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PAMPA, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS, TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 21, 1928.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

# GRAY COUNTY OIL PRICE HIK

# City Commission Orders Eighteen Blocks More Paving

Month Required to Put Program Into Operation

**SOME PETITIONS** NOT COMPLETE

#### Remainder of Requests to Be Acted Upon When Ready

Orders for the paving of eighteen additional blocks, with the assurance that other petitions will be acted upon favorably when completed, were passed by the city commission last night.

Petitions for about fourteen other blocks have been partly completed, and the signers will be asked to get other signatures at once.

City Engineer A. H. Doucette was ordered to prepare estimates, plans, and specifications for the paving passed, and it is estimated that at least a month will be required for legal details and engineering work prior to letting the contract.

The paying ordered last night is as

Five and one-half blocks on Francis evenue from the west property line of Frost street to a point 140 feet west of the west property line of Purviance street.

Fight and one-half blocks on Somerville street, from the north line of Foster avenue to the south line of Clook avenue

One block on Frost street, from the north line of Kingsmill avenue to the south line of Francis avenue. Two blocks on Ballard street, from

the north line of Kingsmill avenue to the north line of Browning avenue. One block on Kingsmill avenue, from the west property street to the east line of Somerville

#### Aviation Hero Is Married to Texas Girl at Paris

PARIS. Feb. 21.—(P)—Miss Eleanor Barclay of San Antonio, Texas, and Harold Tittmann, Jr., second secretary of the American embassy at Rome, were married here today. The civil seremony took place at the city hall and the religious ceremony at the American pro-cathedral, after which a wedding breakfast was held at the American embassy.

The witnesses at the civil ceremony were Myron T. Herrick, American amassador to France, and Harlan Miller, second secretary of the American embassy at Paris, for Tittmann and Mildred Nelson for the bride. The couple will spend their honeymoon travelling in Italy.

Tittman is an American aviation hero who had his right leg shot off, his arm broken and his body riddled at an air battle at Chateau Thierry. He was decorated by the French and American governments for bravery.

#### Pneumonia Is Fatal to Woman

Mrs. A. Clarke, 28 years old, died at the Pampa hospital this morning following a short illness. Death was caused from pneumonia. Mrs. Clark being taken to the hospital Sunday after-

Besides her husband, she leaves five small sons and her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hamilton of Larned, Kas. Mr. Clarke is an employe of the Bell Oil and Gas company.

Funeral arrangements await the arrival of relatives. The body is at the G. C. Malone Funeral home

#### THE WEATHER

EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Wednesday cloudy, occasional rains; warmer in northeast and southwest portions to-

TEXAS: Tonight cloudy howers in east portion, warmer in orth portion; Wednesday partly

OKLAHOMA: Tonight and Wednes ay cloudy, probably showers; warm

# **TOLL BRIDGE**

**NEW PROJECT** Local Men May Span Canadian North of Pampa

Application papers to build a toll bridge across the Canadian river, almost due north of Pampa, were filed with the Roberts county clerk yesterday afternoon by Charles H. Sharp, local building contractor, J. H. Lavender, local real estate dealer, and E. D. Read, specialty engineer of the Read Engineering company, leaders in a movement to erect the bridge across the Canadian river and create a new road through that section of the Pan

handle The proposed crossing is one and half mile east and 32 miles north of Pampa. The road leading to the crossruns due north from two miles past the Roberts county line, or a mile east of the red school house on the Miami road.

At that point the river is 3.500 fee wide and the local men are in comnunication with several bridge conractors to learn prices and materia necessities for the bridge. An excepticnally good landing would connec the bridge with county roads both north

and south of the river. From the north side of the river it would only be necessary to build nine miles of road to connect with the Spearman to Hansford highway. From there it would connect with the Cannon Ball trail to Liberal, Kan., which would mean a paved highway direct to New York City.

This bridge across the river, half way between the bridges at Canadian and Borger, would open thousands of acres of excellent wheat lands not used at the present time because of the lack of roads to haul the wheat to a railway center. Miami residents are enthusiastic ov-

now going to Perryton and Spearman. Pampa also would benefit because of the increased traffic through the city and certain shipping from here.

The Roberts county commissioners will meet March 12 to consider the granting of the permit to erect the bridge and the advisability of the pro-

#### Hoover to Receive Medal in Engineering at Dinner Tonight

NEW YORK, Feb. 21—(AP)—Herbert Hoover will speak over the radio to night at a fellow-engineer when he is presented with the Saunders gold melal for achievements in engineering. The presentation, which is to broadcast by the WJZ net work starting at 9 p. m., will be made at the annual banquet of the American Instiaute and Metallurgical Engineers at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel.

Simultaneous gatherings of neers in sixteen other cities will listen in on the program. The cities are: No- diately following its arrival. gales, Sonora, Mexico; Denver, Harrisburg, Pa.; Houston, Dallas, Pop-Lake City, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Pittsburgh, San Francisco, Seattle Omaha, and Philadelphia

#### Sinking Ships Take Lives of Eighteen

OSLO, Norway, Feb. 21.—(P)—Ten persons were believed to have been drowned today in the sinking of the mail steamer Norge near Haugesund. The boat, enroute to Bergen from Oslo, ran ashore and sank immediately.

Bodies of two persons were recovered. Five members of the crew and three passengers are missing.

GRIMSBY, England, Feb. 21,-(P)-Eight persons were drowned when the trawler Petunia collided with the life boat which capsized and only one of them was saved.

#### BRITISH AUTHOR DIES.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—(P)—Basil Mac-Donald Hastings, 46, author and play-wright, died here today after a lengthy

## **Loop Champion**



CHARLES HOLMAN.

MINNEAPOLIS Feb. Charles "Speed" Holman, Twin Citiesan mail phot swept the air in virtually one continuous circle for more than four hours to set a new loop-to-loop record for aviators. He ent over and under 1,093 times, breaking the mark of 515 loops set a week earlier by Gene Shank, St. Paul

#### Many Exceptions Are Taken—Witness on Stand

In trial procedure featured today by er the project, as it would mean much the objections and bills of exception shipping from there of merchandise from lawyers, the case of Della Todd against the City of Pampa got under way this afternoon with one witness for the plaintiff on the stand.

This witness, L. G. Lunsford, was driver of the car which is alleged to have struck a ditch in Southeast Pampa last September, causing an accident in which Mickey Todd was killed Della Todd, who also was injured at the time, is suing the city for \$35,000 damages. the condition of the street was not the stand for re-election. real couse of the accident.

The jury is composed of A. G. Mc-Kay, Roy Sullivan, P. B. Farley, E. J. Getting, F. H. Turbush, T. McKnight, which Charles T. Nicholson, James Mertell, years. L. Lavender C. M. Spurlock, K. E. Winsom, and G. D. Hunt.

#### Farm Train Will Be Here Tomorrow

The Texas Farm and Home special train will arrive here tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock and will remain until Thursday morning. The model train will be stationed in front of the depot and will be open for inspection imme-

An interesting program will be presented by representatives of the Texlin, Mo.; Kansas City, Spokane, Salt as A. & M. college along the lines of poultry raising, dairving, field crops, home economics, and other interesting topics which will be illustrated by means of exhibits.

Texas and is of great educational value to old and young. Talks will be made from a specially built car equipped with large microphones commencing at 8

#### Oklahoma Bank Victim of Yeggman

HUGO Okla., Feb. 21-(P)-Using an acetylene torch, yeggmen last night burned their way into the vault of the American National bank at Fort Towson, 20 miles east of here, and escaped with approximately \$3,000 A passerby who encountered the robbers was bound. He managed to resteamer Ylva in the North Sea yes-terday. The trawler sank within a few minutes. The crew took to a Members of the sheriff's force here were working on the case today.

#### FLIVVER PLANE OFF.

DEFROIT, Feb. 21.—Harry Brooks, piloting a Ford "flivver" plane, took off from the Ford airport at 6:20 a.m., today on his second attempt at a nonstop flight to Miami, Fia.

# **SHERIFF'S JOB MOST SOUGHT**

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Few County Positions Lack Announced Candidate

A summary of announcements for county and precinct offices shows the race for sheriff to be the most keenly contested, five aspirants already having announced their candidacy to that office. Other offices are not being so keenly sought this early in the race. but several announcements are expected to be made later.

In the race for sheriff, the first announcement was made by Sheriff E. S. Graves, who has served the county in that capacity for the last seven years.
S. A. "Art" Hurst, driller for the last two years in the Pampa field, was second to announce for that office. Walt Newton, another driller, who has ing has a romance all its own, but ived here the last two years, also made the complete banker, Dr. Lincoln Hulhis announcement.

The fourth aspirant to the office of sheriff was Jim King, well known oil sions and hobbies. Dr. Hulley prac-

police of the city.

For the office of county judge the present judge, T. M. Wolfe is out for re-election. He has held that office several times and has been a resident of the county since 1899. Although not officially announced, I. E. Duncan has consented to run for the office of county judge in the coming election.

Studer for Re-Election John Studer, county attorney, is the Believers only one in the race for that office at the present time. He has served in that capacity for the last three years. No one has announced for commissioner of Precinct One. In Precinct Two the present commissioner, W. A.

Taylor, is again out for office after serv-In Precinct Three County Commissioner. Tom Kirby is out for re-election and has for his opponent H. G. been received for the fourth precinct.

Charlie Thut, for the last three years clerk of the county court and a pioneer, at the present time.

for the office of county treasurer, which is being left vacant by Miss Mi-The defense is attempting to show that riam Wilson, who dies not plan to

> Leech Not Opposed F. Ewing Leech is the only candidate for the office of county assessor, which he has held for the past three

termedeputy constable, has announced from the time it was begun until it his candidacy for the office of consta- was finished. ble to succeed W. J. Watson, who is retiring. G. C. Adams is also out for the same office.

Two announcements have been made for the office of district attorney in the 81th district. J. A. Holmes, former attorney of the 31st district. has announced for the 84th district. C. S. Wortman, local attorney, a former county judge in Oklahoma, is another candidate

The office of justice of the peace so far has no announced aspirants. All of these candidates are subject to the action of the Democratic primary of

## reans of exhibits. This train is making a trip through Oil Production Is Increased by **West Texas Area**

TULSA, Okla., Feb. \$1.—(P)—Oil production in the mid-continent fields increased 7,522 barrels daily the work ending February 18, the Oil and Gas Journal will say today. Total production for the area for the week 365,513 barrels, as against 1,357,991 barrels for the week ending February 11. The greatest gain was registered in the West Texas field, where the production was hiked 10,799 barrels. The West Texas production for the week was 299,250 as against 288,451 for the previous week.

Seminole suffered a slight loss, dropping from 323,695 during the week ending February 11, to 31,740 for last week.

C. G. Connelly of Pueblo, Coloradonas accepted a position as salesma mas accepted a position as salesman with Dyke Cullum, local Dodge deal-

# POLITICAL LINE-UP TAKES FORM Versatile Banker



DELAND. Fla., Feb. 21.--(AP)-Bankley believes, should have his diverwell shooter, who has made his home tices what he preaches, too, for in here for the past eight years. The last addition to being a banker he is a to announce was John V. Andrews. former city marshal and now chief of university president, playwright, poet

Outnumber Skeptics—Barber Testifies

WANTED-Horned toad, healthy, for experimental use. Cash paid. Bring to Daily News office.

TULSA. Okla.. Feb. 21.--(AP)---While scientists discuss pro and con the au-McCleskey. No announcements have thenticity of the new celebrated Rip Van Winkle frog's 31 year so journ in the cornerstone of the Eastland, Texis the only applicant for that office as, courthouse, W. H. Day, Tulsa barber, is sure of one thing-that a Joe M. Smith has entered the race horned toad was placed there 31 years

> Day, his brother Eugene Day, wealthy Eastland oil man, John White, and prices" the statement said, "applying Henry Cobb of Wichita Falls, placed the toad there, the barber said to- are attempting to interpret in terms of day.

"I know the toad was placed in the cornerstone." Day said "I helped place Herman H. Wachtendorf, for the past it there. I worked on the courthouse

Was Then Contractor

'White' was contractor on the job and Cobb was superintendent. On the tinent are: day that the cornerstone was prepared, we worked only an hour. There was a horned toad there and it was suggested we put in in the cornerstone. This we did.

Horned toads rarely are killed in Western Texas, Day said, because they devour red ants.

The Days are Texas pioneers.

SHERMAN, Feb. 21.-(P)-Prentiss E. Reid, head of the biology department at Austin college, said today he believed it was possible that the horned frog removed from the cornerstone of the Eastland county courthouse after having been placed there 31 years ago, was alive.

Professor Reic said that although he know of no case of this kind on rec-ord, horned frogs are dormant animals, and he believed they probably would be able to live for a long period of time if there were some dampness on the inside of their tomb.

Another Case Cited NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(P)—The story from Eastland, Texas, that a horned toad was found alive in the cornerstone of the courthouse where it had been entombed for thirty years, has a supporter here.

Dr. William T. Hornaday, former director of the New York zoological gardens, who has explored many parts of the world including the South of the United States, thinks the incident quite possible and recalls an exdent quite possible and recalls an ex-change of his own to support his views. "I was in Ceylon," said Dr. Horna-day. "digging for elephant bones and tusks in sand which was packed so hard it had almost the consistency or rock. So far as could be observed that

(See TOAD, Page 6)

# **SCHEDULE FOR** PLAINS AREA

Higher Gravities Benefit From Readjusted Scale

#### WHEELER PUT ON NEW BASIS

#### Steps Based on Present Value of Gasoline and Fuel Oil

DALLAS, Feb. 21.—(A)—Slight decreases in prices for crude oil of low gravity and increases of from one to 16 cents per barrel for higher grades were announced today by the Magnolia Petroleum company, effective today, in Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas.

Lower gravity oils, from 32 to 35.9, were reduced from 1 to 4 cents. per barrel. That of 36 to 36.9 gravity was unchanged at \$1.28, while the price from 37 to 52 and above was increased 2 cents gradually to 16 cents more. Oil of 37 to 37.8 gravity, new price \$1..31; 52 and above \$1.76, the top price.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Feb. 21.-(P)-The Prairie Oil and Gas company announced a new schedule of crude oil prices in the Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas fields, effective

The price simply meets the new schedule posted today by the Carter and Humble companies, which followed the changes in price made by the Magnolia company a few days

HOUSTON, Feb. 21.—(A)—The Humble Oil and Refining company continent and Panhandle crude.

They were slightly increased the Midcontinent field for crudes above 37 gravity. In Grav county they were slightly increased for the higher gravities and in Wheeler county, where the "ormer price was placed on a gravity basis.

Accompanying the schedule was a statement from President W. S. Farish "In posting this new schedule of crude the Midcontinent grades to crude, we crude values the present market value of fuel cil and gasoline "In positing the new schedule of Pan-

handle, we have increased the posted wices because we are no longer adding to storage crude in the Panhandle. Nor are we shipping any of this crude by fank car. The new posted prices for Mideon-

Below 25 gravity, 76 cents and five cents degree differential up to and including 32.9, \$1.16; 33 to 33.9, \$1.19, with a three cent differential up to and including 44 and above, \$1.52.

New posted prices in Gray county will be: Below 27 gravity, 60 cents with five cents difference up to and including 32.9, which will be 90 cents; 33 to 33.9 93 cents, with a differential of three

cents for each degree of gravity up to 44 and above \$1.26. In Wheeler county the posted pri-

ces are: Below 29 gravity, sixty cents with a five-cent differential on that and up to 32.9 80 cents: 33 to 33.9, 83 cents with a three cent differential up to

(See HUMBLE, Page 6)

#### Vote in Election Before Leaving

The next important step in the county seat removal election of March 9 is for all to vote now who expect to be out of town on election day, according to the election com-

Any local eligible voter expect Any local eligible voter expecting to be out of the city may cast his vote now as provided by law. Such persons are urgently required to telephone the Chamber of Commerce, No. 367, and receive instructions as to how and where to vote. Voting supplies are here and the absentee votes that may be cast now might be decisive in a close election.

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#### DAILY NEWS' 1928 PROGRAM FOR PAMPA

One or more new railroads New city hall-auditorium. County agricultural agent. Additional street paving. Oil Exchange building. Expedite road paving work. Encourage existing industries. Invite new industries. Complete water, sewer systems More and better homes Extend Pampa trade territory Develop dairying industry. Municipal band. Municipal airport. Pampa Fair. Associated Charities. County home demonstration

High school gymnasium.

agent.

Texas women, was dismissed not only to Mrs. Fields, but to by the general body, and this the state organization as well. fact, it would appear from Knowing something of Texas press dispatches, indicates the women, we feel confident they Texas women, who have formed a temporary organioverridden by the central body. tionary theory probably will collection of \$25,000 to finance other before interest wanes. the biennial convention at San it was a Texas responsibility, to handle the story until it had makes a mis-slip.

To the R-R-Rescue



and one that would yet be been verified three times. shouldered.

Although there may be grounds for indignation, West Texas women are doing well Mrs. Fields, elected by they wish to see justice done,

BUNK, OR NATURE?—The zation whose purpose is to re-quesion of fact has not been instate the deposed chairman, settled in the Eastland horned hold that the body which toad case, and the controversy removing, instead of being ocean. Indeed, the evolution of use as a mascot. The specific problem was the be drawn in by one side or the

Some believe it is a publicity

Interesting if true, the frog to combine their protest with story is one that deserves the declarations of loyalty to the attention of scientists. If it is General Federation and to true that the leathery bit of take steps to obtain the state blood and flesh is so fashioned cooperation which will make that it can suspend animation TOMEN AROUSED-No in- the convention successful from for 31 years, or manage to an awful lot of trouble is Caused so much disturbance which may be voiced in the science should study the the science should before a big convention as the individual communities, Texas horned toad. Plant seeds, dismissal of Mrs. J. U. Fields club women desire to see the under favorable conditions, die of Haskell as chairman of the affair adjusted as soon as pos-after a few years in most Texas local biennial board by sible, in order that harmony the board of the General Fedmay prevail in the coming a horned toad, without moist cases. One would think that a provide the board of the General Fedmay prevail in the coming a horned toad, without moist cases. One would think that a provide the coming a horned toad, without moist cases. One would think that a provide the case are that it would not be come alarmed at the coming a horned toad, without moist cases. meeting. At the same time, ure, would become dry and dead as an old glove in 30

false, but it is not ridiculous

elected should have done the is apt to rage from ocean to find that Rip Van Winkle frog torney general, and his right- before the parade gets very

in the newspapers. Now it is Vare would not be in trouble vote absentee at the Chamber Many brand the tale as non- with a law forbidding dogs on and Mr. Smith, the Insullated of Commerce or risk violence Antonio, and when the fund sense. The Associated Press, running boards, unless there is senator-elect from Illinois, on coming back. grew slowly the resignation of always wary of anything a guard so they cannot fall would never have been prethe chairman was asked. Mrs. which smacks of the super- off. We suppose the owner vented from casting what Sen-Fields refused, contending that natural or doubtful, refused is held liable in case Fido ator Norris called "Mr. Insull's like lots of fast gaits; you

#### WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON-When you come to think about it, what Trammell, sinking of the Subsustain the spark of life that caused in this world by Sus-Follette, our Caribbean and

There is good reason to suppose that Congress would be happy to pass a law abolishbe vetoed.

not been aroused, Mr. Doheny opments. However, the horned toad is still would have the Elk Hills a drought-resisting critter, and oil, Mr. Sinclair would have

The ardent "drys" might Daugherty still might be at blow out most of the torches hand man might be Mr. Burns. far.

If Suspicion hadn't been on Los Angeles just will stay the job in Pennsylvania, Mr. vote" in the Senate.

hadn't suspected that Mr. Coolconservative gents were plot late model cars. ting to thrust it upon him, that mean anti-third term resolution never would have been passed.

If someone hadn't begun to smell something unusual, one accepted by intelligent citi- Hollywood, too!

If Mr. Hughes hadn't susto use him as a false face there will be too many rumors. in the contest for presidential nomination, Mr. Hoover's chances would be nowhere brighter.

If everyone didn't suspect that something was wrong with officer.

There are always senators to scoff at the suspicions prompting the resolutions and others to claim them justified if not already verified. Here's an incomplete list of senators and what they want investigated:

Walsh of Montana, public utilities; Johnson, bituminous coal fields conditions and telephone industry; King, Federal Reserve System and condition of the Indians; Reed of Missouri, primary and election funds (continuance); slush McKellar, tax refunds and private loans to the French government; Wheeler, espionage in industry, how Americans have obtained foreign concessions, and concessions and other matters in Nicaragua; Mayfield, Department of Agriculture cotton reports; Norris, Teapot Dome "slush fund"; marine S-4; Blease, telephone, telegraph and cable rates; La Latin-American relations.

#### TWINKLES

won't become alarmed at If someone's suspicions had Democratic convention devel-

The torchlight parade is mistake that was made. West will attain their two-fold goal. perhaps he is able to take the Teapot Dome and Mr. Fall planned for the Republican tiniest bit of moisture from the would have his reputation. | convention. One torch per air. The toad story may be If the vile hand of Suspicion candidate would light several had not been laid upon the blocks, but indications are that Department of Justice, Mr. competing candidates may

Leaving town soon? Then

can't keep it up and it gets

If young Bob La Follette you nowhere, unless eternity.

idge would accept another All some people lack of benomination and that certain ing good roads boosters are

#### BARBS (By N.E.A. Service Inc.)

Mae Murray's prince was or all of Mr. Kellogg's vari- arrested for speeding in Calious explanations of our Nic- fornia and gave as his occupaaraguan policy still might be tion "husband." Diogenes! in

No matter how many hotel w pected that Mr. Hilles and per- rooms Kansas City musters for haps Mr. Mellon were trying the Republican convention,

Florida is a place where near as good as they are and people keep happy and healththose of certain other candi- ful all winter by sending home dates would be considerably pictures of themselves in their shirt sleeves.

Judging from the talk going the navy, Mr. Wilbur might around it hasn't been decided be regarded as a great cabinet finally whether the Democrats will convene in Hewston, Howston or Hooston.

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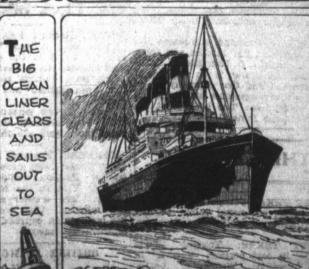


ON BOARD THE PALATIAL OCEAN LINER, FRECKLES REALIZES THAT HIS TRIP TO AFRICA WITH HIS UNCLE HARRY IS MORE THAN A DREAM









# 'Strangler" Lewis Defeats Joe Stecher

#### Dreary Match Results as Grapplers Work Cautiously

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21,—(R)—Ed "Strangler" Lewis of Kansas City, reigns today as undisputed champion of the wrestling world.

By defeating Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., claimant of the title, in a three fall match at the coliseum last night, Lewis ended the quarrel that has existed between them for seven years; since the time the "Strangler" defeated Stecher in New York in 1920.

Lewis won the first fall after more than two hours of dreary wrestling, pinning Stecher's shoulders to the mat with a bar arm, half-Nelson and scisors hold on the arm, in 2:16:32. He captured the third and deciding fall in 12 minutes 50 seconds with a bar arm, or perhaps a double rist lock. Nobody was clear on the exact hold because of the excitement in the dramatically sudden finish.

Stecher won the second fall in a dizzy maze of quick action, lasting only fifty seconds. Lewis, in a moment of care-lessness, fell victim to a double wristlock and was pinned in such astonishing quick time that he was dumb-

who had only lost two matches in fourteen years previous to last night's defeat, showed the only flash of aggressiveness that he displayed during the entire contest. He was outgamed, out-maneuvered, outtricked and outwrestled. Lewis, although past the 35-year old mark, carried the battle to Stecher from the start. He displayed supreme wrestling ability, trickiness and courage. He won fairly and decisively, never leaving a doubt as to the outcome after the men had been on their feet for an hour.

The contest was dull and dreary to all concerned. It was dreary for promoter Tom Packs because the gate receipts failed to come up to his expectations. The attendance was around 5,000 with the receipts, according to Packs, around \$50,000—perhaps ing at Hot Springs. At present he is \$60,000. The prices of \$5 to \$25 for a paying his own way ticket was the barrier to more cus-

For the spectators the match was disappointing because it lacked thrills of the usual wrestling exhibition. There were no trick falls-no wild exciting moments. Both Stecher and Lewis, cool and collected, wrestling cautiously were "leveling" this time. never taking any chances to produce a situation that would entertain the spectators. They were "shooting" last night which in the language of the wrestling world means that they were taking no chances and giving their best. Wrestling men from all over the country, the boys with the thick necks and cauliflower ears, sat at the ringside viewing the spectacle of the two wrestlers in an honest ef-

From a wrestling standpoint in the holds exhibited, science gave no evidence of being in the match excent defensively.

#### Giants Impatient to Start Training-Jackson Is Captain

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(P)—The baseball fever is breaking out into an epidemic with the Giants, news from the training camp at Hot Springs, Ar., today indicating the players from various sections of the country are reporting for practice ahead of schedule. Mel Ott couldn't wait for the Giants to advance on the regular training grounds at Augusta, so he has joined the batterymen at Hot Springs. Geo. Harper and Jackson also have put in appearance and Jackson formally accepted the captaincy of the club offered by Manager McGraw.

### Base Runners Are Held Back Under

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.-(P)-American League umpires, meeting with President Barnard last week, adopted a rulonly one base when a player falls into to terms. grandstand or dugout with a foul fly in his arms.

The case arose in the New Yorkyear, and the umpires then decided to ers. Vance's case has created speculet one base runner score and the other advance to third. Under the new rule, made public today, neither player could have scored.

Philadelphia protested that both runners should have scored but President Ban Johnson upheld his umpires. The Yankees eventually won the game in

> Furniture of Quality Pampa Furniture Co. Yet Low in Price

## **Ready for Monte**



KID GRANITE

Following his recent victory over Eddie Murdock, who last night fought a draw with Wildcat Monte, Kid ounded.

To winning the second fall, Stecher, ready to take the lightweight crown of the Southwest from Monte and

# **Koenig Signs for** Two Years With

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(P)—Mark Wrestlers Known

Rich Leader



Here's good-looking Fred Miller of Milwaukee, Wis., who will captain the Notre Dame football squad next fall. He a tackle. Fred is said to be worth five million dollars in his own name, Girls, ettention!

#### Dazzy Vance Holds Out on Finances

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(P)—Dazzy Vance, the speed ball king, is still at odds over the salary arrangements offered by the Brooklyn Robins, despatch-New Foul Ruling es from Wilbert Robinson's rendezyous at Dover Hall, Ga., disclose.

With five days left for the batterymen to report at Clearwater, Fla., it was reported Robie had made an ofing permitting base runners to advance fer of \$18,500 to induce Dazzy to come

Vance wants \$20,000 per annum and a contract of two years. In view of the recent procedure of the Robins in dis-Philadelphia memorial day game last tributing one year contracts to playlation.

### BABY CHICKS

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#### Granite Wins in ENGLAND'S OLYMPIC TEAM BUILT KOPECKY WINS Amarillo; Farrell ROUND ITS CHAMPIONS OF 1924 **Defeats Murdock**

Many Pampa boxing fans last night went to Amarillo to see two Pampa products win decisive victories at the Tri-State Fair boxing match at the City Auditorium. Kid Granite, boxing like a champion, defeated Speck Friend, substituting for Buddy Chambers, while Frankie Farrell won an easy de-cision from the sensational Kid Mur-

Wildcat Monte came near losing his crown at the match when Eddie Mur-dock finished strong to earn a draw, the only one of the night. Monte started off fast and piled up enough points early in the fight to keep ahead of the waiting Murdock until the last round, when the challenger drew even with the champion.

Kid Granite showed Fields something new in the way of boxing. Fields continued to wait for Granite to rush him and take the offensive, but the was boxing from gong to gong and piling up points all the way.

The Pampa boy last week won a decision from Eddie Murdock in Borger, and now issues a challenge to Wildcat Monte to see who will meet Sammy Mandell. Granite would give the champion a better bout than Monte because he could take all the world's champion has and never leave his feet.

Frankie Farrell, the 126-pound Pampa flash who has made a sensational comeback in the ring, took Eddie Murdock's brother to camp and showed him what it was all about. He drop-ped him for a count three times in

the last two rounds. Duff Stanley won an easy victory from Babe Ruth in the opening event, mainly because the big Babe was wait-Champion Yanks ing for a knockout blow which he failed to land.

### Here Win Matches in Louisville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 21.-(AP)-Jack Reynolds, claimant of the world's welterweight wrestling championship holds the Olympic 800-meter crown; Jack Beresford, Jr. (right inset), Olympic welterweight wrestling championship, defeated Bert Willard, Fort Worth, challenger in straight falls here last night. Reynolds won the first fall in fifty minutes with a headlock and took the second fall in forty minutes with

of New York lost to Gus Kallio of Co- nival at Amsterdam.

York and Johnny Carlin of Hunting-ton, W. Va., defeated Yaqui Joe, San-ora, Mexico, in a one-fall preliminary. field team. Quotas will not be filled in "Save a Nickel on a Quarter."

LONDON -(P)-Veterans whose per-Vall of the events while in some, such formances have sent the Union Jack as the vaulting and weight-tossing, in a slam. A crowd of 4,000 persons witnessed the match.

In a semi-final match, Charley Grip

In a semi-final match, Charley

sculling champion; and Lord Davy Burghley (left inset), titled timber-topper.

sent, including H. Rawlinson, the back- 29. lumbus in two falls out of three.

Bobby Chick, Waco took two falls out of three from Joe Parelli of New Paris will defend their titles.

Two and possibly three of the Bristroke record-holder, while several picked crews will join Bresford in bids for rowing honors. Two and possibly three of the Bri- stroke record-holder, while several

#### Hayes Is Threat, But Bohemian Won't Be Beaten

Just when the unpopular Joe Kopecky looked groggy enough to give a fall last night and local fans were predicting his defeat at the hands of Cyclone Hayes, the wily Bohemian uncorked his flying leg ork and the newcomer gave up under a double toe hold in 35

At the moment, Hayes had grown careless after downing Kopecky with successive headlocks, and it is dangerous to let up while the Bohemian can walk. Kopecky roughed his way to the deciding fall in 20 minutes, pinning

Hayes with an arm-bar.

The first fall was interesting, with Hayes, strong as an ox, headlocking the Bohemian repeatedly. Kopecky held to the ropes and looked in a bad way, although he clamped on some painful holds himself to pull out of difficulties. The sudden first fall was as surprising to Hayes as to the fans, for the former had expected to down Kopecky as soon as he could get enough wind to hold his opponent away from the edges and ropes.

Gaining confidence, Kopecky came back to win quickly. Headlocks, toeholds, and splits came in rapid order. Each man feared the other, and there was some high class crawling by both. Then the going was rough, with rabbit punches being employed for emphasis Kopecky slugged considerably better than when he appeared in a boxing match here a few months ago, and Hayes, enraged at the exhibition, low-ered his head and made a bull rush. Kopecky sidestepped, took refuge in a corner, and with upraised foot defended his position in feline fashion. Several times it was necessary for Joe Turner, the referee, to order a truce so that the more gentle art of neck twisting could be resumed.

Except when rough tactics and crawling turned the match into a farce, the work displayed was above that seen here recently. The fans would like to see Kopecky beaten, but it will take Three erack members of the team England is to send to the Olympics both a boxer and wrestler of real abil-

### Basketball Results

At College Station: Arkansas university 42. Texas A. & M. 18.

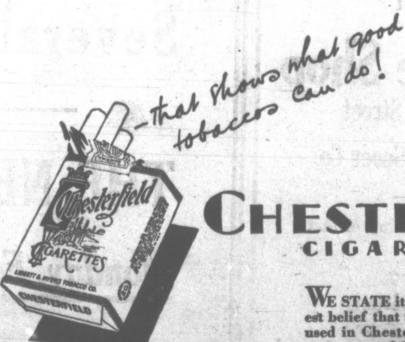
At Fort Worth: Texas university 39, Texas Christian university 32. At Waxahachie: Trinity 32, Simmons

At Lubbock: Texas Tech 39, West Texas State Teachers 29.

At Denton: East Texas State Teachers 30, North Texas State Teachers 29, At Brownwood: Abilene Christian College 43, Daniel Baker 41.

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the throttling. Ask him about the fur

He stopped short and knit his brows

him about the fur model. Ask him

when he saw her last; and try to look

"See here, Vance"-Markham was

"Intuition—sheer intuition, My psy-

you for fifteen years." Markham in-

spected him shrewdly; then shrugged

the tapis when I'm through with Lind-

(Friday, September 14; 2 p. m.)

We lunched in the district attorney's

private sanctum; and at two o'clock

Heath accompanied him, and, from

the expression on the sergeant's face,

it was plain he did not at all like his

The doctor, at Markham's request,

"What is the meaning of this new

seated himself facing the district at-

your prerogative to force a citizen to

leave his private affairs in order to be

"It's my duty to bring murderers to

"And if any citizen consid-

chic temperament, don't y' know. "I'd believe that if I hadn't known

your nose to that scent?"

Doctor Lindquist

companion.

torney's desk.

bullied?"

CHARACTERS

PHILO VANCE

PAGE FOUR

SOHN F.-X. MARKHAM, District Attorney of New York County. MARGARET ODEL (The ARY")

CHARLES CLEAVER, a man abouttown

KENNETH SPOTSWOODE, a manufacturer

LOUIS MANNIX, an importer DR.AMBROSE LINDQUIST, a fashtonable neurologist

TONY SKELL, a professional bur-WILLIAM ELMER JESSUP, tele-

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Homicide Bureau.

THE STORY THUS FAR The jewel case in the apartment of the murdered Margaret Odell had been opened with a steel chisel after a futile battering with a poker. This leads Vance to the theory that Skeel did not commit the crime, but was hidden in the closet while the strangler did his work. Vance shatters Cleaver's alibi that he had been in Boonton the night of the murder. Alys La Fosse tells him Mannix had been in her apartment from ten-thirty until two the night of the murder. Vance traps her in a falsehood and she admits did not come until after midnight, which was after Margaret Odell was strangled.

CHAPTER XXXI

"I like you more and more," said Mannix and this here doctor." Vance: and when she gave him he hand at parting he lifted it to his

As we rode downtown Vance was thoughtful. We were nearly to the criminal courts building before he spoke. "The primitive Alys rather appeals to me," he said. "She's much too good

for the oleaginous Mannix.

Women

are so shrewd—and so gullible. woman can read a man with almost magical insight; but, on the other hand, she is enexpressibly blind sweet Aly's faith in Mannix. He probably told her he was slaving at the office Monday night. Naturally, she doesn't, she knows—knows, mind you— that her louie just couldn't have been

concerned in the Canary's death. that Mannix is not apprehended-at it as soon after lunch as you can. detective involves many more revues, I shall have to resign. Thank Heaven, though, the lady didn't attend the cin-

ema Monday night!" When we arrived at the district at-Markham in consultation. Markham we'll see where we stand." had a pad before him, several pages of which were covered with tabulat- and went out.' and annotated entries. A cloud of "Poor hapless cigar smoke enveloped him. Heath sat looking after him. facing him, his elbows on the table, all the pangs and fury of despair." his chin resting in his hands. He looked pugnacious but disconsolate.

sergeant," Markham explained, with way, wern't you to be a harbinger of a brief glance in our direction. "We're glad tidings this noon or something of trying to get all the salient points the sort?" down in some kind of order, to see if b"I believe I did hold out some But the more we learn, the worse, ap- raven on my bust of Pallas. He plagues parently, the jumble grows."

fastened them together with a clip. "The truth is, we haven't any real "I shan't rest peacefully," pursued evidence against anybody. There are Vance, "until I know where Louey the

ver; and our interview with Mannix he should not have been. And you, Markham, must find out. didn't precisely allay suspicions in his direction, either. fensive in your assault upon the flot-

"But when we come right down to it, what's the situation? We've got sam. He'll parley, with the right amount of pressure. Be brutal, old dear; might have been made late Monday afternoon. Doctor Lindquist goes berserk when we ask him where he was Monday night, and then offers us a terest in the girl, whereas he's really Yes, yes, Markham; you must question in love with her-a perfectly natural

bit of mendacity. wise and mysterious when you're do-"Cleaver lent his car to his brother and lied about it, so that I'd think he was in Boonton Monday at midexasperated—"you've been harping on Mannix for three days. What's keeping night. And Mannix gives us a numberof shifty answers to our questions concerning his relations with the girl. . Not an embarrasment of riches.

"I wouldn't say your information was exactly negligent," observed Vance, ERNEST HEATH, Sergeant of the taking a chair beside the sergeant. It may all prove devilish valuable if only it could be put together properly. The his shoulders. "I'll have Mannix difficulty, it appears to me, is that certain parts of the puzzle are missing. Find 'em, and I'll warrant everything will fit beautifully-like a mosaic."

"Easy enough to say 'find 'em,' grumbled Markham. "The trouble is to know where to look."

Heath relighted his dead cigar and nade an impatient gesture.

"You can't get away from Skeel. He's the boy that did it and if it wasn't for the Abe Rubin, I'd sweat the truth outa him. And by the way, Mr. Vance, he had his own private outrage?" he demanded coldly. "Is it key to the Odell apartment, all right." He glanced at Markham hesitantly. "I don't want to look as if I was criticising, sir, but I got a feeling we're justice," replied Markham, with equal wasting time chasing after these gencoldness. tlemen friends of Odell-Cleaver and ers that giving aid to the authorities

is an outrage, that's his preogative. If "You may be right." Markham seem- you have anything to fear by answered inclined to agree with him. "How-ever. I'd like to know why Lindquist ing my questions, doctor, you are enacted the way he did.'

"Well, that might help some," Heath compromised. "If the doc was so far gone on Odell as to threaten to shoot her, and if he went off his head when you asked him to alibi himself, maybe he could tell us something. Why not throw a little scare into him? His record ain't any good, anyway."

"An excellent idea," chimed Markham looked up sharply. Then he consulted his appointment book. "I'm fairly free this afternoon, so suppose you bring him down here, Sergeant. Get a subpoena if you have "Ah, well, let us hope she's right and to-only see that he comes. And make

least not until her new show is financed. My word! If this being a I don't do anything else, I'm going to eliminate some of this human flotsam that's cluttering up the case. And Lindquist is as good as any to start with. I'll either develop these various suspicious circumstances into something torney's office we found Heath and workable, or I'll root them up. Then

Heath shook hands pessimistically

"And so would you," snapped Markham, "if the newspapers were butcher-"I'm going over the case with the ing you for a political holiday. By the

there are any connecting links we've hope." Vance sat looking meditatively overlooked. I've told the sergeant about out of the window for several minutes. doctor's infatuation and his "Markham, this fellow Mannix lures threats, and of the failure of Traf-me like a magnet. He irks and whirrets fic Officer Phipps to identify Cleaver. me. He infests my slumbers. He's the

me like a banshee.' He picked up the sheets of paper and astened them together with a clip.

"Does this jeremiad come under the head of tidings?"

suspicious circumstances connected with furrier was between eleven o'clock and Skeel and Doctor Lindquist and Clea- midnight Monday. He was somewhere

Would you care to phone him to come may have learned concerning you will here now and give you legal protection be instantly forgotten. It is true, is it

Doctor Lindquist hesitated. "I need went somewhat beyond mere paternal no legal protection, sir. Will you be affection?" good enough to tell me at once why I

which have been discovered regarding the doctor's tone, your relationship with Miss Odell, and "Under some co to elucidate—if you care to—your rea-others, no." Markham controlled his sons for deelving me, at our last con-fury admirably. "You need not answer ference, in regard to that relation-

"You have, I infer, been prying unwarrantably into my private affairs. ed publicly by the People's attorney I had heard that such practices were in a court of law."

once common in Russia.

"If the prying was unwarranted, you can, Doctor Lindquist, easily convince

titled to have your attorney present me on that point; and whatever we not, that your interest in Miss Odell

"Are not even a man's sacred senti-"Certainly; to explain a few points country?" Thre was insolent scorn in

> "Under some conditions, yes; under me, of course: but if you choose to be frank, you may possibly save your-self the humiliation of being question-

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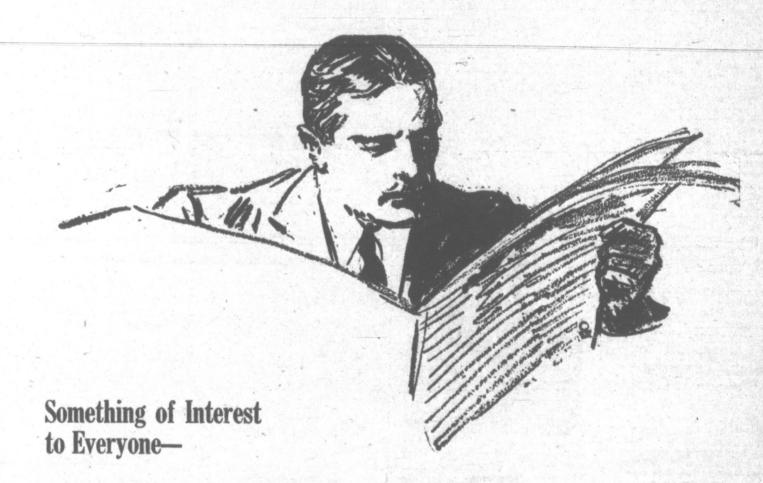
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Life is not just winning fights, Life is not just gaining heights; Life's to find, then face the goal; Life's an attitude of soul! -CHARLES CLOSE.



T. Hayter, of Hayter Brothers store, is attending the Texas Clothiers convention in Fort Worth this week. Mr. Hayter is one of the directors of the association.

L. T. Hall, W. W. McCarty and A. M. Wilbanks, all of Amarillo, are transacting business here this week.

F. M. Gwinn, city manager, returned yesterday from his home in Cross Plains, where he has been suffering with an attack of ptomaine poison-

Tom Cannon, former Santa Fe officer and special deputy of Gray county who has been seriously ill for the past two months at his home in Lubbock, is here attending court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berry of Canadian were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Studer.

Paul Leslie Stuckey of Wichita Falls is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. Warren

Mrs. Grace Higgins and C. A. Stuckey returned yesterday from a busi-ness trip to Fort Worth.

J. L. Patton was brought to the Pampa hospital last night with injuries received while at work on a pipeline.

Mrs. P. T. McNamara underwent an opration at the hospital this morn-

Mrs. Theo Tipps of White Deer was brought to the Pampa hospital yesterday in a serious condition. Mr. Tipps is in charge of the power plant White Deer.

Miss Mary Pollard of Amarillo is the house guest of her sister, Mrs. Porter Malone.

#### Organization of Royal Neighbors of America Is Being Conducted

Beryl E. Smith of Shamrock is in the city for the purpose of reorganizing a camp for the Royal Neighbors of America, and is one of the oldest in-

the body.

Further information will be furnished anyone interested in becoming a member of the organization or who is club are asked to bring their contribu- will probably not be enjoyed again for already a member and desires to be- tions of 50 cents to come a member of the chapter in Fund for the Federated club, at the Pampa by calling Mrs. J. G. Stroup on N. Purviance street, or Mrs. D. Jones held in the home of Mrs. Frank Davis. at the Oil Belt grocery.

#### MOVES TO PAMPA

P. J. Babb, formerly of Amarillo, is locating in Pampa as a representative of the Business Men's Assurance company of Kansas City. He is already well known here, having come to the city often in connection with his

#### SHOE SHOP OPENED

J. A. McNutt of Borger opened the City Shoe shop today at 117 North Cuyler street.

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ted in connection with the shop.

#### ELECTRIC SHOP OPENS

\*W. F. Stapp, formerly with the Stapp hydraulic company of Amar-illo, has opened the Stapp electric company here. The new shop is located on south Cuyler street.

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#### TO PAMPA LADIES

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## SOCIAL NEWS

BY MISS LEORA MAY

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#### Wayside Club Is Entertained With Party in Taylor Home

A lovely Valentine party was given Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Taylor in entertaining members of the Wayside club and guests. Games and contests were enecorations.

The Valentine scheme was carried out in the delicious plate luncheon served those present. Much amusment was caused by the reading of the fortunes caused by the reading of the fortunes which were found on each plate.

The following were present: Mr. and surance companies in the United States. lor, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Isibell, Mr. and tion a lodge room will be secured for lips, Miss Cleo Olive, Miss Leona pass, the purpose of a bi-monthly meeting, Miss Altha Groves, and Al White, and to promote the social activities of Leonard Gibson, and Robert Montgomery.

> the Biennial many years. meeting Friday. The meeting will be

Ted Ball, with the Southwestern Bell Telephone company at Amarillo, was a visitor here yesterday.

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#### Federated Clubs of Pampa Are Asked to Aid in Biennial Fund

Last week a Biennial parley of the women of the Federated clubs of Texas composing the finance committee met in Fort Worth. As a result of this joyed amid a cheery scene of Valentine meeting it has been found that a more successful collecting of the Biennial fund dues will be necessary if Texas

The chairman of the finance committee of the various districts of Texas have complied lists of the contributions necessary from the towns in each district according to the number of Federated clubs in the town. A quota of \$51.00 has been assigned to the tederated clubs of Pampa to be collected At the completion of the organiza
Mrs. Billie Taylor, Miss Dollie Phil
Mrs. Billie Taylor, Miss Dollie Philcity has stated that only \$26,00 of this fund has been contributed.

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Wednesday afternoon in connection with a regular meeting in the home of Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar.

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The London Bridge club will meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. P. B. Carlson.

Mrs. C. M. Carlock will be hostess Thursday afternoon to the members of the Lone Star Bridge club.

The Club Mayfair will be entertained Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. F. Fatheree.

The Child Study club will meet Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Davis with Mrs. T. H. Barnard

The Young People's Bible class of

the Christian church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in 'the Christian church annex. The High School P.-T. A. will meet Friday afternoon in the Central High

The high school play, "The Whole Town's Talking," will be given Friday evening in the Central High Audito-

The Milady Embroidery club will meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Virgil McConnell.

#### Mr. and Mrs. Heistand Entertain Saturday With Bridge Party

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiestand was the scene of a very entertaining bridge party Saturday evening. The were enjoyed until a late hour and a delicious course of refreshments was served the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Graham, Mr. and Mrs. George Gill, Miss Mable Davis, Miss Margaret Schmidt, Miss Jewell Jewell Flanagan, and H. A. McDannald, H. R. McDonald, Herbert Henry, and Mrs. Heistand's mother, Mrs. Charles How-

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mencing at 7:30. An F. C. degree will be given and then the lodge will close at 9 o'clock and will be followed by a luncheon served by the ladies of the Eastern Star.

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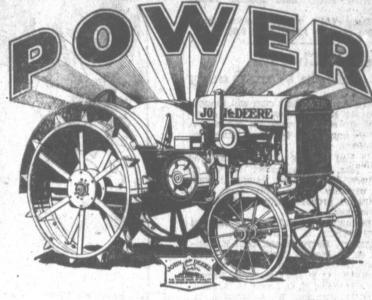
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MORRISTOWN, N. J., Feb. 21.-(AP)

-The death of an unidentified wo-

man found with her gasoline saturat-

ed clothing in flames, was under inves-

tigation by the state police today. State

trooper Leon held the theory that the

woman had been taken in an automo-

bile to the lonely spot where she was

found, gasoline poured over her cloth-

hours after being taken there by Snow

Campbell of Bernardsville. a passing

motorist who discovered her plight and

beat out the flames. She was unconsci-

ous with flames enveloping her head

and shoulders when Campbell came

upon her and never recovered her

senses. Officers who visited the scene

said there were several pools of gaso-line near the spot.

The woman was about 35 years old, of medium build, slightly gray hair,

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ing and then set afire.

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KANSAS CITY, Fb 20,-(A)-Hogs 14,000; uneven; top 8.30; packing sows 6.25@7.00; stock pigs 7.00@7.50.

Cattle 12,500; calves 1,500; fed steers and yearlings opening slow; steady to strong; she stock slow; steady; bulls 10c@15c higher; vealers weak to 50c lower; stockers and feeders steady to 25c higher; bulk fed steers 11.50@13.50; choice yealers 13.00@15.00.

Sheep 9,000; steady; top lambs 15.50; clippers 12.75; ewes 9.00.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 21,-(A)-Hogs 12,000, slow; top 8.20; packing sows 6.25@7.00; stock pigs 7.00@7.50.

Cattle 9,500; calves 1,000; dull, most all killing classes tending lower; bulls steady; stockers and feeders slow; fed steers 11.25@13.25; good weighty steers held around 14.00@

Sheep 7,000; steady; wooled lambs 15.00; clippers 13.10; ewes 9.00.

#### Tennis Club to **Begin Work Today**

The Pampa Tennis club will inaugurate its seasonal activity this afternoon by starting work on the courts, it was announced by Carol Kingsbery president.

Unusual interest is being displayed this year, and the courts, located on property in northwest Pampa through the courtesy of the White Deer Land company, probably will be increased in number

The membership of the club includes Scott Barcus, A. J. McAlister, Carol Kingsbery, Harry Hoare, Olin E. Hin-kle, C. N. Melton, Phillip R. Pond. Wade Duncan, Edwin Vicars, W. L. Woodward, C. P. Buckler, M. K. Brown, L. L. Lavender, H. D. Lewis, R. B. Fisher, D. B. Jamison, W. A. Bratton, R. Trimble, Dick Culpepper, Joe Strother, Frasier Taylor, and Martin, Groves Beacom, and Clayman.

#### Hinkler to Hop Thousand Miles

BIMA, Sumbawa, Feb. 21.-(A)-Bert Hinkler, British flyer, enroute to Australia, arrived here this afternoon from Bandong, Java, 850 miles away. If the weather is favorable he will attempt to fly the 1,000 miles from Bima to Port Darwin Australia tomorrow thus completing his flight from Croyden, England, in 15 days

#### New Orleans Joyous Today—Mardi Gras

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 21.—(P)— Cloudy skies, with no rain expected. forecast a brilliant and mirthful reception for the appearance today of Rex. King of the Carnival, on his arrival in the height of the greatest day of the year for New Orleans-Mardi

His Majesty's royal calendar called street den at 11 o'clock to head a mag- part of the week. nificent pageant. The procession moving to city hall for Rex's exchange of greetings with Mayor James J. Wal-ker of New York, his special guest, and which has been making 430 barrels a car.

Rex promised to greet his queen, Miss Betty Watson, at the Boston club reviewing stand. Rex, the only carnival celebrity whose identity is revealed, this year is Leon Irwin.

#### POLICE CHIEF ACQUITTED.

LISBON, Ohio, Feb. 21.-Judge William F. Lones today ordered a directed verdict of acquittal in the first degree murder trial of S. A. Lengel, former Canton chief of police, in con-necion with the killing of Don R. Mellett, Canton editor, in July, 1926.

### LINDBERGH MAKES HOP

SPRINGFIELD, III., Feb. 21 .- (A)flight at 8 o'clock this morning. He was the first of the convoy of planes to land at Lindbergh field.

He took off five minutes later for St. Louis.

#### ALLEGE WILL FORGED

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.-(A)-A defense admission that Dr. Charles M. McMillan had forged a will in the name of Mrs. Amelia Appleby for whose murder he is on trial here, was singled out by the prosecution today as the

chief motive in the case.

The admission—that Dr. McMillan wrote the "will," which bequeathed to him the property of the wealthy wid-ow—was made yesterday when the defense announced it would make a stipulation to that effect and would put the accused man on the stand to tell why he did it. McMillan, who acted as Mrs. Appleby's business adviser, stoutly maintains he did not kill the

#### LOWER RATES REFUSED.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 21.-(A)-Because it would set a precedent of reducing fares to political gatherings, the Western Passenger association has refused a request for lowered railroad fares to Kansas City from all points in the country for the Reublic tional convention in June.

### PROMINENT MASON DIES.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 21.-(P)-Charles F. Cotton, 65, prominent in Texas Masonic cricles and secretary of Burleson chapter, York Rite Masons, died in his office at the Temple here Tuesday. Mr. Cotton came in nplaining he was sick, and soon afterward was found dead in his chair, his feet propped in the window.



## HUMBLE---

(Continued From Page 1) and including 44 and above, \$1.16. New Gray County Tests

Ochiltree and Jeffries have made locations in each of the four corners of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 64, block 25, on the Cobb lease in southeast Gray county, near the McAuley test. The first location to be drilled is in the northeast corner of the quarter which wil be a west offset to the Empire Gas and Fuel company's No. 1 Cobb in the ame section which has spudded in and drilling ahead.

These locations are about a half mile south of the McAuley et al's No. 1 Morse in section 2, block 26. which is making about 300 barrels a day.

The Texas company's No. 1 Henry Thut in the Thut Survey about two miles east of the townsite of LeFors is drilling ahead at 2.485 feet and making 3,000,000 cubic feet of gas. Storage is being erected and the well is ex for his emergence form his Calliope pected to be brought in the latter

The Magnolia Petroleum company's city officials there to receive the throne day is cleaning out at 2,884 feet and preparing to drill deeper.

> DALLAS, Feb. 21.—(A)—New gravity basis prices were posted today by the Magnolia Petroleum company for Panhandle crude oils, which have been on a flat rate of 75 cents per barrel. New prices are:

Carson and Hutchinson counties: Below 31 Gravity, 60 cents with a 5 cent degree differential up to and including 32.9, 70 cents; 33 to 44 and above, 73 cents with a 3 cent degree differential.
Gray county: Below 27 gravity, 60 ents with a 5 cent degree differential up to and including 32.0, 90 cents; 33 to 44 and above 95 cents with a 3 cent degree differential.

Wheeler county; Below 29 gravity, 60 cents with a 5 cent degree differ-Col. Charles Lindbergh completed the ential up to and including 32.9, 80 second lap of his return air mail cents; 33 to 44 and above, 83 cents with a 3 cent degree differential.

### TOAD---

(Continued From Page 1) sand had been lying there for a

thousand years.

"In this impermeable mass, about two feet beneath the surface, we uncovered a frog which was absolutely entombed there.

Fortunately, it escaped spades and pickaxes and was lifted out alive. Its stomach was full of water, which it ejected and then hopped away. It opened my eyes to the possibilities of things at which the scientists are prone to scoff. It was impossible for that frog to have entered the excavation after it had been dug; it was uncovered by a shovel in part of the soil which had not been touched. There was no fissure or burrow anywhere in that indurated mass."

JITNEY JUNGLE sells for less Save a Nickel on a Quarter."

> DANCE Friday, February 24th DANCELAND Black Aces 10-Piece Band

The Office of the PAMPA GAS CO. be closed all day tomorrow Washington's Birthday

## **Pastor Held**



Arthur B. Brooks, who said he recently resigned from the pulpit of church at Ponca City, Okla., was held at Phoenix, Ariz., while a federal grand jury considered charges of Mann Act violation against him. He was arrested with Velma Vorhies, 20. Brooks denied the charges, declaring Miss Vorhies was secretary of the church and he had brought her to Phoenix as his secretary when he came west for his health.

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## 7:30 and every member is requested to

Automobile Dealers association will be held tonight at the Schneider hotel at

have been appointed a special commit-tee to arrange for cars election day and this matter will be discussed at the meeting tonight.

Another matter of importance to the automobile dealers of the city is the threat of Amarillo dealers in bringing

ers and the citizens of Pampa from this menace," F. M. Smalling, president of the organization says.

The board, after official German protests, decided that "in our opinion the theme of this film renders its exhibition in this country inexpedient in the present circumstances."

BERLIN, Geb. 21.—(AP)—News that a license had been refused to the film 'Dawn" on Nurse Edith Cavell is welcomed by German newspapers and political circles generally.

#### LOST

Black and white setter bird dog. Owner's name JOHN W. CRAM

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#### **Automobile Dealers** to Meet Tonight

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The automobile dealers of the city

second hand cars here to sell.

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#### Edith Cavell Film Barred in London

LONDON. Feb. 21.—(P)—Refusal of the film censors board to permit the exhibition of the film "Dawn" depicting the career of Edith Cavell, British nurse executed in Belgium by the Germans during the war, resulted today in the authority of the board being ques-

collar. Call 93-W

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FOUND—Small ring of keys. Owner may have same by describing and paying for this ad. LOST—Pencil sketch of three-room house rlan, consisting of two sheets of paper and cover, done up in roll. \$5.00 reward for return of same to Pampa News. 97-3e LOST-Tan German police puppy. Reward for return. Phone 558. 97-3e

#### Miscellaneous

FOR BATTERY, Generator and Starter repair call Floyd Battery. Work called for and delivered. Phone 472, West Foster Ave. 98-12c **Business Opportunity** 

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