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Argument Begins In Adams Trial

JURY SOON TO RECEIVE CASE

Accused Denies He Killed Turner

Argument in the case of Wayne Adams, charged with murder of J. D. Turner, was presented to the jury in a special session of the Thirtieth District court Thursday night. The special night session was called at the request of the defense, because of a telegram received by C. C. McDonald, attorney, asking him to hurry to the bedside of his father, who is seriously ill. The charge of the court was read.

Two hours was allotted to each side for argument, each taking one hour in the first speech. The closing argument will be held this morning, in court at 9 o'clock session, and the case is expected to go to the jury before noon.

Yesterday afternoon Adams, the defendent, swore on the stand that he did not kill Turner, and that he was not within four miles of the scene on the night of the murder. He was questioned at length by both state and defense attorneys but throughout the testimony, maintained his innocence. He determinedly refused to admit connection with the case.

In reply to the direct question, "did you kill Turner?" the answer was, "I did not!"

In Local Hotel

Adams told the jury that on the night of the murder he was in Wichita Falls, having come here at 5 o'clock that afternoon. He stated that he registered at the Stratford hotel that night, not leaving that place until about 8 the next morning. The register, bearing his name, was introduced as evidence, and the proprietor of the hotel, Mrs. Green, took the stand and identified Adams as the man who registered at her hotel.

Adams stated that he went to the office of the King Oil company, November 13 and was given a check for work done. He gave this as evidence that he was in this city at the time. He also sought to impeach the testimony of B. C. Weir, who had given damaging testimony Wednesday.

He said that he had been on friendly terms with Weir and that he had befriended him at various times. He denied having had any conversations with him in regard to the murder.

Denied Divorce

When asked regarding his domestic troubles, and the divorce asked by his wife, Adams stated that he was not divorced, but that his wife asked and was refused a divorce some time previous to the killing. He denied having been drunk at that time or any other, although admitting to an

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THE WEATHER

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS
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West Texas: Friday unsettled, somewhat warmer in the panhandle; Saturday partly cloudy, warmer in east portion.

Oklahoma: Friday cloudy, colder in southeast, rising temperature in west portion; Saturday, partly cloudy, somewhat warmer in east and central portions.

East Texas: Friday, unsettled, rain in east portion, colder except in extreme west coast and in extreme north portion; Saturday, partly cloudy, somewhat warmer in north portion.

Storm in California.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—A storm which brought cold rain, hail and snow to Los Angeles, centered this afternoon in the local harbor district, where a 45-mile gale worked havoc among shipping.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

Ground Hog Day

Early spring or six weeks more of winter?

Groundhog day, February 2, is supposed to settle this moot question definitely. Whether his power over the weather is largely mythical or based on some degree of fact is, and probably always will, be debatable, but at any rate, legend tells us that if the groundhog sees his shadow February 2 fair weather will prevail and an early spring is assured. If, however, the day is bright and a shadow pops into view another six weeks of winter must be endured.

SOLONS LEAVE ON VALLEY TRIP

Textbook Bill Wins Out in Senate

AUSTIN Feb. 1.—Prior to their departure this afternoon for four-day trip through South Texas and the Rio Grande valley, the house and senate held brief sessions this morning.

Pope Bill Engrossed

The senate passed to engrossment the Pope house bill extending to Dec. 1, 1925, the time for using textbooks discarded by the state book commission when it contracted for new texts last December. The bill in effect annuls the awards of the commission, involving the expenditure of $1,800,000 of state funds. The vote on engrossment was 14 to 9.

The senate voted to return to former Governor Ferguson his proposition to lease the state penitentiary system for a period of 10 years, acting on recommendation of its committee on penitentiaries.

Order Insurance Probe

The senate passed unanimously the Rogers resolution calling for a complete investigation of the affairs of the Texas employers' insurance association, created by state law to administer the workmen's compensation act.

The house was in session most of the morning, but took no action on any measure.

The house and senate will return to Austin and reconvene their sessions next Monday.

Unknown Couple Die in Accident

By Associated Press.

ENID, Okla., Feb. 1.—An unidentified man and woman were killed when their motor car skidded on a muddy road and overturned, three miles east of here this afternoon.

Northcliff's Will Broken

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—When the suit involving Lord Northcliffe's will was brought before the court for testimontary disposition today, the judge pronounced against the will of last July in which Lady Northcliffe was made the sole legatee in favor of the will of 1919 which gives annuities to many of the publisher's employes.

BURKBURNETT WOMAN DIES

BURKBURNETT—Mrs. Sarah E. Smith, 70, died at the home of her son, A. M. Smith and family, at the American refinery, of which he is superintendent. The body was shipped to Terrell, Okla., by A. G. Dunn, undertaker, early Thursday morning; funeral took place in the Terrell cemetery Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Smith is survived by a number of adult children including the son mentioned and Mrs. W. H. Allen of the American refinery community here and Mrs. W. R. Shaw of Henrietta, Texas.

Fire Bells Ring To Serve Papers On Rail Strikers

By Associated Press.

HORTON, Kan. Feb. 1.—In order to subpoena 1,050 witnesses in the trial of two shop strikers who are accused of violating the industrial court law, the sheriff of Brown county, Kansas, yesterday rang the fire bells at Horton, Kan., where most of the witnesses live and when the crowd had assembled virtually every person in it was notified to be in court Monday. The defendants, Edward Cahill and Peter Fern, were employed in the Rich Island shops at Horton. They are charged with attempting to incite riot. The defense summoned the 1,050 witnesses, presumably including all the striking shopmen in the town.

Four Buildings In Ranger Business Section Burn Up

By Associated Press.

RANGER, Texas, Feb. 1.—Fire in the business center of Ranger early today destroyed four business establishments, all owned by the Ranger Mercantile company, and resulted in property loss estimated at $115,000. The property was insured for approximately $60,000 and housed a meat market, hardware company, stock and fixtures store, and sandwich shop.

New York Cotton Exchange Head In Reply to Heflin

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1—George M. Shutt, president of the New York cotton exchanges characterized "unworthy of the gentleman who voiced it," the statement today of Senator Heflin that cotton prices were being held down until all stocks should be out of the hands of the producers.

"I believe," said Mr. Shutt, "that the cotton market has done remarkably well this season, considering the conditions prevailing abroad."

Favoritism Charged In Naming Texas Employes

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Charges that many competent women agricultural extension workers had been discharged by the assistant secretary of agriculture without hearing and in many instances without reason, in order to provide places for "favorite henchmen of the administration," were made today by Representative Hudspeth, democrat, Texas, in a resolution introduced in the house.

Alleged Auto Thief Killed By Officers

By Associated Press.

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Feb. 1.—Police are searching for the companion of Clint Smith, who was shot and instantly killed early today in a fight with officers who they allege were fired on by Smith and the other man when they answered a call from a citizen, who said two men were molesting his motor car.

Duncan Woman Burned

DUNCAN, Okla., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Bert Winniger, 18, bride of four months, was probably fatally burned here last night when a coal oil can exploded in her hand while she was building a fire.

GERMANS PLEAD FOR COAL TO RUN THEIR FACTORIES

Organized Labor At Berlin Asks U. S. To Intervene

By Associated Press.

DUESSELDORF, Feb. 1.—Honors were about even on the twenty-second day of the gigantic economic battle being waged between the French and Germans. Sober second thought is increasing and the scarcity of food and growing unemployment today caused a body of German workers to make their first appeal to the French for assistance since the troops entered the Ruhr.

Ask French For Coal

Six thousand paper mill workers, threatened with closure of the Duesseldorf plants, owing to lack of coal, sent a delegation to General DeGoutte, requesting that the French supply fuel necessary for continuance of work. General DeGoutte answered that the German railway men were responsible for the plight of the working people by failure to transport coal into Duesseldorf.

In the end, General DeGoutte promised he would have coal brought to the paper mills.

Germans Score Point

The Germans scored when M. Frantzen, one of the leading engineers of the French economic mission, speaking officially to the correspondents, admitted that the work of the mission depended upon the return to the Ruhr of the coal syndicate and co-operation with the mission, virtually admitting the French to be powerless to work the Ruhr industries without the Germans.

ASK U. S. TO ACT

BERLIN, Feb. 1. — Organized German labor, speaking for more than half the population of the German republic, views the American congress as the logical tribunal to which to address an appeal, declaring that "American honor asserted at this time can save us and the world from the inevitable disaster."

This is the keynote of a message which was forwarded to Washington this afternoon, carrying the signatures of the chairmen of the executive boards of the general unions, which embrace a registered membership of twelve million male and female workers.

Row Over British Debt Funding Plan Breaks in Senate

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Foreshadowing the fight in prospect in congress over acceptance of the British debt settlement, Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, speaking late today in the senate, declared congress, as the representative of the American people, had no right to "grant such a bonus or subsidy" to the British government as contained in the settlement approved by the British cabinet yesterday.

A statement by Senator Heflin, in criticizing the British debt arrangement, that he represented the American people and not "the bond sharks and big financiers of Wall street," was held by Vice-President Coolidge to be a reflection upon Senator Wadsworth, although Senator Heflin, supported by Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas, denied any infraction of the rules.

Oklahoma Officers Hunt Mystery Man Who Threw Body from Auto

By Associated Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 1.—City and county authorities united in an effort today to locate a man whom J. A. Horner, oil broker, informed them he had recognized as Lloyd Felts, when the man drove up to the Horner home here early today and left the body of Horner's son, Riviere, on the sidewalk after rousing the family from bed.

Told Him of Hold-Up

Horner told J. K. Wright, county attorney, that the man called him to the door and informed him from his curtained motor car that young Horner and he had been held up and that Horner had been shot. He then pushed the body from the car and sped away.

Horner said that Felts told him that "Riviere is out here," and that when instructed to send him in, the visitor replied, "I can't, he's dead." With this, Horner said, the body was pushed from the car and the man sped away. Horner said the visitor told him he had come from "up north" and that he had had the body in the car since Sunday.

Had Money In Pockets

Horner said his son, who was 21 years old, had been in St. Joseph, Mo., for about a year and a half and had been recently employed at a motion picture company.

Officers said they were unable to reconcile the robbery statement with the fact that $48 in currency and some small change was found in the dead man's pocket.

Explosion Kills 3, Injures Scores, and Destroys Homes

By Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Feb. 1.—The explosion today of the gas purifying plant of the Springfield Gas Light company on the western edge of the business district, brought death to three persons, caused injuries to scores of others and damaged property to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars and made scores homeless. The shock was felt 20 miles away.

The known dead are: Henry W. Egnor, a bystander, killed by falling walls; Stanley M. Travinski, a passerby, also struck down by debris; Frank A. Coleman, an employe of the gas works, who was in the building.

Two Lose Lives In Crash of Airship

By Associated Press.

AMERICUS, Ga., Feb. 1.—Carroll J. Clark, Jr., an American business man, and J. W. Morris, of Pittsburgh, Pa., were instantly killed in an airship crash at Souther Field this afternoon.

Bulletins

OWLS WIN

WACO—Rice Institute 22; Baylor university 20.

CHICAGO — Johnny Weissmuller, crack swimmer of the Illinois Athletic club, broke the world's record here tonight at the Central A. A. U. championship swim, lowering the time for the 500-yard distance from 5:46 4-5 to 5:42 and the 440 yards from 5:03 3-5 to 4:51 2-5.

AUSTRIA SAVED

PARIS—The financial salvation of Austria was announced to the council of the league of nations today by the Earl of Balfour as virtually an accomplished fact, and M. Viviani, who referred to the league as "the last resort for nations and states whose problems had become insoluble," said the council was ready for other problems.

DEFEATS OLD CHAMP

NEW YORK—Carl A. Vaughan of Chicago created a sensation in the national pocket billiards championship tournament tonight by defeating J. Howard Shoemaker of New York, present and nine times national champion, 125 to 24 in the ninth of the series of matches.

GENERAL STILL HELD?

DUBLIN—Proclamation by Liam Lynch, republican chief of staff, refusing to surrender hostages under Minister of Defense Mulcahy's threat of punitive measures, throws some doubt upon reported release of Senator John Bagwell, general manager of the Great Northern railway, kidnaped Tuesday night.

ROCKEFELLER BETTER

ORMOND BEACH, Fla.—John D. Rockefeller, senior, who has been suffering from a slight attack of bronchial trouble, is so much improved he plans to play golf tomorrow.

BAN MASKS

BISMARK, N. D.—The North Dakota house late today passed the senate anti-mask bill, 92 to 18, and the measure now goes to the governor.

CRITICIZES KLAN

ST. PAUL, Minn. — Minnesota house adopted a resolution criticizing the ku klux klan, its tactics and its purposes and declaring it "un-American."

In Austin

Two hundred legislators leave on four day tour of Rio Grande Valley.

Senate votes to reconsider adverse vote on Pollard's bill moving civic appeals court from Texarkana to Tyler.

E. S. Fentress of Waco named to A. & M. board of directors to succeed Charles E. Marsh of Austin, resigned, Gus Taylor of Tyler succeeds T. N. Jones of Tyler on same board.

J. W. Hassel resligns as chief of oil and gas division of Texas railroad commission. Laten Stanberry made temporary successor.

Special supreme court takes under advisement ease of Woodmen of the World against W. A. Ayres, appealed from Montague county.

Bill to continue commission of appeals, adjunct of supreme court, reported adversely to senate; present commission expires August 31, 1924.

Representative Chitwood introduces house bill to establish textile engineering in A. & M. college; Representative Purl's bill seeks to require reading of U. S. constitution in Texas schools.

Committee report favors bill to require bond of newspapers published, but not owning property in Texas.

In Washington

Maj. Gen. John L. Hines took up his duties at the war department as deputy chief of staff.

Early retirement from ofifce of Gov. E. Mont Reily of Porto Rico, was forecasted.

Heated debate in the senate on the British debt funding arrangements to this country was precipitated through attack by Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee.

Favorable report of a bill which woul authorize government purchase of $10,000,000 worth of nitrates for resale to farmers at cost for use as fertilizer, was ordered by house committee.

Senator Brookhart, republican, of Iowa, was charged by Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, during debate on rural credits, with advocating policies similar to those of Lenine and Trotzky.

Returning from a three-weeks survey of conditions of the Pacific coast and in the Southwest, Prohibition Commissioner Haynes declared he was convinced the public in those sections favored strict enforcement of the Volstead act.

House passed amendment to tax law by which gains made through exchange of stocks, bonds or other investment securities for securities of a similar kind, would be made subject to taxation.

American Debt Funding commission at a meeting with Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador, virtually completed details of settlement plan for funding the British war debt.

British Embassy formally disavowed remarks of Stanley Baldwin, British chancellor of the exechequer, concerning the debt situation.

Ardmore Jury May Be In Hopeless Deadlock

Four Face Electric Chair Today For Brutal Murders in Arkansas

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 1 Four white men, the largest number ever legally executed in Arkansas, will be electrocuted at the state prison here tomorrow morning. Last minute appeals for executive clemency made today to Governor McRae, failed.

The four men spending tonight in the death cells at the prison are: Will DeBord, Duncan Richardson, Ben Richardson and F. G. Bullen. The Richardsons are brothers, and Ben Richardson is but 19 years old. Duncan Richardson today, in an effort to secure a reprieve for Ben and Bullen, made "confession" in which he took full blane for the murder of Ira Culp, the crime for which the Richardsons and Bullen die.

The crime for which DeBord will die was the double murder of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Silsby in Stone county, which attracted much attention as the Stone county "hatchet case."

Russia Refuses To Sign Near East Pact At Lausanne

By Associated Press.

LAUSANNE, Feb. 1.—Russia's refusal today to sign the Near East peace treaty, setting forth conditions for the opening of the straits of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus and the demilitarization of the straits zones, caused depression in Near East conference circles. M. Tchitcherin, the leading Russian delegate, urged that the whole question with regard to the straits be reopened.

By doing this, the soviet foreign minister declared, the allies would repair their fault of seeking to impose upon Russia a treaty which Russia had not had suitable opportunity to discuss. His request was refused by the allies.

Comanche Field Is Extended East

Special to Record News.

COMANCHE, Okla., Feb. 1.—Extension of the Comanche field half of a mile to the east is indicated with the finding of an oil sand in the Magnolia Petroleum company's No. 1, Frankie Wilson, southwest of southeast quarter of 17-2s-7w. The pay was topped at 1,345 feet and the drill is still in it at 1,354 feet. There is 100 feet of oil in the hole, which is reported as testing 38 degrees in gravity. The operators are now erecting tankage preparatory to drilling deeper. The 10-inch casing is set on the sand. Bringing in of this well will necessitate the drilling of three offsets by the Mid-Kansas Oil company.

Magnolia Petroleum company has spudded in its No. 1 Brown, southwest or northwest quarter of 19-2s-7w. The same operators have completed the rig for their No. 1, Ruby Marx, northeast of southeast quarter of 13-2s-8w. Mid-Kansas Oil company's No. 11, Bristow, northwest of southwest quarter of 18-2s-7w, is drilling at 400 feet.

Ardmore Expects More Deep Wells

Special to Record News.

ARDMORE, Feb. 1.—Possibility of uncovering one of the deep sands in the territory southeast of the Graham field, are seen in the J. B. Schermerhorn test on the Jeanette Dickerson farm, in the northeast of the northwest quarter of 5-3s-2w, three-fourths of a mile from production.

The well topped a shallow sand showing gas at 475 feet, and is still in it at 485 feet. This formation tallies with wells in the southern portion of 31-2s-2w and the northern portion of 6-3s-2w. Another important test to be drilled in the southeast area is the Sutherland Petroleum company's No. 1 Poland, northwest of northwest quarter of 5-3s-2w, between the Schermerhorn test and the field proper, which is now moving in rig timbers.

Masked Robber Holds Up Canadian Train

By Associated Press.

REGINA, Sask., Feb. 1—A masked robber who bound Paul Venzke, express messenger on train No. 6, of the Canadian National railway to a steampipe and gagged him with a handkerchief, escaped with several thousand dollars between Prince Albert, Sask., and here, this evening.

Treaty Ratified

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Feb. 1.—Ratifications of the Rapallo treaty between Germany and Soviet Russia were exchanged today at the foreign office by Minister of Foreign Affairs Rosenberg and the soviet ambassador, M. Krestinsky.

Confederate Bills No Good in France

By Associated Press.

CHARBOURG, Feb. 1. —A sailor on board the French government tank steamer Dordogne not only accepted Confederate $50 and $100 bills from bootleggers to whom they sold liquors when the ship Dordonge was recently at Port Athur, Texas, but were held today for trial by court martial. The sailor changed his bills into French money when he arrived here.

INDICT FIVE IN BANK ROBBERY

One Is Accused of Assault to Kill

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 1.— The county grand jury yesterday returned indictments against five men held in connection with the $97,000 robbery last December of the Drovers' National bank here, it was announced late today. Four charges of first degree robbery and one of assault with intent to kill were contained in the indictments.

The men held are George Williams and James Caverty, arrested at New Orleans; James J. Martin, arrested at Denver; Wesley Gibbonds, arrested at St. Louis and Fred McClure, arrested in Kansas City.

Dr. Grant Is Given Another Chance Despite Heresy

By Associated Press

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Dr. Percy Stickney Grant will not be tried for heresy because of sermons before his pastorate in the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension, he was informed tonight in a letter from Bishop William T. Manning.

The bishop, who had requested Rev. Dr. Grant to "recant or resign," because of his professed doubt of the deity of Christ, said he would let the matter rest because the pastor replying to the request, had not made clear whether he really doubted the deity of Christ or not.

Smallpox Sign Fails To Scare Off the 'Law'

By Associated Press.

EDMONTON, Alberta, Feb. 1.—Olof Peterson of St. Paul des Metis, northern Alberta, put a sign on the front of his shack reading: "This place is 'quaranteed' for 35 days by order of Dr. Fonia."

The queer spelling of "quarantine" interested constable who investigated and found Peterson manufacturing moonshine.

Fourteen Killed In Mexico City Riot By Labor Factions

By Associated Press

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 1.—It is estimated that 14 persons were killed and more than 40 injured in a street battle here at noon today in front of labor headquarters following the sniping of passing street cars by "reds" who resented the maintenance of street car traffic by men who reached an agreement last Sunday with the Tramway company to end the strike which had been in progress for some time.

Soldiers guarding the cars answered the fire of the snipers, and the shooting soon became general. All the downtown stores were immediately closed and traffic was suspended. Troops were thrown into the affected area and this evening are patrolling the streets.

Duncan Reports Good Sand Found

Special to Record News.

DUNCAN, Okla., Feb. 1.—One of the best producers yet completed in the Kilgore country of Stephens county, is the Gypsy Oil company's No. 1 Akers, northeast of northwest quarter of 11-1n-5w, which is flowing and swabbing 60 barrels from sand drilled through at 1,035-50 feet, with the crude testing 33 degrees in gravity. The operators are preparing to shoot the pay formation in an effort to increase its production.

VOTE IS 11 TO 1 FOR ACQUITTAL

So Say Rumors As Jurors Retire

By Associated Press.

ARDMORE, Okla., Feb. 1.—The jury considering the case of Jeff Smith, Healdton oil field worker charged with the murder of Joe Carroll, alleged bootlegger, who was slain by a masked band, was locked up for the night shortly after 10 p. m., without making a report. Rumors were that the jurors stood 11 to 1 for acquittal and were hopelessly deadlocked.

Given Case Thursday.

Trial of the case consumed the first half of the week, with argument being completed Wednesday night. The charge was read to the jury Thursday morning at which time Judge W. F. Freeman adjourned court until Monday, leaving instructions to be called if the jury should reach agreement.

Admitted Participation.

Smith admitted participating in the attack, but set up the defense that he was compelled to do so by the masked band, none of whom he recognized. Two members of the band were mortally wounded and Smith was shot in the leg.

Ten well known men of Carter county are also charged with Carroll's death.

Shake-Up Comes In Vets' Bureau

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The administration of the veterans bureau, for months a subject of bitter controversy, is undergoing an investigation which is expected by some well-informed officials here to result in important readjustments.

For the present the storm center of the controversy appears to be the legal division of the bureau, which has the final say on all contracts for hospital sites and other contracts involved in the government's program of veteran aid. Charles P. Cramer, who as general counsel for the bureau was head of the legal division, retired today from office after he had announced that he would leave it to Colonel Charles R. Forbes, the bureau director to say whether his services were any longer considered desirable.

Now Colonel Forbes himself is enroute to Europe for a "rest" and administration of the bureau is in other hands. Some of the colonel's friends do not expect him to return to his desk.

Another Arrest In Denver Hold-Up

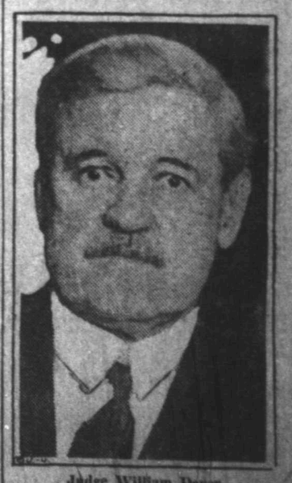
GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Feb. 1.—Sheriff Murray Wilson of Eagle county, tonight took from Denver and Rio Grande Western passenger train No. 1, west bound, a man who gave his name as George Loos of Grafton, N. D., after he is alleged to have tendered to a dining car conductor a $5 bank note believed to be one stolen from a federal reserve bank truck in front of the Denver mint on Dec. 18.

Amicable Life Head Dies

By Associated Press.

WACO, Tex., Feb. 1.—J. P. Massey, secretary of the Amicable Life Insurance company here, died this afternoon after a brief illness.

For Mayor



Judge William Dever.

Judge William Dever is the unanimous choice of Chicago democrats for the mayoralty nomination. Because of republican factional fights democrats believe Dever will be an easy winner.

NEGRO IN WACO JAIL FOR SAFETY

Taken From Marlin To Escape Mob

By Associated Press.

WACO, Feb. 1.—Harle Humphreys, negro, charged with the murder of Lee Frazier in Falls county, Jan. 15, was brought here as a precaution against violence and is in jail.

The negro, according to a statement of County Attorney Glass, made a confession, admitting he killed Frazier while in the house burglarizing it and discovered by Frazier.

CONDEMNED MAN IN JAIL

DALLAS, Feb. 1.—C. E. Gaines, under death sentence for the murder of G. W. Street, postal clerk, who was fatally shot during the sensational robbery of the Jackson street post office here on Jan. 4, 1921, is seriously ill of pneumonia and may die.

MORE CHARGES AT WACO

WACO — A complaint was filed today charging Roy Mitchell, negro, with the murder of W. P. Driskell in this city on May 7, 1922. Mitchell is the negro now in jail in another county charged with the murder of W. E. Holt and Mrs. Ethel Denecamp, Jan. 19 and Grady Skipworth, Nov. 20.

ALLEGE LIQUOR PLOT

SAN ANTONIO—Alleging that a conspiracy existed in the counties of Uvalde, Val Verde, Kinney and Maverick from October 1920 until April 1922, to import and possess liquor from Mexico in viostion of the national prohibition act, a special federal grand jury, Del Rio division, has indicted G. H. Johnson, sheriff of Uvalde county; Kay Reager, his deputy and Fred McKenzie, a ranches, Sam Blalock, Ed Dean, Frank Clamp and others, upon whom warrants have not been served.

CIRCULATES BAD MONEY

SHERMAN, Feb. 1.—Nine young men were in custody here today for investigation in connection with the circulation of a number of counterfeit quarters in Sherman.

FACES BOOZE CHARGES

FORT WORTH—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, Arctic explorer, was arrested by federal authorities today on charge of having liquor in his possession. His attorney issued a statement saying the arrest was caused by Dr. Cook's wife, who filed suit for divorce today.

NAB LIQUOR SMUGGLERS

LAREDO—After an exchange of shots in which no one was wounded, federal and local officers early today captured two alleged liquor smugglers.

FIVE YEARS FOR MURDER

FORT WORTH—James Reynolds, realty dealer, was convicted of manslaughter and given a 5-year term in prison today for killing Claude Bell, youth, Dec. 9, 1922.

BOONE'S GRANDSON DIES

MINERAL WELLS—L. G. Stanfield, great grandson of Daniel Boone, died here.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED

FORT WORTH—Authorities are without a clue to robbers who entered the postoffice at Kennedale, near here, and carried away cash and stamps.

District Court At Vernon Meets Soon

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 1.—The district court of Wilbarger county will open Monday, February 5. Judge James V. Leak will preside. Judge A. C. Nicholson is the new district attorney for the Forty-sixth judicial district. The court docket is very badly crowded.

Cope At Burkburnett

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 1.—Herbert Leon Cope, humorist, lectured on "The Religion of Laughter" here Tuesday night under the auspices of the Dixie Lyceum, secured for Burkburnett by the Y. M. C. A.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindnesses and beautiful floral offerings during the illness and death of our beloved mother and wife.

I. N. STEED AND FAMILY.

Pipe Line Tax Is Given Test In Kansas Court

By Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 1.—A suit testing the validity of the government revenue tax on oil transported by pipe lines, is set for oral argument in federal court here tomorrow before Judge John C. Pollock. Government officials estimate that approximately $10,000,000 in taxes rests on the validity of the government levy.

The test suit was brought by the Derby Oil company of Eldorado, Kan., against H. H. Motter of Wichita, federal internal revenue collector for the state of Kansas. The company seeks a refund of $9,350.56 on the contention that its pipe lines are not common carriers and therefore not subject to tax.

Outcome of the suit will affect every refinery in the United States, which owns its own system of pipe lines and uses them only for transportation of its own oil.

State Deaths

By Associated Press.

COL. HAL P. KINGSBURY

WACO, Feb. 1.—A dispatch from Washington, D. C., to relatives here this morning announced the death there of Col. Hal P. Kingsbury, 76, of the United States army, the first white appointee to West Point from the South after the war between the states.

He leaves a widow, two daughters, and one son; also two brothers, R. H. Kingsbury of this city and W. G. Kingsbury of Cleburne.

DR. J. H. GAMBRELL

DALLAS, Feb. 1.—Funeral services for Dr. Joel Halbert Gambrell, 68, for many years a leader in Southern Baptist church work, were conducted at Ross Avenue Baptist church today by Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. J. J. Kellam. The body was placed in a crypt at Mount Olivet mausoleum, Oak Cliff. Dr. Gambrell, who had been in failing health several months, died at El Paso Tuesday.

LLOID AUSTIN VANCE

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 1.—Lloid Austin Vance, 5, died Monday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vance on Block 83, from pneumonia. The body was brought to the A. G. Dunn funeral home Tuesday from which the funeral service took place at 3 o'clock in charge of Rev. John D. White, pastor of the Christian church, the burial following in the Burkburnett cemetery.

L. F. STOKES

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 1.—L. F. Stokes, 53, drayman, died here Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He leaves a wife and two daughters. Mr. Stokes had been complaining of a rising in his head and it was thought that the rising burst.

Texas Charters

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 1.—Chartered:

O. K. Battery Co., Inc., Dallas, capital stock $25,000; incorporators, G. G. Lippincott, Mrs. A. L. Lippincott, Mrs. S. N. Lippincott.

Hollis Oil corporation, Mexia, capital stock $100,000; incorporators, J. A. Elkins, C. M. Hightower, E. D. Adams.

Lubbock Cotton Oil Co., Lubbock, capital stock $150,000; incorporators, J. W. Simmons, Jr., F. J. Phillips, H. M. Simmons.

Alvin Strawberry Growers association, Alvin; incorporators, W. R. Isaacs, G. A. Barth, R. M. Froberg.

Dallas Cavalry association, Dallas; incorporators, M. S. Spillers, L. B. Cook, L. E. McGee.

Denton Country club, Denton, capital stock $5,000; incorporators, W. C. Edwards, F. Lipscomb, H. Rowe.

Permit to do business in Texas garnted: Cory Bros. & company, Cardiff, England, capital stock $4,641,250; Texas headquarters Kosse, Limestone county, G. J. Davies, state agent; purpose, to establish and maintain oil business; Birdsell Mfg. Co., South Bend, Ind., capital stock $250,000, headquarters and agent not designated.

Women Smokers Blamed For Increase In Fires

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Women smokers are suspected of having caused the heavy increase in loss by fires due to "matches and smoking" in the United States during the last year.

RAINS HELP TO OIL MEN

Drilling Activity Is Renewed

Rains of the past 48 hours have materially assisted the drilling campaign now going on in the oil fields of this district. All fields report an ample supply of water and drilling activity that has been hampered, if not suspended, is now in full swing once more.

A veritable cloudburst is reported to have fell in the Freeman-Hampton pool. Many rigs had been idle for some time owing to the scarcity of water, but all are now supplied and drilling goes on with renewed vigor.

Three inchtes of welcome rain at Electra assures the operators of that district plenty of water for all field purposes for some time.

FREDERICK

Special to Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Laura Hostettler is visiting relatives in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. W. T. Longwell and children, who had been visiting the Sims Rudder family in Altus, have returned home.

A. J. Vicar and family are visiting Wichita Falls and Burkburnett.

Mrs. Rosa Dobson is visiting relatives in Roosevelt.

J. N. Fulton, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. R. Fulton, left Wednesday for Norman.

J. Ora Carr is attending the hardware men's convention in Oklahoma City this week.

S. E. Patton went to Oklahoma City Tuesday afternoon. He was accompanied by Pat Harper, who will go on to Norman and resume his studies.

Mrs. T. J. Graham of Davidson, who has been convalescing from an operation at the Frederick hospital for several weeks, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gordon are moving to Frederick from Cordell.

Dr. J. C. Reynolds, who was in the Hollister district Tuesday night, reports very heavy rains there.

E. E. Mathews made a business trip to Oklahoma City the first of the week.

Mrs. W. M. Warren, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. L. Sanderson, returned to her home in Snyder.

W. M. Williams visited friends here recently.

Judge A. M. Stewart, of Mangum, visited his daughter here.

O. L. Phipps went to Oklahoma City on business.

Judge Mathews, who has been holding district court here for the last two weeks, returned to his home in Altus.

Mrs. Eva Mosteller, county woman farm demonstrator, left Tuesday for Chickasha where she will attend a meeting of the agricultural workers of south, central and southwestern districts.

J. C. Ames was in Oklahoma City on business.

P. B. Cook, court reporter, left Wednesday for his home in Tulsa.

Miss Laura Hall has been ill for several days, with a severe case of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown left Tuesday morning for Cordell, to attend the funeral of Mr. Brown's brother.

Frederick Society.

The Upper Room Bible class will meet with Mrs. Carl Waggoner Thursday afternoon. Miss Bonita Walker will lead the lesson which will be from the eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth chapters of St. Mark.

Illness of a number of members caused a postponement of the open meeting of the Missionary society of the First Methodist church, which was to have been held Wednesday.

W-K Spark Plugs are a success in stationary engines.—Adv.

Crude Oil Production in United States Shows Increase During Week

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The daily average gross crude oil production of the United States increased 18,400 barrels for the week ending January 27, totalling 1,755,300 barrels as compared with 1,736,900 for the preceding week, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum institute. The daily average production east of the Rocky mountains was 1,205,300 compared with 1,906,900, a decrease of 1,600 barrels. California production was 550,000 compared with 530,000, an increase of 20,000 barrels.

North Texas Decreases

Oklahoma-Kansas shows a daily average gross production of 487,750 barrels, a decrease of 3,300; north Texas a decrease of 3,500; central Texas a decrease of 1,000; north Louisiana an increase of 1,000, and Arkansas a decrease of 8,450 barrels. In Oklahoma production of the Osage nation is shown as 121,000 barrels, against 124,550; Tonkawa 39,550, against 32,450; Lyons-Quinn was unchanged with 10,950 barrels and the Bristow pool 57,250 against 57,500 barrels. The Mexia pool, central Texas, is reported at 55,800 barrels against 57,100; Haynesville, north Louisiana, 37,500 against 37,850; Eldorado, Ark., 20,800 against 20,900, and Smackover, Ark., 88,250 against 96,700 barrels. In the Gulf coast field, Hull is reported at 33,600 against 32,000 and West Columbia 23,700 against 23,000 barrels.

Prices Advanced

Pennsylvania crude advanced ten cents a barrel, now being quoted at $3.55 a barrel. Mid-continent also advanced, now being quoted at $1.20 to $2.30, according to the gravity of the oil. Gulf coast remains unchanged at $1.25 a barrel.

According to the institute imports of petroleum (crude and refined oils) at the principal United States ports for the week ended January 27, totalled 1,733,081 barrels, a daily average of 253,297 compared with 1,993,157, a daily average of 284,737 barrels for the week ended January 20.

Gulf's Worsham Test Is Making 200 By Heads

Special to Record News.

HENRIETTA, Feb. 1.—Although it has 100 feet of open hole and has not been thoroughly cleaned out, the Worsham well of the Gulf Production company is reported flowing by heads at the rate of 200 barrels a day.

Quite a bit of interest has been created by the fact that the production has been sustained under the circumstances. Officials of the company state that the flow will materially increase when the job of cleaning out after the shot of nitro has been completed.

Gas Consumption Rate Is Enormous

Special to Record News.

BARTLESVILLE, Okla., Feb. 1.—Citizens of Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Missouri consumed more than 25,691,188,000 cubic feet of gas in 1922, according to the yearly report of the Empire companies, one of the largest distributing and producing companies in the Mid-continent field.

This gas was consumed in 135 cities and towns which is served by the Empire companies. The total of more than 206,000 customers representing a population of more than 1,000,000 were served in these 135 communities. In addition a vast number of industries were served by the Empire companies.

Washington Oil Corporation To Operate Here

A permit to do business in Texas was granted in Austin Thursday to the Strohm Oil corporation of Walla Walla, Wash., according to word received here Texas headquarters will be in Wichita Falls, with J. H. Strohm as state agent.

The company has capital stock og $100,000.

Test Near Lake Having Trouble

According to information received Thursday, the Whitehill well on the J. R. McDowell survey, near Lake Wichita, is having trouble seating casing. It is thought the top of the stand has been shut off and an attempt is being made to remedy this.

The well is 625 feet deep and has been variously estimated from 10 to 25 barrels.

KNIGHTS IN CONCLAVE

VERNON, Texas, Feb. 1.—Vernon commandery number 33 had stated conclave Tuesday, when work was put on nine candidates from Electra and Crowell. A banquet was served to over 200 Sir Knights and their ladies by the ladies of the Presbyterian church. Those taking the degrees were: Joe Bassant, Leonard D. Embrey, John C. Shaw, Riley Bomar, Gus, Igon, Ernest Hauser, Roy Bessant, Landon K. Bowery, and Curtis U. Beasley.

Archer County Test Spudded in Soon

Next Monday, Archer county will see a new well spudded in when Thomas, Jones and Taylor start drilling on their center 80 acres in section 122, American Tribune new colony lands.

This test is three and one-half miles north of Archer City and may prove to be an extension of the Miller-Dycus pool which lies one mile to the southeast.

180 Barrel Well On Ferguson Tract

A 180-barrel well has been completed by the Freeman-Hampton syndicate on their lease B of the W. P. Ferguson tract in Archer county. This is their No. 3 well on lease B in section No. 2 and is an offset to the J. I. Staley producers in this tract. It is in the 1,580 foot sand and is showing up as one of the best completions of the week.

"Suspended Animation" Turns Out To Be Death

By Associated Press.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 1.—The funeral of George Stevenson will be held here tomorrow. The body had remained in an undertaker's establishment for eight days, members of the Stevenson family and close friends maintaining that he was not dead but in a state of suspended animation.

W-K Spark Plugs reduce oil pumping.—Adv.

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A Page of Society and Household News for the Woman Reader

Wichita Falls Girl Selected For Part In Coach House Players

Miss Elvia Allman, former pupil in dramatic art, of Mrs. E. L. Fulton, is appearing three nights, January 31, and February 1 and 2 in the Coach House Players, according to information received from the Coach House publicity agent. Miss Allman is seen in the part of Dorina in "Sicilian Limes," a one-act play by Luigi Pirandello, who also wrote, "Six Characters in Search of an Author," a play which has been one of the most successful productions of the current season in New York.

The article continues by saying, "Miss Allman has been studying dramatic art with Miss Mary Agnes Doyle, Fine Arts building, and shows great promise as an actress."

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MRS. STEWART HONOREE AT BRIDGE PARTY

Complimenting Mrs. L. E. Stewart, who is leaving soon for Dallas to make her home, Mesdames C. C. Randle and W. C. Witcher were hostesses Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former with one of the most delightful parties of the season.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and luncheon and huge bowls of red carnations and red roses were used in profusion with the ferns and other greenery in the reception suite.

Four tables were arranged for the players, and favors consisted of miniature scarlet baskets filled with salted nuts. In the games, Mrs. D. H. Whitehill won the high score favor, a silver inlaid pottery tea pot. Mrs. A. W. West was consoled for low score with a cut glass mayonnaise jar.

A dainty salad plate was served to Mesdames Ralph Peterson, I. A. Kendall, Carl C. Eckman, O. W. Wilson, Milton Gaines, Hugh Weaver, Robert Hamilton, A. M. Lewis, W. M. Gamble, L. A. Davis, F. A. Ray, Whitehill, West and Stewart.

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TICKET SALES DRAWING TO A CLOSE TODAY

Ticket sales for the elaborate pageant, "The Feast of the Red Corn," to be presented at the Palace theater this evening, in which 30 local children wil ltake part, are drawing to a close, and those engaged in the selling are requested to report to Mrs. B. F. Johnson at Mr. Johnson's office in the Bob Waggoner building, by 5 o'clock this afternoon. The pageant will be presented under the direction of Mrs. E. L. Fulton, who has given liberally of her time to the work of directing and rehearsals. The theater is being donated by Mr. Ford, the manager, and George Hodging, who will be the stage director, is also donating his services.

The Civic league, which is sponsoring the production, will receive the proceeds which will be used in the various departments of the league for civic and sanitary work in the city.

Tickets will also be on sale at Tipton's Drug store today for tonight's performance.

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JUNIOR TRAVEL CLUB CONTINUES STUDY

A continuation of Victorian essayists furnished the topic of an interesting lesson for the Junior Travel club at the meeting held Wednesday afternoon at the library with Mrs. Julian McFall leader. Mrs. Chester Wynne presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. F. T. Datson, and also gave the citizenship paper of the afternoon on "The Kemp Library and the Post Office."

Mrs. McFall read a paper on "The Lives of McCauley and Carlyle," and also read one prepared by Mrs. Elmer de Montel on "McCauley's Ideals and Style, Contrasted with that of Carlyle's." Mrs. George Watson gave a reading, Ruskin's "Sunrise and Sunset." Mrs. Platt read a paper on "Stevenson, the Optimist," and Mrs. W. B. Smith gave for a recitation Stevenson's "Requiem."

Those present were Mesdames G.W. Platt, E. T. Duff, J. J. Fennessy, W. T. Knight, P. M. Ferguson, C. C. Jones Jr., A. L. Lane, Harold Rose, W. R. McClain, Julian McFall, W. B. Smith, I. R. Sheldon, Wayne Somerville, George H. Watson, Chester Wynne and Misses Johnny Morgan and Emma Carter.

Today's Calendar

Meeting of the Alamo Mothers' club at the building this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Ira G. Craig, 1816 Eleventh street, will be hostess to the Culture club, afternoon.

The Wichita Art association will meet at the First Baptist church, this evening.

Mrs. Wiley Robertson will be hostess to the Unity club, afternoon.

The University Study club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Berney, morning.

Mrs. R. E. Stepherd will be hostess to the New Century club.

The Friday Bridge club will meet with Miss Nancy Jane Harlin, afternoon.

"Feast of Red Corn," a pageant, will be presented at the Palace, under the auspices of the Civic league, evening.

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Y. W. C. A. BOARD HONORS MISS WOOD

Miss Lulu Wood, chairman of the Girls' Work section of the Y. W. C. A., was complimented with a lovely luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. recreation rooms Thursday morning

The table was prettily decorated for the occasion in the wedding colors of red and white suggestive of the date of the nuptials which is St. Valentine's Day, with wedding bells of green and white, suspended from the ceiling. Vases of white narcissus and ferns were used also.

A delicious menu was served. Covers were laid for Miss Wood, her father, G. Clint Wood, Ramond Myers, groom-elect, and for members of the Y. W. C. A. executive board including: Mesdames B. L. Fain, C. R. Hartsook, W. P. Killingsworth, J. A. Richolt, E. T. Duff, M. M. Adickes, C. W. Beavers, W. O. Davidson, Iva Austin, Beulah Boggess and Miss Irma Durnal.

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ALAMO MOTHERS WILL MEET TODAY

The Alamo Mother's club will meet at the school this afternoon at 3 o'clock when the program wil lbe given as follows:

Devotionals, Miss Kate Haynes.

Business session.

"Star Spangled Banner," Alamo chorus.

Reading, Miss Elizabeth Carrigan.

Music, Alamo orchestra.

Talk, "A Lesson On Patriotism," Hugh Porter, principal of the high school.

Today will be the first appearance in public of the Alamo chorus and the orchestra, and their musical numbers are being looked forward to with enthusiasm by their friends and patrons of the school.

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MRS. HASKEL GIVES READINGS AT CLUB

Mrs. Fennetta Sargeant Haskel, talented reader who appeared on two occasions at the Academy of Mary Immaculate, and who was the house-guest of Mrs. T. A. Hicks, entertained 50 members and associate members of the Players club with readings at their weekly meeting Thursday morning at the library.

Mrs. Haskel proved herself a reader of unusual ability and has in her repertoire an interesting collection, ranging from readings from Shakespeare, to the Bible and from Dickens to Browning.

Mrs. Haskel went from here to Denver, Colorado, where she will appear in recital.

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PROGRAM FEATURES MOTHERS CLUB MEETING

A delightful program featured one of the most interesting meetings of the winter season held by the Austin Mother's club at the Austin school Thursday afernoon Devotionals were led by the Rev. F. C. Laslette, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, who spoke feelingly on "Woman's Influence and Her Position in the World."

Pupils of Miss McComb's room gave exercises and Miss Ring gave a piano number. Mrs. Verne Harrell gave a reading.

After the program, a business session fololwed in which all the mothers whose names commenced with letters from A to L introduced themselves, and a Ciscussion was held concerning the sale of tickets for the pageant tonight given under the auspices of the Civic league. The committee on the new rest room reported it completely furnished and described it as being urusually tasteful with a color scheme of blue carried out in the draperies and rug.

A lavatory for the room was contributed by the board of education, and a medicine cabinet by the North Texas Furniture company.

Much interest was manifested in checking the slips passed around among the members containing eight suggestions of things that each might do to improve the club.

There were 75 members present.

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STORY HOUR WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

Little folks will be interested in the story telling hour at the library Saturday afternoon when, with Mrs. Curtis Atkinson in charge, the program will include "Pussy Cat," from the North Legends; "Chinck," one of Ernest Seton's tales, and "The Enchanted House," frrom Arabian Nights.

Somebody's Birthday

By ELSA ALLEN

You are overcritical if born this day and constantly analyze all your own emotions as well as those with which you come in contact. Even in your affairs of the heart you are always conscious of your every emotion, and for that reason you always want the other person to make the advances so you may act the critic.

However, you are at heart really quite effectionate but until you teach yourself to enjoy your emotions rather than to weigh the effect of them on others, you will be thought very conceited and an unresponsive friend, which really wounds you very much.

You are versatile and can do many things, but because you have the ability to express yourself well, you are apt to talk too much, and to waste your life on one hobby after another.

You find concentration very difficult, but it is only through rigid application that you will succeed in making one of your many interests a profitable life work. Remember, what you are going to do, it is much harder to do it because in balking that once you have balked about about it, you have actually done it mentally and you are the type that is as easily satisfied with the thought as with the performance.

The women of this day are more practical and are always successful in driving bargains.

Today should prove auspicious for romance, and marriages contracted will be joyful and enduring.

Children who are born today will be impulsive in their early youth, but in maturity, powerful and successful in all walks of life.

Famous persons born today: Jasha Heifetz, violinst; Samuel Richardson, novelist; William Rose Bennet, poet.

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JIMMIE AND DAD RADIO STORIES

LV. Jimmie and Dad Make Out Their CW Shopping List.

By Broad Caster(.)

"I'm going to go down town, tomorrow, Jimmie, and see if I can find anw CW sending outfits so you and I can get into this game right."

"You are a real sport, dad! That will be great and I can be your radio engineer! I understand all that you have to do to call yourself a radio engineer is to know the code and be able to set up a CW set. You know, dad, to be a railroad engineer all you have to know is ho wto run an engine, so all a radio engineer has to do is to be able to run a CW set. That will sound big. I can have cards printed 'Jimmie Jones, R. E.' And dad, when I get a little older I can hang out a shingle with my name on it and all these people that don't know anything about how to put up an antenna for receiving will come to me and pay me big money. Some fine dope, don't you think, dad?"

"Get this, Jimmie! You are about as far from beig a radio engineer as I am from being Dr. Stenmetz, even though I should grow whiskers. Let's see what all we have to have Jimmie to make a CW set. Let's make up a list."

"The first thing we must have, dad, will be an antenna for sending. We will have to get all the dope on an tenna then use our best judgment as to the one that will suit our location and purpose. That will take lots of study alone. Then we must have a motor generator for 500 volts direct current for the CW tubes and one that will work off our house lighting juice, which is 110 volts 60-cycle, alternating current. In other words, a mechanical device which will change the alternating current into direct current."

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"Yes, Jimmie, we will have to have that above all things, for CW won't work very well off of a rectified alternating current unless you want just plain CW dot and dash sending. I want a wireless telephone set that will talk about 50 miles using 5-watt tubes. I have been getting a little dope on this Heising circuit for telephones myself. Since you as my 'expert radio engineer' can make the oscillator work I think I can make the telephone part work. That will take four 5-watters and some kind of a small tube for a voice amplifier."

"You are a regular fellow, dad! Going to get all that stuff? More stuff you will have to have will be two CW variable condensers, two one-thousandths microfarad mica condensers for the grid and plate circuits of the oscillator, a piece of bakelite tubing for the oscillator coils and several one microfarad telephone condensers for filtering out the ripple of the commutator on the direct current generator.' '

"Back up a minute Jimmie. What is a ripple in a commutator? That's a new one on me."

"Well, dad, any direct current generator does not give an even potential direct current. It is only pulsating. The more commutator bars there are in the commutator the smaller the change in the voltage between each bar and therefore the less ripple. Now you see you must have as near a purely direct current as it is possible to get. The way they do it is to put a big iron core reactance coil in the direct current line. The reactance coil builds up a great big magnetic field which tends to smooth out the pulsations of the generator. To make matters better, a big condenser is placed one on each side of the big reactance coil, as it is called These condensers must be of different capacity to give the best results."

"So that is the dope is it? Then we will have to specify a No. 1 filter outfit composed of a filter coil and several telephone condensers.

"That's the stuff. Then you also must have five sockets for the set, another big magnetism tank called a choke which holds the voice waves in the CW set so they can't get back into the generator but will go out into the antenna proper."

'Jimmie don' you and your father know that it is long past bed time, and that you haven't even opened your school books this whole evening long?'

"Gee, dad, hear that calldown. Good night."

"Good night, ol' timer."

Society Personals

Mrs. C. C. Parfet, 1706 Monroe, is ill with influenza.

Mrs. J. R. Clymer, 1312 Monroe, will leave soon for Sweetwater, Texas, where they will make their home.

Mrs. M. J. Powell, 1303 Filmore, who is confined at the General hospital, recovering from an operation, and taking radium treatment, is reported improved and will soon be able to be removed to her home.

Mrs. C. B. Bailey and son C. B. Jr., and niece, Evelyn Tremble, of 1708 Grant street, are ill at their home with influenza.

Mrs. Charles Canady of Amarillo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. T. Childers at 2017 Elizabeth street.

Mrs. Fennetta Sargeant Haskell, who has been the house guest of Mrs. T. A. Hicks, 1506 Filmore, left yesterday for Denver, Colo., where she will appear in recital.

W. B. McClain, 2006 Tenth street, is up after an attack of influenza.

W. T. Willis was called to Fort Worth Thursday on account of the serious illness of his sister.

Your Heart and Home Problems Solved By Elizabeth Thompsun

Dear Mrs. Thompsun: I am a girl sixteen years old and in high school. I go with some one who is ten years older. Sometimes I am doubtful about him, whether he loves me or not. Sometimes I think he is only "kidding" me. I told him so and he said I should not say so and ought to know better.

The reason for my saying that is that he never takes me anywhere for amusement and I cannot tell him that is the reason. Occasionally he will take me for a ride, always at night, but never during the day. Sometimes I think he is ashamed of me.

His reason for not coming often was that my parents might object to his coming too much. He is a good friend of theirs and they think a lot of him. Sometimes he acts as though he were simply crazy about me, and other times he seems to be in deep thought. I do not understand. Please tell me what to do. Do you think he cares? BLUE EYES.

You have not told me the thing which would help most in deciding your problem. Does the man have any other girl and does he take her places? If you are the only one, the fact that he does not take you places would simply indicate that he hates to spend the money or that he considers you too young to be regarded as a sweetheart.

He is not crazy about you or he would want to be with you more regardless of your parents' attitude in the matter. It looks to me as if he enjoys your company occasionally, but that is all.

My advice is to try not to think of him as a sweetheart and to look for friends of your own age.

Dear Mrs. Thompsun: I am a girl of sixteen. My mother permits me to go with boys. I went with one almost all summer and part of the winter and then I quit him for another boy whom I thought I loved as well as the first. After I had gone with him several times, however, I found out differently.

I received a nice Christmas present from the first boy and also a New Year's greeting. He always acts as if he would like to make a date with me again and I have found out from one of his friends that he is afraid to ask me for a date for fear I will turn him down. He always speaks in a very friendly manner when we meet. How can I let him know that I would like a date with him if he would ask me?

I have bobbed hair. Do you think that once a week is too often to wash it?

Some people say that girls who wear earrings are vulgar-looking or tough. Do you think this is true? JUST ME.

The next time you meet the first boy tell him you wish he would come to see you sometime. Since he remembered you at Christmas time it would not be running after him in the least to ask him to come.

Do not wash your hair more often than once in two weeks. The oftener you wash it, the more oily it becomes.

It is a matter of opinion whether earrings are tough and vulgar-looking. They have been very popular and worn by people who are not the least bit tough or vulgar. Personally, I prefer simplicity in the matter of dress and do not like earrings worn except for dress occasions.

At the national Physical laboratory, in England, model airplanes are tested in wind tunnels, through which strong currents of air are driven.

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WISE OLD TURKS

Turkey has refused to accept the British proposal to refer the Mosul oil dispute to the league of nations. John Bull is determined to capture these rich oil fields. He has no more a legal claim to Mosul than he has to the state of Texas, but wherever there is oil, there is wealth and also wherever there is wealth there is hell.

Take Mexico for instance. First the oil kings demanded that their attorneys should draft a new constitution for Mexico and that the Mexican government should accept it. Having failed in this, they prevented a recognition of the Obregon government by the United States government.

President Harding is trailing along in the path blazed by a former president. Woodrow Wilson.

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Twelve armed bandits in the city of Chicago drilled through a vault and stole 600 cases of whiskey. Six hundred cases of whiskey must have made some load for twelve armed bandits when they made their successful getaway. It would have taken a hundred Dr. Atticus Webb to have carried away 600 cases of whiskey and the 100 would have been compelled to make more than one trip.

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According to a Smithville correspondent, in the examination of 547 pupils in the primary grades of the public schools, 404 were found defective. This could not have happened in the good old days. In the good old days they did not employ defective hunters. Now the world is very wise and the experts say it is very weak.

MOSUL AND ITS OIL

Now John Bull demands that Mosul oil territory dispute shall be referred to the league of nations. This would make it easy for Mr. Bull and hard for the Turk, as France and Italy and Belgium and other European powers would vote to give the oil to Mr. Bull. Of course it is in treacherous territory, but Mr. Bull insists that the Lord placed in the earth in Turkish territory for the sole use of the people of a civilized nation.

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IN ALABAMA

Alabama upper house lawmakers are opposed to a blue Sunday. By a vote of 18 to 17 the senate of the Alabama legislature voted to postpone indefinately the Sunday observance bill which called for a closing of Sunday movies and baseball in Alabama. And think of it. A change of one vote would have made an amusement a criminal offense.

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PANCHO AS A FINANCIER

General Pancho Villa has abandoned his project for starting a bank of issue in Mexico. In his bandit days, General Villa disestablished many banks in Mexico. He was a master of his profession. Now that he is an apostle of peace and prosperity, there is no reason why he should not become a Napoleon of legitimate finance.

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CHIEF JUSTICE TAFT

Chief Justice William Howard Taft suggested the appointment to the supreme bench of Pierce Butler of Minnesota and later that of Edward T. Sanford of Tennessee. All Americans who place their country above party agree that Chief Justice William Howard Taft is a splendid judge of supreme court timber. As president he appointed Edward Douglas White chief justice of the supreme Court of the United States, and White was not only a consistent democrat but he had worn the grey uniform of a confederate soldier.

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It must be conceded that the Texas penitentiary system is not a paying investment. Its managers have a deficit of $750,000 to carry on and all the wide world before them. Wouldn't the 4,000 convicts make magnificent road builders.

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OTHER FISH TO FRY

Proposed submission of a constitutional amendment to abolish the poll tax as a qualification for voting was defeated in the house. A bloc of members who fought the proposition contended that in some sections it would give political control to negroes. They did not designate the place or places. They could not, if they tried. There are no such spots on the Texas map. In the so called black districts of Texas the negro has other fish to fry on election day, and he knows where the fishing is good.

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According to consular reports American exports of anthracites declined and Great Britain is shipping coal to Germany. When it comes to the commerce of the world, Mr. John Bull is the smoothest of all traders and shippers. He knows what he wants and he goes out and gets it.

UNCOMMON SENSE

By JOHN BLAKE

THE PERIL OF POPULARITY

Give a child a $5 bill, with permission to spend it as he likes, and you will likely need another five dollar bill to pay the doctor for curing him of indigestion.

To stand sudden prosperity requires an adult mind.

Unfortunately, all adults do not possess adult minds.

The world is full of children, of all ages.

A great many of them found their way into the new and wonderful film world when it began to play a part in the lives of millions of people.

One of these children, good looking and talented—a grown-up in years, but a child in experience with the world—has just died—of the drug habit.

Success came to him too easily. He got his $5 before he learned what to do with it.

And when he had spent it foolishly, it was too late to call the doctor.

The case of this young man is particularly tragic, for he had a happy and lovable nature, and the pictures in which he appeared were the delight of people all over the world.

Throughout his success, he was proof against the conceit that so often spoils the work of overnight stars.

He improved in his understanding of his profession steadily.

He might easily have become one of the greatest cinema actors of the day—indeed there were many thousands who believed that he was.

But the flood of gold that poured in delighted and bewildered him at first, and became his curse afterward.

To spend this money for what seemed to his undeveloped mind to be pleasure, was his only care.

And when such few pleasures as can be bought by money palled, he turned to drugs for another thrill.

The thrill was short lived.

Two years of the drug habit brought him a realization of what he had done with his life.

Then he tried to fight it off. But the drug habit, once fixed, cannot be fought off. His fight ended in his death.

It is well that good fairies do not come to grant the wishes of the children of this world. It is well that people are not Aladdins, who can rub a lamp and gain their desires.

For the majority of people are children till hard work and trouble has made men and women of them. And children play with money as they would with toys, and money in the hands of a child is a dangerous and often fatal toy.

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ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

TO A MALE FLAPPER

How do you get in those trousers, kid?
Do you get them on over your spats?
And do you get that sassy lid
In the store where they sell men's hats?

Wadd'ye put on your hair. Vaseline?
Do you polish your own nails,
Who's your particular movie queen?
Do you get scented notes in the mails?

Is your collar tight? Or is it the mumps?
And, tell me, since you are a clerk
Do you wear those one-step dancing pumps?
And take your can with you to work?

Just one more question and then you can go—
Really, now, what do you plan
To be, when to manhood you finally grow?
(That is, if you turn out a man.)

—Lester Lamb

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If France is aiming at world domain she should take a look at a certain poor old boob who is babbling away to himself at Doorn, and change her mind.

We have never had any ambition to make an afterdinner speech to the Reptile Society of America. They had their annual party the other night and had their little pets on exhibition. One might have gone to these dinners in the old days and felt fairly at home with the little pets, but conditions have bben amended.

It is rumored that Uncle Joe Cannon stopped smoking on New Year's day, but personally we shall continue to regard this only in the light of a rumor.

New Jersey man left a will providing that the widow shall be allowed to use the automobile but not on Sundays. Now, being a woman, she will probably decide that is the only day she wants it.

Hints For Care of Baby.

Many mothers who worry over caring for their infants need worry no more. One paper in New York is offering hints in this direction. The following hints under this head appeared recently.

"Andrew Johnson became president upon the assassination of Abraham Lincoln.

"The leaves of plants differ in shape in accordance with the varying needs of the plants.

"'Infra dig.' an abbreviation for 'infra dignatatem,' is a Latin phrase meaning beneath one's dignity.

"A moderate breeze is a wind between twenty and thirty miles an hour."

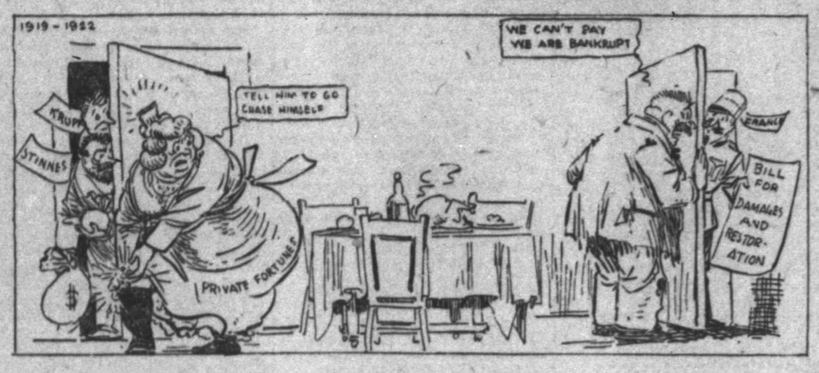
Texan's Nomination Is Held Up By Committee

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Action on the nomination of James McNary, El Paso, Texas, and New Mexico banker, to be comptrolled of the currency, was postponed after investigation of his financial transactions with Southwestern and New York banks.

English people are flocking to Australia at the rate of 2,500 to 3,000 a month.

A Simple Exercise For Those Troubled With a Bad Memory



More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

CULTURE ON THE SEA

(British sailors are expected to read all standard works of English literature before they are accepted for the navy.—London cable.)

Though a gob don't need to quote from Keats or Shelley,
When applying for a job to polish brass;
Though they let him swab a rifle if he has the merest trifle
Of the thing that's known as literary class:
It is different with the modern British sailor—
'Ere he ever is allowed to board a ship
He must have a grip like iron on the works of Mr. Byron,
And recite the English bards without a slip.

Any lad can help to work a Yankee warship
When he once has learned to write—or print—his name.
Uncle Samuel won't reject him should he happen to detect him
Somewhat clumsy at the literary game.
If he knows the team that won last seaon's pennant,
And whom Dempsey's going to fight with next July,
And can count as far as twenty, he has qualities in plenty
And he's reasonably certain to get by.

But the British sailor needs a broader culture,
And he has to have it with him at the start;
He will stay a second rater till he's up on Walter Pater,
And knows Spenser, Shaw and Chesterton by heart.
When his majesty's grand fleet is on the ocean
Dons from Oxford are bound to coach the crew,
And the hum of recitations and of classic quotations
Wake the echoes of the boundless bounding blue.

We're afraid our Yankee tars are dreadful rough-necks,
We don't pick 'em for their learning over here:
Not to save themselves from drowning could the give a line from Browning
Or repeat one-half of Hamlet or King Lear.
Still we sort of think that if a row is started,
And the British are our allies in the fuss,
That their learning won't divert 'em, or their higher culture hurt 'em,
And our lack of erudition won't hurt us!

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MERELY A THEORY

We're wondering if a lot of people who wear those Ku Klux gowns don't don it to conceal what they're carrying in their hip pockets.

NO FAVORITISM

In justice to the Irish it may be said that they break as many of their own laws as they did those of the English.

DISTRESSING REVERSAL

The fuel administration has played havoc with that "Accept No Substitute" campaign.

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Woman Seeks Divorce From Frederick Postman

Special to Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 1.—Mrs. L. A. Randolph, Wednesday, filed suit for divorce from her husband, E. N. Randolph, said to be a mail carrier at Tipton, alleging abandonment and non-support.

W-K Spark Plugs fire when others fail.—Adv.

Frederick DeMolays To Get New Uniforms Soon

Special to Record News.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 1.—The members of the DeMolay here will appear in new uniforms at the regular meeting Tuesday for putting on both degrees of DeMolay work.

W-K Spark Plugs reduce carbon.—Adv.

WHO'S WHO

ERNEST DE WITT BURTON

Ernest De Witt Burton, head of the department of New Testament and early Christian literature, and director of the libraries at the University of Chicago, will be the new president of that institution. He will take up his duties upon the retirement next month of Harry Prat Judson, who has been head of the university for sixteen years.

E. DE WITT BURTON

Prof. Burton will be remembered by some as the editor in chief of the Biblical World, a publication of the divinity school at Chicago university. He attracted wide comment in 1909 through an editorial which gave a new light on the Bible. He is reported to have said at that time that the Bible cannot be taken as a compendium of truth, nor even of theology.

The University of Chicago has had but two presidents, the late William Rainey Harper and Dr. Judson. Prof. Burton will be the third president. He was chairman of the committee that drew the plans for the $3,000,000 group of buildings at the university in 1914.

He was born at Granville, Ohio, in 1856. He was graduated from Denison university in 1876 and from the Rochester Theological seminary in 1882. He later studied in Leipzig and Berlin. He acted as Greek instructor at Rochester Theological seminary and was professor in the Newton Theological institution before going to Chicago in 1892.

SUNSHINE PELLETS

By DR. THOMSON

"There's safety in numbers"—
Is another old saw
That seldom cuts timber
When the weather is raw.

For soldiers, in barracks
That are stuffy and small,
Find "safety in numbers"
Isn't safety at all.

When you huddle men you mingle their microbes.

Medical colleges are founded on full stomachs.

"S. R. O." often means Sanitary Rules Omitted.

Candies nuts and pies and cakes,
Castor oil and stomach aches;
These and more the youngster takes
on Christmas.

Dust and flies have ever hovered over food that's never covered.

When the sun shines, the doctor pines; when skies are grey the doctor's gay.

Dried beef is made by driving off the water, in a current of dry, hot, air. Don't be a piece of dried beef.

TIMELY VIEWS ON WORLD TOPICS

"PEASANTS PLANTING MORE AND MORE IN RUSSIA," SAYS RETURNED INVESTIGATOR

That there has been 50 per cent. more planting in the famine districts of Russia than at any time during the last two or three years shows the peasant sees in the relinquishment of state lands on long leases a chance for personal gain, according to Allen T. Burns, director of the National Information Bureau, who returned last week from Russia. Mr. Burns as a member of a commission representing philanthropic agencies was sent to investigate the need for further aid. The Communists said that they were now able to feed all but four and a quarter millions of the population. For this number, the majority of whom were adults, they asked help another year.

"While the land is still nominally held by the Latin government," said Mr. Burns, "it is being passed on to the peasants on longer and longer leases. They in turn pay the government 10 per cent of their crops in taxation. Thus 90 per cent is kept by the lessees. From confiscation to taxation has been a considerable step, and in it some see the ultimate return of private ownership.

"We talked to many farmers in the southern Ukraine, and, while they are still badly handicapped by lack of horses and oxen to do their plowing, they are planting an increasing number of acres. Down in southeastern Russia, on the border of the Caspian sea, there is a district almost entirely inhabited by nomads and these gypsy folk seemed to be the only people who had any animals. The peasants do not raise enough to feed their animals through the winter, in addition to what they need for themselves, so they kill them for food. And, of course for every animal owned by the farmer he pays a tax.

"As all railroads seem to run out of Moscow we had to go back there to start on trips to various parts of the famine area. Each week there was a noticeable change in retail business. New shops opened up every day, and there was plenty of competition in trading and buying. Under the new economic policy the merchants are not afraid to go into business. They know their plants will not be confiscated as they were under the old regime. All of the popular jokes in Russia are about the NEP and the people who have made money since NEP (new economic policy) came into being are the so-called new rich of the Soviets. But it has been a great boon to trade, which is improving daily in Moscow and the new system of taxation appeared to be working out satisfactorily to the people. Just as the peasants would not plant crops when they knew they would be confiscated just so the merchants refused to do business when they knew their merchandise would be seized. The NEP has given a new individualism to business."

Letters From The People

To the Editor:

Everybody at Austin, including the governor and members of the legislature, seem confused and at a loss how to raise revenue. Governor Neff pleads one day for encouraging industries in Texas, especially those that would work up our raw materials and the next day he is advocating tax measures that would have an opposite effect. In the same sentence he speaks of "The land owns and the home builders of this state" as if the tow were synonymous terms, then goes ahead and states, "have too long been bearing the brunt of government. Taxes should be equalized and reduced."

There is no hope of relief from such loose thinking. Land owners and home builders are not of the same class. As a matter of fact they stand against the other. Home builders are taxed decidedly too much and that is the reason we have so few of them. The land owner is not taxed enough, but makes his influence felt in legislation.

If we quit taxing home builders and everything that enters into the building of a home is we quit taxing factories and the machinery that enters into factories; if we quit taxing live stock and all improvements on the farm, we would all soon be at work and homes would spring up where we now have shacks. Factories would come into existence as if by magic and all our people would soon be well and profitably employed.

To get these resuts we must think these things out at home, then our governor and representatives would soon understand and respond to our wishes. A few letters to the governor and the representatives from business men, commending a little sound reason applied to taxation, would soon prove effective.

C. C. LINDLEY,
1632 Collins Ave.

Mann Act Charges Filed By Amarillo Officers

Special to Record News.

AMARILLO, Feb. 1.—Charges of violation of the Mann act have been placed against C. F. Judd and Mrs. J. C. Hagan, arrested here Monday night by local police officers on information from Kansas City. Mrs. Hagan, who admits she is the wife of John G. Hagan, sought by Kansas City officers, and who disclaims any knowledge as to the whereabouts of her husband, says she employed Judd to drive her car from Kansas City to El Paso.

Mrs. Rockefeller Forced To Flee When House Burns

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Mrs. William G. Rockefeller and her daughter, Florence, were forced to flee in their night clothes to a neighboring hotel when fire damaged three floors of their Madison avenue town house.

Guns of the Gods

By TALBOT MUNDY

A Story of Romance and Mystery in India

Yasmini, orphan daughter of a Rajput and of a Russian princess.

Gungadhura, her father's nephew, who succeeded him as maharajah of Sialpo.

Dick Blaine, an American engineer, employed by Gungadhura to find the "Sialpore treasure."

Theresa Blaine, his wife.

Chamu, the Blaine's butler, hired at Gungadhura's recommendation. After Blaine leaves in the morning for his work a young visitor, clad in the garments of a Rajput, calls. Theresa, aware that there is no small risk in inviting an eastern potentate to her house in the absence of her husband, does so anyway. The visitor's first remarks make her uneasy.

The visitor's bright eyes detected the instant resolution that Tess formed.

"But you must not be afraid of them. They will be very useful—often."

"How?"

The visitor made a gesture that drew attention to Chamu

"If we were alone—"

Tess decided to face the situation boldly. Part of her heritage was to dare and intuition gave her confidence.

"Chamu, you may go."

The butler waddled out of sight. Then:

"You feel afraid of me?" the visitor asked.

"Not at all. But tell me who you are and tell me why you use beggars to spy on my husband."

"Those who have great plans make powerful enemies, and fight against odds. I make friends where I can, and instruments even of my enemies. You are to be my friend."

"You look very young to—"

Suddenly Tess saw light again, and the discovery caused her pupils to contract a little and then dilate.

The visitor noticed it, and laughed. Then, leaning forward:

"How did you know I am a woman? Tell me. I must know. I shall study to act better."

"You remember when you called attention to the butled before I dismissed him? No man could do that You're a woman and you can dance.'

"So it is my shoulders? I will study again before the mirror. Yes, I can dance!"

"Tell me about yourself," Tess said.

"My mother was the Russian wife of Bubru Singh, who had no son. I am the rightful maharanee of Sialpore only those fools of English put my father's nephew on the throne, saying a woman can not reign. The brute is raising a litter of little pigs, so that even if he and his progeny were poisoned one by one, there would always be a brat left—he has so many!"

"And you?"

"First you must promise silence."

"On my word of honor. But I promise nothing else, remember!"

"So speaks one whose promises are given truly! I will tell you all that is in my heart now."

"Tell me your name first."

She was about to answer when interruption came from the direction of the gate. There was a restless horse there, and a rider using resonant strong language.

"Tom Tripe!" said Tess. "He's earlier than usual."

Chamu appeared through the door behind them with suspicious suddenness and waddled to the gate, watched by a pair of blue eyes that should have burned holes in his back and would certainly have robbed him of all comfort had he been aware of them.

Tess' strange guest produced a Bank of India note for one thousand rupees, folded it four times, and palmed it in a subtle hand before Tom Tripe came striding up the path with jingling spurs.

"Morning, ma'am—morning! Don't let me intrude. My horse cut his fetlock and I set your two saises (grooms) to work on it with a sponge and water. Twenty minutes will see it right as a trivet. Then, I'm off again!"

He stood looking up at Tess—a man of fifty—a soldier of another generation. His mutton-chop whiskers, dyed dark-brown, were military mid-Victorian. A great-chested, heavyweight athletic man, a few years past his prime.

"Come up, Tom. You're always welcome."

"Ah!" He did not get a clear view of the Rajputni "As I've said many times, ma'am, the one house in the world where Tom Tripe may sit down with princes and commissioners."

"Have you had breakfast?"

He made a wry face.

"The old story, ma'am. A hair of the dog that bit me is all the breakfast I could swallow."

She beckoned Chamu.

"Brandy and soda for the sahib. Call your dog, Tom."

Tom whistled shrilly and an ash-hued creature, part Great Dane, came up the path.

"Now get a big bone for the dog," she ordered.

"There is none," Chamu answered.

"Bring the leg-of-mutton bone of yesterday."

"That is for soup today."

"Bring it!"

Chamu was standing between Tom Tripe and the Rajputni with his back to the latter; so nobody saw the hand that slipped something into the ample folds of his sash. He departed muttering.

Tom Tripe having finished his drink. . . . .

A little later Yasmini and Tom Tripe, accompanied by Chamu left the house. As they reached the gate post, Yasmini opened on the butler.

"Scullion! Dish-breaker! Conveyor of uncleanliness! You have a son?"

"Truly, heaven-born. One son who grows into a man—the treasure of my old heart."

"A gambler!"

"A young man, heaven-born, who feels his manhood—now and then gay—now and then foolish—"

"Who borrowed from Mukhum Dass the money-lender, making untrue promises?"

"Nay, the money was to pay a debt."

"And now Mukhum Dass threatens prison?"

"Truly, heaven-born. The money lender is without shame—without mercy—without conscience."

"And that is why you—dog of a spying butler, set to betray the sahib's salt you eat—stole money from me? Was it to pay the debt of thy gambling brat-born-in-a-stable?"

", heaven-born, steal from thee?"

"Feel in his sash, Tom Tripe."

Tripe produced the 1,000-rupee note in less, saw through the plan and laughed.

Chamu capitulated utterly and wept.

"What shall I do?" he wailed.

"In the jail," Yasmini said, "you could not spy on my doings, nor report my sayings."

"Heaven-born, I am dumb! Only take back the money and I am dumb forever, never seeing or having seen or heard either you or this sahib here! Take back the money!"

"Put his thumb print on it, Tom, and see that he writes his name."

Tom produced a fountain pen and watched while Chamu made a thumb-mark and scratched a signature. Then:

"Take the money, nay thy puppy's debt with it, and see," Yasmini advised, "that Mukhum Dass gives a receipt, lest he claim the debt a second time."

Speechless between relief, doubt and resentment, Chamu hid the bank note in his sash and tried to feign gratitude.

"And now, your ladyship?" asked Tripe when he had gone.

"Your ladyship, it's all my life's worth!"

"Tell the maharajah that you have spoken with a certain Gunga Singh, who said that the Princess Yasmini is at the house of the commissioner sahib.

"But it's not true; they'll—"

"Do as I say, Tom Tripe, and when I am maharanee of Sialpore you shall have double pay — and a troupe of dancing girls—and a dozen horses—and the title of bahadur—and all the brandy you can drink. The sepoys shall furthermore have modern uniforms, and you shall drill them until they fall down dead. I have promised. Go!"

With a wag of his head that admitted impotence in the face of a woman's wiles, Tom strode away.

Then the princess walked through a room in the rear to a deeply cushioned window-seat while outside Commissioner Samson sat with Mrs. Blaine, trying to pull strings whose existence is not hinted at in blue books. Yasmini, passessing an uncanny gift of silence, settled herself to listen.

He was a beau ideal commissioner. It was not his first call at the Blaines' home, although he never contrived to find Dick Blaine at home.

As a bachelor he had no domestic difficulties to pin him down when office work was over for the morning, and, being a man of hardly more than 40, of fine physique, with an astonishing capacity for swift work, he could usually finish in an hour before breakfast what would have kept the rank and file of officials perspiring through the day.

He was a handsome man—too handsome, some said—with a profile like a medallion of Mark Antony.

A commissionership was an apparent rise in the world. Sialpore had the name of being a departmental culde-sac. But there are no such things as political blind alleys to a man who is a judge of indiscretion, provided he has certain other unusual gifts as well.

Sir Roland Samson, K. C. S. I., was not at all a disappointed man, nor even a discouraged one.

"All alone?" he asked, feeling sure that Mrs. Blaine was pleased to see him. "Husband in the hills as usual? I must choose a Sunday next time and find him in."

Tess smiled. She was used to the remark. He always made it, but always kept away on Sundays.

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(Another fine installment tomorrow.)

POEMS THAT LIVE

Blow, blow, thou winter wind,
Thou art not so unkind
As man's ingratitude;
Thy tooth is not so keen
Because thou art not seen,
Although thy breath be rude.
Heigh ho! sing heigh ho! unto the green holly.
Most friendship is feigning, most loving mere folly.
Then, heigh ho! the holly!
This life is most jolly.
Freeze, freeze, thou bitter sky,
Thou dost not bite so nigh
As benefits forgot;
Though thou the waters warp,
Thy sting is not so sharp
As friend's remember'd not.
Heigh ho! sing heigh ho! unto the green holly!
Most friendship is feigning, most loving mere folly.
Then, heigh ho, the holly!
This life is most jolly.

—Sheakespeare.

No matter how small the room, nor how many people in that room; each person should have one thousand cubic feet of fresh air every hour.

Burning eyes and burning nostrils, flushed face and sense of fullness in the head is a sure sign that the room you are occupying should be ventilated.

BARNEY GOOGLE — Sparky Feels His Oats. — By Billy De Beck

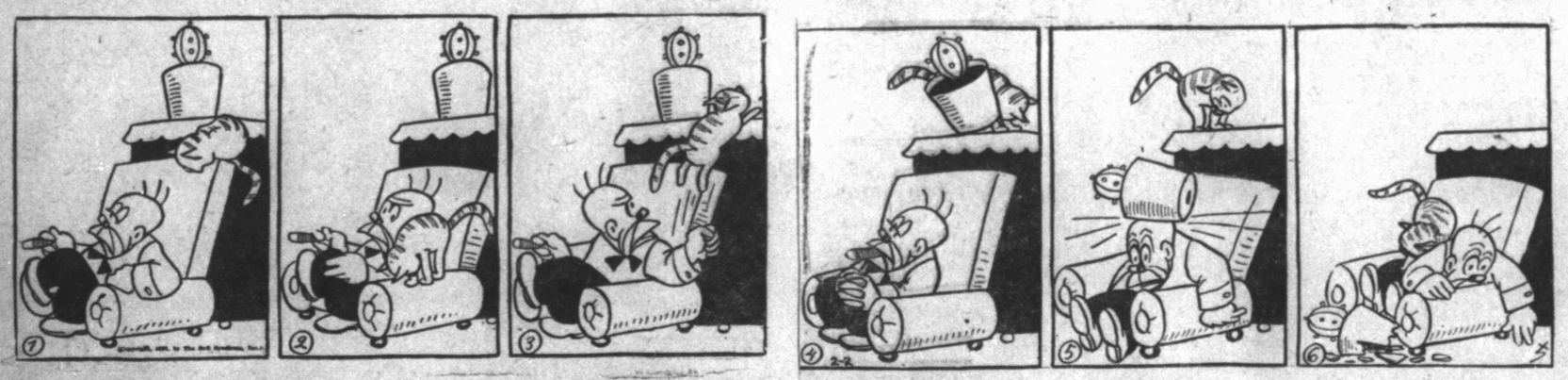
BARNEY GOOGLE APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN THE RECORD NEWS EVERY SUNDAY.

MAKING A SPEECH ISN'T AS BAD AS WAITING TO BE CALLED ON — By Rube Goldberg

BOOB M'NUTT, BY RUBE GOLDBERG, APPEARS EXCLUSIVELY IN THE RECORD NEWS EVERY SUNDAY

YOU KNOW ME AL — No Chance to See Jack After That — Words by Ring W. Lardner

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES — "I Love Little Pussy—" — By O. Jacobsson



REG'LAR FELLERS — That's a Great Admission by Any Dad's Kid — By Gene Byrnes

THIMBLE THEATRE — By Segar

THE 5:15 — By Segar

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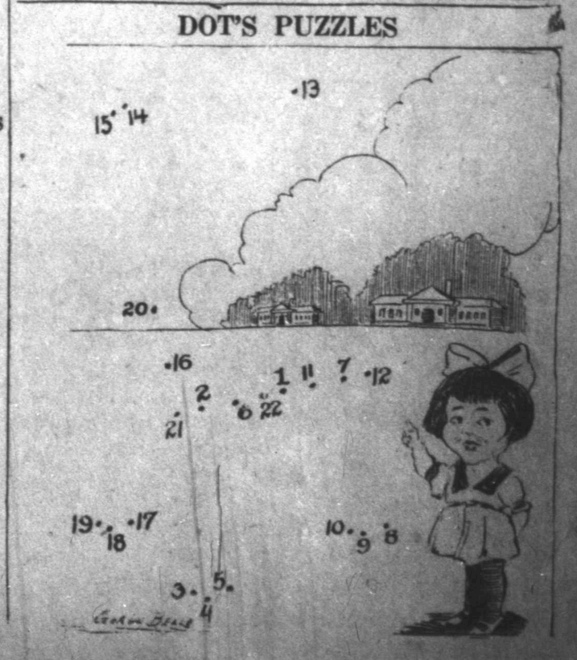
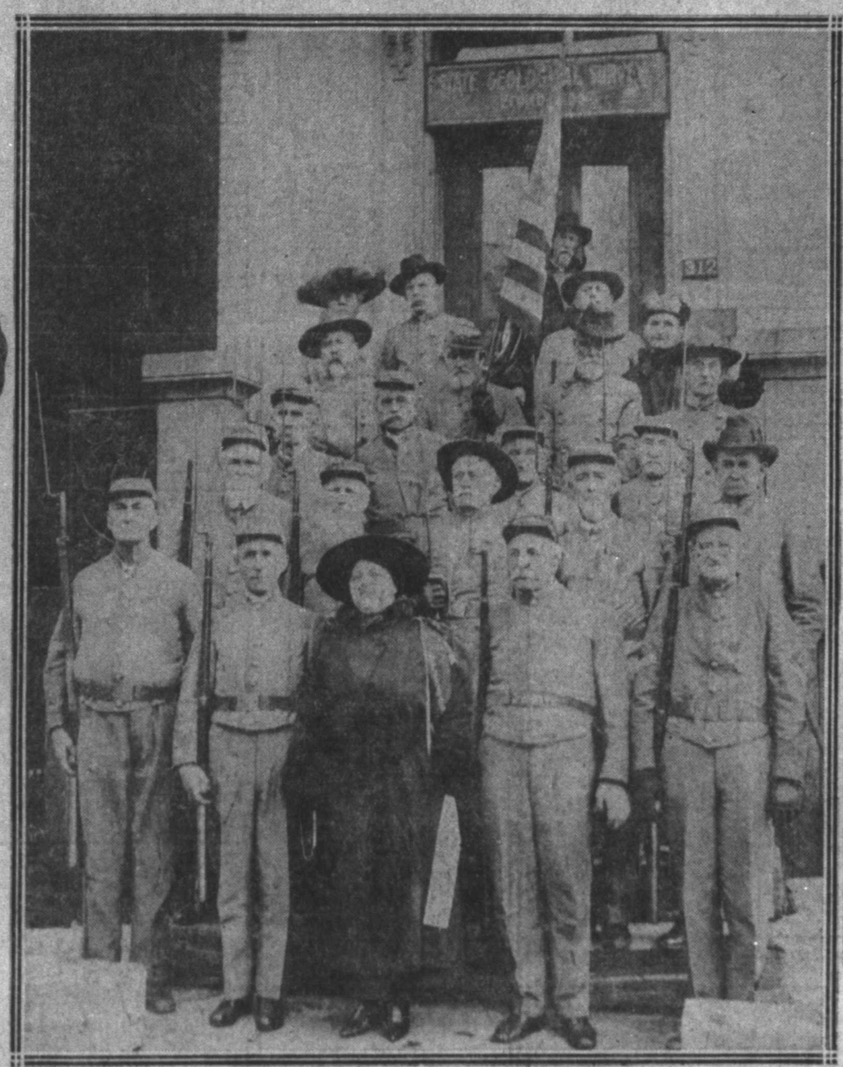


DAILY GRAPHIC REVIEW OF NEWS EVENTS

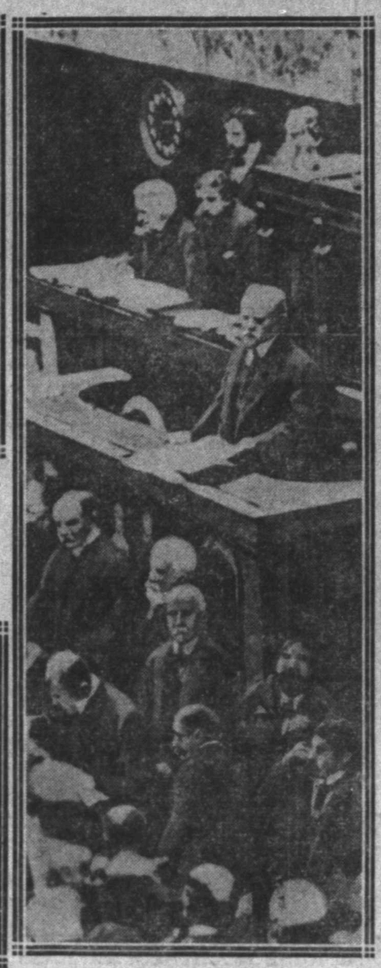
EDWARD KRENN, Swiss architect, reported fiancee of Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, wore fawn spats and yellow gloves when held by Chicago police for parking automobile too long in front of 10-cent store. (Int'l Newsreel.)



THEY FOUGHT UNDER STARS AND BARS, BUT THEY CARRY STARS AND STRIPES. — Company B, Confederate Volunteers, of Nashville, Tenn., enjoys distinction of being only organization of Confederacy now under arms as part of National Guard of State. Capt. H. C. Brickley commands. (U.U.)

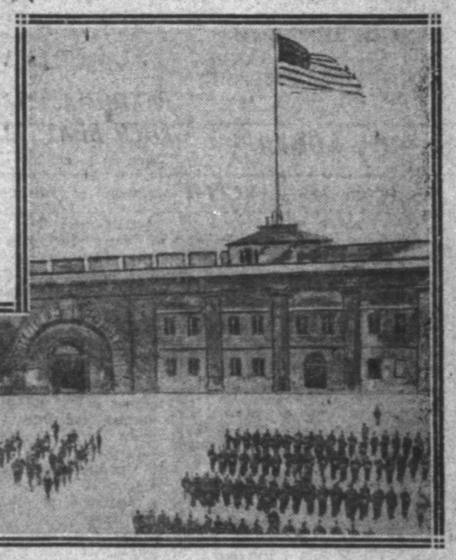
MME. CLAUDIA MUZIO, Chicago Opera Co. star, is suing Mrs. Harold McCormick (Ganna Walska) on charge latter stole her concert manager away. (Int'l Newsreel.)

MRS. AGHAVNIE NURI JANIAN, captured on honeymoon by band of Turks, escaped to Constantinople and rejoined husband, going to Boston with him. She says he treated her worse than Turks, and was granted divorce. (Int'l Newsreel.)



FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF HISTORIC SCENE.—Premier Poincare, of France, making memorable address in Chamber of Deputies in which he sanctioned and urged invasion of Ruhr district of Germany. Throngs cheered his every word. (Int'l Newsreel.)

GERMANY WILL TREAT IF THIS IS STOPPED. —French patrol on streets of Essen. Germans have offered to negotiate if they are withdrawn. (Int'l Newsreel.)



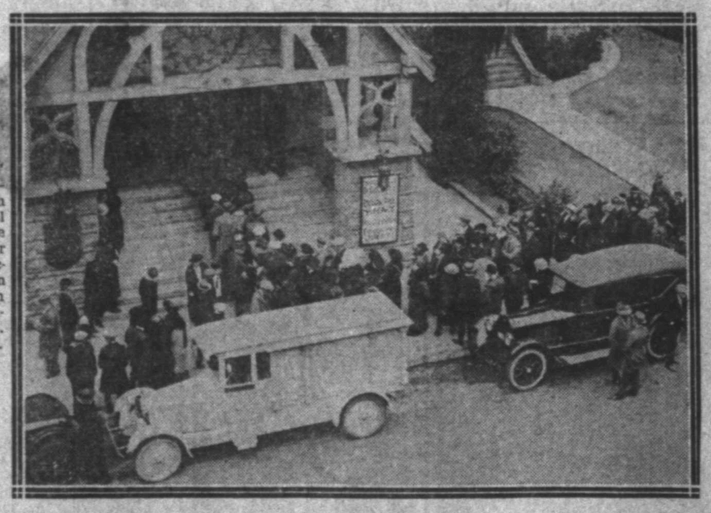
FROM STAFF OVER GROSSE TRAVERSE, on fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, near Coblenz, Germany, American flag has been hauled down and doughboys have ceased "Der Wacht am Rhein." Photograph shows flag flying few days before departure. (Int'l Newsreel.

VOODOO PRIESTESS' WILES LOSE IN COURT. —Five children of Mrs. Teresa Bell, of San Francisco, disinherited in will influenced by "sorceress," win fight for $850,000 estate. Mrs. Dorothy Bell, daughter-in-law (seated), and Mrs. Robina Bell Hessell, daughter, are shown. (Int'l Newsreel.)

NAOMA M'ALLISTER, pretty Chicago telephone operator, is suing Harry A. Fosick, former employer, for $25,000, alleging he dismissed her and told her friends she had gone to beach "petting parties" with married men. (Int'l Newsreel.)

ALL DRESSED UP IN HOLIDAY TRICK CLOTHES, including medal presented him by King Albert, of Belgium, Chief Big Hat, of Havausaupi Indian tribe, celebrated 110th birthday by killing coyote. His tribesmen live in home of cliff dwellers in Grand Canyon of Arizona. (U. U.)

MRS. MARGARET LAUDER ERICKSON, said to be related to Harry Lauder, is suing for divorce in Chicago. She is also suing husband's parents for $25,000 for alleged alienation of his affections. (Int'l Newsreel.)



"WALLY'S" FUNERAL — First photograph (right) of burial rites for Wallace Reid, screen star and "dope" victim, who died in Los Angeles in fight to free himself of drug habit. (Int'l Newsreel.

PEARL ROBERTS, Sacramento, Cal. screen beauty, plunged to death with Oscar F. Plagemann when auto in which they were riding crashed through open drawbridge.

LIEUT. COL. THE HON. CHARLES RAMSEY, brother-in-law of Princess Patricia, now Lady Ramsey, and uncle of Earl of Dalhousie, is touring America. (Int'l Newsreel.)

MRS. RUTH K. GERTH, of Minneapolis, Minn., has received first and second prizes of $1,200 in clock design contest. (K.V.)

EMIL ZERKOWITZ, president of Hungarian Banking Exchange, and former Commissioner of Immigration to U. S.

ENTER ANT-EATER AS LATEST PET of Miss Dereiys Perdue, descendant of founder of Perdue University, now prominent Hollywood, Cal., society girl. (Int'l Newsreel.)

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CHARMING EVENING FROCK that is making hit in Paris this season. (Int'l Newsreel.)

MISS GRACE MASON was winner of horse shoe pitching contest at Oglethorpe Prep School at Atlanta, Ga., where country sport has grown to championship proportions.

PET AIDS CUPID.—Mr. and Mrs. Aniello Sorrentino, of New York, were brought together by Pekinese pup which has now won over her father, who gave them $50,000 wedding present. (Int'l Newsreel.)

Rickara Refuses Dempsey Fight; O'Rourke Offers Purse

CHAMP WOULD MEET J. BECKETT

Wills Also Offered As Challenger

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A blanket proposition for Jack Dempsey to meet Harry Wills, negro boxer, and Joe Beckett, English heavyweight, was made today by Jack Kearns, the champion's manager, by Tom O'Rourke, match maker at the Polo Grounds after Tex Rickard, internationally known boxing promoter, had decided not to exercise an option which he had on Dempsey's services.

Beckett to Meet Champ

O'Rourke proposed that the bouts be held at the Polo Grounds in this city between April 15 and Oct. 15, preferably on the 4th of July and Sept. 3, Labor day. Matching of Dempsey and Beckett would depend on the outcome of a bout between the Englishman and Georges Carpentier in London in May.

O'Rourke made it clear he would not consider a match between Dempsey and Jess Willard—a match already barred in New York and New Jersey.

Dempsey Gets $500,000

While the details of O'Rourke's proposition were not made public, it was understood Dempsey's end of the purse for both matches would total $500,000.

Rickard today issued a statement declaring that he had decided, after full consideration, not to participate in any bidding for a heavyweight championship contest in which Jack Dempsey would defend his title. Rickard's statement was issued upon expiration of an option he had obtained barring Dempsey from accepting offers from any other boxing promoter for six days.

County Tourney Opens in Electra

Special to Record News.

ELECTRA, Feb. 1.—The Wichita county interscholastic basket ball tourney gets under way here today with the honor of representing the county schools in the district meet at Archer City at stake. The survivor goes into the district meet against winners from other counties in the district, the winner of this to compete in the state finals at Austin late in the spring.

The elimination system will be used. Finals will be played Saturday night.

Last year Clara, Wichita county entry, won both the county and district meet, but only after a furious battle with the Wichita Falls high quintet. The champs, however, were quickly eliminated in the state finals at Austin.

Wichita Falls is not an entry in the county meet by virtue of the fact that the school represents a city of over 25,000 population. Such institutions are exempt from county competition.

Aggies Hopeful Of Longhorn Games

Special to Record News.

COLLEGE STATION, Feb. 1.—The Aggies are in final workout for the Longhorn games, one of which will be played on the local court Friday night and the other Saturday night. They consider these two contests the crucial series of the season, for when these two contending teams have matched strength, it is doubted by few that the champion can be picked.

Robertson Goes To See Comiskey

Special to Record News.

SHERMAN, Feb. 1.—Pitcher Charlie Robertson of the White Sox, who has been unable to agree on terms for the 1923 season, has been summoned to Chicago from his home in Sherman to confer with Comiskey. He left today. While no intimation was given as to the reason for the call, it is believed it is in connection with the signing of a contract.

Gliders' Prize Put Up By Flying Ace

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—A $5,000 trophy to be awarded annually to the winner of a glider contest, has been offered by Captain Eddie V. Rickenbacker, American flying ace of world war fame, as a stimulant to experiments with gliders, he announced today.

Old Ben Franklin, the American apostle of thrift, wrote of one stage in his career "I presently found that I could save half what he paid me. This was an additional fund for buying books." Saved money to buy books with? Modern 3 per cent savers don't call that thrift at all.

"Sut Says"
All Street Cars Stop In Front of "Sut's Smoke Shop."
Sut's Smoke Shop
618 Eighth.
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Captains Tangle In City League Battle; One Game Forfeited

After seeing one game forfeited last night at the Legion hall, the spectators who braved uncertain weather conditions watched the second game of the evening develop into a free-for-all fight which culminated with two players, both of whom were captains of their respective teams, being put off the court.

The game began with a bang, both teams, Gaines and Knights of Columbus, fighting as if the championship of the league were at stake. From the first, rough play was the rule, and players on both teams were repeatedly warned by the referee. With only three minutes to go in the first half and the score standing 5 to 4 in favor of Gaines, Dee, captain of the K. C. five, and Gaines, captain of the Gaines uintet, tangled up on the floor. Spectators were forced to separate them. The Gaines team had only four men after their captain was put off the floor but they finished strong. The final score was 43 to 17 in favor of the Knights.

Gaines	Pos.	K. of C.
Gaines	Forward	Kubecka
Kennedy	Forward	Collegan
Clearwater	Center	Dee
McLauran	Guard	Coffey
Inlow	Guard	Alexander

Substitutions: McMahan for Dee, Markey for McMahan. Field goals: Kennedy 1, McLauran 4, Inlow 1, Kubecka 8, Collegan 4, Dee 1, Coffey 4, Alexander 4.

TEXHOMA FORFEITS; THEN BEATS BATTERY

Due to the non-appearance of some of their players, the Texhoma five was forced to forfeit their game last night at the Legion hall to the Battery D quintet. This marks the second game this week in the city league that a forfeiture has been given, the Collier and Landon five presenting the Ineligibles with a game Tuesday night.

A makeshift team was selected to oppose the Battery crew and after a hard tussle defeated them by the score of 34 to 29. Three teams were represented in the Texhoma lineup, Faichney of the K. C., Neal of the Methodist, and three Texhoma men played. The score stood 18 all at the end of the first half and in the second period the lead was changed from one team to the other until the last few minutes of play when the Oilers forged ahead.

Texhoma	Pos.	Battery D
Neal	Forward	Beck
Faichney	Forward	Peyton
Johnson	Center	Thurman
Putty	Guard	Miller
Penrod	Guard	Harper

Substitutions: Williams for Miller. Field goals: Neal 6, Johnson 4, Faichney 5, Beck 5, Peyton 2, Thurman 4.

A certain motor salesman on Grand avenue no doubt makes a great ceremony of selling a spark plug. We saw him take two bites of a piece of cherry pie a la mode yesterday.

ACIDS MAKE KIDNEYS HURT

Drink Water Freely and Often, and If Bladder Bothers Take Salts

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out; they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.—Adv.

JURY—

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occassional drink. He was shown a pair of shoes introduced as his by the state and used as evidence against him but denied having had them. He stated that he had never owned any shoes of the kind.

He was asked if he had a pistol and said that he did not own one but that he had one belonging to his brother. He stated that it was a .32 calibre automatic.

Adams claimed a strong friendship with J. D. Turner before the latter's death, telling the jury that they had lived in the same house and been on friendly terms at all times. He denied having any reason for killing the man. The contention made by the state that he killed Turner to get his job was denied, Adams stating that he knew that it would be impossible to regain this.

Mrs. G. F. Moore, residing in the oil fields, was placed on the stand and said that her husband left their home on the day of the killing. She testified that he took his belongings, leaving the city. Moore was next put on the stand, admitting to have left the city and going to Eldorado, Arkansas, by way of Wichita Falls. He stated that he left this city at 3 o'clock the afternoon before the killing. He admitted that he was returned her yesterday by a deputy sheriff. W. W. Belcher, the officer, testified that the man was under indictment for theft.

Didn't Kill Him

"Did you kill Turner," Moore was asked, by the defense attorneys.

"No," was the reply.

Mrs. Martha Pierce, proprietor of a laundry at Burkburnett, and whose name has figured prominently throughout the trial, testified that Turner was at her home from 8 to 9:30 on the night of the killing. She stated that there had been no improper relations between them, although they were in the house alone. Her three children were at a show at the time, she said.

J. E. Abbot, who testified that he lived about 300 yards from Turner's home, stated that on the night of the killing he heard a Ford car started near the Turner shack. He said that it left the place, going toward Newtown, at about 9:45.

It was the contention of the state that Adams took a letter from the shack of Turner when he was there, as he was claimed to have been, on the night of the killing. This he denied. P. F. Cook, an officer of the Burkburnett police force, testified that on the night of the killing, Adams entered the City cafe, where he read and then destroyed a letter by burning it in the stove. This was denied by Adams on the stand.

Chattam On Stand.

J. R. Chattam, the justice of the peace who questioned Adams the day following Turner's death, stated that at that time Adams denied any connection with the affair, claiming to have been in Burkburnett at the time. He said that he did not accuse Adams of the deed, but that Adams said to him, "If you believe that I did it, why don't you try to track me."

The state then introduced the same pair of overshoes seen at a previous time during the trial, claiming them to be the ones worn by Adams at the time, and the ones discarded by him later. They were said to have been found near a road leading from Burkburnett.

4 GAMES FOR LOCAL QUINTS

Week-End Schedule Heavy

A busy week-end basket ball menu is on the board for local basket ball quints with two games in the city tonight and two in Burkburnett Saturday. Wichita Falls teams figure in each of the mix-ups.

Tonight Coach Jones sends his high school five against Collier and Landon at the Legion hall in the first of a double bill. The Ineligibles tangle with the Knights of Columbus in the afterpiece. Goth games promise to be more than pink tea affairs, at least if enough men show up to put an official five on the floor.

Hi vs. Burk.

Saturday night the high school takes on another fair sized contract when they meet Burkburnett high on the latter's floor. Jones and his proteges are making no promises or predictions, but they are promising their friends to the north a real argument—and expect the same in return.

Out on the Red river banks in the federal receiver's gym the Ineligibles of this city lock horns with the Federal Receiver crew in what may be the most hotly contested game of the four.

J. Fuller Gloom says he gets a good deal of pleasure out of his radio, but would get more if he could feel that his use of the radio deprived Tennyson J. Daft of some air for breathing purposes.

Sport Briefs

NEW YORK—Jack Bentley, southpaw pitching ace and home run hitter, purchased for $75,000 by the New York Giants from Baltimore, today accepted salary terms with the world's champions for 1923.

NEW YORK—The semi-finals in the invitation tennis doubles produced an upset today, when Miss Leslie Bancroft and Mrs. B. E. Cole of the Longwood Cricket club, Boston, were defeated by the Metropolitan winners, Miss Lillian Scharman and Miss Ceres Baker, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.

NEW YORK—The United States Lawn Tennis association at its annual meeting here next Saturday will discuss the new regulation for Davis cup play and a new international playing code.

BUENOS AIRES—More than a thousand admirers of Luis Angel Firpo gave the Argentine heavyweight pugilist a rousing send-off when he sailed for New York today for a fight with "Bill" Brennan and with expectation of a possible meeting with Jack Dempsey for the world's heavyweight championship.

NEW YORK—Contracts were mailed today to 28 New York Yankees, including all of last year's regulars, except Babe Ruth and Carl Mays, both of whom have hold-over contracts for 1923.

ST. LOUIS—The St. Louis Americans today announced the release of Pitcher Henry Meine to the San Antonio club of the Texas league.

More Trouble For Texhoma Quint

More hard luck was dealt the Texhoma entry in the City league basketball race Thursday night when Leo Haney was ruled ineligible to play with the oil five. The ruling came as an aftermath to the controversy started several weeks ago over the matter of high school or junior college students playing with City league teams other than those representing the schools. At that time the school authorities favored barring all students from playing with teams in the league, but after considerable argument their ruling was modified.

With Haney on the ineligible list and Sharpe, one of the oiler's mainstay, nursing a badly bruised eye sustained in a game last week, Texhoma is hard put to place a team on the floor. They were forced to forfeit their game to Battery D Thursday night, and then with the aid of Faichney and Neal, turned in a 32 to 29 win.

The air which we breathe extends upward for twelve and a half miles, after which it contains so little oxygen that it would not sustain any form of life.

Long Jim Barnes Cops First Money In Corpus Christi Open Tournament

By Associated Press.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Feb. 1. "Long Jim" Barnes, professional from Pelham Manor, N. Y., won the first Corpus Christi open tournament today with 290 for the 72-hole play and took first money, $250. James Farrell of New York finished second with 295 and Bill Mehlhorn, the Shreveport pro, who led the field the first day of the play, dropped to third money. Bill Creavy of Kansas City, Mo., took fourth place. Barnes played a strong game throughout the day and at no time was there a question as to the winner.

Started In Behind.

Barnes entered the play this morning one stroke behind Mehlhorn, who led the field yesterday with 144. The two were paired. Mehlhorn, going out on the first 18 holes, was off his game of the day before, is count being 70 on the round. Barnes played a strong game, going out this morning, turned in a 71 and taking a four stroke lead on the Shreveport pro. He increased the lead two more strokes coming in. Mehlhorn was forced into third place by John Farrel, who made a 72 going out this morning. With Mehlhorn out of the running for first and second money, his fight was to stay in the high four. He managed to nose out Bill Creavy of Kansas City by one stroke.

All Professionals.

All the professionals seemed to be off their putting game today, as frequently the high score men required three strokes to sink the ball after they had made the green.

Frank McLeod of Washington, fourth man in the first day's play, dropped to sixth place, copping $78.33 of the prize money. His score was 304. Fifth money went to H. S. Long of Chicago, his score being 303.

When the players went into the last round this afternoon it was anybody's tournament. Barnes, however, kept up a constant game, excepting the poor putting at times, while the other three leaders' game was a little spotted.

Barnes Equals Record.

The veteran Barnes, with many championships to his credit, took a hitch in his belt, made a 32 coming in, tying the record made by Mehlhorn on the day before, and taking a four-stroke lead over the Shreveport player. Barnes' game varied little the rest of the day, while the other three leaders scrapped it out among themselves for second money.

Creavy established a record for the local course when he played the last round in 69.

The full score of the four leaders:

	Out	In	Total	Out	In	Total
Barnes	72	73	145	71	74	290
J. Farrell	73	73	146	72	77	295
Mehlhorn	73	71	144	76	76	296
Creavy	76	78	154	74	69	297

The purse was $1,000 split ten ways.

BEAUMONT MATCH OPENS

BEAUMONT, Feb. 1. — Lewis Myers, Providence, R. I., arrived today, the first of 40 or more professionals expected to participate in Beaumont's first annual golf tournament. The entire field of competition from Corpus Christi is expected tomorrow.

The tulip originated somewhere in the Persian highlands and its name was derived in the Latin from the Persian "tulba", another form of "turban."

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LITTLE PROGRESS MADE BY STOCKS

Foreign Development Checks Trading

Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Little progress was made by today's stock market, which seemed to be marking time pending more definite developments in the domestic business and foreign political economic situations. Prices generally moved within narrow and irregular limites with the professionals doing most of the trading and the so-called outsiders showing no disposition to either buy or sell at present prices.

Some selling took place at the start in response to another break in Durant motors and related issues, but it was confined principally to the motors, chemicals and a few specialties. Continued heaviness of continental exchange and a higher renewal rate for call money influenced bearish sentiment, but sufficient buying support was forthcoming to steady the list.

Acute weakness of Fisher body was again one of the features. This stock dropped to 150, as against this years high of 212 1-4 and then rallied to 152 1-4, where it was off 7 3-4 on the day.

PENNSYLVANIA CRUDE IS $3.80

Mexia and Currie Price Boosted

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 1.—An advance in the price of crude oil bringing the top grades to $3.80 a barrel, announced by the Seep Purchasing agency today, was accompanied by a radical change in the method of quotations.

Heretofore the grade known as Pennsylvania crude has been quoted at one price, covering the entire producing territory of Southern New York, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio. Under the new system, oil will be quoted under the name of the pipe line company serving each particular district.

The new prices announced today were:

New York Transit company and Bedford district, $3.80 a barrel, an advance of 25 cents.

National Transit company, Southern Pennsylvania Pipe Line company, Eureka Pipe Line company, Buckeye Pipe Line company, $3.65, an advance of 10 cents.

Cabell, $2.51; Somerset, $2.30; Somerset light, $2.55, an advance of 10 cents.

There was no change in Corning nor Ragland.

MEXIA PRICE UP 10c

FORT WORTH, Feb. 1.—The price of Mexia crude was advanced to $1.90 and Currie crude to $2.30 per barrel this morning by the Texas company, effective immediately.

TEXAS CO. MAKES ADVANCE

HOUSTON, Feb. 1.—Effective this morning the Texas company posted a 10 cent advance on Mexia and Currie light crude oils. The new price for Mexia is $1.90, for Currie 4 degrees gravity and above $2.30. Agitation of Mexia and Currie producers for equalization with prices paid for North Texas and mid-continent light crude is said to be responsible for the advance.

PURE OIL PROBED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Details of the business of the Pure Oil company were presented to the senate oil investigating committee today by B. G. Dawes of Marietta, Ohio, president.

Dr. Dawes said his company had 3,200 wells with a production in 1922 of 3,684,000 barrels in Ohio, West Virginia, Illinois, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas. Production of oil, he testified, constituted about 15 per cent of the business of the Pure Oil company.

CASH QUOTATIONS

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 1.—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.07@1.17; No. 2 red 1.23@1.29.

Corn, No. 3 white 69½; No. 2 yellow 70.

Oats, No. 2 white 44@45; No. 2 mixed 43½.

LIBERTY BOND CLOSE

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Liberty bonds closed: 3½s 101.56; second 4s 97.74; first 4 1-4s 98.34; second 4.1-4s 98.00; third 4 1-4s 98.64; fourth 4 1-4s 98.14; victory 4 3-4s uncalled 100.22; U. S. treasury 4 1-4s 99.90.

DOMESTIC EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Call money firm; high 5, low 4 1-4, ruling rate 4½, closing bid 5, offered at 5½, last loan 5, call loans against acceptances 4½. Time loans firm; 60 to 90 days 4 3-4; four to six months 4 3-4, prime commercial paper 4½@4 3-4.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Poultry alive higher; fowls 19@23, springs 21, roosters 14. Butter lower; creamery extras 47. Eggs unchanged; receipts 40,742 cases.

Use W-K Spark Plugs—"The Plug with the Air Valve."—Adv.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Adv.

Wheat Climbs On Good Outlook For Farm Bill Vote

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Wheat showed a noticeable tendency to climb to a higher price level today after general acceptance was given to an opinion that the Lenroot farm credit bill would pass the senate tomorrow. The market closed unsettled at quarter cent to 1 1-8c net gain, with May 1.17 7-8 to 1.18 and July 1.12 1-4. Corn finished ½c @ 5-8 to 3-4c up and oats up 1-4c to 3-8@1-2. Provisions finished at 5c to 12 cents decline.

There were reports that 700,000 bushels had been purchased for Greece at the Atlantic seaboard and that some export business had been done at ports on the Gulf of Mexico.

Corn and oats moved up with wheat. Provisions were lower with hogs.

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.16⅝	1.17⅞	1.16¼	1.17⅞
Wheat—				
July	1.11¾	1.12½	1.11⅜	1.12⅜
Sep.	1.09¾	1.10	1.09	1.09⅞
Corn—				
May	72¾	74	72¾	73¾
July	72⅞	74	72⅞	73⅞
Sep.	73	73¾	72⅞	73¾
Oats—				
May	44⅛	44⅞	44⅛	44⅝
July	42¼	42⅝	42¼	42½
Sep.	41	41⅛	41	41⅛
Lard—				
May	11.40	11.40	11.35	11.37
July	11.47	11.50	11.47	11.50
Ribs—				
May	10.90	10.90	10.87	10.87

NEW YORK BONDS

Foreign Bonds

Argentine 7s 101½
Domin of Candada, 5½s, 1929..102
French Republic 7½s.....89
Kingdom of Belgium 7½s.....96
Kingdom of Denmark 6s.....96½
Swiss Confederation 8s.....118
Un. King of G.B.&I. 5½s, 1937 103
U. S. of Brazil 8s.....94¼
U. S. of Mexico 5s.....

Railway and Miscellaneous Bonds

Amer Agric Chem 7½s.....104
Amer Smelt & Ref 5s..... 90¼
Amer Sugar 6s.....102¼
Amer Tel & Tel cv 6s.....114½
Atchison gen 4s..... 88½
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s.... 79
Bethlehem Steel ref 5s..... 94
Central of Georgia 6s.....100
Central Leather 5s..... 98⅞
Chespeake & Ohio cv 5s..... 95
Chicago, B & Quincy ref. 5s.. 99¼
Chic. Mill & St. P. cv4½s.... 64¼
Chic. A I & Pac ref 4s..... 79⅝
Chile Copper 6s..... 99½
Colo I South ref 4½s..... 84⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar 7s.....
Denver & Rio Grande imp 5s..
Erie gen. 4s 45
Goodyear Tire 8s, 1931.....101¾
Illinois Central ref 4s..... 85½
Int Mer Marine 6s..... 85
Kans City Southern ref 5s.... 85¼
Kelly-Springfield Tire 8s.....
Liggett & Myers 5s..... 97½
Louisville & Nash ref 5½s...103⅝
Mo, and K Tex pr lien 5s.... 80⅝
Missouri Pac gen 4s..... 60⅝
New York Central deb 6s....103½
Northern Pacific 4s..... 85
Pennsylvania gen 5s..... 100
Reading gen 4s..... 85½
Rep Iron & Steel 5s..... 94¾
St. L. & San Fran adj 6s.... 77
Seaboard Air Line con 6s..... 60½
Southern Bell Tel 5s..... 94
Southern Pacific cv 4s..... 92
Southern Railway 5s..... 95½
Southern Railway 6½s.....101
Union Pacific 4s..... 92⅝
U. S. Steel 5s..... 102⅝
Virginia Caro Chem 7½s..... 91⅝
Wilson & Co. 7½s.....102⅛

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Foreign exchanges irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 466 1-8; cables 466 3-8; sixty day bills on banks 464. France demand 5.92½; cables 5.93. Italy demand 4.72½; cables 4.73. Belgium demand 5.11½; cables 5.12. Germany demand. 0024 1-2; cables .0025. Holland demand 39.19; cables 39.22. Norway demand 18.64; Sweden demand 26.73; Denmark demand 19.03; Switzerland demand 18.72; Spain demand 15.61; Greece demand 1.19; Poland demand .0028; Czecho Slovakia demand 2.87; Argentine demand 37.12; Brazil demand 11.55; Montreal 98 3-4.

TEXAS COTTON SPOTS

DALLAS, Feb. 1.—Cotton steady, 26.50; Galveston 27.50; Houston quiet, 27.50.

COTTON CLOSES 8 POINTS DOWN

Rains in Texas and Okla. Boost Sales

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 1.—Cotton closed steady, one point up to 8 points down, net.

	high	low	closing
Mar.	27.30	26.72	27.08
May	27.32	26.75	27.06
July	27.09	26.55	27.80
Oct.	24.80	24.35	24.59
Dec.	24.38	24.36	24.35

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Cotton closed steady.

	high	low	closing
Mar.	27.57	26.93	27.27
May	27.78	27.22	27.52
July	27.36	26.77	27.08
Oct.	25.19	24.74	24.90
Dec.	24.85	24.50	24.68

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 1.—After trading as high as 21 to 27 points over the level of yesterday's close and as low as 23 to 35 points under, the cotton market today wound up one point to 8 points lower than yesterday's final prices. March rose to 27.30, fell off to 26.72 and closed at 27.08 cents a pound. Strongly higher on the opening, the market spent the greater part of the day sagging from the high levels but in the late trading put up a rather spectacular display of recuperative power.

The opening gains carried prices to the highest of the day and were mainly the result of a much better Liverpool than expected. The advance almost immediately collapsed because of heavy liquidation form the long side. More or less selling was done on further rains in Texas and Oklahoma.

Late in the morning the market made partial recoveries on evidence that the demand for ocean freight room for cotton was strengthening, both here and at Galveston. The strong recovery toward the close was done wholly on the rumor that Germany was asking terms of France.

Brookhart's Farm Plan Denounced

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senator Brookhart, republican, Iowa, was accused in the senate today by Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, of advocating farm credits and other legislation similar to the soviet policies of Lenine and Trotsky.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Feb. 1.—Thursday livestock receipts: Cattle 3,000; calves 1,000; hogs 2,500; sheep 100.

Cattle 4,000; beeves 4.00@7.00; stockers 4.00@7.00; cows 2.25@5.00; canners 1.50@2.25; heifers 3.50@6.50; yearlings 4.00@8.00; bulls 3.00@4.00; calves 2.00@6.00.

Hogs 2,500; light 8.35@8.50; heavy 8.25@8.35; medium 7.75@8.25; mixed 7.00@7.75; common 6.00@7.00; rough heavy 6.00@7.00; rough 4.00@5.00; pigs 5.50@6.50.

Sheep 100; lambs 8.00@14.00; yearlings 8.00@11.00; wethers 6.50@8.50; ewes 5.50@7.50; culls 1.00@2.00; stocker sheep 5.50@6.50; feeder lambs 6.50@11.00; goats 2.00@3.00.

Market Notes

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 1.—A Santa Fe extension to St. Louis is planned, but no immediate steps to build the line are under way, W. B. Storey, president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad, said here today.

FREDERICK, Okla., Feb. 1.—Two and one-half inches of rain fell here the last two days no until Wednesday morning at a time when it was badly needed by the wheat crop.

VERNON—A 2-inch rain fell here Tuesday and Tuesday night.

WASHINGTON—Government purchase of $10,000,000 of nitrate and its re-sale to farmers at cost for use in connection with the 1924 crop would be authorized by a bill ordered favorably reported today by the house agriculture committee.

By Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Cattle or livestock driven across the border into a foreign country for pasture or which may stray across before March 1, 1923, would be readmitted to the United States free of duty if brought back within 12 months, under a bill passed today by the house. The measure was introduced by Representative Hudspeth, democrat, Texas.

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NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE

In obedience to an order made and entered by the judge of the district court of the United States for the northern district of Texas, at Wichita Falls, on Jan. 11, 1923, in Equity Cause No. 109, styled William G. Boatwright vs. Star-Tex Petroleum company et al, on the docket of said court, I, J. B. Hatchitt, receiver, in said cause, will on the first Tuesday, being the 6th day of February, A. D., 1923, at the courthouse door of Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, free and quit of all rights of the defendants in said suit to redeem the same, the following described property:

The oil and gas lease, leasehold estate and all personal property thereon situated (consisting of the various tools, appliances and equipment used in connection with the production and storage of oil), in and upon a portion of outer block No. 21 of the town of Burkburnett, Wichita county, Texas, as follows: Beginning at a point in the south line of said outer block 21, 8½ feet west from the southeast corner; thence northerly 262 feet to a point in the north line of said block, which point is 113 feet west of the northeast corner; thence west 150½ feet to the northwest corner of said block; thence south 138 feet to the southwest corner of said block; thence east 207 ½ feet to the place of beginning.

Said property will be offered for sale upon two plans to-wit: First, said property will be offered for sale free of all liens; second, said property will be offered for sale subject to the liens upon the same.

J. B. HATCHITT, Receiver.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the honrable 78th district court

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of Wichita county, of the 3rd day of January, 1923, by A. F. Kerr, clerk of said court for the sum of $1108.63 and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of C. D. Shamburger in a certain cause in said court, No. 13266-B and styled C. D. Shamburger vs. D. M. Carter, placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 3rd day of January, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 9 in block No. 4 in the town of Electra, Wichita county, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated and levied upon as the property of D. M. Carter and that on the first Tuesday in February, 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door, of Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described real estate at public vendure, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said D. M. Carter.

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

Witness my hand, this 3rd day of January, 1923.

W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff Wichita county, Texas.

The State of Texas,
County of Wichita.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Jennie E. Carter, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jennie E. Carter, deceased, late of Wichita county, Texas, by J. P. Jones, judge of the county court of said county on the 4th of December, A. D. 1922, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his office at No. 813 Scott street, Wichita Falls, Wichita county, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 25th day of January, A. D. 1923.

CHAS. R. FULLER,
Administrator of the estate of Jennie E. Carter, deceased.

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STATE OF TEXAS
County of Wichita

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, Wichita county, Texas, on the 16th day of January, 1923, by the Justice of the Peace in the case of Nissily Swiss Chocolate company vs. E. A. Martin, et al, No. 8552, and to me as constable, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law at constable sale on the 12th day of February, A. D., 1923, at Wichita Falls in Wichita county, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

64 gallons Mobil oil
76 lbs. hard Mobil grease.
2 33x4 Weed chains.
35 cans radiator seal.
8 small cans Shellac
8 small cans Moca powder.
13 Firestone patches
1 Flat top table.
1 L. C. Smith typewriter
24 Ford belts
1 claw hammer.

Levied upon by me as the property of E. A. Martin, to satisfy a judgment amounting to $96.70 in favor of Nissily Swiss Chocolate company, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 1st day of February, A. D., 1923.

FRANK MORGAN, Constable.
By W. B. SCOTT, Deputy, Prect. No. 1, Wichita Co., Tex.

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County: Greeting:

You are hereby comanded to summon W. E. Hall by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in March A. D. 1923 the same being the 5th day of March A. D. 1923. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day

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of January A. D. 1923 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 13901-B wherein, Blanche Hall is plaintiff and W. E. Hall is defendant and said petition alleging, that plaintiff and defendant were legally married on or about March 5, 1913, and continued to live together until about the —day of July 1919, at which time the defendant without any cause or provocation on account of this plaintiff abandoned plaintiff with three small children and left her to support herself and three small children whose names and ages are as follows: William Leroy, age 9 years; Roger Glenn, age 7 years and Velma Earline, age 5 years; that said children were left with this plaintiff with practically no means of support and no funds. That after defendant's abandonment he executed a deed and bill of sale to all property inherited from her father's estate which said deed and bill of sale is duly recorded in the Deed of Records of Wichita county, and here referred to for particulars and reference and this plaintiff says that said deed and settlement of said property should be ratified and confirmed by this court; that all right or claim of said defendant in and to said property, consisting of land and personally set out in said deed be forever cancelled and annulled and the title fully fixed in this plaintiff.

Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and upon trial hereof she have an absolute divorce, and for a decree for the care and custody of said minor children and for confirmation of said deed above mentioned and for property now in plaintiff's hands and held by her and for correction of any right or claim of the defendant and for costs of suit and for such other and further relief, in law and equity as she may be justly entitled to receive.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 17th day of January A. D. 1923.

A. F. Kerr, Clerk.
District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

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2 jars French Mustard 25c
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Sweet Potatoes, per pk 40c
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1 gal. Bucket White Syrup 60c
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3 lbs. Fancy Peaberry Coffee 90c
3 lbs. C. H. C. Special Blend $1.15
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Choice Veal or Beef Roasts, pound 12½c
Veal or Beef Stew Meat, 3 pounds 25c
Sugar Cured Bacon, per pound 26c
Dry Salt Meat, per lb. 17c
Whole Hams, per lb..26c
Picnic Hams, per pound 17c
Pork Roasts, per pound 22c

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PHONE 4121

Wichita Falls Council No. 140 R. & S. M.—Stated meeting first Monday night of each month at 7 p. m.
GEO. A. SMOOT, T. I. M.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59 — Stated conclaves first and third Thursdays of each month.
OTTO STEHLEK, E. C.
W. J. WEBB, Rec.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta, both in long form, Thursday, Feb. 1, 5 p. m. Supper at 6:30 p. m.

Wichita Canton No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets the first and third Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock at I. O. O. F. hall, 603 Scott. Visiting chevaliers welcome.
W. L. FITZGERALD, Capt.
J. W. BUSSEY, Clerk.

Faith Lodge No. 1156, A. F. & A. M. Stated meetings the first and third Tuesday nights of each month. 813 Scott.
P. B. CURD, W. M.
ALBERT ELLIS, Sec'y.
Class of instruction for candidates January 24, 25, 26, 29, 30 and 31st, 7:30 p. m.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 637, A. F. & A. M., stated meetings first and third Friday nights in each month.
JOHN A. ELDER, W. M.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.
Instruction in the E. A. degree Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M. Stated convocations, second Friday night in each month.
CHAS. H. SMOOT, H. P.
W. J. WEBB, Sec'y.

Maskat Temple A. A. O. N. M. S.—Meets second Tuesday each month at Faith lodge rooms, in Chennault Bldg., 813 Scott. All visiting Nobles invited to attend. Recorder's office 813 Scott street. Phone 3884.
FRANK COLLIER, Potentate.
AL ELLIS, Recorder.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 273, of the Eastern Star, meets first and third Tuesday nights in each month.
MRS. MABLE SPITZNER, W. M.
MRS. NENA FRITZ M'GLYNN, Sec'y.

Faith Chapter U. D., order of the Eastern Star, meets second and fourth Monday evenings in each month, 813 Scott.
RUTH A. VERMILLION, W. M.
AUGUST WISDOM, Sec'y.
Residence 2213 Ninth. Phone 2836.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1156, B. P. O. E., meets first and third Mondays of each month at Elks' club, corner Eighth and Scott Sts. Visiting members invited to attend.
B. F. JOHNSON, Exalted Ruler.
H. O. ENGLISH, Sec'y.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. corner Ninth and Travis streets; club rooms open daily. Visitors welcome.
JOHN P. MARRS, C. C.
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Wichita Falls Camp No. 3001. Regular meetings every Friday night, 7:30 o'clock, at Labor Temple.
JOHN E. STEPHENS, O. C.
E. D. TREVANTHAN, Clerk.
Ph. 6720. 716 7th St.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday night at Odd Fellows Hall, 603 Scott street, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us.
O. C. BLANTON, N. G.
J. W. BUSSEY, Recd. Sec.
W. L. FITZGERALD, Capt.
J. W. BUSSEY, Clerk.

Knights of Columbus, Wichita Falls Council No. 1473—Meets every Monday evening, 1509 Ninth Street. Visiting knights welcome.
C. J. COFFEY, G. K.
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1— Announcements

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2— Lost and Found

LOST—Overcoat belt on Seventeenth St. car Friday night. Finder please call J. W. Mayes. Phone 5685.

LOST—Between 1400 block Tenth St. and high school, white gold bar pin, platinum top. Liberal reward. Phone 6797.

7-MONTH-OLD liver white spotted bird dog, with collar and chain on. Phone 2003.

2— Lost and Found

STRAYED from my home two pointer bird dogs. One liver and white and ticked dog, liver head and ears, large liver spots on right side. One rich lemon color and white, slender-made dog, two or three lemon spots on body; wearing collars with name and address. Liberal rewards. Call Dr. Thornburgh, 6605-6734.

STOLEN from 701 Ave. C, Burkburnett, Miamia Ray cycle, color red, Federal tires, seat resewed; reward. Phone 13, Burkburnett, Texas.

3—Help Wanted Male

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4—Help Wanted Female

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WANTED—Colored woman to do general housework for family of three; must be good cook. Address J. E. M., Box 101, Burkburnett, Texas.

6—Salesmen & Agents

AGENTS
Sell men's made-to-measure suits, (union made). Snappy styles. woolens bought before advances. Want producing agents. Spring swatch line ready. Leeds Woolen Mills, Chicago.

WANTED—Live agents to write insurance for Wichita Mutual Aid association. Good commission, also cash prizes. If interested, call at room 10, McClurkan bldg.

THE FITS Hough Hosiery Mills, has several openings for experienced salesmen. These positions will pay good money to the men who can deliver the goods. Call C. L. Ellis, 6343, between the hours of 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 5 p. m. to 7 p. m.

7— Situations Wanted

WANTED—Job, position or association with oil company, or wholesale house. Experienced bookkeeper, salesman and merchant. Address Box 117, care Record News.

EXPERIENCED stenographer wants work; legal preferred; will substitute. Phone 2164.

LADY stenographer, thoroughly experienced in abstract, real estate and legal work, desires position in or out of city. Box 20, Record News.

LILLIAN P. GAFFNEY
PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER
Will come to your office; reasonable rates. Phone 4807. 510 American National Bank Bldg.

PUBLIC stenographer, your office or mine; monthly rate for one or more hours per day. Phone 3286.

8 —Room and Board

BOARDERS wanted $8 and $10 per week, known as Charlotte Kemp Hall. 1200 Indiana. Phone 2687.

ROOM and board in modern private home; use of phone and all conveniences. 2006 Ninth St.

ROOM AND board at 1201 Ninth St. Phone 3521.

9—Bedrooms for Rent

NICELY furnished front bedroom adjoining bath, one or two gentlemen. Garage, if desired. Rent reasonable. Phone 3326. 1709 Tenth St.

FOUR nice, clean bedrooms for rent reasonable. Phone 3818.

NICELY furnished bed rooms southern exposure; close in; reasonable. Phone 2361.

FOR RENT—Bedrooms, modern conveniences, close in. 1004 Tenth St. Phone 4520.

FOR RENT—Two bed rooms at 1101 Tenth St. Phone 6383 or 6879.

FRONT bedroom and adjoining bath in private home with breakfast and evening meal. Garage. 1406 13th St.

AVONDALE has modern rooms, from $4 to $6 per week. 714½ 9th.

CLEAN comfortable rooms, very reasonable; by day or week. Hotel Coleman. 501 8th street. Phone 3618.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. 1207 Seventeenth St.

FOR RENT — Bedroom in private home $2.50 per week; also light housekeeping rooms, half block from courthouse. Phone 4514.

10—Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping room to couple without children. 606 Travis.

TWO or three light housekeeping rooms. Phone 6289.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, 613 1-2 8th street. Phone 4813.

11—For Rent Apartments

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. 1518 11th St.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished four room apartment. Phone 6095.

12—For Rent Houses

HELGERSON handles rentals. Phone 25—

12—For Rent Houses

FOR RENT—5-room house, 1047 Collins Ave., 6 rooms. 1415 Hays St. Phone 6900.

FOR RENT—7 room house on pavement. 1005 Burnett. Phone 3850. W. H. Hammon.

13—For Rent Bus. Location

15— Miscellaneous

P. B. CURD, INSURANCE
Phone 3349 813 Scott Ave.

WINFREY FIXIT SHOP, Phone 5213, with Collier & Landon, 825 Indiana.

19—Poultry, Eggs, Etc.

FOR SALE—Two dozen Rhode Island Red hens, $1 each; first house going south of Call field. T. M. Triggs.

WICHITA CHICK HATCHERY
We are starting our incubators and will be glad to hatch your eggs; $3 per 96 eggs. Bring them Wednesday and Saturday of each week. 2610 Grant. Phone 4638. P. O. Box 643.

FULL blood Rhode Island eggs, $1.50 for 15. 1914 7th St. Phone 4452.

21—Plants and Seeds

BERMUDA onion plants, make big white, sweet onions; plant them now. $1.50 per 1,000. Spot Cash Grocery Co. 1012 Ohio.

GENUINE Bermuda onion plants, 500 $1.00, 1,000 $1.75, 5,000 $7.50. Frost proof cabbage 250 $1.00, 500 $1.75, 1,000 $3.00. Parcel post prepaid. Waugh Plant Farm. Waco, Texas. Route 8.

CRYSTAL Wax and Bermuda onion plants one hundred million ready; best plants in Texas; delivered prices; satisfaction guaranteed: 10,000, $7.50; 50,000 $32; 1,000, $1. Cabbage plants, frost proof: 500, $1; 1,000, $1.65; 10,000, $15. Extra large stalky open field grown. Shipped day order is received. Lind Plant Farms, Cotulla, Texas.

22— Financial

BOOKKEEPING and auditing service rendered by experienced accountant; reasonable rates. Furnish monthly financial statements; also render federal tax without additional charge. Large or small accounts solicited. Address Box 711, Record News.

P. B. CURD, INSURANCE
Phone 3349 813 Scott Ave.

25— Special Notice

PATTON'S Mattress Factory sells mattresses for less and makes old ones like new at reasonable prices. Phone 2930. 402 Indiana Ave.

HOUSE moving. We raise, move and underpin houses. Day phone 5733. night 3630. A Drake.

MOORE Plumbing Co., Phone 6300 910 Sixth street.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—Have your mattresses made new. We will bring sample of ticking to your home. Call for and deliver the same day. Bell Matttress Co., Phone 2412.

EVERY MAN DESERVES ONE
A shirt made to order here in the city. Try out service. You will be satisfied. Wichita Falls Shirt Co. Phone 3056. 1509-7.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—We bring samples of ticking, call for and deliver same day. Mattresses made good as new. Patton Mattress Factory, 402 Indiana avenue. Phone 2930.

FOR PLUMBING Phone 3644. David Black.

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey, Phone 5094.

LOCAL and Long distance hauling. Bolton & Wilson Transfer Co. 1000 Ohio. P. 4784 or 2763.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind, done and guaranteed by Chas. D. Hughes. Phone, day 6011; night 2224.

WE WILL move you for $2.50 per load. One-ton truck. Brown's Transfer, the careful mover. 610 Seventh. Phone 4843.

WICHITA Nickle Plating company, metal plaiting, polishing and lacquering. 906 11th street.

WE KNOW our business and want yours. Irish Moore, plumbing. Phone 5746.

PLASTERING and stucco patching neatly done. Phone 4565.

PAPERHANGING, painting; prices reasonable; satisfaction guaranteed. Call Thomas 6033.

L. A. CHILDS, plumbing and gas fitting. 1207 Scott. Phone 5584.

PLUMBING—Our cars carry a complete line of repairing materials with them. You do not have to pay for that trip back to the shop. J. H. Castledine, 907 aVn Buren. Phone 4420.

IF YOU are intending to build a new home, we have some choice lots located on or off the pavement.
STATON & STATON
712 Eighth. Phone 5328.

DRAKE TRANSFER and Storage. Day phone 5735; night phone 3650; does crating, packing and shipping; local and long distance hauling. Oil field trips a specialty. Shelby Drake, manager.

26— Personal

P. G. CURD, INSURANCE.
Phone 3349. 813 Scott Ave.

27— Dressmaking

WANTED—Sewing of all kinds; also alterations. Phone 5923. 1910 Kemp boulevard.

27— Dressmaking

WILL go to the home and sew. References. Phone 4094.

28—Wanted Furniture

"WILL PAY CASH"
Wanted to buy, five or six rooms of furniture. Phone 3316.

WANTED TO BUY
Just any kind of second hand rugs, cook stoves, heaters, broken chairs and anything else you may want to turn into cash. Phone 6513 and we will call.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.

WE WILL pay the highest price for your used furniture.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
716-7th St. Phone 5528

WANTED TO BUY
Good used furniture, we pay highest prices and all cash.
WINTERS FURNITURE CO.
822 Ohio Phone 4219

WE PAY more for second hand clothing and shoes than any other buyer in town. Phone 4510.

29—For Sale Furniture

WE WANT to buy your used furniture.
MICKS FURNITURE CO.
716-7th St. Phone 5528

FURNITURE
for sale, trade or exchange. If you want to buy anything in the furniture line we have it.
PHONE 4785
MILLICAN FURNITURE CO.
804 Seventh St.

THE STAR FURNITURE CO.
Will pay you more for your used furniture.
910 Ind. Phone 6011.

Call 5528 when you have used furniture to sell.

WILL PAY the highest cash prices for used furniture.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
910 Indiana Phone 6011

WE ARE still looking for a number of good customers who want to buy furniture of the easy payment plan. Used furniture taken as first payment. We buy, sell and exchange new and used furniture. If you fail to see us before you buy, we both lose. Phone 6060.
JOHN L. JONES FURNITURE CO.
710-12 Seventh Street

31—Musical Instruments

LARGEST size Mahogany Edison, Chippendale design. Price reasonable. 1210 Indiana avenue.

33—Autos and Accessories

1922 Ford roadster.
1921 Dodge Brothers, screened body
1921 Dodge Brothers roadster.
M'FALL BROS.,
819 Ohio Ave.

FOR SALE—1920 Hudson speedster car; excellent condition; will sell for $500 cash. Phone 2812. 1200 City National Bank Bldg.

MAXWELL touring, less than a year old; looks like new; priced to sell, $350.
KEIM MOTOR CO.,
605 Scott Phone 4156

A REAL BARGAIN
Chandler Dispatch in first class condition; a ride will convince you.
KEIM MOTOR CO
605 Scott Phone 4156

Dodges——Our Specialty——Fords
MACK RICE
Your Top Man,
—at—
BROWN, REID & ALLEN'S
905 Lamar. Phone 4586.

BARGAINS IN USED CARS
We have on hand an excess of used cars that we will sell for less than actual cost to us.
BUICKS
HUPMOBILES
HUDSONS
LEXINGTONS
OAKLANDS
FORDS
VELIES
CHEVROLETS
JORDANS
ESSEX
CLEVELAND
We have roadsters, tourings, sports, sedans and coupes and they all go at a sacrifice.
ARTHUR HUFF MOTOR CO.
"We Never Close."
Phone 2929. 609 Scott St.

DON'T WASTE ALCOHOL
Have that leaky radiator repaired or a new core installed. We are equipped to give you genuine factory cores and service.
SUPREME RADIATOR COMPANY
605 ½ Scott Ave. Phone 2804

33—Autos and Accessories

FOR SALE—1921 model Ford, good condition, casings all new. Pond Laundry Co.

WE WILL buy your car.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth street. Phone 2015

BARGAINS
1921 Cole 4-passenger .....$550.
1921 Ford Coupe, over $200 worth of extras .....$400.
1920 Buick Roadster .....$325.
1920 Ford Coupe .....$350.
1922 Overland, good as new ..$385.
1920 Nash Touring .....$335.
SECURITY MOTOR SALES CO.
714 Ninth St. Phone 2015.

THE HOUSE OF OVERLAND
Offers
CASH —— TRADE —— TERMS
BUICK TOURING, a good buy, for $75.
CADILLAC TOURING, the best buy in town; only $500.
LIBERTY TOURING.....$ 50.00
OVERLAND 85-4.....$100.00.
BUICK TOURING 100.00
OVERLAND 90-TOURING.$110.00.
OVERLAND MOTORS CO.
Phone 6616 Ninth at Travis

HUDSON SUPER SIX
This car is a bargain for ..... $250.00.
1920 model coupe good condition ..... $265.00.
We have plenty of Fords, roadsters and tourings worth the money.
L. & M. AUTO MARKET
911 Scott

DIXON MOTOR CO.'S
Used Car Department
BUICKS
1-1921 Buick roadster.
1-1920 Buick roadster.
1-1919 Buick roadster.
1-1920 Buick touring.
1-Dodge touring.
1-Ford coupe.
1-Ford roadster.
1-Ford touring.
All the above Buicks have been completely overhauled and are ready to go.
CASH —— TRADE —— TERMS
DIXON MOTOR CO.
Phone 4111 Seventh at Scott

34—Machinery and Tools

USED CASING line pipe cleaning out tools, six horse power Fairbanks engine and pump. We can save money. Phone 176.
BURKBURNETT SUPPLY CO.

Used oil well supplies of all kinds, pipe, casing, rigs, etc.
ROY CALVERT & CO.

FOR SALE—Pipe from one inch up to 15 inches. All kinds second hand oil well supplies and cables; 6 inch tool joint; all kinds of fittings; sprocket wheels for Johnson Rotary tables. Also always in the market for all kinds oil well supplies, pipe and all junk iron, brass rope and hides. Texas Iron and Metal Co. Phone 6860 205 Mississippi. Box 286.

35—Oil Land and Leases

PRODUCTION, LEASES, ROYALTY
We handle oil properties exclusively and have listed at all times the best buys in leases, production and royalties.
TODAY'S SPECIALS
320 acres in fee, not leased except 40 acres, under the ditch, production on three sides close up; in the active Holliday-Archer district. Price for quick sale $100 per acre; terms.
100 acres on Iowa Park pike; close in, splendid proposition to cut up and sell in small tracts. Price $130 per a. on easy terms. Act quick on this.
100 barrels, 70 acres in K-M-A district, $700 per barrel.
40 barrels in N. W. field, $800 per barrel.
70 barrels in townsite, $800 per barrel.
60 acres, Electra four 800-ft. wells. $20,000.
30 acres, five wells, 65-bbls., Electra. Sell six-eighths for $1250 barrel.
50 acres, Holliday field, offset to drilling well, $50 acre.
60 acres, near Orth pool, production three sides, $50 acre.
Other good buys in Archer and Wichita county; priced right.
We have some good royalties paying over six per cent per month if you act quick. Come in and talk to us about it. If you have production, royalties or active leases, we can sell them for you.
MARTIN-MORGAN Co.
"Dependable Brokers"
421 American Nat'l Bank-bldg.
Phone 5353

PRODUCTION WANTED
Can sell any amount of production from 100 barrels up. Will consider properties only submitted by owner. Can also sell any amount of producing royalties. Address Record News, No. 40.

HAVE small tract proven shallow acreage, Freeman-Hampton pool. I want party to drill 650 wells for interest in lease. Clear 7-8 lease; clean title. Address Box 44, Record News.

OIL LEASES
THOMAS, JONES & TAYLOR
Subdivision
Close up acreage for sale, spud in well Feb. 5, 1923. Good structure mile northwest of production.
PRICED TO SELL
THOMAS, JONES & TAYLOR
513 City Natl. Bank Bldg.

36—For Sale, Trade or Ex.

COMPLETE RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT FOR SALE OR WILL TAKE IN VISIBLE GASOLINE PUMP AND TANK AS TRADE. GARNER AUTO SUPPLY CO., BURKBURNETT, TEX.

37—Farms and Ranches

FOR RENT—5 acres good land, a small house, orchard and out-buildings. 2200 block 5th St. E. F. Riley Furniture Co.

LATEST IN MODERN FARMS
In community center plan; located in the very best farming district of south plains of Texas. We are building a modern model community with city conveniences; every farm will have electric lights, telephone, daily mail, community owned cotton gin, store, gin, corn sheller, mill, garage, community house for church and school. Also free buss line and package delivery from community center to city daily. Wireless phone receiving set in community house. Graded roads to every farm with no farm farther than 1 3-4 miles from community center and school. This equipment donated by the company; cheap round trip excursion to investigate this most up to the minute community where you can live in the country with city comforts. Cheap land with long easy payments. Cheap round trip excursion to see this most modern community Feb. 5.
SANTONE IMMIGRATION COMPANY, INC.
Suite 8, Ward Bldg. Phone 5698.
Wichita Falls.

TO LAND BUYERS
LOOK THESE OVER NOW
2,688 acres Baylor county, well improved land for farm or ranch, in fine country. Let us give you details.

15,000-acre ranch in Archer, Young and Throckmorton counties. This is one of the best ranches in Texas, lots of improvements. Lays right to be cut up into small farms, as most of the land is tillable. Let us show you this ranch.

10,000 acres, well improved Dalham county ranch. This is fine Panhandle land and can be bought below the market value.

Also a 7,000-acre ranch in Dalham county. This ranch is also improved. Will trade for good production or oil lands or other property, $12.50 acre.

We have three good farms in the Thornberry territory of 145 acres; one of 161 acres and one of 321; can be bought right on good terms.

A dandy good farm of 388 acres, just over in the edge of Clay county; will trade for a farm around Groom, Texas, or sell for small payment down and balance on easy terms.

1,280 acres Hartley county, Texas. This is good grass land and every acre can be cultivated. This land is between Dumas and Hartley. Will trade for Wichita Falls property, good production, or make you good price on easy terms. We own this land in fee.
JONES BROS.
407 American National Bank Bldg.
Phone 6450

38— Lots for Sale

IF YOU are intending to build a new home, we have some choice lots located on or off the pavement.
SLATON & SLATON
712 Eighth Phone 5328

LOTS and blocks in North Wichita near school. Address R. H. Suter, Stuttgart, Ark.

Lot No. 1, block 92-A $750.00.
Lot No. 5, block 81-A $700.00.
Terms if desired. These lots are east fronts and adjoining the New College. L. E. Cowling.

39—Hotels, Room'. Houses

FOR SALE—6-room boarding house doing good business and comfortably furnished. Water, lights and gas free. Griswold Lease south field, box 287, Electra Texas.

40—For Sale Real Estate

YOU CAN get cash for your real estate through my successful system. Write at once and learn how. P. O. box 266, Newcastle, Texas.

HOMES—For real bargains phone H. G. Helgerson at 2573. Residence 2393.

FOR SALE—A sacrifice; lot 50x150; 2 room house, garage 16x24. 2205 Holiday. No agents need apply.

FOR SALE—11 room house, garage and servants room; corner lot. 75x150. Phone 6644.

41—Wanted Real Estate

CLIENT wants store 25 or 50 feet front; will make long lease, prefer Indiana. Have buyers for 6 or 6 room, well located modern residences. Will pay cash.
JONES BROS.
407 Amer. Bank. Phone 6450

42—Business Locations

NOTICE
Sale of the following privileges at Lake Wichita Park, for season 1923, will now be considered to-wit: Dancing pavilion, refreshments in pavilion, boats, etc. Also new rides and attractions will be considered. Address F. C. Cogburn, Box 159. Route 12, Dallas, Texas, or L. L. Albritton, Wichita Falls.

FOR SALE—Barber shop doing good business. 1922 Tenth St.

43— Legal Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given to those concerned that the directors of Wichita County Water Improvement District No. 2 will meet at the district office in the Walker building at Iowa Park, Texas, at 2:30 p. m., Friday, February 2, 1923, for the purpose of receiving applications of those who desire to exclude their lands from Irrigation district No. 2.
This meeting is called for the purpose of explaining the proposition in detail, and it is important that all interested attend.
C. H. CLARK, President.
J. D. OVERBY, Secretary.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita County: Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon G. E. Zimmerman by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the Seventy-eighth District court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in March. A. D., 1923, the same being the 5th of March, A. D., 1923. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 29th day of January, A. D., 1923, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 13940-B, wherein First National bank of Iowa Park, Texas, is plaintiff and G. E. Zimmerman, operating under the trade name of G. E. Zimmerman & Co., is defendant, said petition alleging defendant owes plaintiff one promissory note for $3.596.60, together with interest and 10 per cent attorney's fees, said note dated May 25, 1922, due thirty days after date, interest 10 per cent from maturity; that said note is past due and unpaid; that defendant has hitherto failed and refused to pay said note, or any part thereof; that said note and indebtedness is secured by chattel mortgage executed and delivered by defendant to plaintiff covering two 220-barrel galvanized tanks; two 100-barrel galvanized tanks; one Graham Bernstein 1917 model truck, 3½ ton, factory No. 153440; one Graham Bernstein 1920 model truck, 3½ ton, factory No. 3710057; one Sanford 1918 model truck, 3½ ton, factory No. 1295; one Austin concrete paving mixer, mounted caterpillar type; two Fairbanks-Morse water pumps; and 9.500 feet of 2-inch line pipe; said mortgage dated Nov. 8, 1921, and of record with county clerk of Wichita county, Texas.
Wherefore, plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition, that it have judgment for its debt, interest and attorney's fees, foreclosure of its chattel mortgage lien upon above described property, costs of suit, and other relief, special and general, etc.
Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 29th day of January, A. D., 1923.
A. F. KERR,
Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas.
By Winifred Pickens, deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon L. & M. Oil company by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District Court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in March, A. D., 1923, the same being the 5th day of March, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of January, A. D., 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 13950-B wherein J. W. Snow and Anna Snow are plaintiffs, and L. & M. Oil company, a joint stock association, defendant, and said petition alleging:
This is an action to try title and to remove cloud from title. Plaintiffs allege that they are the owners of the following described land and premises situated in Wichita county, Texas, and are entitled to the possession thereof, to-wit: The south 40 acres of the east 80 acres of the west 160 acres of the J. W. Snow farm of 320 acres, said farm being out of the G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. Surveys Nos. 1 and 2 and the H. T. & B. Ry. Co. survey No. 3
That the defendant is in possession of an oil and gas lease on the above described land and premises, and that said oil and gas lease has expired
Wherefore plaintiffs pray for title and possession of said property, for damages and for the cancellation of said lease to remove the cloud from title.
Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesiad next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 31st day of January, A. D., 1923.
(SEAL)
A. F. KERR, Clerk.
Dist. Court, Wichita Co., Tex.
By WINIFRED PICKENS, Deputy.

STATE OF TEXAS
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Guy J. Stumpff and Max P. Stumpff by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District Court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the First Monday in March, A. D., 1923, the same being the 5th day of March, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 1st day of February, A. D., 1923, in a suit remembered on the docket of said court No. 13955-B, wherein John T. Overbey is plaintiff, and Guy J. Stumpff and Max P. Stumpff are defendants and said petition alleging, that on April 22, 1920, defendants executed and delivered to plaintiff two promissory lien notes for $625.00 each, interest 8 per cent per annum from date until paid, 10 percent attorney's fee stipulated in said notes if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; that said notes were given in part payment for the following described land out of section 26, Tarrant county, school lands located in Wichita county, Texas: Beg. 453 1-6 ft. E. of the N. W. corner of said section 26; thence east 455 feet; thence 1, 1003 ft. to stake in north boundary line of Ft. W. & D. C. Ry. right-of-way; thence north 79½ degrees W. along the north line of said right-of-way 467 ft. to S. E. corner of 9 3-10 acre tract deeded to A. J. Smith and L. F. Alexander by John T. Overbey; thence north 962 ft. to the place of beginning. That said property was conveyed on April 22, 1920, by plaintiff to said defendants by said deed in writing of that date, in consideration, among other things, said two notes were given in part payment, and a lien retained on said land in said deed to secure the payment of said notes; that said notes are due and unpaid and defendants fail and refuse to pay said notes or any part thereof.
Wherefore plaintif prays that defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgment for his debt, interest and attorney's fees, costs of suit, foreclosure of his lien, general and special relief, etc.
Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 1st day of February, A. D., 1923.
(SEAL) A. F. KERR, Clerk
Dist. Court, Wichita Co. Tex.
By EUNICE JOHNSON, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF WICHITA.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the honorable county court, of Wichita county, at law, on the 13th day of January, 1923, by Alma Y. Miller, clerk of said court, for the sum of four hundred forty dollars, less a credit of $73.00 on Sept. 13, 1922, with interest and principal at 6 per cent from Feb. 28, 1921, and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of C. D. Shamburger, in a certain cause in said court, No. 4423 and styled C. D. Shamburger vs. B. C. Cockran as principal and Chas. Hill and J. A. Goodloe, placed in my hands for service, I, W. W. Murphy as sheriff of Wichita county, Texas, did, on the 26th day of January, 1923, levy on certain real estate, situated in Wichita county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lots Numbers three, four and five in block number thirty-four, original townsite of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Otto Stelik and J. M. Baber, sureties on supersedeas bond herein, and that on the first Tuesday in March 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door, of Wichita county, in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and execution, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Otto Stelik and J. M. Baber.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Wichita Falls Record News, a newspaper published in Wichita County.
Witness my hand, this 26th day of January, 1923.
W. W. MURPHY,
Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county: greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon Agnes Roberts by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the 1st Monday in March A. D., 1923, the same being the 5th day of March A. D. 1923. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of December A. D., 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 13719-B wherein, C. E. Roberts is plaintiff and Agnes Roberts is defendant and said petition alleging, that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married to each other on or about the 5th day of December 1920 and continued to live together as husband and wife until about the 28th day of February 1921 at which time they separated on account of defendant being untrue to plaintiff and false to her marriage vows, and was guilty of adultery and acts of fornication with other men during their married life, which acts plaintiff could not and did not condone and on account of which they separated, which acts on her part renders their living together any more as husband and wife insupportable.
Whereas plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that upon final hearing of this cause, that the marriage relation between he and defendant be dissolved and held for naught and that he be entirely divorced from defendant, and for costs of suit and for general and equitable relief.
Herein, fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 15th day of January A. D. 1923.
A. F. Kerr, Clerk,
District court, Wichita county, Texas
By Eunice Jackson, Deputy.

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WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

LEADS IN LOCAL NEWS

ROTARY VOTES TO AID BOYS

Scout Movement To Be Boomed

Following an address by I. H. Roberts, chairman of the local Boy Scout council, who has recently returned from a scout convention in Houston, local Rotarians voted Thursday noon to give increased attention to the matter of organizing and supporting Boy Scout activities in this city. Mr. Roberts' talk was a review of the work accomplished at the Houston convention together with an outline of what is to be undertaken here in the coming year.

Need Leadership

Mr. Roberts stressed especially the need of more personal leadership of Wichita Falls men and urged that the Rotarians take it upon themselves to supply to the utmost their part of this work. He declared that scout officials were anxious to build new troops and increase the strength of the organization here to at least 25 percent more than it had ever been heretofore. This could only be accomplished, however, he said, by hard work on the part of the city's business men.

Others Speak

W. D. Cline, Rev. N. F. Grafton, J. M. McFall, M. A. Marcus and J. W. Bradley also spoke in behalf of the scout movement and urged that the Rotary club do its share in supporting the movement.

An announcement that plans were to be started shortly in an effort to bring the 1924 convention of the thirteenth district Rotary was made by Horace Robbins.

Methodists Make Quarterly Reports

A subtantial growth in all departments of the church was shown in the first quarterly conference reports of the First Methodist church, South, held Wednesday night. Rev. S. M. Black, presiding elder of this district, was in charge of the session. Reports given covered the work for months of November, December and January.

A membership of 150 in the Epworth league and a total of $089.46 raised for all purposes during the quarter was shown in the report made by H. A. Kinkead while the Womans' Missionary society report revealed a membership of 286 and total collections for the quarter of $1,033.31. The religious education report, given by E. C. Huckabee, and treasurer's reports on the Christian Education movement, the centenary fund and the general church budget also showed substantial gains made during the quarter.

Evangelistic services some time prior to Easter are being planned by Rev. C. M. Simpson, pastor of the church.

Civic Pageant At Palace Tonight

Everything is in readiness for the Civic League benefit pageant to be presented at the Palace theatre at 8:15 tonight, according to Mrs. E. L. Fulton, who is in charge of the production.

Tickets have been on sale at the Tipton drug store for some time past and a gratifying demand has been reported. The tickets may be procurred there all day Friday or may be obtained at the Palace box office tonight.

About 40 children, including some of the best juvenile talent in the city, will make up the cast t appear tonight. Some especially pretty dances and musical numbers are promised.

Weather Delays Vernon Knights

The degree of Malta was conferred on five local candidates at the Masonic temple last night. A team of 27 men in full Knight Templar uniform assisted in the conferring of the degrees.

The principal officers working were: Prior, George Lawler; lieutenant commander, J. L. McClure; captain general, W. D. Canfield; prelate, Frank S. Reid; marshal, W. A. Alderson; captain of the outpost, W. J. Webb.

The Red Cross degree was conferred at 5 p. m. Supper was served at 6 p. m., after which the Malta degree was conferred.

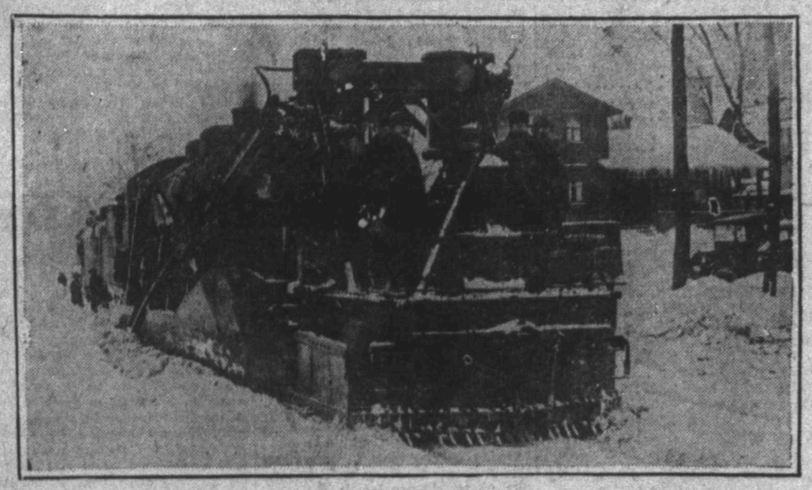
The Vernon Commandery Knights Templar had planned to attend the meeting, but were unable to do so because of the uncertain weather conditions.

Ticket Sales Still Booming

Reports from the local high school are to the effect that members of the high school Girls' club are having splendid success with their sale of the tickets to "Broken Chains." The picture is being shown at the Strand theatre today. The girls have already cleared between $60 and $70 through the sale of tickets to two previous shows at the Strand. The money will be used to help defray the expenses of the Y. W. C. A. conference which will be held in this city next week.

A Los Angeles judge says bootlegging is not a cause for divorce. A wife who wishes seperation from a bootlegging husband must seek other grounds. Which, however, does not sound impossible.

East Has Heaviest Snow In Years



The "flanger" following snowplow in clearing railroad tracks near Syracuse, N. Y.

Snowstorms extending over a period of about three weeks, have buried the east under the heaviest fall since 1847. Railroads have been exerting every effort to keep their tracks clear. Citizens are helping city and village workmen keep the main highways open. The photo above shows one of the plows used to clear railroad tracks of the heavy snows.

IRRIGATION ? ? ? ? ? Asked—Answered

Through arrangements with A. M. McPherson, consulting engineer of this city who has had wide experience in irrigation work, The Record News is enabled to answer questions of all interest pertaining to irrigation work. Mail your questions to the Irrigation Editor, of The Record News.

What rights will the owners of land in District No. 1 have where they live outside the city limits of Wichita Falls?

Judge W. N. Bonner says that resident property owners in district No. 1 all have the same rights, whether they live within the city limits of Wichita Falsl or outside. District No. 1 covers the whole incorporated limits of the city as well as seven or eight thousand acres immediately surrounding the city, and all residents of the district have the same rights as regards the district regardless of the city limits.

Will those who live within the boundaries of District No. 1, but outside the city limits, have to pay for the water they use on their farms in addition to paying the same district taxes that the city man pays?

Judge W. N. Bonner says that all within the boundaries of the district will pay taxes to retire the bond issue whether city man or farmer.

The city man will not use any water direct from the irrigation district but will buy his water from the water department of the city of Wichita Falls. He has to pay the water department for his water and in addition has to pay taxes to retire the bonds that were voted some time ago to purchase the city water works from private interests, and he will also pay taxes to retire the irrigation district bonds.

The city of Wichita Falls will buy water from the irrigation district to fill Lake Wichita when it is empty or in need of fresh water.

The farmer outside the city limits will have to buy his water from the irrigation district, the same as the city does and will in addition have to pay taxes to retire the district bond issue, but of course does not pay on any bond issue of the city proper.

What is the largest body of fresh water in the world?

Lake Superior, next largest, Lake Victoria, Central Africa.

"'Phone Buzz Is Harmless"-Kirby

An exasperating buzz that greeted many telephone users in this city when they took down receivers of their instruments yesterday was the result of a new "dial tone," according to C. C. Kirby, manager of the telephone system here, who received many inquiries as to the cause of the strange noise.

The dial tone, Mr. Kirby declared, will be a distinct aid in telling whether or not the telephones are working or "dead." The loud and continual buzz is also cut off, he said, as soon as the number was dialed.

The new tone aroused considerable speculation when first introduced Thursday.

Koonsman Here

N. Koonsman, sergeant of Company B, Texas Rangers, was visiting in Wichita Falls Thursday after having been stationed in the Denison railway yards for the past several months.

Koonsman was formerly operating out of this city and was stationed at the irrigation site when work was first started there.

NEW SUITS FILED

Cynthia Bell Meadows vs R. B. Meadows, divorce.

J. W. Snow et al vs. L. and M. Oil company.

Lennie Williams vs. Earl Williams, divorce.

Maurice Meecum vs. Roy Meecum, divorce.

Trudie V. Honeycutt vs Roy Honeycutt, divorce.

Mary Ridley vs E. H. Ridley, divorce.

John J. Overby vs. Guy D. Stumpff and Mrs. P. Stumpff, debt.

The Core—No More

The scheduled meeting of the American Legion Thursday night failed to materialize. Not enough Legion members were on hand to transact the business matters that were to have come up for attention.

J. P. Wood, general manager of the Verejo Park ranch, at Ratoon, N. M., is in the city for a brief period.

H. G. Smith, divison freight and passenger agent of the M. K. & T. railroad, is ill at his home, 2410 Eighth street.

J. T. Buckingham and D. E. Kastner of the California Fruit Growers Exchange, Los Angeles, are in the city on business.

Mrs. Charles Milliorn 1304 Clark street, is reported to be improving after a serious attack of influenza.

T. L. Coplin, deputy supervisor representing the state railroad commission in the North Texas oil fields, returned Thursday from Breckenridge where he has been on business several days.

Coue's Ideas To Vie With Ouija

Auto-suggestion as taught by Doctor Coue is to be demonstrated in Wichita Falls, Tuesday. That's the promise of the management of the Palace theatre where Dr. Khiro, mystery man, is to hold a "health revival" for several days.

But auto-suggestion and Coue's ideas are not the only mysterious matters to be taught and demonstrated. Spiritualism, with phenomenal tests with the ouija board, slate writing, and table rapping, is to be an added attraction. Exhibitions of foods and anatomy are to be made in connection with lessons in physical culture and hygiene, it is announced.

The "revival" is to begin Tuesday night, when admission will be free, and is to continue through the week.

At Windsor castle there is a room entirely devoted to old Wedgwood pottery, and here are displayed in cases some of the finest and rarest sapmles.

Bikes Pile Up; Cops Worried

Police are still wondering what to do with the slowly growing pile of bicycles and bicycle parts accumulating at the city hall. An inventory Thursday revealed that at least five machines, either in whole or part, were being held.

A start was made on collecting the machines when Jimmy Gonzales, Mexican attache of the department, uncovered a juvenile theft ring in the Mexican section of the city. Three machines were recovered then and since that time various parts of bicycles have been located almost daily. No claimants have as yet put in an appearance for any of the bicycles.

Light Docket In City Police Court

A light court docket greeted Harvey Harris, city court recorder for February, when he assumed his duties Thursday morning. Only a few vagrancy charges and one or two traffic violations were up to be disposed of.

J. V. Allred, special prosecutor for the past month, will continue his duties for the time being while John Davenport, appointee for February, is held away by other business.

Lake Concessions To Be Altered

A complete remodeling and overhauling of Lake Wichita park and concessions is announced by E. C. Cogburn, manager for the coming season. Mr. Cogburn plans many improvements for the park, including the planting of grass and flowers and the laying out of new walks. The merry-go-round will be rebuilt and all buildings repainted and renovated.

That coal in the Ruhr valley must be of pretty good grade. We haven't heard of much coal around in this section that struck the consumer as being worth going to war about.

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MRS. CAVENDAR BROUGHT HERE

Adams Witness Also Returned

Mrs. Elizabeth Cavendar, wanted here on a charge of murder in connection with the death of G. A. DeMoss in Electra last fall, was returned to the city early Thursday morning by Deputy Sheriff Belcher. She had been held in jail at Texarkana since last Sunday when statements made by Ida Bell, under a five-year sentence for the murder of DeMoss, led to the filing of the charge and a request to Texarkana authorities that she be held for local officers.

Offered $500

According to a statement made by Mrs. Bell immediately after her conviction, she was offered $500 and a block of oil stock by Mrs. Cavendar to slay Turner. Mrs. Cavendar flatly denied the allegations when she arrived here and was inclined to treat the charges against her lightly.

In making the trip to Texarkana, Deputy Belcher made a flying side trip to the Smackover oil fields in Arkansas and arrested G. F. Moore, wanted here on a felony theft charge and also to serve as a witness in the Wayne Adams murder trial now nearing completion. Moore is charged with stealing a quantity of gasoline from an oil company and it is also alleged that he has knowledge of the slaying of Turner.

Slight Damage In Tenth Street Blaze

Slight damage was sustained at a rooming house owned by O. T. Marshman, 806 Tenth street, when a lighted match thrown into a bucket of gasoline on the second floor of the building started a small fire a few minutes after 12 o'clock Thursday. Wall paper on one room was burned off and a hallway scorched before firemen could extinguish the flames.

Jesse Clark, a 10-year-old girl, living at the house, was injured slightly when she jumped from the roof of the front porch after becoming frightened at the flames. The fall to the ground, some ten or twelve feet below, resulted in a sprained ankle and a general shaking up.

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North Wind Sends Thermometers On Merry Scoot Toward Bottom

Wichita Falls shivered and shook—and grinned Thursday when a biting norther chased the mercury in thermometers rapidly toward the bottom and brought relief from the unseasonably mild weather prevailing for the past ten days. Starting about the middle of the morning a decided drop in temperatore was apparent and this continued throughout the day.

Little or no rain fell over the Wichita Falls trade area, it was reported, but the radical change in weather raised belief that a snowstorm was not far in the offing. At midnight Thursday this prediction had not been fulfilled locally, however.

A slight further rise in Lake Wichita, the passing of the flood crest at the diversion dam of the irrigation project that suffered some damage Wednesday and a rise in the Wichita river were the final results of heavy rains of the past week. Word from the damsite Thursday gave assurance that no further danger was anticipated there. A spillway was washed out Wednesday, but receding waters eliminated danger of further trouble.

The high water in the river and creek beds washed out accumulations of drift wood, oil and rubbish.

Herbert Leon Cope Lectures Tonight

Herbert Leon Cope, nationally known humorist and lecturer, will speak at the First Christian church at 7:30 tonight.

Mr. Cope, who is no stranger to the city, has been a prime favorite in Wichita Falls since his appearance here last year. At that time, he completely won a large audience with his charm of manner and address and since that time his return has been eagerly watched for.

The speaker is a man widely traveled, equally widely read, and one with an apparently inexhaustible supply of information from which to draw in his informal discourse on life in general.

A large crowd is expected to turn out for his talk tonight.

Porter to Address Alamo Council

Hugh Porter, high school principal, will be the main speaker at the meeting of the Alamo Home and School council, to be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Alamo school. The program will deal with patriotism, Mr. Porter talking on "A Lesson in Patriotism."

Miss Kate Haynes will have charge of the devotional, after which the president of the council, Mrs. L. R. Buchanan, will preside over a business session. Features on the program will be singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," by the Alamo chorus, composed of Alamo school boys and girls, and a patriotic reading by Miss Elizabeth Carrigan.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

No marriage licenses were issued Thursday by the county clerk.

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