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MEADOR CASE IS ARGUED MONDAY

Attorneys For Defense and Prosecution Sum Up Evidence—Three and One-Half Hours Allotted

TO JURY LATE MONDAY

Case Scheduled to go to Hands of Jury Late Monday Afternoon—Courtroom Packed Early

Exactly at 7:45 Monday morning, one hour and fifteen minutes before the arguments in the sensational Meador murder case were scheduled to begin, early arrivals filled the front rows in the district court room. From that period on the crowd came steadily, until at ten minutes after nine o'clock, when Judge Leslie began reading his charge to the jury, the room contained a vast throng, every possible inch of space was occupied, spectators were lined around the walls, standing in the windows and many were in the run-around above.

After admonishing the great throng against even the slightest demonstration, Judge Leslie announced that he would allow seven hours' time for arguing the case, the time to be evenly divided between the defense and state counsel.

The defense announced that Clay McClelland and W. W. Beall would speak for one hour each and Lud Williams would close for the defense with an hour and a half. District Attorney Jas. T. Brooks and special attorney D. W. Baker agreed to equally divide their three hours, the former closing.

Mr. Baker opened his address promptly at 9:30. Beginning calmly and methodically, Attorney Baker soon launched into a bitter exhortation of both Andy and Bill Meador. He mentioned the brilliant array of legal talent employed by the defendant and cautioned the jury that it was the old trick of criminal lawyers to stress a mass of technical details to the jury in an effort to "pull the wool over their eyes," and when referring to the slain man's past reputation the speaker emphasized the fact that "you are not trying a dead man but have listened to the true and honest facts of a man foully murdered."

"When those foxy criminal lawyers, so well versed in the tricks of the trade, see their client facing the gallows they attempt to lead you men of the jury all over the State of Oklahoma, mentally following the alleged crimes of Asa Rawls; they have presented "detective" McConnell, who dogged the very footsteps of Mrs. Rawls, trying to get something on her, and they brought into this court characters too revolting and distasteful to mention.

At another point Baker, fairly shouting, said that "the victim, hog-tied, was made to sit powerless while the cowardly assassins abused his wife, perpetrated a series of unthinkable cruelties to the man and after beating him into insensibility, completed the job with a powerful 30-30 Winchester."

Defense Opens
Mr. Baker closed his address at 11 o'clock, following a 20-minute recess, Clay McClelland kept the floor for an hour in which he made a powerful speech. He briefly sketched the story of the murder, beginning at the period where the slain man was tied and emphasized the killing was not premeditated. "They (meaning the state counsel) are trying to make you gentlemen believe that Andy and Bill Meador had planned to murder Asa Rawls and they are asking you to believe that they kept Rawls standing in the road two hours waiting for the sheriff to arrive and see the murder committed," McClelland shouted.

"Think, gentlemen of the jury," McClelland continued, "just imagine if you were going to murder a man, would you have your little sons and a young daughter crowded into a small touring car, to carry them to the scene of the murder? It is absurd. Yet they are asking you to believe that murder was in the hearts of Andy and Bill when they got in that car and drove up the road.

"When Asa Rawls got loose in that car—and, he did get loose, according to the testimony—he started a life and death struggle; one that resulted in his own death and your verdict should acquit Bill Meador who undoubtedly shot in self defense and for the safety of his father."

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Critic of Texas Pioneers Has Big Battle In Sight

By International News.
FORT WORTH, Texas, March 31.—Stuart Henry, author of Paris, France, who in a recent article in the Literary Digest, criticized Texas Pioneers as being "wisened, weary, gaunt, homely and sordid creatures," has, from all appearances, a battle royal on his hands.

Throughout the State there comes the repeated reports that various civic and fraternal organizations have hastily passed resolutions condemning Stuart for his statement, demanding replies are being framed.

Further explanation and in some cases Stuart's scoffing of the pioneer Texas was embodied in stinging denunciations of Emerson Hough's "North of 36."

The Southwestern Political and Social Associations together with the Texas Livestock Association are leading the demand for explanation from Stuart. The former has appointed a committee to direct a suitable reply.

Weather

West Texas—Tonight fair and colder, freezing temperatures in all portions. Tuesday fair and warmer.

SENATE TRIES TO OUST ROOSEVELT

Senator Dill, Democrat, Washington, Introduce Resolution Condemning Assistant Secretary Navy

ASSOCIATED WITH SINCLAIR

Was Employed by Sinclair Prior to Connection With Navy Department—Involved in Lease

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—While a Federal Grand Jury is preparing to act on a contempt indictment against H. F. Sinclair, a drive opened in the Senate to oust Col. Theodore Roosevelt, assistant Secretary of the Navy, for his part in the oil scandal.

Senator Dill, Washington, Democrat introduced a resolution expressing it to be the thought of the Senate that President Coolidge should require the resignation of Secretary Roosevelt, on the ground that he was associated with the Sinclair Oil Co., before he became connected with the Navy Department. It was also stated in the resolution that Roosevelt carried the draft of the executive order to the White House which when signed by President Harding, permitted the leasing of the naval oil reserve.

It was further alleged that he participated in the sending of armed marines to the Teapot Dome to protect the Teapot lease.

Mrs. E. H. Winn of Colorado was guest Sunday of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. I. Payne and family at 401 Mulberry Street.

BOOST HIGHWAY

Midland Starts Move to Give Bankhead Highway More Advertisement as Year-Round Route

Special to The Reporter.
MIDLAND, Texas, March 31.—Board of City Development officials of Sweetwater will be asked by Judge J. M. De Armond of Midland, Texas, director of the Bankhead Highway, to co-operate with him in the organization of a local unit of the highway and to assist in getting publicity for the road.

Judge De Armond will leave his home in Midland on an inspection trip of the entire route thru Texas from Teaharka to El Paso, and from Mount Pleasant over the branch road to Laredo. He will confer with Chamber of Commerce officials in all towns through which the road leads.

The Midland man says the Bankhead highway is seeking more publicity on the fact that it is the only transcontinental route open the year-round. All other routes are closed during parts of the winter by snow in the mountains passes. The Bankhead road all the way between its terminals, Washington, D. C., on the east and San Diego on the west, is never closed.

INVESTIGATION IS TO BE CONTINUED

Senate Committee Decides to Continue Regardless of Resignation Attorney General Daugherty

AFTER MAL DAUGHERTY

Will take Action Against Brother of Former Attorney General For Refusal to Show Bank Books

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—An executive session called for the purpose of planning the future course of the Senate committee investigating the Department of Justice was held today and it was decided to continue the investigation without regard for the resignation of Attorney General Daugherty.

The committee will continue its hearings tomorrow with Captain H. L. Scaife, former Department of Justice, on the stand. Gaston B. Means will also be recalled it was indicated.

Another executive session was scheduled for later today to determine the course of action to pursue relative to Mal Daugherty, brother of the former Attorney General, for his refusal to produce the books of his Washington Courthouse, Ohio, bank at the order of the committee, for examination by the investigators.

Means and Scaife both reported to the committee that they were under surveillance by secret service agents. Scaife reported the loss of a bag of documents stolen from the office of Senator Wheeler and Means declared that he had been intimidated in ways he did not disclose.

Back to Washington

By The United Press.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 31.—Former Attorney General H. M. Daugherty is returning to Washington this afternoon. He refused to say what caused his decision to go to Washington instead of to Miami, Fla.

TAX BILL READY

Chairman Smoot of Senate Finance Committee Says Bill to be Reported to Senate Thursday

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—The tax bill will be reported to the Senate by the Finance Committee late this week, Senator Smoot, chairman, announced today.

By holding day and night sessions during the past two weeks, the committee has made extraordinary progress with the measure, and by Thursday night its consideration will have been completed, Senator Smoot said.

Glass Hurt Him

By International News.
THALL, Texas, March 31.—After four years in which the accident had been practically forgotten, glass embedded in the foot of Dan Todd, 13, suddenly produced such severe pains an operation was necessary. The lad stepped on the glass four years ago, the wound healing and giving him no further trouble until several days ago when the pains suddenly became unbearable.

BISHOP SPEAKS

Bishop Dickey Occupies Pulpit Both Services Methodist Church Sunday—Have Special Music

Dr. James E. Dickey of Waco, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, delivered sermons at the First Methodist Church here at both the morning and evening services Sunday. At the morning hour he spoke from the general subject, "The Foundation of the Church and What It Really Is," taking his text from Matthew 16:18. In the evening he explained the Christian obligation.

Overflowing houses at both services attested to the quality of Bishop Dickey's sermons. Excellent musical numbers by the choir aided by orchestra accompaniments, added to the services.

Before beginning his second address Bishop Dickey said that he had just received a telegram announcing that \$200,000 was raised Sunday morning in Waco for the building of a new Methodist Church building there.

ORDER TO SHOOT SENT BY SISTER

Commodore Bullock, 33, Claims Dead Sister in Heaven Told Him to Kill Sheriff at Bryan

SHOT DURING A PLAY

Sheriff Was One of Cast in Community Play—Audience Applauded, Thinking Part of Play

By The United Press.
ANDERSON, Texas, March 31.—Commodore Bullock, 33, believed to be mentally deranged, confessed today to the murder of Sheriff L. E. Morehead during a community entertainment at the Street Hollow School House near Bryan Saturday night.

Bullock is a former service man and in a weird disconnected story he told authorities that his "officers in the navy told me to do it." Later on he said that his dead sister in Heaven "sent me word to do it."

Late last night as he was brought to jail here he told officers where he had hidden a cross which he used to clean his shotgun.

Sheriff Morehead was taking part in a play in a school house when killed. As he walked across the stage the report of a shotgun was heard and he crumpled to the floor. Other members of the cast were stunned for a moment and then rushed to his side. The audience, thought it was all part of the play and applauded vigorously.

Strawberry Special

By International News.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 31.—The Frisco system will operate a "strawberry special" in the strawberry season in the Ozark region, according to reports from the local office. Approximately two thousand cars of berries were hauled out of the district last season and prospects for an even larger crop are looming this year.

Help Short

By International News.
FORT WORTH, Texas, March 31.—Cotton farmers south of here are advertising for farm hands to help take care of the cotton crop this year. A shortage of help is feared in some localities.

IS FLYING WEST

Lynch Davidson Missed Train at Temple—Drove to Cleburne—Caught Plane at Fort Worth

Lynch Davidson is scheduled to arrive by airplane in order to fill his speaking engagement here, according to long distance telephone advices from his campaign manager.

He left Houston Sunday night on the Santa Fe but missed train connections at Temple. He drove to Cleburne by auto, caught a train for Fort Worth, and will fly to Sweetwater this afternoon.

He is scheduled for an address at the courthouse auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock.

He left Fort Worth at noon, it was reported.

Mr. Davidson has been active in the fight to save the Orient railroad and other measures of vital importance in the development of West Texas.

MELLON ELIGIBLE

Secretary of Treasury Secured Ruling on Eligibility Before He Accepted Treasury Position

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon sought a ruling on his eligibility before he accepted the Treasury portfolio, Senator Reed told the Senate today when the Mackellar resolution to question the right of Mellon to retain the cabinet position came up.

The late Senator Knox of Pennsylvania and a Washington law firm examined the law and ruled that Mellon was eligible, it was stated.

Old Patent

By International News.
NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., March 31.—A homestead patent, designated as No. 1, under the administration of Rutherford B. Hays, president of the United States, and issued to Halvoar Swenson, of Syracuse, Neb., will be placed in a museum there.

Brides Should Be More Particular In Choosing Mate

By International News.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—Prospective brides should investigate their husbands-to-be as carefully as they would in buying a new frock or a carriage dog.

Judge Thomas B. Buckner of the assignment division of the circuit court was addressing a group of young divorcees to whom he had just presented divorce decrees on their charges of abandonment, drunkenness and cruelty.

"Well, are you going to try it again?" the judge asked one of the number of divorcees.

"I hope so," she replied smilingly. "Well, I hope you have better luck next time," the judge said. "And be careful what you pick."

"The trouble with girls who get married," the judge continued, "is that they are not half as particular about looking into the kind of a bargain they are getting for a husband as they would be in buying a new dress."

"A girl should find out before she marries whether her husband-to-be is a man or a brute. She should find out what kind of disposition he has. That is more important than the color of his eyes or the kind of clothes he wears."

HOUSTON FLAME DAMAGE HEAVY

Three Firemen Injured and Damage Amounting to \$100,000 Caused When Filling Station Burns

GASOLINE EXPLODES ON ROOF

Firemen Trapped on Roof and Injured When Jump to Safety—Balls Fire Thrown Across Street

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, Texas, March 31.—Three firemen are suffering from injuries received when a midnight blaze gutted a garage and tire service station here with an estimated loss of \$100,000.

The firemen were trapped on the roof of the building when a storage tank of gasoline exploded blowing the ladders from under them. The fire men leaped to the street from the building.

Exploding gasoline drums blew balls of fire half way across the street.

United States money is now used almost entirely in Panama.

ENJOIN OREGON

United States District Court Grants Injunction Restraining Enforcement School Attendance Law

By The United Press.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 31.—A temporary injunction restraining the enforcement of the Oregon compulsory school attendance law was issued by the United States District Court here today.

The State's counsel announced that an immediate appeal would be made directly to the United States Supreme Court.

Reduce Crude

By International News.
FORT WORTH, Texas, March 31.—The reduction of Smackover crude prices by the Texas Company is not to be attributed to any change in the general crude situation, according to the belief of local oil men, but a purely local condition. In contrast to the Smackover action many local men are now looking for an early renewal in the advance in lighter crudes in North Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Made "Real Stuff"

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—The most complete outfit of "real stuff" ever found here was discovered in a trunk by prohibition officers. Thousands of labels of whisky manufactured in foreign countries; Gordon gin labels, stamped "made in London" glass funnels, cappers, tinfoil bottle tops and glass stoppers were among the equipment confiscated.

NATIONS WEALTH SHOWS INCREASE

During the Ten Years from 1912 to 1922 Wealth of United States Greater by 72.2 Per Cent

BIG PER CAPITA GAIN, TOO

Everybody Should be Worth \$2,918 Instead of \$1,950, 1912 Figure—Livestock Off

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—The Department of Commerce announces, for the United States its preliminary estimate of the value, December 31, 1922, of the principal forms of wealth, the total amounting to \$320,803,862,000, as compared with \$186,299,664,000 in 1912, an increase of 72.2 per cent. Per capita values increased from \$1,950 to \$2,918, or 49.9 per cent. The total amount of the estimate for 1912 as here shown is less than the amount shown in the report for that year by \$1,439,000, due to a revision now made for that year in the value of taxed real property in the State of Oklahoma.

All classes of property increased in value from 1912 to 1922, except livestock, which decreased from \$6,238,359,000 to \$5,807,104,000, or 6.9 per cent. The estimated value of taxed real property and improvements increased from \$96,923,406,000 to \$155,908,625,000, or 60.9 per cent; exempt real property (exclusive of National parks and monuments) from \$12,313,520,000 to \$20,505,819,000, or 66.5 per cent; farm implements and machinery from \$1,568,225,000 to \$2,604,638,000, or 90.4 per cent; manufacturing machinery, tools, and implements from \$6,091,451,000 to \$15,782,260,000, or 159.1 per cent; and railroads and their equipment from \$16,148,532,000 to \$19,950,800,000, or 23.5 per cent. Privately owned transportation and transmission enterprises, other than railroads, increased in value from \$9,572,855,000 to \$13,607,570,000, or 42.1 per cent; and stocks of goods, vehicles other than motor, furniture, and clothing from \$34,334,291,000 to \$75,983,607,000, or 121.3 per cent. No comparison is possible for the value of motor vehicles, which was estimated in 1922 at \$4,567,407,000, because no separate estimate was made in 1912.

The value of the United States Navy increased from \$402,352,000 to \$1,445,992,000, or 259.4 per cent; that of privately owned waterworks from \$290,000,000 to \$360,885,000, or 24.4 per cent; and that of gold and silver coin and bullion from \$2,616,643,000 to \$4,278,155,000, or 63.5 per cent. These three items have not been distributed to states, but appear only in the totals for the United States.

In making these estimates the Department followed in general the methods employed in making the estimates for 1912, though it is believed that in some respects the work in 1922 has been more thorough. It should be borne in mind that the increase in money values are to a large extent due to the rise in prices which has taken place in recent years, and so far as that is the case they do not represent corresponding increases in the quantity of wealth.

TO BE REBUILT

Levy Brothers, Owners Colorado Block Destroyed Saturday Night, Announce be Rebuilt at Once

The block destroyed by fire at Colorado Saturday night will be rebuilt at once, according to Abe Levy who owned it with his brother, Ike. Loss was estimated at between \$35,000 and \$40,000 with insurance of \$27,500.

Levy brothers only recently acquired the property and had planned to start remodeling it on April 1. Some of the tenants in the block were planning to move out in order to permit the remodeling and the proprietor of the rooming house had ordered a truck for Monday.

Next to the Levys, the Jones Dry Goods Company were possibly the heaviest losers. It is owned by the same interests as the Jones Dry Goods Store here.

Many people from Sweetwater went over to view the ruins Sunday.

A race of thinking men, with some degree of civilization, a dispatch says, lived in America thousands of years ago. But, it is explained, the race did not survive.—Kansas City Star.

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COMING BACK TO EARTH

There are fifty-nine members of Congress who have introduced fifty-nine identical bills to modify the Volstead law by legalizing 2.75 per cent beer, wine and cider. Representative Dyer, chairman of the judiciary committee of the House of Representatives, has designated April 21 as a day for public hearings on the bills. With all the fifty-nine authors on hand with a friend or two to plead for adoption of their measures the hearing ought to take on all the appearance and enthusiasm of a political rally. The prospect of this will work with like effect upon the uplift hosts whose mission it is to combat all the devices of the scofflaws, in congress or out of it, so that by the time April 21 rolls around the country ought to be hearing of something besides scandal and investigation. To this degree a resumption of the sham battle between the wets and dries ought to be something of a relief if not more. The fact that fifty-nine members of Congress have for a moment addressed their effort to something other than raising blue blazes with the opposition party, even if they take fifty-nine separate ways of doing it, likewise argues that some of the statesmen are coming back to earth.

New York Version

Out where the street lights of Newark twinkle,
That's where the West begins.
—Wichita, Beacon.

Speaking of voices Senator Magnus Johnson has made less noise in Congress than forecast by those who knew his foghorn propensities.—Oklahoma City Times.

Say what you please about the average woman, but they brag less than the average man. And why shouldn't they?—Nebraska Daily Press.

An Emporia man placed some blank placards on his lawn, and to date not a single trespasser has crossed his lawn, he reports.—Emporia, (Kan.) Gazette.

Have you reserved your seats for the world series between the Giants and Yankees next October?—Wichita (Kan.) Beacon.

Let's see, what were those good resolutions we passed on ourself New Year's day?—Parsons, (Kan.) Sun.

Build New Town

By International News.
HOOKER, Ok., March 31.—A new town, as yet unnamed will be laid out about fourteen miles west of Beaver on the line of the survey of the new Beaver, Mead and Englewood railway, it has been announced by the head of the company.

The new railway will be built this summer from Forgan to Hooker, a distance of 29 miles, connecting the M-K-T railroad at Forgan and the Rock Island at Hooker.

Costs Increase

By International News.
AUSTIN, Texas, March 31.—Increased cost of building material and increased wages for workers in all branches of the industry were shown in a comprehensive survey of the lumber industry of the state just completed.

The survey was conducted by Joseph S. Myers, state labor commissioner.

The short haired ladies are now laboring under unexpected difficulty. They no longer have hairpins they can use for buttoning their slippers.—Tulsa (Okla.) World.

Speaking of politics, "pouring oil on the troubled waters" is a metaphor that has lost its meaning. We need something now to pour on the troubled oil.

Correct this sentence: "The box office man said, 'I feel it my duty to tell you that this is a side seat and your view will be obstructed by the box in front.'"

The biggest howl to "make it exclusive" is usually raised by the member who barely managed to slip in himself.

"One-Wife Movement Spreads in Eastern World." One-wife-at-a-time is still the general rule on this side.

In the old wet days a man could act as host without keeping a napkin over his arm to wipe off the living room table.

According to the Census Department of the United States Government, Taylor County produced 41,737 bales of cotton, as on record March 20, 1924. The above figures are for the year 1923. During the preceding year, Taylor County produced 30,358 bales.

Of the above amount of cotton produced in the county, 16,000 bales came to the Merkel cotton yard. And Trent received a little more than 4,000 bales.—Merkel Mail.

LAMESA GROWS

R. F. D. Routes Are Added by Postoffice Department

LAMESA, Texas, March 31.—The Postoffice Department at Washington has notified J. D. Dyer Postmaster of Lamesa that Rural Routes No. 1 and 2 out of Lamesa will be changed from tri-weekly to daily except Sunday.

The volume of mail carried on these routes has for the past two years far exceeded the amount required for daily service. This change of service will be a considerable relief to both the postoffice force and to the people being served on two routes.

New communities having sprung up and the old ones increasing in size rapidly in population is causing other routes to be asked for.

TRUSTEE ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the annual election for the purpose of electing three trustees to the school board Sweetwater Independent School District, will be held Saturday, April 5, in the city hall. The election will be held under the provisions of the Texas Election Law. Residents of the said district entitled to vote under the provisions of said law will be entitled to vote in this election.

M. B. HOWARD, Secretary.

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INJUNCTION VALID

Higher Courts Uphold Lamesa Paving Injunction

LAMESA, Texas, March 31.—On January 28, 1924, upon the petition of a number of the tax paying voters of Lamesa the officials of that city were restrained from selling street improvement bonds recently voted and enjoined from contracting the proposed paving. On January 31, 1924, at a hearing before the district judge at Lubbock, the petition for injunction was dismissed on the motion of the defendant. From this judgment the applicants for the injunction appealed to the Court of Civil Appeals and on Saturday of last week that Court revised the judgment of the lower court, and ordered that the injunction be reinstated and the cause be tried upon merits.

Grow Clover

By International News.
WELLINGTON, Kan., March 31.—It is estimated that between 35,000 and 40,000 acres of clover will be sown by the farmers of Sumner County this spring, according to reports from the county farm bureau.

Plant Cotton

By International News.
GUYMON, Ok., March 31.—According to present plans, more than three thousand acres of cotton will be planted around Guymon this spring. A car load of Mebane seed has been ordered and arrangements have been made for the erection of a gin to take care of the crop. This is the first time cotton in any large acreage has been planted in this section of the State.

Buried New Town

By International News.
DUNCAN, Ok., March 31.—Gas at the rate of 20 cents a thousand cubic feet, for industrial purposes has been offered the city of Duncan by a local company operating in the shallow fields near here. The offer is contingent on the use of at least one million cubic feet daily.

Gas Cheap

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Two Good Places To Dine:

HOTEL WRIGHT DININGROOM
HOTEL WRIGHT COFFEE SHOP

Look!

A novice in gardening is planting his greens, and preparing his bed for his jellybeans.

SKOVGAARD'S CONCERT Wednesday evening will open the new East Ward Auditorium. Get your tickets now at BOWENS. \$1.00 75c and 50c. Benefit Public Library. 5111c

Skovgaard is a musical giant. A Danish artist who plays on a \$13,000 Stradivarius violin over 200 years old, at the East Ward auditorium, Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. Tickets on sale at BOWENS.

Fruit Short

By International News.
BROWNSVILLE, Texas, March 31.—Close of the valley citrus season disclosed that unfilled orders at the expiration of the year totaled approximately 100 car loads, it is announced.

Mrs. D. H. Butler will be hostess Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of the Wesley Bible Class for their social and business session at her home, 507 Cedar Street.

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Mrs. Fred Howe returned home from Roscoe Saturday after spending two weeks at Roscoe nursing Mrs. J. W. Plunkett.

Mrs. Tom Hughes will be hostess Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at a meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Henson are expecting their daughter, Mrs. S. M. Shelton and children of Abilene to come in Tuesday morning to spend the week with them.

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COCKLEBURS KILL PIGS

Young Sprouts Said to be Very Poisonous to Them

Fields infested with cockleburs should not be used for grazing pigs in the spring when the cockleburs are sprouting, advises A. L. Ward, Swine Husbandman Extension Service A. and M. College of Texas.

The most dangerous time is just as the cocklebur plant pushes up thru the surface of the soil. The pigs like

those young sprouts, which contain a poisonous substance which results fatally if eaten in sufficient quantities. Experiments have proven that 12 oz. of these sprouts contain sufficient poison to kill a 50-lb. pig. Death usually results quickly, somewhat like sorghum poisoning of cattle.

When pigs are first affected the entire bunch should be removed to a dry lot for a short time, where they should be given whole milk, grease or lard. The surest preventive is to keep pigs from fields infested with burs until the plants reach a height of 4 to 6 inches. The plants at this stage lose the poisonous properties.

Aid Cattlemen

By International News.

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 31.—Asserting the need of a more powerful compact, co-operating organization and not an arbitrary body as has frequently marked the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association in the past, H. L. Kokernot of San Antonio, newly elected president of the cattlemen declared increased endeavor toward the creating of favorable legislation would be exercised by the newly named executives.

Get tickets for Skovgaard's concert at Bowen's now. 5111

Heavyweight Challenger Coming from Chile.



South America has developed another "Wild Bull," who will soon come to North America to take on the best of the heavyweight fighters, with an eye to securing a match with Jack Dempsey. He is Quintin Romero Rojas, of Santiago, Chile, champion heavyweight of that nation.

By International News.

DALLAS, Texas, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. T. Singer and their 2-year-old son left a flower shop, burdened with sweet smelling blossoms to brighten the room of a sister-in-law confined in the Baylor Hospital. They set out for the hospital and reached their destination in an ambulance. While crossing an intersection they were struck by a fire truck.

Pope to Start

By International News.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, March 31.—W. E. Pope, of Corpus Christi, candidate for governor in the coming gubernatorial campaign, announced that beginning March 31 at Beeville he will open a speaking tour that before its close on April 26, will have required his appearance in 30 Texas towns.

Sweetwater Mattress Factory

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PHONE 79

WEAK AND NERVOUS

Georgia Lady Says She Has Grown Stronger by Taking Cardui—Thoroughly Convinced of Its Merits.

Clyattville, Ga.—In a statement which she gave at her home on R. F. D. 1, here, Mrs. T. A. Copeland said: "I have, I believe, avoided a good deal of suffering by the use of Cardui, and am thoroughly convinced that it has been of great benefit to me.

"Before the birth of two of my children, I grew so weak and nervous I could hardly go, and suffered . . . I had a friend who told me of Cardui, so the next time when I grew so weak and run-down I began to use it. I used it three months. I grew stronger and less nervous. The baby was really believe it was because I built up my strength with this splendid tonic."

Cardui has been in successful use for more than forty years. Thousands of women have written to tell of the beneficial results obtained by taking Cardui, and to recommend it to others. It is a mild, harmless, purely vegetable medicinal preparation—a product of practical experience, scientific investigation and pharmaceutical skill. Sold everywhere. NC-159

CASE IS ARGUED

(Continued on page four)

Mr. McClelland covered every phase of the murder story, often referring to a chart showing distance from Thornberry to the scene of the murder when he first heard the shot and called attention to the difference in the testimony given by Mrs. Rawls and Bill Meador.

At times he would raise his voice to a high pitch and then for long periods he would approach the jury box and adopt a well modulated tone in a strong and urgent appeal to the jury.

Judge Beall Speaks

Judge W. W. Beall, opening the afternoon session delivered an exceptionally powerful and compelling address to the jury; he dwelt at length on the character of Asa Rawls up to and prior to the killing and, given but one hour in which to go over the minutest details of a case bringing out a mass of testimony, his speech was considered remarkable.

"Self defense is a principle written in the heart of every American and while it is difficult for you gentlemen of the jury to sit in a district courtroom and imagine what must have happened out there in that crowded automobile," Judge Beall continued, "based entirely and only on the testimony submitted in this case you must recall that William Meador shot in defense of his aged father."

He further explained in a powerful and magnetic manner that the burden lay upon the state to prove Meador guilty beyond any reasonable doubt; until such proof was thoroughly established, the defendant was as innocent as the driven snow. Judge Beall on several occasions took verbal shot at Attorney Baker by way of retaliating against remarks previously directed against the defense counsel; he also dwelt upon the character of Rawls' wife and consummated his address with an unusually compelling entreaty for acquittal.

Williams Thanks Court

Defense Attorney Lud Williams, one of the most prominent criminal lawyers in the southwest, followed Mr. Beall and before addressing the jury asked permission to take the occasion to thank the court for having rendered such a fair and impartial trial to both the defense and state. Continuing, he said, "It isn't every county or district that has so capable and impartial an official as Your Honor (Judge Leslie) and if there were more men of his calibre the state would be the gainer."

Williams was launched on what appeared to be the beginning of masterly argument, at the hour of going to press. At no stage of the trial had the courtroom been gripped with such a deathlike stillness; the jammed room had waited long and patiently for Williams' address and were prepared to drink in every word.

Following Williams, District Attorney Jas. T. Brooks was scheduled to close the argument to the jury. The case was supposed to go to the jury about 5:30.

Suppress Truth

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Senator Heflin of Alabama believes that "strong arm" methods are being used to suppress the truth concerning fraudulent land deals in Texas. Heflin made this charge on the floor of the Senate when Senator Sheppard, Texas, made a request that the investigating committee visit the Rio Grande Valley and "develop the truth without fear or favor."

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PROGRAM GIVEN LABOR HAS BANK

Numbers to be Played at Skovgaard Concert at East Ward Wednesday Evening Are Announced

The following program has been announced for the Skovgaard concert to be given in the auditorium of the East Ward school Wednesday evening, April 2. It is also announced that the great violinist will play any special numbers requested of him by the audience.

Sonata in E Minor (Emil Sjogren)—Alice and Axel Skovgaard.

Le Deluge (Saint-Saens), Allegro from "Suite-Fantastique" (Nicoleief)—Mazurka de Concert (Wieneawski)—Axel Skovgaard.

Frolic of the Waters (Ravel), Flower-Waltz from "Nutteracker Suite" (Grainger)—Alice McClung-Skovgaard.

Andante from Concerto (Mendelssohn), The Guitar (Carl Reinecke), Melodie (Edwin Lemare), Menuet from Quintet in E Major (Bocherini), Indian Snake-Dance (Cecil Burleigh)—Axel Skovgaard.

Prelude Op. 32 No. 10 (Rachmaninoff), Waltz Caprice (Scott), Arabesque (Debussy), Erotikon (Grieg), Finnish Dance (Palmgren), Etude de Concert (Liszt)—Alice McClung-Skovgaard.

Arrangements of Classical Compositions, selected (Fritz Kreisler) Sierra Morena (Axel Skovgaard)—Axel Skovgaard.

Skovgaard is pronounced "Skov-gaw."

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson and children spent the week-end at Snyder visiting relatives and returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bradford of Paducah have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradford for several days and remained another week before returning home.

Miss Mildred Mays spent the week-end with her parents at Pylon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Henson enjoyed a visit over Sunday from two of their sons and one daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Henson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henson and children of Roseoe and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wulfin and children of Colorado.

Notify Builders

By International News.

HOUSTON, Texas, March 31.—With the organization of the new carpenters union here, the Houston Building Trades Association enrolling 135 members, ultimatum was immediately served on all Houston contractors that non-union men must be taken off all jobs where members of the new association are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bowen of Lubbock came down Saturday for a week-end visit, bringing Mrs. J. P. Majors home after a two week's visit with them. Mrs. F. M. Bowen returned home with them Sunday afternoon to spend several days.

Ralph Ashburn left this morning for Winters on a week's business trip after spending the week-end with his family at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Z. Williams.

Misses Doris Daniel and Earnestine Bolin were week-end guests of Misses Helen Latham and Nina Darby at the homes of their parents at Abilene. All four are members of the city school faculty and returned to Sweetwater Sunday night.

Mrs. Bessie Gordon Harding left last night for her home at Hollywood, Cal., following a two-months' visit here and with relatives at Fort Worth. While here she was guest of her mother, Mrs. Mike Rogers and aunt, Mrs. Carl Williams.

Somehow or other we never could see much difference between shorter skirts and sleeveless dresses.—Tulsa World.

The cynic who is down on the female race should remember that half his parents were women.

DOUTHIT, MAYS & PERKINS
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Sweetwater, Texas

HARRY R. BONDIES
Attorney-at-Law
SWEETWATER, TEXAS

First Labor Bank West of Mississippi to Open This Summer in Kansas City, it is Reported

By International News.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—The first labor bank to open west of St. Louis, will be opened here in August, it has been announced. Organization of the bank has been completed, and as soon as the new quarters are completed the institution will be open for business.

According to Joseph Flynn, a director and international secretary-treasurer of the Brotherhood of Boilermakers, it will be the first bank in the United States in which labor interests and business men have co-operated.

The bank will open with a capital of \$100,000, and a surplus of \$20,000. In keeping with the policy of labor banks, it will maintain a banking by mail department. The directors include representatives of the labor unions and business men of Kansas City.

SHOW INCREASE

Local Sunday School Totals Show Increase 37 in Attendance and \$201.54 in Collections

The five churches in the city which are reporting Sunday school attendance experienced an increase of 37 over last Sunday and an increase of \$201.54 over last Sunday's collections. The First Baptist Sunday school took their fifth Sunday collection for home and foreign missions and the First Christian school took a special collection for their church sidewalk building fund, which accounts in part for the increase in those two collections.

The records follow: Methodist Church, 238, collection \$100.23; First Christian Church, 203, collection, \$60.50; First Baptist Church, 185, collection \$100; Church of Christ, 87; Presbyterian Church, 113, collection \$15.50.

Total attendance 826; total collections, \$299.00; last Sunday, attendance 789, total collection \$97.46; previous Sunday, attendance 696, collection \$98.89.

City Had Profit

By International News.

BELLEVILLE, Kan., March 31.—A financial report of W. M. Slopansky, city manager here, shows the city has closed the last fiscal year with a balance of \$91,178 net profit. The city manager form of government since its inauguration here several years ago has proven a wonderful success.

PRODUCE MORE OIL

Production Wipes Out Decrease Past Week

By International News.

FORT WORTH, Texas, March 31.—North and West Central Texas production in the last week practically wiped out the decrease of the week before, and shows a gain of 3,785 barrels in the daily average for the week ending Saturday. The principal gain is in the Archer County fields where production has now reached 28,820 barrels, a new record for the county. Another jump is predicted in the Geraldine district.

FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Candidacies Three Men Announced As Trustees Today

The Reporter has been authorized to announce the candidacies of three men for the School Board at the election Saturday.

M. B. Howard is up for re-election and Dr. A. H. Fortner and C. R. Simmons named for the other two positions on the Board. Mr. Howard is the present secretary of the board, and had considerable previous experience some years ago. Dr. Fortner is a well known physician and Mr. Simmons is proprietor of the Sweetwater laundry.

The only really reliable sign of spring is when winter goes away and never comes back again.—Wichita, (Kan.) Beacon.

Your enemies have faults; your friends have peculiarities.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

No man has a right to kill himself and leave all his share of the taxes for the rest of us to pay.—Winchester, (Kan.) Star.

Following the North Dakota primary a reiteration aht he is actually a candidate and will continue in the race until the convention, is due from Hi Johnson—Newton, (Kan.) Kansan.

The best defense against a vamp is a bald head and \$35 a week salary.—Muskegon, (Ok.) Phoenix.

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"I'M GOIN' SOUTH"
"CALIFORNIA, HERE I COME"
"SHE WOULDN'T DO (WHAT I ASKED HER TO)"
"WHY DID I KISS THAT GIRL?"
"31st STREET BLUES"

From "Blossom Time"

"SONG OF LOVE"
"TELL ME DAISY"

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By Russ Westover



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FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, 306 Nueces Street, Phone 124. 49tc

FOR RENT—One unfurnished apartment to couple without children. Apply at 510 E. N. 2nd Street. 40tc

FOR RENT—Furnished modern four-room cottage to parties without children. Phone 581. 35tc

FOR RENT—Store building on North Oak Street. See Rufus Wright. 13tc

FOR RENT—Five room apartment. Berman Apartments. Phone 639.

ROOM AND BOARD—At 992 Locust Phone 654. 50tc

FOR RENT—Four room apartment with bath. See Ernest Wright at Hotel Wright. 44tc

MISCELLANEOUS.

Valentine's Paints guaranteed against boiling water. 38t30p

Have your car painted with Valentine's water proof paints. V. Carthen's paint Shop. 211 N. W. 2nd St. 38t30p

WANTED—Maids and waitresses at Hotel Wright. 48tc

FOR TRADE—Will trade nearly new Chalmers Sedan for city property or notes. Rufus Wright. 44tc

FOR SALE—One-quarter block in Trammell Addition, comprising three lots, all fenced, ready for gardening; \$100 will handle, balance easy terms. See Harry Cress at Texas Cafe. 29tc

FOR SALE—Seven room home with bath; liberal terms. Apply Singer Sewing Machine Co. 22tc

Wanted—Bedroom and double garage. Address Box 95. 50t6p

SEE me before you buy a home. Wade H. Bartlett. 34tc

FOR SALE—Light inclosed wagon, suitable for dairy, ice cream or vegetable wagon, cheap. P. M. Daniel, one mile west Sweetwater. 50t2dp

LOST—Spare tire, cover and rim, cover branded Conro & Brim, Winters, Texas. Phone 455. Reward. 51t3p

FOR SALE—Large size sugar sacks, call at Sweetwater Candy Co. 51t1

FOR SALE—Real bargain in kitchen cabinet and chifforobe. Phone 162. 51t2p.



"BILLY" STILES, EX-BANDIT COMRADE OF JESSE JAMES.

BY JACK JUNGMEYER.

NEA Service Writer.
GLENDALE, Cal., March 31.—The only surviving member of Jesse James' gang is here—REFORMED. William Stiles is a disturbing refutation of the proverb that you can't straighten the bent bough.

Billy in boyhood and prime was as crooked a bough as was ever fashioned by the storms of outlawry. Today, at the age of 74, is as straight a human tree as ever weathered the gale.

He does odd jobs on a farm and writes a book between chores.

"I was bad from the time I can first remember," explains Stiles. "I started stealing as soon as I could walk."

But when he reached that age when most men consider their lives unalterably fixed, Stiles began to delve into the gospel instead of bank vaults and mail pouches.

His first crime was at 14. He robbed a drunken man. He ran away from home and went to a New York "begging school," where he mastered pickpocketing.

After he had stolen a horse in Kentucky—he decided to go the limit and joined the James' gang.

"My initiation was pretty rough," he recalls. "They sent me out on an errand along the trail."

"Soon I saw men—sheriff's deputies, I thought—surround me. I thought I was lost. When they asked me if I belonged to the James' gang, I couldn't say 'yes' because I thought they would hang me. And if I said 'no,' I figured the gang would kill me. So I refused to answer."

"They put a rope around my neck and hoisted me clear of the ground several times. Finally they released me and I returned to the camp. I found the James' gang around the camp fire, laughing. They had put me to the test and I had not flinched. 'I always think of that incident whenever I put on a stiff white collar and it chafes my throat.'"

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, Precinct 1
I. W. Brashear, re-election.

For County Treasurer
W. T. HIGHTOWER, Re-Election
G. C. Farris.

FOR STATE SENATE
Harry Tom King, Abilene, Texas.
Jesse R Smith
(Stephens County)

Mark Twain pointed out that man is the only animal that blushes. What does a Jap say when he misses a six-inch putt in a close golf game?—Iola, (Kan.) Register.

A new definition of a reckless driver: One who manages to out run you on the road in spite of everything you can do.—Atchinson, (Kan.) Golbe.

Mrs. George Sparks returned Saturday from a week's visit at Colorado.



The Crossett Shoe-- Black and Brown Calf Skin --Young Men's Last

—You will have to see these shoes to appreciate their good looks, and wear them to enjoy their comfort.

Plenty of Snap

TUCKER SHOE DEPT.

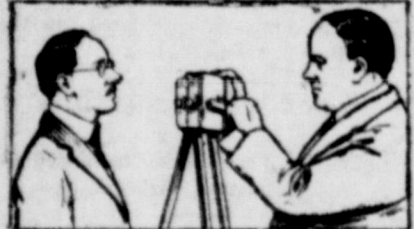
Balcony Jones Dry Goods

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Motion Pictures of Lips Aid the Deaf to Speak

By means of motion pictures of the lips of a person speaking, the deaf, children with defective speech, and foreigners are



greatly assisted in their efforts to talk correctly and to interpret sounds by lip-reading. A specially devised camera takes a series of "close-ups" of the "model" pronouncing the words, taking great care to move his lips in the precise positions for forming the sounds. The pictures are shown with the words and symbols to accompany them, supplying a graphic "pattern" for the pupils to follow.

Concrete Railway Ties Have Wooden Plugs for Spikes

Concrete railway ties, used on a section of a right of way in northwestern India, have proved to resist wear and weather equally as well as wooden ones, according to a report. It is believed their employment will result in great savings of lumber and labor, since they will not require re-planting as frequently as the timber. The tie beam consists of two blocks tied together with steel straps. The rails are held on by means of spikes driven into treated-wood plugs set in the concrete.

Tobacco Smoke Not Harmful According to Mine Test

To test the effect of tobacco fumes, three men were confined in a closed chamber where the air was so thick that it was impossible to see across the room. The atmosphere was so irritating to the eyes that it was necessary to wear goggles.

After an hour and a half, samples of the air and the blood of the smokers were taken for analysis. The experiment was made by the bureau of mines, and, as a result, it was decided that the harm from smoking indoors, or in mines, is negligible.

Pulling Car Out of Mud

When stuck in mud the lone autoist need not despair as long as he has a pair of good chains with him, for, with their help, the car can usually be run out of the mud, providing, of course, it is not too deep. One end of a chain is fastened around the tire and to the spokes of a rear wheel, while a short, stout iron bar is pushed through the links at the other end of the chain and a tow rope tied to this bar. If no iron bar is handy or it is too large to be pushed through the links, the tow rope is tied to the last cross chain. The other end of the tow rope is securely tied to a tree located in front of the car, slightly toward the side. By applying power to the wheel, it will run along the chain for a foot or more. The operation is repeated until the wheel is out of the mud.

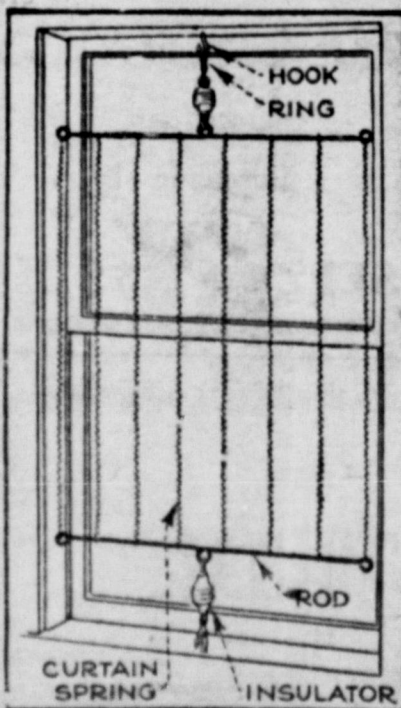
Cleaning White Woolens and Furs

Garments are often dry cleaned at home, but the result obtained in the case of white woolens or furs is not always satisfactory. However, the simple trick described below can be employed by anyone, and the results will prove a pleasant surprise.

After the woolen or fur has been washed and rinsed in gasoline, it should be wrung or shaken out thoroughly and placed in a deep pan. A pound or two of white flour should then be sifted over and rubbed into the article. After allowing the article to dry on the line, the flour is whipped out, leaving the garment in a cleaner and whiter condition than usual after cleaning. This is due to the fact that the flour sifts into the fur or fabric and absorbs the dirt with the gasoline. It cannot be wrung or shaken out. When whipped out, the dry flour naturally carries the dirt with it.

Curtain Springs Make Simple Window Aerial

Various kinds of indoor aerials are advocated for buildings where any other type is impossible; one of the most effective is shown in the illustration. Two spreaders of heavy iron wire or light iron rod, a little shorter than the width of the window, are bent with an eye at each end, and one in the center. The two spreaders are connected with a number of the light



curtain springs that are widely used in stead of curtain rods. The efficiency of the aerial depends to a great extent upon the number of springs used. The spreaders are suspended between the top and bottom of the window casing, insulators being used as shown. The springs are drawn up tightly so that they will not touch each other, and the aerial will not swing.

Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for the various offices named below, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Tax Collector:
JIM BUTLER
MISS WILLIE ELLIOTT re-election

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
H. P. HARKINS re-election
Ben F. Roberts.

For Public Weigher
Precinct One
LLOYD ROGERS, re-election

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
A. S. Mauzey re-election

FOR COMMISSIONER—Precinct 1
W. H. Thompson, re-election.
A. J. Roy.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
G. W. Koerth

COUNTY CLERK
Gus Farrar, re-election.

SUPERINTENDENT
Public Instruction.
J. C. Gilliam.
Miss Minnie Fowler, re-election.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
R. D. Cox, Jr., re-election.

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 3
G. O. McGinley, Hylton.

FOR SHERIFF
Jack Yarbrough re-election.
Jesse Lambert.

For District Clerk
DAN CHILDRESS, Re-Election

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MAY McAVOY
in
"HER REPUTATION"
Scandal, sensationalism—and a great Love!

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FOX NEWS

And
A Sunshine Comedy
"The Riding Master"

Adults30c
Children10c

R AND R

TODAY

KENNETH HARLAN
in
"TEMPORARY MARRIAGE"
An inspiring document of modern society.

Special Organ Music
at night

Also

A Two-Reel Western
"Under Suspicion"

Adults25c
Children10c

Special Announcement

High winds Friday damaged the tent show so badly that they were unable to show Friday or Saturday in the tent.

In order to extend them a courtesy during their misfortune we let them use the R and R Palace Saturday night.

In order to do this we had to take off our program—

"Woman To Woman"

Many of our patrons were disappointed in not seeing this attraction. We will book this picture on an early date.

Watch for further announcements soon.

Sincerely,
R and R Palace,
E. P. Connally, Mgr.