

Legislature Told of Humble's Large Profits In East Texas

CRUDE PRICE IS HIKED

ATTACKS ON MAJOR FIRMS GROW WARM

Forcing of Production at Low Prices Laid to Big Companies; Wichita Falls Independent Speaks.

MANY INTERESTS

Some Operators Are Forced to Sell Oil at Any Price to Exist; Federal Participation Urged.

AUSTIN, July 21. (AP)—A good proration order backed by an adequate enforcement agency would be of material aid to operators, would conserve resources and increase the price of crude oil by stabilizing the national market, T. F. Hunter of Wichita Falls, today told the house committee investigating the oil industry.

Present laws are not adequate or the enforcement machinery sufficient to insure observations of the proration orders, Hunter said, recommending changes in court procedure to prevent delay in trial of suits against the proration enforcement agency.

Hunter charged major oil companies were taking advantage of East Texas independent operators and were buying up production at sacrifice prices. One oil company, the Humble Oil and Refining company, has made \$300,000,000 in the East Texas field, Hunter stated.

Scheme is charged maliciously depressed the prices of crude as a part of their scheme to force the independents out of business was charged by Hunter, who reiterated statements made yesterday that "overproduction" was a myth of the majors.

Hunter is an independent operator of Wichita Falls and has taken an active part in hearings before the railroad commission and before congress.

The chaotic conditions in East Texas cannot be attributed entirely to major oil companies, Hunter said, but was partly due to the multiplicity of interests in the field. Lack of ready cash on the part of operators has forced many of them to sell oil at depressed prices.

He charged, however, the Humble Oil and Refining company with playing a leading part in demoralization of the East Texas field by crude oil price cuts, pipeline charges.

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Drowned Mother of Pampan to Be Buried in Texas

ALTON, Okla., July 21. (AP)—The body of Mrs. C. C. Conley, 62, drowned yesterday in flood waters that marooned the town of Humphreys, will be taken to Honey Grove, Tex., tomorrow for burial.

Emma Conley, who was rescued from the swirling waters after she almost drowned, was suffering today from shock and exposure.

Trains over the Santa Fe and Katy tracks had been halted because of washouts which would not be repaired until tomorrow. A Katy passenger train arrived at Humphreys today over the Frisco tracks from Snyder.

Rehabilitation work started today as waters receded.

Mrs. Conley is the mother of W. C. Conley, cook in a local cafe, who left Pampa yesterday and assisted in the recovery of his mother's body.

Victims of Portales Tragedy Are Buried

PORTALES, N. M., July 21. (AP)—Three graves in a row in the little cemetery of the Inez community, 28 miles from here yesterday afternoon received the bodies of T. E. Sartor, 45, farmer who Sunday shot his wife of three weeks to death, clubbed to death Ralph Hammond Potter, 18, his blind stepson, and then committed suicide when his home was surrounded by Roosevelt county officers.

No inquest was considered necessary by the officials, and neighbors took charge of the bodies.

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Royal Romance Broken by Tragedy



Fallign of leaping from a 1000-foot high parapet on Paris' famous Eiffel Tower, 29-year-old Princess Anna Troubetzkoy plunged to her death before the eyes of other visitors to the tower. Here she is shown with her husband, Prince Serge Gregory Troubetzkoy, whom she married in New York last May and to whom she was to have been wed by a Russian orthodox ceremony in France.

BORGER ROAD WILL HAVE PAVING IN 40 WORK DAYS

This Contract Signed by Stuckey for 4 1/2 Miles West into Oil Territory.

In 40 working days, Stuckey Construction company will have the Borger road paved with concrete to the Carson county line, according to the contract signed yesterday by county commissioners and officials of the company.

The stretch from the end of the pavement to the county line is four and one-half miles long. To pave it will cost approximately \$18,500 per mile. Stuckey's bid was \$5,974.88 lower than the lowest of the two other bids submitted. The contract price was \$62,308.71.

The commissioners also decided to accept bids for grading and drainage of 8.2 miles on the McLean-LeFors road, at 10 o'clock, Aug. 3.

Brother Is Held After Slaying of Sanford Citizen

BORGER, July 21. (Special)—An affray that started with an argument over a cantaloupe at Sanford last night resulted in the death of Ted Keck, 24, a Borger hospital this morning. A brother of the slain man is being held in the Hutchinson county jail at Sinit. No charges have been filed.

Keck died of deep knife wounds in the chest, back and arms. The arrested man was cut over the eye in the altercation.

The two brothers, whose wives are sisters, lived next-door neighbors in Sanford. Officers learned that the dead man's wife went over to her sister's house and was soon followed by her husband. Neighbors, alarmed by screams coming from the house, called Borger officers.

The wounded man was rushed to a Borger hospital soon after the officers arrived. A .23-caliber automatic revolver and a long-bladed pocket knife were taken by the officers. The dead man's brother claimed the knife.

He told officers the fight started with an argument over a cantaloupe, but that he had been previously threatened and warned by his brother. Strained relations have existed between the two couples for some time, officers learned.

The Hutchinson county sheriff was summoned to stop the altercation about 7:30 o'clock last night. Keck died this morning at 4 o'clock.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, except probably scattered showers in southwest portion.

OKLAHOMA: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.

—AND A SMILE
NANKING. (AP)—Say it in Chinese. That is the list of the government to march in languages in their signs, billboards or placards are liable to a reprimand for being unpatriotic.

Fall Now Is No. 6991

AGED MAN IS VERY FEEBLE AS TRIP ENDS

Former Secretary Must Undergo Usual Prison Routine as Soon as His Health Will Permit.

PARDON IS URGED

Telegraph About Commitment Is Regarded as Possible Hint of Clemency; Friends Are Active.

SANTA FE, N. M., July 21. (AP)—Albert B. Fall today became No. 6991 in the New Mexico state penitentiary—stripped of his citizenship rights in the state which had heaped honors upon him.

The 70-year-old former secretary of the interior was committed last night to serve a sentence of a year and a day on conviction of accepting \$100,000 to negotiate a lease on federal oil naval reserves while he was a cabinet member. The commitment marked the end of an eight-year legal battle.

Boostered by two heart stimulants administered by his physician while en route by ambulance from his ranch at Three Rivers, Fall was immediately taken to a private room in the prison hospital. Dr. J. H. Campbell, his personal physician, said Fall was in "no condition to be confined." He is unable to take care of himself," Dr. Campbell said, "is not certain of his feet and requires constant attention."

Speculation Aroused
In response to a telegraphic request from Pardon Attorney Finch in the department of justice at Washington, U. S. Marshall Joseph P. Tondre, dispatched a telegram notifying him that Fall had been committed, some speculation was aroused by the exchange of messages.

President Hoover and department of justice officials have been urged by Fall's friends to grant him a pardon. Officers said a pardon is not granted until after commitment of the prisoner.

Fall left El Paso Saturday and (See FALL, Page 6)

Back Community to Hear Fair Plans

Back community's part in the Gray county fair will be discussed at the Back school building tonight by citizens of that district and members of the fair committees.

The plan of the fair will be outlined by C. H. Walker, general superintendent, Geo. W. Briggs, secretary, County Agent Ralph Thomas, and Miss Myrtle Miller, home demonstration agent. C. M. Carpenter of Back is one of the fair directors. Arrangements for exhibits will be discussed. Fair catalogs will be distributed.

Last week a similar meeting was held at Eldridge. The fair will be held in Pampa Sept. 10-11-12.

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Highway 33 Survey Begun

Preparation of Data To Require Sixty Days—Selecting Route.

Surveying of highway No. 33 from the end of the pavement in West Pampa east to the Roberts county line was started today by a crew of surveyors in charge of L. K. White, state resident engineer for Gray county.

The bond issue voted last spring calls for paving 16 miles of this highway in Gray county. It is an extension of the Pampa-Amarillo road, and has been recently designated as U. S. highway No. 60.

Mr. White estimated that 60 days will be required to complete plans and specifications. Surveying of highway No. 88 from Pampa to U. S. highway No. 66 will likely follow, Mr. White said. Grading and drainage contracts are due to be let as soon as plans and specifications are completed.

I. C. C. Chairman Replies To Threat

WASHINGTON, July 21. (AP)—Chairman Brainard of the interstate commerce commission said today the commission would not be influenced by threats into granting an immediate freight rate increase.

Brainard wrote Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas in response to a telegram from the senator urging the commission to ignore demands for an immediate increase.

Senator Capper telegraphed the chairman on reading what he termed a "threat" of Representative Beck of Pennsylvania to attempt to have the commission abolished unless it acted immediately on the railroads' plea.

E. B. Stephenson and his son, Lester, both of whom underwent operations for appendicitis at Pampa hospital yesterday afternoon and Sunday night, respectively, are recovering satisfactorily, hospital attendants said.

Substitute Air Mail Pilot Working in Vacation Schedule, Crashes and Is Killed in Severe Illinois Storm

CENTRALIA, Ill., July 21. (AP)—Edward Hamann, air mail pilot for the Universal Air Lines company on the Evansville-St. Louis air route, was killed early today in a plane crash during a blinding rain storm near here.

Hamann was flying temporarily for another pilot who was on vacation. He left Lambert-St. Louis field at 1:35 a. m., having delayed his departure more than three hours because of rain and bad flying weather.

Hamann was married and lived at Evansville, Ind., with his wife and 2-year-old son. About 27 years old, he had been flying five or six years. For the past two years he was operations manager for American Airways at Evansville, a position which kept him on the ground the greater part of the time.

Oklahoma Has Rumor That Crude in That Area to Be Raised in Price

TULSA, Okla., July 21. (AP)—Rumors of an early restoration of mid-continent crude oil prices to their former level persist here. The voluntary shut down of many wells in protest against the lowest market ever known in the mid-continent area has reduced supplies sharply, and most purchasers admit difficulties in obtaining their requirements.

In some quarters it is predicted the former price schedule of 25 to 37 cents a barrel will be restored this week and a range of 35 to 67 cents a barrel restored by Sept. 1. The current prices are 10 to 22 cents a barrel.

Young Kansas City Gunman Is Shot to Death by Federal Agents in Raid

KANSAS CITY, July 21. (AP)—John Callo, 23-year-old gunman, was slain in a raid on an alleged bootleggers' rendezvous here last night after he shot and wounded two federal prohibition agents and a city detective.

Curtis Burks, 35, an agent, was struck by two bullets which grazed him from the wrist down. He was reported in a critical condition at a hospital. A fellow officer, E. C. Anderson, and Clarence Reedy, the detective, were wounded less seriously.

Lieut. E. C. Nelson, also a detective, shot Callo to death in a fight for possession of the officer's sawed-off shotgun.

The raiding party was composed of 10 agents and six police officers. Burks, with two other agents found Callo lying on a cot in a dimly lighted room on the second floor of the place. He was deprived of one pistol, but as one of the officers turned to lay it aside he drew another and fired twice, both bullets striking Burks in the abdomen.

The gunman dashed down the stairs and shot Reedy through the jaw. Then he turned on Anderson, who was pursuing and wounded him in the abdomen. Lieutenant Nelson, called to the scene by police radio, found Callo hiding in a box. Their battle was brief.

Stinnett Prisoners Escape From Jail

STINNETT, July 21. (AP)—Two prisoners escaped from the county jail here last night by sliding down from their third-floor cell on a rope improvised from blanket strips.

Six other prisoners in the cell refused to participate in the jail break. The escaped pair were Bert Meredith, indicted on a forgery charge, and Lloyd Williams, indicted for store robbery.

MANY HEAR WISEMAN
"Prepare to Meet Thy God" will be discussed by Jesse F. Wiseman, minister of the Church of Christ, this evening at the open-air meeting one block north of Red Bell grocery, Talley addition. A large crowd heard "The Lost Christ" discussed last night.

CONTINENTAL IS FIRST TO MAKE MOVE

Forty-Cent Rate Will Go Into Effect for All Gravities Tomorrow Throughout Mid-Continent Field.

CHEERFUL NEWS
Action Follows Shut-Down in Oklahoma and Kansas; Figures Highest Posted in Many Months.

PONCA CITY, Okla., July 21. (AP)—A flat price of 40 cents per barrel for all grades of crude oil in the Kansas, Oklahoma, and North Texas field was posted by the Continental Oil company here today, effective at 7 a. m. tomorrow. The company, one of the major purchasers of oil in this area, has been paying the prevailing scale of 10 to 22 cents.

The Continental price is the highest posted in the Midcontinent area in months and is three cents higher for the flat rate than the 37 cent maximum that prevailed before the Sinclair and Standoli companies led in cutting the price on July 8 to ten cents minimum and 22 cents maximum.

On June 20 the Magnolia company posted a 35-cent flat rate for Oklahoma City oil and has maintained that price despite the new low schedule.

Oil Men Cheerful
Oil men throughout the state and especially at Oklahoma City, who have led the fight to shut down the flush pools of Oklahoma because of the price, were cheered by the Continental's announcement. Most of them expect other oil companies to follow the Ponca City company's lead in posting higher rates.

The Continental was taking about 10,000 barrels of oil daily from the Oklahoma City field prior to the shut-down recently. It has only a small allowance from its own properties in the field.

A movement to force a high price began when producers and royalty owners of the Oklahoma City area met ten days ago and started a movement for a shut down until oil went to \$1 per barrel. Petitions were sent to governors and public service commissions of six mid-continent oil states asking that they take action to aid the distressed industry.

WICHITA FALLS, July 21. (AP)—The first break through the dark clouds that have hovered over the district petroleum market for some time came Tuesday when the Continental Oil company, from its offices in Wichita Falls, announced a new schedule of prices for Oklahoma, Kansas, and North Texas crude that will mean a boost of from 10 to 22 cents per barrel for the greater part of the district's output.

Effective Tuesday at 7 a. m. and until further notice the Continental will pay 40 cents per barrel for all gravities purchased by the company in Oklahoma, Kansas, and North Texas fields.

Kiwanis Leader of Plainview Is Speaker in City

The responsibility and opportunity of Kiwanis clubs in bettering community psychology during the depression was stressed here today by E. B. Miller of Plainview, district governor of Kiwanis clubs, in an address to the local club.

Loose gossip, he declared, can do great harm to a community in which civic clubs do not exert a cheering influence. He praised the Pampa club as one of the best in his large district. Much of his speech was addressed to Kiwanians in relation to what membership in their club means.

The program today also included vocal solos by Miss Catherine Vincent, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. R. A. Webb.

WHEN ALBERT FALL LEFT TO SPEND TERM IN PRISON HE HELPED BUILD



The above photo, rushed from El Paso by special plane to Los Angeles and telephoned there for NEA Service, Inc., and the Pampa Daily News, shows Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, at left step into the ambulance which carried him to his ranch at Three Rivers, N. M. He rested there until doctors said he was strong enough to make the last half of the journey. He last night entered the prison board.

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TEXAS MOVES UP IN EXPORTS

Latest statistics from the United States department of commerce show that Texas ranked second among all the states in value of foreign shipments during 1930, being surpassed only by New York.

Merchandise exports from Texas were valued at \$506,088,298, compared with \$667,559,600 for the previous year despite the depression. New York's exports for 1930 were \$698,659,077. It will not be surprising to many to know that unmanufactured cotton lead all products, with \$301,058,127. Gasoline was second with \$79,342,939, wheat third with \$23,361,046, and illuminating oil next with \$18,183,590. Other leading exports were lubricating oil, \$12,787,418; crude sulphur, \$15,979,536; gas and fuel oil, \$11,474,044; crude petroleum, \$4,510,081; and wheat flour, \$2,740,988.

The report says that meat products, eggs, hides and skins, barley, corn, rice, oil-cake, fresh vegetables, boards, planks, paraffin wax, iron and steel scrap, copper and manufactures, well and refinery machinery, passenger automobiles, aircraft and parts, railway cars, benzol, carbon black, firearms, and ammunition are among the products sent from this state to foreign countries during the year.

It should be noted that the bulk of Texas exportable wealth is in her raw products. This should give weight to conservation plans, since exporting of these products during this period of low prices in costing the state many millions of dollars. The census report also shows that Texas' chief market for her manufactured articles is at home rather than abroad.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

The Heart
OF A NORMAL ADULT
PUMPS ABOUT ONE
GALLON OF BLOOD
PER MINUTE!

WHAT WE
COMMONLY CALL
A
**HORSE'S
KNEE**
IS REALLY
THE
WRIST

SUNFLOWERS
ARE DESCENDANTS
OF THE
ROSE...

TRACES OF LEGS, IN
THE FORM OF CLAWS,
ARE STILL TO BE FOUND
ON SOME SNAKES...
(THE BOAS AND PYTHONS)

BY NEA SERVICE, INC. 7-11

Water Menacing Railway Bridge

WICHITA FALLS, July 21. (AP)—The Wichita Falls Valley railway bridge over Red river north of Byers was still endangered today by the flow of water and drift from Beaver creek a few miles upstream, according to information given by officials of the line early Tuesday afternoon.

A crew of workers sent to the scene was making an effort to keep the drift from piling against supports of the structure. Traffic had not been interrupted and officials of the line expressed the belief that damage would be averted.

The rise had been slight at the Missouri-Kansas-Texas bridge at Burkburnett, upstream from the entrance of Beaver creek and Red river.

Helium Suit Is Being Heard Now

AMARILLO, July 21. (AP)—Condemnation proceedings brought by the government to obtain helium rights on 9,000 acres of land owned by the Bivins estate are being heard by three Amarillo men, appointed special examiners for the case.

The acreage is a part of the cliff-side structure from which the government's helium plant near Amarillo gets its gas supply, and the last tract in more than 50,000 acres to be leased. The government values the lease at \$40,837, but the owners have refused to accept.

United States District Attorney Norman A. Dodge of Fort Worth is representing the government. Special commissioners are John E. Hill, W. T. Coble, and W. J. Merton.

CARRICK IS HONORED

DALLAS, July 21. (AP)—Dr. Manton M. Carrick, former state health officer, was honored last night by the disabled American veterans when he was awarded the distinguished service citation. Lawrence Melton, state commander, made the award.

FARMER: "CAN'T YOU MAKE IT TWO?"



says was out alternate inflation and deflation of other "vital truths."

He also provides a springboard for Prof. James Harvey Rogers, the Yale economist, who dives into the spotlight with charges of various suppressions here traceable to political expediency, mentioning alleged Wickrham report tinkering, ignoring unemployment recommendations by Colonel Woods, allegedly phoney statements and figures about unemployment and so on.

Those are pretty good examples of the way censorship works in this town. When newspaper correspondents themselves are deterred from telling openly all they know or think, they write books or magazine articles anonymously. Sooner or later the reading public seems to get the whole story.

Preaching endurance contests make the list of professions unanimous in this weakness. Do they forget the verse which includes this: "I am not as other men..."?

American bankers lent Germany a lot of money. Germany was bled so heavily for reparations that she couldn't pay Mr. Morgan and associates. That scared the big boys, who immediately got in touch with Mr. Hoover. The rest is what the headlines have been telling of late.

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OUT OUR WAY - - - By Williams



Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON, July 21. (NEA).—Censorship is seldom very successful in Washington, presumably because it can't be enforced by threats of dungeons or death.

The only form of censorship that is ever really successful here is the sort imposed upon government officials, who, either through loyalty or fear, do not make public such facts as their superiors may desire suppressed. But even that type of censorship often boomerangs itself and stirs up an unpleasant mess with plenty of extra publicity for the censor.

Sometimes, of course, misleading facts and figures are made public in place of those more accurate and applicable. But someone shoots holes in them sooner or later, just the same.

In other countries, such as Italy, Russia, Argentina, China and Poland, the government can make its censorship stick by incarceration, exile, suppression of newspapers or even execution. That's what makes most of our own governmental attempt seem so puny and futile.

The fate of two recent attempts at censorship here are in point. One is President Hoover's effort to suppress news about his own movements and the other is the department of commerce's attempted suppression of statistics compiled by one of its financial experts, Dr. Ray Ovid Hall.

You find President Hoover incensed at publication of the story that he suddenly jumped into his automobile at the Rapidan camp and was driven back to Washington at very high speed. The story is not denied, but secret service men and correspondents are called in on the carpet. Newspapers are told that news about the president must come only through authorized channels.

Nearly all the newspapermen get sore and pound out some warmly worded stories about censorship, generally with passing reference to Mr. Hoover's penchant for fast motoring over bad roads. The president then makes another fast trip to camp and a newspaperman and his wife are hurt when their car double-somersaults as they try to keep up with the Hoover party at 55 miles an hour.

Stories written about that are plainly worded and the Washington News says editorially: "The president should set a better traffic example to the nation, and more specifically, should refrain from making the highways hereabouts unsafe by giving rein to his manifest appetite for speed."

Last reports were that the White House wouldn't try to censor the newspapermen, but was determined that no person employed by the White House should slip them any news unless the president authorized it. Secret service men are being warned about the danger of friendships with correspondents. The newspapermen are continuing as before, asserting confidence that no White House censorship of any kind will ever succeed and pointing out that the latest episode has merely drawn the president some unfavorable publicity.

Dr. Hall was fired after a row with a superior officer over alleged suppression of statements and figures in his report on international trade payments in 1930. Few persons would have read the report. But now Hall is able to break into newspapers far and wide with the assertion that the department has over-valued the year's imports by \$175,000,000, that it is covering up what he

RED CROSS TO AID

HENRYETTA, Okla., July 21. (AP) With the arrival here today of Henry Eaker, Red Cross representative from the division headquarters at St. Louis, plans for relieving the needs of destitute persons living in this vicinity were formulated.

Baker said that a trained Red Cross worker would come here to handle the situation. Only those unable to work and needy women and children will be given food, he said. The organization will join the local committee of citizens in seeing that everyone who wants work will be employed, but it was specifically stated that there would be no hand-outs as during the emergency several months ago.

WOMEN OFTEN PAY A DOUBLE PENALTY

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MOON of DELIGHT by Margaret Bell Houston

SYNOPSIS: Juanita Basara dreads exposure as a showgirl from the Dolores and does not seek police aid in escaping from Jason Divitt's New Orleans gambling place. He and his wife, Molly, fear her release might link them with the theft of the ship's chest—one of them enclosing the terrified girl.

Chapter 6 THE LURE OF A VEIL. Rubies or diamonds or the famous Belaire sapphires, or what Kirk liked best, the single strand of pearls! Mrs. Belaire contemplated herself in the mirror. She was 74. Face and throat were withered flowers, but with the fine blue eyes, the delicate profile, the small foot, she was still the spirited ghost of

ena watched her descend the stair. Kirk Starnard met his grandmother in the hall. He was not smiling. Her brown hair graying at 30, the same fine blue eyes and slightly aquiline profile, her smile. They went into the drawing room, his arms about her. Two men rose. One was a portly person with a frown carved between black brows, a man perhaps 50, Kirk Starnard presented him.

"No lipstick, Lorenza," Mrs. Belaire had remarked from the very beginning of lipstick. "Hard. That is what it makes us look. And all beautifying is merely a softening process." "Yes, ma'am," agreed Lorenza, who really understood. Her mistress had not changed for Lorenza in these 30 years of service. Lorenza stood back now, contemplating the rubies on her lady's breast.

Mexicans Loot Ranch on Which Chinese Are Used

NOGALES, Sonora, Mexico, July 21. (AP)—A report on the robbery of eight Sonora ranches by a mob of more than 100 men was before authorities here today. Guillermo Mascareñas, rancher, who appealed for protection yesterday, attributed the outbreak to the employment of Chinese as workers. Observers said they believed it was an outgrowth of the Mexican labor law which requires all employers to pay at least 80 per cent Mexican labor.

Mascareñas reported that his loss in an attack Sunday amounted to \$12,000 worth (approximately \$5,000). The losses included money supplies and ranch products. Chinese employees fled at the approach of the armed mob. Yao Hsiang Peng, Chinese consul here, said that five of the eight ranches looted employed some Chinese farmers.

Argument Over Dominoes Fatal

SAN ANTONIO, July 21. (AP)—John McGhee, 50, was under charge today in connection with the death of Richard Gray, 55-year-old farmer, near here yesterday. Gray was shot to death at the McGhee home, 9 miles on the Corpus Christi road. McGhee, charged before Justice of the Peace John F. Omlon, was at Liberty under bond of \$1,000. The trouble was said to have started Sunday when McGhee and his nephew, Carl McGhee, went to Gray's home to play dominoes.

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WOMAN'S TRIAL CONTINUED SANDERSON, July 21. (AP)—Trial of Mrs. Essie Sharp, 22, in connection with the slaying of her husband was continued to the Judge Joseph Jones here yesterday. Motion was made by defense attorneys based on absence of seven witnesses. Previous to granting a continuance Judge Jones overruled a defense motion asking that Mrs. Sharp be tried for insanity.

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United States Outlines Opinion On German Plan

WASHINGTON, July 21. (AP)—A proposal by the American government that the bankers of the world maintain their present volume of credits to Germany has been laid before the interested powers at the London ministers' conference.

Acting Secretary Castle of the state department made known today the details of the formal suggestions approved by President Hoover for relieving Germany.

At the outset the American proposals placed entirely in Europe's hands the solution of their political problems.

The American proposals were confined to banking operations. It was suggested that the maintenance of the present levels of credits be supplemented with continued measures by Germany to stem the internal tide within that country.

It proposed the establishment of a committee of the bank for international settlements or through other means to secure cooperation in consulting world banking interests for renewal of short term credits; cooperation in an inquiry to determine Germany's further economic needs and the study for the conversion within six or eight months of a part of the short term credits into long term credits.

Heavy Obligations
Castle estimated the total of the short term credits at \$1,200,000,000, one-half of which is held by American banks.

The American proposals pointed out that the strain on Germany's economic structure had come from the "flight from the mark" in Germany and the withdrawal of foreign credits. It cited the restoration of confidence in Germany's economic life as the actual purpose of the proposal through economic measures.

The plan had already been submitted by Secretary Stimson to the French and Germans Saturday. He said it had been received in a friendly spirit by the British.

LONDON, July 21. (AP)—Secretary of State Stimson said today after the seven power conference had adjourned for luncheon that he was satisfied with the start which had been made.

"The lines of the conference are shaping themselves," he said, "the issues are being clarified and there are better prospects than ever for a successful solution."

Warning Is Issued
BERLIN, July 21. (AP)—In a telegram to Chancellor Bruening in London today Adolf Hitler, Alfred Hugenberger and other leaders of the nationalist opposition served warning that they will not consider themselves bound by any new political guarantees conceded to France in connection with financial assistance for Germany.

"The plan proposed by President Hoover and originally intended as a measure of relief for Germany," the telegram said, "finds itself opposed by the undisguised intention of France to force the German people permanently under her dictation. Thus out of relief is to be made worse distress."

"Responsible quarters in France cannot be unaware that the despair among our young people, has grown to such an extent that all kinds of most dangerous trains of thought have been set in motion.

"The German nation, which feels itself free of war guilt, cannot and will not longer carry the unjust burdens forced upon it, and any further reduction of the German state sovereignty is decidedly unbearable and incurable.

"The whole national opposition therefore formally serves notice that in accordance with its basic convictions it will not regard as legally binding any further conditions entered into with France."

Murray Blockades Detour at Bridge

DURANT, Okla., July 21. (AP)—Gov. W. H. Murray tightened his blockade of the Denton toll bridge today by barricading the detour around the original barriers on national highway 75 approaching the Red river structure from the north.

Some motorists had continued to use the toll bridge by taking a country road detour over what is known as the swinging bridge east of the highway since the main approach to the toll structure was blocked on orders of Governor Murray.

However, blocking of the detour completely shuts off the toll bridge from a north outlet and northbound motorists who crossed the toll bridge again were forced to turn back. No tolls were refunded.

Texas rangers still bar the Texas approach to the free bridge, which parallels the toll structure.

Travel across the river is being directed across the Preston bridge, a free structure about eight miles down the river from the Durant-Denton bridges.

DENTON, July 21. (AP)—A mass meeting was to be held tonight here to discuss the bridge controversy. It was expected that demands would be made for the free bridge to be opened and legal phases of the dispute settled in court.

It was reported that the swinging bridge near Needmore school had been dismantled, completely isolating the toll bridge north of Denton.

A few motorists had managed to detour around the plowed road leading to this bridge before the dismantling.

Motorists were being routed by the highway department to Preston Bend.

LOST SHIP ANSWERS
SANTIAGO, Chile, July 21. (AP)—The cable ship Retriever, which had almost been given up for lost, spoke to the west coast land cable station this afternoon.

Ardmore Killings Blamed as American Faces Death Before Firing Squad in Mexico

By MARSHALL HALL
NEA Service Correspondent.

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CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, July 21.—Because of the slaying of two Mexican youths in Ardmore, Okla., one of whom was the Mexican president's nephew, an American youth is closer to execution before a Mexican firing squad.

At least that is what his friends, including a U. S. congressman, assert.

The youth is W. J. (Jeff) Meers, 28, who shot to death Antonio Visconti, Juarez waiter, under the impression that Visconti was Manuel Villareal, slayer of Meers' father.

Young Meers walked into the Owl bar in Juarez, across from El Paso, Tex., on June 16 1930, and seeing Visconti, suddenly decided to revenge his father's murder.

"He looked like Villareal," said Meers. "Villareal killed my father in cold blood during a payroll hold-up."

On July 21, 1930, he was taken from the Juarez jail to the Chihuahua state prison for safekeeping.

Sentenced to Death
On June 27, 1931, Meers was sentenced to death by the Chihuahua penal judge.

On the same day news of the acquittal of William Guess, Ardmore county sheriff, charged with slaying Emilio Cortes, Rubio nephew of President Ortiz Rubio of Mexico, was broadcast over the world.

Since the death penalty has rarely been given and never carried out before in Chihuahua state courts, Meers' friends blamed the Ardmore killings for his death sentence, saying he is the victim of international friction and prejudice.

"The death sentence for Meers' act was out of all reason," says Congressman R. E. Thomason of El Paso.

He obtained the state department's assurance that Meers' legal rights will be protected in Mexico.

Meers formerly was an express clerk in El Paso. His wife and other relatives now live there.

Meers, his friends say, has been the victim of unlucky breaks.

Shortly before the shooting of Visconti in 1930, friction had developed between Juarez and El Paso over a local question of little importance, and Juarez unions, in a large demonstration, demanded death for Meers.

Various other international differences have played on his case to his disadvantage.

The death sentence, coming on the day of the acquittal of the Oklahoma deputy sheriff, was the culminating misfortune. The Ardmore slayings already had fanned Mexican anti-American sentiment to a flame, and newspapers clamored for Meers' death.

"He ought to be assassinated," stated a Mexico City paper, editorially.

Since then the arrest in Chicago of a Mexican vice consul has renewed anti-American feeling which found outlet in denunciation of Meers.

Shows No Fear
The tall, blond American youth is calm.

"I have no fear that I shall be executed," he said, as he sat on a narrow cot in his cell in the ancient Chihuahua prison when I called to interview him.

"The death penalty is never carried out in Chihuahua. It is always commuted to 20 years or less. My appeal now is pending. After that we have recourse to the governor the president, or the federal courts."

Meers is cheerful after more than a year in the Mexican prison.

"But if it had not been for my wife I would have lost hope," he said. "She writes me every day. Her mother and she have done everything possible for me."

Meers is lodged in "murderers' row" with 50 other prisoners, all but a few convicted of murder.

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went to his Tres Rios ranch. He stayed there two days and yesterday afternoon began the 327-mile trip to the prison here, arriving shortly after 10 p. m., although several stops were made, and a half hour required only seven and a half hours.

Wish Cast His Name
In his only talk with newspapermen, shortly before the party reached Santa Fe, Fall told the reporters he felt weak.

Newspapermen were barred from interviewing Fall after he was inside the prison. Details were obtained from Warden Ed Swope. None of the members of Fall's family entered the prison with him. Their farewells were said before Santa Fe was reached. From now on, Warden Swope said, they will have to observe regular visiting hours.

Dr. E. W. Fiske, prison physician, was to examine Fall today to determine whether he is able to undergo fingerprinting, photographing and other prison routine, including outfitting with prison denim and cutting of the hair.

CALIFORNIANS HERE
Mrs. Kirby Wigham and son, Junior, of Long Beach, Cal., arrived here yesterday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Lee C. McConnell. She and her son are en route to Windsor, Minn., and will leave for that place tomorrow.

BOY SERIOUSLY HURT
BROWNWOOD, July 21. (AP)—Peyton Lee Guyer, 13, was in a critical condition here today with a bullet wound in his body received when a small caliber rifle accidentally discharged. Physicians had little hope for his recovery.



W. J. (Jeff) Meers, American who faces a firing squad in Mexico, is shown here. The Chihuahua prison is shown in the lower picture, while the upper picture shows its "murderers' row," Meers' cell being indicated by the arrow.

Al Capone Is Said to Be "Broke"

CHICAGO, July 21. (AP)—The Chicago Herald and Examiner said today that Alphonse Capone, who soon will go to prison, is either "broke" or has successfully concealed his assets.

The newspaper said this was indicated last night by Assistant United States Attorney Dwight Green in charge of income tax evasions, who said the government was having a hard time finding anything of Capone's to attach to satisfy its income tax bill.

Capone pleaded guilty to owing the government \$215,000 in taxes. He is to have a hearing July 30 before sentence is passed.

LEGISLATURE

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and buying property at forced low prices.

Interprets "Demand"
Proration based on reasonable market demand was urged by Hunter. He interpreted "market demand" as a market on which oil can be sold and "reasonable market demand" as the market where it could be sold at a profit.

Asked if he believed the attorney general's investigation would uncover evidence of anti-trust law violations, Hunter said the information on which to base anti-trust suits probably was not available to the attorney general.

Recommendation that any law enacted by the legislature be limited to two years duration so its operation could be observed and it could be abandoned if found inadequate was made to the committee by Hunter. Any laws passed, however, should contain provisions where pipeline companies could be placed in receivership by the attorney general and liquidated for violation of the ratable taking provisions of the common carrier pipe law.

Boasted Potentials
Major oil companies were charged by Hunter with increasing the potentials of the Yates pool and the Dard Creek and Salt Flats fields.

Senator Frank Rawlings of Fort Worth asked that the resolution of the state affairs committee be printed and action postponed.

"It doesn't take much sense to determine the oil industry is controlled by an airtight monopoly but I don't know of anything we can do about it," Rawlings said. "We could ask the big oil men how they manipulated prices. That would give us a lot of satisfaction but the results would be nil."

Rawlings suggested an investigation should be carried on by the attorney general's department and grand jurors.

Senator George Puri of Dallas wanted to know if the United States senate investigators headed by Senator Walsh of Montana had not done some good in uncovering the Teapot dome scandal.

Senator Tom Pollard of Tyler said the committee could find out many things, including the matter of why the railroad commission has not seen fit to enforce the ratable taking law.

SPENCE TAKES JOB
BIG SPRING, July 21. (AP)—E. V. Spence today accepted the post of city manager here. He succeeded V. R. Smitham, who recently accepted manager ship at Wichita Falls. Spence was formerly city manager at San Angelo.

BOY SAVES LIFE
HAMILTON, Ont., July 21. (AP)—A small boy, set afire by his companions, saved his life by quick thinking last night.

Youngsters playing with Fred Day joined gasoline on his legs and then touched a match to them, he said. The lad buried himself quickly in damp sand nearby.

His condition today was reported as fair.

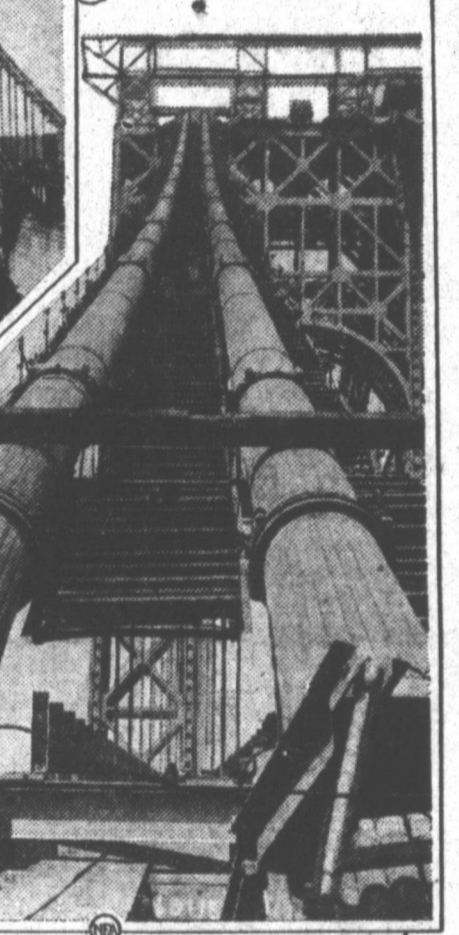
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W. J. (Jeff) Meers, American who faces a firing squad in Mexico, is shown here.

SOME NEW BRIDGEWORK



Towering above the historic Hudson river—a mammoth link between New Jersey and New York—the George Washington Memorial Bridge is nearing completion. Above is a striking photo of two of the giant cables which support the great structure. Inset is a general view of the span, which is expected to carry more vehicular traffic than any other bridge in the world.

Rum Runners Are Using Noxious Gas

WASHINGTON, July 21. (AP)—Use of a noxious gas by an alleged Nova Scotia rumrunner in evading capture by a coast guard boat was the basis of a complaint forwarded to the Canadian government by the state department.

The complaint was dispatched last night with instructions to Minister MacNider at Ottawa to submit it to Canadian authorities "for such action as they may find it possible to take."

The gas was reported in the protest as having been used by the vessel Cadet of Weymouth, Nova Scotia, in eluding CG-149 off Nantucket, Mass., on June 18. Members of the coast guard boat crew were made violently ill when the gas, coming from the Cadet's exhaust, enveloped the rum chaser.

Stanley Zylinksi and Arthur Zellars, two of the coast guard boat crew, spent four weeks in a hospital recovering from the effects of the gas.

The coast guard boat had fired a shot across the bow of the Cadet when the fleeing vessel was reported to have swung into the wind and blew down the gas.

More than 40,000 Mexicans, 39,000 of them repatriates, re-entered their homeland from the United States through Laredo, Tex., from June, 1930 to June, 1931.

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PARAMOUNT NEWS

Markets

LIVERPOOL IS WEAK
NEW ORLEANS, July 21. (AP)—Cotton had a quiet and easier opening today. Liverpool cables were unfavorable and advices from the London financial conferences were less reassuring. First trades here showed losses of 10 to 11 points, and the market eased off a little further after the start, October dropping to 9.67 and December to 9.89, or 11 points on both months below yesterday's close.

This early drop attracted some trade buying and also covering by ring traders, and prices rallied 8 points from the lows. Near the end of the first hour, the market showed a tendency to ease off again.

GRAINS STEADY
CHICAGO, July 21. (AP)—Awaiting news of definite developments at the international financial conference in London, grain prices marked time early today. Fluctuations kept within extremely narrow limits, and showed no pronounced trend either up or down.

Starting 3-5 cent off to 1-2 up, wheat later held near the initial range. Corn opened unchanged to 1-2 down and later fluctuated but little.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK
KANSAS CITY, July 21. (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Hogs 2,500; no direct; uneven, steady to 15 lower than Monday's average; top \$7.35 on 180-210 lbs. 140-250 lbs. \$6.70@7.35; 250-290 lbs. \$6.30@6.85; 290-350 lbs. \$5.80@6.40; packing sows 275-500 lbs. \$4.25@5.10; stock pigs, 70-130 lbs. \$6.50@7.30.

Cattle 6,000; calves 1,000; light weight fed steers and yearlings steady to 25 higher; other classes steady; top yearlings \$9.40. Steers, 600-1,000 lbs. \$6.00@6.75; common and medium 600 lbs. up \$4.00@7.00; heifers, 550-850 lbs. \$6.75@6.80; cows \$3.50@5.00; vealers, (milk fed) \$4.00@7.00; stocker and feeder steers, (all weights) \$5.00@7.25.

Sheep 3,000; killing classes generally steady; Colorado lambs \$7.25; Lambs, 90 lbs. down \$6.25@7.25; ewes, 150 lbs. down \$1.75@3.00.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press
NEW YORK
Stocks firm, rally strengthen in late trading.
Bonds strong, railroad issues gain.
Curb firm, dullness continues.
Foreign exchanges irregular.
Sterling recedes after early strength.
Cotton lower, easier cables and favorable weather.
Sugar higher, steady spot market.
Coffee, higher, Brazilian buying.
CHICAGO
Wheat firm, unfavorable foreign crop and weather report.
Corn steady, bullish Nebraska advices.
Cattle, steady to higher.
Hogs, lower.

The new bridge across the Mississippi river at New Orleans will require 60,000 tons of steel.

Kills Father



Held in jail at Jasper, Tenn., on a charge of murdering her father, 15-year-old Clara Roberts, above, calmly reads and embroiders while awaiting trial. She confessed she shot her father as he slept because he had whipped her for going out with boys, authorities said.

Swine In Demand By Wheat Farmers

Swine seems to be an answer, perhaps temporary, to those farmers who want to do something with their wheat, besides sell it for 24 cents per bushel, C. L. Thomas, successful farmer who lives seven miles north of town, said recently.

However, Mr. Thomas hastily pointed out that the surest way to ruin the hog market is for too many Panhandle farmers to start feeding hogs. "It's been done many times in the past," Mr. Thomas said.

Farmers throughout this section are now becoming "swine-minded."

The one big drawback is that there are so few hogs in the country. At the present time hogs are the costliest and scarcest animals in the Panhandle. Mr. Thomas believes that if wheat farmers could obtain enough hogs and fatten them before Middle West farmers in Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska place their hogs on the market, they could realize a profit on their investment and dispose of part of their wheat crop to advantage.

BANK IS ROBBED

TUTTLE, Okla., July 21. (AP)—Two unmasked men held up five officials of the bank of Tuttle today and made their escape after two customers, seated in a back room, ran out the back door and sounded the alarm. Floyd Kinible, cashier, said he did not believe any money was taken.

BOSTON APPLAUDS

BOSTON, July 21. (AP)—Wiley Post and Harold Gatty, whose swift blue monoclone, the Winnie Tanne, carried them around the world in less time than man has ever gone before, received Boston's plaudits today.

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France Proposes League Force in Maintaining Peace

PARIS, July 21. (AP)—A united armed force provided by all members of the League of Nations which could "intervene in conflict to support the league council's decisions or recommendations" was proposed today by France in a memorandum setting forth its attitude on disarmament.

France already has reduced her own armaments to a point which she considers to be the lowest consistent with her national security "in the present state of Europe and the world," the memorandum said.

The present government is ready to participate in organization of a scheme for "mutual assistance" for all countries in case of aggression and is certain the 1932 disarmament conference at Geneva will not overlook the opportunity of organizing it.

WATERS RECEDING

UVALDE, July 21. (AP)—Flood waters of the main Neeces and dry Fríos rivers had subsided sufficiently today to allow motorists to cross them with the assistance of highway department trucks. Over 100 cars were towed across the streams today. They had been stranded near Kinliffe.

Trench Foot

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