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OKLAHOMA: Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy, warmer; Friday occasional rain.

EAST TEXAS: Thursday increasing cloudiness, warmer; Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, showers in north portion; moderate to fresh to southerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, probably rain in north portion.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

The Majestic, B. F. Keith Orpheum-Interstate vaudeville.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville; "Tumbleweeds."

The Strand, "The Girl From Montmartre."

The Mission, "Sally."

The Palace, "Romance of the Wastelands." Shaver's Dancing Dolls.

The Garden, "That Man Jack."

The Gem, "Triple Action."

Rotary club, noon, Kemp hotel.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.

Assistant Secretary Andrews defended in the new 3.75 per cent beer rule.

Premier Mussolini was attacked in senate debate on the Italian debt settlement.

The Mexican embassy formally denied reports of a land grant to a Japanese syndicate.

The senate agriculture committee approved a bill to regulate grain and cotton futures trading.

The house continued debate on proposed impeachment of Judge English without reaching a decision.

The tariff commission sugar report was made public; Commissioner Denis criticized the administration of the tariff law.

LUCKY DOG!



Mlle. Trude Brionne's pet poodle, "Fifi" surveys the expanse of epidermis which won the model first prize in a "perfect back" contest in Vienna, where beauty contests appear to be regular daily affairs.

"City's Big Duty Now Is Education of Farm Workers In Irrigation"

—Fred Weeks

He Must be Shown How To Irrigate," Is Attorney's View

Detailed reasons for the need of some system of instruction for farmers in the Wichita valley who must be schooled in the intricacies of irrigation were set forth Wednesday by Fred Weeks, local attorney, who is advocating establishment of an irrigation school at the Texas-Oklahoma fair grounds. Mr. Weeks first broached the subject last Friday at a meeting of the business council of the chamber of commerce, and since that time the valley development committee of that organization has reported favorably on such a movement. If present plans materialize, as it is believed they will, such a school will be featured at the exposition this fall.

Mr. Weeks points out that while it is essential to bring in farmers who know how to irrigate and who can use the irrigation facilities of the valley to advantage, there is still the more important problem of what to do with the farmer already here who is thoroughly in favor of irrigation, but who, denied the opportunity heretofore, has had no chance to farm under an irrigation ditch and accordingly knows little or nothing of the new agricultural power that has been placed in his hands. Full co-operation with such a man is a duty Wichita Falls can not now ignore, Mr. Weeks believes.

His comments on the matter were as follows:

The Irrigation School.

"Public opinion is of one accord that an adequate water supply for a city of 150,000 population and for irrigating 150,000 acres of land has been provided in the Wichita irrigation project, and further; that the water and soil are suitable for irrigation. The problem of the application of the water to the land is the only part of the project that remains unsolved. It is hard to estimate which is of the more importance, 'supply' or 'application.' It is certain that if the water is not properly and successfully applied, the project is a failure. The inquiry then is, what of our progress toward successful application?

"In furnishing the supply Wichita Falls and the rural districts adjacent, comprising Districts 1 and 2, voted

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SENATE SCORES ITALY'S RULER

Mussolini Object of Vicious Thrusts of American Congressmen

WASHINGTON, March 31—(AP) Vigorous attacks on Premier Mussolini marked senate debate today on the Italian debt settlement.

Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, declared the Italian premier threatened "the peace of the whole world" and that if this country assisted Italy in obtaining more loans the premier would make war on Germany and other European countries.

"He talks fight, he dreams fight, he thinks fight, he makes war," shouted the Mississippi senator.

"He is made for armaments. He wants to see Rome again sitting on its seven hills."

Senator Dill, democrat, Washington, also expressed the opinion that if the Italian premier were given more money "he probably will plunge Europe into another war."

Cancellation of debts also figured in the senate discussion, Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee declaring there was a campaign on in England for cancellation of the British debt to the United States.

Senator Copeland, democrat, New York, who with Senator Bingham, republican, Connecticut, spoke in favor of the Italian settlement, declared the United States would be "shamed" into concessions to the debtor nations within 25 years. He added that after this country had retired its own debt it would be asked to forgive the remainder of the foreign debts.

OIL MEN TO MEET.

Standardization Committee Will Confer in Colorado.

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)—Announcement of the semi-annual conference of the division of standardization of the American Petroleum Institute, to be held in Colorado Springs, June 15, 16 and 17, have been sent out by J. Edgar Pew of Dallas, chairman of the general A. P. I. committee.

High Court Holds Clay County Bonds Invalid

ARCHER CASE IS BASIS FOR NEW DECISION

District Issue Ruled Illegal And Collector Is Enjoined

$11,000 INVOLVED

Fort Worth Tribunal Bars Assessment For Paying Debts

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP) Basing its decision on the supreme court ruling in the Archer county case, the court of civil appeals, second district, Fort Worth, has declared $11,000 of Clay county road district bonds to be invalid and has enjoined collection of taxes in support of such bonds. The bonds have been issued and sold.

The Archer county decision, as well as the ruling of the Fort Worth court of civil appeals, is believed to have a bearing on validity of millions of dollars worth of special district road bonds in several states.

The Fort Worth decision is contrary to predictions of many lawyers who, in consequence the Archer county decision, expressed the belief that special road district bonds that had been issued and sold would not be effected by the supreme court ruling. However, other lawyers asserted that all such bonds are void.

In consequence of the Fort Worth ruling it would appear that all special road district bonds in Texas are invalid, worth in all approximately $30,000,000.

The Clay county case, styled H. S. Scaling versus J. P. Williams et al, originated under peculiar circumstances. An election was held on July 8, 1924, the opinion of Chief Justice Conner recites, to create Clay county road district number 7. Issuance of bonds in the value of $60,000 was authorized. A year

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Bill Bailey, Vet Hurler Near Death In Houston Hospital

HOUSTON, March 31.—(AP)—"Bill" Bailey, former member of the Houston Buffaloes and major league hurler, who is at a hospital here suffering from a ruptured artery was reported by attendants to be in a serious condition late today.

Bailey will undergo a blood transfusion tomorrow. Frank Goff, catcher for the Buffaloes whose blood proved satisfactory for the operation has volunteered his services.

REQUIRE PASSPORTS.

Amplification of Regulations Received at Border Points.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Amplifying a previous announcement that immigration regulations now require identification cards before persons may cross the Mexican border here, C. J. Redonda, chief of the immigration service in Matamoras, said today that photographs of the applicant also would be required. The regulations are from the federal government of Mexico, and are understood to be general. They become effective April 1. All persons are given until April 25 to properly equip themselves with cards.

TRAIN LIBERATED

After Night Spent In Snow Banks, Passengers Are Rescued.

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 31.—(AP)—Two of three passenger trains marooned in snow banks in Oklahoma were still awaiting deliverance tonight. One Rock Island train near Enid was liberated and efforts were about completed to bring another on the same line out of a snow-filled cut.

Both trains were tied up late yesterday and the travelers spent the night wedged in the snow.

Near Foraker, slow progress was being made toward a Midland Valley passenger train with 35 occupants.

CHAPMAN NOOSE YAWNS

Governor Refuses "Even One Hour" Respite For Slayer.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 31.—(AP)—Governor John H. Trumbull refused today to interfere with the execution of Gerald Chapman, mail robber who goes to the gallows next Monday night for the murder of a New Britain policeman. Appealed to in person by Frederick J. Groehl, Chapman's senior counsel to grant a reprieve of at least one week, the governor replied:

"No, not for an hour."

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

TEXARKANA, March 31.—Virgil Stevens on trial for murder at Boston, near here, in connection with the shooting of Tom Powell, broker, in Texarkana March 6, pleaded not guilty Wednesday. More than 50 witnesses have been summoned in the case. Testimony will get under way Thursday in case the jury is completed.

Badman Escapes And Takes Still Stored in Prison

Jail Was Heavy, so Desperado Left it For Garden City Sheriff

GARDEN CITY, Texas, March 31.—(AP)—The sheriff of Glasscock county had one or more daring burglars in jail here last night without his knowledge or consent.

He learned of the visitation by the absence of four bars from a window and a large still from the interior.

The latter had been taken in a recent raid and placed in the jail for safe keeping.

VERNON STORE ROBBED OF $270

Knob-Knockers Loot Safe Of Piggly-Wiggly At Twilight

VERNON, March 31.—Safe breakers in a twilight robbery here between 7 and 8 o'clock Wednesday night knocked the knobs from a safe in the Piggly Wiggly store and escaped with $270 in cash. Checks totaling approximately $1,000 were taken from the safe and scattered over the floor of the store.

Entrance to the store was obtained by knocking a panel from the back door. A wet gunny sack was held against the door to deaden the noise of the pounding. Once inside the sledge hammer was put into use again to pound the knobs off the safe, iron rods then being used to pry open the doors of the compartments. Both sledge hammer and iron rods were found by officers inside the store.

The loss was discovered at 8 o'clock by F. P. Cossee, manager, who returned to do some work. He had locked the store up shortly before 7 o'clock, he stated.

Members of the sheriff's and police department were immediately put out with instructions to pick up every man in the city regarding whom there might be any suspicion. A finger print expert, O. T. Vinson, of Wichita Falls, was sent for immediately, and all nearby points warned to be on the look-out for suspects.

ALIENS DEPORTED

Group of Smuggled Spaniards To Be Returned Home.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Eighteen Spaniards, the largest number of European aliens ever apprehended in a body on the Texas-Mexican border, will be deported either through the port of Houston or Galveston within the next few weeks, it was announced here today by immigration inspectors.

They said they started with a guide, whom they knew as Don Carlos, from Tampico and after a rough journey came to the border. After crossing the Rio Grande, according to their stories, they were robbed of about $1,000, all of their money, except for about $100 which the robbers overlooked. They wandered through the brush seeking succor when immigration men took them into custody.

INSURANCE UPHELD

Three-Fourths Clause in Policies Is Ruled Valid.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 31.—(AP) The Texas supreme court today upheld the validity of the three-fourths value clause in a fire insurance policy in the case of the Milwaukee Mechanics Insurance company against the West Development company of West, Texa., from McLennan county. Suit was over as $4,000 policy on a building destroyed by fire. The supreme court reformed the judgment of the lower courts, reducing the award to $3,778.

WORK TO BORDER.

Cabinet Member Will Visit Brownsville in Near Future.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Secretary of the interior, Hubert M. Work, and Dr. Elwood Mead, United States commissioner of reclamation, have made tentative plans to visit Brownsville and other lower Rio Grande valley points, April 20-24, according to advices from Senator Morris Sheppard. The trip would be in connection with reclamation and water conservaion work along the Rio Grande, it is understood.

HOPPE LEADS SCHAEFER.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Remarkable play by the champion, Willie Hoppe, gave him the lead tonight over Jake Schaefer, 1,800 to 1,176 at the end of the sixth block in their 3,600-point match for the 18.1 balk line billiard title.

SHIP IN DISTRESS

BOSTON, March 31.—(AP)—The British tanker Shirvan was attempting to rescue the crew of the British freighter Laleham sinking 400 miles southeast of Halifax, the coast guard cutter Tampa reported by radio to the navy yard here tonight.

NET TIGHTENS AROUND DARING BANK ROBBERS

San Antonio Police Gather Evidence Against Men In Jail

IDENTIFY COUPLE

Swift Punishment in Store For Bandits, Prosecutor Says

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—(AP)—A blacksmith who declared he shortened two pump guns for one of the suspects held in connection with the robbery of the San Antonio National bank of $19,138 yesterday was found by officers from the sheriff's office today. Taken to the sheriff's office the man positively identified one of the men taken in custody last night as one of the men who brought the barrels of two pump shot guns to his shop.

The barrels were new and the men marked where they wanted them sawed, the blacksmith said. He first cut the barrels with a saw and as the cut was made at an angle he filed them true, the man said.

Identify One.

"I sow one of the men held at police station and am positive he is one of the men who brought the barrels to my shop," the blacksmith said. "I would know the other if I saw him. I would also recognize the guns by my work. I did not notice the guage of the barrels."

The man identified by the blacksmith was one of the first taken in custody and was recently pardoned from the penitentiary where he was serving a term for assault to murder. This man has refused to talk since taken into custody other than to deny that he had anything to do with the robbery.

In the questioning, officers have sought to learn where this suspect was when the robbery occurred, but he has refused to attempt an alibi.

This man has also been identified by Frank Newton, former county clerk, as the one he saw placing money into a grip in the cashier's cage.

Brothers In Jail.

Two brothers, who are also held in connection with the robbery have been partially identified by bank employes, J. F. William, an employe of a furniture company, partially identified one of the brothers as one of the men he saw leaving the rear of the bank just after the robbery.

A squad of officers armed with a search warrant searched the home of the two brothers and in addition to the brief case found four new $20 bills. They were told at the house there was no money there, the officers said.

In addition to the two brothers and the former convict, officers are holding a younger man, who they believe to have been active in the robbery. This man has not been identified and has maintained stony silence since his detention. He is declared to be very nervous and is being kept apart from the other suspects.

Women Questioned.

Two women have been taken in custody but it was declared nothing had been learned from them. One is the wife of one of the two brothers.

District Attorney Chambers was watching the case closely but took no steps toward indictments today. He declared he would go before the grand jury as soon as he has enough evidence to ask an early indictment and had already arranged with Special Judge O. M. Fitzhugh of the 37th district court for an early setting of the cases.

"I will move as soon as I am sure we have a case," Chambers said, "and then we will move fast. If we have the guilty parties the quicker they are disposed of the better."

BATTLE FOR PEKING

LONDON, March 31.—(AP)—A severe battle for the possession of Peking is raging, says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from the Chinese capital.

The fighting is taking place 16 miles distant and the booming of the guns is plainly audible in Peking.

Air Advertising Commenced By Town on Border

Laredo Dispatchs Two Planes on Nationwide Cruise

LAREDO, March 31.—(AP)—Before a large crowd of citizens, two attractively decorated airplanes operated by a Laredo advertising concern hopped off late Wednesday afternoon for San Antonio on the first lap of the first aerial nation-wide advertising campaign ever attempted by any city.

The ships will visit 15 states, covering 12,000 miles. Stops at principal cities of the country will be made and exhibition flights performed.

The planes will distribute literature advertising the Laredo section of Texas to prospective home-seekers.

FISH HATCHERY SITE PROPOSED

Engineers to Come Here To Make a Needed Inspection

AUSTIN, March 31.—Engineers of the state game and fish department will be sent to Wichita county to inspect a proposed location for a state fish hatchery, State Senator J. D. Parnell, of Wichita Falls was assured Wednesday.

A proposed site, at the corner of Wichita, Baylor, Archer and Wilbarger counties has been tendered the state and Senator Parnell predicted the hatchery will be located there after inspection.

ROADS CONTRACTED

Highway Commission Accepts Bids For 14 Miles of Surface.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Contract for construction of 14 miles of hard surfaced roadway on highway 72, in Lavaca county was awarded today by the highway commission to Smith Boyett company of Bryan, at $270,124.

This federal aid project provides for the laying of a double bituminous surface treatment on an eight-inch rock base.

Bids were rejected on a state aid project, calling for hard surfacing of 11 miles on highway 72 in Lavaca county.

BURY GAS VICTIM

Old Washington Postmaster Charged With Murder.

BRENHAM, March 31.—(AP)—Gus F. Stolz, the 18-year-old boy who died from wounds received in a shooting affray at Old Washington, was buried here today. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Louise Stolz, three brothers and three sisters.

Lada Urban, postmaster at Old Washington, is held in the county jail charged with murder, following the death of Stolz. At the examining trial he was denied bail. The case is now being investigated by the grand jury, which was reconvened for that purpose.

FLYING GRANDMA

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP) Fort Worth today caught a glimpse of what Texas' flying grandmother, Mrs. B. M. Halbert of San Angelo, and the granddaughter, Betty Jo Bloosworth of Decatur, Ill., to whose bedside Mrs. Halbert rushed by airplan a month ago.

"I still want that airplane I wished for when I heard Betty Jo was near death," Mrs. Halbert said. "But Betty Jo says I may do all her flying for a while."

EDWIN YOUNG DIES.

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)—Edwin H. Young 57, widely known Dallas cotton seed dealer and one of the organizers of the Texas cotton seed crushers association, died Wednesday in a Dallas hospital. He moved to Dallas from Galveston in 1912.

RICH MOTHER LODE SOUGHT BY SCHEMERS

Lust For Riches Inspires Thousands to Stake Locations

MANY DISAPPOINTED

Hundreds Rush to New 'Yukon' In Airplane And Train

KRAMER, Cal., March 31.—(AP)—Claim-jumpers with scores of arguments over locations and threats of innumerable law suits, have made their appearance in the Kramer gold field where the Herkelrath brothers discovered the yellow metal only a few weeks ago.

This barren section of the Mojave desert without water, food or gasoline has attracted such a horde of indiscriminate prospectors that old timers in the mining game and veteran engineers shake their heads dubiously as the jumble of location notices piles in the county recorder's office at San Bernardino.

$1,000 Per Ton.

One tract of land adjoining the original discovery shaft of Ed and John Herkelrath 300 acres in extent which has been thoroughly staked from end to end is found to be owned by Mrs. Steven S. Kelly of San Bernardino. The land was purchased from the state many years ago and its owner declares she has full legal right to all mineral found upon it. This contention, if upheld will dampen the ardor of a number of prospectors who "located" it in the belief that they had valuable claims cheek-by-jowl with the Herkelrath shaft which is turning out $1,000 worth of gold to the ton.

A conservative engineering estimate of the Kramer field places the area already staked soldily as about five miles long by three miles wide, with additional claims outside this tract being added daily.

Kramer itself, about seven miles from the territory which is believed to be rich in gold is nothing but a railroad siding. However, it now has one "prominent" structure, a long, one story wooden building, put up by a Long Beach syndicate which is proving up on a group of claims.

Charter Airplanes.

So eager are prospective gold seekers to reach the new strike that they are chartering airplanes to reach the scene. Several airplanes have taken off for the gold fields from Los Angeles, San Francisco and other coast cities. Flyers are selecting landing fields as close to the strike as possible.

Scenes of the Klondike gold strike in the nineties are being re-enacted with the same glamour, the same romance and the same dazzling, joyous and thrilling experiences.

Walking's Fine, Mayor Asserts

Thieves who wanted an automobile went to headquarters for it Wednesday night.

Mayor R. E. Shepherd parked his Chrysler sedan in front of the First Christian church at Tenth and Travis while he attended services in progress there. When he came out to go home no car was anywhere to be found A thorough search of the vicinity failed to reveal a trace of it and the mayor accordingly beat a hot trail to the city hall to tell the cops about it.

At a late hour it had not been found.

TO BUILD DORMITORY.

Lutheran College Building Contract Is Awarded.

WACO, March 31.—(AP)—Contracts for Kilian Hall, the first dormitory of the Lutheran Concordia college of Texas, were let today when the board of control met at Austin, it was learned here Wednesday. The building will cost $80,000. It is named after Rev. John Kilian, pioneer Lutheran pastor of the Missouri synod in the Lone Star state. The first president of the Lutheran ministrial school is to be chosen from a list of 11 candidates on April 28.

SET $10,000 BOND.

GEORGETOWN, March 31.—(AP)—In habeas corpus proceedings here Wednesday, the bond of Steve Machac of Granger was set at $10,000 to await the action of the grand jury. Machac is held in connection with the death of his stepson, Louis Machac, who came to his death by gun shot wounds at the family home on March 3.

Leader of $1,000,000 Theft Gang Billed On 12 Counts

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP) The mills of the law whirred busily today grinding out indictments against the Richard Reese Whittemore band of jewel robbers whose depredations have totalled nearly $1,000,000 and have cost several lives. In all, 12 indictments were returned during the day.

Indictments also were returned against two alleged "fences" in Brooklyn after Florence Carter (as she was called to hide her true identity), had been closeted with the King county grand jury. The names of the indicted "fences" were not made public, but it was said they were prominent jewelers believed to have disposed of the loot of several of the Whittemore robberies. Warrants were issued for their arrest, and it was hoped through them to recover some of the valuables.

Mrs. Carter, a red-headed former cigarette girl in a night club, who lived with Anthony Paladino until the arrest of the gang, said the two often used to visit the apartment where she lived, as did other members of the Whittemore band, but she knew nothing of the robberies until after the arrests. She thought Paladino a "successful gambler" and the others gamblers and diamond merchants.

In Manhattan, the grand jury brought superseding indictments against Whittemore and Leon and Jacob Kraemer, charging robbery in the first degree as second offenders. William "Unkelbach and "Shuffles" Goldberg received additional indictments and a new indictment was handed down against an unnamed member of the gang not yet under arrest.

Fairy Godfather Reforms, Becomes Prince Charming

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Edward W. Browning, elderly and wealthy real estate operator has again assumed a role in a Cinderella tale. This time, however, he is playing the part of the prince, following his disastrous attempt to be fairy God-father to Mary Louise Spas last year.

His secretary today confirmed reports that his engagement to Frances Heenan, formerly of Columbus, Ohio, 15-year-old daughter of a trained nurse, will be announced this coming June when the new Cinderella reaches her sixteenth birthday.

Frances is suffering from burns on her face, the work, according to Mr. Browning of "some fiend" who entered her bedroom while she slept and threw acid on her. Eight detectives are searching for the malefactor, and four nurses are attending the girl.

Frances had not accepted any gifts other than floers and candy from her admirer, the mother said. The extensive wardrobe, automobile, jewels and other presents Browning gave Mary Louise Spas during the brief period of her adoption before it was discovered she wasn't the sixteen she claimed, but a mature 21, have had no part in his latest romance.

Frances, her mother said, is not attending school at present. She is "too busy socially." They came here from Columbus, Ohio, four years ago, Mrs. Heenan said. She is separated from her husband, an automobile salesman, who, she believes, is now working at Hempstead, Long Island.

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WISEMAN, Alaska, March 31.—(AP)—A big airplane which was understood to carry Captain George Hubert Wilkins and Lieutenant Carl Benjamin Eielson from Fairbanks, Alaska, to Point Barrow, Alaska, passed here this morning. It was straight on a course from Fairbanks to Barrow.

THE WEATHER

Local weather conditions for the past 24-hour period reported by the Wichita Falls Electric company bureau: Maximum temperature 53 degrees; minimum temperature 27; at 5 p. m. Wednesday 52; precipitation .05; southeast breeze; partly cloudy; average wind velocity 8 miles per hour; maximum wind velocity 13 miles per hour; barometer 29.04.

OKLAHOMA: Thursday partly cloudy to cloudy, warmer; Friday occasional rain.

EAST TEXAS: Thursday increasing cloudiness, warmer; Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, showers in north portion; moderate to fresh to southerly winds on the coast.

WEST TEXAS: Thursday and Friday partly cloudy to cloudy, probably rain in north portion.

THE DAY IN WICHITA FALLS.

The Majestic, B. F. Keith Orpheum-Interstate vaudeville.

The Olympic, Bert Levey vaudeville; "Tumbleweeds."

The Strand, "The Girl From Montmartre."

The Mission, "Sally."

The Palace, "Romance of the Wastelands." Shaver's Dancing Dolls.

The Garden, "That Man Jack."

The Gem, "Triple Action."

Rotary club, noon, Kemp hotel.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.

Assistant Secretary Andrews defended the new 3.75 per cent beer law.

Premier Mussolini was attacked in senate debate on the Italian debt settlement.

The Mexican embassy formally denied reports of a land grant to a Japanese syndicate.

The senate agriculture committee approved a bill to regulate grain and cotton futures trading.

The house continued debate on proposed impeachment of Judge English without reaching a decision.

The tariff commission sugar report was made public; Commissioner Denis criticized the administration of the tariff law.

LUCKY DOG!



Mlle. Trude Brionne's pet poodle, "Fifi" surveys the expanse of epidermis which won the model first prize in a "perfect back" contest in Vienna, where beauty contests appear to be regular daily affairs.

"City's Big Duty Now Is Education of Farm Workers In Irrigation"

—Fred Weeks

He Must be Shown How To Irrigate," Is Attorney's View

Detailed reasons for the need of some system of instruction for farmers in the Wichita valley who must be schooled in the intricacies of irrigation were set forth Wednesday by Fred Weeks, local attorney, who is advocating establishment of an irrigation school at the Texas-Oklahoma fair grounds. Mr. Weeks first broached the subject last Friday at a meeting of the business council of the chamber of commerce, and since that time the valley development committee of that organization has reported favorably on such a movement. If present plans materialize, as it is believed they will, such a school will be featured at the exposition this fall.

Mr. Weeks points out that while it is essential to bring in farmers who know how to irrigate and who can use the irrigation facilities of the valley to advantage, there is still the more important problem of what to do with the farmer already here who is thoroughly in favor of irrigation, but who, denied the opportunity heretofore, has had no chance to farm under an irrigation ditch and accordingly knows little or nothing of the new agricultural power that has been placed in his hands. Full co-operation with such a man is a duty Wichita Falls can not now ignore, Mr. Weeks believes.

His comments on the matter were as follows:

The Irrigation School.

"Public opinion is of one accord that an adequate water supply for a city of 150,000 population and for irrigating 150,000 acres of land has been provided in the Wichita irrigation project, and further, that the water and soil are suitable for irrigation. The problem of the application of the water to the land is the only part of the project that remains unsolved. It is hard to estimate which is of the more importance, 'supply' or 'application.' It is certain that if the water is not properly and successfully applied, the project is a failure. The inquiry then is, what of our progress toward successful application?

"In furnishing the supply Wichita Falls and the rural districts adjacent, comprising Districts 1 and 2, voted

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SENATE SCORES ITALY'S RULER

Mussolini Object of Vicious Thrusts of American Congressmen

WASHINGTON, March 31—(AP) Vigorous attacks on Premier Mussolini marked senate debate today on the Italian debt settlement.

Senator Harrison, democrat, Mississippi, declared the Italian premier threatened "the peace of the whole world" and that if this country assisted Italy in obtaining more loans the premier would make war on Germany and other European countries.

"He talks fight, he dreams fight, he thinks fight, he makes war," shouted the Mississippi senator.

"He is made for armaments. He wants to see Rome again sitting on its seven hills."

Senator Dill, democrat, Washington, also expressed the opinion that if the Italian premier were given more money "he probably will plunge Europe into another war."

Cancellation of debts also figured in the senate discussion, Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee declaring there was a campaign on in England for cancellation of the British debt to the United States.

Senator Copeland, democrat, New York, who with Senator Bingham, republican, Connecticut, spoke in favor of the Italian settlement, declared the United States would be "shamed" into concessions to the debtor nations within 25 years. He added that after this country had retired its own debt it would be asked to forgive the remainder of the foreign debts.

OIL MEN TO MEET.

Standardization Committee Will Confer in Colorado.

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)—Announcement of the semi-annual conference of the division of standardization of the American Petroleum Institute, to be held in Colorado Springs, June 15, 16 and 17, have been sent out by J. Edgar Pew of Dallas, chairman of the general A. P. I. committee.

Leader of $1,000,000 Theft Gang Billed On 12 Counts

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP) The mills of the law whirred busily today grinding out indictments against the Richard Reese Whittemore band of jewel robbers whose depredations have totalled nearly $1,000,000 and have cost several lives. In all, 12 indictments were returned during the day.

Indictments also were returned against two alleged "fences" in Brooklyn after Florence Carter (as she was called to hide her true identity), had been closeted with the King county grand jury. The names of the indicted "fences" were not made public, but it was said they were prominent jewelers believed to have disposed of the loot of several of the Whittemore robberies. Warrants were issued for their arrest, and it was hoped through them to recover some of the valuables.

Mrs. Carter, a red-headed former cigarette girl in a night club, who lived with Anthony Paladino until the arrest of the gang, said the two often used to visit the apartment where she lived, as did other members of the Whittemore band, but she knew nothing of the robberies until after the arrests. She thought Paladino a "successful gambler" and the others gamblers and diamond merchants.

In Manhattan, the grand jury brought superseding indictments against Whittemore and Leon and Jacob Kraemer, charging robbery in the first degree as second offenders. William "Unkelbach and "Shuffles" Goldberg received additional indictments and a new indictment was handed down against an unnamed member of the gang not yet under arrest.

High Court Holds Clay County Bonds Invalid

ARCHER CASE IS BASIS FOR NEW DECISION

District Issue Ruled Illegal And Collector Is Enjoined

$11,000 INVOLVED

Fort Worth Tribunal Bars Assessment For Paying Debts

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP) Basing its decision on the supreme court ruling in the Archer county case, the court of civil appeals, second district, Fort Worth, has declared $11,000 of Clay county road district bonds to be invalid and has enjoined collection of taxes in support of such bonds. The bonds have been issued and sold.

The Archer county decision, as well as the ruling of the Fort Worth court of civil appeals, is believed to have a bearing on validity of millions of dollars worth of special district road bonds in several states.

The Fort Worth decision is contrary to predictions of many lawyers who, in consequence the Archer county decision, expressed the belief that special road district bonds that had been issued and sold would not be effected by the supreme court ruling. However, other lawyers asserted that all such bonds are void.

In consequence of the Fort Worth ruling it would appear that all special road district bonds in Texas are invalid, worth in all approximately $30,000,000.

The Clay county case, styled H. S. Scaling versus J. P. Williams et al, originated under peculiar circumstances. An election was held on July 8, 1924, the opinion of Chief Justice Conner recites, to create Clay county road district number 7. Issuance of bonds in the value of $60,000 was authorized. A year

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Bill Bailey, Vet Hurler Near Death In Houston Hospital

HOUSTON, March 31.—(AP)—"Bill" Bailey, former member of the Houston Buffaloes and major league hurler, who is at a hospital here suffering from a ruptured artery was reported by attendants to be in a serious condition late today.

Bailey will undergo a blood transfusion tomorrow. Frank Goff, catcher for the Buffaloes whose blood proved satisfactory for the operation has volunteered his services.

REQUIRE PASSPORTS.

Amplification of Regulations Received at Border Points.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Amplifying a previous announcement that immigration regulations now require identification cards before persons may cross the Mexican border here, C. J. Redonda, chief of the immigration service in Matamoras, said today that photographs of the applicant also would be required. The regulations are from the federal government of Mexico, and are understood to be general. They become effective April 1. All persons are given until April 25 to properly equip themselves with cards.

TRAIN LIBERATED

After Night Spent In Snow Banks, Passengers Are Rescued.

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 31.—(AP)—Two of three passenger trains marooned in snow banks in Oklahoma were still awaiting deliverance tonight. One Rock Island train near Enid was liberated and efforts were about completed to bring another on the same line out of a snow-filled cut.

Both trains were tied up late yesterday and the travelers spent the night wedged in the snow.

Near Foraker, slow progress was being made toward a Midland Valley passenger train with 35 occupants.

CHAPMAN NOOSE YAWNS

Governor Refuses "Even One Hour" Respite For Slayer.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 31.—(AP)—Governor John H. Trumbull refused today to interfere with the execution of Gerald Chapman, mail robber who goes to the gallows next Monday night for the murder of a New Britain policeman. Appealed to in person by Frederick J. Groehl, Chapman's senior counsel to grant a reprieve of at least one week, the governor replied:

"No, not for an hour."

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

TEXARKANA, March 31.—Virgil Stevens on trial for murder at Boston, near here, in connection with the shooting of Tom Powell, broker, in Texarkana March 6, pleaded not guilty Wednesday. More than 50 witnesses have been summoned in the case. Testimony will get under way Thursday in case the jury is completed.

Badman Escapes And Takes Still Stored in Prison

Jail Was Heavy, so Desperado Left it For Garden City Sheriff

GARDEN CITY, Texas, March 31.—(AP)—The sheriff of Glasscock county had one or more daring burglars in jail here last night without his knowledge or consent.

He learned of the visitation by the absence of four bars from a window and a large still from the interior.

The latter had been taken in a recent raid and placed in the jail for safe keeping.

VERNON STORE ROBBED OF $270

Knob-Knockers Loot Safe Of Piggly-Wiggly At Twilight

VERNON, March 31.—Safe breakers in a twilight robbery here between 7 and 8 o'clock Wednesday night knocked the knobs from a safe in the Piggly Wiggly store and escaped with $270 in cash. Checks totaling approximately $1,000 were taken from the safe and scattered over the floor of the store.

Entrance to the store was obtained by knocking a panel from the back door. A wet gunny sack was held against the door to deaden the noise of the pounding. Once inside the sledge hammer was put into use again to pound the knobs off the safe, iron rods then being used to pry open the doors of the compartments. Both sledge hammer and iron rods were found by officers inside the store.

The loss was discovered at 8 o'clock by F. P. Dossee, manager, who returned to do some work. He had locked the store up shortly before 7 o'clock, he stated.

Members of the sheriff's and police department were immediately put out with instructions to pick up every man in the city regarding whom there might be any suspicion. A finger print expert, O. T. Vinson, of Wichita Falls, was sent for immediately, and all nearby points warned to be on the look-out for suspects.

ALIENS DEPORTED

Group of Smuggled Spaniards To Be Returned Home.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Eighteen Spaniards, the largest number of European aliens ever apprehended in a body on the Texas-Mexican border, will be deported either through the port of Houston or Galveston within the next few weeks, it was announced here today by immigration inspectors.

They said they started with a guide, whom they knew as Don Carlos, from Tampico and after a rough journey came to the border. After crossing the Rio Grande, according to their stories, they were robbed of about $1,000, all of their money, except for about $100 which the robbers overlooked. They wandered through the brush seeking succor when immigration men took them into custody.

INSURANCE UPHELD

Three-Fourths Clause in Policies Is Ruled Valid.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 31.—(AP) The Texas supreme court today upheld the validity of the three-fourths value clause in a fire insurance policy in the case of the Milwaukee Mechanics Insurance company against the West Development company of West, Texa., from McLennan county. Suit was over as $4,000 policy on a building destroyed by fire. The supreme court reformed the judgment of the lower courts, reducing the award to $3,778.

WORK TO BORDER.

Cabinet Member Will Visit Brownsville in Near Future.

BROWNSVILLE, March 31.—(AP)—Secretary of the interior, Hubert M. Work, and Dr. Elwood Mead, United States commissioner of reclamation, have made tentative plans to visit Brownsville and other lower Rio Grande valley points, April 20-24, according to advices from Senator Morris Sheppard. The trip would be in connection with reclamation and water conservaion work along the Rio Grande, it is understood.

HOPPE LEADS SCHAEFER.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Remarkable play by the champion, Willie Hoppe, gave him the lead tonight over Jake Schaefer, 1,800 to 1,176 at the end of the sixth block in their 3,600-point match for the 18.1 balk line billiard title.

SHIP IN DISTRESS

BOSTON, March 31.—(AP)—The British tanker Shirvan was attempting to rescue the crew of the British freighter Laleham sinking 400 miles southeast of Halifax, the coast guard cutter Tampa reported by radio to the navy yard here tonight.

NET TIGHTENS AROUND DARING BANK ROBBERS

San Antonio Police Gather Evidence Against Men In Jail

IDENTIFY COUPLE

Swift Punishment in Store For Bandits, Prosecutor Says

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—(AP)—A blacksmith who declared he shortened two pump guns for one of the suspects held in connection with the robbery of the San Antonio National bank of $19,138 yesterday was found by officers from the sheriff's office today. Taken to the sheriff's office the man positively identified one of the men taken in custody last night as one of the men who brought the barrels of two pump shot guns to his shop.

The barrels were new and the men marked where they wanted them sawed, the blacksmith said. He first cut the barrels with a saw and as the cut was made at an angle he filed them true, the man said.

Identify One.

"I sow one of the men held at police station and am positive he is one of the men who brought the barrels to my shop," the blacksmith said. "I would know the other if I saw him. I would also recognize the guns by my work. I did not notice the guage of the barrels."

The man identified by the blacksmith was one of the first taken in custody and was recently pardoned from the penitentiary where he was serving a term for assault to murder. This man has refused to talk since taken into custody other than to deny that he had anything to do with the robbery.

In the questioning, officers have sought to learn where this suspect was when the robbery occurred, but he has refused to attempt an alibi.

This man has also been identified by Frank Newton, former county clerk, as the one he saw placing money into a grip in the cashier's cage.

Brothers In Jail.

Two brothers, who are also held in connection with the robbery have been partially identified by bank employes, J. F. William, an employe of a furniture company, partially identified one of the brothers as one of the men he saw leaving the rear of the bank just after the robbery.

A squad of officers armed with a search warrant searched the home of the two brothers and in addition to the brief case found four new $20 bills. They were told at the house there was no money there, the officers said.

In addition to the two brothers and the former convict, officers are holding a younger man, who they believe to have been active in the robbery. This man has not been identified and has maintained stony silence since his detention. He is declared to be very nervous and is being kept apart from the other suspects.

Women Questioned.

Two women have been taken in custody but it was declared nothing had been learned from them. One is the wife of one of the two brothers.

District Attorney Chambers was watching the case closely but took no steps toward indictments today. He declared he would go before the grand jury as soon as he has enough evidence to ask an early indictment and had already arranged with Special Judge O. M. Fitzhugh of the 37th district court for an early setting of the cases.

"I will move as soon as I am sure we have a case," Chambers said, "and then we will move fast. If we have the guilty parties the quicker they are disposed of the better."

BATTLE FOR PEKING

LONDON, March 31.—(AP)—A severe battle for the possession of Peking is raging, says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from the Chinese capital.

The fighting is taking place 16 miles distant and the booming of the guns is plainly audible in Peking.

Air Advertising Commenced By Town on Border

Laredo Dispatchs Two Planes on Nationwide Cruise

LAREDO, March 31.—(AP)—Before a large crowd of citizens, two attractively decorated airplanes operated by a Laredo advertising concern hopped off late Wednesday afternoon for San Antonio on the first lap of the first aerial nation-wide advertising campaign ever attempted by any city.

The ships will visit 15 states, covering 12,000 miles. Stops at principal cities of the country will be made and exhibition flights performed.

The planes will distribute literature advertising the Laredo section of Texas to prospective home-seekers.

FISH HATCHERY SITE PROPOSED

Engineers to Come Here To Make a Needed Inspection

AUSTIN, March 31.—Engineers of the state game and fish department will be sent to Wichita county to inspect a proposed location for a state fish hatchery, State Senator J. D. Parnell, of Wichita Falls was assured Wednesday.

A proposed site, at the corner of Wichita, Baylor, Archer and Wilbarger counties has been tendered the state and Senator Parnell predicted the hatchery will be located there after inspection.

ROADS CONTRACTED

Highway Commission Accepts Bids For 14 Miles of Surface.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Contract for construction of 14 miles of hard surfaced roadway on highway 72, in Lavaca county was awarded today by the highway commission to Smith Boyett company of Bryan, at $270,124.

This federal aid project provides for the laying of a double bituminous surface treatment on an eight-inch rock base.

Bids were rejected on a state aid project, calling for hard surfacing of 11 miles on highway 72 in Lavaca county.

BURY GAS VICTIM

Old Washington Postmaster Charged With Murder.

BRENHAM, March 31.—(AP)—Gus F. Stolz, the 18-year-old boy who died from wounds received in a shooting affray at Old Washington, was buried here today. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Louise Stolz, three brothers and three sisters.

Lada Urban, postmaster at Old Washington, is held in the county jail charged with murder, following the death of Stolz. At the examining trial he was denied bail. The case is now being investigated by the grand jury, which was reconvened for that purpose.

FLYING GRANDMA

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP) Fort Worth today caught a glimpse of what Texas' flying grandmother, Mrs. B. M. Halbert of San Angelo, and the granddaughter, Betty Jo Blooworth of Decatur, Ill., to whose bedside Mrs. Halbert rushed by airplan a month ago.

"I still want that airplane I wished for when I heard Betty Jo was near death," Mrs. Halbert said. "But Betty Jo says I may do all her flying for a while."

EDWIN YOUNG DIES.

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)—Edwin H. Young 57, widely known Dallas cotton seed dealer and one of the organizers of the Texas cotton seed crushers association, died Wednesday in a Dallas hospital. He moved to Dallas from Galveston in 1912.

RICH MOTHER LODE SOUGHT BY SCHEMERS

Lust For Riches Inspires Thousands to Stake Locations

MANY DISAPPOINTED

Hundreds Rush to New 'Yukon' In Airplane And Train

KRAMER, Cal., March 31.—(AP)—Claim-jumpers with scores of arguments over locations and threats of innumerable law suits, have made their appearance in the Kramer gold field where the Herkelrath brothers discovered the yellow metal only a few weeks ago.

This barren section of the Mojave desert without water, food or gasoline has attracted such a horde of indiscriminate prospectors that old timers in the mining game and veteran engineers shake their heads dubiously as the jumble of location notices piles in the county recorder's office at San Bernardino.

$1,000 Per Ton.

One tract of land adjoining the original discovery shaft of Ed and John Herkelrath 360 acres in extent which has been thoroughly staked from end to end is found to be owned by Mrs. Steven S. Kelly of San Bernardino. The land was purchased from the state many years ago and its owner declares she has full legal right to all mineral found upon it. This contention, if upheld will dampen the ardor of a number of prospectors who "located" it in the belief that they had valuable claims check-by-jowl with the Herkelrath shaft which is turning out $1,000 worth of gold to the ton.

A conservative engineering estimate of the Kramer field places the area already staked soldily as about five miles long by three miles wide, with additional claims outside this tract being added daily.

Kramer itself, about seven miles from the territory which is believed to be rich in gold is nothing but a railroad siding. However, it now has one "prominent" structure, a long, one story wooden building, put up by a Long Beach syndicate which is proving up on a group of claims.

Charter Airplanes.

So eager are prospective gold seekers to reach the new strike that they are chartering airplanes to reach the scene. Several airplanes have taken off for the gold fields from Los Angeles, San Francisco and other coast cities. Flyers are selecting landing fields as close to the strike as possible.

Scenes of the Klondike gold strike in the nineties are being re-enacted with the same glamour, the same romance and the same dazzling, joyous and thrilling experiences.

Walking's Fine, Mayor Asserts

Thieves who wanted an automobile went to headquarters for it Wednesday night.

Mayor R. E. Shepherd parked his Chrysler sedan in front of the First Christian church at Tenth and Travis while he attended services in progress there. When he came out to go home no car was anywhere to be found. A thorough search of the vicinity failed to reveal a trace of it and the mayor accordingly beat a hot trail to the city hall to tell the cops about it.

At a late hour it had not been found.

TO BUILD DORMITORY.

Lutheran College Building Contract Is Awarded.

WACO, March 31.—(AP)—Contracts for Kilian Hall, the first dormitory of the Lutheran Concordia college of Texas, were let today when the board of control met at Austin, it was learned here Wednesday. The building will cost $80,000. It is named after Rev. John Kilian, pioneer Lutheran pastor of the Missouri synod in the Lone Star state. The first president of the Lutheran ministrial school is to be chosen from a list of 11 candidates on April 28.

SET $10,000 BOND.

GEORGETOWN, March 31.—(AP)—In habeas corpus proceedings here Wednesday, the bond of Steve Machac of Granger was set at $10,000 to await the action of the grand jury. Machac is held in connection with the death of his stepson, Louis Machac, who came to his death by gun shot wounds at the family home on March 3.

Fairy Godfather Reforms, Becomes Prince Charming

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Edward W. Browning, elderly and wealthy real estate operator has again assumed a role in a Cinderella tale. This time, however, he is playing the part of the prince, following his disastrous attempt to be fairy God-father to Mary Louise Spas last year.

His secretary today confirmed reports that his engagement to Frances Heenan, formerly of Columbus, Ohio, 15-year-old daughter of a trained nurse, will be announced this coming June when the new Cinderella reaches her sixteenth birthday.

Frances is suffering from burns on her face, the work, according to Mr. Browning of "some fiend" who entered her bedroom while she slept and threw acid on her. Eight detectives are searching for the malefactor, and four nurses are attending the girl.

Frances had not accepted any gifts other than floers and candy from her admirer, the mother said. The extensive wardrobe, automobile, jewels and other presents Browning gave Mary Louise Spas during the brief period of her adoption before it was discovered she wasn't the sixteen she claimed, but a mature 21, have had no part in his latest romance.

Frances, her mother said, is not attending school at present. She is "too busy socially." They came here from Columbus, Ohio, four years ago. Mrs. Heenan said. She is separated from her husband, an automobile salesman, who, she believes, is now working at Hempstead, Long Island.

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WICHITA FALLS RECORD NEWS

Want Ad Headquarters

"HER MAN"

--By Beatrice Burton--

READ THIS FIRST:

SYLVIA STARR has been engaged to RANDALL PHELPS for a year when he asks her to break their engagement. He explains to her that he has fallen in love with her best friend, FAY SHIRLEY.

Heart-broken, Sylvia gives him up, gently to the satisfaction of AUNT AGONY, the shrewd old maid who reared her. Aunt Agony says bluntly that Ranny will never stick to any woman, and that he's a lazy good-for-nothing besides.

And her opinion of him seems to be correct. For he and Fay decide not to marry after all, and Ranny returns to Sylvia, who promptly proposes that they get married at once, before he has a chance to change his mind again. So they elope.

They settle down in a tiny flat that Sylvia calls The Nest. Ranny gives her very little housekeeping money, and none for clothes, but Sylvia wears her old ones and cheerfully does her own housework, and makes one dollar do the work of two! Then Ranny seems to fall once more under Fay's spell, and Sylvia knows that he is with her on many of the nights when he lets her think he's playing poker.

But when Sylvia tells him that she's going to have a baby, he miraculously turns over a new leaf and settles down. And Fay announces her engagement to one of her old beaus, EDDIE CARTER.

Shortly afterward, when Sylvia and Ranny are dining one night at the home of Ranny's mother and father, the question comes up of his sister LOLLY'S love affair with BOYLE, the family chauffeur. MOTHER PHELPS forbids Lolly to ever see him again. But Lolly confesses to Sylvia, after swearing her to secrecy, that she and Boyle were married that afternoon! She doesn't want to tell her mother for a few weeks, until her first anger is over. And Sylvia promises to keep her secret for her, but as she tells everything to Ranny, she tells him that. He is furiously angry and Sylvia phones Lolly.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Mother Phelps' big contralto voice came rolling richly over the telephone wire. "Hello!" she boomed.

"It's I—Sylvia, May I please speak to Lolly?"

There was a pause. Then Mother Phelps spoke again, and her tone was sharp with disapproval.

"Well, Sylvia, it must be something terribly important you have to say to her to wake us up in the dead of night, but I'll call her! Wait a minute," she said, coldly.

Sylvia felt exactly like a small child who has been scolded and made to stand in the corner, as she stood waiting for Lolly to answer.

No wonder the girl was afraid to tell her mother about her marriage to Boyle, she said to herself. And yet, as Ranny had just pointed out, the only square thing to do was to tell her about it at once.

"I'll ask Lolly if she wants me to come over while she breaks the news to Mother Phelps," Sylvia made up her mind. "If Ranny won't drive me over, I'll call a taxi."

Then she realized that she hadn't so much as a dollar in the house for a taxicab. She had spent all the savings in the salt bag where she hid her money, on a bolt of white goods for baby dresses.

"I'll have to ask Ranny for a dollar," she thought dreamily, and jumped as Mother Phelps' voice boomed suddenly in her ear:

"Sylvia, Lolly isn't here!" she cried. "She hasn't been in her bed tonight! Now, you know where she is! You tell me! You tell me!"

"N-no, I honestly don't," Sylvia stuttered in her surprise. "The last thing she told me tonight was that she wouldn't even see Boyle until tomorrow—Ranny and I are coming over!"

She hung up the receiver and ran into the bedroom where Ranny was sitting on the edge of the bed, unlacing his shoes.

He looked up at her as she stood in the doorway, shaking from head to foot with excitement. Even her teeth were chattering, so that she could scarcely talk.

But she managed, somehow, to make him understand that Lolly had run away from her mother's house, and had joined Boyle, probably.

He began to lace up his shoes again.

Then, as Sylvia picked up her hat from the dresser where she had tossed it, he shook his head. "No, you're not going," he said tersely, "you can't do any good over there—and besides, you're sick. You're shaking so that you can't stand up now."

"No, I'm going," she began, but Ranny took her in his arms and carried her to her own bed. With clumsy hands he pulled off her clothes and got her between the sheets.

"Now don't move till I get back," he said as he went out. "I hope you realize that this Lolly business is all your fault, young woman!"

And before Sylvia could open her lips to defend herself he was gone. The night stillness shook to the rumble of his departing automobile.

How unfair of him to say it was her fault that Lolly had run away, she thought. Why, Lolly had been married that afternoon, hours before Sylvia had known that she was in love with young Thomas Boyle! How could Ranny blame her for the thing?

Sylvia's throat swelled with tears that she would not shed, as she lay, waiting for him to come back. She wondered, as she had wondered a hundred times before, if he really cared for her at all.



"She Looked Like a Bride Herself."

If he did, how could he be so cruel to her, and so cold at times? True enough, there were moments when he took her in his arms and held her close to him as if he never would let her go. Moments when he whispered, into her ear, the foolish and nonsensical endearments that only Love knows—Love that is the most nonsensical and the most precious thing on this earth of ours.

But those moments were few and far between, Sylvia reflected. Most of the time Ranny behaved like any husband who has been married for twenty years—not like a comparative bridegroom. Love was getting to be a habit with him, it seemed. And rather a dull habit, at that.

It was two o'clock before he got back to The Nest.

"Yeah, they've blown, all right—the pair of them!" he said in answer to the tense, questioning look that Sylvia gave him. "Boyle's cleared out from his room over the garage, and Lolly's taken every thread of clothing she had. She's even borrowed mother's hatbox and suitcase to pack it in—mother's wild! She's racing up and down the house like a caged lioness! I wonder where those two kids have gone for their honeymoon?"

"Touring in Boyle's Ford, I suppose," Sylvia answered, and gave a little laugh.

Deep down in her heart she was wonderfully glad that Lolly had escaped safely with Thomas Boyle. If the two poor young things really loved each other, it was satisfying to know that they were going to miss all the scoldings and the cold-shouldering that Mother Phelps was prepared to give them. And by the time they returned she would probably be calmed down considerably.

"I don't see what there is to laugh about," Ranny growled, beginning to unlace his shoes for the second time that night.

"Don't you?" Sylvia bubbled, "well, then, I'll tell you—I was just thinking of that little Ford of Boyle's piled up with Lolly's luggage! If she's taken all her clothes she must have enough stuff to fill a moving van—or the Covered Wagon!" And she went off into another peal of laughter.

"There's nothing funny about it," said Ranny, scowling. "It's really tragic when you stop to think of the money Lolly spends—and of this Boyle's poverty. They have about as much chance of being happy as I have of being King of Siam!"

Sylvia raised her eyebrows. "Oh, maybe she'll be like me—able to get along on nothing a week," she began, she had taken his word for it and got along on next to nothing. It was weeks since she had bought anything for herself—even so much as a pocket handkerchief! But she needn't have reminded Ranny of it, she scolded herself.

"Oh, Ranny, I'm sorry I said that. I didn't mean it!" she hurried to say. "What I mean was that maybe Lolly would be a good manager, like I am. I know I am one. Just think, it's a week ago since you gave me that twenty-dollar bill, and I didn't spend the last of it until today. See what I mean?"

He smiled grimly. "I see perfectly what you mean," he said to her. "You're sore because I bought four $5 ties today, and you're razzing me about it in your own quiet way!" He brought the flat of his hand down sharply on the dresser top. "Well, now, listen! I've got to look well-dressed when I'm out in the world doing business, whether we eat or not here at home!"

Sylvia nodded, dry-eyed, and he went on: "I've given up the friends I used to play cards with once in a while, just because of you! And I shouldn't have done it. A man needs his contact with other men if he's going to know what's going on in the world!"

"Darling, I didn't ask you to stop playing cards!" Sylvia broke in, clasping and unclasping her hands. "You said yourself that you lost so much money that you couldn't afford it with a baby coming. I want you to go out with your men friends just as much as you like. I want you to do whatever makes you happy!"

She was crying now, as she went on: "I—I want you to be happy! Don't you know that's all I care about in the world—your happiness?"

Ranny threw back his handsome blond head and laughed. "You have a funny way of showing it, if you do!" he said, with bitterness.

Then suddenly he turned and faced her. "Now, listen to me! We'll have no more of this nagging of yours about money! Every week, on Saturday, you'll receive a check from me for fifty dollars! With it I expect you to take care of the rent, the gas, the electric light, the food, the ice, and everything else. Is that fair?"

Sobbing wildly by this time, Sylvia said that it was.

And for two weeks thereafter his check for fifty dollars was in the mail box on Saturday morning.

The third week it was for only forty, and on the fourth it had sunk to thirty-five.

But out of the four checks Sylvia had managed to save forty-two dollars.

She put it away in a little salt bag that she kept on the top shelf of the kitchen cupboard, tucked away behind an old stone bean pot that Aunt Agony had given her.

"You never can tell when it'll come in handy," Sylvia said to herself as she got down from the wooden chair before the shelves.

It "came in handy" sooner than she had expected.

For on the first of December, Fay dropped in one chilly afternoon to ask her to be matron of honor at her wedding, on the fifteenth.

"Look your very prettiest," she said, staring gloomily into the wood-fire that flickered in the living room grate, "because I shall be a scarecrow. I look just terrible in white. Every one of my freckles seems to stand out like a wart when I wear it."

When she had gone Sylvia called up Aunt Agony. "Can I buy a dress for Fay's wedding with forty-two dollars?" she asked.

"Hmm." Aunt Agony considered. "I guess you could, but it wouldn't be much of a dress. Buy some silk with it and I'll make you one. How'll that be? And there's all that rose-point lace from your mother's wedding dress."

Sylvia had never heard of the rose-point lace before. She knew that some of her dead mother's clothes were locked in a big, old-fashioned trunk in Aunt Agony's garret. But she had never been allowed to so much as glimpse them.

The next morning when she went over to the old house on Bleak street Aunt Agony met her at the door, with several yards of the lace festooned over her arms. It was lovely stuff, yellowed with age to the tone of old ivory, and as delicate as spider-webs woven over a rose bush.

At the end of three days Sylvia was in possession of a white silk dress frosted with that lace, and beautiful enough for a royal bride.

She looked like a bride herself the night before Fay's wedding when the bridal party had its dress rehearsal. She picked up the bouquet of white flowers that Fay had sent her and tripped into the living room to show herself, in all her scanted, rustling grandeur, to Ranny.

He had just come in fifteen minutes before—an hour late for the little cold supper that Sylvia had laid out for them on a table before the cozy fire.

"Dear," she said to him, "it's time you were dressing, isn't it?" She knew that it was more than time they were starting, but Ranny hated to be hurried.

"I'm not going," he answered shortly, his head buried in his newspaper, so that his face was hidden from her. "I saw Eddie downtown today, and it seems he's asked your friend, Peter Wilk, to be best man—and I'll be hanged if I'll go to the wedding if he's going to be there! I'm not going to sit like a bump on a log and watch you and him march down a church aisle together! You've got to telephone Fay and tell her you don't feel well enough to come tonight, or tomorrow either!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

What is the real reason that Ranny refuses to let Sylvia be in Fay Shirley's wedding party?

Where is Ranny when Sylvia's darkest hour comes upon her?

Read tomorrow's installment of Her Man.

Dallas Plasterers Demand $14 a Day Or Will Quit Work

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)— If the Dallas journeymen plasterers, now paid $12 a day, do not get the $14 they are demanding, union officials probably will call a general strike after Thursday.

Such became apparent at a meeting of the Plasterers Union last night, and was borne out by rumors today that other trade unions may be called out to force the increase.

Dallas contractors flatly refused the wage increase recently and "we are going to sit tight with this statement," official spokesmen for them said.

The Dallas Open Shop association has promised support to the contractors, even to the extent of bringing non-union men to Dallas to succeed the threatened strikers on jobs now under way.

RE-ISSUE STOCK

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—According to the wishes of the interstate commerce commission not to issue non-voting preferred shares, the Pittsburgh and West Virginia railway today decided to maintain its present capital structure and to place its stock on a six per cent annual dividend basis. Payments will be made quarterly beginning April 30, 1926.

HOOVER'S FARM MAKING MONEY

Manager Reports $70,000 Gross Profit on 500 Acres

BAKERSFIELD, March 31.—(AP)—Obtaining approximately $70,000 gross from 500 acres planted to cotton in 1925, producing a bale of cotton to the acre, Harvey Kilbourn, superintendent of the Hoover farm in Kern county, has set up another record which will please Herbert Hoover, United States secretary of commerce, owner of the model farm of 1,280 acres.

The cotton averaged $119.40 a bale for each 500 pound bale or at the rate of 23.88 cents a pound.

The last lot of 100 bales of late picking cotton was sold this week at 16 cents a pound, making a clean up.

The first lot of 200 bales sold early in the fall for 26.50 cents a pound and a second lot of 300 bales sold for 25 cents a pound. In order to make contract deliveries during the season 100 bales of outside cotton were handled.

"The prices received for the Hoover farm cotton were top prices in the United States durin the past season," stated Frank Jeppi, representing McFadden Brothers, cotton brokers, who purchased the entire output. The same firm purchased the Hoover cotton in 1924-25.

"The high price was because of the fact that the brokers knew the quality of the Hoover ranch cotton, grown from pure seed Acala variety, and of very even length fibre," said Mr. Kilbourn.

GALVESTON WARM

GALVESTON, March 31.—(AP) Although this morning experienced a temperature of 38 degrees at 7 a. m., brilliant sunshine had brought the mercury up to 50 degrees at 2 p. m. Indications are for fair and continued colder tonight. Reports from other points throughout the state indicated colder weather this morning.

PUT UNDER BOND

Fort Worth Man Held Under Twelve Indictments.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP) W. R. Hoggard, former employe of the Carter-Hutch Livestock Commission company here, furnished bonds totaling $6,000 last night on 12 indictments charging embezzlement and theft. The indictments cover sums totaling $1,941.

The remaining 32 indictments returned by the grand jury charged theft in 15 cases, forgery in seven, burglary in five, violating liquor laws in three, assault to murder in one and malicious mischief in one.

NEFF VISITS MA

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Former Gov. Pat M. Neff of Waco returned to the capital today after retiring as governor more than a year ago and paid his respects to Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and former Gov. James E. Ferguson. He declined to discuss politics or the coming gubernatorial campaign.

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FACTORY GAS DEAL CLOSED

Upham Company to Build 16-Inch Main Into The City

Contracts were signed Wednesday afternoon between officials of the chamber of commerce and the Upham Gas company whereby the latter will build a 16-inch pipe line into Wichita Falls from the Wheeler and Gray county fields to distribute industrial gas at a low charge. The new service will be available by September 1, it is believed.

The deal was finally closed Wednesday as reports late last week indicated they would. Through it manufacturing interests will be able to use industrial gas here at a rate lower than any other city of the southwest, while at the same time an unlimited supply will be available.

The rates will be as follows:
Up to 5 million per month, 17 cents net
Up to 10 million per month, 16 cents net
Up to 20 million per month, 15 cents net
Up to 30 million per month, 14 cents net
Up to 40 million per month, 13 cents net
Up to 50 million per month, 12 cents net
Up to 60 million per month and above 11c net.

A 16-inch line is being built by the company out of the Panhandle supply source and this will come to about two miles east of Wellington where it will split into two 12-inch lines. One of these will run unbroken to a point east of Quanah, while the other will serve intermediate communities between Quanah and Wellington. Near Quanah they will merge again to come into Wichita Falls as a 16-inch main.

Committees and officials of the chamber of commerce have been at work on the matter for some time.

Alathean Class Of Baptist Church Have Anniversary

Members of the Alathean Sunday school class of the First Baptist church celebrated the fourth anniversary of the organization at the Country club Wednesday at noon when an elaborate luncheon was served to more than one hundred members. The club was beautifully decorated in cut flowers in the spring colors. A low basket of sweetpeas and Easter lilies surrounded by four lighted tapers formed the centerpiece of the main table, and a special table was arranged for the winning group.

Mrs. S. E. Haddox, president of the class, gave the address of welcome, Mrs. C. R. Eyssen who presided as chairman of the program committee, introduced each speaker with an original verse.

A group of Scotch songs was sung by Joel H. MacGregor with Mrs. MacGregor at the piano. Mrs. O. Abernathy entertained with two dialect readings; Mrs. Julia E. Ward, teacher of the class, spoke on the progress and the plans of the class; Mrs. Jerry Schaefer sang two pleasing solos, with piano accompaniment by Miss Elizabeth Cole. Miss Cole played two piano numbers, Mrs. John Martin thanked those who participated in making the club rooms more beautiful for the occasion.

A group of violin duets was given by Mrs. J. H. Crouch and Miss Monterey Lewis with Mrs. Alex Lewis playing the accompaniment.

Those present were Mesdames Ralph Maricle, O. B. Burden, Uhrich, S. E. Haddox, R. M. Hurley, E. J. McWilliams, Junell John Abbott, L. W. Smith, McAdams, Nikkle, Burl Bryant, Hinkle, Hulse, A. E. Herring, Fred Schram, Harry Schram, Cliff Everetts, Otis Gilbert, Browning, J. C. Walker, W. A. Lucas, M. B. Smith, Julian E. Ward, Jack Razor, A. W. King, Fred Hoenscheidt, Sisk, Carl Williamson, Prichard, C. W. Andree, Lane Roseberry, Lloyd Young, Phipps, Robert McIver, C. D. Miller, Lyon, Roberts, Haynes, George Smoot, Charlie Daniel, Roy Tate, Owen, John M. Martin, W. W. Walker, R. M. Morton, Coffee, E. B. Simmons, O. C. Fisher, C. P. Burton, J. W. Hunt, Ben Ackerman, Bridwell, W. T. Knight, McDaniel, Ira Craig, Clifford, Randolph, Lewis, Crouch, Temple, Homer McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Joel H. MacGregor, Schaefer, Morgan, Walker, Misses Adelle Ray, Pearl Smith, Monterey Lewis, Mary Jane Maricle, Mrs. D. G. Johnson, Mrs. O. Abernathy, Mesdames O. G. Stevens, Milton, Lovelace, R. A. King, Ray Eyssen, Jack Spengle, Jonette Bonner, Manley, Allison, Lee Banks, C. L. Bradford, Tennyson, Holcomb, Farris, John C. McDonald, Austin, Eyestone, Milliron, Mendenhall, Granger, Maley, Patterson, Roberts.

Prayer Meetings To Be Held At 3 This Afternoon

Mid-afternoon prayer meetings will be held in a number of homes here today as preliminaries for the Will Hogg evangelistic services which will start at the Floral heights Methodist church next Sunday. The meetings will start at 3 o'clock and will be held in the following places: Homes of M. E. Crowell, 1817 Ninth; W. B. Chauncey, 1204 Polk; P. B. Cox, Indian Heights; S. E. Travathan, 1307 Taylor; T. C. Thornberry, 2010 Elizabeth; J. M. Bland, 1415 Buchanan; Harold Murph, 2012 Jones; H. H. Davidson, 1615 Tilden.

Thursday night will bring a general meeting at the church when Rev. S. J. T. Williams, campaign director for the Hogg evangelistic team, will be in charge. He will map out the program for the meetings and will announce committee appointments for the services.

The Manx herring industry shows signs of revival, the catch last year being valued at $105,000, nearly three times that of the previous season.

MAJESTIC HAS WIDE EXTREMES

And They're Are All Located In an Entertaining Latitude

It's a far cry from the twitter of two romantic birdies to the raucous garrulity of a hefty housewife and an anemic husband. These two extremes provide an intermediate latitude for situations of considerable variation; or, in other words, to progress by degrees from one to the other will necessitate the spanning of widely diversified topics. Thus it may be conceived that a vaudeville bill providing the two extremes suggested above and which also includes all the variations possible between the two outer limits is something of a bill.

That's the Majestic.

That, however, is the situation at the Majestic this week. For example it starts with the two birdies disguised as musically inclined comedians traveling under the billing of "Arnaut Brothers," Incomparable. Amen! They're just that. And from the time they apepar in outlandish clown suits, strumming a guitar and mandolin, to their final fade out as chirping chickadees in nondescript plummage, their turn is a riot of laughs. They turn somersaults while they play violin duets and then, as a finale, they give a knock-out imitation of the birdies in the tree top.

Henry and Moore in "Hunting a Job," have a song and dance turn punctuated with some good dancing and plenty of music that winds up with an excellent baritone solo in which the singer plays his own violin accompaniment.

"Ivory Novelties" is a piano dialogue out of the ordinary with Marguerita Padula and company giving a finished musicale. Vocal solos and duets, interspersed with the same combinations on two grand pianos follow each other in tuneful profusion.

Now the Kleins.

For downright basic comedy that is founded on no special base the Klein Brothers can't be exceeded. One of them, a semi-jelly with Harold Lloyd glasses and a liking for "Aunt Fannie" out in the audience, carries the brunt of the comedy with his partner as an exceptionally clever foil. He draws a lot of his comedy from the audience itself.

To wind up with is Lulu McConnell's company in which Lulu, weighing—well, never mind; but anyhow she has a voice fully comforting with her stature, and she uses it plentifully in some hot arguments with a diminutive husband and a brother border. She raises the devil plenty, and the curtain goes down with a mother-in-law coming in to further complicate matters.

Spring house cleaning has come to the Y. W. C. A. under the direction of the house committee of which Mrs. W. C. Snoddy is chairman. The walls, curtains and rugs have been renovated and the floors redone. The Junior Business Girls club is enameling a part of the furniture.

The Old Home Town

Prayer meeting at the First Baptist church was conducted Wednesday evening by Rev. W. E. Walker.

John Riggs left Wednesday for Texarkana, where he went in response to a message telling of the death of a sister, Mrs. E. D. Higganbotham.

Mrs. Frank W. Ramsey of this city was called to Manhattan, Kan. Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her father, Z. T. McCoy at Manhattan, Kan. He is reported to have suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Randolph Caldwell, attorney for the federal district court, returned to Dallas Wednesday night after completing his work in the March term of that court in Wichita Falls.

Rev. R. A. Scranton of Plainview will be in this city over Sunday and will preach at both services at the First Baptist church, it was announced yesterday. Dr. O. L. Powers, pastor, is in Brownwood where he is holding a revival meeting at the First Baptist church.

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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

April 1, 1925

Charter for new national bank to be located in the Morgan building applied for by Stansell Whiteside of Altus, Okla.

CREATURE OF HABIT

IT IS AN ancient platitude that if we do not master our habits, they will master us.

Man is a creature of habit, and he must be to live in the sort of world we have around us.

Habits are like the boards in a building; they must be good ones if the structure is to be proof against the disturbances of life. It behooves the individual man to be constantly repairing his habits; putting in good ones where bad ones develop, else when storms come along his house will wobble and shake, and eventually collapse.

Two maxims have been laid down for those who are endeavoring to acquire a new habit, or leave off an old one.

The first is—launch yourself with as strong and decided an initiative as possible. Accumulate all the possible circumstances which shall re-enforce the right motives; put yourself in conditions that encourage the new way; remove yourself from the environment of the old; take a public pledge if the case allows; in short, envelop your resolution with every aid you know.

The second maxim, is—Never allow an exception to occur until the new habit is securely rooted in your daily life. Each lapse is like the letting fall of a ball of string which one is carefully winding up; a single slip undoes more than a great many turns will wind again. Continuity of training is the great means of making the nervous system act infallibly right, it has been established over and over.

William James adds a third maxim to the preceding pair:

Seize the very first possible opportunity to act on every resolution you make, and on every emotional prompting you may experience in the direction of the habits you aspire to gain.

No matter how full a reservoir of maxims one may possess, and no matter how good one's sentiments may be, if one has not taken advantage of every concrete opportunity to act, one's character may remain entirely unaffected for the better. With mere good intentions, hell is proverbially paved.

"A character," John Stuard Mills says, " is a completely fashioned will," and a will, in the sense in which he means it, is an aggregate of tendencies to act in a firm and prompt and definite way upon all the emergencies of life.

William James observes that a tendency to act only becomes effectively ingrained in us in proportion to the uninterrupted frequency with which the actions actually occur, and the brain "grows" to their use.

"When a resolve or a fine flow of feeling is allowed to evaporate without bearing practical fruit it is worse than a chance lost; it works so as positively to hinder the future resolutions and emotions from taking the normal path of discharge.

"There is a no more contemptible type of human character than that of the nerveless sentimentalist and dreamer, who never does a manly concrete deed."

DEFENDING THE TEACHERS.

FLAPPER teachers were among the educational phenomena considered in the final sessions of Schoolmen's Week at the University of Pennsylvania,, and they did not lack for friends and defenders. There is a good deal to be said for those who give proof that they have not forgotten what it is like to be young, even if their demeanor is less sedate than that of veterans of the profession. However, popularity for a teacher is not always to be won by donning the apparel and creating the picture of immaturity. Some of the best beloved and most efficient instructors have acquired a strong hold on their pupils through the wisdom and the sympathy that the years have brought. They do not need to rely on the dress-maker and the beauty parlor for their personal magnetism. It is important, above all, that the pupil should receive a true conception of the serious purpose of life and realize the need of the most thorough preparation that can be had to meet competition and establish a place in the social and industrial order. Teachers who can give the taught such an equipment are doing their work and earning their salaries, without regard to age and experience, and even college degrees in pedagogy and intensive specialization in psychology will not atone for the want of common sense in the classroom.

MONEY FOR GULF PORTS

TEXAS' gulf ports are on the way. Major General Harry Taylor has asked for an appropriation of $654,000 for his building program. A channel 300 feet wide in Sabine Pass, 200 feet in Port Arthur channel and 150 feet in Sabine-Neches channel, is contemplated, within enlargement of the Beaumont turning basin and improvements in wharfs and revetments. An achorage basin 4,500 feet long would be constructed in Sabine Pass as part of the improvements.

General Taylor is chief of the army engineers. His report estimated that maintenance for the improvements would reach $420,000 annually, or $164,000 above estimated cost of maintaining authorized channels. In coming time the gulf ports of Texas will be the outstanding ports of America. In coming time there will be a vast population in the gulf port coast country from the Louisiana border line to the place where the Rio Grande river empties its waters into the gulf.

There is an empire here in the southwest. It will produce a third of the cotton of America, a third of the wool of America, a third of the petroleum of America and vast amounts of food stuffs and feed stuffs, now why shouldn't this territory be given the place on the Interstate Commerce Commission? Why should a great army of producers, a great army of shippers, be wholly ignored.

HE NEEDS A LESSON.

Mussolini seems to have proved that a one-man government is possible, but just let him try to manage a one-man top sometime.

CHRISTIANITY

REV. Dr. EARL BARNES of Philadelphia, speaking to the Dallas Open Forum, spoke of the increase in Christianity as a growing power. He declared that in 1922 christianity in the United States had an increase over 1921 of 1,220,428 church members; the total membership of religious bodies in that year was 47,461,558, a larger proportion of the population than ever before. Moreover, he said, the struggle between modernism and fundamentalism is the sign of health and marks the merging of christians into two great groups and the passing of petty sects.

Speaking of the book of books, he reminded his audience that the Bible remains the great book of the modern world, and that in 1920, 4,855,464 volumns were printed in 725 languages and dialects. Tolerance has its place, according to the speake.r

Increasingly the church, through the Welfare council and the Central Council of American Rabbis, "is facing the social problems of our time. Never before was there such need of united action in the world as now. Industry and commercialism make deep jealousies; politics makes suspicious. With the passing of theological differences, religion becomes the greatest of uniting forces."

Dr. Barnes is a religious optomist. He finds good in all men and in all creeds.

ALWAYS SOMETHING

We shall not suffer from ennui between now and the next league meeting. There will be the Wills-Lenglen match and the Dempsey-Tunney encounter.

AND THE WAR IS ON.

NOW the republican organization of leaders of Texas are demanding a show down in the Wurzbach contest. They have made a square toad proposition to republican congressmen from Connecticut and Indiana, to come across with the goods, and demonstrate the correctness of their attitude in the row which has been precipitated in Texas with the republican organization leaders on one side and Congressman Harry M. Wurzbach on the other.

It is all very interesting to the democrats of the state.

They are hopeful of sending a democrat from the district to Washington in November of this year. They are more than hopeful. They have organized their forces, Julius Real will not make the race for the nomination and Mayor John Tobin and his organization promise to get in behind the democratic nominee and put him over.

There are men who say that the republicans will not poll 75,000 votes in their state primary in July. Is this a hint that a large number of democratic republicans intend to enter the democratic primary.

THEY'LL BE BACK

The Wall Street flurry is over and the lambs have gone out to grow more wool.

OPTIMISTS

Trotsky says the Russian government is a success. That is what Wayne B. Wheeler says about prohibition.

Aunt Eppie Hogg, The Fattest Woman In 3 Counties



WHO'S WHO

GEORGE F. BAKER.

One of the five richest men in the United States, George F. Baker, of New York, is now beginning his 87th year. He is a year younger than John D. Rockefeller.

Baker, dean of American bankers, is chairman of the board of the First National bank of New York City. He is still active in the institution's affairs and plays golf regularly.

George Fisher Baker was born in Troy, N. Y., March 27, 1840. When he was eight his parents moved to Brooklyn and his father engaged in the shoe business in Maiden Lane, Manhattan.

At 16 he left school. At 23 he was a clerk in the New York state banking department at Albany at a salary of $500 a year.

In the Civil war, in 1863, when Salmon P. Chase conceived the idea of selling bonds through the banks and a national banking system was evolved, Baker was given a postion in one of these banks in New York. The details of his rise are largely lacking, because he rarely allows himself to be interviewed, and then only about impersonal matters.

In latter years he has been a great giver. He has been president of the Metropolitan Opera House association He has made many gifts to the Metropolitan Museum. To the Red Cross he gave $2,000,000 during the war. He has given a student dormitory and chemical observatory to Cornell; Baker field, the 30 acres for athletic purposes, to Columbia, and $5,000,000 for the Graduate School of Business administration of Harvard, which bears the name of the George F. Baker foundation.

DINNER STORIES

"Strunge," said the cowboy solemnly, "kindness to dumb critters always pays. Old Man Green down at Cactus Gulch found a big rattler caught in a slide. Did he kill him? No sir, he pried him loose, and that there snake was so grateful he followed the old man home ten miles. Couldn't drive him off the ranch. No sir, the animil was so plumb grateful he guarded the house like a reglar watch-dog. Come to be a great pet. The folks named him Wilbur.

"One night the feller woke up sudden. Seemed like there was choking sounds right by his bunk. He got him a light and what you reckon he seen? There was Wilbur coiled round the neck of a sneak thief. Yes sir! And the critter had his tail out the window rattling for the police."

In a recent election a colored man happened to be elected justice of the peace in the backwoods of Georgin.

His first case was one in which the defendant asked for trial by jury. When the testimony was all in and the argument had been concluded the justice seemed somewhat embarrassed. Finally one of the lawyers whispered to him that it was time to charge the jury.

Looking at the jury with a grim, judicial air, the judge said:

"Gentlemen ob de jury, sense dis is a very small case, I'll jes charge y'll a dolair an' a ha'f a-piece."

DEATH FOLLOWS BETROTHAL

CHICAGO.—Miss Elizabeth Fletcher died of appendicitis the day following announcement of her betrothal.

POEMS THAT LIVE

ON A FLY DRINKING OUT OF HIS CUP

Busy, curious, thirsty fly!
Drink with me, and drink as I;
Freely welcome to my cup,
Could'st thou sip and sip it up:
Make the most of life you may,
Life is short and wears away.
Both alike are mine and thine,
Hastening quick to their decline;
Thine's a summer, mine's no more,
Though repeated to threescore.
Threescore summers, when they're gone,
Will appear as short as one!
—William Oldys.

PICK UP SOS

Ship Reports Self in Distress, But Not Location

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—An SOS followed by complete silence was received by naval communications today from a vessel signing "SS Blair." No details were given and attempts to get further information were unavailing.

The only vessel of this name is a freighter owned by the American Export Lines which left Huelva, Spain, for New York March 20. She was due here April 6.

The owners of the vessel said they had been out of touch with her for some days.

REPORT TRADING BILL

WASHINGTON, March 31.— The Caraway bill to prohibit transactions in grain or cotton futures except by those who make oath that they actually have or will have the grain or cotton for delivery when required, was favorably reported today by the senate agricultural committee.

DOROTHY DIX

Questions From the World of Love Answered by a Noted Authority

When a Man Has Outgrown His Wife, Has He the Right to Divorce Her?—The Carefree, Selfish Bachelor—The Influence of an Unfaithful Mother.

Dear Miss Dix—I disagree with your ideas about a man divorcing his wife when he grows tired of her. I think when a man develops, while his wife remains at exactly the same mental level she was twenty years before; when they have no common interests; when he has to go outside of his home for any intelligent understanding; when she regards him merely as a meal ticket, that he has a perfect moral right to divorce her and marry someone else, even a girl twenty years his junior if he so desires. In a case of this kind I do not think children make any difference. At best, they remain with their parents only a few years and then go out and live their own lives. The whole matter depends entirely, I think, on the man, his temperament, his taste and, of course, the stability of the girl he wishes to marry.—Agnes M.

Answer—Fine for the man, Agnes, to be able to flit from flower to flower, and as soon as one rose has lost its freshness, and he has sucked it dry of its sweetness, to be able to wing his gay way to another bud.

But how about the deserted rose? How about the old wife? How about the woman who has given to a man twenty or thirty years of her life, who has borne him children, who has worked and economized and helped him build up his fortune, who has nursed him when he was sick and ministered to his wants when he was well, who has given him a devotion and a loyalty that have never faltered?

Is she to be turned out of her house and home as casually as any old work horse that has served its purpose, just because her husband has got tired of her and is attracted to some other woman who is younger and more charming and clever? Is her life to go into the discard in order that he may be entertained and amused?

I grant you that it is a terrible and a common tragedy for a man to outgrow his wife and for him to come to the place where she bores him to extinction, but even that does not give him any right to divorce her if she has been a good and faithful wife to him.

For, aside from all moral considerations, marriage is a business partnership as well as a sacrament, and the wife who has helped a man build up his fortune has a right to share in his prosperity, and the position that it gives her. She has earned it by the sweat of her brow just as much as the man has, and it is grossly unair that she should be kicked out and pensioned off on half rations, which is what alimony amounts to, even when the discarded wife is lucky enough to get that.

In this country the great majority of men who are rich and important at middle age were poor enough and humble enough when they married, and most of them who attain to riches and a place in the sun climb up on the ladder that their wives make of their shoulders.

There is hardly a self-made man who has not had a wife who cooked and scrubbed and patched for him, who did not sit up nights washing his shirts and pressing his clothes; who didn't scrimp every penny and deny herself everything that she could do without so that they might rake together the little stake that was the foundation of his fortune.

Shall such a woman as this be turned adrift, because her husband has developed sophisticated tastes, and wants to marry some girl who will better match his new house and his new furniture? No! A thousand times no!

We cannot control our hearts and a man cannot force himself to stay romantically in love with the woman whose fleeting girlish beauty captured his immature fancy as a boy. He cannot prevent himself from growing weary of the wife whose mind has been unable to keep pace with his own and who does not know or understand the things that he comes to know and understand.

But he can control his actions. He can remain faithful to his marriage vows. He can do his duty. He can refrain from putting upon her the humiliation of being a discarded and outcast wife. And if he is unhappy, why should he not suffer instead of the wife? Why should his happiness be bought at the price of hers?

WHAT TODAY MEANS TO YOU

By MARY BLAKE

Aries.

Today's planetary aspects are quite favorable and although there are one or two brief spells of gloominess, they are not of a sufficiently long duration to affect in any way the results that can be achieved under the auspicious influences that prevail. The signs denote that all work in connection with agriculture or land will be particularly successful, although each and every line of honest endeavor will benefit. It is also a good opportunity for travel, especially by sea. The aspects indicate that all marriages celebrated today bear promise of beneficient and enduring results.

A boy born today will be peculiarly liable to the ailments of infancy whereas a girl, according to the signs will escape them. The boy however will quickly grow out of his weaknesses and develop into normal youth and manhood. The girl after passing through infancy with flying colors will experience an unsatisfactory physical condition in her "teens," and only great care will enable her to achieve that degree of exuberant health for which she is ultimately destined. In character both boy and girl will be cheerful, companionable, and effectionate. They will be fairly studious, without acquiring any exceptional degree of intellectuality.

If today is your birthday, you are very resourceful and can always think of some way out of any and al difficulties. You posses rare self-control and never allow yourself to become excited, nor do you worry. You are a quick thinker and an active worker—just as careful of sma" details as of the "big things." You are to a certain extent reserved and firmly believe in the old saying that "what others don't know won't hurt them."

Your impulses are not very generous and your emotions are not either quickly or often, stirred. Your friends although they consider you worthy of all confidence, look upon you as cold, unsympathetic and calculating.

You are not capable of a great love, but will be satisfied with an enduring affection which, although lacking in the joys and tribulations that a great passion may engender, will be productive of serene and calm happiness.

Successful people born this date are:

Edward A. Sothern—(Lord Dundreary) actor.

George Harris—educator.

Hamilton Hamilton—artist.

Edwin A. Abbey—artist.

William W. Rockhill—orientalist and diplomat.

Agnes Repplied—author.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

ALL FOOLS' DAY

Men call this day the day of fools,
But now we have so many schools,
New schools of thought, no sort of thinking,
New fashion sins, new ways of drinking,
So many faiths our faith to shake,
So many joys our joy to take,
So much of what we say is pleasure,
That wastes our time and wastes our treasure,
Although I wouldn't be too rough,
Just April first seems not enough.

But still one day that we admit
We all are fools will help a bit,
For there is virtue in confessing,
One day at least, our own transgressing,
We talk so much of others' sins,
So much we kick each others' shins,
We talk so mean, we act so mulish,
I'm glad one day we say we're foolish,
For that's the day, it seems to me,
On one thing all of us agree.

But, having made this April start,
One more great wish I would impart,
One other need I would be hinting,
Yes, loudly saying, widely printing;
There are at least three hundred more
Good days, ah, yes, and sixty-four,
So why not have one day each season
When all of us would eat with reason?
One day we ought to advertise
When all of us would all be wise.

WILLIE WILLIS



"I said 'hash' was plural an' the teacher marked it wrong, but I bet she ain't ever made no hash."

What Do You Know About It?

Daily Science Six.

1. What is the largest river in the world?
2. What are the three largest rivers of Africa?
3. What American river has the highest banks?
4. What American river empties into the Pacific?
5. Where does the Mississippi rise?
6. What great North American river empties into the Arctic sea?

(Answers to these questions in tomorrow's Record News.)

A Gidgety River.

The great Yellow river on Huang Ho of China is the blessing and the curse of the Flower Kingdom. For ages it has been bringing down the rich soils of the mountains and depositing them in the lowlands near the sea where it keeps the farms of Shantung and Chihli eternally fertile. Its banks are among the most densely populated parts of the world, and beside this hundreds of thousands of families live on the river itself. However, the Yellow river has a nervous habit of changing its course. It has done this twice in historic times. Suddenly leaving its banks and raging across a country as densely populated as the districts around New York or London, it has moved its mouth to a point several hundred miles away. There is nothing to prevent this terrible river from doing the same thing whenever it chooses, as its banks are too low to hold it in time of flood.

Now what do you know about that?

Answers to yesterday's questions:

1. Arizona has the least rainfall of any state.
2. Washington has the most rainfall of any state.
3. A steam-heated room may be kept moist by putting a pan of water under the radiator.
4. The Doldrums are calm or windless zones of the Trade winds.
5. Arizona is more arid than Egypt.
6. California has extensive deserts in the southeastern part; Colorado has no true deserts.

Oh, Charleston! What Else Is To Be Blamed On You?

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—(AP)—Another missile was added to the barrage aimed at the Charleston, energetic dance, by Lieutenant Commander A. R. Mack, head of the recruiting office of the twelfth naval district, here today.

Charleston knee, knock knee, spavin, Charleston heart and flat feet are new maladies which afflict would-be recruits, Mack was quoted as saying. Only 134 applicants out of 600 were passed during the last month, he reported.

JACKASS HILL RICH.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—(AP)—Although $150,000,000 worth of gold has been taken out of Jackass Hill, on the mother lode in Tuolumne county, California, since the days of the forty-niners, there is much more there untouched, Henry A. Morse, field engineer for New York mining interests, here buying supplies, declared today.

Operations in the field have been shut down since the world war, but a revival is expected soon, Morse said.

The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Wouldn't It Be Nice If They Made It a National Day, Folks!

We hoped perhaps the grocer'd say
Beneath the bill he sent today
For soap and prunes and all such truck:
"APRIL FOOL," but no such luck!!

Baggage

Salesman: "This over-night suitcase would be just the thing to take with you, Madam."

Mrs. Fontaine: "Well, I'll take 30 of them. I'm going to stay a month."
—Heartrouble, The Bobbed-Hair Bandit.

THE PHILOSOPHIC LOVER
My Marvin D. Rodgers

I take my hat off to that unknown man
Who got folks to adopt an All Fools' Day;
It seems to me it was a first class plan——
He was a boy who knew his stuff, I'll say.
Most special days are set aside to think
About some famous man, some Child of Fate
But April First is for the common gink,
"The Great Unwashed," the rabble.—and it's great!

It is not given every man to be
An instrument in some tremendous scheme
To cut the shackles from humenity
Or bring to pass some high and lofty dream;
But rather, all of us, gostherds and kings,
Do foolish things from morning until night,
Bedeck ourselves in ermine robes and rings,
Or cast our lot with swine, bootleg, and fight.

I'm glad that April First was set aside
To honor all us very silly folks
Who are puffed up with false, pea cocky pride
And think we're great, when we are only jokes.
Perhaps you think that all I've said is drool!!
Maybe; but this will justify my rhyme—
I don't need April First to be a fool;
I'm foolish over you, dear, all the time!

Observing

Burroughs: "So the firemen were called to put out the fire across the street, eh! Did you notice their hose?"

Mrs. Burroughs: "Yes, they were blue with white tops except the chief's and his were striped silk with embroidered clocks."
—Henry J. Dowdell.

WITHOUT BENEFIT OF STATIC
The Announcer from FUN SHOP Station MFJ falls in love with the Lady Announcer from SWAK.
(Reported By Joan Benda)

"I've nothing but love on my program tonight, dear! My heart's tuned in on the wavelength of those eyes of yours. How am I coming in?"

"Your program's coming in fine, dearest! But be careful of your loud speaker—somebody might hear you. You mustn't broadcast it!"

"I feel like it! Why, I have tuned in on LOVE at last! How about a little kiss on your microphone? About 600 meters, say—or longer, if you wish it."

"Your amplification's distorted! Pull in your aerial! Just for that I'm going to slap you! Take that!"

"Ohm! Right on the head-phone! Now listen, dear, I'm not going to sign off until you promise to change your call letters to mine! Now don't pull off a silent night, but get on the air with a YES!"

"CUPID is announcing from the studios of my heart by remote control! But before I say YES let's broadcast from a place where not so many are listening in!"

HOW'S YOUR WILL POWER!
(Try NOT to read it!)

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When I went to school
Now you know
You're an April Fool!
—L. E. Sykes.

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE
(Conducted By M. F. J.)

Teacher: Teeno, while Miss Gertrude is painting a new pane of glass into the broken window, I'd like you to use 'profanity.'"

Nick A. Teeno:

"All right, boss, dammit."

Teacher: "Yes, 'dammit' will do, incidently explaining how you rose to be the political boss of your ward."

Nick A. Teeno:

"You wanna know how to be great politish?—
Dat takes on'y little-a while
If you step-a right up ever-a man
And shake-a dammit and smile."

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN.
(Conducted By Gertrude Jr.)

Teacher: "'Pretentious' off of you, Olive deer."

Olive Branch:

"I hate that red-hed Dottie,
Id like to see her crowned!
Wen she tries to butt in our crowd
We pretentious not around!"
—Florence Bessmann.

NEGROES KILLED

DAWSON, Ga., March 31.—(AP) Two negroes were killed and property damage estimated at $200,000 was caused by a storm that swept through Terrell and Lee counties late last night. Houses were demolished and trees uprooted.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS



Social Happenings of the Day and News of Interest to Women

First M. E. Will Give An Easter Musical Program

An Easter musicale will be given by the members of the choir of the First Methodist church Sunday evening beginning at 7:45 o'clock, according to the director, Joel H. MacGregor, yesterday. The choir is composed of 34 singers and prides itself on the fact tha tit has a membership composed exclusively of members of the First church.

H. W. Gray is president; Mrs. Joel H. MacGregor, vice president; Miss Josephine Fisk, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Akin, Jr., treasurer and organist; Miss Cloe Stripling, assistant organist; Joel H. MacGregor, director.

The personnel of the choir follows:

Sopranos, Misses Katherine Dugan, Cloe Stripling, Annie Laudie Long, Josephine Fisk, Elizabeth Hamilton, Marguerite Kaye, Mima Jane Roberts, Jean Fisk and Mesdames Roy E. Carter, Merle Hooper, Alice Whitehead, Joel H. MacGregor, H. W. Gray.

Altos, Misses Mildred Martin, Mary Butcher and Mesdames J. M. Holcomb, Grady Fletcher, N. M. Clifford, H. D. Akin, A. K. Presson.

Tenors, H. F. Palmer, Roy E. Carter, Robert H. Brown, E. B. Rhoades, F. M. Hansen, Baldwin Montgomery, Everett M. Park, Joel H. MacGregor.

Basses, Frank Bolding, Ellery Lynn, H. W. Gray, E. F. Bohmfalk, A. K. Presson, J. W. Akin, Jr.

The choir will be assisted by the church orchestra under the leadership of E. F. Bohmfalk and Miss Ella Merle Mathis, reader and teacher of expression. A popular program has been arranged by Director MacGregor, and will consist of anthems, solos, organ and orchestra numbers, trombone solo, hymn reading and selections by the male quartet. The complete program will appear in Sunday's paper. The public is cordially invited.

B. O. P. Members Are Entertained

Mrs. A. C. Camp assisted by Mrs. L. G. Walker and Mrs. Fred L. Berry entertained the B. O. P. class of the Floral Heights Methodist church Wednesday afternoon with a delightful party at the home of Mrs. Camp. Throughout the afternoon, music was furnished with piano selections by Mrs. D. L. Fritz and vocal solos by Mrs. H. G. Holcomb.

A refreshments plate was served to Mesdames Charles Reagan, H. C. Zeffer, Louis De Mont, R. H. Stahala, Milton Johnson, Whit Smith, C. E. Sumerlin, B. P. Hathorn, G. T. Henderson, C. Beatty, Frank Shackleford, C. C. Parfet, W. P. Woody, Roberts of Dallas; W. E. F. Wright, Houston Cowden, C. S. Richardson, E. A. McCarty, Hugh Callwell, Grady Payne, I. M. Innes, M. G. Prewitt, Julian Ivy, Horace Langford, D. L. Fritz, H. G. Holcomb, J. C. Crane, Charles Kilpatrick, Harry Brassell, C. Van Millican, W. G. Smith.

Legion Auxiliary Retains Officers

All officers of the American Legion auxiliary were retained for the years work in the annual election held at the home of Mrs. C. R. Taylor on Grant. Those officers are Mrs. O. T. Ailes, president; Mrs. H. F. Weldon, vice president; Mrs. G. O. Howery, secretary; Mrs. O. W. Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, chaplain.

It was voted to send Easter greetings to 15 ex-service Texas men in the U. S. V. B. hospital No. 55, at Fort Bayard, New Mexico.

A letter of appreciation from the state executive, Mrs. Mollie D. Armstrong, was read when she thanked the club and the American Legion for their entertainment of the national president, Mrs. Eliza London Shepard and her recently.

The national auxiliary has set aside April 6 as child welfare day, and plans are being made to do something for the children of ex-service men in Wichita Falls. Mrs. L. I. Lucey is chairman of this committee.

Plans were devised for a chain luncheon to be given members and prospective members of the auxiliary for the benefit of the Day Nursery building fund. It is hoped to have the luncheons during April.

W. M. U. Elects District Officers

Mrs. Homer McGregor of this city is president of the Wichita Falls district of the Women's Missionary union and was elected in the meeting at the First Baptist church. Other officers are Mrs. J. F. Detlefs, corresponding secretary and treasurer; Mrs. D. L. Keith of Oth, White Cross chairman; Miss Alice Rogers, Jacksboro, missions chairman; Mrs. J. N. Hunt of Henrietta, education chairman; Mrs. W. A. Lane of Vernon, publicity chairman; Mrs. Mattie Taylor, Seymour, beneficience chairman; Mrs. C. A. Gilcreath, Kirkland, personal service chairman.

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Art Department To Close Year's Work

The closing program for the year of the Art department of the Woman's Forum will be held Thursday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. at 3 o'clock when the annual election of officers will take place, a program given, and a social hour around the tea table will be enjoyed.

Mrs. Luther Hoffman will talk on the "Texas Art Colony." A group of readings will be given by Miss Kathleen Tobin. Mrs. J. H. Crouch and Miss Monterey Lewis will give a number of violin duets, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Alex Lewis at the piano.

Officers who will act as a reception committee will include Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth, chairman; Mrs. Lyle Sproles, Mrs. Jennie Roberson, Mrs. W. W. Silk, Mrs. Marvin Smith, Mrs. T. N. Conrey, Mrs. M. E. Peters, Mrs. G. D. Anderson and Mrs. J. A. Richolt will pour tea.

Sorosis Club Studies Emerson Hough

Mrs. A. W. Burnside was hostess to the Sorosis club Wednesday afternoon when the study of Emerson Hough was taken up. Roll call was answered with "Texas Pioneers."

Mrs. O. R. Haynie led the lesson and gave a paper on "The Life of Emerson Hough." Mrs. Ernest Archbeau gave a review of "The Singing Mouse," story.

Mrs. W. E. Rimblin gave a review of "The Covered Wagon." Splendid discussions followed the club study.

Dainty refreshments were served to Mesdames E. R. Archambeau, H. E. Bachman, O. R. Haynie, R. E. Hillburn, I. W. Karrenbrock, W. P. Lowry, Donald McGregor, E. G. Scannell, Bert Taylor, W. E. Timblin and the hostess. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Timblin on Tenth street.

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

Travis Girl Reserves Meet

An Easter program was given by the Girl Reserve club of Travis school Wednesday afternoon when Edith Hearne gave the story of the resurrection; a poem, "More Like Home," was read by Katherine Bird; Juanita McAda led the devotional, and Alabama Winfield said a prayer.

Roll call was answered with a scripture verse. The members were presented with Easter baskets by Miss Kate Burgess, principal of the school. Visitors included Milton Marshall, Jack Cossey, Miss Florence Cullin and Miss Burgess.

Today's Calendar

Bethany Sunday school class, 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. Albritton, 1800 Ninth.

Elks dance beginning at 9 o'clock.

Ladies Golf association, regular meeting.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Whorton of Philadelphia, Penn., have arrived in this city and will make this their home. They will be at home, 1710 Fillmore. Mr. Whorton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Whorton.

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Mrs. Everett Webb, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter J. Johnson, is expected here Saturday to spend the week-end with her parents. Misses Cora Lee and Louise Johnson, students of Kidd-Key college at Sherman will also spend the week end with their parents.

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Announcement is made of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Straus, Jr., at the General Hospital Tuesday night. The child has been named J. C. Straus, III.

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Mrs. H. A. Cherry, Jr., has as her guest at her home on McGregor, Miss Merle May.

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Mrs. Frank Shackleford has as her guest, her mother, Mrs. Roberts of Dallas.

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Mrs. W. E. Brothers has as her guest, her mother, Mrs. Stafford of Sherman.

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Mrs. E. R. Biggs has as her guest, her mother, Mrs. Florence Robinson, at her home, 1708 Tenth. Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Buckley of Fort Worth who spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Biggs have returned home.

Crockett School To Hold Open House

Open house of the new Crockett school which was recently opened will be held Friday evening at the school at 7 o'clock when the public is invited to atend. Theachers and officers of the Parent-Teachers' association which is sponsoring the house warming will be in the receiving line. Following the inspection of the house, the fairy operetta, "Katydids," directed by Mrs. R. A. Faver, will be given in the main auditorium. No admission is charged but a free will offering will be made for the benefit of the piano fund.

Escalators Will Be Entertained

Members and friends of the Escalator Sunday school class of the First Methodist church, south, will be entertained with a party in the basement of the church at 8 o'clock Thursday evening. Members of the Ansil Lynn league are invited as special guests.

The wiener roast which had been planned for Friday night has been postponed because of bad weather.

Community Communion Service To Be Held

A community communion service celebrating the Lord's supper will be held Thursday evening at the Highland Heights Christian church beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Paul Henry Packard, pastor, will conduct the service, and preach on "The Forewell of Jesus." R. D. Ford is in charge of the musical program; Mrs. Joe Crouch will be at the piano. An invitation is extended to those who care to attend.

Bethany Class To Enjoy Party

The Bethany Sunday school class of the First Baptist church will be entertained Thursday afternoon with a party at the home of Mrs. Albritton at 18000 Ninth street. Group two will entertain.

Homemakers' Class Meeting Postponed

The meeting of the Homemakers class of the First Baptist church which was scheduled to meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. O. D. McCoy has been indefinitely postponed, it was announced yesterday.

IN THE GLOW OF THE CAMP FIRE

Mrs. Anna Barnhill was hostess to the Pokkam Camp Fire group at her home on Seventeenth street when the girls planned a candy sale for Saturday.

Edith McClure, vice-president, presided in the absence of Eileen Elter, presidnt. The girls sang "Camp Fire Spirit," and repeated the Seven Laws.

The next meeting will be with Charlie Mae Ebner.

Those present were: Edith McClure, Lois Brackett, Lenorah Smith, Myra McMillan, Marjorie Vincent, Mearl Kennedy, Lucile Hibbs, Linnie Mae Baggett and guardian.

MURDERS WITH GERMS.

ATHENS.—Mme. Anastasia Zelorkis, widow of a banker, confessed she killed her husband with disease germs. Then she committed suicide.

Cosma Club With Mrs. E. W. Hough

Mrs. E. W. Hough was hostess to the Cosma club Wednesday afternoon in a delightful meeting at her home, 2147 Avenue F.

Those present included Mesdames J. G. Jolly, Vernon Miller, Claude F. Williams, Fred Madison, E. A. Moran, S. B. Lewis, Joe Lee, E. R. Biggs, Florence Robinson of Fort Worth.

TEXAS GETS $18,000,000

Comptroller Reports On All Money Received During Month.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Actual cash received from all sources of revenue for the state during March amounted to $19,467,641, Comptroller S. H. Terrell, said today, an increase of $5,469,174 over the receipts of $13,998,467 for March 1925. The collections do not take into account the transfers, while the general revenue fund shows $13,554,005, available school fund 544,274, permanent school fund $167,675, and the miscellaneous funds including the state highway fund, $5,381,685.

100 PERCENTER.

Recruiter for C. M. T. C. Gets All Available Youths in County.

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—(AP)—One Texan had a record of 100 per cent in getting applications for the annual citizens military training camps.

He is W. A. Priest of Kermit. To Ralph Durkee of San Antonio, civilian aide to the secretary of war, who appoints the 252 county chairmen for C. M. T. C. and who asked Priest to serve again this year, at the same time gently remonstrating because Priest obtained only one application last year, Priest wrote:

"We have a population of only 50 here in Winkler county. Of this number one boy was within the age limit and I signed him up last year."

ORDER DRY REFERENDUM

ALBANY, N. Y., March 31.—(AP) The senate judiciary committee by a vote of 10 to 8 late today decided to report favorably the Karle resolution calling for a prohibition referendum on June 8.

UPHOLDS KLAN IN NAME FIGHT

Court Holds Term Synonymous With Invisible Empire

INDIANAPOLIS, March 31.—(AP)—The Knights of the ku klux klan organization of Atlanta, Ga., holds sole right to the use of the word "klan," Judge Thomas W. Slick decided in a suit in United States district court here today in enjoining the independent klan of America from using that name. Judge Slick did not rule on the request for $500,000 damages asked by the plaintiff. That point was considered waived as the plaintiff did not present cause for damages in its arguments and briefs.

The permanent injunction also prohibits the independent klan of America from using the names "Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," "the Invisible Empire Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," "the Ku Klux Klan," or the "Klan." The independent klan, which had its inception in Muncie, Ind., about a year ago, was further enjoined permanently from operating in any manner under any of the names "or any similar or like name or names."

"Every one knows what organization is meant when he sees or hears the word 'klan'," Judge Slick ruled. "It is a well established rule that courts will take judicial notice of what is common knowledge among mankind. The court in this case is bound to know that the word 'klan' has come to have a secondary meaning and designates the plaintiff, the ku klux klan and the word 'klansman' is a name applied to the members of plaintiff organization."

MANDAMUS MARRS.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Writ of mandamus was granted the American Book company of Cincinnati today by the Texas supreme court compelling S. M. N. Marrs, superintendent of public instruction to recognize its six year contracts for spellers and general science worth approximately $350,000. No evidence of fraud was found, it was stated.

RICH GIRL SUES RICH MAN.

LITTLEPORT, Eng.—Miss Florence Fordham, wealthy in her own right, won a $2,000 breach of promise verdict against Richard H. Court, a rich youth.

TRY ASSASSINATION

Bomb Exploded In Home Of U. S. Prohibition Agent.

LEWISTON, Idaho, March 31.—(AP)—An attempt to take the life of James F. Rice, federal prohibition agent, was made last night when police said a dynamite bomb was exploded at the corner of the window of his sleeping room.

The bomb tore through the side of the building and hurled portions of the window frame about the room, but Rice was only partially stunned. He had retired and his head was resting within 18 inches of the point where the bomb was placed.

TEXHOMA MAN INJURED

ELECTRA, March 31.—Clarence Sharp, 23, an employee of the Archer Drilling company near the Texhoma lease, south of the city, was injured Wednesday when his right knee cap became injured, and he was brought to the Electra hospital where he will remain several days.

FLORENCE TO STAR

HOLLYWOOD, March 31.—(AP) Florence Vidor, film actress, is to be starred by Famous Players-Lasky. Although never having been starred before, the actress has played lead roles in a number of Paramount pictures.



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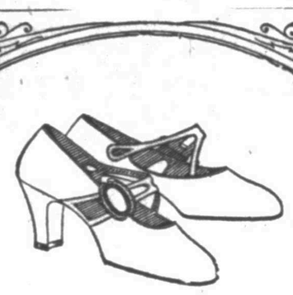
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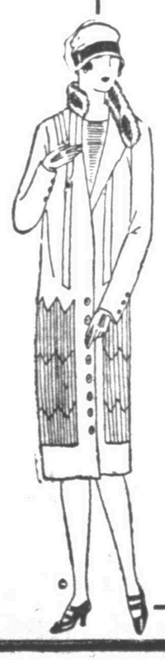
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HOUSE DEBATES ENGLISH CASE

Entire Day Devoted to Argument Over Federal Judge

WASHINGTON, March 31.—(AP)—The house devoted its entire session again today to debate on the resolution to impeach Federal Judge English, of Illinois without reaching a vote.

In an effort to expedite action, however, an agreement was reached to limit debate and on adjournment tonight six hours remained for members to discuss the case.

Leaders hope that a vote will be reached by tomorrow night although the probability of a succession of roll calls made them doubt whether the wind-up would come before Friday.

Although today's proceedings lacked the color of yesterday, members appeared to show a keener interest in the discussion, frequently interrupting to ask for additional information on points at issue.

Speaker Longworth's warning of yesterday not to quote the profane language the judge is alleged to have used in court, however, did not prevent members from referring to the forbidden words by initial letters, word pictures and pauses.

RANGERS ORDERED OUT.

Governor Sends One to Glen Rose, Another to Burleson.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson tonight sent a Texas Ranger to Glen Rose in Somerville county where a deputy sheriff was reported killed late today.

She ordered another Ranger to Somerville, Burleson county, at the request of local authorities, on account of recent arrests there.

Aw, Be oYurself Freshies, You May Yet Be Sophomores

HOUSTON, March 31.—(AP)—Official action of Rice Institute authorities, probably in the form of expelling some of the students is expected shortly as a result of the second kidnapping of sophomore students by freshmen this week, and the breaking of the truce signed by the two classes at the beginning of the term.

The second kidnaping was effected Tuesday afternoon, when Mathilde Hood, vice president of the class, was overpowered by freshman girls and carried away, as she was leaving the Y. W. C. A. meeting. The president of the class, Jack Ogg, was spirited away from the residential halls Monday night by freshmen. Both are being held until after the sophomore dance which will be given tonight.

In retaliation, sophomore girls are holding prominent freshman girls until after their officers are released.

The renewed warfare between the two classes came as a surprise. It had been thought that the annual outbreak between the freshmen and sophomores had been averted by the cancelling of the freshman dance last fall.

BOY INTOXICATED.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP)—Charges of selling liquor to a 14-year-old school boy were filed against a negro woman here this afternoon after the boy appeared at school in an intoxicated condition. He later gave the information which led to filing of charges.

MYSTERY KIDNAPING.

LONDON.—Kidnaped from school, 5-year-old Sarah Singman was restored to her parents two weeks later as mysteriously as she had been taken.

GHOST ARISES AS HIS RIVAL

Hubby No. 2 Accuses No. 1, Long Dead, as Home Interference

MILWAUKEE, March 31.—(AP) Dead for 15 years, the husband of Mrs. Mary Czachorowski was named as co-respondent in a divorce action brought by her second spouse, revealing one of the strangest marital triangles ever heard of here.

Before Judge Briedenbach in circuit court Joseph Czachorowski testified that his wife, Mary, a devotee of spiritualism, neglected her home to attend seances where she hugged and kissed the materialized spirit of her first husband who died in 1911.

The wife on the stand said she was a believer in spiritualism and related a story of seances where she believed she had seen and talked with her first husband.

Judge Briedenbach in granting her a divorce on her counter claim of cruelty yesterday upheld the right of a married woman to make love to the spirit of a deceased husband. Such conduct, he indicated, cannot be classed as infidelity.

The wife asserted that her husband exaggerated affairs in his testimony and said the real reason for their failure to live together amicably was his irritable temper and his habit of striking and beating her.

BANK CLEARINGS GAIN.

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—(AP)—Bank clearings in San Antonio during March showed a gain of $5,949,145.65 over the total for February, according to figures compiled tonight. The total clearings for March were $40,641,808.54 compared to $34,692,662.89 for February.

Schreiner Sells Spring Mohair At 70 Cents a Pound

SAN ANTONIO, March 31—(AP) Charles Schreiner at Kerrville has sold 400,000 pounds of spring mohair to J. M. Lea of San Angelo, representing Draper and company of Boston.

Grown hair brought 67 or 68 cents a pound and kid clips around 70 cents, it was understood. Previous top prices by contract were 55 to 65 cents, respectively.

The prices indicate a strong market.

That sale was the first of the season through a warehouse and was by private treaty, following Schreiner's rejection of sealed bids on 200,000 pounds.

AH! FORT WORTH.

Drug Store Cowboys Permitted to Drink Medicinal Beer.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP)—Sale of Malt nutrine with 3.75 per cent alcoholic content will be permitted by the authorities of Tarrant county until advised to the contrary by the attorney general's department at Austin, it was announced tonight by R. K. Hanger, district attorney.

INJURED IN CRASHES.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP)—Two women were injured, one severly, in an automobile crash here tonight. Miss Beatrice Taylor suffered a deep gash in her right leg and Mrs. B. D. Hale was bruised when their automobile collided with that of J. M. Hayes, who was uninjured.

ELECTROCUTED IN BATH.

HAMPSTEAD, Eng.—Bathing in a metal tub, Miss Martha Kleeman was electrocuted when the insulation burned off a feed cable which touched the tub.

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SCOT TISSUE PAPER 5 rolls for ..... 65¢

TOMATOES HAND PACKED No. 1 Can, 6 for ..... 35c; No. 2 Cans, 4 for 35c

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE 1 lb. Can..55c; 3 lb. Can. $1.60

POST BRAN, 2 for 25c

MORGAN PEAS, No. 2 cans, 3 for ... $1

ASPARAGUS TIPS, small cans .... 25c; Large cans 45c

KOHINOOR CORN, 3 cans for 55c

BURT OLNEY'S TINY GREEN LIMA BEANS, No. 1 can..25c—No 2 can..30c

FANCY RED SALMON, large can, 3 for $1.00

CAMPBELL'S PORK & BEANS, 3 for 25c

PINEAPPLE, sliced or grated, No. 1 can, 2 for ..... 35c; No. 2 cans ..... 25c; No. 2½ cans 35c

CHIMES FRUIT SALADS, No. 2 can 35c

RED PITTED CHERRIES, 4 cans for $1.10

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P. & G. or Crystal White Soap, 12 bars for 50c

Borax Washing Powder, 6 for 25

Gold Dust Washing Powder, 6 for .. 25c

Sal Soda (soften hard water) 2 lb. package 20c

O'Cedar Polish, $1.25 size ..... $1.00; 50c size 50c

Ivory Soap, laundry size, 2 for 25c

Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 for 15c

Climoline, small pkg ..... 15c; Large pkg. 30c

Cotton Mops, medium size 50c

FRESH STRING BEANS GREEN OR WAX Fresh from South Texas, 2 lbs. for ..... 35¢

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News Events and Social Items of Interest From Wichita Falls Area

JUSTICE RAPID IN CROCKETT

Machinery Works Swiftly To Avenge Murder Of Johnson

CROCKETT, March 31.—(AP) Every indication here today was that the machinery of the law was working swiftly to bring justice to members of the mob which two weeks ago dragged Frank Johnson from his home at enter Point, in the southeastern part of Houston county, and shot him to death.

The first important development in the investigation came yesterday when the authorities announced the arrest of Cleon, Hager and Fount McClain, who were remanded to jail without bail on the charge of murder preferred in justice court here.

Today large number of witnesses who live in the vicinity of the killing, were here to testify before the grand jury which is in session. The witnesses were in charge of special bailiffs with instructions to guard them day and night and permit nobody to talk to them and permit them to talk to nobody.

While the authorities decline to discuss the result of the investigation in connection with Johnson's death, it was unofficially indicated today that other arrests might be expected and that developments might be of a startling nature.

IOWA PARK

Personals.

Miss Ima Jado Morrison, member of the local school faculty was at her home in Archer City last week with her parents.

W. R. Bradford and wife and baby spent last Sunday in Petrolia with Mrs. Bradford's parents, J. E. Balch and family.

Weldon Brewster, brother of Professor R. E. Brewster, principal of the local school, is visiting his brother this week.

R. F. Abernathy, ranchman and real estate man has returned from San Angelo.

Mrs. Mamie Dole Brown has returned from Austin where she went as delegate to the Rebekah lodge.

Mrs. A. A. Jackson who has been in the general hospital for the past two days suffering from pneumonia, is much improved.

Rev. A. L. Haley has returned to his home in Abilene after assisting Rev. Highsmith in the protracted meeting just closed.

STUDENT HONORED

Mike Anglin of Iowa Park, freshman law student in Norman, was pledged to Phi Delta, honorary legal fraternity.

Mr. Anglin was one of 15 from more than 100 students elected to this honor. He is very active in college activities also

AGED WOMAN DIES.

ELECTRA, March 31.—Mrs. M. D. Hilburne, aged 64, died Monday after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Hilburne was born in Hill county, Texas, in 1882, but came to Electra many years ago where she has made her home since. Her husband being in the lumber business in this city.

IN ELECTRA.

ELECTRA, March 31. — About 9:30 Tuesday morning the Electra fire department responded to a call at the Home Tailors and Hatters, where the business owned by B. W. Chapman caught fore from an explosion of gas in the rear of the building, causing a damage of the stock, which was valued at $1,500, and the building owned by the D. T. Cross estate was damaged to the extent of $1,000, according to H. Y. Newsum, mayor.

MAIL SERVICE INCREASED.

IOWA PARK, March 31.—Word was received from the post office department, Washington, that beginning April 1, that rural mail route No. 2 going south of Iowa ark, would be lengthened 6.54 miles which would serve some 75 or more people from Iowa Park post office.

Pimples



What can I do?

OH, why can't I have a skin like other girls? Why do I have to have these ugly pimples blotches and blackheads?

"If I could only find something that would clear up my skin and give me back my soft, rosy complexion, I know I would be the happies girl in the world! What can I do?"

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And then this rich, red, pure blood feeds and nourishes the tissues of the skin and keeps it looking healthy.

That's all there is to it. Healthy, vigorous red blood such as S. S. S. helps Nature build, makes you healthy all over. It beautifies your skin — drives away pimples, blackheads, blotches, rash, boils and eczema—gives you back your appetite—builds firm, plump flesh and fills you full of new life and energy.

S.S.S.

All drug stores sell S. S. S. Get the larger bottle. It's more economical.

Nocona Is Swept By Costly Flames

NOCONA, Texas, March 31.—(AP)—Five business concerns at Saint Jo, 18 miles east of here, were destroyed by fire last night with an aggregate loss of about $35,000.

Apparatus from the Nocona and Gainesville fire departments was unable to reach Saint Jo in time to help.

BURK RESIDENT DIES.

BURKBURNETT, March 31. — Thomas B. Johnston age 80, died Tuesday and was buried in the local cemetery. Rev. S. M. G. Barker of the Central Christian church conducted the services.

Deceased was survived by his wife and three sons employes of the Noble refinery where their father worked, previous to his retirement several years ago. The sons are J. O., W. L. and H. L. Johnston, all of this city.

GRAVEL ALTUS ROAD.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Work will be started within a few days graveling the three-fourths of a mile of road east of Altus and the project will be completed within about 60 days, according to Carl Reid, division engineer.

The contract has been granted to the Brown Construction company, and will cost the state, town and county approximately $5,000.

TO GIVE LECTURE.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Mrs. Edward MacDowell, wife of the late Edward MacDowell, poet and musician, will entertain with a lecture and recital April 9 in the city auditorium of Altus when she will come to Altus under the auspices of the MacDowell club of Altus.

She will entertain with a program in Oklahoma City and a few other towns in Oklahoma in April.

ALTUS TO GET CHURCH.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Work will start soon on the $25,000 church building to be erected by the Church of Christ members of Altus.

Seven hundred and fifty seats will be arranged in the main floor and balcony of the building, while the 54 by 0 foot basement will be divided into six class rooms. The house will be constructed of red brick and will be completed September 15.

RECEIVE BOOKS.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Five hundred and ninety history, geography and nature study books arrived this week to be used at the Wilson and Washington ward schools of Altus as supplementary reading books. The books will be paid for by entertainments given by the ward school students.

TO PRESENT PLAY.

VERNON, March 31.—Students of the Fargo high school will present "The Old Fashioned Mother," at the school auditorium Thursday night. The students have been practicing for several weeks under the direction of Miss Alberta Beasley. The leading part is to be played by Miss Lottie Lovelace.

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ELECTRA

PASTORS' ASSOCIATION

The Pastors' association met Monday in the study of the First Methodist church with Rev. E. M. Francis, president of the association in charge. Reports were made from the various churches, with Rev. N. D. Grafton reporting a full house in the new Presbyterian church on Sunday, at both services, and seven additions to the church Sunday morning.

Rev. W. N. Vernon of the Rural Methodist churches reported splendid attendances at the county line, Beaver creek and Red river churches on Sunday. The Assembly of God church, with Rev. Lonnie Whitworth, pastor, said that the general outlook of his church was better.

Rev. E. V. Cole announced that W. B. Hamilton, foreman of the Texhoma Oil company spoke at the evening services at the First Methodist church, and everything looks like that the conference claims would be raised for the year in the next week or two Rev. E. M. Francis of the Baptist church reported that the Sunday services were along the line of education, with the services being on "Home and Foreign Missions," with special songs and reading being given. Mrs. J. C. Lee of Dallas with the Texas W. M. U. spoke in the evening.

Rev. Thomas, a located Baptist minister spoke to some length on the Christians duties.

Rev. F. H. Tinsley who is temporarily filling the Baptist pulpit, said that the main feature of his Sunday services was that every member attended the communion service. Dr. Grafton reported that over 5,500 deciples of Christ in the city had read the book of Acts during February.

Rev. E. V. Cole made a talk on missions. After which the report from the Sunday schools of the city was given, and 1,433 people in the city attended the Sunday schools of the city on the last Sabbath day.

REBEKAHS GO TO BURK

Twenty-two members of the Electra Rebekahs motored to Burkburnett on Monday evening to be guests of the Burkburnett lodge and to confer the degree on one candidate. After the degree was given and several speeches for the "good of the order" were made the Burkburnett ladies served sandwiches, salads, cakes and coffee, to about fifty of their own members and the following guests: Mesdames F. E. McMullen, B. Caddell, C. V. Hevrin, Ida Hughes, Jewel Humphries, C. P. Peterson, W. J. Brown, W. P. Lewis J. M. Holder, Marvin Dees, Joe Youree, W. D. Robinson, A. J. Gafford Suda Awtery, and Misses Myrtle Cooper, Brina Candler, and Messrs. W. D. Robinson, C. P. Nelson, Wayne Belcher, Marvin Dees, W. P. Lewis.

VOGUE BRIDGE CLUB

Misses Dixie Tuttle and Minnie Nell Yelldell were joint hostesses to one of the loveliest pre-Easter parties on Monday evening at the home of Miss Tuttle in Woodruff Heights, at which time the Vogue Bridge club and a number of guests were entertained. Decorations of Easter were carried out in the games and the refreshments were ice cream in the shade of rabbits and cookies. In the games, Miss Kathryn Barr won the high score for the club and was awarded a framed picture, while in the high score for the guest, Miss Ellen Paxton received a novelty necklace. Clay Gullage received a golf score card in a leather case for the high score for the boys.

Those present were Misses Bonnie Jennings, Norma Andrews, Armanda Wilbanks, Christine and Virginia McDannald, Nola Fears, Kathryn Barr, Lucille Wheeler, Clelia Mallow, Louise Gaston, Ellen Paxton, Earline McDannald, Ann Skinner, Lana Hanna, Ruth Prince, Nana and Wilma Kilpatrick; Hessrs. Francis Awtrey, Rolland Roberts, Paul Guinn, Joe McCracken, Max Boyd, Milton Conyers, Paul Brush, Roy Crass, Herman Gibson, Russell Gilbert, Dick Borders, Malcomb Kelley, Clay Gullage, Wayne Gillispie, Paul Seal and Bert Wright.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met on Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. W. P. Birk on West Wharton avenue. The meeting opened with the song, "I Am Thine Oh Lord." The subject was "Devotness to God," with appropriate scriptures. Mrs. Gaston lead in prayer. A very interesting business meeting was held in which plans were made for the dinner to be held in the Lina Motor sales rooms on the evening of April 2, also a bazaar to be held April 2-3. The meeting closed with the song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," followed by the motto, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames, Saye, Bradley, Brewer, P. Pool, Merkt, Dunn, Peters, Hyter, Birk, Grafton, McDonald and Keller.

Mrs. J. R. Brewer will be hostess to the ladies next Monday with a missionary meeting.

DECLAMATION CONTEST

The preliminary declamation contest of the Waggoner junior high school was held on Monday evening at the Waggoner school in the presence of a splendid crowd. The three first places were selected in both the junior boys and junior girls, and these will be in the contest on Wednesday evening against the declamers from all the schools, at which time one from each junior boys and girls and senior boys and girls will be selected to represent the Electra schools in the county meet in Iowa Park April 9 and 10. The junior boys were: Shirley Shanfelt, Edward Terrill and J. A. Tibbitts, with the junior girls, Georgia B. Camp, Wanda Clonlnger and Vivian Fletcher. The judges were Miss Ida Lee Falls, Professor C. V. Harvey and E. E. Rogers.

Y. W. CIRCLE

The Y. W. Circle of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. McCombs, and the lesson was taken from Romans, fifth chapter, and the book "The Wandering Jew In Brazil" was finished, and work began on a second study course, "How To Pray." A business session was taken up in which Mrs. Earl Foreman was elected secretary-treasurer of the circle. Also the ladies finished packing a box for the Buckners orphanage, and sent the box away. Mrs. Earl Foreman will be hostess t othe circle on the scond Monday in April, next Monday being an all-day meeting at the church. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Joe Stewart, C. E. Schlemeyer, M. O. Stowe, O. L. Lanmen, Earl Foreman, J. C. Mozley, Ollie McCombs, Leonard Gillum, J. A. Norwood, and the hostess. Guests of the club were Miss Ollie McCombs, Mrs. Charlie Williams and Mrs. Earl Foreman.

DELTA HANDA BRIDGE CLUB.

Miss Nana Kilpatrick entertained the Delta Handa Bridge club Tuesday evening, with four tables of bridge. Decorations of yellow and green were used, and sherbet and devil food cake were served at the conclusion of the games. Miss Mary Dean Reneau received a vanity case as the club prize. The guests of the evening were Misses Inez Igou, Ann Skinner and Wilma Kilpatrick. The club members were Misses Irene Lebus, Christine McDannald, Violet Myers, Hazel Wilson, Esthma Alderson, Mary Joe Alderson, Alice Skinner, Alace Chapman, Merle Baggett, Norma Andrews, Gladys Turner and Mary Dean Reneau.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS.

The Camp Fire group of the Waggoner ward school met Monday afternoon at the Waggoner school with the president, Miss Mary Lebus in charge of the meeting. Miss Grace Hair, the guardian, took up the business of appointing a committee to select a girl to represent the group at the monthly luncheon at Wichita Falls and Miss Velma Hannah was selected for this place. Other plans were made concerning the club house which they hope to occupy soon. The next meeting will be at the club rooms.

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—J. W. Turner, president of the Southwestern State Teachers college, at Weatherford, has been secured to deliver the commencement address for the graduating class of the Altus senior high school May 19.

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No. 498—**I'm Sitting On Top of the World.**
Fox Trot—*Ross Gorman and His Earl Carroll Orchestra.*
Rythm of The Day.
Fox Trot—*Ross Gorman and His Earl Carroll Orchestra.*

No. 506—**Roll 'Em, Girls.**
Vocal—*Piano Accompaniment, Ed Smalle.*
Oh Lovey Be Mine.
Vocal—*Piano Accompaniment, Ed Smalle.*

No. 504—**Just Around The Corner.**
Fox Trot—*Ted Lewis and His Band.*
While We Dance Till Dawn.
Fox Trot—*Ted Lewis and His Band.*

No. 505—**I'm Sitting on Top of the World.**
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2nd Floor

Happenings of Interest From Wichita Fall's Nearby Neighbors

HOFFMAN CASE TO BE DEFERRED

Trial Likely to Await Suit Involving Citizens Of Austin

AUSTIN, March 31. — (AP) — Doubt that the state's $421,000 highway suit against the Hoffman Construction company of Eastland will go to trial this week was expressed today by Axel Philquist, Travis county district clerk.

"A case involving Austin citizens has priority over the Hoffman suit and will be called at 9 o'clock Thursday. If both sides announce ready, it will be impossible to report the Hoffman suit this week," he said.

The road suit last Monday was left on call, subject to disposition of cases having priority.

Indications are the case may not go to trial until the May term, because of the crowded April docket.

February 5, a jury held that venue belongs in Travis county, as there was "probable fraud" in the company's contract awarded by the highway commission. The defendants sought transfer of the case to Eastland county, where it has its headquarters.

ALTUS

Choral Club Meets.

The Schubert Choral club met Friday afternoon at the First Methodist church in choral practice and business session, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. A. H. Anderson, president; Mrs. Joe Stroud, vice president; Mrs. J. M. Olliver, secretary; Mrs. J. B. Parrish, corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. L. Avery, treasurer; Mrs. J. B. Parrish, pianist; Mrs. T. M. Robinson, parliamentarian; and Miss Charlie Olson, reporter.

Surprise Dinner.

A lovely birthday cake, decorated with violets and tiny yellow candles, in rose holders, and banked with fragrant spring flowers, was used as the central decoration for the table Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Wood entertained with a surprise dinner party, complimentary to their daughter Miss Josephine Wood. The guests at the party were Miss Josephine Wood, Miss Evelyn Ewing, Miss Jean Garnett, Miss Madeline Russell, Miss Ruth Highsmiht, Miss Marcella Russell, Miss Iun Bowles, Miss Nina Hensley and Miss Martha Jane Kimbell.

Joi De Vie Club.

Mrs. Alvin Kindel made high score for guests and Mrs. Joe Smith for club members, Friday afternoon when Mrs. Carl Nesbitt entertained the Joi de Vie club, and a group of additional friends, at her home, 804 East Commerce Street.

A yellow and white color note and other Easter suggestions were used in the house decorations and in the appointments of the bridge tables and dainty lunch which followed the game. Mrs. Nesbitt had as special guests Mrs. Ray Cunningham, Mrs. Elmer Garnett, Mrs. Linwood Ford, Mrs. Alvin Kindel, Mrs. H. Lieberman, Mrs. Jack Cherry, Mrs Elmer O. Hinkel, Mrs. K. C. Baker, Mrs. R. F. Brown, Mrs. W. R. Livermore and Miss Bernice Ford.

Club members present were Mrs. Bruce Braddock, Mrs. Hutton Bellah, Mrs. George Gosselin, Mrs. J. A. McCord, Jr., Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. J. K. Henry, Mrs. R. C. Holt, Mrs. Granville McElroy, Mrs. Gene George McCord, Mrs. Ben Gable, Mrs Hubert Vinyard, Mrs. Senter Stuart and Mrs. Monta Bretherton.

Personals.

Mrs. Erin Wright of Ardmore, was the guest Sunday of Mrs. A. H. Wimberly and Miss Maude Wimberly.

Mrs. D. W. Weaver and Mrs. George W. Artman of Ponca City, who have been guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lisles and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Warren of East Elm Street, have returned to their home in Ponca City.

Mrs. W. S. Jackson of 500 South Spurgeon Street, has returned from a several weeks stay with her daughter in Waxahachie, Texas.

Miss Mary Katherine, Elsie and Miss Mary Elizabeth Koehle of Mangum, were guests Saturday of Miss Wave Troutman of 60. North Hudson Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whittington of 717 North Grady Street, announce the arrival of a baby son.

Mrs. C. R. Tubb will present Ruby Neher in a dramatic art recital at Manitou Thursday night. She will be assisted by Ione and Hortense Gibbons, Helen Starkey, Christine Fuqua and Ackie Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lisles, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Warren and their guests, Mrs. D. W. Weaver and Mrs. George W. Artman of Ponca City, visited friends near Lone Wolf Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nell Musick, Miss Flora Abernathy, Miss Minnie B. Rogers and Mrs. L. H. Hamilton returned Sunday from Shawnee where they attended a B. Y. P. U. convention.

Rev. H. H. Burton and son, Harold Burton, of 310 North Main Street, returned Sunday from Shawnee where they attended the B. Y. P. U. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Witt had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Joyner of Eldorado.

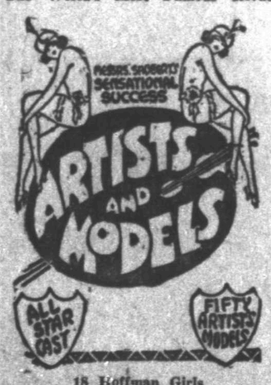
A. S. J. Show of Oklahoma City, visited his father, R. J. Show, this week-end.

Tom Hayes of Oklahoma City, was in Altus last week on business and was the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanna and son, Fred Sumner Hanna, returned from Vernon Saturday.

Miss Elenor Show of Wichita Falls, Texas, spent Sunday in Altus as the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. G. Spears and Dr. Spears and her father, R. J. Show.

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Hart Feature At the Olympic



WILLIAM S. HART

Hart In Typical Role At Olympic In "Tumbleweeds"

"On the screen, only William S. Hart, apparently, can give with subtlety and precision the human aspect of that west about which we have been talking," said Katherine Fuller Gerould in a recent number of Harper's magazine in an article entitled "The Aristocratic West."

The writer's plaint had been to the effect that the authors of books and producers of photoplays depicting the west, signally had failed in showing the west that made the code, the human heritage and creation of that land, and then made the above quoted comment on William S. Hart's understanding and interpretation. In this connection the writer goes on to say:

"I have never happened to see that accomplished actor (Hart) take a cowboy part; but it is a fact that given William S. Hart, a dozen acres of desert, one paint horse, two guns, and a hint of immediate danger just off-stage, and you have the atmosphere in which the code of the far west was born and grew into temporary control of a third of our great land.

"A thousand 'extras' could not turn the trick so well. What he does in any given picture matters little; but the way he does it is history.

"Now—if short of first-hand experience, you want to know—you must not read the western fiction or see the average western film. You must read only the contemporary documents that have been preserved—the history—and the literature that is not fiction; and for conviction through the visual medium watch William S. Hart and him alone.

"The others are mere doers of stunts upon the screen, they have no more psychologic validity than the express train crashing through the broken bridge or the tenement house on fire.

"'Movie stuff?' Truth to tell, a lot of what is written and told and pictured of the west deserves only that approbrious phase. But the fact that the west has been discredited by unveracious art does not prove that there was no west on which were built these poor contrivances."

Hart's latest picture, "Tumbleweeds," is now playing at the Olympic.

"Sally," A Hit On The Stage, Is Now A Hit On Screen

Figures which spell success are always interesting because in many instances they stand for romance. A case in point is "Sally," the Ziegfeld musical comedy success.

"Sally" is now in the movies, presented by First National with Colleen Moore as the star, and is being shown at the Mission theatre. Floyd Hughes and Leon Errol, Broadway comedy kings, head the big supporting cast.

As a stage vehicle for Marillyn Miller the production is declared to have grossed more than $4,000,000 and is acclaimed perhaps the most successful of all American stage hits. Not even the John Golden play, "Lightnin'," excelled its record. "Lightnin'," although enjoying a longer run than "Sally," fell below the Ziegfeld success in gross receipts by some $200,000. New York alone is said to have paid $2,000,000 to witness "Sally" on the screen is as yet entirely problematical, but it may be guessed that the figures will not be far behind those of the spoken theatre.

June Mathis, who was responsible for such film successes as "The Four Horsemen" and "Blood and Sand," made the adaptation of "Sally." Colleen Moore brings this quaint and loveable heroine to the screen with a newness and originality all of her own. Her interpretation of the role is declared to exceed in charm and poignant appeal any of her past characterizations.

Vernon Election Be Held Tuesday

VERNON, March 31.—With only four more days in which candidates for city offices can have their name placed on the ballot for the city election April 6, only one candidate for each of the three offices to be filled by this election has announced, according to City Secretary S. H. Hall. Candidates will not be able to have their name placed on the ballot after Saturday. Petitions to have the name placed on the ballot and the candidate's consent to run must be filed with the city secretary by Saturday night.

Candidates who have met with these requirements are: H. D. Hockersmith, candidate for mayor; S. A. Castlebury, candidate for commissioner from the west side; W. O. Smith, candidate for commissioner from the east side.



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Charleston Champions.
Hawaiian Entertainers
A Seat in the Park.
Silver Voices.
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Majestic Theatre, Saturday, April 3

At The Mission



Colleen Moore and Lloyd Hughes in "Sally"

Autos Replacing Hogs In Oklahoma

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Hogs, at one time, one of the most popular animals on the Jackson county farms, are disappearing at a much more rapid rate in Jackson county than any other animals and, according to the county assessor, the hogs are being replaced by automobiles.

More than two times the number of motor vehicles are listed in the list of property tax valuations than hogs. Often a large number of farmers will render their property in one day and not any of them have possession of hogs. A very small per cent of the tax payers are found to be without an automobile.

One In 12 Pair Divorce In Altus

Special to The Record News.

ALTUS, March 31.—Approximately one-eighth of the number of divorces granted were granted during the past year as marriage licenses issued in Jackson county. Fifty-three divorce cases were filed and marriage licenses issued to 433 couples.

The second year of married life is the most fatal, records show, as nine of the couples divorced in 1925 were married in 1923.

Of the 53 divorces granted, 31 petitions were filed by women and 22 men. Abandonment caused more divorce cases to be filed than anyone other reason, as that was the reason stated in 23 cases.

Only one of the 53 cases was contested. Twenty-eight children were effected by the 18 couples who had minor children.

VERNON

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin O. Culbertson have returned from Tishimingo, Okla., where they spent the week-end with relatives and friends.

J. K. Estes returned from Wichita Falls Tuesday, after visiting that city in the interest of the credit men's banquet which is to be held here April 5.

John Fort returned Tuesday morning from Amarillo where he has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Haney have returned from Tishomingo, Okla., after visiting friends during the week-end.

INSPECT FOOD SUPPLIES.

OLNEY, Texas, March 31.—Every food dispensing house in Olney, every grocery, meat market, restaurant and soda fountain will be thoroughly inspected as to sanitary conditions as a part of the program outlined for the clean-up campaign under way during this week. Committees have been selected by the chamber of commerce to carry out these inspections. Reports will be kept and recommendations made in those cases where sanitary conditions do not prevail.

CHURCH PROGRESSING.

OLNEY, Texas, March 31.—Work is progressing rapidly on the new German Lutheran church of this city. Darnell brothers, contractors from Abilene, who were awarded the contract, have arrived on the scene and are hauling materials to the location site. This building is being rushed to completion in an effort to have it ready for use in about two months.



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OLYMPIC OFFERS SONG AND DANCE

Comedy Also Mixed up In Profusion in New Vaudeville Bill

Songs, dances and comedy predominate this week on the vaudeville bill to be offered at the Olympic theatre and which opens Thursday for its regular three day run. Some of the headliners of the Bert Levy circuit have been booked and promise to provide one of the best balance and most enjoyable, bills of the season.

In "An Evening at Home," the Conners troup provide a unique novelty offering full of surprises. The number consists of a long series of songs and dances, interspersed with some acrobatic thrills of no mean bearing. The offering is well put together.

"Larry Semon" Here.

Bert Clinton, "The Lary Semon of Vaudeville," is just that for the stage. His make-up, mannerisms and comedy antics are distinctly reminiscent of the famed comedian of the screen, and he puts it all over with the ease and style of a born entertainer. He is an acrobat and uses the parallel bars to perfection. Laughs, however, are the main thing he extracts from them.

Exceptional stage settings and gorgeous scenery combine to give the Roulette Duo in "Sensational Surprises" a nine-minute appearance of high powered entertainment. The act is one of the most novel in vaudeville.

Here's a Hot One.

"Ventriloquial Variety" is the somewhat complicated billing of John Raymond and Ruth Ann, who have a new and laughable cross-fire between the puppets they control. At no time during the act does interest lag, and most of the time the audience is kept in a roar of laughter.

A versatile pair of entertainers will appear in Wally and Harcourt who have "A European Novelty" that is constructed mainly for laughing purposes. Their comedy, their songs and their dances are all of the highest order and are warranted to get results.

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From Ziegfeld's greatest musical comedy—
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Resident Of Haskell Near Electrocution During Rain Storm

HASKELL, March 31.—T. A. Pinkerton and family went through an experience as strange as fiction just as they were arising at about 6 o'clock. A pet dog that has been taught to scratch on the door and whine when it wants in, bounded against the door and barked frantically, and when Mr. Pinkerton went to ascertain the cause and to open the door, he found that the house was on fire above the door near the electric switch. He pulled the fuse and put out the fire and then noticed a light in the garage, he went across the wet back yard and reached to press the button that turned off the light when he was knocked to the ground and rendered unconscious. When help came and Mr. Pinkerton was restored to consciousness, it was found that three fingers and the bottom of his feet were badly burned as were the soles on his shoes.

CONSCIENCE TRAPS SLAYER.

LILLE, France.—Andre Clotier gave himself up here for a murder of which he had not been suspected and said his conscience had compelled him to confess.

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European Comedy Entertainers
The Roulette Duo
"Sensational Surprises"

EXPERT AVERS FRONT KITCHEN MOST USEFUL

Living Room In Back Facing Gardens Recommended by Designer

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Some revolutionary ideas in house building are being presented at a clinic for home builders here this week. Why, for instance, put the kitchen in the back of the house? Earl H. Reed Jr., head of the architecture department of Armour Technical Institute, says it may just as well be in front.

"Live on your whole lot," he suggests. "Your front yard should be small, merely a concession to the public. Let your kitchen have a window ot the street and let your living room and dining room face the back yard. Then make a garden of that back yard—have a lawn, with a grass terrace and trees and shrubbery, a playground for yourself and children. Further back, hidden by the shrubbery, there should be a vegetable garden, the garage and a chicken yard."

The average small house costs more than it ourht to, he said, because it is cluttered with details airming at style which succeed only in making it an architectural museum.

"Don't worry about style. A suggestion of detail in the front doorway or in the living room fireplace gives a home more distinctiveness than the expenditure of hundreds of dollars for features which serve only to make it a monstrosity."

IRRIGATION

(Continued From Page One.)

a bond issue which amounts to approximately $50 per acre and constitutes a first mortgage against the land. It is not far from correct to say that 90 per cent of the annual tax and water rent that has been paid so far has been paid from money received from oil and sources other than agricultural. What, then, of the day when this money must be raised from the soil and the profits arising from truck and agriculture produced from lands under irrigation. Only the irrigating farmer will ever discharge these tax burdens. Unless the farmer is irrigating successfully, he cannot meet this obligation. The banker who is asked to advance the money to the farmer for the purpose of paying irrigation taxes and water rent will not do so with this mortgage already against the land. In other words, the borrowing power of the farmer has been destroyed. He must raise money by profitable operation of his farm. We have thought that he is in a better position to do this because he is now insured against crop failures due to droughts.

The Present Situation.

"The present situation then is as follows: The farmer has his land with an adequate water supply in the irrigation canal running across one end of his land. He has a mortgage against that land as mentioned. He is a farmer that has lived in this country for years and has never had any experience in irrigation. He realizes his situation; he is eager to learn; he is loyal to the project; he has not rebelled against any taxes; he is willing that his irrigation district No. 2, discharge its obligation to District No. 1; but as mentioned he does not know anything about irrigation. He just as well have an expensive piano in his house with no member of his family knowing how to use it. He is as happy as a man with a pipe and no tobacco. What is the solution? Use every resource at our command to teach that man as quickly as possible how to prepare his soil, level it, ditch it and drain it, and what his soil will best produce under irrigation, encouraging as great a diversity of crops as possible and teach him the lessons of proper application of the water. After he has done this successfully, the irrigation water furnished him has become an asset and has enhanced the value of his land and he has gained his economic independence. Until that time he is a debtor and one that sooner or later will rebel against the law, may abandon his farm and move to another country. I have heard it said that we have to get farmers in here who know how to irrigate. Of course, it is true that we should encourage the best class of experienced irrigation farmers to move here, buy lands and rent lands, but our first duty is to help the man, who we have encouraged to vote this tax and bond issu eagainst his land, to reap the benefits that we promised him. The people of Wichita Falls at this time, owe a great duty to the rural districts who have accepted this burden largely through our influence.

Co-operation Needed.

"We will show a spirit of co-operation when we use every means at our command to establish for the benefit of the farmer already in our midst, and his boys, agencies to furnish them the proper information and skilled advice and demonstrate before their eyes the things that they may accomplish upon their own farms. To let the farmer work out his own solution, when he has no means of going away to visit irrigated districts, is simply to deny him the same spirit of co-operation that we ask him to show when we provided ourselves and our city with this permanent water supply. If the farm lands around Wichita Falls do no enhance in value after we have made a fair trial of irriagtion, every business institution and every man and woman in Wichita Falls will suffer a financial loss, as a direct result of the failure in the rural districts. Therefore, let us join hands in establishing demonstration farms and bringing into this community irrigation experts who will give the farmers of this district their time and the benefit of their knowledge and information, with the view of causing the irrigation to be carried on, not haphazardly, but in a systematic and scientific way, to avoid, at the outset, mistakes which have ruined other irrigated districts and stamped such projects as failures.

"We have sufficient land at the fair grounds of the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association adjacent to the irrigation canal for one of the best demonstration farms and irrigation schools that can be established anywhere in the district. The men in acquiring this land at the beginning of the fair, dedicated its use to the public good and we now have a rare opportunity to be of service to the rural districts and the entire community in establishing a combination demonstration farm and irrigation school which will be headquarters for everything pertaining to irrigation and the farmer. He will have a place to go where he can discuss his problems and will there find a man who will go to his place without any expense to him and help him work out the problems that confront him day by day in his effort to make irrigation a success. In this way we share the burdens; we co-operate; we discharge the duty which we owe our friend—the farmer, and will bring him closer to us and link this entire irrigated valley to us in a bond of friendship and whole-hearted support of the project, in which today lies our chief hope of permanent success.

"It is not far distant when agricultural colleges located adjacent to irrigated districts will, in addition to the instruction in dry farming, give instruction in the science and art of irrigation. There is a want at this time among the young men of today for such an education. It will turn them back to the farms instead of away from them. In a short time we will have a fair more educational in its nature than any that has ever been established. It is hardly worth while to own such valuable property as that belonging to the Texas-Oklahoma Fair association, if used only five or six days out of the year. The use herein suggested will give us a use of it each day in the year and soon will produce practical and beneficial results far beyond anything imagined at the time the institution was founded. I have not found a single person during the present fair campaign that has not agreed wholeheartedly with the propostion to convert the property into a combination irrigation school and fair. I think we have sufficient support to raise the $100,000 and if so, the permanency of the irrigation school and the fair is assured.

DENY JAP PACT

WASHINGTON, March 31—(AP) Ambassador Telles, acting on instructions from his government, today issued a formal statement declaring reports that Mexico had granted land concessions in Lower California to a Japanese syndicate were "absolutely false."

SMOKING NURSES OUT.

GRANTHAM, Eng.—Four hospital nurses accused of smoking with their patients while on duty were allowed to resign to escape being discharged.

News of the Fields

Atlantic, Waggoner

The Atlantic Oil Producing company is drilling at 2048 feet in its No 4, Sigler Waggoner in section 51, block 2, H&TC survey.

Atlantic, Ooldham

The Atlantic Oil Producing company is looking for the thousand foot sand in its No. 3, Oldham on the company's lease in the Hubble survey, central Archer county.

Gilliland, Dutton

C. W. Gilliand is drilling at 1450 feet in his No. 1 Dutton in section 11, league 4 of the Denton County school lands.

Cochran, Shelton

On the Shelton land to the west of the road and in the new Fowlkes station pool, Cockran and associates have a sand which it is reported will be tested and which was topped at 1902 feet.

Tidal, Mangold

The Tidal Oil company has made location for a test to be drilled in the northwest corner of lot 22 of the Mangold sub-division, Archer county. Tools will be moved on this week.

Decker, Peeler

Decker and associates are drilling at 1510 feet in their No. 1 Peeler, located in the southeast corner of section 25 of the Harris Club ranch subdivision. The test had a dry sand from 1394-1438 feet.

Landreth Wildcat

The Landredth Production company is drilling at 1,450 feet in its No. AAA-1 wildcat located in section 8, block 5, H. & T. C. survey and to the east of the Landredth pool., Wilbarger county.

Manley-Kramer, Stinger

Manly and Kramer are underreaming at 860 feet on their No. 1, Stringer, located in lot 5, block 23, approximately 3 miles east of Electra.

Young, Taylor

Young and associates have made location for a test to be drilled in the southwest corner of the south 40 acres of the north 80 acres of the east half of S. P. survey section 1, abstract 428, Archer county.

Howell, Douglas

On the Douglas land, approximately 1 mile north and west of the Fowlkes station production, Howell and associates are drilling again at 800 feet after being shut down on their No. 1 test. The well is located in the L. M. Collins survey, block 4.

Craig-Wilson, Andrews

Craig and Wilson have a sand topped at 950 feet in their wildcat test located approximately in the centre of the south line of the J. Hholson survey, abstract 704 and approximately five miles south and east of Anarene. The sand it is reported, will be tested.

Texhoma, Hamilton

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company will set casing today to test a sand encountered at 1,801 feet in its No. 8, Hamilton, located 300 feet to the south of No. 7 in section 22, league 4, of the Denton county school lands.

Howell, Brown

Location has been made by Howell and Barkley for a test to be located in the center of lot 13, section 98, ATNC survey, Archer county. The test which is rigging up is approximately 2 miles southeast of the Sunshine pool.

Bridwell-Heydrick, Waggononer

Bridwell and Heydrick are drilling and feeling for the sand in their No. 2, J. Waggoner, a wildcat located in the north east corner of lot 20 of the Waggoner subdivision, Wichita county.

Atlantic, Rachuig

The Atlantic Oil Producing company is moving in its No.'s 1 and 2 Rachuig on the company's lease in section 4, BBB&C survey, north Young county. Location for No. 1 is 150 feet in the northeast corner of the lease while No. 2 is to be 300 feet to the west.

Perkins, Dutton

Perkins, Callum and Stmp's No. 2, Dutton, a 300 foot south ofset to their discovery well in section 11, league 4 of the DCLS is a dry hole at approximately 1835 feet.. The test had an oil show at 1816 feet. At 1835 feet the test was in water sand. Casing was not set to test. The north offset to the discovery well is looking for the sand today.

Brit. American, Murrah

In the southeast corner of the Murrah tract in section 3 league 3 of the Denton county school lands the British American Oil corporation is drilling at 1,170 feet. The test reduced for, but missed the shallow pays as encountered in the district at 800 and 900 feet.

Whittekin-Smith, Inman

D. M. Whittekin and H. Arden Smith have made location for a wildcat spudder test to be located 2,031 feet north and 1,404 feet east of the southwest corner of the S. McKimb survey southeast Archer county. Rig will be on location and the well spudded next week.

Finley, Johnson

On the Johnson ranch to the south of the Petrolia field and in section 48 of the Parker county school lands, Clay county, the wildcat test of Knox Finley is showing gas and oil on the swab from sand topped at 1,675 and drilled five feet. The well is at present being cleaned out following trouble with the casing seat.

Foard County Wildcat

The wildcat test of the Navarro Oil company on the Easley farm approximately 26 miles south and west of Crowell, Texas, and in Ford county tested a sand topped at 2,774 feet and the well showed up as a twenty-barrel producer. Today it was understood that the test would be carried to a deeper pay rather than equip to pump at this horizon.

Landreth, Waggoner

The Landredth Production company has two wells on the sand on which casing has been set and the tests drilled in this week. No. Q-2 in section 47, block 2, H. & T. C. survey topped the pay at 2,290 feet, and No. EE-1 in section 43, block 4 topped the pay at 2,585 feet. Both are showing oil and will be completed on the pump in the next few days.

Bridwell, Beardon

Bridwell and Heydrick have made location for two tests to be drilled on the Beardon land in the Hardaway survey and to the west of the Ragle pool. No. 1, a location, will be 150 feet in the northeast corner of the lease which is the south 51 acres of the Beardon estate in lot 1 of the Hardaway, Hopkins and Payne survey. No. 2 will be 300 feet to the south of No. 1. This test is spudded and drilling at 200 feet.

Shasta, Ferguson

The Shasta Oil company and John O'Donohoe have a sand on their No. 1 Ferguson, located in the southeast corner of lot 8, of the E. Patterson survey, abstract 1179, North Archer county, Sand in the test was encountered at 1,745 feet. Casing will be set today to test. The test located as it is to the west and south of production and approximately two miles north of Mankins townsite will be closely watched.

Shackelford County Test

The new Shackelford county pool as discovered by Marland and Rosier Pendleton a short time back was given definite assurance of longevity Wednesday when the Humble Oil and Refining company's No. 1 Cook, located in the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 84, E. T. R. R. Co. survey came in flowing better than 50 barrels per hour from sand reported to have been topped at 1,240 feet. The well is a diagonal northwest offset to the Marland producer.

AUSTIN DRAWS PATRONAGE ROW

Wurzback-Creager Fight To Center in Naming Of Postmaster

AUSTIN, March 31.—The Texas republican patronage issue may be fought to a showdown over the Austin postmastership, and over the appointment of a democrat to the office.

The split which has been growing more grave between Congressman Barry Wurzbach, only republican member from Texas, and R. B. Creager and other organization leaders, has now been passed to the national chairman and to President Coolidge for a decision just as the fight over the Austin postmastership plum reached its most intense stage. It is the principal point of contention now, and the making of the appointment has been delayed until observers consider it clear that it has become a test issue to determine future control of party patronage.

Two Are Certified.

Florian B. King and F. C. Rosenberg, republicans, were certified by the civil service commission.

Congressman Wurzmach and his forces are reported to be backing L. Lynn Hunter, Austin business man and democrat as a measure toward restoring harmony between warring factions of the party leaders in the state.

Wurzbach did not give up the fight when the civil service list was closed, but immediately took steps to have this list thrown out and new examinations held.

Enlists Tilson Aid.

Mr. Wurzbach has also succeeded in enlisting Congressman Tilson of the national republican committee, and other leaders, in the Texas contest between himself and R. B. Creager, national committeeman, which has gone along in guerilla fashion ever since Wurzbach landed in congress with a republican majority.

Tilson charged that organization leaders were "more interested in patronage than party welfare" in Texas, and Creager and others have replied to him with the challenge, addressed to National Chairman Butler, which means review by President Coolidge—to post a huge campaign contribution in case Creager and the party committee in the state are not sustained after an investigation by national leaders. The challenge is conditioned that Wurzbach, Tilson and others should pay a similar amount to the campaign fund if they lose.

BONDS INVALID

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later, H. S. Scaling, a taxpayer instituted suit against J. P. Williams, county judge, and the four county commissioners, attacking the validity of the bonds, upon the grounds that the chief justice says are not necessary to mention. The validity of the new law was not attacked in that proceeding. An agreed judgment was entered on October 8, 1925, pronouncing $49,000 of the bonds to be invalid, and $11,000 to be legal and valid. The road district was also adjudged valid. Neither side gave notice of appeal filed statement of facts or bills of acceptance. However, within the prescribed legal time limit, plaintiff on February 6, 1926, filed petition for writ of error and the case went to the court of civil appeals, after the Archer county decision by the supreme court.

Attacks Law.

Scaling then attacked the validity of the law, depending on the Archer county decision as the basis for this proceeding.

As to whether the owner of the Clay county bonds was heard in the Fort Worth proceedings, the record fails to disclose, nor is it indicated when the bonds were sold.

It has been indicated that a motion for rehearing may be filed in the court of civil appeals within fifteen days after the decision. If the motion should be overruled, appeal to the supreme court may be instituted within thirty days.

Chief Justice Conner's opinion says, in part:

"The decree of the supreme court of the United States upon subjects within their lawful jurisdiction is of course, the supreme law of the land and we are bound thereby. So being bound, we can but declare the proceedings of the commissioner's court brought in review of this case unauthorized and without legal effect. It follows that the road district and the bonds under consideration are without enforcible existence.

"The foregoing conclusions do not seem to be questioned by the defendants in error. Their contention is that the plaintiff in error is now stopped from asserting the invalidity of the road district bonds attacked. They say:

Bonds Are Sold.

"The main and only question presented to this court is whether a solemn contract entered into by the plaintiff in error shall be set aside at his instance in this suit because of an unconstitutional law which he did not attack in his pleadings in the district court, but solely and in open court entered into his agreement to settle the cause then pending. It was an agreement to authorize the issuance of $11,000 of bonds for the improvement of roads in his district and of which he would receive the benefit. The suit was for the purpose of enjoining the sale of the bonds. His agreement was to permit the sale of bonds to the extent of $11,000. These bonds have been sold, and the plaintiff should be stopped from coming into this court at this time."

After reviewing the law of estopped ad invited error, Judge Connor then wrote:

"If the law by virtue of which the road district was established and the bonds issued was invalid in contravention of the federal constitution, we think, be correctly held that the county was bound by the judgment. It is well settled that commissioner's courts have such powers only as are given them by authorized law, and we cannot think that the commissioners court of Clay county is bound by the judgment under consideration. It has been held that the county is not estopped from pleading lack of power to issue bonds or refunding warrants where restricted by constitution or stafute, nor a city estopped to deny an unauthorized contract."

10 LESS IN PEN THAN YEAR AGO

Small Decline Shown Despite Ma's Pardoning Policy

Special to The Record News.

AUSTIN, March 31.—Prison population of Texas this week was just 10 below what it was on the day Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson went into office, despite 300 pardons granted in her 15 months' term.

When Governor Ferguson took office, there were 3,560 inmates of the Texas prison and prison farms.

Today there are 3,550 in prison.

These prisoners are scattered among 13 farms, prison headquarters at Huntsville, state asylums, and the Fort Bend oil mill plant.

There are 340 prisoners in the walls at Huntsville. The largest number at any one place is the 510 prisoners at work on the Ramsey state farm.

There are 27 prisoners in asylums, and 52 at the oil mill plant. Population on the other farms is: Blakely, 123; Blue Ridge 302; Clemens, 302; Darrington, 160; Eastham, 287; Ferguson, 140; Goree farm for women, 70; Harlen, 278; Imperial, 358; Retrieve, 194; Senior farm, 127; Wynne farm 117.

BLAST OUR HOPES

Dean Law Will Not Permit Sale Of "Medicinal" Beer

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Medicinal beer, selling in northern cities with a 3.75 per cent alcohol "kick" will not come to Texas in the opinion of Assistant Attorney General C. A. Wheeler, because of the Dean liquor law.

The Dean law, said to be the strictest anti-liquor law, will not permit medicinal or any other kind of beer to be sold in Texas he said.

HOPPE REDUCES LEAD

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Willie Hoppe, defending champion, reduced Jake Schaefer's advantage from 218 to 78 caroms in the fifth block of their 3,600 point billiard match for the 18.1 balk line championship today. The title holder outplayed his challenger by 440 to 300, the match score reading 1,500; Hoppe 1,422.

Oklahoma Plant Sets Gas Shipping Record

TULSA, Okla., March 31.—The Sinclair Oil and Gas company shipped via the Frisco railroad Wednesday, 35 cars, capacity 10,000 gallons each, or a total of 350,000 gallons of natural gasoline from the company's Garber plant, to the Gulf Coast.

The above is the first load shipped from Sinclair's new gasoline plant. The shipment left Covington early Wednesday morning.

An effort will be made by Sinclair with the co-operation of the Frisco, to make this a record haul, from Covington, to the Gulf Coast. The train will be drawn by an oil burning engine.

RANCHER IS SLAIN

SANDERSON, Texas, March 31.—(AP)—Max Luckie, Terrell county rancher, was killed near Dryden yesterday, and a man charged with the shooting is in the county jail here.

Circumstances surrounding the shooting were not revealed here today.

GLASGOW. — An 11-months-old bull, owned by J. J. Moubray, sold for $15,000 at Perth.



"Weak and Puny"

"I WENT fishing one day, a heavy storm came up and I got soaking wet in the rain," says Mrs. Ora Carlile, of Ore City, Texas, whose picture appears above, telling of the serious complications that followed this exposure.

"I was afflicted with awful smothering spells," she continues. "My mother had some Cardui in the house that she was taking, so she immediately began giving it to me. In a few days I got all right. I continued the use of Cardui for a while to be sure that my recovery was permanent.

"Last fall I got run-down in health. I was weak and puny and I began to suffer. I would get so weak I could hardly walk. Having taken Cardui before, I sent to the store for a bottle of it and began to take it. Almost from the first dose I could feel the improvement.

"I wrote to The Chattanooga Medicine Company for the Home Treatment Book, and as soon as I got it I began taking Cardui according to the directions that specially fitted my case. It wasn't long until I was feeling a great deal better.

"I am much, much better now. I do not feel like the same woman I was last fall. My appetite is good now and I'm sure it's Cardui that's made it pick up, for in the fall I had no relish for food at all, while now I'm hungry for my meals."

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Most men and women past fifty must give to the bowels some occasional help else they suffer from constipation. One might as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect a gentle aid to weak bowels.

Is your present laxative, in whatever form, promoting natural bowel "regularity"—or must you purge and "physic" every day or two to avoid sick headache, dizziness, biliousness, cold, or sour, gassy stomach?

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin helps to establish natural, regular bowel movement even for those chronically constipated. It never gripes, sickens or upsets the system. Besides, it is absolutely harmless and pleasant to take.

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COST OF RAIL LINE TO GULF TO BE MILLIONS

Beaumont, Port Arthur-Waco Extension Contracted by K. C. S.

BEAUMONT, March 31.—(AP)—More than $9,000,000 will be needed in rebuilding and extending the proposed Waco Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine railroad it was brought out in the interstate commerce commission hearing here today. The KCS challenging the right of the road to make the extensions endeavored to develop that the Waco-Port Arthur line as now planned would not justify such expenditures.

For rehabilitating the existing main line between Weldon and Livingston $391,000 will be needed according to A. M. Acheson, chief engineer of the W. B. T. and S. and for similar work between Trinity and Colmsnell $410,600 will be needed.

Costs Millions.

He further testified that the proposed extension from Livingston to Beaumont and on to Port Arthur would cost $2,607,000 while the extension from Weldon to Mart would cost $3,197,000. From Mart into Waco it is planned to use the I. & G. N. Cost of additional rolling stock and locomotives such as would be required with the through line would cost, for the present $2,198,000 it was estimated.

The chief issue involved and to which the KCS is taking strongest exception is the proposed extension between Beaumont and Port Arthur, through which refinery territory the KCS now enjoys virtual monopoly. The Duff line has contended that to get the proper water terminal it must move south of Beaumont, that port now permitting the expansion required by the W. B. T. and terminal.

Plan Sea Terminal.

It developed today that the Duff line plans to solve this problem by building to a municipal wharf terminal a short distance above Port Arthur and which the city of Port Arthur plans to build if Colonel Duff is successful in his application. It was stated that Port Arthur already has taken option on the land.

Territory witnesses supporting Colonel Duff today were: C. J. Acock, a cotton buyer of Trinity; Dr. J. B Barnett, of Thornton; Turner Camp, secretary of the Groesbeck chamber of commerce, and R. W. Cowan, mayor of Mart. All declared that the road is badly needed between Waco and Beaumont and without exception testified to waiting tonnage which the Duff line might use.

Mines Bureau Will Study Oil Recovery

WASHINGTON, March 31.—(AP)—An investigation to determine methods for increasing the recovery of oil from oil sands has been started by the bureau of mines at its Bartlesville, Okla., experiment station with D. B. Bow of the Laramie, Wyo., mines office, in charge of the work.

This question is regarded by the bureau as one of the most important confronting the oil industry. It is generally estimated that only about 20 per cent of the oil under ground is recovered by present methods of flowing and pumping. The bureau plans to study physical properties of crude oil that affects the recovery of oil from sands, such as surface tension and other phases.

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U. S. Files Five More Suits Against Baking Combination

BALTIMORE, March 31.—(AP)—Five more defendants in the government's suit directed at an alleged "huge combination in the baking industry," filed answer to a government petition in equity in federal district court today. Seven defendants filed last week. The government action named seven corporations headed by the Ward Wood Products corporation, inc., in Maryland, with an assessed capital of $2,000,000,000 and eight individuals. All answers have been substantially alike in denying the government charge of conspiracy for violation of the Clayton and Sherman anti-trust laws.

Those answering today were the General Baking corporation, the General Baking company; Paul H. Helms, J. W. Rumbaugh and R. E. Peterson.

RUSS TAKE TO JOKES

Soviet Newspapers Copy America In Printing Comics

MOSCOW, March 31.—(AP)—Columns of comic pictures and jokes have begun to appear in the bolshevik newspapers in Russia. One of Leningrad's papers inaugurated its funny column with a joke about America. "Why is the statue of liberty built in the water?" it asked and gave as the answer "because there's no place for liberty on the mainland."

IRISH PLAN PICNIC

DUBLIN, March 31.—(AP)—Two tons of high explosives, 285 live bombs and hand grenades, 5,000 spare parts of bombs, 5,000 pounds of rifle ammunition and 10,000 detonators in addition to bomb making machinery have been found in a stable in North King street. It is said the stable is owned by Maurice Fenlon, who escaped from Mount Joy prison some time ago. No arrests have been made.

SILENT PANIC BELIEVED OVER

New York Stock Market Weathers Storm On Bear Selling

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—The "silent panic" in the stock market, as the recent drastic re-action has been widely characterized in Wall street, is over, at least temporarily. Bear traders, flushed with success at their ability to set in motion a liquidating movement which has wiped out billions of dollars in the quoted values of listed securities made a last desperate effort to keep it going today by a selling onslaught on the railroad equipment shares but the market weathered the storm, and prices of all classes of stocks closed one to 15 points higher on the day.

Judged by the averages, the recovery was more impressive and extensive than any single day's decline, the industrials rebounding more than four points and the rails almost 3 1-2 points. Total sales were calculated by Associated Press tabulators at 2,570,000 shares, as compared with 3,317,700 yesterday and 3,785,700 in the record breaking session of March 3.

BAYLOR GIRL WINS

Debating Team Triumphs In Elimination Contests.

ESTES PARK, Colo., March 31. (AP)—Five men's teams and three women's teams have thus far survived the elimination contests being held here at the sixth annual convention of Pi Kappa Delta, national debating fraternity.

The colleges represented in the women's section: Baylor college, Texas; Southwestern college, Kansas, and College of the Pacific, California.

Pan American Will Float Bond Issue

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., March 31.—(AP)—Revealing a big financing program the Pan-American Petroleum company has given a deed of trust to secure $15,000,000 six per cent gold bonds, it is revealed in an agreement filed for record in Kern county. The deed of trust is in favor of the Chase National bank of New York, trustee, and the Security Trust and Savings bank is named as California trustee.

It is proposed to issue $15,000,000 first mortgage bonds, maturing Dec. 15, 1940.

Gas Prospecting Permits Extended

WASHINGTON, March 31.—(AP)—Final congressional action was taken today on a bill to extend for two years oil and gas prospecting permits issued under the act of 1920.

The senate accepted a minor amendment by the house and the measure now goes to President Coolidge who is expected to approve it.

Besides extending existing permits the measure would make valid any permit which has expired because of a lack of authority under existing law to make further extensions.

ASKS APPROPRIATION

WASHINGTON, March 31.—(AP) Continuation of $1,240,000 in appropriation annually for 1928-29 to defray expenses of the Sheppard-Towner maternity and infancy act was urged today in the senate by Senator Sheppard. The present appropriations expire on June 30, 1927, he said, and the continuation would not conflict with the financial program of the administration.

LEONINE MARCH SAYS 'GOODBYE'

Stormy Month Roars Farewell, Leaving Nation In Shiver

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—The March lion roared a departing farewell tonight and left virtually the entire country keen deep in snow.

The departing month left middlewest, northwest and southwest in the icy grip of a 72 hour blizzard which was tearing eastward in the teeth of a powerful wind.

While the storm of three days duration had partly paralyzed all forms of transportation and wire communications caused heavy property loss and resulted directly or indirectly in upwards of a score of deaths, weather bureau forecasts indicated some relief tomorrow in the form of colder weather, gradually decreasing precipitation and abatement of the wind.

The colder weather, however, threatened to throw transportation facilities into even a worse jam than they were tonight, with prospects of freezing snow and slush forming a serious handicap o all forms of travel.

The southwest today earned a breathing spell with a counter attack by spring to give people in these states an opportunity to dig themselves out of the drifts, but the relief was said to be only momentary as another storm from the northwest was headed toward these states.

In the northwest cold weather had already appeared with temperatures ranging from 10 to 18 inches was left with drifts ten feet or more in depth.

The middlewest states received the brunt of the storm's fury and tonight it was moving rapidly eastward. Nebraska laid claim to the only spring weather in the region. This state reported sunshine, little snow and freezing. Iowa and Illinois railroads and street car traffic was seriously handicapped with street car traffic in some cities abandoned while thousands of snow shovelers tried to dig out the drifts. Trains from Chicago westward were running from an hour to a day late and some train schedules were scratched.

U. S. Is Invited To Court Meeting

GENEVA, March 31.—(AP)—A formal invitation to the United States to participate in the meeting of signatories of the world court protocol to be held in Geneva September 1, to discuss American reservations to adhesion to the court was dispatched to Washington today.

The general opinion in league of nations circles tonight was that the conference of court members would be held even if Washington should decide not to participate.

SHOCK FATAL AT 103.

ROCH, Eng.—The shock of her daughter's sudden death proved fatal to Mrs. Martha Sinnett, aged 103.

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RAMSEY RESIGNS

Amarillo Man Quits One State Job To Take Another

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—S. M. Ramsey of Amarillo, resigned from the game, fish and oyster commission today, to accept appointment as secretary to the state board of control, succeeding Sam. H. Carter, who died ten days ago. Ramsey was a newspaper man at Amarillo. He formerly was connected with the warehouse and markets department, which was abolished.

PROTEST NEW BEER

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—A protest against "medical beer" was wired today to Morris Sheppard and Earle Mayfield, Texas United States senators and J. P. Buchanan, congressman from the tenth Texas district by R. Harper Kirby of Austin, recognized as a leader of Texas prohibition forces.



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When obnoxious laws are enacted
We grumble and mutter and fuss,
And mumble and moan and murmur and groan,
Yet they wouldn't be there but for us.

We don't like the way we are governed,
We hate to abide by the rules
Which are made, we declare, with a wail of despair
By a pack of political tools.
Our freedom, we say is imperiled;
Our rights, which we've always held dear,
Will soon be snuffed out, yet there isn't a doubt
That we'll vote the same crowd in next year.
Our earnings are mopped up by taxes,
We can't have the drinks that we need—
We are paying too high for whatever we buy
To eat, wear, ride 'round in, or read.
This state of affairs should be mended,
The government needs fearless men,
Then election day comes and we beat on our drums
And put all the "ins" in again.

And so it will be in the future
As it always has been in the past,
We will thunder and storm and cry out for reform
And gaze at conditions aghast.
And although the state of the nation
We meet every day to deplore,
We shall be just as free as such dubs ought to be,
And maybe a little bit more.

Milady's Easter Bonnet Costs U. S. Sum Of $1,500,000

WASHINGTON, March 31—(AP) Preparations to fill the Easter bonnet demand are disclosed in commerce department reports showing that approximately $1,500,000 worth of hats of all descriptions and the necessary braids and plaits were imported during January.

The harvest hand was not over, looked either for $90,972 worth of new "hay seeders" came in for nearly a million and a half farmers.

The imports from Italy totaled $373,654, while the value of the imports from France was only $25,359.

SENATOR GIVEN JOY

Unique Position Created In Congress For Republican Leader.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—(AP) A new and unique job has been created by senate republicans. It will be held by a senator whose duty it will be to keep behind delinquent colleagues to see that they file a report with every bill they report from a committee. The task of filling this place was left to Senator Curtis of Kansas, the party leader.

NEFF SEEKS BAIL.

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Former Governor Pat M. Neff of Waco and George King of Houston are here today seeking writ of habeas corpus before the court of criminal appeals in order to obtain bail for H. P. Fall of McGregor, McLennan county, held in Matagorda county jail at Bay City on a charge of murder in connection with the slaying of Mr. and Mrs. Camden Sanborn.

GOVERNORS TO MEET

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 31.—(AP)—The annual governors' conference will be held in Cheyenne on July 26, a communication received today by Governor Nellie Tayloe Ross of Wyoming from Governor Brewster of Maine stated.

Robertson Funeral Set For Thursday

Funeral services for Mildred Robertson, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Robertson, who died at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning, following a short illness, will be held from the First Presbyterian church at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. Burial will be in Riverside. The Camp Fire Girls organization of which she was an active member, will attend the funeral in a body. Active ball bearers are named: W. W. Fraser, Julian Montgomery, O. R. Hart, Fred Goss, W. T. Wade, Joe D. Harris.

Music will be furnished by the Presbyterian quartette. Dr. L. W. Grafton of Electra, brother to Dr. Nat F. Grafton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will conduct the service.

Miss Robertson was a student at the Junior high school, was a member of the Camp Fire Girls, of the Christian Endeavor society of the church, and was recently elected delegate to the girls' council.

Burbank Is Anxious To Resume Labors

SANTA ROSA, Cal., March 31. (AP)—Impatient at the enforced absence from his experimental garden, Luther Burbank, wonder-working horticulturist, ill since last Thursday, today was anxious to get back among his trees and plants again.

Mrs. Burbank last night found it difficult to sleep because of hiccoughing and gastro-intestinal irritations, but Doctors Joseph H. Shaw, his personal physician, and William F. Cheney, San Francisco, said the scientist was "in no immediate danger."

The plant wizard's illness was brought on by an over-strained nervous system, the doctors said.

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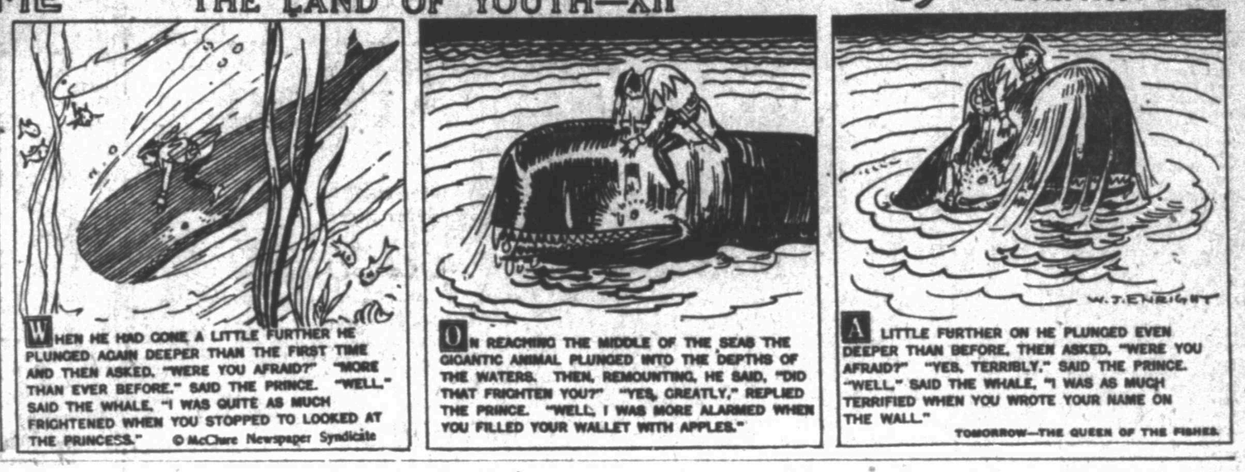
THE STORY UP TO NOW

THERE WAS ONCE A GOOD KING WHO WISHED TO RENEW HIS YOUTH. A SORCERESS TOLD HIM OF A LAND WHERE WERE A WONDERFUL APPLE TREE AND FOUNTAIN THAT RESTORED YOUTH. THE KING'S TWO OLDER SONS STARTED OUT TO FIND THE COUNTRY, BUT BOTH STOPPED ON THE WAY. FINALLY THE YOUNGEST SON, STARTED FORTH. THE QUEEN OF THE FISHES GAVE HIM A WHALE TO RIDE, AND THEY REACHED THE LAND OF YOUTH. THE PRINCE GOT SOME OF THE MAGIC WATER AND APPLES, AND HE WROTE HIS NAME ON THE WALL OF THE ROOM OF A SLEEPING PRINCESS AND STARTED AWAY.



THE WHALE LEFT THE SHORE WITH ALL SPEED.

THE LAND OF YOUTH—XII by W. J. ENRIGHT.



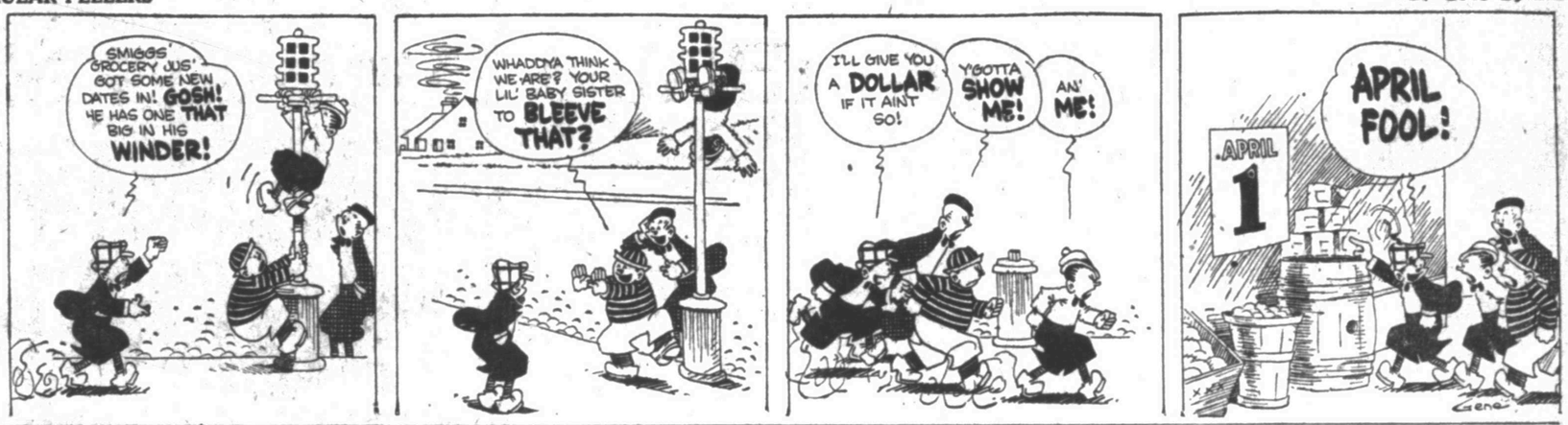
WHEN HE HAD GONE A LITTLE FURTHER HE PLUNGED AGAIN DEEPER THAN THE FIRST TIME AND THEN ASKED, "WERE YOU AFRAID?" "MORE THAN EVER BEFORE," SAID THE PRINCE. "WELL," SAID THE WHALE, "I WAS QUITE AS MUCH FRIGHTENED WHEN YOU STOPPED TO LOOKED AT THE PRINCESS." © McClure Newspaper Syndicate

ON REACHING THE MIDDLE OF THE SEAS THE GIGANTIC ANIMAL PLUNGED INTO THE DEPTHS OF THE WATERS. THEN, REMOUNTING, HE SAID, "DID THAT FRIGHTEN YOU?" "YES, GREATLY," REPLIED THE PRINCE. "WELL, I WAS MORE ALARMED WHEN YOU FILLED YOUR WALLET WITH APPLES."

A LITTLE FURTHER ON HE PLUNGED EVEN DEEPER THAN BEFORE, THEN ASKED, "WERE YOU AFRAID?" "YES, TERRIBLY," SAID THE PRINCE. "WELL," SAID THE WHALE, "I WAS AS MUCH TERRIFIED WHEN YOU WROTE YOUR NAME ON THE WALL."

TOMORROW—THE QUEEN OF THE FISHES.

REGULAR FELLERS —By Gene Byrnes



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Ed Hughes' Column

BENTLEY LEARNS LESSON

Notice that the boxing commission and this writer are in accord on at least one subject—that Paul Berlenbach is not yet ripe for the heavyweight division. This writer explained recently that the Astoria Ox is not big enough, smart enough or sufficiently durable to withstand the shock of heavyweight strife. The solons officially told Paul the same thing when he endeavored to get himself re-matched with Johnny Risko.

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There is no occasion for Berlenbach yearning for heavier and more dangerous conflict. Plenty of worthy opposition in his own class, which doesn't necessarily mean Jack Delaney. For instance, there's John, the Barber's colored threat—Lee Anderson. Reisler makes an offer of $1,000 to any one who can succeed in arranging a match between Anderson and Berlenbach. The colored man can make the weight and he stands to make it plenty hot enough for Berlenbach.

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Anderson is something of a ring curio. Reisler claims he is the world's colored light heavyweight champion, which may or may not mean anything. However, this is not the most curious thing regarding Anderson. Lee, I'm told, has been boxing 18 years, which is long enough for the best of them to feel like retiring. Nevertheless, John tells me that Lee never felt more kittenish and full of fight.

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Anderson has a good enough record to warrant fighting Der Paulie. He once whipped Tiger Flowers in three rounds. Also he was the first scrapper to drop Kid Norfolk for the full count, the trick being turned in five rounds. Also, among others, he knocked out Willie Meehan in three rounds and Tiny Herman in two.

John, the Barber hasn't exactly "kidded" me into thinking Mr. Anderson is a world beater. But I think he'd make a mighty interesting scrap with Berly, which is something else again.

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A NEW BOXER ARRIVES

Billy Palmer, son of the famous Pedler Palmer, cleverest of English bantams, has arrived in this country. Young Palmer is a junior lightweight and reports have it that he is pretty good. Palmer's being a topnotcher in England, of course, means nothing on this side. Billy will have to translate his ability in American victories before he can get in the big money here.

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His coming, however, has created more than passing notice owing to the recollections of the famous Pedlar Palmer-Terry McGovern fight waged here 26 years ago at Tuckahoe, N. Y. Palmer was brought over for the express purpose of obtaining a match with George Dixon, Lil' Chocolate, then bantam champion of the world. Terribly Terry at the time was rapidly forging to the fore as a most sensational young aspirant for the honors coveted by Palmer and handsomely guarded by the great Dixon for nearly ten years.

Pedlar, miraculously skilful, accounting for his nickname, the "Box of Tricks," desired a warming up for the big championship encounter with Dixon. His manager, Peggy Bettinson, naturally had unlimited faith in Pedlar's ability to trounce any bantam in the world, Dixon included. Hence when Terrible Terry's name was proposed, Bettinson made haste to sign up.

As Bettinson later generously explained: "When I took Palmer to America I fully expected him to beat McGovern. We had a 24-foot ring and exceptionally fair treatment, and here I may tender my thanks to Doc Ordway, who not only assisted other Americans in giving me a most excellent time, but whom I also have to thank for sending us over some very good boxers here.

"Pedlar Palmer's quite exceptional and natural cleverness is in a great degree rendered of no effect by his lack of hitting power. This he found a fatal defect in his fight with Terry McGovern, who is not only a particularly straight (old style) and rapid hitter, but is evidently, from the way in which he has been giving away weight to everyone, a boxer of quite exceptional strength of build."

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McGovern Queered His Hopes

The battle between McGovern and Palmer lasted just two and a half minutes. A mistake by the timekeeper should have worked to the Englishman's advantage. Owing to a slip of the gong, the fighters were sent to their corners before one minute had been fought, both gladiators believing, in the heat of battle that the round had been terminated. Palmer at the time had already been on the floor from one of Terry's terrible rips to the head. The following is a description of the finish:

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"Palmer, after listening to Siler count off three seconds, got to his feet and as he put up his hands McGovern rushed just as the bell sounded, which was an accident. After again being sent to the center McGovern charged straight at Palmer and the Englishman was forced to exchange blow for blow at close range until McGovern drove a left swing to the stomach. As the Englishman came closer Terry gave him three short rights over the heart. These four punches took the vim out of the Briton and as he ducked McGovern immediately sent in the finishing punch—a left hook to the jaw. It dropped Palmer to the floor, where he was counted out."

For Billy Palmer's sake it is to be hoped that he doesn't encounter any Terrible Terrys.

CORSAIRS AND SENATORS PUT IN SECOND PEW

McKechnie Cohorts Will Be Pressed by Hornsby Brigade

NEW YORK, March 31.—training campaign of major league teams has been accompanied by a strong impression among impartial critics in the east that new champions will be crowned this year in both circuits.

Forecasts based upon records of a year ago, tentative team lineups and spring conditions favor the New York Giants and the Philadelphia Athletics in their respective leagues. John McGraw's National league entry, with a pitching staff which the veteran pilot describes as his greatest in 15 years, and with his regulars fully recovered from the injuries of 1925, have been given the call over the Pirates. Age is the principal count of the critics against the Washington Senators in the American league.

Warm Up To Cards.

Not only do training camp spectators claim that the Pittsburgh club will find the Giants a greater team than 1925, but that McKechnie's coherts will be pressed to out rank the St. Louis Cardinals. Hornsby's club, with a record of 23 straight spring triumphs, is expected to make a hot fight for the pennant this season.

Unlike the Giants, the Athletics have made no important player acquisitions since 1925, although First Baseman Joe Hauser, out last year with injuries, has recovered and resumed his position. The team, however, has youth and dash and is expected to be benefited by the addition of Kid Gleason, former White Sox pilot, to Connie Mack's advisory staff.

Griffs Getting Senile

Critics maintain that the Senators, oldest team in the major leagues, will find it increasingly difficult to stand off more youthful combinations. Their club, which averages more than 30 years of age, has passed the peak of its greatest effectiveness, in the estimation of observers.

On the basis of training camp results, improvement over their 1925 standing is forecast for the Yankees in the American league, particularly as a result of infield strength supplied by Lazzeria and Koenig. Boston in the National league also is expected to go further than Bancroft's entry in 1925, but little hope is seen for the last place teams, the Chicago Nationals and Boston Americans.

Other clubs in both circuits are considered to be about on a par with 1925.

Believes He'll Win



Ernie Maddock, the sturdy junior middleweight, has been training hard this week and believes himself in fit condition to conquer Matty Matsuda, the popular Japanese welter champ, in match at the Majestic theatre Monday night.

Matsuda beat Maddock here last summer in a brace of terrific encounters. Now Maddock, faster and stronger, believes his hour for revenge is drawing near.

Varsity Ball Team Off For Shreveport

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—The Texas University Longhorn baseball squad will leave Thursday for Shreveport, where Friday and Saturday the Steers will meet Sentenary. Tuesday, the Longhorn will play Southern Methodist University at Dallas.

Among the men who will make the trip are: Allen and Ramsey; Cox and Baker, pitcher; Falk, Olle, Radford and Redfern, infielders; Capt. Pratt, Williamson, Thompson and Baumgartner, outfielders.

Jenks To Direct Altus Track Meet

ALTUS, March 31.—Jenks Simmons, of Southwestern State Teachers' college, at Weatherford, will direct the track events of the Jackson county oratorical and athletic association meet in Altus April 22, 23 and 24 when all schools of the county will be dismissed for the contests.

AMERICANS PLAY

Medford's American refinery nine engages the Coyotes this afternoon in practice encounter on the refinery diamond.

Glidewell and Roberts probably will be the opposing moundmen.

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A Whole New Team, Says Report — By Hughes



East and South Still Shows Way In Cage Tourney

Eastern Quintets Cut In For Couple of Wins, At Last

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Southern and western teams today continued their triumphs they began in yesterday's opening first round games of the national scholastic basketball tourney at the University of Chicago.

While quintets from these two sections battled their way to the succeeding rounds, the east cut in with two victories for its first showing in the title race.

Two upsets of the day resulted in the defeat of teams from Kentucky and Utah. Danville, Ky., highly regarded, was badly outclassed by Salem, S. D., with a final score of 37 to 11 and Nanticoke, Pa., won from Latter Day Saints of Salt Lake City, Utah, picked to go well up in the tourney, 20 to 26.

Wheeler Wins

Recruited from a town of 300, the team from Wheeler, Miss., lived up to expectations and displayed probably the best balanced play so far in the games to defeat Reno, Nev., 46 to 13. The victory put two 'sippi fives into the second round, Scott county, having won a close game yesterday.

Fitchburg, Mass., New England champions, outclassed Billings, Mont., 32 to 20, while Roswell, N. M., took a close tilt from another eastern team, Hagerstown, Md., 35 to 30. A last half battle gave Gaylord, Minn., a win over Memphis, Tenn., and Oakridge, Va., was decidedly outplayed by Fargo, N. D., for a 28-11 victory for the westerners.

Tech high of Atlanta downed Omaha, Neb., in a fast encounter, 22 to 16.

Illinois Out of It

Torrington, Conn., semi-finalist in last year's play defeated by San Antonio yesterday, forfeited the first consolation game to Fort Valley, Ga., and Lewiston, Idaho, lost to Conton, Ill., 18 to 11, in the second.

The speedy side line offensive of Elkins, W. Va., eliminated the second and last of the Illinois teams entered in the meet, New Trier, Chicago city champions, 24 to 16.

El Reno, Okla., runner-up team in the 1925 tourney, had no difficulty in smothering Newton, Ia., 45 to 12 in the closing first round game. Led by Meyer, forward, El Reno showed a lightning attack that brought baskets almost at will.

Two Burned When Oil Catches Fire

BURKBURNETT, March 31.—Arthur Price and M. A. Lee are in the General Hospital of Wichita Falls where they are being treated for severe burns received while they were pulling casing in the northwest field about noon Wednesday. Their clothes were saturated with oil from the well which had quite a flow of the liquid. A spark from a truck nearby ignited the clothing causing the burns. Price was burned over the body, while Lee's burns were reported not so serious.

FAVORITES PICKED

The most popular and the most representative students of Junior college were announced Wednesday by the "Wichitan," the college publication: Miss Mary Tancred was given the honor of being the most popular student; Vernon McGee, the most representative boy; Charles Weeth was chosen as the most popular boy, and Miss Ina Merle Robinson the most popular girl in the student body.

LICENSE TAGS REDUCED

Automobile license tags purchased on and after today will be one-fuorth less than they have been up to this time, it was announced Wednesday by county tax collector Guy C. Raley. The deduction is allowed, he explained, as credit for three months of 1926 which haveiready passed and during which the purchased did not use the license.

PLAN AUTO SHOW

Automobile dealers may stage a show here durin gthe seventh annual rodeo to be held at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair and Exposition grounds April 30 to May 2, if plans made at the Wichita Falls Automotive Dealers association materialize. A committee is working on arrangements for the spring automobile show.

SHIELDS, Eng. — The South Shields school was closed when fifteen cases of smallpox developed in one room.

TRAINING CAMP NEWS

SAINTS PLAY WACO TODAY.

WACO, March 31.—(AP)—The Waco Cubs are getting ready for more exhibition games. Doesn't hurt to get ready, even if the weather man does refuse to allow them to be played.

St. Paul and Waco are scheduled to meet at Katy park Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

VACHE CURED, PAUL FLINGS, CATS ALL O. K.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—(AP)—Chick Howard and Paul Wachtel are scheduled to take the mound tomorrow against the Oklahoma City club of the Western league. Twice weather interferred with the Fort Worth-Oklahoma City game slated in Weatherford, Oklahoma City training camp. The diamond was too wet for the game today.

The Panthers moved into their new ball park and will take their future workouts there.

Ernie Vache declared the muscle troubles in his leg were cured by the two days rest, caused by inclement weather, but will not start in the game tomorrow. Claude Cooper will take Vache's post in centerfield.

STEERS WAITING JUST AS USUAL.

DALLAS, March 31.—(AP)—The Steers are awaiting the exhibition contest scheduled Thursday with the St. Louis Cardinals after several days of idleness forced by inclement weather, official weather forecasts indicate that the climate will be cloudy and warmer tomorrow. Sherdill will pitch for the Cards, Hornsby announced today. The lineup that gave such a great display of ginger against the White Sox a few days ago will be used. The probable Steer lineup will be: Roper, 2b; Gross, ss; Hamel, cf; Chadburne, cf; Miller, rf; Riley, 1b; Lind, 1b; Segrist, 3b; James, 2b; Woeber, lf; Wicker, c; Hungling, c; Victor, p; Andrews, p; Conley and Tate, pinch hitters.

SHIPPERS HAMMER OMAHA HEAVERS

ORANGE, March 31.—(AP)—Beaumont hammered four Omaha hurlers for 16 hits and 10 runs today while Drake and Nance stopped the Western leaguers with six blows and three runs in a game arranged over night when the Beaumont park was wrecked by Tuesday's storm and the debris still covered the field. Drake gave up a run in the first inning when a lost in the sun fly went for two bases. A single followed for the run. During the next four innings, not a runner was on base. Then Jones beat out a roller toward third, but did not get beyond first. Nance was the victim of a homer in the seventh. A double and single got Omaha's other run in the ninth.

The teams play games Friday and Saturday here then move to Beaumont for the Sunday tilt.

HURRAY! BEARS WIN A GAME!

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—(AP)—A fast double play by Golvin and Henses retired the St. Louis Cardinal second squad in the ninth inning Wednesday to enable the San Antonio Bears to quit with a 3-2 victory. It was the first Bear victory of the St. Louis series of 11 games so far played and the second Bear victory of a total of 13 games.

Julius Kaiser held the Cards to three hits until the sixth inning, after which he was plunked for at least one blow in each round for a total of nine, including a home run by Mancuson over the left field fence in the seventh inning for the first Card run. The Cards scored again in the eighth when Holm walked followed by singles by Reinhart and Solph.

Al Sothern pitched the first four innings for the Cards, and after two runs were scored off him on Kaiser's Texas leaguer, which scored Golvin and Serre, he made way for Herman Bell. A three bagger down the first base line by Phipps scored Klein, who had walked, and Phipps was caught at the plate when he tried to stretch it into a home run.

Three Cardinal pitchers, Dyer, Clough and Reinhart, played the outfield. Dyer hit a triple.

St. Louis (N) 2nd team	2	9	2
San Antonio (T)	3	8	1

Sothoron, Bell and Mancusco; Kaiser and Wirts.

ORANGE, Texas, March 31.—Exhibition:

	R	H	E
Beaumont (Texas)	10	16	1
Omaha (Western)	3	6	6

Drake, Nance and Boelzle: Plummer, Yellowhorse, Pigg, Tinning and Swartz, McConnell.

ALTUS BILLS CAGE TILTS

ALTUS, March 31.—The Altus senior high school basketball teams will engage in a doubleheader game Friday in an effort to make enough money to buy sweaters for players winning letters this season.

BROMLEY, Eng.—Miss Edith Rivette, a nurse, sacrificed her life to save a child patient, refusing to stop work when she herself became seriously ill.

Arkansan Loses Extradition Fight By Miriam's Action

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—After losing before Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson in his fight against extradition to Arkansas, W. H. Hall, in custody at El Paso, former members of the state board of control of Arkansas, tonight filed an application for writ of habeas corpus in the court of criminal appeals. Hall was pardoned by Acting Governor S. B. McCall, with eight others, one of whom was A. J. Gurley, Miller county sheriff, who lost his second fight against extradition.

Hall's pardon with the others was held invalid by the Arkansas supreme court. He was convicted and sentenced four years in Pulaski county, Ark., for grand larceny in connection with the misappropriation of several thousands of dollars of state funds.

Hall alleges he is being illegally restrained of his liberty at El Paso. When Gov. Ferguson honored the requisition of the governor of Arkansas for his extradition, he applied to Judge W. D. Howe of the Thirty-fourth district court, who denied the writ and remanded Hall, who now appeals to the court of criminal appeals.

Saxon Ineligible For Varsity Nine

AUSTIN, March 31.—(AP)—Mack Saxon of Temple, star utility man of the Texas University baseball nine, and captain-elect of the 1926 Longhorn football team, has been declared ineligible for baseball, it was announced today.

Illness prevented Saxon from taking more than three of his winter term examinations and southwest conference rules provide a player must have passed in three and one-third courses to be eligible. Saxon will be eligible for next fall's football eleven, provided he passed postponed winter term "exams" and those of the spring term in June.

Saxon is at home behind the bat in the field, or the outfield and is a fair hitter.

BOXERS AT WORK

Mittsters, Tommy White and Wildcat Ewing, billed in the Legion main event Tuesday night, both put in good workouts yesterday. The betting odds still favor White, but many fans are beginning to shift over to Ewing.

RISKO BEGINS TO APPEAR AS REAL MENACE

McKenzie May Sneak Up On Heavyweight Mitt Champ, Too

Johnny Risko, who floored Berlenbach three times and out-slugged the greatest slugger in the light-heavyweight class, is now ranked among the heavyweight "contenders." Risko will soon be challenging Dempsey—for all the good that will do him. Risko is only 22 years of age. He is a big, powerful fellow, of Lithuanian descent, full of fighting pep and aggressiveness, and strong as an ox. He weighs 190 pounds, which is enough. If he is sent along slowly he may become a champion. He has made a great start, beating Berlenbach. There aren't many heavyweights who can duplicate his feat.

It's refreshing to find a new heavyweight who likes to fight, and who can take punches as well as give them.

Risko took many of Berlenbach's terrific left hooks fairly on the chin, and was hardly shaken. His body seemed punch proof. If he tired a little toward the end of the fight it can be remarked that Paul tired more, and the pace they carried might tire any but the most experienced ringman.

McKenzie May Be Contender.

Big Bill McKenzie of British Columbia, the gigantic lumberman, is another heavyweight who is likely to make something of a stir among the heavyweights later in the year. McKenzie, brought out of the woods and taught boxing by Lonnie Austin of Seattle, who manages Dode Bercot and a few other boxers, made a great start last year, knocking out several western heavyweights in very short fights, and then took a hammering from another northwestern heavyweight named "Moose" Norbeck. McKenzie's nose was badly broken in the first round and he walked into punches until he was helpless, when the referee stopped the fight to save what was left of him.

McKenzie went up into the woods to rest for a few weeks, had his nose fixed up, and began boxing again with renewed enthusiasm. He came back by knocking out Hans Latzel, a husky German boxer from Seattle in two rounds. Austin says that he will ease McKenzie along for a while, fighting preliminaries or main events, to give him more experience, and then, if he continues to improve as rapidly as he seems to be improving at present, take him to New York.

Mac Needs Experience.

McKenzie is likely to be a dangerous heavyweight with a little more experience. He is known as the strongest man in the northern woods, and he weighs 248 pounds. He'll take off fifteen or eighteen pounds, and at 230 he ought to be dangerous. He has tremendous wrists, forearms and hands, and has won his fights, except the Moose Norbeck match, with clean one-punch knockouts.

EXHIBITION GAMES

TAMPA, Fla., March 31.—(AP)

Club—	R.	H.	E.
Baltimore (Int)	3	5	2
Washington (A)	4	9	2

Batteries: Myer and McKee; Johnson, Coveleskie, Bush and Ruel, Tate.

LOS ANGELES, March 31—(AP)

Club—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago (N)	7	14	1
Los Angeles (C)	1	4	0

Batteries: Blake, Root and Hartnett; E. Jacobs, Ferguson, Holmes and Sandberg.

WAYCROSS, Ga., March 31.—(AP)

Club—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland (A)	7	12	0
Rochester (I)	4	6	1

Batteries: Levson, Lehr, Benge and J. Sewell; Horne, Mitchell, Hank, Thermalen and Devine.

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TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

Brainard is a punk manager!

The Spudders stack up as the poorest outfit in the league!

Newcastle should win by at least ten runs this afternoon!

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No, those aren't alibis Cowtown scribes have been writing after each each exhibition defeat registered against the Cats this spring.

Yes, a Cowtowner never alibis!

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Sure, I'm positive Beaumont will win the flag!

Yes, Dempsey is going to meet Wills, Tunney and Risko this summer!

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What! You don't think Bodie will hit his weight this season! Why, of course not! No man can bat that much.

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Yes, it's true Brainard has decided he'd rather be bat boy than manager of the Spudders! Do you blame him?

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No, that's not just an idle rumor about Jake Atz. We're known for a long time that Gardner has Atz's signed contract stowed away in the City National bank vault. Yes, Atz will lead the Spudders—when Brainard starts snatching bats.

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No, Fort Worth is advocating a split season this year!

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Yes, Dallas doesn't believe in the split!

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Certainly, Dutch Mantell wrestles cleanly!

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What did you say? How's that! No! Absolu-u-tely not! Never took a drink in my life. They don't have it in Wichita Falls!

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Huh? Do I? Why sure I do. This is Thursday. O-o-oh, you ask what day of what month it is. It's APRIL 1.

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It's a rather rough April Fool's joke to pull on the Spudders, that hauling 'em clear over to Newcastle to wallow in all this mud. But the joke may be on Newcastle, at that.

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And That's Some More of That.

"Changin' the subjeck," writes Pop Boone (yeah, the spelling is something awful), "I seen in the Dallas-Herald where if the season was to open tomorrow, we'd finish third in the peanut race. Wichita Falls would win. Houston would be second and Dallas fourth. However, Jere Hayes, who was venturin' the opinion, said it was far too early yet to pick the winners from an April 14 start. We thank Jere for the third place, anyhow.

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"Everybody is pickin' the Spuds. Nobody ain't quite sure why except most of 'em seem to figger their dope on the basis that the Wichita boys has got a better chance to beat the Cats out than anybody else. They're right in their basis, at any rate. Anybody what can beat the Cats out should win the peanut. But Wichita has gotta step to do that. In figgerin' their hard hitters, don't forget to measure 'em, man for man, with the whammers on the Cat nine. We got some hitters our own selfs, brothers."

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NOW, PAY OFF!

Irate mat fan asks unassuming us how come we don't call Mantell's hand because he refuses to wrestle Maddock under Police Gazette rules with cash forfeit up to insure adherence to these rules. Says: "You know him. You could at least, write him a letter."

All right. Always willing to accommodate:

Dear Dutch:

(Above modification is used only because it's regular salutory form.) How come you try to give us the run-around and won't risk your alligator hide in the ring with Ernie under the catch-catch edicts, kicking and other brands of fouling barred?

Not afraid to wrestle a clean match, are you, Dutch?

You told me one night that you'd take 'em all and beat 'em, the tougher they are the better!

Shame, shame on you, Dutch, to be displaying such modest fear of a nice boy like Ernie. Tighten up the string and choke the old streak down.

Look out, now. Don't you start getting angry, you little imp, and mutter naughty words to yourself about me. Papa slough!

BLONDY CROSS.

By using this method, we kill a pair of birds with one typewriter. Appeases irate fan who asked for the missive. Saves postage and the necessarily ensuing letter head stationery.

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And speaking of Dutch, Maddock is all excited because Columbus called him a "Hunky" by telephone in Amarillo the other night. "Where does he get that way, calling me a 'Hunky?' I was born in Americn, and that's better than he can say!"

These dainty and quite temperamental wrestling persons certainly do find life tough sledding, don't they?

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WRONG AGAIN

You're all wrong, Mabel. Fighters DO have feelings, too. Our Friend Wildcat Ewing is quite aggrieved over couple of paragraph in this col yester morn predicting a victory for Tommy White in that ten-rounder Tuesday night. Ewing also displays keen intelligence in that he recognized what we were driving at although one of the composing room boys had garbled the item something disgracefully before it ever went into the form.

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It isn't necessary to more than intimate what Wildcat had to say. He figures conclusively that he will put it on Tommy. And— he may? Adds more zest and color to the engagement, anyhow.

MERCHANT KILLED

Johnson City Man Slain in Knife Fight With Companions

FREDERICKSBURG, Texas, Mar. 31.—(AP)—Robert Crider, Johnson City merchant, died today in a local hospital of knife wounds alleged to have been inflicted while he and three companions were en route to Fredericksburg last night.

The man accused by Crider brought the wounded man to the hospital after first aid had been given at a farm house and then disappeared.

SPUDDER CREW STAGGERS OUT OF HIBERNATION

Indoor Athletes Perform Outdoors, Tilt on At Newcastle

Big news item: A belated sun arose in this sector late Wednesday! Local scientists astounded by the phenomena. Although ambushed from rear, top and bottom, by a set of menacing beetle-brown clouds, the sun, for such it really was, played its heat rays down on the soggy sod of Spudder park in manner sufficient to enable Brainard's bouncing boys a coupel of attempts at what was to have been official opening of the spring season, something which has been tried at odd intervals with no success since March 5.

Something New for Our Boys.

A pair of mediocre work sessions were indulged in. Cramped muscles and stiffened sinews, caused by prolonged indoor inactivity, yapped aloud. However, the arrogant Spudder squad by dent of courageous endeavor managed to pull through a spirited batting practice, infield and outfield sessions during the p. m. with no crying casualties cropping up. The indoor athletes performed in dazed fashion outdoors, but still—they got away with it!

The Gardner interests are slated for a bit of politicking over at Newcastle today where Brainard takes the boys for formal introduction to the coal mining fans. An exhibition affair is carded with the blue bloods of the mining district athletic class.

The Spudders are to depart these environs this a. m. at 8:30. That's an exceedingly early hour for ball athletes to rise and shine. Three throwers will go along as chaperones. They're all expected to have their hands full. Old Man Pat Martin, the boyish Eulas Morgan and the sophisticated southpaw, Fred Fussell are tagged for the hurling role.

Wray Takes Care of the Fort.

Wray Query remains at the park and nurses the rest of the Brainard's eccentric heavers, all but Jess Winters who's repaired to the wilds of Abilene for a period with business' call registered as the quaint alibi.

Morgan and Roberts served tenure on the chunking dome during yesterday's swinging party. First real work either has been enabled as participate in since recent recuperation from attacks of the flu. Fussell devoted an hour to sun-pasture pastime. Must be figuring on an outfield berth if the whip refuses to control the screw ball this summer.

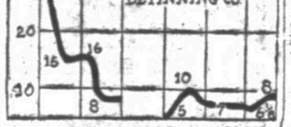


The Vulcan Detinning company produces detinned steel billets used for remelting in blast and open hearth furnaces, tetrachloride and bichloride of tin used in dyeing silk, tin oxide used in enameling, pig tin and caustic soda. The company was incorporated to absorb two original companies and acquired the Republic Chemical company 6 years later. It now has plants to Sewaren, N. J., Neville Island, Pa., and Streator, Ill.

Long litigation against the American Can manufacturing company for using Vulcan secret processes was settled in 1913 by the payment of $617,000 by American Can.

Capital stock outstanding consists of $1,500,000 in 7 per cent cumulative preferred of $100 par, $919,400 in 7 per cent class A cumulative preferred of $100 par, $2,000,000 in common shares of $100 par and $1,225,800 in class A common of $100 par. There is no funded debt. For the 5 years ended with 1924 aggregate net income was equal to an annual average of 5.20 per cent on the two classes of preferred stock and in 1924 earnings were equal to 8.78 per cent on the preferred. For the first three quarters of 1925 net income was equivalent to 10.05 on the preferred stock and 3.00 on the common.

As of Sept. 30, 1925 current assets were $1,300,213 and current liabilities $312,587 with no bank loans. The dividend payments on both preferred and common have been irregular but the company now is paying the full rate on both classes of preferred with payments from time to time on back accumulations on the preferred. On Jan. 21, 1926, back accumulations amounted to 31 1-4 on the regular preferred and 12 1-4 on the class A preferred. No dividends are being paid on common.



HAIL KILLS RABBITS

Icy Pellets Beat Down On Animals In Tom Green County

SAN ANGELO, March 31.—(AP) Hailstones killed Jack rabbits on some Tom Green county ranches where 2 1-2 inches o frain fell last night. While ordinarily hail is not heavy enough to kill small animals, it is declared here that now and then chickens and rabbits die from being struck by the icy pellets.

DANCE CENSOR IN PARIS!

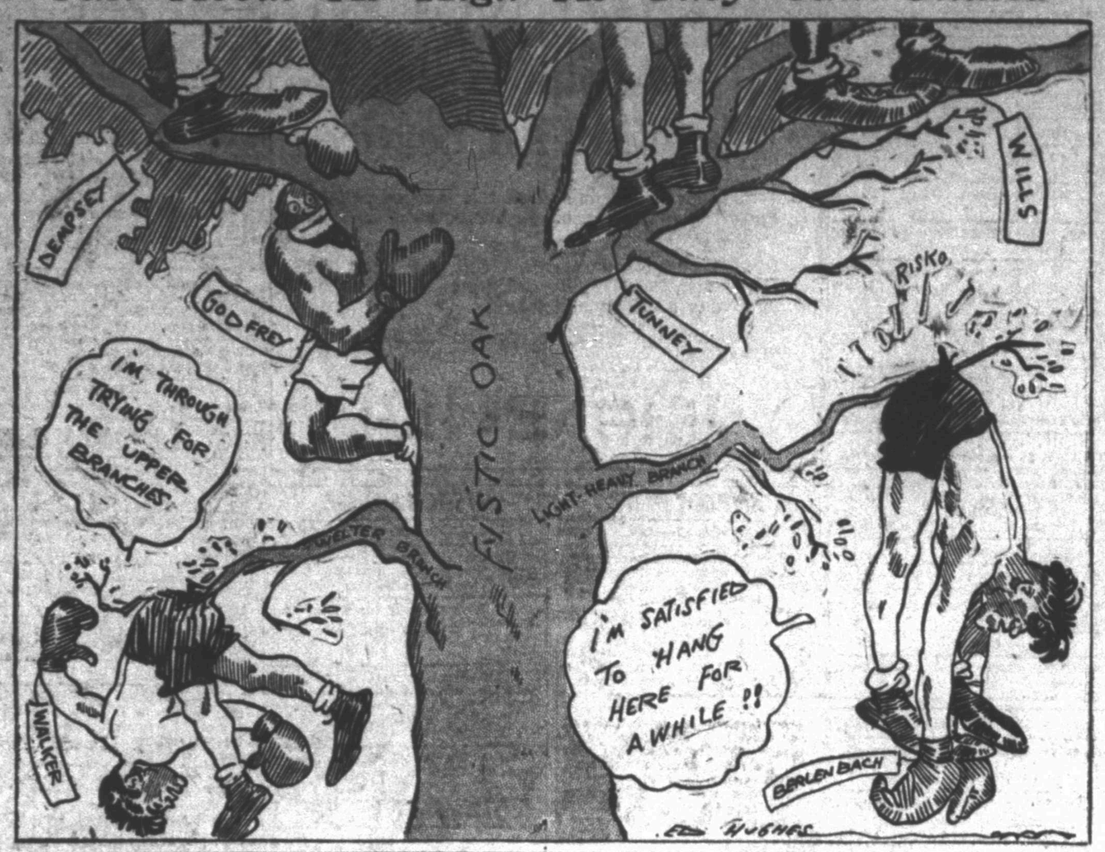
PARIS.—A titled English woman was forbidden to go on the floor in a public dance hall because of the scantiness of her attire.

CHICAGO POULTRY.

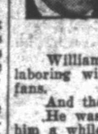
CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Poultry alive, firm; receipts three cars; fowls 30½c; springs 31c; turkeys 35c; roosters 21c; ducks 30@32c; geese 19c.

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The BROWN of the SOUTH



By NORMAN E. BROWN
Central Press Sports Editor

William Wrigley rises to ask if he is being haunted by a jinx while laboring with his millions to produce a pennant winning team for Cub fans.

And the boss has a right to holler.

He was sort of resigned to such news when the word was broken to him a while back that Grover Alexander, pitching master had broken his ankle and would be lost to the team for at least the first month of the coming season.

Two years ago Alexander was counted on as usual to be the mainstay in the box for the Cubs—as he has been ever since Wrigley paid $50,000 for him in 1917. The Cubs as a team seemed "set" for a big year. Then, out of a clear sky came the illness which delayed Alexander's participation in the games. Later Alexander suffered an injury to his pitching hand that kept him out of the game for a time. Now, with hopes running high once more as the new pilot Joe McCarty, whips the team into shape, Wrigley finds Alexander out of it again.

And the hoodoo doesn't confine himself to hamstringing Alec. Last spring Maranville, obtained from the Pirates in a winter trade, was expected to put the life into the Cub team that it had lacked the year before. While the team was unlimbering at Catalina Island (one of the most beautiful training camps in the world) Maranville suffered a broken leg.

So Brother Bill would like to spend about $500,000 now for a hoodoo catcher, one of those foxy traps which dump the caught one into a pail of water as he seeks a way out.

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It's a pretty fair bet that Walter Huntzinger, former Giant youngster, will get a chance to shine as a pinch pitcher with the St. Louis Cardinals this nearing season.

For two reasons. First, because Huntzinger showed to advantage in such a role before. Second, because, while he has plenty of zip to his fast ball and a good change of pace he cannot stand the gaff for regular duty.

McGraw, giving Huntzinger his final test last season, used the young man as a relief pitcher and he was charged with five victories and but one defeat.

Physically Huntzinger is lacking. He stands six feet tall yet carries the poundage of a man much shorter—145 or 150 pounds. Mid-summer heat goes hard with these underweight fellows.

Walter is one of the college lads who jumped from the campus to the big show. The Giant scouts put their stamp of approval on him while he was pitching for the University of Pennsylvania and as soon as he had finished his collegiate career the young man signed a contract with the McGrawmen.

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The Cardinals are in the predicament of several other major league clubs. They need another good catcher.

Bob O'Farrell is an A-1 receiver, but supporting him Hornsby has only Vick, the former University of Michigan grid and diamond star, and Firman Warwick, a youngster obtained from the San Antonio club last season.

Vick is not a heady player. Warwick lacks the training.

However, the Cardinal boss isn't as hard put to it as the New York Yanks, who have an uncertain bet in Pat Collins, who failed to shine with the Browns, and Benny Bengough, who has never learned to hit big league pitching enough to match the size of his collar.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—In a rapidly fluctuating market today wheat prices underwent a tumble at the last, influenced a good deal by reported likelihood of wheat shipments from the west and southwest to Chicago for delivery on May contracts. There were also predictions current that unofficial reports tomorrow will show the United States winter wheat crop condition to be above the December percentage, 82.7.

Wheat closed nervous, 1⅛ to 2⅜c net lower, May (new) $1.58 to $1.58¼ and July $1.34⅝ to $1.34⅝. Corn finished ⅛ to ¼c higher, oats at ⅛ to ⅜c gain and provisions varying from 2c decline to a rise of 12c.

Stormy weather prevailing was more or less responsible for the upturn of corn prices and of oats as well. Receipts of corn were meager, and oats seeding was delayed. About 750,000 bushels of oats were taken for export.

Higher quotations on hogs helped give firmness to provisions.

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
May new	1.61⅛	1.58	1.58
May old	1.60⅝	1.57	1.57
July	1.38⅛	1.34⅝	1.34⅝
Sept.	1.33⅛	1.30⅛	1.30⅛
CORN—			
May	.74⅛	.73⅛	.73⅝
July	.77⅝	.77¼	.77¼
Sept.	.79⅝	.79⅛	.79⅛
OATS—			
May	.41⅝	.41	.41⅛
July	.41⅛	.41⅝	.41⅝
RYE—			
May	.88⅝	.87½	.87⅝
July	.89¼	.89	.89
Sept.	.89½	.88⅝	.88⅝
LARD—			
May	14.32	14.25	14.27
July	14.55	14.45	14.50
RIBS—			
May	14.75	14.70	14.75
July	.....	.....	14.82
BELLIES—			
May	.....	.....	15.17
July	.....	.....	15.45

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—The following shows range of values on the Fort Worth cash grain market, basis delivered group three or Texas common points, based on bids, offers and sales of Fort Worth dealers, according to the Fort Worth grain and cotton exchange:

Wheat: No. 1 dark hard, $1.74@1.77; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.73@1.76; No. 1 red $1.80@1.83; No. 1, 75 per cent reg. $1.78@1.81.

Corn: No. 2 white corn 88@89c; No. 3 white, 87@88c; No. 2 mixed 86@87c; No. 3 mixed 85@86c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 52@53c; No. 3 white, 52@53c; snapped corn 80c@$1.00; No. 3 barley 80@82c; No. 3 milo $1.20@1.22; No. 3 kaffir $1.15@1.18; maize heads $22@24; kaffir heads $18@20; red top cane seed $2.00@2.10.

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, March 31.—(AP)—wheat: No. 2 hard $1.54@1.61; No. 2 red $1.62@1.63; May $1.48⅛; July $1.25⅛; September $1.22⅛.

Corn: No. 3 white, 65½@67c; No. 2 yellow 68⅛@70c; No. 2 mixed 67@68½c; May 68⅛c; July 71½c; September 74⅛c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Cash wheat: No. 2 durum $1.35; No. 3 hard, $1.61⅝.

Corn: No. 3 mixed 71c; No. 4 mixed, 66@68c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 42½; No. 3 white, 41½@42c.

Produce

TEXAS PRODUCE.

SAN ANTONIO, March 31.—Laredo rolled the first car of onions for the season yesterday, the shipment selling for $3.50 per bushel crate, according to unofficial advices. There comed for the nation a total of 40 cars of that commodity. Other shipments for the state as a whole consisted of one express car of white potatoes, one freight of lettuce, one of sweet potatoes, 35 of spinach, eight of mixed vegetables and 23 (incomplete) of cabbage. The cabbage pick up for March 29th was 45 Texas cars and the mixed vegetables pick up 23 Texas cars.

Shipping point markets on spinach and cabbage were a little firmer yesterday, usual terms cars of the former bringing upward of 60 cars per bushel basket and of the latter $40 per ton. Potatoes at Brownsville were steady at $7.00 to $7.50 per cwt., string beans brought $3.50@4.00 per bushel, carrots 85@90c; beets 75@90c per bushel at loading stations. Idaho Falls reported the potato market barely steady at $4.00@4.10 cwt.

There was no appreciable change in poultry and egg markets this morning, although a tendency to be more severe on small leghorn fryers was noted in price quotations. Eggs are rather firm.

San Antonio: Hens mostly 22c; fryers 35c on leghorns mostly 38, 40c on large birds; roosters 12c; turkeys 30c per pound liveweight.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts $7.00@7.25 few high as $7.50.

Fort Worth: Hens 20@22c; springs large 40@42c; small 30@35c; old roosters 12@13c; turkeys 30@32c per pound liveweight; geese $1.25@1.50.

Eggs, fresh to producers per 30 dozen case $7.20@7.50.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK.—Stocks, firm; high priced issues lead rally despite attack on equipment.
Bonds, mixed; rail issues fluctuate erratically.
Foreign exchanges, steady; French and Belgian francs firm.
Cotton, lower; weakness Liverpool.
Sugar, firm; European buying.
Coffee, easy; lower Brazilian market.
CHICAGO.—Wheat, weak; favorable crop outlook.
Corn, steady; predictions decreased receipts.
Cattle, dull.
Hogs, firm.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 25 to 27 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	.....	.....	17.00	17.26
May	18.20	18.05	18.05-06	18.30
July	17.50	17.67	17.67-70	17.94
Oct.	17.15	16.99	16.99-17.01	17.25
Dec.	17.15	17.05	17.02	17.28

Opening: January 17.12 bid; May 18.18; July 17.83; October 17.12; December 17.12.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—(AP)—The cotton market developed only a fair degree of activity today and the trend of prices was downward notwithstanding favorable cables and some prospects of more unsettled weather at the week-end as the map showed a considerable area of low barometer to the west of the cotton region. After opening nine to 12 points down on a return of fair weather in the western belt the market gradually eased off owing to realizing by longs in advance of the protracted holiday at the close of the week. There were rallies from time to time but they were insignificant and short-lived and prices finally showed losses compared with yesterday's close of 25 to 27 points. The market closed at the lowest.

Although Liverpool cables came in about as due the market here opened easier on the forecast for fair weather in the belt and first trades showed losses of nine to 12 points. The initial sales in May at 18.20, July at 17.85 and October at 17.15 proved to be the highs of the day as the market continued to ease off after the opening until before noon May traded at 18.10, July at 17.72 and October at 17.05, or 20 to 22 points below yesterday's close. Although there was a rally of six to seven points around noon it was short-livad and during the afternoon realising sales were resumed and right at the end all active months made new lows for the day at 18.06 for May, 17.67 for July and 16.99 for October, or 25 to 27 points below the previous close.

The exchange here will be closed on Friday and Saturday for the Easter holidays.

Exports for the day totaled 9,397 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed easy at net decline of 25 to 29 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Jan.	17.42	17.27	17.27-29	17.52
May	19.00	18.77	18.77-78	19.04
July	18.46	18.27	18.27-28	18.56
Oct.	17.80	17.65	17.65-66	17.90
Dec.	17.49	17.33	17.33-35	17.59

Opening: January 17.42; May 19.00; July 18.46; October 17.80; December 17.46.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—The cotton market was lower today under continued realizing which developed after the advance to approximately the 18-cent level for October contracts yesterday. October sold off to 17.65 a net decline of 25 points and a reaction of 37 points from the high level of the previous day, closing at 17.65. The general market closed easy at net declines of 25 to 29 points.

The market opened barely steady at a decline of seven to 11 points in response to relatively easy Liverpool cables and the official forecast for clearing weather in the southwest. There was some buying on belief that barometric conditions pointed to a renewal of storms before the end of the week but it was readily supplied and there was evidently a disposition to take profits on recent purchases in advance of the approaching three-day adjournment.

Reports that the higher prices had brought out rather freer offerings of spot cotton from southern holders, were accompained by selling of hedges here presumably against spot purchases and the market showed increasing weakness during the afternoon. Rallies in the stock market failed to find any reflection in buying of cotton apparently, and there was some Wall street as well as local and southern selling on the decline. May sold off to 18.77, and July to 18.26, active months generally showing net losses of 25 to 30 points in late trading and closing at about the lowest prices of the day.

Private cables reported trade calling in Liverpool against local or continental liquidation and selling for a reaction, but noted an improved cloth demand from China.

Advices received late in the day said the recent proposal to increase working hours in the American spinning section of Lancashire from 30½ to 35 hours per week has been carried, but without any apparent effect on the market.

Exports for the day 9,397, making 6,531,037 so far this season. Port receipts 20,696, U. S. port stocks 1,190,980 bales.

SPOT MARKETS.

HOUSTON, March 31.—The spot market closed steady, 25 to 50 down; sales 569 bales. Low ordinary 9.00; ordinary 10.50; good ordinary 12.00; strict good ordinary 13.50; low middling 15.25; strict low middling 17.25; middling 18.75; strict middling 19.25; good middling 19.40; strict good middling 19.55; middling fair 19.70.

GALVESTON, March 31.—The spot market closed steady, 25 down; sales 2,754 bales. Low ordinary 8.70; ordinary 10.70; good ordinary 12.45; low middling 15.70; middling 18.95; good middling 19.35; middling fair 20.60.

DALLAS, March 31.—Spots closed steady, 25 down; sales 803 bales. Middling fair 20.80; strict good middling 19.55; good middling 19.15; strict middling 19.05; middling 18.50; strict low middling 17.95; low middling 15.16; strict good ordinary 13.15; good ordinary 12.15.

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed: May 18.26; July 17.85; October 17.17.

NEW ORLEANS, March 31.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet, 25 points down. Sales 1,304; low middling 15.55; middling 18.30; good middling 19.30; receipts 6,694; stock 360,700 bales.

LIVERPOOL, March 31.—(AP)—Cotton spot moderate business, price a steady. American strictly good middling 11.23; good middling 10.93 strictly middling 10.68; middling 10.23; strictly low middling 9.58; low middling 8.63; strictly good ordinary 7.78; good ordinary 7.08; sales 4,000 bales, including 2,600 American: receipts 1,000 bales, American 500. Futures closed barely steady; April (1926) 9.60; May 9.59; July 9.48; October 9.23 December 9.12; January 9.11; March (1927) 9.11.

Financial

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, March 31.—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.28; second 4's, 100.5; first 4¼'s, 102.7; second 4¼'s, 100.24; third 4¼'s, 101.5; fourth 4¼'s, 102.15; treasury 4's, 103.30; treasury 4¼'s, 107.26.

CALL MONEY.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Call money, firm; high, low, ruling rate 5; closing bid 5; offered at 5¼; call loans against acceptances 4. Time loans, firm 60-90 days 4⅝@4⅝; 4-6 months 4½@4⅝; prime mercantile paper 4⅛.

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A T and S F	90	125⅞	122⅛	125⅞
Bethlehem Steel	84	41¼	40	41⅛
California Pet	128	33⅛	32	33⅛
C R I and P	51	42⅞	41	42⅞
Chrysler Motor	810	32⅛	29¾	32⅛
Coca Cola	105	130	131	137⅛
Consolidated Gas	177	91	88¼	91
Corn Products	59	37¼	36¼	37
Dodge Bros pfd	14	83	82⅜	82⅞
Dupont de Nem	106	203⅜	195⅛	203⅛
Fisk Rubber	65	16⅛	15⅞	16⅛
Freeport-T Co	75	22⅞	21⅞	22⅝
Gen Electric	439	306	294⅛	305⅝
Gen Petroleum	115	56⅛	56	56
Gulf States Steel	84	70	67⅛	70
Ind Oil and Gas	127	22⅛	20¼	22⅛
Kelly Spring T	18	15⅜	14⅜	15⅛
Louis and Nash	13	123	120	123
Mack Truck	180	110⅜	106	110⅜
Mariand Oil	422	53	50⅛	53
Mid-Cont Pet	137	29⅛	28	29⅛
M K and T	40	35	35	35
N Y Central	108	121⅞	118⅛	121
North Am Co	287	47	46⅛	47
Phillips Pet	181	42⅛	40⅝	42⅛
Pure Oil	88	26⅛	25⅞	26⅛
Radio Corp	63	34⅝	32⅝	34⅛
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Sinclair Con Oil	177	20⅞	19⅞	20⅛
Southern Pac	54	98	96	98
Southern Ry	273	110⅛	105⅛	110⅛
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Stand O of N J	137	42⅜	41⅝	42⅛
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Texas Company	90	49⅛	48	49⅜
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T and P	92	45¼	42⅝	45⅝
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Transcont Oil	47	3	3⅛	3⅛
Union Pacific	38	144	141⅝	144
U S Rubber	171	65⅛	62⅝	65⅝
Willys Over	210	23	21⅛	23

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, March 31.—A combination of healthy requirements on the part of buyers and good quality offerings on the part of salesmen brought about an active, reasonably steady market in about all the sections of the livestock trade, Wednesday, receipts 2,800 grown cattle, 800 calves; week ago 5,025 cattle, 600 calves; year ago 2,300 cattle, 186 calves.

A general onslaught began early on about everything in the cattle line. Buyers bid steady, taking steers, yearlings, heifers and cows at rates pleasing to shippers to this market.

Sixteen cars beef cattle here, but half were going through, remainder of supply $5.25 for very plain cattle, up to $8.75 for finished, light weights. Heavy southern steers $7.50 and a four-car string $7.10.

Yearlings and finished heifers $9.25 on down, this end of trade active.

Best butcher and beef cows up to $7.25, a spread $5.25 to $6.50. Canners and cutters unchanged.

Bulls scarce, generally in strong weights $4.50 to $5.00.

Rapid selling in calf division sent light and desirable veals over at $9.75 and down to $8.85. Heavy calves good sellers at $7.75 up at the close trade showed some weakness.

Hogs steady at top of $12.75, bulk $12.00 to $12.50.

Few sheep here, genuine lambs $15.00, shorn lambs and yearlings $9.75 and fat ewes $8.00 steady.

Cattle 3,000 including 800 calves; market active; beeves $6.00@9.50; stockers steers $5.50@6.25; fat cows $5.00@7.25; cutters $4.50@5.00; canners $3.00@4.00; yearlings $6.50@9.75; heifers $5.50@9.75; bulls $3.50@5.25; calves $6.00@9.75.

Hogs 800; market steady; good to choice lights $12.75@12.85; fair lights $12.50@12.75; medium weights $12.50@12.60; good mixed $12.40@12.50; heavy packing $12.25@12.50; common $6.00@9.00; packing sows $10.25@11.00; pigs $9.00@12.25.

Sheep 200; market steady; slaughter lambs $12.50@15.00; feeder lambs $10.00@12.00; yearlings $9.50@10.00; wethers $8.00@8.50; ewes $7.00@8.00; culls $1.00@4.00; stocker sheep $6.50@8.00; goats $1.00@3.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, March 31.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture.)—Cattle 4,000; calves 800; lightweight steers and yearlings 15 to 15c higher; weighty offerings slow, steady; long yearlings $10.00; she stock scarce, steady to strong; bulls unchanged; bulls unchanged; packer market on veals 50c to $1 lower; top $10.00; stockers and feeders very slow.

Hogs, 5,000; uneven, 10 to 25c higher than Tuesday's average; packers buying sparingly; top $13.80 on 175 pound averages; bulk of sales $11.00 to 12.40; 180 to 240 pound averages $12.00 to $12.60; light lights up to $13.00; 250 to 325 pound averages $11.00 to $11.80; packing sows $9.75@10.25; stock pigs steady, $13.00 to $14.00.

Sheep, 8,000; lambs 25 to 35c higher; top $12.60; other desirable weight kind $12.25@12.30; 102 pound shorn offerings $9.10; odd lots of sheep steady.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, March 31.—(AP)—Cattle, 9,000; better grade weighty steers 10 to 15c higher; others and yearlings steady; best yearlings and heavy bullocks $10.60; bulk $8.75@10.00; she stock uneven, mostly steady; canners and cutters slow at $4.00@4.50; top heavy bolognas $5.90; vealers $10.00@10.50.

Hogs 10,500; 25 to 40c higher; 240 to 325 pound butchers $11.20@12.00; 200 to 225 pound weights $12.25@12.85; 180 pounds down $13.00@13.35; sows $10.20@10.70; pigs $13.50 down; estimated holdover 7,000.

Sheep 10,000; fat lambs strong, active, feeding lambs slow, weak; sheep 25c higher; wool lambs $12.50@13.00; medium clipped lambs $9.50; shearing lambs $12.50@12.75; fat ewes $8.75@9.00.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

NEW YORK, March 31.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, irregular; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.85 13-16; cables 4.86¼; 60-day bills on banks 4.81⅝. France demand 3.47; cables 3.47⅛. Italy demand 4.02; cables 4.02½. Demand: Belgium 3.71⅛; Germany 23.80; Holland 40.07¼; Norway 21.42; Sweden 26.80; Denmark 26.20; Switzerland 19.26; Spain 14.06; Greece 1.83; Poland 11.50; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.76; Austria 14⅛; Rumania 42; Argentina 39.50; Brazil 14.12; Tokyo 46; Shanghai 73; Montreal 99 13-16.

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WE CAN use another real estate salesman for city work. Must have car and know the town. Box A, 182, Record News.

ANNOUNCING

—A Still Better Classified Ad Service

—in order to accommodate the readers of The Record News, we have inaugurated a nine o'clock service.

Instead of closing at six o'clock, the Want Ad Department of The Record News is now open until nine p. m. each night.

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PHONE 4121

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male 35

WANTED—Men to sell nursery stock, local and traveling; good commission. References required. Tyler Pecan Nursery Sales Co., Tyler, Texas.

GROCERY AND DRY GOODS CLERKS.
If you are bright, alert, ambitious, and anxious to break away from long hours and small pay, and tackle a he man's job where you can earn a man's pay and real advancement we would like to talk to you. A nationally known firm, our ads appear in the Saturday Evening Post every other week. A really unusual opportunity for four men who can recognize a chance when it comes. This may be the turning point for you. Also need men in nearby towns. Apply after 6 o'clock. O. T. Gooding, 215 Perkins-Snider Bldg.

Situations Wanted—Female 37

EXPERIENCED young lady desires position at once as cashier, typist, steno and bookkeeper. Phone 5338.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires employment. Permanent or temporary. Phone 4874.

Situations Wanted—Male 38

YARD work, cemetery work and dirt hauling. Phone 21618.

WANT TO BREAK your garden, do your yard work or haul your fertilizer. Call 8979.

BUILDING FOREMAN, carpentry construction, in or out of town jobs. Address E. C. S. P. O. Box 13320.

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SALESMAN
At once with backbone instead of wishbone for city and road work. Energetic capable men guaranteed $50 week minimum. I. Kubert, Hotel Marion. Phone 3128 Wednesday between 8 and 12 a. m.

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TEXAS CREDIT CO., SMALL LOANS, CONFIDENTIAL. 605 1-2 SEVENTH ST., ROOM 10. PHONE 4436.

CITY LOANS—Six to eight per cent farm and ranch loans, six per cent. Jas. R. Welch, 418 First National Bank building.

MONEY TO LOAN
Licensed Pawnbrokers
Apply SHAIN Jewelry Co.
718 Ohio.
No Loan Too Large or Small.

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MONEY when you need it. Empire Loan Co. (Business Confidential.) 710 1-2 Indiana. Phone 5987.

MONEY—MONEY.
City Loan and Jewelry Co.
Loans on personal property.
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.
613 Eighth. Phone 7842.

PERSONAL loans made in a refined and business like manner, legal interest, 10 monthly payments. Wichita Falls Finance Co. Inc. 800 Eighth St. Kemp Hotel Bldg.

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FOR SALE—Single bed; also Bluebird washing machine in good condition. Phone 7735.

TWO PUREBRED Partridge Wyandotte cockrels and brooder. Phone 3944.

FOR SALE—No. 9 new Oliver document typewriter, takes any size sheet. Cost $135.00; price $15.00. 118 Jalonic. Phone 6509.

APPLES
The last car of real large red apples we will have this year. All bruised and speckled 50c per bushel. Also Winesap, Arkansas Black and Black Tunig at a very low price. 1001 Ohio. Phone 3893.

ROTARY drilling rigs at reduced prices; will rent with option to buy and get credit for rentals. Complete stock all sizes pipe and casing; immediate shipment. We buy pipe and casing any size and quantity. Texas Supply Company, Box 1777, Houston, Texas.

MERCHANTS
NOTICE
When you want fresh beans and all kind of vegetables phone 3893 before buying and I will make all of these high-jackers stay in line.
1001 Ohio. Phone 3893.

MERCHANDISE

Furniture 47

HOUSEHOLD specialties. Easy payments. Phone 6355. 1013 9th Street. L. B. Price Mercantile Co.

CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 613 Seventh. Phone 3223.

YOU'LL like trading at Bolton's Good furniture at a low price. Sell or trade us your old furniture.
BOLTON FURNITURE CO.
807 Tenth street. Phone 3350

When You Are Looking For a Home or Want to Sell or Buy Anything—Try a Want Ad in the Classified Columns of the Record News—Satisfactory Results.

M-O-N-E-Y!
IN YOUR HOME
Note that used and old furniture you have for sale, then phone 6011 for our high cash bid.
STAR FURNITURE CO.
922 Indiana

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WATCH REPAIRING—Prices low W. C. Broyles, Jeweler. 707 Tenth. St Phone 9079.

J. C. MARTIN, WATCHMAKER. Has moved from 722 to 707 Ohio. Six doors north of Gem theatre. 12 years in Wichita Falls. Phone 4253.

JOHN A. MILLER
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
28 Years Experience
707 Indiana Ave. Phone 5461

Musical Merchandise. 52

PIANO cheap, first-class condition, cash or terms. Phone 21419.

CALL Ripley-Jones for piano tuning and player repairing. Residence phone 7063.

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WANT TO BUY—Model H or D, Ft. Worth Spudder. Call 4673, by noon Thursday.

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BABY CHICKS
Thoroughbred, trapnested, winter laying, English White Leghorns, 20c and 35c, purebred White and Brown Leghorns 15c, Park Egg Strain, Barred rock 20c, egg strain Rhode Island Red 20c, purebred Barred Rock and Rhode Island Red 16c, silved tipped Anconas 16c, heavy type table chicks 12c. Place your order now, plenty of room for custom hatches. Bring your eggs anytime. We also have 500 young White and Brown Leghorn hens for sale. Follow pavement out f Wichita Falls to Burkburnett cemetery, then follow hatchery signs, we are on old Burkburnett road. Wichita Chick Hatchery, Box 643, Phone 199F2, Burkburnett.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

Rooms With Board. 62

BED ROOM—Nicely furnished for gentlemen only. 906 Sixth street.

ROOM and board, $10 week. Call at 1007 Burnett. Phone 6306.

AUSTIN HOTEL, 700 Austin street. Clean rooms and delicious home cooking. Phone 3509.

BOARD and room for two working men, $9, on car line and pavement. Garage. 1401 Lamar. Phone 21219.

LOVELY front bedroom with garage, reasonable with or without meals. 1715 Lucille. Phone 9887.

WANTED—Refined, employed young lady to share nicely furnished bedroom, private home, near car and Monroe bus line. Two meals furnished if desired. Phone 7393.

Rooms Without Board 63

FOR RENT—One sleeping room, next to bath. Phone 21719.

NICE bedroom, convenient to bath. Gentlemen. 1300 Tenth. Phone 9232.

FOR RENT—Bedroom adjoning bath running hot water. 1509 Travis.

ROOMS with bath, two blocks from Kemp hotel. 706 Travis.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished south bedroom, private entrance. 2302 Eighth. Phone 6817.

NICELY furnished room on pavement, one block of car line. 1601 Burnett. Call Douglas, 6245.

LARGE FRONT bedroom, nicely furnished, close-in, on pavement. 1509 Eleventh St. Phone 9479

NICELY furnished front bedroom, in private home; reasonable. 1311 Burnett. Phone 4550.

NICELY furnished back bedroom, adjoining bath. 1405 Austin. Phone 7596.

FOR RENT—Attractive southeast bed room with garage on pavement. Gentlemen only. Phone 8743. 1602 McGregor.

NICELY FURNISHED southeast bedroom to one or two genelemen, near car line, double garage if desired. Phone 3302, 804 Denver.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished south east bedroom, living room privileges. With garage, gentlemen only. Phone 9962, 1207 16th.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

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Rooms Without Board 62

BEDROOM, something different, ivory furnished; gentlemen; garage. 1600 Elizabeth. Phone 21842.

TWO large south bedrooms, private entrance, newly decorated, new ivory furniture. Reasonable. Phone 6817.

NICELY furnished bedroom. Prefer two graduate nurses. 1104 Polk. Phone 9086.

FOR RENT—Rooms with private tile bath; Antlers hotel, one in room $12.50 week; two in room $14 week. Phone 4283.

Rooms For Housekeeping 64

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished. 1910 Holliday st.

TWO unfurnished rooms for rent. 1811 Grace, $15. Phone 8089.

FOR RENT — Two unfurnished rooms to couple. Call owner. 5003.

TWO small unfurnished rooms, couple only. 1502 Taylor. Phone 9060.

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms; close in. 1204 Travis. Phone 6769.

FOR RENT—Reasonable, two light housekeeping rooms furnished at 2215 Broad St.

ONE nice light housekeeping room for rent; $8 per week, everything furnished. 1110 Third Street.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms $15 per month, gas and water furnished. Located 2400 Ave. A and Filmore Street.

TWO newly furnished housekeeping rooms, connecting both, private front entrance. Everything furnished. On pavement and car line. 2208 Ninth Street. Phone 9711.

TWO OR THREE unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. In modern new home, on paved street, garage furnished. Rent reasonable. No objection to baby. 2009 Wilson street. Phone 9070.

Apartments and Flats 65

NICELY furnished two-room apartment; no children. 911 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. 1404 Scott. Phone 5753.

FOR RENT—Two-room apartment. 105 Dallas. Phone 4822.

FOR RENT—One-half of duplex furnished. 1509 Broad. Phone 21416.

FOR RENT—Five room house, located 2913 Avenue N. Phone 21710.

FOR RENT—Duplex. April 1, 2415 10th street. Phone 6035.

HALF of duplex, unfurnished; garage. 1410 Sibley. Phone 21246.

FOR RENT—Four-room duplex on pavement, close to car line, $50 per month. Phone 3252.

FOR RENT—A choice apartment in Brook Manor, $57.50 per month. Will furnish if desired. Phone 3960.

EXTRA LARGE apartment of four rooms, two halls and bath; to adults only. 909 Bluff. Phone 9530.

FOR RENT—Half of duplex, unfurnished; couple only. 1702 Lucille. Dial 7780.

FOR RENT—One-half of duplex unfurnished. 2123 Avenue F. Phone 5473.

UNFURNISHED apartments at Kemp Kort. 10th and Travis. Phone 5473.

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, everything furnished; sink in kitchen. 105 Dallas. Phone 4822.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment; lights, water and gas furnished. 1600 Travis. Phone 5488.

HALF of six-room duplex, unfurnished, garage, built-in features, $35. 1105 Thirteenth Street. Phone 7149.

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished upstairs apartment. This is a nice one. Price $35 per month. Phone 3377-9402, R. P. Willis.

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, private bath, south half of duplex, also garage. 2114 Kemp Blvd. Phone 9120-3349.

THREE-ROOM apartment, screened-in sleeping porch on south; front and back entrance, unfurnished, modern. 1505 Eleventh street. Phone 21646.

THREE ROOM modern apartment, very comfortably furnished, convenient to Austin school. Also garage. Phone 6095.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment and sleeping porch, all built-in features, sink in kitchen, everything furnished. $10 per week. 409 Lee Street.

FOR RENT—Four-room unfurnished apartment, south exposure, $30 per month, private bath and garage. Call Mrs. Carder, 8626, residence 8090.

FOR RENT—Two apartments in duplex. Four large rooms on each side. On pavement and street car line. double garage. Earl Jamison, 908 9th street. Phone 9776.

NEWLY decorated three room apartment, Murphy bed, private bath, on pavement, large rooms. Also three room new modern house on back of lot. See owner, 1504 Burnett.

THREE rooms, unfurnished to couple. Living room, bedroom, kitchen and bath, shades and linoleum in kitchen and bath furnished. Phone 8625. 1806 Buchanan, $35.

CLOSE in furnished two room apartment and kitchenette, everything new, connecting bath, very nice; garage if desired. To adults. Paving under construction. Good entrance for car in rear. Phone 6414. 305 Scott.

FOR RENT—Nice, new duplex apartments on pavement, one $52.50 per mo. and two $37.50 per mo.
Phone 5367.
WELCH, RICHARDSON & KEMP.
Realtors.

THOMAS apartments, 1506 Tenth, to adults unfurnished, four large, clean, cool rooms; bath and garage. Modern, built-in features and big closets. Vacant April 5. Call 4235 for appointment.

A FOUR-ROOM unfurnished apartment, nicely located. Two blocks of Alamo school, near car line and bus line. $40 per month.
Call 4040.

REAL ESTATE—RENT

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NICELY furnished new 5-room east apartment, near Brook and Eighth street, all new furniture, nice rugs, hardwood floors throughout, paneled walls, private bath, garage; adults only. Phone 7831-6352.

FIVE-ROOM modern house on Holliday Street. Paved. Garage. This house is practically new and a bargain. Price $3,800. Small cash payment and balance monthly. Phone 7020.

FOUR apartments of 4 rooms each at 700 Warford street, near Brook Manor. Each apartment has hardwood double floors throughout, fire place and all built-in features. The rooms are extra large. This is not a cheap joint. $50 per apartment. L. E. Cowling, owner.

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MODERN home on Avenue K, for rent. Phone 4283.

FURNISHED five-room house, double garage. 907 Bluff. Call 4612.

FOR RENT—April 1st One-half of 8-room duplex; private bath, garage, pavement, on Tayor. Phone 3654.

SEVEN-ROOM house furnished for two families, newly painted and papered. 1815 Polk. Phone 9777.

ONE-HALF of duplex, four rooms and garage, on Grant Street. Call 5474.

NEW five-room house with sleeping porch and garage; near Sam Houston school. Phone 7466.

FOR RENT — Unfurnished five-room modern house. 1103 Monroe. Phone 5281.

FOR RENT—Nice brick servant house and garage; $12.50 per month. 1609 Burnett Street.

FOR RENT—New duplex, just completed, on pavement, near carline. Phone 4746 or call at 1306 Giddings.

FOR RENT—One side of duplex, four rooms. 1307 North Fifth street, $30 per month. Phone 4588.

FOR RENT—One new unfurnished six room duplex, 3 rooms and breakfast room on each side. Phone 5532.

FOR RENT—5-room modern house on pavement. $45 per month. Dial 8672. Franks & Boyles Realty Co.

NEW eight-room duplex, near Junior college. This house is not for sale if you are permanent. Phone 8651-9607.

FIVE ROOM house with breakfast room and garage. On pavement and bus line. $60 per months. 2176 Avenue J. Call 6811.

FOUR-ROOM house, two rooms upstairs and two down, chicken yard, garden, well water, Wyatt Addition. Phone 4240.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern home partly furnished. 700 Holliday street. $60. C. C. Jones, Sr. 407 Staley. Phone 6450.

FOR RENT—One half of duplex, consisting of living room, bedroom, breakfast room, kitchen and bath. Large rooms, all built-in features, hardwood floors. Located at 1612 Fourteenth street.

FOR RENT—Brick, 6-room, breakfast room, garage and servant's house. East front, on pavement and near good school; $75 per month. LOUIS A. ROBINSON, 224 Perkins-Snider Bldg. Phone 3041-3804.

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Office and Desk Room 67

$100.00 CASH

AND $60 MONTHLY

FOR RENT—Office space. Ground floor, 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

Business Places for Rent. 68

FOR RENT—Two-story brick business bldg. 50x150, on Lamar Street, right in heart of city. Vaughn T. Jones. 407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

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WANTED TO RENT—Five-room modern house in San Jacinto school district. Phone 9537. Call for Mrs. W. R. Stephens.

Business Property for Sale 74

LUNCH stand for sale. 611 Austin street.

Farms and Lands for Sale 75

H. SONNAMAKER land, city property. 202 Staley. Phone 5420.

FOR SALE—Close in on Iowa Park road, four acres and in the irrigated district, with new four-room house $3,500. Terms. Call owner. Phone 21101.

ACREAGE—ACREAGE
We have five 4-acre tracts on Petrolia road, no improvements, as level as the floor, all under the ditch, gas on the property now. Very liberal terms. We also have acreage tracts in any direction from the city. Call us and take a look. G. W. or M. O. Wright, at your service, 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

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FOR SALE—Two six-room unfurnished duplexes; 3 rooms and breakfast room on each side. Phone 5532.

FOR SALE—Four-room house with bath. Completely furnished. Moderate cash payment. P. O. Box 1488.

FOR SALE by owner. Five-room modern home. Built-in cabinet, one block of car line; street to be paved. 1316 Eighteenth Street. Dial 7590.

FOR SALE—Practically new 8-room duplex, well located, near car line. Owner leaving town and must sell. Phone 3252-7529.

FOR SALE—New five-room house, edgegrain floors, garage, on pavement. $250 cash, balance $60 per mo., including int. Call W. E. Wilson, owner, 8672. 213 Perkins-Snider Bldg.

FOR SALE—Eight-room duplex nearly new and on the pavement. Two-story double garage. Would consider first-class closed car. Balance easy payments. Earl Jamison, 908 9th Street. Phone 9776.

ONE of the best buys in Wichita Falls, rooming house on Tenth Street, furnished for sale. Worth the money. Or will trade for something of less value. D. M. Perkins & Co. Phone 9152.

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$350 CASH WILL DO IT?
Five rooms, new, strictly modern, finish and arrangement excellent. Located in the Alamo school district. See this first. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill. 710 1-2 Indiana.

ON PAVEMENT, Floral Heights, brand new 5-room house, only $4,500. $250 cash, balance $60 per month, including interest. N. A. Moore, 218 Perkins-Snider Bldg. Phone 5635.

FOUR ROOMS—NEW.
$2,950—$250
cash, balance at $25 per month. A real home, new, modern, well constructed. Garage, sidewalks. Why rent? Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill. 710 1-2 Indiana.

A FLORAL HEIGHTS BARGAIN
PRICE $4,750.
That is a bargain. Five large rooms, 15x18 living, unusually good finish. Three front entrances, ten by fourteen, southeast porch. All outside improvements. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill. 710 1-2 Indiana.

A REAL BARGAIN.
$2,200.
Four-room sleeping porch, bath, garage, nearly new, East front lot. Fast growing addition. This is one chance in a life time. Don't ask for address, we will show you. Call 4918, or come to 804 Ohio.
JUST WRIGHT REALTY CO.

WILL TAKE A GOOD SECOND LIEN NOTE.
Or small car as first payment on new duplex. This is real home with excellent paper, unusually well constructed. Priced at $5,500. Needs only to be seen to know that it is a real bargain. Phone 9107-7326 or see T. E. Hill. 710 1-2 Indiana.

MODERN 7-ROOM HOME
This home is so arranged as to be used for two apartments, or will make a splendid home for one family. Seven rooms, bath, brick garage, drives, walks, and orchid. Located close in on Austin street and in a very desirable locality. This is a bargain and will pay you to investigate if interested. Price $6.750. One-half cash, balance arranged. Phone 9092.
CUNNINGHAM & JOHNSON

WELL LOCATED
A nice, new five-room home, with all the built-ins. Gas; concrete drive and walks for Three Thousand, Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars, $500 cash, balance like rent.
BALDRIDGE REALTY CO.
716 1-2 Seventh St. Phone 4040.

SPECIAL BARGAIN BY WRIGHT
Drive out to 3011 Avenue N (Hollywood Blvd.) and look through that large five-room bungalow. Nearly new, has sidewalks, driveways and garage. Lawn, shrubbery and trees in back yard, fenced in, sink in back bedroom. This house is suitable for two families. Street signed to be paved. Two blocks of school in the best part of Wichita Falls. It takes $1200 cash to handle this, but just think what a bargain; price $4500.
JUST WRIGHT REALTY CO.
Exclusive Agents.
Phone 4918 804 Ohio

ONLY

$100.00 CASH

AND $60 MONTHLY

Gives you a deed to one of these beautiful five-room homes. Located at the corner of Polk street and King's highway, in Sunset Heights addition, adjoining Talunar Place, highly restricted, where the property is bound to increase in value. This property is six short blocks north of the Floral Heights Methodist church, on one of the highest elevations in the city, where you get a nice cool breeze all summer. Two of them are priced at $3,975 and the corner one at $4,750. If you are interested in a home at these prices, look them over and call me for further information, or I will be glad to show you at your convenience. Phone owner at 9573. Residence 9393.

Oil Lands and Leases 78

WILL give big drilling block, direct from owner for a well in Hartley county, joining Moore county. C. C. Jones, Sr. 407 Staley Bldg. Phone 6450.

Suburban for Sale 79

SMALL tract of land on Holliday creek in south part of city on graveled road. A fine location for swimming pool. Call 21927.

TEN ACRES—MUST BE SOLD.
Within two miles of city on paved road. Well improved, with 140 bearing peach trees, berries, grapes. Four room house, barn, all outbuildings. Party must leave town immediately so come get your bargain. Phone 21051-7326 or see Mr. J. F. Shaw or Mr. D. V. Walker, 710 1-2 Indiana.

To Exchange—Real Estate 80

FOR TRADE.
10 acres of land, good house, well and windmill and out buildings, about five miles out on Iowa Park road, to trade for 5 or 6 room residence on pavement and well located.
CUNNINGHAM & JOHNSON.
408 Perkins-Snider Bldg.
Phone 9092.

Wanted—Real Estate 81

HAVE buyer for a modern 2-story house, either brick or frame. Must be in good residence district, and a real home.
PRUDENCE M. FOSTER.
1016 Staley Bldg.
Phones 4807 and 7020.

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CRANE-WILLIS COMPANY, real estate. 434 Waggoner Bldg. Phone 3377. Residence phone 9019-9402.

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Real Estate. 716 Indiana.
Phone 2-1443. Res. Ph. 6574.

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Lots, 224 Staley. Phone 6258.

T. E. HILL, REAL ESTATE
710½ Indiana. Phones 9107-7326

HARLIN BROS. Real Estate Co. 305 City National Bank.

MRS. F. E. HORNE, real estate. 2208 Fillmore. Phone 6690.

L. E. COWLING AND CO.
Real Estate and Home Builders.
204 City Nat'l. Phone 9644

I. P. GIBSON—Real estate. 224 Staley Bldg. "Lots a specialty." Phone 6258.

WOODALL REALTY CO.
Phone 3964, Basement Waggoner Bldg.

W. C. YOUNG.
Archer County Land and Leases.
804 Harvey-Snider Bldg. Phone 4979.

VIC STAMPFLI and L. C. Tanner
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MRS. F. C. LYON, Specialising in homes. Phone 3252-7529.

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Legals 85

EFFECTIVE as of date, March 19, 1926, we desire to give notice that we have dissolved the partnership formerly existing between us under the name of O'Neil & O'Neil and that neither of us is now a partner with the other.

JOHN O'NEIL,
H. A. O'NEIL.

BANKRUPTCY SALE

Notice is hereby given that I will, on the 7th day of April, 1926, at 2 at Megargle, Texas, sell to the highest bidder: Lot No. 4, in block No. 10, townsite of Megargle, Texas, and the building thereon which is a one-story fireproof brick structure of the approximate value of $5,400.00; Also a stock of new general merchandise purchased since February 17, 1926, consisting of complete outfitting for men, women and children, of the approximate value of $4,500.00, as the property of the Leader Store, bankrupts, a partnership composed of D. N. Bird and Ray Horany. This sale will be made subject to the confirmation of the bankruptcy court.

Those interested will disregard prior notice of any other date of sale.

Address all inquiries to the undersigned, at Wichita Falls, Texas.

WALTER NELSON, Jr.,
Trustee.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS:

Sealed proposals for the improvement of portions of Avenue N; Avenue A; Lee street Front street; Bridge street; Kemp blvd; North Fourth street; North Fifth street; North Sixth street; North Eighth street; North Ninth street; Hays street; Fairview blvd.; Avenue T; Avenue S; Avenue R; Avenue I; and Giddings street will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 7:30 p. m., April 5, 1926, and then publicly opened. Bids will be received on brick, concrete, warrenite-bitulithic, sheet asphalt (Willits Process) and asphaltic concrete pavements with necessary appurtenances Approximate total quantities are as follows; pavement 64595 sq. yds., curbing 37937 ft., headers 2,233 ft.; and excavation 68,900 sq. yds. Further information can be obtained at the office of the City Engineer where plans and specifications are on file. Certified check for five per cnt of the amount bid required with proposal. Usual rights reserved.

W. E. McBROOM
City Clerk.

NOTICE OF SUIT ON CONTRACTOR'S BOND.

Notice is hereby given of the pendency of a suit for recovery on a contractor's bond, under articles 5160 to 5164, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925. The bond was given Oct. 21, 1924, by A. L. Decker as principal, and S. S. Walker and Sons, Edward Schlaffke and D. T. Cross, as sureties, is payable to the common school district, Clara, Wichita county, Texas, in the principal sum of $12,500, and conditioned that said A. L. Decker pay all claims for labor and material used in construction of a school building for said common school district. Suit is brought by Naylor-Collins company for $1,507.65, for material furnished by it, and for $2,103.45 for material furnished by Wichita County Lumber company, and for $669.45 for material furnished by C. D. Shamburger and for $183.70 for material furnished by Wichita School Supply company, all of which claims are unpaid and were assigned to Naylor-Collins company. Suit was filed March 16, 1926 in district court of Wichita county, Texas, for thirtieth judicial district and is No. 18149A, entitled Naylor-Collins company vs. A. L. Decker, et al., and process has been issued to next term of court, beginning April 5, 1926.

KAY, AKIN & SMEDLEY,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF WICHITA COUNTY: GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to summon, F. G. Gayle and the unknown heirs of F. G. Gayle; Luke Sells and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Luke Sells; Susanna Sells, Edward Sells, Mary Sells Northup, Reid Northup, Sarah Sells, Louise Sells Stites, Helen Sells Radford, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; the unknown members of and the successors in interest to Sells and company, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; John A. Scott, John A. Scott Jr., Sarah E. Scott, Caroline S. Gibbs, Henry Percy Lee, Sarah E. Lee, Fannie E. Scott and H. M. Truehart, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th district court of Wichita county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1926, the same being the 3rd day of May A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of March A. D. 1926 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court, No. 18160-B wherein, C. H. Gannon and George W. Gutzman are plaintiffs and F. G. Gayle and the unknown heirs of F. G. Gayle; Luke Sells and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Luke Sells; Susanna Sells, Edward Sells, Mary Sells Northup, Reid Northup, Sarah Sells, Louise Sells Stites, Helen Sells Radford, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; the unknown members of and the successors in interest to Sells and company, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; John A. Scott, John A. Scott Jr., Sarah E. Scott, Caroline S. Gibbs, Henry Percy Lee, Sarah E. Lee, Fannie E. Scott and H. M. Truehart, their unknown heirs and legal representatives; are plaintiffs and said petition alleging:

First: Plaintiffs' residence in Wichita county, Texas, and defendants' residence unknown.

Second: That on February 21, 1905, by deed recorded in book 45 at page 90, Deed Records of Wichita county, Texas, J. A. Kemp conveyed to W. J. Nolen lot 1, block 199 original town of Wichita Falls, Texas, whereupon W. J. Nolen became possessed of said lot 1, block 199 and thence forward until February 22, 1926 continued in open, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, using and enjoying the same, paying all taxes thereon as they accrued, owning, holding and claiming said land and premises peaceably and adversely under said deed in fee simple.

Third: That on the 22 day of February 1926, W. J. Nolen and wife Lula H. Nolen by deed recorded in Volume 259, Page 199, Deed Records to plaintiffs whereupon plaintiffs entered upon and became possessed of and were vested with the title to said land and premises and continued thereon the open, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, using and enjoying the same, holding and claiming the same in fee simple under said deeds aforesaid until March 15, 1926. The defendants herein unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed these plaintiffs of such premises and now withhold from them the possession thereof to plaintiffs damage in the sum of ten thousand dollars.

Fourth: Plaintiffs specially plead the five and ten year statutes of limitation. Said lot 1 in block 199 being in Wichita county, Texas.

Plaintiffs pray for citation, for judgment, for the title and possession of said land and premises, for a writ of restitution, for damages, costs and general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon.

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Federal Court Starts Suit On Local Irrigation Reclassification

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Oklahoma Firms Complain Of Construction Company

The suit of Maney Brothers and company vs. Callahan Construction company, water improvement district No. 1, Southern Surety company et al for reclassification of certain work done in the construction of the Wichita Falls irrigation project was begun in federal district court before Judge W. H. Atwell Wednesday morning. It was still in progress upon the adjournment of court late Wednesday with indications pointing to it continuing through Thursday. It is being tried before Judge Atwell without the services of a jury by agreement with the attorneys.

The suit in seeking reclassification of various work done in the construction of the irrigation system asks for a judgement in the sum of $35,000. The federal court has jurisdiction in the case by reason of the residence of the Maney Brothers firm in Oklahoma, and of the defendants in Texas.

Assisting in the trial of the suit are a number of visiting attorneys, including E. L. Fulton and D. B. Weity of Oklahoma City for the plaintiff and A. S. Rollins of Dallas, for Caylahan Construction company. S. A. Morgan of Wichita Falls represents the irrigation district.

Osborne Speaks To Optimists Members

The American business man holds the balance of power for good or evil in the nation today, and they ought to arise in their might, smite those things that are not right and insist on a scheme of affairs that does not countenance crime and law infraction.

Such was the message brought Wednesday to the Optimists club by T. H. Osborne, the "drummer evangelist" who is now conducting a series of revival services at the Grace Methodist church. He made an urgent plea for a co-operation on the part of the public with police officials, saying that if this were given, officers would have less crime with which to contend.

The club Wednesday honored its past president, Bert King, with a handsome writing set presented by Rev. Leslie Miller with Optimists compliments for service well done during Mr. King's administration. He responded with a few words of appreciation.

Announcements were made by Joe Dickey, who reminded the club of the Easter sunrise services to be held next Sunday morning; and by Marvin Smith, who reported on plans for the I. H. Roberts scout memorial to be erected here.

Five new members were introduced.

Unique Cast For Military Frolic

"The Military Frolic," which is to show at the Majestic Theatre Saturday, April 3, is a unique production and the cast consists of members of of the Army Post at Fort Sill, Okla., a number of whom are professional actors, now in service.

The show has been well received in its former performances and has shown to packed houses. It gives the public another opportunity to live over the hectic war days of 1918. There is plenty of side splitting laughter and it is well balanced with light drama. The show promises a delightful evening to all theatrical fans.

Defends Law

"If we got nothing more out of the war than the Volstead law, the price of the war was worth it," Judge R. O. Kenley said in an address before the Lions club at the Kemp hotel Wednesday at noon when he made a brief talk in defense of prohibition. "If there is any law in the world that law abiding citizens should be interested in, it is the Volstead law," he said.

George A. Long of Vernon also made a short talk before the club, upholding the statement of Judge Kenley. J. Tol Camp reported on the I. H. Roberts memorial building which is to be erected in Scout park by donations from persons interested in the memorial.

DEATHS

MISS CORA ADAMS.

The body of Miss Cora Adams, 50, who died in a local hospital Wednesday, was forwarded to Austin by the Hines Mortuary for burial. She is survived by a brother, L. B. Adams of Fort Worth.

MRS. MANOR PRESSLEY.

The body of Mrs. Manor Pressley, 17, wife of Manor Pressley of Wolforth, is being held at the Hines Mortuary pending the arrival of relatives.

P. W. SILMOTH.

P. W. Silmoth, 50, died at 3303 Garfield Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The body is being held at Hines Mortuary pending arrival of relatives from Graham.

MRS. SARAH ANDERSON.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Anderson, 76, who died in a local hospital, was forwarded to Iowa Park Wednesday by the Hines Mortuary and burial was made in the Clara cemetery. She is survived by a son, G. D. Anderson of the Remming lease nea. Iowa Park.

FLOYD B. CARPENTER.

Funeral services for Floyd B. Carpenter, 28, who died Tuesday night in a local hospital were held from the Charlie church Wednesday afternoon with burial following in the Charlie cemetery. He is survived by his widow and a son one year old.

FEEDING STUDIED.

All phases of livestock feeding were studied the past few days at a school conducted by the Purina Mill company, according to R. C. Carr of the Maricle Coal and Feed company who returned to Wichita Falls yesterday from the sessions.

Problems of feeding livestock properly were discussed and numerous topics taken up, all of which were designed to enable feed houses to render a more efficient service to the cattle industry.

Ugly Pup Has No Right To Caresses God Meant For a Baby, Says Bash

"Homes are wrecked on the rocks of careless neglect of the courtesies of courtship. In the average crowd you can tell who is married by the way the men treat the lady companion," said Dr. Floyd Allen Bash in his sermon at the First Christian church last night. "Too often when the wedding bells stop ringing the courtship courtesies stop."

The church auditorium was full and the large audience showed its enjoyment of the unusual program by hearty applause. The platform was beautifully arranged to represent an old fashioned living room, lighted up by the red glow from the fireplace. Dr. Tyson and Mrs. Lucy Young took the part of the old-time pioneers, giving an interesting dialogue, Mrs. Young played a piano solo that brought an encore. Mrs. J. S. Dickey and Mrs. W. J. Holmes sang "Love's Old Sweet Song" and R. E. Shepherd led the audience in old home songs. Mrs. J. L. Kearil presided and ladies had charge of the ushering. Mrs. Bash conducted the devotional service.

Rev. Bash spoke on "Better Homes" saying "Homes are menaced by the easy divorce of today. Divorce is increasing alarmingly in Wichita county. In 1923 there were 26 per cent as many divorces as marriages in this county. In 1924 it was 28 per cent, and last year the per cent of wrecked marriages was about 33 per cent. Hasty marriage and financial extravagance are responsible for much of the trouble. The girl who is unwilling to help save and build a home is not worthy to have a home. Too many modern brides want to start living at the standard set by dad's income. The bride should know the groom's income and they should stay inside the income. They must pay as they go, or not go."

"A romping child is the best guardian angel a home can know. No ugly pup has any right to the caresses and love God meant for a baby. Put God in American homes and divorce and wretchedness will get out."

ELECTRA MEDIC GETS 30 MONTHS

Doctor Is Sentenced By Atwell on Drug Charge

A sentence of 30 months or two and one-half years in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., was assessed Dr. Stephen F. Smith of Electra by Judge W. H. Atwell of the federal district court Wednesday morning. Smith was adjudged guilty of violation of the narcotic act on four counts by the jury of that court Tuesday afternoon.

Four other sentences at Leavenworth were assessed by Judge Atwell. B. B. Bruce, who pleaded guilty to interstate transportation of a stolen automobile, was given a 13 months sentence; R. J. Watson, alias Patterson, was given a year and two days for the same offense; H. B. Porter, convicted of a narcotic violation, was give na sentence of 13 months, with the sentence dated back four months due to extenuating circumstances; Jay Gould, charged with interstate transportation of a stolen automobile, received a sentence of 13 months. C. Latourett, who pleaded guilty to a charge of possession of whiskey, was given a 70 day jail sentence with credit for 30 days already served. It was his second offense.

Truth Of Adage Now Under Fire

There's an old saying that if "March comes in like a lion" it will go out "like a lamb" and vice versa. But that rule of conduct for the first vernal month has been changed a bit in so far as Hudson-Essex March sales are concerned, according to Frank Queisser, general manager of Queisser company.

"Sales, following the recent sharp price cut in the Hudson-Essex line, were extremely heavy during the early part of the month," said Mr. Queisser yesterday. "They have continued and the registrations are holding up well now that the month has ended. We anticipate that April business will be even greater with the "call of the open road" having its usual springtime effect on prospective purchasers."

Divorces Lead

There were more than two divorce petitions filed to every three marriage licenses granted during March, figures announced at the close of Wednesday by the county clerk and the district clerk indicated. During Mrch there were 91 marriage licenses issued and a total of 62 divorce petitions filed.

The figures indicate a slightly higher per proportion of divorces to marriages than did the figures for February when there were 87 marriage licenses issued as against 51 divorce petitions filed.

During the first half of March the number of divorce petitions filed considerably exceeded the number of marriage licenses the preponderance the other way coming only during the last two weeks.

Man Released

Clifford M. Hunter, arrested by City Policeman Jimmy Allen, upon request of authorities of the state of Indiana, was relensed from custody by order of Judge P. A. Martin in a habeas corpus hearing in the eighty-ninth district court Wednesday. The request for Hunter from Indiana was made upon a charge of alleged wife desertion. At the time he was arrested here he held in his possession a money order he had just obtained to forward funds to his wife. Judge Martin ruled that the evidence was insufficient to retain him in custody.

WILL GIVE CANTATA

The choir of the First Presbyterian church will present the Easter cantata, "Olivet to Calvary" (J. H. Maunder) at the church Friday evening, according to Alva Willgus, director. The story in song tells of the last days of the life of Christ, ending with the crucufixion.

Soloists include Mrs. T. C. Brownell, soprano; Paul Van Allman, tenor, and W. E. Young, director of music at the First Baptist church, baritone.

FILES BANKRUPTCY PLEA

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed with the federal district clark, Miss Jessie Cowan, Wednesday by David Blakely Reed, Wichita Falls oil man. Reed lists liabilities at $48,203.15 and assets at $39,250 of which $1,000 is claimed exempted.

SWEATERS ARRIVE

The Junior college sweaters have come and will be awarded to the 16 letter men of the college Thursday morning, R. O. Jonas, instructor in the college, said yesterday. The sweaters were purchased for the boys by the Rotary club and W. B. Hamilton.

BANKS SHOW BIG CLEARINGS

Steady Increase Is Found For First Quarter Of 1926

Continued steady growth of the city of Wichita Falls is reflected in the bank clearings for the first three months of 1926 which show an increase of more than four million dollars over the clearings of the same period of time in 1925, according to the statement from the Wichita Falls Clearing House association Wednesday.

The increase of clearings for March 1926 over March 1925 totals $2,038,560.35.

The clearings follow:

Month of Mar. 1926	$16,111,007.02
Month of Mar. 1925	14,072,486.67
Increase	$ 2,038,560.35
January 1. to March 31st 1926, inc.	$44,951,061.61
Same period 1925	40,932,180.56
Increase	$ 4,018,881.25

New Stamp Machine In Operation Here

The first official government stamp canceling machine to be put to work in Wichita Falls outside the post office began operation Wednesday afternoon at the Central Multigraphing company rooms with Postmaster O. P. Maricle, Mayor R. E. Shepherd and others looking on.

The machine, licensed by special permit from the postoffice department, obviates the necessity of sending large batches of mail through the regular stamp cancelers at the postoffice, thus saving considerable time and work there. Instead of conceling regular stamps, the machine imprints a government postmark on unstamped letters, and these are then ready for distribution by the postoffice without further stamping attention. The multigraphing company owning and operating the machine has made arrangements with the postal authorities for its operation.

In addition to stamping letters, the machine also seals and counts the letters.

The first work turned out was for the P. B. M. company. Jack Barnard was included in the list of officials looking on at the first demonstration.

Study Friendship

The Austin school Girl Reserves studied "Friendship" at their meeting this week when an original skit, "Friendship" was given by Grace Williams, Geraldine Farrar, Opal Cates, Nina Bell Conant, Martise Dean, Menerva Robinson and Sherley Scoggins.

The devotional was led by Nina Belle Conant. Jessie Kelly president, led the girls in a hike ona mythical sight seeing trip to foreign lands. A sing-song was led by Opal Cates, Miss Zoe Liles talked to the group of "What Friendship Means."

4 MARRIAGE LICENSES.

There were four marriage licenses issued Wednesday at the county clerk's office, these going to Roy Jones and Annie May Maxwell; J. H. Love, Olney and Mary Lois Hill, Megargel; G. Nichols and Mrs. Ida Mae Nichols; Erwin Pope and Bessie Gibson, Walters, Okla.



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CITY SEEKS TO KNOCK OUT TAX

One Cent Charge on Gas Object of Attack Thru State

Wichita Falls is joining with other Texas communities in an effort to repeal a state law levying a tax of one cent per gallon on all gasoline used by the municipality, Commissioner Oral Jones has announced.

Representative George Purl of Dallas, it is understood, will sponsor a bill in the next legislature repealing the law, and in this work will be assisted by Representative Roy J. Daniel of Wichita Falls who has also lent his endorsement to the movement. Other cities over the state are joining hands in the work.

M. M. Murray, purchasing agent for the city of Dallas, is taking the lead in the campaign and has prepared numerous figures showing the cost of the tax to the cities of Texas. The charge, in effect, is really a tax on a tax since the taxpayer who pays taxes for upkeep of the municipal government thus has a tax imposed on the funds he pays in.

Commissioner Jones has figured out the charge costs Wichita Falls about $800 a year and this is increasing as the city uses more and more gasoline in the operation of its motor vehicles.

Building Permits Show Big Gain

Building permits for the first three months of 1926 exceeded by nearly a million dollars permits for the similar period of 1925, figures announced at the close of business Wednesday afternoon by the city clerk indicated. At that time permits for the year had run to $2,491,511, against $1,501,510 the year before.

The complete figures for March showed a total permit issuance of $1,151,543 of which $254,650 represented the suburban construction. This is as against a total of $816,476 for the preceding month and $523,492 for January; or as against $832,700 for March of 1925.

The March figures of 0832,700 in 1925, it is stated carried both the major items of the year's construction work, that is the Harvey-Snider and Perkins-Snider buildings, listed at $330,000 each. The March figure for 1926, it is pointed out, while carrying several large items, does not include any two of such size.

Stanley Speaks

H. W. Stanley of Dallas, editor of the Southwestern Retailer, will be the principal speaker at Temple Israel in the Friday evening service when he will talk on "What America Owes to the Jew." Mr. Stanley is an interesting speaker and has addressed a number of the civic clubs while in the city. The public is invited to attend.

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Wichita County Court Accepts Jurisdiction in Case in Which Custody of Girl Is at Stake

Girl Now in Care of Mother Here While Both Parents Seek Her Through Recourse to Court; Trial Set for April 26

A ruling attesting jurisdiction of the 89th district court in the case of Mrs. Kate Erard and Wilbur Eugene Stringer, each asking custody of their nine-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, was handed down by Judge P. A. Martin of that court Wednesday afternoon. In handing down the decision Judge Martin set the trial of the final habeas corpus proceedings for the custody of the child for April 26. This follows a temporary award of the custody of the child some six weeks ago to Mrs. Erard, her mother.

At the hearing Wednesday afternoon a certified copy of a supplemental decree from the district court of Cowley county, Kansas, awarding the custody of the child to the father, was presented the court. Judge Martin ruled, however, that changed conditions which had arisen in the status of mother and father transferred jurisdiction in the matter from Kansas to Wichita county, in which the mother and child now resided.

The hearing Wednesday marked the second chapter in court action following an alleged kidnapping proceedings six weeks ago in which W. E. Stringer, the father, located the nine-year-old daughter on her way to a neighborhood store and forced her into a cab to accompany him back to Kansas. They were apprehended shortly afterwards by Constable C. L. Bradford. Stringer was released from custody when he displayed a judgment from the Kansas court awarding the custody of the child to him. Judge Martin refused to recognize this in the joint habeas corpus hearings the next day, however, demanding a certified copy of the judgment before he would pass a final judgment of his own in the matter.

Men Enjoy Banquet

The banquet for men at the Highland Heights Christian church Tuesday evening, sponsored by the Men's Bible class of that church, had a wonderful attendance despite rain and snow. Fifty-six men were in attendance, comprising members of the class and their guests.

P. B. Curd, president of the class, acted as toastmaster, introducing various officers of the class and the guests of the evening, several of whom responded with short talks in words of praise for the work the men in the class were doing in promoting Christian fellowship in the Highland Heights community.

Judge John C. Kay delivered the principal address of the evening, speaking of the "Unselfish Service of Man to the Kingdom of God."

The banquet was served by Mrs. Craft's division of the women's council.

The Highland Heights Christian church orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Joe Crouch, furnished music for the men. The men were especially entertained with a violin solo rendered by little Miss Ruth Lucile Crouch.

JONES BUYS LOT

Another new building site in the Westmoreland park has been purchased by Oral A. Jones, who bought a lot fronting south on Kessler boulevard not far from Wenonah boulevard.

MORROW TO BE SPEAKER HERE

Grandson of Sam Houston To Talk at Maundy Thursday Dinner

Temple Morrow, grandson of Sam Houston and well known business man of Dallas, will be the principal speaker at the Maundy Thursday mystic banquet of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the southern jurisdiction, tonight at the Kemp hotel at 7 o'clock.

Reservations should be made at the office of the recorder during the day, it was stated yesterday. The banquet is obligatory, and whether members belong to the southern jurisdiction or not, they are asked to attend the meeting.

The committee in charge includes J. A. Kemp, J. D. Avis, W. D. Cline, L. G. Hawkins, Otto Sthelik, Albert Ellis, R. E. Shepherd. Music will be furnished by the Maskat Chanters. Other speakers on the program are Dr. Paul Henry Packard, R. E. Shepherd, Bernard R. Bryant of Stamford, Isaac O. Newton, Seymour; H. D. Miller, Electra; C. A. Rogers, Glen Kinkaid, Burkburnett.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

Miss Mary McIlhenny, local Camp Fire executive, issued the following announcement Wednesday afternoon: "Camp Fire Girls who have the white dress uniform are requested to meet at First Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mildred Robinson, to be held at 3:30 o'clock. Mildred was a member of the Temskstawa Camp Fire group, and until her illness of last few months, had not missed a meeting for over a year. She was also a newly elected delegate to the Girls Council."

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