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City Bonds Carry By Big Majority

Las Vegas Facing Big Problem Handling Boom Already Started

By James Adam

(International News Staff Correspondent) LAS VEGAS, Nev., Jan. 16.-How to take care of the Boulder Dam boom that has already started with the real estate activities is the problem that is worrying this community of the desert.

No definite plan of municipal development has been considered; no means are at hand to furnish accommodations for the coming avalanche of workers, their famino way of meeting the boom is ap-

"We hear everywhere the cry 'We must do something' but no one seems to know just where to of the tragedy. start," says the Las Vegas Age, one of the two tri-weekly newspapers here, in an editorial appeal- Express was probably drunk. ing for action.

Political conditions in the city are "rotten" and that has considerable to do with the situation according to the views of Ed Clark, Las Vegas banker.

Some citizens describe the city officials as being "good fellows but lacking vision." Others are outspoken in their denunciation of

'What Las Vegas needs most of all right now is men of capital, men of intellect and foresight and a program of progress," said Clark. "We are not prepared for any boom. The city doesn't know how it is going to handle the problem. It's very serious. We've got to find a stated, however, that possibly a solution soon."

They're still taking big things for Las Vegas, the gateway to the ing and a new Union Pacific terminal-all are being promoted.

ties are already being overtaxed. counties that were registered here enridge. Hotels are crowded. Only a few last year. houses are to rent. Stores, renting building under way.

up in unimproved real estate," said during the present month. The County Surveyor J. T. McWilliams time limit for paying poll tax is MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Jan. 16.—H. tion of Marshal Ferdinand Foch, mission. This plan will start the McKenzie is under sentence of everyone calls him "Mac"—who Jan. 31. is one of the busiest men in town with his surveying instruments.

"We'll have to have outside help for home building construction. There are few men of means here. So far we have been troubled with two many wildcatters, who want to get in on things on a shoestring. tracts.'

the trend of the city's expansion business. will take. The concensus of opinion In the removal from this city claimed as his own child but whom

for a new high school, but later rather they had stayed here. treasury.

Inasmuch as there is a growing Arrowhead Trail, plans for im- ers of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. provement of the highway and erage of nearly 18,000 automobiles cities in two hours.

Los Angeles from here, airplanes another site within a month.

Train Wreck Kills Fourteen; **Injures Forty**

BUCHAREST, Jan. 15.-Fourteen persons were killed and 40 others severely injured in a collision belies and other new-comers; and near Turnu, Severlin. The Roumania-Paris Express was derailed and a few minutes later the Roumania-Bucharest Express crashed into it. Fire added to the sorrow

Authorities said that the engineer of the Roumania-Bucharest

Registered Here

There were a total of 4318 auto license plates issued up to Wednesday, January 16, according to the records of Tax Collector W. L. Brown. At the same date last year only 3925 cars had been registered. Of this number for this year Paralysis Fatal there have been 4318 cars and 442

Total registrations last year were 5753 cars and 562 trucks. Mr. Brown great number of cars would stand The city's limited housing facili- few will be registered in other was also formerly mayor of Breck- assistant cashier.

The time limit for paying poll Contract Signed from \$75 to \$300 a month, are all taxes is drawing near and the occupied. There is but little new collector reports that the voters have been paying for the voting "Much of our local capital is tied privilege at a pretty lively clip

Forgey Purchases Coleman Motor Co.

W. A. Forgey, former county There is no place for them here, clerk here, closed a deal this week But there is a place for capital to whereby he becomes owner of the develop farm land in small acreage Coleman Motor Company, having bought the establishment from R. An effort to prevent haphazard P. Rhinehart of Coleman. Mr. Fordevelopment of the city is the aim gey had announced some time ago of the chamber of commerce. A that he would enter business in after the funeral of his wife, memcomprehensive plan for zoning the Coleman, having secured the bers of his wife's family today city into residential, retail business agency for the Willys-Knight and prepared to battle in the courts and industrial sections will prob- Whippet automobiles at that place, with the home run king for the ably be mapped in the near future. It was not until this week, how- possession of little Dorothy Ruth. Because of the lack of a plan, ever, that he had been able to pro- The petition to the courts was preno one knows in which direction cure suitable floor space for his pared asking for the custody of the

seems to be that it will be south, to Coleman, Ballinger loses a valalthough one building contractor uable citizen and Coleman gains clerk's office for many years and Ship Lands After believes it will be west of the rall- him. Mr. Forgey has been in the Need of additional educational will be missed from the courthouse facilities is occupying the attention family. He and his family have of school authorities. Some months many friends in Ballinger and ago a \$250,000 bond issue was voted Runnels county who had much

plans were changed and an addi- Mr. Forgey retired from the oftion to the present building con- fice of county clerk voluntarily the White Star liner, Majestic, structed. Much of the money from and did not seek to be re-elected, limped into port today badly damthe bond issue is still in the city being succeeded by Miss Ima Mc- aged by mountainous waves that Kown on January 1.

which is nearly midway between Comanche Tuesday to attend the broken. Other members of the crew sault on a high school girl, today However, the location has not been Los Angeles and Salt Lake on the annual meeting of the stockhold- and several passengers were hurt.

pavement of streets in the busi- of the Western Air Express roar ness section are under way. An av- over the desert between the two

a month passed over the Arrow- Development of a modern air- state rested this morning in the head Trail during the last summer. port is planned by the county. The trial of George R. Harsh, confessed * While it takes about 10 hours present landing field is on leased "thrill slayer." He is on trial for * * for trains and automobiles to reach ground and will be abandoned for the brutal murder of two store All Texas: Partly cloudy, local and 34 against. These warrants

Byrd Honors His Boyhood Hero



Upon the occasion of his recent visit to Christchurch, New Zeuland, Commander Richard E. Byrd paid a tribute to the man who, in his own words, was "the outstanding hero of my boyhood days," Captain Robert Falcon Scott, famous Antarctic explorer. The intrepid American is here shown laying a wreath upon the Scott monument.

To West Texan

For Ring Contest

Will Battle For Child of Ruth

BOSTON, Jan. 16.—Promising a "red hot" exposure of Babe Ruth, eight-year-old girl whom Ruth has

Battle With Waves

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.-With one dead and several others injured engulfed her in mid-Atlantic Mon- ed changing of the plea from not some of which were bought many day. Leonard Fioroni, a cook, was guilty to guilty of Bennie Aldredge tourist traffic through the city, R. T. Williams went over to tossed against a door and his neck who is charged with criminal as-

STATE RESTS IN TRIAL OF

ATLANTA. Ga., Jan. 16,-The clerks.

Bank President **Found Murdered**

FORT WORTH, Jan. 16.-Breck- SULLIVAN, Ind., Jan. 16.-Don water tower of 250,000 gallons caenridge S. Walker, age 51, multi- Maple, age 45, vice president of pacity which will be placed at a millionaire oil and cattle man, died the Peoples National Bank & Trust Point in the city where the pressure for the new license plates. Some here today following a stroke of Company, was found shot to death in the northern section will be tourist hotel, a new federal build- cars that were registered last year paralysis. Walker was a native of today under mysterious circum- brought up to that of any other will be discarded, others are in the Stephens county, where he made a stances, near the vault. The body part of the city. hands of dealers and possibly some fortune during the oil boom. He was found by William C. Jamison

Marshall Foch's Condition Worse Engineers, etc.

N. Fairbanks, commander of the France's famous stricken soldier, new commission on the task of death in the electric chair, American Legion post at Miami, became so irregular this afternoon making these improvements and today signed a contract in behalf that attending doctors administ they will not have to pick up the SANTA FE IS TO LAY 90-LB. of the Legion post for the Shar- tered injections of camphorated work already started by another

Sheppard Says **Prohibition Is**

Youth Pleads Guilty To Assault Charge

DALLAS, Jan. 16.—The unexpectthrew him on the court's mercy. Aldredge and LeRoy Marriman were arrested following the kid-ATLANTA "THRILL SLAYER" naping of three girls from their escorts. The girls were attacked.

rains and warmer.

polls here Tuesday in the city elec- cent. At the same time it will free tion to issue bonds totalling \$187,- the street and bridge fund of any 500, the three issues involved all outstanding warrants and should carried by a ratio of about 10 to another paving program be start-1. The election ran true to form ed the city commission will be able and very little opposition was to take care of their part with found either before the election or additional warrants.

Ballinger has made a forward step ish, C. P. Shepherd, H. W. Lynn, for its future growth. Most import- remain in force and will work with bond issue to increase the present ory capacity throughout the buildwater system. This amount of mon- ing of the proposed projects. ev will be used to build the present lower dam larger, with dirt wings shape as much as possible and as water supply. A complete survey hall and water system. of the project has been made by Engineer Davis and is ready to be checked by other engineers who Six are Burned part of the survey. This is not a neers who have looked into the

In addition to the dam, a largits approval as to the size of mains, each fire hydrant, so that the penalties now assessed against the

Also included in the water program will be the erection of a new

before the bonds will be sold, such as acquiring land that will be placed under water by the new lake, securing additional water rights from the State Board of Water

done before the April election, at charged with slaying Sam Street, PARIS, Jan. 16.—The heart ac- which time the city elects its com- chief of San Antonio detectives. commission, should there be any

The water bond issue of \$110,-

Here To Stay the building of a city hall. The commission in placing this estimate on the project, did not have any WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 .- Com- ing, but inspected new city halls at menting on the ninth anniversary Brady and Coleman and at each considered too light for the heavy of the inauguration of national of these places city halls have been duty done in the yards here for a prohibition. Senator Morris Shep- built that would adequately take large part of each year. The 90pard said today that "this great care of the needs here for not moral cause is here to stay. The more than the amount of money yard is the same as that now used American people, looking back estimated in the issue. The new upon conditions as they were nine building is figured to take care of years ago are convinced that pro- the city administration in all dehibition has brought great advances partments, with plenty of firein conditions in the economic proof safes and vaults to take care standards and the public health of of all records. It will include meeting rooms for the commission and office room for each city officer and perhaps other room for the local chamber of commerce if they desire office space in the new building. It will also house the fire station in a modern fire-proof building with the driver's quarters above the station.

The city owns some lots here, years ago for the purpose of erecting a city hall upon in the future decided and will not be worked out at the present time.

The city hall bonds of \$35,000 carried by the vote of 274 for and 33 against.

The issue to refund the outstanding warrants of \$42,500 against * the street and bridge fund into 40-year bonds carried by 270 for were bearing 6 per cent interest

With only 307 voters going to the and the bonds will bear only 5 per

The recently appointed citizens' With the three issues carrying, committee composed of O. L. Parin matters that will mean much Will Doose and F. M. Pearce will ant among these is the \$110,000 the city commission in an advis-

Everything will be gotten into on each end, to impound a lake of soon as the city election is held in water approximately four and one- April the bonds will be sold and half times the size of the present actual work started on the city

In New York Fire

NEW YORK, Jan. 16 .- Six persons, five believed to be members of the same family, were burned er system of mains will be laid in to death early today in a spectaccertain sections of the town and ular fire which gutted a five-story additional fire plugs installed. This tenement house. One fireman was part of the work will be submitted injured but reports indicate that their location, and the location of which made a hundred families

There are many steps to be taken Court Overrules McKenzie Motion

AUSTIN, Jan. 16 .- The court of criminal appeals today overruled The city commission has issued a motion for a rehearing in the a statement that nothing will be case of Pete McKenzie, who is

STEEL IN BALLINGER YARD

J J Beck popular Santa Fe agent here, has received word that the Santa Fe will rebuild the yards here laying 90-pound steel instead of the light rails now in use, Mr. just when this work will begin or of any other improvement to be

The present steel has been in the pound steel to be used all over the on the main line through the town.

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will likely get under way some time that need assistance. in April will give many local work- One member of the board stated men employment during the dull | Wednesday that this fall and winsummer months. It will require ter had brought many demands many men and teams to do all the upon the board and most of the work that is contemplated and this demands were of a nature that will help Ballinger have a steady took a good amount of money to payroll when it is most needed.

of commerce banquet on January these cases have run over a long 29. The committee in charge is period of time. To carry on the planning for the best banquet ever work here the board will have to stayed here and with plenty of fun have money and it must be raised and entertainment and not much at once. of a serious nature.

When the new city hall is built, the editor hopes that the lot will ble duty as it is the first call that be large enough to have a small has been made for two years. The park around it and that this park board is being very careful in the will be layed out by a good land- expenditure of money but is not scape gardener. It will cost only a being stingy and is giving help to very little and Ballinger is already everyone found in need upon inwidely known for its beautiful vestigation. The work of carrying parks. With one at the court house, on the charity in Ballinger requires and another about the Santa Fe a great amount of time from the station, it would be fitting for the committee and unless they have city hall to have one also.

The editor of The Ledger has | The drive in 1927 netted about been asked by city police to again \$600 for the board and at least that call the public's attention to speed- much should be raised in this efing. The law permits the driving fort Thursday. of a car at 20 miles per hour down | The board reports that they have exceeded you are breaking the law ent. It was stated that the board to tell your troubles to the judge more clothing than is on hand at We believe that 85 per cent of the present. The need now is usually drivers are breaking the law and especially by the school grounds,

building in Coleman of a 50x1; foot brick building to he Whippet-Willys Knight agenc der the direction of W. A. Force A 50-f of space next to this build ing will be used by Mr. Forget

Motley to Attend Dallas Fair Meet

J. D. Motley will leave here on icines that will stop that cold new Thursday for Dallas to attend a and avert further sickness. two-day meeting of the State Association of Fairs. Mr. Motley is a the directory of the association and will be there Friday and Saturday in session with secretaries from all

The association is made up o secretaries of fairs and managers of fairs and through the association much good has been accomplished in the past two years. One important feature is that no dates conflict and another is that a circuit is worked out among fairs so that carnivals and performers can make the circuit and thereby be engaged at much less cost to the fairs in this part of the state.

Among some of the important Visiting companions cordially in subjects to be handled by nation- vited. ally known speakers are: Horse J. McGregor racing at fairs, fair advertising, fair accounting and budgeting, tickets, passes and privileges, advantage of fair circuits, supplementing cash premiums at fairs. special features for fairs, and many other items that are of vital importance to every fair secretary and manager.

At this meeting Mr. Motley will meet many of the booking agents for free acts and hippodrome shows and will see many of the acts in special shows arranged 1 the managers for the secretaries. Also carnival managers, fireworks in each month at 7:30 p. m. people and many other entertainers with features will be there to Visitors always welcome try and sign with the secretaries for the coming year

Four committees of two women each will canvass the business section of Ballinger Thursday morn-Subscription, the year _____\$4.50 ladies will work in different sections of the town at the same time nate something to the cause. and every business house in Balthey wish to contribute and in case the manager plans to be out, COLORADO TO PAY BOUNTY leave word with some employe as to the amount they wish to give.

The charity board did not make a drive for funds last year as the sufficient to run them through the without making an appeal. When the new board was elected It is a good time now to start on Thanksgiving this year, they planning for beautifying the yard thought it best to postpone the for this spring and summer. Noth- matter for the time being as the ing adds more to the looks of a Goodfellows were receiving funds city than pretty yards. A little work and in a measure were taking care and expense in the early spring of some of the charity work. The will show big results by summer, fund row in the treasury is getting low and there are many cases com-The city improvements which ing to the attention of the board

handle. In some cases practical nurses have been employed by the Plan now to attend the chamber board in order to save a life and

> Ballinger has always rallied to the calls made by the charity board and this year they should do doumoney their hands are tied to do any good

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Order of Eastern Star Regular meetings Second Monday All members urged to attend

> GRIFFIE ATKINS, W. M. IONE TEAGUE, Secretary.

when they lose a day's work, are animals. absolutely without means and ob- The state now offers a bounty

for the local charity board. The and continue until everyone has bounty, nearly every specie is

FOR COYOTES AND BOBCATS

(By International News Service) DENVER, Jan. 16.—Because coy- EVELYN DOSS IS CRITICALLY ILL otes and other predatory animals are increasing in numbers, the

as other people and many of them \$100,000 a year for fighting the ing up.

jects for the board to look after. for certain of the beasts of prey The ladies will begin the drive such as coyotes, mountain lions, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock bobcats and others, but despite the been given an opportunity to do-thriving. Often, especially in the winter time when the beasts of The present charity board is prey are driven from their high linger is requested to have their composed of Harry Lynn, Willie mountain haunts, livestock is lost. minds made up as to the amount Stephens and Mrs. Troy Simpson. Often full grown cattle are attacked and killed by mountain lions and bobcats, while coyotes attack smaller animals such as sheep, goats and small calves.

Word from the home of A. K. State of Colorado may take mea- Doss in Abilene Wednesday stated sures to exterminate the beasts. | that Miss Evelyn was very low and A special tax levy of 4 mills per ery little hope was given for her dollar valuation of sheep and goat recovery. It was reported here that flocks in the state, and 1 mill per she had developed pneumonia in dollar valuation of other livestock both lungs and was very sick. Ann has been suggested, and will prob- Katherine and A. K., Jr., were reably come before the Twenty-sev- ported to be better but Mr. and

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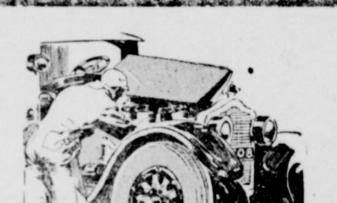
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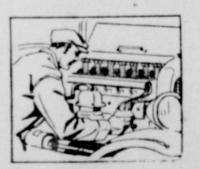
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from sick folks and requires money enth Legislature. Money raised by Mrs. Doss and Elizabeth had all and Mrs. J. C. Reese of South Balto fill their needs. The epidemic the special tax, it was pointed out, been stricken with influenza, mak- linger is still in a very critical conof sickness now in this locality is will be used to establish a fund ing six in the family down at dition and very little hope is given Thursday Morning striking the poor folks the same which is expected to amount to present with only Dorothy remain- for its recovery by attending physicians.

The two-year-old baby of Mr.

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London Society Favors Bridge As Money Game

By J. C. Oestreicher

gamblers of England.

Women particularly have been something must be done." classes, from the truly wealthy antages of the closer partnership pleasing. more in a rubber or two, to the disadvantages of the new order, equipment and will take other steps not a book but an experience.

up like mushrooms all over Lon- mother. are admitted only by election. Oth- Post Graduate Medical School has operate with the equipment on new feature, with a remarkable ers are open to almost anyone who done a great deal of research in hand. wants to play, the house making this subject and his figures are, to The drug stores of Ballinger are cett, Brandon Hurst, Philippe De its profit by a certain percentage say the least, disquieting," said all up-to-date and have, like other on each exchange of money, but Wells. the objects of all are exactly the

clubs, where women foregather in sociology department, who does not preference to washing dishes or fear the consequences of the indusminding children, are not so very trial movement among women. different from the ordinary gambl-

There is nothing illegal about tese institutions, but they have been criticized on many occasions as offering temptations to women ternoon. Too frequent attendance at bridge clubs has been mentioned more than once in divorce and separation actions, husbands charging that their wives persistently gambled away their household money as well as their savings.

Play in the bridge clubs often goes on from early in the forenoon until late at night. Practically all = the "good" clubs have long waiting lists of aspiring members, and those women who find thmeselves unable to gain entrance to the institutions, satisfy themselves with playing for high stakes at home.

Gambling in bridge clubs is not confined to this game alone. In a number of clubs, there are rooms set aside for "shilling-in-the-slot" machines, of the type that were banned in New York City several years ago, on which combinations obtained by the pressure of a lever return five or ten times the original investment-occasionally.

The amount of money won and lost in women's bridge clubs is impossible of computation, but it is safe to say that the sum would be a staggering one if the money changing hands every day in all the clubs in London could be put into one lump sum.

Added to this is the fact that "friendly" bridge sessions, such as are indulged in by practically all American families, are practically unknown here, for no matter how limited may be the income of the player, he or she is never content unless there is at least a small amount of money at stake.

Another phase of the card gambling by the middle-class population is reflected in the countless number of "whist drives" which are held all over the country every evening.

These pastimes are not illegal, nor are they looked upon officially as mbling. They reveal, however, the tremendous hold which card games for money stakes have obtained upon the women of England. Their husbands may indulge in an occasional game of poker or pinochle, but it is the women, these days, who are winning and losing the household money at a rate which is causing sociologists serious alarm.

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Birth Rate In Drop as Women **Enter Industry**

(International News Staff Correspondent) FORT WORTH, Jan. 16 .- "The LONDON, Jan. 16.—The effete entrance of married women into DRUG STORE IMPROVEMENTS score-card has supplanted the vul- industrial pursuits sounds the doom gar chip; poker has been ousted of the old patriarchial family sysfrom its pinnacle of money-making tem," is the view taken by Carl now perfecting arrangements for popularity, and bridge is the order D. Weils, associate professor of installing new fixtures in its buildof the day among the dilletante sociology at Texas Christian Uni- ing and will also add a new secversity.

nocent pastime to while away the ing more and more difficult to apart from the rest of the store. passing hours, but as a medium for maintain a decent standard of liv- The J. Y. Pearce Drug Store is

A more optimistic reaction to the ness the last year. situation is had from Paul Baker, These apparently innocent bridge assistant professor in the T. C. U. PENNSYLVANIA CHURCH IS

being." Baker stated.

der the present system," Baker ed architects competed. thinks.

would choose from a comprehens- ors, while churches from California, ive list presented, girls of the soci- Long Island, Massachusetts, Texas, ology classes of the university Pennsylvania and New Jersey were showed a preponderant choice for among those awarded honorable a place as home-maker and house- mention.

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wife. "The census of 1920 showed that 1,920,281 women in the United States were engaged in paid employment. Of this number, 23 per cent were married women, so you see that the problem is with us and we will have to take steps to cope with it," Baker concluded.

L. C. Daugherty Drug Store is tion to the store, when a Victor The bridge craze, not as an in- "In the larger cities it is becom- department is added separate and

winning and losing large sums of ing and at the same time have a just about through making immoney by playing at stakes that large family,' 'he says. Conse- provements after a serious fire ple," says Miss Garbo, who plays would seem fantastic even to the quently, the birthrate is declining which occurred recently. New fix- "Anna" in the new picture now hardened "experts" of New York's among the more educated classes, tures have been added and more playing at the Palace Theatre, largest bridge clubs, has swept the In order to maintain the high space provided in the front of the today and Thursday, "to name standard our people have attained, store. The interior has received a the ten books they would choose new coat of paint and the general if they were to be marooned on affected; women of all the "upper" | While admitting the many ad- appearance of the place is more a desert island. If I had to name

dreds of bridge clubs have sprung overwork and depression of the the store is a credit to the city. The Strain Drug Company main- character of the heroine as Tolstoi don. Some of them demand high "Dr. Max G. Schlapp, professor tains its up-to-date fixtures and envisioned her." entrance fees, and the members of neuropathology at the New York will continue for the present to Edmund Goulding directed the

institutions, enjoyed a good busi-

MODEL FOR AMERICA

TRAINER, Pa., Jan. 16 .- The "It is, of course, easy to see the Methodist Episcopal church here ing house, save that its patrons dangers we face, but I feel sure is the model small Protestant play against one another instead of that they can be adequately met, church in America. The small assaulting the bank. The stakes are Women's organizations are work- Gothic structure of native stone usually in proportion to the finan- ing with authorities to perfect leg- and irregular brick, has been so cial resources of the clientele and islation looking to the protection designated by a jury composed of \$25 to \$30 per hundred is the usual of women workers and medical Ralph Adams Cram of Boston, A. rate of play in the higher class people are studying methods for F. Wicks of Indianapolis, and Jopromoting their health and well seph Hudnut of Columbia University, New York.

"The question of declining birth The local church was selected for rate and the absence of mothers this honor from among 45 churches from their children during the day submitted in the Christian Herald's will be met. Training of children church building competition for who can ill afford to lose sums by teachers and caretakers quali- churches seating not more than 500 ranging from fifty to two or three by teachers and caretagers quantum ranging from fifty to two or three fied for the task, may result in a persons. There were entries from better citizenry than we obtain un- more than 20 states and many not-

The First Baptist church of When asked what profession they Plainfield, N. J., won second hon-

Star Plays Her Favorite Heroine vastly increased land and lease In "Love" at Palace

Greta Garbo had an experience not vouchsafed most actresses-for when she played the role of Anna Karenina in "Love" she was playing the role of her favorite heroine in her favorite novel. In the tion, "Love," adapted from the Tolstoi classic, John Gilbert and she head a notable cast in a vivid

lady who can well afford to lose between man and wife, Pro. Wells Weeks' Drug Store will shortly enina' would head it. I first read four or five hundred dollars or pointed out several rather serious add new ice cream manufacturing the book in Swedish, at home. It is

middle-class housewife who gam- such as the alarming frequency in keeping with the progress of "I have found it in the libraries bles her household money over the with which the birth of feeble- the town in making improvements. of the world, in French, German, minded or otherwise sub-normal The City Drug Store has recently in English and Italian. My hope Within the last two years, hun- children is directly traceable to added new fixtures throughout and and prayer is that I have broughtt to the screen some of the real

cast which includes George Faw-

Lacy, Emily Fitzroy and many oth- sales in Midland and the Midland ers of note.

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oil field area. Two new abstract offices and chambers for J. M. Gil-The Midland courthouse was re- more, corporation judge were cre-

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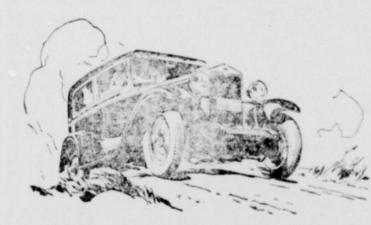
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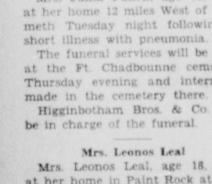
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at her home in Paint Rock at 8:30 and the one he would sell, is the o'clock Tuesday evening. She is survived by her husband and three children

Mrs. Jullia Fullen

Funeral services were held at Paint Rock Wednesday afternoon and interment made in the cemetery there.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. undertakers were in charge of the



Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Martin of the Oxine community are the proud parents of a 10-pound boy. The young man has been named No-

Weather Matter of Calculation; **Promises Forecasts for 22 Days**

By Walter Dietzel

(International News Staff Correspondent) tion. BERLIN, Jan. 1 .- "I can predict Two cents per word first inser- the weather with scientific cer- better store up coal, for it's going tion and no advertisement ac- tainty for 22 days, and I am able to be a cold, cold winter this year.' cepted for less than 25 cents. All to forecast natural catastrophies subsequent insertions le per word like tornadoes, cyclones and cloud bursts for half a year in advance.' | * All classified advertisements This sensational claim which, if , * " must be accompanied by cash, substantial, would revolutionize the unless advertiser has a regular world's weather service and save cepted on an "until ordered out" a Silesian engineer, in an interview basis. The number of times the with International News Service. predict the weather even for 24 FOR SALE-New 5-room house, hours with any degree of accuracy.

little. 703 Eleventh St. F. L. Dun- Rather, the weather develops ac- be back at their post of duty. 16-4td* cording to an inexorable natural law. This natural weather law I FOR RENT-Two unfurnished have discovered at last, and weath- Goodwin, Mrs. Jack Bingham, Mrs. and express. C. P. Vaughn at Josey's Barber er prediction is now merely a mat- Pape and Mrs. Lem Harvey were The route passes over three C. P. Vaughn at Jasey's Barber ter of easy mathematical calcula-16-4d* tion.

"It took me 20 years of hard research work to find this law,' Brix added.

Despite the positiveness of Brix's claims and some remarkable results which he has been able to LOST-Pair shell rim glasses, reward. Bob Galbraith at West Texas show them, German scientists and skeptical, but the director of the Bethel before its close. FOR SALE Electric washer, see Prussia State Weather Observa-11-6d tory invited Brix to work with him rooms for light housekeeping there may be something to Brix's birds get the worms." 14-dtf* claim.

Brix, however, demands that the | Wedding bells rang for the sec-

"My discovery will mean such Alston Gowdy, age 17 years, 3 commercial enterprises-the Ammonths and 17 days died at the erican cotton growers, for instance home of his mother on the corner | that I do not see why I shouldn't of Railroad Avenue and Broadway share in some of the profit as comat 1:20 o'clock Wednesday morn- pensations for 20 years of labor, ing, after an illness of a short he says.

duration. Alston was a well known "I first compiled all the availfigure about Ballinger and his able material of three or four Gersmiling face will be missed by man weather stations for the last many. He has been employed for fifty years. From this I separated several years by D. C. Underwood as decisive factors five observain the news agency and was a boy tions, namely daily temperature at who made friends with those with 7 a. m., daily maximum and miniwhom he came in contact. He has mum temperatures, precipitation been living here for several years of the atmosphere, and wind velo-

The body was removed from the these figures I discovered that home to the King-Holt undertak- there were certain 'intervals of ing parlor and will be held there weather ran more or less in cycles. until the funeral hour Thursday but that the exact development de-

Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock I found that it was possible to at the Episcopal church with Rev. establish what I call 'weather con-Arthur Whittle of San Angelo in stants' for 22 days. I added these charge. Following the service at the 22-day constants for a period of church the body will be interred 220 days and established what

father, L. K. Gowdy and one broth- form the basis of my calculations were here when he died but his for 22 days

expected to arrive here some time the preceding 22 days late Wednesday afterneon or night. These I compare with my 'em An uncle, Mr. Alston, for whom pirical constants' and by simple he was named, is also expected to mathematical calculations which a

'Assuming that my prediction Mrs. Jullia Fullen, age 72, died for these 22 days is accurate, it at her home 12 miles West of Wil- is, therefore, likewise easy on the meth Tuesday night following a basis of the same natural and mathematical laws to predict the The funeral services will be held weather for the succeeding 22 days at the Ft. Chadbounne cemetery and so forth for half a year. Na-Thursday evening and interment turally, the further ahead the prediction is projected, the less accu-Higginbotham Bros. & Co. will rate it is likely to be in detail, but the general development, especially violents breaks in the weather, will show with absolute certainty." Mrs. Leonos Leal, age 18, died Brix's secret in this procedure

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sedan, good rubber; one Whippet made by some impish weather god will not open until the 21st and it. The planes traverse 11 states sport roadster, almost new. One intent on playing tricks on man- we hope by that time that all the and make 13 stops, and often the 31-2 foot cement mixer, used very kind, for there is no such god. children will be well and able to mail is sufficient to warrant run-

all on the mend now.

Glaydas Cotter had to go to a erras. sanitarium, we are hoping for her There are more miles of lights turn, and get some benefit of the Europe's airways. 16-3d* the German authorities remain splendid school, we have here at

We see some farmers already actual flying hours. for a year in order to test out his have quite a bit of land plowed and Two furnished theory, indicating that he believes we remember the old saying "early WISCONSIN ESTATE IS NOW

hill married Miss Dona Nunnely not know what to do with them. and Oran Nunnely married Miss This is the one spot in Wisconsin been in Comanche on business this Veda Greenhill some two weeks which is overrun by wild deer, ago. This makes less kinfolks so hungry enough to nibble shrubs, lessens the expense at Christmas pines and other foliage, thus ruintime, in buying the kin presents, ing natural effects planted by the "REPORTER."

LONGEST AIR MAIL ROUTE IN WORLD IS ACROSS U. S.

By International News Service) and regularly operated air mail designed to keep them on the es-

ill. While there are about 50 cases the cross-country flight-of air upon a remedy. of flu and about 25 or 30 cases of mail from the Statue of Liberty to

The distance is 2,680 miles.

Mail planes fly 2,750,000 miles a bath, double garage. One Pontiac "The weather,' 'says Brix, "is not School was crosed last week and year, shuttling back and forth on ning planes in double sections just night. Mrs. Fullen was taken sick as trains are operated. Planes car-We were told that Mrs. Claud ry from one-half to a ton of mail pneumonia which caused her death.

> the worse off with flu but they are mountain ranges: the Alleghenys Rockies and Sierra Nevadas, and from sea level on two seaports While we are sorry to hear that to 14,000 feet in hurdling the Si-

> a speedy recovery. She has been and beacons on this 2,680 mile sick all fall, not able to attend hop between New York and San school, we hope she will soon re- Francisco than there are on all of Time required on the flight from

New York to San Francisco Bay is 311-2 elapsed hours, or 271-4

OVERRUN WITH DEER HERD

overnment put a special staff of ond time in J. M. Nunnely's home MADISON, Wis., Jan. 15.—C. H. assistants at his disposal and fi- within a month also John Green- Thordarson, Chicago millionaire, ance further experiments. Other- hill's home, as a brother and sister owner of a thousand-acre tract vise, he is ready to sell his discov- married a brother and sister. In near Washington Island, has so other words John Shelburn Green- many deer on his estate he does

landscape artists.

The herd, composed of several hundred deer, has become a destructive nuisance, Thordarson told Chief Game Warden H. W. Mac-Kenzie and wishes something done CHICAGO, Jan. 16.-In trans- about it. The deer become so huncontinental air mail, the United gry, Thordarson complained, that States has the longest continuous they hurdled an eight-foot fence tate. MacKenzie promised he would

> RECEIVES WORD OF DEATH OF MOTHER WEDNESDAY

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