

CISCO DAILY NEWS

EASTLAND CO.—Area 925 square miles; population 33,981; cotton, fruit, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; Cisco is headquarters for operators of the great shallow oil field; churches of all denominations.

CISCO, TEXAS—1,614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes of water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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TO DEMAND DEATH PENALTY FOR HILL

Oklahoma City Is Threatened by Another Big Gusher

RESIDENTS OF DISTRICT ORDERED OUT

Wild Well Only Half Mile From Main Business Area

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 19.—A huge gusher in the heart of the city's wholesale district poured thousands of barrels of inflammable petroleum and gas over the city today. Adjutant General Charles F. Barrett ordered 100 national guardsmen to patrol the area while extra crews attempted to control the well. The well is the No. 1 Wetaco of T. B. Slick Oil corporation. It blew out when operators attempted to put it on flow lines. The gusher is only 500 feet from the M. K. T. and Santa Fe railroad station and less than a half mile from the city hall and main business district. Factories and warehouses crowd about its tall derrick and fire in the well would turn it into a torch of destruction. Sheriff Stanley Rogers, who had charge of civil and military guards ordered the residents of the district to evacuate their homes immediately.

EX-SERVICE MEN INVITED TO MEETING

Ex-service men of the Cisco section are urged to attend a meeting to be held at the Cisco Legion hut under the auspices of the John William Butts post Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock for the purpose of securing a consensus of opinion among the ex-service men upon the proposed cash payment of adjusted service certificates. A vote upon whether or not the ex-service men desire cash payment of these certificates will be taken. This is being done all over the state and the results for the survey will be forwarded to the state department of the Legion so that it may act intelligently in the matter.

Percentage of City Tax Payments Larger

Payment of the city taxes has been satisfactory so far, according to City Secretary W. B. Statham, who said that the percentage of payments to date has been greater than for the same period last year. Indications are, said Mr. Statham, that "hard times" are not as real as they are talked.

TO FILM CARAVAN

AMARILLO, Jan. 19.—Thirty teams of mules, 200 horses and 200 Indians will be used by the Intra-State Productions and Amusement company in making a picture "The Trek of the Titans" at the Harding ranch in Palo Duro canyon. A month will be required to film the large scenes.

MANY INJURED IN COLLISION OF TWO TRAINS

BOSTON, Jan. 19.—More than a score of passengers were injured today, at least two seriously, in a collision between an express train and a local on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, at Readville. The accident occurred during a heavy snowfall which railroad authorities suggested might have been responsible for the crash. A man and a woman were seriously injured. They were taken to a hospital in an ambulance. About 24 other persons, it was reported, suffered less serious injuries and were taken in to the nearby plant of the England Red Spring company.

Today Is 124th Anniversary of Birth of Robert E. Lee, Hero of the South

Today is the 124th anniversary of the birth of the South's great hero, Robert E. Lee, gallant soldier and great general, beloved by his soldiers and countrymen—a man whose name stirs the hearts even of children with ideals of bravery, kindness, and devotion to a cause he earnestly believed right. Robert E. Lee was born in Westmoreland county, Virginia, January 19, 1807, the youngest son of "Light Horse" Harry Lee, noted figure of the Revolution and personal friend of General George Washington. After graduation from the United States Military Academy, he was assigned duty in the campaign to Chihuahua, even then winning commendation from his superiors by communicating instructions to a squadron, separated from the main forces during the battle, after seven other officers had failed to break through. The incident was reported by the commanding officer as being, "the greatest feat of physical and moral courage performed by any individual in my knowledge in the impending campaign."

Head of Academy In 1852, Lee was made superintendent of the United States Military Academy, and later given command of a regiment for the protection of the frontier of Texas against the Indians. In 1859, while on leave of absence in Virginia, he assisted in the suppression of the John Brown raid, and shortly after his return to Texas, resigned from the United States army April 25, 1861. His resignation was a crucial test for Lee's devotion to principle. Forced to sever friendships, break up customs and manners and thoughts—it was a test to be fully realized only by a West Pointer, yet Lee could not smother the cry of his native state, he called to her sons to defend her. His offer of service to the South was accepted, and he was appointed to chief command of the forces with the stupendous task of raising and organizing troops, forming a navy, and building arsenals armor-

ies foundries, manufactories and supply stations. "The South lacks men, but it has leaders," the North admitted. Throughout the entire war, Lee worked with his soldiers, directing and personally leading them, sharing with them the poor rations and equipment, assuming the responsibility for mistakes of inferior officers and the criticism therefrom, yet always commanding the respect and love of his men. He was the South's one hope of victory—he and his staff of brilliant officers. After the war, while Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, was in prison and Lee on parole, both men were indicted for treason. General Grant interceded in the case of Lee and he was summoned before a grand jury, the purpose being to exonerate Lee by proving to him that Davis was responsible for his actions. Lee's answer was that he had consulted with President Davis at all possible times and that they had always agreed after the discussion, so that he had done only what he might have done in the first place and he accepted full responsibility for his acts—this in the face of his own indictment for treason, which threatened to carry with it an odious punishment. But this is only another indication of the stalwart character, so loyal to truth and honor. In memory of such a man—and there were others, too, who gave their possessions, their sons, their lives for their states and their principles they believed right, and who suffered and worked during the long period of recovery—in memory of these, the great organization, the United Daughters of the Confederacy was begun with purposes of caring for the veterans and their families, securing pensions, building homes for them. Mrs. A. J. Olson is president of the Cisco chapter, an organization which takes prominent part in all programs for the betterment and improvement of the city.

SCHOOLS END FIRST HALF OF SESSION

Examinations Under Way This Week; New Semester Mon.

Both the high school and Randolph college are holding examinations ending the first semester this week. The examinations at the college are already under way. The second semester of the school will begin Monday, January 25 and a number of new students are expected at that time. Dr. John Tyndall, dean of the Bible college, will be here at that time to take up his duties. Examinations will begin at the high school tomorrow. They will last through Friday and the second semester will begin Monday. Athletic contests at the high school have been suspended during the examination period. A scheduled basket ball game between the Lobos and the Eastland Mavericks Tuesday evening at Eastland was postponed out the game between the Lobos and the Albany quintet will be played Friday evening here as scheduled.

Plans for Army Airship Complete

DETROIT, Jan. 19.—Plans for the 500-foot aluminum dirigible which congress is expected to authorize for the army, are practically completed in the Aircraft Development corporation laboratories here. The project will be the first attempt to construct a large dirigible entirely of metal. Its feasibility was proven by the success of the small metal-clad ship built here for the Navy. According to latest available statistics, the Navy ship has flown more than 12,000 miles without a mishap during the last 15 months. The Army ship will be 550 feet long, will weigh 75 tons empty, and when filled with helium will have a lifting capacity of 115 tons. Approximately 3,800,000 cubic feet of helium will be used and it will have a crew of 40 men. Its maximum speed will be 100 miles an hour, the highest ever attained by a lighter-than-air ship.

JOHNSON IS DENIED BOND IN SLAYING

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 19.—The father killer of a young tailor's assistant who is said to have been attentive to the slayer's daughter waived preliminary hearing today and was denied bond and bound over to the grand jury for action. A. B. Johnson, 40, charged with the murder of O. L. Adams, 22, waived the hearing but Justice B. H. Wiley, for his own information, heard the testimony of the two eyewitnesses to the slaying, J. P. Collier and C. J. Troscelar.

Search Started for Motorship Survivors

SUVA, Fiji Islands, Jan. 19.—Search started today for survivors of the motorship Sitaram, reported foundered off the northern coast of Vita Levu island. Although details of the accident were lacking, it was believed several of the passengers had lost their lives.

"FLYING TEXAS RANGER" PATROLS PRAIRIES FOR OUTLAW BANDITS FROM COCKPIT OF PLANE

DEL RIO, Jan. 19.—Outlaw bands in the Big Bend country are learning new methods of seclusion with the coming of Sgt. Archie Miller, the modern "flying Texas Ranger," and his menacing airplane. Stalking trails over rough and mountainous areas horseback is passe so far as Sgt. Miller is concerned. The Ranger patrols his territory daily from the air, and subsequently, cattle theft and ranch raids are becoming less numerous. Ranchmen of the Big Bend country have suffered severe losses during past years from outlaw invasions, many of them receiving death threats for interference. State Rangers have been stationed at strategic points throughout the region in an effort to stem the crime. Because of its nearness to the Mexican border and the sparsely settled section, difficulty is experienced in tracking and capturing the thieves. Miller thinks his airplane is the logical solution to the problem. He is the only flying Ranger on the Rio Grande border.

75,000 Go Back to Work at Ford Factory



Detroit's industrial army, idle for a long time while automobile production lagged, returned to the firing line when leading factories announced resumption of production schedules. This photograph shows the main body of the returning workers at the Ford Motor company plant at River Rouge. Thousands of men stood for hours in a heavy snow storm, waiting for the gates to open; eventually more than 75,000 had been given jobs, for which the payroll will be \$600,000 a day. Other factories also took on workers, and a total of 200,000 men are estimated to have obtained work in the Detroit industrial area.

INCENDIARISM SUSPECTED IN CAPITOL FIRE

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 19.—Investigation to determine whether fire, which swept the Michigan state capitol shortly after midnight, may have been of incendiary origin was begun today by state police. The blaze, which swept portions of the second and third floors of the historic building, caused damage estimated at \$50,000. Civil war relics of great historical value were reported destroyed in the ground floor museum. Discovery that an attempt had been made to break into the office of the attorney-general on the second floor aroused the suspicion of incendiarism. Fresh "jimmy" marks were found on the door of the attorney-general's office by George Webber, a fire truck driver, and clear fingerprints were on the door frame just below an open transom, police said. LANSING, Mich., Jan. 19.—Fire which started in an elevator shaft threatened to destroy the historic Michigan state capitol early today and caused damage estimated at \$75,000. At an early hour the flames, which were discovered soon after midnight, were under control, and a check was being made to see if any valuable documents had been destroyed.

"Hard Times" Boost School Enrollments

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—Increase in enrollment at the University of Texas and higher educational institutions was attributed to the economic depression by E. J. Matthews, university registrar. "Lack of employment at home for those who wish it is partly responsible for many young men and women entering school. Many parents prefer that their sons and daughters attend college rather than remain idle at home," declared Matthews. Registration for the second semester at the University of Texas begins February 2.

Manager Denies He "Enslaved" Twins

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 19.—Myer Myers, manager of Violet and Dorothy Hilton, Siamese twins, today denied in 94th district court that he had kept the girls in "virtual slavery" or that he had misused funds belonging to them. The twins are seeking an injunction restraining him from interfering with their affairs, and demand an accounting of the funds.

"Deaf and Dumb" Vagrant "Cured"

A "deaf and dumb" mendicant was completely and quickly cured of his ailments by Cisco police last night after Police Chief W. M. Miller had arrested him on a vagrancy charge at the Depot cafe where he was bumming a meal. The man, young and able-bodied, aroused the suspicion of the chief who turned him over to Officer Gustafson for investigation. It took the officer only a few minutes to "cure" the prisoner of his affliction and the corporation court this morning placed him on treatment at the city work camp. It developed that the man had been successful with his ruse in a number of places, securing \$5 from the Red Cross at Albany just before coming to Cisco.

Ask Park Fund of Lawmakers

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—To establish and maintain four state parks in Texas with 100,000 acres, the 42nd legislature will be asked for an appropriation of \$1,250,000. D. E. Colp of San Antonio, chairman of the state park board for the last six years without salary, is one of the chief proponents of the proposed legislation asking the appropriation. He has circled the state inducing private individuals to contribute their lands gratis for state parks. The appropriation asked would provide four tracts, the largest of which is Palo Duro Canyon Park, 40,000 acres. The remaining three are Davis Mountain Park, 20,400 acres; Guadalupe Mountains and Carlsbad Cave Park, 39,000 acres; and Caddo Lake Park on the Texas-Louisiana line, 10,000 acres. Much of the land has been offered free to the state. Opinions have been taken on lands in Palo Duro Canyon for 105,000 acres to insure selection at a reasonable expense. Texas owns the bed of Caddo lake and the federal government owns it on the Louisiana side. Adjacent lands would probably have to be purchased. Texas now has 42 state parks which have been donated. Fifty-three sites have been tendered, of which 11 have reverted to owners through refusal of the state to accept them.

SHIRO BANK IS ROBBED BY BURGLARS

SHIRO, Texas.—The Farmers State bank here was robbed of \$477 early today. E. R. Thomas, cashier, discovered this morning when he opened the bank for business. Entry to the bank had been secured through a back window, Thomas reported. The vault door was standing open and money was scattered all over the floor. The vault was opened by the combination," Thomas said. Clues did not reveal whether the robbery was committed by a lone bandit or by several. Approximately \$4,000 was apparently overlooked by the robber. Officers of Grimes county and surrounding counties were seeking the bandits, who seemed to have taken refuge in Houston.

STATE BOND ISSUE BEFORE LEGISLATURE

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—Senator Walter Woodul, of Houston today offered a resolution in the Texas legislature for submission to popular vote of a \$200,000,000 state road bond issue. Of the \$200,000,000 the resolution proposes \$90,000,000 shall go to refund counties and road districts for expenditures they have made on the state road system. The state bonds are to be retired by a tax on motor fuels. Woodul also offered an alternating proposal authorizing the state to refund the \$90,000,000 by tax on motor fuel without the issuance of the state bonds.

Mrs. Uhr's Trial Opens at Santone

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 19.—With the state demanding the death penalty, trial of Mrs. Clara Uhr, on charges of murdering her husband, Daniel H. Uhr, bed-ridden paralytic, for his \$500 insurance, began here today. Mrs. Uhr was indicted with Donald Walker and Lexia Jones, Fort Sam Houston soldiers.

BUILD PUMP STATION

LONGVIEW, Jan. 19.—Purchase of a 21-acre plot on the outskirts of the city for the site of a pump station has been completed here by the Humble Pipe Line company of Houston. Contingents for 20 employees are to be built on the site. Work is to begin immediately.

MILLER AND DEPUTY GO TO EL PASO

Recaptured Bandit Faces Four Capital Charges

Armed with a bench warrant issued by Judge Elzo Been of the 88th district court at Eastland this morning Chief of Police W. M. Miller, of this city, and Deputy Sheriff Steele Hill, of Eastland, left this afternoon for El Paso to return Robert Hill, last member of the Cisco "Santa Claus" bank bandit gang, which robbed the First National bank here December 23, 1927, to this county to stand trial on four charges. Hill was captured at El Paso last night by El Paso officers as he was attempting to cross the international bridge into Juarez. He escaped from the state penitentiary about 16 months ago and has since been at liberty in spite of the attempts of officers to locate him. To Demand Death According to County Attorney Joe H. Jones, of Eastland, four capital charges against Hill will be pushed and the death penalty demanded. Hill, the county attorney stated, has violated solemn pledges made to the jury and the court when he was arraigned with other members of his gang, since dead, one by legal execution and the other by an infuriated mob, a few weeks after the robbery here was committed. At that trial, the county attorney said, Hill promised the jury that if given a 99-year sentence he would accept it and serve his term as a model prisoner but since being incarcerated at the penitentiary he had escaped three times. Hill faces four indictments on capital charges at Eastland, the county attorney said, one for the murder of G. E. Bedford, Cisco police chief, slain during the robbery of the bank, another for the murder of George Carmichael, Cisco police officer, likewise slain during the raid, a third in connection with a hijacking and a fourth which the county attorney could not remember. Miller and Hill left this afternoon by automobile for El Paso.

HILL CAPTURED ON BRIDGE

EL PASO, Jan. 19.—Robert Hill, alias Bobbie Catcher, last of the "Santa Claus" bank robbers who held up a bank at Cisco, Texas, on Dec. 23, 1927, was captured here last night by El Paso officers as he started across the international bridge over the Rio Grande from El Paso to Juarez, Mexico. Officers said Hill had been in El Paso about 15 days. He was disarmed and in one of his pockets was found a black mask. Hill escaped Sept. 26, 1929, from the Wynn State Prison Farm, where he was serving 99-year sentence for robbery with firearms, assessed him in Eastland county upon conviction of participation in the Cisco bank holdup.

Auto Owner and Thief Liked Fires

FALL RIVER, Mass., Jan. 19.—Alexander Fozzard of this city didn't get downhearted when someone stole his automobile here recently, and liking to watch fires, he went to a dwelling house fire a few hours after the theft. By a coincidence, the thief also liked to watch fire, and Fozzard's first car and robber near the burning building.

POSTMISTRESS RESIGNS

NACOGA, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Cora E. Annon has resigned after 35 years as postmistress here. She is in ill health.

WEATHER

West Texas: Fair tonight and Tuesday, not much change in temperature. East Texas: Fair tonight and Tuesday except unsettled in the lower Rio Grande valley, probably frost tonight in the north and east portions and near coast.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

TRUTH MAKES FREE—Then said Jesus, If ye continue in my word, then are ye yet my disciples indeed; and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—John 8:31, 32.

PRAYER—O Lord, our God, make us eager for thy liberating truth.

SPEAKING OF THE TENANCY PROBLEM.

According to the Texas Weekly "an economic awakening is on in Texas." Peter Molyneux is the editor and publisher of the Weekly. His theory is that the farm landlord must play an important part in economic advance of Texas "if we are going to have anything like economic advance and if we are going to have any very material improvement in agriculture." The English of this is, according to Editor Molyneux, "landlord and tenant must prosper together."

This is a noble editorial utterance for another experiment. He predicts that the farm landlord who is merely the owner of farm lands is destined to pass out of the picture. If so in this machine age, isn't it possible that his tenants will pass out of the picture with the passing of the landlord? Editor Molyneux has been reading up a bit. He has made the discovery that there are 19 states in the union in which less than 20 per cent of the farmers are tenants and there are 34 in which less than 40 per cent are tenants. Not one of them grows much if any cotton.

There are eight states in the union in which more than 50 per cent of the farmers are tenants and they are Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina—the states which produce the bulk of American cotton. All this reminds the editor of Texas Weekly that "the farm landlords of Texas have about a billion and a half dollars invested in Texas agriculture." He again warns them "if they are going to realize on that enormous investment they will have to play their part in agricultural advance and all practicable plans for agricultural advance must reckon them as an important factor."

There are farm leaders on the roster of the Texas house of representatives. There are spokesmen for senatorial districts which are agricultural districts. "What are they going to do about it?" It is the dictum of Editor Molyneux that if the farm landlords "had all their state taxes remitted it would not help them much." It is for the farmer lawmakers to make answer to the economics guide of Texas Weekly. They are grinding and they will continue to grind until the open season for the blossoming of May flowers is ushered in. There are tax experts on both sides of the legislative fence.

A NEW YORK BANKER IS VERY OPTIMISTIC.

It goes without saying that when a banker becomes optimistic the lights must be rosy on the financial horizon. Albert H. Wiggin, chairman of the governing board of the Chase National bank of New York, told the shareholders in his annual report that the next important move in business would be "upward." He asserted collective efforts to maintain prosperity by such means as easy money and rigid maintenance of prices and wages have prolonged and not alleviated the depression by delaying the necessary readjustment. He asserted the tight money of 1921 necessitated quick readjustment and haste in recovery from the previous depression. His viewpoint is "we are approximately at the worst of the depression." He expressed confidence that the credit fabric is strong enough to stand any additional strain "which continuance of the depression may impose upon it" and, bluntly said nothing is to be gained by concealing unfavorable factors.

He ventured the opinion that conditions at the end of 1931 will be a good deal better than they were at the end of 1930. He outlined a program for the congress and the president. He is thoroughly convinced that it would be good business for the administration to initiate a reduction in inter-allied debts; a modification of the tariff; and advocated to promote security market stability, reduction in the capital gains tax from 12 1/2 to 7 1/2 per cent. He believes in the advantages of restricted production in special circumstances. Albert H. Wiggin is a close-mouthed individual. He speaks for one of the greatest banks of America. He is looked upon as "the Sphinx" by his financial brothers. As for the business depression impediments in international trade through excessive traffic and other restricted policies is described by "the Sphinx" as the first of the causes of the crash which came upon the country. This should be pleasing news to the old guard republican leaders who made the Hawley-Smoot tariff and the president who signed it.

WHIPPING POST FOR CRIMINALS.

Little Delaware knows how to handle incorrigible criminals of the desperate type. In little Delaware the whipping post is a stern deterrent to crime. Five desperate criminals convicted of larceny were marched out into the courthouse of New Castle county and publicly whipped, in accordance with the law and sentence of the court. A cat-o'-nine-tails in other words, a bull whip, was laid on the bare back, carefully so as not to break the skin. This is rank humiliation to a criminal. It makes him lose caste in his own society and keeps him out of Delaware. At least this is the verdict of Delaware lawmakers, courts, law officers and jurors.

Why shouldn't the desperate criminal be whipped? Condemned criminals are sent to the electric chair and the electric chair execution is said to be most terrible of all punishment inflicted by the law. In the good old days of the west, in the mining camps of Mexico and the Rocky Mountain and Pacific coast states, vigilantes handled the desperate criminals of the period. Modera writers call it the law of the jungle. Maybe so but it worked in mining camps. There was no mercy shown to the guilty. A tree, a rope, a lift, a plunge downward and the undertaker did the rest. It was a barbarous custom no doubt in a wild age in a wild land but

the sacredness of human life had to be protected and property rights guarded.

OTHER OPINIONS

THE MELLOWED MR. MENCKEN

Many of his admirers will be pleased to note that H. L. Menck-en is mellowing a bit under the influence of domesticity. He does not at all agree with Sinclair Lewis' speech in Sweden implying that the artist has no chance in America. He knows that we are getting broader every day. Whitman he says, living today, would not have had any trouble finding a publisher. He is even sure that the academic critics and purists are honest in their way. Even though they are still against Lewis and Dreiser, he thinks the effect good, and as far as their reading public is concerned these novelists have nothing of which to com-

plain. This America is not so bad after all.

Of course it is not. Mr. Menck-en enlivens us with slashing comments on government and politics and he does not find himself in jail as he would have under the Communism of Russia, the Fascism of Italy, the dictatorship of various other countries. England and the United States may have some queer ideas about the proprieties but they have some fairly sound ones about intellectual liberty. Critics may rave but on the whole those among us who jeer at the "sacred things" are in no danger of prison.

Mr. Mencken has changed, mellowed, become more tolerant, which may be one of the advantages of the heartstone.

—Edinburg Review.

Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

E. P. Chase, publisher of the Atlantic (Iowa) News-Telegraph, says:

That real community work consists of each individual business in the community doing its utmost to so serve its customers that they will go out and spread the gospel of that community.

The reputation of a town in its territory, in the last analysis, is determined by the manner in which each individual business man conducts his business. The manner in which the customer of each business is served, the quality of merchandise or service they purchase, and the general atmosphere of progress about these individual establishments determine the attitude of the public toward that town.

A customer who is well treated and well served with good merchandise or service at a honest price is apt to think the town a good place to come to buy. A customer, on the other hand, who is not so well served and who buys merchandise and service of doubtful quality and pays a price out of joint with that quality, will not be an advertiser for that town.

A good deal of wasted effort is expended in so-called booster work. The concerted effort of the people of the community to boost their town is commendable and will get results, but much of this effort, is expended on those things which are of no moment and this sort of effort does not produce results.

In the summing up, each individual business man and the individual citizen have it within their power to make or mar the community in which they live.

Fred I. Massengill, publisher of the Terrell (Texas) Daily Tribune, says:

That humanity is quick to see mistakes, comment upon them at length, and at the same time slow to give praise or to notice good points and give praise. This is an axiom, a well-known truth and no one knows it better than the newspaper man who has spent but few years in the business.

The letters "i" and "e" are transposed in the word "received" or the word "smell" is used in place of the word "well" through a typographical error. The mistakes will be noted before the paper has been off the press 20 minutes and a wise-all will inform you that you should go to a night school. Some will even go to the trouble to call you up and inform you that you used the initials "J. L." when they should have been "L. J."—proud of the fact they have made such a wonderful discovery and ignoring the fact that the initials of two hundred other people are correct.

Several years ago the leading editorial in the Tribune was on the death of the Queen mother of England. A clipping bureau got hold of the editorial and sent it same to the King of England. As a result, the Tribune received a letter from His Majesty, just a few lines, of course, by his secretary, stating that the editorial had greatly pleased the King, and his thanks were conveyed to the Tribune. We were a little proud of the crowned head, and under a nice heading, published the letter on the front page of the Tribune.

Now comes the point, proving people are slow to praise, but ready to criticize. Not one reader offered a word of felicitation or even mentioned the editorial or the letter from His Majesty, that they were proud to see their hometown paper had been signally honored.

This is not written in a spirit of cynicism, not in the least, but merely as a proof of the proposition that humanity is prone to criticize, enjoys it, in fact, and is slow to give praise, doing it with evident reluctance, and that

the newspaper man knows it best of all, conscious of the fact by experience that the writer of inspiration was truly correct when he wrote those words about humanity being fearfully and wonderfully made.

Shoe Dealers Meet National in Scope

FT WORTH, Jan. 19.—Because of the advantageous economic situation in the southwest, the convention of Oklahoma and Texas shoe dealers here February 9 to 11, is attracting national attention according to the committee planning the conclave.

About 2,000 representatives of wholesale and retail shoe business in the two states are expected to attend the convention. Manufacturers of the north and east are looking to the southwest, the committee asserted, to better buying and better selling in 1931.

CHISELS HERO'S MONUMENT

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 19.—Louis Rodriguez, San Antonio sculptor who once sold newspapers and shined shoes here, is working on a bronze bust of Deaf Smith, hero of the Texas revolution. The image will be used as a marker for the patriot's grave at Richmond.

SCHOOL GETS RARE PAPERS

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—Originals of the commencement programs of the University of Texas from 1884 through August, 1927, have been presented to the university board of regents by Dean T. U. Taylor of the College of Engineering. Dean Taylor has spent more than two decades in collecting these documents, many of which were extremely rare.

MOTHER PAYS FOR CRIME

EL PASO, Jan. 19.—Baselisa Rodriguez, 23, unmarried mother convicted of burning her daughter, Lucia, to death, has been transferred from the county jail to the state penitentiary where she will serve five years for the crime.

KILL 1500 DEER

LLANO, Jan. 19.—S. S. Smith, local game warden, says that 1500 deer were killed in this area during the hunting season just ended.

"LEOPARD" TRIAL SET

OLTON, Jan. 19.—Charles Howard, trainer of the circus leopard which fatally clawed James Evans, 4, in a Littlefield store a few weeks ago, will be tried here beginning February 2 on charges of negligent homicide.

TRUCK SENDS GENERAL ALARM

ATLANTA—A general fire alarm was turned in accidentally by O. E. Hutchinson here when he drove his dairy truck into a fire signal box. Five department units came from all directions. So did the police, and charged Hutchinson with reckless driving.

JEWELRY SHOWS INCREASE

WASHINGTON—Jewelry manufacturers realized a 1.1 per cent increase on the value of their products during 1929, as compared with 1927, Census Bureau figures revealed. The value of jewelry made in 1929 amounted to \$157,969,134 as against \$156,270,642 reported for 1927.

GIFTS SAVE OLD CHURCH

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y. — The historic School Baptist church, built at Slate Hill in 1792, is assured of future care by virtue of gifts. A movement begun several months ago to raise funds resulted in the collection of more than \$3,000 for its upkeep.

FIRST VISIT IN 9 YEARS

SHELBYVILLE, Ind. — George Lee, 70, railroad crossing watchman, has retired after years of service and he will go downtown for the first time in nine years. Lee has worked 12 hours a day seven days a week since 1921 and he has never seen the new city hall which was erected several years ago a few blocks from his home.

SKATERS WARNED OF ICE

WASHINGTON — Skaters are advised by the American Red Cross to "know their ice" before they participate in this winter sport. A statement of the director of the life saving service warns that four-inch ice is the only kind safe for general skating purposes.

COUNTY REMOVES PHONES

WASHINGTON, Ind. — All the telephones except one each in the jail and poor farm have been removed from Davis county office because insufficient funds were appropriated. The city government here is one of the few in the county which has no debts.

HIGH SCHOOL A. A. U. MEET AT PLAINVIEW

DALLAS, Jan. 19.—Following the work already begun with respect to A. A. U. tournament this spring the local office of the Southern A. A. U. has announced the setting of the dates for the Texas high school girls tournament and the dates of the southern open girls A. A. U. tournament.

The Southern tournament has been awarded to Shreveport this year and will be played March 3 to 8. Invitations to this tournament have been mailed directly from the office of Mr. Grover Thames at Shreveport. Several teams in this section have already registered for this tournament and others had indicated that they would do so immediately. Mr. Thames, however, is not entirely familiar with the names and addresses of all the teams in this section eligible to enter this tournament and wishes to urge all teams interested in entering the tournament to inquire directly from the office of Mr. Grover Thames, city of Shreveport, for complete information in regard to the tournament.

One of the most interesting A. A. U. tournament each year has been the Texas high school girls A. A. U. tournament. Last year this tournament was held in Celeste, Texas. However, due to the enthusiastic interest of teams from west Texas and to the attractive locations from the chamber of commerce at Plainview, Texas, the tournament this year will be held in that city on March 12, 13, 14. A committee of business men from Plainview chamber of commerce will be in charge of all accommodations for visitors. Splendid trophies will be given and plans are under way to care for all visitors in a comfortable way. Complete information may be had by writing directly to the secretary of the chamber of commerce at Plainview. Teams may be registered at the same place or with the secretary of Texas division A. A. U. 403 city hall, Dallas, Texas.

Teams in south, central and east Texas are urged to enter their teams in this tournament at their earliest convenience as applications are already being received from west Texas schools in large numbers, and though it is the earnest desire of Plainview that as many teams as possible from this section be entered, limitations on the number of entries make it necessary that applications be filed early. All girls high school basketball teams in the state are cordially invited to enter.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF EASTLAND. To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of George E. Limmroth, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of George E. Limmroth, deceased, late of Eastland County, Texas, by C. L. Garrett, County Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 29th day of December, 1930, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his office in the Spencer Building in this city of Cisco, in Eastland County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This the 16th day of January, A. D. 1931.

F. A. BLANKENBECKLER, Administrator of the Estate of George E. Limmroth, Deceased.

ADMIRAL IS DEER SLAYER

CORPUS CHRISTI, Jan. 19.—Read Admiral Al Mertz, retired naval officer, who has been spending his winters here every year since his retirement 17 years ago has a record book showing that he killed 12,840 head of game in 50 years of hunting in all parts of the world.

DENIES SUICIDE

DEL RIO, Jan. 19.—Contending that her husband, C. P. Scales, former banker, did not commit suicide, Mrs. Marion Foster Scales, his widow, has filed suits in district court here for the collection of insurance policies totaling \$100,000.

Haskell — Preliminary survey work started on highway leading west to Haskell county.

Million Eyes Watch Europe as Volunteer Spies Send Information Back to Russia

By RALPH HEINZEN
United Press Staff Correspondent
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PARIS, Jan. 19.—Intelligence men throughout Europe credit Russia with the most efficient espionage service, and refer with admiration to the "Eye of Moscow."

These "eyes" are Communists. They live for a cause. Few of them are the sort of "professionals" engaged by European governments. Most of them are private citizens, who see in Communism the salvation of the workers of the world. They report to their local organization, and these in turn report to central offices.

Million Eyes. It has been said that "Moscow watches the world go round through a million eyes," and police in Balkanic Europe are inclined to believe that is not much of an over-estimate. Recent hauls by Rumanian and Bulgarian police have netted many Communist spies, while Latvia and Finland during the past summer showed as many more over the frontier.

Every Communist, regardless of nationality, is an enthusiastic "eye of Moscow." The archives of Communist organizations are crammed with information of every sort which these voluntary spies furnish and which will take years to classify. This spying is in every field, commercial, industrial, military, diplomatic, religious and personal.

The spies in the active employ of the Russian government are a very small proportion. Russia needs fewer "professionals" than most other powers. There are Polish, French, German, British, Balkan and Italian spies.

Spy Prosperity.

The Balkans are overrun with spies. There are so many that they bring a certain prosperity to the country. Some spend their days and nights spying, others spy on the spies. All are freespenders and they work in bands which are difficult to hide from the eyes of the police. In all the countries of Europe, Communists have filtered into national administrations, post offices, armies, navies, mines and factories. Communists have their fingers on the pulse of Europe.

Not long ago, Maurice Laporte, founder of the famed Communist Youth organization around Europe, broke with Moscow and published a book in which he "exposed" the underside of the spy system. In his book, he declared that a few hours after the French, British, German or other army is furnished with a new rifle, a new style of marching shoe, a novel cannon or a new type of airplane, a report is on its way through channels back to a foreign capital.

In factories spies watch chemists and engineers and give detailed reports of new secret processes of manufacture, formulae for steel al-

loys, production costs and market conditions.

Bag of Documents.

Not long ago French police seized a bag filled with documents destined for Moscow from agents in western Europe. The bag was simply marked: "For Harry," a number, the date, and a red seal with the hammer and sickle.

Inside was a strange medley of reports. Photographs of a model electric power plant at the Char-matix mines, important only because of the successful disposition of machinery; army text books which could be bought in the open market; such reports as the following:

"I beg to report that the Societe Ales, Forges et Camargue, are installing several laboratories for research of poisonous gases."

There is little drama in such spying. It is more like the work of a newspaper reporter who writes about what he sees, but keeps his eyes turned, in this case, towards subjects of military interest.

Plenty of Drama.

But there has been plenty of drama in the life of some of the spies. When 80 were taken in one raid in Rumania, not long ago some were found to be army officers and business men, believed to be honorable and loyal.

Recently, near Paris, police raided a mystery villa occupied by about thirty Communists and claimed to have found a "death list" with 889 names. The raid resulted in 144 arrests. Thus far none of the 889 men and women marked for death has paid the penalty.

For several days after police took the place over, letters continued to arrive, with checks and with orders for certain documents to be obtained. Like all good spy stage settings this villa had its secret wireless broadcasting plant, its "execution cellar," mysterious beautiful brunet and "post of command" with handy machine guns, tear-bombs and automatics.

BEWARE THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth. Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs. Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist (adv.)

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For GINGER'S SAKE

BEGIN HERE TODAY
Ginger Ella Tolliver was bored. Her father was a minister, and her stepmother, the former "Phil" Van Doorn, a very wealthy woman, but life in the little town of Red Thrush, Iowa, ran too slowly to suit Ginger and her set. So she announced to her friends, Eddy Jackson, Patty Sears and Wesley Meeker, that she was going to start a home for the Bored.

To Jenky Brooks, former school teacher, wife of old Benny Brooks, and an ally whom she could trust implicitly, she confided her intention of organizing a Junior Country Club. She asked Jenky to act as her agent in the purchase of the Mill Rush farm, a 10-acre tract with an old farm house, from Joplin Westbury. The rest of her plans were still in her head, unformulated.

"And," she told Jenky, "be sure and bring him down in his price. About half of what he asks will be right."

To Jenky, who, with her husband, was to be chaperon, the venture promised a great many dollars saved, as a summer on the farm would mean a trimming of living expenses.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER III
Jenky set her small bobbed head determinedly. Joplin Westbury had the reputation of being pretty crafty, but Jenky was going to exercise some craft on her own account. In her anxiety to obtain terms which would be satisfactory to Ginger Ella, she showed a troubled uncertainty which Mr. Westbury took for personal dissatisfaction with his terms, and she could not have assumed a more effective way of dealing with him.

To tell the truth, Mill Rush was of so little value, and had been hopelessly for sale so long, that he had forgotten all about it. It was not a farm—not as farms go in Iowa. It comprised about 10 acres of land which could not possibly be farmed with the exception of a few small separated garden spots.

The eligible land, which was sold away from the house in every direction, 20, 40, or 60 acres at a time, to enlarge good farms adjoining.

The house on Mill Rush was not a farmhouse, either. It was impractical, rambling and attractive, built of gray stone and time-stained shingles, with queer porches here and there, and with an oddity flanking attic.

The house, indeed the entire establishment, was the work of a man who had greater talent for life than agriculture. And upon his inevitable failure, he had let the farm go to Joplin Westbury on a mortgage and returned to his home in the East. And Joplin, realizing that a farm endowed with an artistic, charming cottage and a small impractical stable, located at a picturesque and inaccessible point on Rabbit River, was not in any sense an agricultural prize in Iowa, had cleverly managed the sale of the valuable farm land, bit by bit, leaving the house and its 10 acres of scattered brushwood, rocky bluffs, and scattered bits of garden land to fall into complete and becoming decay.

As soon as Joplin realized that it was indeed that very useless bit of rocks, brush-grown land that Mrs. Brooks was interested in, the natural enthusiasm of the realtor swept into his voice.

"Mill Rush—sure I know where you mean—out on the Rabbit? Gosh, what a site! What a view! It's a swell place! Ideal location, Mill Rush is, right on the rocks, right in the woods, right by the river. Falls just a little above the house, and the best fishing pool on the river right behind it. Ideal for a summer home, for a town woman like yourself."

"Can it be farmed?" asked Mrs. Brooks anxiously.

"Farmed? Sure it can be farmed. All Iowa can be farmed. Greatest little farming state in the Union."

"I thought it would be too rocky," she said slowly. She was relieved, and it was gratitude that slowed her voice. "Ten acres of means and peas and garden truck—and a summer to can it for her winter's use! I'm glad it can be farmed," she added.

"Well, of course, it can't all be farmed, not every foot of it," explained Joplin Westbury. "What can you expect at that price?"

"What price is it?" She asked the question in simple interest, but Joplin took it for a sly defense.

His soul as a realtor was torn within him. He wished to obtain every available cent for the place, but he knew that Mrs. Brooks had very little money at best, and that she—the only nibbler at this none-too-tempting bait—might be easily deterred from purchase.

He did not wish to scare her off. He knew only too well that from the common utilitarian standards of southeastern Iowa the place was worthless. The house had fallen into disrepair, the place was all grown up to weeds and brush, and it lay entirely off the good state road at the end of about a mile

and a half of the worst wood land of which even Iowa is capable.

He spoke guardedly. "Well, there's about 10 acres," he said. "Right on the river, woods—"

"Isn't it too bad about the rocks?" Mrs. Brooks spoke from her heart, for 10 acres of garden would mean almost wealth. But Joplin thought it was just her sick way of reminding him that the place was no good.

"It's a very nice house," he said vaguely.

"Is it indeed?" she demanded hopefully. "I was afraid it would be all tumble-down by this time."

Plainly those inquiries of hers displayed but a moderate interest. "Well, of course it's run down a bit," he agreed. "Chimneys down maybe and some windows out. Needs painting and plastering and what-not. Foundations have to be tightened up, I suppose, and roof repaired. But it's a good house, and that's the main thing."

"Oh, dear," said Jenky. "If it's got to be painted and plastered, and have new doors and windows and a new foundation and a new roof you might as well build a new house. Nothing there but the walls."

Her voice was anxious, because she was wondering what Ginger would say to that.

Joplin thought it was sarcasm which edged her voice.

"He smiled good-naturedly. "But my dear woman," he said, "at that price you can afford to fix up the old house."

He considered carefully. "Well, now, there's about 10 acres—good Iowa farm land—"

"If it can just be farmed," she said hopefully.

"This of Iowa farm land brings five hundred an acre."

Jenky shivered. He mistook the gesture for a shudder of dissent.

"Well, now, I tell you what. Of course, some of this land can't be farmed. Pretty, yes. Picturesque, yes. House, yes. But it can't be farmed—not all of it can't. Say \$3000—"

Jenky stood up. It was a mere instinctive matter of respect in her, for she could not consider the expenditure of thousands in a sitting posture. But Joplin Westbury felt that she was going to walk deliberately out of his office and abandon the project.

"Oh, well, now," he laughed pleasantly, "let's not quibble. Twenty-five hundred'll turn it."

"Twenty-five hundred—"

"Oh, you can have it on terms. You don't have to pay 2500 down. Say—uh—"

he stole an appraising look at her, noted the modest frown, with bits of thread from the tearing of rage, noted the anxious line between her eyes—say 500 down and—uh—25 a month."

"I'll think it over." Her voice was faint. "I'll have to ask Ginger Ella."

His eyes narrowed. He knew Ginger Ella. "Oh, yeh, she's a great little pal of yours, isn't she? And she's a great kid, too. Well, if she's a friend of yours she'll advise you to snap it up quick."

"I tell you what I'll do—seeing the place is just standing idle and doing nobody any good—I'll let you have that place for \$2000, 300 down and 25 a month. You can't ask better than that. You see what Miss Ginger has to say to that kind of proposition!"

"I will," promised Jenky eagerly. "I'll ask her this very night."

(To Be Continued)

DRILL REPORT
Drilling report filed with W. J. Carden, deputy supervisor, oil and gas division, Texas railroad commission, Coleman, Texas, week ending January 15, 1931.

G. P. Mitcham, Herman Thate well No. 1, George Eubank survey No. 173, Coleman county. Drill to 1600 feet.

Hammon & Heysler, T. B. Starkey well No. 25, ETRR Co. survey, Brown county. Drill to 1000 feet.

Ilseing Production Co., G. M. Gray well No. 1, J. W. Wharton survey, Coleman county. Intention to plug.

Shell Petroleum Corp., J. E. Whiteside well No. 1, C. B. Bannister survey, Brown county. Intention to plug.

Iowa-Payne Co., J. R. Rogers well No. 2, C. Troutz survey, Coleman county. Well record, application for pipe line connection and organization report.

Quarrier Oil Co., W. C. Sharp well No. 1, Bond & Sanders survey, Coleman county. Intention to plug.

Vernon Oil & Gas Co., Homer Chastain well No. 1, Jose, Paddillo No. 546 survey, Brown county. Intention to plug.

EWMO Oil Corp., R. S. Starns well No. 1, W. Wingham survey, Coleman county. Well and plugging records.

Walter H. Gant et al., J. B. Yowe well No. 1, S. Sprague No. 748, Coleman county. Well and plugging records.

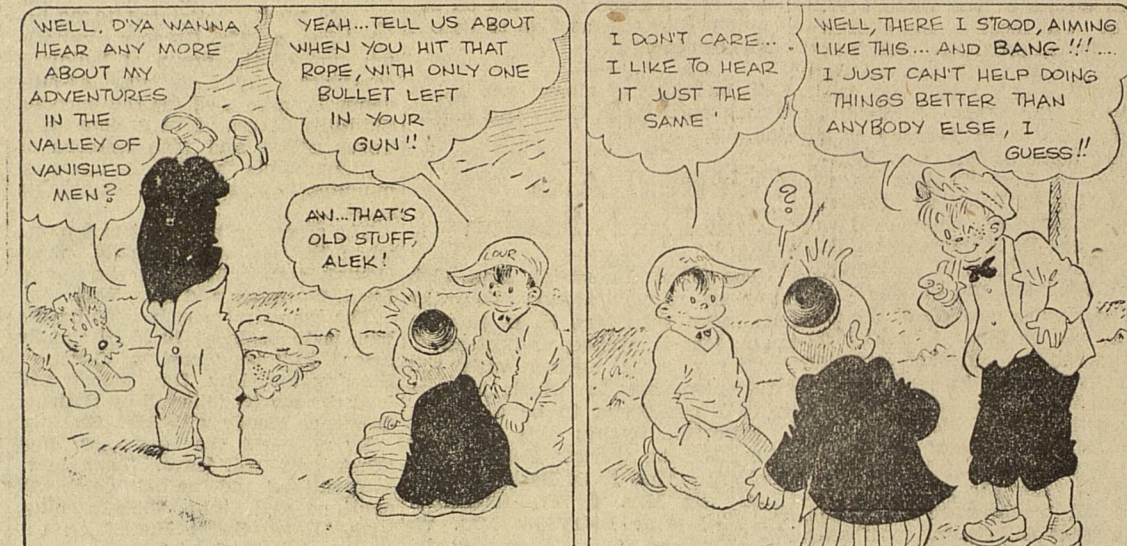
Permain Oil Co. et al., M. T. Overall well No. 1, W. B. Simpson survey, Coleman county. Well and plugging records.



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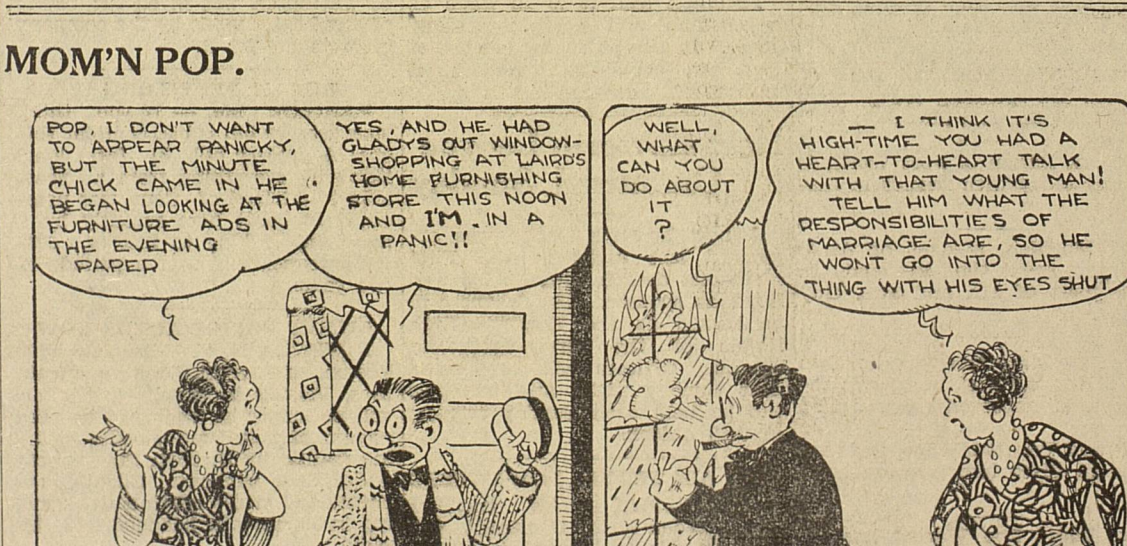


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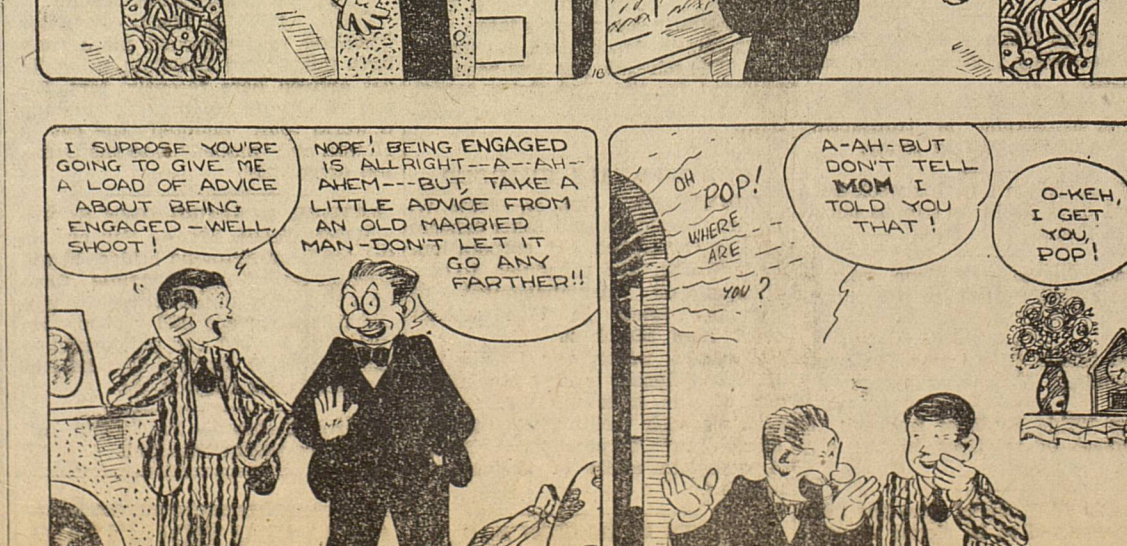


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LOST—FOUND

Lost—Found—Strayed 1

LOST or STOLEN — Boston Bull Puppy, eight months old, and answers to name Buddy. Reward for return to Frank Jacobs.

STRAYED or stolen? No matter which, you want it returned, and the best way to get results is with a News classified ad.

WANTED

Wanted to Buy 3

PEOPLE — will buy when the price is right but price cuts a bigger figure than ever this year. A cheap classified ad will do the work because folks want bargains.

DRESSMAKING

BEST advertising for the money spent is on the News classified page.

MISCELLANEOUS

Miscellaneous Service 7

HAVE you lost something? If you have the best way of finding it is to insert an ad here.

Sherman Doles Aid Destitute

SHERMAN, Jan. 19.—Sherman has solved the unemployment situation locally by use of a dole system in providing relief to local residents. This is the report made by Harve H. Haines to Capt. J. F. Lucey, regional director of President Hoover's unemployment committee. There are only 175 unemployed persons in the city's population of 17,000, the report said.

Sherman's city charter provides for an assessment of one mill tax for welfare relief of their citizens. A fund of \$12,000 or \$13,000 is yielded yearly by the tax. The charter was recently amended because the total fund was never completely used.

Only Sherman citizens receive benefit from the tax money. The maximum is \$6 in supplies per family for one month. The fund is handled by a city commission.

As the tax fund does not provide for taking care of transients, another plan is in effect for them. Each night floaters are rounded up and given lodging in the city jail. They are charged with offenses because they are not tramping. Instead, they are provided with a cot and blanket and given a night's rest. Next morning they are given a ticket for one meal restaurant in town.

Transients are told there is no work for them in Sherman and directed to go back to their homes unless they know where they can get employment.

TEXAS "RUMMIES" BUSY

EL PASO — Depression has not reached the Rio Grande rum smuggling industry. Records of the United States District Clerk's office here show that charges were filed against 1,806 persons in 1930, an increase of more than 300 over the 1288 total for 1929.

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Night coughs, or coughs caused by a cold or irritated throat, can now be stopped within 15 minutes by a doctor's prescription called Thoxine which works on an entirely different principle from ordinary medicines. It has a quick double action; it relieves the irritation and goes direct to the internal cause.

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RENTALS

Apartments for Rent 21

FOR RENT — Furnished apartments and cottage, cheap. 701 West 10th street. Phone 382.

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FOR RENT — New furnished apartment cheap. 405 West 11th.

FOR RENT — Desirable Apartment. Phone 305.

A SMALL ad run one week under this classification will help you rent that vacant apartment. Telephone your ad to Miss Actaker.

BOARD ROOMS

Board and Rooms 28

DON'T wait hopefully for these boarders to come to you. You'll fill that empty room much quicker when you use the News Classified columns.

Furnished Rooms 29

FOR RENT — Bedroom, next to bath, furnished or unfurnished. 400 West Seventh street.

Housekeeping Rooms 31

FOR RENT — Two light housekeeping rooms. Phone 183.

WANTED

Wanted to Rent 34

WANTED — Nicely furnished four or five room home for couple. C. R. Carrothers. Phone 149.

IF you don't find what you want in this column, why not try an ad of your own. Somebody, somebody wants what you have, or has what you want. The Daily News reaches West Texas readers.

REAL ESTATE

Farms and Lands for Sale 37

TELL them what you have ... be specific! The West Texans are interested readers. You may find a buyer for that ranch ... or that herd of cattle ... or for that O Melody saxophone that the neighbors like so well. Try it!

Houses for Sale 38

FOR SALE — House four rooms, two porches, bath, good location, two porches, or six. If interested in buying a good little home write Box-X care of Cisco Daily News.

LEGAL NOTICE

CONSTABLE'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF EASTLAND.

By virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable 88th District Court of Eastland county, on the 12th day of November, 1930, by W. H. McDonald, district clerk, of said court, upon a judgment in favor of First National Bank in Cisco, Texas, a national banking corporation, for the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Two & 25/100 (\$2,802.25) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 14,410 in said court, styled First National Bank in Cisco, Texas, a national banking corporation, versus Randolph College, a corporation, T. T. Roberts, J. M. Williamson, Theresa H. Weddington McMerrill, Jackson McMerrill, W. K. Johnston, and Guy Dabney, administrator of the estate of R. Q. Lee, deceased, and placed in my hands for service.

J. R. Wilson, constable of Precinct No. 6 of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 8th day of January 1931 levy upon certain real property situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:

First tract: Lot 5, in block 67, City of Cisco, Eastland county.

Second tract: Section 88 in block 3, H. T. Ry. Co. survey of Eastland county, Texas, abstract Nos. 1008, 1170, 1171 and 1192.

Third tract: An undivided 1-4 interest in the east 1-2 of S. P. R. R. Co. survey section 497, less the south 28.4 acres owned by the state of Texas.

The first tract above described levied upon the property of defendant W. K. Johnson; second tract levied upon as the property of defendant Theresa H. Weddington McMerrill, and the third tract levied upon as the property of J. M. Williamson, and on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February, 1931, at the Court House door of Eastland county, in the City of Eastland, Texas, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell said real property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. K. Johnston, Theresa H. Weddington McMerrill and J. M. Williamson by virtue of said levy and said alias execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Cisco Daily News, a newspaper published in Eastland county.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of January, A. D. 1931.

R. L. WILSON, Constable, Precinct 6, Eastland County, Texas.

STORM SWEEPS HOLLAND

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Jan. 17.—A destructive storm ravaged Holland today. Telegraph and telephone lines were badly damaged. Shipping and other traffic was disrupted and several floods were reported in various sections of the country.

Real Estate Wanted 43

SHREWED buyers use the classified columns because they are low in price but high powered in results.

Money to Loan 42

AUTOMOBILE LOANS

Advance money and refinance your loan

M. D. PASCHALL & SONS
703 Main Street.

Officers Elected by Putnam Bank

PUTNAM, Jan. 19.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers State bank, of Putnam, Texas, held on January 5 of this year, voted a 5 per cent dividend which made a total of 15 per cent for the year of 1930.

The following directors were chosen for 1931: C. T. Hutchinson of Abilene, Y. A. Orr, S. W. Jobe, J. A. Clements and R. L. Clinton of Putnam.

Officers for the ensuing year elected were: C. T. Hutchinson of Abilene, president; Y. A. Orr, vice president; J. A. Clements, vice president; R. L. Clinton, cashier; C. C. Russell, assistant cashier.

Throckmorton — City buys new fire truck.

Getting Up Nights

If Getting Up Nights, Backache, frequent day calls, Leg Pains, Nervousness, or Burning, due to functional Bladder Irritation, in acid conditions, makes you feel tired, depressed and discouraged, try the Cystex Test. Works fast, starts circulating thru the system in 15 minutes. Praised by thousands for rapid and positive action. Don't give up. Try Cystex (pronounced Siss-tex) today, under the Iron-Clad Guarantee. Must quickly rid you of the conditions, improve restful sleep and energy, or money back. Only 60c a tin!

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Annonouncements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, LEON MANER; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. P. B. GLIFNEY, president; C. E. YATES, secretary.

Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. W. M. WOOD GABARRES, W. M.; JOHN P. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; JOHN F. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P. JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Texas and Pacific
Change in schedule Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., effective 12:01 a. m., Sunday, March 16.

East

Train No. 6 Texas Ranger 4:04 a.m.
No. 16 The Texan 10:30 a.m.
No. 10 8:50 a.m.
No. 2 1:10 p.m.

West

No. 5 12:28 a.m.
No. 7 Texas Ranger 2:40 a.m.
No. 3 12:50 p.m.
No. 1 Sunshine Special 5:03 p.m.

M-K-T.

No. 36 Southbound 12:45 a.m.
No. 35 Northbound 2:55 a.m.
C. & N. E.

Leaves Cisco 4:15 a.m.
Arrive Breckenridge 6:00 a.m.
Arrives Throckmorton 9:00 a.m.
Leaves Throckmorton 9:30 a.m.
Arrives Breckenridge 11:00 a.m.
Leaves Breckenridge 11:30 a.m.
Arrive Cisco 3:00 p.m.

Wife, Gas, Scare Man in Dead of Night

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WICKERSHAM REPORT SENT TO PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The report of the Wickersham commission was sent to the white house early today by the commission. Chairman George Wickersham, carrying the voluminous report in a plain manila envelope, personally went to the white house before 9 a. m., before there was much activity in the vicinity of the president's office, and delivered the document to one of the president's secretaries.

Alice — Local citizens will hold election this month to vote on question of buying site for landing field.

PALACE LAST TIMES TODAY

Those Two "Caught Short" Gals are back again in another laugh riot!



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A mother stakes her happiness on love — and loses! A daughter gambles on love — and wins! Two characters brought to vivid life — in the most marvelous of Ruth Chatterton's great roles!

Advertisement for Ruth Chatterton's play "The Right to Love" on Thursday and Friday at the Palace.

Berg and Battalino to Head Ring Card

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Jack (Kid) Berg of England, world junior-welterweight champion, and world's featherweight champion Bat Battalino of Hartford, Conn., will head Friday's fistic program at Chicago stadium.

Battalino will meet Eddie Shea of Chicago, ranked by the National Boxing association as No. 1 contender for the title, in a 10-round non-championship fight. Berg will risk his title in a 10-round bout with Goldie Hess, California contender.

Wilson Will Ask Salary of \$40,000

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Hack Wilson, national league home run leader, will ask a salary of \$40,000 from the Chicago Cubs for the 1931 season, it was reported today. Wilson drew a salary of \$22,500 during the 1930 season when he established a new world record for runs batted in and set a national league home run record of 56 to beat out Babe Ruth for the season's championship.

T. C. U., S. M. U. FAVORITES FOR CAGE CROWN

By BILL GRIPPES, United Press Staff Correspondent. DALLAS, Jan. 19.—Southwest conference cagers swing into the third week of the season today with Texas Christian university and Southern Methodist university favorites for conference honors.

The week will see Baylor and Southern Methodist at Dallas Tuesday; Arkansas and T. C. U. at Fort Worth Friday; and Arkansas and T. C. U. at Fort Worth, Baylor and Texas at Austin, and Rice and Texas A. & M. at College Station Saturday.

Arkansas university, five-time champions, virtually relinquished all hopes of again acquiring the championship when the Texas Aggies, displacing a re-vaupped lineup, romped off with the heavy end of a 37 to 34 score at Fayetteville Saturday night after dropping the first of a two-game series the night before to the lanky Arkansans.

Texas university's North Texas invasion proved drastic for the Steers, but furnished conclusive evidence to forecasters that T. C. U. and S. M. U. goal pitchers will fight it out for the title. The Steers met their first downfall of the tour Friday night at Fort Worth when the Christian basketballers ran over them, 40 to 19. Then Saturday night the Methodists bowled them over, 51 to 32, at Dallas.

Led T. C. U. Riot. Adolph Dietzel, shifty center, led the T. C. U. rout with 18 pointers to his credit, running up a total of 39 on a 37 to 33 victory over the Baylor Bears at Houston. It was the Bears' first game and placed them in the cellar position with Rice moving up one.

Table showing conference standings for T. C. U., S. M. U., Arkansas, Texas A. & M., Texas, Rice, and Baylor.

THREE MAJOR TEXAS GOLF EVENTS NEAR

DALLAS, Jan. 19.—Leading golfers of American links will be driving down Texas fairways during the next four weeks toward titles in the three biggest tournaments this state will offer in 1931.

The Texas open at San Antonio Jan. 29 to Feb. 1, preceded by the Willow Springs amateur contests, tops the golfing program. Following the San Antonio open, professional golfers will mobilize to Harlingen's palm-shaded fairways seeking \$3500 in rewards there. This tournament is scheduled for Feb. 6, 7 and 8. The final spot on February's program will be the 17th annual invitation event at the country club at Houston.

Prizes totaling \$6,000 await winners at the 18th hole of the last round of the Texas open, which will be played over the Brackenridge Park course. The Willow Springs preliminary, in which amateurs will fight for trophies, will serve as a qualifying round for the pro-amateur event in the open. Only players in the medal event will be eligible for the pro-amateur contest.

Professionals in old Mexico are due to feature the Harlingen tournament. The opening day's play will be used for a pro-amateur event, the first round of the 36-hole medal contest falling on Saturday Feb. 7. Harlingen officials are planning a celebration honoring the Mexican golfers.

Largest Number. Although California will probably boast the largest number of entries in the Texas open, Chicago has annually furnished the largest number of players in the invitation event at Houston. Johnnie Dawson, defending champion, Don Armstrong, Walter Crow and Gus Novotny plan to lead the field this year, along with Winfield Day, 15-year old schoolboy from Gotham of the west, who has built a reputation on Florida's fairways.

Day's entry in the tournament will prove a handicap to Bud McKinney, sports forecasts say. McKinney, of Del Rio, proved a sensation of last year's meet when the youngster drew repeated applause from the roving galleries.

Invitations are now being mailed out for the Houston event. Lee Hager, tournament committee chairman, has announced. Hager predicts a field second to none in Texas golf circles.

R. L. Poe Goes to Temple Clinic

R. L. Poe left early today for Temple where he will enter the clinic at the Scott and White sanitarium for a thorough physical examination. Mr. Poe did not know how long he would be gone, stating that he may be back within a few days though the possibilities are that he will be away for two months or more. An operation may be necessary, he indicated.

Mr. Poe is president of the First National bank, chairman of the agricultural committee of the chamber of commerce and one of the most energetic workers in behalf of the agricultural industry of this section. He has had much to do with the success of the Cisco Co-operative Livestock Marketing association, which he helped to organize. He was president of the association last year, declining reelection this year.

Methodists to Study Missionary Program

Members of the First Methodist church will begin a study of the missionary interests of the church Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. The book, "Methodism and Kingdom Extension" will be used in the study and the pastor, Rev. H. D. Tucker will teach the book. The study will be held for four Wednesday nights. Everybody is invited to attend these study classes. The Rev. Mr. Tucker will give lectures on the book and no written work will be required.

Orchestra Organized at Methodist Church

An orchestra is being organized to play for Sunday night services at the First Methodist church with Statham Ricks as director and Miss Adele Anderson accompanist. Twelve members have already been signed up for the orchestra and it will make its first appearance Sunday night, February 1. A fifteen minute program will be presented each Sunday.

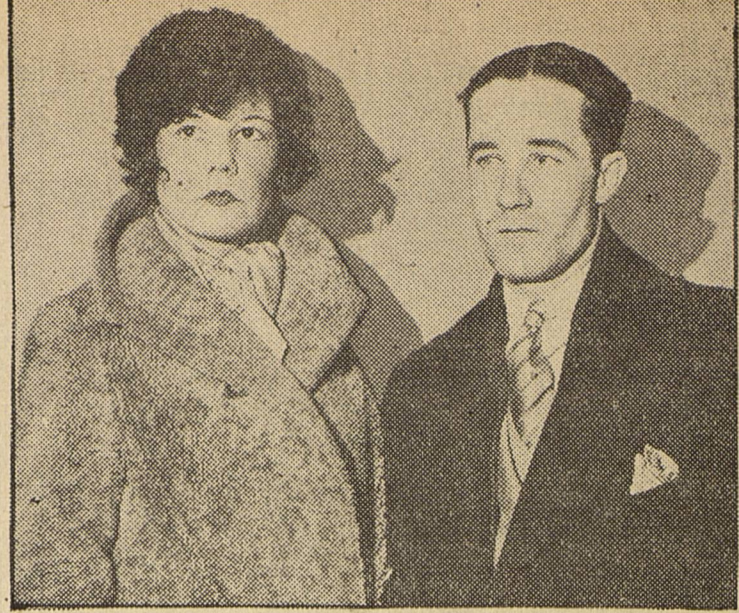
Oimen Named U. S. Ski Representative

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Casper Oimen of Canton, S. D., was named today as the United States' representative in the Olympic games ski event at Lake Placid, N. Y., in 1932. Oimen qualified for the olympics by retaining his title in the national ski tourney held yesterday at Cary Hill, Fox River Grove, Ill.

Perryton — Texas-Louisiana Power Co. offers lower domestic light rate to city.

Chest Colds Rub well over throat and chest. 26c. VICKS VapoRub. OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY.

At Inquest Into Girl Usher's Death



They appeared at the coroner's inquest into the mysterious killing of Beulah Limerick, 19-year-old theater usher in Washington. Martha Bargfrede and Robert Merchant, pictured here, were friends of the slain girl.

About Cisco Today

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CALENDAR Tuesday Circles of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday at 3 o'clock as follows: Circle 1 with Mrs. George Atkins, 1512 N. avenue.

Circle 2 with Mrs. Howard D'Spain, 309 West Seventh street.

Circle 3 with Mrs. Joe Burman, 400 West Eighteenth street.

All circles of the Baptist W. M. S. will meet at the church in a Mission program Tuesday at 3 o'clock with Circle 3 in charge.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Geo. Winston, 902 West Twelfth street with Mrs. P. Pettit as leader.

Mrs. Winston will be assisted by Mesdames B. E. Morehart, D. W. Rumbaugh, F. K. Stamey, R. A. Williams, and Christley.

The regular meeting of the O. E. S. will be held tonight at 7:30 when the assistant Deputy Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Naomi Wise of Moran, will make her official visit. Members of the Masonic chapter will be guests and a social hour will be held after the business session. All members are urged to be present and visiting members are welcome.

Circle 3 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. George Irvine, cottage 17, Humbleton.

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. C. Sivals, West Fourteenth street.

J. T. Berry left shortly before noon today for Stanton, Texas on a business visit of several days.

Mrs. P. P. Shepard returned yesterday from several days visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Rosell Daniels has returned to San Antonio after a visit with friends in Cisco.

Dean E. B. Isaacks accompanied the Randolph Kittens to Dallas this weekend.

Misses Mary and Roberta Tucker of Arlington are in Cisco for several days visit with their brother, Rev. H. D. Tucker and family.

Mrs. J. T. Golden and son of Eastland are spending today with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Key.

Emmons Bahan of Fort Worth is spending today with friends in Cisco.

Carl Moulden, student of A. & M. Bryan, spent the weekend in Cisco, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney.

Miss Ina Mary Query, who has been ill for the past week, was reported to be improved this morning.

J. Frank Trevitt of Houston is expected in Cisco tomorrow on business.

Miss Laura Lou Waring has returned from a weekend visit with relatives in Comanche.

Mrs. John Kane of Moran was in Cisco yesterday visiting friends and relatives.

W. J. Armstrong is transacting business in Fort Worth today.

J. B. Morrison left this week on a several days business trip to points in east Texas.

Grady Guffie of Abilene was a business visitor in Cisco this morning.

NEW REGIME DAWNS WITH INAUGURATION

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—Elaborate plans have been made for the inauguration Tuesday of Ross S. Sterling of Houston, who will be the 24th man to be governor of Texas. For two years in the state's history after the passing of the republic a woman was governor.

The official inauguration at which Governor-elect Sterling will take the oath of office from Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the state supreme court, will be followed by more elaborate inaugural festivities.

More than a week ago Governor Dan Moody began clearing his office for reception of the new governor. He leaves behind him two mounted deer heads, President Wilson's portrait, former Gov. Pat M. Neff's Bible which Neff left to his successor, Mrs. Ferguson, and which she left for Gov. Dan Moody.

The "mansion" has also been vacated for its new occupants. Governor and Mrs. Moody went to the Stephen F. Austin hotel, where the Governor-elect and Mrs. Sterling have been guests prior to going into the state residence, southwest of the state capital grounds.

Serenaders by the Houston Glee club, and instrumental music by the University of Texas band, the Old Gray Mare band, the Austin high school band and others enlivened the program for the day.

National guard officers in uniform add a martial note. Ten-gallon hats and derbies mingle in hotel lobbies. Sterling, redfaced and happy, mixes with them generally, accepting congratulatory handshakes. No formalities are required to greet him.

Tomorrow night's inaugural ball and reception will outshine all previous affairs in Austin. This year there is available a building large enough for the estimated 10,000 invited guests. The Gregory gymnasium, one of the group of buildings constructed by University ex-students, is to be used for the purpose. Skillfully decorated in national and Texas colors, and with festoons of brilliant lights through the immense building, it presents a remarkable sight.

The reception will start at 9 p. m., when the visitors formally meet Governor and Mrs. Sterling and Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Witt. The inaugural march, opening the ball, is to begin at 10:30 or shortly after. Following custom, Governor Sterling and Mrs. Dan Moody will lead the march followed by Retiring Governor Moody with Mrs. Sterling.

By midnight the governor and "first lady" will leave. That, however will not end the ball which will continue well into the morning, with "Home Sweet Home" on the program along about 2 a. m.

Theft of Bonds Is Suspected; One Held

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 19.—Jimmie McDaniel was held today by police while Chillicothe, Texas, authorities investigated the finding of \$7,000 worth of Chillicothe municipal bonds in McDaniel's hotel room. Sheriff G. W. Hawkins and County Attorney O. L. Kell of Chillicothe, were here to take McDaniel to Texas if their investigation showed him connected with the theft. The bonds had not been missed, they said. McDaniel was arrested when an attempt was made to sell one of the \$1,000 bonds here.

Eagle Builds Nest With Barbed-Wire

DALHART, Jan. 19.—A barbed-wire eagle nest, lined with tufts of cow hair, has been found near here.

W. L. Hamilton, theater owner, discovered the unique nest in the top of a windmill tower near Exum. The wheel had been blown from the tower and the nest constructed among the gears.

Hamilton said it is as large as a washtub and contained many bones. It was so firmly built that Hamilton could not remove it without first dismantling it.

New Epworth League Organized Sunday

A new Epworth league was organized last night at the First Methodist church with Miss Jewell Boyd as sponsor. The league will be known as the Epworth High league of the First Methodist church. Officers will be elected next Sunday night and meetings will be held each Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

FAST AIR TRAVEL FOR SWEDES

STOCKHOLM — Air travelers from Sweden to the Continent will soon be able to have their breakfast in Malmo, in the southern province of Scania, and tea in London or Paris seven hours later, with a landing in Amsterdam, for lunch. This schedule has just been announced for the next flying season by the Swedish Aerotravel company.

SILO OFFICIALS CHARGED

GROESBECK, Jan. 19.—Jesse W. Robins, president and other officers of the Owenwood Oil corporation, Fort Worth, are scheduled to face charges of mismanagement of company funds in 77th district court here March 2.

The suit, which was filed by J. W. Bartholomew and 9 stockholders of the concern, charged the officials with "selling, wasting and dissipating" corporation property. A complete audit of accounts is asked.

On Long Flight



Miss Alicia Patterson, above, and Miss Elizabeth (Libby) Chase, below, Chicago society girls who recently undertook a dangerous 1900-mile airplane flight across Australia, are shown here. Miss Patterson, daughter of J. M. Patterson, publisher, is an experienced flyer and Miss Chase is a well known globe-trotter.

Truth About Marine Legend Revealed

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—"Tell it to the Marines," the popular phrase familiar to millions in the United States and Great Britain, was exploded with a bang as a genuine bit of history as the result of an inquiry by Brigadier General George Richards of the U. S. Marine corps.

According to the original legend which has been accepted as gospel for a generation, the maker of the phrase was Charles II of England and the incident is quoted at length in the diary of Samuel Pepys. According to the quotation, the king possessed an adviser who was a retired Colonel of Marines and had traveled everywhere and seen everything. Whenever the monarch heard a remarkable story, continues the quotation, he would refer to his marine adviser to find out whether or not it was true. Hence the king's remark.

General Richards searched through all existing Pepys material, including an unabridged manuscript in the Library of Congress to prove or disprove the legend.

Then he wrote a letter to W. P. Drury, English novelist and retired colonel of the British marine corps. The answer ended the hunt.

"The story of 'Tell it to the Marines' is taken," Drury wrote, "from my earliest literary crime, 'The Petrified Eye.' It is a leg-pull of my youth of which I have grown a little ashamed. I seem to have forgotten the style of Samuel Pepys so successfully that many of our comrades have wasted time hunting through the diary to verify my statement."

"The Petrified Eye" is a novel dealing with the adventures of British sailors.

POOR GUESTS AT PARTY

ASHTABULA — Sauerkraut, weiners, bread and cheese were served up to this city's poor recently when business men gave their third annual public party in the city Hall.

Toll of Autos Is 86 Per Day

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Eighty-six persons are killed in automobile accidents in the United States every day and 2,739 more are injured, according to the American Research Foundation.

"Every sixteen minutes the year round, a person is killed in an automobile crash somewhere in America," Foundation bulletin says. "Every hour of the day and night an average of 114 people receive injuries of a major or minor character from this cause."

"With about 25 automobile fatalities per 10,000 population, the United States is far ahead of the other countries of the world. Australia, with a record of 12.1 automobile deaths per 100,000 population holds second place; New Zealand with an average of 9.2 is third and Canada with 9.1 per 100,000 is fourth."

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