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HAUPTRIEF ATTORNEY BELIEVED SLAIN

Klan Read Out Of Democracy At State Convention

STINGING BLOW HANDED ORDER BY PARTY HEADS

IMPEACHED GOVERNOR RULES CONVENTION WITH IRON HAND

By United News. AUSTIN, Sept. 3.—Kleagles, titans, dragons and lesser lights of the Ku Klux Klan who came here to average the stinging defeat handed them by Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, democratic gubernatorial nominee heard the order read out of democracy at the state convention Wednesday and sat by silently as the clan was branded "un-American, un-Christian and un-democratic."

This bitter arraignment of the hooded order was contained in a resolution adopted by the convention just before adjournment and climaxed a two-day struggle for control of the gathering by Klan and anti-Klan forces.

James E. Ferguson, former governor, who was impeached for misuse of state funds and whose wife is conceded more than an even chance of becoming the first woman governor of Texas, and of a sovereign state of the union, ruled the convention with an iron hand.

The platform upon which Mrs. Ferguson staged her race for the democratic nomination was adopted without opposition.

An indication that the political axe will be swung with much vigor by Mrs. Ferguson if she is elected was contained in the plank advocating economy in government.

The woman nominee, in a recent interview hinted that there were hundreds of state employes doing the work that required only half that number.

Rigid enforcement of the prohibition law is included in the plan. The platform though brief calls for legislation intended to lower taxation, advocacy of child labor legislation and hearty endorsement of the candidacies of John W. Davis and Chas. W. Bryan and the state administration of Gov. Pat Neff.

Delegates wasted no time in leaving for homes after the convention had adjourned. A few party leaders remained in Austin for official confabs before returning to their districts and getting the plans under way for the approaching battle.

Klan Delegates Not Seated After selecting a temporary organization favorable to his cause, "farmer Jim" pulled a string or two and after a short but lively encounter, it was disclosed that Klan delegates had not and would not be seated.

The "matted fist" came into view again when the selection of committees was made. There were Klanmen on them. The Klanmen had been relegated to the sidelines where all the criticizing they might do would mean very little. Democratic leaders cheerfully announced that the convention was 100 per cent anti-Klan and the machinery to further huddle the order was set in motion.

Demand Mrs. Bloodworth Resign Mrs. J. E. Bloodworth of Fort Worth, a member of the national democratic committee, who was de-

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Young Army General Makes War Plans.



BRIG. GEN. HUGH A. DRUM

Brigadier General Hugh A. Drum, U. S. A., is in command of the Plans and Training Division of the General Staff. He is the second youngest general in the Army, being four months older than Brigadier General Douglas MacArthur, 44. General Drum is the son of Captain Drum, of the Tenth Infantry, first commissioned officer killed at San Juan, and was given his father's sword and a lieutenant's commission by President McKinley when he was only 13.

FLYERS ARRIVE IN NOVA SCOTIA

NOW REST ONLY SHORT HOP FROM MAINLAND OF CONTINENT

By United News. PICTOU, N. S., Sept. 3.—Greeted by the pealing of church bells and the shrieking of whistles, the American round the world flyers landed late Wednesday in the first good sized English town on their itinerary since they left Brough, England a month and a half ago.

They are now but two days' hop from Boston, where they will once more alight on American soil. Lt. Smith and Nelson arrived at Pictou from Hawks Bay, N. F., at 4:30 p. m. eastern standard time.

Amid the din that a civilized town of 5,000 inhabitants could make, they were welcomed by Mayor Maccahern, who for weeks had been planning the rousing reception for his "American cousins". The mayor introduced the airmen to federal provincial and city officials. They had left Hawks Bay at 10:12 a. m., thus negotiating the hop in six hours and 28 minutes.

Both planes alighted smoothly on the mirror like lake waters of Pictou harbor and were moored to buoys several days ago.

Among the newcomers was Lt. Eligh Wade, whose plane was put out of commission on the hop from

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LOCAL LEGION TO AID DEFENSE TEST PROGRAM

COMMITTEE NAMED TO ASSIST MAYOR IN PROGRAM DETAILS

From the American Legion viewpoint the observance of Defense Day on September 12th should go over big. At least this was the sense of the local post of the Legion in its regular meeting held in the Court House last night. A program has been arranged by the committee recently appointed to co-operate with the Mayor in a suitable observance of the national Defense day. This will be published in detail during the next few days. In general it is planned to have every ex-service man appear in a parade to be held in the afternoon of the 12th.

Every ex-service man is requested to be on hand in his usual civilian clothes in order that the idea of the day's observance as one of a distinctly military nature may in a degree be counteracted. During the meeting of the local post the quiet observance was made that a great many men have become too stout for the olive drab. In order to take care of any possibility of a lack of uniformity in this score the uniforms for the ex-service man will be handed out free.

Other features of the demonstration will be the Lubbock band, the Red Cross, talks by prominent citizens who have given the motives behind the day careful consideration—all of these to be worked out in a very meritorious program.

The Legion will have a tent on the court house lawn for the purpose of assisting every ex-service man who has not filled out his blank for compensation to do so on this day. Several members have volunteered their service on this day to assist anyone who has not availed himself of this opportunity. In order to greatly facilitate the preparation of the blanks it has been requested that discharge papers be looked up and brought in if these have not been filed with the county clerk that they be recorded on this day. The county clerk has indicated that he will be at the disposition of every ex-service man in seeing that this rather important matter is attended to, on this date.

THREE ARE KILLED AS AUTO PLUNGES THRU BRIDGE

By United News. HOUSTON, Sept. 3.—Mrs. Harry T. Kendall, her four year old daughter and her aunt, Miss Embury, all of Houston, Texas, were killed this afternoon when their car plunged through a bridge near Navasota, according to a telephone call received by J. W. Link, of the Kirby Lumber Company, from Navasota. Mrs. Kendall is the wife of H. T. Kendall, sales manager of the Lumber company. Mrs. George C. Pendleton, Mrs. Kendall's mother, was seriously hurt. The car fell 30 feet into the dry river bed. Kendall, apprehensive of his wife driving the car from Temple here, where they had been visiting left here at 2 p. m. to meet them.

HELD UP BANK WITH AN UNLOADED PISTOL

By International News Service. DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 3.—After exhibiting his colossal nerve by holding up the Mesquite National Bank with an old unloaded, rusty revolver, Aubrey Murff, 19, then burned almost \$3,000 in bills of large denomination because he was about that to pass them would expose his guilt. Murff was arrested on the streets here a week after the Mesquite robbery. He was trailed through his sweetheart whom detectives watched until they were aware of his whereabouts. Murff confessed the robbery, told of the empty gun and of keeping but \$100 out of the \$3,000 for his own use.

WIFE SHOTS HUSBAND IN ARGUMENT OVER FAMILY AUTOMOBILE

By United News. HOUSTON, Sept. 3.—Don't argue with your wife. That's the advice of Henry Albright, who nurses three bullet wounds in his scalp today. Albright, who nursed the family car. So did Mrs. Albright. The argument started there. It ended when Mrs. Albright climbed into the back seat of the automobile and opened fire on Henry. Five times she fired and missed but once. The other four bullets just glanced off Henry's head and he's not seriously hurt. Mrs. Albright is at liberty on \$3,000.00 bond, facing an assault to murder charge.

HEAVY FIGHTING OPENS IN CHINA

CASUALTIES OF STRIFE BEGIN ARRIVING IN THE CAPITAL CITY

By United News. SHANGHAI, Sept. 3.—With troops advancing on the outskirts of the city, foreign marines patrolling the streets and the first casualties beginning to arrive from the battle zone Shanghai and its foreign colony are now in close contact with the Chinese civil war. At 9 o'clock Wednesday night troops from the province of Kiangsu, in which Shanghai is located, had advanced to within 12 miles of the city. Heavy fighting throughout the afternoon was reported from the region of Quinsan, 30 miles from here and at 9:20 Wednesday night the first lot of killed and wounded began arriving here.

French and Japanese marines already have landed to protect their nationals. The British and American remain on their warships but are ready to come ashore at a moment's notice.

Beginning with sporadic clashes between the forces of the rival provincial general Chi Hsieh Yunn, and Luoying, the fighting has extended to two fronts and has become so intense that firing can be heard in Shanghai. General Lu's attacking forces are marching against the forces of General Chi, who is attempting to defend the city.

Sections of the two armies met at Quinsan Wednesday afternoon in the heaviest fighting that has even been reported there, although rain hampered the action of the artillery. Foreign warships concentrated here, have now increased to 21 including 12 American vessels. British and American sailors are preparing to co-operate, in case it is necessary to defend the foreign settlement and the Shanghai volunteer corps composed of foreign residents, is standing by ready to protect foreign life and property.

YOUTH UNPERTURBED AS HIS MOTHER PLEADS FOR HIM

By United News. OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 3.—While his little sweet-faced and gray haired mother continues her hopeless battle to save him from the electric chair, Richard Birkes, convicted murderer goes calmly about preparing himself for death. From her small home in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Mrs. Eliza Birkes the youth's mother came here to plead with Governor M. L. Trapp that he save her boy's life. Governor Trapp refused to intervene declaring that "The law of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth is a good law where both have an equal chance and in a case of murder with robbery as the motive, it certainly can be applied." Birkes was convicted of the murder of Frank Pitts, cashier of the Ketchum state bank during an attempted hold up August 3, 1923. Two of his companions in the crime are serving life sentences, but after a long trial the courts decided Birkes fired the shot and he was sentenced to die Friday.

HEAVILY ARMED TROOPS GUARD HERRIN INQUEST

STREETS OF TOWN BEAR WARTIME SEMBLANCE AS STORIES TOLD

By United News. HERRIN, Ill., Sept. 3.—Under the watchful eyes of a national guardsman wearing a steel helmet and armed with a plentiful supply of hand grenades and tear gas bombs the inquest began telling their story Wednesday at the inquest held by Coroner McCowan into the deaths of six men slain in bloody Williamson county's latest riot last Saturday.

A doughboy, dressed as though for an expected attack in the trenches of Flanders, his tin hat pulled low over his eyes, his assortment of weapons spread out before him sat on the judge's bench.

To the side of him stood another guardsman armed with automatic rifles. In each corner of the court room stood guards heavily armed.

In the hall outside, guarding the steps that lead to the second floor, still another guardsman stood on guard.

Outside the court house itself, the streets bore the semblance of wartime. Scores of deputies, carrying side arms, were posted at vantage points with orders to quell any disturbance immediately while other guardsmen were placed at points a block away to keep the crowds dispersed.

Reports had come into Herrin that both sides of Herrin's smouldering war had prepared for trouble, and that an adverse decision might be the only spark needed to set off either camp.

The elaborate preparations were made by Captain Harold M. Bigelow, in command of troops to see that no opportunity for the sparks to fly was afforded.

"I am ready to throw the first man who makes a hostile remark into jail" he said. "If a general riot begins, I am prepared to fight. Let both sides maintain peace or take the consequences."

Conflicting stories were told of how the battle which took six lives was started.

Mrs. Chester Reid, widow of one of the slain men, accused John Smith Herrin, Klan leader of killing her husband.

"Chester and I were packed near his (Smith's) garage and Chester got out and went over there. Smith met him with a saved off shotgun. Chester called to him not to shoot but he did and Chester fell in the street."

"After Chester fell, he motioned me to come to him. I took my baby and ran into the street. Smith was still there. I begged him to help me but he turned and walked away. I ran to the house of Dr. Black, and told him what had happened."

Dave Sisk, who was at Smith's garage when the fight started, accused either Sheriff Galligan or Ora Thomas, one of his deputies, of the killing.

"Sheriff Galligan, Ora Thomas and the other gunmen came to the garage and asked where Smith was" he said. "When I said he was not in" they told me to move a car from

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SANTA FE JOINS IN MAKING SPECIAL EDITION SUCCESS.

The Panhandle & Santa Fe Railway Company expressed its approval of the Industrial and Commercial Edition now in process of preparation for publication Sept. 21st, by an order for a large amount of space. Mr. Gallaher, General Passenger Agent of Amarillo will also furnish some interesting data relative to the growth of business on the Plains in recent years.

Rix Expresses Approval

J. A. Rix of the Rix Furture and Undertaking Co. also expressed his approval of the Edition and stated his belief that it would be worth much to our section as well as to those who participate in making it a success.

Huge Robberies Bared by Girl's Confession.



MRS. JAMES J. BURNS

The confession in New York City of James J. Burns, his wife, Dot Kelly, bobbed-haired burlesque actress, and Harry Chance, chauffeur, that they "stuck up" the jewelry establishment of Fiedlerheimer & Jacoby, in Maiden Lane, far below the police "dead line" for crooks, has revealed that all of New York's \$13,000,000 jewelry hold-ups are directed by a "master mind," which arranges every detail of the successful crimes, even to having doors open so the robbers could walk right in.

TECH BUILDING STARTS MONDAY

STOCK JUDGING PAVILION CONSTRUCTION BE IN NEXT QUOTA

J. H. West, construction superintendent of the Rice Construction Company, now building the Lindsey Theatre building at the corner of Main and Avenue J, stated Wednesday that a telegram had been sent to Mr. W. M. Rice, owner of the company, who is now at Amarillo requesting that the plans for the Stock Judging Pavilion for the Texas Technological College be sent here at once.

Immediately upon receipt of the plans, Mr. West will have the building site staked off, and expects to have actual construction work started on the building Monday.

Frank Bennett, general construction superintendent for the Rice Construction Company, will have charge of the construction work on the Tech building, and will have a large force of men on the job after next week, and will have every feature of the work pushed along just as fast as possible.

JITNEY HOLDS UP TRAIN SEVERAL HOURS

GAINESVILLE, Texas, Sept. 3.—Desire to avoid paying the \$1 bridge toll crossing the Oklahoma line caused a Texas motorist much discomfort and delayed a Santa Fe train several hours, railroad officials said in explaining the delay.

The motorist leaving the road just before reaching the bridge, took to the Santa Fe tracks and once on them found it impossible to get back on the road because of high banks of each side of the track. He was compelled to bounce along for six miles with an indignant locomotive at his heels until he could find a point of escape.

JAPANESE SHIP CAPTAIN AND WIFE SUICIDE

TOKYO, Sept. 3.—Captain Kato, of the steamer Shimpo Maru, and his wife committed suicide here today because of criticism heaped up on the officer regarding the collision between his vessel and the Taipei Maru, off Hokkaido, several months ago.

The Shimpo collided with the Taipei in a fog, sending her to the bottom with a loss of 170 passengers and crew.

CLOTHES FOUND ON RIVER BANK AT AUSTIN DAM

IMPORTANT PAPERS BEARING ON CASE ARE ALSO MISSING

By United News. SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 3.—J. F. Carl, of San Antonio, former associate justice of the fourth court of civil appeals, and attorney for Mrs. William Hauptrief, who is in jail at San Marcos charged with the murder of her four step children and attempt to murder her husband, it believed to have been lured to the banks of the Colorado river, where his clothes were found, and killed. This is the theory on which state officers at Austin were working Wednesday night, from information furnished by E. M. Carl, a brother of the missing man, that Judge Carl had received a letter a week ago, threatening his life if he continued his services in the Hauptrief case.

Carl left San Antonio Monday to arrange for a habeas corpus hearing for Mrs. Hauptrief. He was seen at Austin by several persons where he had gone to attend the democratic state convention.

Carl's clothes were found on the bank of the river near the Austin dam late Tuesday afternoon by a fisherman. All valuables had been removed from the pockets which led officers to believe he had been robbed and the clothing planted there. He is known to have had important papers bearing on the Hauptrief case in his possession and these papers also have disappeared.

Belief that Judge Carl is alive, but is being held by kidnapers was expressed by F. H. Swearingen, Carl's law partner, who is in Austin assisting police in a search for him.

Swearingen says Judge Carl may have been kidnaped by persons interested in the case of Mrs. Hauptrief.

Austin police, however, have no well defined clues which would lead to the solving of the mystery. They are inclined to believe he is the victim of foul play.

Austin national guard units and state rangers are assisting police and county officers in a search for the missing attorney. About 200 persons were in a party searching Wednesday. The Colorado river, two miles north of Austin, is being dragged for the Judge's body at the point where his clothing, done up in a neat bundle, were found.

CANCEL SUIT FILED BY GOVERNMENT ON OIL CO.

By United News. LOS ANGELES, Sept. 3.—A suit on behalf of the United States government to cancel the Pan-American petroleum corporation lease on sections one and two in the Elk Hills Naval reserve in Kern county, was filed here Wednesday by U. S. Attorney Burke.

The action is similar to the one begun in March against the E. L. Doheny Corporation to cancel the lease on section 34 of the same reserve.

During the last two years the property involved in Wednesday's suit has produced about 2,000,000 barrels of oil and is regarded as the district's richest center.

The government asserts the leases were obtained through fraud, stating that no open bidding was requested, that no adequate consideration was given, and that Albert Fall had been loaned \$100,000 to secure the privileges.

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight warmer in north portions Thursday generally fair.



# SOCIETY, CHURCH AND LOCAL NEWS

BY MRS. PERCY SPENCER  
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## Mrs. Vickers Compliments Miss Ragland With Reception

Mrs. J. E. Vickers honored Miss Hortense Ragland with an informal reception following her recital at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

The rooms and porch were lavishly decorated with orange colored flowers and masses of fern.

Misses Mary Alice Johnson, Katherine Atkins, Marjorie Leland, and Maurine Mulligan were stationed beside the punch bowls and very graciously served golden punch to the guests on their arrival.

## Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson Entertains Bridge Club

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson entertained the Auction Bridge Club at her home on Broadway.

A salad course with coffee and whipped cream was served to Mesdames Gib Jackson, S. P. Robbins, O. E. Sears, McLeary, Adcock, Quillen and Clark Smith.

## PRIMARY INSTRUCTION FROM AUSTIN IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Tracy B. Horne of Austin Texas who is to be in charge of the Primary Department in the Teachers' Institute last year, arrived in Lubbock last Sunday and is working in the same capacity during the present session.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met in the regular business session Monday afternoon in the church parlors with the President, Mrs. Wolfarth presiding.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED THIS WEEK

- Mr. J. K. Booker and Miss Nita Miller.
- Mr. J. L. Rice and Miss Aurilla Herring.
- Mr. Ben Graham and Miss Grace Reid.
- Mr. Claudy C. Mathney and Miss Martha Beauchamp.
- Mr. Jay Leathers and Miss Alma McClendon.
- Mr. W. G. Clarke and Miss Lee Ola Mitchell.
- Mr. Raymond Berry and Miss Cordia Smith.

## BRENAN S. S. CLASS HAS WEINER ROAST

About seventy-five members of the Brenan Class of the First Christian church and a number of guests met at the Tumble-Down last Monday night and enjoyed a picnic lunch and weiner roast.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Subject to General Election in November.
- For State Senator: W. H. BLEDSOE, Lubbock.
- For Representative: J. K. WESTER, Lubbock.
- For District Judge, 72nd Judicial District: CLARK M. MULLIGAN, (Re-election)
- For District Attorney, 72nd Judicial District: PARKE N. DALTON, (Crosbyton)
- For Clerk, 72nd Judicial District: LOUIE F. MOORE, (Re-election)
- For County Judge: CHARLES NORDYKE.
- For County Attorney: OWEN W. MCWHORTER, (Re-election)
- For County Clerk: HERBERT STUBBS, (Re-election)
- For Sheriff: H. L. JOHNSTON, (Re-election)
- For County Superintendent of Schools: P. F. BROWN.
- For Tax Assessor: R. C. BURNS (Re-election)
- For Tax Collector: I. F. HOLLAND.
- For County Treasurer: MRS. HATTIE STOKER.
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 1: MARVIN T. WARLICK.
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 2: H. D. TALLEY, Slaton (Re-election)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 3: B. N. WHEELER, (Re-election)
- For County Commissioner, Prec. 4: L. C. DENTON, (Re-election)
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: OOL W. E. JOHNSON, (Re-election)
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 1: W. E. (Walter) GRICE
- For Public Weigher, Precinct 5: C. E. MERRILL, (Shallowater)
- For Constable, Precinct 1: J. L. McCULLOUGH.

## PEOPLE DON'T EXCUSE PIMPLES--GET RID OF THEM

Black and White Ointment, and Soap, are doing almost miraculous things for people who had tried many things in desperation trying to get rid of pimples, blotches, bumps, eczema, "breaking out." That more than two million packages are being used a year just proves its wide use and tremendous popularity with the people whose skin it has cleared up.

## Hotel Accommodations Hard to Secure in Lubbock

Many visitors to Lubbock are finding it impossible to get rooms in the larger hotels of the city, and in many instances have gone to private homes to find sleeping quarters, as most of the rooming houses are filled to a capacity with all rooms taken each day before late afternoon.

## First Bale Lubbock County Cotton Sold for 30 Cents per Pound

W. L. Altman, well known Lubbock county farmer of the Carlisle community, brought the first bale of cotton to be ginned here this season to town Tuesday morning.

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| " Lorenzo             | \$1.50 7:30 "            | Rails \$4.00 5:00 "     |
| " Rails               | \$2.00 8:00 "            | Lorenzo \$4.50 5:30 "   |
| " Crosbyton           | \$2.50 8:00 "            | Idalou \$5.00 6:00 "    |
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## Dog That Bit Local Boy Found to Be Free of Disease

Information has been received here from Austin that the dog that last month bit Joe Hodges, little nephew of J. A. Hodges, of the Hodges Brothers Store, was not diseased.

## Hotel Accommodations Hard to Secure in Lubbock

Mr. Selwyn Burford, a student of geology in the University of Texas is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Burford.

## PERSONALS

Miss Flora McGee of Amarillo who was at one time English teacher in the Lubbock High School is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. L. Robertson. Miss McGee has recently returned from the Peabody Institute where she received a Masters Degree.

## MISS MAMIE ALEXANDER AT HOME

Miss Mamie Alexander is at home from the W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon where she has been studying this summer. Mrs. C. W. Alexander who has been with her daughter, will return soon. Mrs. Alexander will teach in the Lubbock Schools this winter.

## MISS MARY ALICE JOHNSON

Miss Mary Alice Johnson, of Victoria, Texas, is visiting her sister Mrs. Hubert Wolfarth.

## MISS BERNICE SEWALT

Miss Bernice Sewalt of Brownwood, Texas, is visiting her sister Mrs. Hubert Wolfarth.

## MR. AND MRS. R. H. MOORE

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moore of Comanche are visiting relatives on the Monroe community this week.

## MR. AND MRS. M. M. DAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Day of Abernathy were in Lubbock on "Traders' Day."

## MR. EDWIN MARTIN

Mr. Edwin Martin who has been visiting his father, Mr. Raleigh Martin, left Wednesday for Mineral Wells where he will take charge of the History department in the High School there.

## MR. L. M. COLLIE

Mr. L. M. Collie, of Gorman, a brother of J. T. Collie of this city is here for a few days visit with the latter. Mr. Collie is city secretary of Gorman, and this is his first trip to this section of the state. He is very much pleased with the looks of the country and the general condition of this section.

## MR. R. L. LAIRD

Mr. R. L. Laird, District circulation manager of the Dallas Times Dispatch, who is on a vacation, and visiting his father Dr. Laird of Lorens, was here Wednesday, and paid the Avalanche a pleasant call.

## PRESIDENT J. A. HILL

President J. A. Hill of the West Texas State Teachers College was here Wednesday attending the South Plains Institute.

## MR. AND MRS. TED MORGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morgan, of Dallas, arrived in Lubbock Wednesday to visit friends and relatives until the fifteenth of this month when they will return to their home at Dallas. Mrs. Morgan is the daughter of Mrs. Mae Campbell, of Fort Worth, a former resident of Lubbock. She attended Lubbock High School several years ago.

## C. B. METCALF

C. B. Metcalf, cashier of Hodges Brothers General Merchandise store, has just returned from an extended visit with relatives at Fort Worth, Dallas, Tyler and Mineral Wells, and reports having enjoyed the vacation trip very much. He is now busy helping to take care of the business of the store.

## Hotel Accommodations Hard to Secure in Lubbock

John Davis of Slaton, was here on business Wednesday, and visited Welton Winn ( farm writer for the Weekly Avalanche.

## Mrs. A. W. SIMS

Mrs. A. W. Sims, of 1812 14th Street, is visiting relatives and friends at Reed, Oklahoma.

## Attorney I. B. Lane

Attorney I. B. Lane, of Slaton, was here Wednesday attending District Court.

## Mrs. A. J. HODGES

Mrs. A. J. Hodges, of Hodges Brothers General Merchandise store is at home after having spent several days visiting relatives and friends at Dimmit, in Castro county.

## More than half those who visit here.

With the oncoming fall season's usual business rush and with more salesmen making the territory as is always the case during the fall season the hotel problems will grow more complex and it now appears as though something will have to be done immediately to meet the situation.

## Nessmith Gins 2nd Bale of Cotton Here This Season

C. O. Nessmith, Lubbock county farmer of five miles north west of town, was here early Wednesday morning with a bale of cotton which was the second to be ginned in Lubbock.

## They know how to deal with bandits in Mexico.

They are shot out of the country.

## DOG THAT BIT LOCAL BOY FOUND TO BE FREE OF DISEASE

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## THE PLACE TO BUY CHILDRENS SHOES

Now comes the time of year when Bobby and Betty must return to school, we are not so sure that they want to go back just yet, but wait till you bring them in to see the new School Shoes we have assembled here a most complete assortment.

## Little Misses Oxfords in Brown calf, sizes 11 1/2 to 2

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----- \$5.00

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### BIG ATTENDANCE AT INSTITUTE WEDNESDAY

Devotional services at the South Plains Teachers Institute which is being conducted at the Lubbock High School, were conducted Wednesday morning by Rev. J. M. P. Morrow, acting pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The musical features of the program, were again arranged by Miss Mary Dunn, local instructor of music, and were appreciated and enjoyed by the teachers.

Dr. Cade delivered an enjoyed and instructive lecture at the morning general session, after which the various technical subjects were discussed.

Attendance reached its peak Wednesday, and the teachers are now beginning final work for institute week.

The following program will be carried out Thursday:

9:00 a. m.—Devotional, Rev. W. Dodson; Special Music arranged by Miss Dunn; Music Appreciation, Mrs. Seagrains.

10:00 a. m.—The Problems of Moral and Religious Education, Dr. Eby.

11:00 a. m.—Rural Schools: The Teacher and His Community, Supt. Webb, 30 min.; Round Table, Led by Dr. Cade, 30 min.; High School: Planning Your Lessons, Dr. Eby; Vocational Section; C. L. Davis and Miss Vessie Harris, both of Department of Education.

1:00 p. m.—Address, Dr. Hill, Pres. West Texas State Teachers College.

2:00 p. m.—High School: Training Pupils to Study, Dr. Eby; Rural Schools; Dr. Cade, 30 min.; Round Table, Supt. Webb, 30 min.; Primaries; Mrs. Horn, 30 min.; Vocational; C. L. Davis and Miss Vessie Harris.

3:00 p. m.—Interscholastic League Representative, Organization by Counties.

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. THOMAS TO BE CONDUCTED TODAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas, aged 51 years, wife of James Thomas, died here Tuesday at one o'clock p. m.

Funeral services will be conducted at the First Methodist church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. D. C. Ross.

She is survived by her husband, T. H. Campbell, three daughters and one son as follows: Miss Lela Thomas, assistant superintendent of nurses at the Lubbock Sanitarium; Mrs. Gladys Barnes of Lubbock; Mrs. Joan Pool of Paula Valley and R. T. Thomas, of McAllen, Texas.

Her brother, T. B. Whitledge of Dallas, will attend the funeral.

### LOCAL RODEOIST WILL OPEN THE ELKS SHOW

Imagine Neil Wright and others riding a steer pulled cart as an outstanding event in the Elks Frontier Celebration and Rodeo here Friday and Saturday.

The steer will not be harnessed, and in fact will not be attached to the cart in any manner, and the distance he takes the cart-riders will depend entirely upon their stickability, as the animal's tail will be gripped by one of them, while the other one will give his entire time to clinging to the cart, which Hackberry Slim says will attain a speed of as much as twenty miles per hour at times.

This will be one of the night attractions, and will show up very well throughout as the cart-riders will use a six-shooter loaded with blank shells as a paralyzer in making the steer attain his highest speed and by shooting to the right and to the left his course can be guided by the rapid fire of the six gun.

Six guns, big spurs, wild horses and death-defying stunt riding will be other features of the rodeo program that will attract the attention of all who attend.

### NEW REVOLT IS STARTED IN RUSSIA

By International News Service. GENEVA, Sept. 3.—Delegate Chavichy of the Soviet government, from state George of Russia received a delayed dispatch today of a terrible revolution in the states of Georgia and Azerbaijan, during the past five days with the insurgents holding the upperhand over the soviet.

Street fighting continues in great petroleum port of Batoum and there are many casualties reported. Foreign Naval forces now here include ten American destroyers and three gunboats under the command of Admiral McVey, a British cruiser and two gunboats, a Japanese cruiser and three gunboats and a French cruiser and one Italian cruiser.

### HEAVILY ARMED TROOPS GUARD HERRIN INQUEST

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of front the one they wanted. Thomas hit me on the head with a revolver.

Roid came across the street and asked them to stop beating him. Sisk said, and then either Galligan or Thomas then shot and killed Roid. The witness said, "I don't know who started the fight."

"Harry Herrin drove up. Here comes that Ku Klux—Herrin said Galligan, 'let's get him.'"

"They dragged Herrin out of the car and beat him. Green Dunning and Charles Denham drove up and then the shooting started. I ran up stairs and hid."

He denied that Smith had anything to do with the shooting. Huston Murphy, a miner, accused Thomas of killing Green Dunning.

He said he was sitting in front of the garage when the car with Dunning in it drove up and that "one of the Shelton boys grabbed Dunning from behind and then Thomas shot him dead."

Fred Wade testified that Galligan and Thomas both shot Roid and that he saw City Judge E. N. Bowen, and States Attorney Delos Day drive by and fire on the car carrying Dunning.

### DALLAS MAN LAYS CLAIM TO \$30,000 CARLIN ESTATE

JEFFERSON CITY Mo., Sept. 3.—Recalling the hardships of his childhood H. V. Dearnond, 31, assistant treasurer of the Dallas Union Trust Company of Dallas, Texas appeared here Wednesday to claim the \$30,000 estate of William Carlin, former wealthy land owner.

According to Dearnond, he was adopted in 1897 from St. Ann's Orphanage in St. Louis by Carlin. Records of the institution substantiate his claim, it is said.

When eleven years old, Dearnond says he was forced to leave the Carlin home after disagreement with his foster parents. He went west to make his fortune and nothing was heard from him until he appeared here to claim the estate.

A cursory examination of the records has failed to show that Dearnond was legally adopted by the Carlins. He must prove this, according to attorneys before he can be awarded the estate. There are no other direct heirs.

### PRISONER CONFESSES PARDONED IN ENGLAND

PASADENA, Calif., Sept. 3.—Fugled in connection with a series of Pasadena burglaries, Robert C. Conditine late Wednesday confessed that he had been sentenced to life imprisonment for an attempted murder in England and that he had been pardoned through the efforts of Lady Astor.

Conditine was linked through his admissions to criminal activities in Europe and America. After Lady Astor helped him free, he was deported from England as an undesirable alien, he said.

### TENN. REUNION WILL BE A BIG SUCCESS

Hay Davidson said the Tennessee reunion that is to be held in Lubbock this year is going to be the biggest thing that Tennessee people ever pulled off in Texas. He says there will be thousands of people here, not only from Lubbock but they are coming from points many miles around to attend this reunion, and enjoy two days with people from their "old home state." Hay says they are going to have two days of the reunion this year. They had only one day before but they did not get half through visiting, and they want to have a real old time camping picnic this year.

He says to tell 'em to bring their bedding along and your camping outfit so you can stay on the grounds and have the real time of your life. Those who attended last time will remember what a good time they had, and this celebration will far outstrip that one.

Mr. Davidson is expecting many thousand people, and they will have a parade several miles long, headed by the longest man from Tennessee and he will probably be that individual. However if any other Tennesseean is any taller than he is he will gladly have the honor of leading the parade.

### MANY DELEGATES TO ATTEND EL PASO CONVENTION

EL PASO, Sept. 3.—Arthur W. Large, Agricultural agent of the Rock Island Station, with headquarters at Chicago, is getting up a special delegation of Chicago railroad men and other officials of the Rock Island to attend the District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held in El Paso, Sept. 26th. Already 350 delegates have signified their intention of attending this convention.

### SLIGHT EARTH TREMOR FELT AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 3.—What is believed to have been a slight earth tremor was felt here at 4:12 p. m. Pacific coast standard time.

A number of telephone calls were made to police headquarters reporting that the shock was felt in various parts of the city.

### FIRE SWEEPING CAMP BELIEVED UNDER CONTROL

PASADENA, Calif., Sept. 3.—Flames which have swept over miles of brush land in a serious blaze which started Sunday were believed Wednesday under control after 1,000 men had fought stubbornly throughout the day.

Camp Rincon, a mountain resort, toward which the flaming peril reached on Tuesday was declared out of danger Wednesday and tourists were allowed to return to Pasadena and Los Angeles.

The number of men on the firing line was gradually being diminished as the flames lost their menace. It is believed that before morning, unless a sudden shift in wind develops, the fire will have been extinguished.

Andy Gardner, 22, a 17-year-old prisoner is said to have confessed carelessly tossing a lighted cigarette into a dry brush and then becoming too frightened to pull the brace which resulted in the blaze.

### ITALIAN FLYER PRAISES AMERICA FOR HIS RESCUE

By United News. BOSTON, Sept. 3.—Bringing words of praise for the American navy for rescuing him and four companions from death in the icy sea off Cape Farewell, Greenland, L. Antonio Locatelli, the Italian world flyer arrived here Wednesday aboard the U. S. S. Destroyer Lawrence.

Locatelli who with his pilots and mechanics was forced down on the ocean waste by a bad motor, said they owed their lives to the kindness of the American navy. They had about given up hope, he said, when the destroyer Richmond came to their aid.

Locatelli said he had no plans for another globe circling attempt this year. He will depart for New York Thursday where he plans to remain about two weeks before returning home to Italy.

### FIRST BALE IS BROUGHT TO RALLS

Special to the Avalanche. RALLS, Texas, Sept. 3.—The first bale of cotton was brought into Ralls today. The bale weighed 430 pounds and raised by Ed. Fulbright. It was sold to the Bryant-Link Company of Ralls for 26c per lb. A premium of \$100 was given to Mr. Fulbright by the merchants of Ralls.

### GROUP FOUR PRESENTS KIWANIS PROGRAM THURSDAY

With the approach of the winter months, when the businessmen of Lubbock will perhaps be busier than at any other period of the year, the local Kiwanis Club is entering into a series of well arranged programs that will perhaps tend to increase interest not only in the club meetings, but in every feature of club activity.

Thursday Group No. 4, with W. J. Garrett, chairman, and of which Geo. W. Foster, Joe Flaig, James H. Goodman, J. W. Gamel, Wm. D. Green and Louis H. Hungate are members, will present the program, which is as follows and appears as though the Kiwanians will be offered an hour of splendid entertainment:

Piano Solo—Miss Katherine Penry. Negro Dialect Reading—Mrs. Jas. H. Goodman. Panhandle South Plains Fair—D. F. Eaton. Charges Against Members—Group 4.

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## DEFENSE DAY

We have all read more or less about "Defense day." We have heard many people express their views. Many of them without any thought of what the day really means, but have expressed their opinion without giving the matter any thought at all. They have simply spoken out their prejudices and allowed this to lead them aside from the real intentions of the day: Captain Roy H. Kleiser, in a well thought out statement, has said that Defense day is nothing at all what many people think it is. He says:

"I am a Christian minister. I believe firmly in Christ's gospel of peace. I detest war. I think I know something of what it means. I know its appeal to the innate courage and nobility of men, and I know the horror of the price when it is paid. I have seen it at its best and at its worst in the camp and on the battle field. I know the inspiration and the thrill that comes of marching hosts, waving banners, crashing cymbals, throbbing drums, and cheering crowds, and I know it in the raw stripped of all the glamour of such things. I know what it is like for strong men to be blown into bits by high explosives, to struggle helplessly in mud and blood, choking in agony on the fumes of poison gas. I know the bravery that calls forth and the moral evils. I am glad that ours is a peace-loving country. I am glad that our system for national defense is cast upon the most advanced peace basis possible, and I am glad that it is so organized that it would be practically impossible for us to engage in a predatory war even if the unthinkable should happen and some supposed 'interests' should seek to force us into it. I am glad that I am a member of the Officers Reserve Corps."

"Naturally I have been interested in the various discussions appearing in the press concerning Defense Day, or the so-called 'Mobilization Day,' ordered by the War Department for September 12, and I regret the confusion that has arisen in the mind of the public concerning it. The fact that the leaders of the two great political parties have expressed opposing views about it is interesting to me, it is a political issue, and it is really a political issue. I am glad that the statement from President Coolidge that many of the hasty utterances condemning the government's plans for Defense Day have been 'unfair' and, whether intentionally or unintentionally, have misrepresented the facts. These facts are as follows:

"Defense Day is to be an effort to test out the machinery of a new peacetime law enacted by Congress and designed to provide a system of national defense which will yet eliminate everything that might have any tendency to foster the spirit of militarism among our people. It is by no means to be a warlike gesture, but quite the contrary. It will show to the world that we are not depending upon a large standing army to defend us in case the need should arise but upon the citizenship of the country at large."

"In 1920, in response to the world-wide demand for the reduction of armaments, the Congress of the United States led the way by passing the new national defense act. This act made a war of aggression practically impossible, but in case we should ever be attacked by any other power it provided for the nation's defense from three sources. The first line of defense would be the navy and the regular standing army. But in order that this might never be used for anything but defensive measures the army was cut down in size until it is hardly large enough for the ordinary police duties it is called upon to perform in peace times. The navy, of course, was limited by the Washington conference. The present authorized strength of the army is 125,000 men. This if we should be attacked would be the only immediately available means of defense for this vast area of 3,026,791 square miles virtually without fortifications on any of its borders."

"To meet this deficiency the act provided for a second and third line of defense to be composed of 'citizen soldiers.'"

"In case an emergency should arise, the War Department is empowered to call into Federal service such units of the national guard of the various States as have been Federalized. This is the second line of defense and would probably be sufficient to meet any other emergency that might arise."

"In case of a very serious emergency, as, for instance, if the selective draft should again become necessary as it was in the World War, or if it should become necessary to call for a large number of volunteers, the Officers Reserve Corps would be called to active duty. This, with the drafted or volunteer personnel, would constitute the third line of defense and the main dependence of the nation in case there should ever be another war. The Officers Reserve Corps, composed of officers who have seen previous service and of graduates from the R. O. T. C., is merely the skeleton or framework for a draft or volunteer army and has only the necessary officers and noncommissioned officers to receive such an army of untrained citizens, organize them, and start the initial training that

would be necessary in case a great emergency should arise.

"The War Department has prepared this machinery in accordance with the act of Congress, but it has never been tried out to see if it will work. Defense Day on September 12 is merely an effort to test out the new machinery, to ascertain its defects, and to acquaint the public with the nation's new system of defense. It is the most definitely pacific and unwarlike plan in use by any nation in the world. Its like has never been heard of before. It goes further toward disarmament than even Switzerland. Switzerland has a 'citizen army,' but it is a highly trained army, thoroughly armed and equipped and ready to fight at a moment's notice. Ours is merely the framework of an army that does not really exist. Surely when so much might depend upon such a skeleton it ought to be tried out at least once that some of its defects may be discovered and remedied without somebody shouting 'Militarists!'"

"There is nothing whatever in the plans for Defense Day that will give the impression to any nation that America is turning militaristic. On the contrary, it will advertise to the whole world that we have practically done away with a regular army, except for police purposes, and are depending for national defense, if need should arise, solely upon the untrained citizenship of the country. If this is militaristic, then every other nation in the world is supermilitaristic."

## ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH

Real Estate men like others, some time go to sleep, and they are evidently sleeping at the switch in Lubbock, and from the tone of some of the letters we receive from time to time, the absence of the names of advertisers in the columns of the Avalanche is very noticeable. Below is a copy of a letter we received yesterday from one of our subscribers, and it is genuine. It was signed in due order, but for fear of all the five thousand real estate dealers should write our friend at once if we were to give his name we merely print the body of the letter and where it is from. It reads:

"East Las Vegas, N. M., Sept. 4, 1924.  
Avalanche Publishing Co.,  
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Gentlemen:

"Your town, and your paper, it would seem are deserving of considerable credit according to the volume of advertising appearing each week in the Avalanche. Looking like as a rule most of the town's business men are constant and consistent advertisers."

"However, there is one class of business that appears conspicuous by its absence from your columns. I have sought diligently through the last three issues for the names of Lubbock Real Estate firms (without finding one single solitary Realtor's card.

"Perhaps they are all kept so busy that newspaper advertisements would be superfluous, mayhaps they don't need it. It would appear from the lists of real estate conveyances published frequently that there must be some of them in the city and that they must do some business. Moreover, from the general tone and constant boosting of the Avalanche, conditions in your territory should afford fair pickings for Real Estate firms. Surely there must be some of the tribe in Lubbock."

"If there be I would like very much to have the names of some few of them if you will be so kind as to submit them to me. I might even be the source of some small profit to some one of them later on. Who knows?"

"For your convenience, I enclose a self addressed and stamped envelope, and I'm going to thank you in advance for your courtesy in the matter."

## HELPING THE BOYS

The local Rotary Club is showing much interest in the boys of this community, and the boys are beginning to look upon the Rotary Club as a second father to them, and they do not stand back on asking the club to help them out in most anything they undertake, for this club has always shown a wonderful interest in the boys work of the community and takes a pleasure in doing things for them that is for their advancement and betterment in any way.

Wednesday program was devoted to the boys who were graduates from the grammar school and also from the high school and a general invitation was sent out by the chairman of the boys work of the Rotary club, and urged that these boys be present at this meeting as a guest of some Rotarian.

All of the boys were not there but there was quite a good number and they showed a good interest in the program, and the Rotary members were glad indeed to have them. Two of the influential citizens of the community addressed the boys and encouraged them in every way possible to press forward, and take advantage of the opportunities that they have, and we are sure that the advice given the youngsters will be gladly heeded by them.

The Rotary club during the past year created a boys fund, that is used as a rotating fund for aiding the boys who are unable to attend school, and last year while it was only in a small way the club was able to advance money to help several of the boys who were needing the assistance.

The Club does not donate this money but loan it at a small rate of interest and the boys pay the amount back when they are out of school and have employment. In this way a few hundred dollars just at the right time is a God-send to the young fellow who has an ambition for an education, and the Rotary club is glad to be able to furnish it.

This fund is being increased each year, and it is the wish of the Rotary Club to create a fund that will mean the financial assistance of many of the young men of the community who are worthy and are willing to take advantage of the opportunities presented them.

We can't have good roads, electric lights, water service, sewers, pavements, police and fire protection, public parks, libraries, hospitals and schools without paying for them. If taxes are \$10 per year you can only get \$10 worth of service.

# EVERYONE URGE TO HEAR EBY'S LECTURE

Prof. C. L. Stone, director of the South Plains Teachers Institute is very anxious to have a large number of the students of Lubbock and Lubbock county hear Dr. Eby's lecture on "Religious Education" at the morning session of the institute at the High School auditorium this morning at ten o'clock.

The lecture will be worth much to all parents especially, and those interested in any degree in education should not miss this opportunity to hear a great lecturer express his views on a feature of education that is of more than passing interest to all.

You are cordially invited to attend any sessions of the institute, but especially are you urged to hear this lecture, there being no admission charge.

# YOUNG AMERICAN BE AGENT-GENERAL OF REPARATIONS

By United News.  
PARIS, Sept. 3.—Gracefully and without the suggestion of disapprobation that might be expected, Europe has placed the responsibility for her post war recuperation in the hands of a youthful American, barely 32 years old.

That is the significant, unprecedented fact contained in the appointment of Seymour Parker Gilbert to the powerful post of agent-general of reparations. An director of the machinery which will apply the Dawes settlement to Europe, young Gilbert will assume a position which the German press recently described as possessing more power than ever held by Kaiser William.

There was some hesitation, of course, about naming a man just out of college and quick at figures to become financial dictator. In a world where reverence for age is a virtue far more deeply rooted than in the United States there was a certain shyness over asking a smooth faced Yankee to step to the head of the parade and advise gray-haired European diplomats how to arrange their financial wreckage. But it was decided that Gilbert's extraordinary ability paired as assistant treasurer under Wm. Mellon should offset any prejudice against youth. So it was announced Wednesday that Gilbert had been offered and accepted the job of reparations director.

In addition to being an agent general here are a few of the powers that will fall to the American youth: He will be chairman of the All-imperial transfer committee which conveys the reparations payments from the Germans to the allies, under the Dawes plan. In his account all these payments will be deposited. It will be his duty to regulate the transfer of German money so the allies can receive as much as possible and still not upset European exchange. Finally he will have the power to direct German payments when accumulations reach five billion gold marks.

# SLAYERS DISCOUNT PRESENT RUMORS AS FALSE

CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Nathan Leopold, Jr., ornithologist, amateur attorney and professional super-man who is awaiting sentence for complicity in the murder of 14 year old Robert Frank has adopted a policy of keeping his mouth shut.

Announcement of the youthful's departure from garrulity came Wednesday following widely circulated reports that expecting a death sentence, he had bequeathed his valuable ornithological collection to the Field museum.

An excited report that in the event he is hanged, Leopold will attempt to test the heretofore and will establish a spirit communication with the earth, also elicited an emphatic denial from the slayer of Bobby Frank.

"Somebody's silly dream," he stated in an interview. "I'm not such a fool as that. Anyway, I'd probably be misquoted if I succeeded in any such communication."

With that Leopold strode abruptly away, this putting into practice his resolve to say nothing even when there is much to be said.

Clarence S. Darrow, attorney for Leopold, substantiated his clients denial. "About ten days ago," Darrow explained, "Babe" gave me a list containing the birds of the collection as well as some other property of his. You may say for me however, that the list is not a will."

HOUSTON, Sept. 3.—\$100 a pound. That was the value Ruby Cloud negress, placed on her self here today.

Ruby, who makes the beam leap to the 255 point filed suit against the Houston electric company for \$25,000, charging she was permanently injured when a street car stopped suddenly, hurdling her thru the air.

# WOULD ESTABLISH LABOR BUREAUS IN TEXAS

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 3.—Appropriations to establish state farm labor bureaus throughout entire Texas is the aim of State Labor Commissioner Joseph Myers according to his announcement here.

The success of the two bureaus at Fort Worth and San Antonio in handling the labor situation has prompted Myers to seek state-wide establishment of these agencies, both to avoid importation of labor and to give the farmers and planters quick service.

# DAVIDSON SAYS DEATH BLOW IS DEALT TO KLAN

By United News.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Lynch Davidson, candidate for gubernatorial nomination in Texas, was defeated when the anti-klan democrats piled up a large majority in favor of "Ma" Ferguson, shied Wednesday on the Berengaria bound for Europe, declaring that the recent election spelled the doom of the invisible empire.

"The vote in Texas was not a Ferguson victory," Davidson said. "But it was an anti-klan victory." He added that it was a moral blow to the organization.

# LOCAL HAPPENINGS

W. H. Kirby, of Abilene, transacted business here Wednesday.

W. W. Youngblood was here Wednesday from his home at Rockwell, Texas.

Geo. M. Medlen, of Colorado City, was transacting business here Wednesday.

Paul Mullenix, of Lamesa, visited and transacted business here Wednesday.

C. E. Travis and wife, of Clovis, New Mexico, were in Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. Shore, of Fort Worth, was among the business visitors in Lubbock Wednesday.

R. C. Young, businessman of Amarillo was in Lubbock Wednesday.

T. H. Bunker, of Oklahoma City was here Wednesday.

Ira Smith, of Lamesa, visited here on business Wednesday.

J. D. Tinsley was here Wednesday from his home at Amarillo.

Geo. O. Coker, of Dallas, spent a part of Wednesday looking after business in Lubbock.

A. W. Moore, Wichita Falls business manager, was in Lubbock Wednesday.

G. J. Spangle was here Wednesday on business from his home at Dallas.

J. F. Womack, Jr., of Dallas was in Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday transacting business.

John L. Vaughan, who was recently appointed postmaster of the Lubbock postoffice, which place he will



DRUDGERY

If there is a task that you're eager to do  
You will never, by wishing, achieve it;  
You must stick to your duty until it is through  
For you're not a success if you leave it.

If there is a mountain you're eager to climb  
Just take this brief hint from my rhyming,  
You can make it, my boy, with one step at a time;  
But you won't if you ever stop climbing.

The way out of duties you don't like to do  
Is just to get busy and do them;  
To whimper and grumble won't change them for you.  
It's "clicker" to buckle down to them.

Oh, this is the simplest of lessons and yet  
So many, it seems, will not learn it:  
The best and the surest way Fortune  
Is to turn in and hustle and earn it.

The way to the end of the road may seem long  
And you'll reach it by keeping on walking;  
Your heart must be stout and your legs must be strong  
And you mustn't waste precious hours talking.

There is little which comes to a man with a rush,  
He must work when his spirit is fainting;  
Michael Angelo gave us things from his brush  
But he did it by constantly painting.

If you would write books you must sit down and write,  
For the unwritten dream's never heard of;  
Had Shakespeare not toiled with his pen through the night,  
Then his plays we'd have never a word of.

There is nothing worth while man has learned how to do,  
However at last you may view it,  
But means drudgery, drudgery, many a day through  
And the will and the spirit to do it.

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hold as acting postmaster until his appointment has been confirmed by the Senate in December, left last night for Dallas to be in attendance at the meeting of the state Republican executive committee.

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# THE WORLD: "NOW IF IT WASN'T FOR THIS ARMAMENT I COULD REACH THAT APPLE"

By MORRIS.



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# SPORT NEWS

## SOUTH PLAINS COACHERS AND OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION IS ORGANIZED HERE DURING SOUTH PLAINS TEACHERS INSTITUTE

One of the most interesting meetings ever held at the Teachers Institute was held Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock at the high school building. This meeting was composed of the coaches of the different schools in the South Plains Institute.

Mr. James H. Goodman, local football fan, presided over the meeting. The purpose of this meeting was to organize a Coaches Council. The organization was formed with Jas. H. Goodman, Lubbock, President; O. G. Lewis, Littlefield, Vice-President; Professor Rankin, Ralls, Sec.-Treas.

Mr. Goodman asked the chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee to report. This committee decided that the name of the organization should be The South Plains Coaches and Officials Association.

The purpose of this organization is to have a better understanding between the different schools and to have a better interpretation of the rules of the interscholastic league and to create more sportsmanship in the different events and contests held by the schools.

Each year this organization will meet during the institute. The coaches will have a chance to make their schedules with one another, and other problems that have to be settled between the coaches will be taken up.

Every school in the institute was represented. More than thirty men attending this meeting. Next meeting of the organization will be held during the interscholastic league meet which will be held during sometime in April.

## RICKARD CONFIDENT FIRPO-WILLS BOUT BE STAGED 11TH

BY WESTBROOK PEGLER  
NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—After a lengthy conference between Tex Rickard and Louis Angel, Firpo is confident that he will have the fight above Madison Square Garden, the promoter of the heavyweight fight between Firpo and Harry Wills, scheduled for September 11 at Boyle's Thirty Acres, Jersey City, announced that he is certain the fight will be staged there.

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## DODGERS BEAT PHILS ADVANCING ON TOP PLACE

By United News.  
Maintaining their whizzing burst of speed, the Brooklyn Dodgers whaled the fering Phillies twice again Wednesday on the Philadelphia pasture, making a streak of nine straight victories for the Brooklyn club of which six were scored in the last three days. The Dodgers were 6-1-2 games behind the Giants last Friday, in less than a week they have hoisted themselves into the very thick of the brawling for the National leagues symbolic gincham and they are now only one and one-half games out of first place.

The Dodgers beat the Phils 7 to 6 in the first game and old Bill Doak the St. Louis castaway shut out the perpetual losers 7 to 0 in the second encounter.

The Giants played only one game, defeating Boston 4 to 1. The Pirates also played a single show, beating St. Louis 14 to 1 on the Pittsburgh reservation. The Dodgers are now only half a game behind the Pirates who hold second place. The buccaners are one full game astern of the Giants.

John McGraw, tormented by the lively possibility of being beaten out of the pennant after gambling through most of the season with a long lead, at times mounting to ten full games, turned his club upside down to beat the Braves in the game at Boston. Long George Kelly, the first baseman, one of the best in the game was sent to left field replacing Irish Meusel because Meusel's hitting had slumped. Bill Berry went to first base. Dodgers meet in two games at the end of this week which may do the champions out of this year's pennant and confer it on the Brooklyn club.

The Cubs shut out the Reds 6 to 0 in Cincinnati. In the American league the Yankees defending the title but fighting an uphill battle, gained slightly on the Washington Senators as the Yankees beat the Red Sox in New York 11 to 6, while the Senators were idle. The Tigers, played a doubleheader, with the White Sox in Chicago winning the first, six to two and the second six to four.

The Browns beat the Indians 7 to 6, in their first game of the day in St. Louis. Cleveland took the second 9 to 5.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Boston ..... 000 000 042- 6 11 2  
New York ..... 103 155- 11 15 0  
Quinn, Ross and Pichnick; Beall, Pennock, Jones and Schang.

First game  
Detroit ..... 013 000 020 6 11 2  
Chicago ..... 000 110 000 2 7 1  
Johnson and Bassler; Robertson and Schalk.

Second game  
Detroit ..... 200 022 000- 6 7 1  
Chicago ..... 010 002 100- 4 8 1  
Whitehill, Daus and Bassler; Blankenship and Grabowski.

First game  
Cleveland ..... 110 002 200 6 13 0  
St. Louis ..... 000 032 011 7 12 0  
Shaute, Metevier and Sewell; Wingard and Severeid.

Second game  
Cleveland ..... 103 302 000- 9 16 1  
St. Louis ..... 000 102 020- 5 9 0  
Coveleskie and Myatt; VanGilder, Lyons and Rego, Collins.

Only games.  
Indianapolis ..... 000 000 200- 2 8 3  
Toledo ..... 220 000 00x- 4 6 2  
Morton, Niles and Krueger; Glard and Gaston.

Louisville ..... 000 000 121- 4 9 1  
Columbus ..... 001 400 10x- 6 9 0  
Deberry, Dawson and Vicks; Foulk and Hartley.

Milwaukee ..... 111 200 012- 8 16 3  
St. Paul ..... 090 142 11x- 16 21 0  
Winn, Bryan, Walker and McMenemy; Young Faeth and Dixon.

First game  
Kansas City 111 000 121- 7 11 0  
Minneapolis 412 200 02x- 11 15 4  
Wilkinson and Skiff; McGraw and Mayer.

Second game  
Kansas City 000 320 000- 5 10 2  
Minneapolis 300 000 000- 3 10 1  
Lindsen and Wilkinson; McWeeney and Wirtz.

FRANCE MEET AUSTRALIA TO DECIDE U. S. CHALLENGE  
By United News.  
BOSTON, Sept. 3.—Gerald Patterson, Australia, and Leon Lecosta, France, will meet on the Longwood cricket club course Thursday afternoon in the opening match of the final round of competition between the tennis teams of Australia and France to decide which shall meet the United States in the challenge round of the Davis cup.

Immediately after this match is over, Pat O'Hara Wood of the Australian team will play Jean Borotra, captain of the French team, in the second singles match. On Friday Patterson and Wood will represent Australia against Borotra and Lecosta.

First game  
Brooklyn ..... 010 300 111 7 11 0  
Philadelphia ..... 032 001 000 6 10 2  
Grimes and Taylor; Ring and Wilson.

Second game  
Brooklyn ..... 230 000 300 7 9 1  
Philadelphia ..... 000 000 000 0 2 0  
Doak and Taylor; Hubbell, Couch Lewis and Henline.

Chicago ..... 000 251 000 6 4 0  
Cincinnati ..... 000 000 000 0 6 1  
Kauffmann and O'Farrell; Sheehan, Dibut, Hargrave and Blott.

St. Louis ..... 000 100 000 1 7 1  
Pittsburg ..... 700 200 05x 14 19 1  
Bell, Vines and Niebergall; Gonzalez, Cooper and Gooch.

## Long Shots By Heavy Artillery

Wednesday's Home Run.  
National League: Wheat, Brooklyn 2; Cuyler, Pittsburgh; Griffin Brooklyn, Whitstone, Philadelphia.  
American League: Jamieson, Cleveland; Speaker, Cleveland; Ward, New York; Wingard, St. Louis; Robertson, St. Louis.

Ruth, Yanks 42; Fournier, Dodgers 20; Hauser, Athletics 24; Hornsby, Cardinals 23; Cy Williams, Phils 18; Williams, Browns 17; Kelly, Giants 16; Harnett, Cubs 15; Jacobson, Browns 15.

## VETERAN RACER DIES FROM INJURIES IN FALL

By United News.  
WHEELING, W. Va., Sept. 3.—Edward "Pop" Geers, the veteran American race driver, died late Wednesday in the Ohio Valley hospital from injuries he received earlier in the afternoon when his horse fell at the state fair grounds track.

The veteran driver, 70 years old, was carried unconscious from the race track to the Ohio Valley general hospital, where he died soon after his arrival. His face and body were badly cut and it is believed his skull was fractured and that he was injured internally.

Geers was second in the race when his horse My Lady Guy, fell. Pop was thrown to the ground beside his wrecked sulky and his horse stepped on his chest.

The stands were thrown into an uproar by his fall. Men came running from all directions. He was then removed from the field.

"Pop" Geers first braced his feet against the dashboard of a skeleton racing wagon when the civil war was hot in his native Tennessee.

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## BROWN RETURNS FOR PARTICIPATION WITH LOCALS

With the arrival in the city late Tuesday night of Vernon Brown, former Hubber, who for the past season has been with the Temple club in the Texas Association, things around the local ball lot have taken on a new enthusiasm in the expectation and hope of fans to see "sneer shot" Brown once again wield the wicked willow. Brown has just closed a good year with Temple, and says that his eye still cuts a good level on the pellet.

Skipper Sled stated last night that Vernon will accompany the club to Lamesa Sunday where the local amateurs will meet the ball chasers of the southern city, and that on the following Sunday afternoon at the Merrill park, will "strut his stuff" before the gaze of local followers of the national pastime.

Duke Bassinger of Eaton, also was slated to arrive home Wednesday but no word had been received last night as to whether he had reached his home. It is the present plan of the skipper to take Duke along Sunday, and if he makes the trip he in all probability will be given a chance at the Lamesa lads from the mound. Bassinger carries the reputation of being among the best ball pitchers in the T. A. A., and has an enviable record of wins during his college performance. He too has had very flattering offers of contracts from the major leagues, but to the present has refrained from professional participation in order that he might finish his college education. Duke pitches from the port side.

Another local lad—Wayne Gaith—

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SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION  
Southern ..... 12 16 0  
Nashville ..... 14 18 3  
Chattanooga ..... 14 18 3  
Lindstrom, Weaver and Wells; Cunningham and D. Anderson.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
Newark 7-4; Jersey 4-1.  
Buffalo 0-1; Toronto 6-7.  
Rochester 6-0; Sprause 11-1.  
Only games.

WESTERN LEAGUE  
Des Moines 17-9; Lincoln 4-6.  
Oklahoma City 4-2; Tulsa 1-1.  
Wichita 4-6; St. Joe 2-10.  
Denver 5-3; Omaha 4-3.

THREE I LEAGUE  
Bloomington 4-2; Decatur 3-0.  
Peoria 4-7; Terre Haute 2-0.  
Evansville 7; Danville 6.

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## Baseball Summary

TEXAS LEAGUE  
Fort Worth ..... 65 52 14 788  
Dallas ..... 65 34 31 523  
Beaumont ..... 64 33 31 514  
San Antonio ..... 65 30 35 462  
Wichita Falls ..... 65 30 35 462  
Houston ..... 63 28 35 444  
Shreveport ..... 66 27 39 409  
Galveston ..... 66 23 43 348

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

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Washington ..... 131 76 54 580  
New York ..... 131 75 56 573  
Detroit ..... 132 71 62 533  
St. Louis ..... 132 68 64 515  
Cleveland ..... 132 60 72 454  
Boston ..... 131 59 72 450  
Philadelphia ..... 131 58 73 443  
Chicago ..... 131 57 74 435

Thursday's Games:  
St. Louis at Chicago.  
Boston at Washington.  
Philadelphia at New York.  
Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
New York ..... 129 78 51 505  
Pittsburgh ..... 127 76 51 508  
Brooklyn ..... 132 78 54 501  
Chicago ..... 128 69 59 500  
Cincinnati ..... 132 68 64 515  
St. Louis ..... 131 58 76 420  
Philadelphia ..... 130 49 81 377  
Boston ..... 131 47 84 360

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

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION  
Memphis ..... 138 92 46 567  
Atlanta ..... 139 89 50 541  
New Orleans ..... 140 83 57 503  
Nashville ..... 138 74 64 536  
Mobile ..... 139 64 75 460  
Chattanooga ..... 138 57 81 413  
Birmingham ..... 137 52 85 370  
Little Rock ..... 139 43 96 300

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# GIGANTIC BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE PROGRAM IS BEING CARRIED OUT THRU HIGHWAY ENGINEERS

With only one more month of heavy tourist travel anticipated, but with the fall harvest season to augment the heavy truck and wagon traffic on all south-plains roads, some promise of possible highways throughout the twenty-four counties comprising Division Five of the State Highway Department is promised and in many instances assured by the department engineers.

Division Five of the Department has headquarters in Lubbock with office in the courthouse.

R. W. Baker, division engineer, together with Assistant Engineers Geo. A. Luder and E. K. Garrett and office clerk John L. Witt have been energetic in pushing highway maintenance work throughout the division and in many instances building new highways and changing the course of the Highways in some sections.

Highway No. 9 south to Big Spring through Lynn and Dawson counties is being constantly maintained and is in excellent shape at this time. The stretch of Highway 9 between Big Spring and Big Lake is a part of the G. to G. Highway and shares a great deal of the north and south going traffic.

An outstanding piece of work that is being done by the department in this division is the regrading of the highway from the Lubbock county line south to Post City on Highway No. 3, and general improvement on this highway below Post.

Seventeen miles of highway No. 18 in Kent county, between Girard and Clayton has been regraded, and bridge approaches and several sharp curves have been eliminated, and at present heavy equipment is being used by department engineers and workmen on the Highway between Jayton and Claimont. The people of the plains country are far more fortunate as to the condition of the country favorable to road roads than those in Kent county, and it is pleasing to know that in such broken country where only the best class of construction will meet the demands for permanent good roads the Highway Department is succeeding in giving the taxpayers a fair return for their money in the building program.

Highway No. 84 in Loving county is being regraded and put in shape to be properly maintained from the Terry county line east through Tanoka to the Garza county line.

Highway No. 26 is being regraded and bridges and approaches built by the help of the county engineers. The county from the Big Lake county line east to the Fossil county line. This road was relocated at several places, shortening the distance from Paducah to Quanah by three and a half miles.

According to information given out at the office of the Division Engineer here, Motley, Lamb, Crossby, Dickens, Bailey, Noshay, Deason, Stonewall and Fisher county officials are cooperating to the fullest extent with the department and as a result are getting a class of maintenance which will eventually mean excellent graded dirt roads.

The writer could not comment on the class of work the highway department has done in all of the counties of the division, but it is common knowledge here that the people of Lamb county enjoy the use of what are often referred to as the best dirt roads to be found in the state, and county officials of that county have done everything they could to cooperate with the highway department and according to the department engineers this cooperation has made it possible for them to conduct their work in the county along the most efficient lines possible.

The department is hampered in its work in many of the counties for the lack of cooperation on the part of the commissioners courts; but for these exceptions to the building program that is being carried out throughout Division Five, Lubbock would perhaps by this time be surrounded by a class of roads that would reflect well upon the progressiveness of our people, and would too save hundreds and thousands of dollars to the taxpayers.

## TURKISH COIN 620 YEARS OLD IS OWNED BY A LUBBOCK MAN

W. M. Forsey, of Lubbock is the possessor of perhaps the oldest money to be found in this section as a Turkish one cent piece which he exhibited at the Avantache office Wednesday was made in 1304, and during the six hundred and twenty years it has been in existence it has withstood the wear of exchange and practically all designs on it can be read easily.

One side of the ancient coin bears the date it was made, an engraving, and an inscription, while the opposite side bears designs that appear much like word signs in shorthand.

## Lynch Davidson Says Ku Klux Klan Is Doomed

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Before Lynch Davidson whose visit to Lubbock has been characterized by front page displays in the newspapers, declared that Texas has sounded the death knell of the Klan. Miss Sadie Davidson, his daughter accompanied him to Europe.

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENT MEET IN PORTALES

PORTALES, N. M., Sept. 3.—The little city of Portales, N. Mexico has been greatly honored by being the chosen location for the Annual Conference and Camp Meeting of the Seventh Day Adventists for New Mexico and West Texas.

This ten day session began the 18th and each day new arrivals come onto the ground which is a veritable oasis in the desert. The entire messengers sermon and song especially at the evening services are bringing large numbers from the city, many of whom are listening for the first time to the presentation of the Gospel by this people, and it is refreshing to hear praise of her missionary endeavor has been nothing short of a miracle in the eyes of those best informed along this line, but it is said the secret of their success lies in the fact that a tithe of all their possessions belongs to God, together with the fact that they believe Christ is to come in this generation, and that the gospel must reach every nation of earth before this event takes place, and this is why they have gone to 136 languages within the past fifty years while the larger and far more wealthy missions boards have not reached nearly so many people during the past 120 years.

This denomination is also known for its positive stand on the question of temperance; not only do they believe in abstaining from all intoxicating liquors, but they also believe their bodies to be "Temples of the Holy Ghost" and that it is wrong to put anything into their bodies which will in anyway destroy this living temple. So none of them use tobacco, or poisonous drugs of any kind, and most of them are vegetarians, and the dining arrangement under the direction of a competent cook prepares whole some food, without the use of either condiments or animal fat for those who attend these yearly gatherings.

Among more prominent recent arrivals are G. B. Thompson and H. B. Elliott of Washington, D. C. and G. F. Eichman and E. A. Pohle of Oklahoma City all of whom contributing much toward making this the most successful conference session ever held in this field.

## CLAN READ OUT OF DEMOCRACY AT STATE CONVENTION

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clared out of sympathy with the state and national bodies in their action toward the Klan was asked to resign. The executive committee will act on her case. Then came the resolution which made the titans, kliegles and dragons squirm about in their chairs as they listened attentively to what was considered to be the most scathing denunciation of the order passed by any state convention.

As the word un-American, un-Christian and un-democratic were read in criticism of the organization, scores of eyes were turned toward the direction where the klanmen were seated. No sound came from them.

"We call upon those who have joined this dangerous order through misinformation as to its real purpose to withdraw from the same and lend their aid to free the country from the strife and dissension which, as an insidious organization, it has aroused among the people," read the speaker.

The faces of a few were flushed, their eyes flashed, angrily, but they made no protest and the resolution was adopted. The convention adjourned shortly afterward sine die.

Mrs. Ferguson accompanied by her husband called on Governor Pat Neff in the governor's office at the state capitol, and had a twenty minute chat Wednesday afternoon.

"Governor Neff generously offered all possible assistance to my wife in clearing the path for her assumption of office," said Ferguson following the conference.

"I am sure his help will be a great advantage to Miriam."

"Ma" and "Farmer Jim" returned to their home in Temple shortly before dusk.

"We are poor farmers, and have a small cotton crop to take care of," Ferguson said. "And then, too, we have to get things in shape to return to Austin in a few weeks."

Mrs. Ferguson her right hand still bandaged as a result of too much hand shaking during her campaign said she was very tired and would be glad to be back home.

## Commissioners And C. of C. Members To Meet Soon

Commissioner Marvin T. Warlick returned to his home here the first of the week after having been absent from the city several days. Commissioner Warlick and other members of the commissioners court are expected to meet with a committee from the Chamber of Commerce in the near future to discuss the possibility of building a permanent building for the State Highway Department's equipment for Division No. 5 which has headquarters office in Lubbock.

This is an important business matter that the chamber of commerce and commissioners court representatives will discuss and keen interest is being shown in its outcome.

## FLYERS ARRIVE IN NOVA SCOTIA

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Kirkwell to Reykjavik and who will rejoin the flight on Thursday.

The arrival of Smith and Nelson at Pictou removed practically all doubt of the success of the globe circling flight. The journey from Pictou to Boston will be along a thickly populated shore line which is dotted with wireless stations and light houses. The route from Pictou will run northwest along the coast of Nova Scotia and across the isthmus of Chignecto, a narrow strip of land connecting Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. This short trip overland will be made without removing the pontoons with which the planes are fitted for alighting on water. Once across the isthmus the aviators will again fly over the waters, passing above Chignecto Bay and the roaring bay of Fundy to St. Louis where fuel is to be taken aboard.

Smith and Nelson hopped off from Hawkes Bay at 10:12 eastern standard time. The sky was overcast and cloudy, but there was good visibility and a favorable wind. About 100 miles from the take-off point, they were reported passing over the USS Milwaukee and then successively over the destroyers MacFarland, Harry and Coghlan.

At 2:15, as crowds gathered on the decks of the hill tops to see the birdmen come in, the Canadian navy's seaplane E. L. took the air to act as guide for the American planes on the last stage of the hop.

**Boston Hop Delayed.**  
BOSTON, Sept. 3.—The American round the world aviators will delay their hop to Boston from Pictou, N. S., until Friday, according to a message received at army headquarters here Wednesday evening from Lt. Lowell Smith, commander of the flight.

The message advised army officers here that a bar connecting the pontoons of one of the planes had been broken on the flight from Hawkes Bay, New Foundland, to Pictou Wednesday and that it would be necessary to remain in Pictou Thursday in order to make repairs.

## JURY FAVORS DEFT. IN ED F. MANN CASE HERE

In the case of Ed F. Mann vs. L. B. Wright, et al, which involved the title to a number of lots in the Overton addition to Lubbock, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendant here yesterday in the 72nd Judicial court.

The jury was out less than thirty minutes when it returned the verdict.

The court was busy throughout the remainder of Wednesday trying non-jury cases.

## AUGUST RECEIPTS OF CATTLE AND HOGS FALL OFF

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 3.—Receipts of cattle and hogs fell off sharply at Kansas City in the month of August. The movement of fat cattle to market got away to a late start this August compared with the record arrivals in the corresponding month in 1923, although September is normally the month of big receipts.

Receipts of cattle at Kansas City

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In August decreased 35 percent compared with August last year, and receipts of hogs decreased 32 percent. Chicago receipts of cattle were 12 percent less than a year ago, and the total at the five markets showed a decrease of 23 percent. Receipts of hogs at Chicago and the total at the five western markets were nearly 20 percent less than a year ago.

Early movement of ring lambs this year than last resulted in a 10 percent increase in August sheep receipts here.

Arrivals in the year to date are substantially behind the total in the same period in 1923 for cattle, hogs and sheep.

Demand for killing cattle was dull during most of the month and prices of all classes of fat steers except strictly choice yearlings declined 73 cents to \$1.25.

Hog prices kept within less than \$1 range, closing prices being 20 cents higher than a month ago. Kansas City receipts of cattle were 203,000, hogs, 231,300.

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Was there ever before any one so thoroughly and scientifically ignored by the republicans as Senator Lodge?

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## New Arrivals For Fall

Hodges Brothers have the pleasure of presenting a beautiful array of Autumn's newest apparel. Arrivals of Charmeen, Bengaline and silk dresses in fall modes await you at our store. You, visit here is sure to be well rewarded, for not only can you select models that look exceedingly smart, but the low prices are quite as attractive as the fashions themselves!

## Fall Millinery

A charming display of fall hats of felt, velvet and combinations awaits maily—these new fall conceptions will appeal to the dashing young woman as well as the matron. Reasonably priced.

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When we say Low Prices, we mean that every day in the week you will find our prices consistently low—quite a saving can be realized!

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**ORDER OF EASTERN STAR** meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. All members urged to be present. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Willie D. Brown, W. M., Mrs. Pharr, Secretary.

**ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEETING** First Saturday of every month. All members urged to be present. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Mittie Hilton, Recorder. 265-2.

**LUBBOCK CITY SCHOOLS** The fall examinations of the Lubbock City Schools will be held at the Junior High School Building, September 4th and 5th. All pupils who desire promotion or who are retained in one subject must take this examination. No other examination will be held. M. M. Dupree, Supt. 263-2.

**NOTICE**—To real Estate Men. My property is off market. Otis Taylor. 265-2p.

### WANTED

**WANTED**—A man to screen sand. L. Kershner Phone 678-J. 266-1p.

**EXPERIENCED**—Combination Bookkeeper and Stenographer wants a position in Lubbock. Address Miss M. 1108 Ave. O. City. 266-1p.

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**WANTED**—To buy Overland roadster or touring body, or will trade truck bed for either.

**WANTED**—To list every farm in Lubbock county that is for sale. J. M. Patterson Land Co. Broadway Hotel. 263-12p.

**WANTED**—to rent four or five room house close in. See T. L. Reddin at Elk Barber Shop. 265-4p.

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**FOR SALE**—At a bargain Beautiful new six room bungalow. Excellent location \$5,500—\$500 cash—\$50 per month. Phone 335. 266-1p.

**FOR SALE**—Ford Touring car in good condition. Priced right for quick sale. See Mr. Townsend at 1322 Ave. K. Phone 374. 266-1p.

**FOR SALE**—Six room furnished house close in. Phone 400. 265-2p.

**USED FORDS BOUGHT AND SOLD**—2 blocks South of Court house on Ave. H. Phone 430. C. N. Elmore. Ford Top. 264-26t.

**FOR SALE**—Two lots near K. Carter school, cheap for cash. Phone Grafa or Crowder. Phone 435 or write 206 Leader Bldg. 235-4t.

**FOR SALE**—Two corner lots near K. Carter School. Cheap for cash. West Texas Company. Phone 435. 254-4t.

**FOR SALE**—3 room house, small cash payment balance like rent if sold at once. Will take Ford car as part payment. S. J. Foster, Golden West Pressing Parlor, phone 855. 254-4t.

**FOR SALE**—Good six room house well located, modern conveniences, seventy-five foot front. See me at the Avalanche office. 252-4t.

**FOR SALE**—National Cash Registers, new and second hand. \$55 and up. E. E. Sanford, Box 495, Abilene Texas. 255-30p.

**FOR SALE**—Overland truck body. Apply at this office.

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9 rooms, 4 blocks of square, \$6,500 with \$1,200 cash.

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**FOR RENT**—Three unfurnished rooms within two blocks of G. M. Hunt school. 1816 Ave. N. 266-2p.

**FOR RENT**—To girls front bed room with light housekeeping privileges. Close in. 1562 Ave. I. Phone 384-M. 266-1p.

**FOR RENT**—One or two rooms, furnished or unfurnished. No children. 1906 14th Street. Two blocks from school. 266-4p.

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Two room house. Will sell furniture to renter, or rent unfurnished. 1813 Ave. G. 266-2p.

**FOR RENT**—Modern five room house near Junior high school \$35 per month. House now vacant. Phone 403. 266-1p.

**FOR RENT**—Good pasture close in. Call 282. 266-4p.

**FOR RENT**—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping 1924 13th Street. Phone 637. 265-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartments. Apply at Richards-Rubber Company. 265-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Two light-housekeeping rooms to adults only. Close in. Phone 88. 265-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished room, adjoining bath, to men only. Phone 628-J. 265-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Nice bedroom, adjoining bath, everything new. Close to K. Carter and Junior high schools. Gentlemen preferred. Phone 484-J. 1625 10th street.

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**FOR RENT**—Two nice bed rooms at 811 Ave. K. Price reasonable. Close in. 264-4t.

**FOR RENT**—3 room apartment. Close in on 13th. Phone 347. W. G. Carlisle 1627 Broadway. 264-3.

**FOR RENT**—Desk room in the Avalanche Building. Apply at Avalanche office.

**FOR RENT**—Two nice bed rooms at 811 Avenue K. Price reasonable. Close in. 263-6p.

**FOR RENT**—Front bed room, convenient to bath. 1626 10th street. 263-4t.

**FOR RENT**—Front bed room connecting with bath. Reference required 1918 9th Street Phone 455. 258-4t.

**FOR RENT**—or for sale. Homes new and modern. Phone 933. 214-4t.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**BABIES CARED FOR**—By the hour or day. 1914 10th Street. 264-3p.

**SAXOPHONE**—Clarinet and Cornet taken by R. E. Hamilton, 716 Ave. J. Phone 932. 264-6p.

**ROOM-AND BOARD**—1602 Avenue Q. Phone 625-M. 263-4p.

**SHELBY LAUNDRY**—Laundry call for and delivered. Phone 904. 263-4.

**I HAVE**—A splendid building site well located, seventy-five by 120, sidewalks in front one sewer and water line convenient to schools and churches. See Welton Winn at Avalanche office. 252-4t.

**FALL TERM STARTS MONDAY**, September 1st. Come in now and make arrangements to enter and receive the discount on Life Scholarships. Lubbock Business College. Phone 335. G. M. Witt, Pres. 251-4t.

**IF YOU**—Have property for sale list it with me. I have a number of buyers for homes and vacant property. Welton Winn at Avalanche office. 252-4t.

**LAUNDRY**—Call Waldrop Laundry. Phone 255. 250-26t.

### LOST AND FOUND

**LOST**—Stolen or Strayed, White bull dog. Bob tail with black spot over eye; also black spot on hip. Finder return to Jack Weatherford and receive reward 1210 13th Street. 266-3p.

**LOST**—Sunday night pair of spectacles gold ear pieces with tortoise rims. Frank Bowles. Phone 9013. 256-2.

**LOST**—Two log chains 15 feet long. One on 15th street, other in town. Finder return Avalanche and receive reward. 266-1p.

### 2,245 ARRESTS IN JULY BY FORT WORTH POLICE

By International News Service. FORT WORTH, Sept. 3.—With 2,245 arrests here during the month of July a new record for attendance at the city's holedry was established. Never before in the city's history has the police department been so active.

Traffic violators led the list followed by prohibition and game law violators.

### NOTICE TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH PLAINS AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors has called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Lubbock, county of Lubbock State of Texas, on the eighteenth day of November 1924, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "first mortgage" or by such other name as may be determined on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in such amount of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in payment or exchange for the indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads, and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and to provide for payment of such bonds or not tax free to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Lubbock, Whereas, by virtue of an execution and Fee Bill issued out of the Justice Court of Crosby County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 28th day of January A. D. 1924, in favor of Duplex Mill & Manufacturing Co. and against S. A. Oliver, No. 313 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I did on the 20th day of August A. D. 1924, at 3 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to S. A. Oliver to-wit: Lot No. 7 Block No. 25 old Town of Lubbock, on the 7th day of October 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 S. A. Oliver in and to said property.

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The State of Texas, Whereas, by virtue of an Order of sale issued out of the District Court of Lubbock County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 17th day of May A. D. 1924, in favor of J. H. Martin and against Hill Christian No. 1666 on the Docket of said Court, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I did on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1924, at 3 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Lubbock County, Texas, and belonging to Hill Christian to-wit: The Southwest one fourth (S. W. 1-4) of Survey No. twelve (12), in Block R-G, Lubbock County, Texas, which said land is located about two and one half miles south of Idalou, Texas, on the 7th day of October 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 Hill Christian in and to said property.

### SHORT LINE OF RAILROAD HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 3.—Construction of a 22-mile extension by the Rio-Grande City Railway on its line from Rio-Grande City to Sandford, Texas, has been authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington.

### ARKANSAS LADY SAYS MOTHER GAVE HER CARDUI AND SHE HAD NO MORE TROUBLE OF THIS KIND.

Lamar, Ark.—Mrs. Edith Semman, here, recently made the following statement describing her experience in the use of Cardui: "I had pain in my back and sides; had sick headaches and my nose would bleed. I couldn't sit up at all. "My mother gave me Cardui. I took about a half bottle and at this... I was able to get up and help with the work. Next time I took it again, and now, after taking two bottles, I do not have any trouble at all at this time. I gained, my skin cleared up, I am healthy and strong. "My mother took Cardui for a weak, run-down condition. It did her more good for weakness and nervousness than any medicine she has ever taken. She took six bottles in all. We recommend it and certainly know its worth. The foregoing is one out of thousands of statements which have been received from users of Cardui, the woman's tonic. If you are a sufferer from womanly ailments, try Cardui. It may be just what you need. At your dealer's."

### MARKETS

### BACK WASH CATCHES INDUSTRIALS FOR SLIGHT LOSS

By EDWARD J. CONDLON. NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Stock prices merely drifted in the mid-week market and at times the current was not strong. In fact the turnover of the list was even less than on previous days. However, the back wash caught several of the industrials, Colorado Fuel finishing nearly 3 points net lower, American Woolens more than 5 lower, Jones leather off 4, Associated Dry Goods off 4 and American Agricultural Chemical off more than 5 points.

There is some feeying in financial circles that political events of the past week or two have tended to shake the complacency with which a certain section of traders have regarded the presidential campaign. However, the outlook for world trade is such that it is extremely doubtful that politics can be injected into dealings in the stock market at this time. Railroad stocks held much steadier than the active industrials with the roads included in the proposed greater Nickel Plate system leading the Van-Norfolk and Western finished the strongest of the rail group, scoring a net advance of more than 2 1/2 points and entering new high ground on the movement. It is evident that buyers of rails are counting on greatly increased earnings statements of the carriers as soon as the crop movement gets under way in any volume.

Chicago Cash Grain. CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—Wheat No. 2 red \$1.27 3/4@1.28; 3 red \$1.26 1/2@1.27; No. 2 hard \$1.24@1.25 1/4; No. 3 \$1.22@1.24; corn No. 2 yellow \$1.19 1/2@1.21 1/2; No. 3 \$1.18 1/2@1.20 1/4; No. 4 \$1.19; No. 5 \$1.17 1/2@1.18; No. 6 \$1.16 1/2; No. 2 mixed \$1.19@1.2; No. 3 \$1.18@1.19; No. 5 \$1.14 1/2; No. 2 white \$1.19@1.20 1/2; No. 3 \$1.19; No. 4 \$1.18. Oats No. 3 white 46 3/4@47; No. 4 43 3/4@44; standards 41 1/4@42 1/2.

Further calling of funds by interior banks was noted. Call money in London, however, crossed the 3 per cent level. Bradstreet, in reporting bank clearings for August point out that the normal decrease from the July figures had been greatly cut down, while a heavy gain is reported in clearings compared with August 1923. The total bank clearings for 1924 ceteris paribus, reported as \$25,518,033,000, a gain of 20.9 per cent over August of last year, in the New York district the gain was 37.7 per cent. Compared with July clearings the decrease was 4.9 per cent. Data indicate a slight rise in wholesale prices, the advance over August 1 being 0.4 per cent. The rise in prices last month followed an advance of 1 1/2 per cent in July. The increase in August was due almost entirely to food stuffs, vice general declines in metals and garden products which more than offset the declines in clothing, metals and smaller groups.

Although call money did not attain the 3 per cent level reached Tuesday 2 1/2 per cent prevailed all day which argued in behalf of more conservative dealings.

LIVERPOOL COTTON. Month Jan. Mar. May Oct. Dec. Open 13.60 13.60 13.56 13.81 13.57 High 13.77 13.70 13.72 13.89 Low 13.55 13.57 13.56 13.75 Close 13.68 13.70 13.68 13.88 13.67 Y Case 13.78 13.79 13.76 14.01 13.78 Tone Quiet.

### NEW YORK COTTON

Month Jan. Mar. May Oct. Dec. Open 24.01 24.28 24.39 24.33 24.01 High 24.24 24.49 24.65 24.63 24.34 Low 23.92 24.25 24.38 24.30 23.99 Close 24.15 26.39 25.57 24.54 24.24 Y Case 24.06 24.33 24.48 24.41 24.08

### NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Month Jan. Mar. May Oct. Dec. Open 23.82 23.92 23.90 23.54 23.71 High 24.05 24.22 23.90 23.92 24.04 Low 23.75 23.92 23.90 23.50 23.89 Close 24.00 24.13 24.12 23.84 23.95 Y Case 23.90 24.11 24.12 23.70 23.84 Tone Steady.

### Fast Worth Livestock.

FT. WORTH, Sept. 3.—Cattle receipts 4,000; calves 2,300; hogs 1,000.

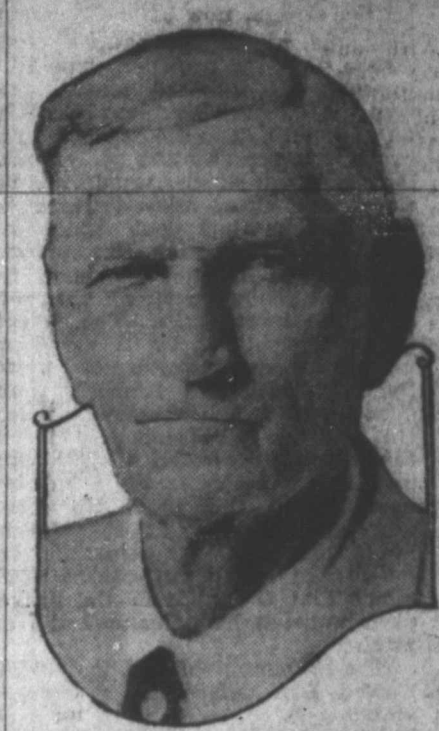
### PAINS IN BACK

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### Gains 15 Pounds In 16 Days on Karnak

Nothing worth while is easy. I am seventy-five years of age but Karnak has actually built me up 15 pounds in 16 days and made me feel like a brand new man," states Mr. Alf Beard, former marshal, deputy and Ranchman, who is now making his home at the Ritz Hotel, Ft. Worth, Texas.



"Last January, while managing the Joe St. Marys Ranch at Flynn in Leon County, I broke down so completely from stomach trouble and indigestion that I lost 30 pounds in two months and didn't have strength to saddle a horse," continued Mr. Beard. "I even went to Marlin Wells, but that didn't help me any. "I saw a statement about Karnak from a Houston man I knew and that started me taking the medicine. It has simply been a revelation. Three bottles have rid me of all my troubles, and I feel it my duty to tell others about it. "Karnak is sold in Lubbock by City Drug Store."

### Fashioned by Peggy Paige New York



### This Season--the Fabric really makes the dress!

No dullards will be contented by Dame Fashion in any of her best showings this season--her newest frocks are all fashioned from brilliant, shining satin-finished fabrics, both in silks and woolsens.

She is using shining, lustrous satins and crepe satins for her afternoon gowns--soft satiny charmeuse, marchon and the popular faille for clever all-occasion frocks. And she is developing the smartest of her street costumes in bengalines, black satin marocains and heavy silk ottomans.

You'll find, too, that she has presented these new fabrics in the most fascinating of styles--styles absolutely new and peculiarly adapted to the fabrics from which they are fashioned.

Frocks--short and trim for daytime, increasing in amplex as the hours pass--featuring the new tunic and interesting variations of the long sleeve. These are straight, flat tunics for the more tailored fabrics--short, puffy, flaring tunics for the softer silks. Silvers tight-fitting and tailored for failies and the popular corded silks--and soft and full, for the satins and satin crepes.

In no period in the history of clothes since the time of Eve has fabric played a more important role in styles. This season, when there is such simplicity in line and trim, the fabric really makes the dress.

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### CHARGES THAT REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE PAID EXPENSES COOLIDGE LABOR DAY CELEBRATION ARE DENIED

By RAYMOND CLAPPER.  
 WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Considerable stir has been caused here by the charge, now officially denied that the republican national committee paid the traveling and hotel expenses of the 115 labor men who called on President Coolidge on labor day. The matter was brought to the attention of Wm. Butler, chairman of the republican national committee who declared his organization had not authorized any expenditure for this purpose and that he had not known of the labor pilgrimage until he read of it in the newspapers. The delegation was mobilized by T. V. O'Connor, chairman of the United States Shipping Board and formerly president of the Longshoremen's union. He was the chief labor leader in the Harding campaign of four years ago, and is active in the republican cause again this year. No secret was made of the fact that O'Connor gathered up the delegation but no one in republican circles would admit that O'Connor or the national committee had financed the affair.

The account published in the Baltimore Sun democratic newspaper, stated that the men were even reimbursed for the working time lost by the trip to Washington.

Some union officials here said they had never heard of many listed in the labor delegation. One was found to be inspector on the Interstate Commerce commission though

he still holds his working card. Butler was asked for the facts at a conference of newspaper correspondents.

"I know nothing about the meeting until I read of it in the newspapers," he said. "But this organization has incurred no expense in that connection."

"Did Mr. O'Connor pay the expenses?" Butler was asked.

"I do not know," he replied.

"If he did pay the expenses, will the national committee reimburse him, or will he just be a good Samaritan for the cause?" the correspondents wrote the original dispatch asked.

"The national committee has no obligation to pay any such expense," Butler answered.

Otherwise all was serene at the white house and national committee headquarters.

Butler has just returned from a trip to Chicago and New York and he brought encouraging news with him to the white house on his morning call. He reported to the president that straw votes in the take in the west uniformly disclosed Coolidge leading and Davis running a poor third. Even in California, the rancors attending Hiram Johnston's demise as a presidential candidate seemed to have disappeared according to Butler's information. He predicts a sweeping victory there. Oregon, Utah and Idaho are safely in line and Colorado is more straggly republican than ever, Butler said.

Wm. T. Tilden II being indisputably the best.

Richards swept through the national tournament to the semi-finals rounds where he met Tilden and was vanquished after a classic fight. Johnston went all the way to the challenge round and met Tilden the day after the Tilden-Richards match. Tilden beat Little Bill far more easily than he had walloped Richards.

Therefore the crowds and the officials who drew up the national rankings were still uncertain whether Richards should rank above Johnston or vice versa. Richards won two sets from Tilden; Johnston won out in straight sets.

### WOMAN GOLF CHAMP LOSES TO KANSAS CITY GIRL

By United News.  
 NAYATT, R. I., Sept. 3.—Miss Colett's stock rose on her native heath in the battle for national golf honors when Miss Edith Cummings of Chicago present title holder succumbed to Miss Miriam Burns of Kansas City, after three extra holes Wednesday at the Rhode Island Country Club.

Miss Cummings lost on her inferior second shot. From the tee and around the runs she seldom made a skip. Miss Burns had to get the Oswego club girl's scalp, since the latter deprived her of his title so ignominiously a month ago. With two or three other exceptions, the contests were unusually one sided.

Miss Bernice Wall, Oshkosh, who has scored up above everything in the way of women's golf around Wisconsin, defeated Mrs. Henry Watson, Boston, one up.

The next closest match, but the best in many ways was that in which Miss Mary Browne, Los Angeles, former national tennis champion defeated Miss Louise Fordyce, Youngstown, 2 and 1. The latter has of late been supreme in Ohio golfing circles. Miss Browne has the spirit and skill but it is feared lacks endurance.

Mrs. Quentin Feitner, New York, seven times metropolitan titlist, disposed of Miss Virginia Wilson, Chicago's 18 year old bright light by 3 and 2, and the same margin was registered when Miss Audrey Faust, St. Louis retired Miss Elizabeth Gordon, of Providence.

Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, Philadelphia, veteran campaigner, brought out all the weaknesses of Miss Maudie Greut, New Jersey school girl, from Hawthorth, accentuated by faculty instruction, in beating her by 6 and 4.

Two of the vanquished were literally smothered. Mrs. E. E. Harwood, Chicago, by 9 and 7, and Mrs. Jack Renwick, New York, 8 and 6. Miss Collett allowed the latter to win just two holes, not one was halved, which Mrs. Clarence Vandenberg snuffed out the Olympic field new comer, who had to content herself with a couple of halved holes.

All the matches Thursday look promising especially those between Miss Browne and Miss Wall and Mrs. Hurd and Miss Burns.

Coxey, leader of Coxey's army is running for Congress now instead of walking as he once did.

### POLICE THINK GIRL BURGLAR SHIELDS HER LOVER

By United News.  
 LOS ANGELES, Sept. 3.—To shield a man she loves too greatly pretty Patricia Baird is in jail here as a confessed burglar.

Patricia, who is 19 and a blond beauty was found by police early Wednesday when they answered a alarm from an exclusive furrier shop. She lay on the floor with thousands of dollars worth of furs and silk dresses bundled in her arms.

A broken plate glass showed how she had entered.

Miss Baird said emphatically that she was a burglar and that she had smashed the window with the heel of her slipper. She said she had met a man late Tuesday night who had criticized her clothes.

"What about a little burglary job to get some more?" he had asked her and she had consented.

Patricia also admitted having had several drinks of whiskey and blamded that for her plight.

But police will not lend credulous ears to her story. She doesn't look like a criminal and doesn't act the part.

The way detectives interpret the occurrence Patricia is deserted by some man she had loved well enough to help in an intended robbery. The burglar alarm frightened him off, they believe, with thoughts only of his own safety.

### BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN IS BURIED AT CANYON

W. B. Atkins, local manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., returned to his home here Wednesday morning from Canyon, where he had been to attend the funeral of his brother T. R. R. Atkins, who died Sunday in an Amarillo sanitarium, while undergoing an operation.

Mr. Atkins was 58 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and four children. He was engaged in the furniture business at Canyon, and was a most highly respected and honored citizen of the city.



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### LA FOLLETTE STRENGTH IN WEST AND MIDDLE WEST MORE WORRY TO DAVIS THAN THREAT COOLIDGE LEADERSHIP

By United News.  
 CHICAGO, Sept. 3.—How to overcome the acknowledged LaFollette strength in the west and middle west, contributed the main problem considered Wednesday by John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate and his advisers.

Davis has been made fully aware of the situation and he must wage his present invasion of the west if he is to make any appreciable inroads into the LaFollette strength.

All reports reaching him through his conferences here, in advance of his starting Friday on a trip that will take him through the heart of the farm belt, indicate the independent ticket is far more formidable in this territory than the republican ticket, headed by President Coolidge.

This does not mean that all of the news reaching Davis has been bad news.

In fact, he was told Tuesday by Kansas, Missouri and Indiana leaders that these pivotal middle western states are in splendid shape from the democratic political standpoint.

In a handshaking session Wednesday night with George E. Brennan, democratic boss of Illinois, Davis embarked on a test voyage of the klan sentiment in the middle west. Chicago leaders feel that Davis has greatly improved his chances in the state as a result of his anti-klan declaration in Seagirt.

The democratic candidate, however, is planning his remaining speeches in this section with the west. His address at Omaha, in the home state of his running mate Gov. Charles Bryan is regarded by managers as of supreme importance because it deals with the democratic policies on farm relief. Despite a flood of callers Davis reported Wednesday night to have made considerable progress in writing his farm speech.

Among those who called upon him were representative Kunz and a delegation of Chicago Poles, Lithuanians, Jews and Irish. They all assured him of support from the various nationalities they represented.

The Indiana political situation was discussed at length with Davis

### TOURNEY TO DECIDE SECOND BEST IN SINGLES

By United News.  
 NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The men's national tennis tournament on the Forest Hills courts left just one important question for decision and that decision will be given Saturday afternoon when Vincent Richards and Little Bill Johnston meet for the first and only time this year in the annual East-West team championship show. This tournament is not considered very important in itself, but the match between Richards and Johnston will decide who is the next best singles player in the world.

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 Lv. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel 2:00 p. m.  
 Ar. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 3:35.  
 Ar. O'Donnell—Fritz Drug Store, 4:15.  
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 Lv. Lamesa—First State Bank, 8:00.  
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 Lv. Tahoka—Thomas Drug Store, 9:35.  
 Ar. Lubbock—Merrill Hotel, 10:45.  
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