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## ASK PROBE ALLEGED BREAD TRUST

## FROM SPECIAL PROBE COUNSEL

SENATE TO PUSH PROBE OF HARDING NEWS-PAPER GOSSIP

By THOMAS L. STOKES (UN Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.-

President Coolidge has been forced to withdraw the name of Marr and her manager that Roth another of the special attorneys used an unfiled amended divorce he appointed to clean up the oil mess, Silas H. Strawn, . while the senate investigation com-mittee is preparing to plunge "keep herself clear from any unheadlong into the stories which pleasant occurrence and publicity" have been whispered around regarding Warren G. Harding and some of his friends.

name Thursday night after he had been informed there was no chance of his confirmation by the senate. The withdrawal followed almost immediately, a lengthy meeting of the public lengthy meeting of the public last action against Miss conference with the Tree committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce into the ground.

"I must find the one who killed her." he said. "She was a sweet, account was caused by fear that he motive in paying \$500 to Roth on a new plan of putting out trees upon a guaranteed or "insured" plan. For might lose money if a court attack \$2 each the Junior Chamber of Commerce will have planted in front of your house, down your back alley or takion.

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The withdrawal was announced by Secretary Slemp, without a for-mal statement by the president. A few minutes later Senator Lenroot, AGED Wisconsin, chairman of the committee, went to the White House for a conference with the president. He was designated by the committee to present the situation to Coolidge.

Successor Is Discussed. Lenroot discussed with the pres dent a successor to Strawn, several names being considered. He said afterward that no decision had been made. He also informed the president of the opposition to Pomerene, both in the committee, and in the senate. It is considered likely that Pomerene's name also will be with-

To Probe Harding Gossip

After a sensational session Thursday which carried the investigation back to Teapot Dome and the events leading up to its lease, the committe prepared to probe the gossip surrounding the sale of the Marion Star. Harding's paper, and the rumors of a million dollar slush fund alleged have been supplied by a group of New York financiers to compensate government officials for losses in oil

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Frank A. Vanderlip will appear Friday to reneat the rumors be has heard regarding sale of the Harding publisher and personal friend of the late president has been subnoenaed by the committee in connection with the slush fund gossip. He is now in Florida

If there is found to be any truth this story, it will be the most startling that has come from repent ed sensations of the last few weeks involves government officials not heretofore mentioned, and was said to have arisen because \$200,000 of the million was not accounted for by its dispenser.

Has No Facts In Either Story. either of these stories, that committee as yet has no facts. The decision to air them is the result of a desire that they be proved or else completely disproved to stop the cir-culation of such stories here which grow larger every day.

Vanderlip was present at the hearing of the committee Thursday but because of the mass of other testimony the committee adjourned without onizzing him. He sat by and anxiously watched the merciless grilling of John C. Shaffer, pubisher of a string of newspapers and Assistant Secretary of the Interior,

The testimony of these two men, and of Oscar Sutro, attorney for the Standard Oil company of California. hich was interrelated, brought out these salient facts:

1, That Sutro had considered the proposition of the navy department for construction of storage tanks by an oil company in return for roval-ty oil illegal and would not be held valid by the department of justice,

(Continued on page 4)

THE WEATHER WEST TEXAS — Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Low today 42.

## BLACKMAIL

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Feb. 14 .-Barbara La Marr, film' star, is under contract with her motion picture producer to keep herself "free from scandal," it was revealed Thursday by Arthur Sawyer, her manager, in the trial of Herman Roth, Hollywood attorney, charged with extorting funds from Sawyer.

Roth had the "morality contract" read in court to show that Sawyer was prompted by venality rather than fear of disgrace to himself and family. It is charged by Miss L. complaint as a club to extract money from them.

The contract, as read by Roth's atand protect her "name and reputation from scandal."

Sawyer stated on the witness stand

Upon the motive of Miss La Marr's manager hinges the most important was intended to break down Sawyer's argument of "fear of disgrace."

## BEHEADING

BY FERDINAND JAHN (United News Staff Correspondent) BERLIN, Feb. 14 .- Seventy-threeyear-old Frau Marie Blauel of Alsleben sits today in a jail cell at Halie awaiting-beheading. She has been condemned to this

mediaeval form of death for poisoning 74-year-old Skipper Bottcher of her roof, promising to make her his owner." heir in pay for his keep. Frau Blauel, unmoved as the cir-

piled up against her, proving her cupidity and her strange attitude to- brother that owns it is too tight to she had given the old man an unusually heavy meal, followed by a

The old man then complained that he did not feel well and left the Blauel cottage to go to the home of a relative. He told the relative that Frau Blauel had tried to poison him to obtain his fortune.

### CASH RESERVES SHOW HEAVY DECLINE

the week ending Feb. 13, according | Smith's charges say that despite to a statement issued by the Federal his offer that the mine was aban-Reserve Board Thursday night. The doned and flooded and that 200,000 ratio of cash reserves to liabilities tons of coal blocked out was barred dropped from 82.1 percent to 80.9 from mining.

Of the 13,500,000 decline in re- SIX HUNTED DOWN AND serves, almost all of this, or \$11,-000,000 represents a drop in gold re-

Governor Crissinger, head of the Federal Reserve Board, said this drop in the cash reserves was not caused by the runs on Federal banks which are taking place in some of the agricultural states.

Separatists were hunted down and killed Thursday by a mob of German Loyalists at Durkheim in the Rhenish Palatinate.

The Separatists took refuge in the

#### CAPITAL LEVY DISCARDED BY McDONALD DURING PRESENT CONGRESS

MacDonald has not repudiated the levy, but he frankly admitted in the house of commons Thursday that it from east to west. An order call-

#### TEAPOT DOME SCANDAL RESOUNDS FROM ITALY

ROME, Feb. 14.—The echo of America's Teapot Dome scandal has sounded clear to

Following disclosures in Washington, which have been published here, a section of the press is demanding now that the government publish the full text of the convention oy which Italy grants Harry F. Sinclair's company a monopoly in the survey and exploitation of Italian oil resources.

Thus far, the agreement with the Sinclair company has been kept secret.

## ANNOUNCED BY JUNIOR C OF C.

on a vacant lot your choice of a black oning-there must be." locust, an elm or an ash tree, not less erly started to full tree-hood."

with the nurseryman to only pay for describes her. the trees that live. The \$2 you pay The Rev. R or else die. For every tree that lives grief. makes one live, or the money will be Alsleben, who sought shelter beneath turned back to the original property

But the evidence showed that on merce hasn't made it possible for possible cost in point of time, trou- all were deeply affected. ble and money."

There will be more about the tree

cup of cocoa which he had said campaign in Sunday's paper.

#### ACCUSES NEGLIGENCE IN LEASING OF ALASKA COAL MINES

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Feb. 13. Sumner Smith, former superintendent of coal mining in the Alaskan engineering commission in a statement issued here Wednesday charges that just prior to the order of the department of the interior abandoning the Chickaloon mine on which a mil lion dollars had been expended in elaborate surface improvements that WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. - Cash he and a group of associates had of-

#### KILLED BY LOYALISTS

DUSSELDORF, Feb. 14. - Six Separatists were hunted down and

The Separatists took refuge in the local city hall, but the crowd invaded the building. French forces have restored order

#### in the city. WITCHELL COUNTY WILL VOTE ON A BOND ISSUE

the life of the present parliament.

The capital levy was the outstanding plank in the platform on which labor swept into power in the recent election.

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Special to the Avalanche.

COLORADO, Texas, Feb. 14.—

Mitchell county voters will ballot on a \$325,000 road bond issue March labor swept into power in the recent aid of \$650,000 to build a concrete paved road over the route of the bankhead him house of commons. The labor swept into power in the recent labor swept into power in the lab cannot be passed through parliament ing for the election was passed by under present conditions.

## ACTRESS' BODY LAID TO REST

BROTHER OF DEAD GIRL SWEARS VENGEANCE ON GIRL SLAYER

By United News. ALVAREDO, Texas, Feb. 14 .--At the graveside of Louise Lawson, back from Broadway, her brother as it is at all possible, and recent swore Thursday that he would reports show that much work has By United News avenge her death.-

In the little family plot, close beside the bodies of her kinsfolk who assisted in the making of early Texas history, the pretty 24-yearold music student, mysteriosuly apartment was laid to rest.

Most pathetic of the figures at the grave was Norman Lawson, a brother of the dead girl, who assisted Louise in her fight for a musical career in the east. His eyes filled with tears, and

"There is something new under the with his lips quivvering, he vowed Coolidge withdrew Strawn's scandalous court action against Miss conference with the Tree committee as her body was slowly lowered

While only a small group of close than ten fet in height or an inch and friends and relatives of the family a quarter in diameter. They will were in the freshly painted Bap- is one of the main factors in helping for their bread." not only have the tree properly tist Church as the hour of the the business men distribute their planted but will guarantee that it services neared, the fargest crowd contributions to the needy in an effilives, puts out leaves and gets prop- in the history of the town packed cient manner. the street outside.

"That is more than service it is Before the altar in the church tree service with tree insurance, all the casket reposed on a bed of REFUTES for less than the tree itself would fresh roses. It was difficult to recost if you bought them one at a call the country girl within, for ! That arrangement is made whom an entire countryside mournpossible by purchasing the trees in cd, as just "another butterfly whose large numbers and under contract wings were singed," as Broadway

The Rev. R. J. McGinty, pastor when your order is placed for your of the Walnut Springs Baptist tree is deposited in a bank and held Church, who baptized Louise eleven for ninety or a hundred and twenty years ago, read the twenty-third days until the tree has time to either Psalm. He spoke in broken tones

"Some Day We Will Understand." Herring's message refu

ward her guest, staunchly denied invest a few nickels in trees and not the cortege moved. Crowds on dency. having murdered the ancient marine. because the Junior Chamber of Com- both sides of Main Street stood

> The earth was thrown over the and after a few moments of silence, etery, leaving Louise alone with

## **OFFICIALS** INVOLVED IN **RUM PROBE**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 .- Members of congress, government offireserves of the Federal Reserve fered to lease the mine, but that the banks declined \$13,500,000 during offer was refused. gress and possibly some members of names of three prominent men were dent Coolidge, and the pressure the police force may be involved in dragged into the fight over the brought on the commission, chiefly a liquor and dope ring investigation Boulder canyon dam by Representably the National Wheat Council it is now going on.

> ed with the dope and bootleg syndithe police.

Seven hotels, including four promi- ject.

carried on by some of these boot-leggers through railroad porters and conductors who run into Washing-

#### MANY WOMEN PAY TAXES IN JONES CO.

ANSON, Texas, Feb. 14.-A total of 6,503 poll taxes and exemptions have been issued in Jones county

It is estimated that approximately 40 per cent of the poll tax receipts were issued to women.

## CARE FOR

There are many families in Lub-bock who are in destitute circum-stances, according to Miss Mae Mur-fee, secretary of the Lubbock chapter, American Red Cross.

It has been the ambition of the Red Cross officials to alleviate the sufferings of these families insofar been done by the secretary in this connection.

While the Red Cross is somewhat limited on funds for purchasing food paring to investigate the soand clothing, the secretary stated called bread trust. The initiyesterday that practically all cases ative is to be taken by Senator slain in her luxurious New York deserving assistance of this character had been waited upon, but that in the majority of cases the most a resolution soon calling for invaluable assistance rendered is in vestigation of profits by all securing employment for the grownups of the families and in giving the
children enough clothes that they may enter school,

deed an organization sufficiently capable of handling these unfortunate cases as to keep suffering from hunger or cold down to the very minimum, and dozens upon dozens of cases are waited upon each week.

DEMOINES, Ia., Feb. 14 .- Iowa stock. is still loyal to William G. McAdoo, 5. Washburn-Crosby earned an live, put on leaves and start growing and did not attempt to conceal his despite his \$150,000 in fees from average of 28 percent on common E. L. Doheny, 'the Californian's stock during last ten years; Pills-A hush fell over the small as- state manager, Clyde L. Herring, bury had paid 150 percent stock divithat die he gets nothing until he semblage as Mrs. Dal Schultz, a assured his national headquarters dend.

Herring's message refuted reports The last prayers were said, the choir that Iowa democrats have decided \$141 a share on common stock that "If there is a piece of property in of which Louise was once a mem- to withdraw from the McAdoo cam- sold for \$2 a share in 1916. Lubbock without a row of trees in ber, sang "Nearer My God To paign and support E. T. Meredith, cumstantial evidence at the trial front of it sixty days from today it Thee" and the quiet procession to of the city, farm magazine publishpiled up against her, proving her cu- will simply be because the dear old the cemetery began. er and last secretary of war, under war. Over a path strewn with roses Woodrow Wilson, for the presi.

The message, addressed to Judge erect, with bowed heads. Many David Ladd Rockwell, McAdoo's the evening of July 4, of last year, him to have real trees with the least sobbed silently. It was plain that campaign manager at Chicago,

reads: "I have been advised of stories casket, huge wreaths of flowers printed yesterday relative to Merewere placed on top of the grave dith and his candidacy backed by lowa democrats. I know it is unbroken by an occasional sob, the necessary to assure you that there mourners filed away from the cem- is not a word of truth in the story.

"However, I am sending this wire so that your records may show that not a single Iowa backer of Mc-Adoo has wavered for a moment, that the duty be raised from 30 to and that no conference of any kind was had during Meredith's stay in allows, De Moines at which anything was mentioned other than nominating William Gibbs McAdoo. Count on of production in the United States our being with you next Monday and Canada. Figures gathered by

#### THREE IMPLICATED IN WASHINGTON, Feb. 14,-The

tive Swing, of California, before the expected that an advance will be A new list of 80 persons connect- House irrigation committee Wed- recommended to the president, who nesday, when he accused power in- has the final authority to make the cate here, has been turned over to terests of using "underground and change in rate, the police. secret methods," to scuttle the pro-

nent ones, drug stores and several business houses are listed as head-colorado, member of the senate irquarters for the operators of the drug and dope rings.

Bootlegging is said to have been and George L. Hoxie, a Los Angeles carried on by some of these land of the colorado.

#### GETTING READY FOR AN-NUAL BANQUET AT CANYON

CANYON, Texas, Feb. '14 .- Ar-CANYON, Texas, Feb. '14.—Arrangements are going forward rapidly for the annual banquet of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society which is to take place February 15. Seventy-five members and friends have already purchased tickets and a strong program has been planned.

Mr. J. W. Overton of Hereford will be one of the speakers, Mrs. Dana Thomas Harmon of Amarillo will an Thomas Harmon of Amarillo will appear, and Hon. T. F. Turner of Amarillo will act as toastmaster. The banquet will take place at Cousins

# THE RED CROSS CLAIM MILLION HAS MANY TO

WHEAT HALF PRE-WAR PRICE, BREAD REMAINS SAME PETITION SAYS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 .-

Progressives in congress are pre-Lafollette who is to introduce

Attention has been directed The Red Cross, a member of the to high bread prices by Basil board of directors pointed out, is not M. Manley, director of the peoan institution of such great financial ple's legislative service, who unters sources of unlimited cash from covered the gigantic sugar whose coffers the needy may take gouge a year ago. After search as much as they choose, but it is in- of official statistics, Manley declared:

"As a result of outrageous profiteering, the American people are now paying more than The Red Cross chapter of Lubbock a million dollars a day too much

Here are the significant facts which he brings forward:

1. Wheat is half as high as in 1917, yet bread is practically the same.

2. If bread prices had gone down, with wheat, the nine cent loaf of

bread would sell for five cents, 3. Bread made of American flour is sold in England for less than four

cents a loaf. 4. In 1917, large milling companies averaged 49 percent profit, with some runing as high as 182 percent on capital stock. One small company earned 2628 percent on capital

6. In 1923, the General Baking company earned profits equal to

7. Retailers get two to four times the margin they received before the 8. Increase in labor costs since

1913 does not exceed half a cent while price of bread has increased three cents. Manley embodied these and other

facts in a report submitted Senator

Lafollette with a request for a congressional investigation.

To Ask Advance In Wheat Tariff. WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. - The United States Tariff Commission, after it completes its open hearings on the requst for an advance in the tariff on wheat, which begins next Monday, is expected to recommend 45 cents a bushel, the limit the law

The commission has concluded its preliminary investigation on the cost the commission show that the cost of production in this country by districts is higher than in Canada, BOULDER DAM FIGHT though there is not such a great discrepancy in the average.

In view of the attitude of Pres

### GARNER TAX BILL SHOWS ADDED STRENGTH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—As open debate on the tax bill begins in the house, it is apparent from sentiment expressed on the floor and from conferences held in the lobbies that the democratic program, fostered by Representative Garner, of Texas, has gained a strength that may put it over

may put it over.

The democrats have 207 vo pledged for their bill from their or ranks. It was indicated after a contract of the contract of t

## MUCH INTEREST IS SHOWN IN THE LUBBOCK PUBLIC LIBRARY BY FOLKS OF OTHER TOWNS, SAYS LIBRARIAN

The Lubbock Public Library is one tributed to the support of the libraof the fastest growing institutions in Lubbock, as though it is just a little more than a year old, it has reached into practically every comin itself an example of the interest munity in the vast territory adjacent that is being shown in the library: to Lubbock and known as the Lubbock trade territory.

Just yesterday Mrs. J. T. Howell,

est to the unselfish manner in which dentals, \$10.79; total amount paid the members in Lubbock have con- out, \$23.48.

Report of Public Library for

Jan. 1924: Number of books, Jan. 1, 1924, of Lorenzo, was a visitor at the li- 1992; number of books, Jan. 31 brary and was accompanied by Mes- 1924, 2192; number of books bought dames. T. G. Hendrick and R. L. 20; number of books donated, 180; Bowman, also of Lorenzo, who be-number of letters written, 82; num-came members of the library while ber of books worn out, 13. Amount here, which brings the library mem- of money received by librarian...on bers in that town nearly, to the doz- donations, \$125; amount of money received by librarian on member-Mrs. Smelser, the librarian, stat-ed that interest is just as noticeable ceived by librarian on fines, \$10.89; among the members now as when total amount received by librarian, the library was first organized, and \$240.39. Amount paid out for books she attributes this substantial inter- \$12.69; amount paid out for inci-

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POOR COTTON SEED

PLAINVIEW, Texas, Feb. 14.-

Caldwell vs. John P. Horner is eb-

Other similar cases have been fil-

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Tahoka—Thomas Drug

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Ar. Lamesa-First State Bank

Leaves Lamess for Big Springs.

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Lubbock Merrill Hotel, 10:45.
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3:35.

Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 5:00.

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### COMMISSIONERS COURT OF LUBBOCK COUNTY AND STATE HIGHWAY DEPT WORKING HARMONIOUSLY ON ROADS

The following orders taken from | chines so used to be returned to the the minutes of the Lubbock County county in as good condition as when Commissioners' Court, regular Feb- received, less depreciation. ruary term, is of special interest to the people of Lubbock county inas- CALDWELL SUES FOR LOSS much as they deal with the highway

Announcement was made in these columns just recently that the State Highway Department would establish a headquarters repair shop here In district court the case of S. D. which would give steady employment to fifteen shop workers and necesing tried. This is a suit in which sitate the addition of more members the plaintiff claims that cotton seed to the office force of Mr. Baker, sold him did not come up and he is engineer in charge of the district of suing to recover the price of the which Lubbock county is a part, and seed and the loss he claims to have who now has an office in the court- sustained by losing a crop.

It is well indeed that the county of W. B. Knight, Sam Moore, J. E. commissioners and the representa- Hall, J. J. Simpson, Ellis Jones, P. tive of the State Highway Depart-ment are working harmoniously on Fletcher, J. M. McCallon, C. F. Red-th proposition of giving Lubbock inger, Ben Gardner and W. W. Edcounty voters the very most for their mondson. tax money, and the orders as shown on the minutes of the court's action ed in district court. on last Monday, certainly shows that a spirit of harmony exists between

The orders are as follows: Action of the Lubbock County Commissioners' Court in session in the regular February term, February delicious flavor and best selections

Injunction Order Rescinded It is hereby ordered to rescind the order passed on the 14th of January 1924, authorizing the county attor ney to injoin the county tax collector from delievering to the state authorities Lubbock county's auto license tax, also injoining the state treasurer from discharging whatever of said funds already in his hands, and said order is hereby rescinded. County Agreement with Highway

Department
The court hereby authorizes the county judge to sign an agrement with the Highway Department to furnish said department for maintenance charges, all equipment our county can spare temporarily until said department can secure and distribute its own equipment. All ma-

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AMARILLO, Texas, Fez. 14.-

Inclusion of the southeastern states and Texas points in the territory from which homeseekers' rates to the Panhandle are in effect, is being sought by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Amarils lo Board of City Development.

Homeseekers' rates to this territory are now in effect from northern states on the Santa Fe and Rock Island lines. The Texas & Pacific recently established rates from Fort Worth to West Texas towns, and similar action has been asked of the railroads serving this territory.

#### MRS. ABNEY WILL RETURN

Mrs. Clara Abney will return today from New York where she has ing spring and summer merchandise lasts, desirous of making the flight

section and her selections are always many patrons throughout the Lub-bock trade territory.

#### STARTS AT ABILENE

ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 14. ry Tom King of this city has also to stop its plans." announced for that office.

By E. B. McDONALD

(United News Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.-Comedy, tragedy and unsatisfied dreams are curiously intermingled in hundreds of letters which the bureau of aeronautics of the navy department has received the announce-TODAY FROM NEW YORK ment of the Shenandoah's flight

across the North Pole. They range from criticism of the vessel's construction by disappointbeen spending some time purchas- ed engineers to letters from enthusher millinery shop which is lo- over the top of the world in the

"I have been in love for this received with enthusiasm by her graceful Shenandoah when she was only with her first loves," one Brazilian youth, bent on going, wrote, "And I never could forget of get-

ting a job among her crew.
"Please do your best gentlemen to make dreaming feasible and I will will have to be declined. assure you my helping in any way Judge B. L. Russel of Baird has an- at any time and at any price. I nounced his candidacy for state sen- am well educated and with a will ator from this district. Judge Har- that does not know any hindrance

Novel suggestions relating to enty below,

changes in construction have been received without number.

"Having practiced dentistry for over 41 years," one man wrote, "I have acquired perhaps some mechanhave acquired perhaps some mechanical ingenuity. I had the pleasure last summer of seeing the Shenandoah at Lakehurst and observed the immense outer canvas covering which will have to resist the force of fierce winds at the Pole in the last, say 200 mile dash.

this last dash without the canvas it could cut the wind to greater advantage with perhaps one fourth the with the canvas, and could make much more speed.'

Imitation of modernist writers of the Gertrude Stein school, appear in ed by early summer. abundance amng the sheaves of let-

sider the Pole trip of gas bag?" one writer asks. "You should know

So the letters go without number. In answer to all the bureau is sending all letters saying that the trip will be directed and manned entirely by service personnel and that all CONSTRUCTING NEW GIN offers of service and co-operation

In Yukon, during January, the thermometer hovered around zero class gin plant and will erect a cotdaily as contrasted with previous ton gin on the premises formerly years when it ran from forty to sev- occupied by their gin which was de

### STONEWALL JACK-SON FIGURE ON MONUMENT

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 14.—The head of Stonewall Jackson will be "If the Shenandoah could make the next figure completed in the gigantic panorama of the "L Cause" on Stone Mountain here.

Gutzon Borglum, sculptor, who is power necessary to propel the ship directing the carving of the massive with the canvas, and could make memorial in the huge granite rock, has started work on the second figure and hopes to have it complet-

· The head of General Robert E. ters so far received.
"Would it not be well to recont the first step in the panorama. Lee already has been completed as

"I shall now start work on Stone-wall Jackson's head," said the sculp-Germans concluded a failure. Some tor. "The first work will be to free one is just showing off with an ex- the head by removing granite around pensive plaything. Pole never be the head area. When that is finishcated in the A. B. Conley, Jr., store.

Mrs. Abney is looked upon as one of the mose efficient buyers in this section and her selections are always

of the mose of the mose of these are pleading of the mose efficient buyers in this tone.

The mean area.

Lee will be mounted on his famous charger "Traveler" by fall, said

#### PLANT IN LOCKNEY

LOCKNEY, Texas, Feb. 14.—Ben Whitfill & Sons have bought a first stroyed by fire some time ago.

## A February Cale of Moes

## The Final Call on Remaining Winter Stocks

Now for a rapid clearing away of all remaining lines of ladies' and children's shoes. The last few months has seen a greatly increased volume in our shoe section-many lines' that we expected to have for spring selling have been so broken that they now find their way into your hands at greatly reduced prices. There is no radical change in styles in ladies slippers for the coming season. The slippers we offer in this event are in most cases the styles you will choose later for spring and summer wear. Why not save by buying now?

## Extra Reductions on These Styles



Ladies' Brown Kid, ankle strap pattern Ladies' Black Satin, grey-trimmed strap with trimmings of brown suede, an excellent style for spring and a regular \$12.50 value now offered at only \_\_\_\_\_\$8.45

Ladies' Black Suede, ankle pump and ladies' pretty Satin cut out style, both excellent styles in the new round toes, and regular \$11.00 values, priced at \_\_\_\_\$7.35 Ladies' Pongee colored Kid. cut out pump. in good round toe last, an excellent spring color and a style that fits beautifully, a \$12.50 value for \_\_\_\_\_\$6.35

pump, a very dressy number with the touch of color that Spring demands. A regular \$8.50 value priced now at \_\_\_\_\_\$5.35 Two great values—a Brown Satin Cross strap with Suede trimmings, and an attractive brown kid Suede trimmed walking slipper, both \$9.00 values, priced now at \_\_\_\_\_\$5.65 Tan Calf strap slippers in good walking slippers, styles that you will like for their looks and service, and regular \$8.50 valu-

es, priced in this event \_\_\_\_\_\$5.65

#### Two Lots of Entirely Desirable Slippers Offered at Substantial Reductions

In this lot, ladies' pretty suede patent and kid slippers, styles that we have only had in stock a few weeks, in strap and gored patterns, all in the latest shapes, really spring styles that we have had early and are now sacrificing only because of broken sizes, truly a wonderful opportunity to buy a new style at a saving, all regular \$8.50

Another lot of approximately 120 pair of ladies' patent suede otter and gray ooze slippers, styles that sold as high as \$12.50 These styles are the most carefully made shoes we have in stock, shoes that will fit and wear. For many occasions the styles are excellent and they are sure to please you at a price of only \_\_\_\_\$3.85



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Ladies \$6.00 and \$6.50 Ox- A Reduction of One-Fourth Off For This Sale on All Remaining Ladies' Slippers

that we wish this event to be a big one.

Our stock is filled with many most desir- For this reason we have included all reable styles that we have no reason to wish maining styles not specially listed above to sell at reductions except for the fact at a round reduction for this sale at



## Children's Shoes at Reductions .65 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ .50 Children's \$2.75 Values priced \_\_\_\_ \$2.10 .85 Shoes \_\_\_\_ .65 Children's 3.00 Values priced

All Children's All Children's All Children's \$1.50 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_\$1.15 Children's 3.25 Values priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 1.65 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.25 Children's 3.50 Values priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 1.75 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.35 Children's 3.75 Values priced \_\_\_\_ Children's 4.00 Valces priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 1.85 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.40 All Children's 2.00 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.50 Children's 4.50 Values priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 2.25 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.70 Children's 4.75 Values priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 2.35 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.80 Children's 5.00 Values priced ----All Children's 2.50 Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ 1.90 Children's 5.50 Values priced \_\_\_\_ All Children's 2.65 Shoes \_\_\_\_ 2.00 Children's 6.00 Values priced \_\_\_\_

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The meeting was presided over by S. C. Wilson, president of the Ki-wanis Club, and who has been closely associated with the deceased for number of years. Mrs. S. H. Stewart sang two love-

or Percy Spencer Thursday at the

noon hour when the Kiwanis and

Rotary Club members met in joint session and conducted memorial

services for him at the Lubbock high

understanding of one another.

Rev. Spencer assured the members

knew his brother better than he did,

however deep their love for him might have been, that it could not

his friends among the citizenship.

Mr. Spencer told the club men

that he would experience no little

difficulty in relating to the aged par-

ents of the deceased the honor

Exceedingly difficult is the role

Whitman Bennett production,

which Paul Doucet, noted French ac-

tor, has in "The Leavenworth Case"

which will be shown at the Lyric

ACTOR IN MYSTERY

In this famous

expressable degree.

FAMOUS FRENCH

Theatre today.

Leavenworth.

sound-proof apartment.

Lytell and Bradley Barker.

falls upon his two nieces, one of

ly and appropriate numbers at the beginning of the program, accompanied by Miss Cox, violinist, and Mrs. Morgan, pianist.

These numbers were greatly appreciated, and were in harmony with the remainder of the program.

Mr. Wilson spoke for a few min-utes, declaring that the death of Mayor Spencer was a loss to the journed. whole country, and that the Kiwanis Club had lost one of its most valuable members. Telegrams were read which had just been received from District Trustee of the Kiwanis Club. · Clark M. Mullican, who was in Dallas to attend the district meeting of the club, also sent a telegram expressing his sorrow at the death of Mayor Spencer.

mystery picture, Doucet plays the part of Harwell, secretary to Ira Attorney Roscoe Wilson spoke for a few minutes on the life of the de-Leavenworth, a wealthy old recluse, ceased, and told how he had known who is found shot to death in his him two years before they moved to when they were residents

of Brownfield. The attorneys had known such close ties of friendship that for many years they had known one another as "Percy" and "Roscoe", and on this occasion Judge Wilson could not refrain from calling only the first name of his friend in making reference to him.

That Mayor Spencer had given of. his time and energy for the interthat he was not strong enough to withstand the malady that caused his death, was the opinion expressed by

While Judge Wilson spoke but a few minutes, his every word betrayed the usefulness of the subject of his speech, and the membership of both clubs were brought into a keener realization of the value of true friendship from hearing these deserved and fitting tributes from a friend to his deceased comrade.

Rev. Jack M. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, a member of the Kiwanis Club and whose inti- A mysterious visitor is next suspect- been charged. mate association with the deceased ed, and then two persons close to that existed between them, spoke at length upon the finer, higher traits of the man, leaving aside those material qualities, and going into the subject from different angles approached by the other speakers.

during the last few days of his life, and told how on Saturday before his death Tuesday morning, they had ese bandit raids were necessary to mitted to the Beaux Arts Institute come to understand the seriousness settle the losses in mah-jong. of his physical condition. "I talked with him even after death was making its approach, and found him to be the same fran, humorous Per-At the conclusion of his talk the many who heard him were so moved by his remarks that the meet-ing gained more solemn aspects.

J. L. Randal, of Brownfield, father

of Mrs. Spencer, Jack Randal, law partner of the deceased and his brother, Rev. Lee B. Spencer, of Oakland, Mississippi, were guests of Attorney Wilson, and at the conclusion of Rev. Lewis' talk Rev.

Spencer was asked to speak. He told how he and the late Percy Spencer had been reared together to attend the same schools, the same churches and the same daily occurance of life together as boys, but how after they had reached man-hood they had chosen separate fields of endeavor and said finally became



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MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR THE LATE

PERCY SPENCER WERE CONDUCTED Mr. Hogan, who has been the un-dertaker at the Barrow Furniture Co., ha saccepted a position with the AT HIGH SCHOOL THURSDAY NOON firm in Lubbock and has gone there to take the same. He is fine young man, one who looked well after his position here. He is also a fine man No greater tribute to the memory separated by a distance of more than in the business he is following. His of a man could be paid than was that a thousand miles and had lost that many friends wish the best of luck leigh Hall, girls dormitory recently bestowed upon the memory of May- opportunity of close association that to him in the new town.—Stamford or Percy Spencer Thursday at the would have lead to a more thorough Leader.

Mr. Hogan has been with the Simmons Furniture & Undertaking Co. of the two clubs that they probably here several weeks. ment of that popular store is highly but that he would assure them that pleased with his services, and they intimate that it would be well to have more such citizens as the Stamhave been greater than was the love ford man locate here.
of Percy Spencer for Lubbock and

#### MERGENTHALER LINOTYPE REPRESENTATIVE HERE

Ira Bacon, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Company, arrivshown their son's memory. He told ed in Lubbock Wednesday afternoon them they had helped him and other at three o'clock, having been derelatives of the deceased beyond an layed some four hours because of the fact that his train was detour-At the conclusion of Rev. Spen- ed because of the wreckage of the cer's remarks the meeting was adengine and tender of train 91 at

> Mr. Bacon reports business to be good throughout his territory, and that newspaper men seem to be makng good in their respective fields.

## ED IN CONCERT HERE WED.

The characterization brings into star. In "The Leavenworth Case." at the high school auditorium Wed- tle and poultry raising. to display those talents which he de- preciative audience,

veloped when he appeared as a child in one of the companies of Sarah club numbers, ranging from classical Bernhardt, the famous tragedienne, marches to light, humorous sketches, With Doucet will be seen Seens special orchestra numbers, vocal and Owen, Martha Mansfield, Wilfred piano solos and in fact novelties of Miss all kinds were presented by the able ests of Lubbock to such an extent Owen and Miss Mansfield play the artists, who represent one of the roles of the two nieces of the slain well known educational institutions financier. Lytell appears as Ander- of the state.

son, a mysterious, yet romantic fig-This entertainment was said by ure in the photoplay. Bradley Bark- many who attended to be among the er is Raymond, attorney for Mr. best that has been presented in Lubbock by a college glee club, and the "The Leavenworth Case" is based management of the group was asupon the famous mystery story of sured that should they desire to apthe same name written by Anna pear in Lubbock again while making Katherine Greene. It opens with their next annual visit to the cities the discovery of the slaying of Mr. and towns of Texas, they would be Leavenworth. Suspicion immediately heartily welcomed,

The entertainment was a financial whom is reported to have quarreld success also, admission prices of with her uncle on the night previous. twenty-five and fifty cents having

the household fall in the hands of PRIZE WINNERS IN ENGINEERING COURSE Charles Giblyn directed"The Leav-

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 14 .- R. H. H. Hugman of San Antonio and Roy Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Ainsworth of Post, students in the Bldg. knows how to cure Pyorrhea College of Engineering at the Uni-29730p versity of Texas, won first and sec-It may develop that those Chin- design work which was recently subof Design in New York City.

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CANYON, Teras, Feb. 14.-Hunt-

hauled. Trees and shrubs have been planted and flowers will be as soon A. Lee of Seadrift. The bird laid who says the wealthy should be punas spring opens up. The first floor 30 eggs. A. Single Comb White ished with drastic taxation penalhas been repapered, new hall run- Leghorn from the leading pen of ties. ners, mattresses and window shades have been purchased. New silver-ware has been ordered for the dining room. The galleries have been much improved in appearance; the heating plant is now in perfect ord-

With these extensive changes Randall Hall has become a comfortable home for one hundred twenty girls. It is under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Savage of the College faculty.

#### 24 TEACHERS IN VOCATION-AL AGRICULTURE IN THE PANHANDLE

CANYON, Texas, Feb. 14-There are 24 teachers of vocational agriculture in the Panhandle area; The West Texas State Teachers' College is the depot to which these teachers look for their supplies of slides and charts which they use constantly in The Austin College Glee Clob and mand are those dealing with canplay all the histrionic ability of this Orchestra was presented in concert ning, live stock farming, dairy cat-Doucet is given ample opportunity nesday evening to a large and ap- of agriculture in this region of Texas state that there is a constantly A carefully selected group of glee increasing interest in dairy farming.

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#### SINGLE COMB WHITE LEG- the month was second highest indi-HORNS ARE LEADING EGG LAYING CONTEST

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Feb. Hall, and will be so known from this time on.

This building was put up some years ago is being thoroughly over-

vidual, laying 27 eggs. The Buff Orpington from the Egg-A-Day Farm of Vienna, Virginia, is still holding the individual

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record for the duration of the con-14.—Single Comb White Leghorns forged into the lead of the Tegas months. A Barred Plymouth Rock National Egg Laying Contest being owned by V. J. Boriskie of Bryan is conducted at the A. & M. College second, a Dominique belonging to of Texas again the past month. A Henry King of Greenville is third. pen of that breed belonging to J. W. But while other breeds hold individpurchased by the State of Texas, is Woods of Somerville, led, the pen ual honors the White Leghorns are no more. It has ben renamed Randall of five birds laying 118 eggs in the supreme in the pen order. The first

Plymouth Rock from the pens of M. stirs the anger of Chancellor Marx

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#### SUBLIME WORDS.

"I can never accept any man as a champion of liberty who does not reverence the laws of our beloved land. He has adopted the standards of the enemies of his country whom 'he affects to despise."-Woodrow

#### THE DEVELOPMENTS OF THE COUNTIES WEST OF US

a story of the development of the counties west something worth while. of us that bears out the statements of this paper that the towns are not growing faster than the MURDERERS NOT GETTING OFF SO LIGHTsurrounding country is developing.

The News says:

"A few years ago this was a "cow country." It was thought to be useless to try to cultivate than it was a few years ago, in the eyes of the this land and make it produce cotton, corn, maize juries and the courts. The fellow that shoots his and other kindred crops, but a few fellows that fellow man down in cold blood is being punished jumped in to the farming game such as Lee Cow- more severely and is given a sentence in the prisan, John Doyle, Andrew Brankenship, Solan Cow- ons of the country more regularly now than in an. Walter Frazier, the Timmons' and others, former years. The courts are sustaining the ver Open proved to the entire satisfaction that this country dicts of the lower courts and the juries more fre- High not intended for an exclusive cattle country, but quently, and with this improvement, there is a poswas good for people who want to raise agricul- sibility of this kind of crime being checked some tural products as well, and gradually the ranches in Texas. The sober minded home-loving family have been crumbling, and the people have been protecting men of the state are beginning to see going more and more into the farming game with the necessity of them taking a stand and bringing increasing success, till today the South Plain is to justice the fellow who shoots down a human b one of the autstanding sections of the United States from an agricultural standpoint.

in Hockley and Cochran counties a new era is

been, there will be cotton patches, towns and he is going to have to do time in the state penithat will help to develop the industries of the of late, indicating that the people have seen the South Plains

of rich soil that is being turned upside down where criminals to think twice or three times before they the grass has had full swing for the past 1900 shoot once. years cotton will bloom and produce thousands of bales of cotton, that will require many gins CITY DADS HAVE FAITH IN THE GROWTH to handle, and will demand additional railroad facilities to haul it away.

The two youngest counties on the Plains promexpositions at Lubbock, Dallas and other points. in size to keep within the bond issue of \$75,000,

ran counties during the next twelve months."

can be said of more than thirty on the Plains warrants, which the contractors were willing to @\$4.00; cows \$3.00@\$5.50; heifers of Texas and possibly a dozen counties of eastern take in payment for the building. New Mexico, so dear reader you can, with a few Lubbock has made wonderful progress in the moments with your paper and pencil, the exer- past year, and the Commission is aware that it cise of your mind, figure out what wonderufl will continue to grow and in order to avoid remedium \$7.15@\$7.30; mixed \$6.75 area of fertile land there is here that is just peating the mistakes that have been made in the @\$7.00; common \$3.00@\$5.00; area of fertile land there is here that is just peating the mistakes that have been made in the @\$7.00; now beginning to settle up. In this territory past by building too small for the growth of the pigs \$3.00@\$5.40. there is more than twenty million acres of lands town, they decided to carry out the plan as first and eighty per cent of it is subject to cultivation, outlined. and will produce crops of a good yield. Then why need there be any great surprise that this contracted for will no doubt serve adequately the country is attracting the attention of the people needs of the city for some time, and for that rea- feeder lambs \$10.00@\$12.00. far and near? It is natural and the development son we believe that they have done the very wise is going to continue.

this year, and in all probability the Plains section case in some instances in the city today. will be checked up as the biggest body of land planted to cotton in the State this year, and the ANOTHER ROAD MAY BE BUILT AT AN 100,000 bales produced last season will look small compared with the yield this year.

## BE TAKEN UP IN EARNEST

Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs centered upon the and extend the road on to Roswell by way of building that they did for their place of activities. Lovington, N .M., which would furnish road fa-It is a nice meeting place, and it will do very well cilities for the development of a large territory. for a temporary meeting place for the mid-week Heretofore this country has been dominated largely luncheons, but we are frank to say that it is not the by the ranchmen, but as they have met with such of these clubs show a tendency to take on a liberal on the ranching business profitably, they are goamount of boys' work, and it is one of the most ing to be willing to turn their attention to the to look after the boys. In the past, several boys the building of railroads. have been sent away to the reformatories and other land will grow almost anything, and with a places are not credited with making christians out railroad through that country it will mean another bulk to packers \$8.50@\$9.50. of very many of the inmates, and in fact, we are scope of the South Plains country will go under of the opinion that it develops the criminal in the plow, and will produce more cotton, corn stinct if there is such a thing, and a fellow is and fruits, which will mean more happy homes, seldom as good a man or boy after he has served and more prosperity to this section.

time there, as he was when he went there. That! being the case, and we feel sure that statistics will bear out this statement, the civic clubs of the town could not spend their money or devote their time to a better cause than to start a movement to take charge of these boys and try by means of Neal Douglas, Jr.\_\_\_\_City Editor probation or parole to correct the lives of the J. E. Griffith\_\_\_\_Advertising Manager youngsters and get them started out on the right track agin.

> We believe that a thorough organization of the town can take care of the situation.

Then, too we are very anxious to see these clubs get in behind the movement to provide a place where the boys of the community can go and have recreation surrounded by the proper influences. A boys' club room, or athletic association would not be a bad idea at all. The clubs were offered what we considered a very liberal proposition for the use of a large basement, where luncheons could be put on, and where there could that important interests, though be scout work carried on, making it a permanent content to take a breathing spell home for the clubs. If we are going into the were far from willing to part with boys work we should prepare for it, and not go shorts found little comfort. after it in a half hearted manner.

Lubbock is large enough now that there is a real need for this kind of protection for the boys. They are going to have recreation, and what they do not get under the proper influences and surroundings they are going to get anyway, so it is up to the clubs of the town to place these influences about them in a way that will appeal to the boys.

In the present location, we do not believe that this work can be carried on in the way that it should, and the boys work will be allowed to suffer on account of it. We are in favor of using this place as a temporary meeting place, but we are of the opinion that we should go into the matter The Hockley County News this week carries deeper, and make our efforts along this line for

### LY ANY MORE IN TEXAS

It is evidently becoming a more serious thing to shoot a man down in cold blood in Texas now

ing without much thought, or seemingly without

much more feeling in the matter than if he were With the division of the large tracts of land shooting a coyote wolf on the prairies of the plains The verdict in the Dallas Postoffice robbery

beginning in the development of the country, and case, in which Albert Rowen charged with being this year will see marked changes in these two "the brains" in the case was convicted by a Taylor county jury and was given fifty years, has just been Where the round-up grounds have formerly sustained by the higher courts, which means that school houses. Where there have been dog towns tentiary for possibly the next half century. This there will be cotton gins and other institutions is only one case, while others have been sustained necessity of calling a halt in the matter, and we We note, even now, that thousands of acres rather think that it will have a tendency to cause

## OF LUBBOCK

The City Commission has faith in the growth ise to become the heaviest producers, and they of Lubbock, in as much as they would not hear will be heard from in the coming agricultural to the plans for the new City Hall to be cut down Just stand by for a moment and watch the scene as they believe in the city and are of the opinion that the plan they had in mind and had mapped The South Plains is attracting the attention of out would be none too large, and so they went the whole United States and hundreds of people ahead and carried out the original plan, with are going to own homes in Hockley and Coch- but few changes, even though it cost more than fifteen thousand dollars more than the bond is-What is said of Hockley and Cochran county sue. They will meet this excess by the issuance of

The building that the Commissioners have thing of not cutting it down to where it would be Thousands of acres of cotton will be planted too small before they got it finished, as is the

## EARLY DATE

Morgan Jones is getting in the railroad build-THE BOYS' WORK IN LUBBOCK SHOULD ing game again, and we understand that his latest idea on road building is to take over the old Midland Northwestern track that has been idle The Avalanche was really sorry when the for the past two years, from Midland to Seminole, place for a permanent home for these clubs. Each reverses of late that they cannot longer carry commendable things that can be done in any city stock farming business, and will be favorable to

#### **MARKETS**

## REGAINED BY **STOCKS**

NEW YORK, Feb. 14 .- Follow ssion, the stock market gave satisfactory demonstration of re-

continued to influence the general list, there was every indication substantial holdings. As a result, \$10.50; common and medium \$4.75

the day's trading. With prospects of a large over subscription of the \$3.75. lapanese loans coppers scored good gains, with Utah achieving new \$11.00; medium to choice \$4.75@ high ground for the year at 67 1-4 \$8.50. in final dealings. Other copper is sues displayed activity at rising prices. Among the specialties Otis Elevator advanced to 159 1-4, up three points, and National Lead cull to common \$9.75@\$13.00; ewes, common to choice \$5.75@\$9.40; canwent to 148, up 3 1-4 points. Fisher Body made a new high for the

The oils were subject to pressure vpical of recent sessions, heavy meral recessions, Standard Oil of alifornia, Maryland, Cosden and thers, however, recovered somewhat \$1.12; No. 2 hard \$1.11@\$1.12 1-2 fter heavy pressure. Pacific oil leveloped strong resistance to at-77c@77 1-2c; No. 4 yellow 75c@ tempts to depress it. The recovery in oils was seized upon as a

The total daily turnover was well onsiderably more than a million

New York Cotton Feb. 14, 1924. Mar. May July Oct. Dec 33.22 31.81 27.79 33.10 33.25 31.85 27.82 27.25 32.75 32.05 30.52 27.23 26.80 Low 32.75 32.05 30.52 27.28 26.4 Y-Cls 32.89 33.03 31.66 27.76 Tone Quiet.

> New Orleans Cotton Feb. 14, 1924. Mar. May July Oct.

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| Cream per 1b.                 |        |
| Wholesale Quotations.         |        |
| Hens, heavy, per th           | 15c    |
| Hens, light, per Ib           | 12c    |
| Cream, per lb.                |        |
| Cacks, par 1b.                | 05     |
| Springers, per lb 12c         |        |
| Old Roosters, per lb          |        |
| Turkeys, No. 1, 16            | 15c    |
| Extra nur case                | \$12.4 |
| Green hides, per Ib           | 4c     |
| Dry hides, per th             |        |
|                               |        |

Fort Worth Livestock FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 14. Cattle: Receipts 2100, market steady, calves 25c to 50c lower. Cattle: Beeves \$3.50@\$8.00; stockers \$3.00 \$3.25@\$7.00; bulls \$2.50@\$4.00; calves \$2.50@\$7.50.

Hogs: Receipts 2000, market 15c @20c higher. Lights \$6.50@\$7.50;

Sheep: Receipts 500, market un changed. Lambs \$12.50@\$14.00; yearlings \$9.00@\$11.50; wethers \$7.00@\$9.00; ewes \$6.00@\$8.00 culls \$1.50@\$2.50; goats \$1.50@ \$3.75; stocker sheep \$6.00@\$7.00;

Kansas City Livestock. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.— Cattle: Receipts 2500; calves 500, most killing prices slow; few early sales around steady; beef steers \$8.25@\$9.10; nothing choice offered: odd lots beef cows \$4.00@\$5.25; bulls steady; calves dull to lower; stockers and feeders scarce; no early

Hogs: Receipts 6000, 10c@15c higher, on lighter weights to packers; 180 to 200 pound averages \$6.80@ \$6.95; 130 to 160 pound averages \$6.25@\$6.60; \$7.00 bid on weighty butchers; bulk packing sows \$6.25 @\$6.40.

Sheep: Receipts 4000, lambs generally 10c higher; top \$14.60; sheep around steady; early top ewes \$9.00.

Chicago Livestock. CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Cattle: Receipts 9000; market active; beef steers 10c@25c up; all grades showing advances; shippers demand fairly broad; weighty steers in best demand: top, 1400 pound averages \$11.60; mixed yearlings \$11.50; fat she stock 10c@15c up; bulls steady to strong; vealers 25c@50c off; to silence. Shaffer denied this vig-

Sheep: Receipts 12,000, market fairly active, killing classes generally steady; feeding lambs steady; bulk fat wooled lambs \$14.50@\$14.85; nied for two weeks that the contract top \$15.00; good to medium and

#### handyweight fat ewes \$8.50@\$9.00; few medium to good feeding lambs Hogs: Receipts 40,000, market slow, early sales to shippers and

yard traders 10c@15c up; packers

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\$7.10@\$7.30; lightweight \$6.85@ \$7.25; light lights \$6.00@\$7.15;

packing hogs rough \$5.85@\$6.15; slaughter pigs \$4.50@\$6.50.

prime \$11.00@\$12.50; good \$9.90

Heifers: Good and choice \$7.00@

Cows: Good and choice \$5.75@

@\$5.75; canne rand cutter \$2.65@

Calves: Cull to choice \$5.00@

Feeder and Stock Cattle: Steers

St. Louis Cash Grain

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14 .- Wheat:

\$1.14@\$1.17; No. 4 red \$1.09@

No. 4 hard \$1.09; July \$1.09 7-8

75 1-2c; July 80 3-4c; Sept. 80 7-8c

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Sept. \$1.10 1-2. Corn: No. 3 yellow

ommon to choice \$4.50@\$8.00.

choice \$11.75@\$13.75

May 50 1-2c.

By WILL JOHNSON (UN Financial Editor)

gained composure Thursday.

While political considerations @\$11.00; medium \$7.75@\$9.90. Steers (1100 lbs. down): choice and prime \$11.00@\$12.25; good \$9.90@. \$11.00; medium \$7.75@\$9.90; common \$5,50@\$7.75. @\$7.00. Coppers and specialties featured \$7.25; common and medium \$3.75

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signal for closing out short accounts of the groups.

Oats: No. 2 white 50c; No. 3 white in other groups. n other groups.

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KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14. Wheat: No. 1 hard \$1.08@\$1.22; No. 2 hard \$1.07@\$1.21; No. 3 hard \$1.04@\$1.20; No. 1 hard and 2 dark \$1.10@\$1.24; No. 3 dark \$1.09@ \$1.23. Corn: No. 2 white 73 1-2c; No. 3 white 71c; No. 4 white 70 1-2c; 3 yellow 70c@70 3-4c; No. mixed 69 1-2c@69 3-4c; No. 4 mixed 68 3-4c@69c; No. 5 mixed 67 1-2c. Oats: No. 2 white 49c; No. 3 white 47 3-4c@48c; No. 4 white 47 1-4e.

Chicago Cash Grain. CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 14 .- Wheat:

31.96 31.42 30.37 26.54 No. 3 yellow 77 1 2c@78 3.4c; No. 4 33.03 32.45 31.51 27.19 yellow 75c@77c; No. 5 yellow 74c@ ady. 75c; No. 6 yellow 72c@73 1-2c. Corn: No. 3 mixed 77 1-4c@77 3-4c; No. 4 mixed 75c@77c; No. 5 mixed 74c@74 1-2c; No. 6 mixed

1-4c; No. 4 white 75 3-4c@76 1-2c; No. 5 white 74c@75c; No. 6 white

Oats: No. 3 white 47 3-4c@48 1-2c; No. 4 white 47 1-2c@48c. Standards 45c@46 3-4c; Barley 64c@78c; Rye No. 2 72 1-4c; Timo-thy \$7.00@\$8.25; Clover \$18.00@

ONE WITHDRAWN FROM SPECIAL PROBE COUNSEL (Continued from page 1)

and for this reason he advised his company not to bid for California reserves which were later leased to

2. That he had informed Finney that if the attorney general was con-sulted he would rule the leases illegal.

3. That Finney told him that Sec retary Fall did not consider an opinion from Daugherty necessary. 4. It was later disclosed by a let ter of H. Foster Bain, director of

the Bureau of Mines, to Fall that Daugherty had rendered an "informal verbal opinion" approving the

5. Shaffer admitted that he had received \$92,000 for "services" connection with Harry F. Sinclair paying the Pioneer Oil Company \$1,000,000 for alleged claims, and also testified that he had an eighth por interest in the Pioneer company.

6. It-was disclosed also by a letter from Shaffer to Finney that the pub lisher had an arrangement with Fall before the leases to Sinclair had been made whereby a certain acreage in Teapot Dome was to be reserved for him, and that he knew of the leases long before they were made

Certain Acreage To Be Reserved. "Mr. Shaffer had arranged with Mr. Sinclair for some acreage in Teapot Dome for me personally," the letter, in Shaffer's handwriting, Shaffer was a hard witness for the

committee. A short slender man, with a thin face, be became mixed several times in his testimony, but in the end refused to answer what "services" he rendered in return for the \$92,000 except to help Sinclair get Teapot Dome or why he was given an eighth interest in the oil company, though Senator Walsh quizzed him relentlessly, at one time jumping from his chair and reaching half way across the table toward the

"Yes, sir."
"What did you give up to get this interest?"

Walsh, heatedly, asked Shaffer if he had not "pledged" his newspaper

because Fall had ordered him to give out no information.

Finney said he now disagrees with Fall's position in not asking a written opinion from the attorney general regarding the leases, but he said he still believes the leases are legal.

## WILLIAMSON CO. QUIET AFTER **BOOZE WAR**

packing hogs smooth \$6.15@\$6.50; By United New HERRIN, Ill., Feb. 14. Normalcy again reigns in Williamson coun-Steers (1100 lbs. up): choice and ty, with the release of the, 24 prisoners which S. Glenn Young, K. K. K. raider, herded into jail during the last days of his late regime.

All of the numerous suspects Young charged with the murder of Constable Caesar Cagle were freed late Wednesday, as virtually no evidence nor legal documents for their confinement, was found on file.

George Galligan was restored as sheriff, C. E. Anderson, the anti-klan leader, as mayor and a half dozen of their anti-klan adherents as Galligan's regular deputies.

In the coroner's jury findings, two unnamed and unapprehended persons were charged with Cagle's Slaughter sheep and lambs: Lambs medium to prime \$13.00@\$15.00; death.

The Williamson county grand jury returned 48 indictments Wednesday. ner and cull \$2.25@\$5.75; medium It is understood this body has been investigating alleged illegal incidents during Young's raids, including allegations of theft an dassault by his forces. The fate of Cagle was red \$1.16@\$1.18 1-2; No. 3 red promised Sam Sterns, exalted cyclops of the klan, in a threatening letter, if he does not leave town within 10 days. As an afterthought the writer concluded, "tell your daddy, Glenn Young the same thing."

#### PAVED ROADS WILL CONNECT WITH STREETS

AMARILLO, Texas, Feb. 14 .- All paved roads leading into Amarillo will be connected with the city paving immediately by the hard-surfacing of two gaps, one on the Colorado-Gulf highway and the other on the Southwest trail. Committees from Canyon and

Amarillo civic bodies are working out plans for co-operation on a paved highway between the two cities.

Read Martin & Wolcott grocery specials for Saturday in this paper . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

> POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For Distret Judge, 72nd Judich 1 . TOURK M. MULLICAN (Re-Eelction.)

District Attorney, 72nd Judicia District: PARKE N. DALTON (Crosbyton)

Clerk, 72nd Judicial District LOUIE F. MOORE (Re-Election)

County Judge: HARLES NORDYKK J. H. MOORE. GEORGE W. FOSTER

County Attorney.
OWEN W. McWHORTER (Re-Election)

For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS (Re-Election)

H L JOHNSTON, (reciection) for County Superintendent of

Schools W. M. PEVEHOUSE H. C. BOWLIN P. F. BROWN

I. F. HOLLAND.

Tax Assessor. R. C. BURNS (Re-Emertion) Tax Collector-

County Treasurer J. S. SLOVER, (Re-Eeletton

Lubbock, Texas

County Commissioner, Prec 1 MARVIN T. WARRICK. Re-election. BEN W. CASEY.

County Commissioner, Prec 2: E. BARTON, (Slaton)

County Commissioner, Prec. 1 B. N. WHEELER. E. N. (Uncle Ed) HARRISON Route 1

County Commissioner, Prec. 4 L. C. DENTON. (Re-Eelction)

Justice of the Peace, Precinct COL. W. E. JOHNSON (Re-Election.)

"They simply made you a present of your one-eighth interest?" Walsh asked Shaffer.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1
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### TWO TEXANS WIN PRELIMINARIES IN AMATEUR-PROFESSIONAL TOURNAL JOHNSON TAKES MENT CONTESTING TITLE HOLDERS

William Symons of San Antonio, a state quintet 30 to 16. Ackerman, professional, and Clarence Hubby, of lanky center for the Jayhawkers, Waco, an amateur, won the amateur- was the bulwark of the Kansas scorprofessional best ball tournament, a ing machine. preliminary to the Texas open golf championship Thursday, with a score FAILURE TO REPORT FULL

Four pairs were tied with 68 and four followed with 69. Clarence Mangham; professional, also of San Antonio, was the only candidate for alleged failure of the Hennepin the country. He has passed through the "hole in one" club making the eighteenth hole in one blow.

Meadow Lake Country club of Kan- resulted in an investigation by the sas City won the driving contest with state revenue department. a distance of 289 yards. Jim Barnes of Pelham, N. Y., took second place, club has failed to turn over thouthen has taken new life, with 288 yards while Arthur Havers, sands of dollars in taxes which it. For once, fate has play British open champion, had to be should have paid. satisfied with a mere 286 yards.

Among those who tried for the MINNESOTA FOOTBALL SQUAD title and prize money were Joe Kirkwood, former Australian and Californian open champion, MacDonald Smith, present California champion and Bobby Cruikshank and William Melhorn.

Friday and will continue through nounced Thursday. Practice will be Saturday.

#### RAYMOND TAKES SILENCE FOLLOWING FIGHT ANNOUNCEMENT

By United News NEW YORK, Feb. 14 .- Lew Raymond, the occasional manager of sec ond rate fighters, has gone into a think silence after annoucing that he would promote a \$3,000,000 fight between Harry Wills and Luis Angel Firpo next summer.

Friends of Mr. Raymond regarded his silence as a hopeful development By United News. in his condition and a symptom of

the news was kept from Mr. Ray. Judge Gregory had charged the jury, new Gen mond, lest he should suddenly be and the jurymen had filed out of to quit. he stood ready to post a certified corted him to the jail.

be tongue tied," said Mr. Connally. Felsch, who had testified for Jack- two-fisted action. Coolidge's Lin"I'm a man of few words, I have \$5, son. Judge Gregory said he would Day pledge to press "unshrinki

#### VEACH RECONSIDERS AND SIGNS CONTRACT SENT HIM BY RED SOX

BOSTON, Feb. 14.—Outfielder Bobby Veach, recently purchased by the world's series games of 1919, is the Red Sox from Detroit, has re- suing the Chicago American League turned his signed contract to President Quinn of the Boston club, it was announced Wednesday night.

Veach, when first informed that he had been sold to the Red Sox, was reported to have declared he would quit baseball unless paid a bonus of \$3,000, the amount he estimated he would lose by leaving his business interests in Detroit and moving his family here. Officials of the Boz-ton club would not say whether they had agreed to pay the hard hitting outfielder a bonus for signing.

It was also announced that Norman McMillan, infielder, had signed his 1924 contract.

#### CUBS BE FIRST TO LEAVE FOR TRAINING CAMP

CHICAGO, Feb. 14 .- Raring to annex the pennant this year, the Chicago Cubs will be the first major league baseball team to start on a By United News. spring training trip, or sweat through a work out.

Departing Saturday for Avalon, Catalina Island, California, the Cubs will hold their first workout on the island next Wednesday morning.

President William Veeck announceed the early workout plan Thursday An shortly after his return from the sold National League meeting. Grover Cleveland Alexander, who has been selling insurance all winter, called again at Cub headquarters Thursday and told Killifer he was in splendid the wealthiest and most exclusive

#### TWO GOOD YOUTHS LOOM FOR HOLLOCHER'S BERTH

CHICAGO, Feb. 14—Scout Jack
Doyle has two promising bushers
lined up to try for the shortstop
berth with the Cubs.

He would like to see Hollocher repent and come back into the fold,
he said Wednesday, but he feels sure
Hollocher's place can be satisfactor-

LAWRENCE, Kan., Feb. 14.—
Kansas university retained its hold on first place in the Missouri valley ing a voting strength of 2960.

conference basketball race Thursday SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 14. - night, by defeating the visiting Iowa

SPORT NEWS

#### RECEIPTS CAUSES PROBE.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 14 .- The County Athletic association to report its full receipts on boxing matches W. C. Bucher, an amateur of the to state and federal authorities has

According to state tax agents the

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn, Feb. The University of Minnesota football squad will start its spring "hard- satisfy the country. The tournament proper will begin ening" season next week, it was an-

> held indoors. Coach Spaulding has notified 35 members of last year's squad and promising men of the freshman ranks to be on hand.

### JACKSON FACES CHARGE OF **PERJURY**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 14 .-- A sensation was sprung in the trial of One-eyed Connelly, the famous in- Joe Jackson's suit against the Chi ternational gate crasher, in a post- cago White Sox late Thursday after-

aroused to new frenzies of bidding, the court room. Jackson was held Coolidge is not out of the woods by LOCKNEY GIRL UNDERWENT Mr. Connelly's postcard stated that under \$5,000 bail and deputies es- any means.

"If money talked that guy would charge of perjury of Oscar (Happy) is now at the point where it wants son. Judge Gregory said he would Day pledge to press "unshrinking have a further statement to make prosecution stuck with good effect after the jury returned its verdict, but the words have been followed b He said he believed that Jackson no action. That Coolidge continue has testified falsely both in the Mil- to retain such officials as Denby waukee circuit court and before the Theodore Roosevelt, Assistant Sec-Chicago grand jury.

Jackson, one of eight ball players others who are involved in the presuspended in 1920 by Charles A. ent affair, is causing considerable Comiskey for alleged "throwing" of impatience. suing the Chicago American League baseball club for \$15,000.

#### LEWIS TO MEET POLE FOR TITLE CROWN

Ry United News ling match for the title between champion Ed "Strangler". Lewis and Stanilaus Zbysko is assured for the stockyards arena February 23, promoters announced Thursday.

Lewis demanded a guarantee \$6,500 and this demand, to which campaign Zbysko has finally assented, made it doubtful for a time as to whether this match would be held. Now Lewis is ready to do battle with the

#### HARDING FLORIDA TOWN-SITE BRINGS UNEXPECT-ED SUM AT AUCTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 .- Sales of the Harding townsite, located near Miami Beach, Fla., brought the largest sum evtr realized by the govsite located on public land, the general land office has announced.

Appraised at \$60,000, the land, at public auction Tuesday, brought \$202,925, or over three sections of the country, is said to have been the chief factor in the large sum received.

The auction was conducted by C.

A. Obenchain, an administrative official of the interior department,
who was sent to Miami Beaco from Doyle has two promising bushers lined up to try for the shortstop berth with the Cubs.

He would like to see Hollocher repent and come back into the fold, he said Wednesday, but he feels sure Hollocher's place can be satisfactorily filled by his mystic unknows.

Another visitor at the Cub's quarters was Leo Hartnett, catcher and long walloper, who declared he would make more hits and longer ones than ever this season.

Most of the Cub contingent will leave Saturday morning for the LAMESA Torse Feb. 14.

Most of the Cub contingent will leave Saturday morning for the training camp at Catalina Island, ty politics are beginning to take on new life, there being several candidates already announced for various life. RETAINING CONFERENCE TITLE the sheriff's race will be interesting and there will be several candidates

BY RAYMOND CLAPPER opyright 1924, by United News

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Hiram Johnson's political stock has taken an upward turn because of the Teapot Dome scandal and its effect upon his darkest hour and the close friend who, three weeks ago were urging him to give up the fight against President Coolidge, are now congratulating him for holding on. The fight which seemed utterly hopeless

For once, fate has played straight into the arms of this figure, whom she has buffeted so heartlessly, is far too early to judge whether TO TAKE SPRING HARDENING Johnson can play his hand for its

It may be that Coolidge finally will get his oil leasing proposition g ing and produce results that will

But his start has not been especially auspicious. He has been comselled to drop the two lawyers he connections. Gregory went within a few hours when it was discovered he had done legal work for Doheny. Now Strawn has been dropped because he was a director in a Chicago bank which was closely linked with Standard Oil interests, Atlee Pomerene, who was selected to take Gregory's place, is not acceptable to the senators, but whether they will

be able to force him out is uncertain.
All of this has served to arouse further the suspicions of the public. And as the rumors which are current here spread, suspicions' will grow, however unwarranted they may be. Coolidge also is suffering from the ment.

retention of Secretary Benby, but card mailed from Hollywood, Calif., noon when Judge Gregory called this is likely to be corrected within where he is elevating the movie Jackson before the bench and order- a very short time. Denby's resigna-

Coolidge, by moving so leisurely. check for five dollars and defied Mr. The arrest of Jackson came as a is causing the country to show signs.

Raymond to do the same. sequel to the arrest Wednesday on a of impatience and the public demand retary of the Interior Finney and

> This is the situation here from the political side. It has nothing to do with the merits of the case, or with any one's guilt or innocence. It is simply the cold calculations of the men who are thinking now how they can poll the largest vote next No CHICAGO, Feb. 14. -- A wrest- state of mind and are revising their judgment daily. Coolidge may do something tomorrow which will reverse the present uneasiness.

He is directing his guns on Coolidge for inaction in the Teapot Dome It is a situation which is perpectly adapted to Johnson's savage method of attack. It kindles the same old fire which burned so brightly when he set out to clean up California years ago. It appeals to the same crusading spirit which made him a figure in the progressive movement in 1912.

Johnson is just entering the primary battle. One month from now the Dakota primaries will be held and they will show whether he has way, his bandwagon will not be so empty as it is now.

counted up their eggs. They found dealers have it.

they had about 850 convention delegates, three hundred more than enough to nominate. Whether all of these can be hatched in view of the new situation is the question

> Johnson Flays Coolidge. PARIS, Ill., Feb. 14.-If President

Coolidge does not oust Secretaries Denby and Daugherty from his cabinet, such failure will involve tacit approval of their regimes, Senator Hiram Johnson told Illinois voters in speeches here and at Danville Thurs-

sleeves up figuratively and thrust an adjoining 160 acres to E. M. Rasthem up to his elbows in Teapot berry, of Burkburnett. Dome oil, splashing it vigorously at his rival for the republican presiden-

tial nomination. Coolidge himself, according to Johnson's plain spoken compaignementers, has stigmatized Daugher ty with distrust by appoint vate attorneys to investigate the oil scandal, instead of allowing the attorney general to do it.

son asserted, in his bid for a victory at the primaries, is impaired with finality by the senate's request that Coolidge obtain his resignation. "Standing by the secretary of the navy now means nothing less in effect than approval of what he did or

Denby's further usefulness, John-

#### SCREEN DISCOVERS AMERICAN HISTORY

vacillation concerning it," Johnson

Motion picture producers for years lost sight of the best opportunity they had for educational influence. The chapter play, the most popular form of the screen story, and the one which every child sees, was

merely a story. The Universal Pictures Corporapicked to conduct the government's tion "discovered" history as screen prosecution because of their hidden material in the chapter play form. When other companies were regarding the chapter play merely as a thrilling plot filmed with an intense dramatic speed, Universal was experimenting with chapters of real

> The first two serials produced with this motif were "Winners of the West" and "In the Days of Buffalo Art Acord was the star, Edward Laemmle the director and Rob ert Dillon the author. "Buffalo was heralded by educators a one of the finest examples of the possibility of disseminating valuable knowledge while offering entertain-

Acord, Laemmle and Dillon are responsible for "The Oregon Trail," the screen story of the Oregon drams, offered \$50,000,000 today ed his arrest on a charge of perjury, tion is regarded as inevitable and is Trail, which will be unfolded in fifteen chapters at the R. & R. Theatre, beginning Saturday.

#### SKIN GRAFT OPERA-TIONS THIS WEEK

Irene, ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Smith, of Lockney, who was severely burned at the family home at Lockney during the latter part of November, underwent another skin graft operation at a local hospital Tuesday and another one Thursday, and it has been re-ported that the little girl, though suffering a great deal, has a good chance to recover.

Oranges are very healthy. They 5 million milli are not a luxury at 35c a dozen Read Martin & Wolcott grocery specials for Saturday.

But as matters stand at this writing, Johnson is on the make. He is out in Illinois starting his speaking campaign. ing near others where they can see their pimply, blotchy and eczemic skin that you can see they are only torturing their minds instead of throwing all cares to the four winds and enjoying themselves.

You almost feel like going up to them and telling them that they ought to begin using the wonderful Black and White Ointment, which so many thousands of happy people are depending on to keep their skin clean, smooth and good to look at.

Black and white Ointment is selling at the phenomenal rate of nearand they will show whether he has ly two million packages a year, and made any progress. If they go his the fact that it is so economically mpty as it is now.

Coolidge managers last week times as much as the 25c size. All

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M. T. Warlick Lubbock, Texas

## ANNUAL BANQUET LUBBOCK CHAM-BER OF COMMERCE WILL BE HELD NEXT THUR. EVENING AT HI SCHOOL

GOODLY NUMBER OF LAND

SEMINOLE, Texas, Feb. 14.-W. B. Austin sold for P. L. Tippitt, of Tuesday evening but which was post-Gainesville, 160 acres of land six poned on account of the death of Mayor Percy Spencer, will be held day. miles northwest of town to H. L. on Thursday evening of next week

The California senator rolled his McMurtrey, of Burkburnett. Also at the Lubbock high school.

> of Seminole. Three days later Mr. will be killed for the banquet Thurs-Gilbreath sold this tract to Foster day. Brock of Lamesa.

> miles north of town to W. A. Moore, of the big events in the life of Lubof Quitaque.

ABILENE FARMERS

ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 14.—Coming at a time when it will aid the planned for Tuesday evening. farmers materially in spring plant-ing a rain amounting to 1.18 inches CANYON SCHOOL PAPER HAS fell in this city and section Sunday night and early Monday. It is estimated that the rain will mean thousands of dollars to the farmers in this section.

the grocery offerings in Martin & Teachers College. Haley is a junior Wolcott grocery specials are all big and a member of the Lloyd C. Allen

PLANT A TREE!

Curtis A. Keen. secretary of the SALES IN GAINES COUNTY Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, announced yesterday that the annual banquet which was to have been held

Thirty turkeys had been killed for the banquet Tuesday, but these were Noah Gilbreath, 160 acres from sold without loss to the Chamber of Russell, Bulkeley and Riley, of New Commerce, and it was announced by York, located nine miles northwest the secretary that many birds

The annual meeting of the Lub-J. J. Williams sold 320 acres nine bock Chamber of Commerce is one Quitaque.

B. W. Myrick sold 123 acres near that the one to be held Thursday eve-Florey to J. H. Pierce of Oklahoma, ning be about the biggest one in point of attendance put over.

Further details in connection with HELPED BY RAINS the big banquet are being worked out. It is not likely that the pro gram will be changed from that

#### NEW EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

CANYON, Texas, Feb. 14-Evetts Haley, of Midland, Texas, has been elected to succeed Jeff D. Smith as editor-in-chief of Le Mirage, college You know from experience that annual of The West Texas State Scholarship Society. Smith was forced to withdraw from school by illness in his family.

## What's Next Door?

A restricted residential section of the better kind will be opened mighty soon.

#### MORNING SIDE

10 blocks of courthouse—A beautiful site, no city taxes, small cash payment, low interest rate. DRIVE OUT TODAY!

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Meaning the "Agent" who sold you your Health and Accident Insurance to-day.

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The biggest value attached to your policy is "THE SERVICE AFTER THE SALE".

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## Rix's Sixth Anniversary Sale

Many Premiums to

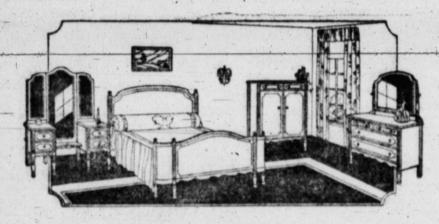
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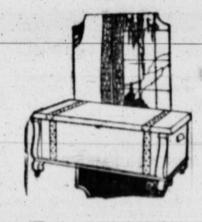
Extra Big Values in House Furnishing Goods

Everybody Gets a Chance at The Premiums

Yes, it is six years since we opened our Lubbock store. It has been a success from the beginning and we want to show our appreciation for the business that has been given us in the past and induce many new-comers to begin trading with us. This is not one of those "Whoop-'em-up" sales where much is promised and but little done, but a legitimate price reduction on practically everything in our store for a few days. The prices we are making will show our appreciation better than we can tell you.



## Hundreds of Dollars Worth Premiums to be Given Away



\$150 BED ROOM SUITE FIRST PRIZE \$57.50 SEALY MATTRESS SECOND PRIZE

\$30 CEDAR CHEST THIRD PRIZE

These wonderful premiums and dozens of other prizes will be given away during the sale. Every man and woman will be given a free chance. Ask about our plan when you visit our store.

## Here Are a Few of the Bargains You Will Find at Our Store During This Sale

8-piece Dining Room Suite, Mahogany This suite is from the Northern Furniture Co.'s line, which is one of the highest grade suites we sell. Original price \$285, on sale at \_\_\_\_\_\_\$178.85

3-piece Overstuffed Living Room Suite, upholstered in blue Velour, reduced from \$250 to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\$162.50

All Fibre Goods Reduced 1-3 During This Sale

3-piece Suite, Settee and two Rockers, Ivory or Putty, upholstered in cretonne, reduced from \$95 to \_\_\_\_\_\_ \$63.35 3-piece Suite in Black and Gold, worth \_160, sale price \_\_\_\_\_ \$160.65 3-piece Suite in Frosted Grey, original price \$165, sale price \_\_\_\_\_ \$110.00

One of the biggest bargains we are offering is a 3-piece Pullman Suite—bed davenport, rocker and chair, brown mahogany, upholstered in velour, four colors to select from. We have just six of these to go at \_\_\_\_\_\_\$112.50

20% Discount on Linoleum \$1.25 grade for \$1.00

A charge will be made for laying linoleum at the sale price.

Liberal Discount on all Rugs

\$35, 9x12 Tap. Brus. rug \_\_\_\_\_ \$28 \$52.50, 9x12 Axminister \_\_\_\_ \$42 \$105 9x12 Wilton Velvet \_\_\_\_ \$84

One lot of bed room rockers and chairs —Walnut, Mahogany and Ivory—reg-

ular values \$10 to \$15, your choice during the sale \_\_\_\_\_ \$7.45

Columbia Records

75c values, 3 for \_\_\_\_\_\_ \$1.00 \$1.00 to \$1.50 values, 3 for \_\_\_\_ \$1.25 These are all new records

Here Are a Number of Odd Pieces on Which You Can Save a Lot of Money! \$67.50 Chifforobe, Ivory and Grey, this sale \$46.00 \$100.00 Chifforobe, Birds Eye Maple for \$67.50 \$60.00 Chiffonier, Ivory, for \$42.00 \$35.00 Chifforette, Ivory for \$22.50 \$15.00 End Table, Mahogany for \$9.95

\$40.00 Library Table, Ivory, for \$28.00

\$50.00 Fiber Lamp, Ivory, for \_ \$33.50

## All Prices Are CASH----Liberal Discount on all Installment Bills During Sale

This is not an effort to get rid of a lot of out-of-date or damaged furniture, as our stock is as clean as it is possible to find a large stock of furniture. Every article will be found exactly as represented in our advertising. It will be worth the time of every person in our trade territory to make a special effort to visit our store during this sale. If you are going to need any furniture during the next several months, it will pay you to make your purchases now!

Come in and Get a Chance at the Premium

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Phone

Errors Made in Ads Must be Reported in 48 Hours, or Same Will Not Be Corrected.

#### NOTICES

Friday night, on of before full moon each

Hunt, W M. Chris Harwell, Secretary.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS and contractors: By Feb. 5th we will be in position to deliver crushed rock and that at prices anyone can afford to For samples and prices see John Gelin. Phone 669:

NOTICE MR. FARMER-I am now with A. J. Hicks, the blacksmith. Let us do your work. E. G. Warlick.

NOTICE-If you have any kind of city property you want to sell, phone 205 and tell Sawyer, the city salesman. Room 7, Johnson Bldg. 92-6

#### WANTED

to leave Monday. Address Box 532, Lubbock. Texas Land Exchange. Lubbock, Texas.

field for ten days. Write.

WANTED—To rent or lease an 8 or FOR SALE—My home on 9th street.

10 room house, furnished. Inquire Frank Barclay.

91-6pat 1510 Ave. I. Phone 594-J. 93-3

Write M, care Avalanche.

WANTED-Five men and women to FOR SALE-At a bargain, my home

WANT car or tractor as first pay ment on unimproved land. Texas Land Exchange.

Monday Write Box 731

Land Exchange.

WANTED - Three or four rooms Brownwood, Texas. stred. Phone 549.

WANTED TO RENT-Four to six

WANTED To repair your top, cu-shions and curtains. Lubbock Auto-

WANTED - Your windmill work. Olive Green at Smiley's Blacksmith

SALESMEN WANTED - Men and women to sell guaranteed line of shirts or hose. Factory to wearer. Good commission. Best co-operation. Buckeye Shirt Co., 633 Bank-ers Mortgage Bldg., Houston, Texas. 88-10

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—7 1-2 six room modern home or building acres improved, six-room house, or chard, well and mill, adjoining cor. limits. See Dillard at Owens & Huf-stedler. Phone 196.

Thomas Grain Co. for feed and

WANTED TO RENT-About a fivefrom K. Karter Store. J. W. Gamel, Care of Minter-Gamel Co.

WANTED-To rent piano. Mrs. J. Ratliff. Call 47. 84ti

WANTED—Painting and paperhanging; first class work. Just try me. C. A. Nichols, Phone 123. 78-26-p

WANTED-Position with established frm in Lubbock by competent young business man. Will consider buying uterest. Address Box 225, Ava-

anche. WANTED-First class cash register.

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn eggs at \$1 for 15; M. Johnson's 280-egg strain hens bred to A. & M. College roosters. See H. A. Sneed at Shropshire's Chili Parlor, or phone

FOR SALE—Baby chicks and eggs from the best S. C. R. I. Reds and S. C. White Leghorns in West Texas. S. C. R. I. Red baby chicks \$11 per 50; \$20 for 100. S. C. W. Leghorns \$8.50 per 50; \$16 per 100; \$75 per 500. Prepaid and guarantee 100 percent live delivery. Eggs \$1.50 percent live delivery. Eggs \$1.50 per 15; \$4.50 per 50; \$8.00 per 100 prepaid. We own our breeders and ship hig strong healthy chicks. Guaranteed pure. Glendale Hatchery, Snyder, Texas. 93-4

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milch cow, ask for Roberts New Method Tailor Shop. Tel. 365. 93-2p

FOR SALE—Spotted Shetland pony, gentle for children. Saddle, blanket and bridle. 1712 Ave. J. 92-3p

#### FOR SALE

month. Visiting Ma- FOR SALE — Two improved farms one cordially invited. one mile Littlefield, extra bargain, 312-tf small cash payment. Texas Land

#### Fords For Sale.

-1919 Ford touring. -1920 Ford truck. 1-1922 Ford touring. -1923 Ford coupe. 1-1923 Ford touring.

Used Fords bought and sold, two blocks south of court house on Ave. H. Phone 829.

°C. M. ELMORE

FOR SALE Fordson tractor, \$150, just overhauled and in good shape. See Fred Fite at Shallowater Lumber

FOR SALE OR TRADE-Six cylinder Buick roadster in good running shape. Will sell and give terms. Box. 1341, Lubbock.

FOR SALE OR RENT-Good farm WANTED—Three passengers to Los 1 mile of Littlefield. Want cash Angeles, by way of El Paso. Want rent er would sell and take house in

WANTED-A good second hand Mo- FOR SALE-Choice building sites line plow, must be a bargain. G. W. and new modern homes. See Sawyer, Simpson, Hawley, Texas, At Little- the city salesman. Phone 205. Room 93-3p 7, Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE-90x150 lot on L street, WANTED To rent a two or three one and one-half blocks from Hunt 93-1 owner at 1211 19th St.

#### The Leach Seed Grader.

The most practical machine in America for cleaning and grading WANT TO RENT 5-room modern cotton seed. corn, maize, wheat, oats, home east of Avenue Q and between and other field seeds. Formerly sold needs. Lubbock Auto Top & Mfg. 9th St. and 15th St. Will take place by agents at \$150.00, now sold direct for 12 months, guarantee rent. Texas to consumer at \$100.00. Order direct

by couple, modern conveniences de FOR SALE OR TRADE Six room

93-2p dition. Call 335.

WANTED—One thousand auto tops to build. Lubbock Auto & Top Mfg. small cash payment, easy terms, also would sell 40 acres near town or cut in small tracts. W. B. Thorp. Phone PLAIN AND FANCY SEWING—

Top & Mfg. Co. Phone 793. 92tf FOR SALE—P. & O. disc plow and 463-M. 90-6p

WANTED — Your windmill work. two-row sod planter. J. H. Good-

FOR SALE-Windmill, See Mrs. Stringer.

Hattie Moore, 1704 Ave. J. 91-3

FOR SALE-New ideal five room fuel. Phone 324 house with bath, all modern conven-

#### FOR SALE

VELLOWHOUSE LODGE No. 841, FOR SALE-Good single buggy and FOR SALE - Well built 4-room A. F. & A. M., meets young mule. Roberts, Phone 365. Jesse Lane or write Box 518, Lub-93-2p bock.

#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Two light housekeep ing rooms to couple without chil-dren, 1702 Ave. N. Phone 787.

#### Farm To Rent.

National Bank.

buildings. Call at Palace of Eats. legiate contests-and he is pastor of

FOR RENT-Two light housekeep- to this community where he fills the ing rooms: 1602 Ave. I. Phone

FOR RENT-Warehouse, centrally

to couple only. Phone 479-J. 92-2p

FOR RENT - Two unfurnished ooms for light housekeeping. Phone

#### MISCELLANEOUS

room furnished apartment, or a school building. Price \$400; on city FOR EXCHANGE-320 acres well house, furnished or unfurnished, water, 150 feet off 19th street. See improved, 10 miles Lubbock, want ing the holidays he deserted the 91-3p good home in Lubbock. Texas Land ranks. 93-3 Exchange.

\$9.00 COAL. W. A. Jones at West Texas Gin.

93-3 from factory and save \$50. C. W. CAR OF MOUNTAIN APPLES. Simpson, Box 322. Sales Mgr., Black Twig, Delicious and Pearmain from the orchards. See them on the track or at Thomas Warehouse. 92-3p

93-2p house, good location, lot and half. COME to Lubbock apple house for Geo. W. Pickle.

85 good apples. Just received fresh good apples. Just received fresh supply. Also lots of good East room house by responsible couple, FOR SALE — One practically new Texas syrup. Beds and space to let-must have conveniences. Phone 549. Remington typewriter, A No. 1 con-Have good 250-egg incubator for sale 90-4p cheap. See Hack.

77-tf Children's work a specialty. Mrs.

pasture. Box 61, Lubbock. 90-5p 22-p HOME LAUNDRY-Work called for and delivered. Phone 945-M. G. G.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY a beautiful

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iences. Small cash payment. Will FOR TRADE—1-2 section of land in take some trade. Possession immediately. Holt and Brooks, Room 3. bock. See owner at Avalanche Lowry Building. 90tf Office.



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Prompt Service Courteous Treatment

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LADIES' tailoring, dressmaking and

MEBANE COTTON SEED - Car dent of the organization for the en- ning of 1922. load will be in Lubbock ready for de-livery next week. This seed govern-ment tested and guaranteed 98.6 Mr. Morris' wife is also registerpercent pure. Call at rooms 208 and ed in Simmons, and a brother, Roy 209 Citizen's National bank building Morris is a student in the academy and see sample and book your wants of the school. as this seed will not last long at the remarkably low price of \$1.65 per BIG COTTON CROP bushel. J. H. Bryan. 82-tf 21-tf DUE IN

#### LOST AND FOUND

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN One black Shetland pony. \$5 reward for information leading to her recovery. Rusty Davis.

#### FIGHTING PREACHER ATTENDING SIMMONS FROM LUBBOCK

special to the Avalanche. ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 14 .- "A housekeeping rooms. 1216 18th St. covery among the student body of age though barley, cotton and feed Phone 435-J. FOR RENT - Two furnished light Fighting Preacher" is the latest dis- ing of much of the usual wheat acre-931f Simmons College, and he hals from scale than ever before attempted in Lubbock, Texas, this loyal fighter on the Panhandle. With the soil full the lusty Cowboy football squad of of moisture and favorable weather To party with good teams and the college, Sam Morris, although a bumper production of all farm protools, must have two four-horse the college, Sam Morris, although ducts is anticipated. teams and financially able to run only in his sophomore year at Simhimself, well located to school and mons was one of the outstanding AMERICA NOW HAS gin. See H. W. Stanton, Citizens players on the Cowboy team for 5000 KILOGRAM 1923 and won his college letter this FOR RENT — Seven-room modern the college debating team, having house, double garage and other out represented the school in intercol-

93-1p Bethel Church, and a married man! Mr. Morries goes each week-end pulpit at the Sabbath meetings and serves the people in other capacities as their pastor. Yet he manages with all his school activities and located. Address Box 998, City. 92-6p this special ministerial work to play an A-One brand of football, and was FOR RENT-Furnished apartments the only ministerial student in Simmons to receive a letter. He was in the group of fifteen letter men who were given gold footballs a short time back by C. M. Caldwell, president of the Board of Trustes in recognition of services in 1923.

Until the fall of last year Mr. Morris was a loyal member of the "Bachelor's Club of Simmons; dur-

Sam Morris, with Gray Browne of Abilene, last year won the ando sales work, and travel with crew. on 7th street one block from K. Car. CAN USE one or two refined ladies nual Freshman-Sophomore debate.

Twenty to twenty-five dollars a ter school. Will take small car in or gentlemen on salary or part time. He has been on the college debating expenses. Crew leaves good condition as part payment. See Address B. L. G. Care Avalanche. squad, since his entrance into col-93-2p lege life, from the academy of Simast year he was

team meeting the Southwestern Teachers' College of Durant, Okla-93-3p homa. He will probably be on the eam which will contest the Denton

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spring. At the 1922-1923 Erisophian platinum. This estimate stands in Satisfaction guaran- Federation, a state organization of sharp contrast to the estimates of teed. At the Leader. Mrs. Bur- college literary societies, Mr. Mor- the Industrial Platinum Company of 88-6 ris won first place in the declama- Paris which placed America's holdtion contest, and was elected presi- ings at 65,000 ounces at the begin-

#### DUE IN PANHANDLE

AMARILLO, Texas, Feb. 14.-Farmers are rapidly finishing the harvest of the 1923 crop of grain sorghums and wheat. Threshers are running throughout the twenty North Plains counties. Thousands of acres are being seeded to barley at this time and farmers are busy on every hand, preparing land for a big cotton crop. Six weeks of fav-orable weather following three months of rain and snow is aiding Plains farmers in preparing farm lands throughout the Panhandle for

a big crop year. Late fall rains prevented seedducts is anticipated.

5000 KILOGRAM PLATINUM

BERLIN, Feb. 14 .- German plat-

now has about 5,000 kilograms of

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Dr. H. C. Wright Licensed Chiropodist of Amarillo Will be here at Cova Hotel, February 18th and 19th. Treats all forms of foot

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Our customers are pleased customers. We refer you to them. If you are interested in better light and power service come talk with us.

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#### SOCIETY

Interesting Meeting. The George M. Hunt Parent-Teachers association met in regular will met in the church parlor Providence we humbly bow; and, with Mrs. Maddox leading. All Whereas, Percy Spencer was session Thursday afternoon at the young women of the church are honorable and ethical lawyer, demeanschool building. The program was urged to attend. in charge of Misses Nugent and Cowart and was rendered by the fourth and fifth grades. The ladies were each given a valentine upon enterdren in training them it.

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was given in celebration of Lincoln's this town. She later attended the lawyer, citizen and friend; and we and St. Valentine's birthdays.

ported that the machine had been or-dered and also a number of records is above the average. suitable for primary rooms.

month the birthday of the State Con- in Austin she met Mr. Gracy and the ers club will be celebrated and our romance which culminated in this president, Mrs. Baugh, made a splen- wedding moved very rapidly. did talk on the work of this great organization and its work in child Mr. D. R. Gracy, a very prominent weifare, and the closer co-operation banker and business man of Austin. of the home and the school.

Lubbock Music Club Meets. rooms of the high school.

In the absence of the president kind in the state.

and secretary their places were respectively filled by Mrs. Joe Hilton San Antonio Mr. and Mrs. Gracy will and Miss Mary Dunn. Different return to Austin and immediately matters were discussed in a short begin the construction of a modern business session after which Miss cottege home in the Enfield Addi-Dunn took up the lesson on dance tion. Thythms, discussing briefly the waltz. Just prior to the wedding Miss rhythms, discussing briefly the waltz, minuet, gavotte and march. Some Duggan was the recipient of many of these forms were illustrated with social functions at the Country Club Victrola numbers and the following and in the homes of a host of frends piano numbers were rendered:

Pilgrim's Chorus from Taunhau-ser-Mesdames H. O. Waters and A.

Faust Waltz; Gounod-Mrs. E. L. Robertson, Miss Eva Browning, Mrs. in Farwell W. O. Stevens and Mrs. Robert Jen- N. Malone.

Young Women's Auxiliary Meets.
The Young Women's Auxiliary of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. S. H. Stewart,

at her home on Broadway, for a business session and social hour. The auxiliary has just been reis on view at the R. & R. Lindsey
today. It is attracting large audiences daily to this popular theatre. vided into two groups, named red charming picture.

George M. Hunt P. T. A. Holds and blue and a contest drive will be

made for new members. Next Monday afternoon the aux-

Miss Duggan of Littlefield Weds Austin Man

LITTLEFIELD, Texas, Feb. 14-

The remainder of the program attended the first school started in sustained in the death of our brother Holly Hall School in Dallas, then the The readings and little plays were Scudder School for Young Ladies in has left for a while to the tender was brought to a local sanitarium dit on their teachers.

New York City, and graduated two years ago from Kansas City. years ago from Kansas City. At At the business session the com- all of these places she specialized in mitte to purchase the Victrola re- voice work, and those who have

Last fall she entered the Universi-On the seventeenth day of this ty of Texas at Austin in the Freshmonth th birthday of the State Conman class. A few reeks after being

Mr. David C. Gracy is the son of He is a University man, a Shriner, and exceedingly popular in Austin siocal circles. He is Secretary-The Lubbock Music club met in Treasurer of the Gracy Title Guar-regular session Feb. 9 in the music anty Co., of Austin, one of the largest and most successful plants of the

Personals.

Mrs. Earnest Conley and little son, Earnest Jr., are spending the week Farwell with her sister, Mrs. B.

nings.

Midsummer Night's Dream, Overture, Mendelssohn—Mesdames Robert Jennnigs, Paul Morgan, J. T. Krueger and Joe Hilton.

C. A. Paulger of the Paulger Batery Bearing company, left Thursday for Dallas, where he will attend the batterymen's conventions. C. A. Paulger of the Paulger Bat-

"The World's Applause" Fine

One of the finest photoplays seen here in many weeks is "The World's Applause," a William de Mille production for Paramount, featuring Bebe Daniels and Lewis Stone, which planned and the members were di- There are thrills galore in this

#### RESOLUTIONS IN MEMORY OF PERCY SPENCER

Whereas, on February 12, 1924, God in his wisdom, as the great judge of all men, saw fit to call from the walks of this life our associate, friend and brother of the bar, Percy Spen-cer, and before this dispensation of

ing himself with credit to his profession and fidelity to his clients, and ne was also an energetic, enterprising here Wednesday looking after busiand progressive citizen, standing for those things that meant most for his ing, upon which the program was Miss Alice T. Duggan, daughter of city and community, and he was also er of Ryan, Oklahoma, is here makwritten. The music memory lesson Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan, of a man and friend among his fellow ing some purchases in real estate, was very interesting and showed the this city, was married at 11 o'clock members of the bar, and a tender both farms and city property, and mothers what is being given the children in training them in the appreciation of classical music and its his-

> commend those whom he loved and love and compassion of the infinite God and to the solace and consolation that we and others, as their friends, can give. Be it further resolved, that copies

of this resolution be presented to the district courts within and for the 72nd judicial district, with the request that the same be entered upon the minutes of said courts; that a copy hereof be presented to the district court and the county court of Lubbock county to be entered upon the minutes of said respective courts; that a copy hereof be presented to the family of our deceased member and that a copy hereof be delivered to the press.

George R. Bean, Chairman, W. H. Bledsoc, Richard L. Douglas, Roy W. Starnes. C. Pipkin (Amarillo),

Committee on Resolutions.

Beans are very nutritious. Look out for Martin & Wolcott Saturday grocery specials in today's paper.

## Local Happenings

R. F. Ball, of Nocona, was here Thursday visiting Attorney George R. Bean of the law firm of Bean & Klett, and incidentally looking af-Mr. Ball is owner of ter business. extensive land interests in Terry

ness and visiting friends

J. H. Whiteside, prominent bank

ing given specialists' attention at local sanitarium.

Mrs. Roy Heard, of Shallowater,

Mrs. Jewel Lyne, of Brownfield, was brought to Lubbock the first of the week and placed in a local sanitarium for medical attention.

W. L. Matthews, of Sparenberg. Texas, underwent an operation at cal sanitarium this week. Mrs. W. J. Thomas, of Abernathy.

under care of specialists of a local sanitarium. J. M. Miller, of Dallas, was a bus-iness visitor to Lubbock Thursday. S. Coffee, prominent citizen of

Silverton, is here prospecting.

L. E. Davaney, of Texico,

day and will spend several days loking over the Plains country. W. T. Word and Ben Kuff, of Altus, Oklahoma, are here prospect-

ing. Mrs. A. E. Cazaux, head of the

accounting department of the Mint- S. er Dry Goods Company at Abilene, is here and will spend a few days in the Minter-Gamel store which is to start business in the very near

Deputy Sheriff Vernice Ford made a business trip to Slaton Thursday

V. L. Hale is here from his home at Snyder viisting his daughter, Mrs. Sikes Woods,

R. L. Hastings, building contractor, of Wortham, arrived in Lubbock Thursday and will make his home

George W. Murfee returned to his home at Abilene Thursday after spending several days here visiting his father, J. E. Murfee.

Sheriff J. A. Grigsby and County Attorney W. E. Huffhines of Floy-

J. W. Cannon, residing in the eastern portion of the county, was juror in district court this week. J. L. Cruce of Slaton was a visito in Lubbock yesterday.

J. C. Cromer, residing five miles south of Lubbock, was a busines visitor in Lubbock yesterday. Harry C. Burrus, of Slaton, a brother of Claude and Jim Burrus of this city served on the petit jury in district court this week.

Attorneys H. C. Pipkin and Otis Trulove, of Amarillo, were busy in district court yesterday.

POSTMASTERS NAMED FOR TEXAS TOWNS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14. here Thursday on business.

H. G. Ludwick was here Thursday from his home at Roswell, New Mexcounty, Texas, taking place of M. B. B. W. Thomas, of Altus, Okla- Williamson resigned, and Charley R. homa, arrived in Lubbock Wednes- Jamison, as postmaster at Boyd Wise county, Texas.

> When you are buying groceries you always want to buy the best for Watch Martin & Wolcott Sat urday grocery specials.

#### O. S. FROM FRENCH DIRAGBLE IS CAUGHT

GALVESTON, Texas, Feb. 14.— Feeble S. O. S. calls from the stricken French Dirgible Dixmude which went down in the Meditteranean with a crew of forty or more aboard were heard by the U. S. Shipping Board steamer Joyce which arrived here recently.

"About 9 o'clock on the night of Dec. 18 we heard faint S. O. S. calls at frequent intervals but on account of the gale blowing and interference from thunderstorms we could not make out the signature said Captain H. Muller, master of the Joyce.

"It was not until two o'clock until we knew it was the Dixmude calling. At that hour we picked up press dispatches from London telling of the Dixmude's plight. The dirgible had been giving her French naval code designation in the calls and we could not interpret it until we heard the press message."

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Daniels, and Lewis Stone in this Paramount pic-Bebe more gorgeous than ever, as the dancer who, to achieve fame was willing to play with fire

Pathe News and Joe Rock Comedy: "The Sleep Walker -Today only!

## Coming Saturday

Opening at 10 A. M



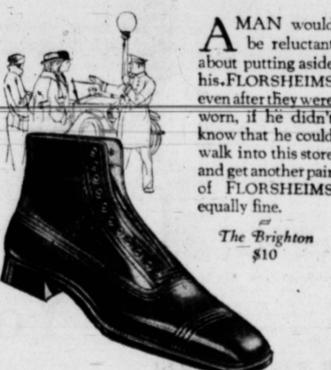
Note: We know that it be impossible for all to see the Saturday program in the evening and we urge you to attend the matinee if possible. Remember Tom Mix in Zane Grey story.

Art Acord in the

## "Oregon Trail"

An instructive animation of American History dealing with pioneer adventure in the Pacific Northwest.

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