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FARM AID DEMANDED OF CONGRESS

KLAN IS ISSUE IN DEMOCRATIC PARTY POLITICS

VOTE ON QUESTION AT NAT'L. CONVENTION MAY BE DEMANDED

By RAYMOND CLAPPER (UN Staff Correspondent) WASHINGTON, May 12.—Prospect of a bitter wrangle over the Ku Klux Klan issue at the democratic national convention have been made certain by the announcement that managers for Senator Oscar W. Underwood will try to force a vote on an anti-klan platform plank.

Through his manager, C. C. Carlin, Senator Underwood said:

"The Ku Klux Klan is an invisible government operating in violation of the constitution of the United States and it is the duty of the democratic party in convention to declare against this organization, and to embody that declaration in its platform."

Carlin said that when Governor Brandon of Alabama places Underwood in nomination, he will announce to the convention the intention of asking for a vote on the klan question, and who should his opponent be voted down there, a minority report will be made to the convention and a vote will be insisted upon.

"It is our intention," Carlin explained "to bring this issue before the convention because we believe it is a question which the democratic party cannot afford to ignore. The situation is exactly the same as it was when the know-nothing movement was at its height in the fifties. We propose that the democratic party now, as was done in the famous convention of 1856, go on record against the movement. If they vote us down in the resolutions committee, we will carry the fight to the floor. We will not quit without a vote on it."

Ed Jackson's victory in the Indiana fight for the republican gubernatorial nomination last week revealed the strength of the klan in this doubtful state and impressed upon leaders in both parties the strength which the order will have in uncertain territory next fall. It is one of the incidents which will make this question acute at both conventions.

In the Democratic party, presidential candidates are intricately bound up in the klan issue. McAdoo is regarded with a friendly eye by the klan, but Underwood and Smith are to be opposed. In the event Smith fails to get the nomination some of his strength will probably be inherited by Underwood because of their common position in this respect. Senator Raisten, of Indiana coming from the most active klan center has sought to remain neutral.

1 inch Rain at Littlefield
LITTLEFIELD, May 12.—One inch of rain fell over Littlefield last night, putting the ground in reasonable condition for planting.

Range is in good condition and an era of prosperity ever before exceeded on the plains is predicted by pioneers of this section.

SPECIAL TRAIN LEFT HERE ON TIME

The special train carrying more than a hundred Lubbock people left last night at nine o'clock for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention. It was the biggest special train that has ever been pulled out of the Lubbock yards, carrying Lubbock boosters, and they are all well armed with literature telling about many of the good things that are found in the Hub of the Plains.

Lubbock will be represented by a bunch of splendid business men, and citizens, who are going to Brownwood to get better acquainted with the people of the towns that will be represented there, that they may be able to cement the interests of the South Plains and the balance of West Texas more solidly.

Lubbock is where the Technological college is located, but recognizes every town in the Western part of the state as being as much entitled to the privileges and benefits of the school as we are, and it is with this spirit manifested in every mind composing the personnel of the special train that they left last night on this three days excursion.

They are for West Texas. They are for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and they are going to let the people who attend the Chamber of Commerce Convention know it while they are there.

FORFEIT OF RUM RUNNER BOND IS ASKED

GALVESTON, May 12.—Forfeiture of the \$10,000 bond on which the British schooner Muriel E. Winters, alleged rum ship, released Feb 22, was asked in a petition filed here Monday by the federal district attorney, on the grounds that the vessel was again in the same trade.

The schooner was seized January 6, and one of the conditions on which she was released was that she should not engage in rum running for a period of one year or until she has passed from the jurisdiction of the federal court.

Cases against the master and crew of the vessel are still pending.

BOUNDARY CASE NOW IN DIST. COURT

The case of Maude M. Seaton vs. S. G. Brassfield, et al, involving the boundary lines of certain sections of land in Block S and Block 20 in the south part of Lubbock county, went to trial in the 72nd Judicial District Court here Monday morning, and indications are that the entire week will be spent in the trial of this case.

Hale Center Gets Half Inch Rain
HALE CENTER, May 12.—One half inch of rain was received here Sunday night, and farmers are elated over crop prospects.

With the high winds season about passed this fine rain will be of untold benefit to all crops, and planting will be in full blast here within a few days.

Congressman Langley, Kentucky Found Guilty Monday of Conspiracy to Violate Prohibition Law; Released on \$5,000 Bond

By United Press
COVINGTON, Ky., May 12.—Congressman John W. Langley, of Kentucky was found guilty by a jury here Monday night of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Soon afterward the same jury returned a verdict of mistrial in the case of Albert Slater, former assistant prohibition director of Pennsylvania, a third defendant. It was then dismissed by Judge Cochran.

Milton Lipschitz, jointly indicted with Langley in connection with a whiskey deal, was also found guilty. The jury returned no verdict in the case of Albert Slater, former assistant prohibition director of Pennsylvania and a third defendant as it had been unable to agree on his guilt or innocence.

Langley and Lipschitz were found guilty on the second and third counts of an indictment charging conspiracy to sell and to transport whiskey. The first count,

charging conspiracy, to defraud the government of whiskey taxes was dismissed by Judge Cochran when he instructed the jury.

Langley and Lipschitz were released on \$5,000 bond each. The jury filed in at 10:35. It had deliberated two hours and 35 minutes.

Silence reigned in the court room as the foreman handed the verdict to the clerk of the court. Langley gripped the arm of his chair and leaned forward to catch the words which meant liberty or disgrace for him.

Mrs. Langley sat rigidly beside her husband, not one muscle of her face betraying the emotion she was undergoing.

As the clerk read the words, "we, the gentlemen of the jury, find the defendants, Langley and Lipschitz, guilty," Langley slumped down in his chair and buried his head in his hands.

Mrs. Langley put her arms around her husband's shoulders.

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DAILY NEWS TO START HERE WEDNESDAY

The initial issue of the Lubbock Daily News will go to press Wednesday afternoon, and if the response to the campaign for new subscribers as indicated by the report of the workers last night is continued, the Lubbock Daily News will soon take its place at the fire-side of a majority of South Plains homes.

Several entries have been made in the big subscription contest, and it now appears as though the contestants have made a pretty close race, will result in a mighty close race.

Louie F. Moore, clerk of the 72nd Judicial District Court, was the first to be placed on the mailing list of the Lubbock Daily News, this distinction having also been gained by Mr. Moore when the Lubbock Morning Avalanche was started.

The willingness of Mr. Moore to respond to the call for readers issued by the Avalanche Publishing company on these occasions is appreciated by the management, and it will be the ambition of every member of the force to serve in his or her place on the new paper with such efficiency as to make the Lubbock Daily News acceptable to such friends as the district clerk.

E. L. Law, progressive plumber was possibly the second.

The Lubbock Daily News will be delivered to the homes of all city subscribers, and every effort will be made by the management of the circulation department to deliver the papers just as soon after they are printed as practicable.

AIRPLANE IN READINESS TO SUPPLY BANK FUNDS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 12.—An airplane ready to shoot through the air to Springfield, Mo., carrying funds to the Union National Bank there threatened by a new "run" on it by depositors, remained at Richards field here long after word arrived Monday that all danger had passed.

At the Union Station a special train was kept under steam to be utilized at any moment.

Approximately \$80,000 was sent by express to the Springfield bank Saturday night from here when the first run was staged by depositors.

THREE QUESTIONED IN KATY DEPOT ROBBERY

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 12.—Two white men and a negro were questioned by police Monday following the missing of thirty-one hundred dollars from a safe at the Katy depot here. The money was placed in the safe at closing time Sunday night. It was necessary both to work a combination and to open a key locked door to enter the safe. There was no evidence of forced entrance to the office.

Aliens Deported
GALVESTON, May 12.—Another party of aliens will be deported by immigration authorities from Galveston during the next few weeks. Late Sunday a detail of seven arrived from Brownsville for deportation while twenty more are due Tuesday from Western Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California. The men will be sent away as rapidly as ships are available.

J. R. WALKER WILL BE TRIED FOR MURDER

J. R. Walker, charged with murder in connection with the killing of J. S. Lanham at Slaton last year, will go to trial in the 72nd Judicial District Court here Monday morning, May 19th.

The defendant will be represented by Jno. L. Ratliff, of Lubbock, and I. B. Lane, of Slaton.

District Attorney Gordon B. McGuire will be assisted in the prosecution by County Attorney Owen McWhorter, and a great deal of interest will in all probability be shown in the case, due to the wide acquaintance of both principals.

A special venire of one hundred men has been ordered by the court and it is expected that even with this number to select from a jury will be hard to secure due to the fact that the details of the alleged murder were perhaps discussed in every community of the county.

SHENANDOAH TO MAKE POLAR FLIGHT

By United News
SEATTLE, Wash., May 12.—The dirigible Shenandoah will attempt the perilous trip across the North Pole and the unexplored regions of the Arctic a year from this summer was the assertion Monday of Captain Robert A. Bartlett, noted Arctic explorer aboard the coast cutter Bear, on which he will sail North to map out the proposed route for the 1925 flight.

Captain Bartlett arrived here yesterday aboard the Bear from San Francisco.

"There has been nothing definite decided about the Shenandoah flight since President Coolidge cancelled the proposed plans for this year," Captain Bartlett declared, "but high navy officers are sure that the trip will be attempted next summer."

"The National Geographic Society and the navy department are working on this presumption in sending me north to survey the land for routes and possible landing fields."

The Shenandoah will be brought to the Pacific coast this summer.

"This talk of danger, which held up the flight this year is politics," he said; "There had been one or two dirigible wrecks. A politician or two saw a popular harping point and raised objections to the Shenandoah's flight. He got his stuff over and the flight was called off."

"The danger is no argument. We have lots of men who would like to take the chance. It is no more hazardous than the round-the-world flight by airplane. We will take every precaution to guard against accidents, and the ship will carry a radio with a 2,000 mile range."

Bartlett was with Admiral Peary when the admiral made his sensational trip to the North Pole. He was also with the Canadian Arctic Expedition in 1913 and 1914, when the expedition lost the vessel Karluk.

CITY IS STORMED BY AMARILLO BOOSTERS

Amarillo and Lubbock clasped themselves to the bosom of the other Monday afternoon when boosters from the Hub of the North Plains arrived for a four-hour stop in the Hub of the South Plains.

The Amarillo party, enroute to Brownwood, wound up a day of visiting with a four-hour stop here. On arrival of the train at 5 p. m., the party, headed by the West Texas Teachers' College band of Canyon, paraded down Main street to Avenue J, on Avenue J and Broadway to the courthouse square, where an informal program was staged.

Curtis Keen welcomed the visitors in a few high powered words, in which he told them to help themselves to everything that was loose and make themselves at home in general. It was the best looking and loudest trade trip Amarillo ever sent this way, he declared.

Colonel Ernest O. Thompson, head of the Amarillo delegation, responded in similar strain, pledging co-operation of Amarillo with Lubbock in working for the upbuilding of the Plains region and complimenting this city upon the splendid growth it has enjoyed of recent years. He also stressed the benefit the entire region would receive if the West Texas Chamber of Commerce should meet at Amarillo in 1925. Plans are in the making for a "circle tour," which will enable visitors to see all parts of the Panhandle, he said.

Following the brief addresses, E. F. Corrigan and Jim Grider, Amarillo vaudevillians, gave some musical imitations, and a quartette of Clyde Cockrell, Mike Hollander, Emil F. Myers and Charles Hoover sang. The program was completed by a band concert.

After the program, the visitors dispersed for supper and a few hours of visiting with Lubbock friends. All towns between Amarillo and Lubbock were visited during the day.

The delegations from Lubbock and Amarillo to Brownwood left together at 9 o'clock.

LOCAL YOUTH IS INJURED BY MULE MON.

Herman Goodpasture, nine year old son of J. H. Goodpasture, whose home is about four miles southwest of this city was severely injured at about 8 o'clock Monday evening when he was trampled under the feet of a mule. He was rushed to a local sanitarium, where an examination revealed severe bruises about the head and chest, and possible internal injuries.

The youth was engaged in unharnessing the mule, his father stated, when for some unknown reason the animal became excited, and broke to run, entangling the boy in the harness. He was dragged several yards in this manner, was stamped and kicked several times by the animal, and when picked up was in unconscious condition.

Attending physicians say he has a chance of recovery.

LOCAL BOY HURT IN AUTO-MOBILE ACCIDENT SATURDAY

Laten Adams, local boy was painfully injured in an automobile accident here Saturday night, when a car in which he was riding became unmanageable, and in an attempt to leave it he fell, breaking his right arm.

He was given immediate attention and at last reports was resting well.

KEYNOTE SPEECH TO BE POLICY PRESENTATION

By United News
WASHINGTON, May 12.—The keynote speech to be delivered at the republican national convention in Cleveland next month will be an authorized presentation of the administration position, rather than the individual utterances of the temporary chairman, Representative Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio said.

Burton is arranging his address with great deliberation and is conferring with party leaders as he blocks out the important points. A draft of the major points was laid before President Coolidge by Burton Monday. He will hold further conferences with Coolidge and other party leaders before putting the address in its finished form.

COMBINE WOULD FORCE STEP AT THIS SESSION

TWO GROUPS TO HOLD UP ADJOURNMENT UNTIL AID RENDERED

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 12.—Dissatisfaction among farm bloc members and insurgents in the senate has come to a head in a movement to hold up adjournment of congress until farm relief legislation and railroad measures are enacted.

The growing rumble came to a climax Monday from two different quarters, whose aims are allied:

1. Senator Capper, of Kansas, leader of the farm bloc in a formal ultimatum declared that he would oppose adjournment of congress "until a real effort has been made to help the farmers of this country."
2. Senator Brookhart, of Iowa, acting head of the insurgents in the senate announced he would insist on farm and railroad legislation before congress quits.

While these two groups are actively insistent, there is a feeling also among democrats that congress should go further than republican leaders plan. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, democratic leader, declared on the floor Monday during the general discussion of adjournment that he believes the chances for getting through by June 7, as planned are "fair," but that if the program were not completed, a temporary recess would be taken for the conventions and then congress would come back and sit through the hot summer months.

These announcements followed the recent flare up when farm leaders blocked a vote on the tax bill until they were assured by administration leaders that farm relief legislation would be enacted at this session. Republican leaders forced to grant this concession were further chagrined at the added demands Monday. They are anxious to get away by June 7. Strategically, they are placed in a bad position as the further legislation demanded was outlined for their consideration by President Coolidge in his message. The senate made some headway in meeting the demands of the farm bloc and insurgents Monday by adopting a joint resolution, asking the Interstate Commerce commission to lower rates on agricultural products. An effort was made by Senator Pittman, democrat, of Nevada, to tack on the only other railroad measure reported to the senate as an amendment to the war department appropriation bill, the bill modifying the present long and short haul system.

Both Brookhart and Capper want action this session on a bill repealing section 15-A of the transportation act, the so-called "guarantee clause." The insurgents also plan to push the Howell bill, abolishing the railroad labor board, companion measure of the Berkey bill which has won a place on the house calendar. Neither of these measures has been reported from the senate interstate commerce committee.

"Now pending in congress are four measures for farm relief," said Capper.

"Three of them are designated to assist in the stabilizing of farm prices—not in arbitrary fixing of farm prices as they are often deliberately misrepresented. They propose, too, to try to restore a parity from farm prices and general commodity prices approximating the ratio that existed during pre-war years. These measures are the McNary-Haugen bill, the Norris-Sinclair bill, and the Curtis-Aswell bill. Any one of these measures will be of great assistance to the farmers."

The fourth measure is a bill by Capper setting up a federal marketing bureau. Capper, in his statement also urged passage of the freight rate resolution which went through the senate Monday and repeal of section 15-A of the transportation act.

WEST TEXAS: Tonight unsettled, showers except south-west portion; Tuesday partly cloudy, showers east portion.

Just Folks
by Edgar A. Guest

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COURAGE

He that has never grieved nor felt the pain
Of parting from a loved one for a while,
Has never hungered for a vanished smile
Nor longed to hear sweet laughter ring again,
May fancy courage is of breed and strain;
To hold in battle some disputed mile
Or venture boldly down a dangerous ale
Where bullets spatter on the turf like rain.

Yet faith demands a sterner test than this,
It bids men smile whose hearts with grief are torn,
To hunger for the loved ones they must miss
And for the living, smiling face the morn.
This is true courage—bearing long years of pain,
Sure in the faith that loss shall meet again.

FRANCE WOULD HOLD TO HUHR MINES

By United Press

NEW YORK, May 12.—The centuries-old issue of the balance of power is the basis of the struggle now going on between Great Britain and France concerning the nature of German guarantees for the fulfillment of the Dawes reparations plan. There is no possibility of a satisfactory guarantee being exacted from Germany, because no present German Government can pledge the next one to come. Germany is playing an opportunist game and will continue to do so for a generation at least.

The Paris Government, behind its insistence upon guarantees, wants territorial acquisition along the or Germany's industrial subservency to France. There is no great European economist who really believes the Germans will continue to pay indefinitely an indefinite reparations sum, France, therefore, is now strategically preparing the way so that by the time the final German repudiation forces itself on world public opinion, the French will be able to claim forfeits along the Rhine, or will have permanent ownership of the Ruhr mines.

Plan Will Not Work
Everything else is subservient to this long-sighted view in Paris. The "yes but"—attitude of France toward the Dawes report has this as its motive. Poincare has long been aware that the plan will not work, but he has not been able to make his influence felt as he might have done under former governmental conditions. Since M. Millerand became Premier of the republic the Premier's plan has been made subservient to the Presidency in the formation of major policies. It is Millerand's attitude, which reflects the average mentality of the peasant- and middle-class Frenchman, that keeps France to her course.

The British Government is attempting to block the French moves for domination on the European continent. Great Britain has accepted the Dawes report, but with the reservation that there shall be no such guarantees as will make France the master. The conviction of the British that Germany can never be made to pay is shown by the fact that Great Britain has abandoned expectation of getting any considerable sum of money out of Germany for herself. The favorable attitude of Great Britain toward the Dawes plan, therefore, is simply due to the willingness in London to try anything, since only by a process of elimination can the truth of Germany's position become fully realized.

England to Block France
The blocking of guarantees by Great Britain, therefore, does not mean the British are siding with Germany and are trying to prevent the French from collecting all the indemnity they can get. It means that Great Britain is resolved not to be put in a position of sanctioning the eventual expansion of French territorial or industrial dominance across the Rhine. Were this to happen the balance of power in Europe would be seriously disturbed and the British influence would become jeopardized.

Great Britain lives in security only when the policy of "live and let live" is enforced on her European neighbors. This, indeed, is the whole meaning of the balance of power doctrine. It so happens that the British insular position makes Great Britain strong when the continental stick to their own national boundaries and do not seek imperialistic domination within Europe. Therefore, Great Britain has the enormous advantage of being able to use moral arguments for the advancement of her policy; and also is able to point to the inevitability of the future sustaining existing nationalistic boundaries for a long time to come.

So the Dawes report is but the football in this great game of the balance of power. The report can never be made to work, nor has it caused any more optimism in Europe than existed previously. The situation is not changed, except that Great Britain and France now have a new instrument with which to continue to show their diplomatic skill in opposition to each other.

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TUBERCULOSIS IN PUBLIC HEALTH WORK IMPORTANT

By United Press

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12.—Tuberculosis must play a most important part in every phase of public health work," said Dr. R. L. Carlton, health officer of Winston-Salem, N. C., before the National Tuberculosis Association here recently.

"Because the records of deaths show us that one in every ten to twelve is a tuberculosis death; because it has been determined that practically everyone is at some time infected with tuberculosis; because no age nor sex is entirely immune; because so much depends upon the individual's resisting power as to whether the invasion of the body shall result in disease and death or merely in a healed lesion; because this disease destroys the young adult in the most productive age; because housing conditions, general sanitation, protection of food supplies, etc., are decided influencing factors in the prevention of this disease; because of these facts tuberculosis should play a very important part in every general health program."

Albert E. Sinks, executive secretary of the Maryland Tuberculosis Association in Baltimore, in discussing the relation of non-official tuberculosis agencies to the development of the general health program said: "In my estimation the relation of the non-official agency in the development of the general health program should be co-operative in the real sense of the word. The non-official organization has the special field in interpreting the work of the official agency to the public, and in winning or it larger support of all the people. While the non-official agency has a large field in initiating new activities and demonstrating their value, it should be most careful in utilizing and being utilized by the official agency in such matters as legislation and appropriations for public funds."

SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Lubbock, Texas, WHEREAS, By virtue of an Order of sale issued out of the county court of Dallas County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 8th day of April, A. D., 1924, in favor of American Motors Finance, a Corporation and against J. W. Smith, No. 13614 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and adivered, I did, on the 20th day of February, A. D., 1924, at 11 o'clock, a. m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to J. W. Smith—One 1920 Oldsmobile Touring Automobile, License No. 385211, Motor No. B5236, on the 3rd day of June, A. D., 1924, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the Courthouse door of Lubbock County, Texas, in the town of Lubbock, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. W. Smith in and to said property.

WITNESS my hand, this 12 day of May, A. D., 1924. H. L. JOHNSTON, Sheriff of Lubbock County, Texas, by U. L. George, Deputy. 168-3Tues.

THE UNITED STATES IS NOW ON CREDIT BASIS

Practically all automobiles, furniture, musical instruments, our homes, farms and many other things are sold on the easy payment plan today and credit is considered one of the best ways to save money. Even though they all charge from 6 to 10 per cent interest, practically all the leading jewelry stores of the United States today selling on the easy payment plan and charge no interest at all. You may be from Missouri and can't believe that the jewelry store is doing something that no one else is doing, but if you will call in and see Anderson Bros., we will show you how it is being done, as we have started this plan and are selling nationally advertised jewelry, watches, clocks, silverware, etc., at nationally advertised prices—cash or credit—no interest. We guarantee everything we sell. If cash will buy for less bring our back. Buy your graduating gifts from Anderson Bros., and pay later. Why pay cash, you pay no more? Anderson Brothers.—(Adv.) 1693

Spend a dollar and get full value received—then come in June 2nd and possibly you may have the pleasure of buying a beautiful bedroom suite for only \$1.00, at the Leader Store. 166-4f

MULESHOE DELEGATION GOES TO BROWNWOOD WITH LOCALS

Sheriff Bud Johnson will have more than a hard time keeping up with the Lubbock delegation at the Brownwood convention, as the local aggregation was augmented by the arrival of R. L. Brown, of Muleshoe, who arrived here Monday to accompany the Lubbock delegation on their special train.

Sheriff Douglass, of Bailey county, communicated with Sheriff Johnston Monday, assuring him that any steps he might have of necessity to take in keeping the Muleshoe delegation under control would be approved by the citizenship of Muleshoe, and requesting that he take special interest in Brown, who is a real estate dealer of Muleshoe, and has shouldered the responsibility of putting on Muleshoe's part of the big show down at Brownwood. While indications are that the Muleshoe will not cause any unnecessary trouble, Sheriff Johnston is taking no chances and has deputized several local citizens to aid him in meeting with the request of the Bailey county sheriff.

MEXICAN IMMIGRANTS POUR INTO TEXAS

By United Press

LAREDO, Texas, May 10.—Mexican immigrants to the number of 17,000 have passed through the port of Laredo into the United States during the past three months according to J. E. Trout, inspector in charge of immigrant service.

The inflow was expected to cease after May 1, due to steps taken by the Mexican government to halt further immigration to this country. Lacked of a sufficient number of mounted immigration officers is said to be responsible for the large number of Mexicans who have crossed the border illegally. While great numbers who cross the line are apprehended many escape and wend their way toward San Antonio and vicinity.

The 17,000 immigrants were admitted as follows: February, 2,931; March, 7,400; April, 6,500.

BUY A FARM!

"THE AGE OF DESIRE" IS MIRROR OF LIFE

Frank Borzage, whose fame as a directorial genius rests on so secure a foundation as "Humoresque" and "Children of Dust," is the director of "The Age of Desire," a First National picture which is coming on Wednesday to the Lindsey Theatre for one day only. Like its predecessors, it is a pulsating slice of life, with the searchlight turned onto the inner recesses of the elemental emotions and passions.

No one can mirror life as Borzage can; no one can inject the quality of humanness into his productions as can this director. He is able to instill into the members of his cast some of his enthusiasm and genius for fidelity, with the result that his pictures always take front rank among the season's successes. "The Age of Desire," which is from the pen of Miss Dixie Wilson, and was written while the latter was a member of the cast of the Greenwich Village Follies, is a gripping tale of the cravings of the modern woman. Its theme is one that possesses a powerful appeal and its enfoldment is a series of dramatic highlights.

Mary Philbin, William Collier, Jr., and Myrtle Stedman have the leading roles, assisted by Josef Swickard, Frankie Lee, Mary Jane Irving, J. Farrell MacDonald, Bruce Guerin and Frederick Truesdell.

THOUGHT WAS FLEECEING; THOROUGHLY SKINNED

By United Press

VICTORIA, Texas, May 12.—Frank Ara, local confectioner, is crying over the proverbial spilled milk—though in his case it is oil. Ara inherited a half-section of apparently useless land near Kingsbury.

He figured he made a "smart deal" when he sold it for \$15 per acre.

Recently the land yielded oil and sold for \$3,600,000.

Ara peddles candy here now, and complains bitterly that he might be sailing a private yacht.

Railroad statistics show neither baby carriages nor bicycles appear as frequently in baggage cars as two years ago.

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In the Consolidation of the Lubbock Insurance Agency

The same office personnel that cared for your business under its former management has been retained.

Mr. S. P. Robbins is in charge of the office and every facility for prompt and efficient service is provided.

This company has been in operation in Lubbock more than 15 years and has connections with the STRONGEST insurance companies operating in the world.

As far as insurance can protect you against loss we offer you that protection.

Lubbock Insurance Agency

New Location: East Entrance Leader Bldg., Ground Floor

Would You Work 40 Days for \$745.00?

Most people would consider that a pretty good salary, yet the winner of the Lubbock Daily News subscription contest which started yesterday will receive a Beautiful Gray Touring Car which sells for \$745.00.

ITS AN EASY, SAFE JOB

Its a pleasant job too, just call on your friends and neighbors on the South Plains and secure their subscription to the Lubbock Daily News—the new Daily, the afternoon paper with the latest news from over the world.

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EPWORTH LEAGUERS MET AT THE CHURCH LAST NIGHT TO FURTHER PLANS TO ENTERTAIN CONVENTION

Officers, directors and committee members of the local Epworth League met at the church last night to further plans for the big convention to be entertained here next month.

President Ezell has been very active in league work and has caused the membership to take more interest in the welfare of the church auxiliary, which will result in its being able to entertain the

more than one thousand delegates who will be here for the convention of Northwest Texas Conference Epworth League.

E. E. Hailey, traveling salesman for a local wholesale grocery house and who has been an outstanding figure in Epworth League work in the conference, has been asked by the members of the league to help co-operate with leagues in all Lubbock county to the end that their efforts in helping Lubbock to entertain the delegates may be most effective.

A fine spirit has been built up in the local Epworth League and with an educational and well balanced program worked out for the convention, it will be worth much to all the delegates as well as to local people interested in the work of the church in caring for the problems of community life for the young people of the conference.

Last night's meeting was a peppy one and was the forerunner of several such meetings that will be held during this month and up to the convention.

It was emphasized that only the closest co-operation of all church members of Lubbock will make the Epworth League convention the success it is hoped to be, and every young people's organization in the city will be asked to lend its support to the convention.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

announce the following for the offices given below, subject to the Democratic Primary in July and the voters of this county are urged to give them due consideration at the polls

The Avalanche is authorized to

For State Senator: W. H. BLEDSOE, Lubbock.

For Representative: "POOPI" HELSISA 'X' T

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

For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District: PARKE N. DALTON, (Groesbyton) JNO. L. RATLIFF Lubbock. J. M. MARSHALL.

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

For County Judge: CHARLES NORDYKE, J. H. MOORE, GEORGE W. FOSTER.

For County Attorney: OWEN W. McWHORTER (Re-Election) JACK M. RANDAL.

For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS (Re-Election)

For Sheriff: R. L. JOHNSTON, (re-election) C. A. HOLCOMB.

For County Superintendant of Schools—W. M. PEVEHOUSE, H. C. BOWLIN, P. F. BROWN.

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

For Tax Collector—L. F. HOLLAND, Lubbock, Texas. JAS. E. WATSON, Lubbock, Texas.

For County Treasurer: J. S. SLOVER, (Re-Election)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 1: MARVIN T. WARDICK, Re-election. BEN W. CASEY.

For County Commissioner, Prec. 2: E. E. WILSON, H. D. TALLEY, (Slaton, Re-Election.)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 3: R. N. WHEELER, (Re-Election) E. N. (Uncle Ed) HARRISON Route 1 A. J. FUCHS, (Abernathy)

For County Commissioner, Prec. 4: L. C. DENTON, (Re-Election) T. C. CALLEY, Shallowater.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: COL. W. E. JOHNSON (Re-Election.) S. A. RIBBLE.

For Public Weigher, Prec. 1: W. S. (Billie) CLARK, I. M. CAMPBELL, P. O. BROCK, J. B. HEARRELL, W. E. (Walter) GRICE, EDD SCHROEDER.

For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2: Idalon—E. N. ESTES, Idalon. J. T. LEE, (Idalon). AL. H. TURNER, G. P. (SHORTY) HOWELL, Idalon. L. E. HAMLIN, Idalon. (Re-Election)

BEAUTIFUL SETTINGS FOR ELABORATE FILM VERSION OF NOVEL

Palatial palaces and gorgeous mansions in settings of tropical splendor form the lavish backgrounds for "The Man from Brodney's," a Vitagraph super-feature, which will be seen at the Lyric Theatre today. The story is one of love and intrigue, with most of the settings on the Island of Japat, in the South Seas. It is based upon the famous novel of the same name by George Barr McCutcheon, and is played by an unusually brilliant all-star cast headed by J. Warren Kerrigan and including Alice Calhoun, Miss DuPont, Wanda Hawley, Pat O'Malley and Kathleen Key. David Smith directed the production.

GOAT CAUSES DIVORCE

PARIS (United Press)—Georges Chiquet got his wife's goat when he refused to sell the family goat, which they owned jointly. She approved of a neighbor's offer to buy the animal, but he protested. The argument got so hot that she left him the goat and quit the household and has now filed suit for divorce, after thirty years of happy married life.

EARTHQUAKE ROMANCE

TOKYO (United Press)—Court circles in Tokyo are gossiping about the possible engagement and marriage of Prince Takohiko Yamashina and the daughter of Prince and Princess Kujō. Prince Yamashina lost his wife in the earthquake of last September, while Miss Kujō's fiancée, Prince Kwachō, died recently.

MORE SUICIDES IN MOSCOW

MOSCOW (United Press)—The number of suicides in Moscow is increasing. In 1921 there were 198 cases; in 1922, 230, and in 1923, 310. Of these, 60 per cent were women. Nearly all of the suicides were between 18 and 21, or over 50. Economic reasons caused 22 per cent of the suicides.

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FEW FOREIGNERS IN THE TARHEEL STATE

RALEIGH, N. C., (United Press)—The Tarheel State soon will have a population of 3,000,000, with only about 10,000 foreign born, if the present ratio is maintained, according to statisticians. With 2,559,123 people in the State at the last census, less than 7,800 of them were born outside the United States.

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Texas Lady Suffered from Womanly Weakness, Pains and Aches; Says She Took Cardui and Got Well.

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MOSCOW (United Press)—To make the punishment fit the crime, the Russian authorities have ruled that unmarried men and women must pay 50 per cent more taxes than married persons.

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SOCIETY NOTES

The Order of Eastern Star, School of instruction will be held with the local Jessie Chapter Number 76 on Wednesday and Thursday. Guests of honor will be, Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn, Worthy Grand Matron, and other Grand Officers. Following is the program for the days: Wednesday,

1:30 p. m.—Opening, Jessie Chapter No. 76. Presentation of Grand Officers and visitors. Invocation. Welcome Address, Mrs. H. W. Sims.

Response, Mrs. Beatrix Watson, Assistant Deputy. Piano Duet, Mrs. Ida Ellis and Mrs. Allie George.

Opening of School, Mrs. Norton B. Wellborn, Worthy Grand Matron. Exemplification of Secret Work. Mrs. Effie L. Houghton, Member of Grand Examining Board.

7:30 p. m.—Flag Ceremony, Worthy Grand Matron. America, School Delegates. Exemplification of Degrees, Grand Matron presiding. Solo, Mrs. Carl Scoggins.

Thursday, 9:30 a. m.—Study of Constitution, Grand Matron. Parliamentary Drill, Mrs. Beatrix Watson, Assistant Deputy. Study of Ritual, Mrs. Mary C. Jones, District Deputy. Lunch.

1:30 p. m.—Report of Committees. Benefits I have Derived from this School, Delegates. Closing, Jessie Chapter No. 76. Examination will be held after each session by Effie L. Houghton, Member of Grand Examining Board. Bring Constitution and Rituals for reference.

AUTOMOBILES KILLED 17,000 LAST YEAR

NEW YORK (United Press)—Approximately 15,700 lives were lost in automobile accidents in 1923, according to the figures of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters. This does not include grade-crossing accidents in which autos figured. These included would raise the total to 17,000. The 1923 figures total 2,000 over the 1922 record. Of the total fatalities, 32 per cent were of children under 15 years. Automobiles killed more people than all other vehicles put together, including street cars, steam trains, etc. In 1909, the year taken as the start of the popularity of the automobile, there were only 1,000 fatalities.

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SERVICE AND SELF.

The modern luncheon clubs of business men are signs encouraging that the world is growing better. They are also proof that it matters not how any club may come to be organized if it would perpetuate itself and command itself to good men and society in general it must sooner or later become helpful and unselfish. The Rotary Club has as its motto, "He profits most who serves best." The Kiwanis Club has a shorter phrase, "We Build." Both clubs ask for public commendation because of their unselfish ideals and program.

The Rotary Club has a shortened form of its motto, "Service—not self." When understood as they understand it, it deserves praise. But when practiced as many practice it the mark is missed. To give self and not service is inconsistent. The latter is not often seen. What society needs is for business men to give themselves with their service. "Who gives himself with his alms feeds three."

It is not difficult to get a business man to give you a check for a worthy cause. He will usually take his minister's word for it and even give it without investigation. But this is a short-sighted policy. If business men would put themselves—their personal interests behind their checks it would amount to something more than half service—it would change the map of many a community.

COURTESY MAKES THE GENTLEMAN.

Courtesy sometimes seems to be pitifully lacking in this busy hurrying, rushing existence of which men appear to be a part. It might be said that courtesy is a wonderful attainment, which is much needed, much to be desired, and should be attained by all. An appealing definition of courtesy is "politeness originating in kindness and exercised habitually; courtliness; graciousness." Henry Drummond wrote of courtesy as "love in society." When courtesy is understood for what it is, it will not be considered trivial, but something to be greatly esteemed.

Never should one be in too great a hurry to be polite. If one is busily engaged in what is necessary and an interruption should come, there is no excuse for lack of courtesy. If one desires to be courteous and gracious, he should be able to differentiate between courtesy and that which only appears to be courtesy. Sometimes apparent courtesy may be but artificiality, a poor varnish to cover selfish motives. One may crave admiration and favors, and by assuming a seeming courtliness may think he will profit thereby.

From outward appearances, in homes where culture and refinement are supposed to flourish, and where lofty ideals might be attained courtesy is sometimes little practiced, and real refinement is lacking. Without this refinement one fails in the first essential that constitutes a gentleman or a lady. Courtesy should be taught and practiced in all grammar grades of our public schools as an offset to the lack of it in many homes.

OLD THEORIES UPSET.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat has recently completed an interesting house-to-house survey of 110,000 homes in and around St. Louis, covering several questions as to the type of news demanded, the results of advertising and the effect among automobile owners. Over 60 per cent of the women asserted that they had more time to read newspapers in the morning than in the evening. In many instances it was found the evening paper advertising was read the next morning.

The great and increasing popularity of the motion picture, evening entertainments, and the automobile has come as a natural phase of social progress, but it has demonstrated that the average family now takes less time than ever for evening reading. The rich of household duties pertaining to the evening meal is followed by a hasty departure in quest of relaxation and pleasure elsewhere. Labor-saving devices for the home—washing machines and vacuum cleaners—have given the women more time to read the morning newspaper.

According to Dr. Richard Gottheil of Columbia University, who appears to be of German extraction, in most of the German schools of today "a new Ten Commandments" is taught, the second half of them reading as follows: "6. Thou shalt hate France forever and ever. 7. Thou shalt disdain from the bottom of thy heart all that is French. 8. Thou shalt nourish in the heart of thy children the spirit of bloody revenge. 9. Thou shalt keep a light continually the flame of vengeance. 10. Thou shalt await with confidence the coming day that will bring this peace and revenge." Nothing is more amazing in this monstrous effort to sow the seeds of future war than the assumption that revenge can bring peace.

AUTO CLAIMS 45 LIVES PER DAY.

The National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters in its recent analysis of the past year's accidents says that approximately 15,700 lives were lost in motor vehicle accidents, exclusive of grade crossing collisions, throughout the United States in 1923, representing an increase of nearly 2,000 over 1922. In other words, motor vehicle accidents exclusive of grade crossing collisions, took an average daily toll of 43 lives during the last year as compared to 38 during 1922. According to the statistics of the Interstate Commerce Commission, there were 1,500 occupants of automobiles killed in grade crossing accidents and about 5,000 injured in 1923. The automobile was responsible for more than 17,000 deaths last year, to say nothing of the nearly 100,000 cripples and injured. The increase in fatalities, however, is not as great as the increase in auto registrations.

STILL HELPING EUROPE.

Since Jan. 1, last, there has been floated in the American investment market \$280,000,000 of bonds for the accounts of foreign governments. In addition, bank credits have been set up totaling well in excess of \$100,000,000. These operations, which bring the year's total to probably more than \$400,000,000 are of particular interest in view of the recent expressions of opinion that the United States, in order to lubricate the machinery for its foreign commerce must provide here the necessary working tools for foreign countries. The high rate of interest obtained make these loans attractive speculations but the burden of payment will be a heavy one.

AMARILLO WAS HERE.

Amarillo, the city, to the north, visited the Hub of the Plains on their way to Brownwood. About one hundred Amarillo boosters, accompanied by the West Texas Teachers' band at Canyon, invaded the busy streets of Lubbock at about five o'clock, and paraded around the main streets for several minutes, after which the band gave a concert and entertained the people of this live place for several minutes.

RADIO TALKS TO FARMERS

Radio broadcasting stations in some states are sending out on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of each week, tabloid talks on agriculture, the last word of the scientist and the scientific farmer expressed in crisp and interesting form.

When it is considered that with proper methods of agriculture and with proper preparation of the soil, the revenue from farms might be doubled, the value of the movement is quite apparent. Agents of experiment stations preaching this doctrine of scientific agriculture are making much headway, but the dissemination of such knowledge requires ceaseless effort and constant pounding. The tabloid talks by radio thus come to the assistance of the county agents and the farmer.

The radio station will present these facts not only to the farmer, but to the boys and girls on the farm. It will aim to make the farmer appreciate to the fullest extent his investment in his acres.

MISDIRECTED ENERGY

The Department of Justice, with its stool pigeons, had time to comb the country to "get" evidence to indict Senator Wheeler of Montana, who is chiefly responsible for uncovering the fact that Secretary Fall was busy "borrowing" hundreds of thousands of dollars from Ed Dohney and Harry Sinclair about the time these oily gentlemen were busy getting from former Secretary Fall "leases" of Uncle Sam's oil reserves.

When, oh when will that same Department find time to submit the evidence about these oil leases to a Federal grand jury.

Here's a year's subscription to a doughnut the boys with millions won't have to even stand up before the judge and say "Not guilty!"—at least, not as long as they have the millions.

"Leslie M. Shaw," protests Hiram Johnson, "called the passing of \$100,000 from Dohney to Fall a mere friendly act. Dohney gave Fall \$100,000 whereby he could make \$100,000,000! A mere little friendly act." But this is no worse and is of a piece with the noticeable habit of finding fault with the methods of the investigators and avoiding mention of the corruption they have uncovered.

The real work is being carried on secretly of ironing out the Japanese exclusion act and the hope is expressed that some means will be found for an international agreement in keeping with diplomatic courtesy between friendly nations and a corresponding recognition of the fundamentals that the United States has a right to regulate immigration as a domestic matter for its own well being. It is believed that in spite of the political situation, the president will find a way which will soothe Japan without violating the sensibilities of California, a difficult but not an impossible task.

Twelve million children and young people of rural America have not even a country Sunday school to help them understand the problems of life. As many more receive no religious teaching worthy of the name. The task of reaching these spiritually neglected children and young people ought to be regarded as the most important work of every American. It can't be done by compelling them to work in the mines, mills and factories.

Though supposed to be a reactionary unwilling to take chances, Judge Gary nevertheless optimistically declares that "during the approaching election a majority of the people are going to be influenced in their opinions by what will be for the best material as well as moral progress of the whole country, regardless of the question as to which political party shall succeed."

STILL FISHIN'

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MARKETS

FRENCH BALLOTS SWAY STOCK MARKET

By EDWARD J. CONDLON (UN Financial Editor)

NEW YORK, May 12.—Despite the fact that cables from Paris and wires from Washington were kept hot Monday with assurances that the defeat of Premier Poincare at the polls on Sunday in France did not imply harm to the Dawes plan, the stock market began the week with a heavy tone which prevailed all day.

The cut in crude oil prices and the announcement of the decrease in the steel corporations' unfilled tonnage at the close of last week proved too much for the general public so that operations on Monday consisted chiefly of professional operations on both sides of the fence with a relatively small amount of public orders received. New lows for the year in U. S. Steel common and Baldwin brought virtually all of the active industrial shares topping to new lows on the movement with many of the issues finishing near the lows of the session. The new low for Kelly Springfield was due to rumors of new financing and to the disappointing showing made by rubber for the first quarter with a deficit of \$112,217 as compared with a surplus of \$127,953 for the first quarter of 1923.

The political phase of the general situation is playing a lesser role than it did even a week ago. The tax reduction question is giving business in general much concern, but certainly the feeling that presidential election year is always a bad year for business is disappearing.

Cheap money thus far has not had the effect of promoting inflation. More and more banks throughout the country are meeting the requirements without calling upon the federal reserve banks.

Kansas City Live Stock KANSAS CITY, May 12.—Cattle 13,000 calves 2500; slow; practically no early sales beef steers. Supply of yearlings liberal; beef cows opening steady; other beef stock slow; bulls and calves steady; top veals \$9.50; stockers and feeders fully steady; fleshy feeders \$9.00; early bulk \$6.50@8.00. Hogs 13,000; very slow; lighter weights to shippers fully 10 cents lower; 180-210 pound averages \$6.90@7.10; packers bidding \$7.05 or 25 cents lower on best weighty butchers. Bulk packing sows \$6.50@6.55; stock pigs unevenly higher; bulk \$6.50@6.15; a few at \$2.25.

Sheep 14,000; very slow; opening sales sheep 15 to 25 cents lower; shorn Texas wethers \$8.75@

\$9.00. Few sales; clipped lambs around steady; 87 pound lamb kinds \$14.60.

Chicago Cash Grain CHICAGO, May 12.—Wheat No. 3 red \$1.05 1-2; No. 2 hard \$1.05 7-8@1.13 3-4; corn No. 2 yellow 78@1-2; No. 3 yellow 76 1-4@77 1-2; No. 4 yellow 73 1-2@75; No. 5 yellow 73@74; No. 6 yellow 72 1-2 @74. No. 2 mixed 77 1-2; No. 3 mixed 76 1-4@77; No. 4 mixed 73@76 1-2; No. 6 mixed 72@73; No. 2 white 78 1-4 74 1-4; No. 5 white 75 1-2; No. 3 white 76 1-2; No. 4 white 6 white 72 1-2. Oats No. 3 white 48 1-4@49; No. 4 white 47 1-4@48 1-2; barley 72@80; rye No. 2 65 1-4@64 3-4; timothy \$6.00@ \$7.25; clover \$10.50@19.00.

St. Louis Cash Grain ST. LOUIS, May 12.—Wheat, 2 red \$1.11; 3 red \$1.08; 4 red \$1.02 1-2@1.07; 5 red \$1.01; 1 hard \$1.07@1.09; 2 hard \$1.06; July \$1.04 3-8; September \$1.05-5-8. Corn 2 white 80 1-2; 3 white 76 1-2@74; July 76 3-8 Sept. 75 3-8; oats 2 white 49 1-2@50; 3 white 48 1-2@49; May 48 1-2.

OIL WORKER CRUSHED TO DEATH AT PUMPHOUSE

By United News. WICHITA FALLS, Texas, May 12.—Found pinned to the floor of the pumphouse with a heavy flywheel by the man who came to relieve him, Ed Brown, 43, of Burk Burnett suffered fatal injuries and died Monday morning. He was employed as a pumper on the lease of the Gulf company near Burk Burnett.

When the relief man arrived, he found Brown crushed under the flywheel. He failed to rally when rushed to a hospital. Brown is survived by a wife and five children.

Scouts to Handle Traffic

By United News. WICHITA, Kans., May 12.—City traffic will be handled for a week commencing Monday by Boy Scouts. The scouts will have full authority to arrest all violators. The movement is being conducted by the exchange club to teach children the value of safety.

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SPORT NEWS

LOCALS DROPPED FIRST GAME SUNDAY

It was a case of a little too much Mueller, four of them participating in Sunday's game on the infield, and Littlefield got off to a win of the opening game on the local park in one of the best exhibitions ever staged here, 2 to 0. It was the same old story of hits in the pinches which turned the tide for the visiting lads in the seventh.

Mueller again was outthrust as on the former occasion, but up to the ability of his helpmates to hit when hits meant runs, coupled with the inability of the locals to do this very thing can be placed—the responsibility for the win. Twice the local lads had two men in scoring position, one time with only one man down, but could not produce the necessary punch to put over the winning runs.

Terry went like an iron man on the mound for the entire route, giving up only seven safeties, holding the visitors to one scratch single until the seventh inning. This same seventh proved to be a winner for its opponents, for opening this inning H. Gaither drove one against the right field fence for two sacks. He advanced on H. Mueller's single, and scored on a duplicate blow by shortstop A. Mueller. H. Mueller going to third. Shepard then tangled his feet on a slow grounder from the stick of Lacy, and H. Mueller scored on a fielder's choice for Lacy.

Again in the eighth the visitors threatened a tally when Wright, hitting for Wood drove a ringing single to right field, but he was thrown out on a fielder's choice for Blackburn. Art Mueller then walked, and H. Gaither's single filled the sacks with only one man out. Then came the Castleberry to Hunter double play which retired the side. H. Mueller was caught out on a short fly to Castleberry, who, by a snappy return, caught Gaither off first. The ninth was uneventful, three men going out in order after Al Mueller had singled.

In the sixth the locals threatened to break up the affair when with one out Jackson singled, and Shepard doubled to right field. Wayne Gaither took three healthy swings for a seat on the bench and the second out. Then with Hunter to bat with two strikes, Jackson attempted a steal of the coveted home plate, but was caught out by a few inches, retiring the side.

Again in the ninth a threatened counter attack for a win was cut short when E. Mueller, snagged a liner from the air from the stick of skipper Allen with three men on bases. This lick, if only a few inches higher, would have scored at least two men and a possible third for a win.

The box score:

Littlefield	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Blackburn, c	3	0	1	12	0	0
Art Mueller, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	1
H. Gaither, 1b	4	1	2	5	0	0
H. Mueller, p	4	1	1	2	0	0
A. Mueller, ss	3	0	2	8	2	2
Lacy, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
E. Mueller, 2b	0	0	3	1	0	0
Taylor, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Wood, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wright, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0

Totals: 32 2 7 27 6 3

Lubbock	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hensley, 3b	4	0	0	3	3	0
Jackson, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Shepard, 2b	4	0	1	3	2	1
W. Gaither, ss	4	0	2	0	3	0
H. Hunter, 1b	3	0	1	9	2	0
Karr, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Castleberry, rf	4	0	2	2	1	0
Allen, c	4	0	0	25	1	0
Terry, p	3	0	0	1	1	0

Score by innings: Littlefield 000 000 200—2 Lubbock 000 000 000—0
Summary: Two-base hits Shepard, H. Gaither; bases on balls, off Terry 3; struck out, by Terry 3, Mueller 10; sacrifice hits, Hunter, stolen bases, Terry; double plays, W. Gaither to Shepard to Hunter, Castleberry to Hunter, A. Mueller to H. Gaither, A. Mueller to E. Mueller, to H. Gaither; time of game 1 hour and 50 minutes; umpire, McDonald.

REDS DISPLACE GIANTS FROM TOP PLACE

The dominant position at the head of the National League list which the Giants have maintained since the race actually began has at last been wrested by the Reds who have been tri and geobles M M have been trailing close behind.

The Giants uneasy hold on their lead—a mere half game—snapped loose Monday when they were beaten for the third consecutive time by the Cards in St. Louis. While the Reds were triumphing over the fragile Phillies in Cincinnati.

St. Louis won from the Giants 5 to 3, despite the latter's game effort in the final inning when the Giants registered two tallies which fell short of sufficiency. Wayland Dean, Joe Oeschger and John Watson, were used by McGraw in the vain effort to check their string of misfortunes. Max Flack the Card outfielder, knocked one over the wall for a home run in the

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third, the blow which later proved to be fatal one for the Giants. Cincinnati's victory was achieved by a score of 4 to 1, with Clarence Mitchell, of the Phillies opposed by Pate Donohue in the pitcher's box.

"Dazzy Vance, of the Dodgers led his team out of their two day stupor in Chicago with a 7 to 3 victory over the Cubs. A two-base hit by the redoubtable Zach Wheat with two men on the bases, broke up a 3 to 3 tie in the seventh stanza and put the Dodgers in the lead which was held the remainder of the game. Andy High contributed to Brooklyn's victory by poking one of Aldridge's deliveries for a home run in the eighth.

The Braves and Pirates rested in Pittsburgh, where the rain spoiled their match. There was no business anywhere in the east due to rain. The American, International and the Eastern Leagues unanimously cancelled their programs covered the turnstiles with tarpaulins and stored up another all round double-header for a late date.

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TEXAS LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	25	19	6	.760
San Antonio	26	18	8	.692
Dallas	26	14	12	.538
Wichita Falls	26	12	14	.462
Houston	26	12	14	.462
Beaumont	26	12	14	.462
Galveston	26	11	15	.423
Shreveport	23	4	19	.174

Tuesday's Games
Galveston at Wichita Falls.
Houston at Dallas.
Beaumont at Shreveport.
San Antonio at Fort Worth.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Pct.
New York	20	14	6	.700
Boston	18	10	8	.556
Detroit	20	11	9	.550
St. Louis	21	11	10	.524
Chicago	19	9	10	.474
Washington	22	10	12	.455
Cleveland	20	9	11	.450
Philadelphia	20	6	14	.300

Sunday's Results
Cleveland 8, Philadelphia 5.
Detroit-Washington, rain.
Chicago-New York, rain.
Only three scheduled.

Tuesday's Games
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	P	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	21	14	7	.667
New York	22	14	8	.636
Chicago	25	14	11	.560
Brooklyn	22	11	11	.500
Boston	18	8	10	.444
Pittsburgh	23	10	13	.435
St. Louis	21	8	13	.381
Philadelphia	18	6	12	.333

Tuesday's Games
Cincinnati at Milwaukee.
Cincinnati at St. Paul.
Louisville at Philadelphia.

Sunday's Results
St. Louis 3, New York 2.
Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4.
Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 0.
Only three scheduled.

Tuesday's Games
Boston at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	P	W	L	Pct.
Indianapolis	24	15	9	.625
Kansas City	23	13	10	.565
St. Paul	23	13	10	.565
Minneapolis	23	13	10	.565
Milwaukee	19	9	10	.474
Louisville	24	11	13	.458
Columbus	23	9	14	.391
Toledo	20	6	14	.300

Sunday's Results
Minneapolis 6, Indianapolis 4.
Toledo 6, Kansas City 5.
Milwaukee 6, Columbus 2.
St. Paul 1, Louisville 0.

Tuesday's Games
Toledo at Milwaukee.
Columbus at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at St. Paul.
Louisville at Minneapolis.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

	P	W	L	Pct.
Memphis	24	18	6	.750
Atlanta	23	13	10	.565
Nashville	21	11	10	.524
New Orleans	22	12	10	.522
Birmingham	27	13	14	.481
Birmingham	25	12	13	.480
Mobile	21	9	12	.429
Chattanooga	26	8	18	.308

Tuesday's Games
Chattanooga at Mobile.
Little Rock at Birmingham.
Memphis at Atlanta.
Nashville at New Orleans.

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At the Churches

First Methodist Church
Sunday school attendance was better than usual, and much interest was shown in the lessons. At the morning hour Rev. McMicklin delivered a Mothers' Day address which was greatly appreciated by all, and which was a beautiful tribute to the mothers of men. Epworth League was conducted at seven o'clock with Miss Price in charge of the program. "Nature" was the topic for discussion, and Prof. M. E. Witt made a splendid and instructive talk on "Our Relationship to Plant Life." The program was closed with a short but well directed talk on Mothers' Day by W. C. Rylander. Special music added greatly to the evening worship hour, and a large congregation heard a forceful sermon by the pastor.

Church of Christ
Hugh Clark, of Winters, Texas, preached here yesterday at both the morning and evening hours of worship. Evangelist Clark delivered two excellent sermons to large, appreciative audiences. Many of brother Clark's old friends and former acquaintances were rejoiced to hear him and to know of his success as a preacher of the gospel.

There will be preaching again tonight at 8:30 o'clock, Bro. Clark doing the preaching. His subject for tonight is, "The Power of Jehovah's Word." Tomorrow night his subject will be "The Division of the Word."

There will be services and preaching each evening at the Church of Christ on Broadway.

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Cumberland Presbyterian
Regular services were conducted Sunday, Sunday school having been attended by 88, while the records showed 103 to be absent.

At the morning preaching hour Rev. Rogers preached to a large congregation on the subject, "The Divine Decree," taking his text from second Peter—1:10. Intense interest was shown in the pastor's every sentence.

At the evening hour another large congregation heard a beautiful tribute to the mothers of our country when Rev. Rogers used as the subject for his sermon "The Influence of Mother," taking his text from the following words found in Exodus 2:9; "Take this child away, and nurse it for me, and I will give thee thy wages."

Methodist Church
Though the building is nearing completion, the corner-stone exercises of the new Methodist Church were held here yesterday afternoon. A large crowd of local citizens and visitors were present, and Rev. J. W. Hunt delivered the principal address. The Methodist people are justly proud of the new building, and hope to be able to get into it within two or more weeks.

Rev. R. A. Clements, a member of the Northwest Texas Annual Conference, designed and built this church, and the local congregation are highly pleased with his work. Including the every admirable site on which it is located, this church plant represents an investment of approximately \$35,000.

Baptist Church.
Sunday was a good day with all on us. All services of the day were well attended. Something over five hundred were present at Sunday school. The enrollment has reached about six hundred and fifty. We hope to make it one thousand by the end of the year.

The pastor preached splendid sermons at both morning and evening services. Several special numbers of music were rendered in honor of "Mother's Day." The ordinances of Baptism was administered to four candidates at the close of the evening service. New members are being received at almost every service.

The B. Y. P. U. gave a special "Mother's Day" program at their evening service, which was well attended both by the members and by their parents and other visitors. The program was well rendered and seemed to be very much enjoyed by those present.

We are anxious that all members of the church and any others who will attend our prayer services on Wednesday evenings. You are missing a great deal if you are not attending these services.

There will be no preaching services at the morning hour next Sunday as the pastor will preach the Commencement sermon for the Lubbock High School at the Methodist church.

—Church Reporter.

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By United Press

CHICAGO, May 12—The annual convention of the National Confectioners' Association will begin here May 19, with business sessions at the Drake Hotel and an exposition at the Municipal Pier. Manufacturers of confectioners' equipment will transform the exposition quarters into a series of model factories, the latest types of machinery, including one model designed to replace the old hand-style of tying fancy boxes will be on display.

Mammoth confections will be a feature of the exposition. A caramel weighing 20 pounds is being made and along-side of it will be a nougat 24 inches long, 9 inches wide and 9 inches high. The giant candies and the unique system of lighting will be the principal features in the decoration scheme.

Candy-makers at the convention will also have an opportunity to get "post-graduate" courses in their trade. All of the factories will have expert representatives on hand to demonstrate the different processes of the various machines.

TUBERCULAR FAMILIES AND "WHITE PLAGUE"

ATLANTA, Ga., May 12—In a study of 7,429 cases of tuberculosis at Bellevue Hospital in New York City (twice as much tuberculosis was found among those persons whose parents did not have tuberculosis as compared with those whose parents had tuberculosis).

These figures reflect, according to G. J. Drolot, who gave them before the clinical section of the National Tuberculosis Association recently, the fact that families that have already been tubercularized have a tendency to develop less tuberculosis among their members than families who have not been so tubercularized.

The implantation of tuberculosis infection—upon a group which is practically virgin soil produces at first a greater and more virulent degree of tuberculosis than upon a soil which, as in the case of these people who have had tuberculosis, has already yielded a tuberculous crop.

NEW RUSSIAN TENOR

LENINGRAD (United Press)—A new lyric tenor has been discovered who will be the world's greatest, according to Leningrad Opera House authorities. He was discovered in a village near here and is a Russian peasant. He is now studying here.

SINGERS TO MEET HERE MAY 18TH

Lubbock will have the pleasure and honor of entertaining the South Plains Singing Convention Sunday, May 18th, according to an announcement made by one of the officers of the association Monday.

At the last annual meeting the delegates voted to meet at Lubbock, and since that time committees have been appointed and necessary arrangements made to entertain them.

Complete announcements concerning the meeting place and giving an outline of the program will be made later.

WILL ATTEND W. T. C. C. CONVENTION ENROUTE TO SAN ANTONIO

C. H. Peek and mother, Mrs. D. P. Peek, accompanied by Miss Kate Slover and Rev. J. A. Rogers, will leave this morning by automobile for San Antonio where they will attend the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

They will go via Brownwood where they will join the Lubbock delegation in attending the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

Rev. Rogers will go from San Antonio to Dallas where he will spend some two or three days visiting before returning to his home here.

BARGAIN HUNTERS BREAK IN PLATE GLASS FRONT

By United News.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., May 12.—Struggling to be the first admitted to a fire sale, nearly two score women were showered with broken glass Monday when a large plate glass window in a downtown department store collapsed under pressure of the tightly jammed mob.

Two squads of police were called into action to quiet the excited women, several of whom fainted when the glass broke.

RANGER JUSTICE BELIEVES HE IS NO GOOD JUSTICE

By United Press

CISCO, Texas, May 12.—Harry Atwood, Ranger, complained there was "no justice" when a jury in district court here sentenced him to two years in the penitentiary for "possession of liquor."

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FOR SALE—Pianos and player pianos of quality. Low prices and easy terms. Phone or drop a line to A. E. Dorman at Cova Hotel, Lubbock and he will call and explain the plans of Knight-Campbell Music company. 164-5.

FOR SALE—1923 model Hudson coach, 2 bumpers, in good shape—cheap, a pick up. One 1924 Maxwell touring run less than 5,000 miles, good as new, can be seen at 1116 8th street or write P. O. box 272. 163-6p.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTERS—new and second hand. Easy terms. E. E. Sanford, Box 495, Abilene, Texas. 164-1mp.

FOR SALE—New four room house can be occupied at once. Good terms. Call 116. 163-4f.

USED FORDS FOR SALE—Two blocks south of courthouse on Avenue H. Phone 829. C. M. Elmore. 162-6.

FOR SALE—Tomato plants needing setting out, 50c per hundred, potato plants will be ready in 30 weeks. W. N. Haynie, Phone 9029. F11, one mile north of Bowles Dairy. 168-1p—35-2p.

FOR SALE—Several pieces of furniture or will trade some of it for auto tent. 1618 7th Street or phone 701-J. 168-1.

FOR SALE—One lot of fine Wyandotte chickens, also Hot Blast heater. Phone 579. 168-2p.

FOR SALE—Good sudan hay 40c one good work mule, one fine registered jersey cow, one black Spanish jack. A. F. McDonald. 168-3p—35-2p.

FOR SALE—\$17,000 stock of dry goods in one of the best south plains towns. Part cash will handle. Box 451, Lubbock. 148-tf.

New Method Tailors
Phone 365
Cleaning, Pressing
Alterations
T. H. StClair, Prop.
3-4.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Mebane cotton seed at \$1.50 per bushel. See Joe George at 1010 Main street. 162-tf.

FOR SALE—Five room house, modern good terms, some trade. See owner J. L. Graves. 159-tf.

FOR SALE—Good young jersey milk cows. J. D. Tomlinson, 10 miles northeast of Lubbock. 158-30p.

FOR SALE—Five room modern home, closed porch, basement, garage. Just completed. On avenue W. between 7th and 8th streets. Good terms. J. H. Dodson, Lubbock, Route One, or see T. W. Sawyer, Room 7, Lowrey Bldg., Phone 295. 157-tf.

WANTED TO SELL OR TRADE—50 acre fruit and berry farm in Ozark mountains, 1-2 miles from Winslow, Arkansas, resort town. House, outhouses, two barns, fine water, three wells, springs and creek running through place. Fenced and cross fenced, 1-2 acres grapes, McDonaldy blackberries and dewberries. About one acre cherries, acre St. Regis Red Raspberries, Orchard pears, apples, peaches. Small acreage cleared for row crops, balance pasture and timber. Place been leased for oil in connection with other land and standard tool rig within few miles all ready to drill. Will sell cheap or trade for city property or small place near town. Call at Room 10, Cotton Exchange Building, or phone 862. 167-1p.

FOR SALE—2 6-10 acres 2 1-2 miles from courthouse on Broadway Highway, well and windmill, small orchard of selected trees from Stark Bros. nursery, sweet potatoes curing plant; now being planted to watermelons and cucumbers. Immediate possession. Priced to sell. Will take part trade. J. M. Patterson Land Company, Broadway Hotel.

FOR SALE—Two desirable lots near K. Carter school room for three building sites. Going at a bargain. See us at once. South Plains Land and Investment company. 167-1.

FOR SALE—New 6 room bungalow close to high school. Price \$4,500. Terms. Good 5 room Modern house 10 minutes walk from the square only \$3,750. Terms.

FOR SALE—15 acres good house barn and out buildings this is a good buy. Business is good if you want to sell your property list it with us and if you want to buy, call 101 or come to the South Plains Land & Investment Company, Lindsey Theatre building. 166-1p.

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FOR RENT—Sleeping room one block of town. Gentleman only 1312 Main Street. 165-tf.

FOR RENT—One two-room apartment and one bedroom, close to conveniences, to adults only. Phone 88-J 1601 Main street. 165-tf.

FOR RENT—Three rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 816 9th street. Phone 977-J. 164-tf.

FOR RENT—Two lighthousekeeping rooms to couple without children. Phone 493. 1620 15th street. 163-tf.

FOR RENT—Office, Cotton Exchange building. Sam Denman. 161-tf.

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms for information call 119. 166-2p.

FOR RENT—Front bed room close in to one or two gentlemen. Phone 830. 166-tf.

I WANT TO RENT—By June 1, 5 or 6 room house, modern conveniences. Phone 880. 166-3p.

FOR RENT—Large room handy to bath, well ventilated, private entrance. Will accommodate four gentlemen. 1516 Avenue G. Phone 740-M. 167-tf.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment and one two room unfurnished 1812 Avenue I. phone 691 167-tf.

FOR RENT—Good place 120 acres land ready to plant with new m-line tractor and plow. Cost \$600 for \$700. Reason tractor and place turned back on me. A. V. McCarty 10 miles South of Lubbock. 167-3p.

FOR RENT—Brick business house 12x24 on North Avenue H. \$25.00 per month. Apply to the Avalanche. 168-2p.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished bedroom for a gentleman, 1508 Avenue L. Phone 597. 168-6p.

FOR RENT—Three nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping 1608 17th Street. 168-2p.

FOR RENT—Two furnished two room apartments. See Mrs. Hinton at West Texas Hospital. 168-2p.

FOR RENT—Five room furnished house 1216 18th Street, phone 691 168-J.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light house-keeping and bedroom, 1016 Avenue R. Phone 603-M 168-1p.

FOR RENT—14 room brick hotel. Apply H. S. Smyer, Lorenzo. 164-6p.

MISCELLANEOUS

IF YOU want your yard levelled with good dirt, call 888. 162-tf.

BOARD AND ROOM—In private home, all conveniences. \$8.50 per week. 1903 Avenue H. 157-tf.

NOTICE—If you have property to sell or desire a loan. Describe property. Write C. C. McCarty, General delivery, Lubbock, Texas. 167-3

COMPUTING SCALES—We have three good computing scales of standard make. Slightly used, but in good condition. Some real bargains. Call at—
Lubbock Typewriter Exchange
1105 Ave. G. Phone 930 168-3p.

BOARD AND ROOM—In private family, all conveniences. Reasonable terms. Phone 615-J. 168-2p.

ROOM AND BOARD—1112 14th Street. Phone 982. 168-3p.

SHELBY LAUNDRY—Called for and delivered. Phone 904. 168-4p.

IF YOU WANT to buy a new business on West Broadway, I have it to sell. Also, I will give you a 50 foot lot on the McCrummen addition if you want to build a home. G. W. Brown, Room 6, Burris Bldg. Phone 984. 168-3.

TAX NOTICE—I will be compelled to close my books May 19th and if you have not rendered your property for taxes for this year please call at my office and render otherwise your property will go on the unrendered rolls. R. C. Burns, Tax assessor, Lubbock, County, Texas. 167-3.

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

FOR TRADE—Nice, clean stock of Dry Goods in Dawson, Texas, of about \$12,000.00 for good land well located, no junk. Address H. W. Sawyer, Dawson, Texas. 168-4p.

Red Star Stage Line
LUBBOCK - TAHOKA - LAMESA
MORNING CAR
Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel at 8 a. m.
Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.
Lv. O'Donnell at 10:15
Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 11:10.
EVENING CAR
Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel 2:00 p. m.
Ar. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.
Ar. O'Donnell—Frits Drug Store, 4:15.
Ar. Lamesa—First State Bank, 5:00.
Leaves Lamesa for Big Springs, 1:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m.
MORNING CAR
Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 8:00.
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FOR SALE or Trade—14 work horses and mules, will give terms or trade. T. E. Lokey, 1402 Ave. K. 1 9-3p

KODAK FINISHING—Room Two, Balcony Barrier Brothers store. J. B. Jones, Box 534, Lubbock, Texas. 136-30p.

WANTED TO TRADE—131 acres farm in Parker county good bottom land. 85-acre in cultivation, 3 or 4 hundred bearing pecan trees. This farm is in three miles of Millsap and one mile from Bankhead Highway. Will trade for Lubbock property. See H. E. Hicks at Lubbock Buick Garage. 166-3p.

NOTICE—To all real-estate men, all of my property is off the market. G. S. DeBardleben. 166-3p.

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Dr. Ferguson, Dentist, Conley Bldg., knows how to cure Pyorrhea. 297-30p

Why buy 50 by 100 ft. lots when for the same money you can own 2 1-2 or 5 acres in Tech View? See John W. Jarrott, Leader Bldg., Phone 346. 163-6t

MEADOW MESSENGER TO BE ISSUED MAY 22ND
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HOSPITAL DAY OBSERVED HERE

Hospital Day was fittingly observed at both the Lubbock Sanitarium and the West Texas Sanitarium, these institutions having been visited by hundreds of people who were ushered through all departments. Three young ladies presided over a well filled punch bowl at the Lubbock Sanitarium, and "Hospital Day badges" were pinned on all visitors.

MARTIN PRESENTS CANDY TO BROWNWOOD TRIPPERS

R. H. Martin, better known in Lubbock as Butterflake, and who is owner and manager of Martin's Bakery, is keen on keeping the delegates to the Brownwood convention "sweet," especially the young ladies who are making the trip, and in an effort to accomplish this end, he presented them with a five pound box of delicious candies, just before they left last night.

RUM RUNNERS SUPPLIED WITH ARMS, IS REPORT

GALVESTON, May 12.—The fourteen million dollars recently appropriated by congress to equip large activities of coast guards against rum runners has resulted in the distribution of large quantities of ammunition and arms among the men at the various stations along the coast of Texas, it developed Monday.

Although coast guard officials refuse to comment on the subject it is known that many trips have been made by launches to stations in the district during the last few days and information from reliable sources is that rifles, and cartridges have been supplied.

MONROE, May 12.—The north border of Lubbock county received a good rain Sunday night, the immediate vicinity of Monroe having a total of one inch.

LANGLEY FOUND GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Counsel for the congressman immediately made a motion for a new trial.

House Awaits Report

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Action by the house in the case of Representative Langley, found guilty by a jury at Covington, Ky., of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws, will await a report by the special committee investigating the charges against him, it was said Monday night by members of the committee.

The committee will meet Tuesday when a decision as to their recommendations into the case will be considered, it is said. The committee expects to make a report on Representative Zihlman of Maryland, public at the same time.

For one dollar, you may be able to save \$200 at the Leader next trades day, June 2nd. 166-ff

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PROBE OF WHEELER CHARGES COMPLETED

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Investigation of the indictment of Senator Wheeler of Montana, has been completed by the special senate committee. Chairman Borah announced Monday that the hearings were over and that the committee would meet in executive session Tuesday to prepare its report. Exonerated of Wheeler is forecast. Senator Wheeler again took the stand in his own defense Monday denying that he had violated the law in his legal connections with Gordon Campbell, and explaining that some of the letters and telegrams which have been introduced in evidence.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks at 1406, an eight pound girl Sunday afternoon.

Local Happenings

Claud Peek, of the Lubbock post-office, stated Monday that several applications have been received for the postmastership of the local office, and the applicants are taking the regular examination required by the postal department.

Applications will be received for several days yet, as the appointment will not be made until June 3rd.

Exports from and to Canada from the United States are increasing more rapidly than any other part of Canada's trade.

Canada is spending \$500,000 this year on the harbors at Port Arthur and Ft. William.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall, parents of Mrs. Percy Spencer, visited here Monday.

HENRY R. BISHOP Attorney-at-Law

Nine years experience in state and Federal Courts. Four years in office of District Attorney, Tarrant county.

Phone 998 R. 2, Cotton Exchange Bldg. Lubbock, Texas

LYRIC Warm A Rich Romance of India Seas



"THE MAN FROM BRODNEY'S" TO-DAY LAST SHOWING

MARTIN AND AID TO ASSIST IN FINISH

NEW YORK, May 12.—Forced by bad luck out of the round-the-world flight, Major Frederick L. Martin and his mechanic, Sergeant Alva Harvey, are to be given a chance to participate in the finish which will include a spectacular westward dash across the Atlantic. The two airmen who were lost for ten days in the mountainous wastes of the Alaskan peninsula, have been ordered back to Washington and will then be sent across the Atlantic to meet the other fliers at the furthest eastern point and finish the flight with them. Martin will remain in technical charge of the flight, although the trans-pacific hop will be made without him. Air service officials find it impossible to provide him with a new plane in time to join the three fliers who are about ready to make the jump to the Siberian side.

Major General Patrick sent Martin a message Monday which will bring a thrill of satisfaction to the lost airmen when they read it in the little coaling station at Port Moller. It expressed the pride with which officials and men of the air service here universally felt toward the plucky pair.

"We rejoice and thank God that you are both safe and well," General Patrick said in his message. "Confidence in you unabated. You have proved yourselves. Still want you to command flight. Can't arrange for you to overtake others by going on west. You and Sergeant Harvey will report to me without delay. Plan to send you east to rejoin flight at furthest point at which you can finish the journey with the rest of your command."

Martin and Harvey will start for the states on a fishing boat Tuesday.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON PREACHED AT TAHOKA

TAHOKA, Texas, May 12.—Rev. J. W. Hunt, President of McMurry College at Abilene, preached the commencement sermon here yesterday in the high school auditorium to a capacity audience. The following constitute the graduating class:

Thelma Taylor, J. B. Walker, Jr., Agnes Duffy, Frankie Wells, Pearl Ketter, Elva Skles, Fred Smith, Tom Short, Wayne Burekhardt, W. T. Bovelie, Wilma Brashear, Addie Mae Carmack, Berta Walker, Martha Slover, Mary Link, Charles Nelms, Ovid Donaldson, Frank Larkin, Faye George, Jess Key, Robert Noble and Jessie Sargent. Judge Clark M. Mullican, Judge of the 72nd Judicial District, will deliver the class address here next Friday evening.

ABERNATHY, May 12.—This section of Hale county was visited by heavy rains Sunday night, a total of one-fourth of an inch having fallen here.

Our Motto:—"SERVICE"

LONE STAR STAGE—LUBBOCK TO SPUR

Every Day in the Year

L. Lubbock	6:00 Morn	Lv. Spur	3:00 Eve
To		To	
" Idaloo	\$1.00 7:00	" Crosbyton	\$3.50 4:30
" Lorens	\$1.50 7:30	" Ralls	\$4.00 5:00
" Ralls	\$2.00 8:00	" Lorens	\$4.50 5:30
" Crosbyton	\$2.50 8:00	" Idaloo	\$5.00 6:00
r. Spur	\$6.00 11:00	Ar Lubbock	\$6.00 7:00

Leave Lubbock on arrival of through train 8:53 morning from Sweetwater to Clovis. See the Manager and arrange for short stop for business only. Persons or articles entrusted to our care will be taken care of. Courtesy to all. Nash Cars. Experienced Drivers.

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BUMPS

on your face can't be removed from the inside because the more you drive out the matter they come from, the worse they get.

BLACK AND WHITE OINTMENT AND SOAP

heal the congested skin tissue, making the pores active so all this matter can get out as fast as the system throws it off. Then your skin becomes clear and stays that way.

They are sold by all dealers in liberal 25c and 50c packages. The 50c size also contains three 15c tubes as much as the 25c size.

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CONSTANCE TALMADGE AND CONWAY TEARLE IN

'A DANGEROUS MAID'

TO-MORROW

The AGE OF DESIRE

A First National Picture

"Whatever my son is, I made him. I deserted him as a babe for the luxury and riches I thought could replace him in my heart. God knows what he's become, but I'm to blame. Don't desert him now—I could have meant much to him, but it's you he looks to instead."

They've never hit this angle before in any picture—few picture stories as great as this—fewer still as gripping.

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We're offering special values in these newly arrived Wash Suits for Juveniles. They're a veritable phantasy in color—smart enough to give the youngster a real thrill and made in the materials that give extra wear. Wash them as many times as you desire—they're made to stand the extra stress which the budding boy demands.

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A New Bank Growing by Rendering a Merit Service.

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—Wishes and dreams are nice and really art the foundations of desire—but unless some activity and regular persistence is brought in behind them they never come true.

If you want a home—work and save a fixed amount each pay day.

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