

WOMAN DIES IN FLOOD

Oklahoma and Texas Clash Over Toll Bridges



Just about the time it looked like the heat wave, the German financial crisis and a few other stories were going to grab all the space on the front page, Oklahoma and Texas tangled up over the matter of Oklahoma (right), ardent champion of free bridges, and Governor Ross Sterling of Texas, with a map of the battle front.

OFFICIAL HAS FEW FACTS IN "HEAD" TODAY

Asserts There Is Evidence of Price-Fixing but It Is Not Available—State Law Is Not Enforceable.

IN MILD DISPUTE

Commission Waits for Complaints Before Considering Tariff of Pipelines—Violations Will Be Sought.

AUSTIN, July 20. (A)—Attempts to uncover violators of the anti-trust laws by price fixing agreements among the major oil companies were made today by the house of representatives of the Texas legislature in its investigation of the reasons for the chaotic conditions in the oil industry.

R. D. Parker, chief supervisor of the oil and gas division of the railroad commission, was the witness during the inquiry into this phase of the problem.

Parker said he did not know who fixed the price of oil. He was asked by Representative Hardy Graves of Georgetown if the major companies did not "follow suit" in price reductions and raise. Parker answered that when one company cut, the others usually followed and that when one raised the price, the same condition prevailed.

Has No Facts
"This might be a conclusion that the price was fixed by concerted action but I have no facts on which to base the opinion," Parker said, adding that it had been reported to him that much of the oil in East Texas was being bought by the majors on contract from brokers and not on a posted price.

Parker was quizzed at length concerning the operations of pipeline companies affiliated or owned by producing and marketing companies. Several of the major oil companies make most of their earnings in pipeline operations while showing a loss on producing and marketing, Parker said. He cited the Humble Oil and Refining company as an example, saying its report showed earnings of \$19,000,000 on pipeline operations and a loss of \$1,000,000 on marketing operations.

Companies owning their own pipelines have a distinct advantage over operators who have no transportation medium, haven't they? Graves asked.
"They have," Parker replied.
"Makes No Probe
He was then asked how the pipeline rates were set. Parker explained the pipeline companies were required to file a schedule of tariffs with the commission which became the schedule rates subject to revision.

"Has the commission ever taken the initiative to determine if the rates charged are fair?" Graves asked.
"No. We assume they are fair unless challenged by the operators and have allowed them to stand under the theory if they were not fair complaints would be filed. We have pending now one application for a 50 per cent reduction in rates, filed by the Independent Petroleum association. Action on this application has been delayed at the request of the applicants," Parker stated.
The senate met only a few minutes and then adjourned to listen in on the house inquiry. The administration bill for creation of an appointive conservation commission, offered in the house last week, was introduced by Senator

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Fall Due in Prison Today

Newspaper Interviews Forbidden by Government—Trip Stops at Ranch.

THREE RIVERS, N. M., July 20. (A)—Albert B. Fall faced a 200-mile trip from his Tres Rios ranch today to the New Mexico penitentiary at Santa Fe, where he is sentenced to serve a term of a year and a day for accepting a bribe while secretary of the interior.

An ambulance, described by the former cabinet officer as a "damned hearse," awaited him for resumption of the journey from El Paso, Tex., about noon. His party, including Mrs. Fall and a granddaughter, Martha Fall, arrived here Saturday night.

The hall was suggested by Dr. J. H. Gambrell, his personal physician. Fall had stood the trip fairly well, but was "feeble and tired." Fall had no visitors yesterday. He retired early last night.

Usual Routine
There was no evidence of a departure from the regular routine of the former interior secretary at Tres Rios ranch this morning. M. Fall was expected to sleep until noon, have breakfast then, according to his habit, and Dr. Gambrell was then expected to determine when the trip to Santa Fe would be resumed.

Skies were gray and roads were wet here this morning following yesterday's rain. Members of the Fall party expressed apprehension over the conditions of roads over the 327-mile stretch between the ranch and Santa Fe. It was believed, however, a start would be made today and in the event the roads ahead were reported wet, a stop would be made to permit Fall another period of rest.

SANTA FE, N. M., July 20. (A)—Interviews by the press with Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, were expressly forbidden by the United States department of justice today in a letter of instructions to Warden Ed Swope, of the New Mexico penitentiary. The letter, from Sanford Bates, director of federal prisons, was received from Washington today. It read in part:

"It is needless for me to say that the bureau (the penal bureau of the department of justice) desires that the same basis as every other prisoner of his age and condition of health; that no special favors or privileges be accorded him; that personal interviews with him by members of the press be forbidden; that extra visitors or letters be given only where, in your judgment, a special necessity exists therefor; and that absence on his part from the jail be strictly prohibited."

NEWSPAPER MAN HURT
JACKSONVILLE, July 20. (A)—Guy Houston, 19, Athens newspaper man, was in a dying condition in a hospital here today with a fractured spine. He was injured yesterday at Chambers Lake, an Athens swimming resort, when he dove from a raft. X-ray examination showed a spinal fracture between his shoulders. Physicians held no hope of his recovery.

WELL BLAZE KILLS EIGHT

Seven Others Are Severely Burned at Shooting of Michigan Test.

MT. PLEASANT, Mich., July 20. (A)—An oil field fire which climaxed the shooting of a "gusher" 13 miles from here Saturday had taken eight lives today, while seven other victims, terribly burned, were in a critical condition in a local hospital. The latter area includes well whose "shooting" attracted the victims and 200 other spectators to the scene of the tragedy, still is burning.

The well came in as a gusher shortly before a storage tank exploded from a cause as yet undetermined.
(See BLAZE, Page 6)

WHEAT CROP OF THIS AREA IS ESTIMATED AT 1,700,000 BUSHELS—MOST NOW CUT

Average Yield Will Probably Be 18 Bushels—Price Is 24 Cents Again.

The 1931 crop in the Pampa wheat territory will be approximately 1,700,000 bushels, and in Gray county 2,084,887 bushels, according to figures compiled today by the Daily News. Local and community dealers estimate that about 90 per cent of the crop has been harvested, and that the average yield will be about 18 bushels. This year's is the biggest crop since 1929 when the average yield per acre was 19 1-2 bushels, according to the 1930 farm census. Last year the yield was estimated at 13 bushels per acre. In 1929, the Pampa territory yielded 1,750,000 bushels of wheat, and Gray county 2,197,380 bushels. There was very little difference in acreage figures of this year and in

Showed Europe



She gave Europe a glimpse of speed on the typewriter keys. Stella Wilkins, for four years winner of the International Typewriting contest, is shown here as she returned to New York after demonstrating her 124-words-a-minute speed to thousands of European stenographers, commercial school teachers and office workers.

Home-Comers



A nice time in Europe? Oh, yes, a FINE time. But they're glad to get back, too, and here you see Norma Shearer, film star, and her producer husband, Irving Thalberg, smiling at sight of New York's skyline as the liner Bremen brought them home after a three months' tour abroad.

MRS. COFFEE DIES SUNDAY

Friends Fill Church When Funeral for Mother and Infant Is Held.

Mrs. Walter Coffee, 28, well-known church worker and wife of a prominent citizen of Pampa, died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning at a local hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the First Methodist church of which she was a member, directed by the G. C. Malone funeral home with the Rev. C. E. Lancaster, pastor of the First Baptist church, in charge. The auditorium and balcony of the church were packed with friends and acquaintances of the family. The altar of the church was piled high with scores of floral offerings.

Burial was being made this afternoon in the White Deer cemetery. Pallbearers were Marion Howard of Hereford, W. T. Fraser, Porter Malone, Dick Hughes, P. O. Saunders, and John F. Studer. Honorary pallbearers included 64 close friends of the family from Pampa, White Deer and other Panhandle cities.

Mrs. Coffee is survived by her husband, Walter Coffee, an eight-year-old son, Wayne; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Horn; three sisters, Mrs. Alma McCoy, Mrs. Anna Dickens and Miss Claudine Horn, all of White Deer.

(See MRS. COFFEE, Page 6)

Accident Toll Very Heavy

Auto Collisions, Shootings, and Drownings Listed As Causes of Deaths.

By the Associated Press
Nine persons were known to have met violent deaths in Texas over the week-end.

Three persons were killed in automobile collisions, two were shot to death, one was ground under the wheels of a train, one drowned, one was burned to death and another plunged from a gravel pit trolley in an electric switch box.

Earl Renwick, 34, Hildon, Okla.
Mrs. R. L. Fox, 52, Moody.
Jackie Henberg, 7, Lueders.
Charlie Mills, 48, San Augustine.
An unidentified white man, about 50, Gladewater.
Henry Johnson, 24, West Point.
Arch Kelsce, 63, Avery.
Mrs. R. L. Watson, Douglas, Ariz.
Earl Abbey, Fort Arthur.
Renwick died yesterday from injuries he received when an oil tank he was working on in Kilgore exploded.

Mrs. Fox, wife of the publisher of the Moody Courier, was almost instantly killed when her car was struck by another near her home in Moody.
The Henberg child was killed when the car in which she was riding collided with another machine between Eastland and Cisco.
Mills, a farmer living near San Augustine, was found shot to death on a road where he had fallen from his wagon when struck by a bullet.
Kelsce was shot to death as he lay in bed at his home near Avery. Johnson plunged from a gravel pit trolley into an electric switch box. Abbey was drowned in the gulf between Fort Bolivar and Caplen on the Bolivar peninsula late yesterday, and an unidentified white man was found on the Texas and Pacific railroad tracks in the west outskirts of Gladewater early yesterday.

Mrs. Watson met instant death early Saturday when the car in which she was riding plowed into a steam roller near Monahans.

Huge Beer Haul Made on Sunday

Photographs were taken yesterday of the results of the biggest beer raid made to date by Sheriff Lon L. Blansett and his deputies.
A fair-sized portion of yesterday afternoon was used by the officers in transporting 700 bottles of beer, found in an unoccupied house 3 miles south of Pampa, to the basement of the Gray county court-house. No arrests were made. One man was held for questioning but was later released.

Knock! Knock! Who's There?

It's opportunity! Your opportunity to get into a business of your own is knocking in the business opportunities offered in the NEWS and POST Classified columns.
Read carefully, every day, the many offers which appear in these columns. Quick rates are often forced by circumstances and excellent businesses are offered at bargain prices.
If you want to find a buyer for your business, the classified columns will solve this problem, too.
To place an ad, phone or write the Want Ad department of the NEWS-POST.

"Speck" Tallant Proves He Is Not Victim of Murder by Walking Into Homes of Berger and Pampa Friends

Friends of Henry "Speck" Tallant, at Berger and Pampa thought they were seeing a ghost yesterday when "Speck" walked in on them.

They read in the papers that his body, punctured by bullets, was found in the ditch of an unused road near Marietta, Okla., and they failed to see a later article which stated positive proof had been found that the Pampa man was dead.

"Speck" arrived back in Pampa late yesterday. En route to Pampa he passed through Berger and it was there that he first learned that he was supposed to be dead. "Well, if that's true," he told Berger acquaintances, "I'll go right over to Pampa and collect my life insurance—I need it pretty badly right now, anyway."

Tallant, well-known cafe employee in Pampa, said this morning that he has been "all over" in the last 30 days—East Texas ("where you couldn't hire me to live"), Okla-

homa, Kansas, and the North Panhandle. He said that he was out hunting a job but failed to find one and came back to Pampa. "I want the people of Pampa to know that I'm not dead, but very much alive, and that I want a job—I've decided they've got to put up with me. Pampa's the best town in the southwest," he asserted. "And I ought to know—I've been all over it."
"Speck" was in Kansas when officers and the newspapers were making a great to-do over the body of an unidentified man found near Marietta. Officers of Love county said they believed it was the body of the Pampa man. Witnesses were found who felt certain the license numbers on the car seen entering the unused road were the same as those on Tallant's car. From July 10-12, "Speck" worked at Perryton and while there wrote a card to Bill Alexander of this city. It was this card that furnished definite proof that "Speck" was not the gun-shot victim whose body was found July 3.

Pat Neff at Bedside of Brother and Cannot Give Oil Suggestions

SAN ANGELO, July 20. (A)—Pat M. Neff, member and former chairman of the Texas railroad commission, who was scheduled to testify today before the house in its investigation into the oil industry, was at the bedside of his brother, Sam Neff, of Tennyson, in a hospital here this morning.

Suddenly stricken Saturday, Sam Neff is suffering from high blood pressure and scant hope for his recovery was entertained. He is the

only living brother of the former governor and has engaged in livestock raising in Coke county for more than a quarter century.

Pat Neff last night telegraphed Senator Bailey Hardy that he could not appear before the house committee today but hoped he would be able to testify late in the week. In view of his brother's critical condition, Neff declined any statement on his attitude toward regulation of the oil industry or proposed remedial measures.

Bids on Paving of Berger Highway to Be Opened Today

Stuckey Construction company was low by \$5,974.88 on bids for building 41-2 miles of paved highway on the Berger roads when figures were totaled by the county engineer and commissioners this afternoon.

The total bid was \$82,368.70. Officials of the company previously had told commissioners that they could bid \$5,000 under any other contractor by reason of having their machinery here for immediate use.

County commissioners were in session this afternoon to open bids for construction of about 4-1/2 miles of paving on the Berger road west of Pampa.
Three bids had been submitted. These were of Stuckey Construction company, J. W. Zempter of Amarillo, and McClung Construction company of Sweetwater.
COMMISSION IN DISPUTE
MEXICO CITY, July 20. (A)—Today's newspapers printed a statement that the sessions of the Mexican American general claims commission in Washington have terminated because of a dispute between the American commission and the neutral arbiter and that there is little probability Mexico will accede to an extension of the time limit for the commission to complete its work, the limit is August 31.

MOTHER OF PAMPA MAN NOT LOCATED

W. C. Conley Goes to Altus This Morning to Search for her Body—Rest of Family Rescued.

TOWN MAROONED

Humphreys, Okla., Surrounded by Swollen Waters From Snake Creek—Rail Tracks Washed Out.

Notified by telephone that his aged mother had drowned when a flood near Altus, Okla., washed her home away today, W. C. Conley, cook in a local cafe, left immediately to join the search for her body.

When the phone call was placed, his brother, Clarence Conley, and sister, Emma, were missing, but Associated Press dispatches later told of their rescue.

ALTUS, Okla., July 20. (A)—An elderly woman was drowned and the town of Humphreys, 12 miles southeast of here was marooned today by a flood.

A Mrs. Conley, about 65 years old, was drowned after her home had been washed away. The rest of her family and members of other families whose homes were swept into the flood waters, were rescued. It was believed there were no other fatalities.

M-K-T railroad tracks were washed out for more than a mile, and boats were taken into the area where between 10 and 12 inches of rain fell early today, sending Snake creek out of its banks.

Perched in the attic and on the roof of their home, members of the Lee Blair family were rescued by men using beams of horses. The J. A. Blair family also was rescued. Mrs. Conley was swept into the waters after she and her son, Clarence Conley, his wife and his sister, Emma, had gone to the railroad tracks from their inundated home. Boatmen were searching for her body.

The water was falling this afternoon. Inside the town proper the flood situation was not critical. Santa Fe tracks north and south of Altus were washed out with no trains expected for six hours. The M-K-T expected no service here before tomorrow afternoon. Other streams in the county were high. Crops in many cases were ruined.

RIO GRANDE IS HIGH
BROWNSVILLE, July 20. (A)—Torrential rains on the Mexican watersheds of the Rio Grande caused the river to rise to flood stage in the lower valley today.

The crest of the flood was expected to reach the lower valley within the next 12 hours. Despite water standing to a depth of 23.7 feet at San Benito and 18.9 feet in the river here, it had not broken over any of the levees.

The Rancho Viejo floodway, a flood control spillway through Cameron county, was carrying off a large flow from the Rio Grande this morning.

Leaves on the American bank of the river were in better condition than those on the Mexican side. Water was expected to break over the south bank before it did the north, valley engineers said.

Water was reported to have gone over its south bank near Camargo, flooding several roads.

Small Nails Are Cause of Mishap

HOUSTON, July 20. (A)—The cause of a collapse of the plaster roof in the intermediate class Sunday school assembly room of the Woodland Baptist church, which yesterday terrified 78 children, was found today by J. D. Ardling, chief building inspector for the city, and Sam Dixon Jr., deacon of the church, architect and chairman of the city's building code committee.

They blamed the accident to a lack of sufficiently large nails pinning the steel laths to the ceiling timbers.

Miss Ruby Dell Hill of Charlotte Beauty shoppe is spending her two-week vacation visiting her parents in Texas.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy. Local thunder showers in south portion tonight and Tuesday and in north portion tonight; slightly cooler in Panhandle tonight.
Oklahoma: Unsettled, probably showers in east portion tonight and Tuesday and in west portion tonight; slightly cooler in southwest and northeast portions tonight.
—AND A SMILE
SAN SEBASTIAN, Spain. (A)—Two tourists have left, regretting they failed to keep in touch with current events. They were fined 500 pesetas each for shouting "Long Live the King" in a cabaret. In the same place on a previous visit to Spain they were arrested for yelling "Long Live the Republic."

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IN A MAN'S LIFETIME

The terrific speed with which the world changes may have slowed down somewhat within the last decade or two. Nevertheless, one man's life can still span amazing developments. Between boyhood and manhood one can still watch a great rearrangement of the scenery.

There died in Panama the other day one Basil Burns Duncan, said to be the oldest American on the isthmus—he was 88—and a surviving veteran of the French attempt to dig the Panama canal.

Duncan went to Panama just after the trans-isthmian railroad had been completed. The isthmus then was one stage of the road to California. Passengers came down from New York by sea, crossed the narrow neck of land by train or wagon, and took ship on the Pacific side for Francisco. The canal was still only a dream; Cape Horn, far to the south was still a surf-fringed terror for sailormen.

Then the French started to dig the canal; and Duncan was one of the four men chosen to turn the first sods. The four stood face to face with lifted picks. At a signal they drove them into the ground, and work on the Panama canal had begun.

What Duncan saw, during the next decade or two, was a New World epic. Disaster beset the French at every hand. "Yellow jack" made Panama notorious throughout the world. The French finally quit, the Americans came, and the canal was finished; and there, all the time, was Duncan, a part of the whole thing, soldier in the army that joined the two seas.

Already the pre-canal era looks remote. The day when ships to the Pacific had to round dreaded Cape Horn is fabulous, dim with the mists of a time that is very far away. Yet this man, who died only the other day, saw it all. He went to Panama when it was a pest hole and saw it become one of the world's busiest places.

A man's life can span great changes in the modern world.



By RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON, July 16. (NEA).—Although Republican politicians were thrown into a state of high jubilee and Democratic politicians into a fit of temporary despondency when President Hoover called for the debt moratorium, the political situation as regards 1932 may be broadly expressed in about the same terms as have been applied for a year and more.

The Republicans are betting on a rift in the economic clouds and the Democrats doubt whether there will be anything of the sort.

Political forecasting is considerably less of an exact science than weather forecasting and the best of the political forecasters make some rotten guesses. But they all subscribe to the maxim that "prosperity absorbs all criticism" and since the big Democratic gains in the 1930 congressional elections it has become an increasingly common theory among politicians and journalists that, in accordance with the converse of that rule, Mr. Hoover was likely to be defeated for reelection if there came no upturn in business and industry.

It is not so obvious that Hoover's action can become best thing in the world that could have happened to the Republicans if it results—or seems to result—in a real improvement. During the early hullabaloo after the Hoover announcement leaders of both parties seemed to be under the impression that the improvement was a sure thing.

It is not so obvious that Hoover's action can become an indirect but decisive political factor in case there is no economic revival. The president undoubtedly reaps prestige in any event, but depression is depression. And while the administration has left little undone to convince the country that the moratorium was conceived and executed by Mr. Hoover alone and while it is still happy about the great favorable response, it still shares with the governments of Europe an anxiety over the future both abroad and at home.

The Democrats, meanwhile, have picked themselves up and decided that it is quite worthwhile to resume their preliminary campaign for 1932. They do not hope for a continued depression, but they do hope for a national victory. They realize victory is not very likely if the depression lifts. It is good patriotism and good politics to act according to their best lights in combatting depression, but it is also good sense, many of them now argue, to bear in mind what is at least a possibility that conditions will get no better.

Those leaders who argue thus—and most of the important ones seem to share the tacit attitude—explain that the factors behind the depression are too numerous, too deep-seated and too widespread to permit any great hope of quick recovery. The condition of Germany was only one of several such factors, they explain, adding that even that one has not yet been eliminated as a disturbing element in the world-wide slump.

OLDTIMERS OF THE PAMPAS

(By Staff Writer)
Kentucky has furnished Gray county with several pioneers whose children, having been born here, are now among the old-timers. There are the Thous, the Schneiders, the LeFors, all of whom came from Kentucky to this community 45 and 50 years ago. In fact, Kentucky figured largely in the early history of Gray county and surrounding territory.

Pampa is located on what was once the ranch of the Franklin Land and Cattle company of Franklin, Ky. Groom, in the southeast corner of Carson county, was named for a Kentuckian who organized the Franklin company.

Twenty years ago, the Haggard family came from Winchester, Ky., to Gray county. The Haggards came to Kentucky from Petersburg, Va., in the eighteenth century before George Washington died. The father of Winfield Scott Haggard who lives at 600 North Somerville, was born near Winchester in the blue grass region in 1811. Mr. Haggard was born in the same locale, July 12, 1849.

Celebrates Birthday
Last Sunday at his Pampa home, he and his children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, some relatives and friends—50 in all—celebrated his 82nd birthday. A few weeks ago on May 22, Mrs. Haggard celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Haggard will be 74, Dec. 20. She was also born and raised in the Winchester country. The Haggards are living now where they lived the first nine months they were in Gray county. They lived on their farm two and one-half miles northeast of Pampa for many years.

Their children include Mrs. Ella Epperson, Winchester, who is visiting here now; Mrs. Rebecca Berryman and John Haggard of Pampa; Mrs. Mattie Dearall of Catoosa, Okla.; Bush Haggard and Mrs. Lizzie Welton of Pampa. They have 14 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren. Emmett Haggard who was here last Sunday with his wife is a son of Mr. Haggard and a stepson of Mrs. Haggard.

What brought the Haggards to Pampa? Their son, John. He came two years before the rest of the family, and kept writing back such glowing enthusiastic letters about the Texas pampas that the whole family came. "If it hadn't been for 'ch being here I never would have come," Mrs. Haggard, whose accent is utterly Kentuckian, said.

Loves Kentucky
In talking with the old couple, one gets the impression that much is involved in making a decision to leave the home of one's ancestors, freed from wild animals and Indians, as did the Haggard pioneers in Kentucky. "Love of Kentucky was born in me," Mrs. Haggard said. She has missed many things she loved in the eastern state, but she has the recompense for coming here: "I've had my children with me."

As for Mr. Haggard, "I'm just fixed," he explained simply. Mr. Haggard cast his first vote for Horace Greeley for president "because Horace Greeley bailed out Jefferson Davis." Mr. Haggard is an ardent democrat as his father and grandfather were ardent southerners during the Civil War. Mr. Haggard had a brother who fought under Robert E. Lee.

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Bayles Leads Pilots to Chanute

CHANUTE, Kans., July 20. (AP) Lowell Bayles, of Springfield, Mass., flying a Gee Bee sportster, led the 10 pilots remaining in the National air tour on their hop this morning from Ponca City, Okla., to Chanute. Bayles landed his ship in a heavy rain at 12:06 p. m. Bayles was followed closely by James H. Smart, Pine Bluff, Ark., flying a wasp-motored, held flying a wasp-motored Ford, who holds second place in the tour.

Eddie Stinson of Detroit was third to reach the rain-soaked field, being followed by Harry L. Russell, Dearborn, who holds first place in the flight by a wide margin.

Jack Story of Kansas City was fifth and Edward Schneider of Jersey City, N. J., sixth.

Read the classified ads.

HEAD IN 1942



If all goes well, George F. Olenford, above, of Springfield, Mo., will become imperial potentate of North America's Shriners 11 years hence. That's because Shriners at their annual convention in Cleveland, Ohio, elected him imperial outer guard, which assures him of the highest office in 1942 by a system of annual progression.

Food Prices Have Another Decline

WASHINGTON, July 20. (AP)—The department of labor says retail prices on food in 31 cities dropped a little more than 2 per cent in the month ending June 15.

Some of the outstanding decreases the department announced today, were: Potatoes 14 per cent, plate beef 6 per cent, chuck roast and lard 4 per cent; rib roast, clovermargine and cheese, 3 per cent. Onions and strictly fresh eggs cost 1 per cent more while raisins rose 1 per cent.

The following cities showed 4 per cent decreases in the average food prices: Birmingham, Cleveland, Detroit, Houston and Los Angeles. A 1 per cent increase was recorded by Salt Lake City while prices in Butte and Portland, Oregon, rose less than half of 1 per cent.

KILGORE, July 20. (AP)—The body of Earl Renwick, 34, fatally burned here Saturday when the tank on which he was working exploded, was carried yesterday to Hildon, Okla., for burial. Fur from the tank spread to a nearby gin, destroying a group of cotton seed sailors, and for a time threatening the business section of the town.

Suitor Slain



A farmers' feud for the love of Miss Blanch Davis, above, pretty 24-year-old telephone operator, was advanced as the motive in the killing of Lester T. Milligan, 28, whose body was found in a highway in Jefferson county, Kans. Milligan is alleged to have aroused the envy of Fred Sweyer, 27, said to be another suitor, who is charged with murdering Milligan.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



"TIN CAN ISLAND"
IN THE SOUTH SEAS, IS LISTED ON MAPS AS NIAUFOOD ISLAND, BUT WAS RENAMED BECAUSE OF THE FACT THAT ITS MAIL COMES IN TIN CANS. PASSING STEAMERS THROW THE CANNED MAIL OVERBOARD AND A NATIVE SWIMS OUT AFTER IT.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



And It Started Out to Be Such a Lovely Picnic!



OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



MOM'N POP

By Cowan



MANY OUTINGS SCHEDULED IN PAMPA FOR THIS WEEK

CHURCH GROUPS ARRANGE LIVELY EVENTS SUNDAY

Various Sunday school classes and young people's organizations of Pampa are planning...

Some FEMININE Fancies

Ten chickens will aid some girl to attend the farmers short course at Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college...

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS MUCH INCREASED

Attendance at the Central Baptist church increased from 126 on July 12 to 168 yesterday.

Quartet of Women Golfers Set Sail to Capture Title



With no men champions around, the four women above hope to keep Kansas City on the golf map...

KING COTTON, ONCE CONSIDERED AS COMMONPLACE, TO BE GLORIFIED AT UNIVERSITY BANQUET TONIGHT

ABILENE, July 20.—King Cotton and his court will be presented at a banquet of the Simmons university home economics club...

ATTENDANCE IS INCREASED AT FIRST BAPTIST

An attendance of 443 persons at the First Baptist Sunday school Sunday morning was reported...

COMING EVENTS IN SOCIETY

TUESDAY Amuse club will be entertained by Mrs. Tom Rose. Mrs. Bright Roddy of Tulsa will be guest of honor...

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Christian Science Churches

"Life" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, July 19. The golden text was from John 5:26.

Seven Nations in Parley on Debt

LONDON, July 20. Statesmen of seven nations assembled today in Prime Minister MacDonald's office...

Two-Week Trip Is Made by Conleys

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Conley and children, Gloria and Carol, returned yesterday from a two-week trip. They spent a week in Lubbock...

NOW IS TIME TO PLANT NEW GARDEN; FOLLOW NATURE'S LINES FOR AN ATTRACTIVE PATTERN

By BEULAH DAVIS HUGHES. Written for The Associated Press. While the heat is with us and there are many midsummer flowers to be planted and blossom for us yet...

One Hundred Two at Sunday School

There were 102 persons at the Presbyterian Sunday school Sunday. This was a decrease of four persons from the previous week.

Pope Prays for Fascists to "See"

ROME, July 20. (AP)—An address by Pope Pius in which he prayed for a miracle that would "make the blindest of the blind see" was interpreted today as a reference to the Fascist party...

Uganda Citizens Hear Pep Talk

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—Manuel and Disonar, two coal black African youths from Uganda, brought here by Martin Johnson, explorer, to take care of gorillas, had a police conservator today.

Young Mother Dies at LeFors

An infant girl was sleeping blissfully in Worley hospital this morning, unaware that her mother, Mrs. H. B. Kelly, 28, of LeFors, died yesterday morning at 11:20 o'clock...

Keeping Cool With Coolidges



Seeming in better spirits and health than when they occupied the White House, Calvin Coolidge—the only living ex-President—and Mrs. Coolidge are shown above in vacationing informal pose...

Damaged Plane Is Flown Again

BROWNSVILLE, July 20. (AP)—Seth Yarrington and Edward Miloney, whose attempted non-stop flight from New York to Mexico City ended in a forced landing on the Mexican beach 100 miles south of here...

Water Surrounds Baptist Encampment

DUVALDE, July 20. (AP)—Flood waters of the main Rio river last night converged on the Alto Prio Baptist encampment 45 miles north of here, marooning 400 persons who were attending the meeting.

Pat Must Worry About His Cellar

CHICAGO, July 20. (AP)—There's \$20,000 worth of old whiskey and wine in a cellar in Chicago waiting for Patrick Mahoney of County Tipperary, Ireland, in case he wants to come over to America and help himself.

MAY COOK Is Now at GINGERELLA BEAUTY SHOPPE



PERMANENT WAVES \$2.50

All Waves Guaranteed Eugene and Fredrick Waves \$5 Don't get gray bald; use Hair-A-Gain Shampoo and Paste...

Advertisement for shoes featuring three different styles with prices like \$2.98 and \$3.98.

Advertisement for J.C. Penney Co., Inc. featuring shoes and a 'SEA SAND KID' product.

FLEETWOOD SHOOT BIRDIES TO TAKE NEWS-POST TITLE

UPSETS DOPE BY DEFEATING STRONG RIVAL

P. A. Womble Falls with Second Shots to Lose Newspaper Match.

W. S. Fleetwood, a contestant who "never blew up," today was champion of the Pampa NEWS-POST golfers. Remarkably steady playing yesterday upset calculations as he defeated P. A. Womble in the final match, 3 and 2.

Fleetwood played his first golf for nine holes, but now is consistently in the low 40s. Yesterday he shot two birdies on the first round. He won the third flight two weeks ago, while Womble won the first by defeating J. B. Wooten.

Womble, usually a steady golfer, started the match with two pars, winning the holes. Fleetwood's birdie and par took the next two. They halved several holes before Fleetwood uncorked a birdie and a par to end the first round 2-up.

Warming up to the play, Fleetwood ran the score 4-up on the tenth and eleventh holes, but lost the twelfth when Womble dropped a putt from the edge. From that point they halved the holes until the match ended at the seventh hole, 3 and 2.

Both men drove long and straight from the tee, but Fleetwood used his brassie sensationally for the sharp-shooting second shots. Womble's second were often rough. Both were accurate with short irons, but Womble had the better of the putting, sinking with regularity.

Both men are inotype operators. Fleetwood being on THE NEWS and Womble on THE POST. More than a dozen NEWS-POST golfers will play a similar aggregation from the Amarillo NEWS-GLOBE here.

Uncle Sam to Watch Net Finals for First Time

PARIS, July 20. (AP)—For the first time since 1919 the United States will be forced to stand by while the tennis stars of other nations fight it out in the Davis cup challenge round.

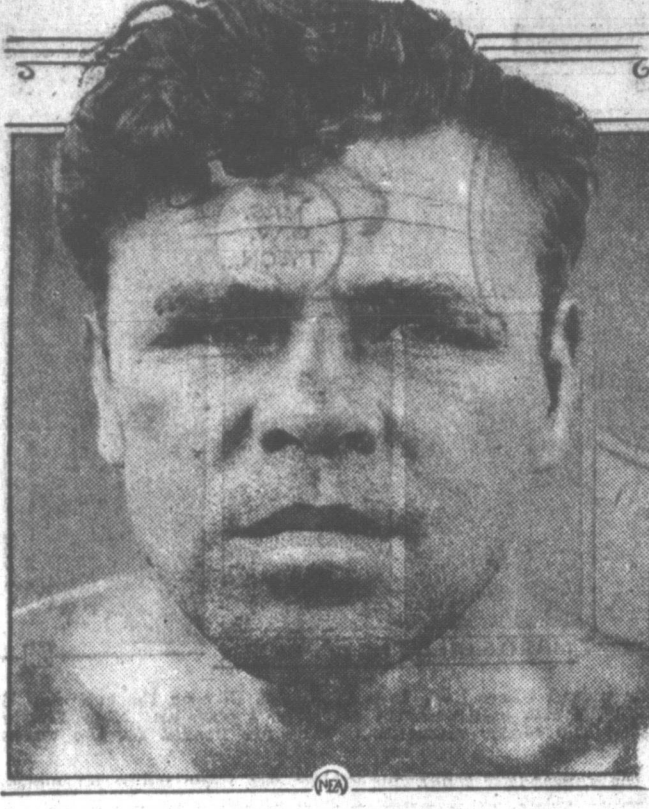
Great Britain's brilliant youngsters, Henry W. Austin and Frederick J. Perry, swept Frank Shields and Sydney B. Wood off the court in Roland Garros stadium in the final two singles matches of the interzone finals yesterday. Britain won the series, three matches to two, and gained the right to battle France in the challenge round starting here Friday.

Trailing two matches to one going into the final day, Great Britain promptly tied the count when Perry blasted his way to victory through Wood, 6-3, 8-10, 6-3, 6-3, and left the whole issue up to Shields and Austin.

Shields started out with a bang to lead 5-2 only to hit a streak of erratic tennis and lost the first set, 8-8 and the next two and the match, 6-3, 7-5.

Wood's defeat by Perry had not been entirely unexpected but Austin's straight set triumph over Shields left the crowd of 8,000 stunned. But the young British stylist deservedly won. He was much the creditor of the two, Shields falling into repeated errors, especially in critical moments where they hurt most.

Mickey Walker's Fighting Face



Here's the countenance that ack Sharkey will attempt to polish off with eight-ounce gloves on July 22. It's the fighting face of Mickey Walker, veteran heavyweight miller, pictured above as he appears in training at his Orangeburg, N.Y. camp. Walker and Sharkey will meet at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn. The winner may bid for a chance at Max Schmeling's heavyweight crown.

GEHRIG HITS HOME RUNS IN GAY MANNER

Replaces Ruth in Estimation of Fans—Gets 5 Blows in 7 Times up.

By GAYLE TALBOT JR. Associated Press Sports Writer.

Now that Babe Ruth is not hitting home runs with quite the abandon of other days, Lou Gehrig is showing the customers what he can do along that line.

He was close to the whole show yesterday as the Yanks thumped the St. Louis Browns twice, 10 to 9 and 8 to 2. Going to bat seven times during the afternoon, he punched five hits, including his twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth homers of the year and a triple. His three hits in the first game drove in seven runs and he propelled two more across in the night-cap. His two home runs put him five ahead of his closest rivals among the four-bagger specialists, Babe Ruth and Chuck Klein.

Jack Rothrock's single over Averill's head in the twelfth inning scored Warster with the run that gave the Boston Red Sox a 6 to 5 victory over the Cleveland Indians.

The Washington Senators picked up a half game on the idle Athletics by defeating Detroit, 2 to 1, in a pitchers' battle between Lloyd Brown and Art Herring. The Senator southpaw won his own game with a single in the fifth, scoring Hayes.

John McGraw was forced to suffer from a distance as his New York Giants took a pair of 2 to 1 beatings from the St. Louis Cardinals and fell back into third place. The Giant leader was handed a three-day suspension for his run-in with Umpire Clarke on Saturday. Mel Ott's home run gave the Giants their lone run off Sylvester Johnson in the first game. The Cards bunched three of their four hits off Carl Hubble in the fourth inning to score both of theirs. Paul Derringer, rookie St. Louis right-hander, struck out 13 Giants and allowed only seven hits in winning the night-cap.

Brooklyn went back into second place by winning its second straight over the Chicago Cubs, 10 to 6. Led by Lefty O'Doul, who again cracked four hits in five attempts, the Robins fell on four Chicago pitchers for 17 hits and piled up a lead that enabled Hollis Thurston to breeze through.

Cincinnati and Philadelphia divided a double-header, the Reds taking the first, 7 to 6, and the Phillies coming back to win the second, 7 to 1. Tony Cucinello, Red second baseman, hit a double and five singles in the two hits.

"WELL DONE!"



Not only a new world's record, but two national swimming titles as well crowned the first day's efforts of 17-year-old Helene Madison of Seattle, Wash., in the women's national A. U. outdoor championships. Here you see her, at the Bronx Beach Pool, New York, being congratulated by former Governor Alfred E. Smith. She swam to victory in the 100-meter free style heat, the 100-meter swim, and the 1500-meter event, her time of 23:17 1-5 in the last event eclipsing a world mark set in 1927 by Miss Martha Norelius.

SHARKEY TO USE WALKER IN PRACTICE

Jack Will Feel Ashamed to Battle Fellow Who is 30 Pounds Lighter.

By EDWARD J. NEIL. Associated Press Sports Writer.

POMPTON LAKES, N. J., July 20. (AP)—Jack Sharkey plans to let Mickey Walker help him get the boxing practice he needs for an August match with Tommy Loughran.

The big salmon man from Boston has considerable powers of expression. His pale blue eyes flash as he talks, his gestures help him tell his story dramatically, decisively. He wastes no words, saves no feelings and he talks as he hits—straight from the shoulder.

"Mickey is a nice little fellow and the more people think he has a chance to whip me in Ebbets Field Wednesday night, the more will pay to see us fight.

"They've been saying I was fat and slow and boxing like an old lady in training. Maybe that will help the gate, I don't know. But I won't help Walker much.

"I'm not going to be in any hurry with Mickey. I haven't fought but four rounds—the four I posted that Dutchman Schmeling before he yelied four—in almost two years and I need the work before I fight Tommy Loughran again in August at Ebbets Field. So I figure I'll go along with Mickey for seven or eight rounds and then knock him over."

Sharkey doesn't relish much of Walker's stature and he probably will feel a bit ashamed of himself when the referee calls them to the center of the ring and he corners a full head over the former welterweight and middleweight champion, and outweighs him almost 30 pounds, but fighting is a business, and if Walker is the fellow they want him to lick this time then that's all right with Jack Sharkey.

Los Angeles Club Keeps Water Title

NEW YORK, July 20. (AP)—Blonde Georgia Coleman, the country's diving star, has enabled the Los Angeles A. C. to retain its national A. U. team swimming championship.

Miss Coleman closed the 1931 outdoor championships last night with a close victory over 14-year-old Katherine Rawls of Hollywood, Fla., in the springboard diving event, scoring 146.75 points to 134.83 for Miss Rawls. The five points that went with that triumph gave the Los Angeles A. C. the team title by a margin of two points over the Women's Swimming association of New York, 23 to 21. The Washington A. C. of Seattle, represented only by Helene Madison, was third with 20.

DALLAS STEERS JUMP TO THIRD PLACE ON SUNDAY

Hap Morse's Hustling Team Is Only One Game Behind Beaumont Crew.

The sensations of the Texas league today are the Dallas Steers, who have at last hit a stride that promises to carry them right into the thickest turmoil of the second half pennant battle. Since leaving on their current road trip, the Steers opened at Houston by defeating the Buffaloes. Their second Houston was rained out. They moved into Beaumont for a three-game series and won two of the three. Sunday they opened their series in Galveston by trimming the Buccaneers 3 to 2. The results can be seen in the baseball calendar, where the Steers are lodged in third place, coming up 110m fifth.

Manager Hap Morse has his team clicking, hustling all the way. Sunday the Steers shoved across runs to go into a rare with the second place Beaumont crew who are only one game ahead. The Steers stacked five of their seven hits in the ninth to win. Hoiman touched off the fireworks with a single. Cow-boy Jones tied the score at 2-all with another triple, scoring Langford. He was called out on strikes, and raised such a protest. Jones scored the winning run on Loep's fly-out to Rizzo. Preacher Thurman, Galveston's ace hurler, was the losing pitcher. Fuhr got credit for the victory.

Once more the mighty bat of Paul "Pound 'em" Easterling saved Beaumont a ball game. The Exporters defeated Wichita Falls in a hard-fought 1 to 9 battle which Paul Easterling singled in the ninth to score Heinie Schube with the game's lone run. Whitlow Wyatt, recent Exporter acquisition from Detroit, outpitched Milt Steengrafe, winning his third straight game. Joyner White, Beaumont's brilliant rookie, featured in the field when his perfect peg in the sixth inning caught Stanton at the plate to cut off a run.

The league leading Houston Buffaloes put another name into their won column, defeating Fort Worth 3 to 1. Bill Harris, obtained by Fort Worth Saturday in a trade with Galveston, pitched his first game for the Cats and lost to the superb curving of George Washington Payne. Harris limited Houston to one hit, but the pace setters saw that the hits scored runs. Fort Worth got seven hits off Payne, but the veteran Houston star kept them scattered enough to pitch eight consecutive innings of shutout baseball.

Split Doubleheader
At San Antonio, the Indians and Shreveport Sports divided a double-header, both games going into extra innings. San Antonio won the first 3 to 2 in ten frames and Shreveport won the nightcap, an eight-inning affair, 3 to 4. Pinkie Higgins, property of the Philadelphia Athletics, featured the day with a brilliant fielding exhibition. Higgins accepted 16 chances without a bobbie. Solter, Shreveport outfielder, got two home runs in the second game, one with a runner aboard, and a triple.

THE STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Results Yesterday			
Brooklyn 10	Chicago 6	Philadelphia 6-7	Cincinnati 7-1
New York 1-1	St. Louis 2-2	Only games scheduled.	
Standing Today			
W.	L.	Pct.	
St. Louis	56	34	823
Brooklyn	49	38	563
Philadelphia	46	37	554
Chicago	46	39	541
Boston	44	43	508
Pittsburgh	36	47	434
Philadelphia	37	52	416
Cincinnati	32	50	364

Where They Play Today			
East at Pittsburgh.			
Brooklyn at Chicago.			
New York at St. Louis.			
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Results Yesterday			
St. Louis 9-2	New York 10-8	Cleveland 5	Boston 6 (12 in.)
Detroit 1; Washington 2.			
Only games scheduled.			
Standing Today			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	63	25	716
Washington	56	32	636
New York	48	35	578
Cleveland	43	43	509
St. Louis	39	47	453
Detroit	32	56	364
Boston	31	52	378
Chicago	30	53	361

Where They Play Today			
St. Louis at New York.			
Detroit at Washington.			
Cleveland at Boston.			
Chicago at Philadelphia.			

Sport Slants

Jack Sharkey figures to have too much weight, speed, reach and punch for Mickey Walker when these two meet at Ebbets Field the evening of July 22. On the other hand, it is no safer to overrate Sharkey than it is to overrate the New Jersey Irishman.

If he doesn't beat Walker, Jack won't have any excuse for lingering about in search of the elusive championship belt now worn by the current or past war crop of gladiators. Mickey has hit the chutes as well as the high spots a number of times, but he has always bounded back, bigger and in some respects better.

Five years ago, Walker was knocked out by lantern-jawed Joe Dundee and soundly whipped at Scranton by the home town pride, Pete Latzo. Two years ago, Mickey was on the loose around Hollywood and wound up one morning in a patrol wagon.

He did at least part of his training at Miami last winter in the night clubs, but he was good enough to cuff Johnny Risko all over the ring in the last two rounds of a ten-round scrap.

For no particular reason at all, therefore, Walker is likely to give Sharkey plenty of trouble. He is Irish, aggressive and courageous, which is enough, under many circumstances.

Sharkey's chances of getting somewhere in the heavyweight class are

Mate Is Champ of 1931 Season

CHICAGO, July 20. (AP)—Until further notice, Mate, A. C. Bostwick's chestnut colt, is the three-year-old champion of the 1931 racing season.

The title was generally accorded Mrs. Payne Whitney's Twenty Grand until about 4:30 p. m. last Saturday, but it traded owners, at least temporarily, when the son of Prince Palkishandra came thundering across the line in the Arlington classic, four lengths in front of Spanky, play and a nose ahead of the Kentucky derby winner.

Mate won the preakness, but finished third in the Kentucky derby behind Twenty Grand and Sweep All. Twenty Grand did not run in the American derby at Washington and Mate won it in not very impressive style over Pittsburgher.

The Greenree stable entry of Twenty Grand and St. Brideaux was a 1 to 3 favorite at post time, but two minutes and two-fifths seconds later Mate had brought his millionaire owner a \$250,000 of gold, and had become the number nine horse in the list of American turf money winners. His time bettered the classic record set by Chicago six years ago, more than one second.

This Pampa Youth Has Consolation

The plans of not only mice and men but girls and boys go off astray.

For instance, there was the well-laid plan of an 18-year-old youth, now working out a speeding fine at the city hall, who had been planning for a week to meet his best girl at the railway station as she arrived in Pampa.

He had only a few minutes left to drive to the station, but first he thought he would drive out to the Cook-Adams addition and pick up two girl friends to go with him. It was en route to "the hill" that Joe Persky, traffic officer, drove up behind him while he was making 46 miles an hour.

The boy preferred to work out the fine, but there is still some consolation—the girl drives by and waves at him.

Seventeen persons attended the Episcopal Sunday school yesterday morning.

Oklahoma Woman Hurt in Accident

Mrs. W. L. Lawson of Oklahoma City suffered slight injuries when the car in which she was riding with her husband and son, Richard, overturned on highway No. 152 in Wheeler county Saturday. The other two occupants were not injured. The Dawson automobile was side-swiped by another machine, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson and son are visiting Mrs. W. S. Hardin at 311 West Foster avenue.

BRUSHING UP ON SPORTS

RABBIT MARANVILLE
OFFICIALLY HAS BEEN AT BAT MORE THAN 8720 TIMES DURING HIS BASEBALL CAREER.
... IN 1922 HE FACED THE PITCHER 672 TIMES ...

DON JUAN

WON THE FIRST STAKE RACE EVER HELD ON THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT - "THE QUEEN'S PLATE" WOODBINE TRACK, TORONTO, ONT. "1860"

NIGHT BASEBALL QUIRK
INDEPENDENCE AND JOPLIN (MO.) BASEBALL CLUBS PLANNED A 7-NIGHT GAME THAT STARTED IN JUNE AND ENDED IN JULY-1931

McGraw Again Has Run-in With Ump

ST. LOUIS, July 20. (AP)—The famed turbulence of John J. McGraw of another day has been resurrected.

Suspended for a run-in with Umpire Bob Clarke here Saturday, the fiery manager of the New York Giants yesterday engaged in a spirited verbal encounter with John A. Heydler, president of the National League, but it availed him nothing.

When the argument was all over, McGraw left Sportman's park and went to his hotel, and Heydler issued a statement suspending McGraw, which is for three days, starting yesterday, would stand.

Shortly after being notified yesterday morning of his suspension, McGraw learned that Heydler was in St. Louis, went to Sportman's park and awaited the league chief near the press gate. When Heydler arrived, witnesses said, McGraw berated him "for protecting an incompetent umpire." He also cited several previous incidents in which Heydler took sides with the umpire against him.

DRAIN TANKS

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 20. (AP) With an approximate 50 per cent curbing of the Oklahoma City field by action of producers, the Daily Oklahoman says pipeline companies are draining tanks in storage in the Greater Seminole-Crowwell district to meet their demands.

Last week Seminole storage was reduced 132,000 barrels and during the current week demands have been even heavier. Gulf-Cuyler, says the newspaper, has almost emptied its storage in Seminole and Oriskany.

CHILD IS KILLED

EASTLAND, July 20. (AP)—Five-year-old Jackie Henrich of London, was thrown from her mother's arms and instantly killed Sunday night in an automobile collision two miles west of here on the Bankhead highway. The mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Henrich, and Miss Evelyn Henrich, all of Eastland, all occupants of the same car, were only bruised.

hooks and slides
william braucher

Mr. Ferrell Needs A Kick in the Pants

Wesley Ferrell, a stout young man from Goldsboro, N. C., now both enjoying and suffering his third year in the majors with the Cleveland Indians, is a pretty good sort of a pitcher.

But I think he would be a greater pitcher with a manager like Rogers Hornsby or John Joseph McGraw.

I may be wrong, being merely a sports writer and an especially fallible one at that, but I think the only thing that Mr. Ferrell lacks in the way of being one of the world's three hitters is a No. 12 shoe in the trousers. And I think Mr. Hornsby or Mr. McGraw would be the boy to give it to him.

He Gets Disgusted

Mr. Ferrell has what they call temperance. Another word for it may be petulance. Still another word is silliness. You could even call it horseplay and not be far wrong.

You see, he has off days. On occasions he pitches hitless ball. At other times they tell him rather freely. But they do not abuse the young man for long. He simply puts his glove in his pocket and walks out of there, with his lower lip hanging very low.

Sometimes he loses games through his master's errors. But let a shortstop or second baseman miff a grounder while Mr. Ferrell is in the box and he at once goes into such an upstage exhibition of pointing that you might mistake him for Clara Bow disappointed with a date. He just carries on. I tell you, "some-thing dreadful." Pounding his fist with his glove, shaking his head and

picking up handfuls of dirt and throwing them away again very violently.

Get Mad, Peck!

Roger Peckinpugh, head man of the Clevelanders, is a long-suffering sort of fellow. He takes matters easily. He is the soul of good nature. The men who play for him idolize him of course. He is a good guy.

But I wonder if they wouldn't respect Mr. Peckinpugh a little more, and play for him a little harder, if he should see Mr. Ferrell down some day brutally and abruptly.

Let us say the Red Sox are cuffing Mr. Ferrell around the yard. Suddenly, with the score 6 to 0 in the fifth inning in favor of Boston, the bases full and Earl Webb coming up, Mr. Ferrell puts his glove in his pocket and walks off the field.

Mr. Peckinpugh arises and meets him. Half way, tells him the ball game isn't over yet and asks him if he please wouldn't like to pitch just a few more innings, because "we are saving our good pitchers for next week when we play the Athletics."

If Words Fail

You could depend upon Mr. McGraw or Mr. Hornsby doing something like that. Mr. Ferrell would not even walk out of the box once with the Rajah or McGraw waiting to greet him at the bench.

If Mr. Peckinpugh should discover that talking did no good, he could take recourse to the only other argument that prevails among ball players—at least it used to be a pretty good argument—and that is a well aimed kick in the pants.

It would be better for all concerned.

Much Sought Man in Extortion Plot Is Arrested

SAN ANTONIO, July 20. (AP)—Nysal Wright, alias Will Wright, was being held in jail today at the end of more than a year's chase on the part of Bexar county officers. He was wanted in connection with the R. W. Morrison extortion case. Wright was arrested in Atlanta, Ga., and was returned here without formality of extradition. Thousands of dollars and many days have been spent by officers of the county in "taping" "tips" as to Wright's whereabouts. Investigators for the district attorney having been on the road for several weeks at a time. One of Wright's automobiles was found by detectives in South Texas while another was found by Los Angeles police in California who were working on information furnished by San Antonio police. Wright has been at liberty since the Morrison extortion plot in which \$75,000 was taken from the capitalist in an extortion and kidnaping plot. Wright was also sought in connection with the Travelers hotel robbery here last summer and other robberies in which J. D. Conner and E. D. Edmundson were arrested.

Insanity Plea in Woman's Trial Is Overruled Today

SANDERSON, July 20. (AP)—The state won the opening round in the trial of Mrs. Bessie Sharp, 22-year-old mother, charged with the poison murder of her husband, Telesius Sharp, when a defense motion that the widow be tried for insanity was overruled by Judge Joseph Jones in district court here.

The motion was made on behalf of Mrs. Jack Ivy, mother of the accused, who testified that "Bessie has been insane since June 20."

A second motion of the defense for continuance was pending when court reconvened at 2 p. m. The defense claimed absence of seven witnesses.

Mrs. Sharp, comely blonde, dressed neatly in black with gray trimmings, chatted gaily with friends and acquaintances in the courtroom. It was expected that, in the event the move for continuance fails, a bitter fight will develop over introduction of a purported statement given by the young widow immediately after her husband's death.

She is alleged to have confessed to three attempts by poison on her husband's life, the last proving successful, the statement says.

In her statement, Mrs. Sharp declared that she poisoned her husband so that she might be free to marry Willie Burleson, cowboy friend of her husband. Burleson also faces trial for the murder of Sharp.

Mrs. Sharp was brought to Sanderson last week from San Antonio, where she had been held in the state hospital for mental observation.

The opening day of the trial brought a large attendance, with Sanderson doubling its population.

Murray Is Sending Man to Washington

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 20. (AP) Governor Murray today formally directed W. C. Lewis, assistant attorney general, to go to Washington and ask the United States Supreme Court for an order to open free bridges across the Red river into Texas.

Lewis may leave tomorrow. He will seek an order to counteract that granted in federal district court at Houston which blocked opening of the bridge at Denison. He will be met in Washington by a representative of the Texas attorney general's office who will assist him.

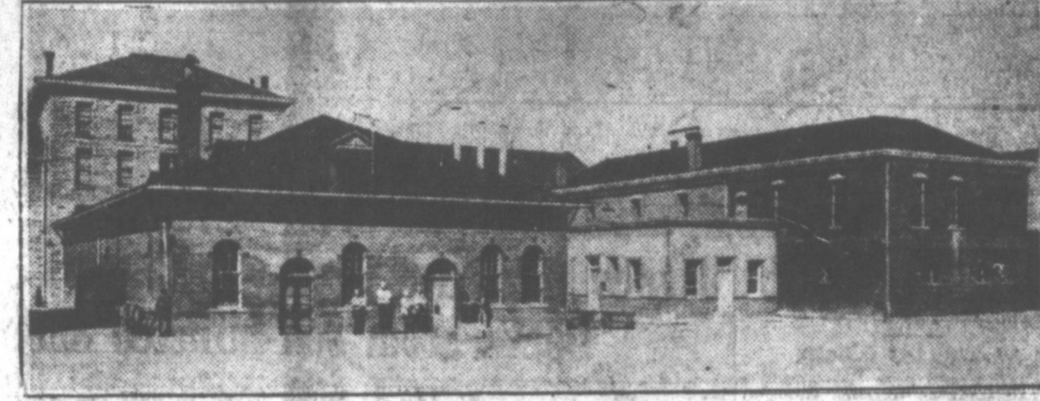
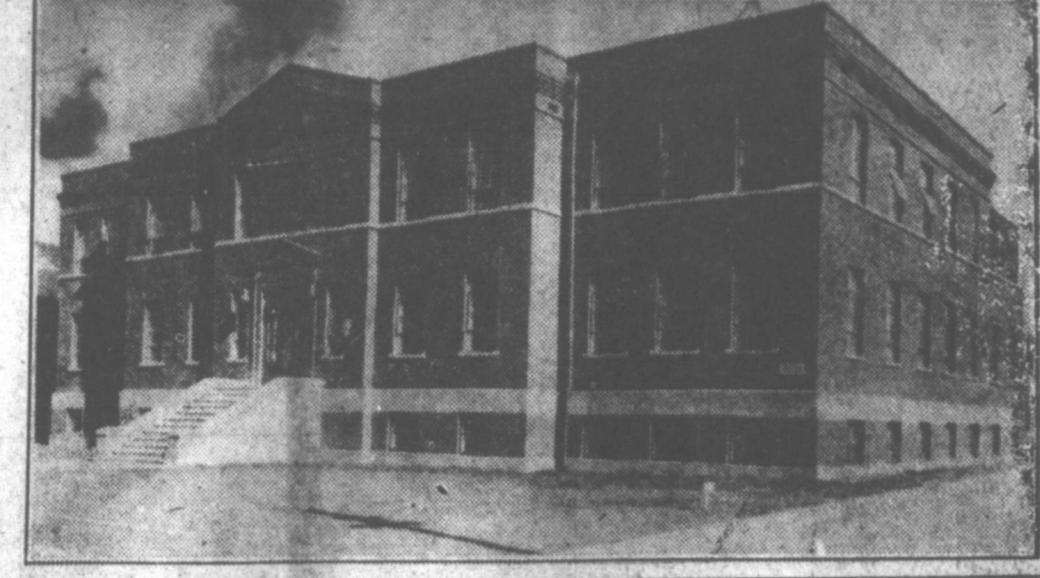
Although the high court now is in recess, Lewis was advised by the justice department he said that immediate action was possible.

Army Pilots Die in Plane Collision

NEWINGTON, Conn., July 20. (AP) Lieut. Benjamin F. Lowery and his observer, Corp. Harold Strosnyder, were killed today in a collision of two United States army airplanes over Newington.

The occupants in the other plane, Lieut. Francis X. Kelly and staff Sgt. David L. Spicer, leaped to safety with their parachutes. Michael Petricelli of Meridan, a civilian, was struck and seriously injured by one of the falling planes. The two army planes were flying in formation with four others from Mitchell field to Rentschler field, East Hartford, where the fliers were to have inspected the plant of the Pratt and Whitney company.

WHERE FALL WILL SERVE SENTENCE



In the New Mexico state prison at Santa Fe, over which he once exercised authority as a member of the New Mexico state prison board, Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, will pay his debt to society as the taker of a \$100,000 bribe. The upper picture shows the prison hospital where Fall will live at the start—and throughout his term if his health does not improve. The lower picture shows the prison courtyard, the administration building and prison bakery being in the background.

Husbands and Wives Exchange

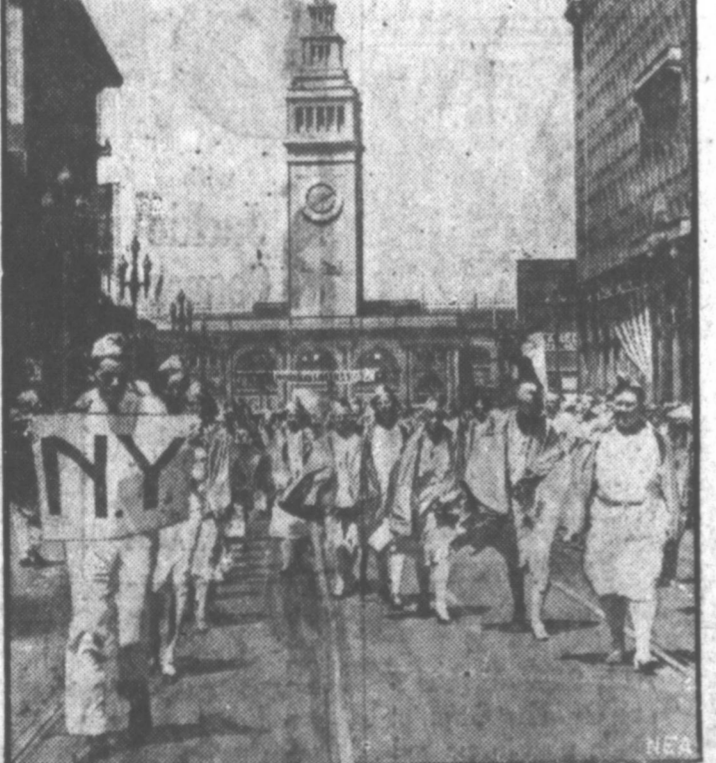


Mr. Stevens and the new Mrs. Stevens, formerly Mrs. Spotswood. Trading wives and children as casually as an ordinary business transaction, F. L. Stevens and George E. Spotswood, friends, of Pomona, Cal., exchanged their families to the satisfaction of all concerned. Each couple has two children, a boy and girl, the eldest being 19 years of age. While Mr. Spotswood and the new Mrs. Stevens were in Nevada fixing things up, Mr. Stevens and Mrs. Spotswood took care of the four children. The two couples, as things stand now, are shown here.



Mr. Spotswood and the new Mrs. Spotswood, formerly Mrs. Stevens.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS ON PARADE



San Francisco got a thrill when 10,000 Christian Endeavors, in picturesque costumes, marched through the streets to the stirring music of "Onward Christian Soldiers" as part of their 50th anniversary golden jubilee convention celebration. The New York delegation is shown above on Market street, the Ferry building in the background.

Sam Kloth, Harvester athlete, suffered a torn ligament in a leg while skating today.

Milk weighs 6.3 pounds a gallon at 88 degrees Fahrenheit, provided it contains 3 per cent butter fat.

PUBLIC FORUM

To the Business Men Paying a Night Watchman:

In view of the recent activity whereby a watchman was purloined to be selected to give you some of the real facts regarding both the situation and the selection of a watchman.

At the meeting of the business men, called for the purpose of selecting a night watchman, only nine attended, and of these nine a committee of three was appointed to canvass the business men with regard to the selection of a watchman.

The number of business men solicited was far below the number that actually could be served by one night watchman, and exceedingly far below the number in business in the district commencing at Culbertson-Smalling Chevrolet company, and extending west to the Panhandle Lumber company, and from the railroad north to Montgomery Ward. In this district there are between 145 and 150 business houses on the ground floor or upstairs. In a large number of these business places there are two or more businesses conducted in the same place, as for instance drug store and jewelers in it. The total number of business men in this district, at a conservative estimate is over 250.

It is therefore, clear that even a total of the 28 votes will not begin to represent a majority of the business men in the district. Moreover, it is absolutely impossible for one night watchman to give adequate service in the district without help. Given two minutes to a house, it would evidently require five hours or thereabouts to make the rounds each two night watchmen happens to interrupt, such as open doors, or unwarmed lights which take considerable time to investigate and set to rights, and are of much more frequent occurrence than would be supposed by one never having his hand in the matter.

From the foregoing it is evident that the business men paying a night watchman get very little service, proportionately, if they are located as much as even one block off of Cuyler street. It is absolutely impossible for one night watchman alone to give the service the business men have a right to expect even with the very valuable and appreciated help of both the sheriff's and the police departments, both of whom are engaged in work of largely another nature. Therefore two night watchmen should be employed, and the city ought to pay a portion of the expense, or else two watchmen ought to be employed with the business men paying them, equally. And certainly an award of the job to one man by out bidding the more than 250 business men is patently unjust, and unwarranted.

Walker Returns From Convention of Lions Clubs

C. H. Walker returned last night from Toronto, where he attended the international convention of Lions clubs as a delegate from the local club of which he is a member. En route home, Mr. Walker saw the Cardinals and Giants play at St. Louis Sunday. He was on the Texas special Lions club train to that point, but returned here by way of Oklahoma City. He will make a report on his interesting trip to his club.

Girl Clings to Engine After It Strikes Vehicle

DENISON, July 20. (AP)—Hurled through the air when a train crashed into the automobile in which she was riding, 10-year-old Lois Gashaw landed on the locomotive's pilot, where she clung desperately until the train came to a stop. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gashaw, and four other children riding the automobile were injured in the accident, which occurred at a grade crossing south of Denison late yesterday. Physicians reported them all to recover.

GREAT SKELETON IS FOUND IN PIT—STUDER IN CHARGE

AMARILLO, July 20. (AP)—The bones of a prehistoric animal estimated by scientists to have roamed the Texas plains thousands of years ago, was unearthed in a local gravel pit. One tusk measured eight feet and seven inches, although part of it was broken off in the excavation. The skull was four feet across. Floyd Studer, Amarillo business man and archeology enthusiast, is in charge of further excavations, and the grounds have been barricaded against visitors.

The bones were found in a pile-stone river bed, six or seven feet below the surface, and are said to closely resemble a fossil unearthed near Clarendon last year by Floyd Johnson, noted paleontologist for the American Museum of Natural History.

GOOLSBY VERY ILL

MARSHALL, July 20. (AP)—Hospital attendants today reported Thomas Scott Goolsbys' condition was "very unfavorable." He is in a hospital here ill of pneumonia brought about through injuries suffered in an automobile accident last week.

McLEAN LIONS HONORED

McLEAN, July 20. (Special)—Two McLean Lions were honored at Clarendon, this week in being made president and secretary of the district organization. Boyd Meador was given the presidency and T. W. Glispur the secretaryship.

THIS FARMER CAN WAIT

WHITE DEER, July 20. (Special) J. S. Earp is one farmer who is able to hold half his wheat crop without difficulty. His farm has several good cows, some fine hogs, is spotted with chickens, and he has a large garden. He sells enough produce to pay running expenses and to provide for his table.

THEATER IS ROBBED

POPE ARTEUR, July 20. (AP)—Knobknockers last night got \$600 from the People's theater safe. No clues were left. The thieves entered through the side of the building, chiseling out a piece of sheet rock.

'AT LA NORA NOW



RICHARD DIX and JACKIE COOPER, seen in leading roles of 'Young Donavan's Kid,' screen drama at the La Nora Theater.

RUN FOR OFFICE? SWIM, RATHER!



Running for office may be a hot job for some politicians, but for Marshall Duffield, noted University of Southern California football star, it's just a lark. Marshall, in case you haven't heard, is a candidate for mayor of his home town, Santa Monica, Calif., and here he is on the beach coolly talking over the prospects of his campaign with Dorothy Lee, film actress.

ACCIDENT IS PROBED

DALLAS, July 20. (AP)—Police were conducting an investigation today into causes of the accident which last night fatally injured D. E. Templeton of Tyler, Texas, an employee of the M. K. T. railroad. Templeton was walking across a street intersection when struck by an automobile.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TAKE NOTICE

Special meeting at hall Friday, July 23 at 8 o'clock p. m. It is important that every Pythian be present.

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FOR RENT—Three-room modern house, 719 North Hobart.

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OFFICE rooms for rent in Duncan building. See J. N. Duncan.

FOR RENT—Partly furnished two-room house, \$10 month, rear 401 West-Francis.

FOR RENT—Modern two room furnished apartment, 991 East Browning.

MARION Hotel, 22 rooms, inquire 500 North Frost street, Remodeled.

FOR RENT—Two-Room Cottages, \$28 Gas and Water Bills Paid. E. F. McCALIP 823 S. Russell—Phone 745-W

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TWO ROOM house, solid, suitable one-car garage, 222 West Field, Box 104, Pampa.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Large, dark gray German police dog, answers name Kiki, Mrs. W. B. Salsburg, 401 East Foster.

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MIDDLE AGED woman, experienced in office work, wants position. Box C, Pampa News-Post.

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Special Term to Try Deputies Is Not Granted

ARDMORE, Okla., July 20. (AP)—District Judge John B. Ogden refused today to call a special term of court to try W. E. Guess and Cecil Crosby, former deputy sheriffs, for the slaying last June 7 of Manuel Garcia Gomez, one of two Mexican students shot to death here, and said the case would be tried at the next regular term of court, in September.

He made the announcement after defense attorneys had said that in case the state would not concur in a dismissal they would demand an immediate trial. Martin Stillings, county attorney, said the state has no intention of volunteering a dismissal.

Later Judge John B. Ogden, in another division of district court, refused to dismiss murder charges against Crosby for the slaying of Emilio Cortes Rubio, the other boy and said there likely could be a trial until September. Guess was acquitted of the Cortes Rubio killing last month before Judge Ogden and this charge against Crosby is the only one now pending in Judge Ogden's court.

World's Richest Girl in London



Here is a rare picture of the richest girl in the world, Miss Debs Duke, right, in London, where they have moved from New York with a retinue of servants and a number of motor cars. Miss Duke, who inherited in her own right between \$100,000,000 and \$150,000,000 from the vast Duke tobacco estate, always has been guarded from cameramen and seldom has been photographed.

MOON OF DELIGHT by Margaret Bell Houston

SYNOPSIS: When Umberto opens the chest he has stolen from the Dolores Jason Divitt's gambling house has a mystery. For in it is Juanita Basara, who Divitt and his wife, Molly, conclude is a runaway from the Argentine. Afraid to free the lovely newcomer because he fears his story to the police would expose the theft of the chest, Divitt arranges for her to sell cigarettes to his guests. She submits, creating his threatened exposure of her as stowaway. Sensing that Gabreaux, Divitt's dwarf errand-runner, is sympathetic toward her, she asks his mother, Conchita, to have him see her privately. For she knows the dwarf's strong hands can break the locks holding her prisoner in the courtyard of the resort in New Orleans' French quarter.

THE LOST BRACELET Conchita concluded her description of Umberto's wickedness and her flame subsided. Molly's light step was coming along the balcony.



She opened the door and came in, a width of spangled black over her arm. "Did you guess what it was?" she asked brightly, glancing at the things on the bed. "Divitt says you're a Turkish lady, one that still wears veils. Just your eyes showing—you needn't be afraid. And I found these little slippers. They're such a pretty red with these gold thonged tips. Madame Arlene ordered them for somebody for Mardi Gras and they were too small. I hadn't time to get the other things. I'll get them tomorrow.

"Conchita, go down and get the bangles and the pearls on my bed. See, Juanita, how this stuff is. I think your flesh showing through will look mysterious and Oriental. And you don't need even to speak. In fact, you mustn't, or they'll know you're not from Istanbul. "All right, Conchita. Put the trinkets on the bureau and come here. Juanita stood still while they dressed her, decking her with bangles and amulets. . . . She was to see Gabreaux alone. Gabreaux's hands were strong. They had broken a lock. Veiled and tinkling, with bare arms, her white knees showing through the thin black crepe, Juanita went with Molly and stood outside the door of the parlors receiving her tray. The parlor door opened. Juanita closed her eyes. The light hurt them. The glances of the people at the tables, at the roulette wheel. They all seemed to hurt her eyes. Molly need not have warned her to keep silent. She could not have spoken. But she must look at them or she would not know when they wanted cigarettes. She must look, or she would not see Gabreaux. Juanita passed among the tables, bearing her tray. The people spoke pleasantly to her as they took their cigarettes, laying their elbows on the tray. Yonder stood Divitt in full dress, beside the roulette wheel, watching her. Where was Gabreaux? "Cigarettes, Fatima! And lift up your veil." A man's voice. "I've just made a bet as to what your lips are like." She held out her tray, received

Markets

WHEAT FOLLOWS CORN CHICAGO, July 20. (AP)—Sharp early downturns of corn prices today resulted from copious unexpected rains giving relief to crops in important sections. Wheat sympathized with corn, despite news of a tentative understanding between Germany and France.

COTTON IS FIRM NEW ORLEANS, July 20. (AP)—Cotton opened firmer today owing to better Liverpool cables than due and the generally favorable character of foreign financial news.

CHICAGO GRAIN CHICAGO, July 20. (AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red 52 1-2; No. 1 hard 52 3-4 to 53 1-4; No. 1 yellow hard 52 to 52 1-2; No. 1 mixed 51 3-4. No. 2 corn mixed 57 3-4; No. 2 yellow 56 1-4 to 59; No. 1 white 59 to 59 1-4. Oats: No. 1 white (old) 27 1-4; No. 2 white (old) 27 to 28; No. 2 white (new) 25 3-4 to 26 1-4.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK KANSAS CITY, July 20. (AP)—(U. S. D.)—Hogs 4,000; 140 direct; around steady to 10 lower than Friday's average on 240 lbs. down; heavier weights slow. Top 57.45 on 180-210 lbs. 140-250 lbs. \$6.85@7.45; 250-290 lbs. \$6.40@7.00; 290-350 lbs. \$5.75@6.50; packing sows, 275-500 lbs. \$4.35@5.35; stock pigs 70-130 lbs. \$6.50@7.25. Cattle 11,000; calves 2,500; light weight fed steers and yearlings steady to strong; other killing classes slow; weak; stockers and feeders steady; top yearling heifers \$8.20; steers 600-1500 lbs. \$6.00@8.50; common and medium, 600 lbs. up \$4.00 @7.00; heifers 550-650 lbs. \$5.00@8.25; cows \$3.50@5.00; weaners (milk fed) \$4.00@7.00; stoker and feeder steers (all weights) \$5.00@7.25. Sheep 5,000; lambs fully 25 lower; odd lots sheep steady; top native and Wyoming lambs \$7.00. Lambs 90 lbs. down \$5.25@7.00; medium 90 lbs. down \$5.00@6.25; ewes 150 lbs down \$3.00@3.00.

hand on her mouth, his arm gripping her body like a vise. But she had screamed once. And now the knob of the door turned twice and did not yield. Then the window crashed in.

Umberto released her, made for the door. But a squat heavy body intervened. Juanita heard the struggle, the heavy breathing, the low Italian invectives, the twisting, the thumping, then a cry. Something fell in the dark.

Steps along the balcony, and a light pouring through the broken window. Divitt beating on the door, commanding. Conchita whining at the window with her lamp. The key turned in the lock, the door opened, Umberto lay on the floor, his knife beside him. There was a gasp on Gabreaux's cheek. Conchita ran to him moaning, staunching the wound with her skirts.

Divitt and Gabreaux lifted Umberto, carried him down the balcony to his room.

The dawn was filling the courtyard when Divitt entered Juanita's still open door. He handed her her bracelet which she had not even missed. "Umberto found this on the stairs," he said. "He stopped at your door to return it. He says you asked him in."

They're in the Harmony Now!



There's music in the air these days at Fort Allen, Vermont. And there's plenty of harmony to be had for the asking among the rookies of the Chinese Military Training Camp as this picture shows. Seated, left to right, are Robert Cargill, Melrose, Mass.; Lloyd Pratt, Milford, Mass.; Fred Whitaker, Providence, R. I.; Arthur Frank, Bristol, Conn.; and Hobart Tower, Pittsfield, Mass. Standing: Carter Lunsford, Boston; Hy Greenleaf, Brookline, Mass.; Arthur Travis, Lisbon, N. H.; and Ernest John, Melrose, Mass. They're members of Companies 1 and 2.

LEGISLATURE—

Walter Woodward of Coleman. The bill would give the commission authority to prevent physical waste only and would make revisions in court procedure to facilitate the trial of cases involving conservation statutes.

Field Is Defined An oil bill, introduced in the house by Representative Dan Richardson of Grand Saline, would restrict drilling activities to "one well per acre or less by the operator or lease owner of any oil field. The acres leased for the purpose of producing oil and gas."

Parker discussed rates of pipeline companies with the committee saying he believed their earnings should be limited by law to a maximum of 10 per cent. Parker said considerable difficulty had been experienced by the commission in dealing with the common purchaser pipeline law since a few of the pipeline companies refused to buy on the ground they had enough oil from their own wells. None of them, however, had refused to transport oil to markets if the producer has some one to buy it at the other end of the line, Parker said.

Not Enforceable No attempt has been made by the general commission to enforce the common carrier law because of advice from the attorney general's department it was not enforceable and because the commission by negotiation has ironed out the most troublesome points, Parker said.

Approximately 1,200 wells have been brought in as producers in East Texas with additional completions at the rate of 75 per week according to Parker. Parker recommended changes in the common purchaser law to include railroad companies transporting oil. He said he was not informed if the railroads owned any stock in pipeline companies.

Parker and Graves engaged in a mild controversy over rate schedules and valuations of pipelines. Graves asking several times for specific rates and valuations, in one instance asking "you apparently don't know much about the pipeline business, do you?"

"I have offered to obtain these figures for the committee. Because I don't happen to have them in my head is no reason for criticism," Parker said.

Doubt's Legality AUSTIN, July 20. (AP)—James V. Allred, attorney general, said today he doubted the legality of the method of payment proposed for a "trust busting" investigation of the oil industry by two assistant attorneys general.

The house passed a resolution authorizing the appointment of two investigators for 12 months, to be paid from the legislature's contingent expense fund. The senate was not consulted in the matter.

Allred said his department was considering the question and would return an opinion.

Woman Who Sued Tunney Is Near Death From Self-Inflicted Shot

FORT WORTH, July 20. (AP)—Mrs. Katherine King, who, as Mrs. Kate Fogarty, sued Gene Tunney, former heavyweight champion, for \$500,000 heart balm, is in a hospital here with a bullet wound in her left lung just over the heart. Physicians expected her to recover.

The shooting occurred at the home of Mrs. L. Y. Rankin, Mrs. King's mother, Saturday night. Mrs. King, who has taken the name of her first husband since the Tunney proceedings, has lived with her mother since the recent marriage of her daughter here.

Mrs. Rankin said that she and Mrs. King had listened to the radio and told fortunes with cards during Saturday evening. While the radio was playing, Mrs. Rankin noticed her daughter was weeping. The mother further related that Mrs. King got up, saying she was going to leave the house. A few minutes later, Mrs. Rankin heard a shot. Going to Mrs. King's room, Mrs. Rankin said she found her daughter wounded with a pistol by her side. Mrs. King was unconscious.

The suit of Mrs. Fogarty filed at New Haven, Conn., was dismissed.

PORT ARTHUR, July 20. (AP)—Police today were seeking a white man who last night criminally assaulted a 45-year-old white woman after putting her to sleep with ether.

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Burning Well Is Finally Tamed by Filling With Mud

KILGORE, July 20. (AP)—Flames which for 26 consecutive days shot from the Bell and Grady well near here were out today.

BLAZE—

terminated, showering the spectators with flaming oil. The heroism of "Buck" Hewitt, a tool dresser, in completing the capping of the well at the risk of his own life, was credited with preventing greater loss of life, for the well did not catch fire immediately.

There were other acts of heroism. Many of the men who rolled to safety from the sea of fire, dashed back into the flames to rescue women who had not escaped—some of them to their deaths.

Four of the victims died early yesterday, and four more last night. One of the first fatalities was Mrs. Walter L. McClanahan, wife of the principal owner of the gusher. McClanahan, known in the Mt. Pleasant field as "king of hard-luck promoters" and a veteran of oil operations in the Kansas and Kentucky fields, was among the seven for whom hope has been all but abandoned. It was the first paying well he had brought in in this field.

The dead: Mrs. Mary McClanahan, 55, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Lola Guy, 45, wife of E. J. Guy, superintendent of the Roosevelt oil refinery.

Mrs. Henry Guy, 17, daughter-in-law of E. J. Guy.

A. E. Gorham, 50, Mt. Pleasant manufacturer.

Ruby Melvin, 13, daughter of John Melvin, field superintendent.

Marion Fugate, 38, brother-in-law of McClanahan.

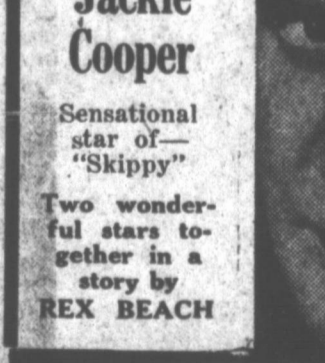
Mrs. Anna D. Lamb, 25, Mt. Pleasant, wife of Thomas D. Lamb.

Mrs. H. E. Whittenkind, 35, Mt. Pleasant.

PILE UP PAIN

An old Chinese proverb says, "A man in 10 suffer from piles," but the itching and tending of blind, protruding or bleeding piles usually are alleviated within a few minutes by soothing, healing Dr. Nixon's China-rod, fortified with a rare, imported Chinese herb, having unusual power to reduce swollen tissues. It's the newest and fastest acting treatment out. You can work and enjoy life again from the start while it continues its healing action. Don't delay. Act in time to avoid a dangerous and costly operation. Try Dr. Nixon's China-rod under our guarantee to safety. It will relieve you in 10 minutes the small cost of your money back.

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COFFEE—

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a brother, Biggs Horn of Amarillo. Mrs. Coffee was born Dec. 6, 1902, at Duncan, Okla. Before her marriage she was Miss Daisy Horn. The Horn family is one of the best known in White Deer and Carson county. Biggs Horn was formerly a resident of Pampa.

Mrs. Coffee was a member of the Friendship class of the First Methodist church. She moved to Pampa with her husband eight years ago from White Deer. Mr. Coffee owned and operated a grocery store here until two years ago. Mr. Coffee is a member of the Lions club. A beautiful daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Coffee yesterday morning is being buried in the casket with the mother. Many from Pampa and White Deer attended the services at the church and accompanied the body to White Deer cemetery. Honorary pallbearers were as follows:

Newton P. Willis, W. T. Wilks, J. S. Wynne, P. C. Ledrick, M. B. Lovett, Lee Ledrick, J. S. Baird, C. B. Barnard, J. N. Dunagan, Bill Bell, Moore Davidson, T. D. Hobart, C. P. Buckler, W. R. Campbell, E. S. Carr, W. M. Castibury, Brady Cobb, Archie Cobb, W. Cravens, C. C. Cook, W. M. Craven, A. H. Doucette.

Siler Faulkner, J. R. Henry, Raymond Hurrell, Harold Miller, Lee Hurrell, W. W. Hurrell, A. B. Keshey, Emmet LeFors, Horace McChullough, J. F. Means, Dave Pope, B. C. Priest, P. P. Reid, Larry Rider, Artie Saylor, Raleigh Sloan.

C. C. Sloan, C. P. Sloan, Joe M. Smith Sr., Joe M. Smith Jr., J. L. Stroop, Otto Studer, Henry Thut, A. A. Troman, C. A. Tignor, Henry Lippard, Delos Years, Ed Vicars, Reg. Walberg, Dick Walker, G. C. Walested, Jim White, J. E. Williams, J. H. Skaggs, J. J. Crutchfield, W. A. Powers.

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