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## CITY NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

**MRS. C. R. RAY, MOTHER OF** Mrs. William J. Miller, 1905 Avenue R, is leaving Sunday for Canyon where she will visit in the home of President and Mrs. J. A. Hill. Mrs. Ray lives in Belton and has been visiting her daughter for several weeks. A number of social functions have been tendered in her honor.

**MISS THELMA PEARL AND** Mary Helen Chittwood, of the Figure 4 ranch in Bailey county, are in Lubbock attending the events of the district interscholastic meet. While here they are guests in the home of Judge and Mrs. G. R. Bean.

**MR. AND MRS. F. C. TRENT** have moved from 2017 Main Street to 1629 Main Street this week.

**LECK ADAMS, SON OF MR. AND** Mrs. J. E. Adams, who live between Abernathy and Lubbock, who is ill in the Lubbock sanitarium, is much improved today.

**H. H. COPELAND, OF BROWN-**field, is in Lubbock on business today.

**DR. J. T. KRUEGER AND DR. M. C.** Overton probably will arrive here this afternoon from Dallas where they have been attending a National Medical association meeting. They are making the trip in a car and have been delayed by the bad roads.

**SID WELLS IS IN BROWNFIELD** today.

**S. D. BARDWELL, MANAGER OF** the Post interests, with headquarters at Post, was here Friday transacting business.

**ALVIN GATES, OF FLOMONT IS** in Lubbock attending the interscholastic meet.

**JAMES HUGHES, JAMES HARVY** Moore and Richard Cavitt are in Brownfield attending the Methodist District Conference. Rev. E. E. White, pastor of the First Methodist Church, left yesterday and H. W. Richardson, district superintendent in the First Methodist Church, is also in Brownfield.

**AMONG THE DELEGATES WHO** have returned from a meeting of the seventh district of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs, in Childress the first of this week, are Mrs. W. R. Urice, Mrs. C. M. Ballenger, Mrs. Flora McGee, Mrs. H. H. Jones, Mrs. G. M. Cusby, Mrs. G. C. Wolfarth, Mrs. J. F. Bacon and Mrs. J. F. Hankins. Mrs. W. H. Meador is visiting in Memphis.

**MISS HATTIE HARWELL WILL** leave in the morning for Fort Worth.

**M. BENTON, OF SLATON, WAS** here Friday on business.

**SEVERAL INSURANCE INSPEC-**tors are in Lubbock this week re-arranging the city and have office space at the Chamber of Commerce. Among them who are here are A. P. Hunsley, field inspector, J. H. Steed, Kirby Lewis, Edward Mixson, W. P. Nabors and D. G. Bowers.

**ARTHUR CHASE, GUY BRAT-**ton and Russell Bean left for Abilene Friday morning where they will attend the funeral of their friend, Ansford Briggs, who died here on Thursday evening. Mrs. A. D. Chase, mother of one of the boys, accompanied them.

**MR. AND MRS. I. R. GRUNDY** and family, of Flomont, Motley County, are in Lubbock visiting friends and attending the district interscholastic meet. Their daughter, Miss Lola Mae, is an entrant in the junior declamation contest.

**Sam Bratton Wins In** Fight For His Post

WASHINGTON, April 23. (AP)—The Senate elections committee today unanimously voted to throw out the election contest brought against Senator Bratton, democrat, New Mexico, by former Senator Bursom, a republican. The committee reached its decision after hearing arguments by Senator Bratton and counsel for Bursom. Written briefs also have been filed. Bursom making numerous charges of election irregularities and Bratton denying them. The committee held that the evidence did not prove a single count brought against the incumbent. A report will be made to the Senate early next week, and committee members expect to be completed.

## The Weather

**WEST TEXAS:** Tonight fair, cooler, probably frost in the Panhandle; Saturday fair, cooler except in the Panhandle.  
**EAST TEXAS:** Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy to cloudy, cooler in northwest portion tonight and in north and west portions Saturday.  
**OKLAHOMA:** Tonight partly cloudy and showers in extreme east portion; cooler, frost in northwest portion if weather clears. Saturday fair, cooler in east and south portions.  
**LOUISIANA:** Tonight and Saturday cloudy, probably local showers in east portion; cooler in northwest portion Saturday.

# SCHOOL MEET VISITORS POUR IN

## Texas Organized Labor In Favor Of Beer

### UNION MEN ALSO ASK SESSION OF LAWMAKERS SOON

#### ORGANIZED LABOR TAKES INITIAL STEP INTO STATE POLITICS

(By Associated Press.)  
HOUSTON, April 23.—The Texas State Federation of Labor today adopted a resolution in favor of the modification of the Volstead act. No record vote was taken, but the convention was divided on the issue. After an hour's heated debate, a viva voce vote was taken and the advocates of modification at least made a louder noise than the drys and President Herman Kachel declared the modification interests had won. Asks Special Session. The convention also unanimously adopted a resolution calling on Governor Ferguson to immediately call a special session of the Texas Legislature to enact legislation to validate bonds declared invalid by the United States Supreme court in the Archer county case. The declaration on the Volstead act is the nearest dip the federation has taken into Texas politics. Woman Opposes Plan. The resolution was presented by delegates from San Antonio but Mrs. J. D. Maharler, one of the delegates from the Alamo City, spoke against the resolution. She declared that restricting wine and beer would not lessen bootlegging of whiskey. That those who had gone so far as to drink the concoctions put out now would still demand the stronger drink and the bootlegger would still flourish. The resolution declared for restoration of 27 1/2 per cent beer.

### When "Ma" Opened The Season



Gov. "Ma" Ferguson proves that she can perform the office of governor just as well as a man. How? By throwing out the first ball at Dallas, when Dallas and Fort Worth opened the Texas League season. Beside her is Eugene Smith, secretary of the state highway commission.

### Shop Girl Shot And Killed By Customer During Idiotic Fit

(By Associated Press.)  
HELENA, Ark., April 23.—Cassie Marie Warren, 17, is dead and Mrs. G. H. Vaughan, about 29 years her senior, is being held today charged with having shot and fatally wounded the girl late yesterday in a crowded store here where the younger woman was employed as a saleswoman. Mrs. Vaughan, wife of the Sexton of a local cemetery, was reported by jail attendants too hysterical to make a statement today. She is being addressed to the Helena World declared his wife was not mentally responsible for her act. He said the girl killed was a "moral, clean Christian." Vaughan also said his wife had attempted to kill him on several occasions and that at various times she was mentally deranged. Miss Warren died several hours after she was wounded.

### Believe Man's Death Due To An Accident

WACO, April 23. (AP)—That Charles Carey, 70, last seen alive while chopping wood late Thursday at his residence here, met death by accident will probably be the verdict of Justice J. J. Padgett, he said today. He believes the aged man struck himself in the head with the blunt side of the axe. The body was found by a negro.

### Felix Robertson Sr., Sick At Waco Home

WACO, April 23. (AP)—General Felix H. Robertson, one of the few surviving brigadier generals of the Confederate army, is confined to his bed with an attack of nervous prostration, resulting from shock caused by a fire late last night in an apartment house operated by General Robertson and his wife. Mrs. Robertson is also in bed as the result of shock caused by the fire, which caused damage to the building estimated at \$5,000.

### Two Injured During Hindu-Moslem Fight

CALCUTTA, British India, April 23. (AP)—Further rioting took place today between Hindus and Moslems in the Canning street area. The police restored order. Two men were removed to a hospital. All the shops in the neighborhood closed during the disturbance.

### Houston Woman Goes To Pen For Slaying

HOUSTON, April 23. (AP)—Mrs. Dorothy Henderson, 30, charged with murder in connection with the killing of Malcolm Gregg, 22, here last October, was found guilty by a jury today and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

### 'Laugh And The World Laughs With You, Even If You're Blue Inside', Veteran Clown, Now In City, Says

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### Journal News Reel

Crowds swarm into Lubbock for ANNUAL DISTRICT INTERSCHOOL MEET.—D. N. LEAVERTON, city contractor, slightly injured in fall.—NEW SETTLEMENT PLAN for the FRENCH debt is presented.—THREE more die in TEXAS STORMS, making total of ELEVEN for week.—KEEP SMILING, is advice given by Veterans, chosen now in city.—E. L. DOHENY, quiet democratic party and lines up with G. O. P.—MISS FRANCES HARRIS resting easily in sanitarium.—BRIAND defends MUSSOLINI.—MAYOR BILL DEVER, of CHICAGO, appears as WET witness in pro-law probe.—Senator Thomas W. L. S. Montana, addresses lawyers of three states at TEXARKANA.—SAM BRATTON, New Mexico Senator, defeats Bursom in fight over place.

### Flashes Of Life

By Associated Press.  
CONSTANTINOPLE—A statue of Mustafa Kemal shown in a dinner room with arms akimbo and head bare. There are many protests that it is undignified. It is not to be put in place until it approves.  
LONDON—There's been a revolution. Men are leaving off their vests in hot weather. Time was when that simply wasn't done, don't you know. Perhaps British golfers, once shocked by Jesse Sweetser's short sleeve shirt, some day will leave off their coats.  
NEW YORK—The British recognize a good thing when its merits are proved. Sir Charles Higham says that newspaper advertising in the United States stands head and shoulders above every other medium for public announcement. In two years, as an agent, he spent \$400,000 advertising tea in American newspapers and his clients' sales increased by \$500,000.  
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Any fish in the Niagara River with pre-Victorian tastes are enjoying themselves on "treasured wool"—a whole carload of it. Federal agents found it was more liquid than cheese and more glass than wool. In fact it was Canadian ale. So it was dumped overboard.

### Prohibition Fuss Hampering Big Cities In Law Enforcement, Says Chicago Mayor, In Plea For Wets

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, April 23.—Declaring it is impossible under present conditions to elect able men to office in the great cities because of the prohibition controversy, Mayor Dever of Chicago, told the Senate prohibition committee today that he hoped the day would come when a different situation would be obtained. After saying that in some Chicago wards would not be elected to the city council if they had the temerity to declare in favor of prohibition, while in others the opposite was the case, with the result that able men are kept out of public office, the Mayor continued:

"It's a grave matter for this committee to ponder whether we are going to continue a system that has this effect on the great cities of the country. Now this is the first time I have spoken on this subject and I speak now after mature deliberation. I am hoping that the day will come when we can be relieved of this situation. There is a crying need to look after other activities of the government, but we must give too much time to this prohibition question. I find myself immersed in it from morning until night. I don't know where the statistics came from," he said. "There are no statistics on arrests for drunkenness in Illinois because drunkenness per se is not an offense in the state."

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, called attention that the figures for Chicago as put into the committee record were accompanied by a notation that the total included arrests for disorderly conduct. The Mayor then said the increase in the arrests of drunken automobile drivers in Chicago had increased 704 percent. "But those figures simply lead us into the bog," he added. "We must remember, there has been great increase in the number of automobiles in operation."

Between 1918 and 1925, he went on, the deaths from alcoholism increased 448 percent. "This subject requires patient, courageous, intelligent and tolerant study," he continued. "There isn't a man in America, in my judgment, who has any right to come here and dogmatically say to you that this or that is the way to cure this evil."

Says Something Should Be Done "Something should be done, but I am not big enough and I don't believe any other man is big enough to give the answer at this time." Mayor Dever praised those engaged in the campaign to drive "human drunkenness" from the land. But he said it would be a mistake to lose sight of the fact that many good people regard the Volstead act as an invasion of their liberty "which they will not surrender to any authority."

"I don't doubt that the prohibition law has produced a great deal of good in many families," the Mayor said. "On the other hand, there are many families which house stills and are participating in home brewing. I know that's the situation in Chicago."

"Prohibition is a test" the Mayor explained that the test now for an office holder was the prohibition question and not his ability. "That is a desperate situation," he shouted. "It is the situation in Chicago."

WASHINGTON, April 23. (AP)—France today submitted a new offer for the settlement of its \$4,000,000,000 war debt. The proposition was taken under advisement by the American debt commission until tomorrow, when it will meet again. Ambassador Berneger, who has been given full power by France to negotiate with this country, appeared before the commission at the meeting today to present the French offer. Speaks Only In French He was before the commission less than thirty minutes. His statement was made entirely in French and he left with the commission English translations of the complicated new settlement proposal. The ground work for the offer had been carefully canvassed in conferences between the Ambassador and Secretary Mellon and it was indicated that the commission would not be long in making its decision. The French debt reached the floor of the Senate as soon as it convened, Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi, asking Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah, a member of the American debt commission, about the terms. Senator Smoot denied that any agreement had been reached by the commission on the offer.

Will Fight New Plan PARIS, April 23. (AP)—Henry Franklin-Bouillon, chairman of the Foreign Affairs committee of the Chamber of Deputies, told the Associated Press today he would combat with all his force the debt fund scheme with the United States following the lines said to have been agreed upon. "This agreement is catastrophic, from all I can learn, from our capacity," he said. "How could any French Parliament adopt such a thing? "Abandoning the safe guard clause above all seems to me to be scandalous. We surely cannot engage ourselves to make payments to America without having a guaranty that account will be taken of our capacity for payment, notably of the sums we will or will not receive from Germany. "We cannot bind ourselves to pay all the costs of the war."

Leaverton Hurt By Fall Into Basement D. N. Leaverton, prominent Lubbock contractor, was painfully but not seriously injured Friday morning when he lost his footing on floor joists on the Grant job on Main street and fell into the basement several feet below, dislocating his arm at the shoulder and sustaining minor bruises on his limbs and body. In some manner he stepped on the loose end of a plank that had been thrown across the joists, he said, and as he fell, his arm was caught over one of the joists, jerking it out of place. The injured member was reset, and reports from Mr. Leaverton at his home this afternoon were to the effect that he was feeling better, and would probably be out again in a day or two.

France Wants Peace With Riffs, She Says PARIS, Apr. 23. (AP)—France earnestly desires peace in the Riff and is seeking a rapid and real end to the Moroccan warfare, Premier Briand told the Chamber of Deputies today. Indignantly refuting a suggestion that France and Spain were merely negotiating for form, in order to hide their real intentions, he said: "It is not a game we are playing—it is reality. We are seeking sincerely and loyally to reach a solid, guaranteed peace."

Seven Negroes Dead In Tenement Flames PHILADELPHIA, April 23. (AP)—Seven negroes lost their lives here today when fire swept their four-story tenement house at Sixth and Kater streets. Six including four children, were burned to death, while a 45-year-old woman was killed when she jumped from a fourth-story window. The four children, their mother and a man tenant, were trapped on the fourth floor by flames spread swiftly through the structure. The blaze is believed to have been incendiary.

ENGLISH CALLED TO APPEAR WASHINGTON, April 23. (AP)—Federal judge George W. English, of the Eastern Illinois District, was commanded today by the Senate to appear at its bar on May 3 at 12:30 P. M. to answer charges of usurpation of power and other misdemeanors.

### REGISTER BEARS NAMES FROM ALL OVER TERRITORY

#### TECH COLLEGE SWARMING WITH ACTIVITY AS MEET BEGINS

The Stock Judging pavilion of the Texas Technological College here was a bee hive of activity this afternoon as the hundreds of contestants who will participate in the annual district meet of the Lubbock district, interscholastic League, registered for competition in some branch of the library events that got under way immediately after the registration closed. It has not yet been learned just how many will take part in the different tournaments, but it is estimated by officials in charge of the meet that approximately 500 will compete, including both literary and athletic events. A special corps of Tech College students was drafted into service to assist with the registration, so that the least time possible might be consumed in this phase of the two day program.

Many Visitors Expected Delegations of contestants arrived here throughout the morning and early afternoon from the twenty counties that comprise the district, and additional delegations will arrive Saturday morning for participation in the track and field events that will not be held until tomorrow. It is estimated that the meet will bring between 2,500 and 3,000 visiting people, exclusive of contestants, to Lubbock during the two days.

Preliminaries in all literary events started this afternoon at the College, and finals will be run off Saturday morning as fast as possible, with the probability that the greater part of the day will be consumed due to the large number of schools represented. Preliminaries in tennis and volleyball also started this afternoon, with tennis tournaments being held in the courts at the high school. Twelve or fifteen teams from sixth class A and B schools were expected in the preliminaries. Tennis will run continuously through the day.

LOS ANGELES, Apr. 23.—Political affiliations of Edward L. Doheny, who for years was an influential figure in Democratic ranks, have been transferred to the Republican party. He announced last night that he registered as a Republican for the first time, "because I decided to affiliate with and support the party which more than any other embodies the forces and policies which have produced our unprecedented era of prosperity."

### E. L. Doheny Deserts Democrats; He Lauds G. O. P. and Signs Up

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Records Show Question Although Mr. Doheny spoke of his registration as his first affiliation with the Republican party, William Kerr, registrar of voters, said last night that records showed the oil magnate had registered as a Republican in 1922 and 1924, his last registration as Democrat being in 1920.

Because of his connection with the oil scandal, which was followed by his indictment and the indictment of others on conspiracy charges and the cancellation of leases held by the Pan-American Petroleum Company in the Elk Hills (Kern County) California naval oil reserves, Mr. Doheny was ruled from the California Democratic central committee in March, 1924. Prior to that he had been prominent in the party, having been mentioned as a candidate for Vice-president at the National Convention in San Francisco in 1920.

### Federal Men Seize Shipment of Booze

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 23. (AP)—Thirty fifty-gallon drums of alcohol, valued at \$190,000, were seized by Federal drug agents here today. Three men, one of whom is alleged to have attempted to bribe the officers to release the other two, were arrested.

### Good Evenin'

We feel mighty sorry for the house, and senate now that the prohibition probe is almost ended. The poor boys won't have anything to amuse themselves with and it is mighty likely that some of them will have to go to work.

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# IN SOCIETY

Blanche Bean, Editor, Phone 547

## Mariposa Club Meets With Mrs. D. White

Mrs. Dick White was hostess to the Mariposa Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Pink and red roses and spring flowers were used in the entertaining suites. After a number of games of bridge Mrs. Henry McLarty received the Club high score award and Mrs. Charles Pierce received the guest high score award. Refreshments of hot tea, nut sandwiches and angel food rolls were served. Those who were present were Mrs. Morton J. Smith, Mrs. Floyd Bowen, Mrs. W. D. Cullum, Mrs. Henry McLarty, Mrs. G. B. Jackson, Mrs. D. K. Bondurant, Mrs. J. P. Dick Slaughter and Mrs. O. F. Sears. Guests were Mrs. Charlie Reed, Mrs. C. A. Pierce and Miss Rutledge.

## Simmons President To Address Seniors

J. D. Standefer, president of Simmons university, Ames, will be the principal speaker at a banquet given this evening in the basement of the First Baptist church for boys and girls of the high school senior class. Baptist women are to be hostesses. A musical program has been planned for the evening.

## Tech S. S. Classes Plan All-Day Picnic

Officers and teachers of the Tech Girls and Tech Boys classes of the First Baptist Church attended a banquet at the Tech cafeteria Thursday evening and planned a picnic for Saturday, May 1, at Silver Falls Lake, near Crockett. Erwin Coleman was toastmaster for the evening and talks were made by T. M. Nowlin, superintendent of the Sunday-school, Mrs. J. H. Hankins, teacher of the girls class, and C. D. Eaves, teacher of the boys class.

Miss Velma Barr gave a reading, Misses Rebecca Quinn and Pearl Hensley gave a vocal duet. Other plans for social activities of the classes were discussed during the evening. A four course dinner was served.

Those who were present were Misses Velma Barr, Vivian Bryant, Ruth Noah, Joe Noah, Rebecca Quinn, Margaret Fringis, Dennis Cobb, and Pearl Hensley, and Gordon Cobb, Hubert Alexander, Edwin Manley, Frank Cole, Mrs. Hankins, Mr. Nowlin, Mr. Eaves and Erwin Coleman.

## Program Given At K. Carter Meeting

A program was given at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the K. Carter school at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the school. A little business was transacted with Mrs. Garland Woodward, president, in the chair. Following this, a song, "Texas," was given by children in the room of Mrs. Friddy. Mrs. E. L. Benks talked on "What Mothers Owe Themselves," Mrs. E. R. McClain talked on "What Mothers Owe to Their Children," and Miss Beulah Dixon told of a Shakespearean story telling club that is to be organized among the children this summer. There was a good attendance. The rooms of Miss Beulah Starnes and Mrs. Josie Balenger tied in having the most mothers present among the downstairs rooms. It was announced that Miss Stella Thurman could not attend the P.-T. A. meeting in Canyon and that Mrs. G. T. Scates will be the delegate from the school.

## Box Supper Will Be Given This Evening

Members of the Christian Episcopians of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church are giving a box supper at the new church basement this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock with a short program. Proceeds from the supper will go toward paying for the basement of the church, which is located at the corner of 17th Street and Ave. D.

## Menus for the Family

**MENUS FOR THE FAMILY**  
(By SISTER MARY)

Breakfast—Stewed rhubarb, crisp broiled bacon, poached eggs on graham toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Vegetable luncheon, steamed brown bread, tapioca cream pudding, milk tea.

Dinner—English cut of beef roasted, potatoes baked with meat, creamed cauliflower, head lettuce with Thousand Island dressing, grapefruit pie, whole wheat bread, coffee.

Needless to say, children under ten years of age should not partake of the pie suggested in the dinner menu. Their lettuce should be served with a simple French dressing. With these exceptions the menus can be used for an entire family without change.

**Vegetable Luncheon**

One pound spinach, 3 small new beets, 4 new carrots, 1 bunch asparagus, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 4 strips of toast.

Wash and clean spinach. Cook in its own juice until tender. Chop finely. Wash beets carefully, taking care not to break skin, and cook until tender. Dip into cold water and rub off skins, scrape and dice carrots. If the carrots are very tiny, one bunch should be used. Wash and scrape asparagus. Cook carrots in boiling water. Cook asparagus, heads out of water for 15 minutes, then place flat in water and cook 20 or 15 minutes longer. Arrange vegetables on a deep hot platter, separating one vegetable from another by the strips of toast. Season spinach generously with butter, add salt and a sprinkling of lemon juice. Sprinkle beets lightly with sugar, salt and a bit of cinnamon. Pour a rich cream sauce over the carrots and asparagus and sprinkle with minced parsley. Serve at once.

This sounds "fussy" but it's really accomplished as quickly as it's told.

# A Novelty



An amusing accessory for the spring tulleur is the chabulle aubert, such as the cut depicted above. Its body is orange; the tall and ears are of brilliant green.

# Huge Flowers



A tendency toward huge flowers worn at the side over the hip has been noticed this season at Paris openings. This one is of rose still edged with gold.

## Mrs. C. R. Ray, Belton, Honored On Thursday

Mrs. A. V. Weaver was hostess Thursday afternoon at her home on Broadway honoring Mrs. C. R. Ray, of Belton, mother of Mrs. William J. Miller, 1945 Avenue B. A number of women were invited to visit during the afternoon. Mrs. Jed Rix played familiar piano numbers. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. Those who were present were Mrs. Claude Hurlbut, Mrs. Jed Rix, Mrs. T. B. Duggan, Mrs. Floyd Beall, Mrs. W. H. Bledsoe, Mrs. J. S. Johnson, Mrs. W. J. Miller, Mrs. H. T. Kimbro, Mrs. C. E. Maedgen, Mrs. P. W. Horn, Mrs. J. C. Granberry, Mrs. Reeves Carr, Mrs. E. L. Klett, Mrs. Frank Clarke, Sr., Mrs. E. L. Dohoney, Miss Ann Dohoney, Mrs. A. W. Evans, Mrs. Murray Jones and Mrs. J. N. Michie.

## FRIDAY NEEDLE CLUB MEETING IS POSTPONED

The meeting of the Friday Needle Club has been postponed until the next regular meeting time of the club. It was announced late Thursday evening.

## MUSIC CLUB TO GIVE SUNDAY PROGRAM

Members of the Lubbock Music club will give an open program at the First Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The program is to be announced in Sunday's Journal.

## S. S. Classes Attend Barbecue Thursday

More than 100 young people, members of the Sunday school classes of Mrs. E. W. Camp and Gus L. Ford, of the First Methodist Church, attended a barbecue given in the County Park Thursday evening. Members of Mr. Ford's class, boys, had lost in a contest conducted recently and were hosts for the evening. A number of games were played after which barbecue was served with other appropriate dishes.

## Idle-a-While Bridge Club Meets Thursday

Members of the Idle-a-While Bridge club met with Mrs. Sid Wells, 1309 Avenue N. Thursday afternoon. Sweet peas were used in decorating for the party, and cake and tea were served at the close of the evening. Mrs. Wells was assisted by Mrs. Futura Smith in serving. Those who were present were Mrs. Carl Patton, Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson, Mrs. Ewei Spores, Mrs. Ray Grisham, Mrs. W. A. Clark, Mrs. Dick Smith, Mrs. W. A. Myrick Jr., Mrs. Paul Barrier.

## Westerners Meet Slaton Tigers Today

The Lubbock high school Westerners and Slaton Tigers went into competition this afternoon on Tech field, with the Westerners seeking revenge from the defeat administered them last week by the Tigers at Slaton. The Westerners Friday afternoon were defeated by the Tech college Matadors 8 to 1 in a practice session. With ideal weather prevailing, a real baseball contest was expected to be the outcome of the Westerner-Tiger game.

## WILSON WOMAN DIES HERE

Mrs. Nettie McCullough, of 7 miles west of Wilson, died in Lubbock last night and probably will be buried at Wilson tomorrow. She was 18 years of age and is survived by her husband, her mother, three sisters and four brothers, all of whom live in this section of the country. Mrs. McCullough had been brought to Lubbock this week, seriously ill. Definite funeral arrangements are pending word from relatives.

# MISS FLORA GREEN SEEKS DISTRICT CLERK'S JOB

Miss Flora Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Green, 1115 17th street, Lubbock, has entered the race for district clerk of the 72nd Judicial District court in this county, and said Friday that she will make an effort to personally see every voter in the county between now and the primary in July.

Miss Green has had extensive experience in legal matters, both in composing and filing documents by virtue of her long connection with law firms of this city, and is capable in every respect of handling the affairs of the office in an exceptionally efficient manner.

She moved with her parents to Lubbock county in 1907, and settled in the Canyon community east of this city, and moved to Lubbock with her parents about ten years ago, since which time she has been connected with legal affairs here. She is a member of the Methodist church, and a consistent worker in church activities.

For two years she was in the employ of W. F. Schenck, attorney of this city who has one of the most extensive law practices in the district. Following this she spent eighteen months in the general land office of the state at Austin, where she gained much valuable information and experience.

For the past four years she has been in the employ of Bean and Klett, one of the best known law firms in West Texas.

Miss Green is seeking the office she said, solely on her merits, and promises that if elected she will administer the affairs of the district court in a manner befitting all interested persons, with special favors to none.

# THREE MORE ARE DEAD AFTER STORM

## DEATH LIST IN TEXAS IS BOOSTED TO ELEVEN ON THURSDAY

(By The Associated Press)

DALLAS, April 23.—Three men drowned in South and West Texas increased to 11 today the number of victims of this week's rain storms and lightning in the state. Two negro workmen trying to ford a small stream in Gonzales county and a Mexican grasping at river drift wood near San Angelo were swept to their death late yesterday.

Drowning victims of a four-day series of heavy rains now number 8, while lightning has killed three. Reports of heavy crop damage, and of further possibilities of costly floods continued to come in today, although rain seems to have ceased.

Some of the streams with extensive watersheds are still rising, while others have receded to almost normal. Although the Guadalupe and San Marcos Rivers have been higher than at any time since 1913, they were reported today to be slowly receding.

A vast acreage of lowlands along principal rivers was covered by water today. Many cattle have been lost and many cattlemen along the low stretches of all rivers have been warned to remove their cattle from the bottom lands, reports from Houston said.

Flood warnings were posted at Houston today for points along the Little River, tributary to the Brazos, the Trinity, Neches and Sabine Rivers. No flood warning was issued for the lower Brazos.

The weather bureau said the Brazos was falling slightly at Valley Junction. The crest of the rise is expected to pass Washington, Texas, today.

## Thief Fishes Pants From Under Pillow

SAN ANGELO, April 23. (AP)—With a fishin' pole found outside his bedside window, a burglar last night angled W. P. Fowler's trousers from beneath his pillow at his clothing store on North Chadbourne street here, and got only thirty-five cents.

## HECTOR, N. Y.—There's a real Podunk. It is a section of this town. It has enjoyed the name for years and Podunk it shall remain by Heck.

## Hunts Mother



Mrs. Elizabeth Spores of Amarillo, Tex., is hunting for her mother, whom she has never seen. She was born 25 years ago and adopted immediately by Mrs. O. L. Baldwin, a friend of her real mother. Now the foster-mother is dead and Mrs. Spores is seeking the real one. All she knows is that the mother's name is Millie Godfrey.

# Photo of \$15,000,000 Fire



The greatest oil fire in history is raging at San Luis Obispo, Cal., started by a lightning bolt. Six great reservoirs and seven smaller tanks in an area two miles long are aflame. Two lives have been lost. An idea of the size of the mountain of smoke can be gained by comparing it with the reservoirs in the foreground, 500 feet across. The flames are being allowed to burn themselves out.

# BOYS OF LUBBOCK TO HAVE CHARGE OF CITY AFFAIRS AS PART OF BOYS WEEK PROGRAM

The boys of Lubbock, ranging in age from 10 years to 18, the coming citizenship of Lubbock that will eventually have charge of the business and administrative affairs of the city, will hold full sway in the affairs of Lubbock on Thursday, May 6 as a part of the Boys Week program that will be held here during the week of May 1 to 8. It was decided at a meeting of committees representing various organizations of the city Thursday night when plans were worked out for a full week of activity the responsibility that boys should feel toward their city and nation.

The celebration at Lubbock during the week will be a part of a giant nation-wide program that will be carried on simultaneously throughout the United States, and plans for a full week of activity were laid, with the appointment of committees to handle matters on various days. Pink L. Parrish, newly elected Mayor of Lubbock, who is deeply interested in anything that is for the advancement of the city, was named generalissimo for the week's activities, and his will be the responsibility of overseeing the work of each committee.

It was at the suggestion of Mayor Parrish that the committees voted, and began arrangements for participation of the boys in city affairs on the one day, when they will have complete charge of the city's affairs, including the police department. Jas. H. Goodman, Corporation court judge is chairman of the committee that will have charge of this, and he will be assisted by L. S. Harkey, Area Commissioner of the Boy Scouts, and K. N. Clapp, Scoutmaster.

## Sunday Is Church Day

The Sunday preceding this has been set aside as church day, when all boys will be urged to attend some church, and speakers at the various churches will have a special message for the boys. Pastors of the various churches were named on a committee to arrange for these services.

Wednesday has been designated School Day when M. H. Duncan, Supt. of the Lubbock public schools will head a committee to arrange for speakers at the various buildings. These speakers will make an effort to impress upon the coming generation the importance not only of staying with their school work, but the importance of correct living. W. C. Rylander, H. D. Woods, and Carroll Thompson, R. W. Matthews and G. N. Atkinson, principals of three of the public schools, will assist Mr. Duncan in plans for this part of the program.

Thursday will be Citizenship Day, when the boys will have charge of the city hall departments. On Friday, Chas. Whitacre, committeeman from the American Legion, will have charge of a giant boys' parade that will be participated in by Boy Scouts, and all other boys organizations in the city. Those boys who have no particular organization will march under school colors led by principals at various buildings. This is expected to be one of the biggest and most impressive days of the entire week's program, and every boy in the city will be urged to take part in the parade that will course through the business district of the city. Friday night has been designated as "Stay at Home" night when every boy in the city will be asked to remain at home with his parents and brothers and sisters. On this night special radio programs will be broadcast from various stations throughout the country, and those who have this convenience are

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# News and Views of the World of Sport

## Dope Pots Kicked Sky High When Majors Battle; Red Sox Swatters Strut Their Stuff For Big Win

(By The Associated Press)

All the flags are now in place in the big league parks.

The Pittsburgh Pirates, kings of 1925, appeared yesterday for the first time this year before the home folks and received their third straight licking, the Cardinals of St. Louis doing the damage.

In Brooklyn, the Dodgers appeared officially for the first time, although they played Philadelphia there Sunday, and suffered a beating from the New York Giants on Wednesday six "openings" took place and all the home clubs were victorious.

**Yankees vs. Brewers**

The home-run race appears to have started in earnest. Phil Todd of the Red Sox got two against the Yankees, his second one winning the game. Pinky Hargrave of the Browns made a brace against the White Sox, although his team lost.

A member of the Yankees, broad-shouldered, with a powerful swing, now leads in the home run class. It is not Babe Ruth, but Pat Collins, catcher brought from the American Association. Pat has sent forth three balls for the bleachers to carry home.

**Reds And Cubs Tie**

Cincinnati and Chicago waged the

bitterest of yesterday's struggle, a five to five deadlock resulting after 11 innings.

Cub pinch hitters tied the game in the ninth.

Ten innings was necessary for decision at Pittsburgh. In the tenth Chick Hafey scored his second homer of the year, driving in Horanby. Keen allowed ten Pittsburgh hits but kept them well distributed to win by five to three.

Danny Vance started for Brooklyn against the Glanias but was peppered from all sides. Two triples by stuccoed back the Philadelphia Athletics, 3 to 2.

**Browns Beat Phillies**

The Browns continued their slaughter of the Philadelphia innocents, 6 to 2. The Phils have lost every start since Saturday.

Dutch Beuther of Washington, ably supported by Goslin and Rice, turned back the Philadelphia Athletics, 3 to 2.

Heavy sticks swung at Chicago, where Sox overwhelmed the Browns, 11 to 7. Harris of the White Sox had two doubles and a triple.

The Yankees and Red Sox staged a slugging match which was ended in favor of Boston, 9 to 5.

## Sprint Star



Bill Barber is captain and star sprinter of the University of California track and field team. In the recent meet with the University of Missouri, Barber won the 220-yard dash in the fast time of 21.9 seconds. He is one of the best bats the Bears have this season.

## Billy Evans Says



**More About Babe**

Why all the ado about Babe Ruth's weight?

When the Bambino socked 59 home runs for a world record he was far from being a tiny person. The Babe weighed about 225 that season.

This winter rumors have been written about the weight, that Ruth has lost it but it wasn't a good weight. Instead of the muscles being hard and the flesh firm, they were soft and flabby.

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## Versatile



Meet "Ace" Roosma, West Point's all-around athlete. He's won 10 letters and the Army Athletic Association sash for general athletics. Roosma captained the 1925-26 basketball team, plays center field on the baseball nine and also covets on the soccer outfit. His home is in Passaic, N. J.

New York pitchers throw at least two curves to every fast ball. Perhaps the ratio is even more pronounced.

McGraw's pitchers are known as curve-ball pitchers. When opposing teams face the Giants, they know they can expect hook after hook, yet the Giants are always tough to beat.

All of which seems to bear out McGraw's ideas as to curve-ball pitching.

## Lubbock Men Go To District Conference

J. Harvey Moore, Jan. H. Hughes, and Richard Cayett, of this city, will represent the First Methodist church of Lubbock in the district conference that is to be held in Brownfield Friday and Saturday of this week. The three left here Friday morning for Brownfield.

Moore, Moore and Hughes will represent the church proper, and Mr. Cayett will represent the Lubbock organization of the Epworth League.

## FOODS TEACHER ENGAGED

ARLINGTON, Texas, April 23. (AP)—Miss Rosalie Young, of Denton has been engaged as teacher of foods at North Texas Agricultural college here, succeeding Miss Nettie Schultz, who resigned to become lunchroom supervisor of the Fort Worth public schools. Both Miss Young and Miss Schultz are graduates of the College of Industrial Arts, Denton.

RIVERON, Ill.—Five women town fathers are going to dry up the place. They defeated a ticket composed of men.

## RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

Be it Resolved by the Members of School Trustees of Lubbock County: That in the death of Mr. J. H. Burroughs, the chairman of our County Board, we seriously and keenly feel the loss of our strongest and most faithful member; that we are very much shocked and deeply grieved on account of his untimely death; that the family especially and the relatives of the deceased have our heart-felt, sincere sympathy; that a copy of this resolution be placed in our Minutes and published in our home papers and a copy delivered to the bereaved family.

Signed: Bob Crump, W. O. Shoely, Douglas Poffins, J. L. Benton, P. F. Brown.

NEW YORK—As to a charge in litigation that she appeared to be intoxicated at a performance of "Hush Money," Justice Johnson is out with a statement that it is absolutely a fabrication. Supplanted by her understudy, she is seeking an injunction.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—There is a difference of opinion as to whether jazz dancing spreads tuberculosis. The Rev. A. Ray Petty thinks it does. Miss Sarah Seron of the physical training staff of the University of Pennsylvania says modern steps can be as helpful physically as pleasing socially.

WASHINGTON—The President is of the opinion that the movies could promote a better understanding among nations by showing Americans more pictures of life in other countries. He is inclined to oppose federal censorship.

## VANGUARD OF DISTRICT MEET CONTESTANTS ARRIVES HERE TODAY WITH IDEAL WEATHER PREVAILING

The vanguard of contestants in the district interscholastic league track and field meet that is to be held here today and tomorrow under supervision of the Tech College arrived here Friday morning, and with each passing hour during the day, the number was added to as participants arrived both by train and automobile. It is estimated by officials in charge of the meet that there will probably be between 500 and 600 contestants in the various events of the two days program, including both literary and athletic.

Twenty counties comprise the district, and reports from the office of A. W. Evans, of the Tech faculty, who will be in charge of the meet as Director General, every county in the district will be represented in one form or another.

Many of the contestants are accompanied by teachers, parents or friends, and Lubbock is expected to be host to between 2,500 and 3,000 visitors during the two days.

The committees from the high school which Friday canvassed the city for homes for contestants in the literary events reported Friday morning that good success had been met, and that places had been found for about 225. This is believed ample to care for the contestants, as only participants in literary events will be here overnight. Participants in athletic events will not report until Saturday morning.

Contestants in the literary division met at the stock judging pavilion at the Tech College at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and registered officially for competition. Volley ball and tennis participants also registered and preliminaries in all these events will be run off this afternoon.

Finals in literary events, tennis and volleyball will be held Saturday morning simultaneously with the preliminaries in track and field events, both class A and B, and Saturday afternoon the finals in track and field events will be run off. All athletic events will be held on Tech field, except tennis.

nis and volley ball, which will be held at the high school building.

Season tickets for the track and field events will be on sale at the gate for 25 cents, allowing the holder to go in and out at will during the day.

With ideal weather prevailing Friday and similar weather forecast for Saturday, one of the biggest and most successful tournaments in the history of such events is anticipated.

## Electra Athlete Showing Well In Spring Grid Grind

AUSTIN, April 23. (AP)—Murray Moore, big athlete from Electra, is showing to such good advantage in spring football training that Texas university coaches believe he will be one of the outstanding linemen in the Southwestern conference for the season of 1926.

Moore will be playing his third year on the team, and likely will hold down a tackle post. His first two years he played guard; but tackle seems to be his natural position.

Moore weighs about 190 pounds, is rugged, fairly fast, and is becoming adept in the use of his hands. Toward the close of last season he showed an aggressiveness that added much to his value to the team. He played a splendid game against the Texas Aggies last Thanksgiving Day, going in for the second quarter.

Bill James, former Centre college star, is given much credit for the development of the Electra athlete. Moore came under James' tuition for the first time last fall. He is working out under him this spring and will be under him again next fall.

During the past year the supremacy of the United States in sports has been rudely jolted. Charlie Hoff has been showing the natives how to pole-vault and recently in competition with our best athletes easily won the indoor all-around championship.

Jake Schaefer has twice been deprived of his billiard title, once by Horemans of Belgium and, after he regained it, lost to Hagelbacher of Germany.

Then there are Nurni, Lowe, Abrhams and Liddell, all world champs at their respective distances, hailing from the other side.

Even the great Tilden, regarded as supreme in tennis, was defeated by Borotra of France. Helen Wills also succumbed to Suzanne Lenglen.

While there is no reason to be pessimistic, it is mighty hard to be optimistic after reading the above.

**GIFT SAFETY CURBED**

The gift safety, which became almost as obnoxious in football last year as is the intentional pass in baseball, appears to have been considerably curbed by the new rules.

In the west last fall a team leading 7-0, with only a short time to play, made three intentional or gift safeties in order to retain the ball and thereby not be forced to take a

chance.

The game ended 7-6, the team that made the touchdown winning as a result of the rather unportsmanlike strategy.

Under the new rules the team making a safety must put the ball in play on the 20-yard line instead of the 30 and must kick on the first down.

**BASEBALL BUGS**

Walter Hagen is a baseball bug. While Hagen is in the same class.

Not only do these two stars like to watch the game but they prefer playing it.

In playing baseball there is always great danger of injury to the hands. The left puttin' grouch of Hagen in golf and the finesse of Hagen's billiard play depends largely on the condition of their hands.

Yet down south this spring it was not unusual to see Walter Hagen out playing ball with the big leaguers. Hagen has the same habit.

Both Hagen and Hagen probably would have starred at the national pastime had they taken it up with the same purpose and determination they did golf and billiards.

**CURVE PITCHING**

Unless a pitcher is blessed with terrific speed, a good curve ball is the most deceptive delivery," says John McGraw.

Working on that theory, it is said

## What a Queer Desperado!



Jim Ligon, held in the Norwalk (Q.) jail on charges of first degree murder, and reputed to be a dangerous two-gun man, picked the lock in his cell and walked out of jail the other morning. Posses hunted for him without success. Then, at evening, he walked back and surrendered to Luellie Gregory, daughter of the sheriff, as shown above. He had stepped out to see his wife, she said, and having seen her thought he'd come back.



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**TEXAS LEAGUE Thursday's Results.**

Dallas 11, Fort Worth 7.  
Beaumont 11, San Antonio 9.  
Shreveport 11, Wichita Falls 5.  
Houston 4, Waco 1.

**Standing:**

Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Dallas	7	5	2	.714
Wichita Falls	7	4	3	.571
San Antonio	9	5	4	.556
Waco	9	5	4	.556
Houston	8	4	4	.500
Shreveport	8	4	4	.500
Beaumont	8	3	5	.375
Fort Worth	6	1	5	.176

**Today's Games.**

Fort Worth at Dallas.  
San Antonio at Beaumont.  
Waco at Houston.  
Shreveport at Wichita Falls.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE Thursday's Results.**

St. Louis 5, Pittsburgh 3 (10 innings)  
Boston 6, Philadelphia 2.  
New York 11, Brooklyn 4.  
Cincinnati 5, Chicago 5 (11 innings, darkness).

**Standing:**

Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	7	6	1	.857
St. Louis	9	6	3	.667
Cincinnati	8	5	3	.625
Philadelphia	9	4	5	.444
Chicago	8	4	4	.500
Brooklyn	7	3	4	.429
Boston	9	3	6	.333
Pittsburgh	9	2	7	.222

**Today's Games.**

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.  
Cincinnati at Chicago.  
New York at Brooklyn.  
Philadelphia at Boston.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE Thursday's Results.**

Washington 8, Philadelphia 2.  
Chicago 11, St. Louis 7.  
Boston 9, New York 8 (10 innings).  
Cleveland at Detroit, rain.

**Standing:**

Club	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	7	5	2	.714
New York	8	3	5	.625
Detroit	7	4	3	.571
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# CHINESE REMEDY FAVORED BY DOCTORS

## DOCTORS IN MEETING IN DALLAS O. K. ANCIENT ORIENTAL PRACTICE

(By The Associated Press)  
DALLAS, Apr. 23.—An ancient Chinese remedy was advanced today as a possible cure for hay fever and asthma at the convention of the American Medical Association in progress here.

Dr. K. K. Chen, Chinese physician of the University of Wisconsin, described a crude drug called by his countrymen "ma huang," which he said had been in use in the kingdom of the Dragon for more than 5,000 years. The yellow people used it for various purposes through all these centuries, but it was not until 1887 that it was chemically analyzed and found to obtain an alkaloid called ephedrine, which upon experimentation was found to have the power to raise blood pressure and relieve certain forms of asthma.

Its possibilities in hay fever were indicated by its ability to shrink congested nasal mucosa for an average of two to three hours.

Dr. William F. Mayo discussed various diseases of the blood associated with disturbances of the liver, the spleen, and the bone marrow. The blood, he said, is made up of fluid materials from the liver and red blood cells coming largely from the bone marrow.

Physicians criticized newspapers for suppressing names of social diseases. Dr. A. Lambert of New York, former president of the association said this suppression contributed to the general ignorance.

"It is nonsense and silly shoddy," he said. "Why not call a spade a spade instead of an old shovel. The facts should be unflinchingly faced. The people should know the results of certain diseases and they cannot know if the names of the disease are suppressed. Through the suppression of facts in accuracy is increased and superstition is glorified."

# 3 SEMINARY EXES PLAN BANQUET AT HOUSTON

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 23. (AP)—First joint banquet of former students of the three theological seminaries controlled by the Southern Baptists will be held in connection with the Southern Baptist convention at Houston May 13. This was announced here today from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. The other two schools are the Baptist Bible Institute, New Orleans, and Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville. One thousand former students are expected to attend.

After invocation pronounced by Dr. George W. McDaniel, President E. Y. Mullins of the Louisville seminary will speak on "What the seminaries have done for the Kingdom." President L. R. Scarborough of the Fort Worth institution will speak on "What the seminaries are now doing for the Kingdom," and President B. H. DeMott of the New Orleans institute, will take as his subject, "What the seminaries should do for the Kingdom."

Answers to questions propounded will be given in five-minute talks by selected representatives of the three alumni associations under the headings of "Money," "Men" and "Morale."

Dr. W. W. Hamilton of New Orleans will preside at the banquet and Prof. J. E. Reynolds of Fort Worth will have charge of the music. The program is in charge of Hamilton, L. G. Cleverdon of the institute and L. B. Morgan of the seminary here. E. L. Carlson will represent the Fort Worth Alumni and B. L. Davis those of New Orleans.

The banquet will be held at 5:15 p. m. at the Rice hotel.

# ORGANIZED LABOR HEARS FUTURE PLANS

HOUSTON, Apr. 23. (AP)—Three legislative efforts favored by the Texas Federation of Labor for the next session of the state Legislature were officially endorsed Thursday by the labor body in convention here. Those included: Determined opposition to any efforts to amend the homestead law or to submit any constitutional amendment seeking modification of the homestead provisions of the constitution. The legislative committee stated in presenting a resolution instructing the legislative representative to oppose this, that a determined effort would be made at the next session to modify the homestead law.

The legislative representative was also instructed to oppose passage of a law which would permit the garnishment of workers wages for debt. The third referred measure would provide for the creation of a boiler and machinery inspector under the state labor commissioner at Austin.

# TEXARKANA OPENS GATES TO LAW EXPONENTS

(By Associated Press.)  
TEXARKANA, April 23.—Texarkana Thursday welcomed the lawyers of Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana to the first annual session of the Tri-State Bar association, which opened its 3 day convention, this morning with an attendance of close to a thousand members.

The forenoon meeting was devoted largely to an exchange of greetings.

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W. H. Arnold, chairman of the general committee, introducing A. H. McKnight of Dallas, president of the Texas Bar association, presiding at today's sessions.

The address of welcome was delivered by Paul Jones with responses by Harry P. Daily of Fort Smith, Ark., for Arkansas members; E. H. Randolph of Shreveport, Louisiana, and A. H. Carrigan of Wichita Falls, for Texas.

The preliminary proceedings were so protracted that it was necessary to postpone until the afternoon the address of Chester I. Long, former United States Senator and present president of the American Bar association, who will speak on "Liberty with Government."

Long will be followed by William E. Vance, professor of law of the Yale university school of law, whose subject will be "What the universities should do for the legal profession."

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1:30PM	1:45PM	5:30PM	3:00	10:10PM
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10:30AM	5:30PM	8:30PM	5:50	3:05PM
11:00AM	6:00PM	9:00PM	5:00	3:35PM
12:30PM	7:30PM	10:30PM	4:50	4:05PM
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11:00AM	3:00PM	7:00PM	4:00	2:00PM
4:30PM	6:00PM	9:00PM	9:00	3:00AM
6:00PM	7:00PM	10:00PM	10:00	4:00AM
11:00PM	12:00PM	11:00PM	13:00	5:00AM

12:30 P. M. car makes connection at Brownfield for Roswell, and for all points toward El Paso, Texas.

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### CONGRESSMAN FOR CURTAILING OF EXPENSES

WASHINGTON, Apr. 23. (AP)—Amendment of the constitution to prohibit "excessive and indiscriminate" Congressional appropriations will be introduced in the House Thursday by Representative Buchanan, Democrat, Tex., member of the appropriations committee.

This must be done on initiative of the states, he said, as such drastic action will be necessary to force Congress to limit its powers.

The history of appropriations for four years, operating under the budget system, is disappointing, he declared, training the House for its action in scaling down estimates.

"As the constitution now stands," he continued, "Congress can make appropriations for any purpose under the sun and no one is vested with the right legally to question the right of Congress to make such appropriations. The time has come when Congress must perform its duty, establish another appropriation system, not subject to the influence of blocs and sections of political expediency."



Miss Dorothy Walker of Portage, Wis., is Wisconsin's first and only woman district attorney. She holds office in Columbia county, and in her 200 cases has had only two acquittals and one disagreement.

### Portia

### Measurable Success With Improved Treatment Of High Blood Pressure Reported To Medical Meet By Expert

DALLAS, Tex., April 23. (AP)—Measurable success with an improved treatment of high blood pressure was reported to the American Medical Association in convention here recently by Dr. Ralph H. Major of the University of Kansas School of Medicine at Kansas City, Kansas. A liver extract has been used by Doctor Major and associates for more than a year, and it is being given extensive trial in other hospitals with results in the main satisfactory.

"The evidence at present that the liver extract is effective in certain cases of arterial hypertension is very suggestive, but not conclusive," was the consensus of opinion in what Dr. Major reported results of his laboratory and clinical tests.

Three substances were mentioned by Dr. Major as being capable of reducing blood pressure—histamine, choline and peptone. Of these, histamine and peptone are violent in their action, and the effect of choline is not lasting, resulting in a worse condition instead of a better. Histamine will lower blood pressure, but continues to operate even after normal pressure has been attained. Peptone lowers blood pressure by causing severe shock to the patient.

The liver extract developed by Dr. Major and his associates, in many of the cases in which it has been administered, reduces blood pressure to normal, but stops there. When administered to a patient with normal blood pressure, its effects are negligible.

Results of the treatment with the liver extract were very uniform when applied to animals in which the blood pressure has been raised by use of methyl guanidin, but when applied to human patients, results are not so uniform.

Dr. Major reported three general classes of such patients, including those in hospitals, ambulatory cases, and private patients. The injection of the hospital patient of itself tended to decrease blood pressure, making it difficult to draw conclusions regarding the effect of the treatments. In the case of out-patients, too many other circumstances were possible to make results satisfactory to the clinical physician.

"The most convincing group would be obviously the type that has suffered from arterial hypertension for a long time, and whose range of pressure over a period of years is known," said Doctor Major. "The treatment of this group has, as a rule, shown little evidence of specific effect. Since these same patients show no temporary responses to nitrites or other powerful vaso-motor depressants, it is quite possible they have undergone anatomical changes and the arteries are capable of readjusting themselves.

"Theoretically, the group of patients who should respond best are those whose hypertension is of brief duration, and in whom anatomical alterations have not yet taken place. We have seen many striking and relatively lasting falls of blood pressure in such patients. Such evidence, however, is not entirely convincing, since it is always possible that these falls in blood pressure may be spontaneous and unrelated to treatment.

"Since high blood pressure is probably due to a variety of causes, and may itself show wide fluctuations from time to time, positive conclusions must be withheld until a large number of patients have been treated. Observations on a greater number of patients should disclose also what types will respond to this treatment.

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### Tractor Firm May Open Branch Here

Perry Proctor, of the Lewis-Patten Company, Texas distributors for Monarch tractors and concrete mixers, with headquarters in San Antonio, who was here Thursday conferring with State highway officials, announced that his company is planning to open a distribution office here to serve West Texas and the Panhandle.

Mr. Proctor is now working out of Lubbock, maintains an office here, and says that he will know within the next few days what his firm has in mind regarding the location of a distributing house at Lubbock.

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### EFFECT OF RUM TREATY LIMITED

Court Decision Says Treaty Does Not Make Laws Extending U. S. Limits

NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—The effectiveness of the treaty with Great Britain, Norway and other countries permitting the United States to seize rum runners at any point within an hour's sailing distance of the shore was greatly limited today by a decision in the United States circuit court of appeals setting forth that the treaty does not make laws extending the limits of territorial jurisdiction of the United States.

The appellate court, in an opinion written by Judge Hough, and concurred in by Judge Manton and Rogers, dismissed seizure proceedings brought by the government against the Sagatind, a Norwegian vessel, and the Diamantina, flying the British flag.

LONDON, April 23. (AP)—The United States government has been informed that heretofore specified American liquor patrol vessels may visit Bahaman waters without formal notice, provided a call is first made at Miami to notify the Bahaman commission of their intention. An announcement to this effect was made in the House of Commons today by Foreign Secretary Chamberlain.

This procedure was adopted, he said, because of the difficulties in the way of giving notice through the usual official channels of intended visits of patrol vessels to Gun Cay and adjacent islands.

Sir Austen said there was no agreement with the United States to extend the area of operations of American revenue officers to the Bahamas. The action taken was purely an administrative measure between the two countries regarding regulation of the liquor traffic.

His statement was made in answer to a question regarding the reported agreement and whether he would consider obtaining more concessions in return, such as better treatment for British subjects residing at Ellis Island or in other American ports.

Sir Austen said the government's action was not in the nature of a concession for which counter-concessions could be properly demanded.

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### British Chambers Of Commerce In General Session Ask Settlements Of Debts Made At Civil War Close

(By the Associated Press)  
LONDON, April 23.—The association of British chambers of commerce, at its annual meeting here today, adopted a resolution requesting the American government to assist in obtaining a hearing before the Supreme Court for British subjects having claims against eight of the Southern United States for monies loaned prior to the end of the Civil War. The resolution states that "Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and North and South Carolina defaulted on their debts for monies lent for industrial purposes and for national development."

**Suits Are Illegal**  
The individuals cannot bring suit in the American courts against the states, it says, and therefore the federal government should assist them to get a hearing before the Supreme Court.

The British Foreign Secretary is requested to ask the American Ambassador to call his government's attention to the matter.

**WASHINGTON, April 23. (AP)—**The question of Confederate state debts to British bondholders has bobbed up periodically ever since the close of the Civil War, but officials here have never considered the government of the United States had anything to do about the matter.

**Bonds Are Basis**  
Generally, the debts resulted from purchases abroad of state bonds. Thousands of Americans also purchased these bonds and have never collected.

The position of the government has been that the bonds were issued on the sole responsibility of the states. There has never been any accurate record here as to the amount involved and there has never been any disposition to thrust the federal government into the situation.

It has been pointed out that the buyers might have collected in Confederate currency at one time but the value of this currency collapsed with the end of the war.

**Chamberlain Wants Action**  
Discussing the question in the House of Commons a year ago, Sir Austen Chamberlain, British foreign secretary, said there was no reason to regard the bonds as obligations on the American government, but that British subjects might have the same recourse for collecting as had Americans.

However, Confederate currency to an untold amount, remained in the hands of people of the South after the war worth only the paper it was printed on and the obligation could not be redeemed.

**OKLAHOMA CITY—**If the suggestion of Oklahoma City Post as to who should lead the American Legion to France next year, is adopted, it probably will not be necessary for the Paris papers to spell his name Peurichigne, as they did in 1917, so French would not pronounce it as if it were spelled Juifsnang.

**OKLAHOMA CITY—**My share of the money stolen from your purse at the Gebelin wedding in 1901 was the lense note accompanying a \$10 bill given to Miss Edie Rex here. Miss Rex's purse disappeared at the wedding.

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BOSTON—Contracts between wealthy Catholics and wealthy Protestants have impressed Cardinal O'Donnell. Some Catholics who get suddenly rich lose their heads and hearts; wealthy Protestants are wonderfully charitable and do not hold tight to every dollar. The cardinal has given us wishing riches for Catholic people until they are ready to use them right.

CHICAGO—Arguing that beer glasses are worthless, two companies which used to serve plenty of beer, are seeking to have their tax assessments reduced by \$3,500.

WILKESBARRE, Pa.—Apparently the anthracite miners have been Charlestoning a bit since getting back to work. Hall owners have forbidden the dance because of the danger to buildings and the lack of refinement.

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PHILADELPHIA—Commander McQuig of the American Legion wants women trained in peace time for war work. He says women could have done a lot of work in Washington that kept men from the field in the last war. Perhaps he referred to the fellows who wore spurs so their feet would not slip off their desks.

**DATTONA, BEACH, Fla.**—Desk Sergeants at police headquarters here are perplexed. Two men and a monkey were arrested last night charged with being drunk. "Drunk" was scribbled on the bottle containing the names of the men, but while the monkey is locked in a cell, officers are at loss as to how to charge the monkey.

**BATON ROUGE, La.**—My share of the money stolen from your purse at the Gebelin wedding in 1901 was the lense note accompanying a \$10 bill given to Miss Edie Rex here. Miss Rex's purse disappeared at the wedding.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Stocks And Money

WALL STREET REPORT NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—The unexpected decrease in the New York Federal Reserve Bank discount rate brought a flood of buying orders into the stock market over night, with the result that opening prices displayed a strong tone. General Electric was 3 points higher and initial gains of a point or two were recorded by Woolworth, Pierce Arrow, General Motors, Hallwain and Atchison.

Bothheim stock opened nearly a point higher in reflection of the report for the first quarter, showing \$2.66 a share earned on the common stock, as against \$1.68 in the first quarter of 1925.

Total sales in the first half hour approximated 450,000 shares. Buying orders were spread over an unusually broad list with bear traders frantically bidding for stocks in order to cover their contractual obligations. General Electric quickly extended its gain to over five points. National Tea jumped 4 1/2, and American Ice, Dupont, Hudson Motors, Remington Typewriter, Montgomery Ward, National Biscuit, Pittsburgh and West Virginia, Norfolk and Western and Atlantic Coast Line sold 2 1/2 to 3 1/2 points above yesterday's final quotations.

While the public participation undoubtedly was in large volume, the transfer of enormous blocks of stocks, ranging from 1,000 to 10,000 shares, indicated the buying and selling by powerful financial interests. In many quarters there was a disposition to regard the Federal Reserve Bank's action as an indication that the corrective movement in stock prices had proceeded sufficiently far to safely permit a lower rediscount rate as a stimulus to business, many of which had shown a marked falling in the last few weeks.

Foreign exchanges being easier, demansterling being quoted around \$4.85 7-8 and French francs around 233 cents.

PRICES GO UPWARD NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—An avalanche of buying orders poured in today's market as a result of the unexpected decrease in the New York Federal Reserve Bank re-discount rate, and prices bounded upward one to five points.

Trading was in enormous volume, blocks of 1,000 and 10,000 shares changing hands in the first half hour of trading.

WOOL REPORT BOSTON, April 23. (AP)—The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say: Demand for wool is confined within narrow bounds and usually is for small quantities. Prices are hardly changed for the week, but are in buyers' favor. Manufacturers are giving the market no encouragement whatever, declaring that the situation in the goods market offers them no basis for enthusiasm.

In the West, buying has been scarce and no movement worthy of special note has taken place anywhere. Fall wools in Merton, Texas, have been sold this week in a general range of 25 to 30 cents; mostly at intermediate prices, compared with 25 to 40 cents in the early part of the season. For the new clip wools prices have changed little or not at all this week.

Foreign markets are generally steady. Mohair is steady with no movement of note here.

Quotations: Texas fine 12-months, selected \$7.10@7.15. Hrs. 8-months, selected \$6.80@6.85. Combing 65c@70, best carding 50c@55.

TO SPLIT STOCKS NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—Directors of the General Electric Company today announced a plan to split up the common stock on a four for one basis, which will be submitted to the stockholders for their approval at the annual meeting May 11.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—Foreign exchange steady. Great Britain demand \$4.86 13-16; cables 4.84 1/2; 60-day bills on banks 4.81 15-16. France, demand 2.35 1/2; cables 2.36. Italy, demand 4.02; Belgium 3.54 1/2; Germany 23.75; Tokyo 47.25; Montreal 100.17 and 3-16.

BULLS DOMINATE EXCHANGE NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—A gigantic bull movement in stock prices got under way on the New York Stock Exchange today as a result of the unexpected reduction in the New York Federal Reserve re-discount rate. Prices of scores of issues jumped one to twelve points on the first outbreak of buying, with indications that total sales for the day would approximate 2,500,000 shares.

A stupendous investment demand also developed in the bond market, with indications that the record-breaking volume of \$25,570,000 for a single day's sales, established on December 11, 1924, would be broken before the end of the session.

The lower re-discount rate also was followed by reductions in other monetary accommodations. Call money dropped from 3 1/2 to 3 percent with funds available as low as 2 1/2.

KANSAS CITY REPORT KANSAS CITY, April 23. (AP)—Wheat number 2 hard \$1.56@1.59; number 2 red \$1.64@1.65. Corn number 3 white 69@70 1/2; number 2 yellow 71@72. Oats number 2 white 42 1/2@43 1/2; number 3 white 42@42 1/2.

CHICAGO REPORT CHICAGO, April 23. (AP)—Cash: wheat number 1 hard 1.67 1/2; number 2 hard 1.62@1.65. Corn number 2 mixed 69@72; number 3 yellow 74@75. Oats number 1 white 42 1/2; number 2 white 42@42 1/2.

Cotton Markets

NEW ORLEANS COTTON NEW ORLEANS, Apr. 23. (AP)—The cotton market opened steady with weather conditions reported as favorable. First trades showed losses of 1 to 2 points and prices eased off by a few cents additional after the call with May at 17.85c, July 17.43c and October 16.66c, or 2 to 5 points below yesterday's close. The market soon rallied, however, to 17.86c for May 17.45c for July and 16.62c for October. Better Liverpool cables than die supported the market.

Although the market was quiet during the morning, prices gradually improved on covering for over the week-end, and on buying on the weekly mill takings which were bullish. Hester's total showed 267,000 against 236,000 last year. May traded up to 17.91c, July to 17.56c, October to 16.63c, and December to 16.68c. Around noon the market was steady and a few points under the highs.

The market ruled steady during the afternoon and although old crop month continued within the earlier range new crop months advanced, stimulated by a fair trade demand. October worked up to 16.72c and December to 16.70c or 14 to 16 points above the early lows and 10 to 11 points above yesterday's close. At the beginning of the first half hour the market was steady and at the high.

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES NEW ORLEANS, April 23. (AP)—Cotton opened steady, May 17.85c, July 17.46c, October 16.60c, December 16.59.

NEW YORK COTTON NEW YORK, Apr. 23. (AP)—Unfavorable trade advances from Manchester, continued that of domestic mill curtailment and relatively easy Liverpool cables, led to some selling in the cotton market early today.

First prices were 2 to 3 points lower but the weather outlook was not altogether settled and after selling off to 18.54c for May and 17.25c for October, prices steadied on renewed covering with some trade and commission house buying. May advanced to 18.65c and October to 17.34c by the end of the first hour, net gains of about 1 to 4 points.

The far-month market held very steady. Reactions of the previous day seemed to have left it in a firmer technical position, covering being induced by fear of unfavorable weather developments over the week-end. May sold up to 18.70c and October to 17.40c, net gains of 8 to 10 points. Prices were within a point or two of the best at mid-day.

The early afternoon market was quiet. Buying on the unsettled weather prospect tapered off and there may have been a little selling on reports that the percentage of boll weevil emergence up to April 16, was comparatively light. Offerings were restricted, however, and the market held fairly steady at 18.65c for May and 17.33c for October, or about 2 to 3 points net higher at two o'clock.

NEW YORK FUTURES NEW YORK, April 23. (AP)—Cotton futures opened steady, May 18.00c; July 18.10c; October 17.30c; December 16.93; January 16.80c.

LIVERPOOL SPOTS LIVERPOOL, April 23. (AP)—Cotton spot steady. American strict good middling 10.65c; good middling 10.65c; strict middling 10.41c; middling 10.91c; strict low middling 9.31c; low middling 8.36c; strict good ordinary 7.41c; good ordinary 6.65c. Sales 5,000 bales, 2,000 American. Receipts 2,000 bales, American 1,400.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK EAST ST. LOUIS, Apr. 23. (AP)—Hog 11.00; steady; hogs 12.55@13.00; medium 12.55@13.50; heavy 12.80@13.00. Cattle 800; no beef steers here; choice vealers 75 higher; bulk and top 12.25; light vealers 9.00; other classes about steady with cows shade lower. In spot, mixed yearlings 8.75@9.00; cows up to 7.00. Sheep 250; nothing on sale.

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WALSH TALKS TO ATTORNEYS AT TEXARKANA

(By Associated Press.) TEXARKANA, Texas, April 23. — Discussing the bill authorizing the United States Supreme court to make rules for the trial of actions in the United States District courts, Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, opposed such a proposal in an address here today before the Tri-State Bar association.

Senator Walsh was preceded at the morning session by Judge E. A. McCulloch, Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme court, whose topic was "The Progress and Development of the Law."

These two addresses constituted the whole of the morning program. The attendance is much larger than on the first day of the convention, a large number of lawyers having arrived during the night.

The afternoon will be devoted to separation of the three bar associations of Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana, included in the business program the election of officers.

Luncheon at noon today for the visiting ladies is one of the features of the day.

Tonight there will be reception at the Grim hotel in honor of the three state presidents, George B. Pugh, of Arkansas; A. H. McKnight of Texas, and Edmund Pelps of Louisiana.

The principal speakers at tomorrow's session will be former United States Senator Albert B. Beveridge, and former Attorney General T. W. Gregory.

Grain Markets

CHICAGO REPORT CHICAGO, Apr. 23. (AP)—Despite a show of firmness at the start, wheat quickly underwent a material setback in price today. Early gains were due to relative strength of Liverpool quotations and to failure of expected rains Northwest to prove of any great importance. Free selling, though, on the part of Chicago holders and from houses with Eastern connections led soon to a decided decrease in values. Chicago opening prices half cent off to 3-8 cent up. May (new) \$1.65 to \$1.65 3-8 and July \$1.42 to \$1.43, were followed by fractional gains all round and then by a sudden general drop in which the market touched \$1.63 3-8 for May and \$1.40 7-8 for July.

Corn and oats were easier. After opening unchanged to quarter cent higher, July 78 1/2 to 78 3/4, corn receded to slightly below yesterday's finish.

Oats started unchanged to 3-8 cent down July 42 1/2 to 42 3/4 5-8. Later the decline became general.

Provisions were firmer, reflecting an upward trend in hog values.

CHICAGO REPORT CHICAGO, April 23. (AP)—Poultry alive steady; fowls 27 1/2@31; broilers 40@50; turkeys 30; roosters 21; geese 16; ducks 30@32.

CHICAGO REPORT CHICAGO, April 23. (AP)—Potatoes, weak; Wisconsin sacked round whites 46.00@47.50; Minnesota 2.50@4.15; Idaho sacked russets 4.00@4.25; Canadian sacked varieties 3.25@3.50; new stock Florida basket, Spalding rose number 1, 10.00@11.00; Texas sacked Bliss Triumphs 6.00@6.50.

CHICAGO REPORT CHICAGO, Apr. 23. (AP)—Butter, steady; creamery extras 27 1/2; standard 27 1/2; extra firsts 26 1/2@26 3/4.



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MOVIES ARE SAID NOT HURTFUL TO EYES

DALLAS, April 23. (AP)—Millions of human eyes which daily view the movies are not perceptibly injured by this new use of the orbit, physicians said at the convention of the American Medical association here today.

If one can read, write or do his work without eye fatigue, there is no harm in attending the movies, Dr. A. Ray Irvine and Dr. M. E. Welman of Los Angeles concluded in a paper giving data on series of experiments in which results from the moving picture, reading and smoking were compared.

The smoking of a single cigar, in fact, perhaps lessens more than a long period in the movies, Dr. Irvine suggested, and reading current magazines was found to cause greater strain than viewing the picture.

Dr. Samuel H. Wilson of Tucson, Ariz., reported that the use of direct sunlight in treating tuberculosis had been abused, and that it was a powerful agency, as powerful for harm as for good.

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Prohibition Fuss Hampering Big Cities In Law Enforcement, Says Chicago Mayor, In Plea For Wets

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case, and I dare say in the other great cities.

"I am sure that the two sides on the prohibition question sit down together and make concessions.

"Why should they stand at arms length?" he asked.

Senator Herald asked if the rural districts were to get no consideration in the solution of the problem.

"I can't believe," Dever said, "that the difficulties of the situation. You that question only serve to point to can ask a thousand questions that I can't answer."

Dever said there was one side of that many still are operating in the homes in Chicago.

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"Olson put it at 1,000," he added. "He might have said 10,000. It's all a guess. He says the police could pull them out. What would be the effect if we ordered the police to break into the homes?"

"What about the constitutional rights of these people?" interjected Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri.

"We would have to get search warrants. If we did that we would be striking at the integrity of government itself. I am opposed to that program and there will be none of it while I am Mayor of Chicago."

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Andrews Goes On Stand

After the Mayor left the stand General Lincoln C. Andrews, dry enforcement chief was recalled this time by the dais.

General Andrews told of enforcement methods since he came into office, but said his re-organization of the prohibition unit could not be made fully effective until Congress passes the pending bill for establishment of a prohibition bureau. He also said he expected operation of the liquor treaties with Canada and Great Britain would be of great aid in preventing the smuggling of liquor into the United States.

"Rum Row Dispersed"

"The famous rum row is practically dispersed," he said. "We have made that business so unprofitable that the big dealers have withdrawn from that field."

General Andrews disclosed that the formula for completely denaturing alcohol has been withdrawn.

"We found that there was much inequality and money devoted to redistilling," he said, "that this alcohol could be reclaimed with probably only one half of one percent of wood alcohol in it."

The committee adjourned until tomorrow.

Veteran Clown Is 'Laugh Exponent'

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parents are making the roads. They travel extensively and learn much of the world in this way.

As a school boy in New York, Mr. Williams knew Buster Keaton, famous cinema player, and the two were booked together in some of their first shows. One of Buster's principal acts was a small boy when he was on the stage with his father and mother, was to come out on the stage at the end of the scene dressed as a replica of his father, Mr. Williams said.

Motion picture work was not existing enough for Mr. Williams. He spent too much time going from one location to another and waiting for the "take," he said, so after trying it for one year, 1916, he went back to the carnival.

Mrs. Williams is a performer in the shows with her husband and she, too, has tried almost every phase of the show work.

Better Marry In Profession

"It is best for me to be married in my profession and it is best for all men and women to marry people in their same profession," he stated, saying that he thought most divorces were caused in the show business because the show people married out of their profession.

"If a man is a performer and his wife is not, she is likely to be jealous of him in his work, she is unhappy traveling with the show because her interests are not the same, even though she may love the show people, and she is not happy to live in one place while her husband is traveling over the world." This same thing is true of the man, he said.

Show people are human and it is a theme of much amusement to them to watch the people who attend the shows, Mr. Williams said. "Why, many of them think we are animals or sup-

Three Killed, Scores Hurt in Wreck



ATLANTIC CITY EXPRESS CRASHES DOWN EMBANKMENT—The engineer, fireman and a passenger were killed and scores injured when the Pennsylvania railroad's crack New York-Atlantic City flyer, "Nellie Bly," left the rails near Camden, N. J. Photo shows engine lying in a ditch.

POTTERY CLAY IN QUANTITY FOUND IN REAL CO.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 23. (AP)—Texas may prove in time a real competitor of the Old World in the manufacture of high grade pottery. Kaolin, a valuable clay from which is fashioned Behaviland and Dresden chinaware has been found in Real county, Texas, J. A. Udden, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology of Texas, the United States, Canada, and Mexico, the United States, Canada, and many of the islands of the Atlantic and Pacific. It is necessary to pull one's jokes in the language of the people listening, unless one is a pantomime comedian, he said. "I am no success in pantomime, so I translate my jokes into Japanese, Spanish or whatever the spoken language may be. It isn't hard as one picks up some of the language," he said. In Japan the English speaking colonists catered to his show extensively, he said. The children are the most important patrons of a carnival or show from the viewpoint of the clown and he strives to please them most and, although, clown has certain tricks that he plays in every place, he must study each group and adapt his stunts to please them and when some situation arises, he must adapt himself to it and make it funny, also. That is his business.

Mr. Williams has been hurt on the last day of the season, the last two years, both in Alabama, but he feels no fear of his diving stunt in spite of these accidents. A high wind came up each fall on the last day and both times he was carried to the edge of the pond of water by the wind, hitting the side of the pool and breaking several ribs.

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 23. (AP)—Declaring that prohibition is the question uppermost in people's minds, Volsteadism as "disgrace" and conflict with the fundamentals of human nature, George E. Brennan, today laid his candidacy for United States Senator before the Illinois democratic state convention.

"My contest with the republic candidate, Colonel Frank L. Smith," he said, "must be built on that issue."

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only this afternoon and tomorrow until finished, officials in this department said this afternoon. Four courts have been arranged for the tournament.

Track and Field Preliminaries

Preliminaries in the dash events and the two hurdles in track events will be run off Saturday morning on Tech field, the number of entrants to be cut to eight in each division. Ewing Y. Freeland, Athletic director of the College, who was in charge of this division of the meet said this afternoon. All participants in these events will be expected to be on the track in readiness at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. Finals in all athletic events will start at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

The greatest number of athletes that ever participated in a similar meet is to be present, Coach Freeland said after a preliminary check-up of the entry list. To emphasize this statement he said that as he was interested in the high jump, with other events in proportion, both Class A and B schools from the twenty counties will be represented, but events will be run under one classification, with class B schools competing against class A. There probably will be the least 200 entries in the athletic department alone, Mr. Freeland said.

The schedule of track and field events has been so arranged to conserve as much time as possible, and it is the plan to have at least two events under way at all times during the meet.

Competent heads for the various departments of the meet have been selected, the most of whom are connected with the Tech, and events at various buildings and on various grounds will proceed simultaneously. A charge of 25 cents will be made for entry to the track and field events, and this entitles the holder to entrance into the park at will. All events except tennis will be held at the college.

Bransford Briggs, 15, Dies Early Friday

Bransford Briggs, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Briggs, 2107 5th Street, died here early this morning of blood poisoning, and will be buried at Tye tomorrow afternoon. He was struck to Abilene by the Big Undertaking company.

Blood poisoning set in following an infection in his cheek that started with a pimple. He had been ill for about a week. He was a student in the Junior High School and is survived by several brothers and sisters in addition to the parents. Two uncles, Rev. Hinds, Big Spring, and Rev. Haynes, Hereford, were here at the time of his death and accompanied the family to Abilene, the former home of the family. Mrs. A. D. Chase, Arthur Chase, Guy Bratcher and Russell Benn accompanied the family and will attend the funeral tomorrow.

To Ask Governor To Call Special Meet

AUSTIN, April 23. (AP)—A memorial urging a special session to ratify district road bonds will be presented Governor Miriam A. Ferguson today at three o'clock.

The committee offering the memorial was appointed at the Port Worth meeting of Texas mayors and the Texas Highway Association.

CHICAGO—Robert Pina, five, whose mother, a war bride, is dead, and whose father has vanished, has bound for rescue alone to live with grandparents he had never seen. He comes (By AP Wire)

Haugen Bill Is Changed By Solons

CONGRESS VOTES ON BIG FARM MEASURE WITH IMPUNITY

(By Associated Press.)

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Officers Search Negro In Death Mystery

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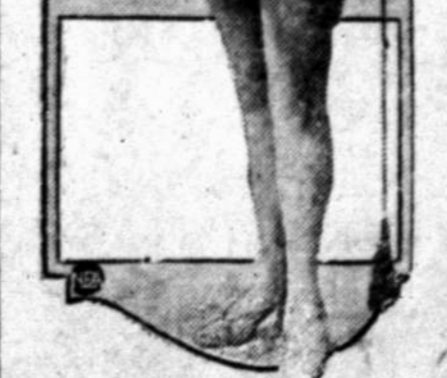
Police obtained the clue to the slaying last night from E. P. Burton, motorman, who said he saw two negroes and a woman engaged in a struggle near the place where the body was found. One of the negroes seemed to be trying to help the woman, Burton said. The woman he described answered the description of Mrs. Dowser.

The woman managed to free herself from the negroes and ran down the street, Burton said. The negroes then stopped fighting, each running in a separate direction, one of them following the woman. Police also continue to follow the theory Mrs. Dowser's slayer is the man who figured in two recent attack cases. All of the victims were choked.

Search For Drowned Man In Main Concho

SAN ANGELO, Apr. 23. (AP)—Searching parties along the Main Concho sixteen miles East of here Friday morning are attempting to retrieve the body of a Mexican, Vidal Pinos, 24. He fell into the swollen stream late Thursday while taking drift wood from the water, the bank giving away with him and plunging him into the stream. His body sank from sight and never reappeared.

New Invader



Here's another European theatrical star who plans to hold the United States for ransom—at the box office. She is Miss Eugenia Breal, star of the Paris Royale, Paris, who is coming this way.

First as Solon



This is the first picture to be taken of Daniel F. Steck as United States senator from Iowa. It was made immediately after the senate ousted Smith W. Brookhart and seated Steck as result of a ballot recount.

Wiser Lawmakers Claimed Remedy For Trouble

TEXARKANA, Texas, April 23. (AP)—Present day laws and law enforcement can be improved and injustice remedied only by selecting wiser lawmakers, H. McKnight of Dallas, president of the Texas Bar association, today told the bar association of Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas.

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