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Payne Blames Senate with Failure of Red Cross Quota

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Chairman John Barton Payne of the American Red Cross today blamed the Senate's proposal for an appropriation of \$25,000,000 for the Red Cross relief fund for the failure of the organization to raise \$10,000,000 needed within two weeks.

Testifying before the House appropriations committee, Payne said ordinarily the Red Cross could raise an emergency ten million dollars within ten days.

BUSINESS LEADERS OFFER TO ADVISE COLLEGE BOYS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—A group of alumni and trustees of the University of Chicago, who are industrial executives, have agreed to take over part of the job of ushering the college graduate into the business world.

Plans have been made for a series of meetings this winter at which industrial leaders will address student groups and arrange to meet interested students for further consultation.

The series begins January 14, and speakers will include executives from a dozen different branches of industry.

Border Patrol to Be Increased 250

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—An appropriation of \$500,000 for the immediate increase to 250 men in the border patrol was voted today by the Senate appropriations committee.

Funds for the increase were added to the appropriation measure for the departments of commerce, labor, state and justice.

Farm Home Burns; 7 Die in Flames

(By Associated Press)
WILLIAMSPORT, Penna., Jan. 28.—Clyde Smith and his six small children burned to death today in a farm house at Powys, near here.

Mrs. Smith and her two-year-old child were saved but were badly burned.

Pleads Guilty to Torch Murder

(By Associated Press)
FT. WORTH, Jan. 28.—Hugh D. ("Hop Toe") Butler today pleaded guilty in connection with the "torch murder" of Roy Hawthorn in the Herbert Stanley home here July 26, and was sentenced to 99 years in the state penitentiary.

Stanley was sentenced to 99 years on a similar charge yesterday.

"Marrying Squires" Link Own Hands When Slump Hits Matrimonial Mart

(By Associated Press)
JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Jan. 28.—The "marrying squires" of Jeffersonville believe five can live almost as cheap as one, so they've joined forces.

These five justices of the peace have been striving valiantly to keep up the reputation of this village as the Gretna Green of Southern Indiana and Kentucky, but the turn of the year found them up against it.

Folks just weren't getting married—not in sufficient numbers, at least, to maintain the "marrying squires" in the style to which they were accustomed in their five separate "marrying parlors."

They took a leaf from the book of big business, and talked things over. It was agreed that overhead and wasteful competition must be reduced.

So one "marrying parlor" now flourishes where five languished before at a strategic point near the approach to the Louisville bridge.

Now there is rent to pay for only one house. There is only one

Warns Senate On Cashing of Soldiers' Bonus

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Andrew W. Mellon, secretary of the treasury, appeared before the Senate finance committee today with the warning that cash redemption of the soldiers' adjusted compensation certificates would upset the nation's financial structure and "seriously retard business recovery."

Mellon said the treasury would close the fiscal year with a deficit of \$375,000,000 and that payment of the face value of the certificates would cost \$3,400,000,000.

Pampa Carpenter Is Shot to Death

(By Associated Press)
PAMPA, Tex., Jan. 28.—C. H. Taylor, carpentry foreman, was shot to death near Lefors early this morning.

The sheriff arrested a man and a woman in connection with the killing.

May Abandon Mexican Navy

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 28.—Virtual abandonment of the Mexican navy was seen in the treasury department's request today to cut \$22,500,000 from the federal budget for the current year.

The request, bearing the approval of President Ortiz Rubio, was made in view of the slump in customs receipts, and the cancellation of a number of government taxes.

Prisoners Escape From Lubbock Jail

(By Associated Press)
LUBBOCK, Tex., Jan. 28.—John F. Haley, under indictment by the Lamb county grand jury on the charge of robbing a filling station, and a man charged with stealing chickens here, sawed through the bars, dug through a brick wall, and escaped from the Lubbock county jail here today.

FINES BY INSTALLMENTS SAVE CITY JAIL EXPENSE

(By Associated Press)
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 28.—The installment plan for paying fines is becoming increasingly popular here.

Under the "easy payment" system, court officials point out, offenders unable to raise cash to meet fines are not sent to jail to live at the city's expense.

constable to pay, instead of five. With competition eliminated there is no need for the "runner" who used to rustle up prospects for their five bosses on incoming ferries or automobiles.

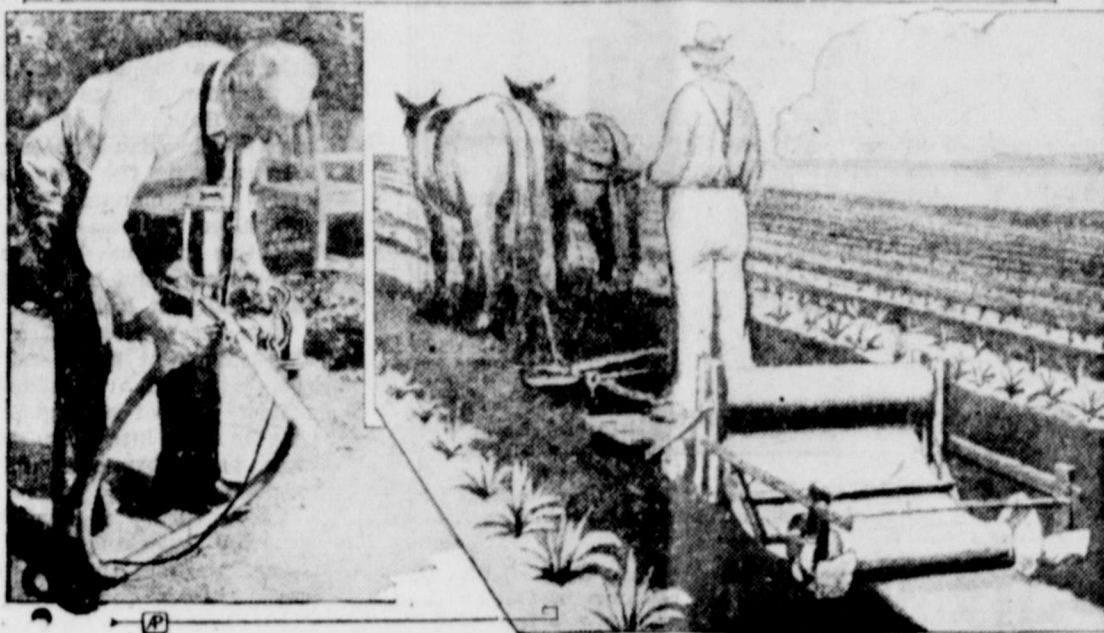
The squires take turns in being on duty at the consolidated marriage parlor. The younger ones are given the "night tricks," and the elderly ones have the day hours.

"It's the only system," declares Benson R. Veasey, dean of the marrying squires by virtue of his 20-year record. "Competition led to the 'runners' and the advertising signs which the people of the town didn't like. Cooperation has eliminated all that. And helped the net income a lot."

Jeffersonville's marriage industry, which used to support 20 families, is based on the fact that Louisville is just across the river, and in Kentucky a girl under 21 must be married in the presence of her parents. Indiana law does not require this.

In 1930 the county clerk here issued 2,925 marriage licenses.

"Skin of Cellulose Spray Chokes Weeds



A cellulose spraying device (left) invented by Arthur Streich, Berlin engineer, covers the ground with a tough skin that chokes weeds and stores heat and moisture for crops. Picture at right demonstrates the old method, used in Hawaii, of covering fields with paper.

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, Jan. 28.—Eradicating weeds from a field under cultivation may become an easy, inexpensive matter with a cellulose spraying device invented by Arthur Streich, Berlin engineer.

By spraying a field with one part of cellulose diluted with ten parts of water, a continuous tough skin adhering tightly to the ground is produced.

This cannot be dissolved or washed away by rain, but it can be peeled off the ground easily after the harvest.

The cost is estimated at one-fourth to one-half cent per square yard for a coating half a millimeter thick.

Tests have shown that it chokes weeds which have weak germinating power, and hence obviates weeding and ridding work.

At the same time it insures a richer and better harvest of the crop planted, Streich says, not only because the nutriment in the

ground becomes available solely for the useful plants, but also because moisture and heat absorption by the earth are prevented from evaporating or escaping.

The paper cover thus serves to store heat and moisture so the temperature remains practically uniform even during the night.

The idea of killing weeds by covering them up did not originate with Streich, the inventor pointed out. His spraying process is an adaptation of a principle first employed by an American, Charles E. Eckart, of Honolulu.

Eckart's method of covering the fields with tough wood paper is expensive, Streich said. For spreading this paper, especially constructed paper-laying machines pulled by horses or motors had to be devised.

"Over half a million dollars are expended annually in Hawaii for this paper covering process," Streich said. "Such enormous outlays are not prohibitive or un-

profitable in Hawaii, where there are two harvests a year.

"For general use, however, this process is impracticable, not only because of the price, but also owing to the fact that fastening the paper to the ground with clips, pegs, sand, or stones, is a tiresome and time-consuming process which, after all, offers no guarantee that, in the event of wind or storm, the covering will not tear or be removed entirely."

Streich's spraying method, he says, is applicable to all useful plants except cereals. To the cellulose may be added, besides water, any other substances necessary as soil ingredients, such as lime or potash.

For planting seeds or young plants, holes must be pierced through the cellulose layer in the same manner in which they are now cut into the paper covering in Hawaii. The watering of the plants is likewise done through these holes.

Associated Fair Officials To Discuss Percentage Plan

Charlie Coombes, president, and J. D. Motley, secretary of the Runnels County Fair Association, will leave Thursday morning for Dallas to attend the meeting of State Associated Fairs. The body will be in session Friday and Saturday with the State Fair of Texas as host to the visitors.

Heads of fairs all over the state have a large number of important questions to present to this meeting that will have much to do with the life of these institutions during the next few years. Recently straw votes have been taken by mail on a number of the issues and practically all officials of county and regional fairs have voted alike. Most fairs in Texas reported heavy losses in 1930 due to many guaranteed expenses and it is hoped to work out a plan to eliminate these.

In previous years all entertainment programs have been booked outright by fair associations and stipulated sums guaranteed performers. Officials at the Dallas meeting will discuss a plan of trying to secure this entertainment on the percentage basis. Carnivals are booked that way and instead of an expense, furnish much of the revenue for the associations. Should it be possible for the fair associations to unite and accept only entertainment for the grandstand a profit would be insured instead of a loss on this portion of the program.

This would apply to all fairs alike, but two separate plans would have to be worked out. About 60 per cent of the fairs in this state present racing programs while the remainder depend on hippodrome shows, fireworks, pageants, etc., to draw grandstand attendance.

Many of the fairs in this section of the state are discussing a plan to place premiums on a profit-sharing basis so as not to contract a fixed expense in that department. This would eliminate the necessity of rain insurance as every exhibitor and performer would share alike in the risk of inclement weather and poor patronage.

There was no Runnels County Fair held last year and judging from the experience of other fairs in the state it was a wise move.

It is planned, however, to stage a comeback this year and hold the biggest fair ever presented in Ballinger. Two years will be crowded into one and with a program to correspond it is believed the largest attendance ever known here can be had. This fair has kept its admission price lower than any fair in this section and so far as known here, in the state. Twenty-five cents has been the regular admission to the grounds while other fairs charged 50 cents. Grandstand performances have been 35 cents here while others charged \$1 and up.

Secretary Motley said Wednesday that he had heard from a number of fair officials in this part of the state and all expected to attend the Dallas meeting. If arrangements can be made for percentage attractions it is probable that dates will be scheduled and circuits formed for all fairs in this section. Practically all fairs in the state are in debt, with obligations ranging from \$5,000 to \$30,000. A good year for the fairs on the place to be discussed would in many instances pull them out of debt.

Will Preserve Battlefield MURFREESBORO, Tenn., Jan. 28.—(AP)—After a lapse of almost 70 years work to preserve the trenches, gun pits and breastworks erected in the battle of Stones River has begun. The 55th congress authorized a 3,100-acre national park where 80,000 men fought during Christmas week of 1862.

Registrations will be held as heretofore announced, on Thursday and Friday, May 14 and 15.

Supt. H. C. Lyon said Wednesday that a speaker for the baccalaureate exercises had not yet been selected but would be announced shortly. Senior day speakers have been selected and the pupils who have been assigned subjects have already done much preparatory work.

DO-X Flight is Termed Success

(By Associated Press)
LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 28.—The giant German seaplane DO-X made a trial flight here today preparatory to a take-off tomorrow on a trans-Atlantic flight to Rio de Janeiro. The trial was termed a success.

Captain Christiansen, the ship's commander, said the plane's course would be to Madeira, Cape Verde, Canary Islands and Natal, with fueling stops planned.

Compromise Tax Relief Bill Adopted by House

Runnels Included In Revised List

A revised list of counties eligible to receive drought relief loans has been certified from Washington by Dr. C. W. Warburton, secretary of the national drought relief commission. The Texas counties are as follows:

Archer, Baylor, Callahan, Clay, Childress, Coleman, Comanche, Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Eastland, Erath, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Garza, Hall, Hardeman, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Lubbock, Lynn, McCulloch, Mitchell, Motley, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton, Wichita, and Young.

Plans are being made in this county to begin the work as soon as application blanks arrive at the local office. The work in this county will be handled by C. R. Stephens, R. G. Erwin, T. J. McCaughan, and C. W. Lehman. Mr. Stephens will devote all his time to the work and will be furnished with an assistant on full time to look after the clerical work in the office. Mr. Stephens is well suited for this work and in connection is taking care of the Red Cross activities and is also head of the local charity board. For months he has studied conditions in the county and knows exactly what is needed, has the communities well organized and is ready to begin receiving applications as soon as blanks are available.

A survey of this county has already been made, showing that more than 300 families will have to be aided with loans and a large number with food by the Red Cross. Some have already been helped and a large per cent of the small grain now growing in the county was made possible by the \$1,500 spent in this county in the fall for small grain seed.

The offices of the drought relief board will be located in the rear of the Ballinger State Bank building, formerly occupied by the city administration. This space has been donated to the relief work and local firms will loan office furniture.

The entire expense of operating a relief office must be paid by the city in which it is located. All money passing through the office will be paid direct to the farmers in checks and no part of this can be used as office expenses. The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce directors in meeting Tuesday voted to raise money to employ an assistant for three months, if those in charge of the relief campaign thought necessary. An office man who can meet the requirements can be secured at a low wage now and a committee probably will be appointed soon to raise sufficient money for this purpose. Office work will be tedious at first as several hundred applications for loans will be filed as soon as the headquarters is opened here.

Red Cross claims will be handled from the same office for food. Lyle Deffenbaugh of Winters, will assist in the Red Cross distribution and a large number of cases will be looked after by him in the north portion of the county.

Porcelain Portraits New Fad WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Portraits on porcelain is the newest photographic fad of the capital at \$75 each. Portraits on ivory also may be had at about \$200 apiece but the porcelain product is more nearly within the reach of the average pocketbook.

Log rafts on the west coast of Alaska contain up to 1,100,000 feet of logs each.

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Jan. 28.—The House today adopted the compromise tax relief bill from the Senate-House conference committee. The bill carried a provision for deferring paying of 1930 taxes to October 30, 1931, making semi-annual payments optional if desired by taxpayers.

House Committee Favors Supply Bill

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—The House appropriations committee today reported favorably the \$23,857,000 legislative supply bill.

This is \$3,219,000 below current expenses and \$4,825,000 below the budget estimates.

Youths Confess to Stealing Chickens

Connie Bryant, 14, and Buford Pennington, 16, were brought to Ballinger Tuesday and placed in the county jail on charges of chicken theft. A few hours after being brought here by Deputy W. S. Barr, the youths made a complete confession to County Attorney Roy Hill. They were given a hearing in justice court and bond in each case was set at \$250.

Sunday night six chickens were taken from the home of H. I. Collingsworth and Monday six of the same kind of fowls were sold to a Winters poultry house. Their arrests followed.

Bryant and Pennington will be held here until bond is made or until their cases are disposed of at the next term of district court which convenes in Ballinger on February 9.

H. K. Hall, of Winters, entered a plea of guilty here Wednesday morning in county court to operating a pool hall in the town of Winters, and was fined \$25 and costs, the total amounting to \$51.80. Evidence had been secured against Hall by minors who testified they played "scratch pool" in the place and paid for each game, and that they were not members of any club at the time. The defendant offered no testimony in the case.

Cacti Thrive in Mexico TUCSON, Ariz., Jan. 28.—(AP)—Mexico has more than twice as many species of cacti as the United States, says a report of the desert laboratory here of the Carnegie Institution of Washington. Mexico numbers 524 against 207 in the United States.

\$200,000 Blaze At Tyler Destroys Department Store

(By Associated Press)
TYLER, Tex., Jan. 28.—A \$200,000 fire today destroyed the Naylor department store and office building here.

Officers discounted the theory of incendiary origin when the burning building was found locked by the firemen. A short time previous, however, an automobile loaded with bolts of dry goods had been seen leaving the city.

Log rafts on the west coast of Alaska contain up to 1,100,000 feet of logs each.

WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press)
West Texas—Partly cloudy in the north portion, unsettled in the south portion, local rains in the southeast portion tonight and Thursday.
East Texas—Cloudy and local rains tonight and Thursday.

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The plan being pushed this year by the Runnels county inter-scholastic league in the meet at Winters to hold a school fair in connection is a fine thing. For years many schools of this county have not been represented at the county fair because of the fact that the dates for the fair come before they are opened and material cannot be assembled for school booths so they are prevented from competing for the prizes and the benefits of showing their work to the large throngs who inspect the booths. The exhibits from the school fair each spring will be kept intact and someone appointed to look after it and enter it in fairs later. It is the right time of the year for good work to be selected and creates a desire among students to do work that will be picked for exhibition.

It now appears that the legislature will make the date for payment of taxes February 20 and by that time expects to pass some kind of a measure for installment payment of taxes. This bill is meeting with little opposition, and with a few amendments tied on is likely to pass within a few weeks. Towns are passing similar plans and some are even making the payments quarterly. Brady last week announced such a plan and people there will have tax paying time every three months instead of once a year. As the matters now stand, however, taxes are due this week and the deadline for payments will be Saturday night at midnight. After that they will become delinquent and penalties will be assessed. If the House passes the resolution favored Tuesday by the Senate, however, time will be extended on state and county tax levies.

The new proposition being discussed by fair officials over the state to ask that all departments of the fair be placed on a percentage basis seems right and fair and will do away with deficits in the future. All other show people come to town and take their chance with the weather and other hindrances for their patronage and fair officials feel that with a place to show license paid, advertising furnished and all other expenses such as tickets, takers, lights, etc., these performers should be placed on the percentage basis. If they are good enough to draw crowds the more money they will make both for the fair and for themselves. A county fair is an institution for everybody and also to promote better livestock, poultry, agriculture, schools, clubs and other benefits. If this be true everyone should be willing to take his part of the responsibility and enter on a profit-sharing basis. For years the fair in this county has opened its gates with a premium list of approximately \$5,000 and an entertainment program of about \$3,000 to be paid from a 25-cent gate admission and money received from concessions and carnival. Merchants pay for the privilege of showing

Dire Needs of Half Million Victims Of Drought to Be Met by Red Cross



Happiness entered this mountain home for the first time in weeks, when the Red Cross men arrived with a full supply of food. In oval above, John Barton Payne, chairman, and below, James L. Fieser, vice chairman, veterans in relief work, who administer the fund.

THE merciless sun of last summer which burned the crops on thousands of acres and brought a drought unprecedented in the annals of America, has caused destitution to rest on the doorsteps of more than a hundred thousand farm homes.

Mobilized, as in war time, the American Red Cross is feeding half a million people, and is undertaking to clothe the needy.

In the first few days after New Year's Day, 1931, calls for help more than trebled. On January 13, the Red Cross had given \$1,599,909

in relief. On that date, Red Cross food was given in all but nine of Arkansas' seventy-five counties. Red Cross Chapters in counties in one-third of the area of Kentucky were dispensing food and clothing. Counties in other southern, central and middle western states were relieving distress through their Red Cross Chapters.

President Hoover on January 13 in issuing a proclamation calling upon the public to contribute a \$10,000,000 fund to the Red Cross to meet this distress, said, in part:

"There must be a material increase in the resources of the American Red Cross to enable it to bear the burden which it has undertaken in the drought area and smaller communities over twenty-one states during this winter. Within the last ten days the Red Cross has had to increase the rate of expenditures to an amount greater than during the entire preceding four months.

"I appeal to our people to contribute promptly and most generously in order that the suffering of thousands of our fellow countrymen may be prevented."

their merchandise with no prizes offered and that is the right spirit of cooperation. Here is hoping that a good plan will be made possible by the meeting of fair officials at Dallas Thursday.

SUNDOWN STORIES



PLAYING WITH ALBA

By Mary Graham Bonner

"Shall we play house?" asked the little old woman.

Then she changed her voice to pretend the doll, Alba, was speaking.

"Yes, let's play house," Alba answered.

"That would be fun," Peggy agreed. "I've always adored playing house."

"We'll make believe the door of this room is the front door of the house and we'll each take a corner for our own houses," the little old woman said.

Alba was put in one corner by her owner, Peggy went to another corner and the little old woman went to a third corner.

Each had a chair in her corner, and when the little old woman or Peggy went calling they took their chairs from their own corners along with them. When Alba went calling, Peggy or Alba's owner carried her. The fourth corner they called the neighbor's house and pretended that she had gone away for the day.

They had such a lovely time calling. The little old woman had brought out some of her clothes so Peggy and she could dress up, and she had brought out some of Alba's other clothes so that Peggy could dress her for calling.

Alba was an adorable doll and played house beautifully. She talked about her house and how she liked to keep it in perfect order, although she said she was not very fussy, and when she had a party she liked to have it all mused up so that it showed her friends were having a good time. They played other games, too, and before they were through

HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by DR. LACRO GALESTON

UNDULANT FEVER

In recent months there has been much ado about undulant fever, the tendency being to somewhat exaggerate the menace of the disease.

Undulant fever, also known as Malta fever, was first discovered in 1886 by a group of British army surgeons stationed at Gibraltar and Malta.

It was found that soldiers in the garrison suffered an odd disease which was characterized by undulating or wave-like periods of fever, profuse sweats and rheumatic-like pains.

The disease was ultimately found to be due to a germ which affected goats. It was transmitted to human beings through the medium of goats milk for it was found that practically all sufferers of Malta fever drank raw or unpasteurized milk coming from sick goats.

At first it was thought the disease was confined only to goats and humans and that it could be transmitted from animals to man

only through goats' milk.

Subsequently, however, it was discovered that the disease affected other domestic animals and was related, if not identical, with the disease of contagious abortion, affecting cows and hogs.

Human beings have been shown susceptible, the diseases being acquired through the drinking of infected cows' or goats' milk and through intimate contact with goats, cows and hogs.

The disease can be largely controlled by effective milk pasteurization. The germs responsible for these related diseases do not survive the heat treatment of milk. Special care should be exercised in the case of goat milk. Efforts are now being made to remove infected animals from herds.

Humans who are affected with undulant fever are treated on the same principles laid down for typhoid fever.

(Tomorrow—Quinine)

playing the little old woman said she had had Alba ever since she herself had been a child. That was what made Alba so wonderful, Peggy decided. She had been loved for so many, many years.

And then the little old woman said they would have a real party.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company has been called by the Directors of said corporation, to be held at the principal office of the corporation in the City of Galveston, Texas, on the 23rd day of February, 1931, at eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of submitting to the stockholders the question of increasing the authorized capital stock of the corporation from Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000), consisting of One Hundred Thousand (100,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each, to Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000), consisting of Two Hundred Thousand (200,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) each, and to do all things and give all proper authorizations to carry out and effectuate such increase.

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GEORGE N. YARD,
Secretary of Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company. dec 8-30td

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MOVIES

Blondes Voted Best Steppers in Musicomedy, "Heads Up"

If your ambition is to become a dancer in screen musical comedy arrange to be a blonde!

That's the conclusion to be drawn from the figures—numerical and human—assembled for the beauty chorus of sixteen girls who are to appear in "Heads Up," the musical and comical show with excitement and romance which comes to the Palace Theatre Friday and Saturday, featuring Charles Rogers, Helen Kane, Victor Moore and Margaret Breen.

Selection and training of the girls for a big dancing ensemble of this picture was entrusted to George Hale, one of Broadway's most capable dance maestros.

In choosing the girls, Hale selected nine blondes, four chestnut-haired almost-blondes, two brunettes and one lone red-head. Apparently the blondes have it, numerically at least.

But here's a significant fact: The leaders at each end of the line, to whom are entrusted the difficult task of piloting the other girls in the intricacies of the steps, are a brunette and one a red-head!

Hale's theory is that blondes, generally speaking, are better natural dancers than their dusky haired sisters and they have greater patience and physical endurance.

By way of consolation, however, the brunettes and red-heads are generally peppier than their fair co-dancers and frequently make more efficient leaders.

The pictorial quality insofar as coloring is concerned does not effect Hale's choice. They might all be brunettes or all blondes if they could master the dance steps

quickly and execute them gracefully. Only two requisites are listed: Grace and Beauty.

The story of "Heads Up" concerns the fortunes of a young graduate of the U. S. Coast Guard Academy who is assigned to duty aboard a private yacht in order to get the goods on a gang of rum-smugglers. Rogers is the hero. He gets the goods, the gang and the girl.

TWO PREHISTORIC TEMPLES UNCOVERED IN NEW MEXICO

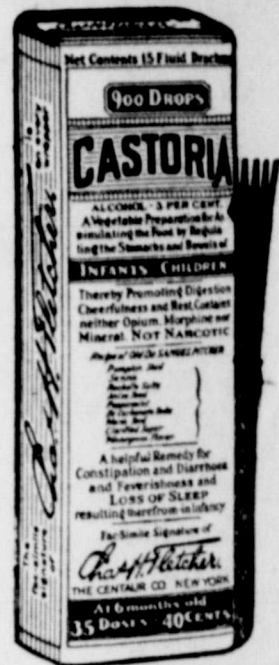
(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Two large prehistoric American

temples in New Mexico have been found by Dr. Frank H. H. Roberts, archaeologist of the Smithsonian Institution.

The find is considered important in efforts of Smithsonian to obtain a complete picture of the life of ancient inhabitants of the Southwest, who had built up the most elaborate aboriginal culture to be found north of the Aztec centers in Mexico.

Dr. Roberts, in several months' excavating, uncovered a most completely the two houses on the Zuni reservation near Gallup. One had 64 rooms and the other 20.

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The Life-Blood of Industry



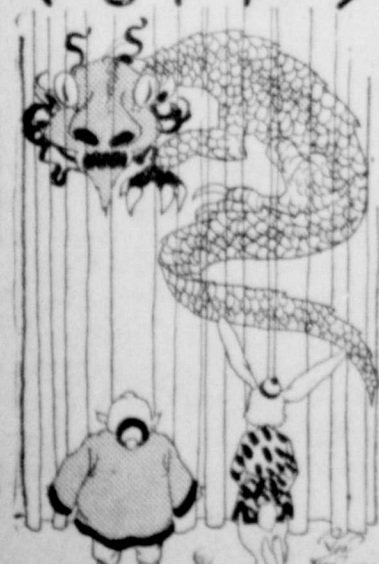
The work of the newly-organized Texas All-State Committee will have a stimulating effect on West Texas industry. It will not only increase the production of manufacturing plants already located in this vast empire, but will bring new factories and new capital into the territory.

For efficient and economical operation of any business relying upon motive power for its production work, electric current supplied by the ever-ready, dependable transmission line system is an absolute necessity. In no other way can the manufacturer be assured of a constant, flexible supply of energy.

When new industries locate in West Texas, they will choose the towns in which transmission line service is available. The West Texas Utilities Company . . . with its three major generating stations, twenty-two auxiliary plants, and over 2,500 miles of transmission line . . . is rendering dependable electric service to 120 prosperous cities, towns and communities in West Texas, the "Land of Opportunity." It is furnishing them with the very life-blood of industry, so necessary to permanent growth and development.

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The plumpish Mr. Duffy and the tallish Mr. Bun set out to find a dragon in the Land of Lots-of-Fun. They see one on a curtain and they see one on a shawl. But a really truly dragon they do not observe at all.

DOROTHY DARNIT



By Charles McManus

CHABLEY'S AUNT

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE
 Sir Francis and old Spettigue become rivals for the hand of Babbs. Both were set upon the idea of marrying the wealthy widow. In the meantime, Jack and Charley have proposed to Amy and Kitty and are accepted. While old Spettigue and Sir Francis pursue Babbs all over the country trying to arrange a promise of marriage from Babbs, who tries vainly to avoid them.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
 Chapter Five
 No amount of pleading by Sir Francis would alter "her" refusal and the courtly old gentleman bade "her" a sad farewell. Babbs was about to leave a sigh of relief and straightened up with a laugh when he found himself face to face with old Spettigue. That gentleman considered it an appropriate time to press his own suit but Babbs preferred to play hide and seek with him, deferring the "precious" moment when she would find out who had been representing her.

Donna Lucia was mystifying Sir Francis as to her real name. Thus far he knew her only as Lucy, the girl he had left behind when he went to seek fame and fortune in India.

"By the way, Lucy, what is your name now?" he asked.
 Thinking quickly, Donna Lucia



"Ah, Sir Francis, how thoughtful of you. A drink from your own four hands."
 "Yes," retorted Babbs, "it was a surprise, wasn't it?"

that her little charge had a wistful expression.
 "I suppose," she nodded toward the college buildings, "this brings back memories of that young college man you met at Monte Carlo. What did you say his name was?"
 "I've told you so often, Auntie," the girl said sadly, "it was Lord Fancourt Babberly."

They passed through an archway and entered upon the lawn leading to the house. Sir Francis was standing inside on the lawn and he approached them, lifting his hat politely.

"Pardon me," Donna Lucia said, "we are looking for Mr. Charles Wykeham."

Sir Francis bowed, "Mr. Wykeham and my son are friends. I am Sir Francis Chesney."

Donna Lucia looked at him in surprise and stepped closer.

"Not Lieutenant Frank Chesney?" she queried, a little tremor in her voice.

"Yes, late of His Majesty's Indian Service."
 She went nearer to Sir Francis and her face had the happy look seen on those happy in making a pleasant recognition.

"And you don't remember me?" she asked.

Sir Francis scanned her beautiful face and his voice spoke her name, "Lucy." He took both her extended hands and held them warmly in his own, and happily returned her friendly smile.

As they walked toward the house, arm in arm, both felt memory racing through their minds. Both remembered their budding romance of twenty years ago; the wonderful evening they had together, dancing, talking, building plans which had never materialized. Completely

stances, they became permanently separated, that immediately after the marriage of plaintiff to defendant, the defendant began a course of association and clandestine relations with women of bad character for immoral purposes; and during her entire married life, defendant continued said association and relations, and, on several occasions insisted on bringing disreputable and immoral women into their home. That all of said acts were done without the knowledge and consent, of said plaintiff, and to embarrass, harange and disgrace her, and were done in a harsh and cruel manner;

That immediately after the consummation of said marriage as above alleged the defendant began a course of cruel, harsh and inhuman treatment of the plaintiff, that he was possessed of a violent, ungovernable temper, and on numerous and various occasions during said marital life, he would fly into a rage and cruelly beat and strike plaintiff with his fists and cause her much pain and mental anguish and physical suffering; That he continued said course of cruel and harsh treatment against plaintiff from a date immediately upon the consummation of said marriage ceremony to the time of their final separation.

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 That defendant's conduct and association with other women and the results therefrom have seriously affected plaintiff's health and caused her much physical pain and mental anguish and that because of said acts and misconduct the further living together of plaintiff and defendant as man and wife is rendered insupportable.

That there was born to the said marital union one child named Steve Hampton, a boy eight years of age; and that said child was left in the custody and control of plaintiff until about the 6th day of September, 1930, when the defendant returned without the plaintiff's knowledge or consent and took said child from the possession of the plaintiff in Runnels County, Texas, and carried him away; and that plaintiff has not known the whereabouts of said child and has sought diligently to find him, and is now reliably informed that said child is now located in Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas, and is being hid and concealed in said town by the defendant and others acting for him from the plaintiff. That plaintiff has, at all times, supported said child since she was separated from the defendant; and that defendant has wholly failed and refused to contribute the necessaries for the support of the child or the plaintiff since said separation and for a long time prior thereto. That said defendant has not ceased the acts of immoral conduct and has no care for the welfare of said child; That defendant has become a shiftless and worthless person, has no regular employment and will not work and is incapable of caring for and maintaining said child; and that for the foregoing reasons, he is morally and financially unfit to have the care and custody of said child;

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein, and that said minor child, during the pendency of this suit be placed in the custody of the plaintiff; and that defendant be restrained from interfering with said child or the custody of said child or this plaintiff; That, on final hearing, plaintiff have judgment of divorce dissolving the marriage between plaintiff and defendant and a permanent custody of said child; and that defendant be permanently enjoined and restrained from interfering with plaintiff's care and custody of said child, and for costs of court, and other and further relief both general and special.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Ballinger, this the 7th day of January, A. D. 1931.

(Seal)
 GEORGIA SINGLETARY,
 Clerk, District Court, Runnels County, Texas.
 d-7-14-21-28

replied, "I haven't a card—you may call me Beverly-Smythe."
 "Married?"
 "No, a widow."
 Meanwhile Babbs was having his troubles with old Spettigue who had become more persistent in his wooing of a woman he thought to be a millionaire widow from Brazil. To escape him Babbs climbed a wall and began running on top of it but Spettigue espied him. Babbs dashed back and forth along the wall, turning handspirings and flip-flops, doing dance steps, turning somersaults, and almost everything that looked incongruous with his position as a wealthy and dignified old lady.

In his efforts to keep pace with Babbs, Spettigue was fast becoming winded.

"Come, my little snap-dragon, flutter down," he begged.

But Babbs was enjoying his discomfiture too much to surrender. He leaped from the wall to a near-branch to branch in imitation of a lady doing a monkey act. He had lost sight of Spettigue and climbed higher into the tree to be hidden the better. He hung by his legs from a high limb then clung to one lower down and chinned himself. Spettigue found him just in time to see Babbs balance himself on one limb and leap high into the air to land on another. The sight unnerved him and the almost faint.

"Come, my little Tarzan," Spettigue called pleadingly to Babbs who turned a deaf ear to him. Even Babbs became exhausted and finally fell from the tree on top of Mr. Spettigue, who was happy in having the "wealthy widow" in his arms at last.

(To be continued)

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Tiny French Girl is New Opera Sensation

(By Associated Press)
 NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The coming of 26-year-old Lily Pons to the stage of the Metropolitan opera house started off 1931 with a thrill for opera-goers.

Before she had finished singing her debut role of "Lucia" she was being acclaimed as the greatest find in seasons, and when she finished singing the "mad scene" they gave her 16 curtain calls.

Here is the life story to date of Lily, who is five feet three and weighs 105 pounds:

She is the daughter of a French violinist, and was born on the Riviera ten years before the war.

When she was 15 she received first prize for piano at the Conservatory of Music in Paris, and her parents considered their talented daughter Lily well launched on a career as a concert pianist.

But a few years of concert work convinced Lily that piano playing was not exactly what she wanted to do, so she went on the stage and played small parts for two years.

One of those parts contained a little song. Her friends told her she sang the song pretty well and she herself thought it wasn't so bad.

Then Lily met August Mesritz, a Dutchman. He loved music and Lily, and still does. They were married in 1925.

Mesritz liked to hear his pretty little wife sing and encouraged her to see a vocal teacher. In 1927 she began a serious study of opera. There were engagements in Belgium, France and Italy.

One day Maria Gay, former star of the Metropolitan, who makes a hobby of looking for new material, heard Lily Pons sing. She sent a cablegram to the Metropolitan, offering to pay Lily's expenses to America to win her a hearing.

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LILY PONS

The result of the audition was a five-year contract with the Metropolitan and a three-year contract to make phonograph records.

Last November Lily came to the United States with her husband.

The rest is headline history. Critics said there had been nothing like the ovation New York gave the little French singer in five years.

Lily takes the business of being a Metropolitan prima donna calmly. On the morning of her debut she went out and bought two dresses just because she couldn't resist them.

She slept 12 hours the night before and went onto the huge stage of the opera house without a flutter. Hardened singers seldom accomplish that.

lef. Of these, 180 are said by the committee to be in desperate need.

One of them helped design the three chapels in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Another recently received a medal for designing a problem building.

Ten are at work temporarily cleaning up public parks.

Metropolitan music critics frequently receive letters from a Los Angeles man, who reads all their stuff and corrects the errors they sometimes make in musical lore.

"Plum" is the nickname of P. G. Wodehouse.

The cruller is named for Sebastian Kroll, who succeeded Peter Minuit as director of this island when it was New Netherland. Kroll was the first name given that type of doughnut.

Also it's cheaper here to make them with brown eggs. The white shelled variety is more expensive because New Yorkers, who don't know better, think they are more desirable.

The New York Jews, too, have contributed words to the American vocabulary. Kibitzer is one. Another is axia, from the Russian-Jewish achiyal, meaning a voluntary mutual loan or thrift association or credit union. (We got that out of a letter to the papers.)

California gasoline tax collections totaled \$10,608,517 in the third quarter of this year.

DALE WOMEN'S CLUB

The women's club of this community met with Mrs. Charlie Adams last Thursday, January 22. This club was just recently organized, but hopes to do good work in the future.

There were fourteen members present at this meeting, with one visitor, Mrs. W. M. Hale, of Houston. After a splendid round-table discussion the club adjourned, the next meeting to be held Thursday, February 5, with Mrs. T. A. Brevard.

Refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate and sandwiches, were served to all present.

—Club Reporter.

PORTUGAL WORKS TO END PEOPLE'S FEAR OF CENSUS

(By Associated Press)
 LISBON, Jan. 28.—Census taking in Portugal spells terror to the heart of the popular masses.

In an effort to set at rest people, who see in the census official the forbidding figure of the tax collector, a campaign has begun to teach illiterates the significance and value of the census.

After sermons in churches, handbills, posters and newspaper stories had failed to enlighten the public, authorities had thousands of bills thrown from airplanes.

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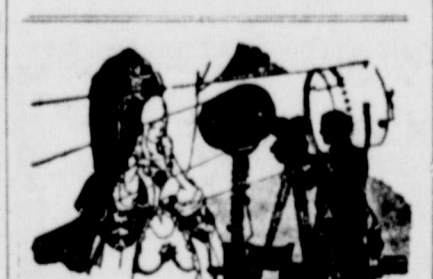
About New York

By Richard Massock
 NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—(AP)—Theodore of the Ritz has gone Park avenue and now he's Theodore of the Ritz Towers.

Theodore's last name is Szarvas, but not many New Yorkers know that. Nor do they know that he was Theodore II.

The first Theodore was surnamed Titze. He left to manage a restaurant and the hotel looked around the available waiters in town for another headwater with the name he had made famous.

It was publicly reported that the second Theodore was paid regularly by a number of wealthy



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Mission Sunday School

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Marvin Atkins, noble telephone manager, and others who acted so quickly and responded to our rescue after the fire, bringing us things to wear and eat, and helping build back our little home.

We will not forget the ladies that helped so sweetly getting the rooms back in order. As so many of you know I am crippled. You will remember that I am manager of the Mission Sunday school, near the cotton oil mill, which I intended to write about for this paper for the mission Sunday school Christmas tree, but the fire came Christmas eve night.

Let me tell you we have the finest Sunday school in this town, we think. We had fifty-five enrolled Christmas, while some have moved away there are others coming in. The Methodist and Presbyterian Sunday schools contributed to our Sunday school. Our mission had six dollars in the treasury when we burned which was gladly given by the children and which was gladly received. Since the fire and the loss of my glasses, I have been of little help with the children's lessons, while they are planning a home-made candy sale for which the money will be given for the purpose of getting new glasses.

We wish to thank you one and all for the kindness you have shown us. And watch for our home-made candy sale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Seargent.

STUDY OF RELATIVITY IS 2,000 YEARS OLD

NEW YORK, Jan. 28—Here are some simple points about relativity.

The fourth dimension is time. Study of relativity—which is merely measurement of motion—originated 2,000 years ago.

Einstein was the first to measure motion fully.

An imaginary number—the square root of minus one—is a relativity cornerstone.

PRESIDENT FRASER TO INSPECT WORK ON NEW W. O. W. CHAPEL AND SANCTUARY

Woodmen of the World Chief to Confer With Texas Officials on Head Camp Meeting at Mineral Wells.

W. A. Fraser, president of the Woodmen of the World Life Insurance Association will be in San Antonio soon to formally inspect the construction work on the memorial chapel and bird sanctuary, now being erected by the W. O. W. on its Memorial Hospital grounds.

Mr. Fraser will leave Omaha February 1 for his trip to Texas and while in San Antonio, he will confer with W. O. W. leaders in regard to the Head Camp meeting to be held at Mineral Wells, April 3 and 4. Mr. Fraser will be the principal speaker at the Head Camp meeting.

Font From Italy

While in Italy recently Mr. Fraser purchased a baptismal font for the chapel. The baptismal font was formerly in an old church in Rome. It is made of Carrara marble and should arrive in San Antonio from Rome, sometime during the coming month. The font will be formally placed at the time of the dedication of the chapel, the date of which has not yet been set.

Though not the largest, nor the costliest building to be erected in Texas this year, the W. O. W. chapel and bird sanctuary will be one of the most unique and interesting structures in the state.

It is located on the 259 acre tract upon which the Woodmen of the World Memorial Hospital has been a means of new life to those members of the Association who have been afflicted with tuberculosis.

Tiffany Art Windows

The west wall of the narthex of the chapel contains a large original Tiffany Art Glass window, one of the features of the building. The chancel is separated from the nave by a modified Gothic arch. In the chancel there are choir seats, organ console, and the key board for the operation of the chimes.

The walls of the nave, which is in a traditional English chapel style, are surfaced with a rough textured plaster. The windows are



W. A. FRASER

amber colored stained glass in diamond pattern. The roof is supported with rough oak trusses and all rafters and other framing members are exposed. The sanctuary is lighted by three art glass windows with a grained, vaulted ceiling.

Outdoor Services

At the intersection of the two open cloisters is the tower, which forms at its base a room nearly twelve feet square with walls of Ashlar stone and a high vaulted ceiling. The tower and cloisters connect with the main portion of the building to form an open court which is lighted so that religious services or chime recitals may be conducted outdoors during the summer months.

Special landscaping will be one of the features of this most attractive structure.

"The chapel will be a universal church," said President Fraser.

First Park Work Is Done by City

The city administration's report for last week showed the first work actually done here on the projected municipal park. Five men were employed for two days last week in clearing away underbrush and clearing up the grounds. This land, situated just south of the new water reservoir, is owned by the city but has been made available for a public park and playground. As rapidly as possible and without going to any unnecessary expense the city is having this ground cleared, trees trimmed, and brush piled and burned.

The Ballinger Lions Club is taking the lead in the matter of making the park a reality. The club will be assisted by other local organizations and especially the civic committee of the chamber of commerce. Citizens will be called on later to give time in afternoons in building benches, tables, swings and other paraphernalia will be added as soon as possible. The Lions are determined to begin work on the park and while it may be impossible to do all necessary this year, the campaign has begun.

All work has been completed on the new city hall building, finally accepted by the commission and formal opening held. The yard has been filled in with rich soil and shrubs and grass will be planted in the spring.

The drain line at the upper dam has been completed. Old material owned by the city was used, 96 feet of 10-inch cast iron pipe being laid and fitted. A valve was placed below the dam so that the line can be opened or closed at will. The Cameron pump was removed from the pumping plant, a new base run and made ready for a new pump which will be set during the ensuing week. All fittings, drawings and plans are on hand for this work which is being superintended by G. W. Dunlap.

The health department reported the release of two cases of scarlet fever from quarantine.

All A and B dairies were inspected during the week by Inspector R. F. Zedlitz and State Inspector Hargis. A number of cows also were examined and laboratory tests made of milk.

Street department employees got in two days of good work last week but before they could cover all sections of the city another rain made the streets in bad shape again. Since October the department has had little favorable weather in which to work. As soon as the weather cleared and before all streets could be

smoothed more precipitation ruined the efforts. Downtown streets were swept during the week and refuse removed from the pavement.

All other city departments reported a busy week, most of their activities, however, being confined to routine duties. The office staff is handling many tax collections and at the same time preparing for the first of the month.

Rotarians Enjoy Chalk Talk Act

The Ballinger Rotary Club enjoyed one of the best programs Wednesday they have had for many weeks. Attendance was extra good with only four members being absent from the club's regular luncheon and a number of visitors present, one from San Angelo and one from Abilene who came here to make up their attendance records.

Mrs. E. Schermerhorn assisted Miss Mada Jane Tittle in a chalk talk, playing suitable music as Miss Tittle painted rapidly with chalk both serious and comical pictures. Each completed picture brought forth big applause and some with laughter mixed in for good measure and to show the genuine appreciation of her efforts. Perhaps the height of the comic cartoons was reached when she turned "6%" into the likeness of a loan shark to bring down the crowd.

Miss Tittle closed her part of the program by drawing a little home tucked away in the mountains, surrounded by large trees and a beautifully colored sky, as Mrs. Schermerhorn played "Home Sweet Home." Applause followed.

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expected to be here, for the funeral are Mrs. O. C. Auld of San Antonio, Mrs. E. Putnam, Kathleen, Robert and Brantley Malone of Plainview; Mrs. Raleigh Reese and Mrs. Jim Flynt Jr. of Ballinger.

The body was taken to the undertaking parlors of the King-Holt company and prepared for burial and returned to the home of Mrs. Harvey at 809 Sixth street Wednesday afternoon where it will be held until the funeral.

UNIVERSITY DIET TABLE KEEPS CO-EDS SLENDER

(By Associated Press)
MADISON, Wis., Jan. 28.—A special diet table has solved the problem of how to eat and grow thin at Chadbourne Hall, girls' dormitory at the University of Wisconsin.

Tempting fattening foods are not served at the diet table.

Intended originally for the too-plump co-ed, the table is said to have attracted another clientele—those who believe an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

WELL-KNOWN MAN PRAISES DIAPEPSIN FOR STOMACH ILLS



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the program until the pair was today with a short talk on proper use of first names of rotary members and friends.

At an early date Mrs. Schermerhorn will speak to the club on her personal experiences in Cairo, Egypt, where she taught mid-winter use are growing in pipe organ for some time. The cypress swamps of the Everglades for this program has been slated for April 8.

H. C. Lyon closed the program Patronize our advertisers.

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