprechaun, are "forest" spirits. Today, as of old, Ireland is a favorite home of the fairies, those daintiest and most delightful of supernatural beings. What a dull world this would be without fairy tales, and it is the Irish who know the fairies best.

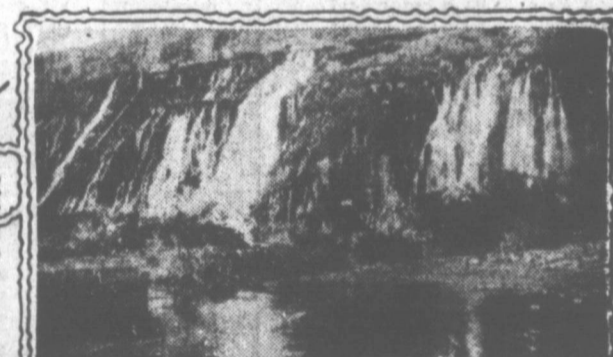
## GIANT SPRINGS WOULD WATER NEW YORK CITY



SILVER SPRING THE LARGEST IN FLORIDA



WATER FLOWING FROM BIG SPRING, MISSOURI



NEAR VIEW OF A PORTION OF THOUSAND SPRINGS, IDAHO



GIANT SPRINGS NEAR GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

### Mammoth Out Cropping in the United States — Steamboats Ply On the Surface of Some of the Great Springs — Electric Energy Supplied.

By MALCOLM MACDONALD

HERE are giant springs in the United States which defy the imagination as to the vast quantity of water discharged from individual outlets. Any one of them supplies enough water to care for the total needs of a city of half a million people. The country holds at least 85 springs of this size, each giving forth more than six or three million gallons of water—equivalent to the average daily consumption of the city of Washington, D. C.

Some springs are even larger. A single outlet, for instance, would discharge water that would suffice for Greater New York, with daily flow of more than half a billion gallons. There are some regions in which monster springs are assembled in family groups. One such collection exists along the north side of the Snake River, in Idaho. The flow of these natural fountains may best be described as stupendous, with combined water supply twice as great as the aggregate consumption of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Boston and St.

Louis—communities of more than 12 million people. Statisticians have gone even further, and figured that the group would give 129 gallons daily to every person in all the nation's cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants.

Steamers Fly On Their Waters. Some of these springs are so enormous that steamboats use them for waterways. Others supply horsepower in large volume for hydro-electric generating plants. In other cases an individual spring will create a huge lake or a good-sized river.

How big is a big spring? The question will be answered differently in different neighborhoods. Some sections have "Big Springs" that yield less than ten gallons a minute. Elsewhere the designation may be given the spring discharging a dozen barrels in 60 seconds.

Spring flow is measured in "second-feet," or the number of cubic feet discharged in a single second. A second-foot equals 646,000 gal-

lons daily, giving 100 gallons to each person in a community of 6500 people.

Oscar Edward Meinzer has been studying springs in behalf of the United States Geological Survey. His research reveals the existence of springs with individual yields of more than 1 second-foot, and hundreds that yield 10 second-feet apiece. Most of the big ones are in limestone or volcanic rock, where the underground formation provides large channels for stream flow.

Remarkable Florida Spring. One of the largest of all springs in the United States is Silver Spring, in Marion county, Florida. The water of this basin is 35 feet

deep over an area of more than a full acre. The spring is located in the midst of a sub-tropical forest, and its water is as clear as the atmosphere. Glass-bottom boats enable visitors to view fish which seem suspended in mid-air. Bright objects beneath the surface catch the sunlight and provide magical effects in stage setting. The 32 varieties of fish in this spring are so tame that they will eat from human hands, and one of the features of a visit is to see them collect beneath the boats when called by the native guides. The spring emits 382 second-feet of water, or more than the requirements of Greater New York.

The Mammoth Spring, in Arkansas, is fed by a subterranean river, with a flow estimated as high as 150,000 gallons a minute, forming a pool 65 feet in depth. This spring operates a hydro-electric plant of 1100 horsepower, supplying electric energy for several towns and cities. Hahatonka Spring, in Missouri, has heavy flow, which has worn a 300 foot canyon through the soil and limestone formation.

The Texas Plains, near the Rio Grande, contain a spring which has been described as a fountain in the desert. There are no trees surrounding the pool, and the whole environment is bleak and barren. In the bottom of the basin the clear water is seen walling up in

a great vertical column. This gusher is known as San Felipe Spring, and its water, measuring hundreds of millions of gallons daily, creates a bold rushing stream which flows into the Rio Grande.

Water-Power Facilities. The spring region of Idaho contains many outlets of first magnitude, with streams gushing forth at points as much as 200 feet above the level of the Snake River, which flows at the bottom of the cliffs. The elevation offers vast possibilities for water-power development, and many large plants are found along the river.

Before being harnessed for electrical purposes, these springs generated spectacular waterfalls. The group known as Thousand Springs gave rise to a cataract 3000 feet long and 125 feet high. This group has a measured flow of more than 600 second-feet. Near at hand is the Snowbank Spring, which cre-

ated a dashing cataract of snow.

Giant Springs, in Montana, with group discharge of more than 600 cubic feet to the second, afford interesting study to the geologist. Investigation supports the belief that the water of this group is derived from the sub-river flow of the Missouri, which leaves the valley of the main stream as an underflow and follows a pre-glacial channel to rejoin the river after nine or ten miles of underground wanderings.

France has the famous spring of Fontaine de Vaucluse, with a flow greater than that of any spring in America. Issuing from a single opening in a limestone cliff, the maximum flow is 6000 cubic feet to the second.

Spring fluctuates with weather conditions. A period of heavy rainfall brings increased discharge for a considerable period.

### Bucky Harris Is Likely to Boost Pirates Up Notch

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 18. (AP)—Whether Stanley "Bucky" Harris plays or not, he is a factor that cannot be overlooked when the chances of the Detroit Tigers in the forthcoming American league campaign are considered.

His record will attest to that. In the five years that he has been wielding managerial reins, his products never have finished out of the first division.

Considerable interest will center upon Harris' debut with the Tigers, for his ascension to the manager's job brings them a leader of a type new to Detroit baseball. He has a way of handling the team that is interesting to study.

After holding down an outfield berth for the past ten years, Harry Hellmann, whose chief enjoyment appears to be knocking dry knots out of baseball fences, has been assigned to first base. Hellmann, who again aims to lead the league in hitting, is finding coverage of the initial sack to his liking.

Dale Alexander, formerly of Toronto, a fence buster, has been hitting a mighty pace to vie with Hellmann. The six-foot-three-inch first base prospect, who batted .380 last season, appears to have put in a stronger bid for 1929 hitting honors than has Dudley Brannan drafted from Louisville, where he led the American association in total bases and hit around .330.

Charley Gehring, ranked as the best second sacker in the league and a .316 batsman last year, will again fill the berth he has held for the last three seasons. He has Francis Sigfoote, drafted from Portland of the Pacific Coast league, as a rival, while Manager Harris also can play second, but does not plan to do so unless an emergency arises.

Heinie Schube, once with the St. Louis Cardinals, and last year with the Houston club, has the Texas league, has been working his head off to make the shortstop grade. Mortie McManus, veteran of two years, is a certainty at third.

If Roy Johnson, \$75,000 fly chaser from the San Francisco club of the Coast league, fits into the place Harris has opened for him, the Tigers will have an outfield possessed of both power and speed.

Harry Rice, who was secured in a trade with the St. Louis Browns last spring involving Maunsh and Blue, and John Stone, youngster who was brought up from Evansville last fall and proved a sensation, together with Johnson, are considered an ideal outfield. All are better than .300 hitters. Robert Fothergill, whose connection with the club dates back six or seven years, is yet to be reckoned with however.

### BRUSHING UP SPORTS... By Laufer



The most unusual role of the turf world, that of an owner riding his own horses, will be enacted at Bowie, Md., this spring when Earl Sande, one of the greatest jockeys of all time, will ride his own thoroughbred racers.

With the recent announcement that Sande has entered three of his horses in the Preakness, race followers are enthusing over the dramatic possibilities in coming Maryland meetings.

Sande's three entries for the big event are

Safety Pin, Near By, and Hermitage.

When Sande quit the saddle a year ago, it was generally believed that his increasing weight never would permit him to essay a comeback as a jockey. Since his plans to ride again were announced, it has been whispered in some quarters that he is returning to the saddle to recoup lost finances. This isn't exactly so; he is returning to the saddle because he loves it and he thinks he can boot one of his own horses home winner in the classic Preakness.

### Donie Bush Breathes Easier When Pirates Begin to Hit—Waners Have Not Yet Signed—Babe Ruth Hits Air

NEW ORLEANS, March 18. (AP)—The reassembled Cleveland Indians took up the practice grind today after contributing their collective efforts to the box scores of three exhibition games over the week-end. Saturday the regulars defeated the New Orleans Pelicans, 16 to 0, and repeated again yesterday, 6 to 4, while the Yahnigans were losing to the Toledo Mudhens at Biloxi, Miss., 2 to 1.

Back on the training lot at Orlando, Fla., today after a 700-mile bus excursion that took in five exhibition matches, it appeared that at least two youngsters had made good and were destined to remain on the main line with the Cincinnati Reds this season. Pitcher Silas Johnson hurled 10 innings, eight of them against the powerful Philadelphia Athletics and the world's champion Yankees, and he delivered.

The Waners haven't signed and the make-up of his infield has not yet been definitely settled but Donie Bush is able to ditch at least one worry. The Pirates are beginning to hit. Twenty-seven safeties were marked on the score cards for the Pirates' two exhibition games yesterday, 18 of them coming in the first contest which Pittsburgh won from the San Francisco Missions, 10 to 2, and nine more in the contest the Bats dropped to Frisco, 5 to 3.

Red Sox rookies have been given plenty of opportunity to demonstrate their ability this spring. They had the field to themselves yesterday against Indianapolis. Mill Gaston, pitcher; Bob Barrett, third base; Perry Standsert, first, and Grant Gillis, short, all made good impressions. A ninth-inning rally gave the Sox the game, 11 to 10.

So far this training season Babe Ruth hasn't hit much but air. He seldom hits during spring training. "I'll find my eyes in a few days and correct my timing. Then I'll hit 'em, he says.

The New York Giants again have been victims of a "Fred Merkle" but it didn't cost them a National league championship as it did in 1908. It didn't even lose them an exhibition game to the Houston Buffaloes yesterday but it came mighty close to it. With the Giants leading, 4-3, in the seventh inning, Andy Reese failed to touch second base while advancing on Lindstrom's hit. The Houston second baseman called for the ball just as Johnny Evers did in 1908 and touched the bag. This retired the side and a run that went over on Lindstrom's hit was wiped off the books.

Houston did no more scoring. Max Rosenfeld, who came from the Southern league to the Brooklyn Robins as an outfielder, may become a utility infielder. Manager Robinson has outfielders in quantity and needs reserve infielders. Rosenfeld played base at intervals last season and Robinson has begun to experiment with him.

#### GETS YONG SENTENCE

SAN MARCOS, March 18. (AP)—A 99-year sentence was given Percy Garnett, Mount Sharp ranchman, by a jury here yesterday for the slaying last summer of Robert Calhoun, 70, a neighbor. The state had asked the death penalty.

T. D. Hobart is in Houston attending a convention of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association. Mr. Hobart is vice-president of the organization which is the largest of its kind in the state.

Daily News' want-ads bring results.

### San Antonio Is Pleased as Rookies Show Up Well

DALLAS, March 18. (AP)—San Antonio's Bears, who battled the New York Giants second team 12 innings to a 5-5 tie Saturday and then took a 7-1 beating Sunday, were back in their Laredo training camp today getting ready for a barnstorming trip to Kingsville next Saturday and Sunday. Continued good work by Kott, rookie infielder, and Hobb Carson, husky pitcher, formerly of T. C. U., caused Manager Alexander to predict that these two probably would be among the five rookies San Antonio must carry this summer under the new league rule.

The Dallas Steers' pitching staff was bolstered yesterday by acquisition of Charlie Glazier, righthander, who won 22 games and lost 10 last year for Mobile. Glazier was one of nine players declared free agents Saturday by Judge Landis after his investigation of alleged "cover-up" deals. Since agreeing to the Dallas terms, it was reported Glazier had been offered better contracts by several other clubs.

Having dropped their first two exhibition tilts to the New York Giants, the Houston Buffs began preparing today for their first away from home contest with the University of Texas at Austin Wednesday. The attendance at the games Saturday and yesterday indicated the turnstile at Buffalo stadium will click merrily this season. More than 10,000 persons paid to see the games.

The Fort Worth Cats were back at their training camp at Mineral Wells today ready for another week of work. They returned last night after having defeated the Chicago White Sox at Fort Worth, 2 to 0. The Sunday game was the rubber contest of the series and the Panther victory was particularly pleasing to Fort Worth supporters who have looked upon Jake Atz' young team with a questioning eye.

### SPORT RESULTS

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK—Jean Borotra conquers first two opponents in easy fashion as men's national indoor championship begins; other seeded stars advance without incident.

BOSTON—Margaret Blake, of Lenox captures women's national indoor crown doubles title retained by Mrs. George W. Wightman and Sarah Palfrey of Boston; Miss Blake and Richard Hartig wins mixed doubles crown.

PALM BEACH—Brian I. C. Norton South Africa, dethrones Vincent Richards as national professional tennis champion.

PHILADELPHIA—Jay Gould and William C. Wright, Philadelphia, win third consecutive national doubles court tennis title.

JACKSONVILLE—Horton Smith of Joplin, Mo., takes Florida open championship.

TAMPA—Mrs. Lee Mida, Chicago, defeats Mrs. Melvin Jones, also of Chicago, to win Florida women's title.

CHICAGO—Michigan captures Big Ten indoor championship.

WHITINSVILLE, Mass.—Joan McSheehy breaks national 100-yard backstroke record by fifth of a second.

TUJANA—Golden Prince, owned by Sunshot Stable, captures rich Cofroth handicap.

NEW YORK—Ray Conger, Illinois, A. C. conquers Wide and Purje, among others, in "Mile of Century" at Knights of Columbus games.

### BLAZING the SPORTS TRAIL

When you start talking about epochs in sport and that sort of thing, how about the epoch that a young man named Jones started on the links of the Inwood Country club in 1923 as he beat Bobby Cruickshank for the American open golf championship?

I saw Bobby Jones—you may have heard his name before—beat Cruickshank with one of the greatest iron shots of any championship affair and thereby gain his first national title five years ago on the flat, watery Long Island links. I saw the great Georgian, a trifle balder and stouter, mow down his opposition at Brae Burn last September in a crushing march to his fourth American amateur crown in five years.

If you don't think there's been an epoch-making achievement within these five years, look the record over. Four national amateur championships, two national open titles and a brace of British open crowns represent the conquest of Aalanta's fair-haired boy. There's no one else even close over this period, no one player except Walter Hagen who has captured any national title, British or American, more than once in that five-year span.

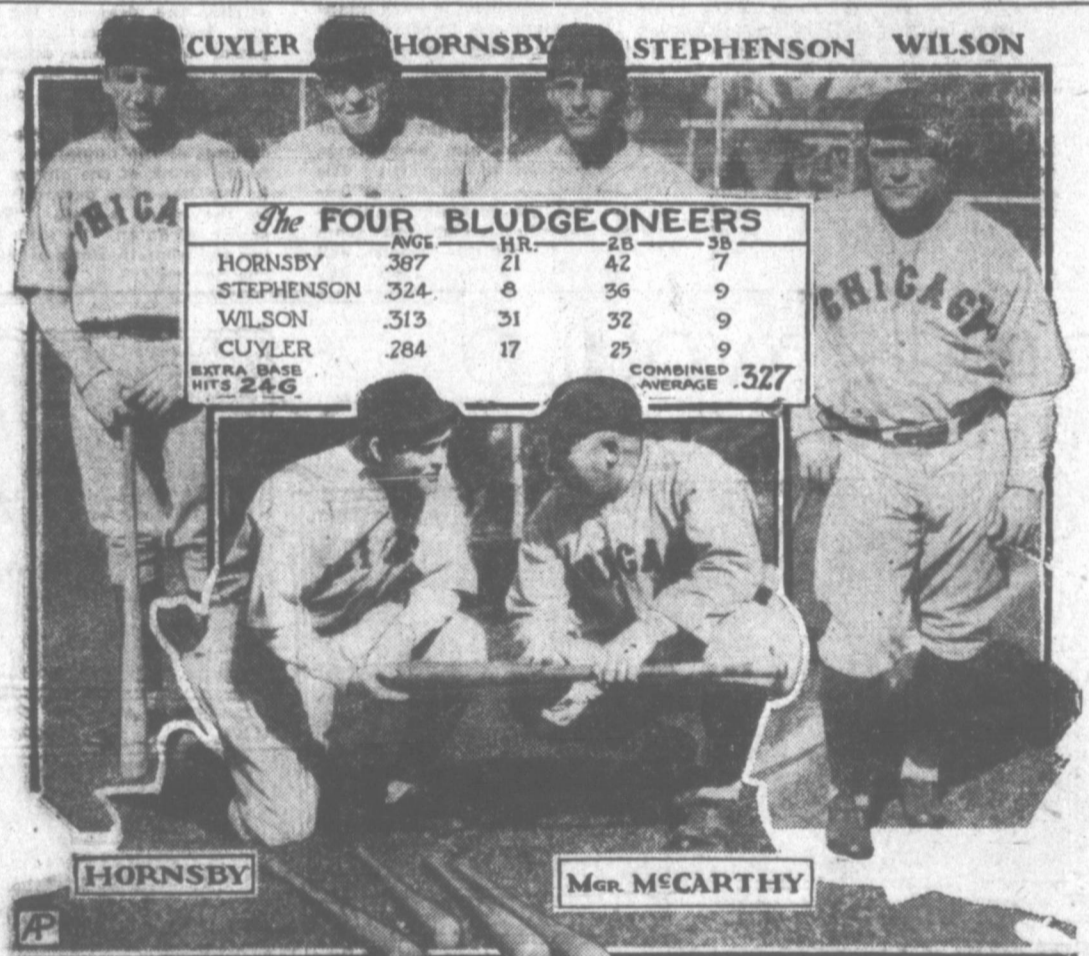
The strange part of it is that those who tramped behind Cruickshank and Jones in their 1923 play-off over the wind-swept Inwood links had a pretty good hunch that it was just a case of setting off the fireworks. Bobby was the boy wonder, acknowledged at 21 as a master shotmaker in a game where it was only a question of time before he would crash through to the top. It just happened that he chose Inwood for the opening act of the drama and Cruickshank as his unfortunate victim.

The little Scotsman had made a game gift, a sensational finish to the Jones with 296 at the end of the regulation 72 holes. It was ironic fate as well as fact that the same shot that had given Cruickshank his tie on Saturday turned out to be his undoing on Sunday on the same hole, the 18th. Through 17 holes of the play-off they were tied while a big Sabbath crowd watched the nip-and-tuck battle. From the 18th tee, Cruickshank, who had just caught his rival to square the match at the 17th, half-topped his drive, landing in the rough behind a clump of trees. Jones was 100 yards longer, but in the edge of the rough, Cruickshank's second shot was barely ahead of Jones' drive after cutting through the leaves of a tree.

Aided by a good lie, the Georgian used his midiron for one of the greatest shots of the tournament, a 290-yard swipe that never wavered from a direct line to the flag and stopped about four feet from it. Cruickshank hooked his third to the trap at the left of the green and then walked over to congratulate Jones after giving 15 feet past the cup and missing the putt coming back.

The final score was 76 to 78. Bobby was king and off on a long-distance eign that since has failed to see the year where he hasn't held at least one or more national titles.

### Cub Bludgeoneers Gird For Flag Fight



With Rogers Hornsby setting the pace, the Cubs expect to blast their way to the 1929 National League flag. Hornsby is chatting with his new chief, Manager Joe McCarthy, in the inset.

#### MICHIGAN HOLDS MANY TITLES OF BIG TEN LOOP

CHICAGO, March 18. (AP)—The Big Ten indoor athletic season is over with Michigan holding championships in wrestling and a half ownership in the basketball title.

Illinois ranked second with championships in fencing and gymnastics, while Wisconsin and Iowa tied for third. Wisconsin tied with Michigan for the basketball title, while Iowa won track honors.

Placing men in every event, Michigan captured the swimming crown in the University of Chicago pool Saturday night with 44 points. Northwestern swimmer, who broke one national interscholastic mark and two conference records, placed second with 34, while Illinois and Wisconsin landed third and fourth with 15 and 11 points, respectively.

#### BOMB SAYS IT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 18. (AP)—A bomb exploded against the rear wall of a downtown picture theatre early today. Several windows in the nearby buildings were shattered, and a hole torn in the wall. The bombing was ascribed to labor trouble.

AVALON, Catalina Island (AP)—Out here in this semi-tropical country, Joe McCarthy is polishing up his big punch for what promises to be the Chicago Cubs' year in the National League.

With Rogers Hornsby, one of the game's biggest batting threats, as key man, McCarthy is building with the confident hope that he will have a batting attack strong enough to break through any and all kinds of fancy pitching.

He has good reason for his hopes, for Hornsby, Wilson, Stephenson and Cuyler wound up the 1928 season with a combined batting average of .324.

This quartet pounded out 246 extra base hits, including 77 home runs, 123 two-baggers and 34 three-baggers.

English, Hartnett and Grimm, all regulars, batted around the .300 mark last year and should do better this year if for no other reason than that they will benefit by the weakening effect the four headline sluggers will have on opposing sluggers.

Having a sure 375 hitter like Hornsby on a club is plenty bad for the enemy but when there also are club-

bers like Riggs Stephenson, who hit .324 in 1928 and Hack Wilson, who batted .313 and pounded out 31 home runs, something is bound to give. Here are the cold figures on the 1928 showing of the Cubs' big four: Cuyler . . . . .25 9 17 284 Hornsby . . . . .42 7 21 387 Stephenson . . . . .36 9 8 324 Wilson . . . . .32 9 31 313 2B 3B HR. Ave.

#### "Golden Prince" Wins \$100,000 for Chicago Owner

James Berthelein of Chicago, and his trainer-partner, Harry Unna, today were nearly \$100,000 richer as the result of the victory of their Sunshot stable entry, Golden Prince, in the Cofroth handicap here.

A crowd of 25,000, with little regard for possible interference from the revolution, surged across the border yesterday to witness the tenth renewal of the west's greatest racing feature.

Naishapur, owned by Chaffee Earl of Los Angeles, finished a neck behind Golden Prince, drawing \$9,000. Scimitar of the Agua Caliente stables, came in six lengths behind the winner to take third money of \$4,500.

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"I suffered from constipation and pains in my stomach," continued Mr. Gray, "and was in such a run-down condition that I really didn't feel like going about my work. I would go home at night and roll from one side of the bed to another and some times I just couldn't go to sleep and would get up in the morning feeling worse than when I went to bed."

"My food didn't taste right and it didn't seem to nourish me any, and I was so constipated I had to be constantly taking medicine. Sometimes after eating I was about the most miserable feeling creature you ever saw from indigestion."

"Some few weeks ago I started in taking Orgatone, and noticed right off it was getting in its work, and in that short time I have got so much better all those awful indigestion pains in my stomach don't bother me now at all anymore. I am not constipated and I sleep like a top, so calm and comfortable and I get up in the morning feeling as fit as you please and ready to tackle anything. I eat now with a relish, and every thing tastes good and my food is giving me the strength and energy I have lost when I started to run down so. I am now on my second bottle, and I feel that Orgatone is doing the right thing for me, and it will do the same for any body else who will take it when they ought."

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George W. Briggs returned yesterday from a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth.



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## Thirteen Person's Killed in Worst Plane Disaster

NEWARK, N. J., March 18. (AP)—Delmont Parsons, a passenger in the Ford tri-motored plane which crashed late yesterday, died in St. James hospital today, bringing the total fatalities in the crash up to fourteen.

NEWARK, N. J., March 18. (AP)—Thirteen sightseers were killed instantly yesterday in the worst airplane wreck there has been in the United States. The pilot and one passenger, the only persons aboard to escape death, were severely injured.

A huge tri-motored plane operated by the Colonial Airways crashed into a freight car loaded with sand while attempting a forced landing a mile from the Newark airport after its motors had stopped.

Lou Foote, the pilot, and Belmont Parsons, a friend riding in the cockpit beside him, were hurled 50 feet from the plane by the impact. Those in the cabin were flung into a heap in the forward end of the fuselage. Many were impaled on pieces of torn metal.

Witnesses said the plane appeared to be in trouble from the time it took off from the airport with its load of passengers for a trip over New York City. It rose sluggishly. Persons who saw the ship just before the crash said the propellers were turning over slowly as though the motors were dead. The plane was not more than 200 feet above the ground.

Foote came to Newark four days ago to join the Colonial Airways fliers. He had been employed at the Ford airplane factory in Detroit building and flying ships of the type of the wrecked plane. He learned to fly during the war and had 2,500 hours flying time on his record. He had 200 flying hours on Ford ships.

Dudley Rowland, operating manager of Colonial Airways, said he was at a "total loss" to explain the disaster.

## Formation of New District Urged by School Patrons

Petitions are being circulated in the northeastern part of Gray county asking that five rural school communities be consolidated into one district. At an enthusiastic meeting of taxpayers from the Farrington, Laketon, Snowden Lake, Keplinger, and Cottonwood districts Friday night in the Laketon school, the unanimous decision to vote a consolidated school district should be formed.

John B. Hessey, county superintendent, presided at the meeting which was attended by more than 100 persons. The county superintendent was introduced by County Commissioner John White of precinct 1.

In a short address, Mr. Hessey brought out the facts that people are awakening to the fact that children cannot be educated in the country without proper equipment, competent teachers and good buildings.

He showed that in the five communities in that part of the county teachers were instructing from five to 12 pupils.

The Santa Fe Railway company offered to donate a site in the new town-site of Laketon for a school building. W. E. Christopher, pioneer Gray county resident, also offered a site in Laketon for a new consolidated school.

Immediate action for consolidation will be taken, Mr. Hessey says.

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## THE FOXES OF WAR

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
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"A man was shot in the Tower of London this morning." Every once in a while during the world war this official notice would be handed to the British press. Nothing more. But the public finally came to recognize these mysterious, chilling statements as announcements of the executions of spies.

Spies—the foxes which gnawed at the vitals of all countries involved in the war. Spies—the bane of governments and the scourge of commanders along the battle lines.

Both men and women—thousands of the latter—were engaged in this secret, hazardous occupation, and if their history could be written in detail it would form one of the most amazing chronicles of the world conflict. It would provide an almost irreconcilable mixture of bravery and cowardice, of unselfishness and cupidity, of love and hatred, but whatever the motive which inspired this work there was one im-

mutable fact that applied to all spies—they were playing with death.

Both sides employed hosts of spies. I learned that England even had spies working in government offices in Berlin. I doubt not that the Germans had similar arrangements in allied capitals. Certainly the allied countries were filled with spies, and in the war zones they were everywhere. I knew of many being shot along the front in France while I was attached to British general headquarters as war correspondent.

One of the most common types of spy, and perhaps the most romantic, was the woman who bartered herself for such crumbs of information as she might pick up from the men she selected from all walks of life.

Paris, of course, was full of these women. Some of them maintained palatial homes and were gowned like princesses. They entertained lavishly and took no money from their guests—they were looking for information. Many an officer had an Arabian nights romance which he could not account, but

he could have got an explanation from Berlin.

There were, of course, many other kinds of spies. Up in Flanders more than one farmer was caught using the arms of his windmill as a semaphore to communicate with enemy airplanes. These spies were shot against their will and the buildings burned. The war correspondents also discovered that some Flemish women were signalling enemy planes by arranging the family washing in a special manner on the grass of their gardens.

Once we uncovered an interesting spy in a well known hotel in Amiens, which was ostensibly a Frenchman—a distinguished appearing, courteous gentleman of middle age. He had lived at the top of the hotel for months, and had a speaking acquaintance with everybody.

When finally it became necessary for civilians to evacuate Amiens, he slipped away. The hotel servants then discovered a powerful wireless set in his room. We handed the information to the military authorities and the man

was traced to Paris. He sent no more wireless messages.

The most striking spy work I encountered was in Belgium. The brave little Belgian army, cooped up in the tiny bit of Belgian territory left unoccupied, had squad of men who went regularly through the fighting lines and made their way to Brussels—the heart of the enemy territory. They actually had to pass through the "impassable" German lines before they won their way to the open country.

What tremendous courage those chaps had! Naturally, many of them were caught and shot. But there were always others to take their places.

One of the funniest incidents of the war involved a Teutonic princess. She crossed into neutral country where she was very thoroughly examined to make sure that she was not an agent of the central powers. In fact, she was made to disrobe so that it might be determined whether she carried papers.

It so happened that a newspaper had come into contact with the princess' body during her train trip. The ink on the paper was wet and a large section of type was reproduced on her white skin, unknown to her. The authorities saw this, and being unable to read it readily, since it was reproduced backward, made the unfortunate lady pose while they made photographs. When it was discovered that the print was not a secret message, but merely a newspaper yarn there was loud laughter from everybody excepting the princess, who was exceedingly wroth, and perhaps with just cause.

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