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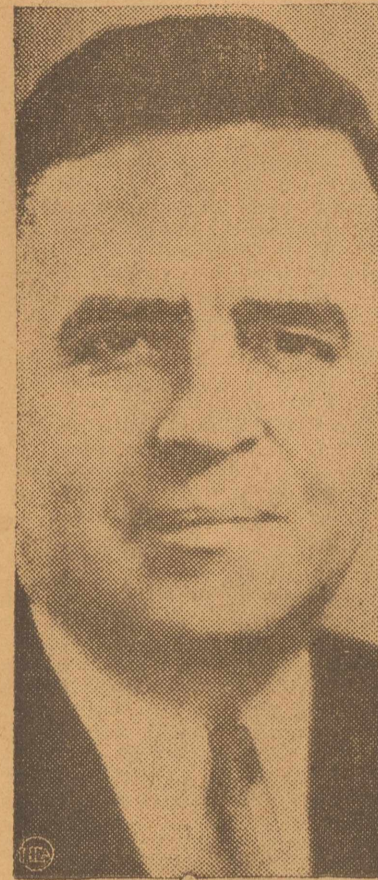
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Possibilities



Wiley B. Rutledge



John P. Devaney



Harold M. Stephens

Eyes are west as retirement of Louis Brandeis leaves another Supreme Court vacancy to be filled. Here are three front-rank possibilities for the bench: Wiley B. Rutledge is dean of the college of law of the University of Iowa. John P. Devaney was former chief justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court and first president of National Lawyers' Guild. Harold M. Stephens is associate justice of U. S. Court of Appeals for District of Columbia.

One rumor said a man shot a detective two days ago in front of Mussolini's home when officers asked him for identification.

Federal Judge Confirmation Given Allred

Opposition Dropped By Senator King On Final Voting

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (AP) — Former Gov. James V. Allred of Texas was confirmed to a federal district judgeship by the Senate Thursday without a record vote after Senator King (D-Utah) had said he would drop his opposition. King, who twice before had asked consideration of Allred's name "go over" under procedure requiring unanimous senate consent, explained he had objected on grounds Allred was not a resident of the Southern judicial district of Texas to which he was appointed.

Apparently there were not enough senate votes to block eventual confirmation, King added. He said he had received a large number of communications from Texas recently protesting Allred's appointment.

Senator Sheppard (D-Tex) also told the senate he would not object to confirmation, and Senator Connally (D-Tex) asked that a statement he had made before the judiciary committee be inserted in the record.

In the statement Connally said that while he had recommended someone other than Allred, he would not object to the latter's confirmation.

In addition to Allred the senate confirmed Rep. T. Alan Goldsborough (D-Md) to serve as judge in the District of Columbia and Frank A. Picard to the Eastern district of Michigan.

King had raised the same complaint against Goldsborough, a resident of Maryland named to serve in Washington, as against Allred. He withdrew his objections after party leaders had talked with him in advance of the session.

Insurance Rate Credit of 15 Per Cent Given

Midland property owners will have benefit of lower insurance rates beginning March 1, for a twelve-month period, State Fire Insurance Commissioner Marvin Hall having announced late Thursday a "good fire record" credit of fifteen per cent. Last year's credit, expiring March 1, was only ten per cent. The credit, or penalty as applied in some cases, is based on a five year average of the ratio of fire losses to total fire insurance premiums paid within the city limits.

Maximum credit is 25 per cent and it was predicted by insurance agents that if the losses are held low this year an additional credit should be secured for local property owners next year.

Other announcements made by Commissioner Hall, according to the Associated Press, were:

Twenty-five per cent: Pecos; 20 per cent: Lamb; 15 per cent: Junction, Llano, Loma, Mason, Menard, Merkel, Merton, and Midland.

Ten per cent: Marfa.

Penalties — 15 per cent: Lamesa, and Presidio.

Senate and House In Recess Until First of Next Week

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (AP) — Both houses of the legislature were in recess today, having voted to suspend activities until Monday.

About 50 members and their wives left for Corpus Christi and the Rio Grande valley for a barbecue on the former King ranch and a tour of the valley.

House committees conducting hearings on Governor O'Daniel's transaction tax proposal likewise declared a moratorium on work until next week.

The house oil, gas and mining committee last night voted a two-year extension of Texas' oil production laws.

Spain Insurgent Sympathizers Are Ousted in Belgium

BRUSSELS, Feb. 17. (AP) — Belgian police and firemen today stormed a Spanish government building and ejected insurgent sympathizers who seized the structure in an early morning coup.

Police climbed ladders to get into the building after the invaders had defied attempts of authorities to oust them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clarke left this afternoon by automobile for Denver, Colo., where they will make their home. Mr. Clarke has been transferred to that city by the Superior Oil company.

Looks Doggone Like a Lamb



Far from being that of Mary's little lamb, the streamlined head above belongs to the Bedlington terrier, Ch. Lady Rowena of Rowanoks, judged best of breed at the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show in New York.

Members, Guests To Stage Supper At Country Club

Country Club members and guests will be entertained with a spaghetti supper Saturday night, in a monthly event from which the proceeds are being used to refurbish and redecorate the club house. Members of the Women's Golf Association are sponsoring the affair and are personally cooking the supper and serving it to those attending. Admission is 75 cents per plate and tickets may be obtained from the women themselves or from Miss Dorothy Henderson at the Book Stall on Hotel Scharbauer Mezzanine. The supper begins at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening.

Dancing and varied entertainment are promised, and Country Club members are urged to bring guests, to make the monthly affair one of the high spots of the club's social calendar.

Every cent of the money from the supper will be used to make the club house more attractive, purchasing new furnishings as the funds grow, and renovating existing equipment. Already the wicker furniture if the living room has been repaired and upholstered, new slip covers have been made and the club house is showing remarkable signs of modernization.

Members of the Women's Golf Association asked for cooperation of the various club members to make the monthly spaghetti supper a gala event. Good food is promised, with a variety of additional entertainment.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Gary P. Butcher on the birth of a son in a Roswell, N. M. hospital today. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 5 1-2 ounces. Mother and child are reported doing well.

To Mr. and Mrs. Vyron Wilkerson on the birth of a daughter in a Midland hospital today.

Directors Seeking to Raise Cash for Baseball Club Here

Directors of the Midland baseball club, kept from working yesterday by the weather, this morning started a drive to raise the \$5000 necessary to place Midland in the West Texas-New Mexico League again this year.

Three directors, C. G. Duffey, J. L. Greene and J. P. Butler today were making a canvass of the business houses of the city seeking donations to assure Midland a berth in the league.

At noon, slightly more than one-third of the amount asked had been raised but the directors pointed out that the money came in far larger donations than most of the persons of the city will be asked to give.

Donations of four men made up practically the entire total gathered this morning.

Cooperation of the business men of the city has been asked by the directors in their drive. They pointed out that unless the full amount of money sought could be raised

School on Traffic Safety Scheduled For City Tomorrow

A Traffic Safety School, to be presided over by Capt. W. W. Legge, Lubbock, of the State Highway Department will be held here tomorrow, it was announced today by city patrolman Franklin Manning.

At ten o'clock in the morning a film will be shown at the Ritz theater, depicting safe driving and the dangers of reckless driving will be shown in the film and will be further explained by Capt. Legge, Patrolmen McCasland and Westerman, and possibly other officers who will accompany the men here.

The show is to be free and the public is invited to take advantage of seeing the film and hearing the officials.

At ten o'clock tomorrow afternoon the officers and members of the Junior Patrol will be guests of honor at a luncheon sponsored by the Midland Safety Council at the Piggly-Wiggly Shopping Village on West Texas avenue.

Patrolman Manning stressed the importance of the school here and urged all persons who could possibly do so to view the film and hear Capt. Legge's talk in the morning at ten.

Price Cuts Taken For Low-Gravity Crude by Sinclair

TULSA, Okla., Feb. 17. (AP) — Reduced prices for low gravity crude oil bought by the Sinclair Prairie Crude Oil Marketing Company in Southeastern Kansas and Northeastern Oklahoma were announced effective at 7 a. m. Thursday.

The cuts ranged from 4 to 17 cents a barrel.

Montgomery and Labette Counties, in Kansas, formed the principal area affected.

The announced reduction ranged from 17 cents a barrel on 25 gravity crude to make the new price 58 cents to 4 cents a barrel on 32 gravity to make the new price 90 cents. Thirty-three gravity and above remained unchanged in price with \$1.10 a barrel for 40 and above the top.

Ask Japs for Explanation Of Policies

Hainan Occupation Reason Demanded by Ambassador Grew

TOKYO, Feb. 17. (AP) — United States Ambassador Grew today asked the Japanese government for an explanation of the Japanese navy's occupation of Hainan, Chinese island 750 miles west of the Philippines.

The request was made orally in an interview with Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita and followed by a few days similar requests by French and British ambassadors.

It was understood the Japanese replied occupation was for military purposes and also to tighten the navy's blockade of the China coast.

Late Wire News

BATON ROUGE, La., Feb. 17. (AP) — Governor Leche today discharged Miss Alice Lee Cross-jean, former personal secretary of the late Huey Long, from state employ.

He appointed F. S. Shattuck to replace her as supervisor of public funds.

The governor gave no explanation for his action.

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (AP) — Governor O'Daniel today signed into law a bill authorizing a nine-hundred thousand dollar loan which will prevent reduction of old age pensions.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17. (AP) — The Texas delegation asked the House appropriation subcommittee today for \$1,246,000 to carry on the pink boll worm eradication work in the southwest during the next fiscal year. The sum was \$800,000 more than appropriated annually for such work.

Basketball

Midland 56 Seminole 24

Courtney 22 Andrews 14

(See STORY page 4)

Semi-Wildcat in Dunes Pool Fills 800 Feet With Oil

By FRANK GARDNER

A semi-wildcat in the southern portion of the Dunes pool in eastern Crane, Washeter, Oil Company No. 1 University, made its initial bid for production today as it filled 800 feet with oil in drilling to 3,246 feet in lime. The well was drilling ahead below that depth this morning. It topped pay at 3,183 and started flowing with oil at 3,193.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-18 University, a mile southwest of the pool, this morning had drilled to 2,998 feet in lime. On the northeast edge of the pool, Great Western Producers, Inc. No. 1-B University is drilling and wrote at 2,830 feet. In proven territory, Magnolia No. 2-6 University is shut in awaiting potential test; Phillips No. 1 University is rigging up standard tools, bottomed at 3,192 feet in lime; R. H. Henderson No. 1 University is drilling at 2,200 in anhydrite; Henderson No. 2 University is drilling at 3,022 feet in lime.

Sinclair-Prairie et al. No. 3 Tubb-Community, new deep test in the Sandhills Ordovician pool of western Crane, spudded yesterday to 184 feet in red rock and is now standing after cementing 13-inch surface pipe at 183 feet with 300 sacks of cement. Gulf No. 16 Tubb is drilling at 3,571 feet in lime, while the company's No. 10 Waddell had reached 3,188 in the same formation. Gulf No. 5 McKnight, "Tubb" deep Permian pay test, is drilling at 680 feet in anhydrite.

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A dozen worshippers, preparing to leave, gasped and gathered around the body. The Catholic priest hurried back from the sacristy, then called police.

Authorities recording the deaths as murder and suicide, said last night they resulted from domestic difficulties and gambling.

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In the soft light streaming through stained glass windows police read a note from the same pocket. It concluded: "God have mercy on my soul. This is the only way out."

The Rev. William B. Gallagher,

Winter Hits Again--

WEST TEXAS GETS SNOW

Seeing Pleasing Prospects



Smiles sparkled as these Republican leaders united in criticism of the New Deal at the Lincoln Day dinner of the National Republican Club in New York. Left to right, ex-President Hoover, National Committee Chairman John Hamilton and District Attorney Devey.

Noted Dry Leader, Dr. True Wilson, Victim of Illness

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 17. (AP) — Dr. Clarence True Wilson, 66, internationally known prohibitionist and Methodist church temperance board founder, died Thursday in Good Samaritan Hospital. He had been ill for three weeks of uremic poisoning, complicated by a heart attack.

Dr. Wilson, one of the most active fighters in the ranks of prohibition, was born at Milton, Delaware, on April 24, 1872.

He was the founder and for 25 years head of the Methodist church board of temperance, prohibition and public morals.

Growing up with the gradual rise of temperance in the United States, he came to take a leading part in the bitter liquor debates and political clashes of the 1920's and early 30's, waging his last fight against the repeal tide that swept across the nation in 1932.

He was educated at St. John's College Annapolis, Md., but graduated from the University of Southern California in 1894.

After a brief experience in the ministry, he came here in 1905 as pastor of Grace Methodist church and later of Centenary Methodist. Here he met and married Mrs. Maude Aiken Tift and last Nov. 27 they celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary. A daughter, Virginia is the wife of Dr. Charles C. Bethram and another, Mary Elizabeth, recently graduated from the University of Oregon.

Dr. Wilson was stricken in 1934 with a heart attack and was warned by doctors to cease his exceedingly energetic mode of life.

Man Sought for Slaying Wife Victim of Suicide in Church

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Entire West Half State Hit by Cold

Other Sections Expected to Be Invaded Tonight

By Associated Press. Bitter cold gripped all of West Texas today, freezing weather being reported all over the west half of the state.

Plainview reported 18 degrees with the ground covered with snow. Light snow on the heels of a mild dust storm fell at Amarillo. Abilene and Big Spring had sleet with 25-degree temperature.

Ice-covered trolley wires delayed car service at Sherman. The cold is expected to spread to other sections tonight.

Winter blew into Midland again yesterday afternoon and, in doing so, followed its usual course this year—on the heels of a sandstorm. The sandstorm struck in Midland about 3:30 and lasted until after dark. Borne by a north wind, the sand started a decline of the mercury that had reached a minimum of 24 degrees.

Traffic in the city was hampered this morning by a light mist that froze as it fell. Drivers, when driving for more than a few blocks at a time, were forced to scrape ice from their windshield in order to maintain vision.

Yesterday's maximum temperature was 64 degrees, registered at 2:30 in the afternoon, but a perceptible drop was evident after the first cold from the north wind struck. The mercury continued gradually downward until eight o'clock this morning when it started a barely discernible climb back upwards. At 1:30 this afternoon the temperature was 28 degrees.

The official weather forecast for this area tonight and tomorrow is cloudy but somewhat warmer.

Recent Sales of Cattle Involve About 2500 Head

Approximately 2500 head of cattle from the Midland territory have been sold in comparatively small lots during the past ten days, some going to middle western points, some to the Panhandle and others to markets and to local feed lots.

Scharbauer Cattle Co., in the past two weeks, made the following sales: one truckload or mixed cattle to Fort Worth markets; 180 head of steer calves to Scharbauer & Eldson, Lovington; 55 cows to Tobe Foster, Lubbock; 300 heifer calves to Foster; 143 head of heifer yearlings to Harwell and Witzel Whitmaire, Midland, to be placed on feed.

Clayton Jennings of Livermore, Ia., bought to be shipped to South Dakota pastures about May 1, the following: 250 steer and heifer calves from Frank Cowden; 558 steer calves from Mabe & Frye; 355 steer and heifer calves from Coahoma ranchers; 100 head of steer and heifer calves from Buck Kellon, Crane.

Guseman and Pittman of Hereford bought 225 head of steer and heifer calves from C. E. Benedict, shipping them last Friday; 100 head of steer calves from Pete Wheeler, shipping them Wednesday of this week, and 150 head of mixed calves from Jay McGee, shipping them Thursday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (AP) — Representative Dies of Texas underwent an emergency appendectomy today. He was rushed to a hospital after he was stricken at home.

Foreign Markets Are Declared Necessary For Cotton Future

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (AP) — Burris C. Jackson, Hillsboro, chairman of the statewide cotton committee, urged today regaining foreign markets for Texas cotton.

One factor in the loss of world markets, he said, was the quantity of Texas grown cotton. He asserted two-thirds of last year's crop was below the quality the world markets wanted.

The committee of more than 100 met in the hall of the house of representatives and were welcomed by Governor O'Daniel. The governor pledged to do everything in his power to improve conditions in the industry.

Dr. T. O. Walton, President of A-M College, addressed the meeting.

FIREMEN TO GERMANIA.

The fire truck made a run to Germania, 10 miles east on the highway, this morning upon receiving a call that the J. M. Mohrmen store was on fire. The blaze had been extinguished before the firemen reached the scene. Damage was believed to be small.

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SO THEY SAY

What A Business!!!

(By R. L. THORNTON, Pres. Mercantile National Bank, Dallas, in "As We See It.")

A crazy sits for hours in the summer heat on the ledge of a skyscraper with apparent threats to jump off, and finally gives the curious crowd what they want—excitement—by instant death "way below."

Refined people pay good money to have their children taught dancing. No sooner than they learn the swing of it, they turn and take the "Jitterbug," and restless America pays to see it.

Wild ducks fly hurriedly southward in the fall time, but go squawking back in the springtime.
Nations take up arms against each other to avenge something and by day and by night they destroy, maim and kill with all the power of command until at last mankind has been subjected to the fullest toll of blood, havoc and misery and civilization has had its adjustments and corrections, peace is again restored—and then follows world disarmament. After a certain period of rehabilitation and other human processes, nations become irred and are by human reactions driven to rearmament again. There you have it, disarmament and rearmament in less than a generation. That's the way of mankind, and from that we know the world and its affairs are still entrusted to fallible people ever subject to diverse talents, tastes and temperaments.

The big fellow with the Senator Stetson hat and black tie wants his eggs straight up plain toast and coffee with cream; while the little fellow with the derby and green tie wants his over well, buttered toast and coffee black.

The cattleman near Stillwater, Oklahoma, sends his boy to Rice Institute to study Fine Arts; while the miner in El Paso sends his boy to Texas University to study law—and the daughters most all go off to college.

A man in East Texas loads up his family, furnishings, tools and the old cow and starts west; while another somewhere in the West loads up and starts East.

A Panamanian may sit in the shade of a palm tree and eat bananas for a living, but his measure of success and happiness end there under the heat of a tropical sun—a listless existence without responsibility. Another man in the West hits the long trail day in and day out over half a lifetime and has as his reward the stewardship and responsibility of many hills and many cattle.

We have amongst our own kind too many who think they are entitled to things they do not earn, sometimes even a life of luxury gleamed from the very sweat of others. Any person who thinks he is smart enough to work as little as 40 minutes a day and then play, eat and sleep the other 1400 will soon find occasion to let up on some of his sleeping, eating and playing. For a person to have things, to live, to enjoy and to continue uniformly successful and happy he must render up his portion of labor in some variety, than which there is nothing more rare.

Fashionable folk in the city spend extra on their home and environs to give it the semblance of some country estate of their fancy, while Uncle Hiram and his family, who live out on Chambers Creek, in a real farm house with dormer-windows, roughed-in stairway, regular fireplace, ornamented mantel and old pine walls with "real knots" would mortgage a part of their very existence for a small modern cottage like they see in town.

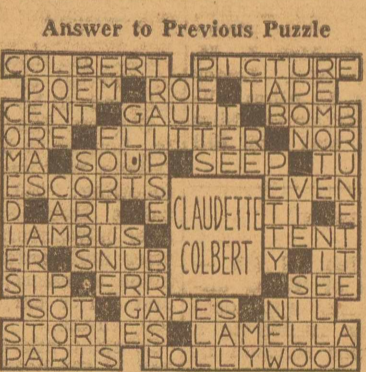
The well-to-do farmer would like to move to town and run a street car, while the business executive fancies he'd like to be a cow man out West.

What a Business!—there's nothing wrong about any of it. It just shows we're still human and performing naturally. Those are the traits, forces and instincts that impel us to do things. We find that's more true here in America. I'm glad I live where we have action and do things and can think and say things—who isn't? That restless American spirit has brought us:

The highest standard of living throughout this land so that now the masses enjoy more comforts and luxuries than did royalty of a century ago. Control of forty per cent of the total wealth of the world is lodged in this country where we have witnessed a pace of development and construction beyond human comprehension, and through science, research and invention our people are afforded a thousand useful appliances that add to their material welfare; notwithstanding an inalienable constitution freedom of speech, freedom of press and freedom of worship ever since the first settlers ran back the Indians.
No telling what this restless American spirit will bring tomorrow. So, Brother, wake up and work, wake up and live!

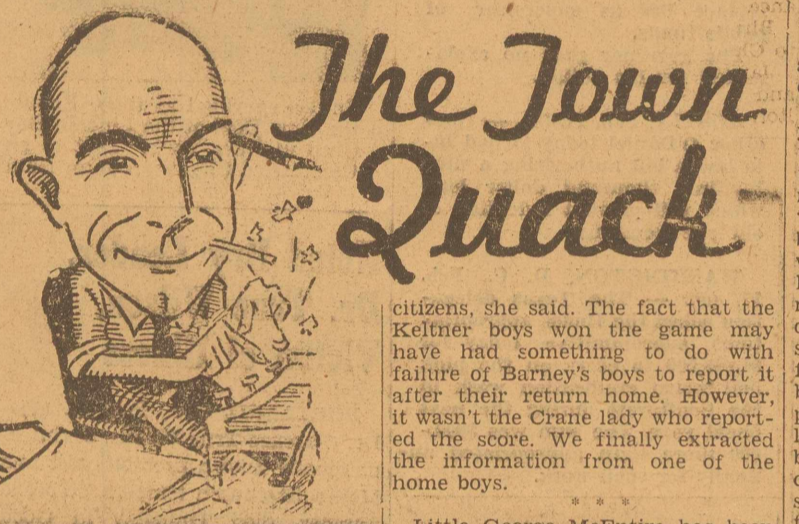
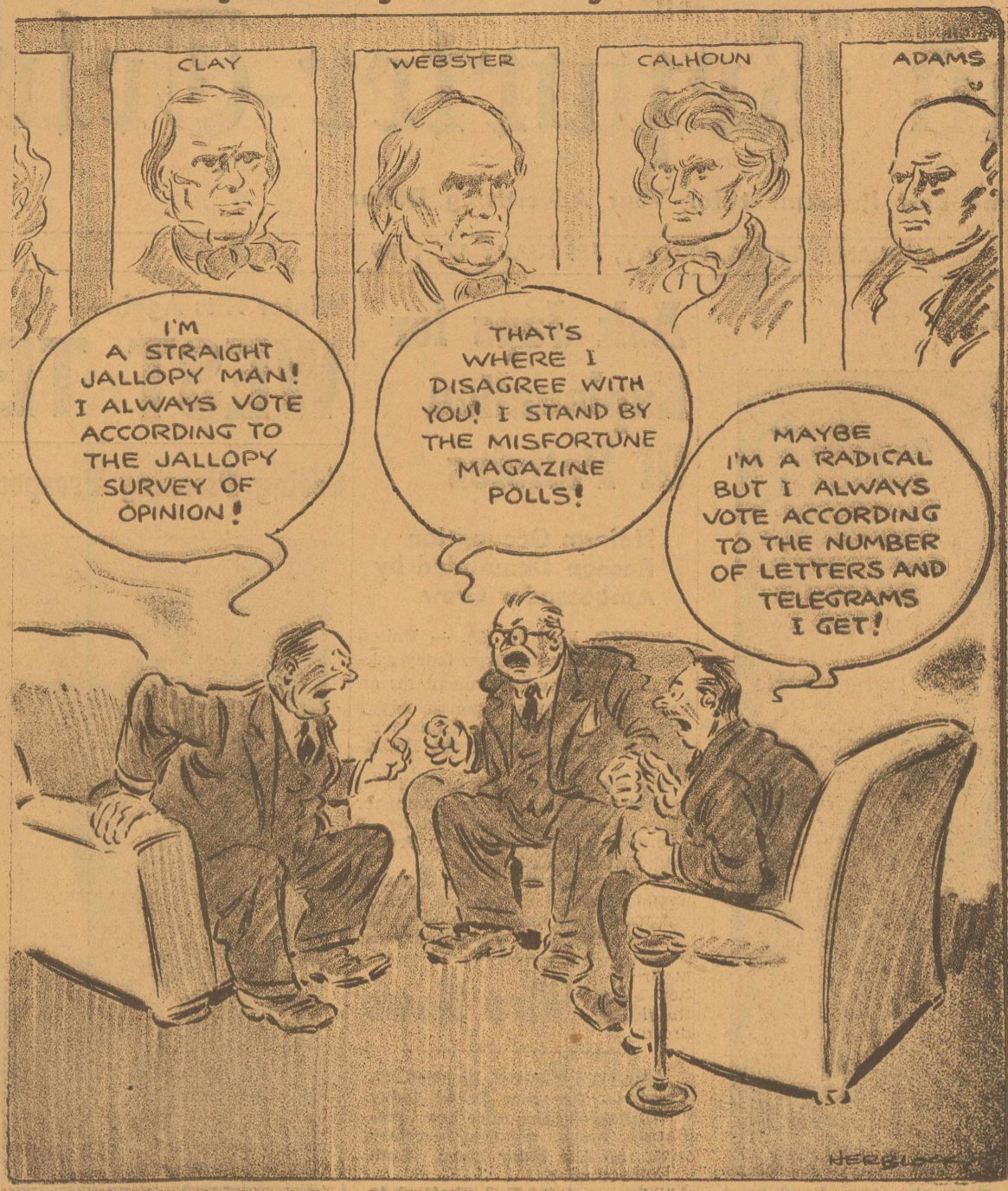
SLEUTH FROM FICTION

- 1, 8 Detective hero from fiction.
- 13 Opera melody.
- 14 Possessive pronoun.
- 15 Fence bar.
- 17 To let fall.
- 18 Charming.
- 20 Plural pronoun.
- 21 Type standards.
- 23 2000 pounds.
- 24 English coin.
- 27 Poem.
- 28 To suffice.
- 32 Ever.
- 36 Energy.
- 38 Coffin stand.
- 39 Stripped.
- 40 Constant companion.
- 41 Plant shoot.
- 43 Secured.
- 46 Pussy.
- 47 Whirlwind.
- 48 Five plus five.
- 49 Fish organ.
- 50 Keels over.
- 51 Exists.



- 17 He has remarkable powers of —.
- 18 Religious homage.
- 19 Fury.
- 21 He is the hero of a — of tales.
- 23 Golf device.
- 25 To lubricate.
- 27 Sea eagle.
- 28 Gave food to.
- 29 To abate.
- 31 To put on.
- 32 Wound.
- 33 Nominal value.
- 36 Cautious.
- 37 Upon.
- 39 Dandy.
- 40 Vulgar fellow because it had been introduced among the Children of Israel by the Gentile people. Senachrib boasted of capturing beds of ivory from Hizziah. "You will fall," said the prophet "like Hamath," which was of more dignity, as it stood on C.ontes river, then was Calneh. It was there in ancient time. For it was founded by the mighty hunter, Nimrod. Gath, once a proud metropolis of the Philistines, also had tattered over, how could the city of Samaria expect to stand with it intoxicated? He warns the church not to be at ease since the people are drinking in large vessels, even from bowls.
- 42 He is a most —imaginary sleuth.
- 44 Mouth part.
- 45 Officers' assistants.
- 5 Note in scale.
- 47 12 o'clock a. m.
- 49 Dined.
- 50 Musical note.
- 51 Explosive.
- 54, 55 He was created by
- 15 Hair fillet.
- 2 Concorde.
- 3 Cupid.
- 4 To tear stitches.
- 5 Note in scale.
- 6 Point of under jaw.
- 7 Relatives.
- 9 Measure.
- 10 To loiter.
- 11 Tone E.
- 52 Within.
- 53 Out of the way.

Are We Getting Something New in Congressmen?



J. Howard Hodge and wife visited Austin the other day, called on some friends and state officials and were informed that they were welcome guests, having been the only ones contacted who were not looking for a job of some sort.

A Crane lady, who says she has a reputation for always being last with the first news, writes to express the appreciation of women of that city for cooperation of the Midland Drug basketball team of Midland for playing against the Keltner Pharmacists of Crane in a benefit affair, proceeds going to a fund for new high school band uniforms. The visit of the Midland team was highly appreciated by the Crane

citizens, she said. The fact that the Keltner boys won the game may have had something to do with failure of Barney's boys to report it after their return home. However, it wasn't the Crane lady who reported the score. We finally extracted the information from one of the home boys.
Little George McEntire has been laid up for a few days, having flown home from Hot Springs with 103 degree fever about a week ago. But he still has his taste for jokes. Nobody has called on him or telephoned him without coming out about one joke ahead.

You have been reading about, or seeing, the improvements on the golf course and Country Club grounds. Well, not all the improvement is on the grounds. The women golf enthusiasts are promoting, once a month, a spaghetti supper, proceeds from which are going toward refurbishing and redecorating the interior of the club house. The next supper will be tomorrow night, and club members are urged to bring along guests for fun and frolic.

The Expensiveness of Intemperance May Drive Men Back to Temperance

By J. FRED COCKE
By intemperance then—cities with governments were overturned. There was idleness and needless pleasure because of excess use of distilled spirits. Churchmen were reproached and lost their influence because they indulged in excessive use of beverages. Men's mentality was delusioned because of liquor at that time. By intemperance now road accidents are increased. And decreased employment is a direct result of the manufacture of liquors.
1. Amos, the prophet, is warning the populace of the city of Samaria that they are going to fall if they do not stop using the toxin. He carries them back to their creative faculty to Calneh, the previous capitol of Syria, which had fallen. Then he says, "So shall ye fall, unless you stop stretching yourselves upon the beds of ivory, and in that reclining posture, drinking wine." This custom, while eating and drinking was likely rebuked because it had been introduced among the Children of Israel by the Gentile people. Senachrib boasted of capturing beds of ivory from Hizziah. "You will fall," said the prophet "like Hamath," which was of more dignity, as it stood on C.ontes river, then was Calneh. It was there in ancient time. For it was founded by the mighty hunter, Nimrod. Gath, once a proud metropolis of the Philistines, also had tattered over, how could the city of Samaria expect to stand with it intoxicated? He warns the church not to be at ease since the people are drinking in large vessels, even from bowls.
Then should not the church of our own America take the front in leading us as a nation out of this delirium into which we have fallen. The prophet took up a common phrase that age, "The time of evil and violence is not here, nor near." Hence they surmise it will not come today nor tomorrow, nor even in the next year; nor in the next five years. Oh, it may be a hundred years before destruction will come. But he exhorts that they not comfort themselves with such delusion. We, as a nation, should not inspire ourselves by saying that it does not matter.
It matters much, for all sensible, unselfish people are agreed that the intemperance beverage is something that should be more inconvenient for the boys, and even the

United States Treasury Is Best Protection for Peace

Private Debts Settled Because of Private Initiative; Public Debt Is Everybody's Business and Never Paid Off, Babson Says

By ROGER W. BABSON
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ST. PETERSBURG, Florida, Feb. 17.—Since 1933, nearly every economist, including myself, has predicted that we would have phoney dollars in the United States. Yet, after six years of the wildest spending spree on record, the American dollar is today the strongest currency on earth.
Furthermore, few economists are now worrying about it. Can it be that they were all mistaken? Will our dollar continue sound? Or have certain factors intervened to save us temporarily? I strongly feel that the latter is true. I am also positive that only a spiritual revival can save us from eventual trouble. Here, however, are eight reasons why our dollars is still good, despite our mammoth spending program:
1. **DEBT NO GREATER THAN IN 1929:** Total debt in the United States is no greater today than

ernment bonds. High prices have created the impression that United States Governments are the safest investment on earth. Yet, their ultimate value will depend on the ability of business to make money in order to pay taxes.

6. **INCREASE IN RAW MATERIAL SUPPLIES:** Another reason that the buying power of our dollar has not declined is because there are huge surpluses of nearly all raw materials. Since 1933, our output of copper, cotton, wheat, etc. has increased spectacularly. At the same time there have been feverish efforts by other countries to boost their production. For instance, the amount of foreign cotton grown has jumped 60 per cent since 1933.

7. **ALL NATIONS HAVE ABANDONED GOLD:** If all nations had been solidly on gold when the United States abandoned it in 1933, I believe the effects here would have been far more inflationary. However, the entire world drifted away from gold together. The government of every major nation is today spending far more money than it takes in. Our fiscal policies, have been unsound but the policies of most other nations have been even less sound. Actually, there is more gold behind the American dollar today than there is behind the pound, the franc, the yen, the lira, or the mark.

8. **UNSETTLED FOREIGN CONDITIONS:** When all is said and done, the United States and Canada are the soundest countries in the world in which to invest or to live. Billions of dollars of foreign "fear" money have been sent across the Atlantic—creating the biggest credit reserves in our history. Indentures of loans of one European country to another are now stipulating a "dollar clause" in the place of the old "gold clause," (such as in a recent Dutch loan to a French railroad). This means the world recognizes that the dollar is the strongest of all currencies. It may also mean a lack of faith in gold!

Despite eight years of dangerous policies, the United States and Canada ARE STILL the strongest nations financially. In a world where government credit generally is rotten, our credit is 100 per cent acceptable. Moreover, this precious asset can be maintained if reckless spending is stopped now!

STRONG CREDIT BEST DEFENSE

Let me remind those who urge continued spending and who shout against the necessity of arming against the dictators of Europe, of a famous conversation between an eminent Japanese and Theodore Roosevelt. The Japanese said: "No nation would dare to attack you. They would be attacking the strongest military machine in the world—the United States Treasury."
This statement is just as true now as 30 years ago. We can provide ourselves with far more protection against attack by stopping political raids on our own Treasury than by building naval stations on Guam Island, 3,000 miles out in the Pacific Ocean!

which adds to the joy, safety, security, health and efficiency of the individual and society. This American people will certainly listen to science and reason, and do something to check this thing which has been proven to be a poison to the body and to the brain and all nerves including the optic nerve.
The scientific facts of the grand army of evidence has been mustered out. The chemists reports are still in the front line trenches, crushing every argument the intoxicant stands at attention on. Then the economic facts are still on the firing line. Not one of them has surrendered. The liquor business is still a losing business for the public, and this government. When a man is put in jail for violating traffic regulations it costs to keep him there. To enforce law violations caused by liquor costs five times as much as taxes from the industry. Men will become informed and then will quit being indifferent to these things, and will bring us out of the dilemma into which we have fallen.

6. For the finished product liquor, there must be one million dollars worth sold to give employment to ninety-five working men. The forest products give employment to three hundred and eighty upon the sale of a million dollars of the finished product. The textile give employment to two hundred and ninety-seven workmen upon the sale of one million dollars of the finished product. And the leather industry gives two hundred and seventy-five men a job when selling a million dollars of its processed goods. The furniture, boot and shoe, and men's furnishings, employ more than three hundred workmen respectively for the million dollar sales respectively.

4. One of the sorrowful things concerning the expense of drink is that it costs some of posterity their balanced mentality. It is a poison which attacks the protoplasm in the body cells, along with the life germs. Thus affecting important organs; and thus endangering the offspring. This injury to the children of drunken parents takes the form of a disorganized nervous system, carrying in degree, from dull in school, to epilepsy, idiocy, and lunacy. These effects are seen in the third and fourth generation.

Experiments have been conducted in many countries, on many patients, by many investigators. The detailed reports show many various results. But there are several points in which they are all alike. (1) No one tested with alcohol has ever been more skillful or has done more of better work during the period of its influence. (2) Occasionally there is one who seems to show no effects during the period of the test, which may be hours, days or weeks. (3) The majority of those tested lower considerably the performance records they have established with no alcohol. (4) After taking alcohol self satisfaction, self confidence and self satisfaction of the subject increases. (5) At the same time his ability to perform decreases. In other words he might think he could leap over a wall but is less capable of leaping after the test than before. (6) He might think that he had forty thousand dollars when in reality he only had forty cents. Dr. Mayo said (in quoting from memory) "We are worth ninety-eight cents from our chin down in chemicals. If we lose a lower limb, he can use a wooden leg but we can not use a wooden leg."

5. The eyes are affected so that they can not determine distance and color. That, along with poor judgment and inability to think quickly is the result of drink, and the cause of many wrecks. The coroner in the city of Cleveland was engaged by the police department to make a series of tests on individuals arrested for traffic accidents. One hundred and twenty such were tested. And it was discovered that six showed "no alcohol." The "Business Men's Research Foundation" at Chicago has published that the cost of highway accidents in one year was \$2,273,000. The number of deaths by highway accidents the last few years has been over thirty thousand; regardless that the safety council and other agencies are striving assiduously. But more than one half of these accidents could have been avoided had it not been for drunk drivers.

Newton D. Baker has said that drunken drivers may yet force the return of prohibition upon the American people if they continue the slaughter of citizenry. And Mr. Fred E. Gannett, publisher of the Gannett chain of daily newspapers, says other words which make us pause. Increasing success of the liquor traffic to make drinkers out of non-drinkers and thus expand its profits, will mean the slow but sure destruction of adequate food, clothing, education, books, magazines, and every other good thing.

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Church Services

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Claude O. Crane, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Steps to Victory."
6:15 p. m. Training union. Dick Denham, director.
7:30 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Not Ashamed of the Gospel."
7:45 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
7:30 p. m. Thursday—Choir practice.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Church school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the theme, "You Can Take It With You."
6:30 p. m.—Intermediate League at the church. Senior League at the annex.
7:30 p. m.—Evening service. The young people of the church will present a program.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday. Wednesday evening service.
7:15 p. m. Thursday. Choir practice.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge
J. L. Kendrick, Church School Superintendent.
9:45 a. m. Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.
11:00 a. m. Divine worship. The minister will bring a message on "When a Nation Sinned."
6:00 p. m. Young people will meet at the church.
7:30 p. m.—People's Hour. The minister will speak on "Not in the Headlines."
7:15 p. m.—Tuesday—S. Brooks McClane will show pictures of the Tex-Mex industrial Institute.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Superintendent of Bible School.
Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music
Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Church Pianist
9:45 a. m. Bible school.
10:50 a. m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m.—Worship. Sermon by Dr. J. B. Holmes of Fort Worth, who will preach in the absence

of the pastor who is conducting a meeting at Big Spring. F. C. Cummings, layman, will be in charge of the service.
5:00 p. m. Junior-Intermediate Endeavor.
6:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Monday, Circle meetings.
7:30 p. m. Thursday. Choir practice.
Note: There will be no evening service Sunday because of the pastor's absence.

TRINITY CHAPEL EPISCOPAL
P. Walter Henckell, Minister
In Charge.
Richard Gile, Lay Reader.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Final service of the mission being conducted by Rev. F. B. Howden. Holy Communion service. Special collection for expenses of mission will be taken.

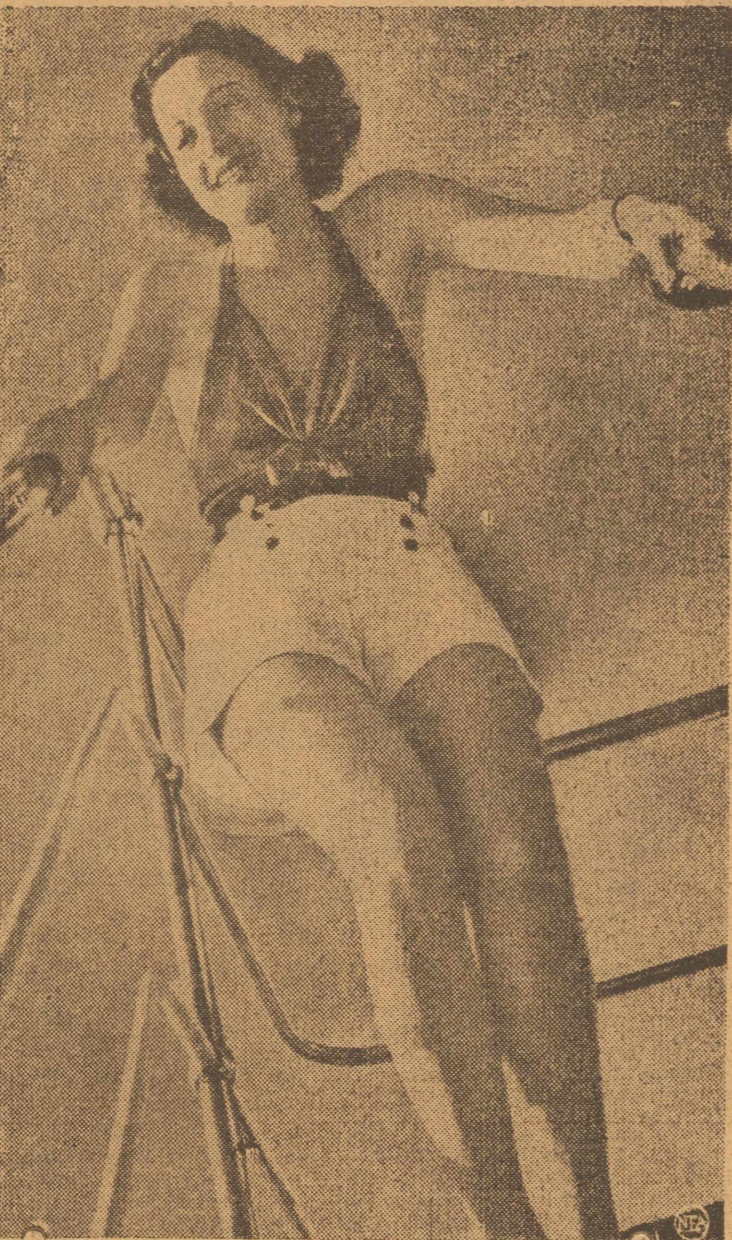
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.
"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 19.
The Golden Text is: "Be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous" (1 Peter 3:8).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 2:5).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "When we realize that there is one Mind, the divine law of love, our neighbor as ourselves in unfolded; whereas a belief in many ruling minds hinders man's normal drift toward the one Mind, one God, and leads human thought into opposite channels where selfishness reigns" (page 203).

NAOMI CLASS.
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.

MEN'S CLASS.
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
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Judge Charles L. Klapproth. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Harvey Chiuress, Minister
808 West Tennessee.
9:45 a. m. Bible school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
2:30 p. m. The pastor will speak on "The gospel of Christ" in a broadcast over the Midland radio station.
6:45 p. m. Young People's class.
7:30 p. m. Evening service.
2:00 p. m. Tuesday, Women's Bible class.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer meeting.

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10:30 a. m. Song service.
11:00 a. m. Preaching.
8:15 p. m. Preaching.
These services will be held each Lord's day.
8:15 p. m. Wednesday, Bible study.
The public is invited to attend.

HOLINESS TABERNACLE
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Pastor O. W. Roberts.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
T. H. Gaalman, Pastor.
Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Episcopal Church at 2:00 p. m. You are cordially invited.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
510 S. Baird
M. E. Stubblefield, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30 p. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Young People's meeting.
7:30 p. m. Friday, Prayer meeting.

biographical sketch of Chopin given without notes by Ann Ulmer. This was the only number on the program which was not extemporaneous.

The president, Elaine Hedrick, called upon the first student to play. She, in turn, called upon another and so on throughout the program.

Selections played were:
Piano solo—"Spanish Dance" (Rogers)—Clarissa Mann.
Piano—"Valse Argentinienne" (Thome)—Pauline Wingo.
Piano—"Rose in My Garden" (Williams)—Betty Jo Joplin.
Violin—"Betty's Waltz" (Martin) Edith Faye Collings with guitar accompaniment.
Piano—"Indian Dance by the Firelight" (Williams)—Billie Ann Hill.
Piano—"Hungary" (Koelling)—Alberta Smith.
Trombone—"Country Garden"—James Kerr with guitar accompaniment.
Violin—"Turkey in the Straw" (Arr by Grooms)—Charles Barron.
Elaine Hedrick, president, was in

Announcements

SATURDAY
Tickets for the spaghetti supper to be given at the Country Club Saturday night for Country Club members and their guests are now on sale. They may be obtained, at 75 cents each, from Miss Dorothy Henderson at the Book Stall. The supper is set for 7:30 o'clock.

Story Hour will be held at the children's library Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

Robyn Members Have Extemporaneous Musical Program
Robyn Junior Music club presented a "pop program" at its regular weekly meeting at Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Wednesday afternoon.
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First Steps on the Road to Middle Age Should Be Youthfully Graceful Ones

By ALICIA HART
NEA Service Staff Writer.

Experts agree that a woman is no younger than her walk. If you, on your thirtieth birthday, are determined that your steps shall remain light and graceful through the years, begin now to do limbering, stretching, posture and walking—yes, walking—exercises regularly.

protruding stomach, a thick diaphragm and a sunken chest will make any woman seem years older than she is. By all means learn to stand with stomach pulled in, chest high, shoulders square but not held stiffly and backbone in as straight a line as possible.

An exaggerated hollow in the center of the spinal column is the most prevalent cause of bad posture.

You can do this exercise in an elevator, while standing beside the telephone waiting for a number—in fact, any time you happen to be near a flat wall and have a few spare minutes:

Stand about ten inches away from the wall. Now lean backward toward the wall, making the center of your backbone touch it. In the beginning, don't try to make shoulders touch the flat surface. Concentrate on pressing the middle of your spine against it.

Peel stomach flat, chest become higher, hips seem narrower. Hold the position for a second or two. Relax and repeat. Pretty soon you'll be able to make all of your backbone, except the very end of it, touch the wall. End of spine should be tilted upward and forward away from the wall.

After you have done this exercise several times, try to walk as you were standing. It won't be easy at first, but, later on, you'll wonder how you were comfortable during the days when your posture was so dreadful.

Two Are Guests At Needlecraft Club Meeting

Mrs. Anita Willets Burnham and Mrs. O. K. Baker were guests of the Needlecraft club in their meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Nils Winter, 905 W. Michigan.

Mrs. Burnham, lecturer, author, and artist who is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed DeLoach, did not lecture to the group but told some of her experiences informally. She also made a watercolor sketch of Mrs. Winter's small son during the afternoon.

Club hours were devoted by the members to needlework.

At ten time a refreshment plate was served to Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Burnham, and the following members: Mesdames Wallace Ford, O. R. Jeffers, Geo. Phillips, A. W. Wyatt, M. L. Wyatt, Alvin Johnson, Ed DeLoach, and the hostess.

The club will meet on Thursday of next week with Mrs. Geo. Phillips.

Walk Briskly.
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charge of the meeting and Charles Barron, secretary, read the minutes.

Dorothy Lynch and Joyce Vaughan presided at the attendance card.

Birthday greetings were extended to Clarissa Mann.

James Kerr was a new member and Mrs. Charlie Kerr was a visitor.

The osprey, a bird that lives on fish, can neither dive nor swim. Potter wasps build beautiful, vase-like mud cells, which they use as nests.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Seven things can equal the effectiveness of draperies to bestow an air of hominess and daintiness on a room. And in these days of expensive and pretty, colorful curtains and materials, it behooves every housewife to determine that she will squeeze into her budget somewhere, somehow the small cost of bright, crisp curtains if those she has have begun to grow drab and limp.

There are all kinds of designs and materials these days. The two-tone curtains (or even the triple-tone ones) are lovely and something refreshingly different for your bedroom. And you may have your choice of all sorts and sizes of dots, from the fuzzy ones to the flat, woven ones.

Various and sundry types of fringing or ball trimmings are in high favor. And, of course there is the old standby of the ruffie.

Tremendously wide curtains that drape criss-cross each other so they are doubled at the top of the window are being used.

Altogether, there is hardly a limit to the kind of curtain you may have. Just think up what you want and it is fairly certain to be in good style.

If you prefer to make your draperies, there are materials to suit all fancies and all purses from the 10 cent marquisette or scrim (you'd be surprised what nice-looking curtains it makes when touched off with a bit of color) to the heavy expensive draperies that have their proper background in a room of luxury and expensive furnishings.

Gold and peach color and rose for brightness, green and blue for coolness, sombre shades for dignity—you can find them all to match your every mood in the drapery departments in your cities.

And white—we still think few things can surpass white alone or with touches of color, for curtains, especially for bedrooms.

Someday we hope we'll learn to

Approximately 100 Attend Benefit Parties of Club

Attendance of approximately 100 was reported for the benefit games parties sponsored by Palette club Thursday afternoon and night.

Eleven tables of games were played in the afternoon party at the home of Mrs. G. H. Butler, 933 N. Baird. Eight tables were played in the evening at her home. Five tables were played at the evening party given by Mrs. Ben W. Smith at the Haley Hotel.

Numbers were drawn for prizes which were handpainted pictures. Prizes in the afternoon party went to Mrs. E. C. Hitchcock, Mrs. Allen Tolbert and Mrs. Eula Mahoney. In the evening party, awards went to Miss Theresa Klapproth, Mrs. Thelma Estes Brown, and Billy Sparks. The latter was not present but had purchased a ticket and his name was drawn.

Mrs. Cordelia Taylor drew the lucky numbers.

Refreshments suggestive of the Washington's Birthday holiday were served.

Proceeds of the party will start the club's studio building fund.

be forwarded about things—like always bringing a scarf or bandana to the office with us just in case a sandstorm like yesterday's comes up—even though the morning may be bright and still and sunny and just right for a hat when we start off to work.

It pays to be prepared for the worst—during the sandstorm season.

NEW YORK (UP)—A book which disappeared from the Brooklyn Public Library 27 years ago has been returned from San Diego where it was found in a second-hand bookstore. The book, "Two-Sunny Winters in California," by Gullelma Crosfield, was reported lost in 1911.

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McCamey and Wink Favored To Win Out

High school basketball teams and fans from 10 West Texas counties were gathered here today for the district 31 championship tournament—the first ever held in Midland.

Ten teams were entered this morning and six games were to be played today and tonight and four tomorrow afternoon and night.

Winner of the tournament here this week will go to the regional championship in Abilene next week, competing against three other district champions—also to be decided this week—in the area west of Midland.

McCamey and Wink, two schools entered here, boast by far the best records of any teams entered in the tournament here and as the luck of the draw placed them in different brackets the two are given an excellent chance of meeting in the final game tomorrow night for the championship. Both teams had additional good luck by drawing byes in the first round matches this afternoon.

However, both will swing into action tonight.

First game of the tournament was to find the Courtney and Andrews teams meeting at the high school gymnasium this afternoon at 1:30. Both clubs have been defeated frequently this season and neither is seriously considered as a championship threat.

In the second game of the afternoon, the Midland high school Bulldogs were to meet a reputedly weak Seminole team. The game started at 2:30 (Scores of the first two games will be found on page one).

To Odessa and Crane clubs were to meet at 3:30 in a game that was booked as a "natural." During the past week, the two clubs have played two games with each club winning one.

Garden City, "dark horse" club of the tournament, and Big Lake were slated to meet at 4:30. The Garden City team, because of form shown in recent games, is favored to advance to the second round without too much trouble.

Play will be resumed after a two-hour lay-off—at 7:30 tonight—with the McCamey Badgers meeting the winner of the Andrews-Courtney game. At 8:30 Wink will meet the winner of this afternoon's game between Midland and Seminole.

Play in the tournament will start tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock with the winner of the Odessa-Crane game meeting the winner of the McCamey-Andrews or Courtney game. At three o'clock in the afternoon the winner of the Garden City-Big Lake game will meet the winner of the Wink-Midland or Seminole game.

Defeated semi-finalists will meet at 7:30 tomorrow night and the two undefeated teams left in the tournament will meet at 8:30 for the championship.

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JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Written by students of John M. Cowden Junior High School, under direction of Miss Louise Latham

P. E. IN JUNIOR HIGH

Mr. Kimbriel.

The P. E. department of our Junior High school does not afford every opportunity that would be expected in a physical education department that has been functioning over a number of years. Our department is not equipped up-to-date because it is yet in its infancy.

The biggest thing in our P. E. program is to teach the individual the spirit of cooperation and of sportsmanship, not only in games but in life. That is our aim and our chief purpose in the department at the present time.

Each day every student in the Junior High school is given thirty minutes of outdoor activity, not including the lunch hour nor the regular recess periods. During these thirty-minute activity periods, the students participate in group games such as volleyball, basketball, soft ball, and touch ball.

Every student enrolled in the school is required by state law to slip in an examination given by the family physician. We have been very fortunate in these exemptions. Up to date there is not a student in the Junior High school who is physically unfit to participate in the games.

The P. E. department is new, but is growing in favor with the students each day. Why shouldn't something grow that promotes health, sportsmanship, integrity, and a better understanding of one's fellow man?

SELF-RELIANCE

Bobby Ruth Conn.

Self-reliance means to rely upon oneself. Without it no individual can succeed in becoming anything or anybody. One cannot expect to make a mark in the world today without trusting, and using, his own judgment and capabilities.

For example, we hear the story of two friends, one a man who was timid and had no self-reliance or confidence in himself. He remained a clerk in a store with a small salary. The other man, a boyhood chum, was so self-reliant and confident that he could get somewhere in the world that he eventually became the owner of several business concerns. This illustrates what self-reliance will do for a person, and how much it helps him in the different walks of life.

We would not be living in a progressive world today if it were not for the acquired or natural characteristic of self-reliance. One of our greatest American writers and philosophers, Ralph Waldo Emerson, has given us many wise suggestions in his essay titled "Self-Reliance." His opinion is that this type is an essential to a happy and useful life as are intelligence, character and courage.

VOTING—A PATRIOTIC DUTY.

John Perkins.

We as Americans usually think and even say that we are patriotic in every way. But let's take a look at some of our activities toward voting. Sometimes a few of us will look into the coming year and say to ourselves, "Well, I don't think I'll vote this year, so I won't pay my poll tax." When we do things like this, we simply show that we do not care about our country nor the community in which we live, at least as far as its leaders are concerned. By not casting a vote for the candidate you think best, you show that you care nothing about your government.

When you look at the same situation in a different way, you see another thing. The poll tax that you pay for the right to vote goes not to some high official's salary, but to the school fund, which gives your children free education. Free schools cost the government a huge sum of money, and the patriotic person should try to help.

This one point is just a small part of the things which we do that are unpatriotic. To name another one, think of the way we will overwhelmingly elect a man to public office and then spend our time criticizing him. If we elect a

THE WEEKLY ARGUMENT.

Should Students Have Homework? They Should Not!

Billie Bob King.

Studying is different from an ordinary duty. In fact it is more tiresome than the average one; therefore, the hours spent in school during the day are in my opinion enough time to keep a student's concentration on various subjects and to keep him interested in his work.

Of course this is true only if those are put into effect properly. After school is out, a student should have time to rest his mind so he will be eager to begin his work for the following day. Moreover when school is out, he will in all probability have some work or regular duties. And, of course, he should have some play. Too much study and time indoors is bad for growing children. Exercise and play are

WHO'S WHO.

We should like for you to meet our big fellow in 7A, Mike Buffington, who hails from the plains of New Mexico. He enrolled in school last semester just in time to become a heroic carrier of the pigskin and to win a sweater in the sport.

Mike is a quiet fellow who evi-

H-SU Class Honors Go to Quartette Members



Hardin-Simmons University students, at Abilene, Tex., elected three members of the university's varsity quartette as class presidents. Aaron Grant, Breckenridge, first tenor, heads the senior class. Jack Dean, Russellville, Tenn., second tenor, is sophomore president. Freshman class head is Ray McCullough, Big Spring, bartitone. Junior class president is Kirk McKinnon, Lamesa, quarterback on the H-SU Cowboyo grid team. A quartette of coed beauties serve as class secretaries: Jeannell Green, Abilene, seniors; Maurice King, Wichita Falls, juniors; Kathleen Nunnally, Anson, sophomores, and Lillian Patten, Clovis, N. M., freshmen.

dently had rather be seen and not heard. This doesn't mean that he's a wooden image in class because he fairly "sets up" the history. His quietness usually means that he's studying and not wasting his time in idle prattle.

You won't find a better fellow anywhere—just a hard-working, dependable guy, with a swell disposition.

LETTERS BACK HOME.

Shanghai, China
February 17, 1939

Dear Miss Latham,

I am now in Shanghai, and as you have already guessed, I visited the Great Wall of China.

The wall is the most colossal line of defense in the world, being 1,500 miles long. It is called in Mongolian the White Wall, and in Chinese, the Wall of 1000,000 Li. The structure is about twenty-two feet high, and twenty feet broad, with towers at intervals of a few hundred yards. It will reach as far from New York City to Omaha, or from the city of Quebec to Winnipeg. The wall is built of brick filled with earth and covered with a very hard coating of bricks in lime.

I can't say that there is anything so beautiful about the structure, but I enjoyed hearing its history and looking at it more than experiencing the effects of the Colosseum, and the Catacombs.

At least, it doesn't seem to tell quite so much gruesome, bloody history. I have heard of the great Chinese Wall all of my life being under the impression that it was built by the Chinese to defend themselves at the time they figured they had reached their peak of civilization centuries ago. But they tell me that it was erected for the sole purpose of keeping out the barbaric onslaught of the Tartars. Imagine this structure built in the third century B. C. and still in a good state of preservation! Not so bad for the heathen Chinese, eh?

Still traveling,
Janice.

Peach Valley, Tenn.
February 17, 1939.

JUNIOR HIGH INVITED TO HIGH SCHOOL.

Neilie Elkin Brunson.

The celebrated violinist, Josef Piastro, who played February 13, played again Tuesday in High School assembly for the High School students and the students in Junior High who take music from private teachers. Teachers from Junior High and North and South Ward were also invited.

Mr. Piastro played several selections from his last group that he had played on Monday night. After he had played several numbers, he announced that it was Mr. Luckey's birthday and suggested that we all sing, "Happy Birthday." We appreciated the invitation and enjoyed the program very much.

THE BOYS' GLEE CLUB.

Bill Wells.

The Junior High School boys of the sixth and seventh grades have organized a glee club. Today they elected officers for it. They were as follows:

Leon York, President.
Gene Hayes, Secretary.
John Pittman, Sergeant-at-arms.
Bill Well, Reporter.

The members number thirty-eight. They are a mighty fine bunch of boys.

The club made two rules: If the Sergeant-at-arms puts a member out of the room three times, he is dropped from the club, and if he is absent three times without a good excuse, he is also dropped from the club.

The song the boys like best and seem to sing best is "Anchors Aweigh." The boys are going to present a program on February 22, 1939. The boys think they can sing a lot better than the girls. On the Washington program they will have a chance to show that they can.

LOCAL COLOR.

Colleen Oates.

Any visitor in Midland Junior High would know by the clothing in general that this is West Texas. Of course, we don't carry six-shooters and lariat ropes but some of us dress cowboy style. Some of the girls not only wear bandanas and bright shirts, but also wear cowboy boots and blue "duckins." There are any number of boys who wear cowboy boots, mostly for looks and not for service.

If one girl wears a new style handkerchief, you may see dozens of others in a day or two wearing handkerchiefs of every hue and of every size.

Several days ago the girls started wearing bows to keep their hair plumed back. The bows got higher and higher, and now they are being worn on top of the head. Then we wonder why someone has said that people are like sheep.

OUR NEW SONG BOOKS.

Mary Frances Carter

People always like to read their favorite stories over and over, and they also like to sing the old songs. Such songs as "Old Black Joe,"

Mustang Boys Club Column

The First Annual Mustang Pet Parade will march through the streets of Midland at an early date. At present it is the major project with the Mustang boys, occupying much of their time and imagination. When the "Pied Piper" toots his tooter on that notorious Saturday morning, not only pet rats, but every conceivable thing that crawls or walks or wiggles will scurry from its favorite hole to parking place and assume a position of prominence, as a certified pet in the Mustang Pet Parade. Without even consulting their pets, 42 boys have already entered their beloved varmints. Its a thousand to one that come casualties amounting to near disaster will punctuate the line of march through the streets, for who ever saw that many different pets all behave at once as perfectly good little pets should behave. Any way there will be plenty of fun for all, with even the pets themselves joining in the struggle to keep a sober face. No doubt the "Laughing Jacks" will poke a lot of fun at "The Home-Gravy Pussy Cat," and the Toothless Rooster will be sure to pick on the Under-privileged Tape-worm. Nuff said.

The following boys won their fights at the boxing shindig last Saturday night: B. Voorheis, Napoleon Whigham, Rodney Baker, Tom Tisdale, Bobby Scipioni, Calvin Daughtry, Loner Greene, Raymond Wheeler, Harvey (Little Smokey) Woods, William Raney.

For this coming Saturday night at 8:15 the following tentative bouts have been arranged: John Olliff—David Bizzell, Hershel Parks—Leo Merriman (if shoulder O. K.), Jimmy Slaughter—Wild Bill Franks, James Truelove—Smoky Woods, Little Smokey (Curley) Woods—L. C. Hobbs, John Pittman—(Undecided), Raymond Wheeler (undecided), Robt. Voorheis—Jack Kenney (if ankle O. K.), Joe Whitmire—Louis Wingo, Calvin Daughtry—Mack Cook, T. C. Berry (undecided), Johnny Ward—Kenneth Wallis. The gates are wide open for lots of fun and fiddledicks.

Wednesday night Calvin Daughtry and Monroe Patton took all honors as master mits in finding the present location of the much-wanted international diamond smugglers. Doyle DeArman uncovered the dry and dusty bones of the ancient Egyptian queen—She-tut-tut wife of King He-tut-tut. Nuff Sed.

Mr. Kimbriel went to Lampasas Saturday.

Betty Sara McCarroll is a new student in 7B. She came from Cisco.

The schlag ball tournament is over. 7D is the champion team. They all wear hats a size larger.

The new P. E. activity is bicycle racing. Anyone wanting to donate to suffering humanity send any first aid supplies to Junior High School care P. E. Department.


Miss Priebe has caught her ride to Dallas at last. She will hear Nellson Eddie sing Friday. If he smiles at her, we'll be minus a music teacher.

Miss Latham was a member of the Castor Oil Club Monday. Mrs. Gilbreth taught in her place.

Miss Stout went to El Paso over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreth spent the week-end in Abilene.

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Demands Hearing



Labor Secretary Frances Perkins, above, met demands by Representative J. Parrnell Thomas of New Jersey for her impeachment.

10-Bedrooms
FOR RENT: Nice bedroom. Call 616.

10-a-Room & Board
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11-Employment
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12-Situations Wanted
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15-Miscellaneous
A new shipment of Fox Hats arrived today at the Ritz Hat Shop.

Market Week Slated

LUBBOCK.—Retail buyers from over West Texas and Eastern New Mexico will gather in Lubbock.

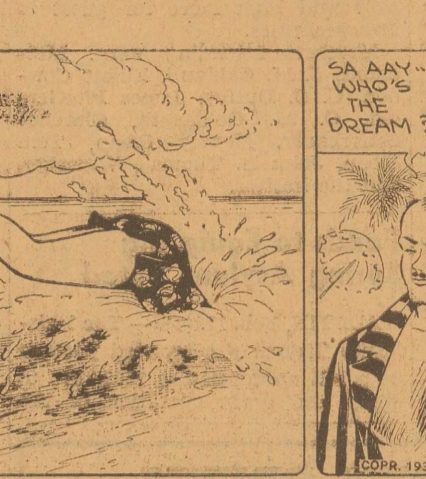
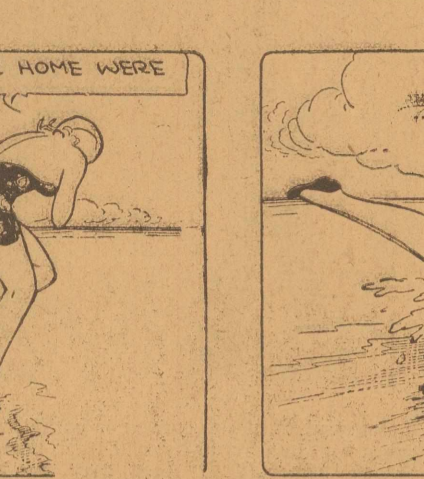
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AUSTIN.—Forerunning a proposed Pan-American institute at the University of Texas.

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ALLEY OOP (continued) YEP! ZEL AN' HER PAW WILL ARRIVE AT OOLALA'S

Political Announcements (continued) Subject to the action of the City Election.

ALLEY OOP (continued) I SHOULD SAY NOT! WE'RE GOIN' ON A HONEYMOON!

MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE (continued) DO I HAVE TO WORK TODAY, MYRA?

ALLEY OOP (continued) I SHOULD SAY NOT! WE'RE GOIN' ON A HONEYMOON!

MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE (continued) MORNING! URSA - WHAT'S ALL THIS?

By EDGAR MARTIN SA AAY... WHO'S THE DREAM?

By ROY CRANE ALLEY OOP (continued) WELL, FOOSY NOW YOU'VE GOT YER LICE...

By V. T. HAMLIN ALLEY OOP (continued) WELL, FOOSY NOW YOU'VE GOT YER LICE...

By RAY THOMPSON AND CHARLES COLL ALLEY OOP (continued) WELL, FOOSY NOW YOU'VE GOT YER LICE...

By MERRILL BLOSSER ALLEY OOP (continued) WELL, FOOSY NOW YOU'VE GOT YER LICE...

By J. R. WILLIAMS OUR BOARDING HOUSE (continued) I HAVE COME TO INQUIRE...

OUR BOARDING HOUSE (continued) I HAVE COME TO INQUIRE...

Odessa BYPU Host To Midland Group At Recent Social

Members of the B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church of Odessa entertained the B. Y. P. U. of Midland at the Odessa church Tuesday night. The groups played Hearts and Chinese checkers for entertainment. After the games, refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

Going from here were: Boerne Kidwell, Louise Whitson, James Metzger, C. M. Edwards, Mary Lou Whitaker, Ann Blackburn, Genell Conner, Mayme Redding, Barney Barnhill, Marton Neill, H. W. Haynie, Neil Bounds, Buster Kudelka, Dorothy Hines, Jerry Priestbridge, Walter Johnson, Eula Faye Whitson, Leond Aldredge, Alice Lippold, Elwanda Hays, Howard Palmer, Emma Mae Richman, Vivian Glidewell, Helen Ruth Merrell, Dorothy Copeland, Alta Merrell, Dewey Dale, Lewis Fickett, Haskell Wadkin.

Mrs. House Chooses Washington Motif For Bridge Party

Tallies and score pads for the bridge games and the party plate served at the tea hour all carried out the George Washington Birthday motif, when Mrs. John House was hostess to the 1928 club with an afternoon bridge at her home, 910 W. Kansas, Thursday.

Tulips and other spring flowers were used in the party rooms.

Mrs. Paul S. Oles and Mrs. Geo. McEntire Jr. were guests.

High score for club members in the games went to Mrs. Ed M. Whitaker and high score for guest to Mrs. McEntire.

Members attending were: Mesdames J. M. Caldwell, Elliott Cowden, C. C. Duffey, James FitzGerald, C. M. Goldsmith, Clarence Schabauer, Harvey Sloan, Tom Sloan, John B. Thomas, Whitaker, and the hostess.

Half-a-Calf-High, a Dollar Heavy



At the price of ten cents per pound, which some calves have brought recently, this animal would have been worth a dollar. Born recently at the Elmer Bizzell farm, this little Roan Durham weighed only ten pounds and was thirteen inches high. The picture shows the calf when it was a day old, making its first tour of the Midland shopping district in company with Bizzell's granddaughter, Jerry Fay, not yet two years old. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bizzell. The calf's mother is a normal sized cow and its sire is an 1,800-pound Durham bull.

George Washington Theme Chosen for Ace High Bridge

A George Washington theme in keeping with the approaching holiday of Washington's Birthday dominated appointments for the afternoon party with which Mrs. S. P. Hazlip entertained the Ace High club at her home, 1007 W. Tennessee, Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Haygood was the only guest.

Two tables of bridge furnished diversion for the afternoon.

Members present were: Mesdames Jimmie Burton, Paul Davis, Walter Henderson, W. M. Holmes, P. A. Nelson, Pat Ruckman, and the hostess.

Next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. W. M. Holmes.

McCamey School Head Retained for Year

MCCAMEY, Feb. 17. — Howard E. Stoker, who is now serving his first year as superintendent of the McCamey Public School, was re-elected for the 1939-40 school term at the regular February meeting of the board of education.

Mr. Stoker came to McCamey from Arlington where he had served as principal of the Arlington High school for 10 years.

Principals for the coming term will be elected at the March meeting, members of the faculty will be elected at the April meeting and the remainder of the school personnel to be named at the May meeting.

Pony Express Race Sponsor Advertisises Unique Spectacle

Pricing on sale "Pony Express stamps," to be used in what is called the "longest horse race in history," L. A. Parton, manager of the Nocona chamber of commerce was here today advertising the event which starts March 1 and ends when the first rider reaches the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco.

The Pony Express Race is open to riders from anywhere, each man to use two horses, keeping one horse ahead by truck or trailer while he rides the other. Parton said he expected forty three contestants to be in the race.

The riders, leaving Nocona March 1 at the crack of a pistol, will pass through Wichita Falls, Throckmorton, Abilene, Midland, El Paso, Phoenix along the Broadway of America, going to San Francisco. They will pass through here March 4. Pony Express stamps, to be placed on covers from Midland, will be available at the chamber of commerce, such letters to be picked up by riders as they reach here. They do not become United States mail until they reach San Francisco. The winner will receive \$750, Parton said.

Oil News—

(Continued from page 1)

Lovington Pool
Three miles west and northwest of production in the Lovington pool of Lea county, N. M., Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1 Humble-State is drilling at 5,144 feet in lime, circulating oil. Fairly soft lime was evidenced by drilling time from 5:07-56, 5:09-7 to 5:10-2 and from 5:11-10-15. Standoff No. 2 State, half-mile north of production in the south end of the pool, is drilling at 1,335 feet in red rock.

Repollo No. 2-197 State, north outpost to the northwest extension area of the Vacuum pool in Lea, is drilling at 4,598 feet in lime.

Shell No. 1 Harwood permit, in southern Roosevelt county, is drilling lime past 5,796 feet.

Ector Extension Test
Atlantic and R. R. Rhodes No. 1-D Johnson, Ector extension test a mile north of the Foster pool, is drilling at 4,490 feet in anhydrite.

T. P. No. 1 Holt, a half-mile east of the north end of the North Cowden pool in Ector, is drilling lime at 4,385 feet in lime, unchanged. Three-quarters of a mile west

of the north end of the pool, Sinclair-Prairie No. 1 Fay Holt is moving in standard tools. It is bottomed at 4,100 feet in lime and has 7-inch pipe cemented at 3,998.

Atlantic & Standard No. 1-B Cowden, two miles south of the Emma pool in Andrews, showed some free oil in bailing down to bottom at 4,310 feet early today. It is now shut down to determine rate at which oil rises in the hole. Operators plan to acidize tomorrow.

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Funds to Equip Big Spring Asylum Voted

AUSTIN, Feb. 17. (P) — The legislature Thursday completed passage of a bill appropriating \$199,916 to equip and begin operation of the new state insane hospital at Big Spring.

Southwest Aviation Conference Slated

FORT WORTH, Feb. 17. — Representation from every city in the Southwest which has an airport, or is ambitious to secure one, is expected at the Southwest Aviation Conference which will be held in Fort Worth March 2-3-4. Speakers at the meeting will include a member of the foremost military and civil aviation authorities in the United States, including Maj. Al Williams, former U. S. Navy and Marine Corps flier; Clinton M. Hester, administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority; Brig. Gen. Barton K. Young, assistant chief of the U. S. Air Corps in charge of training; Maj. A. B. McMullen, chief of the Airport Division of the C. A. A.; W. G. Skelly, oil company executive, and several others.

Interested in aviation will be present at the meeting. Headquarters will be at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth. Special events planned include three luncheons, a barbecue and rodeo and a banquet.

Subjects to be discussed by the speakers are all of them of the greatest interest to all interested in aviation, according to D. L. Johnson, general chairman of the Fort Worth chamber of commerce Aviation Committee, which committee is in charge of arrangements. Maj. Williams, who has recently returned from Europe, will discuss "Our National Air Policy." Brig. Gen. Young will take for his subject "The Air Corps and National Security." Maj. McMullen will report on the recent national airport survey. Skelly will discuss "Air Progress in the Southwest," and Hester will describe "The Value of Civil Aviation to the National Defense."

Mission to Close Sunday Morning

Following a Holy Communion service and litany held this morning, the sermon preached by Rev. F. B. Howden at the Episcopal mission service tonight will be on "An Amendment."

There will be no morning service Saturday. It has been announced, but the 7:30 a. m. evening service will be entitled "Mortarium" and will be based on the scripture, "I Am The Bread of Life." It will be a special service of meditation and preparation for the Sunday Holy Communion.

Last night's sermon by Mr. Howden was on "Revolution" and dealt with the Christian pattern as a design for living.

Song services for the meeting are led by Rev. P. Walter Henckell.

Today Mr. and Mrs. Henckell and Mr. Howden were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy McMillian. Tonight Mr. Howden will be entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Henckell by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turpin.

Saturday the three visitors will be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Daniel.

Final service of the meeting will be Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

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