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## COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN SESSION THIS WEEK

The regular term of Commissioners' Court was in session here Monday and Tuesday of this week. The following members of the court were present: Judge G. J. Henshaw; Commissioner Precinct 1, W. A. Cocran; Commissioner Precinct 2, James K. Fulton; Commissioner Precinct 3, J. M. Corder; Commissioner Precinct 4, W. C. Dunlap.

The following important business was attended to: Approved the quarterly report of Frank K. Harrell, treasurer.

Approved the annual report of J. J. Nance, tax collector.

The court also set as a board of equalization. The following valuations were set: Stock horses, \$10; stock cattle, \$15; 2-year-old steers, \$25; 3-year-old steers and up, \$35; sheep, \$5; all angora goats, \$2; Mexican goats, \$1.50; saddle horses, \$35; work mules, \$45; all hogs, \$5; all burros, \$5, per head.

The court set June 8 as the day for hearing complaints as to why rendition should not be increased.

## MOTHERS' DAY PROGRAM

The following program was rendered at the Presbytery Sunday school last Sunday in honor of Mothers' Day:

Song, "There's no Love Like a Mother's Love," five girls.

Reading, "Mother," 3 girls.

Reading, "To My Mother," Hazel Johnson.

"Mother's Love," Ruby Luckie

"Mother and Home," Emily Strange.

"Mother Sympathy," Gladys Luckie.

"Thinking of Mother," Tropha Fred.

Song, "My Mother," Iva Hord.

Reading, "An Old Face," Mrs. Jack McKee.

Song, "Count Your Many Blessings," by all.

## YOUNG FOLKS PARTY

Last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. C. Green, Misses Willie Mae Green and Louise White were hostess to several friends at a forty-two and bunco party. Late in the evening delicious refreshments consisting of a salad course, sandwiches and iced tea. Each guest voted as having a wonderful time.

## Church News of Sanderson

Tomorrow Rev. J. A. McMillan will be here and will have the regular services at 11 a. m. At the evening hour he will preach the Baccalaureate sermon in the Presbyterian church. A cordial invitation to all to be present.

S. S. convened last Sunday with 100 present. Class reports were all good. After the program a collection was taken up will be applied to the account of the Auxiliary's adopted girl, Thelma Demett, \$4 was taken in.

The Ladies of the W. M. U. met with Mrs. Joe Nance last Monday for Bible study, there being 6 present. Will meet with Mrs. Gayle Mussey Monday, May 15 for social and business. A program is being prepared. All welcome.

Mrs. Ferguson's little tots numbered 30 last Sunday, quite a few to keep interested but the teacher manages it just fine.

The Ladies Auxiliary met with Mrs. T. des Landes for Bible and mission study, quite an interesting lesson from the book of Ezra, there were 14 members and 1 visitors. A pleasant pleasant evening was reported.

## NOTICE

Anyone desiring a cool room or a nice house-keeping apartment, see Mrs. A. Ware, at the Stewart house, at once.

## "The Tom Thumb Wedding,"

which was given at the Princess Theatre on Tuesday evening, May 12th, under the auspices of the W. B. A. of Maccabees was well attended. About 50 children, with but a few exceptions, under 8 years of age participated. The little groom, Master James Roberts Nations, certainly played his part well and plainly showed his embarrassment when the rejected suitor, Robert Lea, kissed the bride and exhibited his indignation at being the loser of such a charming bride as little Miss Marion Dillon. The ring bearer, Miss Ruth Edwards, the maid of honor, Miss Mildred Lucky, and the two train bearers, Master Bruce Calmont and Reed Dillon, played their parts without flaw.

The procession of flower girls, Little Misses Turner, Hurst, Winn and Mussey, and the brides maids, Little Misses Calmont, Hord, Couch and Clark was a pleasing picture in itself; each little boy and girl carried out their part with success, and their quaint antics while impersonating the grown-ups added much to the amusement of the audience. The affair was a real wedding and the large crowd of relatives, guests and friends were ably handled by the ushers, Masters Queltrough and Sharp. Several old-time vocal solos and duets were enjoyed while the wedding supper was served by a host of young girls.

## SENIORS ENTERTAINED

The beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson was the scene of a very entertaining affair Wednesday evening, when they were hostess to the Senior Class of 1925. Various colored larkspurs and cut flowers were used as decorations in the spacious living room.

Various games and contests furnished amusements for the evening. In the art contest of making the best imitations of animals out of chewing gum, Kendrick Harrell won first prize, while Lynn Harrell won the booby.

Ice cream and pineapple cake was served to the following seniors and a few friends: Iva Hord, Minton White, Lynn Harrell, Wallace Henshaw, Mattie Banner, Mabel Harrell, Hazel Winn, Kendrick Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bodkin spent several days in El Paso this week. Mr. Bodkin attended the safety meeting held there.

Mrs. George Chisholm and children have returned from San Angelo where they visited relatives the past two weeks.

Mrs. Murray Harrell and children, of El Paso, visited Mrs. Harrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carter, the past week.

Mrs. Julia McKee returned the first of the week from Rosita, Coahu, Mex., where she has spent the past several months visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Perner.

Miss Evelyn Gholson, who has been teaching at Evant, Texas, the past term came in the first of the week to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gholson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKee visited friends in El Paso this week. While there Mr. McKee attended the safety meeting.

Clark C. Gee left the first of the week for Big Lake, Texas, where he has a lucrative position in that city.

Misses Bethilda Eldridge, Sybil and Gussie Trotter, of Dryden, Texas, spent Saturday and Sunday here as the guest of Mrs. J. M. Turner.

Dr. A. D. Lloyd, world known geologist, who was here a short time ago making a geological survey of Terrell county, has completed his report which shows that the whole county has a great oil possibility.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Downie and children returned Thursday from a visit with friends and relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. T. E. Bryan and daughter, Dorothy, of Breckenridge, are visiting Mrs. Bryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bodkin. G. J. Henshaw made a business trip to Alpine this week.

We wish to take this means to thank all of the people that aided and supported us in our activities last Saturday afternoon.

THE BOY SCOUTS.

## CLOSING OF SCHOOL EXERCISES TO START SUNDAY, MAY 17

The closing of school exercises will start Sunday, May 17, when Rev. J. A. McMillan will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the seniors at the Presbyterian church at 8 p. m.

On Monday night, May 18, the 7th grade exercises will be held at the school auditorium at eight o'clock.

The graduation exercises will be held Wednesday night, May 20, at the school auditorium at eight-thirty o'clock. The four graduates are Ivy Hord, Minton White, Wallace Henshaw and Lynn Harrell.

## BIG REAL ESTATE DEAL CLOSED THIS WEEK

One of the largest cash sales that has been made in Sanderson for some time was closed this week when G. J. Henshaw sold the Elite Confectionery building and contents to W. J. Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson in turn sold the fixtures of the confectionery to M. A. Cavender, who will continue to run the Elite. Price paid was not made public.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mills and children left Wednesday morning terminating their residence here. Mrs. Mills and Lou Olive and Morgan went to Georgetown to spend the summer, while Mr. Mills returned to his ranch near Sanderson. Their many friends here regret their departure, and it is hoped that some day this estimable family will return to our midst.—The Brackett News-Mail.

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LATEST HAPPENINGS

News That Is News, When It Is News, For All.

STATE, NATIONAL, FOREIGN

Happenings the World Over of Important Events Condensed To Good Reading.

WASHINGTON NEWS

President Coolidge has been advised by Attorney General Sargent that there was no ground for the charge that the dismissal recently of three score government printing office employees had been illegally effected.

Secretary Work formally denied Friday reports that he will retire from the cabinet on July 1. "I am too busy to resign or even think of it," he said.

A proposal that a government commission be appointed to make an authoritative report on the whole question of active and potential cotton production both at Washington and abroad, will be considered at the thirtieth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at Washington, May 20 to 22. Cotton men from Texas and other states will attend.

The beef cattle industry of the United States seems at last definitely moving toward prosperity, the department of agriculture announced this week in a review of the situation.

STATE AND DOMESTIC NEWS

A gain of over \$5,000,000 in the intangible values of Texas railroads is indicated in the tentative valuations by the State tax board. Railroads have been given opportunity for hearing the latter part of this month, in cases where they contest the valuations, and it is not yet known whether there will be changes from the present figures.

Specific fire insurance schedules and key rates have been mailed to seven Texas towns by the state fire insurance commission. The towns and key rate follows: Bridgeport, 90 cents, no change; Frost, 95 cents, no change; Lytton Springs, \$1, no change; Maxwell, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Mount Selman, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Sunset, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Winchester, from 99 to 95 cents.

The city of Houston, Texas, now has \$5,375,000 of municipal bonds, authorized by the voters, but as yet unsold. All the bonds will be sold during the year and Houston's greatest program of municipal improvements will be in full swing before the close of 1925.

Automobiles caused 19,000 deaths and injuries to 450,000 persons in the United States in 1924.

One person was killed and four others were injured seriously, when a Beaumont-Port Arthur interurban car crashed into an automobile near Nederland, Texas, Sunday.

With the exception of the 1917-18 winter, Texas has just gone through the driest winter it has had in 31 years, according to the United States agricultural bureau. The 1917-18 winter had a 2.49-inch rainfall, and the 1924-25 winter had 9.20 inches. These figures are from October 1 to February 28.

Kansas will issue a call for 35,000 extra harvest hands this year, according to the estimate of the labor department of that state.

Final apportionment for this scholastic year of the available school fund was made Friday. It was announced by S. M. Maars, state superintendent of public instruction. The per capita apportionment was \$1, based on 1,321,900 scholastics in Texas. This makes a total of \$14 per capita apportioned this scholastic year.

FOREIGN NEWS

The Prince of Wales and his entourage arrive at Oudshoorn, South Africa, Friday, in the heart of what is known as the "featherland," so called because of the abundance of ostriches.

Soviet Russia's population is 84 per cent agricultural, according to a recent census. Soviet Russia is 515,000 square kilometers smaller than was czarist Russia, but its population is 133,927,000. Of this number 78 per cent live in European Russia.

The son born on May 1 to the Princess Yolanda, wife of Count Calvi di Bergiola, died Thursday at Pinerola, Italy.

The sales of the German Potash Syndicate for the first four months of 1925 totaled 580,000 tons. This is more than double the amount marketed during the same period last year.

Condemnation of the use of poison gas and prohibition of its exportation for war purposes is proposed in a new article of the draft convention offered by Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, heading the American delegation, at Friday's session of the international conference for the control of traffic in arms at Geneva.

Mischa Elman Marries San Francisco—Mischa Elman, noted violinist, and Miss Helen Frances Katten, local society girl, were married Wednesday.

Restriction of Immigration Nothing Less Than a Revolutionary Change

By PRESIDENT COOLIDGE, Address to D. A. R.

IN THE last few years we have entered on a new policy toward immigration. It is still rather experimental, but with every appearance of being likely to secure permanent acceptance. Restriction of immigration is nothing less than a revolutionary change from the older days, when we boasted that this country offered refuge and opportunity, liberty and security, to all who desired them.

The policy of restriction seemed necessary, in view of the certainty that unprecedented numbers would flow to us from Europe following the war; more than we could be sure of assimilating, more than the European countries could well spare.

Had there been no limitations, the number of newcomers among us in the last four years would probably have been several million greater. If we had been called upon to receive and place such a number it may well be doubted whether they would have found their condition here much better than it was in Europe. Certainly, our problem of helping adjust them to the new conditions and the hard competition of such a situation, would have been far more difficult.

Competent official authorities have estimated that 2,000,000 would have come in each of these four years, or over three times as many as did actually come. We may well doubt whether that would have been to the advantage of either them or the country.

The welfare of all the people will be promoted by a truly national life. In these last few years we have all realized as never before the need to bring about the spiritual unification of this great people. A hundred and ten million people, living together, may or may not constitute in the full sense a nation of a hundred and ten million. The war brought appreciation of this truth. We achieved our independence a century and a half ago. We confirmed our political union sixty years ago. We have all the time been struggling toward spiritual and moral unity.

To gain and perfect it, we need just such interests and activities as these to which the Daughters of the American Revolution are so sincerely devoted.

"So I Implore You Not to Join With the Women Pacifists Who Are—"

By ADMIRAL B. A. FISKE, Address to New England Women.

Virtually every normal man and woman abhors the very idea of war. But merely because we abhor war is no reason why we should not wish to be prepared, in case war should come.

During the last fifty years, and especially during the last five years, a large number of people, mostly women, have united themselves in peace societies of various kinds. Their avowed object is to promote the cause of peace. This object, of course, is laudable; but the means by which they are endeavoring to promote peace are far from practical, because they start from the false premise that preparing for war tends to cause war. Their main effect is to obstruct all efforts toward preparedness. Therefore, their main effort is to imperil the national security.

Nevertheless, the cause of preparedness has a very large popular support, mainly from men with healthy nerves who have read history carefully, and are familiar with the main facts of human nature. These men realize that wars always have existed, and that, as civilization has developed, the alternations of war and peace have followed each other with about the same degree of frequency, from age to age.

They have also realized that of all the ill effects of war, the worst effects have come to those who were unprepared for the war. For this reason, they say that if wars are bound to come, it is better to be prepared than unprepared.

Restrictions on Newspapers in Publishing What Is Public News?

By SENATOR J. A. REED, Argument Before Supreme Court.

The question is this: "Is there any power vested in congress to place restrictions on newspapers in publishing what is public news?" I say there is none.

Otherwise the Revolution was a failure and the adoption of the Constitution was a solemn farce. They still have a law in England forbidding the publishing of the proceedings of parliament, but that law is as dead as the blue laws of Connecticut, as dead as Julius Caesar. The censorship of the press was expelled from this country with the expulsion of George III. With him went all his prerogatives.

We contend that the freedom of the citizen is inseparable from freedom of conscience, of speech, of the press, and the right of peaceable assemblage. These are, in fact, but variations of one great natural right, inherent in man and inseparable from liberty. He who cannot think is but a beast. He who thinks and is forbidden to speak, is but a slave. If he be permitted to speak, then he must speak to somebody, hence the right of assemblage and discussion.

The right to write and to print is but an extension of the right of speech, for it is only one other means of communicating ideas by words. It is impossible to form any concept of liberty that does not embrace these great natural rights.

Whole Trend of Our American Life Is Toward Emotional Excitement

By PROF. M. V. O'SHEA, University of Wisconsin.

The whole trend of American life is toward emotional excitement and self-indulgence. We need greatly to develop self-restraint in the young, so that they can resist the appeal that is everywhere being made to self-indulgence.

The home has been almost completely merged with the general social body and is losing its distinctive character. The agencies in the city designated to help people to while away their time have been constantly increasing out of all proportion to the size of the cities. The Camp Fire Girls' program furnishes a most valuable offset to the tendencies in present-day life.

There is evidence that women and girls intend to adopt men's vices, drinking and smoking, in the belief that this is the best way to get the most out of life. Should this aim be followed, the whole spirit and character of American life will be injured thereby. Women enjoy a status here that is not accorded women in other lands. Our men defer to them and pay them tribute because of their personal attractiveness and accomplishments. It would be a simple thing for women to change all this by adopting a program seeking to secure mere physical sensations rather than intellectual attainments and alluring personal charm.

GENERAL FARM NEWS

(By S. C. Hoyle, Editor of Extension Service Publications, A. and M. College of Texas.)

Skim Milk.

When milk is separated with the cream separator it contains all the food value of whole milk except the fat. Average whole milk has 3.5 per cent protein, 4 per cent fat, 4.8 per cent sugar, seven per cent mineral and about 87 per cent water. Separation removes a portion of the milk into which most of the fat is crowded. Skim milk therefore is valuable both for the table and for stock feeding purposes. It is not necessary to use skim milk for table use because whole milk can be obtained on every farm and is more palatable and nourishing. The greatest uses of skim milk for table use will be when it is converted into cottage cheese or commercial butter-milk.

For making cottage cheese to get a uniform quality from day to day, a dairy thermometer is needed to know just to what temperature the milk is heated.

To make cottage cheese allow skim milk to sour and form a good firm curd. As soon as the curd is formed break the curd and heat to 90 or 100 degrees by putting the vessel containing the milk in a larger one containing hot water. Hold the curd in whey at 100 degrees until it begins to harden just a little, then pour into cheese cloth, strain to drain. It will drain in from three to five minutes. This way is preferable to the method of hanging the curd up to drain for several hours, as all during the draining time, acid is developing and the curd becomes too sour and is dry and corky and not of a good texture.

Cottage cheese is a dish very rich in protein, but lacking in carbohydrates as the sugar is lost in the whey in the process of making.

For feeding farm animals, skim milk finds its most valuable use in the feeding of laying hens. It furnishes the animal protein and a large part of the mineral needed by the hen for the manufacture of eggs. It is also valuable for calves and weaned pigs.

Cream Separation.

There are two ways of separating the cream from the milk. The cream separator and gravity separation.

The Cream Separator.—This is the most satisfactory method of separating, or skimming cream from the milk, because the separating can be done as soon as milk is drawn from the cow and only the cream will have to be cooled and the fresh skim milk can be used for the feeding of calves and other stock on the farm. The advantages of the cream separator are, that it takes practically all of the fat from the milk practically none being left in the skim milk. The cream is secured sweet and can be handled so as to make the highest quality of butter. The cream separator is to be recommended if three or more cows are milked.

Gravity Separation.—There are three methods of gravity separation: deep setting, shallow pan, and the dilution.

Deep Setting.—The deep setting system is the most satisfactory but one must have cold water. Cans about eight inches wide and twenty-four inches deep are filled with milk and set in cold water; the separation is quite complete, the cream can be obtained sweet, and the skim milk warmed and used for calf feeding.

Shallow Pan Method.—By this method the milk is set in shallow pans or earthen crocks and the cream allowed to rise. The objections to this method being that too much fat is lost in the skim milk, the cream is often too sour to make the best butter when skimmed, and the skim milk is not good for calf feeding.

Water Dilution.—The water dilution method is not to be recommended at all since the loss of fat in the skim milk is too great being nearly twice as great as by the shallow pan method.

Farm and Home Suggestions.

Heavy feeding and no exercise on Sunday is equally bad for horses and men.

Don't be afraid to try something new this year, but don't try it too hard.

Flowers bring more real joy in relation to the work spent on them than any other thing you plant.

Every housewife has a right to a good knife sharpener.

An onion boiled with the potatoes and put through the ricer when the potatoes are mashed is good seasoning for a favorite dish.

The consumption of milk in the United States has increased twenty-five per cent since 1920, but our per capita consumption is still lower than the principal dairy countries of Europe.

Insurance Key Rates Set

Austin, Texas.—Specific fire insurance schedules and key rates have been mailed to seven Texas towns by the State fire insurance commission. The towns and key rate follows: Bridgeport, 90 cents, no change; Frost, 95 cents, no change; Lytton Springs, \$1, no change; Maxwell, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Mount Selman, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Sunset, reduced from 99 to 95 cents; Winchester, from 99 to 95 cents.

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# SO BIG

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## "TEN DOLLARS!"

**SYNOPSIS.**—Introducing "So Big" (Dirk DeJong) in his infancy. And his mother, Selina DeJong, daughter of August Peake, gambler and gentleman of fortune. Her life, to young womanhood in Chicago in 1888, has been unconventional, somewhat seamy, but generally enjoyable. At school her chum is Julie Hempel, daughter of August Hempel, butcher. Selina is killed in a quarrel that is not his own, and Selina, nineteen years old and practically destitute, secures a position as teacher at the High Prairie school, in the outskirts of Chicago, living at the home of a truck farmer, Klaas Pool, in Roof, twelve years old, son of Klaas, Selina perceives a kindred spirit, a lover of beauty, like herself. Selina hears gossip concerning the affection of the "Widow Paarlberg," rich and good-looking, for Pervus DeJong, poor truck farmer, who is inaccessible to the widow's attractions. For a community "sociable" Selina prepares a lunch box, dainty, but not of ample proportions, which is to be "auctioned," according to custom. The smallness of the box excites derision and Selina is heartbroken.

## CHAPTER IV—Continued

Selina's cheeks matched her gown. Her eyes were wide and dark with the effort she was making to force back the hot haze threatening them. Why had she mounted this wretched soap box? Why had she come to this hideous party? Why had she come to High Prairie? Why? . . .

"Miss Selina Peake, that's who. Miss Selina Peake." A hundred hallooed faces pulled by a single cord turned toward her as she stood there on the box for all to see. They swam toward her. She put up a hand to push them back.

"What'm I bid! What'm I bid! What'm I bid for this here lovely little toothful, gents! Start her up!"

"Five cents!" piped up old Johannes Ambuhl, with a snicker. The tittering crowd broke into a guffaw. Selina was conscious of a little sick feeling at the pit of her stomach. Through the haze she saw the widow's face, no longer sulky, but smiling now. She saw Roelf's dear dark head. His face was set, like a man's. He was coming toward her, or trying to, but the crowd wedged him in, small as he was among those great box heads. She lost sight of him. How hot it was! How hot! An arm at her waist. Someone had mounted the little box and stood teetering there beside her, pressed against her slightly, reassuringly. Pervus DeJong. Her head was on a level with the doorway, on the soap box, for all High Prairie to see.

"Five cents I'm bid for this lovely little mouthful put up by the school teacher's own fair hands. Five cents! Five—"

"One dollar!" Pervus DeJong.

The hallooed faces were suddenly punctured with holes. High Prairie's jaw dropped with astonishment. Its mouth stood open.

There was nothing plain about Selina now. Her dark hair was held high, and his hair beside it made a vivid foil. The purchase of the wine-colored cashmere was at last justified.

"And ten!" cackled old Johannes Ambuhl, his rheumy eyes on Selina.

Art and human spitefulness struggled visibly for mastery in Adam Ooms' face—and art won. The auctioneer triumphed over the man. The term "crowd psychology" was unknown to him, but he was artist enough to sense that some curious magic process, working through this roomful of people, had transformed the little white box, from a thing despised and ridiculed, into an object of beauty, of value, of infinite desirability. He now eyed it in a catalogue of admiration.

"One-ten I'm bid for this box all tied with a ribbon to match the gown of the girl who brought it. Gents, you get the ribbon, the lunch, and the girl. And only one-ten bid for all that. Gents! Remember, it ain't only a lunch—it's a picture. It pleases the eye. Do I hear one—"

"Five bids!" Harold DeRoos, of Low Prairie, in the lists. A strapping young Dutchman, the Brom Bones of the district. He drove to the Haymarket with his load of produce and played cards all night on the wagon under the gas torches while the street girls of the neighborhood assailed him in vain. Six feet three, his red face shone now like a harvest moon above the crowd. A merry, mischievous eye that laughed at Pervus DeJong and his dollar bid.

"Dollar and a half!" A high clear voice—a boy's voice. Roelf.

"Oh, no!" said Selina aloud. But she was unheard in the gabble. Roelf had once confided to her that he had saved three dollars and fifty cents in the last three years. Five dollars

on account it's winter, I could start you the fire. Till spring. And I could come maybe three times a week, evenings, to Pool's place, for lessons." He looked so helpless, so humble, so huge; and the more pathetic for his hugeness.

She felt a little rush of warmth toward him that was at once impersonal and maternal. She thought again, "Why, the dear thing! The great helpless big thing! How serious he is! And funny." She laughed, and he, after a puzzled pause, joined her companionably.

"Three evenings a week," repeated Selina, then, from the depths of her ignorance. "Why, I'd love to, I'd love to."

## Chapter V

The evenings turned out to be Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Supper was over by six-thirty in the Pool household. Pervus was there by seven, very clean as to shirt, his hair brushed till it shone; shy, and given to dropping his hat and bumping against chairs, and looking solemn. Selina was torn between pity and mirth. If only he had blustered. A blustering big man puts the world on the defensive. A gentle giant disarms it.

Selina got out her McBride's grammar and Pervus's arithmetic, and together they started to parse verbs, paper walls, dig cisterns, and extract square roots. They found study impossible at the oilcloth-covered kitchen table, with the Pool household eddying about it. Jakob built a fire in the parlor stove and there they sat, teacher and pupil, their feet resting cozily on the gleaming nickel railing that encircled the wood burner.

On the evening of the first lesson Roelf had glowered throughout supper and had disappeared into the work shed, whence issued a great sound of hammering, sawing, and general clatter. He and Selina had got into the way of spending much time together, in or out of doors. The boy worshiped her inarticulately. She had only discovered that he had a feeling for beauty—beauty of line, texture, color, and grouping—that was rare in one of his years. The feel of a satin ribbon in his fingers; the orange and rose of a sunset; the folds of the wine-red cashmere dress; the cadence of a spoken line, brought a look to his face that startled her.

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## Four of Most Prominent Men in Baseball Game



Four of the best-known men in baseball. Left to right—Kenesaw Mountain Landis, baseball high chief; Walter Johnson, Washington pitcher; John J. McGraw, of the Giants; Clark Griffith, owner of the world champion Washingtons, photographed before the baseball teams started North.

## Miller Huggins Sees

### Three Teams in Race

Miller Huggins of the New York Yankees comes out with a prediction as to the 1925 American league race. "The Yankees, Senators and Tigers will fight it out for the pennant," says Huggins. "Those three teams outclass the field. The team in those three that gets the best pitching will win. The Athletics have been improved, but I do not think they have the necessary strength in the infield. The Browns, White Sox, Cleveland and Red Sox all lack pitching power, it seems to me. Washington has all the pitching strength of last season and a little more. The Tigers have also improved in the box. I believe we will be stronger, too. It ought to be a great race."

## HEYDLER PREDICTS

### 1925 BEST SEASON

### National League Prexy Sees

### Close Race for

### Flag.

John A. Heydler, president of the National league, predicted that the 1925 season, marking the league's 25th anniversary, will be the "greatest season of all."

"Our jubilee year," he said, "not only will start with the promise of greatly



President John A. Heydler.

improved and more evenly balanced clubs, but with the personnel of those eight clubs in the best of physical condition. Aside from injuries to Chicago players the teams as a whole are more skillfully trained and better ready for a hard fight than they have ever been before.

"I am told that a fine spirit prevails among our clubs, and that our managers are unusually optimistic and enthusiastic over their respective chances. For the first time, the prize money for final positions in the race will include the fourth-place club. Added stimulation for the individual player also is insured by the league's golden gift to the player who proves himself most valuable to his club by all-round service on the diamond.

"The national game has prospered and gained ground with every year since the World war, and has continued to rightfully enlist and hold the confidence of our ever-increasing number of sport-loving people. I look forward, therefore, with high hopes to the opening day of what I confidently believe will prove the greatest season of all."

## BASEBALL SQUIBS

It is possible to enjoy baseball by radio, but fishing is different.

Phil Hedgood, big right-handed pitcher, has been unconditionally released by the Cleveland Indians.

Jimmy Ring of the Phillies was the "wild man" of the National league last season, walking 105 batters.

Dickie Kerr, former Chicago White Sox pitcher, will play with the South Bend semi-professionals this year.

Outfielder Bill Cunningham has been released by the Boston Braves to Sacramento of the Pacific Coast league.

A man in Evansville named his horse "White Sox" because it had four white feet and a star on its forehead.

Charley Hollocher, slick shortstop of the Chicago Cubs, does not yet feel able to take up active baseball playing.

Nig Clarke, oldest player in the game in point of actual service, has been signed by Tulsa of the Western league.

Jimmy McAuley is a turn-around hitter. Therefore, the Beas have only two regular left hand batters—Heathcote and Grimm.

Dubouque of the Mississippi Valley league, has signed Claude Wilharm, a youngster from Sumner, Iowa, as a first-base candidate.

Louisville has sent Jack Walsh, former college catcher, to Chattanooga of the Southern league, on option. Experience is all he needs.

Arnold Stutz has been pounding the ball fairly well of late. One reason for this is the fact that he is not trying to hit to right field.

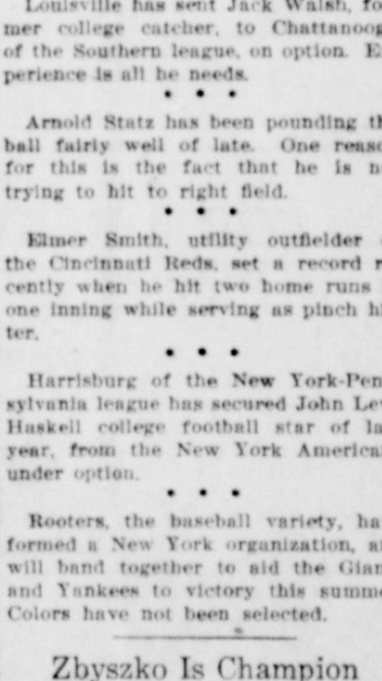
Elmer Smith, utility outfielder of the Cincinnati Reds, set a record recently when he hit two home runs in one inning while serving as pinch hitter.

Harrisburg of the New York-Pennsylvania league has secured John Levi, Haskell college football star of last year, from the New York Americans under option.

Rooters, the baseball variety, have formed a New York organization, and will band together to aid the Giants and Yankees to victory this summer. Colors have not been selected.

## Zbyszko Is Champion

Stanislaus Zbyszko of New York, at the age of fifty-six, again became the world's heavyweight wrestling champion by pinning Wayne ("Big") Munn in two straight falls at Philadelphia. Zbyszko scored the first fall in 8 minutes 11 seconds with a forearm hold and the second in 4 minutes 53 seconds, with a forearm and hammerlock.



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## ONE-BASE HITS

(BY JACK SIMPSON)

### Infield Fly Rule.

For some unaccountable reason the majority of ball players have never read a rule book, being content to learn the rulings on the more difficult plays by their actual performance, although their ignorance of the rules is rather costly at times.

Many a close game has been lost by a player not knowing what to do when a certain play arose with him on base, completely ignorant and at the mercy of the opposition. One of the most common of these situations arises over the players not knowing the infield fly rule. Say, for example, a runner is on first and one on second base with none out. The batter pops an infield fly to the shortstop which he drops. The man on second, if not acquainted with the rules, will immediately dash for third base only to be tagged out and a double play made where only one out would have been known the rule.

This leaves two out and first base, where we started. This is only one of many plays in baseball that can be traced directly to a player not understanding one of the most important rules.

The correct play for the above situation would have been for the base runners to hold their bases, as the batter was automatically out when he hit the infield fly, regardless of whether the ball was caught or not. This rule was made to protect the baserunners, so that the infielder couldn't trap the ball and make a double play, but not knowing what to do, he thought he was forced to go to third base and was easily caught.

The rule is very simple on this play and reads as follows:

"With less than two down and runners on first and second or first, second and third, the batter hits a fair fly, other than a line drive or attempted bunt that resulted in a fly, that can be successfully handled by an infielder, he (the batter) is automatically out whether the ball is caught or not."

It will be noted the above rule applies only when there is none or one out and men at first and second, or first, second and third. At no other time is it in effect.

## Sport Notes

California now has 50 licensed boxing clubs.

Fifty million golf balls are manufactured in the United States annually.

Johnny Kelleher, formerly of the Cubs and Boston, is now the regular shortstop for Kansas City.

George Blachoff will lead the College of the City of New York wrestlers in the season of 1925-26.

There are 15 large football fields in Vienna, the largest having accommodations for 75,000 spectators.

A new sport palace is to be built in Munich, Germany, with a seating capacity of 14,700 and room for 5,000 standees.

There are three directors and fourteen coaches of various sports conducted at the United States Naval academy.

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Well, it looks as if Pervus was the man. Who does the proposing—Pervus or Selina?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## Bad People Not So Pleasant

I have heard all my days warning of bad men and women, but know few; and I have reached three-score and ten. I have traveled far, and haven't much farther to go, but upon my honor the rarest thing I know is a completely bad man or woman.—E. W. Howe, the Atchison Globe Man, in Outlook.



WHAT'S THE USE

By L. F. Van Zeln



So They Stayed at Home



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The Clancy Kids  
He Knows His Dad  
By PERCY L. CROSBY



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Yosemite National park is going to have a museum for its tourists, where specimens and other exhibits from the park will be on view.

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**By Way of a Kittyclism**

By DUFORD JENNE

(By 1925, Western Newspaper Union.)

TESS, on her way to the kitchen—the boarders had the run of Mrs. McCarthy's house—almost fell over him. She staggered to her feet, and he did the same, and the kitten, with which he had been playing, made tracks for the hall.

"That was almost a cataclysm," he said, with a quick smile.

She had time to note that his eyes were a clear, deep brown. "Or a kittyclism," she added.

Mrs. McCarthy, busy in her kitchen, looked up with a smile as Tess entered. "Hello, Mischief, you look as if you had something on your mind!"

"I have, Mother Mac. I have just seen a slim, handsome, young man with the eyes of a poet. You better make way with him or I may fall in love with him. I almost fell onto him as it is."

"Mother Mac" chuckled. "But don't you go to falling in love with him, dearie. He's looked up."

"Hooked up—meaning?"

"Stupid, he's engaged to the girl who took the alcove room. They are to be married soon."

"I knew it! It's always that way!"

"Hush, child, what a way to talk!"

"You wait till the next one comes along, and see what happens to him. Say, I'd like to see her!"

Tess did see the lucky girl that evening. Her name was Evelyn Harms, and Tess had to admit she was a worthy mate for the brown-eyed "poet"—only it turned out that he was not a poet, but a musician. Tess also discovered that he and his betrothed had known each other only a month.

Attractive as Evelyn was in form and feature, she did not appeal in one way to Tess, whose warm, impulsive, fun-loving heart reacted like a thermometer to the moods of others—one reason why she was making a great success as a registered nurse. There was a little, cold, calculating air about Evelyn that depressed Tess.

"The Poet" became Arkley Chandler by name, and to Tess much more than a name, for he discovered that she liked the foolish songs he liked; and the two of them spent cheerful minutes at Mrs. McCarthy's piano.

Then, suddenly, quietly, on silent feet trouble came. Tess had been away on a case for a week. When she returned, she found that Arkley was ill in his room with a cold and that Evelyn was almost ill herself. And then, to top all, that first evening, the heavy cold developed into pneumonia.

When Tess found that no nurse had been engaged, she went up to the room and offered her services to Evelyn, who accepted them eagerly.

There Tess changed from her gay, impulsive self into the quiet, trained worker, and during those long hours, the first heart-ache she had ever known developed.

She often watched him as he lay in the deep trance of the fever, and once she confessed to herself—"Dear Lad with the merry heart and the singing soul, I hope we can keep you here for her—though I wish you were staying for me!"

The delirium grew and waned as the crisis passed. The doctor said he would live, but it would be days before he was himself, probably.

On one of the days when he lay unconscious and Tess was keeping close watch, Evelyn came in, her eyes hard and dark.

"Miss Lane, I don't know what to do. I supposed he was well paid at the store, and had funds to pay all these bills; but they told me that his salary was really low; and—I hate to take my money to pay—"

"What?" Tess gasped.

"I know how it seems to you, but I supposed he had money enough to take care of us both—and he hasn't."

"Why, Evelyn, that is the fine thing about it! Just you two in the great city! You love each other, and that means that one can look out for the other. Think how terrible it is to be ill, and not a soul caring whether you live or die. Your money can help him now; and then, if you are ill, he can help you. Don't you see? You wouldn't desert him now? That simply can't be what you mean!"

"Er—no—of course not," she answered, looking at the white, still handsome face on the pillow. "I am disappointed in finding out the truth about his financial affairs."

She went out abruptly, and Tess stared after her. "So that's what love means to you. To have nice things, be comfortable, have money to spend; and he will never know just what—"

She turned to the bed and started, with a little cry. Had he become conscious while they were talking, and kept still?

She went swiftly to the bedside and leaned over him.

"I heard what—she said," he whispered faintly. "You—two." He paused as if to summon strength or courage.

"Tess—I'm glad. Ever since—since the—kittyclism—I've thought of you. His voice became stronger. "Do you suppose you could learn to—love me? There's money—lots of it—my people are wealthy—but I wanted to make good without help—you see—do you suppose?"

She knelt beside him and put her cool, soft, fragrant cheek on his. "Laddie, it isn't the money, I've learned, too. I love you. Now hush—and sleep!"

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**Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale**

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

**ONE-EYED SPONGE**

Little Eugene, as you may remember, loved to sleep. In that way he was different from many children, for while everyone likes to sleep some of the time little Eugene always enjoyed going to bed.

He simply loved to sleep. He liked to take a nap, too. He went to sleep very quickly.

Sometimes he would be speaking and in the middle of a sentence he would stop and you would find that he had gone to sleep.

Not only that, but sometimes he would go to sleep before he had finished a word.

For example, he might be saying: "I hope it will be a fine day tomorrow so I can go swimming," and he would leave the word swimming right in the middle.

Or perhaps he would not even get that far but would say: "I hope it will be a fine day tomorrow—" and before you knew it he was snoring!

Now little Eugene owned a sponge which was made of rubber but in shape to look like a little man. Around the rubber sponge man's waist was a belt of white rubber, and he had white rubber eyes with large blue pupils—also of rubber.

When Eugene took his bath he used this sponge.

One night Eugene fell asleep in his bath which was a very dangerous thing to do and he was told that he must never, never, never allow himself to do that. He had been discovered before any harm had come. When he was taking his bath he must take it and not lean back against the back of the tub to do so.

He must do nothing but take his bath when it was bath time.

Of course he was so fond of sleep he would sometimes try to get out of taking his bath.

Not that he didn't like to be clean. But sometimes he didn't think it mattered if he missed a night or maybe two, or even three, or possibly—I hate to say it—four.

That didn't happen often but quite often it was two and very often one that he missed.

He used to think how much nicer it was to go right to bed and curl his hands under his chin and sleep and sleep.

When he would simply wash his hands and face and not pay any attention the little rubber sponge would look at him out of its rubber eyes, a really very sad look.

"You don't mean to say you're going to leave me alone tonight," those eyes would seem to say.

Eugene couldn't stand the look the rubber sponge man gave him.

He didn't want to hurt the rubber sponge man for that would spoil his looks.

He wouldn't be so nice without his eyes and his belt.

His eyes were the most important part of him, though of course he had arms and a body shaped to look like real arms and a real body, although it was all a part of the sponge.

But the eyes were the main part of the rubber sponge man.

Still those eyes did look at Eugene so when he didn't take a bath.

He decided he would take out just one eye. So he pulled one eye from the rubber sponge man.

But the next night that one eye stared at him just as hard as the two had done before.

Eugene simply had to take a bath. He couldn't stand that look.

He would hurry through his bath and not take so long over it, but when he only did his neck in a very half-hearted fashion the eye somehow seemed to be looking at him.

"You didn't do that very well, and here I am to help you," the eye seemed to say.

So Eugene would do it much better.

The eye seemed to stare at him in just this way to make him wash properly.

"Really," said "You're a Bath Master."

Eugene to the one-eyed rubber sponge man, "you're not a bath master but you're a bath master, that's what you are."

And the one-eyed sponge man seemed to wink very quickly, just once, for in another second it was the same steady eye as before.

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**Taken Too Lightly**

There were 22,000 persons killed and 700,000 injured on American highways last year, 85 per cent of these accidents being due to the automobile.

"The road hog is too leniently treated," said Secretary Hoover, in a discussion of traffic conditions at a banquet. "We take his crimes in too light a manner."

"A road hog in a crimson racer upset Smith, and then came back to see if he was dead."

"Are you dead, man?" he yelled.

"Smith answered with a gay laugh from the ditch where he lay with a broken leg:

"Oh, no, not dead, dear boy—only run down."

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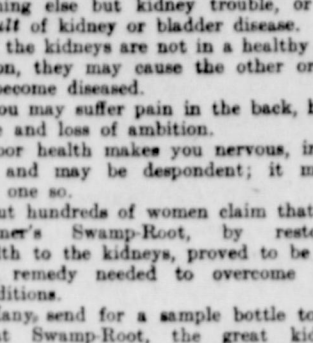
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### IN THE MATTER OF THE QUARTERLY REPORT Of Frank K. Harrell Treasurer, Terrell County, Texas.

In the Commissioners' Court, Terrell County, May Term, 1925  
On this 11th day of May, A. D. 1925, in Regular Quarterly Session of the Commissioners' Court of Terrell County, Texas, came on for examination the Quarterly Report of Frank K. Harrell, Treasurer of Terrell County, Texas, for the Quarter beginning on the 31st day of January A. D. 1925 and ending on the 30th day of April A. D. 1925, filed herein on the 7th day of May A. D. 1925, and the same having been compared and examined by the Court and found to be correct, It is Therefore Ordered by the Court that the same be and is hereby approved; and it appearing to the Court that during said time the said County Treasurer had received for account and credit of, and paid out of each of the several County funds, the amounts set forth, and leaving balance to each of said funds as follows, to-wit:

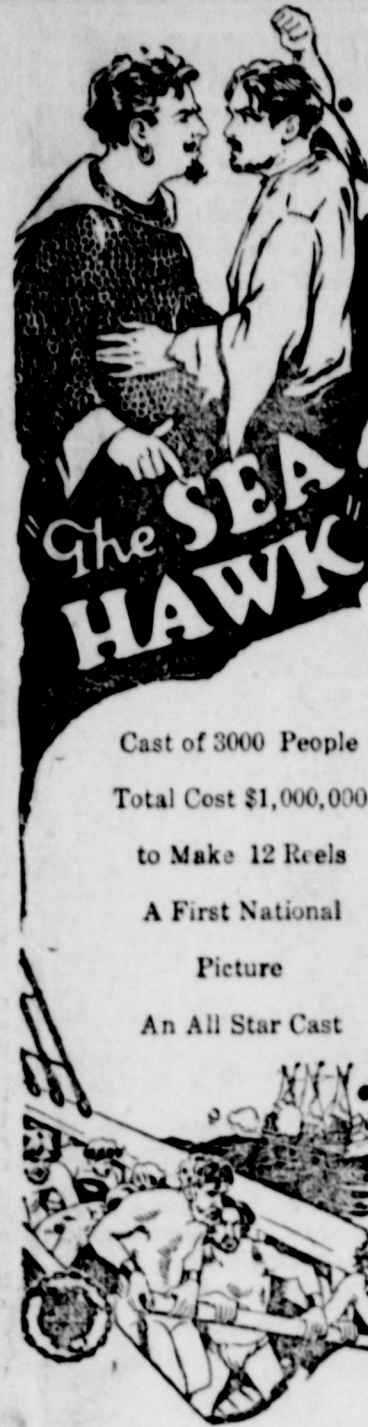
Amount balance to credit of the Jury Fund as per last report	272.89
Amount received during the quarter	20.43
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	293.26
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	187.06
Leaving and showing to credit of said Jury Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	\$106.20
Amount balance to credit of the Road and Bridge Fund as per last report	1004.21
Amount received during the quarter	5680.12
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	6684.33
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	3358.43
Leaving and showing to credit of said R. and B. Fund, on April 30, 1925, a balance of	3315.90
Amount balance to credit of the General Fund as per last report	11228.41
Amount received during the quarter	9378.11
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	20606.52
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	3154.15
Leaving and showing to credit of said General Fund, on April 30, 1925, a balance of	17452.37
Amount balance to credit of the Court-house and Jail Fund, as per last report	3082.34
Amount received during the quarter	5436.62
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	8519.95
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	2951.37
Leaving and showing to credit of said Courthouse and Jail Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	5568.59
Amount balance to credit of the Highway Fund as per last report	1111.71
Amount received during the quarter	769.52
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	1881.23
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	19.24
Leaving and showing to credit of said Highway Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	1861.99
Amount balance to credit of the Sinking Fund as per last report	255.66
Amount received during the quarter	2500.00
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	2755.66
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	2624.00
Leaving and showing to credit of said Sinking Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	131.66
Amount balance to credit of the Available Road Fund, as per last report	74177.24
Amount received during the quarter	469.87
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	74647.11
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	46276.55
Leaving and showing to credit of Available Road Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	28370.56
Amount balance to credit of the Available Road Sinking Fund as per last report	15106.09
Amount received during the quarter	18191.36
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	33297.45
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	15544.02
Leaving and showing to credit of Available Road Sinking Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	17753.43
Amount balance to credit of Spl. Avail. Road Escrow Sec. B Fund as per last report	36401.17
Amount received during the quarter	11463.70
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	47864.87
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	41926.64
Leaving and showing to credit of Spl. Avail. Road Escrow Sec. B on April 30, 1925, a balance of	5938.23
Amount balance to credit of Spl. Avail. Road Escrow Sec. C Fund as per last report	12462.96
Amount received during the quarter	46096.19
Total "Cr." as shown by current report	58559.15
Amount paid out and disbursed during the quarter	23884.67
Leaving and showing to credit of Spl. Avail. Road Escrow Sec. C Fund on April 30, 1925, a balance of	34674.48

And the said amounts were received and paid out of each of the respective funds since the filing of the preceding Quarterly Report of said County Treasurer, and during the period above stated, and that the said separate amounts as therein shown are correct. It is Therefore Further Ordered by the Court, that the said detailed report be, and the same is hereby, in all things approved, and the Clerk of this Court is hereby ordered to enter the said report, together with this order, upon the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Terrell County, Texas, and that the proper credits be made in the accounts of the said County Treasurer in accordance with Witness our hands, this 11th day of May A. D. 1925.

G. J. HENSHAW, County Judge.

W. A. COCHRAN, Commissioner Prec. No. 1.

W. C. DUNLAP, Commissioner, Prec. No. 4.



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