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ROBERTSONS WILL GET FUND FOR NEW HOME

Over $1,100 Already Subscribed For Mother Of The Dead Buster

TRUSTEES NAMED

Messrs. Witcher and Ferguson, Care Wichita State Bank, to Act

The faith which built Wichita Falls again perpetuates itself.

Wichitans are going to build a home for Mrs. Hattie Robertson, mother of Elzie Buster Robertson, shot and killed February 14 by Frank Collier, and for whose killing the former Wichita Falls mayor was recently convicted of manslaughter and given a sentence of three years in the penitentiary.

Backers of the movement to secure a home for Mrs. Robertson announced Saturday that already $1,192.50 had been received by cash subscriptions. The cost of the home complete is to be approximately $4,000 or $5,000, they announce.

Money is coming in from everywhere, they announced; and subscriptions are being made by persons of every degree and station in life, from 25 cents from newsboys to as much as $50 from wealthy residents of the city.

W. C. Witcher and N. A. Ferguson have agreed to act as trustees for the "Robertson Home Fund" and persons desiring to contribute are asked to send their subscriptions to these men care of the Wichita State bank. Following is the petition which was circulated yesterday, together with the amounts received almost in a single day:

We the undersigned citizens of Wichita Falls, Texas, hereby subscribe the amounts set opposite our names, for the purpose of buying a home for the lately bereaved, Mrs. Hattie Robertson, and her several small children. In view of the stricken condition of Mrs. Robertson at this time, she is unable to support her large family of small children. In this plight, we cannot escape the conviction that it is the duty of this community to at least provide a home for this poor woman in this hour of her desperate need and broken physical condition.

We also conceive that others will be glad to make contribution to this cause, and should our local paper see proper to give this matter the publicity which we think it deserves, we would urge all others so inclined to send in what they may be able to give, to the committee which may be designated to receive such contributions. (Make checks to W. C. Witcher and N. A. Ferguson, trustees, care Wichita State bank.)

Frank Sridlow	$ 25.00
W. C. Witcher	50.00
S. R. Wilson	25.00
John Hirshi	100.00
J. T. Young	50.00
Jerome S. Stone	25.00
Elz. Hamilton	10.00
S. M. Gose	10.00
Jay Sandbar	10.00
F. G. Payne	50.00
F. A. Black	10.00
A. B. Maples	5.00
Knight & Hines	10.00
C. W. Gilliland	25.00
E. J. Stamp	25.00
Nears hotel	5.00
M. J. Bashara	25.00
C. E. Heabett	2.00
F. F. Robertson	2.50
Palo Jewelry Co.	5.00
Eldora hotel	2.00
R. T. Burgess	2.00
Joe Max	1.00
A. S. Fonville	2.00
Mission Valley Company	2.00
Woolworth & Co.	5.00
City Loan Co.	5.00
Cliff Everts	1.00
J. L. Art	10.00
Payne Ford	2.50
O. T. Watland	1.00
I. Schuster	1.00
C. E. Badgers	50.00
W. A. McCarty	2.00
Wichita Transfer Co.	5.00
G. A. Eiland	10.00
Chas. Richardson	10.00
Cash from 39 names	152.50
Grand total	$1,192.50

Conditions Don't Change In Wichita In 10,000 Years



Twice Widowed, Six Times Divorced, Honeymooning Now With "True Love"

URANIA, La., March 28.—Mrs. Caroline Frost McDonald-Walters-Bronson-Burgess-Chevallier-Gardner-White-Luigi-Hatfield can give even Peggy Hopkins Joyce and Nora Bayes some advice about marriage.

At 55 she is on her ninth honeymoon. She believes in love at first sight.

"I don't think it necessary to know a person an awfully long time to love him," she opines.

"And now I know that I have the man of my heart," smiles Mrs. Caroline Hatfield, who is honeymooning in her home in Urania with her ninth husband. She is 55.

Her first husband died from natural causes, one was killed accidentally, three disappeared after domestic upheavals and were subsequently divorced, and three were present when she divorced them.

To her only son Mrs. Hatfield attributes her present happiness. It was this son who met Mr. Hatfield and invited him to his home. They had been working together. Hatfield accepted the invitation.

"It was love at first sight," said "Aunt Caroline," as she is affectionately known in these parts. "Or, rather, it was love at first sight so far as I was concerned," she corrected. And then she added, with just a suggestion of pride, "and I believe it was mutual."

Divorced Five in a Row.

Aunt Caroline first went to the altar in her teens—back in the eighties, changing her name from Caroline Frost to Caroline McDonald. She entered upon her second matrimonial venture some months after her first husband's death, she became Mrs. Walters. Shortly after he disappeared and she secured a divorce by default. Then shortly after she became Mrs. Bronson.

Following Bronson's death Burgess, Urania blacksmith, came awooing. And he was successful. But after a few weeks she could not bear up under the domestic strife, and she divorced him. Then along came Pomp Chevallier, her fifth husband. This marriage, too, was short-lived. It ended when Chevallier disappeared, and again she became Caroline Frost.

Calls No. 3 Best.

The eighth husband was Luigi, a native of Serbia. For more than two years they lived happily together. One day Luigi left Urania suddenly and disappeared. Some domestic friction preceded his disappearance, and when at the end of a long period she did not hear from him, she divorced him.

"Of my previous husbands, Mr. Bronson was the best," she says. "Oh, how good he was to me, and how happy I was with him." Then a cloud came over her as she told of the bitterness of that day when he met a tragic death in Urania.

But the bitterness of the past has all been brushed from her memory as she basks in the love of another such husband as was Bronson, she declares.

GERM SUSPECT SAYS FAIMAN'S STORY FRAMED

Shepherd Produces Two Affidavits in Proof Of Murder Innocence

JUDGE THREATENED

Olson Gets Mysterious Calls To Cease Activities In The Case

CHICAGO, March 28.—A new fight to free William D. Shepherd, foster father of William Nelson McClintock, youthful millionaire from jail where he is held charged with McClintock's murder, was started by his attorneys today. At the same time municipal Judge Harry Olson, who started the investigation reported he had received threats that he would be attacked unless he ceased his activities.

Presents Affidavits.

William Scott Stewart, Shepherd's attorney, presented two affidavits to Chief Justice Jacob Hopkins of the criminal court, charging that the entire investigation had been "framed." Decision in the case was put over until Tuesday. In one affidavit made by himself Stewart charged that the alleged confession obtained from Charles Faiman, indicted with Shepherd and who said Shepherd had offered him $100,000 for typhoid germs and general information by germ inoculation but been obtained only after threats had been made to prosecute Faiman for the death of a woman at the national school of sciences, conducted by him, following an operation performed illegally.

The second affidavit was from Shepherd himself and asserted he had never seen or heard of Faiman prior to the inquest hearing into McClintock's death. The first affidavit set forth that according to Earl Clark, formerly an agent for Faiman's school, a woman was taken to the school and an operation performed by Faiman from which she died after which her body was turned over to the school.

Promised Immunity.

It also asserted that Faiman had been promised immunity from prosecution by assistant state attorneys and that his school would not be interfered with. Mr. Stewart further asserted he would be able to produce witnesses who would testify Faiman or George Fosberg, another witness who testified against Shepherd, could not be believed under oath. One of the witnesses he said, would be the mayor of Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Meanwhile chemists from the coroner's office are busy on autopsy of the bodies of Oscar Olson, brother of Judge Olson who died three years ago and Mrs. McClintock, young McClintock's mother, whose death occurred 10 years ago. Their bodies have been exhumed for examination at the request of Judge Olson who expressed doubt that their deaths were natural.

RIOT FEARS AT MERKEL BRING SWIFT DENIAL

Report of Attack on Mexicans Scouted by Officers At Abilene

ABILENE, March 28.—The report that Mexicans at Merkel were being threatened with attacks from citizens in that section of the county were ridiculed Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Frank Whaley following the receipt of a message from Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson that the Mexican consul at San Antonio had advised her that an unwarranted attack is about to be made.

Perfect quiet reigns throughout the county and there is no danger to Mexicans any where, Whaley said. The excitement that prevailed during the two days chase of Lopez Morales, Mexican, alleged slayer of Sheriff W. W. Satterwhite of Howard county and Constable Reeves of Merkel has died down entirely, the deputy sheriff stated.

Feared Attack.

A telegram was received Saturday by the sheriff's office advising as to the report from the Mexican consul in San Antonio. The telegram follows:

"Report from Mexican consul in San Antonio is to the effect that an unwarranted attack is about to be made upon Mexican residents near Merkel. Please use your good offices to prevent anything like this taking place.

"Miriam A. Ferguson, Governor."

Colored Minister Will Address White Folks

B. E. Burgess, commissioner of education of the Colored Methodist Episcopal church, headquarters at Texas college, Tyler, Texas, will address white people Sunday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, in the 78th district court room at the court house.

"Education and it's Problems" will be the topic for his address. The balcony will be reserved for colored people. Commissioner Burgess is ranked as one of the foremost negro educators in Texas, it is stated.

GERMAN VIOLATIONS AIRED

Committee Investigation Breaches of Treaty Ready to Report.

PARIS, March 28.—The ambassadors' council has finally agreed on the text of the questions to be submitted to the allied war committee concerning the report of the allied military control mission in Germany's violations of the treaty of Versailles Marshal Foch, head of the war committee, will probably have the document in hand by this evening and the military experts will be able to begin work on the supplementary report next week.

FIND DYNAMITE IN ROOM

Dallas Officers Believe Men Robbed Homestead Bank.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—Discovery of a quantity of dynamite in a room said to have been occupied by Cleveland Fred Owens and partial identification of a watch in his possession when he and Oliver S. Murray were arrested in Dallas, Texas, early today in connection with the Polytechnic bank robbery is believed by local police to connect the two with the robbery here of the Third District Homestead bank, March 9.

Texas authorities have been requested by the local police to hold the men for identification.

Last Minute News

BUFFALO.—Postal inspectors from Washington and New York investigating the disappearance of a mail pouch containing $120,000 in federal reserve bank notes of $10 denominations, which disappeared while in transit between Washington and this city on February 27, admitted tonight they were baffled in their attempts to reach a solution of the case.

DENVER.—Federal authorities, aided by Denver police tonight arrested Charles Fischer, 50, Irvine B. Peterson, 42, and Archer Larkins, 20, on charges of counterfeiting. The trio is believed by the authorities to have distributed "fake dollars" to accomplices for distribution throughout the city.

NEW YORK.—Ugo Frigerio of Italy, Olympic walking champion, defeated Willie Plant, America's best walker in a special 10,000-meter race, the feature event at the Morningside A. C. games in the 22nd regiment armory tonight. Plant quit the competition in the 38th lap.

IRKUTSK, EASTERN SIBERIA — A train speeding for Verkhe-Udinsk was overwhelmed today near Irkutsk by a great avalanche. After several hours of exhausting efforts 16 dead and 30 injured were recovered from the wreckage. How many more were killed is not known. The entire tracks for a considerable distance are blocked.

SAN ANTONIO.—Only 40 rabbits met their fate today when some 1,200 boys from the junior schools of San Antonio staged a rabbit drive in order to exterminate the animals which have been destroying fruit trees and early spring crops around Somerset.

BEAUMONT.—Barney Buch, owner of Omaha Western league team, today received a message announcing the death of Wilcox, regular third baseman of the championship team of last year.

WACO.—Waco high school girls' basketball team won the state championship here tonight by defeating Breckenridge high school, 39 to 13 in the tournament sponsored by the A. & M. C. These two teams had won the right to meet in the finals by Waco's victory over Cisco, 28 to 16 and Breckenridge's win over South Bosque, 32 to 23 this afternoon.

TEXARKANA, Ark.—Jack Stanley, arrested Thursday near Little Rock, Ark., on a charge of arson in connection with the burning on March 2 of the home of State Senator David C. Arnold, entered a plea of guilty at the hearing today on charges of arson, burglary and grand larceny, and was held under bonds aggregating $2,000.

ABILENE.—Miss Lillie Hirt, 27, charged with the murder of her aunt, Mrs. Salome Hirt, 68, at Clyde Thursday afternoon, was released on bond of $7,500 at Baird, Callahan county, today.

DALLAS.—Fred S. Skidmore, 23 years years old, driver of the speeding touring car that killed two Dallas firemen when it crashed into a stationary fire truck at a street intersection here early this morning, was charged today in justice court with negligent homicide and driving while intoxicated.

TEXARKANA.—Henry Alford, convicted March 6 of murder for the fatal shooting of Levy Williams, negro, and sentenced to five years in prison, escaped from the Bowie county jail at Boston tonight.

BROWNSVILLE. — Indictments charging murder and driving while intoxicated were served on Mayor A. B. Cole here today in connection with an automobile accident near Harlingen on March 10, in which Mrs. Minerva Burnett lost her life.

HOUSTON.—The sheriff's department Saturday night notified authorities at Bryan to be on the lookout for the man and woman charged with having kidnaped a 3-year-old child from the home of its mother in Houston Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Anna Burch, 712 Washington avenue, filed the complaint. She named N. N. Buch, her brother-in-law, and his mother, Mrs. J. F. Kernole, in the complaint as having taken her 3-year-old son from the porch of her home while she was down town.

PITTSBURGH.—Paavo Nurmi, the flying Finn, easily won his one-mile race here tonight on an indoor track at the 107th field artillery armory. His time was 4.35 2-5 many seconds slower than the record for the distance. James Connolly, Washington, D. C., was second, and Verne H. Booth, Millrose A. A., New York, third.

GALVESTON. — After telling another alien he would rather die than go back to Europe, one of the 30 deportees sent out of Galveston last week on the French line steamship Lafayette, jumped overboard March 25 on the Mississippi, 40 miles below New Orleans and was drowned. The body was not recovered.

DEEPEN LOCKHART WELL.

Brewer Test Fails to Make Good Showing and Goes Deeper.

LOCKHART, March 28.—Brewer test No. 1, a Crouch and Callahan well in a producing field near here, did not produce sufficient oil at 1,230 feet and will be lowered, it was announced today.

Beatty No. 1, Gulf Producing company, well is producing 252 barrels a day, the gauge shows.

WINS BIG FIRE PRIZE

New Orleans Woman to Get $500 For Slogan.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Mrs. W. Cary Matthews, of New Orleans, La., was announced winner today of a first prize of $500 for her slogan:

"Answer the burning question with fire prevention."

The contest was conducted by the Glen Falls Insurance company, which received and turned over to the National Fire Prevention association 150,000 slogans from 40 states.

'WOMEN ONLY' HEAR FLAPPERS ILLS ATTACKED

"Age of Chivalry is Gone" Declares Revivalist For Baptists

A scathing arraignment of conditions which he declares opens the doors of vice to the young people of today, intensified the assertion that "the age of chivalry is gone," brought the week of revival sermons by Dr. Lincoln McConnell of Oklahoma City, to a Sabbath climax at First Baptist church Saturday afternoon. The sermon was delivered to an auditorium filled with women and had been announced "for women only."

Prefacing his remarks with the assertion that "I'm going to speak plainly to you women because you're ladies and I'm a gentleman," Dr. McConnell began his address with a comparison of today and the day of our grandmothers.

Says Chivalry Gone

"Your sex, instead of being a protection to you is a menace to you," declared Dr. McConnell. "The age of chivalry is gone. You women might as well face the facts. Women have become much more common and ordinary parts of life than they were yesterday. The sequal men politically, and economically, and they compete with him in the business world. Woman no longer depends on man for protection, she competes with him. In grandmother's day a girl's body and mind were more protected and shielded from the heavy burdens of life than now. She was thought to be much finer physically and psychologically than man. Her very sex and nature were her appeal for regard and protection. Girls then seemed more refined, cleaner, and more moral than men. And in the shattering of that belief has come the danger for women and girls."

The revivalist insisted that there was something about a mans' makeup that made it almost impossible for him to remain chaste and that once upon a time there was something in a wom-

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With Baptists of the city reaching the climax in their pre-Easter revival campaign, Methodists, under the leadership of the First church, South, inaugurates a campaign today headed by Dr. C. C. Selecman, president of Southern Methodist university at Dallas. Services at First Methodist church are announced today for 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Dr. Selecman is known as one of the southwest's most forceful speakers.

J. W. Akin, Grandson Dies at Alice, Texas

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Akin of the death of their grandson, Leonard Owen Fletcher, aged three months, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Fletcher of Alice, Texas. Mrs. Fletcher will be remembered as Miss Roberta Akin.

Funeral services are to be held today in Alice, for the baby, who died from a sudden illness due to change in milk. A twin sister, Leanore Rose, is desperately ill from the same cause, but it is thought there is a chance for recovery.

Mrs. James Cochrane, of Austin, formerly Miss Mary Matilde Akin of this city, has gone to Alice to remain several weeks with Mrs. Fletcher.

DEPUTIES REPLY IN SONG

French Solons Answer Taunts of Others With Music.

PARIS, March 28.—The "Marseillise" seems to have become the offical anthem of the opposition in the French chamber of deputies. Although the opposition deputies hardly claim to have a monoply on the patriotism in the chamber, they have made effective use of the old revolutionary hymn when the communists started singing the "International" and they threaten to reply thus every time the Reds recommence.

Last week they hailed the expulsion from the chamber of the Marquis de la Ferronnays with the last verse of the anthem, whose ringing line, "liberty, cherished liberty!" they intoned ironically for the benefit of Speaker Painleve, who pronounced the censure against the marquis.

On the whole, however, the deputies may be said to be better lawmakers than singers.

GEOLOGY HAS A LONG ROAD YET TO TRAVEL

Only Half the Story Is Known Say Scientists At Wichita Meet

By A. D. HALLMAN.
Record News Staff.

WICHITA, Kan., March 28.—An admission from the geologists themselves that their science is far from perfect and less than half way along the road to its ultimate material end, that is, the discovery and location of the earth's mineral recources with a view to declaiming them is seen in practically every paper read and every address delivered before the convention of the American association of Petroleum geologists which ended here today after three days of work.

"We cannot with assurance state that we are sure of a single premise" declares W. E. Wrather, chairman of the committee on geological research in his report of the progress made by the committee during the past year. "The application of geological premises that have worked wonderfully in one section finds them a miserable failure in another section. We possess only the partial truth which cannot be applied without fear and trembling. That sarcastic person that summed up our profession in the old joke that it was "just as expected" if the $15,000 hole drilled on the location the geologist recommended was a success, or "just as feared" if

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HOUSTON PAPER WINS SUIT

Post-Dispatch May Continue to Use Name, Judge Decides in Suit.

HOUSTON, March 28.—Judge J. C. Hutcheson Jr., decided in favor of the Houston Post-Dispatch Saturday morning in the injunction suit instituted by the Pulitzer Publishing company of St. Louis to restrain the Houston company from using that name.

The name Post Dispatch was copyrighted, the St. Louis company claimed and asked the federal court to prevent the local company from infringing on its rights.

Tentative Valuation Fixed on Texas Line

WASHINGTON, March 28. — A valuation of $211,416 was fixed tentatively today by the interstate commerce commission on the Brownwood North & South railway in Texas. The corporation has stock and bond issues outstanding with a par value of $338,663 and its own book valuation is $316,326.

AUTO INJURES MAN

Georgetown Constable Loses Ear and Suffers Wounds When Hit by Car.

GEORGETOWN, March 28.—Constable S. C. Purl probably is seriously injured here today when struck by an automobile operated by a woman. One ear was severed and it is feared he was internally injured.

"Gang" Opens Dog Pound as Revenge

DENVER, March 28. — Juvenile "gang revenge" had its inning here when 12 youths descended upon the city pound and released 60 dogs—every animal impounded there — in retaliation for imprisonment of one dog, the property of the "gang," it became known today.

Today the "gang" 12 strong, and ranging in age from 10 to 15 years, appeared in juvenile court to answer charges of malicious mischief as an aftermath of its act.

THE WEATHER

As observed by the Wichita Falls Electric company: Maximum temperature, 66; minimum, 51; present, 61; precipitation, none; northeast, brisk; maximum wind velocity, 20 miles per hour; minimum, 10 miles per hour; barometer, 29.18.

Oklahoma: Sunday and Monday unsettled probably showers.

EAST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday unsettled probably local showers.

WEST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday partly cloudy.

Domino Can't Be Bothered

QUANAH, March 28. — Tearing the house down over their heads failed to dampen the enthusiasm of the domino players in Dave Barnes Domino Parlor one day the past week, or cause them to discontinue the game.

The housemovers skidded the parlor a half-block, placing it on new foundation, and made necessary repairs, with players in their seats as though nothing was going on.

The parlor had to be moved to make way for the Hall & Phillips service station now being erected.

Bodies Are Found in Sunken German Ship

SCAPA FLOW, Orkney Island, March 28. — Workmen engaged in breaking up a scuttled German destroyer beached in Mill Bay discovered under a mass of wool which completely concealed them the bodies of five German officers and sailors who evidently were not warned at the time the fleet was sunk by the German crew.

The surrendered German fleet, including 11 battleships, five battle cruisers, six light cruisers and auxiliary craft, was scuttled by the German crews on June 21, 1919. The sinking came two days after the signing of the naval conditions of the peace treaty, restricting size of the German fleet.

Tahoka Man Kills Another Over Family

ABILENE, March 28.—Calvin Petty, a young man living 15 miles south of Tahoka, died of shotgun wounds at the home of Ed Roberts, south of Tahoka, this afternoon, according to a report received here. Roberts called the sheriff immediately after the shooting and surrndered. Petty made a dying statement, according to the report received here, in which he said that he told Roberts he did not wish any trouble and went to Roberts' home to talk matters over with him. It is stated that Petty went to Roberts' home to straighten out rumors concerning Pety's brother and Roberts' sister-in-law.

WOULD CONSERVE WATER.

Dry Weather Brings Request for Conservation Information.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Dry weather has brought an unusual number of requests to the state board of water engineers for information on water conservation, such as building dams. In drouth seasons citizens take a far greater interest in water conservation matters than at other times, that members of the board asserted and that this year the interest is extraordinary.

Farmers are seeking information on how to build dams and where they may place them. Irrigation projects also develop in number at this time.

Shoots Pianist in Theatre; Then Self

CLEVELAND, March 28.—Miss Lillian Tyler, 32, organist at a moving picture theatre here, and Homer Waltens were found dead of bullet wounds in adjoining seats in the theater this afternoon.

Police declare Walters shot Miss Tyler and then killed himself.

The bodies were found crumpled in their seats by an usher who was seating a patron.

An audience of several hundred in the semi-darkness heard five shots but paid no attention to them, believing the noise to be an accompaniment of the picture thrown on the screen at the time.

Walters was formerly organist at the theater and Miss Tyler was assistant

GERMANY WILL CHOOSE 1 OF 7 FOR PRESIDENT

Over 35,000,000 Will Vote In First Popular Election

BERLIN, March 28.—Seven candidates representing all classes in German post war politics, will contend for the suffrage of more than 35,000,000 votes at tomorrow's first popular election for a president to succeed the late President Ebert.

Conflicting political currents, reflected in the variegated list of aspirants, have found ample expression in a venomous manner in the campaign that closed tonight, and which was fought out for the most part on paper.

If the returns approximate those of last December's election to the reichstag when there was a party lineup similar to that at this first presidential election, the voting tomorrow will terminate in a dead heat.

Dr. Jarres, the common standard bearer of nationalist and conservatist bourgeoise classes and who is the hope of German die-hards is conceded 11,000,000 votes in pre-election estimates. But this number will not be sufficient to insure his election.

The candidates of the three liberal parties, Otto Baun, socialist, ex-Chancellor Marx, centrist, and Professor Hellpach, democrat, will jointly poll about 15,000,000 votes assuming that they are able to retain their combined vote of December. At least 5,000,000 votes, it is believed, will be cast for the three remaining candidats, Ernst Thalmann, communist, Premier Held of the Bavarian people's party, and General Ludendorff, the facist champion.

ROBERTS LIKES LAWYERS

Counsel For Government in Teapot Dome Suit Compliments Bar.

DENVER, Colo., March 28—Owen J. Roberts, government counsel for the suit for annulment of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve lease, in an address last night to members of the Denver Bar association declared he was proud of American lawyers.

"They are the pith of American citizenship and I have found that the lawyers of the west are an integral part of the rest of the profession," he said.

Desire For Reunion With Wife Caused Man To Aid In Ft. Worth Bank Theft

FORT WORTH, March 28.—A desire to rehabilitate himself financially so he could be reunited with his wife caused C. F. Owen, 35, to join a man he named and described as a "professional crook," in holding up and robbing the First State bank of Polytechnic of $9,000 in currency and liberty bonds Friday, he said Saturday.

He made a statement to Chief of Detective Jackson in which he admitted a part in the robbery, but laid the chief blame on his alleged associate.

Owen, with O. S. Murray, was arrested Friday night at the interurban station in Dallas by Constable Poe and other Tarrant county and Fort Worth city officials after Homer Andrews, interurban express car conductor, had found in his car three suitcases, checked to Dallas by Owen, which contained the loot from the bank

Kills Floorwalker in Effort to Get Purse

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 28.—Harry Davis, 22, a floorwalker, was shot and killed by a holdup man in the S. S. Kresge company, 5, 10 and 25-cent store, here early tonight.

The robber failed to wrest a money bag from Davis. After the shooting the man fled to a side street and disappeared in a crowd.

As the holdup man fled, Davis staggered to the cashier's window, deposited the bag, which contained $500, and then dropped to the floor, dying within a few moments.

The store, which is in the downtown section, was crowded at the time with shoppers but only a few persons witnessed the brief struggle or heard the shot. Davis is survived by a widow and one son.

ASKS MILK POST PERMIT.

Houston Firm Seeks Advertising Privileges.

AUSTIN, March 28.—A proposal to buy from the state highway department the privilege of placing on the highways milk posts bearing advertising has been made by a Houston firm. The highway department has referred the proposition to the attorney general for an opinion on the legal right to enter into such a contract.

The contractor offers the state a yearly rental of $1 for each sign for the first year, and $2 thereafter. He would have the exclusive privilege of placing signs on the roads.

STUDYING PAPER RATES

Customs Experts Seek Way to Allow Its Free Entry Into U. S.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Customs experts in the treasury have begun a new study of the old question, how standard newsprint paper may be defined to permit its entry free of import duties and yet compel payment of traffic rates on other kinds. The investigation now started resulted from arguments made before Assistant Secretary Moss yesterday by paper manufacturers who sought to have modified a 10 per cent tolerance in the present definition of standard news print.

REPRESENTATIVE DIES.

Republican Politician Suffers Fatal Illness At Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Representative John Jacob Rogers, republican, of Lowell, Mass., died here tonight after a long illness. Mr. Rogers, who was the ranking republican members of the house foreign affairs committee, was operated on for appendicitis last July and although he quickly recovered from its effects he has suffered intermittently ever since

Buck Garrett's Son To Pen For Seven-Year Term

Boy of Buck Garrett Will Begin Sentence on Two Theft Charges

ARDMORE, Okla., March 28.—Raymond Garrett, son of Buck Garret, former sheriff of Carter county, will leave Tuesday for the state penitentiary at McAlester to serve a seven-year term for automobile theft. Appearing unexpectedly in state district court late yesterday Garrett withdrew a former plea of not guilty and confessed to the theft of two automobiles. Judges W. F. Freeman and Asa Walden sentenced him to serve seven years on each count, the terms to run concurrently.

Buck Garrett, former political leader in Carter county and known throughout the nation for his participation in the trial of Clara Smith for the murder of Jake Hamon, republican national committeeman, in 1920, was in the courtroom with his son. The wives of both men accompanied them. The father was visibly affected and the mother gave way completely to a fit of weeping. Mrs. Raymond Garrett, however, shared the apparent unconcern of her husband as sentence was passed.

Garrett was charged with complicity in the theft of more than a dozen motor cars and with being the head of an automobile theft ring operating in southwestern Oklahoma and Texas. He still faces four federal charges in connection with the transportation of alleged stolen cars. When his plea was entered he was under bonds aggregating $31,000. He is in the county jail today awaiting removal to state prison.

"WOMEN ONLY"

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an's makeup which made it impossible for her to become unchaste, but that modern times have proven this is all wrong. "Women are as subject to immorality as men," he declared.

Says Conditions Appall

"The most appalling thing in the world is the moral condition among our decent girls over the country. For ages and ages, one of the chief reasons that girls guarded their bodies was the fear of suffering the consequences. But there isn't a 16-year-old fast girl in this town who holds that fear any longer. Ninety-nine out of 100 unclean boys explain very convincingly to the girl that she needn't fear anything of that sort."

Dr. McConnell does not believe there is an intent of boys and girls to be vile and low. Their act is not a thought out thing, he says, and in fact they don't think much about it yet yield to a natural instinct that promises pleasure and then wake up to find their morals shattered.

The promiscuous turning loose of girls unchaperoned and untaught to jazzy dances and suggestive shows is to blame for this," he tdlo his audience.

"Kissing, necking, hugging and spooning isn't a safe proposition. That is God's way of stimulating a natural desire that results in the continuation of the race. The fact is simple, and undisputably true. Girls and boys of today are threatened and menaced by more vicious, open, determined pitfalls than any youth in any history. Mother, your daughter is offered more arms to go around her, more lips to kiss, more invitations to vice before she reaches 16 years of age than you ever saw in your whole life."

Pausing for a moment to look over the faces of his audience, Dr. McConnell said, "If the description of this conduct is indecent, what do you suppose the sensation of the conduct itself is? Tolerance of these conditions makes matters steadily worse. Never was there such a damnable instrument of the devil as the promiscuous dance. It brings girls into contact with any man that wears a necktie and has a little money, is a good dancer, wears good clothes, and has a fast car. He may be filthy, his morals the lowest of the corrupt, and his conduct shameful, but if he is 'cute' he's all right. Character in a man doesn't amount to a hill of beans with modern girls. They want them good-looking. Do you women know who your girls keep company with? Mothers are blind. They can see faults in any other girl than their own. I know that is mother love, but love ought to magnify the dangers instead of covering them up.

Mother Can Correct

"There is a crying need for more intimate confidence between mother and daughter. Mothers should know what they ought to know and then have the courage to tell their daughters. It is terrible, the misery and heartache caused by ignorance and the dodging of this vital issue."

Rev. O. L. Powers spoke to the women at the close of the sermon, urging them to investigate the candidates in the coming election and to ascertain clearly the character of a man, and what he stood for, before voting. He further urged that every woman present cast her vote.

Mrs. M. L. Jenkins of Mansfield, La., gave the opening prayer, and Misses Adele and Joel Ray sang "Raise Me Jesus," accompanied by Mrs. F. R. Collard at the piano. A short service was held at the evening hour, and special emphasis was laid on Dr. McConnell's talks to be delivered Sunday. A talk to the young people at the Sunday school hour, the morning sermon, the afternoon talk at the Wichita theatre to men, and the evening service fill his program Sunday. The evening sermon, "Who Was Jesus," is said to be one of his finest, and has been widely distributed in book form.

Nebraska House Kills Proposed 'Shiek' Bill

LINCOLN, Nebr., March 28.—The "sheik" bill making alienation of the affections of a husband or wife a crime was killed by the house committee of the whole today by an overwhelming viva voce vote. Several radical amendments were voted down; one by Senator Wood of Douglas county would make the bill apply only to those between 75 and 100 years old. The bill previously had been passed by the senate.

1 DOZEN SHORTS

One little chick took the other by the hand and led it over to a big range. "Look at the orange-mama-luke," he remarked with a chirp.

It's an old-timer, all right, but it was pulled on the Wichita vaudeville bill just so-allright.

George A. Carden, son of Dallas, is now with Perkins-Tenderlake company in the men's clothing department. He's experienced and ought to be, coming here from Dallas. They will learn to come to a better town, though, won't they?

This addressed to our editorial page writer: "Suggestion for Wichita Falls is great"—Oil pipeline runs in the Wichita Falls district averaged 29,455 barrels daily during the week just closed, compared with 91,375 barrels daily during the preceding week.

ONE DOZEN is informed that C. I. Francis was in Dallas Saturday on business.

Regarding C. I. Francis it might be said in passing that Larry Jacobs of the Dallas Dispatch; John Sneed of the Dallas News; Sullivan Evans of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram; Wichita Falls newspapermen and all outside correspondents who made their headquarters at The Record News recently have voted him to be one of the most courteous, most accommodating, and to put it in the vernacular of the press "one of the most decent" fellows in his relations to newspapers they have ever come in contact with.

A Ford test gasher was badly damaged late Saturday morning at Ninth and Ranch when it was struck by a large touring car. No one was injured, so a good headline was spoiled.

Bill Morrison of the Plains Paving company, Box two copper 2 radicals and wants to get rid of one of them. He gave ONE DOZEN a word at and D. B. Sweet to put it in the paper. Call him up at 4000 if you want to do business with him. This item will be charged him at space rate. (This just for Bill's information.)

If you haven't answered the letter sent you by the Chamber of Commerce regarding how many you'll send on the trade trip which ends up at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, do it now.

Up-country women are a nice fog a fine convention slogan by saying: "Now is the time to meet this bumping question."

The weather bureau business picked up with a rush at the county clerk's office Saturday and a total of seven were issued. This is the largest number to be given out in a single day this month. Licenses were issued as follows: O. W. Sheffler, Frederick, Okla., and Mrs. Edna Baird, Frederick, Okla.; Fred McQuitter, Wichita Falls, and Ella Hill, Wichita Falls; T. F. Estes, Wichita Falls, and Marybelle Williams, Mexia, Okla.; J. F. Williams, Holdsboro, and Mrs. Nellie Vandeman, Holdsboro; F. F. Carter, Walters, Okla., and Miss Grace Bichl, Archer City; F. L. Arterburn, Wichita Falls, and Miss Minnie Lowe, Electra; E. J. Hoff, Wichita Falls, and Miss Lucile Lowery, Bowie.

Three cases were docketed for trial Saturday morning in the city police court. Most of them were for drunks or disturbing the peace and a few were for traffic violations. Minimum fines or forfeiture of bonds disposed of most of them.

T. M. Harrington, an attorney of Walters, Okla., was in the city Saturday on business.

A true March day, typical in its blusterous, was this city's climatic portion Saturday.

Not this spring, probably, has North Texas been swept by so boisterous a wind. It whipped through town from early in the morning until late at night with a fury that sent lots flying and trash and rubbish scattering. Early Saturday morning the elements attempted a rain, but after two or three sprinkling showers, the clouds passed on and another chapter at breaking the dearth had passed.

Saturday was somewhat cooler than the day preceding.

Sooner Solons In Scramble Finish Amid New Probes

Excitement And Confusion Marks Closing Hours In Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 28.—The tenth Oklahoma legislature drew to a close today with sensation and confusion. Interest in the closing hours centered on an investigation before a senate committee into charges that bribes had been offered to senators for their support of a bill sponsored by utility companies. The investigation was still in full swing today and it appeared that it would die at its height when the session expires some time tonight.

Both houses devoted most of yesterday to clearing the calendars, several dozen bills being summarily killed. One of the most important measures remaining before the senate is a preferential primary bill. Definite action is expected before adjournment.

The closing hour was officially set at noon, but it is expected that business will not actually stop until midnight or after. The session convened January 6.

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Demos Defendant For Ad Expense; Actions Are Filed

E. A. Van Patten Advertising Agency Promises "Fireworks in Court

NEW YORK, March 28.—E. A. Van Patten, whose advertising agency is involved in a wrangle with the democratic national committee over an advertising deal during the presidential campaign last year, promises that "fire works" will be produced at the trial of suits filed yesterday by both sides.

"The Borah committee investigating campaign expenditures will be interested more than a little in this suit," said Mr. Van Patten. He added that the trial of the cases "would shed great light on the reasons why John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, and Charles W. Bryan, vice presidential candidate, suffered such a crushing defeat in the election last fall."

The democratic national committee filed suit to compel Van Patten, Inc., to account for a $50,000 cash advance for campaign advertising last fall and to return any amounts due. Van Patten, Inc., countered with a suit for $84,229, claiming the agency spent 39,229 above the original $50,000 and lost additional money as commission on a $600,000 contract, of which the committee expended only about $100,000.

After two unsuccessful conferences in an attempt to negotiate a settlement subpoenas and notices to appear for examinations before trial April 3, were issued against Clem L. Shaver, democratic national chairman, and George White.

MITCHELL APPEALS ALIMONY

Army Officer to Carry Court Decision To Higher Authority.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 28.—Brigadier General William Mitchell, former assistant chief of the army air service, will appeal from the decision of the circuit court here which a few months ago ordered him to increase the amount he must pay for the support of his children by a divorced wife.

Brigadier General Mitchell filed a bond of $5,000 through his attorney today as security for the costs of an appeal.

Poland Protests the Sentence of Citizen

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A demonstration of protest against the death sentence recently passed by the polish government upon Stanislaw Lazutzki, a communist member of the Polish parliament, by his government, was staged before the polish legation today by the Washington workers party.

About 40 men and women participated, carrying placards reading "we protest against the plot of the Polish government to murder Stanislaw Lazutzki," "down with bloody Warsaw, flunkey of French imperialism," "hail the communist party of Poland" and similar expressions. They elicited no response from legation officials.

THE FATTER, THE HIGHER

Men in France Over 43 Inches Girth to be Charged 10 Pct. More

PARIS, March 28.—Men whose girth is more than 43 inches will have to pay ten per cent more for their suits in the future, according to a decision by the Parisian tailor's syndicate. The tailors contend it is unfair to oblige them to clothe portly customers for the same price as thin ones, and that with the rising cost of textiles, notably English woolens and Scotch tweeds, they are more than justified in asking the increase.

While President Doumergue may make the grade and his pocket book be unaffected by the tailors' abuse, there is certainty that Premier Herriot will come in for an increase under the ruling unless an exception is accorded him.

LOVES HIS ART MORE

Young Frenchman Says He Will Give Up His Wife for Studies.

PARIS, March 28.—"I love my art more than my wife," was the assertion of a young achitectural student entered for the French government's Prix de Rome when he discovered that the rules would not allow married men to inhabit the villa of the Medicis, the home of France's art school in the Eternal City.

At first the young architect tried to pass himself off as a bachelor but when this ruse was discovered he calmly offered to get a divorce. The academy of fine arts sternly replied by voting to exclude him from all the competitions under its auspices, where in the would-be dweller among the Seven Hills appealed to the minister of education and fine arts to have the decision reversed.

Up to the present nobody seems to have consulted the wife in the case.

GEOLOGY

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it turned out a failure told the truth about us.

Obsessed With Structure.

We are obsessed with "structure" and yet we know that structure is only half the story—perhaps not even half. We happen to have observed in the past that oil is found more frequently on 'structure' than elsewhere and we have been content to follow up and spend money on this partial truth. Scores of structures are drilled and found barren, with no apparent reason. We don't know why.

"We discovered that faulted structures at Powell and Maxia produced oil in abundance and immediately set ourselves at the improvement of technique to locate other faults in this general zone, and some remarkably fine work has been done in locating obscure fault structures here. But Bassette and Kosse have been sore disappointments as well as Kaufman county and the entire remainder of east Texas to date. Structure therefore, even faulted structure, is not the entire story in this region. And we don't know why."

Exploded Ideas.

The same idea is expressed in the words of Doctor John M. Clarke, of New York, one of the pre-eminent scientists in the profession. "We know that a few things are so, and each have our pet theories as to why they are so. A year, a month, or sometimes less will serve to explode these theories, and these hypotheses, and we are as much in the dark as ever."

W. A. J. M. van Watershoot van der Gracht admits freely, "We know only a small fraction of the whole story."

With all the drilling at Cromwell, G. A. Kroenlein made the statement here yesterday, "Both structural and sand conditions are geologic problems here that have never been solved. On that account future development cannot be planned with any degree of accuracy and confidence."

Reason Assigned.

A reason for the science's failure to make more rapid strides than it really has is assigned by some attending the convention to the nature of the companies employing and supporting geological staffs, where competition is so keen and development kept so secret and that each staff is forced to rely on its own experiences and deductions for its policies and work.

Most of the visiting geologists departed today for their homes, a few remaining over to visit the Rainbow Bend fields on Monday. The day was spent in reading papers on various foreign aspects of the profession.

Bankrupt Sale

Closes forever Tuesday night, March 31. Assortments are good, selections splendid on Men's and Boys' High Grade Wearing Apparel. Act Now!!

Priced shamefully too low—just to sell out to the last article, so that we can deliver our location to the heartless landlord, who gave us notice to vacate.

Men's and Young Men's SUITS And Overcoats $7.75 — $20 to $37.50 Values

Men's and Young Men's SUITS And Overcoats $17.75 — $38.75 to $46.50 Values

Men's and Young Men's SUITS And Overcoats $27.75 — $50 to $65 Values

$1.00 Fancy Silk Sox ... 36c

20c to 50c Collars ... 1c

$3 Straw Hats ... 79c

$2.50 Spring Caps ... 69c

Shoes — $7 to $8 Values — That were on sale last week at $2.89. All good styles. $1.95

Hats — $5 and $6 Values — That were on sale last week at $1.95. Spring styles. $1.68

Shirts — $3.50 Values — That were on sale last week at $1.68. Collar attached or neckband. $1.59

$10 Boys' Two-Pants, all-wool Suits ... $3.95

$2.50 Dress Shirts, good assortment ... 89c

809 INDIANA

$12.50 Sheeplined COATS $5.39

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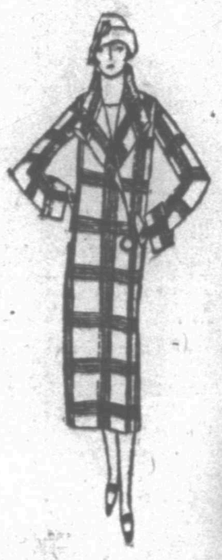
$2 Light Ribbed UNIONS 89c

J. W. Ferguson

DRY GOODS

724 Indiana — Next to 1st Nat'l Bank

Pre-Easter Sale of COATS



Monday we will place on sale a special group of our latest coats in a huge pre-Easter selling event. They are the best styles and in such new colors that all women want this season. Materials are Kasha, Charmeen, Poiret Twill, Polair Cloth, Suede, etc.

$59.50 Coats $44.65
$49.50 Coats $37.15
$39.75 Coats $29.85
$29.50 Coats $22.15
$19.75 Coats $14.85



New Arrivals in Pretty Frocks

Colorful indeed is this new shipment of pretty hats. There is a very wide range of styles and each embodies a touch of individuality that is not to be denied. The new colors of the season are made into the most wanted dress motifs and the trimmings which adorn them add a finishing touch that will make you want one or more.

$19.75 TO $59.50

36-inch pure dye Taffeta. Extra quality, all new shades and two-tone. $2.50 grade. Monday special .. $1.89

40-inch Crepe de Chine. Beautiful range of colors. Extra heavy grade. Our $1.98 values Monday, yd. $1.69

40-inch printed Crepe all pure silk, very special Monday, yd $2.69

New Spring Voiles. Pretty figured designs, very new patterns. Extra quality 69c

New shipment Flat Crepes. Extra heavy and the new colors, yd. $2.95

20 per cent discount on our entire stock of Flannel and Novelty Spring Woolen materials. TAKE ADVANTAGE.

For your new Easter Slippers here you'll find more style and quality for less money than you really expect. A look will convince ou. Remember we carry all widths.

Men's genuine English Broadcloth of the better grade shirts. Guaranteed cut full and made right. Poudre blue, tan and white. Special for Monday, each $1.65

Young men's wide bottom trousers of light Spring colors. With a lot of style and snap ... $6.45, $7.45, $8.45

Boy's golf and knicker pants. New patterns. The kind a boy would want to wear ..... $1.75 to $3.45

Men's nice soft white handkerchiefs each 5c

Men's sox, black, brown, blue, gray, pair 10c

Canvas gloves 10c

$1.50 Standard Overalls, good grade denim 95c

Governor Favors Tick Eradication At State Expense

Old System of County Work Is Abolished by New Bill

AUSTIN, March 28.—Compulsory tick eradication at state expense in territory bounded on the east by the Brazos river from its mouth to Robertson county, was approved today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Several bills received executive approval today.

The present system of county tick eradication work is abolished by the ne whill, and all infested territories are placed under quarantine with the eradication work to progress at state expense. The bill prohibits driving infested cattle at large and also shipment without a permit.

A permit by the livestock sanitary commission must be granted for any movement of infested cattle. Regular dipping is required, and shipment to market for immediate slaughter on one dipping is authorized. The bill also provides for eradication of fever ticks on all other farm animals, and gives inspectors of the sanitary commission power to enter the premises of any cattle owners. Eradication work at state expense on local option in certain territories is authorized. The bill goes into effect in June.

Other bills approved today exempt gasoline and lubricating oil from the Sunday closing law; fix a minimum penalty for burglary with explosive, valid te sale of free school lands and permit consolidated of road districts.

Water improvement districts would be permitted to create bonded indebtedness by one bill while another bill exempts money paid a political party for a place on the official battlot from the campaign expenses.

"Bad Paper" Ruins Checks In France

PARIS, March 28.—Efforts of the French government and treasury to develop the use of the bank cheques along the American plan have been given a setback by the exploits of a socalled Persian princess, who recently distributed worthless paper to the extent of about six million francs to French tradesmen desirous of following finance minister Clementel's exhortations to accept payment by cheques.

The Frenchman, who never really got away from the ready money system of settling accounts, always has looked with suspicion upon cheques, public and private. Consequently, billions of francs in paper money are carried about at the end of every month for the settlement of bills and payrolls. The use o fcheques has been confined largely to the gambling casinos, where people are most exposed, find themselev sseparated from their money suddenly, and where business necessarily is done "on honor."

In private dealings and public affairs the French prefer what they still call the "tinkling coin," although the paper crush of bank notes now exclusively in circulation in France renders very little metallic sound. The recommendations of the government and the final breaking down of resistance on the part of the bureaucrats to the introduction of the cheque system have had some effect. In transactions at the end of the month with the French treasury cheques were used to the amount of 300,000,000 francs.

But if you ofer a cheque to your janitress in payment for the quarter's rent, she will ask wonderingly "what's this little scrap of paper?" when enlightened she will say with energy and finality "I would prefer ready money."

The government and parliament, however, are determined to relieve the money stringency by development of the cheque, and it is proposed to make the penalty for issuing cheques without funds extremely severe, changing the laws so that justice may act in such cases with greater speed.

SOUTH OUT-TIPS NORTH

South Americans Prove More Generous In Paris Than Yankees.

PARIS, March 28.—South American tourists in Paris this winter season outnumbered, outspent and outtipped the North Americans in every way, according to the hotel keepers, amusement resort proprietors, restauranteers and others profiting from the visitors trade.

The South American invasion was such that not only the bigger and more prominent hotels benefitted but many smaller ones having the foresight to engage Spanish and Portuguese speaking employes.

At the cocktail hour in a number of well known bars where last year more English was heard than French, Spanish this year dominated both languages, while the popular tea dansants and evening tango resorts were filled with dark eyed southern beauties and their escorts.

The French kovernment is aiding and abetting this influx, emphasizing it as effective propaganda toward a "better understanding among the members of the Latin race."

JAZZ MISSES AUDIENCE

Germans Like Strauss But Fail to Appreciate American Music.

BERLIN, March 28—Ernoe Rapee, Chicago orchestra conductor, who has been introducing some American music int othe concerts he has been directing with symphony orchestras in European capitals recently puzzled a Berlin audience by playing "Adventures in a Perambulator," by John Alden Carpenter, of Park Ridge, Illinois.

This suite for orchestra attempts to tell the experiences of a baby being wheeled by a nurse, but the introduction into the music of the "heavy steps of an American policeman," tunes o fa hand organ and other American street noises were so unfamiliar to the Europeans that they apparently failed to get the composer's idea, or did not regard the subject as suitable for musical treatment.

Rapee wa senthusiastically received when he directed Strauss numbers but the audience was cold to the new music from America.

BANK CLEARINGS GAIN

Dallas Shows Enormous Increase Over Corresponding Months in 1924.

DALLAS, March 28.—An increase of $119,698,341.99 in bank clearings in Dallas during the first three months of 1925 over the corresponding period in 1924, were announced today by Carey E. Webb, assistant manager of the Dallas clearing house.

The total clearings up to March 28, are $627,949,489.33.

A new record for bank clearing is expected to be established in Dallas in 1925, bankers here predict.

Howe, About Delicate Criticism—Old Men's Meanness—The Whist Slouch

The platform of the conservatives is wisest, most humane, most intelligent. They analyze the human record as carefully and fairly as scientists analyze the earth, and base their claims on the known record.

If a Doc Cook appears, and claims he has made a great discovery in human betterment, conservatives ask him to prove it.

If he cannot, he is discredited.

The conservatives contend that there is a true method of advancement. This they recommend, and issue warning against others. The notion preached so much today that conservatives offer a program reeking with dishonesty, is the most cruel of the long list of false charges made against honest men.

The unwise, unfair, foolish, must have excuse for failure.

However unworthy a man may be, he will not admit he is wrong; so he criticises those doing somewhere near as well as men should do.

I know a man who was divorced from his wife for seven months. Finally they concluded to remarry, and finish out their lives together.... They were remarried on the 21st of July. On the morning of the 22nd of July she "jawed" him, and by noon they were quarreling as much as ever. That evening she left his bed and board again, and hasn't been back since.... There are terrible possibilities in this love the moving pictures make so much of.

In the old days writers used much delicacy in criticism of the people. "Let us reason together," they said.... Lately they are more brutal. Writers say: "You fools, what's the matter with you? Here I have been telling you for years, and you pay no attention. I'm becoming tired trying to save you. Next thing I'll do, I'll put you in jail."

Fugitive sentence I think should be generally admired. "It is not enough to do good; it must be done in the right way."

A woman was mad at her husband, threw gasoline on him, and then applied a match.

I once knew a man who declared that a newspaper of his town had "hounded him for years," and who carried a pistol with a view of shooting the editor. Being interested in newspaper work, I looked up the case, and found that the accused newspaper had almost never mentioned the man, and never discreditably. The editor's offending was that he had not freely given his space to praise the man. There was actually no reason why the editor should have done this, as the man was of small importance, and did nothing to legitimately attract the attention of reporters.... Most newspaper hatreds are like this: editors are hated because they do not print more free notices. Newspapers appear day after day, and when a citizen observes that he is not mentioned he becomes resentful. He decides that he is as good or better, than many of those who are mentioned and praised, and, in many cases, begins carrying a pistol to use on the editor, and declares he is being "hounded".... A town I am faliniar with has one of the fairest, most enterprising and useful newspapers I know; yet there is more clamor in that town for a new paper than in any other I know.

When you are not getting along very well, behave a little better than you have been behaving, and a way out will usually present itself.

The ambition of the fundmentlists, it has lately been stated, is to keep the hell fires burning.... Occasionally you meet a bright man who is not only learned in the law, but in literature. I heard such a one state lately that W. J. Bryan's cry that he is not related to the ape, is ridiculous, since science proves that man is older than the ape.... Perhaps you have noted that Mr. Bryan has become a real estate barker in Miami, Florida. I lately heard a responsible man say that Mr. Bryan gets fifteen thousand dollars for his services during the winter season of two or three months. Will all those influenced by his eloquence make a profit on the lots they buy? Or will some of them lose?

Are old men meaner, or wiser? My own impression is that it is a case of being worn out.... Here are a lot of people crowding to buy tickets to a show. The old man is not in the mob; he goes around it, because he has seen the show. Not only that, he has been behind the curtain, and seen the machinery with which the illusions are produced.... Every old man knows much of value. His comments may be too long; discount a good many of his opinions, owing to meanness, but he has had so many doses of hame and eggs that he knows very well what they amount to. He has had certain experiences you cannot discount; they happened, over and over again, and are of value.

In one of the magazines, a writer lately asked this question: "Is honesty possible?" Absolute honesty is not, but a very good imitation is. Honesty is the one human thing the people can make progress and profit with. It is not possible for us ordinary humans to be geniuses, but we can be honest in sufficient degree to be respected and successful in life. Working at honesty is like working in a rich mine which always pays.... The same writer also asks: "What is honesty?" It is obeying those rules of life, experience has proven most profitable.. It is the difference between civilization and savagery. People everywhere admire honesty; therefore be honest and popular.

A chaplain in a prison said lately it would do most of us good to spend six months in strict confinement, subject to discipline and plain fare. Many instances are cited of prisoners who entered as invalids, and came out as robust men.... It is a sad commentary on this liberty we are so fond of.

In the end, only good men become heroes; only good measures finally become popular.

I hear of an elderly woman who is stoop-shouldered. The women say she became that way from slaving for her husband and sons.... The men have just held an investigation, and say her stoop is due to bending over the whist table, where she spends seven or eight hours every day.

We need indignation in this country, but our indignation is too often unfair; we are indignant about many things we should cheer.... Be indignant, certainly, but be sure you are on the right side.

Have you not observed that men are pretty generally against the love stories printed in the magazines? I go nowhere without hearing complaint against them.

Intelligence might prevail more generally than it does, did not intelligent men grant too much to ignorance. Find me a man of real intelligence who does not concede too much to the ignorant mob, and I'll find the needle you lost in the haystack.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water refreshes and strengthens weak and tired eyes. All druggists 25c.—Adv.

Something to sell? Place an ad in the Record News want ad columns for the best results.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any drug or department store and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove your freckles.

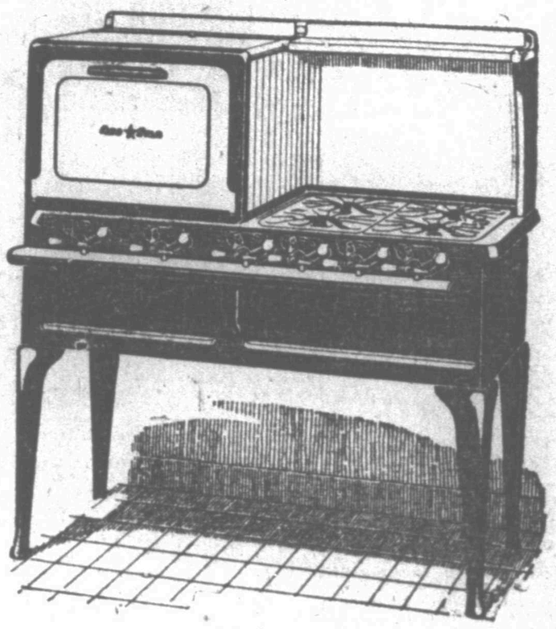
We recommend Othine Complexion Soap for use with Othine, also as a shampoo—it's wonderful for bobbed hair—25c a cake at all drug or department stores or by mail. Othine Labortatories, Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.

McCONNELL BROTHERS

FOR BETTER COOKING

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Red Star, the different oil stove, burns oil without wicks. Gives gas heat, gas speed and gas stove results. Millions of homes now swear by this modern oil stove. Thousands more adopt it each year because it means greater convenience, happier kitchen hours, and better cooking.

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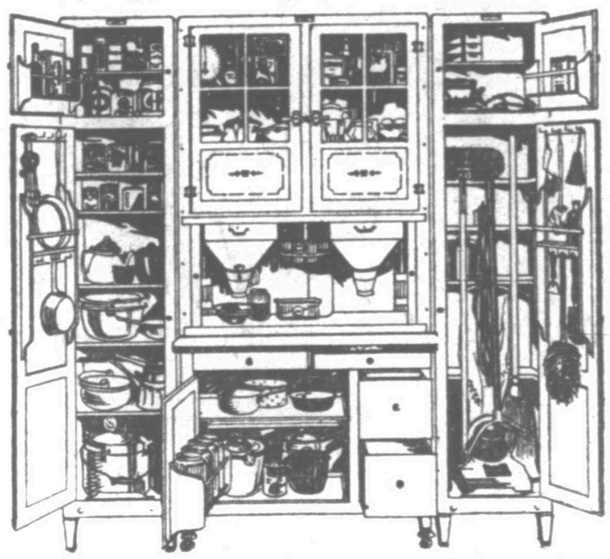
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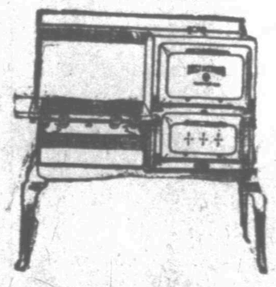
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8 NEW WELLS MARK VERNON DEVELOPMENTS

Many Wildcats in Area Shut Down For Water

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Several Near Completions Are Approaching The Sand in South Vernon

VERNON, Texas, March 28.—Eight completions in the regular sands of the South Vernon pool marked virtually the only development in that district, many of the wildcats around the field being shut down for water.

The new wells are South Vernon Oil company No. 6, Stephens, 1,902 feet, 500 barrels; No. 13, 1,300 feet, 350 barrels; No. 14, 1,300 feet, 400 barrels. Bridwell and Hedrick, No. 5 Dill, 2,275 feet, estimated 500 to 1,000 barrels. Sheerin, McKinney and Lucey Petroleum company No. 6, Richardson, 1,300 feet, 100 barrels; No. 8, Stephens, 1,335 feet, 300 barrels; No. 9, 1,270 to 1,275 feet, 300 barrels.

Humble is completing No. 10 Castlebury in the 1,275 foot sand, while the Castlebury Farm Oil company No. 1 Castlebury is drilling in, oil sand at 2,265 to 2,271 feet.

Daily average pipe line runs from the South Vernon field were 4,300 barrels last week, with 21,000 barrels of crude oil in storage there.

The Texas company No. ? Castlebury, NE corner SW NW 1-4 of section 68, block 14, is shut down at 1,800 feet, a mile southeast of the shallow pay district. Three miles west, Bridwell, Hedrick et al. No. 1, Waggoner, in the NW corner of SW of SW 1-4 section 104, block 14, is drilling at 1,700 feet. Leopard Oil company No. 1, Flughman, W. A. McKinney survey, three miles west of South Pernon, is shut down at 1,566 feet.

Four miles northwest, Clint Wood No. 1 Alex Streit, center of SW of NE 1-4 of section 29, block 4, is drilling below 2,250 feet. Shipley et al. No. 1, Murphy, four miles west of the field, section 1, block 18, is drilling at 1,015 feet.

Just five miles south of Vernon, Little Oil company No. 1, Young-below 2,200 feet.

Doheny Interests Set New Mexican Record

TAMPICO, Mexico, March 28.—The Doheny interests, as represented by the Mexican Petroleum corporation in the heavy oil district and the Huasteca Petroleum company in the light oil district, established a record for weekly withdrawals of oil in Mexico whe nin the period from March 9 to 15, inclusive, 1,031,099 barrels of crude were taken from wells of the two companies in the southern and Ebano districts.

Of this 559,523 barrels were light crude from wells in Tierra Blanca, Chapanate Munez, Cerro Viejo, including the Toteco Border, Zacatixtle, and Juan Casino, while the balance, 471,566 barrels, was heavy oil from holdings in Tutillo and Chapaco.

All of the oil was pumped through flow pipes into the Tampico terminal of the company and it is estimated that should committments require, that the production obtainable from each field could be increased not less than 20,000 barrels daily.

Iraq Oil In Need Of Political Protection

LONDON, March 28.—Iraq oil is unlikely to enter the world oil markets for two years as frontier delimitation is necessary before sufficient political security can be assured to warrant investment of large capital. This opinion was recently expressed by Turkish Petroleum officials, whose company owns the concessions there.

Germany has done geological work there but much drilling will be necessary and then the oil may be too heavy for easy piping. A 500-mile pipe line will be necessary to the Persian gulf.

Iraq is the Arab name for Mesopotamia and the concessions lie in the Mosiu region. Turkish Petroleum is owned 25 per cent each by four groups, consisting of Royal Dutch company, Anglo-Persian Oil, Ltd., a French group of 65 companies, and an American group, including Standard Oil company, Sinclair and Pan-American Petroleum.

UNION OIL EXCHANGED

DENVER, Colo., March 28.—Midwest Sefining company is taking oil produced by Union Oil company's Verstraten No. 1 on the Fort Collins dome, northern Colorado, and exchanging it with Continental Oil company for Wyoming crude. The Fort Collins oil is shipped to the Continental refinery at Florence, Colo.

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Cosmos Is Leading In Corcorda Activity

CHIJOL, Vera Cruz, March 28.—The hacienda Concovada continues to be the scene of the greatest activity of individual operators in Mexico, with the Cosmos Oil company doing the greatest amount of work, although most of the drilling now going on under the name of Cosmos is being done by individuals on a percentage basis for the former. The Cosmos, which just completed Corcovada No. 2 as a duster, has seven wells drilling, is building three decricks and has one additional location.

California Fields Are Setting New Drilling Records

Spring Activities Start Up; Increased Production Is Expected

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 28.—California's production during February amounted to 16,869,833 barrels, according to the official figures of the American Petroleum Institute. It is a decrease of 2,128 barrels per day as against January.

Stocks on hand February 28 were 129,344,610 barrels, an increase of 1,326,840 barrels. During February, 65 wells were completed with a total initial production of 28,170 barrels.

During 1924, the percentage of recovery of gasoline from California crude oil from January 1 to December 31 dropped almost 20 per cent and in the latter month it registered almost 15 per cent under the average of the state for the year.

The percentage of recovery at the end of the year was 18.33, almost one-half the nation's average and less than one-half exclusive of California.

Spring Drilling Starts.

Spring drilling seems fairly well launched in southern fields. Applications for permits for new wells totaled 18 for the week ended March 14. While not so great a number as was listed during the preceding seven days, when 31 permit applications were filed with the state mining bureau, setting a new record for 1925, the present week's activities indicate resumption of new drilling on a large scale this year.

Rosecrans leads with six new wells, one of which is for the Henderson Petroleum corporation, another successful Long Beach operating organization which is entering the new field for the first time.

Two new wells for the Signal Hill field at Long Beach are of interest, one for the Shell, the other for the Union, and the latter company lists another new one for Richfield on its Olinda lease.

Torrance lists one each for the Petroleum Securities, C. C. M. O. Co. and the Standard while the Associated and Petroleum Securities each are starting new ones in the Basin's newest field in the Culver City area of Inglewood district.

Longest Casing Set.

The San Jose Elk Hills Oil company claims to have landed the longest string of eight-inch casing to date in any well. The hole is 4,991 feet and the casing extended the entire distance in one length. The well is the one on section 26-31-24, Elk Hills, the land held under the permit issued to William Faulkner which Secretary Work has just agreed to extend after his subordinates had ordered it terminated as the company had hopes of getting oil.

Now assured of protection, the company is going ahead to finish the well which reports received from the field by President J. A. Corotto indicate ought to be a good producer. Correlations of the formation penetrated with that of other wells are quite encouraging.

Breckenridge Men Buy 80-acre Lease

BRECKENRIDGE, March 28. — Rhodes and Hicks of Breckenridge have purchased a 80-acre lease with four wells in the Cr[illegible] field, Brown county, considered being about $100,000. Cal-Bre Syndicate, New Era Oil Syndicate and others were the former owners.

NO LIGHT POOLS IN SIGHT

President of Marland Company Is Pessimistic Over Prospects of Shallow Fields.

HOUSTON, March 28. — After a complete survey of the Mid-Continent crude oil situation, E. W. Marland, president Marland Oil company, says there are no major light oil pools in sight and the Smackover discovery is heavy oil, with little if any effect on the light oil market. He anticipates heavy withdrawals on storage the next six months.

MOTOR PRODUCTION GROWS

U. S. and Canadian Output Shows Big Increase During February.

CASPER, Wyo., March 28.—Production of motor vehicles in the United States and Canada in February, according to the department of commerce, was 252,785 passenger cars and 34,234 trucks, compared with 212,909 passenger cars and 28,041 trucks in January, and 343,444 passenger cars and 32,805 trucks in February, 1924.

Thompson Becomes Gulf Geologist

J. D. Thompson, Jr., at present district geologist at Amarillo, will succeed Ernest Closuit, resigned, as chief geaologist for the Gulf Production company in the north and west Texas district, for which Fort Worth is headquarters. The change becomes effective April 1 but Mr. Thompson is expected here Monday.

Mr. Closuit, formerly of Wichita Falls, returns to that city to join the geological staff of Murchison & Fain, successful oil operators of that city.

GULF RESUMES DRILLING

KERENS, March 28.—Gulf Production company No. 1, Mattie Green, four miles northwest of here, in the Bazette district, and southwest of the Humphreys-Boyd and Penn-Atlantic failures, has resumed drilling at 750 feet after repairing a slight break in machinery Monday.

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Curtain Scrims 36-inch 15c

Three-Way Race Is On To Tap Buffalo-Mabank Balcones Fault Pool

Two Tests Hope To Reach Austin Chalk Tonight

Murchison-Fain and Cranfill-Murchison Both Well On Way

PENN-WINDSOR, TOO

Henderson County is Scene Of Newest Fault Zone Play

FORT WORTH, March 28.—The race to open another new pool along Balconnes Fault line in east central Texas is on once more. Murchison-Fain et al No. 1, Dye, Ybarbo survey, was down seventeen hundred and ten feet on the Buffalo Mabank structure in Kaufman county today. Cranfill-Murchison-Fain et al Al Springer 1, James M. Gardner survey, Buffalo structure, Henderson county, was down seventeen hundred thirty-five feet while sixteen hundred feet east of the last named well Penn, Windsor et al, Al Murphy 1, James M. Gardner survey, was down one thousand feet and drilling. Two first named expect to hit Austin chalk, "key" formation, Sunday night.

In Bazette, southwest of two recent failures there, Gulf-Kirby, Mattie Green 1, was down eighteen hundred feet and expecting to reach Austin chalk Sunday night.

Standard Obtains 1,000 Acre Lease

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 28.—The biggest transaction in undeveloped San Joaquin valley oil lands in years occurred here when the Standard Oil company of California obtained an option on 1,000 acres from R. M. Fitzgerald, leading attorney of Oakland, on the McKittrick Front, full consideration involving $1,250,000, but the initial payment amounting to between $150,000 and $200,000. The land, regarded as partly proved, is between McKittrick and Beldridge northern line, near Geperal Petroleum's Marina property. Agreement gives a year and a half to complete tests and exercise option. Land includes north half of section 14, nearly all of section 23 and north half of section 26, all in township 29, range 21.

KITSELMAN GETS WELL

Producer of 100 Barrels Brought In In Jim Hogg County.

LAREDO, March 28. — Kitselman and St. Albans interests, in the Henne, Winch and Fariss pool, Jim Hogg county, completed No. 14, for 100 barrels daily. Derrick is up for No. 6, No. 8 has cement set and No. 9 is drilling.

Three deep tests are being drilled in this pool. Texo Oil company No. 3 on block 16, survey 255, is drilling below 2,200 feet. Elliott-Texas-Pacific is drilling below 2,250 feet in No. 2 on block 7-B, survey 26, Las Animas grant, and the Magnolia Petroleum company is drilling No. 4 below 2,100 feet. All three of these tests are in the heart of the pool and seek to open up a new horizon at a depth of 2,700 feet.

Standard After Slick's Leases

PONCA CITY, Okla., March 28.—Ohio Oil company, a Standard Oil subsidiary, is negotiating for the purchase of the entire holdings of Tom Slick in Oklahoma, a deal which, if consummated, will probably involve at least $10,000,000.

Slick's Oklahoma properties include producing leases in approximately 12 different pools and stored oil in the Papoose and Tonkawa fields, amounting to about 1,000,000 barrels.

About 200,000 barrels are stored at Papoose and 800,000 at Tonkawa. Nothing more than the fact that the deal is pending has been announced.

WATER WELL HITS OIL

Considerable Excitement at Bartlett Over Showing at 340 Feet.

BARTLETT, March 28.—Considerable excitement prevails here following the finding of an oil showing in a well being drilled for water on the H. Weege farm, seven miles northwest of here in Bell county, at 340 feet. Three feet of hard rock has hardly been penetrated. Below the rock is expected some sort of a good oil showing.

FIND STILL AT CHILDRESS

Largest Liquor Brewer Yet Found in County Discovered in Canyon.

CHILDRESS, March 27.—A fifty-two gallon still, the largest yet c[ap]tured in Childress county, was covered in a secluded canyon on the Three-Bar ranch near here, last Tuesday by two members of the sheriff's department. No arrests have been made in connection with the still and the five gallons of mash that was found nearby.

Standard Orders 40 Oil Stills For Casper

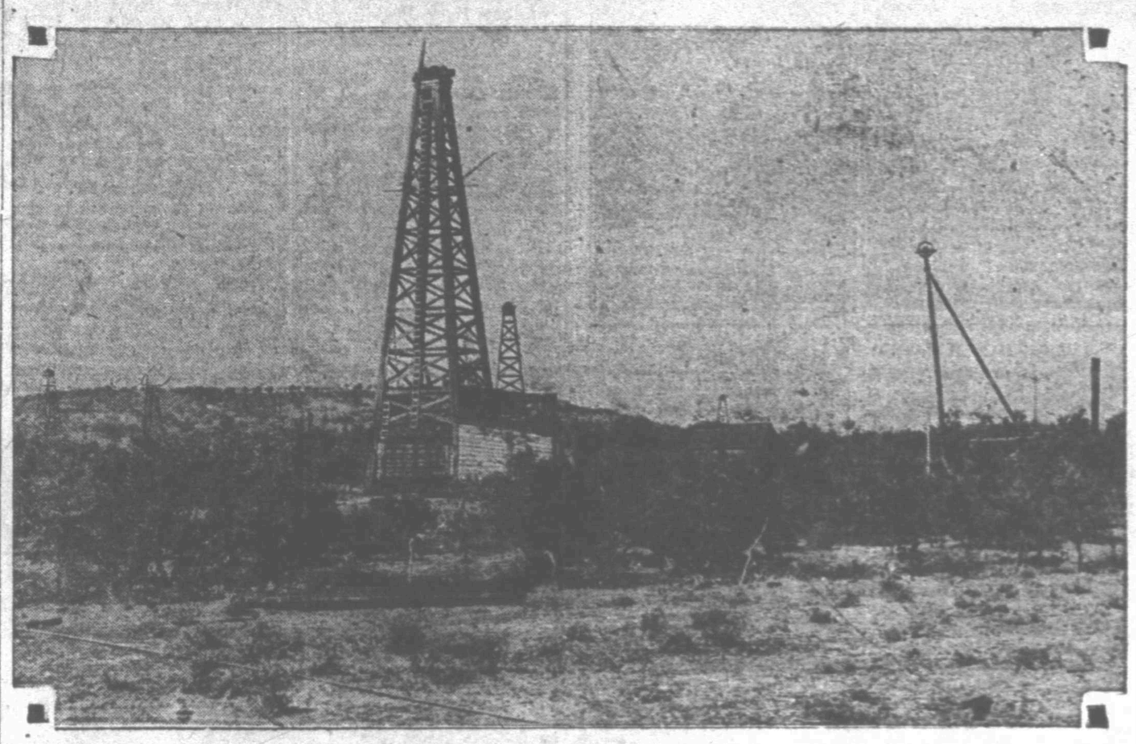
CASPER, Wlo., March 28.—Standard Oil company of Indiana, has contracted for 40 stills to replace old stills at its Casper plant and also for a new battery of 12 stills of a new type greatly superior to the type now in use. The new battery will obtain [a] larger amount of gasoline from crude than the type now in use.

During February, Standard shipped 5,400,000 gallons of gasoline to Baton Rouge for export, the output of Plant No. 3. Plants Nos. 1 and 2 are operated for domestic orders.

RAIN HELPS DRILLING

LAREDO, March 28.—Oil development work has been greatly augmented by the recent rain which was general throughout the entire Laredo district. Rigs idle for many months steamed up this week and are now running full speed.

Where Deep and Shallow Production Meets



The scene reproduced is the line of demarcation where deep and "grass root" production meets in Putnam. While no "grass root" oil production has been found west of this line in eastern Callahan County, the 1,700 foot pay has been found productive in the midst of the shallow territory and outside it.

PUTNAM, March 28.—When deep and shallow production meet, it affords one of the rarest scenes in the oil industry, the physical appearance of the machinery and equipment used in drilling to the two pays being so distinctly different, though similar in principle.

In the Putnam field of eastern Callahan county is one of the best examples of this.

Just two miles south of here is what may be termed the deep field of the belt, thought it would be termed shallow in many localities as it is but 1,700 feet deep.

However, the difference is evident because the majority of the production obtained in the Putnam territory is from the "grass roots" depths of from 300 to 700 feet.

The 1,700-foot wells acvrage fifty to 100 barrels settled production. The best well brought in to date in that sand was the Sherrin well on the Cathey tract, which made more than 200 barrels when it was completed, and has since settled down to 100 barrels.

Besides the deep wells are the "gin poles,' marking the shallow wells. In one instance where the 1,700-foot pay meets, the shallow wells produce from but 490 feet. At this line of demarcation 1,700-foot pay has been found east of the line, but no "grass root" production has been found west of it.

The "grass root" wells are exceptionally heavy producers. Their initial production ranges from sixty to 175 barrels and their settled output from five to 100 barrels.

Gulf Companies Show Enormous Profit For 1924

Over Nineteen Millions Are Cleared by The Several Concerns

AUSTIN, March 28.—Report for the year ended December 31, 1924, shows Gulf Oil corp., holding company for Gulf Production, Gulf Refining, Gypsy Oil, Venezula Gulf Oil, and others, with a net income of $19,166,795 after all charges, depreciation, depletion and taxes.

This is the equivalent to $4.39 a share (par $25) earned on $108,952,900 outstanding capital stock as compared with net income of $14,323,342 or $3.29 a share on $108,720,400 stock outstanding in 1923.

In the consolidated balance sheet, under assets, plants are valued at $286,342,290, while all assets amount to $379,533,409, as against $335,498,553 in 1923. Important additions to plants were made in 1924, particularly in the manufacturing and marketing departments.

In Gulf Oil corp.'s annual report, W. L. Mellon, president, says: "Conditions have changed, causing a substantial advance in market prices, so that the outlook is now favorable for this year's earnings.

"During the past year the Venezuela Gulf Oil company, the stock of which is owned by this corporation, installed a complete producing organization in Venezuela and has so far completed three producing wells with gross production of about 5,000 barrels a day on leases adjacent to Lake Maracaibo.

"On account of the general growth of business, the management is continuing the policy of reinvesting surplus earnings in plant and producing properties of subsidiary companies."

UNION GETS DISCOVERY.

Brings Wildcat Well in on Ft. Collins Dome in Colorado for 3,000.

DENVER, Colo., March 28.—Union Oil company's Whitaker No. 1, discovery well on Fort Collins dome, is flowing about 2,000 barrels daily after being deepened one foot. Well is under control and drilling will con[tinue].

Mid-West Refining company's Ilo. No. 2 well on Ilo dome, Moffat county, found the Dakota sand saturated. This well was flowing from shale.

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Gulf Company Gets Fourth Caldwell Well

LOCKHART, March 28.—To the Gulf Production company goes the honor of the fourth completion in the new Lytton Springs district opened up early this month by Lefere & Storey's No. 1 Brewer, 10 miles north of Lockhart, Caldwell county.

Gulf's Beaty No. 1, an offset to the discovery well, has apparently topped the pay considerably higher than the Brewer, which is in the sand at 1,252 feet. Its present depth is 1,202 feet and conservatively estimated a 50-barrel well. It is to be completed tonight.

It is reported that 20 drilling contracts were signed Monday after it was definitely determined that Golf's Beaty No. 1 was an oil well. There are seven drilling outfits at Dale ready to move to the field.

TIDEWATER MAKES PROFIT

LONDON, March 28.—Considerable general balance sheet of Tidewater Oil company and subsidiaries as of December 31, 1924, shows a profit and loss surplus of $20,516,397, against a capital stock of $50,004,500. Total assets of 1924 was $94,432,370, with properties and the like listed at $61,078,735.

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For the next ten best 1 brick of the famous blend to each.

The names must be in The Record News by six p. m. Friday, April 3rd.

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Packard Piano To Be Placed In Home Beautiful

W E. Floyd Will Install Reproducing Instrument In New House

The Record News Home Beautiful at 1826 Pearl street will be equipped with a Packard reproducing piano, installed by W. E. Floyd, 1905 Eleventh street, district representative.

Music in the home completes the cycle of happiness and brings the feeling of real companionship. A fine piano completes the furnishings of a beautiful living room as no other article can.

The Packard reproducing piano is in no sense a "player piano," and is not "mechanical" in effect, declared Mr. Floyd. The piano is so constructed as to give exactly the same effect as though it were being played by hand. Artists themselves actually play pieces for the piano which are recorded on a music roll. The rolls are gone over and edited by the artists themselves before they are ready to be used for the reproduction of similar rolls. In them is embodied the touch, technique and the genius of the artist himself, Mr. Floyd states.

Music teachers are using these pianos to teach the technique of the masters, and to demonstrate their playing of certain difficult passages. The Packard piano, according to Mr. Floyd, does this so efficiently that music teachers are using it to increase their own proficiency.

Surely, the Packard reproducing piano will be a delight to the future owners of the Co-operative Home Beautiful.

PRINCE STARTS TOUR

Wales Begins Voyage on Repulse With Calm Weather.

ON BOARD ON H. M. S. REPULSE, Mar. 28.—The tour of the Prince of Wales has started with calm weather. After dinner tonight the prince and the members of his party witnessed a motion picture film featuring the overhauling of the Repulse for its present voyage.

An unrehearsed incident in the film caused much amusement. A union officer, not knowing that the picture was being taken, walked up behind the captain, who was posing. Realizing his mistake the junior officer turned and fled, but was recalled by the captain, with whom he had a brief interview. The prince appeared thoroughly to enjoy the incident.

Record News Home Beautiful



Kiwanis Will Start Drive Monday For New Building Funds For Day Nursery

Monday, April 13 will see the inauguration of the drive for funds for the Day Nursery fund recently created by the Kiwanis club and the Federated Missionary societies of this city to enlarge the scope and activity of the present Day Nursery.

The crowded condition now existing at the Day Nursery necessitates immediate action, said a director of the Kiwanis club yesterday, and we are starting on this drive firm in the belief that Wichita Falls will respond heartily in order that this good work may go forward.

The Federated Missionary societies, of which Mrs. W. C. Cook is president will work in conjunction with the Kiwanians in the solicitation of funds. Teams have already been appointed by the Kiwanians and the ladies and these will start work in earnest on the thirteenth.

Complete details are being worked out by the Kiwanis club and all committees and territories will be assigned prior to the meeting.

The Kiwanis club has accumulated quite a nest egg as a beginner for the building fund and all are enthusiastic that the combined efforts of the two clubs will put the drive over in good shape.

COURTS

SECOND CIVIL APPEALS

FORT WORTH, March 28.—The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the second supreme judicial district of Texas, at Fort Worth:

Motions submitted March 27, 1925:

M. R. Hemphill vs. Thomas Gleason, for rehearing.

Diamond Ice and Cold Storage company vs. E. F. Strubb, to dismiss appeal.

Hazel Hope Meyers vs. Jefferson-Standard Life Insurance for hereading by appellant.

Chicago, Rock Island and Gaulf Railway company vs. Ed A. Dickenson, for rehearing.

Diamond Ice and Cold Storage company vs. E. F. Strubb, for certiorari.

Motions granted in part:

Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company vs. Z. T. Lowrie, appellant's motion for rehearing granted in part and cause reversed and remanded with instructions.

Motions overruled March 28, 1925:

James C. Davis, federal agent vs. Dick Clark, for rehearing.

C. E. Hood et al. vs. W. H. Askey et al., for rehearing.

C. E. Lang vs. Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association, for rehearing.

Cases affirmed March 28, 1925:

Mrs. Lula A. Heard vs. John L. Heard, from Denton county.

A. C. Pearson vs. Houston and Texas Central Railroad company et al., from Tarrant county.

Cases reversed and rendered March 28, 1925:

R. S. Mallicott et al. vs. Citizens State bank of Denison, from Denton county.

Cases submitted March 28, 1925:

W. G. Burton et al. vs. George W. Roff, receiver, from Tarrant county.

... et al. vs. F. J. Phelps, from Tarrant county.

J. W. Mingus, receiver, vs. Helen Florence Wadley et al.

Cases set for submission for April 18, 1925:

Guaranty State bank of Graha mvs. J. A. Neill, from Tarrant county.

J. L. Chapman, commissioned et al. vs. S. W. Sibley, from Johnson county.

J. G. Street vs. Smith Bros., Grain company, from Tarrant county.

BOK MAKES BIG GIFT

Johns Hopkins University to Benefit By $50,000 Donation.

NEW YORK, Mar. 28.—A gift of $50,000 by Edward Bok of Philadelphia to the Walter Hines Page school of international relations at Johns Hopkins university was announced today by Owen D. Young, president of the board of trustees of the school.

The donation constitutes Mr. Bok's pledge of financial backing to the school for one year, the announcement said.

Home Beautiful Will Be Finished Within 2 Weeks

Mytinger and Walker Announce New Building Is Almost Complete

Ever since the huge flood lights installed around the Record News Home Beautiful have been flooding the home with light, people have been asking:

"When will it be finished?"

Mark D. Walker, of the firm of Mytinger and Walker, builders of the Home Beautiful says that the Home Beautiful will be ready for inspection some time within the next two weeks. "But I can't be definite about that," said Mr. Walker, for on this job we are pledged to build the very best home possible and we do not intend to vary from that principle one iota.

Build Good One.

"Home can be built in a very short time—and a good many homes are built in half the time used in building this one," he said, "but we are sincere in our desire to build one of the finest and best appointed homes in the city and that is just what we are doing.

"Every window is weatherstripped—to keep the dust and moisture out. The interior trims are made specially for the Home Beautiful by Naylor Collins and must be installed as carefully as they are made. All details are carefully handled so that we might aptly call this the house of no regrets.

W. J. Howard, cement contractor, has finished with the cement work on the drive, walks and porch. This is hardening now and will be ready next week. The Wichita Builders Supply company are putting the finishing touches on the tile floor in the bath room and the Electric Specialty company is winding up on wiring and installing the hot plugs.

Garage Completed.

The garage, which will house the beautiful Nash sedan is completed and will be ready for the car at the time the general public exhibition of the home is given.

Corbin hardware, from Maxwell & Sons Hardware company is being installed in the home, in order that all fittings are in keeping with the finished appearance of the home and in order that the very best materials may be used throughout.

No inkling of the furnishing of the home will be given by Frear Furniture company until the walls have been papered and all preliminary interior work finished. "We are planning a genuine surprise to the public in the Home Beautiful," said Mr. Stayton of Frear's yesterday, "and we are going to keep our surprise until the home is ready to show."

Harrold Man Breaks Arm in Field; Sues

Damages of $3,050 are sought in a damage suit filed Saturday in the 30th district court by N. K. Brumlow vs. I. S. Showers and J. J. Mingwasher. Showers residence is given as Harrold and Mingwasher as Electra, while Brumlow resides here.

The suit is based on an accident, in the oil fields on January 30, last, in which the plaintiff alleges he sustained permanent injuries as a result of the carelessness and negligence of the defendants. He was working as a driller, he said, and while engaged on a rig operated by the defendants he sustained a badly broken arm which has disabled him.

Damages in the sum of $3,000 are asked, while a doctor's bill of $50 is also sought as payment.

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Cops To Flourish At Convention Of West Texas C Of C

Sheriff and Chief of Police At Mineral Wells Send Invites

MINERAL WELLS, March 28—If invitations are accepted which have gone out from the sheriff of Palo Pinto county, and the chief of police of Mineral Wells, the seventh annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce to be held in Mineral Wells, May 4, 5 and 6, will have a large representation of the law present. Last week Sheriff Gib Abernathy of Palo Pinto issued invitations to the sheriffs of west Texas, cordially inviting them to attend this meeting in order that the public may have a better conception of the greatness of the peace of west Texas. Wad Stuart, chief of police of Mineral Wells was anxious for his coworkers to attend the convention and has issued the following letter to 100 chiefs of police to the larger towns in west Texas.

Letter to Chiefs.

"Of course you know of the seventh annual meeting of the West Texas chamber of commerce to be held in Mineral Wells, May 4, 5 and 6.

"Reports from all over west Texas indicate that the attendance at this convention will eclipse any of the previous conventions, which means that we will have 40,000 to 50,000 people during the three days convention. I am one of those that believes that we, as representatives of the law, should be a part of all progressive movements for the upbuilding of west Texas, and having these feelings, I want to invite you to attend this great event. I might say, incidentally, that I have the idea also of giving you a little work to do while you are here, enough to show the general public (more than we need to tell) of our efficiency.

"I can assure you that the West Texas and the Mineral Wells chambers of commerce will be delighted to have your presence and sympathetic co-operation in making this event one that will be a credit to the west, and it will be a delightful pleasure for me to have by brothers in the law, with me for the three days. I am asking that you write me and let me know if I may expect you."

4 Ton "Hen" On Stone Nest Now Hatching

QUANAH, March 28. — A "hen" weighing nearly four tons, setting in a concrete "nest" sixteen by twenty feet on 12,000 eggs, is the beginning of a poultry development program of the Quanah chamber of commerce which it is confidently expected, will result in value to the farmers not calculable in dollars and cents.

This mammoth incubator for the "Greenbelt Hatchery" was installed and the first eggs placed on March 24. One setting of 4,000 eggs each week will be made.

Starts Late.

The lateness of the season this year will preevnt full outline of plan to be carried out. It is expected to develop only pure-bred chickens through the hatchery raising and making available at substantially cost pure-bred roosters of the leading strains. Later the hatchery will have baby chicks to sell, but will handle nothing except pure-bred stock. For this season commercial hatching only will be done.

The chamber of commerce held a one-day poultry school in connection with the poultry show on February 19, 20 and 21, and the intense interest manifested at this school was the direct cause of the mammoth incubator being ordered this late in the season.

Many farmers are turning to poultry raising this year who have heretofore considered this industry of consequence as a money-making of farm life. The lectures and ating of actual experiences the poultry school of hundreds to make more money from their poultry than from their crops has set farmers county farmers to thinking compiled by the chamber of merce reveals astonishing figures of already being done throughout this section from poultry; and with the publicity given this information, and actual experiences of grocery bills paid, families clothed, school books purchased, fuel and household expenses of all kinds—with many instances of payments on cars being made, repairs, and all incidental expenses being paid by the eggs and chickens sold, the money-making possibilities of poultry-raising is being studied and developed. The Quanah chamber of commerce, in conjunction with the county agent, is doing much toward such development. The incubator will eventually be owned by private individuals.

DIVORCED 20 YEARS; SUES

Wife Says Multi-Millionaire Is Still Her Husband.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Although divorced nearly 20 years ago by James S. Duke, "tobacco king," Mrs. Lillian N. Duke, is suing him for separation and maintenance, maintaining that she is still his wife.

This action was disclosed today when former Governor Nathan L. Miller, counsel for Mr. Duke, moved to dismiss the suit.

Mr. Duke, who last Decemebr donated approximately $46,000,000 to Trinity college of North Carolina, which then changed its name to Duke university obtained a divorce from the plaintiff in New Jersey in 1906. A year after it was granted he married Mrs. Nanaline Holt Inman of Atlanta, Ga.

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At Quanah.

PRAYER MEETING SERVICES

A very enthusiastic prayer meeting service was held at the First Baptist church Wednesday evening. Members of the Spizzerinktum, B. Y. P. U. were in charge of the program by request of the pastor who is conducting a revival at Paducah. Flasco Moore was the program leader, assisted by the following young people: Misses Melba Hunter, Betha Fairies, Stella Greene, Ora Brsigr, Ione Taylor, Mabel Miller, Messrs Marvin Butts, Morrow Turner, Roger Samarjian, J. C. Frasier and Van Greene. The subject of the lesson was "What Is Worth While." Two special musical numbers and a reading "When I Met the Master Face to Face" were beautifully rendered.

BAPTIST WORK AT ACME

The Red Fork association (Baptists of Hardeman and Childress counties) began services Friday evening at Acme to continue over Sunday evening. The association devotes the fifth Sunday of every month to this work. Dinner on the ground was a feature of Saturday and Sunday. An especially interesting part of the program is the lecture to be given this afternoon by a Chinese girl who is attending the seminary at Fort Worth.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

One of the loveliest social affairs of the season was the miscellaneous shower given in honor of Mrs. Walter Conley, a recent bride, by Mrs. James W. Conley and Mrs. Gordon Conley at the Country club, Thursday afternoon. A color scheme of pink and white was cleverly used in all the decorations. Mrs. Douglas Wilson rendered a very pretty selection at the piano, after which Mrs. Walter Evans sang, "The Garden of Tomorrow." Mrs. Lucille Rutherford gave a clever reading, "The Bride and Groom." The little Misses Jenny Hood and Joy Michie were very dainty in pink and white, and presented the bride's gifts in a huge basket, trimmed with peach blossoms and pink maline bows. Delicious brick ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Mesdames T. B. Michie, J. L. Dossett, F. D. Hendrix, Jr., G. A. Simmons, J. D. Hughes, E. Greathouse, Homer Carroll, George Brown, C. Y. Welch, Harper Spear, C. B. Simpson, Douglas Wilson, J. H. Wilson, Jack Stevens, Lucille Rutherford, Jimmy Jones, C. T. Watkins, O. F. Hood, L. J. Wall, Arthur Evans, A. F. Sommers, Misses Mary Ledbetter, Julia Ball and Quanita Pickens.

BEEBE-WILSON MARRIAGE

The wedding of Miss Ruth Beebe of Odell, Okla., and Mr. Sam Wilson of Quanah, was announced Saturday. The ceremony was quietly solemnized in Hobart, Okla., March 21, in the presence of a few intimate friends of the young people. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson spent a few days in Oklahoma City and at Foss, Okla., the guests of friends, motoring to Quanah Tuesday, where they will make their home. Mr. Wilson is associated with the Chevrolet Motor company.

NEW STORE ASSURED

Another dry goods store for Quanah was assured by 1926 with the purchase by Roy Simmons of Wortham, of the W. D. Berry building here last Wednesday for a consideration of $20,000. The building is at present occupied by The Famous, and that store has a lease on the building for the remainder of the year.

Mr. Simmons has not announced his plans for the new store, nor who will occupy the building, but it is stated authoritatively that a local man will put in a store there.

The building is a two-story structure, and has a number of offices on the second floor.

OIL ACTIVITY

Much oil activity is evidenced at Chillicothe, 16 miles east of here in Hardeman county, and it is announced definitely that two tests are to be drilled south of there within the next 30 days. A block of 2,000 acres has been leased and material will be assembled immediately, it is announced. J. F. Barker of Wichita Falls, has charge of the operations, and the tests will go 2,300 feet, it is said.

Interest is also being centered to the north of Chillicothe, and a well is to be drilled there, it was stated.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Dave Povington of Canyon, was the all-day guest of Mrs. J. E. Taylor Wednesday.

Gordon Conley spent Wednesday in Wichita Falls on business.

Tom Hanna spent Thursday with his brother, Lex Hanna, who has been ill for several weeks. Mr. Hanna was en route to Oklahoma City after a prospecting trip in New Merico, accompanied by Joe Davis and Fred Hanna.

Mrs. Joe Crawford has returned home after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chelsey Cheshir.

W. M. Hickman has returned to his home in Altus after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Poole, who have been the guests of the S. B. Heards, have returned to their home in Crowell.

Miss Annie May Hankins who attends school at Clarendon spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. M. M. Faulkner. She was also the guest of Judge and Mrs. Hankins while here.

HARDEMAN GINNINGS.

Hardeman county cotton ginnings for 1924 [illegible] almost two and a half times the number of bales ginned in 1923, Government reports show 37,740 bales, as against 15,420 bales in 1922. A conservative estimate of cotton raised in this county but ginned in adjoining counties would raise the total crop to at least 40,000 bales.

Practically all cotton marketed at Quanah was of unusually good quality, and during the season the market quotations at Quanah were many points higher than surrounding territory quotations because of length of staple and quality of cotton raised in this section.

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ple is being discouraged by Hardeman county business men and those farmers who realize the importance of raising cotton which commands and finds ready sale at top market prices, and often at a premium.

PURCHASES LOTS

B. B. Caskey has purchased the three Barney Jones lots on the corner of Second and Green, just west of the Quanah hotel, and will begin work within a few days on the erection of a two-story brick building, modern in every particular.

The lower floor, 76x100 feet, will be utilized by the Western Drug company, a wholesale concern organized a few years ago with local capital of $40,000, fully paid, and which has long ago outgrown the quarters on Main street. Mr. Caskey recently acquired practically all the stock of the Western Drug company, of which he was one of the incorporators, together with the building on Main street where the store is now located.

The upper floor will probably be occupied by local lodge and clubs.

The building and real estate will represent an investment of between $35,000 and $40,000.

At Mineral Wells.

RATES FOR CONVENTION

George D. Hunter, general passenger agent of the Texas and Pacific railway writes the West Texas Chamber of Commerce as follows:

"I am pleased to advise you that at the monthly conference of the Texas General Passenger agents held in Houston, open round trip rates were authorized to Mineral Wells from all points in Texas for the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on the basis of fare and one-half—tickets on sale May 2-3-4-5 with return limit to May 6."

The rates announced are satisfactory, and will bring thousands of people to this great convention.

DUBLIN DELEGATION

J. S. McComb of Dublin, was at the headquarters of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention recently and gave the interesting information that Dublin was planning to send a delegation of 500 people to the convention May 4-5-6. He stated that the delegation would be dressed in Irish green to typify that ancestrally named city. This is only one of the many towns that will be represented at the convention by large delegations in uniform. Comanche is another, and its delegation will be arrayed in Comanche Indian regalia, and in the giant delegation parade that is to be staged Tuesday, the second day of the convention, there will be 60 horses, ridden by persons arrayed as Indians. Others are planning educational as well as comical attire for this annual event.

PLAN BIG TIME

"The strongest and most interesting in the history of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce conventions." This is the statement issued by the program committee in charge of the program at the annual convention to be held in Mineral Wells May 4-5-6. Among the speakers who have already accepted invitations are Rev. George W. Truett, pastor of First Baptist church of Dallas; Walter A. Cline, Wichita Falls; Governor Miriam A. Ferguson; Senator Morris Sheppard; Col. Harvie Jordan, president American Cotton association; Senator Earle B. Mayfield, and a number of others. Some of the best known musical organizations of the state will give numbers during the speaking portion of the program. The management of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce have banned all street entertainment features and demonstrations during the sessions of the convention which are from 9 o'clock in the morning until 12:30 p. m. Following these hours there will be no restrained.

"There need be no fear as to the ability of Mineral Wells to entertain the thousands who will attend the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in this city May 4-5-6," said Allen Guinn, chairman of the general arrangement committee of the convention this week. "We are listing more hotels, more rooming houses and more private residences each day, and can say at this time that there will be ample room to provide for the thousands that come. We are hoping, in fact pleading for people to advise us without delay, the prospective numbers that will come from their town, so we can have no doubt as to how many rooms to provide. Co-operation upon the part of West Texas towns will be most helpful to the Mineral Wells people."

At Byers.

PREPARE FOR MEET

The Byers schools will make an entry in all of the events at the county meet next Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Bellevue. Byers has won the girls' tennis for the last three years and they are sending the same players to the county meet this year that have been winning. The tennis players are also debaters. Below are the names for the most important places in the county meet: Debaters, boys: Payne and Bush; girls, Cummings and Harding. Senior girl declaimer, Francis Alderson; junior girl declaimer, Ara Collins; senior boy, declaimer, Ernest Hundley, and junior boy, Dewitt Hundley. The spellers are: Sam B. Householder and Ollie Joe Bowen for the juniors, Ethel Bowen and Dorthy Householder for the sub-juniors and for the seniors, Myrtle Norman and Leslie Bowen. Volley ball for girls and all the athletics for boys are being entered. The people of Byers are very much interested in the meet and it is estimated that 500 people will go to the county meet next week at Bellevue to see the school win the county meet.

At Vernon.

SUIT OVER STOCK

Trial of the suit of the South Vernon Oil company against Luther Webb, U. S. Davis, B. S. King and M. L. V. Smith to recover 8,100 shares of stock to which they charge they are entitled is on the docket of the district court for trial Monday. The petition is in the name of the corporation and S. A. Castleburg, vice-president and director.

An intervenor petition adopting the petition of the plaintiff and alleging that Webb, Davis and King are not legally entitled to certain shares of the stock in question has been filed by J. O. Bomer of Brownsville, Tenn., and J. A. Cox of Vernon, stockholders in the corporation.

The defendants deny the allegations and charges of the plaintiffs.

The South Vernon Oil company is represented by McLean, Scott and McLean of Fort Worth. Leon Brown, J. S. Cook and E. H. Gipson of Vernon, M. L. V. Smith is represented by J. A. Storey of Vernon and S. A. L. Morgan of Wichita Falls. Luther Webb, U. S. Davis and B. S. King are represented by Berry, Stokes and Killough. Cecil Storey and Jas. V. Leak, until recently district judge.

At Iowa Park.

LEAGUE TRACK MEET.

The university interscholastic league meet of district four will be held in Iowa Park on April 23, 24 and 25. There will be three drays for the meet instead of two days as has been before. First and second winners in declamation at the county meet and first and second winners in extemporaneous speaking makes it necessary to begin on Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p. m.

On Thursday, April 23rd, at 2:00 p. m. all of the rural schools declamations will be held, at the evening hour, 8:00 p. m., the finals for the rural school debaters who have survived the preliminaries.

At 2:00 p. m. the tennis will begin and continue through Friday for finals.

At 2:00 p. m. volley ball for the girls will begin and the finals as soon after, wards as possible.

The rules that govern the district volley ball games will be found in bulletin No. 2322, page 70, last year's bulletin and rules. Take notice of this rule and have your county games played by the same rule if possible.

The extemporaneous speaking will be held Thursday, March 23rd. All contestants who have the right to participate in this event at the district, be on hand at 6:30 p. m. and in a room with the director only. Choose and prepare a speech to be delivered before an audience and judges at 7:30 if not on hand for this, contest cannot wait.

The high school declamaitions, music memory, debating and essay will be held Friday evening beginning at 9:00 a. m.

All of the track and field events will be held on Saturday, April 25th. Note that there will not be any class B track and field events at the district meet this year. All events come of class A events. You will not that first and second winners at the county meet in all declamations and extemporaneous speaking are entitled to participate at the district meet for district honors. Don't forget to call attention and have this announced at the county meet.

The winner of 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th of the track and field events will entitle one to contest at the state meet. This rule does not apply from the county to the district, but railroad rebates allowed only on first and second winners to state. The junior high school declaimers will not contest at the state this year. Rural school declaimers will go on to the state contest.

All principals and superintendents must abide by article 8, section 10, for the district meet. The rule follows: "Before each game or contest in this league each school must file with the director in charge or the director general, and upon demand shall furnish to the manager of the opposing team, a list of the contestants, representing that school with eligibility of such contestants certified to by the principal or superintendent. The directors at the called meeting decided to enforce this rule this year so please notify officials in charge or the director general after county meet all pupils who won a loving cup last year

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At Iowa Park.

Dorothy Arnold, Herman McKinney and Ishamal Carder, declamation; the three spelling events are, Jonny Katherine Abernathy, Grace Mildred Carlton, Anna Mary Bevel, Winona Fevelor, Janus White and Joe Bailey Benbecker.

Music memory, Thelma Taylor, Ruby Fault, Neva Hodges, Rosa Lee [illegible] Mary Wrigley, Carl Anderson [illegible] Benfro.

Arithmetic: Colla Trim, [illegible] Williams, Mary Anna Lowrance, Colla Cherry, Dic Baxter, Pat Wiley, Curtis Daws, Amo Clingham and R. L. Sunday.

The above contestants are expected to make a good showing for the local school.

FOR LOWER RATES.

Last Tuesday night, Pete Rogers met with the local chamber of commerce in regard to a reduction of light rates for this place which the local people had asked for.

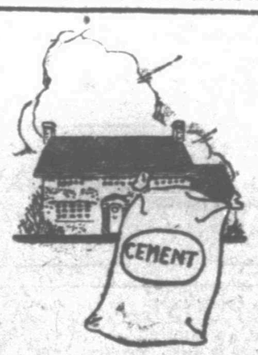
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It will be remembered that Mr. Jelby stood in front of the Drug Store in 1900 and said that when he started somewhere behind a Horse he knew he would get there and, besides, you didn't have to crank up a Horse and it never had Tire Trouble. Yes, indede, Mr. Jelby was slick enough to see that the Horseless Carriage was merely a futile Experiment and the countless Generations yet to arrive would have to depend upon Old Dobin. Now he wants to slap the Speedometer in the Face if it doesn't register 50 and when he goes around a Family Party huddled in a Fliv, he does it on Two Wheels and shouts insulting Cracks at the Slow Pokes who are impeding Traffic.

It was Mr. Jelby who opposed the formation of the Country Club allowing that Golf was an effeminate Diversion intended for White Rabbits and inmates of the Old People's Home, but a sad Imitation of Something to Do for a robust Athlete who had been brought up on Baseball and Draw Poker. And now Mr. Jelby has more Clubs than Hagen and at Night his Wife will hear him murmuring in his Sleep. "The head down and come back slowly." You know, one of these terrible Cases.

Oh, how he ridiculed the folks who put in their time Dancing! He was one of the first to denounce Jazz. He said that the old-fashioned Waltz and Mazourka had some sense to them and he even defended the hop-skip-and-jump Polka, but the modern Trots, and Toddles and Walks had no relation to Terspichorean Art and were merely a lazy Form of Indoor Exercise. And now Mr. Jelby wants to go out every night and wriggle until the Saxophone Players pass out and the waiters begin putting Chairs on the Tables.

He is the Kind that will make Fun of a new Style or some novel Diversion until it becomes Universal and then he will wake up some Morning and discover it with a Cry of Surprise. He wouldn't wear these Baggy Trousers until after they had been adopted by all the Waiters at the Bon Ton Cafe.

Those Who Get Maddest Fall Hardest

His offspring got many a raspy Grilling just a few weeks ago because they wasted so much time on a prevailing Type of Idiocy known as the Cross-Word Puzzle. He advanced the highly original opinion that it didn't make any difference how many letters were in a Certain Word or what the last three letters might be or what the Word meant. If the new Craze was going to teach Folks a lot of new Words, he was agin it, because most of them knew too many words already and used them too frequently. Besides, after you had solved the Fool Thing out to all the corners and had used up a couple of Erasers, what had you really done to make the World brighter and happier and better?

One day he happened to pick up one of the Teasers and began to fool with it, in a Spirit of Contempt. The first Horizontal Word was something in six Letters meaning to arrive or depart or go up an Alley, or something like that. You know, one of those Short Ones that a Small Child who is mentally defective should guess in Three Seconds or whatever happens to be Bogey. After two hours Mr. Jelby was up on the Table with the newspaper under one knee, gnashing his Teeth and rubbing the thing out for the 47th time. Those who get the maddest fall the hardest. He went out and bought the largest Dictionary to be had, also a Book of Synonyms, an Atlas, Who's Who, and the History of the World. And now, if he stays up late enough he can worry out a dinky Little One of about Thirty Words which the Children cleaned up before starting for the Movies.

Since you have a correct line on this rugged and typical American Citizen, you will understand that the Radio had him marked as a Victim from the very Start. When the first crude Outfits were being advertised, and a few Amateurs were building their Own Sets, and sitting around for Hours wearing Ear-Muffs and trying to strain a few connected Sounds through the Buzzing Effects, it was then that Mr. Jelby showed utter Scorn for the whole Game. Once he visited a Bug who was working hard to get some Results. He even consented to put on the Receivers and finally he heard Something that sounded like a three-piece Orchestra playing at the bottom of a well in the next Block. The Fact that the music was being played in Pittsburgh did not greatly excite Mr. Jelby. He said it sounded almost that far away.

No Passing Fads For Jelby.

He admitted that possibly one could get a certain kick out of listening to an imperfect long-distance Phone Message which was being received without the help of a wire. But when he wanted Entertainment he didn't want to put a Clamp on his Head and sit around waiting for some Soprano two hundred miles away to burst into Song. Not much! He wanted to crank up the old Talking Machine and put in a big Needle and get a mess of Rag Time that would rattle the Windows.

So he passed up the new Wonder of the World. When the Addicts told him that Improvements were being made and the Amplifier was learning to bring the Stuff in so that it sounded like Something and the Programs were better, then Mr. Jelby laughed scornfully and said there would be nothing doing, as he had investigated and decided that the Plaything would never be more than a Passing Fad.

Even when the Newspapers began to have Special Departments with funny-looking Pictures and wonderous Explanations and long Programs, Mr. Jelby was unmoved.

Then, at a Party one night he saw a new-fangled one that had Bulbs and dials all over it and looked like the Apparatus that might be used for purposes of Electrocution. It had a Loud Speaker which looked like the entrance to the Hoosac Tunnel. The proud Owner did a little jiggling and out came a Niagara of Grand Opera. The Operator said that Boston was coming in very well. Mr. Jelby couldn't believe it was Boston. It sounded too nearby. Then the quivering Crank who was at the Wheel declared that he could get Hastings, Nebraska, and he did so. He said that Atlanta was a Cinch for him and in two seconds Mr. Jelby was listening to an Educational Talk in Atlanta. The Subject Matter was not very thrilling, but in getting Atlanta the feverish Fan had proven that his old Machine had Selectivity.

That word "Selectivity" impressed Mr. Jelby. He used it Next Morning when he went into a Department Store to purchase a Superola, the same as he had heard at the party.

Getting In Good With the Neighbors.

The Salesman said there was no need of spending all that money. For $45 he could get a dandy little Pazola which would pick up almost any station and provide many happy Hours for the Jelly Tribe.

The dandy little Pazola lasted just two sessions, when Mr. Jelby found that it brought in only a Squeak from Omaha and not a Flicker from Los Angeles, he was off of it for life. He went to an Expert and laid in a Triple-Super-Something that had to be turned sideways when brought into the house. After it was all keyed up then Mr. Jelby worked out his Log and brought in the Neighbors.

Now he sits at the Key-Board and jumps from Springfield, Mass., to Dallas, Texas, via Chicago and St. Louis. He is still strong on Selectivity. Just as the Guests are beginning to enjoy WEAF, he demonstrates his versatility by hopping to WLS and as soon as they begin to sit up and listen to WLS with eyes asparkle, he shows off again by working on his Prize Stunt, namely, trying to get Mexico City.

In the last month he has picked up over 800 stations and never remained over eight seconds on any one. For the distracted Listeners this Life has become just a series of unfinished Ballads, interrupted Orchestral Selections and dislocated Operas. The Neighbors have called a meeting and there is no Question as to what will happen to Mr. Jelby. The only Problem now is to dispose of the Body.

Moral: Every new Accomplishment should be practiced in Secret for the first Nine Months.



More Clubs Than Hagen.

COUZZENS DENIES RUMOR

Senator States That Minority Stockholders Have Not Obtained Waivers

WASHINGTON, March, 28.—Senator Couzens, republican, Michigan, who was assessed an additional tax of nearly $11,000,000 on his minority stock holdings in the Ford Motor company, today characterized as "absolutely untrue" the statement credited in press reports to Secretary Mellon that waivers already had been obtained from the other minority stockholders.

"I do not charge Secretary Mellon with knowing that this was an untrue statement," Senator Couzens said, "but I do know that Commissioner Blair said on March 7 he had no waivers from the other minority stockholders except the Dodge brothers and this was a general waiver of all disputed matters."

LAWYERS LOSING OUT.

PARIS, March 28.—(AP)—Teachers, literary men and journalists are gradually creeping up on lawyers in representation in the French chamber of deputies and senate. Although the former contains 142 attorneys and the latter 59, the pedagogical deputies have reached the respectable number of 46, while there are 9 instructors or professors sitting in the upper house. The chamber boasts 38 writers and journalists, and the senate 26, while the doctors are pretty evenly represented in the two bodies—33 senators and 32 deputies. The same applies to manufacturers, who number 30 in the senate and 39 in the lower house. The senate has a lone veterinarian to the chamber's two.

Ford Plant Uses All Of Mine's Production

RICHMOND, March 28.—Echoes of the legislative prison investigation will be heard here Monday when the Fo[illegible] and county grand jury convenes in special session to [illegible] aired at the [illegible] Mines.

Mrs. J. E. K[illegible] Representative K. Irwin, leading spirits in the move for prison reform, will appear before the grand jury.

One of the charges to be, it is understood, will be [illegible] roughly is that a convict [illegible] farms near Richmond was compelled to dig his own grave and then was slain by a guard.

It is said that several instances of alleged brutality towards inmates will be probed. A number of minor prison officials are expected to be called before the grand jury.

SPURLOCK RETURNS

E. L. Spurlock, president of Kidd Key college, has returned home after visiting with W. P. Ferguson of Wichita Falls and attending the district conference of the Wichita Falls Methodist district held the past several days in Burkburnett.

SIMMONS RETURNS

Pat H. Simmons, vice-president of the Wichita State Bank and Trust company, returned to the city Friday from business visit in Austin.

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BERLIN March 28—(AP)—"Father Philip" proprietor of a cheap restaurant on Dornach street, Berlin, combined business with benevolence when recently he invested in fifty hurdy gurdies, which he rents at the rate of $1.50 per week to his steady customers. These consist of disabled veterans and victims of industrial accidents, who lack the necessary capital to purchase them.

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Roof Nearly On Mineral Wells Convention Hall

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MINERAL WELLS, March 28.—The roof of the new convention hall now being erected in Mineral Wells is practically complete and the contractor has given the citizens of Mineral Wells his word that the building will be turned over to them by the 15th of April. The contractor has made record time in the construction of this mammoth building and even if rain should begin to fall by next week, there will be no hindrance because practically all of the work after it is [illegible] will be inside work.

A large corps of men are at work [illegible] building and it is now taking [illegible] form. The building will be [illegible] equipped and is to have 5,000 [illegible] capacity. The annual convention [illegible] the West Texas chamber of commerce will officially open this great convention hall. It is equipped with a loud speaker which will materially aid the speakers during the convention, and ample room is being reserved in the building for the representatives of the newspapers who will be in attendance at this convention. Special wires will be brought to the convention hall for their convenience, and every effort will be put forth to make it a model of convenience and comfort.

The convention hall is located on Oak street about two blocks north of the site of the Crazy hotel and is in the center of the hotel district of the city. Plans are being made now to close Oak street to auto travel during the sessions of the convention and the general convention committee is cooperating to the fullest extent to the end that the business sessions of the convention, which will be from 9:00 o'clock until 12:30 p. m. have sway and that there will be the least possible interruptions by bands and visiting organized delegations. Reports coming to convention headquarters indicate a large per cent of the west Texas towns will come in an organized way and appeals are being sent to each of them to observe the slogan "Work in the morning—play in the afternoon."



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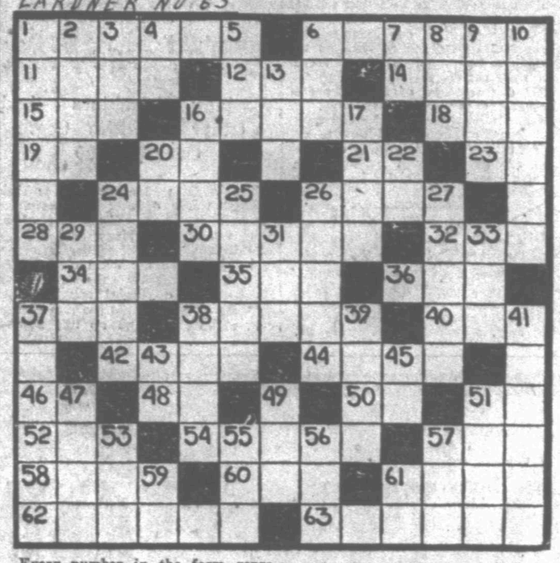
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Cross-Word Puzzle

LARDNER NO. 63



Every number in the form represents the beginning of a word, reading either horizontally or vertically. If there is a black square to the left of the number, the word is horizontal; if above it, the word is vertical. The same number may of course begin both a horizontal and a vertical. The definitions for the correct words to fill the form are found below, with numbers corresponding to those on the form. Run through the definitions till you find one that you recognize, and put it in its proper place on the form, one letter for each white square. This will furnish several cross clues to the words linking with it at right angles. Continue in this manner till the form is completely filled. If you have solved the puzzle correctly it should read both horizontally and vertically with words corresponding to the definitions.

Horizontal

1. A metal.
6. Pertaining to the Andes.
11. A circle of light appearing to surround a luminous body.
12. Often (poetic).
14. To eye.
15. A suffix meaning "pertaining to."
16. Wastes time.
18. A kind of natural or artificial channel.
19. Part of the verb "to be."
20. One.
21. Upon.
23. Saint (abbr.)
24. To have an uneasy sensation in the skin which inclines the person to scratch the part affected.
26. On.
28. The total.
30. Musical instruments.
32. Partake of existence.
34. Rested upon the haunches.
35. To tear.
36. A kind of dessert.
37. Part of the body.
38. Fortified for defense or attack.
40. A chopping implement.
42. Not difficult.
44. A passageway.
46. To move.
48. Mill (abbr.).
50. You and me.
51. A parent.
52. Human ingenuity.
54. A bower.
57. To chatter.
58. Two or more horses harnessed to the same vehicle.
60. An immeasurable period of time.
61. To make dirty.
62. Caught sight of.
63. To tell secrets.

Vertical

1. Articles of furniture.
2. Instruments used for propelling a boat.
3. A fold or pla[illegible]
4. A river in Italy.
5. A slender stick.
6. Consumed.
7. To perform.
8. An article of food.
9. An exclamation of distress.
10. To arouse or incite as by irritation.
13. To travel in the air.
16. A linear measure.
17. Soaks up.
20. A preposition.
22. A negative.
24. An effigy.
25. A man's nickname.
26. Part of a sleeping compartment on a train.
27. A nymph frequenting water courses.
29. To employ.
31. The brim.
33. King.
37. An envoy.
38. A compliment.
39. Inflammable; obstinate (Scotch).
41. To make able.
43. [illegible]
45. [illegible] compound (plural).
49. Aboil (variant).
51. A vessel for carrying water.
53. To pierce as to draw off a li[illegible]
56. A province in Canada (init.).
57. Procured.
59. A note in the diatonic scale.
61. Street (abbr.).

This puzzle took 15 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

ARDNER NO 63.

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YESTERDAY'S PUZLE Answered.

There are many bargains in the classified columns on pages 14 and 15 of today's Record News.

Governor Vetoes Three Bills With View To Economy

Farm Demonstration Act Fails to Meet Her Approval

AUSTIN, March 28. — (AP)—Economy, unnecessary offices, and no great public necessity, were individual reasons advanced today by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson in the veto of three bills. This brings her total for vetoes since taking office up to four, the first being the much flaked of "free pass" bill permitting railroads to grant free transportation to members of the legislature and their families.

The bill vetoed were:

Permitting county commissioners courts to increase their annual appropriations for farm demonstration work from $1,000 to $1,500 to which the reason "economy" was attached.

A bill permitting counties to employ one or more public health nurses to assist in examination of school children. For this bill the governor intimated "unnecessary jobs."

A bill granting right of eminent domain to the board of directors of A. & M. college for campus acquisition purposes. "No great public necessity" was the reason.

BANKS PROTEST RULING

Officials Against Requirements of New Bond Law.

AUSTIN, March 28.—Bankers are protesting a ruling of the bank commission holding that bonds deposited to guarantee bank deposits under the new bond system law must not be owned by the bank.

Judge June C. Harris, representing the Texas Bank and Trust company of Austin filed in the supreme court an application for writ of mandamus against the commissioner to compel him to accept certain United States government and school bonds. The commissioner has ruled that these bonds must not be among the assets of the bank.

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Light Rains Aid in Fighting Prairie Fires

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 28.—Light rains which began falling this afternoon in four of the five districts of the Arkansas national forest, came to the aid of forest rangers and farmers battling a series of fires, one of which menaced the federal game refugee near Eagle Gap.

Of twenty-five fires burning yesterday, all but three were suppressed during the night according to a telegram from C. A. Plymale, forest supervisor who is personally directing the fight ben gmade by a force of 250 men. Mr. Plymale described the acreage burned over as large and the damage heavy.

Destruction of a church building in Montgomery count ywas reported in today's dispatches.

Official figures given out at the forestry office here show that 25,227 acres of timber land in or adjacent to the Arkansas national forest have been burned since January 1, compared with a total of 47,000 acres in 1924.

NEGRO'S BODY EXHUMED

Report on Condition of La Grange Man Will Be Made to Grand Jury

LA GRANGE, March 28. — The body of A. L. Harrison, negro, who died under peculiar circumgiances last fall, was exhumed before District Attorney Fred Blundell, here today.

After an examination Mr. Blundell said that no bullet was found. It had been reported that Harrison was accidentally shot when a pistol dropped from his pocket. A verdict of "accidental death" was rendered by Justice of the Peace G. W. Schleier, who held an inquest.

A report will be made to the grand jury.

M-K-T AGENTS MEET

Fourteen Officials From Over System Convene At Dallas.

DALLAS, March 28. — Fourteen division and traveling freight agents of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railway of Texas met here today to outline plans to care for the increasing volume of freight business in the southwest.

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Burkburnett Boy Winner Of One Dollar Prize In Big Baree Story Contest

J. W. Blackwell Jr., of Burkburnett, box 1249, won one of the $1 prizes awarded in the Baree dog story contest with his contribution about Shep, the dog that saved his father from the deadly bite of a copperhead snake.

The story follows:

A few years ago my father went to look for the horses early one morning, and he found a Shepherd dog about seven or eight months old. His feet were so sore he couldn't hardly walk. Looked as if he had been following a wagon for several days.

We cared for him till his feet got well. We all became very fond of him and he of us.

It wasn't long until he learned to go after the calves, and even go way over in the pasture by his self after the milk cows and pick them out from a hundred others and drive them home.

Sometimes he would act as if he didn't want to go, and mama would pick up a stick and say, Shep, go get them cows and then he would go on.

He was a good watchdog, too. He would sleep on the front porch a while and then he would go around and sleep on the back porch a while.

When we all would leave the house any length of time he would jump up [illegible] door and if we tried to come in he would growl and show his teeth. He would look under the beds and behind the doors and then we could come in. One day he had gone with mama into the field and on returning, he had gone in first as usual. He crawled under the bed this time and about that time the window fell with a crash, and Shep did get out from under that bed in a hurry and looked as he thought some one had shot at him.

One day daddy had us bring cotton into the woods to get a load of [illegible] and of course, Shep went too. Daddy was moving some brush and discovered a copperhead snake. Shep jumped in between daddy and the snake just as it struck at daddy and it bit Shep in the head.

Poor Shep was nearly dead when we started home. He couldn't keep up with the team, but finally did make it home Mama doctored him and cured him.

Mama could set the baby down outside anywhere and tell Shep to watch it, and he wouldn't leave it until she came back. One day some one stole him and we never did see him any more, and it seemed like one of the family was gone.

AVIATION FIELD IN TRACK

DALLAS, March 28.—An aviation field enclosed in a one-mile dirt track motor speedway is being constructed by J. F. Bolender and assistants near Grand Prairie on the Dallas and Fort Worth pike. It will be completed about May 1.

A pavillion and three airplane hangers are being built.

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Bishop Refuses To Review Vote In Baltimore M. E.

Conference Had Voted Unification of North-South Churches

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Bishop Warren A. Candler ruled today that he had no authority to review the judgment of the Baltimore conference of the Methodist Episcopal church which voted Monday against unification of the northern and southern churches.

The bishop permitted a yea and nay vote on the question and unification proponents declaring a secret ballot should have been called for, have appealed to the college of bishops. Today the bishop said the subject was one of parliamentary procedure and not of law and a difference of opinion has arisen as to whether his ruling will effectively stop the appeal.

LAND FRAUD HINTED

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Land companies operating in the Great Lakes states have employed sales methods "which approach very close to the border line of fraud," declared a statement today by the department of agriculture based on its investigation of land settlement and colonization in the lake states.

WALES LEAVES LONDON

LONDON, March 28.—The Prince of Wales left here for Portsmouth on the royal train this morning to embark upon the battle cruiser Repulse for South Africa and South America.

Lone Wolf Makes Gem Confession To Boston Police

James E. Walters Declares He Participated in Bobo Hold-up

BOSTON, March 28.—The New York police were notified by the Boston police today of a confession made by James E. Walters, alias "The Lone Wolf," that he was implicated in the robbery of Edith Bobe, New York milliner, in her New York apartment last September. The Boston police were not inclined to take the confession seriously.

Walters has admitted all the crimes attributed to "the Lone Wolf," who made a specialty of robbing apartments occupied by women and ill-treating his victims.

Walters said he kept watch while four armed and masked companions, members of a Broadway gang, robbed Miss Bobe and her escort, Robert L. Hague, marine superintendent of the Standard Oil company, on their return to the woman's apartments. Walters said his share of the $25,000 spoils in furs, jewelry and other articles was more than $3,000.

STEAMERS COLLIDE

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—The British steamer Lady Brenda inward bound with sugar from Cuba was today in collision with the steamer Sabine Sun, outward bound in ballast for Sabine, Texas, off Fourteen Fathom bank in Delaware Bay, near the Delaware capes. Both vessels were slightly damaged. The Sabine Sun proceeded out to sea. The Lady Brenda anchored off Marcus Hook, Pa.

Maternal Genius Theory Set Forth By Maine Medic

Foresight of Mother May Develop Ability In Child, He Declares

NEW YORK, March 28.—Foresight by potential mothers as a means of the development of genius was urged today by Professor P. W. Whiting of the University of Maine before the International Neomalthusian and Birth Control conference.

"A little preconceptual care, a little foresight on the part of the potential mothers so situated economically that they have power over those functions most rightfully theirs," he said, "would give our geniuses more genius and would make our ordinary people not quite so ordinary."

Professor Whiting said that neither post-natal nor pre-natal care should be of the slightest use in improving truly racial qualities so long as the principles and methods of birth control were neglected.

"If any selection of the fathers of the next generation is to be done," he added, "it must be done by the women. It may take a revolution to put in control of human affairs of those who are interested in salvaging humanity from the unbridled breeding of morons."

SEARCH FOR $120,000

BUFFALO, March 28.—Postoffice inspectors revealed today that arrests are expected soon in connection with a theft of a pouch containing $120,000 in currency from the mails while in transit through Buffalo. The theft they said, occurred on February 27.

Wichita Laundry Adds Machinery To Large Plant

Washing Machines And Other Facilities Cost Over $15,000

The Wichita Laundry has added $15,000 worth of new machinery to their large plant. Consisting of a new washing machines and drying machines which automatically stops and injects cold air when clothes are dry; this prevents the overheated smell. Also a special rug cleaning machine that massages the nap of the rug, making it stand up like new—has powerful vacuum and draws all foreign substance out of the rug leaving it perfectly clean and sanitary.

Mr. Pond said this new addition was imperative on account of the increase in the laundry work, especially so in the family wash—that more homes are now sending their entire family wash to the laundry than ever before.

WHEELER MAKES BOND

Montana Senator Furnishes Bail of $1,00 for Court Appearance.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, indicted here yesterday on conspiracy charges in connection with oil land permits appeared in District of Columbia court today and furnished $1,000 bail.

The bail was given through a bonding company.

Charles A. Douglas, one of the Montana senator's counsel, accompanied Mr. Wheeler in court.

10,000 LEFT WITHOUT HOMES





Murphpysboro, Jackson County, Illinois—a town of 10,000 souls now lies practically leveled. What was three square miles of business and residence section is now laid waste as pictured here.

A task greater than that even shell-riddled Belgium and France faces hundreds of people in Indiana, Illinois and four other states, as they bury their dead and dig what is left of their belongings out of the ruins of their homes and shops. State militiamen and volunteers from nearby communities are aiding in the mammoth task of clearing the areas for reconstruction. A cleanup squad is seen at work at Griffin, Indiana.

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