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STATE TROOPS TO QUELL WET WAR

ENDEAVOR STOP HEAVY ATTACK ON MELLON BILL

HOUSE LEADERS ATTACK BILL VICIOUSLY AS "BIG BUSINESS"

By United News. WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Influential members of the democratic party are bringing pressure on Chairman Cordell Hull of the democratic national committee, and certain minority leaders in congress, trying to stop them from attacking the Mellon tax plan so vigorously. This situation is fast developing into a row which will crop out at the meeting of the democratic national committee here next week although every effort will be made to prevent the fight from coming up in open meeting.

The pressure is being exerted through telegrams and letters which are arriving by hundreds in the offices of democratic senators and congressmen, through calls by substantial business men and financiers and through newspaper editorials which blanket the country. Bernard M. Baruch, the financier, who is a heavy financial contributor to the democratic campaign fund, conferred with democratic senators Tuesday, giving them his point of view on the tax program.

Chairman Hull is being criticized by some of his party colleagues for using the democratic national committee office here as general headquarters of the campaign against the Mellon plan. His office has been issuing caustic statements both under his own name and on behalf of Representative Garner of Texas and other democrats, which denounce the Mellon plan as an effort by big business and special privileges to bring about lower taxes. Senator Pat Harrison's severe denunciation of the Mellon plan at the democratic Jackson Day dinner in Pittsburgh Monday night is another utterance which grates on the nerves of the more conservative democrats.

Such utterances are regarded by these conservative democrats as bad politics. There is no objection to the democratic members of the house ways and means committee, which has drafted a substitute for the Mellon proposal. This bill will be used as the basis of efforts to modify the Mellon plan. Every regular republican leader expects that the Mellon surtax schedules will be changed by congress notwithstanding the fact that Coolidge opposes any changes whatever. One of the most responsible republicans said Tuesday night that he did not believe the Mellon schedule would ever get through until it had been modified although he is for the plan as it stands.

Thus there is plenty of opportunity for the democrats to write some

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STATE NORMAL COLLEGE HAS INCREASE OF STUDENTS

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 8.—The West Texas State Teachers' College opened its winter term Tuesday with an increase of eighty-one students in its enrollment.

Despite the very cold weather that prevails, students have come in on time to begin work, and all conditions are most favorable to a term of concentrated effort.

President J. A. Hill leaves today for Fort Worth to attend a meeting of the Presidents of the State Teachers' Colleges of Texas.

Misdemeanor Champ.
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Herman Fuchs, 35, taxi chauffeur, is the worst driver and the world's champion traffic court defendant. He was up again Tuesday for some minor violation and it was disclosed that this was his 40th arrest for misbehavior at the wheel since 1914.

BRITAIN LIKELY REFUSE RUM TREATY

By United News. LONDON, Jan. 8.—Simultaneously with the news that Britain made representations to the United States regarding the detention of the alleged rum runner Kwasind, it is learned that there is a possibility that either parliament or some of the British dominions may not ratify the proposed treaty for the extension of the three-mile limit.

There is increasing resentment in government circles here over recent seizures of British ships outside the three mile limit, and there is also a growing feeling that America will profit too much by the treaty.

The British embassy at Washington has made representations to the American state department at Washington regarding the seizure of the Tomoko and the Kwasind, but thus far no formal protest has developed.

DOCTORS ORDER TROTSKY TO TAKE VACATION

By United News. MOSCOW, Jan. 8.—Leon Trotsky, commander-in-chief of the red army, will drop all work during a two month's vacation ordered by his doctors.

A statement issued by physicians Monday read:

"Trotsky, on November 5, contracted catarrhal influenza, which disappeared, but he continued to have a temperature of 38 degrees.

"Owing to the slow character of his illness, which might become more acute under adverse climatic conditions, we consider it necessary to grant Trotsky an immediate of not less than two months, during which time he must abandon all work for a special climatic cure."

The statement was signed by Professor Foerster, Gautier, Alexandrov, Konchalovsky and Semashko.

Boston still blew up as cops entered. What a warm reception! And the drinks were on the house.

GARNER'S TAX PLAN NOT BE ACCEPTED BY COOLIDGE

By United News. WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—President Coolidge regards the high surtax provision of the democratic tax plan presented by Representative Garner of Texas, as discouraging to business, and feels that it would cause investment in tax free securities, an evil that the Mellon plan is designed to correct.

With this opinion expressed at the White House Tuesday, it was said also that the president believes, with Representative Longworth of Ohio, Republican floor leader, that tax legislation should take precedence over all other matters before congress.

Longworth reiterated Tuesday his conviction that the republican conference Thursday night would vote to place the full tax program ahead of the bonus. Republican leaders who are counting noses say that this motion will win by 14 votes.

Members of the soldier bloc in the house, however, are still confident that their motion to bring the bonus out of the ways and means committee by January 21, will pass.

In spite of the insistence of the president and Secretary of the Treasury Mellon for a 25 per cent surtax, many republican members of the house do not feel that this rate will ever get through, and many of them are opposed to making the cut this deep.

NEW GARAGE AND FILLING STATION BUILDING AT CANYON

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 8.—Work is progressing nicely on a new garage and filling station which is being erected on Fifth avenue. Both these are of modern construction and will be ready for occupancy as soon as possible. One is the property of William Schmidt, and one of Wesley Kleinschmidt.

BELIEVE GIRL WAS ATTACKED BY MISTAKE

By United News. EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 8.—The sheriff, chief of detectives, chief of police and district attorney's office on Tuesday were engaged in trying to solve the brutal murder Sunday night of beautiful Rowena Robinson, 17-year-old high school girl, whose battered body was found early Monday in a deep pocket near the smelter plant.

Almost every available clue has been run to earth without result, making the case one of the most baffling that local authorities have tried to solve for many years.

Miss Mary Robinson, sister of the dead girl, believes that the slayer killed her sister by mistake and was really looking for her.

"Rowena was wearing my chin-chilled coat, silver hat, and carrying my purse when she went down town," she said. "I believe that in the darkness, the man thought she was my sister instead of my sister."

Threats that she would be kidnaped unless she eloped with a certain man were related to officers by Mary Robinson and are being investigated.

Investigators have come to the unanimous conclusion that either a maniac without regard to the proximity of dwelling below the pocket killed Rowena, or that she was strangled to death by some one familiar with the surroundings who later carried her body to the point where it was discovered.

Late Tuesday night it was announced at the smelter plant that a reward of \$1,000 had been raised among the workers for the apprehension of Miss Robinson's slayer.

County Attorney Pelphrey also announced he would subscribe an additional \$100 personally, making \$1,100 reward.

TWO YOUTHS FRUSTRATE MANIAC'S ATTACK ON FATHER

By United News. NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Fourteen-year-old Josephine O'Leary and her sister Julia, 10, saved the life of their father, John O'Leary, when they fought off an insane man who attacked him with a hammer, a hatchet and an ice pick.

William Alderman, O'Leary's brother-in-law and war veteran, was the assailant. He could easily have killed the children, but the fury of their attack disconcerted him and he finally fled, leaving O'Leary with wounds that may yet prove fatal.

Alderman became suddenly insane at the O'Leary home after intermittent brooding spells which covered a period of several weeks.

McADOO ADVOCATES FOR STRONG TAX REDUCTION AS PARTY PLATFORM

By United News. LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 8.—William G. McAdoo sounded the battle cry of his campaign for the democratic presidential nomination here Tuesday night in an address honoring Andrew Jackson, when he declared he would strenuously combat what he considers the greatest enemy of the American people—privilege.

"Privilege is now more formidable and menacing to the future of democracy than ever before in our history," McAdoo said, "and the fundamental battle which must be fought again in 1924 is to determine whether the masses of the American people can really secure government administered in the interest of all the people."

Declaring the democratic party is strongly for tax reduction, McAdoo attacked the Mellon plan in its most important phases.

The admission tax plan is a typical concession to have the former secretary of the treasury stated, "sugar coated with mites for the small tax payer."

His democratic tax plan, McAdoo said, would reduce taxes upon small and moderate incomes to a lower level than those proposed by the Mellon scheme.

CARRIE JACOBS BOND NOT SERIOUSLY ILL

By United News. HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Jan. 8.—Carrie Jacobs Bond, famous composer of ballads, is not dangerously ill, it was announced Tuesday night by her secretary.

The composer is suffering from a nervous breakdown but friends are not alarmed over her condition. She will sail January 29 for Hawaii on a six months trip to recuperate. Her illness was first made public when it was announced she could not attend programs in her honor in connection with "Carrie Jacobs Bond Week" being celebrated here.

FORBES DENIES ACCUSATIONS OF O'RYAN

By United News. WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Reputation of the veteran's bureau report of Major General John F. O'Ryan, special counsel for the senate investigating committee, has stirred up considerable commotion at the capital and revived rumors that the senate committee refused to go as deeply into the veterans bureau scandals as O'Ryan desired.

When the hearings were stopped abruptly some weeks ago, it was said here that the investigation had come close to home to a prominent republican senator, whose friends were involved in some contracts under scrutiny.

Senator Reed of Pennsylvania, chairman of the committee, repudiated the published sections of the O'Ryan report Tuesday, declaring that they had apparently been taken from first proofs which have been materially changed by the committee.

Forbes, through his attorney here, denied the accusations in the O'Ryan report as without foundation. It is understood Forbes has written a letter to Attorney-General Daugherty virtually challenging the department of justice to prosecute him for irregularities in the conduct of the veterans bureau, and threatening to present evidence which would cause a general scurry to cover in government circles if the prosecution started.

CANYON IS TO HAVE A SPECIAL NUTRITION WORKER SOON

CANYON, Jan. 8.—Canyon is to have a nutrition worker, trained and sent out by the American Red Cross, who will begin her duties here within a few days and will continue for two months. Through the efforts of the Randall County Red Cross, Miss Mildred Smith has been secured for this work. She will be assisted by the members of the Canyon P. T. A., of which Mrs. Harvey Cash is president.

All children will be given a thorough examination and parents will be informed of such conditions as need correction. Undernourished children, children over-weight, and all others suffering from conditions which make it impossible for them to do their best work will be given instruction in classes and individually to help them become normal. Classes will be conducted for mothers and Miss Smith will stress the need of regular hours, proper food and regular physical habits for the school child.

GIVES REASONS FOR CALLING ON MILITIA

MARION, Ill., Jan. 8.—His reasons for calling state troops to "Bloody Williamson County" to preserve order were given the United News by Sheriff George Galligan in an exclusive interview Tuesday night. They are:

1. "Three of the places raided by prohibition officers within the last week were destroyed by fire.

2. "Disorders occurred Tuesday at Madison Mining camp No. 9.

3. "S. Glenn Young, leading dry agent, Monday night arrested several members of the Herrin police force, and instructed one of them, Al Richardson, to turn in his star.

4. "Two Browning machine guns were manned in court Tuesday when Young was tried for assault."

THREE KILLED IN KATY TRAIN COLLISION

By United News. HOUSTON, Texas, Jan. 8.—Three men were killed and scores are known to have been injured when two M. K. & T. passenger trains collided on a blind side track two mile west of Houston late Tuesday night.

The engineer and fireman on one of the engines and an unidentified passenger were killed. Two others are missing.

The impact of the two locomotives hurled both off the right-of-way. One exploded as it left the tracks.

Physicians and nurses accompanied ambulances to the scene of the wreck, and a second call for medical assistance was received shortly after midnight.

SITTING ON COMMITTEE AS INDIVIDUALS ONLY SAY AMERICANS

PARIS, Jan. 8.—Brig-General Charles G. Dawes and Owen D. Young will sit on the experts committee to investigate German finances purely as private citizens.

In a formal statement to correspondents here the Americans denied they will report directly to the United States government.

"We come as private citizens without any instructions and without the obligation of making reports except to the reparations commission," their statement said. "We have no preconceived plans, and are simply hoping that, in plans developed by others, we may be of assistance."

"There is one statement that we have no hesitation in making, namely that time is the essence of this situation and that the committee is a business committee concerned with facts and constructive inferences from these facts.

"The work of the committee should be conducted with all possible expedition and there should be daily and continuous sessions."

SHERIFF ASKS AID TO HANDLE "WET" FACTION

ENFORCEMENT PROHIBITION LAWS BEYOND CONTROL COUNTY OFFICERS

By United News. MARION, Ill., Jan. 8.—One hundred and twenty five national guardsmen, the first troops to take the field in enforcement of American prohibition, marched through the streets of excited Marion late Tuesday night following their arrival here to prevent rioting in the mining camp-boozleggers' war.

Military headquarters have been established in the "Bloody Williamson county" courthouse, and it appeared unlikely that the militia would go on guard until officers have completed a thorough investigation.

Marital law will not be declared until after the arrival of Adjutant General Carlos Black unless disorders occur.

Sheriff George Galligan, whose call for help resulted in dispatch of the troops to Marion by Governor Len Small, informed Major W. P. Greaney, commander of the three companies, that he desired the troops to take complete charge of the county. Rigid enforcement of the law is necessary, he said, due to the extensive disorders resulting from attempts to enforce the prohibition laws "by militant raids on homes and suspected blind tigers.

The militiamen are heavily armed and equipped with field equipment in order to meet any emergency which may arise.

There was no disorder following their arrival. Silent men and women lined the streets, recalling a strike scene nineteen months ago when the troops came to quell rioters after the Herrin mine massacres, in which 25 persons were killed.

Fear that the bootlegger's war, coupled with general ill feeling growing out of wholesale dry raids and the part Ku Klux Klan members have played in these, would lead to bloodshed greater than that which in 1922 made the name of Herrin and Williamson county known in every home in every country in the world, prompted Sheriff George Galligan to appeal for troops.

The spectacle presented Tuesday when friends of Young mounted two machine guns in justice's court, and stood guard over the town room throughout the trial caused the immediate call for help.

Si-k and confined to his bed, the sheriff at noon wrote the telegram which threw the state capitol into nervous excitement and sent national guards back to "bloody Williamson county" again.

"Bitterness growing out of these

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MAIN ATTACKS OF SENATE SESSION DIRECTED AT MAYFIELD AND SALE OF ARMS TO OREGON GOV'T

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Specification of the charges against Senator Mayfield of Texas, which may lead to his ousting from the senate, was the outstanding development in congress Tuesday.

In addition to charges of excessive expenditures "fraud and lawlessness" a conspiracy of the Ku Klux Klan was cited in the bill of indictment presented by Senator Spencer of Missouri, in charge of the investigation, who announced that all of the election ballots will be brought here for a recount.

No legislation was considered in the house Tuesday. The senate passed one bill, providing a government bureau of aviation, introduced by Senator Wadsworth of New York, and one resolution directing the secretary of agriculture to investigate alleged manipulation of the Chicago grain exchange, by Senator Ladd of North

Dakota. A bill preventing the sale of arms or war munitions to a foreign government by the government or any citizen, except in time of war, aimed at the recent sale of arms to the Mexican government, was introduced in the senate by Senator Robinson of Arkansas.

There were several speeches in the senate. McCormick of Illinois, declared that the Bok peace prize had been awarded by a "packed jury." Senator Howell of Nebraska, charged that the development of radio is controlled by the biggest monopoly in the world. Senator Edge of New Jersey asked passage of immediate legislation to divorce the shipping board from the Emergency Fleet corporation.

Succeeds Self Third Time.
NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Walter F. Koppish, good student, all around athlete, and twice champion of Columbia University's football team, achieved an honor which is believed to be without precedent in eastern athletics when he was elected captain again Tuesday. Koppish's third season as captain of the football team will be his last year in the game.

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"THE COVERED WAGON"

From Robt. E. Irwin, Press Reporter

Facing the marvelous realism of Ernest Torrence and Tully Marshall as the two old scouts in "The Covered Wagon" a Paramount production, the spectators at the Lindsey Theatre on Tuesday, January 15, are apt to infer that the qualities of Will Jackson and Jim Bridger is hers in these actors and they're really playing themselves. Taking chances of spoiling some folks' pleasure it may be stated that both portrayals are really artistic assumptions. For instance, Mr. Torrence isn't a hell-roaring, booze-fighting, tobacco-chewing frontiersman, but a quiet Scotch gentleman who happens to detest Lady Nicotine. He had to chew for this picture, but he simply wouldn't adopt tobacco. Props fixed him up a black molasses "toffee" that appropriately smeared his lips, and Torrence really became a "toffee" fiend and soon all the other members of the company were begging his "tobacco" until the extra girls had to start an old fashioned candy kitchen to keep up with the demand. Mr. Torrence, by the way, was a Scottish actor until he came to the United States. He made his first picture fame in "Tolable Oavid," and has been going strong ever since.

Tully Marshall made up his portrayal of historical old Jim Bridger from a daguerreotype in possession of Marshall's aunt. You see he was lucky to come from a pioneer family. It is the only known likeness of the proprietor of Fort Bridger in existence. The facial layout funny whiskers and all, is as different from Tully's self as his previous histrionic line of dope fiend is different from either. They thought the gentle Tully Marshall was the camp cook when he went to get his saddle horse for the first "plains hike". Such is fame! Tully was born in Nevada City, California, got his training at the old Baldwin Theatre, San Francisco and has been a Western actor—more or less—all his life.

There will be two showings of "The Covered Wagon" Tuesday at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY

This is to announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff, to succeed myself, at the July primary this year.

I have, during my year's service to the public endeavored to fulfill the duties incumbent upon me with favor or prejudice toward no one. If my actions as a public servant meet with your approbation, I shall appreciate your vote an influence.

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MRS. FRANK NORFLEET'S PART IN THE GREAT MAN CHASE THAT HER HUSBAND RECENTLY COMPLETED

Columns and columns of type have been set regarding the wonderful man chase that Frank Norfleet, of the South Plains has recently completed, and Mr. Norfleet deserves all the praise he has been given in turning the work of the swindlers into sorrow for them, but nothing has been said of the part that the wife, Mrs. Norfleet played in the affair. The Star-Telegram however, in a recent issue gave the following story of an interview that a representative of the paper had with Mrs. Norfleet recently:

"Quiet, dignified, ringing true on every test a woman who fulfills this ideal told me how she did it. Not in words, O, no, she could never frame formulae for living, she just lives and acts and if you question closely she tells you what she did and why she did it and then you understand.

Mrs. J. Frank Norfleet is the wife of a man who has been thrown on the screen of renown within the last four years in dramatic manner. In Fort Worth four years ago he was floored out of \$45,000, the accumulated savings of the Norfleet family. Together he and his wife took a vow that the criminals would be brought to justice. It has taken Norfleet four years to keep that vow. He has kept it. And she has done her part.

How She Helped Him
"I just stayed at home and fed the lambs," she said with no idea of being dramatic. A tall, tawny haired woman with honest eyes and a smile that could win the world, she reminds one of The Prairie Wife—if you happen to know the story. "Frank was gone four years and when he came back to me why, of course, we were just as happy and just as near to each other," she said. "There was no difference."

She has lived on the farm and she has been through such thrilling experiences in 18 states, Canada and Cuba that when told they seem unbelievable except from the lips of honest Frank Norfleet.

Her first and most outstanding "method" or formula or whatever it may be is detected when she talks about Frank and his achievement.

"I can't just realize that he has done anything so very great," she said. "It is just as if we had done it together and when things are so near they don't seem any different from the everyday run of things."

She has lived with him in thought, in hope, in thorough understanding. When he wanted to begin the long and apparently useless search for the bunco men this woman of great heart and great understanding said: "I let him go, because I know he would never be happy until he tried it anyway. And now I am proud that he did it. He has rid the country of men who will never rob other farmers and will have to let women and children alone."

Debtors Close In
But while Frank was doing this Mrs. Norfleet was at home watching the bank close in on her, selling article to pay off notes and then not able to meet some of them. She sold 2,000 acres of land because of

the note against it—the note that paid Frank Norfleet's railroad fare while he was making the spectacular fight lone handed for the bunco men.

"Yes, I rode the range and herded cattle," she admitted, "I helped with the sheep and I tried to save the land. I succeeded only partially. My boy and I did all the work and tried to get together the money for Dad to continue the search. Each of the four years we went deeper into debt and our losses increased."

All the while she had faith in Frank Norfleet and he knew it. He wrote daily letters to her during the four years.

"Worth it? Why I wouldn't do anything else," she answered earnestly. "If it were all to do over again I would do just as I have done."

She has faith. She backs up that faith with her sacrifice.

Her Real Success
She has understanding and she

strives daily to increase it. A country woman brought up on the farm she has developed an understanding of her husband's desire to hunt criminals to bring them to justice.

It is no little problem, it is no little achievement. Apartment house brides weigh their husband-problems as the heaviest in all the world. This woman of the Plains shifted her whole point of view, adjusted herself to the new order, had faith developed understanding and helped her husband win. His was the glory and hers was the humble unseen achievement. She did it and she has the glory of the knowledge of her success. And yet she seldom thinks of it. She just knows things are right and by her thought and her action makes them right.

"Our fortune is gone. We are as poor as when we started out in our youth. But then, we have health, we have each other and the children and there will be some way to save our place and some way for us to live in our old age," the woman who is the wife of Frank Norfleet said with a smile.

PIANO TUNING

Bert Crosno, Expert Piano Tuner and repairman, will be here for a few days. All work guaranteed. Phone Rix's 675.

TO THE VOTERS OF LUBBOCK COUNTY

This is to announce that I will be a candidate for the office of County Attorney, to succeed myself, at the July primary this year.

In making this announcement, I desire to express my sincere appreciation of the splendid support that our citizenship has rendered to the officers during my one year's tenure of office.

Respectfully yours,
OWEN W. McWHORTER,
County Attorney.

PROGRESS BEING MADE ON HOCKLEY CO. ROAD

B. K. Garrett, engineer, who is helping to supervise construction of the R. Q. Mills highway across Hockley county, was here Tuesday and stated that work is being started in full blast on the road at this time, but due to the ground being frozen it has been impossible to work until just the past few days.

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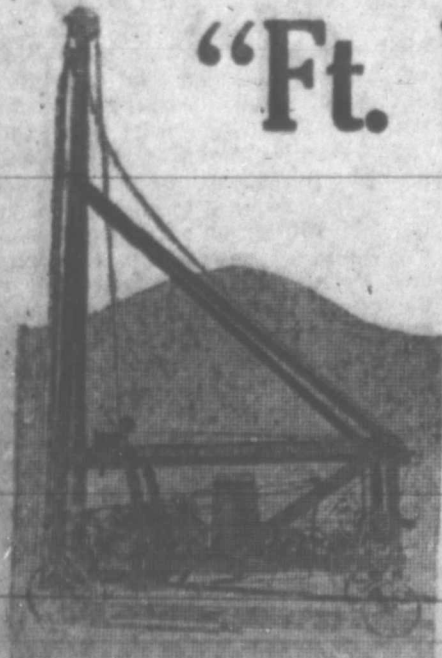
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The development of the Lubbock trade territory and the subsequent growth of the city is not at all a surprise to the "old timers" who braved the difficulties and hardships of pioneering the Plains for the rewards that they felt would be theirs in the years of the future, and that they used good judgment in locating here and displayed the value of confidence in one's country, is evidenced by the marked increase in land and property values during the past quarter of a century.

Not more than twenty five years ago one could travel in a "prairie schooner" for days without having the good fortune to see anyone, but today well kept farm homes are to be found throughout the country and an average of from six to fifteen immigrant cars are unloaded

here every day, whose occupants will add more homes and more cultivated acreage to the Plains, and will likewise increase the wealth of this section of the Plains.

It is hard to estimate just how many people are moving to this country by taking note of the number of immigrant cars, for more than a few of them contain the household goods of several families, whose farming implements, wagons, teams and cattle are being brought here overland, and there are countless numbers of families who are employing the erstwhile popular "prairie schooner" as a means of reaching their newly acquired lands on the Plains.

Yes, Lubbock is growing, but not one bit too fast for the territory that makes up the bulk of her trade territory.

SECRETARY KEEN RETURNS FROM VACATION; DECLARES LUBBOCK IS THE BEST TOWN SEEN ON JAUNT

"You tell 'em it is a 'fur piece' to 'Frisco and back, said Secretary Keen Monday morning at his office in the Chamber of Commerce in talk about his recent trip.

"We left Lubbock the 16th and fourteen day's driving time covered exactly 4,010 miles. The roads were good, moderately rotten, bad and worse but we didn't get stuck a single time. We saw a lot of beautiful country, some mighty good crops, oranges hanging on the tree, flowers blooming on Christmas day and all that sort of thing and enjoyed it all—but nowhere on the entire 4,000 mile trip did we see as much building underway, as much new land being put into cultivation or as much general business activity in proportion to the population as we found after we began to come into the Lamesa country and on into Lubbock.

After you see the efforts and the expense the growers in the irrigated sections and in the mountain sections of those Western States go to produce a crop you wonder why they all don't pull up and come to Lubbock and get done with it. It costs some of them \$10 per acre per year to get their land ready to cultivate—and after that they have to buy water, labor and go to the other expenses. But it is a great trip—a beautiful country and only makes you more satisfied with the great future that is ahead of Lubbock and the Plains country in the coming years.

"It takes a pretty fair day and a half's driving to make El Paso—a distance of 430 miles by our speedometer. The roads are moderately fair practically all of the way with a strip of rotten road across the State University School Land this side of Pecos for about 45 miles. From Stanton to 20 miles west of Midland the roads are perfect and the last fifty to seventy five miles into El Paso are paved."

"From El Paso thru Deming to Douglas is a good day's drive with 40 miles of about the worse road we found on the trip. From Douglas to Fort Huachuca is all pavement and good gravel road but then the fun starts. Before you get to the desert and crossing you have a variety of every kind of road you ever heard of. If you happen to be a student of geology I am sure that you could find every kind of stone, soil, formation and fossil in the world on the next two day's trip. Of course the Good Master has a purpose for everything He has ever created in the world but He alone knows why He lets some folks live and why He built such a country as you see between Blythe and Mecca.

CALDWELL MAN HERE TO LOOK AFTER SCHOOL

J. H. Snyder, of the Caldwell community, was here Monday looking after business for the Caldwell School District. Mr. Snyder is one of the prominent farmers of that community and is an alert worker for the betterment of the school of that community.

It is hard to estimate the value of such schools as the one of which Mr. Snyder is a trustee, for they are being built in advance of the development of the various communities, and reflect well upon the progressiveness of our citizenship.

"In California you find pavement—miles and miles of it—and vertiable wonder of wonders—not a speed cop in sight. We drove at a pace varying from 20 to 55 miles per hour—hour after hour thru mountains, across the plains, the valleys, along the seashore—and never a speed cop did we see.

"We came back thru the valley and visited with a number of Chambers of Commerce and Co-Operative Associations and found general business good. They have enough raisins to feed the entire world it looks like and oranges are moving in car loads. We ran thru a lettuce country and saw the farmers hauling lettuce to town in loads just like they do cotton during the fall months around Lubbock. Fifteen and twenty truck loads of green lettuce passed on the road within three or four miles of each of the shipping sheds along the railroad. It is a sight that makes you think.

"We found folks about the same everywhere we went. Secretaries in California think Texas secretaries have a snap. California farmers think Texas farmers have easy pickings. Those who live there want to move somewhere else—at least many of them—and folks who live somewhere else want to move there—and there you be. I ran into a Chamber of Commerce membership campaign at Riverside where they were trying to raise enough money to carry on their work in good shape. In another place they were organizing a district Fair and Fruit Show—Poultry Clubs are being organized, and so on—the same sort of folks, the same sort of problems, and the same laws of life prevailing—the hard-working, honest man is making a living, cussing his taxes, contributing to the church, civic work, and so on—the regular round of living.

"Everywhere we went we found folks who knew about Lubbock—about the South Plains country and the location of the Tech College. Some of them will move to Lubbock in the coming years, others would like to. But nowhere on the entire trip did we find the spirit of progress, growth, expansion so evident as in the South Plains section. Los Angeles is making a great growth and a heavy building program is under way of course but it is on a different type and kind from that

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Resolutions of Respect by the County School Board, on the death of Judge E. R. Haynes.

Whereas, on December 31, 1923, our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, saw fit to call our friend and co-worker, Judge E. R. Haynes, to his heavenly reward, therefore be it resolved

That we, as a County School Board of Trustees, in attempting to portray in words, the sense of our deep felt loss of our friend and advisor, one whose noble heart and broad intellect has so bound him to us, and on whom we could so fully depend, that ordinary words seem cold and meaningless; be it further resolved

That in the death of Judge Haynes the county has lost one of its most worthy citizens, his church a cristian gentleman, his wife a loving husband; resolved

That we do hereby express our deep sorrow, in the loss we have sustained, and we do commend his life of usefulness and service, to those who knew him, as worthy of imitation; resolved.

That to his bereaved wife and family, and his host of friends, we extend our heartfelt sympathy, and bow our heads to Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, a copy spread upon our records, and a copy sent to our papers for publication.

Respectfully submitted,
COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD,
By W. O. Sheeley,
T. J. Richardson, Pres.
J. H. Burroughs, Prec. No. 1
B. F. Hutson, Prec. No. 3
Bob Crump, Prec. No. 4
W. O. Sheeley, at Large.

HENRY LEE FINLEY DIED SUNDAY, JAN. 7

Henry Lee Finley, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Finley of Ropesville, died Monday, January 7 and funeral services were conducted Tuesday by Rev. Jack M. Lewis. Interment was made in the Lubbock cemetery.

He is survived by his partners and nine sisters and brothers.

J. W. JENNINGS OF LUBBOCK SENT TO RANDALL COUNTY

CANYON, Texas, Jan. 8.—J. W. Jennings arrived Monday from Lubbock to take up the work of County Agent for Randall County.

Mr. Jennings was assigned to this work by District Agent Edmonds on December 9th, but through some mistake the county officials here were not notified of his coming and were not expecting Mr. Jennings when he arrived Monday, although it has been planned for several months to employ a county agent beginning with the first of 1924.

Mr. Jennings states that he was anxious to come to Randall county owing to the opportunities he believes exist here. He states that at least four of the best county agents in Northwest Texas were bidding for this county, and he feels fortunate in being selected.

Mr. Jennings is a graduate of the A. & M. College. He and Parker D. Hanna were in College Station at the same time. He has served in various branches of the agricultural work and has been in Lubbock county for three and one-half years.

Mr. Jennings will move his family to Canyon as soon as he finds a house and gets his work arranged.

P. O. BROCK ANNOUNCES FOR OFFICE PUBLIC WEIGHER

In this issue of the Avalanche will be found the name of P. O. Brock, who comes before the voters for their consideration as a candidate for the office of public weigher. Mr. Brock is not a stranger to the people of Lubbock. He has been here for the past seven years, and during that time has been in public business of some kind. Before coming to this county he was for three years a bonded public weigher in Falls county, and he is anxious that anyone who wishes to know more about him and his qualifications to make any investigation that they might see fit.

Mr. Brock will endeavor to see all the voters of this precinct before the primary in July, and asks that you give his claims due consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENT

In the columns of this issue you will see my announcement for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction. In coming before the citizens of Lubbock county and asking for the nomination for this office subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July, I refer you to my record and services in the educational affairs of our county for more than 30 years. Any consideration and influence that the voters in this election may see fit to give my candidacy will be very greatly appreciated.

P. F. BROWN.

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MAUPIN MUST PAY FOR MURDER WITH HIS LIFE

By United News.
DES MOINES, Iowa, Jan. 8.—Roy Maupin, convicted slayer of Joe Hayes, a Carney minor, will pay the extreme penalty on the gallows at Fort Madison penitentiary on Friday, January 18, at 7:30 o'clock a. m.

Governor Kendall fixed the hour of the execution late yesterday afternoon in the same memorandum in which he denied appeals of Maupin's attorneys for commutation of sentence from death to life imprisonment.

Maupin was convicted of killing Hayes after he assaulted him with a club and robbed him of \$80.92 on January 20, 1922.

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THE PRINTED PAGE—THE NEWSPAPER.

Every day the presses pour forth the printed pages. Motor trucks wait to receive them. Newsboys cry them on bustling street corners. Newsstands sell them to a multitude. By train and mail-man and carrier they reach the firesides of the country.

These pages are vital to the thought and action of the nation. The city without newspapers is a city paralyzed, hesitating in its trade, given over to rumor and uncertainty in its social life. The nation without newspapers or magazines would be a nation in the dark. It would be easily stampeded. It would suspect its neighbors because it would be ignorant of them. To have confidence in the very mechanism of life men must know what other men are doing. The printed page tells them.

On the printed page is felt the pulse of life in many lands. One day an earthquake sweeps a distant nation. On the next relief is promised through these pages. At home two men desire political office. The election of one of them seems certain, yet the printed page has power to deflect the people's favor.

Here also men expect to find detailed and accurate descriptions of the merchandise they would purchase. By the printed page they are enabled to gauge the desirability of articles and to form their buying preferences. Here are determined the equipments of workshops and the decorative schemes for living-rooms, the make of the family's car and the contents of its market basket. Here are heralded the fashions of dress that are to hold sway this winter and next spring.

Twenty-five million American families buy twenty-one million newspapers every day, not to mention the periodicals they receive by the week and the month. Out of magazines and newspapers they glean the ideas that are to rule their daily lives. They read the printed page with confidence. Its advertising carries conviction.

The printed page fills the business houses with purchasers. Consistent advertising, truthful advertising will make any firm a rousing business. Of course there is a tremendous amount of money wasted on advertising that never hits the spot, but the firm that does advertising in a way that will reach the buying public is the firm that is going to get the business. This was very forcibly demonstrated in Lubbock on the last First Monday, when the stores that advertised real bargains were crowded all day long with eager purchasers. The newspaper is more and more being depended upon for information of merchandise, social and commercial information, and the wide awake business man is rapidly finding this out. People of the United States are reading more now than ever before, and the nation is becoming more enlightened. The people are becoming more independent in their thinking, and hence they are not prone to follow the thoughts of one man as much as they formerly did.

Politicians can no longer sway the voters as they could in former years. They cannot get by with so much dope on their opponents for the voters have read all about it before the stump-speaker gets around to them.

The press is being recognized as a great power in America, and some of those fellows who were born very near the line of some of the less enlightened nations are always howling suppression of the press.

A BANNER YEAR OF INDUSTRY HAS JUST CLOSED.

The statistical record of the year 1923 has been a remarkable one, and since it is only through dry, cold figures that some idea of the enormous expansion which has taken place in industry and business may be gained, some of these barometers, to which the country's commercial leaders must look for future guidance, are recounted. The American people produced more, spent more, and saved more than ever before. Back clearings for the year 1923 have been approximately \$23,000,000,000 larger than those of 1922; railroad earnings for the year were approximately 5.10 per cent of the high valuation of the roads, or a gross of \$5,423,958,000 as compared with \$4,690,718,000 in the previous year; the farm crops were valued at \$8,222,695,000 as compared with \$7,499,804,000 in 1922; building permits for the first eleven months of the year aggregated \$2,434,262,000 as compared with \$1,907,766,000 in 1922. Commercial failures involved \$93,000,000 less than in 1922. The output of pig iron, 43,000,000 tons, was double that of 1914. Cotton consumption exceeded that of 1922 by 500,000 bales. Surely, in view of these cold facts, business has very little cause of complaint over higher wages to labor, or because of taxes—most of which were passed on the ultimate consumer.

The Presbyterian Church is asking all religious and civic organizations to meet in Washington, February 13 and 14, to plan a campaign for national legislation to bring all motion picture exhibitions under federal control.

ARE WE ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS?

Texas has a record in the matter of education that no one is proud of. We are a great state. Our border lines are long and much talked about. The Lone Star state is one of the biggest pieces of land enclosed within state lines anywhere. We are proud of the grand old Lone Star state, but our educational standing is something to be alarmed about. Even with our free school system, when nearly everything is furnished the pupil there are hundreds, yes thousands who are not in school today, that should be, and not for any good reason either. There are hundreds in Lubbock Independent school district who are loafing on the streets or grabbing in the trash barrels in the alley that should be in school. They are not kept out because they have to work, for they are not working. They are not kept out because they have no clothes, because they are fairly well clad but it is the indifferent parents. They will not make the child attend school, and hence the percentage of illiterates in the state does not improve very rapidly. If Texas with the advantages that she has took the interest in educating herself that some of the countries of the old world does, there would be a marked improvement in the educational columns. Germany for example is reported to be in the grasp of hunger in many instances, and this condition seemed to be effecting the attendance upon the attendance of the schools, so much so that steps are being taken in a general way to keep the children in school. "Anna couldn't come to school this morning—she was too hungry." "Fritz was forced to stay at home today, because he had nothing to eat." These and similar "excuses"—common in Berlin school circles—were becoming so numerous and so regular that measures were taken to eliminate them through group "breakfasts" in the school rooms. Already 5,161 kiddies get a plate of hot soup and a hard roll before they are permitted to enter the classrooms. The soup is all made in one central city-operated kitchen and brought to the various schools in thermos bottles. Many children were not coming to school at all because of hunger others fainted in their seats, and teachers often went without breakfast, giving their bit to the hungry little ones under their care. However, along in late November, a committee of Berlin women was organized to undertake the feeding of those most needy. It was determined that one hundred children could live six weeks if they were fed 200 pounds of meal or flour and forty pounds of fatty substances. This required 100 gold marks or less than \$25 in American money. Within a few days after the first feeding, on November 25, fourteen schools were added to the initial experiment. Today there are 58, and within a week ten more are to be added. The actual work of distributing the soup is done by women living in the neighborhood who volunteer. The soup kitchens were kept open during the Christmas holidays and each morning the youngsters appeared with their pans and cards. Many a former truant now hurries to be first in line. Attendance has increased.

THE BEST IS NONE TOO GOOD FOR THE TEXAS TECH.

The Avalanche is in receipt of a letter from President Horn, of the Texas Tech, in which he states that he in company with a number of the members of the board of regents will start on a tour of visits to a number of the leading technological colleges of the country. Dr. Horn will keep the readers of the Avalanche posted as to the things this party finds in a series of articles that he will furnish us as he makes this journey through the east and takes special note of the buildings, the equipment and the advantages and disadvantages of the buildings that they have. Dr. Horn will possibly be away about two months, storing up knowledge that will be used in the building the newest technological school in the United States and in all probability the largest one. He states that the visit will begin at the Alabama Tech and will include the Boston Tech the University of Wisconsin and the school at Ames Iowa. Dr. Horn says in concluding his letter to us that it is the idea of those who have the planning of the Texas Tech College in hand that the best is none too good for Texas and particularly the Texas Technological college at Lubbock.

The findings of Dr. Horn and his party will be interesting, and the readers of the Morning Avalanche as well as the Weekly Avalanche will enjoy his reports and we are glad to have secured this series of articles for our paper.

We agree with Dr. Horn that nothing is too good for this school and we are sure with a president with the enthusiasm that the Texas Tech head has in the matter that everything possible will be done to put this school on a par with institutions of learning of the very highest type to be found anywhere.

Little Avalanches

If Congress can't reduce taxes it certainly can reduce confidence in itself.

Our position simply is that a bride's trousseau should contain not only lingerie, but regular clothes.

Another reason why we don't run for office is because we might become a pessimist after the election.

One of the strangest things in this world is why a good-looking man with a lot of money will risk everything by living in Hollywood.

Of course it is none of our business, but even if the English do choose a Labor Government next time, it is no sign that it will work.

To understand any man, we must have sympathy for him, even affection. No intellectual acuteness, no amount even of pity for his errors, will enable us to see the man from within and put our soul in the place of his soul.



INTERIOR VIEW OF A PROGRESSIVE LUBBOCK BUSINESS While the above view does not do justice to the magnificent interior of the City Drug Store, it will suffice to show that it is a modern business house, employing the very latest display fixtures. E. L. Robertson is manager of this store and is one of the men who have been instrumental in the upbuilding of the City and this section.

SOCIETY NOTES

Missionary Society Meets.
The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in the church parlour Monday afternoon at three o'clock and held the first meeting of the new year.
A business session was held, wherein reports from the officers were very favorable and encouraging. Due to a number of resignations, new officers were elected for the year. Mrs. George W. Wolfarth was elected president; Mrs. H. W. Stanton, secretary; Mrs. Arthur Adams, superintendent of social service; Mrs. E. E. Robinson, superintendent of young women's societies; Mrs. Posey, chairman of local work, and Mrs. A. B. Ellis, superintendent of publicity.
Other items of interest were discussed and business transacted and a splendid year's work is anticipated.

Personals
Mrs. J. P. Hix of Fort Worth is visiting her brother and family, J. E. Edwards.
Mrs. Charles Cobblewick, formerly of Lubbock, but who has been residing in Denver, Colo., for the past two years, arrived here Monday and is a guest of Mrs. W. J. Tucker, who lives three miles southwest of the city. W. B. Green of Herndon, Kans., a brother of Mrs. Cobblewick, is also a guest in the Tucker home.
Miss Myrtle Lemons of the Citizens National bank, underwent a toilet operation at a local sanitarium Tuesday morning.
Joe Hubler, prominent citizen of Lamesa, was here Tuesday looking after business. We understand Mr. Hubler contemplates locating in Lubbock.
Henry Smith, negro, died here Monday, January 7, and was buried the same day.
J. N. Farr, of the Canyon community was in Lubbock Monday looking after business.

SLATON SOCIETY

Mrs. S. H. Adams Entertains
The Slatonite:
One of the most elaborate of the Christmas festivities was the luncheon given by Mrs. S. H. Adams to the outgoing and incoming officers of the W. M. S. of the Methodist church on December 28th.

While the guests were arriving we were entertained by some beautiful piano solos rendered by Miss Muff Robertson.

When the dining room doors were thrown open, the guests entered what seemed to be a nook of fairyland. The tables covered with lace, the blooming poinsettia and Chinese lilies, the sparkle of cut glass and silver under the shaded lights give a touch of enchantment to the scene, and the luncheon was in complete harmony with it surroundings, and the Christmas season, beginning with oyster cocktail and ending with plum pudding.

After the luncheon the officers held an executive session, reviewing the work of the past year and making plans for the future.
Those present were Mesdames, Brewer, Robertson, Whitehead, McReynolds, Odom, McClintock, Merrell, Tudor, Ely, Frye, Price, Worley, Todd, Wilson, Edwards, Hoffman, Adair Dodson, Miss Lewis and the hostess.

CHILDRESS CARRIES OUT BIG TREE PLANTING CAMPAIGN

CHILDRESS, Texas, Jan. 8.—Childress is the latest city in the west to carry out a tree planting campaign. The local chamber of commerce will inaugurate the plan this month for a comprehensive campaign for planting trees in this city. It is also planned to have the city set aside the acreage south of Lake Childress for a park and to plant trees there this winter. There have been quite a number of other cities in West Texas that have adopted the tree planting campaign of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as the basis of this type of development.

Henry Ford gets 1500 letters a day asking for money, but that doesn't cost Henry anything.

CAR OWNERS ARE URGED TO PAY THEIR TAXES IMMEDIATELY

Two thousand two hundred and sixty five automotive vehicles have been registered at the Tax Collector's office to date and the list is growing in leaps and bounds. It has been estimated that automobile owners had better waste no time in having their cars registered, as the law can now be enforced invoking a penalty for delay in payment of taxes, and the sheriff's department will probably enforce this law later in the month.
Tax Collector I. F. Holland has conducted the collections in a most admirable manner, and it is well indeed that the very most co-operation be given him and the other members of that office as they have a great deal to do in making proper entries and issuing receipts.
Pay your automobile tax today.

ANNUAL MEETING RALLS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HELD JAN. 3RD

RALLS, Jan. 8.—The annual meeting of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce was held at the Crystal theatre Thursday night and officers for the ensuing year were elected. A large crowd was present and much interest shown in the annual report of the president, F. M. McLaughlin. Through the efforts of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce during 1923, a high line was erected from Lubbock to Ralls, a distance of 32 miles and the citizens are enjoying one of the best electric light systems in Texas.

Twenty-two street lights have been installed and the current for these has been paid for three years in advance.

Several new buildings have been erected here during 1923 and the year 1924 promises to be one of the big building years for Ralls.

Rural telephone extensions, better roads and a bigger Ralls fair next fall are among the plans of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce. We also expect to handle 8,000 or 10,000 pure bred baby chicks to be placed in the various communities.

A membership drive is being systematically planned and 400 is the goal for 1924, as much interest is being shown in the Chamber of Commerce work by the rural communities.

The following officers and directors were elected: J. M. DeBolt president; W. F. Taylor, vice president; W. D. Watkins, P. B. Ralls, John Haney, R. L. Travis, A. B. Robertson, L. A. Wicks and F. M. McLaughlin, directors.

News from South Africa. Pound hailstones fell. Big as ostrich eggs instead of big as hen eggs.

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SPORT NEWS

CHAMP REFUSES FIGHT WITH NEGRO

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Harry Wills, a colored person who sometimes soils his hands with rough work among the bales and crates and crates of cargo on the North river docks, is still considered an unfit associate for a gentleman of leisure whose winter wanderings have taken him to Florida for the soft pleasures of idleness in the semi-tropics. Jack Dempsey considers him socially declassé and although he is willing to whirl through another polka with Tom Gibbons, he will not confer the same boon on Wills.

Jack Kearns, social secretary to Dempsey doused himself with a squirt from the perfume hose Tuesday and when the fumes had wrought the proper atmosphere, discussed Dempsey's willingness to fight Gibbons. He did not discuss Wills, however, except to state again the champion's willingness to box "anybody," which is interpreted to mean anybody but Wills.

Kearns said the plans of Jim Mulen, a Chicago promoter, to produce Dempsey and Gibbons in a return sketch, were very nice plans but immature as yet. He thought it would be lovely to meet Gibbons again but then one couldn't be sure that Mulen would get the match because undoubtedly some other promoters would bid on it. Except Tex Rickard, Rickard doesn't regard Gibbons as a big enough man to meet Dempsey and draw money to the box office. Dempsey's summer plans apparently include return bouts with Gibbons and Luis Angel Firpo. If these are hollered up to million dollar size, there will be no room for Wills on the program as two purses of a million each are about as much as can be exacted of one country, even so rich a country as the United States. The reason for this is that the expensive tickets usually are bought up by the same general group of fans.

Wills, despairing of any attention from the brusque fists of the champion, and despairing also of a big purse, is taking what small trade he can pick up, in order to keep pork chons in his Harlem larder. He is to push over Buddy Jackson again at Rochester in a few days, Jackson being a colored boy whom he stepped over a long time ago. Then he is to perform a similar office for Jack Taylor at Hartford on the 25th. And finally, he has a date with Bartley Madden, the undersize Irish lightweight at Newark on February 4th.

SELECTION OF OLYMPIC ROWING CREW MAY LEAD TO COLLEGE BRAWL

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—The problem of selecting a champion American rowing crew to represent this country in the Olympic races next summer may develop into another fuss as complicated as the one between Zev and My Own.

Syracuse, Pennsylvania, Cornell and Columbia may disregard the Olympic try-outs on the Schuylkill river at Philadelphia, because they have been set for June 13 and 14, which is only three days before the intercollegiate regatta on the Hudson river, scheduled for the 17th.

As the intercollegiate organization named its own date well knowing

that it would conflict with the Olympic tryout, it appears that the stewards of the Hudson river race really intended to put a blight upon the other affair. The thing might be solved by the Olympic organization's postponing or advancing its date.

SCRIBES NOW PERMITTED SEAT AT RINGSIDE

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Once more deathless dispatches will clatter over the wires from the ringsides of the New York fight clubs. Literature is recognized as an indispensable evil by the action of the boxing commission in rescinding its recent order which barred sport writers from two sides of the ring.

The order was issued in the first place so that judges should sit in solitary compositing facing one another across the ring. This relegated half of the literary talent to the remote seats where they hold their typewriters or son their laps.

PAL MORAN TO BATTLE MILWAUKEE LIGHTWEIGHT

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Pal Moran, the New Orleans lightweight, who knocked out Charlie White and Johnnie Shugrue in his last two fights in New York, has signed articles for a fight with Johnny Mendelsohn in Milwaukee, on January 14. Johnny Curtin, the featherweight, signed to fight Ernie Gooseman in Milwaukee on January 21.

Jack Briton, former welterweight champion, will return to the ring for one more fling in the same arena in which he won the title by knocking out Ted (Kid) Lewis several years ago. He has agreed to fight Fred Archer, an English boxer, at Canton, Ohio, on January 21.

MIKE MCTIGUE ARRESTED ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

NEWARK, N. J. Jan. 8.—Mike McTigue, one of the new owners of the Newark club of the International League, is under arrest on a charge of embezzling \$4,738 from Irving D. Johnson of Staten Island, who charges that he gave McTigue the money to pay on a mortgage and that the baseball magnate diverted it to his own use.

COLORED METHODISTS WILL ENLARGE THEIR CHURCH

Rev. James Carr, Presiding Elder of the Colored Methodist Church of the Abilene District which embraces all of the northwestern portion of the state, is here this week arranging to place a regular pastor here to take care of the work at Lubbock. It is his intention to place T. M. Burton, of Marshall, Texas, here and they will enlarge their present church building or will possibly build a new church and use the present building for a parsonage, as the pastor is married and will have to have a place to keep house. The new pastor is expected to arrive here about the middle of this month. They have an organization here of twenty-two members, but a number of others will join as soon as the pastor is stationed here to take care of the work.

He will preach regularly every Sunday and a Sunday School will be organized and the regular religious services usually conducted under the Methodist church discipline will be carried on.

Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg., knows how to cure Fyorrhes 2973h

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Avalanche is authorized to announce the following for the office given below, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and the voters of this county are urged to give them due consideration at the polls.

For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District—**CLARK M. MULLICAN.** (Re-Election.)

For County Judge—**CHARLES NORDYKE.** **J. H. MOORE.**

For County Attorney—**OWEN W. McWHORTER.** (Re-Election)

For Sheriff—**H. L. JOHNSTON.** (reelection)

For County Superintendent of Schools—**W. M. PEVEHOUSE.** **H. C. BOWLIN.** **P. F. BROWN.**

For Tax Assessor—**R. C. BURNS.** (Re-Election)

For Tax Collector—**I. F. HOLLAND.** Lubbock, Texas.

For County Treasurer—**J. S. SLOVER.** (Re-Election)

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TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 72ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

This is to announce that I will be a candidate for District Judge of this District, to succeed myself, at the primary elections in July of this year. About one year ago Governor Neff appointed me to serve the unexpired term of Judge Spencer. I took my appointment seriously as a public trust, and have tried sincerely to administer the affairs of the court in a business like manner, with justice and fairness to all persons.

If the manner in which I have conducted the court has met with your approval and you should see fit by your vote, to retain me in office for a full term, I assure you that it shall be my honest endeavor to create for the court, and our laws and government, the trust and confidence of our people.

57-6 **CLARK M. MULLICAN.**

LOCAL SALVATION ARMY OFFICER WILL GO TO LOUISIANA

Envoy and Mrs. Gregory, officers who have been in charge of the local Salvation Army here for the past few months; are now being transferred from here to their new appointment at Alexandria, Louisiana. Envoy Gregory put the first three and a half years of his Salvation Army service in the state to which he is now

going. He expresses his appreciation to the people of Lubbock and surrounding country of which he has had the pleasure of working in for the kindness which has been shown them while stationed here.

Their successor will be Capt. and Mrs. Watkins from Burkburnett, Texas. Envoy Gregory will leave for his new appointment Saturday the 12th.

A report for the Xmas effort for Lubbock is as follows: 20 baskets were given containing 80 dinners, 63 were fed, 106 children given toys, 35 garments and 4 pair shoes.

DOES NOT APPROVE "DOGIES" FOR TECH COLLEGE ATHLETES

Lubbock, Texas, Jan. 8, 1924. To the Editor,

Dear Sir:—I want to add my disapproval along with that of yours to the use of "Dogies" as a name for the athletic teams of our West Texas Technological College. "Dogie" reminds me too much of "oodles" and the only two appropriate places for oodles are "L" and the deep blue sea.

I want to suggest a name indicating strength, zip and action, and at the same time indicating the glorious place that homes the teams: "La Buck" (Lubbock). The "Buck" part is strong enough for any football team and the "La" part is nifty enough for most anything. And since Lubbock has been congratulated profusely for securing the "Tech" why not now congratulate the Tech for securing Lubbock? What if it had only a College Station or a Waco or something?—All the advertising Lubbock gets will redound to its glory and profit, so—

Here's to Lubbock, full of puff, Here's to the Tech, it's got the stuff, Here's to her colors, sand and snuff,

To her athletes, bold and rough, Here's to you, a La Bucks, Hoping you are the same, I thank you, **JAY HAYMAKER.**

NEGRO EXTINGUISHES BURNING CLOTHES OF SHOP WORKER

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 8.—If Arthur Schneider, 24, lives, he will owe his life to a flying tackle made by Ed Matthews, negro mail carrier and amateur football player.

His clothing fired by an explosion in a repair shop where he was employed, Schneider ran down a street yelling for aid. Matthews saw him and downed him after making a flying tackle. After stripping the clothes from the burned man, Matthews wrapped him in a blanket and sent to a hospital where it was said his condition was critical.

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NEWEST SCHOOL IN LUBBOCK CO. STARTED MONDAY; PATRONS HAVE VOTED BONDS FOR BRICK BUILDING

Roy Rountree, of the School District No. 7, which is twelve miles southwest of Lubbock, was here Monday and stated that the first school to be opened in that district was started Monday morning with thirty six students enrolled and in attendance.

Miss Bertie Pierce is teacher of this school, which is the newest one in Lubbock county, and though a frame building is being used at this time, Mr. Rountree stated that it is only for temporary use as they saw that it would be impossible to build a brick building for the present term, and that the six thousand five hundred bond issue which carried almost unanimous at a recent election will provide for the construction of a brick building in which the school will be conducted next term.

The present frame building will either be sold or converted into a teacherage.

The fact that the people of that community made provision for a brick building even before school had been started shows something of their progressiveness.

CHICAGO TO STORM CAPITAL IN EFFORT LAND CONVENTION

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Still smarting under failure to secure the republican national convention, Chicago is making every effort possible to land the democratic meeting as its big show of

campaign year. A citizen's committee of 85, lead by Mayor William E. Dever, Mr. Dever and George E. Brennan, democratic political leader, will storm Washington January 15 and 16 in an attempt to impress the national committee with the desirability of selecting this city.

"Right now Chicago appears way in the lead," Brennan said Tuesday. "The necessary money has been raised; arrangements have been made, and we have received the promise of many votes by committee members." Favor of women as well as men, members of the democratic committee is being courted, unlike to the situation in the republican party, women members of the democratic committee vote on the selection of the convention city.

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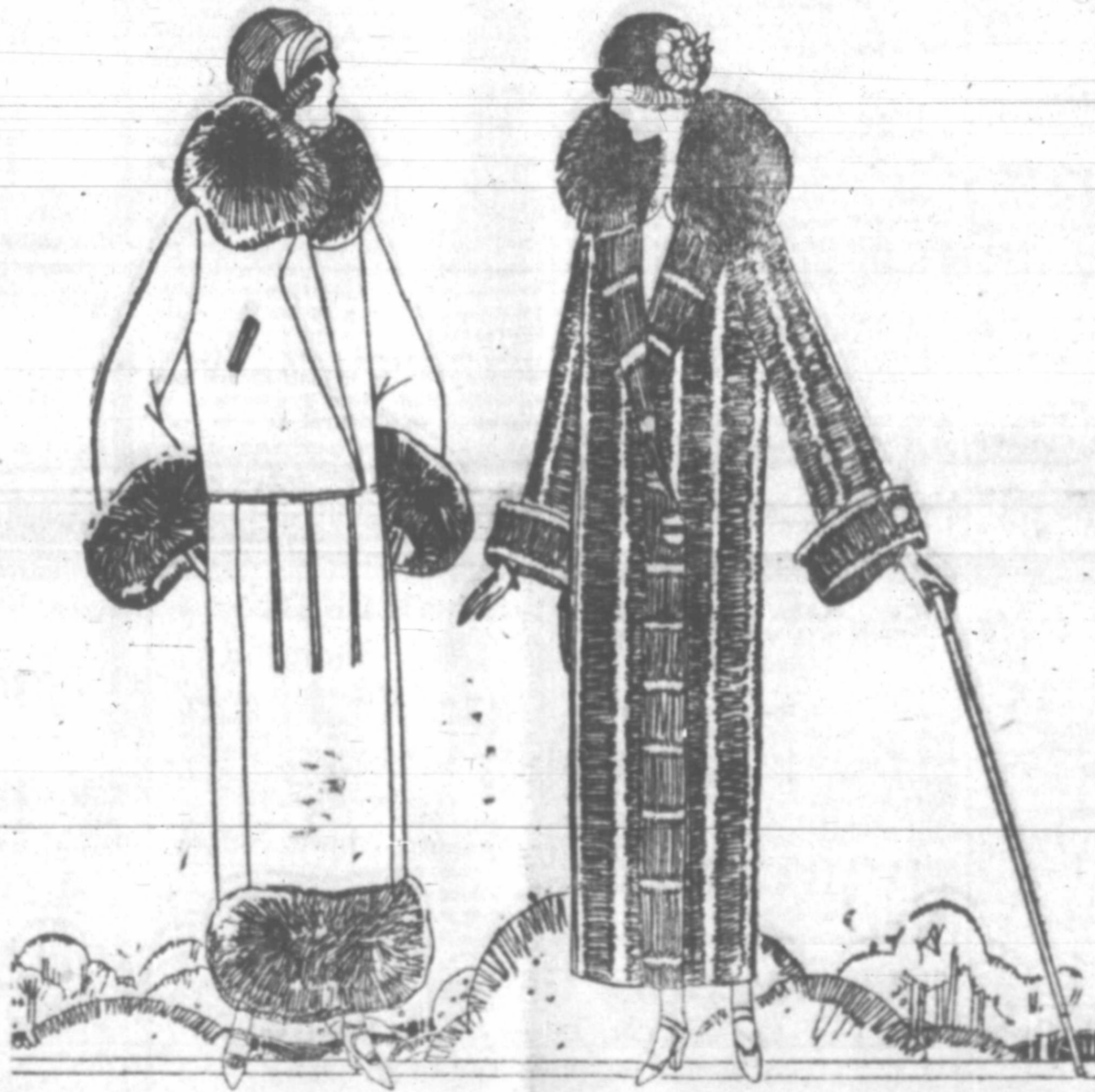
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FOR RENT—Some light housekeeping rooms at 2120 15th Street. Phone 653. 61-2p

FOR RENT—Two furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1216 18th St., Phone 435J. 61-2

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. Phone 563J. 54-tf

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, close in. Phone 830. 57-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room. All modern conveniences. 1631 Ninth St. Phone 842. 60-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1017 17th St. 60-3p

FOR RENT—One brook and concrete wareroom, 25x80 feet. Inquire at A. E. Helber Jewelry. 56-tf

FOR RENT—Two farms, one near Lamesa, one near Hereford, 360 acres each. Chas. S. Inman, Lubbock. 60-3p

MISCELLANEOUS

SAVE RENT—Two lots, 80 foot front, five-room house, boxed and stripped, well and mill, garden, cow lot; four blocks north of K. Carter school. See J. K. Shipman at Marble, Yard. Price \$1,100.00. 60-3

ROOM AND BOARD—\$7.50 per week. 1820 Main Street. Mrs. G. T. Crawford. 60-3p

YOUNG MAN—thoroughly experienced sales and office duties, desires to connect with good firm south plains. Had considerable grain and produce experience, but handle anything. M. B. Davitte, 1612 Hurley Ave., Fort Worth, Texas. 60-tf

LIGHT AND HEAVY HAULING—Phone 126. J. L. Moore. 58-6p

MISCELLANEOUS

TREES! TREES! TREES! A complete line of fine nursery stock and shade trees. Yard in front of Cova Hotel on Broadway. A. S. Kennedy, Residence Phone 934J. 61-3p

COME IN and get a slice of pineapple pie, 10 cents. Del Monte Cafe, 916 Main. 61-1

FOR TRADE—House and two lots in Lubbock for teams and tools and want to rent a farm. See W. H. Wilkinson at 809 Ave. M. 44-47p.

Thomas Grain Co. for feed and fuel. Phone 324. 5-tf

FOR TRADE—1-2 section of land in Gaines county for business lots in Lubbock. See owner at Avalanche office.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bar pin with small diamond set in green gold. Reward. Return to Avalanche or phone 235J. 61-5t

LOST—Ladies' brown leather purse in Lubbock. Finder return to Avalanche office. 61-1

LOST—On Lubbock-Idalou road, Sunday morning, tan traveling bag. Deliver to Avalanche office and receive reward. 60-2

STRAYED—Two dun colored mules, about 14 hands high; one horse mule and one mare mule. Any information regarding their whereabouts will be paid C. A. Pierce, Lubbock State Bank Building. 57-6

MARKS' WELCH ON THE JOB AGAIN TUESDAY

Marks Welch, of the delivery force of the Morning Avalanche was on the job again Tuesday morning following a two week's illness. Marks' route is from Avenue I to Avenue O and from 13th street south and the many Avalanche readers in that portion of the city will be pleased that he is able to be on the job again. He is a faithful worker and takes great interest in all Avalanche readers on his route.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEX AS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lubbock county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon H. M. Carr, guardian of the estate of Ruth Overton, and Ruth Overton, by making publication of this citation, once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Lubbock county, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in Lubbock, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in January, A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of January, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of December A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1817, wherein O. V. Bagwell, is plaintiff, and H. M. Carr, guardian of the estate of Ruth Overton, and Ruth Overton, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1923, plaintiff was owner in fee simple of an undivided one-fourth interest in and to lot No. one, in block 136, in the original town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, and an undivided one-half interest in and to lots No. 22, 23 and 24, in block 69, Overton Addition to the town of Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas. That on the said date, the defendants unlawfully entered on said property and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and continues to unlawfully hold said property. Plaintiff prays that upon final hearing hereof, he have judgment for the title and possession of said above described property; that writ of restitution issue and for all other and further relief, to which he may be entitled.
Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Lubbock, Texas, on this 18th day of December, A. D. 1923.
(SEAL)

LOUIE F. MOORE,
Clerk, District Court,
Lubbock County, Texas.

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MRS. ABERNATHY HAS PURCHASED NICE HOME

Mrs. Mollie G. Abernathy has purchased the residence on the corner of Avenue N and 13th street formerly occupied by Carrol Thomas. Mrs. Abernathy is having the house remodeled throughout, adding all the conveniences, paint, papering and in every way possible lending to the attractiveness of the home. It has been announced that after the remodeling work is completed she will rent the rooms for the accommodation of those desiring such place. The purchase was made from the Jennings estate.

MARKETS

New York Cotton.
January 8, 1924.

	Jan.	Mar.	May	July	Oct.
Open	34.60	35.09	35.37	34.23	27.80
High	35.07	35.33	35.53	34.42	28.85
Low	34.59	35.05	35.28	34.20	28.63
Close	35.06	35.18	35.39	34.25	28.69
Y. cls	34.40	34.89	35.10	33.97	28.61

Liverpool Cotton.
January 8, 1924.

	Jan.	Mar.	May	July	Oct.
Open	19.94	20.00	19.90	19.50	16.80
Low	20.17	20.23	20.15	19.70	16.80
Close	19.75	19.80	19.73	19.31	16.49

LOCAL MARKET
Wholesale

Hens, per lb.	10c
Friers, per lb.	15c
Turkeys, per lb.	12c

Retail Quotations

Eggs, per doz., fresh	65c
Butter, country, per lb.	60c
Butter, creamery	50c to 75c

VETERAN OF WORLD WAR DIED AT SLATON MONDAY

(Slaton Slatonite)
Ernest O. Stonecipher, age 24 years, 11 months, died at the family home in South Slaton Monday morning at four o'clock after an illness of several years.

Deceased was born at Pyatt, Ark., Feb. 17, 1899, and came to Abilene, Texas, in early childhood with his parents where he resided until he enlisted for service voluntarily and was stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio for a brief training. While in France he was on the firing line for three months with the Heavy Artillery, Battery A, 7th Field. He fought bravely until he was gassed and was carried off the battlefield, and has been under a physician's

care since, being a patient in hospitals at Denver and Los Angeles. On September 21, 1923, he was married to Miss Mary Tilley at Lubbock, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Robertson, near Union. They had been at home in South Slaton until his death.

Funeral services were conducted from the Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. B. W. Dodson officiating. The remains were entered in Englewood Cemetery in charge of the undertaking department of Foster Furniture Company. It is said that his final prayer was that there would be no more wars and that none of the other boys who were over there would suffer as he had.

Besides his widow he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stonecipher, and the following brothers and sisters: A. L. Stonecipher of Wellington, Texas; Oscar Stonecipher, Oklahoma; Mrs. Hattie Dudley, Oklahoma; Mrs. Monroe Morrison living near Posey, and Mrs. Virgie Shafer of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Mirtie Powell and Mrs. Esta Robinson of Lubbock, died in recent years.

STATE UNIVERSITY HAS ENROLLMENT OF 4459

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 8.—With an increase of 103 students for the winter term, the University of Texas now has a total enrollment of 4459 students, according to the records of the auditor, W. R. Long. It is expected that a few tardy students may yet register during the next week, but the majority enrolled in time to attend classes on the opening day, January 3.

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KIWANIANS WILL HONOR DEPARTED MEMBER WITH MEMORIAL SERVICES AT REGULAR MEETING THURSDAY

Special memorial services for the late E. R. Haynes, who was an active and leading member of the Lubbock Kiwanis Club will be held at the weekly meeting at the Elk Cafe Thursday.

Mrs. Haynes will be in attendance together with their son, Bob, and the latter's family, according to an announcement made Monday just prior to their leaving for Tahoka.

M. M. Dupre, who has worked with Mr. Haynes in the Lubbock city and county schools, will give a short biography of the deceased, while County Judge P. F. Brown will speak on "His accomplishments in his work and in his life," and Judge R. A. Sowder will talk on "Judge Haynes as a Man."

This program is timely indeed, and all members of the club should be in attendance.

Mr. Haynes' death has been a distinct loss to the club as well as to all Lubbock and it will be impossible to find another who will take his place as a member and club worker.

ENDEAVOR TO STOP HEAVY ATTACK ON MELLON BILL (Continued from page 1)

changes into the bill and they will then be able to claim credit for assisting in perfecting it.

One school in the democratic party would take the question out of politics entirely, believing that it would be fatal to the party's success at the polls next fall if any attempt were made to throw sand in the bearings while the tax bill is going through congress.

This whole question of party policy will be thrashed out by the democratic party leaders who will be here for the meeting of the national committee next Tuesday. Many of the national committeemen are men of large business affairs and they are opposed to the bitter attack which is being made on the Mellon plan here.

As chairman of the meeting, Cordell Hull will make every effort to preserve harmony during the deliberations and it is entirely probable that the question will not come up on the floor, but it will be hotly debated in private conferences and after the conference is over, it is not unlikely that there will be a noticeable change of front on the part of the democratic leaders here.

STATE TROOPS TO QUELL WET WAR (Continued from page 1)

raids may lead to bloodshed at any time," Galligan said from his bed "I am unable to leave my bed, and my force is unable to cope with this situation."

Throughout the day Young's friends, twelve in number, all of whom have been associated with him in recent raids, manned the machine guns while trial of their leader, accused of assaulting Paul Corder, progressed. At 6:30 o'clock the jury of five acquitted him.

Young twice knocked down Corder a merchant, last week during an argument over the arrest of W. A. Brady, member of the state legislature and prominent dry worker, or a charge of illegal possession of liquor.

Fifty persons have been arrested in raids during the last 24 hours making a total of 250 arrests within a month.

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FILM STAR SUFFERED RELAPSE AND SEIZED WITH HYSTERIA

By United News.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Jan. 9.—Mabel Normand, involved in the sensational shooting of Courtland S. Dines at a New Year's party in Dines' apartment, suffered a severe relapse Tuesday and was subjected to several seizures of hysteria, it was announced at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Miss Normand underwent an operation for appendicitis shortly after the Dines affair. Authorities said her condition was more serious than at any time since the operation was performed.

Closest friends were denied access to the film star, who was subject to weeping spells during the evening.

Miss Normand's attorney, Milton Cohen, was denied permission to see his client, and it was then that the seriousness of her condition was made public.

Continued worry over the damage likely to result from the prohibition of her films was believed to be the cause of Miss Normand's relapse.

Mysterious telephone calls, evidently from prominent persons in Hollywood, have been received by Clarence Conlin, Greer's attorney.

asking him to change the chauffeur's plea to temporary insanity, Conlin said Tuesday.

"I have received many phone calls from unknown people who are interested themselves in the case endeavoring to prevail upon me to change the plea from self defense to temporary insanity," Conlin stated. The only explanation Conlin could make of the interference was that such a change in the plea would cause less reflection upon the motion picture persons concerned and upon Hollywood in general.

YOU'LL LIKE THIS STORY OF THE WEST

All the world loves a lover and likes a man on horseback, and most of the men in the audience love to see a pretty girl acting in thoroughly proper manner.

"A Western Musketeer" in which Leo Maloney, the dashing young star makes his appearance at the R. & R. Theatre, is a picture which has a real hero on horseback, and in Dixie Lamont it has a heroine who represents the best of American womanhood.

Another treat in store for followers of the movies is the appearance of William C. Bertram who plays the part of Mariposa Bob, an Indian. Mr. Bertram, who directed the photoplay proves that he is as good an actor as he is a director.

If it is good and interesting pictures which the public want "A Western Musketeer" will fill the bill.

Only 26 men are running for president of Nicaragua, but then Nicaragua is a very small place.

PEACE OFFICERS AND THE PROSECUTING ATTY'S ORGANIZE

AMARILLO, Texas, Jan. 8.—The Panhandle Prosecuting Attorneys and Peace Officers' Association was formed at a meeting held in the county court room yesterday afternoon.

R. H. Bayliff of Clarendon, district attorney of the 100th Judicial District was chosen as president of the association.

J. A. Storey, district attorney of Vernon, was elected vice president, and Charles Clements, district attorney of Plainview, secretary. The officers will compose a com-

mittee to draft constitution and by-laws of the organization to be presented at the next meeting, which will be held in Memphis some time in August.

Memphis and Amarillo were contenders for the next meeting, and Memphis won.

The prosecuting attorneys and the peace officers present spent several hours in a discussion of the problems that confront them in the performance of their duties.

Among the many questions discussed were:

The general public does not realize the many things that confront the officers of the law; the county attorneys are underpaid and overwork-

ed; people do not appreciate the services rendered by the county attorneys; the need of co-operation between the sheriff, the district attorney and the county attorney; the need of more stringent prohibition laws, especially those governing the sale of "jake" and extracts; the need of stenographic reports being kept of testimony offered before the grand jury.

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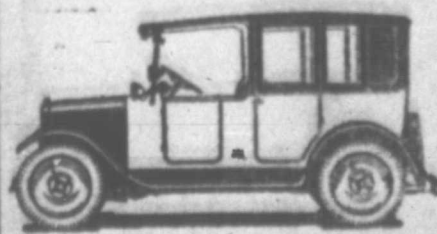
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