

DECLARES PUBLIC SHOULD NOT HAVE TO PAY HIGH RATE

ARGUMENT MADE BEFORE RAIL LABOR BOARD ON WAGE QUESTION

INSIST A REDUCTION IN PAY IS NECESSARY

Claim Prosperity of Workers is Interfering With Success of Roads

CHICAGO, March 9.—The public generally, including wage earners in other industries, should not be called upon to pay transportation charges based on an inordinately high level of railroad wages, John G. Walber, executive secretary of the bureau of information for the eastern railroads, said today before the United States railroad labor board, which is considering the petition for wage reductions.

It was natural, he said, that the manufacturers and other representatives of the shipping industry should feel that as their industries had been undergoing the process of readjustment and as the railroad industry was still operating from the basis of war-time costs, plus the increase in the cost of their labor resulting from decisions of the labor board, that corresponding reductions in the rates of the railroads were essential to the readjustment.

The interests of the employees, he said, "are not opposed to the interests of the railroads I represent. The prosperity of these workers is interwoven with and dependent upon the success of the railroad business itself. So long as wages must be maintained upon a wartime level the railroads will be prevented from adjusting their conditions to the peace time basis and if their incomes are absorbed by such wartime scales of pay, it necessarily follows that corresponding reductions must be made in the working forces.

"We submit that it is to the greater interest of the railroads and the public in general, that the employees be placed upon a basis providing employment for the greatest numbers, increasing the consuming public and in that way contributing to the general revival of business.

"Although the reduction in the cost of living from May 1, 1920, to July 1, 1921, was approximately 30 per cent as indicated by governmental and other statistics, yet the railroads have not reduced their rates of pay approximately 11 per cent."

Ordinary unskilled labor, according to the exhibit he showed of 20,000 such employees in outside industries, only 375 received rates of pay equivalent to the index. The prevailing rate of 41 cents an hour paid by the railroads and the average rate for these outside industries was 18 cents an hour. Excess of pay among skilled workmen employed outside and employed by the railroads showed similar proportions.

ONE-THIRD OF WORKING FORCES OF THE FIRMS IN HOUSTON ARE SICK

HOUSTON, March 9.—One-third of the working forces of different establishments in Houston are on the sick list today or just recovering from it, reports the health officer.

The city health officer shows no report of any unusual illness and no formal reports of influenza, and is characterizing the general sickness as a mild form of old-fashioned grippe.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE SUPREME COURT

AUSTIN, March 9.—The following proceedings were had in the supreme court:

Applications granted: Magouin vs. Williams et al.; Wood county vs. Gordon vs. Duster; E. S. Lee vs. National Bank of Mission; Hidalgo; Commonwealth Bank and Trust Company vs. Aitght; Baxar; City National Bank of Temple vs. Diesel; Mineral Company, Bell; Wade vs. Home Life and Accident Company; Jefferson; Minchew vs. Hanning et al.; Childers et al. Denied: Philadelphia Underwriters Agency of the Fire Insurance Association of Philadelphia et al. vs. DeLoe et al.; Wichita; El Parte Gonzalez, habes corpus, relator discharged.

Motions for rehearing of cases overruled: McCardell et al. vs. Lee; Liberty; Barnett vs. Eureka Paving Company; Harris; Walker vs. Hirsch Co-operative Company, Harris.

Motions for application of application overruled: Morrow, adms. vs. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co.; Potter; Hawley vs. Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co.; Potter; Elmora et al. vs. Ade C. R. Ry. et al.; Harris; Harris vs. Hanning et al.; Sabine; Jones vs. Jones et al.; Collins; Heister et al. vs. J. Heister; Mendis vs. City of Dallas; et al. Navarro; Wolcott Co. vs. Citizens Bank of Fort Valley, Ga.; et al. Smith; Tysart et al. vs. Hushinger, Executors; Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. Co. vs. Hawley, Potter.

Motion to dismiss application overruled; Sweet et al. vs. Berry, Wheeler.

Motion for rehearing granted; Griffin vs. Palatine Insurance Co. et al.; Potter.

The following cases were decided yesterday by the supreme court on reports of the commission of appeals:

On rehearing granted: Judgment of the court of civil appeals affirmed and cause remanded to the district court for new trial; Griffin vs. Palatine Insurance Co. et al.; Potter.

Judgment of the court of civil appeals affirmed as between plaintiff in error and Mrs. Mattie C. Patton, and judgment of the court of civil appeals affirmed as between plaintiff in error and J. H. Patton and wife and Fay Patton Cox and husband in reversed, and as between them and the judgment of the district court is affirmed. Judgment for plaintiff in error for all costs of appeal and of writ of error.

Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. vs. Patton et al.; Stephen.

HUGE INTERNATIONAL KIDNAPING PLOT IS BELIEVED UNCOVERED

SAN ANTONIO, March 9.—What is believed to be a huge international kidnaping plot has been reported uncovered in the investigation of two cases here by state and federal agencies.

The first case was that of C. E. Courtwright and L. J. Vellet of Houston, who were arrested on an alleged kidnaping charge from this city and rushed across the Mexican border near Laredo. They were imprisoned in Mexico on trumped up charges and held for ransom, according to reports. After being transferred from one Mexican prison to another, they finally succeeded in sawing their way out of prison and came back to this country.

Another case is the reported "rustication of an attempt to kidnap Gen. Francisco "orgua, living near here. One of the plotters disclosed the plan to Murguia and guards were thrown about his place, reports say.

Following an investigation for the last six days, it is not believed, according to reports here, that the work is that of an organized band and a certain political significance is attributed to the work of the plotters. No arrests have been made, but investigation is being made on both sides of the border.

REPORTS TAKE UP FIRST DAY OF THE REFINERS MEETING

NEW ORLEANS, March 9.—Committee and officers' reports occupied the first session here yesterday of delegates to the annual convention of Western Petroleum Refiners' association.

President W. D. Richardson of the association stated the aims of the meeting are the reduction of freight rates, standardization of tests of petroleum products and a tariff protection on the importation of Mexican crude oil.

Delegates representing the mid-continental oil fields, including Kansas, Oklahoma, North Texas, Louisiana and other states, were in attendance.

W. H. Gray, president of the National Association of Independent Oil Producers, pointed out the lack of cooperation between the independent producer and refiner and declared the lack of a tariff check on Mexican crude products threatens to paralyze the American industry.

Trained Nurse Is Traveling 1,700 Miles to Marry

ANCHORAGE, ALASKA, March 9.—Miss Mary Conley, a trained nurse, formerly of Anaconda, Mont., is traveling 1,700 miles, 700 miles of the distance by dog team, on her way from Akiaik in the Kuskowina county, to Juneau, where in April she will wed Carl Thiele, acting governor of Alaska. Mr. Thiele is executive in the absence of Governor Bone, who is in Washington.

MAN KILLED IN AN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

Vibration of Train Knecks Him From Bridge to River 50 Feet Below.

DENISON, TEXAS, March 9.—A man whose name is apparently Frank Bonner, about 44 years old, is dead here today, as a result of an unusual railroad accident. Bonner, who was walking across the M. K. and T. railroad bridge over Red river last yesterday afternoon, laid down beside the track when a fast passenger train approached from the north, while Bonner was still on the bridge. The vibration is believed to have shaken the man off.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY HAS FIGHT WITH WALL STREET; WOULD CONTROL BROKERS

NEW YORK, March 9.—District Attorney Hanton said last night that "a fight with Wall Street" had developed through his efforts to obtain legislation placing stock brokers under state supervision and that he would carry it to the limit.

"Why should brokers be so sacredly protected?" he asked. "Why should they not be subjected to the same kind of supervision as are bankers?"

CHARGE COMPANY APPLIED \$100,000 TO PAST DIVIDENDS

DALLAS, March 9.—The Dallas Railway company must show cause why street car fares should not be lowered to five cents. The city commission, on the initiative of Mayor R. E. Aldredge, yesterday ordered traction officials to appear April 6 and show why a six cent fare is necessary. The action was taken upon charges that the company has applied \$100,000 earned above its authorized seven per cent return to past unearned dividends instead of using the money in improvements and extensions of service as promised when the six cent rate was granted two years ago.

DECLARE STRIKE AGAINST VESSELS OWNED BY THE MEXICAN STEAMSHIP CO.

VERA CRUZ, March 9.—A strike of ship officers has been declared against vessels owned by the Mexican Steamship company, which is controlled by the Mexican government.

WHITE ROBED RIDERS ORDER ROOMING HOUSE PROPRIETRESS TO LEAVE

FRESNO, CAL., March 9.—The first woman to be selected for warning by the white robed night riders who have been active in the oil district for the last few weeks is Mrs. Mary Harra, 35, proprietress of a rooming house, according to a story printed today in the Fresno Republican.

KNIFE SAVES LIFE OF CHILD WITH A PEANUT LODGED IN WINDPIPE

CINCINNATI, March 9.—Surgery with a pen knife yesterday saved the life of John Washington, two, who was taken to a Cincinnati hospital with a peanut lodged in his windpipe, causing strangulation.

Bridegroom Stages a Fake Holdup to Convince His Wife

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Harold Craig, 23 years old, bridegroom of four months, before his marriage told his sweetheart he soon was to become heir to \$20,000.

Recently he told of an approaching payment of \$2,500 on the legacy. Tuesday afternoon he staggered into his Mill Valley home. There was a ragged bullet wound in his right shoulder. He said that he had been shot by a highwayman, who took a \$75 diamond ring and \$1,500 in cash.

DR. MAYO AND PARTY OF PHYSICIANS IN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, March 9.—Arrival of Dr. William J. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., here today revived rumors that President Obregon must submit to an operation on his right arm which was never completely healed since he was injured in the battle of Celaya in 1911.

RESINOL Soothing and Healing For Cuts, Burns, Scalds

SUCH PAINS AS THIS WOMAN HAD I've Months could not turn in Bed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Finally Restored Health

Seattle, Washington. "I had dragging pains first and could not stand on my feet, then I had chills and fever and could not sleep, I was this way for over two months, trying everything any one told me, until my sister brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it regularly until all the hard pains had left me and I was able to be up and to do my work again. The hard lump in my side and I feel splendid in all ways. I know of many women it has helped."—Mrs. G. RICHARDSON, 4640 Orcus St., Seattle, Wash.

This is another case where Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought results after "everything" had failed.

If you are suffering from pain, nervousness and are always tired; if you are low spirited and good for nothing, take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Kiwanis Clubs in Chicago to Pledge Service on Juries

CHICAGO, March 9.—A movement has been instituted among the various Kiwanis clubs of Chicago. It became known today, to obtain pledges from every member to serve on a federal, state or county jury if called for service. The action was started when members of the North Shore Kiwanis club made such a pledge.

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FRIDAY SPECIAL Men's Ties Cleaned and Pressed 718 Tenth AMERICAN DRY CLEANERS Phone 5191 Suits Cleaned and Pressed. Phone 5190

Four of Saul's Best Shoe Men Have Undergone A Serious Operation Nobody Was Hurt Except That Every Pair of Men's Shoes Was Cut in Price Come and See for Yourself

March Is the Month of Home Sewing Our piece goods department needs no introduction and large shipments of new dress goods arriving daily. Home sewing is made easy with the new McCALL PRINTED PATTERNS

Dresses Made the New McCall Way Always Fit Sleeves go right, "yokes set well" and seams need no "taking in" or "letting out" when the material is cut right in the

Until now, you couldn't be sure that you were cutting your dress right, for old-style patterns varied more or less. But McCall's improved pattern is "printed" so that it can not change a fraction of an inch.

Now you can cut the most expensive material and know that the dress will go together right, because you are practically cutting by the designer's original pattern which is called the Master Pattern.

This means a wonderful new simplicity in dressmaking—and a more successful effect in dresses.

McCall Fashion Sheets for April are here. Come and get your copy free, or give us your name and address and we will mail you one.

SAUL'S STORE Wichita Falls' Foremost Cash Dept. Store

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Highly Concentrated Vitamins Tonic MONEY BACK GUARANTEE—Ironized Yeast is sold at all drug stores on a positive guarantee that the first package will bring satisfactory results—or your money instantly refunded.

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The Ironized Yeast Co. is Atlanta, Ga., Dept. 381. Please send me the famous THREE DAY FREE TRIAL TREATMENT of Ironized Yeast.

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LARGE BODY OF MOORS ATTACK SPANISH POSTS

MADRID, March 8.—An official dispatch from Melilla says a large body of Moors attacked the Spanish advanced posts at Dardaris Wednesday morning. The tribesmen were repulsed, but returned to the fray in the afternoon and the fighting continued two hours when the Moors were finally repulsed with losses.

Paris Garters advertisement. Includes logo for Paris Garters, text: "Paris Garters work for you 16 hours a day", "3000 Hours of Solid Comfort", "Each day calls for sixteen hours of active, steady garter duty." and logo for Astein & Company.

FRIDAY SPECIAL advertisement. Includes text: "Men's Ties Cleaned and Pressed", "Suits Cleaned and Pressed." and phone numbers.

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The WRONG FACE

ISABEL OSTRANDER

(Continued from our last issue.)

"Dropped!" exclaimed Harry. "Mrs. Tudor, you cannot mean it!"

"I was never more sane in my life," said Harry. "Will you come this way?"

Although she trembled in every limb she did not falter as she led the way into the now cleared dining room.

"Laurel's death is the deepest grief which life could ever bring to me," said Harry. "But if this search is carried through it will bring to us who are left that which is worse than death itself, shame and disgrace."

"But my dear Mrs. Tudor, it is an criminal case and the murderer must answer to the law, whether you desire it or not."

"You can stop the inquiry even now if you will. Coroners can be bought. If, however, you insist on the inquiry with sums that will make them independent for life, doctors can be suborned."

"Just a moment, Mrs. Tudor," said Harry. "My voice was suddenly stern. 'What are you offering me for all this?'"

"I passed a wisp of handkerchief across her lips and answered unsteadily:

"I have great influence at my disposal. If you like your work you can rise easily and quickly in your profession. You can be the commissioner of New York with the next administration if you wish, or high in the secret service."

"Stop!" he demanded. "If you were a man, Mrs. Tudor, you would not have dared utter those words to me! I would no more compound a felony than I would commit murder myself!"

She covered her face with her hands and a little moan stretched out her arms to him upon the table.

"Oh, will you not be merciful? Can nothing move you?" she cried in a low, thrilling tone.

"Mrs. Tudor," Harry, too, bent across the table. "I will relieve your mind at once if you will only trust my word. This will, I hope, lighten your suffering. Your niece did not kill your daughter."

The woman stared at him, wide-eyed.

"She—didn't?" Her voice was a more toneless breath. "But the proof—"

"There is not an atom of proof against her," Harry spoke smoothly. "Not even the motive remains, for I can assure you that she has absolutely forgotten her old attachment for Lieutenant Cadmus; moreover, I have reason to believe that she is in love with another man."

"Another man?" Into Mrs. Tudor's dulled eyes there came a gleam of hope. "Why, sergeant, how can you know? It cannot be!"

"But I am convinced it is true, and I am sure that he loves her also. Miss Cadmus is a very nice girl, and with a little more stretched out her arms to him upon the table."

"Mrs. Tudor had miraculously recovered her poise and self-possession. 'I shall not tell you the name of the man,' she smiled faintly. 'You don't know what a burden you have lifted from my heart, sergeant Harry! When I thought her guilty you will understand that I wanted to shield her at all costs.'"

"I know," Harry paused in the doorway. "We will forget every syllable of the conversation which has just taken place, Mrs. Tudor."

"Thank you!" She bent out her hand with a pretty little gesture of gratitude. "You have proven a real friend. But since—since she is not guilty—who is? My Laurel had a enemy in the world! Sergeant Harry, find me the guilty man!"

She disappeared on the veranda, and Harry made his way slowly toward the back door. As he reached the back porch, still deeply engrossed in his meditations, Louise met him in a little flutter of renewed excitement.

"If you please, sergeant Harry, Frank and the sheriff are down behind the garage. Frank called out to me, and I saw him as quick as I could. He says he got something to show you!"

He neared the garage. A subdued shout greeted him.

"Look at this!" The sheriff's voice was triumphant. "That's the fellow for the thing the murdering wretch used to convey that carbon monoxide to the house in!"

A tomato plant, frame and all, was lying on its side in the soft loam, which had been heaped in a circular mound about a shallow hole. In it lay a large tin oil can, to which a length of thin but strong rubber tubing had been attached, and from both there came a stench of the same fumes which Harry had detected when he examined the gas mask.

He took the tin up and scrutinized it carefully, then looked into the faces of the two men.

The sound of footsteps crunching on the gravel path leading from the house made the sheriff turn and whisper fiercely:

"Here, comes Clayton and the lame feller. Look sharp and get that tin into the tool house back of the garage, Frank. We don't want them snooping into this business just yet!"

Frank obeyed hastily. As he departed Harry asked:

"What is this bunch of Frank's that he is on the track of that fellow we've been looking for—the one who took his suit of clothes?"

"Well—the sheriff's tone was not enthusiastic—he's come on a place, where the woods and the beach meet, and he says there are signs of a little fire having been built, and chicken bones lying about. The woods are thicker there than here, he heard something creeping through the bushes, but it must have seen him first, for it plumped off again."

"Frank probably stumbled on some picnic place," remarked Harry. "And that noise might have been a stray dog."

"Animals don't take off their

him in turn. He paused. Nothing but shadows met his gaze. Cursing himself for a nervous, weak, incompetent, he toiled painfully after the others.

He had never felt his infirmity as poignantly before as on that night, when there was excitement and adventure abroad.

It humiliated him to have them stop and wait for him, and he replied almost surlily to their inquiries as to how he was standing the pace.

That he was not standing it well was painfully evident to himself. The prolonged, unaccustomed effort was telling upon him. Wish at last he reached the boat-shaped rock the rest were far ahead.

He sank down upon the rock, panting and racked with pain, and it was then that that sensation of someone near came to him once more with overwhelming force. He strained himself to look about, when a small hand was laid timidly upon his shoulder and a soft voice spoke close to his ear.

"It's only I, captain."

"Fay! Miss Tudor!" he gasped. "What are you doing here?"

"I followed because I thought I could help," she replied. "I was down by the garage when I heard you discussing your plans, and I could not avoid hearing. I think I know the place you are trying to find, but Frank is leading you all astray. Only myself and one other ever knew it. I think, unless this man innocently stumbled upon it in his wanderings."

"What is it—some old deserted shack?" The captain was rapidly forgetting his pain and fatigue in awakening interest.

Fay shook her head with a sad little reminiscent smile.

"There isn't even the remains of a human habitation along the shore line here for miles," she spoke very softly. "It is a cave, you know, but not really a cave, you know, but just a natural fissure in the rock, upon which another has fallen, forming a roof. I don't suppose the whole thing is more than three feet wide and about six long. My brother and I discovered it by chance one day, and we swore we would never tell anybody about it. I can't imagine how this poor man discovered it, but it is the only shelter for miles."

"And you think he is there?"

"Where else could he be, if it was the remains of his fire which Frank found?" she shrugged her shoulders. "I know a short cut from this rock straight to it, and we can be there ages ahead of the rest if you feel strong enough to start."

The captain clipped his crutches beneath his armpits and pulled himself up with alacrity.

"You lead the way, Miss Tudor, and I'll follow."

(Continued in our next issue.)

SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF BATTLE BETWEEN THE MERIMAC AND MONITOR

NEW YORK, March 9.—Sixty years ago this morning the Confederate iron-clad Merimac steamed away from her anchorage in Hampton Roads to attack what was expected to be a defenseless Union fleet. Instead she met the Monitor, later called the "Yankee cheese box on a raft," and engaged in the first battle between ironclads which changed the whole naval strategy of the world and which has been described as the most momentous sea engagement ever fought.

Today the cities of New York and Stockholm, Sweden, united in doing honor to the memory of John Ericsson, who designed the Monitor.

A tablet was to be unveiled under the auspices of the American Society of Swedish Engineers at the house at 36 Beach street, where Ericsson lived and later another tablet was to be unveiled at 260 West street, the site of the Phoenix factory where parts

of the Monitor were turned out and where Ericsson spent his last active years.

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY HAS ENROLLMENT OF 22,420

NEW YORK, March 9.—Columbia university's total student enrollment is now 22,420, Registrar Edward J. G. Grant announced today in making public the official tabulation prepared for the trustees. Columbia officials declare this gives the institution the largest enrollment of any college in the world. Last year's attendance approximated 21,000.

INDIA'S APPEAL CREATES A SENSATION IN LONDON

By Associated Press.

LONDON, March 9.—India's appeal for Turkish rights which urged revision of the Sevres treaty in view of the intense Mohammedan feeling in that country, has created a sensation here. The appeal has aroused resentment in a large section of the press against the Earl of Reading, viceroy of India, and his council.

Every London newspaper today vigorously condemns the message. It is complained that India's demands are calculated to cause the British government serious embarrassment in its dealings with the signatories of the Sevres treaty.

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YOUR FRECKLES

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This preparation for the removal of freckles is usually so successful that it is sold by druggists under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Get an ounce of Othine—double strength, and even a few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the smaller freckles even vanishing entirely.—adv.

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"SAVING SISTER BUD"

"What's that?" A quick, inclusive voice spoke so close to them in the darkness that the sheriff jumped.

It was Captain Warren's voice which had interrupted him, but the tones were quite unlike those which Barry had heard before. They had rasped out in stern command, and the sheriff gulped and started his story anew.

The five men were so deeply engrossed in their plans that none of them noted a slender, dark-clad little figure which hovered just beyond the wavering light of the lantern and which now drew closer.

"Let's go," suggested the captain briefly. "This is almost the time he usually sets forth for his depredations, isn't it?"

They agreed and finally set off, walking in single file down the path which led to the shore. Behind them a soft voice exclaimed aloud in bewilderment:

"We don't want them snooping into this business just yet."

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Adopt the Direct Treatment

for the Cold Troubles of all the Family

VICKS STANDING OFFER

Vicks doesn't relieve every case. No remedy can possibly do that. But it is successful in such a large percentage of cold troubles that we have had for years this standing offer: Buy either the 7c or \$1.50 size from your druggist. If you are not delighted with the results, mail us the top of the carton, and we will cheerfully refund the purchase price. So, if you wish to try Vicks before you buy, mail the coupon below for a free sample.



Rub It On for Deep Chest Colds

ABSORBED, like a liniment, and, at the same time, INHALED, as a vapor, Vicks gets immediately into congested, inflamed air passages.

WHEN a cold goes down deep—threatens to turn into bronchitis or pneumonia—with soreness, tight breathing and a heavy hollow cough, apply hot wet cloths over throat and chest to open pores of the skin. Then rub Vicks in well until the skin is red. Spread on thickly and cover with hot flannel cloths, and arrange the bedding loosely so that the healing vapors will be inhaled all night.

The penetrative and stimulative effect of Vicks thru the skin helps to relieve tightness and congestion. At the same time, the vapors, inhaled with each breath, carry the medication direct to the lungs and air passages.

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Mothers like to use Vicks for children. Avoid dosing and upsetting their stomachs. When the kiddies come in wet and "sniffing" Vicks is applied to prevent colds. It keeps

off spasmodic croup. Also, its cooling, soothing qualities make it useful every day for cuts, burns, bruises, stings and itching skin.

A "Tar Heel" Discovery

Twenty-five years ago, Druggist Lunsford Richardson, of Greensboro, North Carolina, the "Tar Heel" State, seeking a better way to treat colds, hit upon a wonderful formula. He combined Camphor, Menthol and certain volatile oils in the form of a salve, so that when applied to throat and chest, it not only penetrated and stimulated like a liniment, but the ingredients were released as vapors by the body heat and inhaled directly into the affected air passages. This remedy, Vicks VapoRub, won instant local favor and its fame has spread, county by county, state by state, until now Vicks is a family standby from coast to coast.

Best of Nature's Remedies

Vicks contains valuable ingredients brought from distant countries—Camphor from Formosa, land of head-hunting savages; Menthol from picturesque Japan; Oil of Eucalyptus from far Australia; Oil of Juniper Tar from Bedouin tents of Northern Africa; Oil of

Thyme from smiling Southern France and Oil of Turpentine from Dixie.

How Vicks Should Be Used

For Spasmodic Croup, Children's Colds— Rub Vicks over the throat and chest until the difficult breathing is relieved, then spread on thickly and cover with a hot flannel cloth. One application at bed time usually prevents a night attack of croup.

For Head Colds, Asthma, Croup, Hay Fever— Vicks should be melted in a spoon and the vapors inhaled, or a little can be applied up the nostrils and sniffed up the head.

For Deep Chest Colds, Sore Throat, Tonsillitis, Bronchitis, Croup— Vicks should be applied over the throat and chest—if necessary, first using hot, wet cloths to open the pores of the skin—then rubbed in well until the skin is red; spread on thickly and covered with one or two thicknesses of hot flannel cloths. If the cough is annoying, swallow small pieces the size of a pea.

Used as a Liniment, Footbath or Plaster— On account of its penetrative and rubefacient effect, Vicks has been found excellent for Bites, Boils, Bruises, Frost bite, Muscular Soreness, Poison Ivy, Sunburn, Headache, Neuralgia and Sore Calloused Feet.

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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

Y. W. Board Adds New Members to Itself Thursday

The Y. W. C. A. board, in session Tuesday morning, elected Mesdames J. H. Martin and W. P. Killingsworth additional members of the executive board, and elected Mrs. W. S. Silk, former president, vice-president, Mrs. Silk consenting to accept the office.

Mrs. R. L. Pain, new president of the board, presided at the meeting, at which reports from all standing committees were heard. Special mention was made of the auxiliary clubs of the Y. W. C. A., including the Business Women's club, with over 200 members, the Girls' club at the high school with about 200 members, the Girl Reserve clubs, three in number, of younger girls, the Blue Triangle and the Rainbow club. Miss Mann, who accompanied delegates from the girls' clubs to the conference on girls' club work in Oklahoma City made a report of that meeting.

During the business session Mrs. Pain was elected delegate to the Y. W. C. A. convention at Hot Springs April 29-31, with Mrs. Beavers and Mrs. T. A. Hicks additional delegates who will attend.

Members of the board who were present included Mesdames E. L. Pain, Carter McGregor, C. W. Beavers, E. W. Nicholson, J. A. Nichol, W. W. Cook, T. A. Hicks, Mark Moore, Charles Ferguson, W. O. Davidson, Hoggess and T. B. Noble and Miss Mann.

CELEBRATE SIXTY-SIXTH BIRTHDAY OF A NEIGHBOR

The home of Mrs. L. C. M. Blakely, 1408 Third street, was the scene of a very happy gathering Wednesday afternoon, when friends and neighbors of Mrs. Lucinda Brewer met and enjoyed Mrs. Brewer, who was called over to "answer a phone call," with a birthday party celebrating her sixty-sixth anniversary.

When Mrs. Brewer got to the door she was met by Mrs. T. C. Hardy and, almost immediately, by a group of her friends from the living room. They escorted her into the dining room, which was beautifully decorated in lavender and white, and where a big white-iced birthday cake centered the pretty table, with sixty-six tiny lighted tapers burning merrily. The Brunswick was playing "The Wonderful Member of the Living Room" for the next two hours the guest of honor, seated in a specially decorated chair, was the central figure of a delightful social. Little Miss Jo Ann Williams, in a lavender and white dress, straddled in a big doll buggy decorated and filled with birthday gifts from her friends, which were opened and inspected with great interest. Music and "chat talk" was enjoyed until a late hour, when the birthday cake with its cream to the following: Mesdames Lucinda Brewer, Franklin, Ruth Hollar, Wilbur, Frank Morgan, Murphy, Orlan, Elsie, C. Harlow, Walter Franklin, Williams, Alice Riddle, Wilson, Talley and Weekend, and Miss Minnie Baker.

BORISIA CLUB TO STUDY SHORT STORY NEXT YEAR

The Borisia club, in weekly meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. W. Burnside, decided to take up the study of the English and American short story next year, with a program to be made out by Mesdames R. E. Hill, Burnside and W. F. Lowery.

Following the business session Mrs. M. H. Glover conducted a parliamentary drill, after which the hostess invited the members to a main for a social hour, when a dainty salad course was served to Mesdames Bachman, Glover, Harris, Hillburn, Lowery, Stanley, McGregor, Burke Taylor, H. D. White and Ernest Archambeau.

The club meets next week with Mrs. M. H. Glover, 1524 Huff avenue.

MRS. M. L. LOFTIS HOSTESS TO LOTUS BRIDGE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. M. L. Clifton was hostess to the Lotus Bridge club Wednesday, with three tables arranged for the players in the attractive living room. In the games, Mrs. L. E. Stewart won high scores among the members, and Mrs. J. A. Martin among the guests. Mrs. Stewart was remembered with a potted plant and Mrs. Martin with a silver vase.

The hostess served an ice course to Mesdames W. S. Floriani, Bert Adelin, Claude Williams, C. C. Glover, Otis Geers, F. N. McClure, Felix White, L. E. Stewart, J. L. Nabb, Leslie Collins and J. A. Martin and Miss Ethel May Martin.

The club will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Collins at 1300 Burnett.

LEAVES FOR FORT WORTH: MAID OF HONOR AT SHOW

Miss Margaret Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Miller, left Thursday afternoon for Fort Worth, where she will act as maid of honor at the Stock Show to Miss Ruth Chandler, Weatherford princess. Miss Miller also represents Weatherford, having been born in that city and lived there for twelve or thirteen years. Miss Chandler, Weatherford princess, is well known here, where she has spent several winters with her aunt, Mrs. L. R. Buchanan.

EPISCOPAL LADIES FOOD SALES OPEN SATURDAY

The first of their Lenten Saturday food sales will be held Saturday at the White House market on Indiana avenue by the women of the Episcopal church. The market will open at 9 o'clock, and will include all kinds of food and prepared food for Sunday's meals.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS A NEW START

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON



"Can she see us?" asked the goat with a worried look.

"Well, now what?" asked the goat. "If you mean what are we going to do," replied Nick. "I guess we're going on our travels. You see, Nancy and I are on our way to hunt the lost record of Longhead the Wizard."

"What's that?" the goat, pretending not to know.

"Oh, it tells whether the Diddyvers with the blue hair are handsome than the Korknotts of the green beads. Whoever is, must give up to the other and rule all of Fairyland. Then it's to be decided who shall marry Princess Thurna, the lives in the Castle of Mirrors and can see everything that happens, even on the other side of the world."

"Can she see us?" asked the goat with a worried look. This part about the mirrors he did not like.

"I suppose so," said Nick. "But we're very late and must be starting. I can't think how Nancy and I happened to stay here so long. When we started it was morning and now it's nearly night."

AUSTIN PARENT-TEACHERS HEAR SEVERAL GOOD TALKS

The Austin Parent-Teachers heard several especially good talks at their meeting Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. Adickes addressed them on methods of bringing the mothers and teachers and the school board closer together in understanding and aims, and when several other mothers made six-minute talks on the duties and responsibilities of mothers.

The program given was very interesting, opening with devotional led by Mrs. E. R. Goodner. Miss Catherine Clark played two piano numbers, "The Swallows" and "My Rose." Miss McQueen's room of little second-graders sang a very sweet song, which concluded the entertaining program.

During the business session plans were made for raising money for playground equipment. Miss Crump's room was awarded the picture for the best attendance of mothers at the meeting.

MRS. C. C. AVERILL IS HOSTESS AT DINNER

Mrs. C. C. Averill was hostess at dinner Wednesday in honor of her aunt, Mrs. R. G. Stovall of Tennessee, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. J. F. Reed.

Covers were laid for Mesdames Stovall, D. B. Reed, S. Y. Ferguson, J. B. Evans, W. R. Ferguson, Mrs. Averill, Dr. and Mrs. Ed. Edmiston.

Mrs. Stovall left Thursday morning for her home in Tennessee.

He beat the train to the crossing a good many times

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ARE YOU PLANNING A ST. PATRICK PARTY?

By SISTER MARY

Perhaps you are planning to "pay back" all your winter social obligations on St. Patrick's Day. It's a delightful time for a party. Coming in Lent, the festivities must perform in informal.

Luncheon, dinner or evening party, use green for the color scheme. Light the dining table with candles and tie wide green bows on each candlestick. White non-drip banquet candles will insure safety to the most exquisite linen. If a pot of shamrock is not procurable use a few maiden-hair ferns for the centerpiece.

These suggestions for an evening party menu may help you. The "what's that?" is planned to please both men and girls.

Menu for Evening Party.
Coffee Fruit Salad
St. Patrick's Sandwiches
Green Olives Sautéed Nuts
Mint Parfait Irish Puff Balls

Fruit Parfait.
One pound lime fruit tablets, 2 cups boiling water, 2 cups cold tea, 1 small bottle green cherries, 2 cups orange juice, 1 quart bottle charged water.

Four boiling water over fruit tablets and let stand one hour and tablets are dissolved. Add tea, cherries and orange juice. Pour over a block of ice and just before serving add water. This will serve 25 persons.

St. Patrick's Sandwiches.
Green cheese filling: One bunch parsley, 1 bunch watercress, 2 packages Neufchatel cheese, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon white pepper.

Wash parsley and dry between towels. Pull the leaves from the stems and cut in large pie dish. Dry in the oven until the leaves are crisp and crumbly. Wash and dry watercress. Mince and mix with cream and salt. Spread on thin slices of white bread and butter.

Green butter: One-half cup butter, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1 tablespoon minced watercress, 1 boiled egg yolk, salt and pepper.

Beat butter to a cream. Rub yolk of egg through fine sieve. Work into butter. Add lemon juice slowly, beating constantly. Beat in parsley, salt and pepper and work smooth.

If the parsley does not make the butter quite green enough work in a little spinach, cooked and rubbed through a sieve. This should be made in the morning and kept on ice till needed.

Chopped green olives and minced celery make good sandwich filling. Mince watercress and finely chopped white of hard boiled eggs, seasoned with salt and pepper, oil and vinegar is good on white or brown bread. Mince mint leaves, blanched shredded almonds and lemon juice to moisten make a toothsome green and white sandwich.

Shamrock salad: is made with green peppers, stuffed with cream cheese and nuts. The peppers are kept on ice for several hours and then cut in quarters lengthwise and served on a bed of cream with French dressing.

Irish puff balls are tiny cakes made in a roaster and are called for "Maiden's Food" and bake in tiny spherical muffin pans. Cover with boiled frosting colored green.

Maiden's Food.
One cup granulated sugar, 1 1/2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 2 eggs (whites), vanilla, 1 cup milk, 2 eggs (whites).

Soft flour and sugar four times. Add baking powder and sift again. Add salt and sift. Heat milk to the boiling point, stir into dry ingredients. Add vanilla and fold in the whites of the eggs beaten stiff and dry with a whisk. Drop from teaspoon into buttered molds and bake 20 minutes in a moderate oven.

Mint Parfait.
One bunch fresh mint, 1 1/2 cups sugar, 1 cup water, 2 eggs (whites).

BETA DELPHIANS STUDY SPANISH ART AND ARCHITECTURE

By JOHN W. KAY

The Beta Delphians met at the home of Mrs. R. A. Lincoln Wednesday afternoon, when their study of Spanish art was continued. Mesdames J. J. DeBerry and T. L. McGee divided the afternoon's study of the art in two sections and discussed it in interesting papers, with a concluding talk on Spain by Mrs. John W. Kay.

At the conclusion of the study program the hostesses—Mrs. Paul Barnett assisting—served ice cream, cake and mints to the following:

MEADAMES AKIN, AMASON, BARRON, HARRIS, CHAMBERLAIN, COHEN, CORLETT, CRAIG, DELBERRY, HARVEY, KAY, LINCOLN, MCGEE AND THORNBERRY.

The club meets next week with Mrs. T. L. McGee in a special business session.

BOWIE MOTHERS COMPLETE QUILT FOR BENEFIT SALE

The Bowie Parent-Teacher association met Wednesday afternoon at the school auditorium, hearing reports from various working committees. Mrs. Walter McCree, chairman of the quilt committee, reported the quilt which the mothers have been busy with, completed, and stated that it would be sold as a benefit. A report on the sale is to be made April 5 at the next meeting.

The afternoon's program featured talks by the mothers on child welfare, several of the mothers taking part.

Mrs. Smith's room won the picture for having the best attendance. Austria's 300 Gobelins tapestries, valued at \$40,000,000, have been "pawed" by an American syndicate for \$15,000,000.

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MAJOR CULBERSON SPEAKS AT VERNON

Address Mass Meeting on "National Defense" and Inspects Guard.

VERNON, TEXAS, March 8.—Major William L. Culberson, who inspected local guardsmen last night, addressed a mass meeting of citizens in the district court room on "National Defense," and informed his audience that military training serves in the same capacity as fire insurance on a home. The officer's speech was eloquent in its simplicity, and carried inspiration in a straightforward manner that shot straight to the hearts of his hearers.

The American youth has a right to go to war, in the event conflict comes, said the major, equipped well enough to give him a chance to come home again. This nation, he remarked, has a right to enter such a war with a chance to win.

Following his speech, Major Culberson inspected the local company of 1, 122nd Infantry, and expressed himself as much gratified. He informed local officers that the soldiers here represented a "fine body of men who fulfilled all requirements of the national defense act of 1916."

BAYLOR COUNTY SENDS AN EXHIBIT TO FORT WORTH

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, March 8.—The Seymour chamber of commerce with the assistance of County Agent G. C. McGowan today expressed to exhibit department of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth a well selected variety of Baylor county products consisting principally of wheat, oats, barley, maize, feterita, corn and kafir corn to be displayed in the general west Texas chamber of commerce exhibit for west Texas at the annual meet of the fat stock show to be held at Fort Worth from 11th to 15th inst.

Miss Halsey, Baylor county's very efficient home demonstration agent, also rendered valuable assistance by gathering a good selection of mill and cockery products, a variety of sewing, clothing, butter, soap, etc.

PIONEER CITIZEN OF HENRIETTA IS DEAD

HENRIETTA, TEXAS, March 8.—The funeral of John Slack, age 84, was held at the family residence in this city Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Guy P. Jones, pastor of the First Methodist church, after which his remains were laid to rest in the Henrietta cemetery under the auspices of the Odd Fellows of which he had been a member for more than 40 years.

His death occurred at 8:30 Monday morning after a brief illness. He was born in Kentucky and came here in the year 1860 and has been a citizen of Henrietta most of the time.

He is survived by a wife and five children who were all present at the funeral, Mrs. Phillip Kuehn, Ruben Slack, Mrs. Lou Gray of Henrietta, Mrs. Thrilligill and Mrs. Parrish, who live in Wichita Falls.

He was one of Henrietta's best citizens and served many years of his life as the village blacksmith and was one of the best known men in Clay county.

ODONNELL HAS FORMED A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

ODONNELL, TEXAS, March 8.—O'Donnell is one of the smallest towns in west Texas to boast of having a real live commercial organization. The club has already shown some fine results in community building, some of which is having a real live commercial organization, letting the contract for a cotton gin to be in operation for the coming ginning season, building a tourist camping park and marking the highways. The O'Donnell commercial club is affiliated with the west Texas chamber of commerce and plans are now being made to send a large delegation to the fourth annual convention of the west Texas chamber at Pflugerville, May 21 and 22. The club will also have a representative at the meeting of the Fort Worth-to-the-plains railroad in Fort Worth, March 13.

PREPARE TO ENTERTAIN GOVERNOR NEFF AND PARTY

CHILDRESS, TEXAS, March 8.—Details are being worked out by the local chamber of commerce for entertaining and transporting Governor Neff, Captain Pauntleroy, and Comptroller Smith to the D. C. D. highway convention at Canadian, Texas, April 26, 27, 28. A large delegation will go from Childress, it is thought.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT AGRICULTURAL COURSE CONDUCTED AT CHILDRESS

CHILDRESS, TEXAS, March 8.—According to those who have just completed the agricultural short course in Childress, the attendance for the two days was greater than they have had in any of the places visited on their tour, including Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, and twenty Texas towns. The total attendance for the meetings was 7,928, and practically all of these were Childress county people.

The talks by H. S. Mobley and Mrs. Martha Dahl Laws were declared to be the best that have been heard in Childress in many months, and were in line with the program of community development that all organizations of the city and county are working for. County Agent L. T. Hunter presided over all of the meetings, while the details of the work were carried on by H. C. Olseng, a member of the crew, and T. Paul Barron, secretary of the chamber of commerce.

The success of the attendance and local interest is attributed to the work of the advance committees, and won high commendation from Mr. Mobley and Mrs. Laws.

FIVE BOYS AWARDED TRIP TO FORT WORTH EXHIBIT

SWEETWATER, TEXAS, March 8.—Five young farmers and hog raisers, members of the Boys' Pig club of Nolan county, have been awarded a trip to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show and will leave Sweetwater Monday, March 13, for Fort Worth. Last year the merchants of Sweetwater made this liberal offer to the club members producing the best crops and raising the finest pigs. The winners were Ellis Freeman, Homer Freeman and Bethel Mashburn from White Flat school; Bryce Younger from Goode school, and Marvin Greeg from Champion school.

WESTOVER MERCANTILE CO. STOCK OF GOODS BURNS

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, March 8.—According to long distance telephone communications received here this morning the building and stock of general merchandise of the Westover Mercantile company at Westover, Texas, was destroyed by fire about 7 o'clock on the evening of the 7th inst. Building and stock of this concern will probably run to about \$12,000 in value.

PARRISH SPEAKER AT THREE MEETINGS HELD IN CHILDRESS TUESDAY

CHILDRESS, TEXAS, March 8.—Hon. Lucian W. Parrish made three addresses in Childress Tuesday night concerning his candidacy for the U. S. senate. He addressed the meeting of the agricultural short course for 19 minutes, then talked to the people who were attending a local picture theatre, and also a crowd at the American Legion. It is believed that in the three meetings, at least 1,500 Childress people heard him.

SEYMOUR COMMITTEE GOING TO FORT WORTH

SEYMOUR, TEXAS, March 8.—A special meeting of the Seymour chamber of commerce considered the proposed railroad to be built from Fort Worth to the plains. Judge Jo A. K. Dickson was selected as spokesman and chairman of a general committee which will attend the Fort Worth meeting on the 18th inst., at which time it is understood that the final selection of the route will be left to the decision of the representatives who will attend from the various west Texas towns and cities. The meeting has been planned by the Fort Worth chamber of commerce.

CLARENDON SHRINE CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL BANQUET

CLARENDON, TEXAS, March 8.—Clarendon Shrine club held their regular monthly banquet in the Masonic hall last night, about 30 members being present. Among the out of town guests who addressed the Shriner were: Representative Hill of Shamrock, Mr. Lee of Beaumont, and Frank Houston of Childress.

At this time preparations were made to entertain Kliva band of Amarillo, Texas, who will be here April 6. Committee in charge of arrangements: Sam W. Braswell, Harry Sitter, Homer Mulkey and A. N. McCordell.

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MAJOR CULBERSON WILL INSPECT NATIONAL GUARD

CLARENDON, TEXAS, March 8.—Major William L. Culberson of Wichita Falls, and Captain Stetson Hankins will inspect the national guard Saturday, inspection of the barracks, 1:30 in the afternoon, inspection of the guard 7:30 at night. This will be the last inspection before the annual encampment in August. Captain Ferrine is in charge and has 74 men in his company.

BALLINGER TO RECEIVE THE MARKETS BY RADIO

BALLINGER, TEXAS, March 8.—In cooperation with a local electrical dealer, the Young Men Business League will begin in a few days to secure for its membership, stock and market reports and other information by radiophone, from the market and warehouse department and the University of Texas at Austin. Ballinger expects to be one of the first cities in west Texas receiving this class of information through radio service.

Live Shell Near Plover, Nottingham, Eng.

NOTTINGHAM, ENG.—A four-inch live shell was found in the destructor works here, just before it, with other waste material, was to be fed into the furnace.

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ALL THE NEWS OF ALL THE SPORTS

"BUSHERS" DROVE DINNEEN TO UMPIRING



Billy Evans says

During the course of a major league season one sees a lot of peculiar happenings.

No one is in a better position to note these things than the umpires, who are constantly shifting from team to team.

One thing that struck me as being out of the ordinary last year was the debut made by Pitcher Kolp of the St. Louis Browns.

Wildness is always the prevailing fault of every recruit. This is usually very apparent when they make their debut. Kolp was so different his work stood out.

The recruit got his first chance against the Cleveland team, which had won the world's series the previous year, and were sporting World's Champions across their shirt fronts.

The fame of the Indians didn't seem to worry Kolp in the least, as far as his control was concerned. Every ball that he threw was either a called strike, a foul strike or a ball at which the batter swung and either missed or hit.

Not a single called ball was thrown by Kolp until Joe Sewell, who was the sixth batter in the lineup, faced him. It was one of the most remarkable bits of pitching I have ever seen as far as control was concerned.

A few weeks later I saw the Detroit team place on the field one of the most unique lineups in the history of the game. I have reference to the number of left-handers used by the Tigers.

Ordinarily if a club happens to have five or six left-handers in the batting order it is supposed to be top heavy with that style of batting. Such a team is considered soft picking for a southpaw.

In this particular game it was evident that a right-hander was certain to work against the Tigers. Such being the case the following lineup was used by Detroit:

Pap Young led off with Bush. Cobb, Yehsch, Shorten, Jones, Blue, Dasher and Leonard following. It was a team made up entirely of left-handed batters. I seriously doubt if such a thing has ever before happened in the majors.

Of the nine left-handed batters, Young and Blue are able to hit to the right side of the plate and be effective. However, all three prefer to hit left-handed.

WILL HELP COACH GRID TEAM BY TELEGRAPH

Glean Warner of the University of Pittsburgh intends to inaugurate something new in the football coaching line next fall.

Warner will coach the Pittsburgh team officially. By use of the telegraph wires he will advise the coaching staff of Leland Stanford as to how that eleven should be run.

Warner recently made a trip to the coast to the campus of Leland Stanford. That institution is desirous of raising the standard of its athletic teams, football in particular.

The desire to secure Warner under Andy Smith, the former University of Pennsylvania star, has been hanging the spotlight on the coast.

The desire to secure Warner was actuated by the failure of Stanford to furnish keen competition for California.

Warner accepted the offer made by Stanford. However, it was impossible for him to get away from Pittsburgh until he had completed his contract.

It was agreed that he was to act as advisory coach. It would be interesting to read what the wires will carry after some team trumps the eleven that Warner is coaching by correspondence methods.

EIGHT TEAMS LEFT IN BASKETBALL TOURNAY

KANSAS CITY, MO., March 8.—Blount and Kansas City basketball teams will meet five from Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois in the third round of the national A. A. U. basketball tournament here tonight.

The winners of tonight's games will go into the semi-finals tomorrow night.

The pairings: Washburn college, Topeka, Kan., vs. Lowe and Campbell, Kansas City.

Kentucky and Indiana Terminal B. R. company, Louisville, Ky., vs. Southwestern college, Winfield, Kan.

Newport, Kan., Athletic club vs. Indianapolis "Y," Indianapolis, Ind.

Kansas City Athletic club, Kansas City, Mo. 1921 national champion, vs. Union club, Belvidere, Ill.

It is a rather unusual fact that a number of big league ball teams lacked such an individual last year.

As a matter of fact the two leading clubs in the American last year, New York and Cleveland, were minus a consistent left-hander.



BILL DINNEEN

How did you ever happen to be an umpire?

That is a question that is often asked after a tough ball game. At such times it is hard for a sane individual to figure out why anyone would want to be an umpire.

Umpiring isn't such a bad job after all, yet I seriously doubt if anyone is in love with the job, as they say.

Like all other positions the pay check carries the real thrill. It causes you to get case hardened to many of the indignities which come your way.

I don't believe any youngster ever had as his big ambition the desire to become a major league umpire. Some critics say umpires are born, not made.

However, there is always a reason for everything, and back of the career of every major league umpire is an unusual story.

I always smile when I hear Bill Dinneen tell why he started umpiring. According to Bill he was literally given to it. I will let him tell it:

"A bush league ball club convinced me that I ought to take up umpiring."

"It was when I was with the St. Louis Browns. I started poorly in the spring. My arm didn't seem to have the strength to put any 'zip' on the ball."

"I tried the Rest Cure."

"Jimmy McAleer, one of the greatest fellows that ever managed a ball club, was in charge of the Browns. I told him one day that I thought I was through."

"Jimmy, probably feeling that my services to the American league deserved a little consideration, suggested that I give the arm a good rest before I again tried it out."

"I waited for five weeks. The Browns had a game scheduled with a minor league team at Springfield, Ill. I told McAleer I would work that game."

"I worked it, finished it, and I'll never forget it. I seemed to have pretty good speed, but I simply couldn't get 'em by the batters. It was a slaughter."

"We lost the game by a top-stuffed score, something like 19 to 6. I remember the home team made 27 hits off my delivery."

"Had Iron-Clad Contract"

"I had an iron-clad contract with the St. Louis club for the rest of the year. That game however, convinced me that I was through. I told Jimmy McAleer so after the game. At first he refused to hear to it. I turned in my suit and never have pitched a ball game since."

"President Johnson of the American league had told me he would give me a chance at umpiring. I wired him that evening I was ready to take it. I have been taking chances ever since."

"The only pleasant memory of that game at Springfield was the fact that it saved two slipping teams like myself from hearing the rattles of the tin can."

"These two players had received their orders of release. Each of them made five hits off me, including several home runs. That caused the manager to change his mind and enable me to stick out the season."

"All of which proves there is silver lining to the darkest of clouds. Believe me that was a dark day in my career."

Salm Makes First Cut In Squad; Lineup for Indian Games Is Still Undecided

Skipper Walter Salm cut down his training exercises yesterday to the extent of meals for two and he was saved the trouble of lopping off another when the player voluntarily gave up. The first two to feel the force of his axe were First baseman George and Infielder Williams, while Cliff Cavender, embryo catcher, handed in his resignation.

More were due to depart after today's session, though Salm would give no intimation as to who they would be. The cutting away of the youngsters will be a daily event from now on and the natural result will be the speeding up of the practice sessions. Realizing that everything depends on their showings now, the younger members of the aggregation will put on full steam and show all they possess.

Salm has not decided yet which men he will pick to face the Indians, but it is highly probable that practically every man on the squad will be given an opportunity to break into either Saturday or Sunday's game. It's too early yet for the Salmites to be expected to go the full route. The Indians will be in much better shape than the locals as they have been working out for about three weeks.

Benny Allen may be used in the infield in these exhibition games as Salm has plenty of outfielders on hand. With White, Wright and Clark still away, he's not so well fixed for his inner defense. White, however, may be in by Saturday. Though he would hardly be expected to fray the first day he's here.

Nothing has been heard from Wright, Burns or Decker yet, while Bischoff and the boss have not yet come to an agreement. Neither cares to discuss the difference of opinion and each seems to be firm in his stand. The backstop is working out regularly, nevertheless, some sort of satisfactory arrangement should be forthcoming soon.

The boss received a letter from Kitchens Wednesday stating that everything was moving swimmingly in Marlin. His quintet of hurriers is on deck and spent the first day lobbing the ball up to him. The boys are greatly pleased with the accommodations and Frank wrote that the doctor, from whom their quarters were obtained, cannot do enough for them.

The change in the weather Thursday caused the club house gossip to turn to "weather insurance." More stringent rules are in effect this year and it will be much harder for the club to collect a total abandonment. Last year if it rained within 24 hours before the game is sufficiently to call the game off the club would collect the amount of its policy. This year it must rain a tenth of an inch within eight hours before the game. Then, if the attendance is low the club will receive an amount equal to the difference between the policy and the receipts. However, if it should rain the night before a game so that play would be impossible the next day, the club creates nothing provided it stops raining eight hours before game time.

No difficulty was experienced here last year with the insurance but the companies were rather hard hit in other sections of the country—especially on the coast.

PROBABLE INDIAN LINEUP

Though the exact lineup of the Indian team which will face the Spudders at Athletic park Saturday and Sunday is not known, it is probable that only a few vets will come here, the majority of regulars remaining in Dallas to play the St. Louis Cardinals.

Among the hurriers who will probably come here are Uhl, Middleton, Henderson, Edley and Johnson. Harwood and Tubbs, Luke Sewell and Shinnault are expected to do the backstopping while the infielders who will play are said to be Guisto, Yuma, Benoit, Hammond and Sorrels.

Joannes is the only gardener who has been mentioned as coming.

PEYTON HIGH SCORER ON LONGHORN CAGE TEAM

AUSTIN, TEXAS, March 8.—P. A. Peyton of Austin, who has been elected captain of the University of Texas basketball team for next season, is the high scorer man of the varsity team for this season. His score of points was 274, and George H. Robertson of Dallas followed with 166 points. E. E. Ponsford of El Paso was third in score with 102 points. The Longhorns scored 316 points in comparison with 298 points made by opponents.

Peyton, the Texas foul thrower, made 25 goals out of 144 thrown. The number of points scored by Texas players are as follows: Peyton 274, Pendergrass 166, Ponsford 102, Robertson 74, Schuchardt 54, McCullough 44, Barrett 27, Dennis 21, Curtis 8, Gilstrap 6, Duckett 4.

Robertson, as guard, leads in the number of minutes played during the season. He recorded was 305 minutes, and he was followed by McCullough with 287, Pendergrass 204, Peyton 182, Ponsford 158, Schuchardt 277, Barrett 218, Dennis 212, Curtis 187, Gilstrap 118, Duckett 187.

BOXING SUSPENDED IN MEXICALI BY GOVERNOR

EL CENTRO, CAL., March 8.—Innocents Lugo, newly appointed governor of lower California, today issued an order suspending all boxing bouts in Mexicali, according to advices reaching here. Governor Lugo's action was based on the reported complaint of American patrons of the arena that pickpockets operated in the establishment during the bouts, it was said.

Several things tended to work against Maille last season. In 1921 he finished the season by winning seven straight for Cleveland. In the world's series with Brooklyn his work was flawless. No pitcher ever went better in the big event.

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other correspondence. The letter was read by Kennedy to Mrs. Obenchain just after she had left suddenly and without informing Kennedy of her intention for Chicago. After the purported text had been read, drawing Mrs. Obenchain's tears, argument began on the admissibility of the letter in evidence.

Heads of the jury. "If I could die tonight, it is false." The foregoing phrase was read by Mrs. Obenchain from her diary as of about July 17. She said "Belton Kennedy" was her given name. This entry was made during her visit to Los Angeles within three weeks of the death of Kennedy. This was written after Kennedy's mother was said to have made slanderous statements about her and visited Mrs. Louise Wilson, Mrs. Obenchain's confidant, in an effort to prevent marriage between Kennedy and Madalynne. Kennedy did not see her for several days and failed to keep promises to telephone her, this prompting her to make a notation in her diary, she testified.

She testified concerning many letters she said she received from Kennedy while she was in Chicago between May and June last year and which she said were in her trunk at the time of her arrest. Prosecuting attorneys denied they were in the trunk. In these letters, she said, Kennedy advised her to stay in Chicago and wait for him, that he was planning to get away from everything here and going abroad until his parents would become reconciled to the marriage.

Later in the letter she testified, Kennedy had arranged for their marriage at San Francisco, she said, and July 6 came to Los Angeles where she met Kennedy every day until July 11, when the break occurred when Kennedy's mother visited Mrs. Wilson.

Kennedy telephoned and apologized and said he did not believe it was July 17, when she had the letter, she said, believing that it was false, she said. It was about this time, she said, that she made the entry in her diary.

FORMER HUSBAND OF ACCUSED IS WITNESS

LOS ANGELES, March 8.—The love and tenderness which Ralph Obenchain gave to his wife, Madalynne, were not sufficient to make her happy or make her forget her former sweetheart, J. Belton Kennedy, Obenchain testified here today at the trial of Mrs. Obenchain, charged with the murder of Kennedy here last August. Because of his failure to make her forget Kennedy, she had promised her before marriage, the couple separated after only three months of married

life, Obenchain testified. Later they were divorced. Madalynne Obenchain was not a "woman scorned," as contended by the state, according to Mrs. Mary G. Demond, another witness. Obenchain told of his college life at the Illinois university, and that of his former wife who was then Madalynne Conner and a student at the Illinois university, and that of their friendship ripened. Their engagement was announced in June, 1918. This engagement was broken off the following September, though they continued corresponding, the witness said.

Obenchain testified that he came to Los Angeles to see Madalynne following his discharge from the army in December, 1918, having learned that she was ill. It was then the witness testified, he was engaged to her and they would return to Evanston, Illinois, to live where she could get well and forget Kennedy. They were married January 1, 1919.

In answer to the question "Why did you separate?" Obenchain replied: "I could not get along with her, and the way she was treated by this other man was stronger than I thought it was at first, and some way she could not throw it off. She was not well, I told her I was going down and have it out with her, but she said no, that Kennedy then told her to get away from both of us—got by herself and decide Kennedy advised her to stay in Chicago and wait for him, that he was planning to get away from everything here and going abroad until his parents would become reconciled to the marriage."

After Mrs. Obenchain had arrived in California, Obenchain said he received a letter stating that "Belton Kennedy's mother had been slandered," and asking him to threaten her. He said he had written her, telling her to disregard the letter, and she had made up her mind to marry Kennedy in California.

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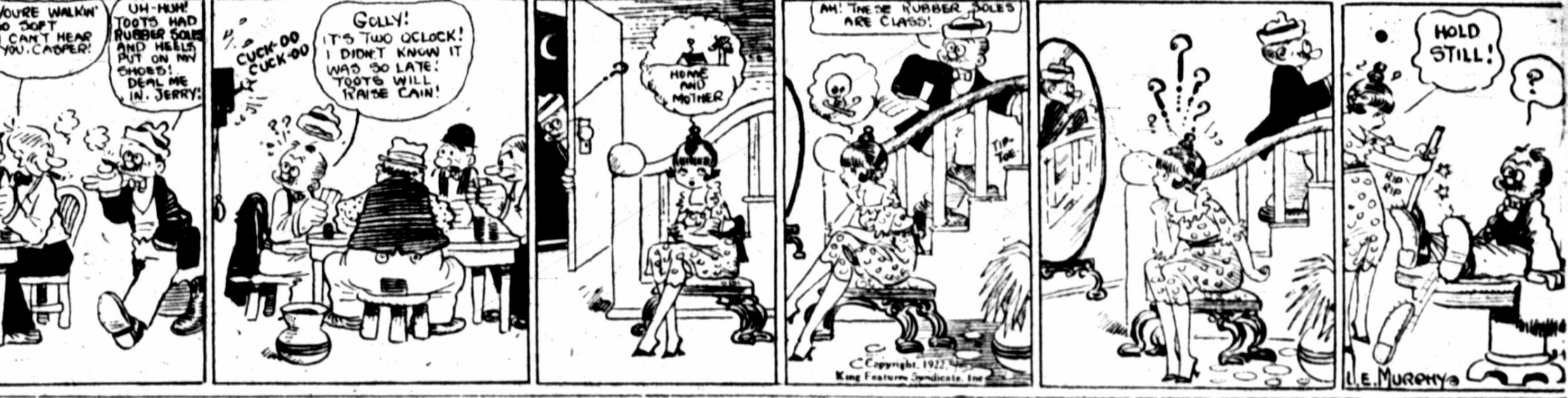
Obenchain said that his wife at that time asked him what she should do and that he answered: "It's your secret; do whatever you want." He said he had written her, telling her to disregard the letter, and she had made up her mind to marry Kennedy in California.

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CICERO SAPP Was Different When Home BY FRED LOCHER



TOOTS AND CASPER—What's the Good of "Sneakers" If There's a Mirror Around? —BY J. E. MURPHY



TRANS-MISSISSIPPI MINERS WAGE SCALE HAS BEEN PROPOSED

KANSAS CITY, March 8.—A trans-Mississippi wage scale to replace the scale of the central competitive field was proposed at the brief meeting here this morning of the miners and operators of the southwestern field. It was stated by James Cooley, vice-president, district 25 of the mine workers union. The proposition was made by Harry N. Taylor, vice-president of the Central Coal & Coke company. It was not discussed in detail. The meeting was adjourned indefinitely by W. L. A. Johnson, general commissioner for the operators at the request of the miners representatives. Both sides had gathered here

RENEWS THREAT TO MAKE SEPARATE WAGE AGREEMENT

ST. LOUIS, March 8.—Frank Farrington, president of the Illinois district, United Mine Workers of America, today reasserted he would negotiate a separate wage agreement with Illinois operators unless the international organization called an interstate conference with operators of the central competitive field, comprising four states. Mr. Farrington added, however, that this was contingent on any action President Harding may take to avert the proposed miners strike April 1. Indicating that William Green, secretary-treasurer of the interna-

PICTURE THEATERS ADOPT PAY-AS-YOU-LEAVE PLAN

OREGON, Ore., March 8.—That the "pay-as-you-leave" plan adopted here Monday by two motion picture theaters is resulting in higher houses and at least as large revenue as formerly, was the declaration today by J. R. Spar, manager of the theaters. It is optional with each patron how much he shall pay or whether he pays at all. Custom of drinking toasts is derived from the ancient religious ceremony of pouring libations to heathen gods.

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Wednesday Night Found Another Large Crowd in the Show Buildings.

"An unqualified success" and other expressions of a similar nature were all that could be heard Thursday from local automobile dealers discussing the third annual automobile show which ended its four-day exhibit Thursday night.

Not a single man of the many who expressed opinions on the show was disappointed in the way it turned out, and most of them declared that it surpassed even their wildest expectations.

"From more ways than one was the show successful," one dealer said, and he then explained that in addition to attracting capacity throngs of interested visitors it resulted in many large sales on the spot.

Other dealers handling the larger and more expensive makes reported as high as four and five sales, while few indeed were those who did not close at least one deal on the strength of the showing made by a model at the auto exhibit.

Auto accessories were also highly elated at their achievements during the show period, and while they of course made but little effort to roll up large sales accounts, they believe the advertising accomplished by the displays will have tangible results in the form of sales in the near future.

Wednesday night found another large crowd in the show buildings, many of them present being "repeaters" who had come back for a fourth year of the exhibit. Special musical entertainment helped to make the occasion a highly enjoyable one.

Various dealers started in early Thursday morning to remove their cars, and by noon the Motor Supply company rooms were empty.

Decrease in oil production for the week ending March 4, 1922. The production report from the north and west Texas district for the week ending shows an average of 123,180 barrels daily, a loss of over 4,000 barrels from the figures of the previous week.

Three men arrested at Grandfield give a Wichita Falls address. Three men, all giving their address as Grandfield, Okla., late Wednesday night and are being held in that city pending an investigation as to their complicity in a tire theft here a few days ago.

County receives final payment on lake road. County Treasurer Tom McHam was in receipt Thursday morning of the final check on the lake road from the federal government. The warrant amounted to \$8,872.53.

Lyceum attraction at Byers next Saturday. ETERS, TEXAS, March 9.—The fourth number of the lyceum course will be here March 11.

LAST SUNDAY'S SPECTACULAR FIRE



MEETINGS CALLED AT IOWA PARK AND ELECTRA SUNDAY

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF CITIZENS ASSOCIATION TAKES ACTION. SPEAKERS FROM HERE ARE TO ATTEND BOTH

Another County Mass Meeting Will Follow Those at Other Points.

A decision to have mass meetings next Sunday afternoon at Iowa Park and Electra was reached late Wednesday afternoon at the meeting of the executive committee of the recently organized Citizens' association.

The Iowa Park meeting will be held at 2 p. m. and the Electra meeting at 3:30, so as to permit members of the executive committee from this city to attend.

The meetings were called at the request of representatives of the communities mentioned, and in furtherance of the executive committee's plans for improving law enforcement conditions here.

In this connection, it is known that several matters not yet made public are being investigated by committees of the organization, and action upon these matters may be made as soon as the inquiries are completed.

CITY DOG CATCHERS ARE AGAIN ACTIVE AND 40 MORE ARE ROUNDED UP. Following a lull occasioned by the cold weather of last week, the city dog catchers resumed operations again last Monday and by Thursday had captured 40 more homeless pups.

Whether the drive will continue after this week is yet undecided, as police believe that the worst of the dog element has been disposed of. A number of pups are still running at large but most of these will be cleaned up today, Friday and Saturday unless it appears that the services of a dog catcher are still needed there is a likelihood of a large being declared with the four-footed denizens of Wichita Falls dogdom.

The ladies of the Lamar Avenue Baptist church will hold their spring and bonnet sale Saturday at Martin's.

Start paving of two blocks on Burnett street. Work has started on the paving of Burnett street, between Eighth and Tenth streets, under a special contract with property owners.

Ford touring car is stolen from W. E. Box. A Ford touring car owned by W. E. Box was stolen from in front of his home, 1311 Hayes street, early Wednesday night, according to reports to the police.



These pictures show two stages of the fire which last Sunday afternoon destroyed the old unused elevator of the Wichita Mill and Elevator company at the corner of Eleventh and Michigan.

FORT WORTH PLANT BEING ESTABLISHED BY LOCAL FOUNDRY

J. V. C. T. Christensen is in Fort Worth for several days making arrangements for the opening of a brass foundry in that city.

Mr. Christensen said that no change was contemplated in the plant here and believes that the Fort Worth plant will result in more work for the Wichita Falls plant.

Suits Filed in 80th District Court. William Hurd vs. North Texas Gas Co., damages.

Suits Filed in County Court at Law. Continental Supply Co. vs. E. D. Davenport, debt.

Marriage Licenses. M. Y. Tucker and Edith I. Bruner. Fred Maier and Anna Ford.

Answers to 3 Special Issues Favor Defendant. The jury in the case of L. M. McCracken against W. E. Conner et al returned a verdict in the 89th, dis-

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