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FIRST EVENTS DRAW CROWDS TO BIG MEET

Record Throng on Hand As Interscholastic Starts

ATHLETICS TODAY

Honors Evenly Divided In Literary And Musical Contests

NIGHT RESULTS.

Friday night results in declamation contests held at Electra were as follows:

Rural Schools, Junior Girls.

First, Hazel Stafford, Pleasant Valley; second, Lillie Neal, Sunshine Hill; third, Agnes Echelcamp, Enterprise.

Rural Schools, Junior Boys.

First, Gilbert Robertson, Pleasant Valley; second, Elbert Donnelly, Leeth; third, Hugh Reed, Fowlkes.

Rural Schools, Senior Girls.

First, Early McClinton, Valley View; second, Agnes Lolk, Enterprise; third, Roy Lois Estes, Fairview.

Rural Schools, Senior Boys.

First, William Eastman, Enterprise; second, Clovis Childress, Valley View; third, Wilburn Evans, County Line.

High School, Junior Girls.

First, Dorothy Arnold, Iowa Park; second, Juanita Kenneth, Burkburnett; third, Edna Marie Blair, Fairview.

High School, Junior Boys.

First, Heiman McKinney, Iowa Park; second, Douglas Estes, Burkburnett; third, Lloyd Barton, Fairview.

High School, Senior Girls.

First, Iowa Mou, Electra; second, Juanita Stringer, Waggoner ward, Electra; third, Edyna Crowe, Burkburnett.

High School, Senior Boys.

First, Joel Brown, Electra; second, Boyle Bernard, Burkburnett; third, Le Roy Nichols, Clara.

ELECTRA, April 3.—Honors were about evenly divided Friday when, at the close of a day of strenuous competition, a check-up was made of results of the first of the county interscholastic meet that opened here at 9:30 in the morning. Practically all of the literary events were dispensed with yesterday and a start was made on the athletics. The main track and field events will be held Saturday, starting promptly at 10 o'clock.

Large Entries.

With the largest number of entries ever recorded in a Wichita county meet and with a record crowd on hand, the session swung into official action in the auditorium of the Electra high school. Sam Johnson, secretary of the Electra chamber of commerce, gave the welcoming address and this was responded to by W. R. Bradford, superintendent of the Iowa Park schools. Music by the Electra High School Glee club and introduction of the various division directors of the meet followed. R. N. Dinsmore, superintendent of the Electra schools, presided.

Many Trophies.

An unusually large number of trophies have been supplied by various individuals and business firms of Electra and other points in the county. They include loving cups from the following: Electra Parent-Teacher association, Electra chamber of commerce, Rotary club, Lions club, Electra school board, merchants, Perkins-

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Eastland Suffers Big Lumber Yard Fire

EASTLAND, Texas, April 3.—Fire believed to have started from a small trash fire near the yards completely destroyed the Higgenbotham Lumber company plant and the Graham Rooming house here Friday morning with an estimated loss of between $90,000 and $75,000.

When the flames were discovered about 9 o'clock they were licking at piles of lumber around the yards, and fanned by brisk winds soon spread throughout all the piles of dried timber. The rooming house, adjoining the lumber yard, caught from sparks and was also burned to the ground.

Business houses across the street from the fire suffered considerably when show windows were cracked by the heat. Efforts of firemen, however, prevented any other structures from igniting.

The loss is said to be partially covered by insurance.

Chapman Jurors Unable to Agree

HARTFORD, Conn., April 3.—The jury trying Gerald Chapman, for murder was ordered locked up for the night at 10:30 o'clock tonight. Court was adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when the jurors will return to the court house from their quarters at a local hotel and again resume deliberations.

It remained deadlocked tonight after more than a half dozen hours deliberation.

Instructed by the court that it could, under the law, return one of four verdicts—guilty of murder in the first degree, second degree, manslaughter or acquittal—the jury, before it had deliberated four hours, had returned to court twice for additional instructions.

SHEPHERD FAILS AGAIN

Second Chicago Judge Refuses to Allow Bond to Alleged Gunnist.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Circuit Judge William V. Brothers refused today to entertain a motion to admit to bail William D. Shepherd, charged with the killing of William N. McClintock. Chief Justice Hopkins of the criminal court twice previously had refused bail pleas.

CONSTABLE INDICTED

FORT WORTH, April 3. — Constable Robert Poe was indicted by the county grand jury today for aggravated assault, it being alleged he beat a negress while searching a house for illicit liquor.

CONFIDENCE IN HERRIOT

PARIS, April 3.—The chamber of deputies today voted confidence in Premier Herriot, 530 against 26.

THE WEATHER



Little Willie is in love. Monday he rolled up his sleeve to show Mary Brown his muscle, and told her about his ambition to become a bandit.

As observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company: Maximum temperature, 82; minimum temperature, 50; at 5 p. m., 58; precipitation, 0; north wind; cloudy; maximum wind velocity, 23 miles per hour; average wind velocity, 17 miles per hour; barometer, 29.11.

WEST TEXAS: Saturday and Sunday generally fair; warmer in north portion Sunday.

EAST TEXAS: Saturday generally fair, cooler in east and south portions; Sunday partly cloudy, warmer in northwest portion.

OKLAHOMA: Saturday fair; Sunday fair, warmer.

TODAY IN WICHITA FALLS

MISSION: Colleen Moore in "Sally."

PALACE: Musical comedy and vaudeville, also "Feet of Clay," with Vera Reynolds.

OLYMPIC: Frances Howard and Adolphe Menjou in "The Swan."

WICHITA: B. F. Keith's Orpheum Interstate vaudeville in six big acts.

Wichita Falls Real Estate board luncheon at the Kemp hotel.

"NOT AFTER A SCHOOL BOARD SEAT"--PRIDDY

He Says Use of His Name Entirely Unauthorized Saturday

An absolute denial that he would consider being a candidate and a statement that any use of his name in connection with the election was unauthorized was made Friday evening by W. M. Priddy, who was mentioned yesterday as a possible opponent for W. B. Chauncey in the school board election to be held today.

Back From South

Returning Friday afternoon from New Orleans where he has been on business all week, Mr. Priddy declared he had no intimation his name was being considered for the trustee election Saturday. He declared very emphatically he had given no authorization for his "candidacy" and asked that no consideration be given reports that he was seeking a place on the board.

Mrs. J. C. A. Guest, who was also mentioned Friday as a possible opponent for Mrs. L. R. Buchanan, was out of town and could not be reached for a statement regarding her attitude.

Ballots on which votes will be cast today will have only the names of Judge R. L. Chauncey, Mrs. L. R. Buchanan, Carter McGregor and C. H. Clark, all present members of the board who are up for re-election. Holdover members for the succeeding year are E. S. Goodner, W. Daniel and Mrs. W. W. Silk, the latter by appointment to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. N. M. Addicks, resigned.

Names of any Wichitans who may be supported for a place must be written in on the regular ballot.

Two ballot boxes will be provided for today's election, one at the courthouse and the other at the Junior high school building, Eleventh and Broad. Polls will open at 8 o'clock and close at 6.

The Day In Washington

John Van A. McMurray, assistant secretary of state was selected as minister to China.

President Coolidge it was announced expects to attend the Norse-American celebration at St. Paul June 8.

Secretary Weeks suffered a mild thrombosis stroke and reports were that he will soon retire from the cabinet.

A paraphrase of the Peruvian memorial on Tacna-Arica became available containing assurance that the arbitral award will be accepted.

Short line railroads were authorized by the Interstate Commerce commission to intervene in the proposed Nickel Plate railroad merger hearing.

A temporary injunction blocking sale of the California-Orient ships by the shipping board was issued by the District of Columbia supreme court.

The District of Columbia supreme court quashed the Fall-Doheny-Sinclair criminal indictments and government counsel announced an appeal would be taken.

WIND LOWERS TEMPERATURE

Cold Day in Wichita Falls Will Cloudy Skies.

A cold, raw day with a high wind and overcast sky was the weather man's contribution to Wichita Falls and vicinity Friday. Threats of rain continued to appear with tantalizing consistency, but that was all they amounted to.

The clouds that overhung the city most of the day thickened late in the afternoon and gave rise to hopes that possibly a storm would break during the night, but nothing had come of this up until a late hour.

Weather predictions for Saturday and Sunday were unsettled and little change in temperature.

JEAN DE RESZKE DIES

NICE, France, April 3.—Jean De Reszke, world famous operatic artist, for many years leading tenor at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, is dead.

MRS. CHAMBERS SAYS HER "OIL" WILL SAVE HER

Woman Held in Chicago On Swindling Charges Fights Back

WICHITA FALLS ECHO

She Declares That Daughter Must Have Cashed a "Bum" Check on Her

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Attorneys for Nathan Frank, lawyer, former congressman and newspaper publisher, have joined others in making charges in Chicago against Mrs. Jessie Calder Chambers who is accused of various money swindles, it was learned here tonight from Frank, who said she gave him a worthless $2,000 check in exchange for a good one.

Mrs. Chambers was identified to Frank at a railroad station at Chicago in December, 1923, he stated, Mrs. Frank being there to put her 16-year-old daughter on a train for St. Louis to attend a school here.

"I understood Mrs. Chambers was very wealthy," Frank declared, "and she told me she was largely interested in Texas oil wells and that Clarence Darrow was her attorney. He is a friend of mine.

"Mrs. Chambers came here February 1, 1924, to see her daughter. She had driven here in an automobile and told me she was going to Wichita Falls, Texas, to make some payments in connection with her oil holdings. She said she needed about $2,000 in cash and I exchanged checks with her. That was February 2.

"When the check, which was drawn on a Chicago bank, was returned to me, I notified my Chicago attorneys to have her arrested."

CHICAGO, Ill., April 3.—Mrs. Jessie Chambers, charged with conspiracy to defraud and operating a confidence game, appeared unworried when notified today at South Clark street court the date of her hearing had been set for April 10.

"The charges are simple attempts," she said, "by my creditors to collect accounts that I was forced to run during a period of depression in the oil market."

"My client has extensive oil interests around Wichita Falls, Texas," said W. W. Witty, her attorney. "She is able to take care of all these outstanding obligations. Everything will be all right, for these people only want the money. They have nothing against her personally."

Attorney Wiley told a reporter for The Record News this afternoon, that Mrs. Chambers had no creditors in Wichita Falls, although she owned several oil leases in this section. Mrs. Chambers' life became one complaining creditor after another, following her arrest at the Auditorium hotel.

Ray Noonan, a dealer in automobiles at Paris, Ill., wired the Chicago police to arrest her because she had tendered him an elastic check for $1,500 as part payment for a car.

"It's a mistake," Mrs. Chambers cried when the police suggested her name be entered on their books. "My daughter, Daisy May, who just eloped from a finishing school in the east, must have cashed a check if there was one."

But later it so happened that representatives from shoe stores, modistes, exclusive shops and the like appeared to identify Mrs. Chambers as the woman whose checks, so handsomely written, had been rejected from banks from which they had been presented.

Mrs. Chambers declared that she owned oil wells more than enough to cover the petty thousands for which her checks had been written.

After having been booked at the bureau on charges of confidence game she was released on bonds of $1,000.

PROHIBITS NEGROES VOTES

Statue Passed in Texas Years Ago Limits Franchise Work of Blacks

EL PASO, April 3.—A statue passed by the Texas legislature in 1923 on the qualifications of voters has resisted three attacks in Texas courts by negroes barred from voting in a primary election by the new law. The latest decision was in El Paso, six months ago when the federal district court ruled against Dr. L. E. Nixon who asked damages of $5,000 from officials of the democratic party because his ballot was refused.

Action of the officials was upheld in that it was in accordance with the law which had been held valid by the state supreme court.

GUILTY OF MAIL FRAUDS

Operators Convicted of Six Counts Following Trial in Court

TEXARKANA, Ark., April 3.—Robert David Kercheval was found guilty early tonight on five of the six counts in the indictment against him charging use of the mails to defraud in connection with Arkansas oil field operations. On the second count he was found not guilty. Sentence was deferred until 8 o'clock tomorrow. Kercheval's trial began in the United States court here Monday, lasting all the week.

YEARLING'S SELL HIGH

New Record Set at Fort Worth For Shipment of Cattle.

FORT WORTH, April 3.—Sixty yearlings averaging 661 pounds, brought Friday the highest price paid on the local market since war time.

They sold for 10 1-4 cents, which was 1-4 cent higher than a consignment sold Thursday.

Isaac Donnell and son of St. Jo, Texas, were shippers.

Decatur Man Badly Injured in Accident

FORT WORTH, April 3.—A. J. Hubbard of Decatur, injured in an automobile accident here Monday was reported dying this afternoon. His companions, residents of Dallas, have returned to their homes only slightly hurt.

High-Priced Dog Fodder Argued Out

NEW YORK, April 3.—John W. Davis, Alton B. Parker and heads of 35 law firms retained in the $82,000,000 Gould estate accounting suit in which court costs are estimated at $60 a minute listened to an extensive argument today on the cost of dog meat.

The debate concerned whether the sum of $4.25 for meat for Mrs. Helen Gould Shepard's dog and $1 for a license fee should be deducted from the principal or from a fund set aside for maintenance of the Lyndhurst estate.

Attorney Littleton Fox, representing Mrs. Shepard cited the arguments over the dog's expenses in demonstrating the "pettiness of the objectors."

One Lone Statement Marks City Campaign

Except for a statement submitted to voters by Sam Sproles who designated himself "just a working man" which gave strong support of R. E. Shepherd for mayor on the basis of his record as finance commission, city politics passed Friday in quiet fashion.

Every evidence now points to one of the quietest city elections witnessed in Wichita Falls in years. Candidates admitted they were busy throughout the city in the final drive to meet voters, but no more public meetings were announced.

Sproles' statement pointed to an overdraft of $248,273.28 which the city faced March 31, 1921, and itemized the financial situation since that time under Shepherd which, Sproles said, had resulted in a cash balance on March 1, 1925, of $167,531.06. He listed the bonded debt of the city on March 31, 1921, as $2,784,000, brought down under Shepherd's administration to $113,500 March 1, 1925. He also contrasted a sinking fund of $460,989.80 on March 1, 1925, as compared with cash in interest and sinking funds of $231,664.72 four years previous.

NEW LOW GRAIN LEVELS

Tumbling Prices Carry Wheat And Oats to Record Depth

CHICAGO, April 3. — Tumbling prices on the Chicago board of trade today carried wheat, corn and oats to new low levels for the season, all the grains dropping below the low records made yesterday. Liquidation by early buyers and deficient buying power were held partly responsible for the new breaks.

While corn prices were tobogganing, however, finished corn in the form of hogs went up like a released balloon with a small supply and a good demand.

Coolidge Plans Trip To St. Paul Carnival

WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Coolidge expects to go to St. Paul, Minn., June 8 to attend the Norse-American centennial celebration. He will make no stops en route or on return.

MELLON "GOOD DISTILLER"

N. Y. Anti-Saloon League Worker Raps Secretary of Treasury

KINGSTON, N. Y., April 3. — Arthur J. Davis, state superintendent of the anti-saloon league of New York, today referred to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon as "America's most distinguished distiller," in an address before the laymen's association of New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, in session here.

He declared that the appointment of Lincoln Andrews as assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of prohibition enforcement would serve to "befuddle the country at large in any attempt to place responsibility for enforcement or lack of enforcement."

SECRETARY WEEKS IS ILL

Head of War Department Recovering From Attack of Thombosis.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Secretary Weeks has been suffering from a nattack of thrombosis since Wednesday, but specialists attending him announced tonight after a thorough examination that his condition was "entirely satisfactory."

A partial paralysis of the left arm which resulted from a blood clot in the secretary's brain was said to have disappeared except below the elbow and the patient was recovering use of his fingers.

MURDER CHARGES FILED

Mormon Joe, Ute Indian, to Grace Trial for Slaying His Cell Mate.

DURANGO, Colo., April 3.—Mormon Joe, aged Ute Indian medicine man, was formally charged with first degree murder today in connection with the slaying of Joseph Chavez his cell mate.

The Indian clubbed Chavez to death in the prison at Cortez. Mormon Joe was being held in the prison in connection with the burying alive of his granddaughter, when he beat to death Chavez with a table leg, after the Mexican had told him about his tribal rites of human sacrifice.

NAFZIGER CAR SHOP ON FIRE

Fire of undetermined origin which broke out at 1:30 Saturday morning in the garage used by the Nafziger Baking company at 906 Eleventh street caused extensive damage to the building and five automobiles in the place. Officials of the baking company said at an early hour this morning they could not estimate their loss but that it would be "heavy."

The damaged machines were used as delivery trucks and it was feared that all had been put out of commission. The walls and roof of the building were not damaged beyond repair but the interior was thought to have been gutted.

WICHITA FALLS WOMEN NOT IN ACCORD ON MA

Many, However, Decry Her Attitude in Refusing Mrs. Welk an Audience

QUESTIONS ASKED

Symposium is Prepared On Views on Veto of Penitentiary Relocation Bill

In view of the fact that she has pardoned so many other cases it seems inconsistent for her not to have granted this woman an interview.

Mrs. Welk's appeal was to the sympathy of the governor instead of to the governor's judgment.

For the sake of womanhood, if for nothing else, I think that she should not have refused an audience on so vital a question to one of her own sex. She has granted pardons after pardons, and I think she might have at least have heard what the woman had to say to her.

She seems to be turning them loose by the dozens, I think she might have at least heard what the woman had to say.

I think it is just in line with everything else she has done.—I consider we have no governor.

I think that if they had been influential people, she, like most governors, would have consented for an audience with her.

The refusal of Miriam A. Ferguson to stay the execution of Pete Welk meets with my approval.

It is probable that the little wife had no influence with which to gain a hearing to plead for her husband.

The above is a symposium of views gathered from eight prominent Wichita Falls women Friday with regard to the refusal of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson to grant a reprieve to Pete Welk, murderer who was electrocuted shortly after midnight Friday morning, and whose wife was refused a hearing before Mrs. Ferguson to plead for her husband's life.

The question put to the women of Wichita Falls, interviewed by the Record News yesterday was this:

For the first time in the history of the United States it has been afforded a woman governor the opportunity to show humanitarian instincts and prove that woman in office carried the heart of humanity into politics. Granted this, did Mrs. Ferguson do right first, in denying a reprieve to Pete Welk and an audience to his little wife; and did Mrs. Ferguson do right in vetoing the penitentiary relocation measure?

The answers given the Record News follow:

From Miss Maude Thomas.

"Regarding the governor and prison pardons, I think she has pardoned too many convicts now. They seem to be going free at a rapid rate. I don't know much about the Welk case," declared Miss Maude Thomas.

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Officers Seek Clue In Barrack Murder

SAN ANTONIO, April 3.—Events leading up to a midnight murder in the barracks of Company B, Forty-ninth infantry, Fort Sam Houston were sought by military police following the finding of Private George Copeland at 2:30 Friday morning, barely living, with knife wounds in the abdomen.

He was rushed to the hospital at the post but died shortly after being taken into the surgical ward.

Warning had been broadcast for a soldier sought in connection with the fatal stabbing.

No one was in the barracks at the time of the stabbing and when Copeland was found he was unable to talk and died without telling officers the name of the man who stabbed him.

NURSE LOSES HER CASE

Suit For $150,000 Damages In New York Court; She Sues Aged Man.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Breach of promise suit brought by Miss Florence Redding, professional nurse, asking damages of $150,000 from Colonel Isaac M. Ullman, corset manufacturer and republican leader of New Haven, Conn., was discontinued in the supreme court today after counsel for Colonel Ullman informed Justice Guy that a settlement had been reached. Counsel for neither side would disclose the terms.

Miss Redding in her complaint charged that Colonel Ullman broke his promise to marry her and that he was the father of her four-year-old son.

DODGE HEIRS TO INVEST

Will Turn Large Share of Their $175,000,000 Back to Plants.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Although control of the $175,000,000 Dodge automobile business had passed to bankers, who will shortly open it to public investment, members of the Dodge family will still retain a substantial interest in the property it was learned today.

Having received almost $175,000,000 in cash for their holdings, the heirs of John and Horace Dodge indicated today that they would reinvest a large share of it in the new company.

ORIENT FREIGHT RATES

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—Increased freight rates granted the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient railway in February 1923 to run until April 10, today were extended to October 10. They have been extended from time to time to aid the financial condition of the road. They amount to an increase of nearly ten per cent.

HOLD MAN FOR SHOOTING

Bonham Resident Arrested After Death of Brother-in-Law.

BONHAM, April 3.—Ed McDonald is being held here following the fatal shooting of Frank Allen, his brother-in-law, near Danner, north of Bonham, at one o'clock this afternoon.

Cause of the shooting was not given.

Mrs. Welk In Prayer For Vengeance of Pete's Death



PETE WELK.

DALLAS, April 3.—The state executed Pete Welk Friday shortly after midnight.

The old Mosaic law of "an eye for an eye" adhered to.

Pete went to the chair for the murder of Jailer Champion, who was shot to death when Pete and Emmett Gaines, notorious postoffice bandit, made a break for freedom in September two years ago in the Dallas county jail.

Wednesday, Governor Miriam Ferguson refused to interfere with the verdict despite the fact that a petition signed by 15,000 or more Dallas county citizens went to her desk, asking that the sentence be commuted.

At the Welk Home.

Her edict was that Pete Welk should pay the maximum penalty.

A reporter for a Dallas paper stood on the doorstep of the two-room shack, just across the county line in Rockwall county, where Mrs. Welk and her five children have lived, waited and prayed.

"I'm here," Mrs. Welk called out when the reporter asked for her. "Have you some good news?"

She was scrubbing the bare floors of the rooms—rooms unpapered and furnished only with two clean looking iron beds, an old dresser, the mirror of which was broken, an old wood stove, a box containing clothing, and a table. On the dresser were two dolls, both worn; both broken.

These dolls were given the Welk children at Christmas, two years ago, when Mrs. Welk wrote a letter to a Dallas newspaper telling that Santa Claus couldn't visit them unless the good folks of Dallas sent him.

A Bible, evidently recently read, was open on one of the beds. Mrs. Welk, frail, tubercular looking woman, with a tired face and hands rough from hard labor, was dressed in an old blue dress and bonnet. On her arms were old cotton stockings with the feet cut out.

She leaned against the door—a peculiar light in her eyes as she again repeated the question.

Any Good News.

"Any good news?" she again asked. "Tell me quick!"

"The governor has declined to commute the sentence to life in prison."

For a moment the little woman stood motionless.

Then—

Dropping upon her knees upon the water-soaked floor, she offered a prayer for the condemned man and begged God to help her revenge on Shelby Cox.

"O God," she prayed, "save Pete, please. He ain't half bad—not half as bad as they say he is. What am I gonna do. I've reached the end of the rope. Oh, please God, don't let 'em kill him."

Her eyes were closed.

She opened them a second and then closed them again, continued:

"I asked that Shelby Cox be punished. He's done this. I want him to pay. He ain't got no children to take care for. He ain't got no heart. He just wanted Pete to die."

"Happy Home."

She arose and put her arms around Talmadge 6, and Joy 3, and her two youngest children.

"Here's what he's robbing of a daddy," she said as she wiped her eyes on her sleeves.

Where are the other children, she was asked. "They're in school—Olan 11; Pauline, 9, and Vera, 7—go every day. "What school?" "Happy Home." Then the significance of the two words came to her.

"Happy Home—Happy Home—we ain't got that, have we honey?" she asked Joy.

"Well, all they can do is to kill him," she said. "I've done all I can. The lawyers have done all they can. I've prayed myself sick. I go to sleep every night praying to the good God to take care of my man. He's mine, even if folks do say he's mean. Why, Pete wouldn't hurt nobody. You just ought to see him and the kids here at home. He's always on the floor on his knees and hands and a couple of 'em on his back playing horse. He made all them playthings."

"I'd Go With Him."

She pointed to a home-made kiddy-car, a rocking horse and a lawn swing. Pete recently had some pictures taken at Huntsville. He sent two to his faithful wife.

"Here's all I got now to show for him," she said as she covered a regulation police picture with kisses." "Just look at him. Do you think he'd murder anybody? He didn't shoot Mr. Woods, the sheriff. He didn't shoot Mr. Champion. I'm sorry for their families. Did I see and talk with the governor? No I went to Austin and stayed two days. Kind folks gave me money for the trip, but Mrs. Ferguson sent word that she didn't want to see me. She wouldn't give me a chance. She let Shelby Cox come in, though. He's a district attorney. My husband—my Pete is a murderer. Bah! Justice? There ain't none in this part of Texas. Mrs. Ferguson gave 60 days more to that nigger and yet she wouldn't let Pete live that much longer."

They'll bring Pete home in a pine box. His woman will bury him out near the little shack in which she lives.

"If it weren't for the kids, I'd have gone with him," she said as she sat down.

Gasoline Demand Mounts Rapidly

WASHINGTON, April 3. — Daily gasoline production in February was the greatest on record, averaging 22,800,000 gallons, or 5.2 per cent above the previous high mark in the month before.

An announcement today by the interior department said February domestic demand amounted to 342,426,977 gallons, an increase of one per cent over January and of forty per cent over February, 1924.

Stocks on hand, were swelled in February and now total nearly 1,500,000,000 gallons representing 17 days supply at the February rate of demand.

DISEASES DECREASING

Communicable Report of Texas Shows Slackening.

AUSTIN, April 3.—Statistics compiled by the bureau of communicable diseases of Texas state board of health show a decided decrease during the month of March in the number of cases of influenza in the state, there being 2,847 cases of this disease reported for March, while February had 13,650 reported cases.

Mystery Unsolved in Dentist's Death

KANSAS CITY, April 3. — The shadow surrounding the death of Dr. John R. Kelly, dentist, whose body was found in a local hotel, yesterday, had not been pierced tonight. Belief expressed by the police that the case was one of an elaborately planned suicide possibly intended to leave $5,000 insurance to the dentist's wife, was scouted by Harry B. Rivers, of Topeka, an agent of the company that insured the dentist.

Rivers, a friend of Dr. Kelly, was here conducting an investigation of circumstances that he believed might affect payment of the insurance.

RAIL REVENUES GAINED

At the Same Time Operating Expenses Lower.

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—Operating revenues of Texas railroads for January this year totaled $19,612,625, the railroad commission announced today. The operating expenses for the month were $14,583,380.

The revenue is a gain of about $3,000,000 over the same month last year, while the operating expenses are slightly lower than January, 1924.

MAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT IA. PARK ROAD

Unidentified Pedestrian, About 60 Years of Age, Is Run Down

BROUGHT TO CITY

Bryan W. Paine Brings Body in And Reports Fatality to Officers

A man, who, early Saturday morning had not been identified, was fatally injured at 9 o'clock Friday night when he was run down by a car driven by Bryan W. Paine at a point about 5 miles out on the Iowa Park road. The accident happened, Mr. Pain told officers, while he was blinded by the headlights from approaching machines.

Blinded By Lights.

The Pain car was coming into Wichita Falls and was driving close to the side of the road to give clearance to machines running in the opposite direction, the driver said, and just as he straightened out again after passing the other cars he saw the man walking directly in front of his automobile. He had been unable to see him prior to that because of the blinding lights of several cars facing him, he said.

Mr. Pain picked up the body and brought it to the general hospital where an examination revealed the man was dead. Mr. Pain came to the city hall and later went to the sheriffs office to report there.

Body At Merkle.

The body was removed to the Merkle undertaking parlors and efforts were made to identify them. No one could be found last night, however, who knew the man. No identification marks were about the clothing.

The man was apparently about 60 years of age, it was said.

He was dressed in clothing much the worse for wear and gave the appearance of having been on the road for some time. Several persons who were thought to have known the victim called at the undertakers during the night but after an examination of the corpse stated they could not identify it.

"WELK WOULDN'T TALK"

Shelby Cox and Assistant Say Condemned Man Declined to Speak

HOUSTON, April 3.—Shelby Cox, district attorney of Dallas county, and John Tips, his assistant, while stopping over in Houston Friday on their way home from Huntsville where they conferred with "Pete" Welk before his electrocution admitted they were unsuccessful in obtaining the information they sought.

"We talked with him just a short time before he went to the chair but were unable to get anything out of him," Cox told assistants in the district attorney's office at the courthouse Friday.

STEAMER SALE BLOCKED

Court Ruling Halts Transfer of Shipping Board Vessels

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Conclusion of the sale to the dollar interests of the Pacific Mail Steamship company's California-Orient line was blocked temporarily today in the District of Columbia supreme court.

Granting a petition of the Pacific Mail, Justice Hitz issued a temporary injunction against the shipping board and set April 13 for hearing arguments on making the order permanent.

LINDSEY COUNT LOSING

Famed Juvenile Judge of Denver Lagging Behind in Colorado Balloting

DENVER, Colo., April 3.—Judge Ben B. Lindsey of Denver's juvenile court is losing ground in the election recount being made today in district court in connection with the ouster suit being pressed by Royal B. Graham, who was declared defeated by the election commission last November.

With a recount complete in seven out of the 811 precints, in Denver, Graham had gained 151 votes of the noted juvenile judge.

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"No One Else In On It" Says Welk As Death Nears

Dallas Slayer Declines To Talk on Way to Electric Chair

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, April 3.—Certain phases of the murder in the Dallas county jail outbreak on October 26, 1923, of Willis Champion, assistant county jailer, were cleared up by Sidney J. Welk just before he went to the electric chair in the state penitentiary here early today.

Welk told Sheriff Schyler Marshall of Dallas that it cost $1,000 to smuggle two pistols and a quantity of ammunition into the jail. He named a number of persons who he said were in the plot, but failed to name still another person whom Sheriff Marshall believed to have been implicated.

With almost his last words he denied any knowledge that the person Sheriff Marshall described as a "higher up" had anything to do with it.

Welk walked to the death chair with a buoyant tread and a serene countenance. The preliminary lacked any unusual developments. At 11:48 o'clock Warden N. E. Speer from his office in the main prison building stepped to the telephone and called Dr. L. H. Bush, Huntsville physician, announcing that the execution would take place shortly. Within a few minutes the physician had arrived and at 12:08 a. m. the warden left the office on his way to the death house. The current was turned on at 12:15 and at 12:19 Welk was pronounced dead.

"I wish you would tell me yes or no," the sheriff said to Welk as he was being strapped in the chair.

"I Can't," He Said.

"I wish I could but I can't," Welk replied.

The subject of this bit of last minute conversation between the officer and the condemned man was obscure until Sheriff Marshall cleared it up after the execution. Bystanders in the death chamber took it to mean that the sheriff was asking Welk if he fired the shot that killed Champion.

Names of none of the persons whom the sheriff mentioned to Welk were made public. The effort to get Welk to disclose the whole plot came at the end of two conferences between the official and the condemned man. Early in the evening the sheriff, who, other officials said, apparently had the confidence of Welk, talked to him more than two hours. Later the sheriff said it merely was to pave the way for a second conference during which he hoped that Welk would reveal the entire plot.

At the first conference Welk gave the sheriff a red rose, sent another to Murray Fisher, chief jailer at Dallas with a bouquet of white roses to his (Welk's) wife, who until a few hours before his execution was continuing her efforts to secure a reprieve. Welk also asked the sheriff to say to his wife that he did not desire her to remarry until their four children were grown.

"I do not want them to grow up under the influence of a stepfather," he said. About two hours before the execution was to take place Sheriff Marshall again visited Welk in his death cell and at that time he revealed much of the plot which was planned as a jail delivery with the avowed object of freeing Welk and C. R. Gaines, then in custody as one of the participants in the sensational Jackson street postoffice robbery in 1921, in which a postoffice clerk was killed.

The robbery was said to have netted more than $1,000,000. Gaines was captured in Texas and taken to Dallas where he found Welk, under a sentence of forty years after conviction on the charge of killing Tom Wood, a deputy sheriff in a pistol fight, between dry raiders and Welk and his friends between Garland and Rowlette in Dallas county, on December 21, 1922. Welk, reputed as a deadly pistol shot, claimed the officers closed in on him on two sides and that bullets from the guns of one advancing line of officers found a mark in Wood's body.

Goodby to Negro.

About midnight guards opened the door in the death cell and one of them with the cell keys in his hand, stopped in front of the second cell. Behind the bars Welk could be seen by those who had gathered to witness his execution. The key in the lock clicked and Welk stepped out. He asked the guard if he might say goodbye to Lavannie Twitty, a negro, the only other occupant of the death house. Twitty is under sentence of death on the charge of killing a negro taxicab driver. He received a 63-day reprieve this week from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

Welk and the guard stopped in front of the cell furthest from the entrance to the death house. He thrust his hand through the bars and shook the hand of the negro. Those in the death house who were within earshot heard him say to the negro: "Goodbye; I hope you have better luck than I had."

The march to the electric chair followed immediately. With his guard Welk marched to the narrow door and passed through it ahead of the prison attaches. A full pace ahead of the prison attaches he stepped briskly the few feet toward the rear of the room and to the contrivance which soon was to take his life.

Facing more than a score of people who were in the small space marked off by an iron railing, he bade them goodbye and hoped he would "meet them in a better world."

Unassisted and without suggestion, he took his place in the chair. At this juncture Sheriff Marshall put his question for a yes or no answer to the question about the "higher-up" in the Dallas attempted jail delivery. Firmly, without hesitation and apparently earnestly, Welk said he wished he could, 'but I cannot."

Attendants strapped him in the chair and during the process one of the guards exclaimed, "not too tight," "tight," referring to the straps which held Welk. "Take your time," said Welk to them, "and have the very best of luck."

First Shock.

The cap was placed over his head and his eyes bandaged. During the process, he, so far as the spectators could discern, made no sound. At 12:15 o'clock, Warden Speer, who had taken his station at the switch board behind the prisoner, threw a switch. Welk did not move. At the second shock he slumped in his seat and at the third shock, Dr. Bush placed his stethoscope on the prisoner's breast and after a moment announced "I pronounce Pete Welk dead." Pete was a nickname under which Welk was generally known.

The actual execution had occupied exactly four minutes. Attendants carried the body out through a rear door, the spectators dispersed and the first white man had been legally electrocuted in Texas.

Welk was indicted for the murder of Champion on September 21, 1922. He was convicted October 22, of the same year, carried his case to the court of criminal appeals and was denied a new trial on February 20, last. His death warrant bore date of February 24, and directed that he be electrocuted, on April 3. District Attorney Shelby Cox of Dallas county, who prosecuted Welk, came here to assist in an endeavor to have Welk clear up some of the hitherto obscure details connected with the attempted Dallas jail delivery. Welk, he said, chatted with him, but disclosed nothing. Mr. Cox did not witness the execution but stayed in the warden's office until it was over.

Attorney Tells Story.

Meanwhile he recounted to the small assembly in the warden's office events leading up to the killing. He reached the Dallas jail just after the last shot was fired. He held Champion, his friend, in his arms while the assistant jailer's life ebbed away from a shot in the back. He asked Mr. Cox to see "that justice was done," and to bring his son to him.

Allen Seale and Hal Hood, then deputy sheriffs, now investigators attached to Mr. Cox's office, together with Jeff Wilson, jailer, were given credit for stopping the attempted jail delivery.

Welk and Gaines had gained possession of pistols and a quantity of ammunition. On the night the plot was to bear fruit, they appeared in the corridor fully armed and began to shoot. Champion and Gaines, according to Mr. Cox were struggling for possession of Gaines' weapon, even though Champion had in the meanwhile been shot in the back and mortally wounded. In the melee, the pistol was discharged and the bullet broke Champion's leg. The assistant jailer fell and as he lay on the ground Welk, the district attorney said, kicked him in the face, and knocked out a number of his teeth.

At this time, according to Mr. Cox, Sale and Hood appeared armed with riot guns. They advanced, their guns belching lead and fire. Meanwhile Welk and Gaines had taken refuge behind obstacles in the corridor and were shooting at the advancing officers. Finally Welk became incautious and one of the officers emptied the contents of a shell into his exposed foot. A little later he came more fully into view and a second charge was fired into his body. This particular shell was loaded with small shot and merely peppered Welk's face and breast. He fell, apparently dead and the officers concentrated their fire on Gaines who after a moment sprang across the corridor and fled through an adjoining corridor into the hospital where he was killed.

Meanwhile Welk lay as if dead. Presently one of the officers, thought he detected signs of life and leveled his gun at Welk. He thought better of it apparently, and withheld his fire. Welk was rushed to the hospital, a physician was summoned and in due time he fully recovered.

Welk, according to this version, had been suspected of illicit liquor dealings for a long time previous to the killing of Deputy Sheriff Wood in December, 1922. His subsequent fruitless appeal was in process of adjudication when the attempted jail delivery took place. Welk, acording to Mr. Cox, all along claimed that he was an unwilling conspirator in the plot. He asserted Mr. Cox said, that Gaines forced him into it at the point of a pistol.

Welk as he stepped from the death cell to the electric chair today, appeared to be an average citizen, except for prison paller.

He was inordinately fond of his long, waving black hair, Warden Speer said and in deference to his request that his head be not shaved that detail was deferred until the night of the execution. Ordinarily, the warden said, a condemned man's head was shaven the night before his sentence was to be carried out. Welk's body was shipped today to his wife at Dallas for burial.

Woman Condemned To Death



Only the governor of Georgia can now save Mrs. Ida Hughes of Atlanta from dying on the gallows for the murder of her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. C. Hughes. Courts have decreed that she must die April 24. The doomed woman is seen waiting in the death cell for news of the results of a final appeal to Georgia's chief executive.

Two New Buildings Promised Texas U.

AUSTIN, April 3. — Two new buildings for the University of Texas, within the next two years were assured Friday morning when Governor Miriam A. Ferguson signed the bill to divert oil royalties from university lands to the available building fund of that institution, Dr. W. M. W. Splawn announced Friday afternoon.

The new buildings will be an addition to the present library, built on the north of the present building and doubling its capacity, and a new chemistry building, probably on the northeast corner of the campus.

GENERAL MOTORS BID TOO

Big Corporation Did Not Offer Right Price for Dodge Brothers.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two bids, one of $124,650,000 in cash and another of $140,000,000 combined cash and securities, were submitted by the General Motors corporation for Dodge Brothers, Inc., in its unsuccessful competition with Dillon, Read and company for the property, General Motors officials announced today. The amount of the winning bid has not been officially revealed but was said authoritatively to involve a cash transaction of between $150,000,000 and $175,000,000.

Alienists Unable to Agree on Girl

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Dr. Fred P. Clark, medical superintendent of the state hospital for the insane, considers Dorothy Ellingson insane, he testified today at the sanity hearing of the 17-year-old girl who killed her mother in their home last January.

The girl sat calmly as her mental makeup was dissected. She got through the morning without fainting, though she was weak and tearful at the noon recess. Dr. Clark was preceded on the witness stand by Dr. George Ordahl, a clinical psycologist connected with the sonoma state home for defective. He detailed the results of psychological tests of Miss Ellingson. He termed her reactions "impulsive" and said that persons of her type were "likely to act without deliberation," but he added that the intelligence tests had demonstrated that she was not feeble minded or a moron, but showed "a high average of intelligence."

WITHDRAWS SUPPORT

Herriot's Majority in Deputy Chamber Decreased Through Break

PARIS, April 3.—A break in the coalition supporting Premier Herriot occurred this afternoon, 41 deputies comprising the "radical left," led by Louis Loucher, deciding to withdraw their support.

The withdrawal, which if persisted in will cut the government's chamber vote down to 300 out of a total of 584, is understood to be because of the cabinet's reported tendency toward a capital levy.

20 Years Needed To Give Texas U. Buildings Needed

Governor Signs Bill Putting Oil Funds at Its Disposal

AUSTIN, Texas, April 3.—(AP)—Twenty years will be necessary to replace the present "shacks" on the University of Texas campus with permanent school buildings, President Walter Splawn said today after Governor Miriam A. Ferguson had signed the bill transferring oil royalties from the permanent to the available school fund for building purposes.

Architect's estimates place the cost for the building program at $10,000,000. Approximately $500,000 yearly, which is expected to increase in the future, was made available for university buildings by the governor's approval of the bill. She signed it in face of the rul from the attorney general's department that the bill is unconstitutional.

Is "Hair Breadth"

Mrs. Ferguson asserted the ruling was a "hair breadth distinction."

"The hair breadth distinctions of his ruling," she said, "are bewildering to the average mind and I am not going to say the attorney general is wrong * * * but I am going to resolve the doubt in favor of the university and the legislature and help it get some buildings that are not an eye sore to the public on its campus grounds."

Wood Takes Honest Job With Realtors

TAMPA, Fla., April 3.—Osborn C. Wood today went to work as a member of the sales force of a real estate company in an effort to regain his fortune on what he termed "legitimate grounds."

The idea of getting back the money he squandered in four months in France through his Wall street broker has been discarded, Wood said.

A $50,000 contract with a moving picture company located on the west coast was formally rejected today, on the ground that an effort was being made to capitalize on his spendthrift activities, he said.

LATIN TOURNEY UNDER WAY

132 Pupils Contesting in Events Being Held in Waco High School.

WACO, April 3.—With 132 pupils representing 28 schools of the district in attendance, the contests for the Central Texas division of the state Latin tournament were held at the Waco high school Friday afternoon. prizes being awarded at a banquet Friday night at the Georgia Burleson Hall of Baylor university. Teachers and parents accompanying the students increased the number of visitors.

ELEVEN KILLED IN CRASH.

BERLIN, April 3.—A newly constructed chimney at Boehlen, near Leipsic, suddenly collapsed today, killing 11 men.

Widow, 38, Rich, Weds Poor Man, 31

NEW YORK, April 3.—(AP)—Mrs. Dorothy Payne Whitney Straight, widow of Willard D. Straight and sister of Harry Payne Whitney, today becomes the bride of Leonard K. Elmhirst, graduate of Oxford university and the agricultural school of Cornell. She is 38 and he 31.

While Mrs. Straight is one of the wealthiest women in the country, Mr. Elmhirst has no fortune and is comparatively little known.

Since the death of her first husband Mrs. Straight has been interested in Cornell university. Two years ago she gave it a $1,000,000 building for a memorial to Mr. Straight.

She and Mr. Elmhirst met at Cornell where he taught English to pay his tuition.

Mrs. Straight is a daughter of the late William C. Whitney, secretary of the navy during the Cleveland administration.

Her first husband whom she married in 1911, was a newspaper correspondent during the Russo-Japanese war, a representative of American bankers in China and an executive in the state department. He died in Paris in 1918. Mr. and Mrs. Straight had three children.

AFFIRMS LINE DECISION.

TEXARKANA, Texas, April 3.—The court of civil appeals for the sixth district of Texas here today affirmed the decision of the Rockwall county circuit court in the boundary dispute between Hunt and Rains counties, Texas, leaving the county line as it now stands.

Dodge Bros. Sold To Conserve The Owners' Fortunes

Directors Were Unwilling To Bear The Growing Responsibility

DETROIT, April 3—Sale of Dodge Brothers, Inc., was explained today by representatives of the corporation as being necessary "for conserving the fortune created by the late John F. and Horace E. Dodge."

This statement was made by John Ballantyne, treasurer of Dodge Brothers, Inc. The underlying reason, he said, for the sale of the plant is "one that will be appreciated fully by all sound business men, viz: the necessity for conserving the fortunes created by the late John F. and Horace E. Dodge. The management and operations were subject to the changes that time brings in every industrial concern and the trustees were unwilling to carry the responsibilities attendant upon such changes.

"At the same time the members of the Dodge families were greatly concerned about the welfare of the organization and the dealers and had it not been that they were able to get assurances that in this regard the operations would be undisturbed it is doubtful if they ever would have consented to the sale."

ROBBERS TAKE JEWELRY

Bandits Hold Up Illinois Store and Escape With Loot Worth $4,000

KANKAKEE, Ills., April 3.—Two robbers today held up a jewelry store one block from police headquarters, fled with diamonds valued at $4,000, held up a city detective and escaped with a police car after disarming the detective's son.

Today Final Clearance



ON ALL

SPRING HATS

All Hats Up to $5.00 On Sale	$1.00
All Hats Up to $6.75 On Sale	$2.00
Big Line Hats Up to $8.75 On Sale	$3.69
Big Line Hats Up to $18.75 On Sale	$6.69

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The Mallory "Cravenette"-Processed Hat Weathers All Weathers And Keeps Smooth In The Roughest

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All 10c Fine Handkerchiefs	6c
Large 19c cans fine Talcum Powder	8c
Extra quality 15c White Huck Towels	9c
33-inch White Curtain Scrim	10c
Fancy Imported Candles, each	11c
One Big Lot 25c Beads	13c
Work Baskets, Chinese Willow	15c
Large 25c Turkish Towels	17c
25c Iveroid Combs (white)	18c
25c Knit Vests on sale	19c
Pillow Cases, full size	20c
One lot Stepins, Muslin	23c
38c Towels, 24x45, Turkish	25c
50c Rubber Aprons	29c
59c Silk Hose	33c
Big Line 50c Collar and Cuff Sets	35c
50c Line Brassieres	39c
69c Tapestry Pillow Tops	48c
Big Line Muslin Gowns and Teds	58c
98c Bureau Scarfs	68c
98c Sheets, 72x90, seam	69c
Hand Painted Serving Trays, 2 for	75c
$1.00 Silk Hose, all colors	79c
$1.25 Seco Silk Stepins	88c
Big Line Sweaters	$1.00
Big Line New Spring Hats	$1.00
Big Line Muslin Gowns	$1.00
Best $1.38 Silk Chiffon Hose	$1.19
$1.50 Silk Camisoles	$1.00
Good Line Corsets	$1.00
Corsets up to $2.95, sale	$1.48
Big Line Imported Mirrors and Pictures	$1.49
Big New Line Silk Teds	$1.95
Big New Line Jersey Silk Petticoats	$1.95
Choice All Hats up to $6.75	$2.00
Wash Satin Princess Slips	$2.48
New Spring Line Fine House Dresses	$1.95

SILK DRESSES

$5.00, $7.50, $10.00, $13.75

SPRING COATS—Half Price

INDIANA AT TENTH MILLER FERGUSON CO. INCORPORATED FINE LADIES WEAR

Cotton Men From 6 Nations Meet In Texas Capital

Bonds of Business Co-operation is Affirmed at Session

AUSTIN, April 3.—Cotton men of six nations reaffirmed the bonds of business co-operation across the seas, as Friday's opening sessions of the fourteenth Texas Cotton association convention. More than 400 delegates, and nearly 100 ladies are here for the meeting, with representatives of three national organizations, and of six associate cotton bodies.

Committees at Work.

Committees began work Friday night to nominate officers and directors, and the election will be held Saturday morning, following addresses by H. C. Taylor, chief of the U. S. bureau of agricultural economics, Washington, and J. Howard Audrey, vice president of the National Bank of Commerce, New York.

Saturday morning's session, continuing until nearly 1 o'clock, will complete the business program; and the afternoon will be given to a barbecue at Barton Springs, tea at Laguna Gloria, and a buffet supper and dance at the Country club.

R. L. Batts of Austin presided as toast master Friday night at a banquet attended by over 500 persons, on the Stephen F. Austin roof.

Brief Responses.

There were brief responses by representatives of foreign exchanges.

H. W. Westerschulte, director of the Bremen Cotton Exchange, told the Texas cotton men, "we will always make fair play with you." Edmund Breyer, Bremen, president of the German Spinners' association, Representative Cuzzo of Milan, Pel of Paris, Broesschoellet of Holland, J. Albrecht of Liverpool and L. F. Francois of Belgium pledged co-operation of European business with the American dealers.

R. O. Harvey of Wichita Falls is chairman of one of the two nominating committees, and Tom Bush of Waco, of the other, to select tickets of new officers to be elected Saturday.

Ex-klan Dragon Held for Attack

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 3.—Miss Madge Oberholtzer, 28, Indianapolis, alleged in county grand jury indictments returned today to have been assaulted by D. C. Stephenson, formerly grand dragon of the ku klux klan in Indiana was unconscious tonight. A blood transfusion was made, but results will not be known for from 24 to 48 hours, according to Dr. John Kingsbury, her physician. Dr. Kingsbury held out little hope for the girl, who took poison after the alleged attack.

Stephenson known throughout the country as the "old man" in connection with klan activities, was indicted today on five counts—assault and battery with intent to kill, assault and battery with intent to rape, malicious mayhem, kidnaping and conspiracy to commit a felony. Bond was placed at $25,000, which was provided. He will be arraigned next Monday.

Earl Gonley and Marl Klenk, said to be a deputy sheriff also were indicted in connection with the case each on a charge of conspiracy to kidnap. They had not been arrested early tonight. Stephenson was arrested last night on affidavits sworn to by George E. Oberholtzer, father of the girl. He was dismissed in police court today on charges of assault and battery with intent to murder and kidnaping. Hearing on another charge—conspiracy to commit a felony—was continued until May 28.

Mr. Oberholtzer caused affidavits to be filed, he said, on statements Miss Oberholtzer made regarding a train trip to Hammond, Ind., March 15 and a return trip by automobile. Mr. Oberholtzer said the girl was taken forcibly to Hammond after having been made to drink liquor at Stephenson's home here. The girl said she took poison in Hammond.

Other than to say the action was a "political move" Stephenson would not make a statement.

LEWIS' CREDITORS TO MEET.

The Promoter Owes 9,000 Persons Throughout World Is Report.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., April 3.—The first meeting of creditors in the bankruptcy proceedings against E. G. Lewis, promoter of the Palos Verdes and other California tracts, will be held at San Louis Obispo. Nine thousand persons over the world are expected to push their claims.

It is believed that Attorney Oscar Villets of Los Angeles, who instituted the proceedings, holds the largest individual number of proxies and will be in a position to name the bankruptcy trustee. Lewi's liabilities were listed at $10,650,923 and his assets at $23,640,135.

BODY OF GIRL IS FOUND

Mexican Senorita Slain; Police Make Search for Her Lover.

DALLAS, April 3.—The body of the pretty Mexican girl found slain in West Dallas Thursday, was identified today as that of Senorita Francisca Martinez. Senorita Francisca Garza, friend of the girl, said that the Martines girl left with her lover Saturday night for dinner and neither had been seen until the body was found.

Authorities said they expect to make an arrest soon.

PEN TERM FOR YOUTH

Five Years is Penalty for Young Man Convicted of Burglary.

SAN ANTONIO, April 3.—Victor Leonette, 20, charged by indictment with theft over $50, was found guilty and given five years in the penitentiary by a jury in the 37th district court this afternoon.

The indictment charged Leonette with participation in the robbery of Sallings' grocery store on last January 24. There are 12 additional indictments pending against him.

FIRE IN DALLAS

DALLAS, April 3.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a drug store and building here late today causing a $10,000 loss.

FALLS IN WELL

DALLAS, April 3.—David Otha Fagala, 51, of Lisbon, near here, was found dead in a well at Glendale addition today. He accidentally fell into the well, it is believed.

U. S. Senator's Daughter Wins



Rosamond Reed, daughter of Senator David Reed of Pennsylvania, has just been graduated with special honors from the Sarbonne, the great French university.

Boys Go To Class To Learn, Is Ma's Idea Of Schools

So She Vetoes Bill Giving Assistance of Cadets In Field Work

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—Professors of A. and M. college and inspectors of the livestock sanitary commission have all they can do instructing young men and tick eradication, respectively, instead of hunting wild animals, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson held today when she vetoed a bill providing for extermination of rodents and predatory animals.

The bill provides for co-operation between the United States department of agriculture and A. and M. college in exterminating rodents such as rats, prairie dogs, pocket gophers and ground squirrels, and similar co-operation with the livestock sanitary commission in exterminating coyotes, wolves, mountain lions and bob cats. The bill also permits county commissioners courts to post bounties for killing these animals, when co-operation with the federal government is not provided.

Capitol On Its Own Ground For The First Time

Texas Pays $20,000 For Site on Which Huge Building Stands

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—The state capitol today, for the first time, rested upon its own ground, unencumbered by any claim, when R. E. Coffer of Austin receipted for a $20,000 warrant payable to Mrs. Kate Chambers Sturgiss and Mrs. Stella M. McGregor of Galveston.

Signature for the warrant closed, so far as the state is concerned, a claim that has been before the people of Texas for 90 years, and 55 years on behalf of the payees of the warrant. They are the sole surviving heirs of General Thomas Jefferson Chambers, from whom the capitol site was taken by condemnation in 1836.

Knocked Out by House.

The $20,000 claim was included by the senate, but knocked out by the house, in the claims and accounts bill. However, the free conference committee reinstated the item and on the second trip through the house it was approved.

The check was turned over to Mr. Coffer by Comptroller S. H. Terrell. Mr. Coffer will deliver the money to the aged claimants in person.



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Biggest Estate To Be Taxed By Inheritance Law

King Ranch in Kleberg County Will Run High In Valuation

AUSTIN, Texas, April 3.—The biggest estate ever before the state for inheritance tax is that of Mrs. Henrietta King, owner of the King ranch in Kleberg county, who died this week.

At the least estimate, the state inheritance will probably exceed half a million dollars, according to W. M. Woodall, chief of the inheritance tax division, comptroller's department. The tax may run into millions, depending on whether most of the vast 2,000,000-acre Santa Gertrudis ranch and other properties had been transmitted to other ownership before her death.

The two largest estates in Texas have been those of women. The second in size to that of Mrs. King was that of Mrs. Dellora F. Gates, Port Arthur, from which the state collected $357,000 inheritance tax.

Rate Ranges.

The rate of state inheritance tax ranges up to six per cent on any estate valued at more than $1,000,000. After an exemption of $25,000 is made, when the estate goes directly to wife, husband or lineal descendants, the remainder, if over a million dollars is then taxed at 2 per cent. Forillustration, if the King estate should be valued at $16,691,000, the inheritance tax collected by the state would be an even million dollars.

Estates of W. C. Tyrrell, Beaumont, and the Waelder estate of Victoria are large ones within the past two years which have come before the inheritance tax division, both exceeding $1,000,000.

The state has so far this year collected tax on seven non-resident estates. The largest of these is the Harold M. Sewall of Bath, Me., in which the state received $2,336 for tax on ownership of shares in the Texas company. The law provides for taxation of stock of Texas concerns owned by a decedent, and cannot be transferred until the department which administers the inheritance tax has issued a permit.

Stanfield Values High.

The estate of W. H. Stanfield, Wise county, has recently been valued, and large land holdings to which title passed at Stanfield's death brought the values to nearly $1,000,000, on which the state will probably collect in the neighborhood of $50,000.

When Charles E. Perkins of New York died a few months ago, his death set in machinery for the payment to Texas of $1,019 inheritance tax on property owned in this state.

Treasure Vault of Big Bandit Found

TETUAN, Morocco, April 3—(AP)—The place where Raisuli, the notorious Moccocan bandit hid most of the treasures he stole during the many years he raided the countryside, has been revealed to Abd-El-Krin, leader of the rebels in their warfare against the Spaniards. Raisuli is a prisoner of Abd-El-Krim at Axdir.

Natives, arriving here from the headquarters of Abd-El-Krim, say that Raisuli informed the Moroccan rebel leader that his booty lies in subterranean chambers in the Buxhaven mountains.

Many mules, it is said, will be needed to bring the valuable loot which consists among other things of rugs, tapestries, silks and jewels to Abd-El-Krim's headquarters.

NEW ELECTIONS FOR FRANCE

Dissolution of Parliament Seen As Only Solution for Question.

PARIS, April 3.—Impartial observers versed in parliamentary affairs predicted tonight that political events are rapidly developing toward a crisis from which the only issue will be dissolution of parliament and new elections.

The senate openly favors the stand of Etienn Clementel who resigned the portfolio of minister of finance Thursday night in his controversy with Premier Herriot.

ROBBERY AT TAHOKA.

Yeggs Crack Grain Store Safe and Get $30, But Fail in Other Store.

TAHOKA, Texas, April 3.—Safe crackers broke into the safe at the Briley Grain company. They entered the building through a window. They obtained about $30.

The robbers also attempted to force the safe of the Jones Grain company, nearby. They succeeded in breaking off the combination, but were unable to open the door.

OIL DROPS IN OHIO

10-Cent Decline in All Grades Posted Friday By Ohio Oil Company.

FINDLAY, Ohio, April 3.—A drop of 10 cents a barrel on Lodi, Cleveland and Wooster grades of crude oil was reported today by the Ohio Oil company. A cut of 15 cents a barrel for Corning crude was reported yesterday. Corning is now quoted at $2.10; Lodi at $2.15; Cleveland $2.25 and Wooster $2.15 per barrel.

U. S. FLEET MOVES

Enormous Concentration of Sea Power Takes Place on California Coast.

SAN PEDRO, Cal., April 3.—The United States fleet moved out of southern California waters today to the north as the most magnificent and powerful concentration of American sea power ever assembled on the Pacific coast.

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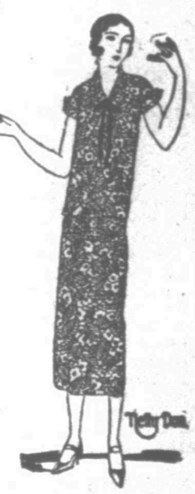


Two Lively Groups Featured Today

Shown in these groups are gay Parisian Prints, a real novelty in porch Frocks—Crisp French Gingham, English Prints and Amoskeg Gingham—as smart in design and color as the smart new Silks; as practical and low in price as a simple Gingham Apron.

Each morning you will step into style when you slip into these "Nelly Dons," the "last word" in morning modes. Do not deny yourself the pleasure of seeing these "Chic" Frocks, they are so attractive that you will want many of them. Two groups featured today

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WICHITA FALLS IS GREAT

Because: A Wichita Falls safety council has been fully organized and has started into active work through the efforts of a group of enterprising citizens.

"STABLE AND SOUND."

Announcement of the results of a business survey by the national industrial conference board comes at a most opportune time to reassure the country as to its present prosperity and future prospects. The board finds that there is little justification for prophecies of reduced business activities next autumn or poor business in the coming months of spring and summer. It declares, after a thorough investigation, that 1925 will witness a "stable, sound and even flow of business."

The board amplifies this encouraging prediction as follows: "While there is no expectation of a boom, this is considered an advantage rather than otherwise, a steadier movement of business being felt to be more conducive to sane and dependable conditions." But though we are to have a maintained volume of business with no disturbing boom features, it is not to be supposed that no changes of any kind will occur. The board expects rising interest rates and a movement toward lower price levels. Higher interest rates will come with the passing of an oversupply of money and will make certain that we are not to experience another period of inflation. A guarantee of the same sort will be given by a slightly downward tendency of prices of manufactured goods. Wages are expected to remain generally stationary, with perhaps some minor gains.

Slightly higher interest rates, slightly declining prices and stable wages are the three main guilding signs for the immediate future. But the national industrial conference board does not found its forecast wholly upon present indications. It has made an examination of conditions for the last five years, as a result of which it sets forth four important facts. They are: that employment, in relation to changes in production, has become incressingly stable; that conservatism in expanding production in relation to price changes has become more marked; that a considerable shortening of the line of distribution between manufacturer and consumer has been effected, and that the railroads have improved to the point of giving really adequate service to business.

To these pointers, past and present, may be added the very encouraging impression gained by the conference board that the welfare of the farmers has become a matter of concern to industrial leaders, manufacturers and business men. The slowness with which economic adjustment is being effected through better prices for farm products is causing some real anxiety in industry. One executive is reported by the board as feeling that there is, "something fundamentally wrong" and urging that industry "take a constructive interest" in the situation because of possible political and economic consequences. The matter is not quite so serious as this executive appears to think. The predicted decline in prices of finished articles will probably effect the adjustment desired. But, unquestionably, that adjustment can be hastened by business men taking a "constructive interest" in the welfare of the farmers.

CAPE MAY A CITY MANAGER TOWN.

Cape May, one of the famous resorts in the state of New Jersey, is the first town in that state to put in operation the city manager form of government. There are a mayor and three commissioners, all prominent citizens. They serve without pay.

A city manager has been installed. He will receive a salary of $4,500 a year. Cape May has been ruled by political machines for a hundred years, and machine politicians held all the jobs.

Finally the taxpayers revolted and now the manager plan is to be given the acid test. It is a nonpartisan. On election day the taxpayers forgot that they were republicans or democrats.

They elected efficient men as mayor and commissioners with instructions to the newly elected to conduct their municipal government as a head of a great corporation would conduct his plant and business.

This plan is coming every where in America some day. Why should the tax eaters rule and the taxpayers hold the bag.

TOO MANY PUBLIC HOUSES.

There are 13,000 public houses or saloons in the Irish Free State. This provides a place for every 230 persons, whereas the proportion in England is one to four hundred and in Scotland one to six hundred and ninety-five.

Now the Irish Free State government has appointed a committee to find out whether the number of liquor licenses is in excess of requirement. Why a committee?

It is said that the drink bill of the British Isles in the year 1920 approximated three billion dollars. Why should that much good money be wasted with the poverty stricken everywhere in evidence, with an army of unemployed everywhere in evidence and a government debt that is staggering?

UNCLE SAM STEPS IN.

Heirs to the $12,000,000 estate of Mrs. Cyrus H. McCormick have paid nearly $4,000,000 federal and state inheritance taxes and now the residue of the estate will be divided equally between the son and the two daughters of Mrs. McCormick. That is the federal government and the state of Illinois receive nearly a fourth of the McCormick fortune.

President Coolidge favors the repeal of the federal inheritance tax law. Senator William Cavell Bruce of Maryland favors the repeal of the federal law, leaving it to the states to enact laws for the collection of inheritance tax.

Fair enough. Why should the federal government step in and collect its rackoff and then the agents of the states step in and collect another rackoff?

By Dr. Frank Crane

THE GREATEST KNOWN FORCE.

The greatest force known among men is the force of a man himself.

It is the sheer dominancy of his spirit over untoward things.

When one is sick and invaded by the hosts of pain his prospects for a cure are brightest if he has plenty of reserves of spirit. The determination not to die has kept many a man from dying.

When Floyd Collins was imprisoned in the Kentucky cave the thing that kept him alive so long was his indomitable spirit, his will not to give in. It was this that supported him and his rescuers.

The most amazing thing in that most amazing trip to Nome with the supply of anti-toxin for diphtheria was not the dog nor the diphtheria anti-toxin itself, but it was the men.

Man after all is the most wonderful animal in the world. He has more reserves than any other animal simply because man is a spirit and has all the reserves of spiritual power.

When George Mallory, whose life was recently lost in an ascent up Mt. Everest, returned from his trip up a mountain, his wife greeted him with the remark, "Of course you will go again." When asked why he devoted his energies to trying to climb Mt. Everest, he answered the question by saying, "Because it is there."

If we understand that reply we shall understand the magnificent spirit that has made England what she is.

It is the disposition to overcome what seems insuperable obstacles that makes men great. It was being willing to throw one's self against opposition that seemed insuperable that renders the history of the British people glorious.

There is constantly being enacted all about us the tragedy of pain. The hospitals are full of sufferers and there are many at home who are suffering. It would be well for them all to realize that it is not the doctor's medicine nor the nurse's care that is the chief factor in anyone's getting well, but it is one's own indomitable spirit, the pluck and energy with which one attacks the difficulties that confront him.

GAS WINS.

Governor Ferguson signed senate bill No. 402. This bill is important to owners and drivers of the motor vehicles. It authorizes the sale of gasoline and lubricants on Sundays for use by automobiles. This law will become effective June 19th. It is state-wide and functions for all the people within the border of the commonwealth.

Another bill has been signed which is of interest to motorists. It provides that all road officers shall be uniformed and badged in order that drivers may know them when they see them.

Another bill, which received the approval of the governor, is of primary importance. It authorizes guardians to execute liens against property of wards so as to make same produce income by making improvements thereon.

There were some very busy individuals under the big dome while the regular session was on and there were some busy individuals in the third house while the regular session was on.

A WICKED CITY.

New York is said to be a very wicked city by the unco guid. It must be true. New Yorkers contribute $80,000,000 for charitable and social welfare work every year. There are more than 2,000 private agencies for collecting and distributing the $80,000,000 among the worthy objects of charity on Manhattan Island. Flowers for the wicked.

Uncommon Sense

Clean Up Men.

When Mark Twain was more than fifty years old he found himself deeply in debt.

He had put faith in an invention, and with his faith he had put all his money.

It happened that just as the invention was perfected and ready to be put on the market, somebody else invented a machine which would do the same work far more cheaply.

All the money that had been invested in the machine in which the great American author believed and with good reason for his belief—was lost. And not only were great earnings of many years of successful work swept away, but the author found that a publishing concern, in which he had invested, was heavily in debt.

He might of course have gone through bankruptcy, and have been discharged of his part of the debt.

But his conscience would not permit that.

As long as he owed anybody any money he was unhappy and dissatisfied.

So he set out on a lecture tour, and in a few years he had made enough money to clean up the debts, and incidentally his conscience.

It was hard and often distasteful. Like many other geniuses Mark Twain was averse to doing anything that he was not obliged to do. And traveling about the country delivering lectures is never easy, especially when a man is past fifty, and needs plenty of rest.

But never once did he hesitate about the matter. And afterward, when he was free again he said that he felt like a slave who had been delivered from bondage.

Walter Scott, to pay a debt that had fallen upon him wrote the most of his novels, doing an amount of work which the reader can well understand if he has read the Waverly series.

Scott, like Mark Twain, could have taken refuge in bankruptcy, but he too was a clean up man. He had a conscience which could not bear spots.

The example of these two men—both of them really great, and both generous contributors to the happiness of their fellows—is worth keeping where it can be observed and emulated.

The world in general owed Scott and Mark Twain far more than they owed their creditors. That debt will never be paid.

But it was not from the world in general but from specific people that the money had been borrowed, and the two authors, being what they were could not live or die happy till they had squared the count.

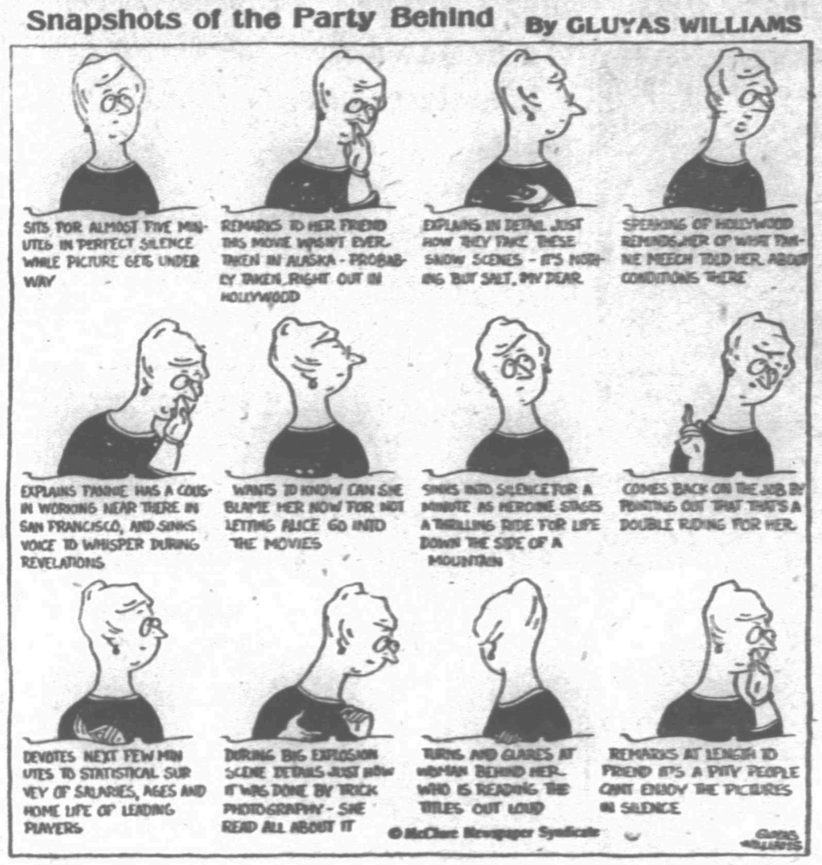
It often happens that people contract debts which they have no power to pay. But if they are honest they will try to pay, and if they have the ability to pay they will pay, no matter how much time and effort and sacrifice of comfort it costs.

For after all, there is nothing in old age that is quite such a valuable asset as the feeling that you have paid your way as you went along, and that you are beholden to no one for what you are or for what you have.

There is one way to avoid the tremendous labor which Scott and Clemens had to perform at a time when they had earned a rest, and should have been enjoying it.

That is to keep out of debt as you go along, and the one way to do that is to live a little inside your income—if conditions will possibly allow it.

Snapshots of the Party Behind By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



Saws For The Goose

By VIOLA BROTHERS SHORE

1. It's all right helpin' your neighbor with her dishes. But not while your own is standin' in the sink.
2. Necessity may be the mother of invention, but it certainly is the step-mother of a good bargain.
3. Faint perfume might not win a gentleman. But it won't send him away, neither.
4. There's one girl no woman ever feels like throwin' stones at, and that's the girl in the lookin' glass.
5. If it's a spiteful thing you're thinkin' of doin' today, wait till tomorrow. But if it's a kind thing you're thinkin' of doin' tomorrow, do it today.
6. It takes more than a pair of pumps to make a dancer.
7. Don't wonder how some movie star is pullin' down all that jack while you're pluggin' along on half of nothin'. Light things is always carried highest by the wind.
8. You wouldn't swap one of your teeth for a di'mond and yet you go countin' the di'monds you ain't got, instead of the teeth you have.
9. Common sense is a stock that's always rated below par, but you can't buy it at any price.
10. It makes a big dif'rence whose pianola is bein' played at 2 o'clock in the morning.

And Saws For The Gander

1. The time you spend really tryin' to make a woman happy is never lost.
2. If you're tired, no chair is hard. If you're restless none is easy.
3. It's better to leave a snake alone in the first place, than to on'y half kill him.
4. What's the good of jumpin' overboard, even if it looks as if the boat was goin' down?
5. If every day was a holiday, there wouldn't be no holidays.
6. A woman'll never tell you the real dope about other men's interest in her. Either she'll overrate it, or she'll underrate it.
7. Why is it men make the best servants, and yet women make the worst masters?
8. Some men is so careful they rather steer over a cliff than drive over broken glass.
9. The quicker you pick yourself outa the mud, the less dirt collects on you.
10. Driftin' from industry to indolence in slippin' from Christmas to New Year's. Travelin' from indolence to industry, is walkin' from New Year's to Christmas.

WHAT EDITORS ARE SAYING

It surely is a mighty good idea for the zoning commission to say where filling stations may be located, for it seems that every place they may be they are going to be. — Frederick Leader.

Time was when a woman's hair was her "crowning glory" but since she has bobbed it and adopted the scanty skirt, the artistic interpretation derived from the neck up seems to have disappeared — turned upside down as it were, and the result sometimes borders on the tragic.—Ranger Daily Times.

It now appears that science never will be able to educate the radio bug. —Altus Plain Dealer.

We are told that the Prince of Wales has gone on a cruise. Wonder if he will fall off the boat?—Electra Star.

American people are deeply interested in great men and events, as they get a number of holidays out of them they can devote to sports.—Burkburnett Star.

Clothes that make the women sometimes unmake the men.—Bowie Blade.

A music publisher says that jazz is dying. Both jazz and classical have always sounded that way to us. Give us the old time kind that was good for Paul and Silas and the steam calliope when the circus comes to town. — Iowa Park Herald.

The farmer would rather have an increase in income than a decrease in income tax, but who thinks of the farmer.—Commanche Chief.

Oklahoma has sand and asphalt enough to pave every street and road in the state.—Walters Herald.

"Sunny world: The antivivisectionist finds no fault with himself when his 30-30 cracks and a trembling doe bites the dust.

Though we swallow cream of tartar—
Without reason, without rhyme;
Blood's no thicked in the winter
Than it is in summer time.

Irrigation

FRESNOING

In levelling land three principal tolls are used—the plow, the fresno scraper and the drag or float. The use of he plow is obvious so it will not be discussed.

The Fresno scraper is a western invention. It comes in length from 3 to 6 feet and is one of the most important tools the land leveller uses.

Almost everyone has used the Fresno or has seen them used in handling earth in the construction of ditches railroads, highways, making slush pits in the oil fields, throwing up embankments around oil tanks, etc. In fact, the Fresno scraper is perhaps the most universally used of all dirt moving instruments.

Levelling a field for irrigation with a Fresno requires greater expertness and dexterity in the operator than in any other work where a Fresno is used.

The dirt must be taken from the tops of the hills so as to leave a smooth, even surface without any gouges or holes. Often times only a few inches has to be removed from a large area and this dirt hauled a considerable distance where it must be spread evenly without leaving any humps or hollows.

An expert Fresno man is an artist. He has to figure out the proper hitches for his scraper so that it won't dig too deep and won't dump on him while dragging along loaded, and then when he does dump it it must spread the dirt out and not leave it in a heap.

Fresnoing a field to level it is entirely different from construction work. There the problem is to move as many yards of earth as is possible in a given length of time. In levelling a field it is not yardage that counts so much as doing a perfect job.

The guinea pig taught the horse how to manufacture the antitoxin that the dog team carried to the choking children in Arctic Alaska.

Who hoes before breakfast hath a vegetable dinne

What Today Means To You

By MARY BLAKE

Aries.

If the signs be not misinterpreted, you will, on awakening today, sense a feeling of security and confidence in yourself, that must exercise a very favorable influence on the work you are doing—regardless of its relative importance. You will probably realize what hitherto has been lacking, what is needed to make your efforts successful, and the best way to bring your task to fruition. What has hitherto been obscure will be clear. What has been difficult will be easy. In the afternoon, adverse aspects prevail, and are liable to affect your disposition and make your querulous, fault-finding, and critical. You must call on your reserves of self-restraint, in order to avoid impulsiveness of both speech and action.

The signs denote that a child born today will experience more than one serious illness. Its recuperative powers, combined with careful nutrition and wholesome environment, will enable it, however, to overcome its early weaknesses, and attain physical normalcy. In character, it will display considerable vacillation, but the right training will have a marked effect on its future, and insure decision, consistency and firmness. It will, at all times, be more emotional than practical, and unless the Fates favor it, will suffer from Love's entanglements. If, however, its love, which will be absorbing and whole-souled, be fully reciprocated, it will enjoy perfect and complete happiness.

If you were born on April 4, you are, in all probability, dissatisfied with conditions as they are, and wondering what can be done to alter them. You feel an urge to do something different from what you have done in the past, and have a very clear idea of what you would like to do. Fear of failure, however, holds you back. Too much speculation as to consequences keeps you from doing that which you are convinced is the right thing to do. "A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush" is a trite saying. If, however, "the one in the hand" is a buzzard, and the "two in the bush" are quails, it were better to drop the former and take a chance on capturing the latter.

You need a little more moral courage in order to give your mentality a full and free opportunity; you must cease dreaming and act with decision and force.

Successful people born on this date are:

Thaddeus Stevens, statesman.

William R. Greene, author and reformer.

Charles W. Shields, clergyman and educator.

Lawrence Barrett, actor.

Gustav Kobbe, author and journalist.

Lewis Cass Ledyard, lawyer.

MATTERS OF HEALTH

Ho, Hum: We open our houses for fresh air and in comes dirty milk.

Scaly patches on the skin are often "precarious conditions."

Polluting his rivers,
No wonder he shivers,
With his fever a hundred and four;
No treatment suffices,
He reaches the crisis,
Surrounded by nurses galore.

Speaking of people who perish in caves, have you ever been in a tenement basement?

The house fly is the child of uncleanliness and wanders not far from the scene of its childhood

More Truth Than Poetry

THE SECOND GENERATION

Although the moth
In silk cloth
Lives, sleeps and eats
And plights his troth,
Avoids all strife
And leads a life
Of utter independence;
Though he'd demur
At eating fur,
And loves along
The breeze to whirr,
On filmy wing,
Throughout the spring.
Not so with his descendants!

Fat grubs are these
Which spread disease
Among the harmless
Orchard trees.
And eat your clothes
As they repose,
Locked up in winter storage.
The flowers and shrubs,
As with great clubs,
They fell, these
Predatory grubs
Of peas and beans
And garden greens,
They make their daily forays.

So, though you find
A life inclined
To ease may be a glad one,
You'd best look out,
For without doubt
Your kid will prove a bad one!

ALWAYS WELCOME

The president's electrical horse supplied the paragraphers with a current topic.

BY RIGHT OF TITLE

There is something in a name after all. Moore is the leader of the senate.

UNFAIRLY USED

A good many of the new plays certainly ought not to have to pay an entertainment tax.

EXCEPTIONS

There are plenty of statesmen who will know how to save the country but few of them who know how to save the country a couple of hundred millions of dollars a year.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

HEARTBROKEN GIRL WHO LET HER EMPLOYER MAKE LOVE TO HER—WHAT CAN BE DONE WITH A LAZY, SLOUCHY WIFE? SHALL THE OVER-SENSITIVE BOY BE GIVEN UP?

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a heartbroken girl of 20. I am employed as bookkeeper in a commercial house, and my employer won my affection by kissing and caressing me, and telling me how beautiful and sweet I was. He led me to believe that he loved me, although he never actually told me so or took me out anywhere.

Now he is going to be married to a rich girl and I do not know what to do. Shall I sue him for breach of promise? HEARTBROKEN.

Answer:

My dear girl, you have only yourself to blame. You fooled yourself into believing that the man was in love with you because you wanted him to be in love with you, and you refused to see that he was just playing with you.

Thousands of other silly girls are in your predicament. They kid themselves into believing that men are in love with them because it flatters their vanity. They live on false hopes that they manufacture themselves. They see significance in the most trivial act that a man does. I get thousands of letters from women who write me that they are in love with men who, they just feel, love them, although the men have never said so. Sometimes they attribute the man's silence to his shyness and deluded themselves into actually believing that they are too bashful to speak.

All of this is rank nonsense. Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh, and even a dumb man becomes eloquent when he is in love with a woman and wants her. He can't keep it to himself, he is just bound to tell her, so don't put your faith in the supposed love theory.

Don't even believe a man when he tells you that he loves you unless he backs it up with a bona fide proposal of marriage and asks you to name the day. As for a man complimenting you, that is a line that every man hands out to every possible-looking woman he meets. It means nothing on God's earth except that he is trying to make himself agreeable and that he fancies himself a great little jollier.

Nor are kisses and caresses the sign that a man has serious intentions. They are not many Josephs among the male population, and all the balance of the brethren will kiss any pretty girl who is lax enough in her conduct to permit such familiarities. Because a man kisses you is no indication that he intends to ask you to marry him. Quite the contrary. He is probably looking for an unkissed girl for a wife.

Dismiss all thoughts of a breach of promise suit from your mind. You have no case to begin with, for the man never made any contract to marry you. Besides which a breach of promise suit is the ultimate limit of sordidness to which a woman can descend. My advice to you is to be a good sport, and when you sit in the game of hearts and lose out not to whine or cry over your bad luck. Learn from it and play your cards better next time. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a married man with three children, two of them little girls. When I married, my wife was one of the neatest, trimmest little girls you ever saw and a good housekeeper, but she has got so lazy and slouchy that she keeps the house like a pig sty, and is not even neat about her clothing nor the children's.

How can I bring her back to her senses, for I don't want my little girls to grow up with slouchy, slovenly habits and to keep the kind of house that their mother does. DISAPPOINTED HUSBAND.

Answer:

Laziness is the most incurable of all vices. No reform can be worked from the outside. It has to begin within, in the earnest desire of the individual to change and do better, and it seems impossible for the indolent to make this effort. Their souls are as inert as their bodies and they cannot rouse them.

I doubt not that you have remonstrated a million times with your wife over her lack of tidiness and the way she lets things go, and that all you have said has amounted to nothing. The woman who is afflicted with that tired feeling to the extent that she will not keep herself looking attractive and her home clean should worry over a few words!

Your only chance is to frighten her by telling her that you are going to leave her and take the children to some place where they can have the proper attention and be brought up in the right atmosphere.

But I do not think you need worry about your little girls following in their mother's footsteps. Trifling mothers almost invariably make smart daughters. Your girls will soon be old enough to want pretty clothes and have a nice home to invite their friends to, and they will learn to sew and to keep house in order to do it. It is the competent mothers who do all the work themselves and bear all the burdens who have the inefficient daughters.

At any rate, you have my earnest sympathy, because I can think of nothing more forlorn than for a man to come home after a hard day's work to a house whose beds are unmade and whose floors are unswept, with the dirty dishes in the sink and no good dinner on the stove. While as for having to kiss a slouchy woman—that would require heroism.

In my opinion, the first cause for divorce should be just being plain no-account and lazy, and that goes for both men and women.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—My husband and I have adopted a boy who is 13 years old. He is bright, amiable and polite, satisfactory in every way except that he is very sensitive. He seems to dwell on every little slight. My Husband, is thoroughly disgusted with him. Says he will never amount to anything, and that sensitive boys become bullies when they grow up. So he wants to get rid of him. What do you think?

CONSTANT READER.

Answer:

Sensitiveness may be either a very finely attuned soul or else just meekishness, but I do not think it ever results in brutality. It may be that you have a genius in this boy, who will reflect great honor upon you and make you proud and famous, so I would deal very patiently and gently with him if I were you.

Possibly the boy is overly sensitive because his birth and environment have made the iron enter his soul, young as he is. He may never have had any one to love him or praise him, or encourage him. He may have felt that people looked upon him with scorn and contempt, and it has made him shrink away from them like a hurt animal.

Don't send the boy back if he is satisfactory in every other way. Be good to him. Be affectionate to him. Encourage him. Save him from his curse. And God will surely reward you for so noble a deed as any human being can do. DOROTHY DIX.

Campus "Shacks" Caused Governor To Sign T.U. Bill

Ma Says She Doubts if Legislature Could Vote Building Funds

AUSTIN, April 3.—An opinion of the attorney general was characterized by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson as containing "hair breadth distinction," and wooden building on University of Texas campus were denounced as "eyesores," in a message today giving her reasons for approving the bill setting aside interest monies for permanent university buildings. The bill has been declared unconstitutional by the attorney general.

The measure, house bill number 246, permits the university to set aside all interest and income from the university permanent fund and from university land for the purpose of constructing greatly needed buildings at the university and its branches.

The governor refers to the recent opinion of the attorney general given to a house committee holding that this bill is unconstitutional and also a subsequent opinion of the attorney general holding that the legislature could make appropriations for the university, both of which she terms "doubtful."

Referring to the frame buildings on the campus, the governor said that 'to the average man who sees the miserable looking buildings at the university, it would appear the state is making an effort to store up hay instead to store up knowledge."

SAYS GIRL LACKS BALANCE

Dorothy Ellingson Declared to Have No Sense of Moral Responsibility.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Dorothy Ellingson, the 17-year-old "jazz girl," who killed her mother last January, was termed in medical testimony given at her sanity hearing before a jury in superior court here today, a "victim of dementia praecox," a person lacking emotional balance, who all her life has acted without normal deliberation and judgment."

Dr. Joseph P. Clark, medical superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Stockton, defining the type of dementia praecox from which he said she suffered, said there was "a defect in the organization."

Doctor On Special To Save Him



"Leto," $15,000 prize bull of the agricultural experiment farm of the University of West Virginia, is convalescent after having been saved from death by Dr. J. H. Woodruff of the department of agriculture, who was brought from Washington on a special train to operate on the bull. "Leto" is 14 years old.

What Would We Do Without Them?

Editor's note: This is one of a series of short articles published daily in The Record News seeking to present folks of Wichita Walls who are as important in their sphere as the biggest business man, or the richest banker is ssential to the welfare and prog-

THAT over half the women of Wichita Falls make their own clothes is a well known fact, and with most of their daughters studying domestic art in high school and Junior college, the piece goods clerk is a busy person.

Mrs. T. J. Douglas, at Perkins-Timberlake Co., measures between 250 and 300 yards of dress material through her cloth meter daily, and she is only one salesperson of many in that department, and that is only one store among many in the city.

With a wide knowledge of textile, color, resign, and quality, Mrs. Douglas meets and advises with her customers, helping them judge the type of material for the type of garment desired. Often she is requested to match odd shades and textiles, and frequently she plans trimmings or suggests patterns suitable, in assisting an amateur seamstress.

COLLEGE GRADS TURN THUGS

Men Who Said They Couldn't Earn Livelihood Are Arrested in N. Y.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two college graduates who told police they were unable to earn a living two years ago and whom authorities describe as "super-burglars" were held in $10,000 bail today on charges of having robbed 30 fashionable residences in Brooklyn and Queens.

The prisoners who gave their names as William Brazell of Lynn, Mass., and Frank Foster of Westfield, Mass., wore evening clothes when arrested last night on returning to a luxurious Manhattan hotel apartment which contained rare works of art and a valuable library.

AT WORK ON NEW CHANNEL

25 Foot Ditch Being Dug From Port Aransas to Corpus Christi.

GALVESTON, April 3.—Work on the 25-foot channel from Port Aransas to Corpus Christi, started several months ago, is progressing at a rapid rate, and plans are to put a second large dredge into operation during May, according to Major J. L. Schley, United States district engineer.

Another Death Intrudes Into Poison Inquiry

Mysterious Death in 1877 Brought to Mind By Relative

CHICAGO, April 3—Another death was brought into question in connection with the long line of mysterious deaths involved in the ill-fated McClintock million, when Anton Kercher made a statement to the state's attorney.

He said he was a nurse in the home of William and Sarah Hickling and that Hickling died suddenly in 1876 or 1877. He said he knew that Mrs. Hickling was trying to have her husband change his will and that when he became ill she called in a man known as "Dr. Freely" and that Hickling was given some pills and died in three days.

Hickling was said to have married the widow of an Englishman and from her obtained the start of her fortune, subsequently marrying the sister of his business partner in Ottawa, Ills., where Hickling prospered, his widow, Sarah, married William McClintock, Sr., who once was accused by a brother-in-law of having poisoned Sarah Hickling McClintock. McClintock's second wife, Emma Nelson McClintock, also died suddenly while living in the home of William D. Shepherd, who now is under indictment charged with the murder by typhoid inoculation of Mrs. McClintock's son, "Billy", who died last December 4.

Fish Flirt, Climb Trees, In Jungles

NEW YORK, April 3.—(AP)—Fish that flirt and climb trees, monkeys that brush their teeth after every meal and birds that sleep upside down are a few of the animals described last night by Carvath Wells, explorer, in a lecture reciting his six years of adventure in the jungles of the Malay peninsula.

The tree climbing fish comes out of the water to play on the beach.

"When you tickle its tummy it swells up with air and bounces about for sheer happiness," said Mr. Wells.

Another funny freak is the flirting fish, the only swimming animal known to have a genuine wink. This coquettish creature is known as the periopthalmus schlosserii, which is Greek for "eye winker."

Mr. Wells told of a live teddy bear, 15 inches high and looking when full grown precisely like the toy.

Even smaller is the vest pocket deer which measured seven inches from hoof to horn.

There is a lizard that flips off its tail at will.

There is a plant so sensitive that it flattens itself against the ground when one stamps near it, but yet so strong that it resists the fiercest typhoons.

There is the hygienic monkey, so careful of his health that after every meal and before going to bed at night he repairs to the nearest stream and brushes his teeth with the aid of the first finger of the right hand.

There is the bird which sleeps upside down.

"But then," Mr. Wells concluded, "everything is upside down in the Malay jungles."

Read the Record News want ads in todays paper. They will help you find that home you are loooking for.

Ft. Worth Police Leave To Return 'Babe' Lawrence

Brothers of Condemned Man Will be Tried For Death Of Officer

FORT WORTH, April 3.—County Detective Harry Hamilton and Deputy Sheriff Tom Snow left Friday for Phoenix, Ariz., to return A. B. (Babe) Lawrence for trial on murder and robbery with firearms charges. Death penalty is to be sought.

Extradition papers from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson were received shortly before noon for Lawrence. Local authorities were not advised whether "Babe" Lawrence would waive or resist extradition.

Lawrence's brother, Bill, is under death sentence for the murder of Policeman Haze Burch, there shortly before the arrest of the two fugitives.

The Lawrence boys shot to death Deputy Sheriff Joe Morgan of Muskogee, Okla., on June 16, 1924, as they were en route to Oklahoma to answer charges of automobile theft. The shooting occurred on Granberry pike, 16 miles from Fort Worth.

After killing Morgan, Deputy Sheriff John S. Barger of Muskogee, was tied to a tree, and the Lawrence boys fled in the officers' car. They were sought over the southwest for months. Morgan and Barger were in the front seat and the Lawrence boys in the back seat of the car, when Bill Lawrence snatched Morgan's pistol and fired the fatal shot.

JARRES AND MARX TO MEET

One of These Two to Be Next German President, Indications Show.

BERLIN, April 3.—Unless an unexpected shift in party line-ups occurs within the next 24 hours, Dr. Karl Jarres, vice chancellor, and Dr. Wilhelm Marx will oppose each other in the election for president on April 26.

The three republican parties comprising the so-called Weimar coalition—the centrists, the democrats and the social democrats — today tentatively agreed to unite on Dr. Marx and now await final sanction to their pact from the governing board of the democratic party, which will meet in Berlin Sunday.

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Governor Hopes Make Ready For Another Election

Satterwhite, Davidson, Blount, Moody Have Friends to Boost Them

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
Record News Staff.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 4.—It is a long way to Tipperary, but the ambitious ones are on the way. This applies to political managers, to receptive candidates for high office and to those who have been bitten by the bug and are unwilling to admit that they are candidates.

Yet each of the ambitious, no matter the desire of his political heart, secretly or openly, admits that whatever his ambition may be, it must first run the gamut of a political hurricane in the person of the Houstonian—Lynch Davidson.

Lee Satterwhite is a man from the open spaces. He hails from the upper Panhandle. He has served in any legislatures. He was speaker of the 39th and his friends say that he made good. He will remain in Austin until the 1st of May. He does not believe there will be a special session, this year at least.

Not Speaker Again.

He will not be a candidate for speaker of the 40th legislature even if he comes back to the house. He has had the honor and is satisfied. He will not be a candidate for lieutenant governor. He has been told by his friends in the upper country that the west is calling and would place a man from the west in the executive mansion as the governor of Texas.

Indeed it is stated positively that the friends of Satterwhite in the upper country have offered to finance his campaign for governor. There is no secret about this. For years he was ambitious to be speaker. He won. He is not ambitious to be governor, but where is the man who has kicked aside the crown.

There are barriers.

Blount Ambitious.

Eugene Blount of Nacogdoches, managed the Satterwhite campaign for speaker. He was made chairman of the powerful appropriation committee. For the first time in the history of Texas he sent out the bill and all business was transacted within the 60 days of a regular session.

Eugene Blount is ambitious to be governor. He may be a candidate. His ancestors came to Texas in the early days. He is wealthy and if Blount runs Satterwhite will not enter the race. If Blount does not run, then Satterwhite may bow to the call from the west.

Blount will remain in the capital city until May 1. It is whispered that before the coming of May 1 there will be tacit understanding between those two men who dominated the legislation of the house in the life of the 39th legislature.

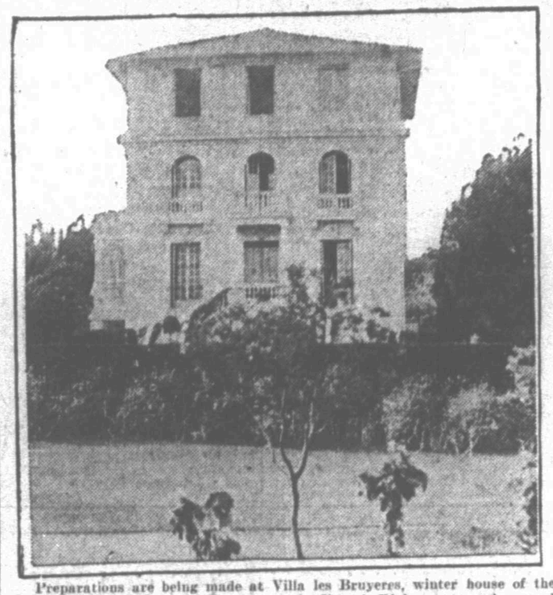
There is another man from the west whose friends are very ambitious for him. His name? Senator W. H. Bledsoe. He is a hold-over senator. He drew the long term. He will serve in the 40th legislature. It is more than rumored that he will be a candidate for attorney general in 1928 and perhaps in 1926 should Dan Moody be somewhere else.

That is, should he be a candidate for another office. His friends say that Moody prefers to serve as attorney general for four years. If he sticks to the program then Bledsoe will be a candidate in 1928, ever with the hope of being governor of Texas some day.

MARX NAMED CANDIDATE

BERLIN, April 3—(AP)—A joint conference of the contrist, democratic and social democratic parties today nominated Dr. Wilhelm Marx as their candidate for the German presidency.

Where Sick King Will Rest



Preparations are being made at Villa les Bruyeres, winter house of the Duke of Connaught at Cap Ferrat, on the French Riviera, to receive royal visitors. King George V. of Britain, is going there to rest and recuperate from his recent severe illness. She Duke of Connaught is the king's uncle.

New Face Seen In Texas Politics When A. C. Edison Assumes Democratic Helm

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
Record News Staff

Arthur C. Edison of Hamilton is a new face in the political picture gallery of Texas. He is the successor to Major E. A. Berry of Houston as state chairman of the democratic executive committee. There was a new committee elected in the city of Austin when the state convention was held in August of last year.

Major Berry was elected chairman and Edison vice chairman. Major Berry conducted the campaign that followed which resulted in the election of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson as governor. He is a lawyer and a native of Madison county.

He is in his early forties, was born on a farm, tilled the soil until he was 18, became a school teacher, studied law and was admitted to the bar.

His rise was rapid. He was district attorney, an assistant attorney general of Texas, a district judge and then he retired from official life to practice law in the city of Houston. Now he is back in official harness again.

The 39th legislature created a commission of two to assist the overworked court of criminal appeals. Governor Ferguson named Major Berry and J. K. Baker of Coleman county as the commissioners.

Major Berry has qualified. He will take down $6,500 a year salary for two years and perhaps a longer period than two years if the amendment to the constitution increasing the number fo judges of the court of criminal appeals from three to five wins the approval of the people at the general election to be held in November, 1926.

Major Berry held that the eternal fitness of things demanded his withdrawal from active politics, as it would not be seemly for a judge of the court of criminal appeals to be the head of the state machinery of the democratic party, although there is no law which prohibits a democrat from officiating as state chairman while ornamenting the judiciary of the state.

He has qualified as judge, he will move to Austin and when Berry qualified Edison automatically became state chairman. Edison will hold the position until such time as the state committee in called session ratifies his promotion or selects an unknown to direct the political affairs of the democratic machine until 1926.

Politicians say that Edison will not be demoted and will be the active director of the campaign two years hence. Judge Berry and William Elmer Pope are natives of Madison county. They were chums in boyhood and close personal friends.

Berry backed Pope for governor in 1924. When Pope lost, Judge Berry transferred his allegiance to Mrs. Ferguson in the run-off, and the delegates to the state convention, in caucus held prior to the state convention named the former Pope supporter for the position of chairman of the state committee.

There is no telling what may happen in the campaign of next year, but the 31 members of the state committee are of the same school of political thinking.

1 BILL VETOED; 2 SIGNED.

Lake Austin Bill Fails to Pass Governor; Allowed All-Year Fishing.

AUSTIN, April 3.—One veto and three bills approved were added to the legislation of the 39th legislature late today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. She vetoed senate bill 549 designed to exempt Lake Austin from the provisions of the fish bill prohibiting the catching of white perch and bass. The bill asserted there was likelihood of Lake Austin being drained.

Use the Wichita Falls Record News classified ads for results.

Montague County Road Hearing Is Set For April 9

Katy Railroad Leads Fight Against Proposed Road Improvement

FORT WORTH, April 3.—Plea of a group of citizens of Montague county and the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad company of Texas, to halt a $65,000 road bond issue election in a portion of that county on April 11, has been set down for hearing by Judge Wilson on April 9.

Application for an injunction was presented to Judge Wilson Friday by J. M. Chambers of Dallas, assistant general attorney for the Katy. For the service of all parties concerned, it is probable that the hearing will be transferred to Wichita Falls.

The application is directed at County Judge H. S. Calaway and Commissioners C. D. Bennet, W. E. Ditt, W. H. London and George N. Dill.

Petitioners for the injunction allege, among other things, that the benefits which would accure to their property by reason of the bond issue will not equal the tax assessments it will cause.

Much Fire Damage Could Be Prevented

AUSTIN, Tex., April 3.—Seventy per cent of the $25,000,000 annual fire losses in Texas are preventable. This is the declaration of J. J. Timmins, state fire marshal.

"Why are insurance rates so high?" he asked, and answered the question with this statement:

"Because in Texas we burn annually, in preventable fires, millions of dollars worth of property. The insurance losses from these preventable fires we reimburse on the same basis that we do the insured unpreventable losses. If we could stop the preventable losess, we would cut the rate more than one-half."

Texas will burn enough property in the next two years, based on past records, to equal every cent of the $37,342,000 appropriated to support the government, its institutions and schools for the same period. Of that amount, no less than $25,000,000 of the losses could be prevented.

"Individual citizens are directly responsible for 70 per cent of this burning," he declared. "It is the result of our preference to be careless instead of careful, indifferent instead of interested, ignorant instead of enlightened, regarding fire hazards.

Coolidge Seeks to Help Dry Law Work

WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Coolidge believes that the rearrangement of prohibition enforcement agencies in the treasury to place them under the supervision of Assistant Secretary Andrews will bring about a more effective enforcement of the Volstead law, although it does not involve a change of policy.

It is the president's understanding that Mr. Andrews will act as special representative of Secretary Mellon on prohibition matters and particularly as a liason officer between Mr. Mellon and Prohibition Commissioner Haynes.

The new arrangement in the opinion of Mr. Coolidge, will place Mr. Haynes in a more advantageous position for his efforts ot enforce the prohibition law and at the same time will relieve Secretary Mellon of much of the detail which had burdened him in his relations with the prohibition unit.

J. M. McFall

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200 New Spring Suits, most of them with two pairs trousers. Three price groups—Today

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Big Line of Silk Scarfs Each $1.95

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Children's Union Suits. 45¢

36-In. Printed Crepe ... 45¢

Big Table Ladies' Slippers $2.95

Boys' Unionalls .. $1.00

Children's Wash Hats . 39¢

9-4 Bleached Sheeting ... 35¢

Lone Producer Starts Wheeler Co. Drilling Campaign

Four Drilling Wells Now In New Oil Area

Whittington Well Has Dropped to About 75 Barrels a Day

TEXHOMA RIGGING UP

Former Gas Area Now Considered a Potential Oiler

A lone producer down to about 75 to 80 barrels a day from sand at about 2,500 feet, and nine other operations, including four drilling wells, two rigs and one location can be counted in Wheeler county now, until two months ago counted upon solely as a gas area and disregarded so far as oil production was concerned.

Wheeler County Is On East End of Panhandle.

The county is located on the far east end of the so-called "Amarillo" fold, an enormous productive formation, extending nearly due east and west across the whole Panhandle portion of Texas just north of Amarillo, producing at various spots gas and oil. Several gas wells had been completed in Wheeler county, prior to the completion last February of J. W. Whittington's No. 2 well for an initial of 500 barrels a day from sand at 2,500 feet, 500 feet higher than other Panhandle production.

This well has since dropped to 75 or 80 barrels a day, with no means of caring for the oil beyond storage. Cleaning out would probably treble output, but with Panhandle development in its present stage there is little to be gained by so doing.

Others Waiting On Whittington 3 and 4.

Other activity in the county is holding back somewhat, awaiting the completion of the Whittington Nos. 3 and 4, drilling past 1,600 and 1,500 feet respectively. A summary follows:

O'Brien et al No. 1, Jackson, section 11, block 27, location.

Texhoma-O'Brien No. 1, Jackson, northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 18, block A-8, rigging up cable tools.

Barker et al No. 1, Westmoreland, center of the northwest quarter of section 27, block A-8, drilling at 800 feet.

Vaughn et al No. 1, Krey, center of northwest quarter of section 4, block A-8, drilling at 200 feet, 28 star machine.

Whittington Portes Spudding by April 12.

Whittington No. 1, Parker, center of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 14, block 27, rigging up cable tools, and expected to spud by April 12.

Rook's No. 1, Phillips, southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 41, block 4, moving rig in.

Union Petroleum company old well in the southeast corner of section 28, block 13, is rumored to be the subject of a deal to resume operations, stopped at 1,350 feet some time ago, on account of financial trouble.

Prairie Pipeline to Pay $15 Per Share

The annual report of the Prairie Pipeline company for the year 1924, which will be issued shortly, will show $15 a share, earned on 810,000 capital shares outstanding. Although this showing will be below 1923, when net profits were $15,906,940 after charges, or $19.64 a share, htey will be $7 a share over the $8 annual dividend requirements.

Decrease in earnings is attributed to small amount of oil run through the company's pipelines, due to the sharp competition of California crude, which during 1924 continued to be shipped to the Atlantic coast refining points in competition with Mid-Continent production.

Turman, Greenway

Turman-Willis et al No. 1, Greenway, in block 2402, TE&LCO survey, north of the east end of the Harmel pool, was drilling again yesterday past a last reported depth of 1,110 feet after being shut down for several days, southwest Archer county.

Leath-Warren, Fasset

Leath and Warren were drilling yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,240 feet on their No. 1, Fasset and Tuttle, on the west line of the J. W. Fields survey, abstract 766, north of the Wichita river, and about seven miles southwest of Iowa Park, Wichita county.

Keys et al, Waggoner

Keys-Eslek-Sheerin-McCamey et al were fishing yesterday at a depth of 1,710 feet in their No. 1, Waggoner, located in the northeast forty acres of the southwest quarter of section 37, block 14, Wilbarger county.

Wells et al, Waggoner

W. D. Wells, No. 1, Waggoner, in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 21, block 14, H&TCRRCO survey, was shut down yesterday at about 1,066 feet, eastern Wilbarger county.

Magnolia, Wilborn

The Magnolia Petroleum company has spudded and is drilling on its No. 1, Wilborn, in the northeast corner of block 1597, TE&LCO survey, abstract 402, offsetting the Panhandle-Pace-Muse well to the west, southwest Archer county. The well is a south offset to the Shaw-Rathke et al dry hole on the Hayter land.

Humphreys, Montague

The Humphreys interests have spudded and are drilling on their No. 1, N. J. Howard, John Chambliss survey, 3,000 feet north of their Salmon producer, north Montague county, Nocona district.


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North Montague County Has First "Deep" Well From Sand At 1,365-97

28 Degree Gravity Oil From Texas Howard No. 3 North of Nocona.

Montague county has its first producer in the deeper shallow sands north of Nocona in the semi-completion of the Texhoma Oil and Refining company's No. 3, Howard, showing for a fifty or sixty barrel well from sand at 1,365-97 feet. The oil is lighter in gravity than anything else so far produced in the county, measuring approximately 28 degrees Baume.

The well is located midway between Nos. 1 and 2, one of which is producing from sand at 823-51 feet and the other at 988-1,002 feet. The other two wells are producers of much heavier oil. It is intended by mixing the lighter oil with their output to make the combination acceptable to the nearby pipe line. Location for No. 4 has been made 75 feet south of the No. 3, the well to be directed to still lower sands, the laws of Texas preventing its completion in any of three sands already producing.

North Montague county is an area of plenty of sands, the problem being to get them high enough to recover oil rather than water. These various horizons were pretty well logged up by the nearby Petroleum Producers No. 1, C. H. Howard, a dry hole at 2,300 feet, with a number of good showings all the way down, however.

Completion of the Texhoma's No. 4, for a producer will put four producing wells in a row in a distance that usually can, by law, contain only two.

News Of The Fields

Consolidated Leases

Block 4, H&GNRRCO.

The Consolidated Oil company (Knight and Hines) were drilling yesterday below a last reported depth of 1,665 feet in their No. 1, Waggoner, in the center of the east line of the west forty acres of the east 120 acres of block 4, H&GNRRCO survey, abstract 907, eastern Wilbarger county.

Block 27, Poitevant.

The Consolidated Oil company-Staley-Wynne No. 1, Waggoner, located near the center of block 27, J. Poitevant survey, abstract 531, northwest of South Vernon, Wilbarger county, has spudded and is drilling near the surface, cable tools test.

Section 2, Block 4.

Consolidated's No. 1, Waggoner, section 2, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, southeast Wilbarger county, was drilling yesterday below a reported depth of 900 feet.

Section 7, Block 4.

Consolidated's No. 1, Waggoner, section 7, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, southeast Wilbarger county, was drilling yesterday below a depth of 385 feet.

Section 4, Block 5

Consolidated Oil company was making its location yesterday for their No. 1, Waggoner, in the center, approximately, of section 4, block 5, H&TCRRCO survey, the test to be a 2,000-foot cable tools hole.

Section 14, Block 5.

Consolidated Oil company has made a location and are moving on for their No. 1, Kelly et al, in the southwest corner of the east half of section 14, H&TCRRCO survey, block 5, near the Wilbarger-Wichita line, in southeast Wilbarger county, southwest of Electra.

Kreiter, Archer.

Consolidated-Atlantic were drilling yesterday below a depth of 1,385 feet looking for the sand in their No. 1, Kreiter, M. W. Mathews survey, abstract 729, north of Megargel, west Archer county.

Atlantic Leases

Waggoner.

The Atlantic Oil Producing company et al apparently yesterday had some sort of a well in their No. 1, Waggoner, in the northwest corner of the south half of the southeast quarter of section 24, block 4, H&TCRRCO survey, three miles and one-half southeast of the Noble well, eastern Wilbarger county. Twenty-four feet of sand and lime, broken, had been drilled at 2,400-24 feet and was showing some oil. Casing was to be run yesterday afternoon, and the well bailed sometime this morning.

Associated with Atlantic in the drilling of the well are Bridwell-Heydrick, Netherton-Everest, and Cap McDannald.

The Atlantic's offsets to the Levy-Morton No. 2, Waggoner, in the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of section 51, block 14, H&TCRRCO survey, was drilling past 1,258 feet yesterday.

Zipperle, Wilbarger.

The Atlantic Oil Producing company was supposed to be bailing late yesterday afternoon on their Nos. 1 and 2, Zipperle, NW of SW of section 80, block 14, South Vernon, casing set on No. 1, at 1,297 feet, and in No. 2, at 1,278 feet. No. 3 was drilling at 600 feet.

Parrish, Archer.

The Atlantic abandoned its No. C-2 Parrish, second location north from the southeast corner of its west lease, section 26, H&TCRRCO survey, abstract 1197, yesterday at a total depth of 1,642 feet.

Waite Phillips Leases

Wolf, SW Archer.

Waite Phillips was coring ahead yesterday in his No. 1, Wolfe, near the center of the north 400 acres of the west 480 acres, BBBB&CRRCO survey, abstract 43, northeast of Swastika, with about 200 feet oil oil standing in the hole from broken sand at 1,364-69 feet. The well is a small producer if producer at all in its present state.

Wilson, NW Archer.

Waite Phillips had encountered a sandy shale showing some oil at a depth known to be below 1,705 feet yesterday in his No. 1, T. B. Wilson, center of the south half of the Ben Howard survey, abstract 179, south of Mankins, northwest Archer county. It was not known whether casing would be set to test or not.

Woodrum, W. Archer.

The Waite Phillips company is drilling below a last reported depth of 500 feet on their No. 1 Woodrum, in the northwest corner of block 83, Torebio Losoya survey, abstract 257, southwest of their production, west Archer county.

Owenwood, Montague

Owenwood Oil corporation, No. 1 Salmon, W. P. Zuber survey, Montague county, Nocona district, fourth location southwest of Texhoma's No. 2 N. J. Howard producers, is drilling below 1,130 feet for the sand in Texhoma's No. 3 Howard, John Chambliss survey. No. 1 Salmon is in the northwest corner of Owenwood's 44-acre lease.

Says Industry Has Improved in Month

TULSA, Okla., March 30.—"The oil situation is brighter again and is considerably better than it was 30 days ago." This is the way the present condition of the industry is viewed by Jacob France of Baltimore, Mr., head of the Mid-Continent Petroleum corporation, formerly the Cosden Oil company.

"There seems to be a spirit of pessimism in oil circles, and while I see no reason for this, it has not been a bad thing altogether, for it has dampened the ardor and enthusiasm of those who maybe would have gone too fast. There has been a decline in the light oil production and that is what counts of course, with the industry. There has been an increased production of heavy oil, but that does not bother, as it practically all goes into fuel oil channels."

Mr. France says conditions are better because "We are nearing the consuming season for gasoline and oils, and also nearer the settled weather period. The gasoline situation is stronger again, and I am not one of those who are looking toward dark clouds at the present time."

A. P. I. DIRECTORS WILL MEET APR. 8

Directors of the American Petroleum institute will meet in New York, April 8. It is understood the board will meet for the special purpose of discussing the report of supply, demand, growth and development of the oil industry. It is understood after the directors pass on the report it will be transmitted to President Coolidge's oil conservation board.

The directors will also consider the policy of the institute regarding the new investigation by the interstate commerce commission of the rate structure of common carriers which was announced by the commission March 12.

Navarro County

The Sun Oil company's attempt to open a new pool a mile south of Richland between that pool and the Currie district, No. 1, Swink, is a gas well with an estimated flow of 2,000,000 cubic feet per day at a depth of approximately 2,984 feet.

Comac, Seay

John Seay, Archer.

Cooper and McLaughlin are drilling again past a last reported depth of 1,245 feet after being shut down in their No. 1, John Seay, in block 110, Harris subdivision of the Club ranch, west of Archer City, central Archer county.

Virgil Seay, Archer.

Cooper and McLaughlin are drilling past a last reported depth of 1,620 feet in their No. 1, Virgil Seay, block 69, Harris subdivision of the Club ranch, filling out a 1,700-foot contract, central Archer county.

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Balcones Going Is Harder Still Over Yesterday

One Well Shut Down, One In Chalk, Other In Fault

Going was still harder yesterday on the Balcones fault wildcats and further development is now considered anywhere from 24 to 48 hours ahead, according to east Texas dispatches to The Record News last night. None of the three Henderson-Kaufman county wells made as much as a hundred feet yesterday.

Murchison and Fain and Marland's No. 1, Duff, Ybarbo survey, in Kaufman county, was repairing a pump yesterday with the well shut down at 2,610 feet, still in the chalk topped at 2,420 feet.

Cranfill-Murchison-Fain No. 1, J. W. Springer, James Gardner survey, was drilling at 2,475 feet still in the chalk after drilling only sixty-five feet yesterday, Henderson county.

Penn-Windsor-Humphreys No. 1, Murphy, 1,600 feet west of the Cranfill well, and in Henderson county, too, was drilling at 2,465 feet in gumbo, having never encountered the chalk at all and apparently right in the fault. The well made ten feet yesterday.

Schoonmaker, Waggoner

George C. Schoonmaker No. 1 Waggoner, one and one-half miles south of South Vernon and in the northeast corner of the northeast of the northwest quarter of block 29, Poitevant survey, are drilling again after setting 8-inch at 1,400 feet. From formations, it appears to be ogg structure and a new location may be necessary to test that particular structure, it is said. Present test will go 2,000 feet.

Gulf, Worsham

The Gulf Production company's No. 5, Worsham, south of Ringgold, in Clay county, had drilled another two feet of oil lime yesterday at 3,351½-35 feet, and had a hole full of oil that slopped over the top when the casing was run. There is very little gas with the well. It was expected to drill still more of the productive formation yesterday and today.

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CRUDE CUT

FINDLAY, Ohio, April 3. — (AP)—The Ohio Oil company today announced a reduction of 10 cents per barrel in the price of central west oil and Wooster crude. The new price is $2.15 per barrel.

885 Drilling Wells Cover Sooner State

With a total of 1457 operations reported during the past week in the state of Oklahoma in its many oil fields, an increase of 33 operations over the previous week is shown, according to the current issue of The Oily Weekly, issued today.

The Wewoka-Cromwell district reported 343 operations within its folds including Cromwell and the Gilcrease-Papoose pools as the main contributors. Of this number 249 were drilling wells, by far the largest number of drilling wells in any one district.

Of the 1457 total operations of the state 885 operations proved to be drilling to the pay sands at thsi time.

Following is the comparative report compiled by The Oil Weekly:

District—	Locations	Rigs Up	Drilling Wells	S. D. Wells	Completions	Total Operations
Tonkawa		3	38	11	3	55
Ponca City	3	10	75	34	2	124
Burbank		2	46		8	56
Osage	17	16	69	14	9	125
Cushing	15	35	108	35	11	204
Tulsa-Okmulgee	5	6	148	31	23	271
Wewoka-Cromwell	19	28	249	34	12	343
Muskogee		17	32	17	5	71
Ardmore		10	50	17	10	87
Norman	1	1	10	14		26
Lawton-Duncan	6	3	60	21	5	95
Totals	66	190	885	228	87	1457

Wood, Streit

G. C. Wood et al were drilling yesterday belo wa last reported depth of 2,520 feet in their No. 1, Streit located in the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 29 block 9, H&TCRRCO survey, west o South Vernon, Wilbarger county.

The test is a rotary hole.

Industry Steady Says Tulsan In Crude Summary

Declares Production Due Decline Rather Than Increase

By PAUL S. HEDRICK.

TULSA, Okla., April 3.—The crude oil situation as of April 1 is summed up by leaders in petroleum as follows:

Eastern fields—Steady, with little change.

Mid-Continent — Tending towards decline. Kansas will probably increase its output; likewise Smackover in Arkansas. Unless Oklahoma finds new pools, further slump is expected. North Texas could largely increase its output, but operations have been held back for want of drilling water. Weakness of the crude market it is hoped will slow down field work.

Gulf Coast—Slight increase is forecasted.

Southwestern area — No material change expected. New Mexico is coming forward with big wells of high grade oil. March added to the importance of that state.

Rocky mountains — Steady decline in Wyoming. Salt Creek wells are going off, Montana this summer will probably make advancement. Colorado likely increase daily yield, but doubtful if enough to overcome Wyoming decline.

Pacific coast — Continued gradual decline in output of California oil fields. It would not be surprising if before summer is ended a new oil field will not be found along the Washington-Oregon line.

United States—Steady; probably little change; chances favorable to decline rather than an increase.

Wood, McGill

G. C. Wood et al were expecting yesterday to be able to spud today or Sunday on their No. 1, McGill, located in the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 11, block 9, just south of the Pease river at its junction with the Wilbarger west line, Wilbarger county. The well will be a 2,000-foot cable tool test.

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English "As She Is Spoke" Draws Big At Wichita

Val And Ernie Stanton Get Big Hand on Clever Vaudeville Lines

Val and Ernie Stanton, the English Boys from America, get more laughs per minute than any other act on the bill at the Wichita theatre this week-end. They play the part of the teacher and the pupil and both are supreme satirers of the English language. "Cut yourself a piece of cake, No, thank you, I just had a cup of tea." They range from jaw-breaking words to ordinary slang and the suddenness of their remarks make them funny. They also dance and play the blues on a seven-stringed ukelele and mouth organ. The act gets three encores.

Burt and Rosedale have an entertaining satire on married life enlivened with song, dance and clever dialogue. "Believe me, he's a pip—he's got the cutest mustache on his lip," and four pretty girls want to marry the funny looking specimen. Four scenes are shown. "If" he had married, the first he would have been a henpecked husband; the second, an untrue wife; the third, a dominating mother-in-law. The last one, he decides to marry. The act is clever and receives plenty of applause.

Music and Dancing.

Nelle Arnaut and her brothers have a musical offering which includes dancing. They play violins and their playing is good. Along with a collection of popular melodies, they have some clever stunts. The act receives plenty of applause.

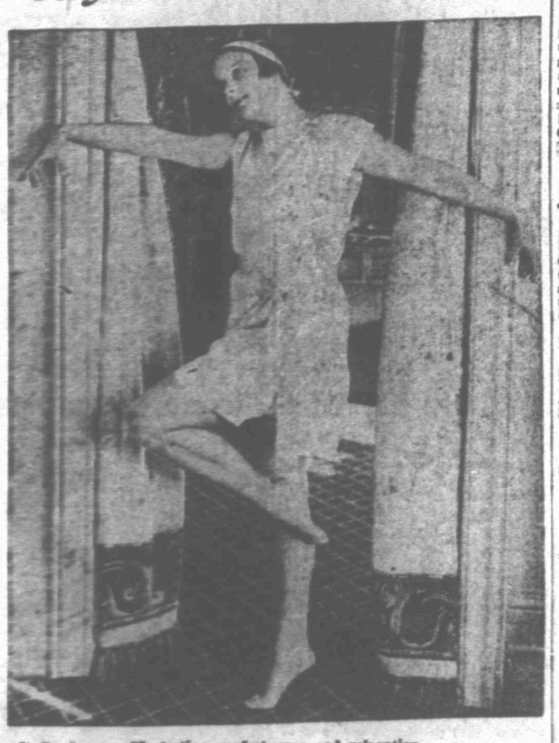
Yates and Carson call their act "Getting Stalled" because right in the beginning, Yates gets a telegram telling him that the girl he was to marry has eloped with another man, and he has been mailed for the marriage license and a disarmed ring. While he is recovering from the blow, Miss Carson comes along and with her $50,000 per year she brings sunshine into his life and they are married. The skit has some clever lines.

Annoyed Chumbahs.

Nixon and Sands are highly colored white folks and call themselves "assorted chumbahs." There is a collection of singing, dancing and clatter. "After all divorce is a good thing because it keeps young girls in circulation," says Nixon, the colored gum widow who lived with her husband only six days. However, she said so much over leaving him that she got rheumatism from sleeping in a damp bed.

The Glidden's are well muscled athletes who pose picturesquely as Greek statutes. There will be three shows today at 2:30, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

It Isn't Very Hard To Learn Greek Dancing Says Millionaire Bride



A Greek pose illustrating perfect grace and relaxation.

By GLORIA GOULD BISHOP.

The eighth of an exclusive, novel series of articles on dancing by Gloria Gould Bishop—American "million dollar bride."

As I said in my last article on Greek dancing, this type of terpsichorean art is probably the least difficult to learn of any of the rhythmic dances.

There are numerous reasons for this, principal among them being the fact that Greek dancing is always concerned with the most natural of human traits—emotion.

You will recall that the early Greek dances mentioned in the Odessy, the Aeneid of Virgil and other Greek classics, were all devoted to the interpretation of emotional subjects. Just as the early dramas of the world were based upon love, hate, anger, jealousy and remorse, the most normal and primitive instincts of human beings, so also were the Greek dances expressions of the dominant psychology of their time.

You will remember that the Greeks worshipped health. They believed their dancing to be as important in the development and maintenance of the health of the nation as were their Olympian games.

As a result of this healthful condition of body and mind, the early Greek dances were relaxed and free in their gestures. Hence it was not difficult for them to express a natural emotion, with rhythmic grace.

Rhythmic grace can best be acquired by continual interpretation of music. This was one of the first principles of the Greeks and they also realized that nearly any kind of music called for bodily reactions. Interpretation is, therefore, merely a reaction made manifest.

Since our music has become sophisticated and syncopated, almost beyond the point of understanding, our dancing has lost the simple charm and grace it had in the days of its classic ascendency. But more of that later when I talk of "jazz" and all its forms.

No previous training is required for anyone who desires to take up Greek dancing, except of course the mastery of technique which means careful assimilation of the exercises I have given in this series on dancing. When technique is thoroughly mastered, Greek steps come very easily to the dancer, and the mind has an opportunity to devote itself to the interpretation or mood of the dance.

Success in Greek dancing depends largely, too, upon a knowledge of pantomime. Pantomime is the most sublime, I believe, of all arts. It can make an emotion more evident even than speech. In this series I intend to give you detailed knowledge which I hope will enable you to become proficient in the art of pantomime.

I have been asked what sort of costume is best for Greek dancing. The answer is obvious. A Greek tunic, loose, full and flowing is preferable but any costume allowing freedom of movement is permissable. The idea behind this is that with bodily freedom comes mental relaxation, and if the body is unbound by clothes, the mind is freer.

Greek dances can be done barefoot, but we must sometimes take into consideration that our feet are not always the most beautiful parts of our anatomy and since the whole idea of the Greek dance is beauty, sandals are sometimes preferred.

Next time Gloria Gould Bishop will teach you some Greek dances.

Question: What are the five fundamental steps in dancing and why are some of them French?

Answer: They are all French, both in expression and origin, because France has been called the home-land of dancing.

If you follow my series through, you will learn the reason why. These are the terms: Le Pas (step); Le Glisses (glide); Le Coupes (cut); Le Jetes (transfer of weight from one foot to the other); Le Sautes (hop).

The Thief of Bagdad



The agility of the athletic Doug stands him in good stead as the adventurous THIEF OF BAGDAD.

OLYMPIC SUNDAY

Continued From Yesterday.

At the end of the ninth moon, the three Princes foregather and compare treasures. In Bagdad, the Princess has been poisoned by order of the Mongol Prince. The Indian Prince, through his magic crystal sees that the Princess lies dying. On the Persian Prince's magic carpet, they fly to her aid, and with the golden apple of the Mongol Prince, they cure her. The Mongol army now rests and in a surprise attack, captures the city. This news reaches the Thief who rushes to Bagdad. He now makes use of his magic chest of Nimir, creating from nowhere an imposing army that retakes the city and restores the Caliph. Wearing his cloak of invisibility, he is able to reach the Princess, and on the magic carpet, they sail together over the housetops headed for the land of love, and we see them gliding gracefully toward the star-studded sky, in which the twinkling lessons of night spell out the words: "Happiness Must Be Earned!"

VAULTS CAUSE SUIT.

Renewal of Lease Sought—Hundreds of Millions Stored There.

NEW YORK, April 3. — Vaults, which since 1907 have housed hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of securities, figured today in a civil suit filed in the state court.

The New York Produce exchange was named defendant in an action brought by the New York Produce Exchange Safe Deposit and Storage company to compel renewal of a lease on the basement vaults.

The bulk of the holdings of the D. Rockefeller and John D. Rockefeller Jr. are said to be housed in the vaults.

The vaults are the only ones of such size that have fire and burglar protection and also can be flooded to save them entirely from fire danger.

Ex-Crown Prince Explains the War

BERLIN, April 3.—The former German crown prince will try to refute Germany's war guilt in his book "I Seek the Truth," manuscript of which he has just completed.

Frederick William conceived the idea of the book during his exile on thei sland of Wieringen and he began to write immediately on his return to Germany. It covers the period from 1870 to 1914 and with the aid of numerous official documents he intends to shatter the charge that Germany was responsible for the war. The book is to be published in May.

NOTED TENOR IS DEAD

Jean de Reszke, Famous Opera Star, Expires After Short Illness.

NICE, France, April 3.—Jean de Reszke, considered one of the greatest tenors in the annals of the operatic stage, died at his villa tonight after a short illness. Death was due to complications following an attack of influenza.

Although in his 75th year, De Reszke maintained all his varied interests in life, dividing his time between his house in Paris, his villa in Nice and an estate, which, like Ignace Jan Paderewski, he purchased at Skrzydlom, Poland.

POLAND TO ORDER RIFLES.

$2,000,000 Contract to Be Placed in the United States.

WARSAW, April 3.—Poland soon will place her first important order for war materials in the United States. The contract provides for several thousand machine rifles to cost about $2,000,000 and to be made in Poland by Colt's Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing company. Hitherto a French rifle has been used by the Polish army.

DISCOVERS ANOTHER COMET.

Dr. Reid of South Africa Reports Find to Copenhagen Bureau.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., April 3.—A message received at the Harvard college observatory from the central bureau of astronomical telegrams, Copenhagen, announces the discovery on March 24 of a comet of the eighth magnitude by Dr. Reir of South Africa, associated with the observatory at the Cape of Good Hope.

This comet is considerablly larger than the recently discovered Schain's comet and is visible with the aid of a small telescope in the constellation Virgo, about ten degrees south and slightly to the east of Spica.

WOMAN SPEEDER, 64, HELD.

Violator, Hastening to Attend Property Settlement, Gets Sentence.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The oldest woman violator of speed laws here received a suspended sentence when arraigned today before Magistrate McAndrews. She is Mrs. Kate M. Slavens, 64 years old, of New Rochelle.

She explained that when arrested she was hastening to attend a property settlement of her husband, who died recently. Police said she was traveling thirty miles an hour.

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Sure Signs



Lee County First To Report Taxes

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—C. L. Seelke, tax collector of Lee county today set the pace for prompt annual returns of tax collectors to the comptroller's office when he brought his report to the office, the first of the year. His report shows that Lee county paid $54,292 to the state in 1924.

Mr. Seelke last year was forced to take second place in making his annual report, the record today being made possible by a special meeting of the commissioners court of Lee county. The regular meeting at which the tax collectors reports are approved are held on the third Tuesday in April.

POET TURNS TO MINES

Noted Welchman and Son Arrive On Acquitania to Begin Work in Penn.

NEW YORK, April 3. — Edgar Owen, Welch poet and philosopher, arrived on the Aquanita with his son, Cyril, enroute to Wilkesbarre, Pa., where they will enter the coal mines.

The father carried references from Lloyd George, Sir Oliver Lodge and Sir Arthur Conandoyle in eulogy of his philisophical treatisies. Inasmuch as they traveled third class, the Owens were sent to Ellis Island.

GOMPERS' WIDOW DEFEATED

Labor Leader's Will Upheld By District of Columbia Court.

WASHINGTON, April 3—The will of Samuel Gompers was sustained here today by a jury in the District of Columbia supreme court, which decided against the charges of Mrs. Gertrude A. Gompers, the widow, that the labor leader had been unduly influenced.

Attorneys for Mrs. Gompers, who previously had announced she would not further oppose the will, were present, but offered no testimony. Mrs. Gompers was left a sum equal to her dowry rights in an estate of about $40,000.

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Arguments Start in Purdy's Trial

TULSA, Okla., April 3.—Counsel for Charles B. Purdy, 30-year-old employee of an oil company, began today their attempt to convince a jury in district court that when Purdy shot E. S. Hutchison, a wealthy Tulsa business man to death in front of the Tulsa postoffice on the night of January 13 he was insane from brooding over the loss of his wife's love and the disappearance of his younger child.

The state rested unexpectedly before noon and Purdy's counsel took up the case. Introduced as its first witness the Rev. Dr. Claude E. Hill, pastor of the church of which Purdy is a deacon, described Purdy as a "clean, moral, upright man" active in church work and conscientious in the performance of duty.

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IOWA PARK

SECRETARY OF C. C. ELECTED

The chamber of commerce of Iowa Park, elected Dick Anglin to act as secretary of the chamber of commerce for the coming year. Mr. Anglin is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, and comes highly recommended as a booster and high ideals. Much work in ahead of the chamber for this year and at present especially as the annual rodeo is near or at hand and the district meet only three weeks away.

TRUSTEE ELECTION

Today the voters of Iowa Park independent school districts vote for three trustees. There has been very little interest shown to date in the election. Those whose terms expire are: J. A. Tanner, R. E. Golden and Dr. Frank Clark.

SCHOLASTIC CENSUS

S. A. Baxter, census trustee, has just completed enumerating the children who are between the ages of 7 and 18 and there are 776 children in the Iowa Park school district, compared with 561 this month last year. A gain of 25 per cent.

PLANS MADE FOR COMMENCEMENT

Dr. J. W. Hunt of McMurry college of Abilene, has accepted the invitation to deliver the educational address at the close of school May 15, and Rev. J. W. Hammond, professor of history in Texas Christian university, will preach the commencement sermon.

The senior class has chosen "Kick Our College," for the annual play and practice begins soon.

FIRST PERFECT TEAM SPELLER

The Iowa Park public schools has produced the first perfect team spellers in the history of the Wichita county meet. There are several individual spellers who have made 100 per cent, but this first perfect team comes from Iowa Park. The youngsters who made this record are: Jonny Katheryn Abernathy and Grace Milton Carlton. Grace Milton is a student of the seventh grade, while Jonny Katheryn is a sixth grade student.

GAY LIFE BLAMED BY THIEF.

$22-a-Week Clerk Accused of Stealing $25,000 in Jewelry.

NEW YORK, April 3.—A clerk's salary of $22 a week and a desire for the gay night life were blamed today by Stanley Wilcox, 25, for his downfall.

He was arrested, charged with stealing $25,000 worth of jewelry and silverware. Detectives say he is responsible for more than sixty recent robberies.

GOULD ESTATE SHRINKS.

Depreciation in Bonds and Expenses Blamed for $2,000,000 Loss.

TOMS RIVER, N. J., April 3.—Heavy administration expenses and decline in bond values resulted in a shrinkage of more than $2,000,000 last year in the estate of George J. Gould, according to an accounting filed today with Surrogate Fogg in Toms River, N. J. The total of the estate at the close of 1924 was $14,267,606.26.

Total charges for administration were $1,566,231 in the year. No objections were made to the accounting.

CANOE MAKES MARSEILLES.

Canadian Paddles Craft From Lyons Down the River Rhone.

MARSEILLES, April 1.—Wet to the skin but cheerful, George H. C. Smythe, the Canadian who set out last August from St. John, N. B., to paddle to Rome except for the trip across the Atlantic, reached here today.

The canoeist paddled from Paris by way of Lyons to Marseilles. He left Lyons at 9:30 o'clock, March 22, and averaged more than 62 miles a day down the river Rhone. His progress, however, was greatly retarded once he reached the open sea, where the short, choppy waves continually broke over his canoe. Smythe expects to start for Rome tomorrow.

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Editor Record News:

I am just a working man but I am just as much interested in the welfare of our city as though I had a great deal of property. I am interested in our city affairs because this town means as much to me in my own way as it does to the largest property owner in his way.

I have been waiting to see what could be offered to the tax payers of our city in the way of a progressive government and I figured that the best way to tell what a man would do in the future was to see what he had done in the past. I went down to the city hall and asked to see what Mayor Shepherd had done in the handling of business matters of the city while financial commissioner and I was surprised to find what remarkable results he had obtained. Here is what I found had resulted since Mayor Shepherd took office as finance commissioner.

On March 31, 1921, there was an overdraft of the city of	$ 248,273.28
On March 1, 1925, there was a cash balance on hand of	167,531.06
We are therefore better off by the total sum of	415,804.36
On March 31, 1921, we had a bonded debt of	2,784,000.00
On March 1, 1925 we had a bonded deft of	2,665,500.00
We are therefore better off on this item alone of	118,500.00
On March 1, 1921, we had cash in interest and sinking funds of	231,664,.72
On March 1, 1925, we had cash in interest and sinking funds of	460,989.80
We are therefore better off on this item of	229,285.08
I have further found that in the past three years there has been improvements made, without a bond issue of	276,986.10

They tell me that the proof of the pudding is in the eating. If man can do this much for the city as its finance commissioner, how much more can he do as mayor?

I am, therefore, heart, soul and body for R. E. Shepherd for mayor and I believe that under his administration, we will have the greatest and best administration we have ever had since this was a city. I intend to vote for him and I urge every other man, rich or poor, in the city, who wants a live progressive and yet thoroughly conservative administration, to vote for R. E. Shepherd and a greater and better Wichita Falls.

Yours very truly,

SAM SPROLES.

Political Adv.—



Cows On Main Street?

—In Grandfather's day the placid cow solemnly roaming the streets of Wichita Falls was an every day sight.

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LEFTY LLOYD TAKES TO COLD WEATHER LIKE ESKIMO, AND HURLS NEAT SEVEN FRAMES

Tanner's Southpaw Baffles Indians in Six Rounds—Crew Pecks Collins for Ten Safeties

Lefty Lloyd Brown would make an efficient Arctic explorer, no doubt. At least he could stand the gaff of the chill north winds.

Friday's frigid breezes at Athletic park hindered the southern exposure slabbist not a particle, and he turned in the best pitched game, or rather seven innings of one, staged at the Spud plant so far this spring.

Tanner's Spudders were better cold weather ball players than Pettigrew's Indians, grabbing the series opener, 8 to 6.

Lefty Lloyd's southpaw slants were a mystery to the Oklahoma City crew during six of the seven couplets he worked. Tate, Oklahoma City third sacker and an athlete who was with Dallas for a short period one spring, clipped Brown in the opening stanza for a hair-raising single down the first base line. Lefty gave up a bingle and home run in the fourth. These three knocks comprised the total of safeties combed from his forkhand delivery.

George Bell, El Paso right hander trying for a berth with the Tannerman this spring, took up the chucking role in the eighth, was tapped for two hits in that round and one in the ninth which abetted by infield miscues and a pair of four-balls donations gave the Western leaguers the score runs.

The Spudders enjoyed the offerings of Chief Collins, a sure enough original American, to the extent of ten safe wallops and six earned runs. Lefty Lloyd managed to get in a pair of dirty cracks at his Indian mound opponent, poling a non-stopper and a two-cushion swat. Fitzgerald looped one high and dry over the right field barrier, also. Distel and Callaghan broke out with a double each. Collins went the route though, and assimilated the punishment with true Indian stoicism.

Cal in Tough Luck.

On the whole, it was a fairly good workout for the Spudders although the fielders had to wear gloves on both hands to keep from freezing their fingers. Everybody got at least one good cut at the ball but Roche and Bell. Didn't everybody hit safely, but nearly all of 'em came through. Callaghan had tough luck. Ordinarily they can't get the fleet one out, but yesterday a game leg slowed him up on the runways, and Indian infielders cut him away thrice by a margin of inches. He should have had more than one two-baser to his credit, however. The Irishman bruised a sizzler to starboard in the sixth, but Felber was playing just right for him. The outfielder chased over, and aided by the wind which arched the ball almost into his hands, pulled down a pretty catch.

Pete Turgeon, second sacker and midget slugger deluxe, was kept out of the game because of his sore arm. White went to the keystone, and Dorman took third. Freddy clipped a pair of bingles through the infield, and handled himself nicely around the hot corner with exception of one instance. He stumbled and flattened out while in the act of throwing to first, but heaved the ball anyhow. The chunk was low, and got by Golvin, letting in a run. Had the play been completed with no casualty, it would have been a pretty piece of work.

The Spudders got to Collins in the second for a run. Both Dorman and Golvin singled, but errors were the direct cause of the tabulation.

Three in Third.

The Redskin heaver found the plate hard to locate in the third. A trio of walks, a smashing single at short by Bodie, and a bingle through the box by White stowed three golden scoring nuggets.

McNally hoisted one of Brown's hooks to the home run territory in right field during the fourth with two on, garnering the Indians' only technically earned markers. Chili McDaniel, Texan and former T. C. U. athlete, had swished a single to port. Brown had walked Felber who was forced at second by Thompson, the latter getting a life at first on fielder's choice.

Brown connected with his circuit smack in the fourth, riding a slow ball over the right field wall. Cal and Distel bounded out to second. Then Fitzgerald duplicated Lefty's boundary bust, only lofting the pill higher and for a longer drive. Ball's probably still traveling.

Callaghan found Roche perched on second by virtue of a walk and a sacrifice bunt by Bell in the eighth, so he knocked him in, he did. The Spudder lead-off bludgeon drove the cover off the ball, sending it almost on a line to right center. Cal tabulated from second a moment later when Felber muffed an aviation to starboard hit by Distel.

Infield Works.

Not only did the gang realize lots of hitting practice, but the infield came in for a wealth of work. Golvin was on the receiving end of 16 assists made to first. Eighteen assists in all were knocked off. Four other put-outs were enacted, Distel taking three, White one, and Brown one, making a total of 21 for the inner defense. Three batters died at the plate, and a trio was turned back by the outfield.

The fielding feature of the affair was a twin killing jerked off by Golvin and Distel. The Spud initial station master scooped up a terrific grounder walloped by Fitzpatrick in the seventh, turned and bulleted the pil lto Distel at the keystone, forcing Kahdot who had been resting on first, and then romped back to the bag to receive a sweet thrown by Distel, cutting Fitz away.

McNally and Kahdot of the visitors each started double plays by the process of fielding grounders wih runners on first, touching second, and pegging to McDaniel before the hitter arrived.

Cutler Wins Nat'l. Court Title.

BOSTON, April 3.—(AP)—Roger W. Cutler, won the finals of the national court tennis singles championship tournament today, defeating W. C. Wright, Jr., of Philadelphia, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3. He will meet Jay Gould of Philadelphia, the titleholder, in the

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GOOD COLD WEATHER PERFORMANCE

OKLA. CITY	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tate 3b	4	1	2	1	1	0
Haggerman lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
xHock lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
McDonial 1b	3	1	1	11	0	1
Felber rf	2	0	0	2	0	1
Thompson cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
McNally 2b	4	1	1	2	5	1
Kahdot ss	3	0	0	4	4	0
Fitzpatrick c	4	1	0	0	1	0
Collins p	4	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	32	6	6z22	13	13	3

xBatted for Hagermon in eighth.
zDorman out in second, hit by batted ball.

W. FALLS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Callaghan rf	5	1	1	0	0	0
Distel ss	3	0	1	3	4	1
Fitzgerald cf	5	2	1	2	0	0
Bodie lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Dorman 3b	3	1	2	0	3	1
Golvin 1b	3	1	1	16	2	0
White 2b	4	0	1	1	6	0
Query c	3	0	0	3	1	0
Roche c	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brown p	3	1	2	1	2	0
Bell p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	8	10	27	18	2

By innings:
Oklahoma City:
Runs 000 300 021—6
Hits 100 200 021—6
Wichita Falls:
Runs 013 200 02x—8
Hits 122 201 11x—10

Two-base hits, Distel, Brown, Callaghan; home runs, McNally, Brown, Fitzgerald; sacrifice hits, Hagerman, Bell; earned runs, Oklahoma City 3, Wichita Falls 6; left on bases, Oklahoma City 5, Wichita Falls 6; double plays, McNally to McDaniel; Kahdot to McDaniel, Golvin to Distel to Golvin; bases on balls off Collins 5, Brown 3, Bell 2; struck out by Brown 4; hits and runs off Brown 3 and 3 in 7 innings; time, 1:55; umpire, Kane.

Indians Down Nocona Team, By 8-3 Score

Thurman Leads College's Attack With Three Safeties

Moseley's Indians found the going easy at Nocona Friday, winning a seven-inning affair, 8 to 3.

Larry Crites, elongated Junior college hurler was wild, walked four and cut loose with a pair of jungle heaves, but otherwise was very effective. The Nocona nine touched Crites for but five hits.

Thurman led the Indians' offense with three safeties out of five visits to the platter. Clary poled two hits out of four.

Cold and windy weather made fielding a difficult proposition, and both teams miscued five times.

Wichita Falls	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Thurman 2b	5	1	3	3	2	1
Timmons rf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Kizziar ss	4	1	0	3	3	2
Rawls cf	4	2	0	1	0	0
Caskey 1b c	4	0	0	7	0	1
Clary 3b 1b	4	2	2	1	0	1
Harris lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Hershi c	1	0	0	2	0	0
Crites p	3	1	1	0	3	0
Deems 3b	2	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	35	8	9	21	8	5

Nocona	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Covington ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Rowland 2b	4	1	0	4	0	1
Milson 3b	3	0	0	0	3	1
Kline 1b	2	0	0	7	0	0
H. Crites c	3	1	1	7	2	3
E. Crites cf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Hall lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Maddox p	2	0	2	0	0	0
Clark rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sewell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	5	21	8	5

Score by innings:
Wichita Falls:
Runs 300 022 1—8
Hits 210 122 1—9
Nocona:
Runs 021 000 0—3
Hits 020 012 0—5

Summary: Two-base hits Thurman, H. Crites; stolen bases Clary, Rawls, Kizziar 3, Thurman, Rowland, Maddox, E. Crites; struck out by Crites 4, Maddox 7; bases on balls off Crites 6, Maddox 4, Sewell 1; hit batsman Timmons; wild pitch Sewell, Crites 2, Maddox 2; umpire, Robinson.

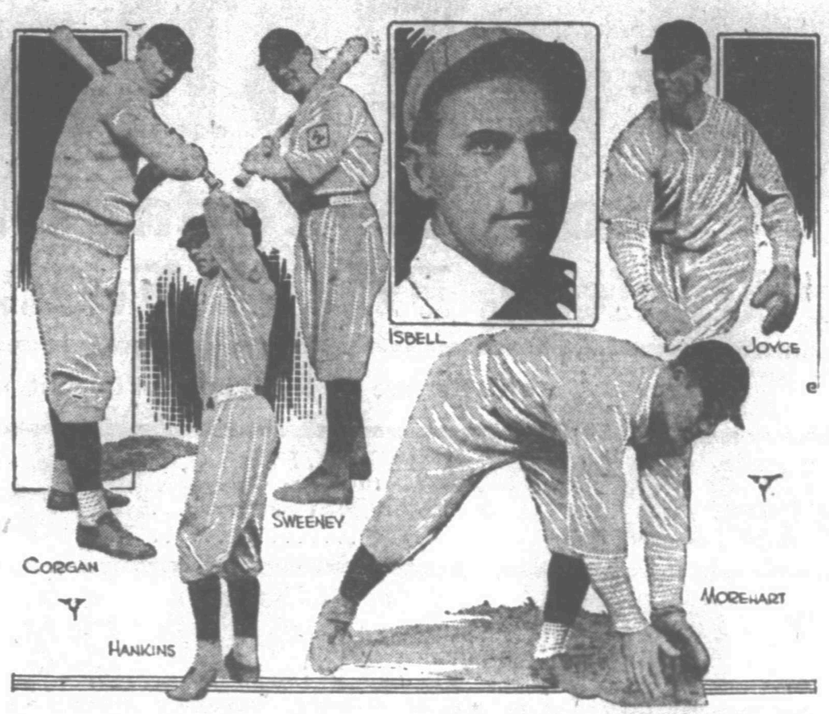
SCOTTY MONTIETH LONG DISTANCE PUG MANAGER

There seems to be little doubt that "Scotty" Montieth will go down in history as the long-distance manager of featherweight champions. He was with Jimmy Dundee for eleven years, during which time he was manager, trainer, friend and bosom associate of the little "Scotch Wop."

Now he has "Kid" Kaplan, present featherweight king. Dundee was not champion all the time "Scotty" was with him. Neither has Kaplan, for that matt

Vernon Nine Noses Out Wichita Falls High In Abbreviated Tilt

Isbell Gives Western Leaguers Brand New Team



Frank Isbell, once member of the White Sox, has been giving Wichita fans in the Western league some interesting teams. This past winter he sprung something new by acquiring almost a whole new club of players of more or less big league and minor league experience. He is now getting that team in shape to exhibit it. Photos show Isbell and some of the new stars who will make their debuts.

TRAINING CAMP NEWS

BIRMINGHAM 1; BROWNS 0
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Birmingham (Southern)	1	4	0
St. Louis (American)	0	6	0

Batteries: Dider, Bennett and Lerian; Davis, Grant, Wingard and Dixon.

DETROIT 9; CINCINNATI 1
AUGUSTA, Ga., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit (American)	9	9	1
Cincinnati (National)	1	8	0

Batteries: Leonard, Johnson and Woodall, Bassler; Sheehan, Benton and Wingo.

HOUSTON 10; OMAHA 9
HOUSTON, Texas, April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Omaha (Western)	9	15	2
Houston (Texas)	10	12	2

Batteries: Wetzel, Smith and Swartz, Meyers; Littlejohn, Burns and McCurdy, Mancuso.

CLEVELAND 7; MOBILE 3
MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Mobile (Southern)	3	6	1
Cleveland (American)	7	12	0

Batteries: Bichin, Long, Atkins and Ducote; Buckeye, Yowell and L. Sewell.

NATS 6; PELS 0
NEW ORLEANS, La., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Washington (American)	6	9	2
New Orleans (Southern)	0	4	2

Batteries: Johnson, Gregg and Ruel, Tate; Hodge, Broussard and Lapan.

RED SOX 8; VOLS 3
NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Boston (American)	8	11	1
Nashville (Southern)	3	7	2

Batteries: Wingfield, Rose, Lucy and Hering; Olson, Fowkes, Davis and Mackey, Greenburg.

SHREVEPORT 13; TULSA 3
SHREVEPORT, La., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Tulsa (Western)	3	10	3
Shreveport (Texas)	13	15	1

Batteries: Payne, Barnhart and Williams and Casey, Lee; Malone McCall and Wingfield, Graham.

LONGHORNS 10; AUSTIN 7
AUSTIN, April 3. — Texas university won a free hitting game today from the Austin Mustangs of the Texas association by a 10-7 score. The Mustangs used 19 players.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Texas University	10	14	1
Austin Mustangs	7	10	1

Batteries: Cox, Allen, Williamson and Leissner; Mueller, Shores, Hill, Gilliland and Bagner, McConnell.

PIRATES 10; ANGELS 6
LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh (National)	10	17	2
Los Angeles (Coast)	6	9	4

Batteries: Meadows and Smith Glazner, Ramsey, Phillips and Spencer.

YANKS 7; BROOKLYN 5
ATLANTA, Ga., April 3.—

	R.	H.	E.
New York (American)	7	7	0
Brooklyn (National)	5	15	1

Batteries: Francis, Pennock and O'Neill; Petty, Schwartz, Rush, Green and Taylor.

BEAR BOSS PLEASED
SAN ANTONIO, April 3.—The San Antonio Bears, having walloped Austin of the Texas association at Austin, 18-2 and 5-0, Wednesday and Thursday, were back home today for a practice session before meeting Austin here in a pair of tetura games Saturday and Sunday. The Bruins will wind up their exhibition program against local semi-pros April 11 and 12. Bob Coleman, manager, expressed himself as well pleased with prospects today.

Mat Promoter Announces He's About To Match Jack With Wills

NEW YORK, April 3.—Claiming to represent a syndicate of wealthy sportsmen, Jack Curley, wrestling promoter, announced that he expected within a few days to complete negotiations for a heavyweight championship match between Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills, with Belmont Park as the site. Arrangements of seating accommodations to handle a crowd of 150,000 is contemplated by the syndicate, it was said.

Belmont Park has been the scene of many of the turf's leading classics.

When Promoter Tex Rickard was questioned as to the possibility of Curley matching the champion and the negro challenger, he said: "Sounds to me like the old Cuban millionaire sugar men. I don't believe the match can be made now or that Jack Curley will get it if it is consummated."

Rickard and Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager, have stated publicly that Dempsey will fight only for Rickard if he risks his title in the east although observers here are inclined to think Kearns might relent if there is any way of assuring him a purse of $750,000.

Frank Flournoy, matchmaker for Rickard at Madison Square Garden, said he felt sure that Dempsey would meet Wills this year in spite of Dempsey's motion picture contracts which are said to contain a clause preventing the champion from risking his title until after the release of his pictures.

Owl Trackmen Tangle Up With Varsity Today

AUSTIN, April 3.—(AP)—The first intercollegiate track meet of the season will be staged tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the University of Texas stadium here when the Texas Longhorns meet the Rice Owls. Reports from Houston indicate the Owls have several men doped to place in every dual meet in which Rice takes part.

Luckey, a sprinter will give varsity men great competition in the 100 and 220 yard dashes. Poth of A. & M. is the only man in the southwest acknowledged to be Luckey's superior, having beat him by less than a year in the relay games held here March 27.

Stancliffe, captain of the Owl team and holder of the southwestern conference record in the discus will not take part in any track competition this year. Remaining out of meets this year will make him eligible for track next year. Coach Nicholson is planning a powerful team for Rice next year, and will not permit Stancliffe to participate in any track meet, thus giving him another year of eligibility.

HOUSTON NETSTERS SLAP IT ON TEXAS FRESHMAN SQUAD

AUSTIN, April 3.—The crack tennis squad from Houston central high school won from the University of Texas freshmen at the varsity courts today, winning five out of seven matches. Sloan, headliner of the scholastics, defeated Minchen in the big singles encounter of the day. Darby of Houston won from Donohue of the Fish and Fouth of Houston won his match with Freshman Kincaid, but Fitch saved a point for the first year men when he defeated McCormick of the high school team.

Ercel King, coach of Central high and a former Longhorn star, won a match from Aden Stiles, freshman captain. In doubles, the first Houston team of Sloan and Darby defeated Kincaid and Minchen, but their second team, Fouth and McCormick, was defeated by Donohue and Fitch of the freshmen.

The match, scheduled for today between Central high and Austin high, was postponed until tomorrow so that Houston might meet the freshman team at the only time the first year men could play.

Nicolai Expected To Be Sensation In A.A. Scramble

Columbus Beats Majors To Stepping K. C. Sandlotters

By NORMAN E. BROWN.

I watched the Cinci Reds in action one day this spring in Orlando, Fla. Their opponents for the afternoon were the Columbus American association team. And the two outstanding members of that minor outfit, to my mind, were old George McQuillan and young Fred Nicolai. More about McQuillan some other time. This yarn's about the boy.

Nicolai was playing shortstop on the sandlots of Kansas City last year. Probably every scout in the big leagues would have been glad to have received a tip-off on him. The Columbus bosses heard of him first and grabbed him.

By the time I reached the game that spring afternoon two or three big league clubs had already put out feelers for the lad.

He is one of the sweetest young infielders produced in recent years. Tubby Molesworth, veteran leader of the Columbus team, will tell you that. And Molesworth is beyond the age of gushing remarks.

Natural Shortstop.

Nicolai is a natural shortstop. He plays both sides of his position well and the infield grounder isn't produced that bothers him.

If this lad lives up to expectations he may do much toward putting the Columbus team in the fight to grab off the pennant this year.

A deal with Columbus put over with Indianapolis seems to have worked out happily all around. Hank Schreiber was sent to the Hoosier team for "Spud" Campbell and Blessing. Schreiber works in well at short for the Indianapolis club, according to Manager Donie Bush, and Campbell has already won attention at third for the Ohio team. Blessing may break into the regulars lineup before the season advances far. He has already proved himself a reliable utility infielder.

Staff Looking Up.

Emilio Palmero, Cuban pitcher, hopes for a good season despite the fact that the cataract which formed on his eye following an injury two years ago fails to yield to treatments. Palmero was hit by a thrown ball, heaved by Dick Burrus, two years ago and the injury is blamed for the growth. If Palmero and Elmer Ambrose, another veteran of the squad, come through in the box the Senators will have an A-1 pitching staff. Nelson Potts, left-hander, obtained in another trade with Milwaukee, is counted on as a regular and a winning one. McQuillan, set to go on forever, will be another. Northrop and Foulk are the other hurlers counted on to add their bit. Gus Ketchum must come back if he hopes to retain his job. Gus hurt his arm in St. Paul last fall and seemed unable to bring it back before the season ended. He was having trouble with it early this spring.

The Ohio capital is bound to have an interesting ball club this year. And if Fred Nicolai keeps going they'll cash in on him at the end of the campaign.

ANDREE TAKES BOX TOO LATE TO SAVE PACK

Lions Slip Over In First Two Rounds to Grab Game, 5-4

The Vernon Lions captured a close 5 to 4 tilt from the Coyotes Friday afternoon on the junior college diamond. The game was seven innings by agreement. Vernon held the lead after the first inning.

Walker, the Vernon mound star, proved too much for the Coyotes. The big chunker whiffed ten batsmen during the seven frames. A. Robinson caught a splendid game for the winners. Walker also connected for two bingles in two trips to the plate. Harvey played a nice game at second for the losers. Captain Bill Andree of the Coyotes took the hill in the third and blanked the visitors the rest of the way.

Vernon took the lead in the first inning when R. Scott opened with a slashing single to right. Bowman sacrificed him to second with a bunt to the pitcher. Walker cracked another single to right scoring Scott, and took second on the throw to the plate. Key smacked another single through the same hole to right that sent Walker over the pan. Williams skied to right, and Gilhausen grounded out to first, unassisted.

Coyotes Two, Also.

The Coyotes hammered back into a tie their half of the first. Woodson was hit by a pitched ball. Andree stole second. Ray and Francis fanned. Harvey bunted down the third base line, Woodson scored, and Andree pulled up at third. Harvey was later trapped off the bag, but he held up until Andree had crossed the platter.

Pernon then put the game in their battag in the second. J. Scott flied out to center. H. Robinson was given a free icket to first. A Robinson hit to Neel who muffed his grounder. Both runners were safe. R. Scott dropped a pop fly over second that filled the bases. "Lefty" Roberson came in from right field to pitch. He passed Bowman forcing H. Robinson over the pan. Francis was then called in from short to the mound. Walker singled to right scoring A. Robinson and R. Scott. Key walked. Williams fouled out to Neel. Hicks threw Walker out trying to steal third.

In the third Andree took the mound and Lesley went to second. Captain Bill blanked the Lions for five frames and gave up but three hits.

Pack One in Third.

The Coyotes scored again in the third. McMahon beat out a bunt to third. Woodson fanned. McMahon started for second. The Lion catcher threw wild and the runner continued on to third. Williams at third missed the peg there, so Mac scampered home. Andree fanned, and Ray went out pitcher to first.

The game ran along with the 5 to 3 score until the last of the seventh when the Coyotes threatened to rally and cop the game. Neel grounded to third who threw the ball to first in time to get the runner, but Key dropped his throw and Neel was safe. McMahon grounded out third to first. Woodson singled to left and Neel took third. Another wild heave by A. Robinson let in the remaining tally. With Woodson on second and one down, Walker fanned Andree and Ray to retire the side.

VERNON:	AB	R	H	A	PO	E
R. Scott, 2b	4	2	2	3	2	0
Bowman, lf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Walker, p	2	1	2	1	1	0
Key, 1b	3	0	1	0	6	1
Williams, 3b	4	0	0	2	1	1
Gilhausen, ss	4	0	1	1	1	0
J. Scott, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
H. Robinson, cf	0	1	0	0	0	0
A. Robinson, c	2	1	0	3	10	2
Totals	25	5	8	10	21	4

W. FALLS:	AB	R	H	A	PO	E
Woodson, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Andree, ib, p	4	1	2	4	2	0
Ray, p, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Francis, ss, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Harvey, 2b	2	0	1	1	2	0
M. Roberson, rf p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hicks, c	3	0	1	3	3	0
Neel, 3b	2	1	0	2	3	1
McMahon, cf	3	1	1	0	1	0
Lesley, 1b	2	0	0	0	7	0
Totals	27	4	6	11	21	1

Score by innings:
Lions 230 000 0—5
Coyotes 201 000 1—4

Walker and A. Robinson; Ray, M. Roberson, Francis, Andree and Hicks.

The summary:

Hit by pitcher, Woodson, 2 Walker, 2 H. Robinson. Struck out by Walker 10, Andree 3. Bases on balls off Walker 2, Francis 2, Ray 1, Robertson 1, Andree 1. Pass ball Hicks. Umpire Glidewell.

BOROTRA IN FINALS

NEW YORK, April 3.—Jean Borotra, France, advanced to the final round in the national indoor tennis championships today by defeating Jerome Lang of Yonkers, N. Y., in the semi-final round, 6-3, 6-2. Borotra will play Fred C. Anderson of New York in the finals tomorrow.

HAHN GOES AFTER NURMI ON COAST

LOS ANGELES, April 4.—Lloyd Hahn of Falls City, Neb., premier one-mile runner of the United States will enter the Rainbow Division veterans' athletic meet at the Los Angeles coliseum on Saturday afternoon, April 25.

The above means more than just the appearance of the man who recently broke Paavo Nurmi's one-mile indoor record. The real meaning is that Nurmi, having disposed of the Joie Rays, the Willie Ritolas, and other aspirants for his crown, will be faced over an outdoor course in Los Angeles by the one runner he most fears. In the East Hahn is considered the fellow America must look forward to for a victory over Nurmi at the one-mile distance. New York athletic clubs have been endeavoring to match the runners for a May date, but Hahn's decision to race the Phantom Finn here has put the kibosh on the activities of the easterners.

East Eliminated From Running In Nat'l Cage Meet

CHICAGO, April 3.—The east was eliminated from the running today in the national interscholastic basket ball tournament here today when the Torrington, Conn., and Uniontown, Pa., fives were beaten by Wheeler, Mass., and Wichita, Kan., respectively in the first two games of the fourth round. Wheeler beat Torrington 35 to 14 and Wichita beat Uniontown 42 to 21.

Two games were played tonight when Laramie, Wyo., met El Reno, Okla., and Westport high, Kansas City, played Dupont Manual, Louisville, Ky.

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Can They Fill Rabbit's Shoes?



These two men form the hopes of Manager Bill Killefer in his efforts to fill the shoes of Rabbit Maranville, put out of the game for months with a fractured ankle. They are Bobby Barrett and Clarke Pittenger. Barrett's a slugger but only fair fielder. Pittenger fields well, bats timidly.

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WICHITA, Kan., April 3.—Frank Isbell, owner of the Wichita team of the Western league, which finishes in the first division ordinarily, always has something new in baseball stategy to offer the fans each year. In years gone by Isbell, who was a regular with the Chicago White Sox for several years, nearly a score of years ago, has relied on youngsters, with a few seasoned veterans, to carry his team through the fight. This year Frank has spent good money and traded valuable players for a team of men who have had years of experience in baseball.

Few Holdovers.

Few of the men who played with the Izzies last year are on the squad this season. But for the stars Isbell disposed of he has received players who are reported to be equally as good. Butler, ranked as the best third baseman in the Western for several seasons, was traded to the White Sox for cash and several players. McNamara, one of the leading hurlers in the Western last year, went to the Washington club for a cash consideration and players. Both men will be missed, but Isbell smiles and says he got the best of the trades.

Many New Faces.

Among the new faces on the squad this year are Morehart, second baseman, obtained from the White Sox; Oeschger, hurler, the property of Pittsburgh, obtained from the west coast; Graff, veteran third baseman of the Southern league and ranked as one of the best fielders and sluggers of the league; Hankins, pitcher, from Washington; Wolfe, third baseman obtained from a semi-pro organization at Kansas City; Corgan, short, bought from Enid, Okla., of the Western association; Sweeney, first baseman, who played semi-pro ball in Cleveland Ohio, and Joyce, pitcher, obtained from Washington.

The above eight are not the only new faces to be seen on the local squad this year, but they come to Wichita well recommended for positions on the team. With several veteran pitchers, catchers and outfielders, Isbell expects a winning combination this season.

Youth And Speed Boasted By Bill McKechnie Club

Pirates Stack Up as Fleet Aggregation of Ball Chasers

Pittsburg popped into national baseball prominence last winter when the Pirates exchanged Maranville, Grimm and Copper to the Chicago Cubs for Vic Aldridge, Albert Niehaus and George Grantham in the only important trade of the year. Barney Dreyfuss, the colorful owner of the Pirates, was immediately charged with insanity, first-degree murder, arson and libel for engineering the deal, which sent three stars to the Cubs in exchange for a chronic hold-out pitcher and two youngsters yet to prove their ability. However, Dreyfuss was looking to the future, and as he was not getting along well with Maranville, Grimm and Cooper, he decided that he would get as much as he could for them.

Speed and Youth.

The Pirates this year have as their main requisite speed and youth. The infield, Niehaus, at first; Eddie Moore at second; Glenn Wright at short and "Pie" Traynor at third, is one of the speediest in the majors. All are youngsters with several years of big league ball in their systems.

In the outfield are the sensational Ki-Ki Cuyler, Capt. Max Carey, still one of the best basestealers in the big tent, Grantham, who has been converted from a second-sacker to a fly-chaser, Skeet Bighte and Clyde Barnhart. All are fast and with the exception of Carey are young.

Earl Smith and Gooch are the regular catchers. Both are smart in the ways of baseball. Tom Smith, who joined the Buccos in the middle of last season's race, is given the credit for Smoky City squad's sensational rise late in the year. Walter Schmidt, veteran Pirate backstop, is not with the club this year, having been traded to the St. Louis Cards.

The pitching staff is led by the veteran Babe Adams, while Emil Yde, Morrison, Meadows, Kremer and Aldridge are the other regulars. Alridge who is still up to old tricks, is a hold-out yet.

Yde Sensation.

Yde was a sensation last year, although it was his first in big league ball. The young lefthander led the league in games won and lost and was considered second only to "Dazzy" Vance, the speed-baller of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

McKechnie also has some exceedingly promising youngsters in Koupal, Songer, Culloton, Demarest and Brown, all of whom will be carried by the Buccaneers.

The Pirates have fared well in their exhibition games so far.

JENNINGS PLAYED FIRST BASE ONCE

Two very interesting sidelights on the career of Hughie Jennings have gone practically unnoticed in the many stories about the former Oriole star, Tiger manager, and new coach of the Giants.

One of these is that before he began his big league baseball career, during which he hung up an enviable record as a .300 hitter he hit .387 for two years with the Lehighton, Pa., team.

Another is that he played first base for the Tigers one day in 1908, while managing the team, and collected three base hits.

"It was in Boston," said Hughie laughingly. "We had won the pennant the day before and most of the boys wanted a day off. I went to first. I got the three hits all right, but we lost the game."

"Yes, and he wouldn't let me join the gang in their day off," chipped in the veteran O'Leary, then third baseman for Hughie and now a highly esteemed coach. "I had to play the whole game. But I got my fun watching Hughie."

AGGIES BEAT S. M. U.

COLLEGE STATION, April 3.—S. M. U., 4; A. & M., 6.

ASK WISCONSIN.

"Yost tells how to select a coach," says a newspaper headline. But the Michigan grid mentor might take a few tips from Wisconsin.

Have you a room to rent place ad in the Record News want ad columns for the best results.

Old College Chums From T. C. U. Together Again With Cinci Reds

Two old college chums—battery mates in their school days—are together again as members of the Cinci Reds team. They are Pete Donohue and Astyanax Douglas. And therein lies an odd story.

Pete and Douglas (boy, isn't his first name a whiz?) were battery mates at Texas Christian university when the Reds became interested in Donohue. More to keep Pete from becoming lonesome than for any other reason the Reds took Douglas along, too, for a trial. Donohue remained and did what few newcomers in the big show have ever done by winning 21 games his first year up. Douglas drifted out of baseball.

This spring Jack Blott, once a star member of the University of Michigan football team, was slated to try for a place on the Reds' catching staff. Then "Hurry Up" Yost, football mentor at Michigan, asked Blott to join his staff of aides. Blott gave up baseball for the grid game. The Reds had room for another young catcher.

The day Blott Blott wired Manager Jack Hendricks that he had decided to quit baseball Hendricks also received a telegram from Douglas stating that he was free to sign with some club and would like to join the Reds.

Hendricks wired Douglas to get under way pronto.

So they're together again, these college mates, Douglas may not catch Pete much this season but has had enough experience off and on to warrant retention until he gets wise to big league ways.

And both lads are glad to be together again.

Incidentally "Boob" Fowler, who has a fighting chance for a regular infield berth with the club because of his work last season, comes from the same college. All of which should give that institution some cause to claim fame as a starting point for big league ball players.

PAAVO BOUND TO BREAK.

Paavo Nurmi, recovered from his illness, thinks that he can go right on running two or three times a week. The Finn's endurance and stamina have been one of the wonders of the year in amateur sport. But he's human, and when he breaks, as he must break under the long continued strain of running for records week after week, he'll go like all the others. Paavo is having a lot of fun and collecting a fine assortment of medals, while he lasts, and some of his records ought to grace the record books when he is back in Finland, growing long white whiskers, that ought to be some consolation.

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Track Events Are Scheduled for Today, With Twelve Parts of Annual Completed At Close of Friday Afternoon

VERNON, April 2.—The following were winners in the literary events of the county meet, interscholastic league at the junior and Vernon high school today. Track events will be staged tomorrow. Winners of this meet will take part in the district meet to be held here April 17 and 18.

Declamation—Senior boys, high school division: Clint Castlebury, Vernon high, first; Oscar Hale, Harrold, second; Andrew Willoughby, third.

Declamation—Junior boys, high school division: Ashley Little, first; Clarence Sohn, Vernon Junior high, second; Foy Bradley, Fargo, third.

Rural School declamation—Senior Boys: Bryan Lawlis, Elliott, first; Leslie Smith, Crescent Cove, second.

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Rural School Declamation—Senior Girls: Maurice Doss, Elliott, first; Beulah Hardage, Crescent Cove, second.

Junior Girls Declamation—Rural school division: Maurine Knapp, Burkhalt, first; Hazel Phillips, Crescent Cove, second; Jesse Morris, Red Valley, third.

Choral Singing—Silver school, Vernon, first; Junior high, Vernon, second; Central school, Vernon, third.

Senior Girls Declamation—High school division: Juanita McDonald, Vernon high, first; Gleta Swinburn, Talbert, second; Lillian Oliver, Junior high, Vernon, third.

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Harrold won arithmetic contest by default.

Extemporaneous speaking won by Harrold in like manner.

Art appreciation contest. Senior division: Crescent Cove, first; Junior division, Junior high, Vernon, first; Shive school, Vernon, second; Crescent Cove, third.

Senior spelling—Vernon high school, first; Chinamion, second; Harrold, third.

NIGHT RESULTS.

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The cups were given by the Herring and Waggoner National banks of Vernon.

NEGOTIATIONS ON TODAY FOR KAPLAN-MASCART GO

NEW YORK, April 3.—Articles of agreement for a 15-round featherweight title bout between Lewis (Kid) Kaplan of Meriden, Conn., recognized as champion by the New York Boxing commission and Edouard Mascart, European title holder, will be signed tomorrow, Promoter Tex Rickard announced tonight. Rickard intends to stage the match May 5 in Madison Square Garden.

MARTIN DISQUALIFIED FOR BITING CLEMARS

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Fort Worth Enters Sooner Meet.

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Isbell Trades Most of His Club For Seasoned Players

WICHITA, Kan., April 3.—Frank Isbell, owner of the Wichita team of the Western league, which finishes in the first division ordinarily, always has something new in baseball strategy to offer the fans each year. In years gone by Isbell, who was a regular with the Chicago White Sox for several years, nearly a score of years ago, has relied on youngsters, with a few seasoned veterans, to carry his team through the fight. This year Frank has spent good money and traded valuable players for a team of men who have had years of experience in baseball.

Few Holdovers.

Few of the men who played with the Izzies last year are on the squad this season. But for the stars Isbell disposed of he has received players who are reported to be equally as good. Butler, ranked as the best third baseman in the Western for several seasons, was traded to the White Sox for cash and several players. McNamara, one of the leading hitters in the Western last year, went to the Washington club for a cash consideration and players. Both men will be missed, but Isbell smiles and says he got the best of the trades.

Many New Faces.

Among the new faces on the squad this year are Merchant, second baseman, obtained from the White Sox; Oeschger, hurler, the property of Pittsburgh, obtained from the west coast; Graff, veteran third baseman of the Southern league and ranked as one of the best fielders and sluggers of the league; Hankins, pitcher, from Washington; Wolfe, third baseman obtained from a semi-pro organization at Kansas City; Cotgan, short, bought from Enid, Okla., of the Western association; Sweeney, first baseman, who played semi-pro ball in Cleveland Ohio, and Joyce, pitcher, obtained from Washington.

The above eight are not the only new faces to be seen on the local squad this year, but they come to Wichita well recommended for positions on the team. With several veteran pitchers, catchers and outfielders, Isbell expects a winning combination this season.

JENNINGS PLAYED FIRST BASE ONCE

Two very interesting sidelights on the career of Hughie Jennings have gone practically unnoticed in the many stories about the former Oriole star, Tiger manager, and new coach of the Giants.

One of these is that before he began his big league baseball career, during which he hung up an enviable record of a .300 hitter he hit .397 for two years with the Lehighton, Pa., team.

Another is that he played first base for the Tigers one day in 1908, while managing the team, and collected three base hits.

"It was in Boston," said Hughie laughingly. "We had won the pennant the day before and most of the boys wanted a day off. I went to first. I got the three hits all right, but we lost the game."

"Yes, and he wouldn't let me join the gang in their day off," chipped in the veteran O'Leary, then third baseman for Hughie and now a highly esteemed coach. "I had to play the whole game. But I got my fun watching Hughie."

AGGIES BEAT S. M. U.

COLLEGE STATION, April 3.—S. M. U., 4; A. & M., 6.

ASK WISCONSIN.

"Lot tells how to select a coach," says a newspaper headline. But the Michigan grid mentor might take a few tips from Wisconsin.

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Youth And Speed Boasted By Bill McKechnie Club

Pirates Stack Up as Fleet Aggregation of Ball Chasers

Pittsburg popped into national baseball prominence last winter when the Pirates exchanged Maranville, Grimm and Cooper to the Chicago Cubs for Vic Aldridge, Albert Niehaus and George Grantham in the only important trade of the year. Barney Dreyfuss, the colorful owner of the Pirates, was immediately charged with insanity, first-degree murder, arson and libel for engineering the deal, which sent three stars to the Cubs in exchange for a chronic hold-out pitcher and two youngsters yet to prove their ability. However, Dreyfuss was looking to the future, and as he was not getting along well with Maranville, Grimm and Cooper, he decided that he would get as much as he could for them.

Speed and Youth.

The Pirates this year have as their main ingredients speed and youth. The infield, Nicholas, at first; Eddie Moore at second; Glenn Wright at short and "Pie" Traynor at third, is one of the speediest in the majors. All are youngsters with several years of big league ball in their systems.

In the outfield are the sensational Ki-Ki Cuyler, Capt. Max Carey, still one of the best baserunners in the big text, Grantham, who has been converted from a second-baser to a fly-chaser, Sheet Bigbee and Clyde Barnhart. All are fast and with the exception of Carey are young.

Earl Smith and Gooch are the regular catchers. Both are smart in the ways of baseball. To Smith, who joined the Bucs in the middle of last season's race, is given the credit for Sanky City squad's sensational rise late in the year. Walter Schmidt, veteran Pirate backstop, is not with the club this year, having been traded to the St. Louis Cards.

The pitching staff is led by the veteran Babe Adams, while Emil Yde, Morrison, Meadows, Kremer and Aldridge are the other regulars. Aldridge who is still up to old tricks, is a holdout yet.

Yde Sensation.

Yde was a sensation last year, although it was his first in big league ball. The young lefthander led the league in games won and lost and was considered second only to "Dazzy" Vance, the speed-baller of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

McKechnie also has some exceedingly promising youngsters in Kempf, Seeger, Cellucci, Dressrest and Brown, all of whom will be carried by the Buccaneers.

The Pirates have fared well in their exhibition games so far.

Schedule Electra Twilight Baseball League

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HEAD	Texas Hardware	U. S. Machine Shop	Yeahoos	Lions Club	Lion Motor Company	Magnolia
Texas Hardware	THIS	April 6-23 May 11	April 27 May 4-25	April 6-27 May 29	April 16 May 8-22	April 13-30 May 14
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Magnolia	April 13-30 May 14	April 30-28 May 27	April 26 May 9-26	April 29 May 4-23	April 6-25 May 22	SPORTS

Can They Fill Rabbit's Shoes?



These two men form the hopes of Manager Bill Killefer in his efforts to fill the shoes of Rabbit Maranville, put out of the game for months with a fractured ankle. They are Bobby Barrett and Clarke Pittenger. Barrett's a dagger but only fair fielder. Pittenger fields well, bats timidly.

Old College Chums From T. C. U. Together Again With Cinci Reds

Two old college chums—buttery mates in their school days—are together again as members of the Cinci Reds team. They are Pete Donohue and Anyanus Douglas. And therein lies an odd story.

Pete and Douglas they, isn't his first name a whiz?) were buttery mates at Texas Christian university when the Reds became interested in Donohue. Move to keep Pete from becoming lonesome than for any other reason the Reds took Douglas along, too, for a trial. Donohue remained and did what few newcomers in the big show have ever done by winning 21 games his first year up. Douglas drifted out of baseball.

This spring Jack Ellett, once a star member of the University of Michigan football team, was slated to try for a place on the Reds' catching staff. Then "Hurry Up" Yost, football mentor at Michigan, asked Ellett to join his staff of aides. Ellett gave up baseball for the grid game. The Reds had room for another young catcher.

The day that Ellett wired Manager Jack Hendricks that he had decided to quit baseball Hendricks also received a telegram from Douglas stating that he was free to sign with some club and would like to join the Reds.

Hendricks wired Douglas to get under way pronto.

So they're together again, these college mates, Douglas may not catch Pete much this season but has had enough experience off and on to warrant retention until he gets wise to big league ways.

And both lads are glad to be together again.

Incidentally "Bush" Fowler, who has a fighting chance for a regular infield berth with the club because of his work last season, comes from the same college. All of which should give that institution some cause to claim fame as a starting point for big league ball players.

PAAVO BOUND TO BREAK.

Paavo Nurmi, recovered from his illness, thinks that he can go right on running two or three times a week. The Finn's endurance and stamina have been one of the wonders of the year in amateur sport. But he's human, and when he breaks, as he must break under the big continued strain of running for records week after week, he'll go like all the others. Paavo is having a lot of fun and collecting a fine assortment of medals, while he lasts, and some of his records ought to grace the record books when he is back in Finland, growing long white whiskers, that ought to be some consolation.

WILBARGER COUNTY MEET IS HELD AT VERNON, PREPARING FOR DISTRICT AFFAIR, APR. 17

Track Events Are Scheduled for Today, With Twelve Parts of Annual Completed At Close of Friday Afternoon

VERNON, April 3.—The following were winners in the literary events of the county meet, interscholastic league at the junior and Vernon high school today. Track events will be staged tomorrow. Winners of this meet will take part in the district meet to be held here April 17 and 18.

Declamation—Senior Boys, high school division: Clint Castleberry, Vernon high, first; Oscar Hale, Harrold, second; Andrew Willoughby, third.

Declamation—Junior boys, high school division: Ashley Little, first; Clarence Ribe, Vernon Junior high, second; Fay Bramley, Fargo, third.

Rural School Declamation—Senior Boys: Bryan Lewis, Elliott, first; Leslie Smith, Crescent Cove, second.

Rural School Declamation—Junior Boys: Joseph Turner, Elliott, first; Joe Clyrch, El Reno, second; Dale Smith, Sherwood, third.

Rural School Declamation—Senior Girls: Maurine Doss, Elliott, first; Beulah Hardage, Crescent Cove, second.

Rural School Declamation—Junior girls: Maurine Knapp, Buckhill, first; Hazel Phipps, Crescent Cove, second; Jesse Morris, Red Valley, third.

Choral Singing—Olive school, Vernon, first; Junior high, Vernon, second; Central school, Vernon, third.

Senior Girls Declamation—High school division: Juanita McDonald, Vernon high, first; Gleta Swinburn, Talbert, second; Lillian Oliver, Junior high, Vernon, third.

Junior Girls Declamation—High school division: Verlene Stringer, Talbert, first; Bessie Rhea Vaught, Junior high, second; Anna Vess Stringer, Odell, third.

Harrold won arithmetic contest by default. Extemporaneous speaking won by Harrold in like manner.

Art appreciation contest, Senior division: Crescent Cove, first; Junior division, Junior high, Vernon, first; Olive school, Vernon, second; Crescent Cove, third.

Senior spelling—Vernon high school, first; Crescent Cove, second; Harrold, third.

NIGHT RESULTS.

VERNON, April 3.—Vernon high school's two senior debating teams defeated Harrold tonight, winning the silver loving cups held by the latter the past two years.

Norman Shepherd and T. A. Key, Jr., senior boys, won the negative side of the question, "Resolved: The United States Should Give the Philippines Independence Within Five Years."

Nina Rutledge and Marion Matthews, senior girls, won the affirmative side of the same question.

The cups were given by the Herring and Waggoner National banks of Vernon.

NEGOTIATIONS ON TODAY FOR KAPLAN-MASCART GO

NEW YORK, April 3.—Articles of agreement for a 15-round featherweight title bout between Lewis (Kid) Kaplan of Meriden, Conn., recognized as champion by the New York Boxing commission and Edouard Mascart, European title holder, will be signed tomorrow, Promoter Tex Rickard announced tonight. Rickard intends to stage the match May 5 in Madison Square Garden.

MARTIN DISQUALIFIED FOR BITING CLEMARS

NEW YORK, April 3. — Vincent (Pepper) Martin, Brooklyn featherweight, was indefinitely suspended by the New York State Athletic commission today for biting Joey Celmars on the ear and shoulder in a boxing bout here Tuesday night. Martin had been disqualified by the referee.

PAAVO WINS AS USUAL

OTTAWA, Ont., April 3.—Paavo Nurmi won the mile and a half international indoor race at the Ottawa police races here tonight. Jim Connolly, Georgetown university, was second and Lloyd Hahn, Boston A. A., was third. Nurmi's time was 6:56.

Fort Worth Enters Sooner Meet.

FORT WORTH, April 3. — Fort Worth central high school track stars, under the direction of Coach C. W. Berry, will compete in the University of Oklahoma relay carnival to be held in Norman on April 25.

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Lady Astor Gets Called Down In Commons Over Children's Bill Debate

LONDON, April 3.—Lady Astor today was featured in another vocal clash in the house of commons which ended with a warning from the speaker, who said he thought she had gone too far in personal criticism of a labor member from Nottingham whose continued interruption caused the tiff.

The incident occurred during debate on the second reading of the children's bill. Lady Astor declared that she hated "the assumption that the working mother is different from any other mother." The labor member interrupted, saying that Lady Astor could read about "society women nursing puppy dogs when they ought to be paying more attention to human beings."

Lady Astor's answer flashed back instantly. "If I wasted the time to tell all I knew about you, it would give the house something to think about," she said. If she went into the question of some company Hayday, the labor member, she continued, it would not reflect credit upon him or the labor party.

The labor member remonstrated at this, but Lady Astor retorted "you asked for it."

Then the speaker intervened and begged Lady Astor to refrain from personalities, while Commander Kenworthy asked for an "explanation or complete withdrawal" of the woman member's remarks.

Lady Astor withdrew her remarks, but explained that she had been persistently annoyed by interruptions during recent debates. The speaker closed the incident by telling her he thought she had gone "too far," and, smiling, added that she was sometimes provocative herself.

Large Delegation From City To Go To Mineral Wells

Matter Discussed Friday At Business Council; Viaduct Proposed

Plans for a large delegation of over 100 Wichitans on the coming good will tour to the annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce, May 4, 5 and 6, at Mineral Wells, were made at the chamber of commerce business council Friday noon at the Kemp. The project of erecting a viaduct or subway under the Wichita Valley railroad tracks south of the city was also introduced.

Fred L. Haskett, assistant manager of the chamber, left Friday night to extend invitations to business men in communities northwest of Wichita Falls to join the tour. Burton Stayton, chairman of the trade extension committee announced the "Red River Valley Special" Pullman for the tour.

Barbecue Here.

A barbecue and band concert will greet delegations on the Fort Worth and Denver from communities northwest who pass through the city to accompany the Wichita delegation to the meet, it was announced.

R. A. Penick, Judge A. H. Britain, J. M. McFall, George Wilson, Jr., and Harry Grey spoke on the importance of Wichita Falls business men attending the West Texas meet, stressing the value of the good will among the merchants in the new trade territory opened by the railroad from Childress to the South Plains country.

J. W. Chatham, Jr., traffic manager for the chamber, stated that the cost of a round trip on the special train would be between $16.50 and $20.00. The report of the committee was reported and adopted.

Walter Curlee introduced a motion, following a talk by Judge R. E. Huff on the matter, that a committee be appointed to determine if another entrance is needed to the city across the Wichita Valley tracks crossing at the south end of Indiana avenue, and to determine the best street for the building of such a crossing. The motion carried and the following committee was named: J. M. Patton, A. L. Huey and J. M. McFall. A report will be made later by these men.

Mayor R. E. Shepherd stated that a petition signed by prominent property owners of Indiana avenue and business men of the city requesting a crossing on Indiana avenue across the tracks had been received by the city council and referred to the city engineer, who will prepare estimates on the cost of the project to report to the council. Bert Bean, Jerome Stone, and W. M. Priddy spoke on the project.

Barnard Presides.

Chairman Jack Barnard presided at the meeting and Hubert Harison, manager, reported that a number of wholesale and manufacturing concerns were planning to open houses in the city during the summer. Activities of the publicity department were told of, and the coming of an ice cream factory worth $100,000 was announced.

The annual meeting of the chamber of commerce of the United States will be held in Washington, May 19-22, Mr. Harirson stated.

Captain R. S. Healy, formerly of Wichita Falls, spoke to council members praising the growth of the city and the irrigation project.

BULL DOG AWARDED OWNER.

Pup Gets Through Two Court Battles Without a Scratch.

WACO, April 3.—Susie, screw-tailed bull dog, who was awarded to W. W. Little, her original owner after a spirited legal battle in Justice R. J. Jenkins' court last summer, was today again awarded to Little by a jury in the county court, whither Billy Millen has had Susie and her six children for about a year, appealed his case.

The same judge, elected since the first trial to the higher office, heard the case.

MAY POSTPONE TRIAL.

Copeland Libel Case Scheduled for Call in Waco Monday.

WACO, April 3.—The second Copeland trial, alleging criminal libel of Miss Adelaide Hogue by Rev. A. Reilly Copeland, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church, is set for trial Monday in the county court but Nat Harris, who is assisting W. L. Eason in the defense, announced today that he was going to Washington Sunday and wanted to have the case postponed.

TRIANGLE CLAIMS TWO.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Two men were killed and a woman possibly fatally wounded today in a shooting affray in the woman's apartment which put an end to a triangular love affair.

Read the Record News want ads every day in the want d columns

Revival Services at Nazarene Church

A series of discourses on the Book of Revelations is being delivered at the Nazarene church by Rev. I. M. Ellis, recognized as one of the outstanding evangelists of the Nazarene church. He will be here until Tuesday evening and will speak each night at the church at Fifth and Bluff.

Rev. Ellis' address Friday night was in the nature of an introductory to those that are to follow. He will speak on the subject "The Raptures" Saturday night and on Sunday afternoon will talk on "Signs of the Times." His Sunday evening address will be again on Revelations.

A cordial welcome is extended the public.

BEING A COUNT "HURTS."

Houston Cotton Worker, Part of Royalty, Finds It's Embarrassing.

AUSTIN, April 3.—Being a count is extremely bothersome because the mere name "Count" in American draws too much attention for a modest young aristocrat who is working hard for a living, according to Le Comte Armand de la Rochefoucauld, who is with a Houston cotton office and is now in Austin attending the Texas cotton convention. Le Comte Rochefoucauld threw conventions to the four winds, forgot traditionary ideas about working, and came to Houston from Paris two years ago to learn the cotton business. He started at the bottom of the ladders and worked, not as the executive of a department, but as a minor clerk in a sample room.

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who was an active member of the Butte-for-Governor club, "but it is probable that the little wife had no influence with which to gain a hearing to plead for her husband," regarding Governor Ferguson's refusal to see Mrs. Welk after a group of Dalas citizens had sent Mrs. Welk to Austin.

"From what I have read and heard of the prison relocation question, I do not think the governor should have vetoed the prison relocation bill as it was presented, having passed both the house and the senate," Miss Thomas further stated.

"I think Governor Ferguson should take the best stand for the state, and not be governed by her personal ideas, in spite of the expectancy of many people that her actions would bear the distinctive stamp of a woman."

From Miss Beezie Dee.

"The refusal of Miriam A. Ferguson to stay the execution of Pete Welk meets with my approval, for the reason that, he was a murderer, not only once but twice. He killed an officer of the law in each instance engaged in the enforcement of the laws of our state and nation. If we women of Texas believe in the commandment which reads 'Thou shalt not kill,' and if we believe in the law of the state of Texas which calls for death in the electric chair for the crime of murder and if we do not wish to make a mockery, the decision of our courts and juries; we can only approve of Governor Ferguson's stand on law enforcement; and then if we do not approve of capital punishment set about to abolish it.

"As I understand it, Governor Ferguson favored the prison relocation bill and her reason for vetoing it was that the legislature only appropriated $200,000; and to carry out the plans as outlined therein would entail a cost of $10,000,000. It would be impossible to raise this amount within the two year tax limit, even if taxes were imposed at the highest legal rate, and I presume our governor vetoed the bill not because she was not in favor of moving our state charges out of the swamps, but on account of lack of funds."

Mrs. A. R. Bleakley.

In regard to the attitude taken by Governor Ferguson in vetoing the bill for relocating the state prison, Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, president of the Civic league, and prominent in local club circles said:

"I do not understand why Governor Ferguson vetoed the bill when it had passed the legislature, and I don't think she had any business to do it. I am sure the women as a whole, all over the state stand for the removal. And in regard to the woman governor not seeing the wife of the convict, Pete Welk, I think that if they had been influential people, she, like most governors, would have consented for an audience with her. Personally I am not in favor of governors taking a hand in pardoning criminals, I feel that they should let the law decide their fate, and abide by what the law does. I really do not think it should be up to Ma Ferguson or any other governor to decide the fate of anyone."

Mrs. M. E. Johnson.

Mrs. M. E. Johnson, member of the Pen Women's club and writer of short stories and poetry, spoke her views on the attitude taken by Ma Ferguson on not granting the convict's wife an interview, and on her vetoing the prison removal bill as follows:

"I think it is just in line with everything else she has done. I consider we have no governor. And I really think it is what we should expect of a Ferguson governor. She claims she vetoed the prison removal bill because of the lack of funds. I do not think that is an adequate excuse. I think taking into consideration, the many pardons she has granted, that Welk, as the father of five small children, with only circumstantial evidence against him, might have been one of the number."

Mrs. I. H. Roberts.

Mrs. I. H. Roberts, active in social and church circles said regarding the question of Governor Ferguson refusing Mrs. Welk an audience:

"She seems to be turning them loose by the dozens, I think she might have at least heard what the woman had to say."

When asked in regard to her opinion as to whether she thought Governor Ferguson should have vetoed the prison removal bill or not, Mrs. Roberts said that she had not given the subject any thought and was not prepared to express an opinion.

Mrs. A. C. Parks.

Mrs. A. C. Parks, president of the Pieria club, and prominent in club and church circles in giving her views on Governor Ferguson vetoing the prison removal bill, said:

"I think she did the wrong thing. I have heard people who are informed on the conditions of the prison in its present location talk on the subject, and from what I can learn about it, I certainly favor a removal where conditions will be better. And as to the governor refusing to see Mrs. Welk who came to talk to her in behalf of her husband who was executed Friday, I feel that she should have at least given her an audience. For the sake of womanhood, if for nothing else, I think that she should not have refused an audience on so vital a question to one of her own sex. She has granted pardons after pardons, and I think she might have at least have heard what the woman had to say to her."

Mrs. W. L. Scott.

"I think Mrs. Ferguson's judgement in vetoing the prison relocation bill was quite wise, in view of the policy of economy," declared Mrs. W. L. Scott of 1803 Tenth street.

"Surely, Governor Ferguson holds a position of highest trust, and it is her duty to guard the state's money. I think it a good move to conserve the funds of the state instead of going into the deep debt the relocation would involve merely for a group of hardened criminals," Mrs. Scott declared.

"We shouldn't criticize the judgment of Miriam Ferguson. We trusted her ability as a governor when we elected her to office, and she would not now hold the position of supreme authority that she does if the people of Texas did not honor her wisdom. The governor undoubtedly knew what she was doing when she refused to commute the death sentence of Sidney Welk, to that of life imprisonment. She had evidently made up her mind on the Welk case before Mrs. Welk came to Austin, and to my mind was not called on to give Mrs. Welk an interview.

"People in trouble, and especially women are anxious to play on the sympathy of other people. Mrs. Welk's appeal was to the sympathy of the governor instead of to the governor's judgment.

"As to Governor Ferguson's granting reprieve to the negro, I think it right to treat the negro with all consideration. The negro knows he has no help in the world, and all he can do is plead for mercy."

Mrs. T. R. Brunson.

"I think the governor should have given Mrs. Welk an audience when she came to see her in regard to her husband's sentence to the electric chair. There have been many who have committed worse crimes against society than Pete Welk and have been treated with leniency. Although I am in favor of punishment for crime," Mrs. T. R. Brunson, chairman of the extension department of the Civic league said, concerning the electrocution of Welk, Friday.

"We have so few convictions in the United States and England's percentage of crime is kept down by the sureness of punishment. The United States has shown so much leniency to criminals that they do not fear the law. Governor Ferguson was probably right in this particular case, but in view of the fact that she has pardoned so many other cases it seems inconsistent for her not to have granted this woman an interview."

In regard to the removing of the state prison, Mrs. Brunson said:

"I think the prison should be centralized. If the move could not have been financed this year probably it could have next. From an economical standpoint it should be centralized, and the passing of the bill would be good, while from a political standpoint it might not be so good."

'WE'LL KEEP WORKING,' SAYS MRS. SPEER.

AUSTIN, April 3.—"We are going to keep on working until we have blotted this eternal disgrace from our state," was the answer given by Mrs. Elizabeth Speer, chairman of the Texas committee on prisons and prison labor, to the veto by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson of the bill providing relocation of the prison system.

Mrs. Speer made this declaration at the Young Men's Business league luncheon during a talk on "the Texas prison system" and was applauded.

Prominent Citizens.

Mrs. Speer pointed out that the commission is composed of prominent citizens who are willing to give of their time and of their money and "has no political axes to grind."

Mrs. Speer claimed that since 1909 there have been 12 investigations of the prison system, each costing from $4,000 to $30,000, and that in each case the resolutions of the investigating committee were pigeonholed and nothing done.

A prison system, Mrs. Speer declared, has for its purpose two fundamental things, one of protecting society against the lawless and the other training a prisoner in order that he may take his place in society later and live in peace. Until these things are accomplished, she added, the prison program is not complete.

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Ice Box Pudding

3 egg yolks, well beaten
½ cup granulated sugar
1 tablespoon corn starch
½ cup of milk

Cook slowly in a double boiler, stirring gently until quite smooth and thick.

Remove from fire and add the juice of one lemon and the grated rind of one-half a lemon.

1 cup powdered sugar
½ cup Butter (Mistletoe, of course)
3 egg whites, well beaten

Cream butter and sugar well and add to egg mixture. Then add beaten egg whites.

Line a bowl with lady fingers, pouring mixture over them. Set in ice box one day if possible.

When the recipe calls for butter it means that someone has experimented and found that nothing but butter will do.

Butter for cooking must be good butter. The butter flavor is an important part of the delicacy of the finished dish. Flavor and aroma must be exactly right.

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BAREE, SON OF KAZAN

by James Oliver Curwood

A LOVE EPIC OF THE FAR NORTH

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SYNOPSIS

In response to a request from McTaggart, the factor, Pierrot, the trapper, left his cabin and went by the post to help in the general store for a few days. But McTaggart did not go on a business trip as he had said, but to Pierrot's cabin, where he found Nepeese, the trapper's daughter, alone. Baree, the wolf-dog, jumped up to attack the factor, but with a shot from McTaggart's automatic the dog fell in a heap. Then the factor gathered Nepeese in his arms while she struggled desperately.

CHAPTER XX—Continued

And Nepeese fought. She twisted in his arms until she was facing him. She could no longer see. She was smothered in her hair. It covered her face and breast and body, collecting her, entangling her hands and arms—and still she fought. In the struggle McTaggart stumbled over the body of Baree, and they went down. Nepeese was up fully two seconds ahead of the man. She could have reached the door. But again it was her hair. She paused to fling back the thick mass of it so that she could see, and McTaggart was at the door ahead of her.

He did not lock it again, but stood facing her. His face was scratched and bleeding. He was no longer a man but a devil. Nepeese was broken, panting—a low sobbing came with her breath. She bent down and picked up a piece of firewood. McTaggart could see that her strength was almost gone.

She clutched the stick as he approached her again. But McTaggart had lost all thought of fear or caution. He sprang upon her



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like an animal. The stick of firewood fell. And again fate played against the girl. In her terror and hopelessness she had caught up the first stick her hand had touched—a light one. With her last strength she struck at McTaggart with it, and as it fell on his head, he staggered back. But it did not make him loose his hold.

Vainly she was fighting now, not to strike him or to escape, but to get her breath. She tried to cry out again, but this time no sound came from between her gasping lips.

Again he laughed, and as he laughed, he heard the door open. Was it the wind? He turned, still holding her in his arms.

In the open door stood Pierrot.

CHAPTER XXII

During that terrible space which followed an eternity of time rolled slowly through the little cabin on the Gray Loon—that eternity which lies somewhere between life and death and which to some class mated out to a human life in seconds instead of eons.

In those seconds Pierrot did not move from where he stood in the doorway. McTaggart, huddled over with the weight in his arms, and staring at Pierrot, did not move. But the Willow's eyes were opening. And a convulsive quiver ran through the body of Baree, where he lay near the wall. There was not the sound of a breath. And then, in that silence, a great gasping sob came from Nepeese.

Then Pierrot stirred to life. Like McTaggart, he had left his coat and mittens outside. He spoke, and his voice was not like Pierrot's. It was a strange voice.

"The great God has sent me back in time, m'sieu," he said. "I, too, travelled by way of the east, and now your trail where it turned this way."

No, that was not like Pierrot's voice! A chill ran through McTaggart now, and slowly he let go of Nepeese. She fell to the floor. Slowly he straightened.

The eyes of madness met the eyes of madness now. Between them was death. Both saw it. Both thought that they saw the direction in which the deep finger pointed. Both were certain. McTaggart's hand did not go to the pistol in his holster, and Pierrot did not touch the knife in his belt. When they came together, it was threat to threat—two beasts now, instead of one, for Pierrot had in him the fury and strength of the wolf, the cat, and the panther.

McTaggart was the bigger and heavier man, a giant in strength; yet if the face of Pierrot's fury he leaned back over the table and went down with a crash. Many times in his life he had fought, but he had never felt a grip at his throat like the grip of Pierrot's hands. They almost crushed the life from him at once. His neck snapped—a little more, and it would have broken. He struck out blindly from his back, and twisted himself to throw off the weight of the half-breed's body. But Pierrot was fastened there, as Nelsonoke the ermine had fastened itself at the jugular of the partridge, and Bush McTaggart's jaws slowly swung open, and his face began to turn from red to purple.

Cold air rushing through the door, Pierrot's voice and the sound of battle roused Nepeese quickly to consciousness and the power to raise herself from the floor. She had fallen near Baree, and as she lifted her head, her eyes rested for a moment on the dog before they went to the fighting men. Baree was alive! His body was twitching; his eyes were open; he made an effort to raise his head as she was looking at him.

Then she dragged herself to her knees and turned to the men, and Pierrot, even in the blood-red fury of his desire to kill, must have heard the sharp cry of joy that came from her when she saw that it was the Factor from Lac Bain who was underneath. With a tremendous effort she staggered to her feet, and for a few moments she stood swaying unsteadily as her brain and her body readjusted themselves. Even as she looked down upon the blackening face from which Pierrot's fingers were choking the life, Bush McTaggart's hand was groping blindly for his pistol. He found it. Unseen by Pierrot, he dragged it from its holster. It was one of the black devils of chance that favored him again, for in his excitement he had not snapped the safety shut after shooting Baree. Now he had only strength left to pull the trigger. Twice his forefinger closed. Twice there came deadened explosion close to Pierrot's body.

In Pierrot's face Nepeese saw what had happened. Her heart died in her breast as she looked upon the swift and terrible change wrought by sudden death. Slowly Pierrot straightened. His eyes were wide for a moment—wide and staring. He made no sound. She could not see his lips move. And then he fell toward her, so that McTaggart's body was free. Blindly and with an agony that gave no evidence in cry or word she flung herself down beside him. He was dead.

How long Nepeese lay there, how long she waited for Pierrot to move, to open his eyes, to breathe, she would never know. In that time McTaggart rose to his feet and stood leaning against the wall, the pistol in his hand, his brain clearing itself as he saw his final triumph. His work did not frighten him. Even in that tragic moment as he stood against the wall, his defense—if it ever came to a defense—framed itself in his mind. Pierrot had mysteriously assailed him—without cause. It self-defense he had killed him. Was he not the Factor of Lac Bain? Would not the Company and the law believe his word before that of this girl? His brain leaped with the old exultation. It would never come to that—to a betrayal of this struggle and death in the cabin—after he had finished with her! She would not be known for all time as La Belle Noir. No, they would bury Pierrot, and she would return to Lac Bain with him. If she had been helpless before, she was ten times more helpless now. She would never tell of what happened in the cabin.

He forgot the presence of death as he looked at her, bowed over her father so that her hair covered him like a silken shroud. He replaced the pistol in its holster and drew a deep breath into his lungs. He was still a little unsteady on his feet, but his face was again the face of a devil. He took a step, and it was then there came a sound to rouse the girl. In the shadow of the further wall Baree had struggled to his haunches, and now he growled.

Slowly Nepeese lifted her head. A power which she could not resist drew her eyes up until she was looking into the face of Bush McTaggart. She had almost lost consciousness of his presence; her senses were cold and darkened—it was as if her own heart had stopped beating along with Pierrot's.

(To be continued)

INSTALMENT TWENTY-ONE

Magnolia Co. Oil Men Hold Meet at Dallas

DALLAS, April 3.—More than 150 superintendents and lease men of the producing and pipe line departments of the Magnolia Petroleum company assembled here today for the two day session of the south central meeting of these departments. The men are from Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana, Kansas and Texas. Technical discussion of field problems and a round of entertainment comprises the program.

JURY VERDICT THROWN OUT

English Judge Delivers Reversed Judgment in Dunsmuir Case.

LONDON, April 3.—Justice Sir Henry McArdie delivered his reversed judgment in the Dunsmuir case today. He held that the alleged engagement for Mrs. Dunsmuir's support by her former husband after their divorce was void and could not be enforced in law. Therefore he ruled that Mrs. Dunsmuir's claim for damages for breach of contract had failed.

The judgment sets aside the verdict of the jury last month awarding Mrs. Dunsmuir 5,000 pounds sterling or nearly $25,000 for the alleged breach of contract.

The Record News want ads will give the desired results.

Cook to Leave for Leavenworth Pen

DALLAS, April 3.—Frederick A. Cook will leave Fort Worth Sunday afternoon for Leavenworth, Kansas, to serve a sentence of 13 years and 5 months in the federal prison, Sam Gross, United States Marshal here said today. Mr. Gross will accompany the former Arctic explorer and oil man, he said, but refused to say on which train they will leave.

One year and four months spent in the Tarrant county jail has been deducted from the 14 years and 9 months sentence imposed on Dr. Cook by Judge James C. Wilson.

ASS'T. ATTORNEY APPOINTED

Dallas Man Assumes Office as Federal District Attorney.

DALLAS, April 3.—Randolph Caldwell, 31,, became assistant federal district attorney here today, following his appointment by Henry Zweifel, Thursday.

Mr. Caldwell and Mrs. Sarah C. Menezes, who was appointed several days ago, fill vacancies caused by the resignation of Arthur J. Reinhart and Webster Atwell.

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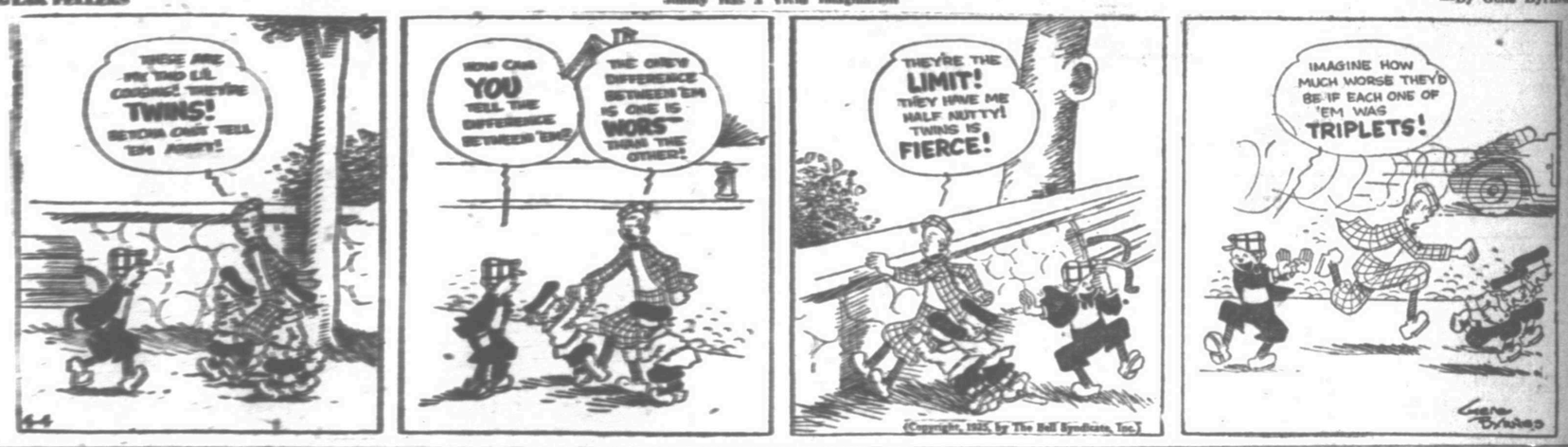


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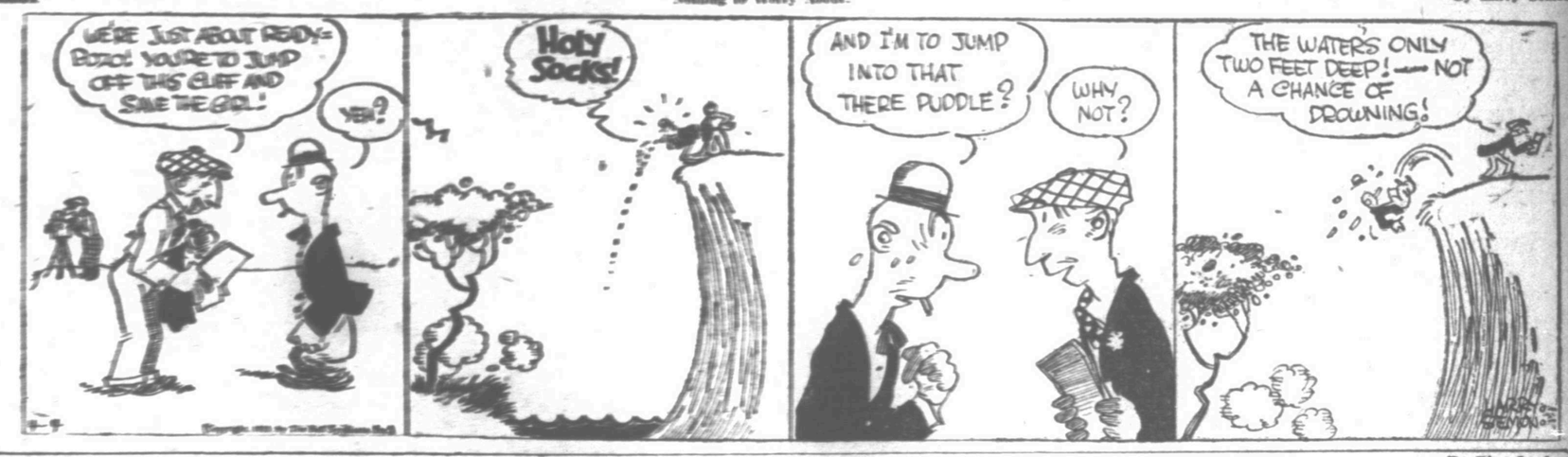


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HOUSE FOR SALE—Cheap four room house on corner lot, walking distance of business district. Terms of $20 down, $20 per month. Apply 1408 Third street.

REAL ESTATE

$2,750 IS THE price of a good five-room house on a corner lot, close to Junior college. If you will spend a little money on this, you can make $1,000 on your investment. Good terms. J. F. Friberg, 808 1-2 Ohio avenue. Phone 9059.

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If you want to sell your property, call us and we will be glad to make an inspection of your property and discuss the price and terms with you.

To represent your interests, your agent should be thoroughly acquainted with your property. Promiscuous offering of property lessens its desirability.

We have the buyers.

W. S. Curlee, Realtor
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NEW six-room modern home on a corner lot in Floral Heights; garage, drive and walks, $4,200, small payment, balance monthly. J. F. Friberg, 808 1-2 Ohio avenue. Phone 9059.

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of one of the nicest homes in town. Nice 6-room brick, solid hardwood floors, beautiful mantel, light fixtures, nice breakfast room, all built-in features, extra large closets; garage and driveway; located on pavement on one of the most popular streets in the city. Balance can be paid like rent and immediate possession given.

Four-room house, full size lot, located on Kemp boulevard, near the Junior college, $1,750; 250 cash, balance small monthly payments.

Louis A. Robinson

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NEW duplex and 5-room house on pavement and near car line. Good terms. Call Gordon Harris. Phone 8626.

LODGE DIRECTORY

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M., 813½ Scott avenue. Stated Convocation second and fourths Wednesday nights of each month. Visiting companions cordially invited to attend. Jas. E. Buchman, H. P., G. W. Curd, acting secretary.
Will confer the Past Master and Most Excellent Master degrees Wednesday evening, April 1, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Faith Chapter, No. 713 O. E. S.—Meets Second and Fourth Thursday evenings in each month, 7:30 p. m., 813 Scott. MRS. PEARL VEROS, W. M., 1207 Polk street, phone 4830. LILLIE MAE EDMONDS, Secretary, 2504 Tenth, phone 7673. Faith Study Club will meet every first and third Thursday of each month.

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
Ed. Dunnenberg, T. I. M.
W. J. Webb, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Stated conclave first and third Thursdays of each month.
R. H. NOLEN, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Work in the Illustrious Order of Red Cross and the Order of Malta beginning at 5:00 p. m. Supper at 6:30 p. m.
Work in the Order of the Temple, Thursday, April 2nd, beginning at 5 p. m. Supper at 6:30 p. m. All Knights are urged to be present.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 695, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
W. M. LYLE, W. M.
W. J. Webb, Sec'y.

Instruction in the E. A. Monday and Tuesday, March 30th and 31st, 7 p. m.
Work in the E. A. degree Wednesday, April 1st, 6:30 p. m., also examination in the several degrees.
Instruction in the F. C. Friday, April 3rd, 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Council No. 1473 K. of C.—Meets every first and third Mondays at 8 p. m., 1509 9th St.
T. K. WALSH, G. K.
212-14 Morgan Bldg.
John J. Block, F. S.
2113 Grant.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.
W. K. NILES, H. P.

Work in the Royal Arch degree Monday, March 30th, 7:30 p. m.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Stated meeting the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Visitors cordially invited to attend. 813 Scott street.
Instruction of E. A. candidates each Monday evening. Call secretary in regard to other instruction.
THOS. K. WYNN, W. M.
G. W. CURD, Sec'y.
Musical masters, joint meeting with Wichita Falls Lodge No. 695, Masonic temple, Friday evening March 27, 8 o'clock.
Stated meeting and examinations Tuesday, April 7, 8 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 557 of the Eastern Star meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MARGARET BRADLEY, Ehous 5766. W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ, McGLINN, Sec'y. Phone 2629.
Wichita Falls Assembly No. 17, Order of the Rainbow for girls, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chapter No. 557, meets second and fourth Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Masonic Temple. Miss Mary Louise Cox, worthy advisor; Miss Mary C. Meredith, secretary.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Monday each month at Faith Lodge rooms in Chenault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
W. W. GARDNER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 B. P. O. E. meets first and third Monday at corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
O. K. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. G. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001 — Regular meeting first and third Wednesday nights, Labor Temple.
R. C. Carr, Consul Commander.
R. J. CLAYPOOL, Clerk.
Office 2337. Res. 6471. 712 7th.

REAL ESTATE

Owner's Loss Your Gain

Owner says sell her five-room bungalow, "FOUR ROOMS BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED" for $4,750. We have just inspected this place and we are convinced that it is well worth the money. Can be had on very easy terms. This is an EXCLUSIVE listing. Call us. We will be glad to show you.

BRAND NEW FIVE-ROOM bungalow, ready to move in, on east front lot for $5,000. THIS HOME CAN'T BE DUPLICATED for less than $5,750. If you are looking for a NEW HOME, be sure and see this one. Small cash payment, balance like rent.

FORCED TO SELL

In the next few days, dandy five-room cottage on McGregor street, all modern, house NEW, on full size south front lot for $3,500. This place is going to sell and it is worth the money. Good terms.

HOMESEEKERS ATTENTION!

We have several choice home bargains. Call us and we will prove to you that we have.

Marchman & Weaver
Real Estate, Loans and Investments.
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WANTED—REAL ESTATE

HAVE MODERN 5-ROOM HOME VALUED AT $5,000

Located corner lot, 55x180 feet, in East Dallas residence section, to trade for well improved or unimproved property around Wichita Falls or new five or six-room house in Wichita Falls. J. L. McElreath. Phone 9029.

REAL ESTATE TO TRADE

WANT TO TRADE FOR AUTO

Four residence lots, Iowa Park, to trade for auto. Lots clear of debt. What have you?

WM. BALDRIDGE
Morgan Building

APARTMENT HOUSE FOR TRADE

18 rooms, well built, close in; good condition repair; now leased for $120 month; will trade.

WM. BALDRIDGE
Morgan Building

OIL WELL SUPPLIES

Electric Pump Motors
and turbine generators rewound and repaired. Satisfaction guaranteed Phone 4758 for estimates.
Texas Electric Co.
809 Tenth St.

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 342
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, STATE OF TEXAS.
Jno. M. Scott, Commissioner of Insurance.
Austin, Texas, March 10, 1925.
To all Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the Midland Casualty Company of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has in all respects fully complied with the laws of Texas as conditions precedent to its doing business in this state, and I have issued to said company a certificate of authority from this office entitling it to do business in this state for the year ending the 28th day of February, 1926.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Austin, Texas, the date first above written.

JNO. M. SCOTT, Commissioner.

Former Texas Bank Official Shoots Self

LONG BEACH, Calif., April 3.—Despondent because of illness, Charles B. Mullaly, capitalist and former president of the Merchants Exchange of San Antonio, Texas, ended his life by shooting here last night.

Mullaly was 65 years old and had been prominently identified with business and civic development here for 20 years. He is survived by a son, Carter B. Mullaly and a daughter, Mrs. Helen Kjergard.

BIG FIRE IN HOLLAND.

Half of Business Block in Texas City Is Destroyed in Blaze.

HOLLAND, Texas, April 3.—Fire ravaged half a block of the main business section of Holland early this morning. Four stores were burned to the ground, the total loss being approximately $35,000, with estimated insurance of $35,000.

The business houses destroyed were the Holland Drug company, with stock of $10,000; Holland Bargain store, stock $28,000; a two-story building used for storing farm implements and a vacant store building remodelled for occupancy by the Mew-Hirney Mercantile company, owners of the latter three buildings. The other building was owned by the First National bank.

FAVORS UNIFICATION

New England Conference Votes in Favor of Proposal

BROOKLINE, Mass., April 3.—By a vote of 123 to 2 the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church today favored adoption of the plan of the general conference for unification of the Methodist Episcopal churches north and south.

FOREST FIRES STILL BURN.

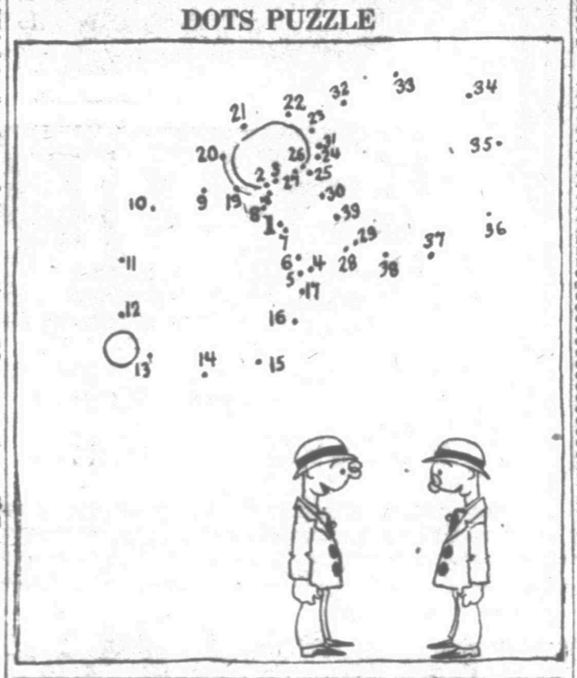
Thousands of Trees Are Disappearing Beneath Flames.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 3.—Thousands of young trees were disappearing early today beneath the flames of forest fires which were sweeping the mountains of western North Carolina, in the vicinity of Asheville.



"Some people," says Observing Olivia, "are like cross-word puzzles—nothing to them but words."

DOTS PUZZLE



CENT SALES AID HARVARD.

Inherits Penny-in-Slot Machines of Artemus Ward.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Under the will of the late Artemus Ward, filed yesterday, Harvard university will profit by every cent dropped into the chocolate and gum penny-in-the-slot machines and into the weighing machines in the subway and elevated stations and will receive income from newsstands in the stations and the advertising signs in the cars.

After giving his son, Artemus Ward Jr., $1,000,000 in trust and making other bequests, Mr. Ward left the residue of his estate to Harvard university. The main portion of the residue is the business of Artemus Ward, Inc., which controls the Interborough subway advertising, news stands and merchandising privileges. Harvard also becomes the virtual owner of the Ideal Chocolate Corporation and the Listerated Gum corporation, both of whose products are marketed largely in the subway penny-in-the-slot machines.

COOK HAS $11,851 A MONTH.

Tells of Income After Husband Leaps From Sixth Story Window.

CINCINNATI, April 3.—After Martin Erickson had jumped from a sixth story window to the sidewalk here last night, his wife, Minnie Erickson, told police she was working as a cook here only for the purpose of hiding from her husband, whom she left in Chicago. Her income from an apartment building in Washington was $11,815 a month, she said.

Mrs. Erickson said she came to Cincinnati to bring separation proceedings because she and her husband had trouble over her 17-year-old son and could not get along. Erickson arrived yesterday and sought an interview with her.

FIGHT COMPULSORY CHAPEL.

Princeton Students Petition School to Abolish Sunday Service.

PRINCETON, April 3.—A petition requesting Princeton university to abolish compulsory Sunday chapel was sent to President Hibben tonight signed by 1,050 out of 2,079 in the undergraduate body.

The petition was 35 feet long, and explained that the stand was taken "because we feel college men are of an age to choose their own manner of worship and that the antipathy aroused by forcing men to church defeats its own end of implanting a true religious spirit."

HOG RECEIPTS TO BE LIGHT

Livestock Exchange Official Predicts Few Sales For Two Months

CHICAGO, April 3.—Everett C. Brown, president of the Chicago Livestock Exchange, said today that it was expected hog receipts for the next two months would be the lightest of the year.

"There are not enough hogs now coming in for actual fresh meat requirements," Mr. Brown said

MISS GISH PUZZLES COURT.

Film Star Sketches to Soothe Nerves in Trial Over Contract.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Versatility is indulged in by Miss Lillian Gish off the screen as well as on it.

She had a court room full of inquisitive persons guessing yesterday when she nibbled a carrot under the nose of Federal Judge Mack. Today she had the spectators craning their necks as she made some sketches.

"Oh, I'm awfully nervous," the star explained when she was asked if she was going in for the grander art.

Max D. Steuer, Miss Gish's counsel, resumed his cross-examination of George Newgass, attorney, of 350 Madison avenue, who represented her when she signed a contract with "Inspiration Pictures," which Charles H. Duell, who purchased the contract, now is seeking to make her keep.

TWO FRENCH PRIESTS FINED.

Convicted of Inciting Resistance to Government's Religious Policy.

PERPIGNAN, France, April 3.—Father Ferdinand Izard and Father Jules Puy were fined 300 francs each and given suspended sentences yesterday by the correctional court here on charges of inciting resistance to execution of the law and using words likely to cause breach of the peace in speeches against the government's religious policy.

The court was crowded for the trial. The speeches of the district attorney and defense counsel caused uproars, and the judge had the court room cleared several times. The priests were cheered when they emerged from the court.

SHIP TO HARVEST BROMINE.

The Ethyl of New York Seeks Chemical in Sea Water.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The steamship Ethyl, equipped as a chemical plant and bound for no port or place in particular, will try to overcome the world shortage of bromine in a way that may revolutionize that particular phase of science, it was announced here today.

Experts estimate 1,700 gallons of sea water contain one bound of bromine. The steamship is fitted with pumps that will draw about 7,000 gallons of water a minute, and, if the experts are correct, it will produce 100,000 pounds of bromine a month.

ADMITS BRANDING BROTHER.

Woman Says She Burned Holes in His Body as Rite of Their Cult.

AROVILLE, Cal., April 3.—District Attorney Rothe announced today he had obtained a confession from Mrs. Edward Rhodes, sister of Herman H. Sharlow, cult-branding victim, that she burned holes into her brother's body with a red hot poker. She said it was the carrying out of the rite of their religious cult and that Sharlow was willing.

A grand jury is to be called to investigate rumors of others being maimed at religious rites.

MARKETS

N. Y. Stocks

NEW YORK, April 3. — Stock prices fluctuated within narrow and irregular limits during the greater part of today's trading, but drifted lower towards the close in sympathy with another sharp reaction in grain prices. Trading was unusually light, total sales falling below the million share mark for the first full session since election day. This breaks a string of 112 consecutive million share five-hour sessions.

Except for the further break in grain prices, there was little in the day's news to affect quoted values. Reports that the French cabinet was contemplating a capital levy apparently were ignored. Raising of the Allis Chalmers dividend from $4 to $6 annually was followed by the traditional "selling on the good news." The stock dropped from 81 to 78¾, and then rallied a point from the low closing at a net loss of a quarter.

The oils displayed a strong tone in the early trading with buying apparently influenced by the reduction in the crude oil output and the quashing of indictments in the western oil land lease cases, but they did not maintain their gains.

Atlantic Refining and California Petroleum preferred each closed more than 3 points higher, but several others, including Pacific and Houston, showed moderate declines.

Coppers, which have been reactionary recently as a result of lower commodity prices, also showed an improved tone. Anaconda and Cerro de Pasco each showed net gains of about a point, and most of the others improved fractionally.

Denial of reports that General Motors was negotiating for Mack Truck caused the latter stock to drop from 138½ to 135¼, rallying later to 136⅝ for a net loss of 1⅝. Stromberg Carburetor fell back nearly 4 points to 62 on a few sales.

Nash touched another record top at 312½ and then fell back to 303 for a net loss of 4 points.

Call money renewed at 3¾ per cent and then dropped to 3½, the easier tendency being attributed to the recent reduction in brokers' loans. Time money and commercial paper rates held steady.

Erratic fluctuations of French francs, due to political causes, featured today's irregular foreign exhange market. Opening franc quotations here were about 8 points lower, around 5.11 cents, but a recovery carried them back to 5.16. Demand sterling ruled about ½c higher just under $4.78. Other European currencies moved within narrow limits.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
All Chem and Dye	24	83¼	82¼	83
Allis Chalmers	144	81	78⅝	79⅝
Am Bosch Mag	24	30⅝	27½	30⅛
American Can	297	163¼	160⅝	162
Am Locomo	21	12¼	12½	12½
Am Sm and Ref	24	94¼	93⅝	93⅛
American Sugar	81	67⅝	65¼	66
Am Tel and Tel	11	133½	113¼	113¼
Am Tobacco	9	88⅝	88½	88½
Am Woolen	47	37	36½	37
Anaconda Cop	66	38¼	37¼	38
A T and S F	11	118½	118	118
Atl Bir and Atl	4	5½	5⅝	5⅝
Atl Coast Line	2	150	150	150
Baldwin Locomo	277	114½	111⅝	112¾
Balt and Ohio	29	74¼	73½	73½
Bethlehem Steel	17	40½	40½	40½
Calif Petrol	24	28⅞	28¼	28¼
Central Leath pfd	128	58¼	54⅝	57
Cerro de Pasco	35	45¼	44	45
Chandler Motor	66	35⅝	34⅝	35½
Ches and Ohio	13	91	90½	90½
C M and St P pfd	6	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Chicago and N W	28	55¼	53½	53⅝
C R I and P	32	42⅛	41⅝	42¼
Chile Copper	29	32⅛	31½	32
Coca Cola	2	91⅜	91⅜	91⅝
Consol Gas	33	76⅝	75½	76¼
Consol Textile	10	3	2⅞	3
Continen Can	8	62⅛	62⅛	62⅛
Corn Products	19	38⅝	37⅝	38⅛
Cosden Oil	18	28⅝	27⅝	28
Crucible Steel	21	66⅛	66⅛	66
Cu Cane Sug pfd	5	58¼	58	58
Davison Chem	33	33⅝	33	33
Dupont de Nem	2	140	140	140
Erie	6	29	28⅝	28⅝
Fam Play-Lasky	26	94⅝	93⅛	93⅜
Gen Asphalt	45	46⅝	45	45
Gen Electric	24	260	257	257
Gen Motors	40	70½	69½	70
Gt North pfd	26	63	61½	62
Gulf Sta Steel	11	71	70¼	70¾
Houston Oil	12	62⅛	62	62
Int Harvester	7	103½	103	103
Int Mer Mar pfd	2	41	40½	40½
Inter Nickel	69	27⅜	26⅝	27⅛
Kelly Spring Tire	21	15½	15	15⅜
Kennecott Cop	26	48⅝	47⅞	48⅛
Louis and Nash	5	168	167½	168
Mack Truck	240	138½	135¼	136⅝
Marland Oil	146	36⅝	35½	36
Max Motor "B"	46	13½	13	13
M K and T	22	39¼	39¼	39⅛
Mo Pacific pfd	3	74⅝	73¾	73⅞
Montgom Ward	35	46	44½	44⅝
N Y Central	36	1	113⅛	114
N Y N H and H	37	30⅜	30	30
Nor and Western	5	126	125⅝	125⅝
North Pacific	22	61⅛	61	61
Pacific Oil	134	56⅛	55½	55⅝
Pan-Am Pet "B"	304	76⅝	74⅝	75⅛
Pennsylvania	17	45¼	45	45¼
Pa and Rd C-I	37	41	39⅛	39⅛
Phillips Pet	33	38⅛	37½	37⅝
Pure Oil	17	27	26⅝	26⅝
Radio Corp	276	53⅜	50⅝	52⅜
Reading	5	72	71½	71⅝
Rep I and Steel	5	46½	45⅝	45⅝
Reyn Tob "B"	3	74½	74	74
St L and S F	52	64⅛	63¼	64
St L S W	5	45⅝	44⅛	44⅞
Seab Air Line	16	22¼	21½	22
Seab Air L pfd	1	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Sears Roebuck	3	132½	132	132½
Shell Union Oil	37	24¼	23⅝	24
Simms Petrol	23	22⅛	21⅝	21⅝
Sinclair Con Oil	154	20¼	19	19½
Southern Pac	37	100½	100¼	100⅜
Southern Ry	16	84⅞	83½	84
Stand Oil Cal	45	60½	59¼	59½
Stand Oil N J	88	42	41⅛	41⅝
Stewart Warner	14	60¼	59	60
Studebak Corp	45	43⅝	43¼	43½
Texas Co	38	44½	43⅝	44⅛
Tex Gulf Sulphur	44	102½	101⅝	101½
Trans and F	50	40¼	40¼	40½
T-P C and Oil	58	14¼	13⅝	13⅝
Tobacco Prod	18	73⅝	73	73¼
Transcon Oil	28	4⅛	4	4⅛
Union Pacific	33	139½	138⅛	139
U S Cast I Pipe	38	168	164	166
U S Ind Alcohol	38	82½	81¼	81½
U. S. Rubber	44	37½	36½	36½
U S Steel	400	114⅝	113¼	114¼
Westinghouse El	26	67⅜	66½	66½
Willys Overland	42	12⅝	12¼	12⅜
Woolworth Co	35	118⅝	117¼	118⅛
Worth Pump	15	48	46⅝	47

Financial

UNITED STATES BONDS

NEW YORK, April 3.—United States bonds: Liberty, 3½'s, $101.12; first 4¼'s, $101.29; second 4¼'s, $101.04; third 4¼'s, $101.21; fourth 4¼'s, $102.02; government 4¼'s, $104.27; treasury 4's, $100.22.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 3. — Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand, 4.77⅞; cables, 4.78⅛; 60-day bills on banks, 4.74. France demand, 5.16; cables, 5.16⅛; Italy, 4.10 and 4.10⅛; Belgium demand, 5.07½; Germany, 23.80; Holland, 39.85; Norway, 15.89; Sweden, 26.93; Denmark, 18.35; Switzerland, 19.28; Spain, 14.22; Greece, 1.60; Polynd, 19¼; Czecho-Slovakia, 2.96½; Jugo-Slavia, 1.61; Austria, .0014¼; Rumania, .47; Argentina, 38.37; Brazil, 10.87; Tokio, 41½; Shanghai, 74⅝; Montreal, 99 15-16.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, April 3.—Call money, easier; high, 3¾; low, 3½; ruling rate, 3¾; closing bid, 3½; offered at 3¾; last loan, 3½; call loans against acceptances, 3. Time loans, steady: 60-90 days, 4@4¼; 4-6 months, 4¼; prime commercial paper, 4.

DUN'S REVIEW

NEW YORK, April 3.—Dun's tomorrow will say:

The abatement or unsettlement in the stock market, after further depression early this week, has given the general situation a better aspect. Speculative excesses are always more or less detrimental to business for reaction is inevitable when a rise of prices has been carried too far and if the re-adjustment is severe, it tends to affect sentiment. The soundness of basic conditions now is reassuring, but many people had become over-sanguine regarding trade prospects and their expectations of rapid progress have not been fulfilled. There has never been a recession of activity in various commodities as in iron and steel, copper and other metals, textiles and leather and others. This trend is reflected in Dun's index number of wholesale quotations for April 1, which shows a reduction of 3.7 per cent and is at the lowest point in five months. As usual buyers are less inclined to operate while prices are easing, the possibility of further concessions.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—Cotton futures closed barely steady at net decline of 20 to 40 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
May	24.04	24.13	24.24-25	24.62
July	24.93	24.44	24.49-51	24.87
Oct.	24.15	23.77	23.84-85	24.04
Dec.	24.20	23.62	23.88-91	24.08
Jan.	24.10	24.10	23.84	24.03

Openings: May, 24.55; July, 24.79; October, 23.97; December, 23.99 bid; January, 23.94 bid.

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—The cotton market after drifting somewhat aimlessly during the morning during which prices after a 10 point decline, rallied on expectations of large mill takings for the week to 24.93 for July and 24.15 for October, to a level 0 to 10 points above yesterday's close, became fairly active during the afternoon. The activity was due to free selling in sympathy with the drop in wheat and because of the unfavorable French financial and political news. Near months showed the most weakness, July declining to 24.44 or 49 points from the high. The close was a little above the lowest showing net losses for the day of 38 to 40 points on old crop months and 20 on new crop positions.

The easing off at the start was due rather to lack of support and the expectation of a few overnight selling orders than to any real weakness as the weather map showed no western rain and rain prospects were doubtful. There was a gradual improvement towards the middle of the morning on expected large mill takings but Secretary Hester's early pointer of 238,000 to 248,000 was disappointing and most of the early gain was lost, only to be promptly regained when it was announced owing to a plus error of 100,000 bales the pointer should be increased that much.

DALLAS SPOT COTTON

DALLAS, April 3. — Spots steady, 35 points lower; sales, 634 bales. Middling fair, 25.25; strict good middling, 25.10; good middling, 24.98; strict middling, 24.73; middling, 24.30; strict low middling, 23.73; low middling, 22.75; strict good ordinary, 21.60; good ordinary, 20.35.

HESTER'S WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT

Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks:

	(In 1000) Bales
In sight for week	133
" " same 7 days last year	69
" " same 7 days year before	69
" " for the month	37
" " same date last year	21
" " same date year before	5
" " for season	13,487
" " same date last year	9,977
" " same date year before	9,926
Port receipts for season	8,760
" " same date last year	6,160
" " same date year before	5,407
Overland to Mills and Canada for season	1,120
" " same date last year	779
" " same date year before	1,113
Southern mill takings for season	3,102
" " same date last year	2,782
" " same date year before	3,187
Interior stocks in excess of Aug. 1	505
" " last year	236
" " year before	219
Foreign exports for week	183
" " same 7 days last year	76
" " same 7 days year before	93
" " for season	6,917
" " same date last year	4,586
" " same date year before	3,900
Northern spinners' takings and Canada for week	48
" " same 7 days last year	42
" " for season	1,802
" " to same date last year	1,486
Statement of spinners' takings of American cotton throughout the world:	
This week	342
Same 7 days last year	214
Same 7 days year before	189
Total since August 1	10,910
Same date last year	8,604
Same date year before	9,785
Statement of world's visible supply:	
Total visible this week	5,010
" " last week	5,230
" " same date last year	3,870
" " same date year before	3,910
Of this the total American this week	3,504
" " " " last week	3,708
" " " " last year	2,121
" " " " year before	2,032
All other kinds this week	1,506
" " " " last week	1,522
" " " " last year	1,749
" " " " year before	1,867
Visible in U. S. this week	1,611
" this date last year	1,073
Visible in other countries this week	3,399
" this date last year	2,797

Livestock

FORT WORTH, April 3. — Strength characterized the cattle market again Friday, most classes selling on a strong to 25c higher basis. Receipts were below trade demands, and everything went over the scales early in the afternoon. Receipts were around 2,000 head of cattle and 250 calves.

Beef steer prices were stronger, but there was no real advance. The best load here sold at $8.15 and a good many consignments were disposed of at a spread of $7.00 to $7.75. Since Monday practically all of the decline has been regained.

Very active market conditions prevailed in the butcher stock division, cows and yearlings being strong to 25 cents higher, cows being around 25 to 35 cents up for the two days, and about that much better than at last week's close. Yearlings in carlots sold up to $10.25, the highest price in recent years. Bulls remained unchanged, small lots clearing around $4.00 to $4.50, with some individuals at $5.00 to $5.25.

Cattle: Receipts, 2,250, including 250 calves; market strong to 25 cents higher. Beeves, $3.50@9.50; stockers, $3.50@8.00; fat cows, $3.50@6.25; cutters, $2.25@2.75; canners, $1.75@2.00; heifers, $3.50@8.00; yearlings, $3.50@10.25; bulls, $3.00@5.25; calves, $3.00@9.50.

Hogs: Receipts, 1,000; market 25 cents higher. Top, $13.25; bulk, $12.50@13.00; best medium weight, $13.00@13.25; good mixed, $12.75@13.00; good light, $12.50@12.75; fair mixed, $12.50@12.50; fair light, $11.75@12.25; common, $8.00@10.00; packing sows, $12.00@12.25; pigs, $8.00@11.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 400; market steady. Lambs, $12.00@13.50; feeders, $10.00@11.00; yearlings, $10.00@10.50; wethers, $7.50@9.00; ewes, $7.00@8.50; culls, $1.50@3.00; stockers, $3.00@5.00; goats, $1.50@3.00.

Produce

AUSTIN, April 3.—There was improvement in the market tone for both spinach and cabbage today and the limited offerings of onions also found a good market, according to Texas radio market news service. Shipments were moderate and clearances at all gateways light. Spinach markets follow:

Kansas City, 2 Texas arrived, 3 track; firm, 80 to 85c.

Chicago, 4 Texas arrived, 21 track; steady, 85c to $1.00.

St. Louis, 1 Texas arrived, 7 track; steady, 60 to 75c.

Cincinnati, 3 Texas arrived, 7 track; weaker, best, $1.00.

Cleveland, 1 Texas arrived, 6 track; stronger, 85c to $1.10.

Detroit, 1 Texas arrived, 3 track; firm, $1.00 to $1.10.

Denver, no arrivals, 3 track; steady, unchanged.

Philadelphia, no Texas, 7 other arrivals, 1 track; stronger, 50c.

Pittsburgh, no arrivals, 3 track; dull, mostly $1.00.

Minneapolis, no arrivals, 2 track; stronger, 80 to 90c.

The cabbage markets reported as follows:

Kansas City, no arrivals, 3 track; dull, mostly $2.00 cwt.

Chicago, 2 Texas, 1 other arrival, 14 track; firm, $2.50 to $2.75.

St. Louis, 7 Texas, 20 track; dull, $40 ton.

Cincinnati, 4 Texas, 1 other arrival, 7 track; steady, $55 to $60 a ton.

Denver, no arrivals, 2 track; steady, unchanged.

Pittsburgh, 6 Texas arrivals; dull, carlots, $40 to $44 ton.

Memphis, 1 Texas, 1 other arrival, 1 track; steady, unchanged.

Onion markets follow:

Kansas City, no arrivals, or track supplies; unchanged.

Chicago, 1 Texas, 1 other arrival, 10 track; steady, yellows $3.00.

Cincinnati, 3 Texas arrived, 3 track; steady, yellows $3.00 to $3.25.

Pittsburgh, no Texas, 6 other arrivals; steady, yellows mostly $3.75.

Dallas, no arrivals or track supplies; steady, yellows $3.00 to $3.50.

AUSTIN, April 3.—Egg receipts, New York, 43,753; Chicago, 38,806; Boston, 11,183; Philadelphia, 9,111. Storage movement showed a net gain to stocks of 53,217 cases, making stocks on hand this morning, New York 171,011 cases; Chicago, 144,161 cases; Boston, 35,754 cases, and Philadelphia, 29,544 cases.

Dressed poultry receipts, New York, 254,971 pounds; Chicago, 27,698 pounds; Boston, 146,701 pounds, and Philadelphia, 49,577 pounds. Storage movement a net withdrawal from the coolers for the four markets of 691,506 pounds which left stocks on hand this morning: New York, 25,851,752 pounds; Chicago, 35,155,315 pounds; Boston, 10,381,400 pounds.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	$1.42½	$1.45	$1.36⅛	$1.38¼
July	1.32⅝	1.34	1.27⅝	1.29
Sept.	1.25⅛	1.27⅛	1.23	1.23½
CORN—				
May	.98⅝	.99¼	.92	.92¼
July	1.01⅞	1.03⅛	.97¼	.95½
Sept.	1.02⅝	1.04⅝	.97¼	.97½
OATS—				
May	.36	.39½	.35⅝	.36⅜
July	.41	.41⅞	.37¼	.38⅝
Sept.	.42	.43	.39½	.39⅝
RYE—				
May	1.14	1.16⅛	1.06⅛	1.07
July	1.05	1.07⅝	.99⅝	1.00
Sept.	.95⅛	.96½	.91½	.91⅝
LARD—				
May	16.00	16.25	15.85	15.85
July	16.25	16.55	16.12	16.15
RIBS—				
May	17.10	17.15	17.10	17.12
July	17.20	17.40	17.20	17.20
BELLIES—				
May	19.75	19.75	19.75	19.75
July	19.75	19.75	19.50	19.50

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN

FORT WORTH, April 3.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group 3 or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth Grain and Cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 export $1.48@1.49; No. 1 dark hard, $1.58@1.62; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.56@1.60; No. 1 red, $1.62@1.65; No. 1, 75 per cent red, $1.60@1.63.

Corn: No. 2 white, $1.09@1.12; No. 3 white, $1.07@1.10; No. 2 mixed, $1.05@1.07; No. 3 mixed, $1.03@1.05.

Oats: No. 2 red, 62@64c; No. 3 red, 61@63c; No. 3 white, 57½@54c.

Snapped corn, $1.15@1.25.

No. 3 barley, 84@85c.

No. 3 milo, $1.93@1.96.

No. 3 kaffir, $1.82@1.85.

Maize heads, $32.00@34.00.

Kafir heads, $28.00@30.00.

HAY

AUSTIN, April 3.—Hay markets are still depressed with too generous receipts and the weakness caused by a larger farm holding than for some time past. Most hays are barely steady with alfalfa distinctly easier.

No. 1 alfalfa, Kansas City, $17.75; Omaha, $15.50; Atlanta, $33.

No. 1 prairie, Kansas City, $10.50; Omaha, $10.50; Chicago, $15; St. Louis, $16.50; Minneapolis, $15.

No. 1 timothy, Boston, $25.50; New York, $25; Pittsburgh, $20; Cincinnati, $18.50; St. Louis, $22; Kansas City, $15.50; Atlanta, $24.50.



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WALL STREET BRIEFS

NEW YORK, April 3.—Trading on the New York stock exchange today fell below a million shares for the first time since the boom market started after the election last November. For 112 consecutive full session between November 3 1924 and April 2, 1925, sales had exceeded the million share mark and there were 30 days on which transactions went over two million shares. On five Saturdays of two hour sessions during that period, sales also had been more than one million shares.

C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central, expects the railroads in the middle west to carry at least as much business in 1925 as they did the year before.

"The railroad outlook is not darkened by lower car loadings," he said. "It is better to have light fluctuations from time to time than to have a period of climbing totals and then long periods of decreased loadings. Nothing has occurred since election to do other than improve the position of the railroads very considerably.

The New York Federal Reserve bank today announced another shipment of $2,500,000 in gold to Germany for the account of the Reichs bank a total of $17,500,000 forwarded thus far on the movement.

The 1925 budge of the Atchison, Topeca and Santa Fe remainse unchanged and unless revenues fail to meet expectations the road will finance this year's capital expenditures out of earnings and cash on hand without resorting to financing, W. B. Story, president said on his return from the Pacific coast. Earnings so far this year have shown improvement and Mr. Storey said he saw no reason why it should not continue the rest of the year.

The financial district heard today that there was only slight possibility of the increase of the dividend "A" stock of the Missouri Kansas-Texas when the directors meet in June, when it had been expected a $7 annual basis might have been authorized. The poor crop outlook in the road's territory was said to have been under consideration by the directors.

Bradstreet's compilation of commercial failures in the United States for the week ending April 2 placed the total at 352 a decrease of 45 under the previous week, and 41 less than the corresponding week last year.

WOOL

BOSTON, April 3. — The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say:

A dull market, almost featureless, has ruled in wool this past week. Some think that there has been a little more interest on the part of the mills, but if so it has been insufficient to stabilize the situation. Prices are slightly easier for the week and largely nominal.

The foreign markets show a fully firmer or slightly stronger trend on fine wools, while cross breeds are inclined to ease slightly.

Mohair is rather slow. Quotations:

Scoured basis, Texas fine 12 months (selected), $1.45@1.50; fine 8 months, $1.25. Mohair, best combing, 80@85c; best carding, 70@75c.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Domestic wool markets turned easier today due to the light demand from manufacturers and continued depressing influences of declining wool prices abroad. Raw silk was unchanged. Printers bought a few wide constructions of print cloth for April delivery and prices steadied ⅛c a yard. Sheetings and convertibles were little affected.

Burlaps were unchanged. Silks and novelty wash fabrics led in the demand for textiles.

Producer Claims He Was Afraid on Stand

NEW YORK, April 3.—Under perjury charges as a result of testimony which he gave in his suit to compel Lillian Gish to make pictures solely for his company and also facing disbarment proceedings, Charles H. Duell has issued a statement terming himself "the world's worst witness" and reiterating that he and Miss Gish had been engaged.

Although a lawyer himself, Duell said that he was "utterly paralyzed and benumbed" while on the witness stand. It was while he was under cross examination that Federal Judge Mack dismissed the suit, ordered Duell held for perjury and announced disbarment proceedings would be instituted.

KILLINGS AT CHICAGO.

Forty-eight Murders Are Chalked Up in First 3 Months of 1925.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Killings in Chicago during the first three months of 1925 set a record for the city with more murders in March than in any other month in the city's history, police reports say, except during the 1919 race riots.

During the first quarter there were 48 murders, 32 cases of manslaughter and 28 "justifiable and excusable homicides," in addition 155 deaths in motor accidents. Classification of the "justifiable deaths" is based on coroner's jury verdicts.

FEW AD MEN TO COME

Only Twenty Englishmen Have Signed Up for Trip to Houston

LONDON, April 3.—Only 20 British advertising men signed up for the trip to the United States late in April to attend the annual convention of the Associated Advertising clubs of the world at Houston, Texas.

There has been a great deal of drum beating and trumpet blowing in an effort to stir more British publicity people to repay the visit that 2,000 American advertising men made to London last year, but local advertising club officials say that it is doubtful whether more than 25 will embark.

REVOLT IN S. AFRICA.

Government Called Upon to Deal With Uprising Among Half Castes.

CAPE TOWN, South Africa, April 3.—The South African government has suddenly been called upon to deal with a revolt in the mandated territory of southwest Africa, a former German colony. The trouble does not affect the whole territory, but is confined to the Rehoboth tribe of half castes who demand independence and have appealed to the league of nations for support.

Read the Record News

McConnell Closes Revival; Vote Of Success Is Given

Oklahoma Minister Completes Series of Meetings For Baptists

Dr. Lincoln McConnell of Oklahoma City, closed a successful two weeks evangelistic campaign Friday evening at the First Baptist church, preaching a stirring sermon on problems of the modern home before a crowded congregation. Wm. E. Young introduced the speaker, expressing on behalf of the congregation the keenest regret that Dr. McConnell's engagement in the city was completed. The evangelist has been popular during his stay and has spoken before large crowds.

The evangelist termed the problem of the American home as the greatest question confronting the life of the nation.

Unhappy Marriages.

Unhappy marriages; deceptive courtships, dishonesty after marriage, selfishness, the prevention of parenthood, and the shirking of responsibility in rearing children were given by the speaker as causes for the turmoil of modern homes.

"Rear your children with comradeship, paiship, confidence and intimacy," the evangelist urged. "Make their home the sweetest memory in their lives instead of the bitter memory that home was where no one understood them or wanted them.

"The old day of parental control seems to be passing. Youth today is wild, unrestrained, and free. Parents should not be spineless and backboneless about controlling their children. Punish them if necessary.

Speaks to Young Folks.

Addressing himself to the young people ,the speaker said: "You young people should realize that your parents love you better than anything else, and that they are controlling you according to the laws of God Almighty and the laws of the land. You should strive to build your lives so that they will be a credit to your parents."

In closing the speaker declared: "The home is the heart of the nation, and when centered by a family altar, becomes safe and impregnable against the dangers of the world."

FORBES RESTING EASILY

BOSTON, April 3.—Col. Charles R. Forbes, former head of the United States Veterans' bureau passed a comfortable day and his general condition is improved, his physicians said tonight. Suffering from thrombosis, Colonel Forbes has been in a private hospital here since sustaining a shock a week ago today.



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The Old Home Town

Marriage licenses in profusion—five in all, were issued Friday by the county clerk's office. They were as follows: Arthur Lee Grappe, Wichita Falls, and Miss Dovie Blake, Gould, Okla.; W. W. Huff, Hobart, Okla., and Miss Grace Bradford, Lawton, Okla.; Clyde Herman Gore, Wichita Falls, and Miss Essie Mae Truelock, Wichita Falls; H. C. Jones, Iowa Park, and Mrs. Nell Stuart, Iowa Park; Henry Mens, Wichita Falls, and Miss Lucy Fehmer, Wichita Falls.

Half a dozen cases made up the total of cases docketed Firday morning on the city police court blotter. They included charges of drunkenness, disturbing the peace and traffic law violation. Minimum fines were assessed or bonds forfeited in all the charges.

Paul Ringle, central station fireman who was severely burned in a gasoline explosion March 22, in which Andy Juliuson, another fireman, was killed, has left the general hospital where he has been undergoing treatment. His hands are still swathed in bandages but he is well on the road to recovery.

'We Can Only Ask Jesus For Mercy' Warns Selecman

Methodist Evangelist Preaches Last of Sermons At Strand

"If 'the wages of sin is death,' then no man dare ask God for justice, his only plea can be 'God be merciful to me a sinner'," declared Dr. C. C. Selecman, president of the Southern Methodist university, before a large crowd of business people at the Strand theatre Friday noon.

Closing his first week of evangelistic sermon-lectures on the Ten Commandments with a sermon on "Love and the Gospel," Dr. Selecman told his audience that God had two ways of dealing with men who disobeyed the law, one according to justice, and the other according to mercy.

"We are all sinners. I sometimes see men who say they only ask one thing of God, that is to give them justice. We would all be lost if only justice could save us. Instead of meting punishment to us for our sin, He has extended the scepter of his pardon, and grants us his forgiveness. He gives us another chance.

"If you are hard and bitter toward men, you have not the spirit of the New Testament. The gospel is tender and helpful to the sinner, but it is strictly uncomprimising toward the attitude of the sinner . Love rules the gospel of Christ."

Dr. Selecman conducted a special sermon for high school students Friday evening which was well attended. It was announced that Dr. Selecman would preach on "Forms of Evil" Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock especially for men and boys.

Supt. J. W. Cantwell To Be Life Teacher

Superintendent J. W. Canwell of Wichita Falls is one of the 138 Texas school people who have this year enrolled as life members of the Texas State Teachers association. There are now 27 life members in Wichita Falls. Besides Superintendent Cantwell, the group includes Bill T. Adams, Florence Barrier, Kate Burgess, S. L. Butler, Mamie Crump, O. J. Didzun, Mamie Doell, Attieus F. Edwards, H. A. Glass, William B. Hamilton, Kate Haynes, B. A. Jarrott, Richard O. Jonas, Jacob C. Mathis, Ida Moore, Margaret Lee Morgan, Mrs. Susie Potts, Arthur K. Presson, Ilie C. Presson, S. H. Rider, John T. Rundell, Varna Sellers, Bessie L. Stewart, J. W. Williams, Maude Williams and Trellise Woodward.

Life members pay a fee of $25 which entitles them to all privileges of the association for the rest of their lives. A drive is now on to bring this group up to a total of 1,000. There are now 556 members. The funds derived from this source became a part of the permanent fund of the association which now amounts to something more than $70,000.

$1,589.90 Total For Robertsons

Contributions totaling $82 were received Friday by W. C. Witcher and N. A. Ferguson, trustees for the Hattie Robertson home building fund, these running the total up to $1,589.90. Included in the checks coming in yesterday was one of $25 from R. P. Prince, representing his March salary as a commissioner of Electra.

Cash, Goodlet, Tex.	$ 10.00
Nat Henderson, Goodlet, Tex.	10.00
J. H. Freeman, Goodlet, Tex.	10.00
Jno. W. Hampton, Goodlet, Tex.	10.00
A. C. Wilson, Goodlet, Tex.	10.00
Mrs. L. M. Carter, Goodlet, Tex	2.00
Mrs. L. A. Poteet, Goodlet, Tex.	2.00
Mrs. Olera Hannah Schlemeyer, Electra, Tex.	3.00
R. P. Prince	25.00
Previously reported	1,507.90
Total	$1,589.90

Mrs. W. Silk Named On School Board

Mrs. W. W. Silk, chairman of the art committee for the Junior college, and prominent worker in civic and church circles, has been appointed to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. M. M. Adickes, on the school board of the Wichita Falls independent district.

Mrs. Silk will serve until the election in April, 1926, when Mrs. Adickes term expires. Well known to Wichitans for her active and fruitful work as chairman of the Junior college art committee, Mrs. Silk is held in high esteem as a prominent civic worker. Through her efforts, art objects of great value fill the halls of the Junior college, and the appreciation of art has been imbedded in a practical and beautiful way into the very foundation of the institution.

Her extensive interest in school work in the district makes her a valuable addition to the school board, according to local school officials.

SHERIFF GETS STILL.

Two Are Arrested After Raid on Bootleggers on Seventh St.

Charges of violation of the state prohibition laws were filed Friday afternoon against O. L. Lunsford and Amiel Meyers following their arrest by members of the sheriff's department at noon. The two were surprised by Sheriff Fred K. Smith and Deputies Moore and Ballard at a residence in the 1900 block Seventh street. A copper still, said to have been in operation, was seized at the place together with seven gallons of whiskey, nine barrels of mash, 75 pounds of sugar and some malt and hops.

Bond of $750 and $500 was set for Lunsford and Meyers, respectively.

OBENCHAIN ARRIVES HERE.

New Division Engineer for Highway Department Takes Up Work.

Operations of division No. 3 of the state highway department have been taken over by W. A. Obenchain, who has arrived in the city as successor to E. F. Maddox, formerly the engineer in charge here. No immediate changes in organization or personnel are planned by the new chief, he stated Friday.

Paving Width On Holliday Remais To Be Decided On

Decision Must be Made On Size Before Actual Work Starts

The question of whether or not the new Holliday street paving between Eleventh and the city limits shall be 30 or 40 feet in width is one to be settled before actual construction work on the project can be started.

Although contracts have been let for work, property owners along the road have not yet indicated their wishes as to the width of the street. Some agitation has been voiced for a 40-foot pavement which, on a street as wide as Holliday, is conceded to be the most logical. A number of the property owners, however, have been unwilling to shoulder the additional expense involved in a 40-foot strip and have asked for a 30-foot paving.

Inasmuch as the street is destined to be an outlet to a highly important section of the city and because of its unusually great width, a boulevarding system such as Ninth street, Pearl street and others boasts has been suggested. Small hopes are held out for this, however, because of its extra cost.

Nashville Minister To Preach in City

Rev. Will G. Hogg, evangelist, of Nashville, Tenn., will arrive in Wichita Falls in time to open revival services on Easter Sunday morning which will last two weeks, at the Floral Heights Methodist church, according to Cecil Porter, financial secretary of the church.

With Rev. Hogg will be Jeff Wall, evangelistic singer, to assist in the services. On Tuesday, April 14, Rev. S. J. T. Williams will arrive to organize the local congregation in preparation for the revival services. A cordial invitation is extended to all Methodists of the city to attend the services.

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Hup "8" Has Brought Two Vaudville Stars From N. York To Wichita Falls

Even vaudeville actors travel by automobile these days. Nixon and Sans and Val and Ernie Stanton, two of the acts at the Wichita theatre this week, have traveled all the way from New York City in a Hupmobile "straight eight" which was purchased the first of March by G. L. Gilfillan (Nixon).

They have traveled 2,300 miles, playing in Detroit, Cleveland, Dayton, Indianapolis, Terre Haute, Evansville, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City, Tulsa, Oklahoma City and Wichita Falls. From here they will follow the circuit and back to New York by way of New Orleans. On May 30, Mr. Gilfillan will sail for London, England, where he will play English vaudeville theatres, and will take the Hupmobile with him.

Mr. Gilfillan has been driving a Hupmobile for eight years and this is his fifth one. In Missouri and Oklahoma mud roads were encountered but with balloon tires on the "straight eight", they were able to come the entire distance without the use of skid chains. The average gasoline consumption has been 14 miles to the gallon. The car is in perfect condition, and Mr. Gilfillan says that he is able to travel cheaper by automobile than by train.

LOANS ON RESIDENCE PROPERTY
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City Plans to Take Annual Inventory

An inventory of all property owned by the city of Wichita Falls is to be started within a short time. The city charter provides that such an inventory be taken every year. All department heads will be required to take stock of the equipment, lands, buildings, etc., under their jurisdiction.

Last year's inventory showed Wichita Falls owning $5,023,354.18 worth of property. It included everything from a sewer system valued at $1,350,000 down to pen points at two for a nickle. Water pumps, parks, fire trucks, office desks, automobiles, garden tools, 10-ton tractors, hospital equipment, library books, scientific apparatus and a bewildering array of other items were found on the list.

This year's inventory will probably see an increase in the valuations, it is believed.

EVOLUTION O. K. IN CALIF.

May Be Taught in Theory Only, State Board of Education Rules.

SACRAMENTO, Calif., April 3.—The state board of education today went on record formally in favor of teaching evolution in the public schools of California but only as a theory, thus upholding the findings of a committee of educators which some time ago submitted a report in which the theory of the teachnig of evolution was upheld.

The board stated that it would be its policy in the future no to adopt or list as text books any but those books which teach evolution as a theory.

PROF. FLAYS ATHLETICS

Purdue Scientist Claims College Sports a Detriment to Youth.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 3.—E. G. Mahin, professor of analytical chemistry at Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind., flung caustic denunciations at the feet of intercollegiate athletics in an address delivered here tonight at the annual dinner of the Ohio college association.

Intercollegiate sport, he said, "is now on a professional basis," and the home-coming football games, he said, are made the occesions of "liquor drinking debauches." Continuing his attack, he added that the present system of college football "is a real detriment to the health and physical soundness of many of its players and even to their lives."

PAINTER DEAD.

MUNICH, April 3.—Professor Edward Grnetzner, celebrated painter, died here last night at the age of 79.

$100,000 DAMAGES ASKED.

Minister Sues Other Pastors for "Alleged Defamation of Character."

DENVER, April 3.—Two suits asking for total damages of $100,000 for alleged defamation of character were filed heret oday in the district court against two ministers and five members of the board of elders of the Central Christian church of Denver by the Rev. ohn M. Gordon of the Christian church of Windsor, Colo., who was expalled from the Denver church last December following charges involving two young women.

TWO KILLED ON TRACK

Aged Louisiana Couple Meet Death When Their Motor Is Smashed.

DE QUINCEY, La., April 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford of this place, were killed when a motor car of the Gulf Coast Lines crashed into an automobile in which they were riding at a grade crossing on the edge of the city about 5:35 o'clock this evening.

The aged couple were returning from Lake Charles, where they visited their son, F. A. Ford, assistant superintendent of education of Calcasieu parish, and it is believed that they were unaware of the approaching car.

TO DIE IN LETHAL CELL

RENO, Nev., April 3.—Stanko Jukich, slayer of his 16-year-old sweetheart, Jennie Madk on February 14 at Ely, White Pine county, Nevada, was sentenced by Judge C. J. McFaddin at Ely today to be executed by lethal gas for the crime. A day between June 21 and June 27 was the time fixed for the execution. Unless clemency is extended Jukich will be the second man to be executed by lethal gas in the state.

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