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MINE CONFERENCE AGAIN ENDS IN DEADLOCK

$300,000 Wholesale Drug Firm Will Open In City

OKLAHOMA CITY MAN TO START LARGE CONCERN

E. N. Ainsworth Will be Here First of Week to Work

WIDE EXPERIENCE

Has Been General Manager of Alexander Company For Many Years

Organization of a new wholesale drug company here with a capitalization of $300,000, a small part of which will be subscribed locally, is to be started in a short time, it was learned Tuesday.

The company will be headed by E. N. Ainsworth, until recently general manager of the Alexander Drug company of Oklahoma City and who resigned that post a few days ago to begin preparation of plans for the Wichita Falls company. Announcement of his plans was made from Oklahoma City and confirmation obtained from the chamber of commerce in Wichita Falls. Mr. Ainsworth has been in conference with J. W. Chatham, industrial commissioner of the chamber, for some time past and has had outlined to him the advantages of Wichita Falls as a wholesale drug center.

Coming Next Week.

Mr. Ainsworth will be in this city the first of next week to start active work, it is understood.

In commenting on Wichita Falls as a wholesale center, Mr. Ainsworth said recently in Oklahoma City that "at the present time a great volume of business is coming to Oklahoma City from the Texas Panhandle which could be better served by a distributing point closer to the territory. In the drug business I know that the field can be covered much more quickly and satisfactorily from Wichita Falls. I expect to see a distributing firm in that territory do what Alexander drug has done in Oklahoma City.

Active in Oklahoma City.

Ainsworth has been active in civic affairs of Oklahoma City for years. He is a prominent member of the Rotary club there and is an authority on drug trade in the southwest. He has been with the Alexander Drug company, one of the largest houses of its kind west of St. Louis, since its beginning as a small company doing a few thousands of business annually to its present position which commands an annual turnover of many millions.

Asks 3 Billion For US Road System

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A $3,000,000,000 bond issue to construct a national network of federally controlled highways was proposed in a bill today by Representative Holoday, Republican, Illinois. The measure is opposed by the bureau of public roads, which already has worked out plans for a national road system in co-operation with the states.

THE WEATHER



"I wouldl of got over 80 in geography but I forgot whether a hemisphere is land surrounded by water or water surrounded by land."

Weather conditions in Wichita Falls for the past 24 hours as reported by the Wichita Falls Electric company observation station were as follows: Maximum 57; minimum 40; at 5 p. m. 55; precipitation 0.4; northeast breeze; cloudy; average wind velocity 7 miles per hour; minimum wind velocity 11 miles per hour; barometer 29.05.

WEST TEXAS: Wednesday and Thursday fair, little change in temperature.

OKLAHOMA: Wednesday fair; Thursday partly cloudy; little change in temperature.

EAST TEXAS: Wednesday fair, somewhat colder in southwest portion and on west coast; Thursday fair; light to moderate northerly winds on the coast.

THE DAY IN WASHINGTON.

The tax bill continued before the senate.

The house passed the agricultural appropriation bill.

A reply to the Mexican oil land note was started on its way.

A house committee considered placing prohibition agents under the civil service.

Additional charges were made against the internal revenue bureau by a senate investigating committee.

An increase of the river and harbor fund from $40,000,000 to $50,000,000 was recommended by President Coolidge.

The White House made public the president's views on recent questions in dispute and Senator Harrison replied in the senate.

Coolidge Assailed Bitterly For His Reprimand to Congress

Senator Harrison of Mississippi in Caustic Attack on President; Says Executive's Statement "Unworthy of High Office

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A White House retort to the charge that President Coolidge has been playing politics was followed today by a renewal of the charge from the democratic side of the senate.

What was said at the White House was imparted to newspaper men in the usual informal manner, and permission to print it as a direct statement by the president was withheld.

The substance of it was that Mr. Coolidge hoped the public would not take recent criticism of him in congress and elsewhere too seriously, but would bear in mind that this is a campaign year and that public discussions at this season are likely to have a political flavor.

Within two hours after the correspondents left the executive offices, Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi said on the senate floor that the president had called in newspaper men and warned that "speeches in congress are political." The senator added that such a statement was "unworthy of the president of the United States."

Says Cal Exploits Views.

"The president has been going over the country making speeches to commercial organizations and to chambers of commerce," Senator Harrison said, "exploiting his views, seeking to bring the people to his idea of government and to win approval of his administrative policy. He has not made a single speech from that uttered before the chamber of commerce of New York to that fly-by-night journey to Chicago when he addressed the farmers of the great northwest offering to them a panacea which was disapproved by that great section of the country, but that he was trying to win favor with the people, playing politics in his speeches.

"If there has been in the White House in a long time an adroit politician, a man who in smooth and apparently silent ways can win over men to his side in his own party, it is the present occupant.

Act Unprecedented.

"Yet, notwithstanding all this, which the country knows—we who have to combat him here daily know it perhaps better than the country—he calls the newspepermen in this morning at the White House and makes this startling statement to them, a statement that has no counterpart in the history of any occupant of the White House. Indeed, none has been so courageous before as to make such a pronouncement.

"The minority part both in the house and the senate has played less politics since December than at any other time in this history of the American congress.

"Unworthy of President."

"It is unworthy of a president of the United States. It does not become an occupant of the White House to have the newspapers through their correspondents warn the country that all the speeches here are to be of a political tinge and caste during this year."

"Ah," he exclaimed, "using the mighty power of that great office trying to focus the attention of the country and have them believe they hear nothing but politics."

Senator Harrison described the president as "the matchless politician."

CAPITAL LEVY REPEAL VOTED

Senate Then Increases Corporation Tax to Offset Decreased Revenue

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Repeal of the capital stock and an increase of one per cent in the present 12 1-2 per cent corporation levy to balance this action was voted today by the senate in disposing of its first controversial item in the tax reduction bill.

The proposal, which was recommended by the finance committee divided the senate on party lines, democrats voting almost solidly against the increase in the corporation tax which was approved, 42 to 35. Repeal of the capital stock levy however, was then approved, 75 to 4.

Women Bandits Are Given 3 Years Each

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Sentences of three years each in the state penitentiary were imposed on Mrs. Catherine Rogers and her daughter, Zera Crumb, convicted bank robbers, in circuit court today.

They were convicted last Friday on charges of robbery in the first degree in connection with the holdup of the Renner State bank on November 27. Thy confessed but made a plea of insanity.

When they heard their sentence neither of South Dakota's first women bank robbers showed any great concern.

HOUSE WOULD HONOR MEN WHO LIED TO JOIN ARMY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The house military committee today approved measures to provide honorable discharges for soldiers who enlisted in the World war and were dismissed on account of misrepresentation of age and to give officers retired for disability 75 per cent of their active pay.

ATLANTA WOULD BAN NEGRO BARBERS FOR WHITE MEN.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Negro barbers would be prohibited from serving white patrons in Atlanta after June 1, if the mayor signs an ordinance adopted late yesterday by city council. The measure was recommended by the sanitary committee o fthe council.

Texan Is Killed; Brother in Jail

PLEASANTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Five hours after he was found with gunshot wounds in his abdomen, L. B. Kelso, 65, farmer of Verdi community, 10 miles from here, died this afternoon. Henry Kelso, brother of the dead man, was held in connection with the shooting.

Kelso's family was said to be in Austin on a visit. His brother made his home with them at Verdi.

PENNSYLVANIA REJECTS ANTHRACITE CONTROL PLAN

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The house committee on mines and mining of the Pennsylvania legislature after a public hearing today voted to report with a negative recommendation the administration bills for control of anthracite mining.

BRECKENRIDGE STORE IS ROBBED OF GROCERIES

BRECKENRIDGE, Feb. 2.—Burglars entered the Lowry grocery, in the residential section of the city, early Tuesday and removed stock valued at $200, including ten thousand cigarettes and thirty pounds of other tobaccos. Entrance was gained through a rear door.

SOVIET GIVES $500,000 TO HELP VAGRANT CHILDREN.

MOSCOW, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The soviet government has appropriated $500,000 for the relief of vagrant children of which there are numerous bands living in precarious existence in all parts of Russia. It is estimated that there are 400,000 such children throughout Russia.

US Files Answer In Mexican Oil Note

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—An American reply to the note in which Mexico recently defended its new anti-alien and petroleum laws has been started on its way to Mexico City.

The reply was prepared by the state department after conference with Charles B. Warren of Detroit, Mich., and John Barton Payne, who negotiated the resumption of diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico in 1923.

The contents of the note were not disclosed.

Lone Star Gas Co. To Increase Its Capital

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—An amendment to the charter of the Lone Star Gas company of Dallas, increasing the capital stock from $10,675,000 to $13,500,000, was granted today by the secretary of state. The increase of $2,825,000 will be used in the construction of additional facilities for the transportation and delivery of gas to Dallas, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and 50 other north Texas cities.

$1,000,000 WHARF FIRE TO BE INVESTIGATED FURTHER.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Further investigation into the $1,000,000 conflagration on the Galveston wharves recently will be made by the state fire insurance department, it was divulged today. J. J. Timmins, secretary to the commission, is scheduled to leave Wednesday for Galveston to learn the condition of the first boat maintained by the city, when the fire broke out.

JELLY BEAN BANDITS HOLD UP FILLING STATION

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Two "jelly bean bandits" last night robbed a filling station at Circleville of $30 when one of them looted the cash drawer while the other held a drawn gun on Mrs. Van Slagle, who was alone.

Burglars robbed the postoffice at Salado of 45 cents.

WHY DID CLEOPATRA HOP? PRINCETON PROF. ASKS.

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Students are puzzled as to whether Cleopatra was hopping mad or what made her hop 40 paces as described in Shakespeare's "Anthony and Cleopatra." A professor has offered members of his class a reward for the correct explanation.

COLLEGE GIRLS DANCE TOO MUCH, DR. BAKER CLAIMS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 2.—(AP)—"Too much dancing, irregular hours and too little exercise impair the health of many college women," says the annual report of Dr. Thomas S. Baker, president of Carnegie Institute of Technology.

LATE

SEATTLE, Wash.—His devotion to science cost Dr. Delbert Nickson, pathologist at a hospital here the loss of his left arm, it was learned today.

SAN FRANCISCO—Gilbert Hoyle, California poet and composer, died at his home here today after an illness of several months.

WASHINGTON—A measure which would permit women citizens of this country to retain their citizenship after marrying aliens was introduced today by Senator LaFollette, republican of Wisconsin.

KANSAS CITY—Roy M. Turner, of Atchison, Kan., tonight was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Dora Gage, Atchison divorcee and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

AUSTIN—A hungry burglar nibbled at cheese, an apple, cakes, and a sausage in a local market, some time Monday night, then left with a ham and a quantity of chewing and smoking tobacco.

NEW ORLEANS—Co-operative efforts among hardwood manufacturers for the improvement of the industry made great strides during 1925, reports made today during the annual meeting of the Hardwood Manufacturer's institute here revealed.

STOCKHOLM—By the signature today of a compulsory, unlimited arbitration treaty with Finland, Sweden completed a system of agreements with all her Scandinavian neighbors for the outlawing of war.

AUSTIN—Police Tuesday were watching for Eckhart Thorn of Chicago to tell him that his son had been killed in an automobile accident at Chicago. Mr. Thorn was reported motoring through Texas and was due to reach Austin today.

NEW ORLEANS—Harry E. White, arrested recently by department of justice agents in connection with the activities of a huge counterfeit and bootlegging ring operating in Louisiana, Texas, Oklahoma and Mexico was indicted by a federal grand jury here today on a charge of passing worthless $100 bills.

NEW YORK—With widespread interest aroused in the marketing of rubber by the recent effort of American manufacturers to stimulate production, the first organized trading in rubber futures in the United States began on the coco and rubber exchange of America today.

LOS ANGELES—Final papers in the separation of the business interests of Mary Pickford, from those of her husband, Douglas Fairbanks, were filed here today in the county clerk's office, in the shape of articles of incorporation of the mask of the Mary Pickford company.

ALEXANDRIA, La.—Five men who gained entrance to the parish jail today and demanded custody of Joseph Hardy, a negro, were foiled by W. G. Penney, jailer, telling them that only he and Sheriff U. T. Downs knew the combination of the negro's cell and that "you may kill me, but you can't get the negro."

SALT LAKE CITY—In the cathedral of the Madeleine, scene of his ecclesiastical labors for the past 11 years, hundreds of Roman Catholics and a few protestants today paid their last tribute to the memory of the Right Rev. Joseph S. Glass, C. M. D. D., bishop of the diocese of Salt Lake.

2-YEAR SEARCH FOR ALLEGED ARMS SMUGGLER IS ENDED

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Federal authorities late today apprehended Jan de Bruyn in his real estate office here after a nation-wide search of more than two years. He is being held in $10,000 bond awaiting trial tomorrow.

De Bruyn was charged with having been implicated in smuggling arms from San Francisco to a Chinese port to aid the young China movement in 1923.

CAL ADDS 10 MILLION TO RIVERS HARBORS BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—President Coolidge today raised by $10,000,000 the original appropriation requested for rivers and harbors projects for the next year, making the total $50,000,000.

TREASURY TAX BOARD SCORED

Senator Couzens Leads Investigative Committees Report on Actions

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Additional strictures on the income tax unit of the treasury were presented today to the senate in reports signed by the majority members of the investigating committee headed by Senator Couzens, republican, Michigan.

Concrete cases were presented in an effort to show that more than $100,000,000 in war amortizations for tax reduction purposes had been allowed, which were not based on rulings of the solicitor of the internal revenue bureau.

Similarly, the majority set up the contention that something like $60,00,000 in amortization allowances had been made which were not based on sound engineerig principles and not specifically coderuned by the solicitor's ruling."

$2,000,000 IS ASKED FOR FORT BLISS, TEXAS, CAMP

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Expenditure of $2,000,000 for additional construction and improvements at Fort Bliss, Texas, to accommodate the First Cavalry Division of the army was proposed in a bill today introduced by Representative Hudspeth.

Races With Reaper In An Airplane

LAREDO, Texas, Feb. 2.—(AP) Speeding in an airplane from Tampico, Mexico, to Lufkin, Texas, to reach the bedside of his dying father, Edwin Falvey, prominent oil operator of the Tampico district, was expected to reach his destination shortly before noon today. The distance of about 1,200 miles is scheduled to be covered in about 11 hours flying time.

Falvey left Tampico at noon Monday, arriving here at 4:15 p. m. He obtained clearance papers and was on the American side at 5:30. He left here this morning at 5:30.

TWO DENTISTS INJURED AS AUTO HITS TROLLEY

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Dr. Robert M. Walthall, dentist, suffered a broken jaw and his brother, Dr. Paul Walthall, also a dentist, suffered minor injuries when their coupe was demolished by a street car which struck an open switch on the north side here tonight and swerved into them.

AMERICA SIGNS TREATY OF COMMERCE WITH LATVIA.

RIGA, Latvia, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A provisional treaty of commerce has been signed between Latvia and the United States.

OIL PROPERTIES SOLD

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—about four thousand acres of oil and gas properties in LaSalle and Wynn parishes, Louisiana, have been acquired by the Natural Gas and Fuel corporation.

GEORGE C. CURTIS DEAD.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—George Carrol Curtis, widely known as a geographic sculptor, is dead here at the age of 53. He formerly was assistant field geologist for the United States geological survey.

Congressman's Wife Sues for Divorce

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Mrs. Edna James Scott today filed in circuit court here a suit to divorce Congressman Frank D. Scott. She charges desertion.

On Congressman Scott's petition for divorce and Mrs. Scott's cross bill, which came up in the Alpena circuit court last summer, Judge Frank D. Emerick refused to issue a decree to either party.

In the Alpena suit, Congressman Scott charged his wife with friendship with a Washington hotel clerk and with an army officer.

Collier In Huntsville, But Has Not Registered At Prison, Warden Says

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Information reached Warden Speer of the state penitentiary here today that Frank Collier, former mayor of Wichita Falls, had reached Huntsville in preparation for beginning his sentence of three years for manslaughter. Warden Speer tonight, however, told the Associated Press that Mr. Collier had not reported at the penitentiary. He understood that he had arrived here unaccompanied, but whether he had his commitment papers, the warden was not advised.

Mr. Collier was convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of Elsie (Buster) Robertson, the 19-year-old husband of Mr. Collier's daughter, at Wichita Falls, February 14, 1925. He appealed from the judgment of the lower court, but a few weeks ago announced that he would accept the sentence.

RADIO TELLS OF HEROIC RESCUE BY TEXAS SHIP

Valiant Work of Seamen Saves Five Lives on Board Sinking Schooner

LIFE BOAT IS LOST

Craft Is Swept Away By High Seas After Last Man Taken Board Tanker

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A tale of the sea reciting details of the valiant rescue of five crew men from the schooner Simmons by the crew of the Pure Oil company's tanker, W. W. Mills on Jan. 29, 25 miles north of Miami, was received here today in a radiogram to the Associated Press from W. H. Maxwell, captain of the tanker.

The rescue came after a long battle with the waves of the Atlantic, just as the Simmons started to sink. The entire crew of the tanker volunteered to go to the rescue. The wireless message follows:

The Message.

"On Jan. 29, at 2 p. m., 25 miles north of Miami, the tanker W. W. Mills sighted the schooner Simmons flying distress signals. After three attempts a line was finally made fast to the schooner's foremast. Captain Kohler of the Simmons believed he could still float until Miami was reached but after one hour's towing he and his crew signalled to be taken off as the schooner was sinking. The schooner was shipping heavy seas at the time. The Mills was stopped and life boat lowered. The entire crew volunteered to go to the rescue.

Wet and Happy.

"The most competent were picked with Chief Mate Rosenberg in charge. In about an hour's time they returned with the five members of the crew, all wet and happy. As the last man left the lifeboat a heavy sea tore her loose from the ship's side. It was impossible to pick up the boat. The schooner was rapidly drifting onto the beach. All sails had carried away. The schooner was loaded with plaster lime and lumber. The crew landed at Key West.

"Signed

"W. H. MAXWELL,
"Captain of the W. W. Mills."

Word was received here this afternoon by radio through the Gulf Refining company's station that the tanker Gulf of Venezuela had picked up the crew of another sinking ship and was proceeding to Port Arthur.

Millionaire Is Suicide Victim

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 2—(AP)—William Madison Wood, 68, millionaire, former president of the American Woolen company, Andover, Mass., and for the past month a guest at Hotel Ormond, with his wife, committed suicide at a lonely spot above Flagler beach this morning by placing the barrel of a revolver in his mouth and firing.

Ill health is given as the cause for his action. At the time of the suicide Mr. Wood had been accompanied in his automobile to Flagler beach by his valet and chauffeur.

Leaving the car with an excuse that he wished to take a short walk bordering the road at that point Mr. Wood was gone for only a few minutes before the report of the gun was heard and the servants rushed to the scene to find him dying.

AMERICANS PLAN RUBBER PLANTATION IN MEXICO

DALLAS, Feb. 2. — (AP) — An American syndicate has been proposed to grow rubber on an extensive scale in several Mexican states, reports from the southern republic received by Mexican Consul Contreras of Dallas.

Senor Contreras said that if the projected plans are carried through, American capitalists will convert approximately 100,000 pectares of land near the American border to the growing of the guayaule plant, which grows in arid and semi-arid regions.

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY INCREASES ITS CAPITAL

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The Lone Star Gas company of Dallas today was granted an amendment to its charter increasing its capital stock from $10,675,000 to $13,500,000, or $2,825,000 by the secretary of state. Increases in shares of $20 par value, aggregate 113,000, all of which have been paid for in cash. The increase is for additional facilities to supply fifty north Texas cities, Karl F. Griffith, attorney, said.

FORMER DOCTOR TO TAFT WILL LECTURE IN AUSTIN.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Dr. Charles E. Barker, former personal physician to President Taft, and nationally known Rotary health lecturer, will deliver three lectures to school boys and girls, men and women under auspices of the Austin Rotary club here Wednesday.

DANDELIONS ABLOOM IN WARM ALASKA

JUNEAU, Feb. 2.—(AP)—It's so warm in Alaska that dandelions and strawberries are in bloom and baseball is being played.

Pomp and Parade At Turk Weddings Are Under a Ban

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Fathers of marriagable daughters have found a real friend in the governor of Constantinople province. He has promulgated a law restricting in great detail expenditures allowed in connection with weddings and forbidding many of the picturssque but costly features which have been part of Turkish weddings for ages.

The purpose is tofold to encourage marriages and to prevent waste in this time of national economic stress.

The law forbids the transportation of the bride's goods to the home of her prospective husband which hitherto has been the occasion of great pomp and parade. The bride on her journey to her new home, may be followed by not more than five carriage or automobile loads of guests. The marriage feast must not last more than a day whereas formerly such celebrations frequently continued fora week and the bride's father kept open house not only for relatives and friends, but also for entire neighborhoods or villages and for any passerby who wanted a free meal. The feast, moreover, may be attended only by relatives and those formally invited.

Most drastic of all from the bride's standpoint, there must be no wedding gifts.

It is pointed out that the custom which required lavish expenditure acted as a deterrent to marriage, many families preferring to let their daughters remain single since they could not afford to outlay which traditional usage required.

ARCHER LEADS IN TEXAS DRILLING

Heads State With 128 Notices to Drill; Had 75 Wells in January

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—During January 670 notices to drill oil wells were filed with the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission. Notices to shoot wells aggregated 123, notices to plug, 302; producers of oil, 329; dusters, 292; gassers, 33.

It was announced these reports were only approximate.

Archer county led in notices to drill, 128 producers 75, dusters, 42. Callahan read, 78 notices, 48 producers and 42 dusters Wichita, notices 56, producers 67 drys.

GRAVE HIDES IDENTITY OF AGED TAYLOR MAN.

TAYLOR, Texas, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The body of the unknown man who was found in Pecan creek north of Taylor by Joe Naiver, Friday and which has been held at the Forwood borgue awaiting identification, was buried Monday afternoon. His identity is still a mystery. The finding of the name of "Jim" Hodge inside the lining of the sleeve and the laundry mark of N. Q. Q.-3 has developed nothing. His wounds led many to believe it was a case of murder, as the side of his skull was badly crushed.

BORDEN QUITS JOB WITH YELLOW CAB INTERESTS.

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 2.—(AP)—John Borden confirmed from his plantation at Grenada, Miss., today that he has resigned from the board of directors of the companies controlling the Yellow Cab interests but declined to give any reason for his withdrawal. He contented himself with the statement that he was separated himself from the Hertz interests.

Lone Star Gas To Improve Service

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—Improvements and extension of facilities for serving north Texas consumers of gas from Wichita Falls on the west to Denison on the east are contemplated by the Lone Star Gas company which Tuesday filed a charter amendment here increasing its capital stock from $10,675,000 to $13,500,000. The increase is all subscribed and paid in cash.

Included in the improvements planned is a new eight-inch gas line from Breckenridge to Dallas.

MISSING IOWA STUDENT BELIEVED TO BE IN TEXAS.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Search for James John O'Hara, Des Moines university student who disappeared from Des Moines in July, 1924, has shifted to San Antonio. Relatives who said they traced him to Waco, told Sheriff Jim Stevens by letter today that they believed he was in San Antonio.

The student disappeared after being stricken with amnesia.

VACUUM OIL COMPANY PAYS EXTRA DIVIDEND.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Vacuum Oil company declared an extra dividend of 50 cents and the regular quarterly of the same amount, both payable March 20 to stock of record Feb. 27. Extra payments of 50 cents have been made in previous quarters but in the final quarter of 1925, one dollar extra was authorized.

STRIKE, NOW 6 MONTHS OLD, IS NO NEARER END

Hopeless Disagreement Results in Adjournment of Third Wage Parley

REJECT MINERS' PLAN

Request for Session of Full Scale Committees of Each Side Is Voted Down

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Apparently in a hopeless deadlock, the anthracite miners and operators broke off negotiations tonight for the third time since their parleys started in Atlantic City, last July.

Each side again presented a plan for settlement of the hard coal strike, now in its sixth month, only to be thrown out as unacceptable by one side or the other.

As a last resort, the miners asked that the full scale committees of each side be called into joint conference in the hope of breaking the deadlock, but this was voted down by the coal companies.

Tonight the situation was virtually the same as when the long suspension began Sept. 1.

Gebhardt of Burk To Be Buried Today

BURKBURNETT, Feb. 2.—The funeral of the late Eugene L. Gebhardt who died Monday in the Wichita General hospital and whose body lies in state at the Collier Funeral home, will take place at the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. M. L. Hamilton, conducting the services.

Interment will follow in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Mr. Gebhardt was 57 years of age and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Belle Sprague Gebhardt and seven children: Mrs. T. T. Smith of Iowa Park, Mrs. Gladys Smart of Fort Worth, Mrs. R. M. Allredge of Wichita Falls and Miss Donna Gebhardt, a teacher in the Lubbock school faculty. The sons are C. H. Gebhardt, who with his family lived in Burkburnett, and two younger sons, Glenn and Hugh Gebhardt of the Burkburnett high school. All of the children are here in attendance on their father's funeral.

Other surviving relatives are an aged mother who formerly lived here, and a sister, J. T. Gibson of Bentonville, Ark., with whom the mother lives.

FOOD CORPORATION WILL ACT AS HOLDING COMPANY

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The National Food Products corporation, incorporated under the laws of Maryland today, will operate as a holding company for concerns in the food trade owning, purchasing, selling and underwriting their securities. Formation of the corporation according to its organizers, represents the first attempt to apply to the food trade a policy which has been notably successful in the public untility field.

U-Boat Reaches Land

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The United States submarine T-3 was towed safely into port at 3:30 this afternoon by the naval tug Bay Springs after having been battered about at the mercy of the waves Saturday and Sunday. The submarine was en route to Key West from New London, Conn., when her fuel supplr was exhausted off the Florida coast in latitude 27.43 north, longitude 80.11 west.

SCHOONER IN DISTRESS; SEA TOO ROUGH FOR RESCUE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Captain Olson of the steamer Los Almos in response to a radio query from the San Francisco Bulletin, sent a wireless message back saying that the seas were too rough to attempt a rescue of the crew of the schooner Ecola in distress off Fort Bragg. There is one woman aboard the Ecola, Captain Olson's message said.

DWIGHT BOWLES DEAD.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Dwight W. Bowles, 61, secretary of the tentative organization of the international press foundation, and son of the late Sam Bowles, editor of the Springfield, Mass., Republican, died here this afternoon.

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News and Social Events of Texas and Oklahoma

TEXAS GINNED 3,998,172 BALES

Totals for State Nearly Million Under 1924, Federal Bureau Say

DALLAS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Figures on cotton ginned in Texas counties for 1924 and 1925 were released today by the U. S. department of commerce The total ginnings for the state were announced January 23, as 3,998,172, in 1924, 4,747,866 were ginned.

Among the figures are the following:

County—	1925	1924
Bexar	30,320	26,254
Bowie	44,355	26,252
Dallas	61,818	64,562
Denton	18,719	48,506
El Paso	41,714	34,154
Falls	22,695	72,324
Harris	15,851	11,222
Lubbock	29,780	41,822
McLennan	34,367	10,222
Tarrant	22,428	33,663
Travis	3,306	44,148
Bell	14,887	.....
Ellis	78,986	120,220
Grayson	64,073	74,577
Tom Green	13,779	8,827
WICHITA	20,990	15,714

Frederick to Hold Power Conference

FREDERICK, Feb. 2.—A definite move to bring about a permanent settlement to the power situation, which is one of Frederick's greatest problems, is to be started this week when Earl Ernsberger, president of the Southwestern Light & Power company, of Oklahoma City, comes here to meet with the water and light committee of the city council.

The city is at the present buying high-line current at wholesale rates delivered to the city's switchboard. It has the option of the sale of its old plant to the Southwestern people for approximately $107,000, which will be bought if a franchise is granted to the Southwestern power company to distribute juice in the city.

Several plans are under consideration at this time.

State News Briefs

WACO.—W. T. Aven, condemned to be electrocuted, Feb. 27, for poisoning his wife four years ago, was taken to Huntsville last night. Aven, as he left the McLennan county jail in charge of officers, expressed the hope that possibly Governor Ferguson would commute his sentence.

DALLAS.—Henry Revier, 23, was found guilty of robbery with firearms here last night and sentenced to 25 years imprisonment. Revier and four others were indicted for robbery of a Piggly-Wiggly store here Jan. 23.

WACO.—Mrs. Mary Kemendo, gold star mother, who enjoyed the distinction of not having been ill for 36 years, died at her home here last night from a stroke of paralysis. She is the first gold star mother to pass away in McLennan county.

WACO.—The postoffice at Eddy, 20 miles south of Waco was robbed early this morning. Cash to the amount of $200, with a package of money order blanks was taken from the safe.

AUSTIN.—Deficiency of approximately $80,000 will be requested to be authorized by the governor today for the state teachers colleges by Henry Paulus of Yoakum, members of the board of regents. J. A. Hill of Canyon, president of the West Texas State Teachers college; R. L. Marquis of Denton, head of the North Texas State Teachers college; Dr. C. E. Evans of San Marcos, president of the Southwest Texas Teachers college and Dean W. Wiseley of the Southwest Teachers college at Nacogdoches are here.

SAN ANTONIO.—Mrs. W. L. Nolen, 28, eldest daughter of Lon A. Smith, Texas railroad commissioner died here today. She is survived by a son, her husband, parents, and ten brothers and sisters.

DALLAS.—Three white and two negroes were found guilty in federal court yesterday of operating the huge subterranean still that was captured underneath a Dallas residence recently. Sentence of the men were deferred.

Dallas County GOP May Buy Vote Boxes

DALLAS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Dallas county Republicans may have to buy ballot boxes for more than 100 precincts as a result of a ruling by the county commissioners' court wherein the democratic party is loaned the boxes for the July primary election. F. H. Alexander, county judge, had previously declared both parties had equal claim for use of the boxes, said today the court order permitting the democrats to use them as voted after he had tried to persuade both sides to delay action in order to straighten out the matter satisfactorily.

A request from both sides was received the same day by the commissioners court.

Road Petitions To Get Action Today

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Failure of Hal Moseley, chairman and John Cage, member of the highway commission to arrive today deferred action of the commission on the numerous applications of various counties for aid for and designation of highways. L. W. Kemper, acting state highway engineer, said that the commissioners are expected to announce decisions on the applications Wednesday.

FAMED 36TH DIVISION OF TEXAS TO BE EXPANDED.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2—(AP)—The Thirty-Sixth Division, Texas National Guard, will be expanded upon authority from the militia bureau for the reorganization of Company C, 144th Infantry at Terrell, organization of the 141st Motor Transport company, 121st Motor Repair section, Company M, 142nd Infantry, Company L, 142nd Infantry and the medical detachment at Wichita Falls.

HENRIETTA

Personals.

Miss Lillian Howard, who teaches school at Archer City, spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Howard.

Miss Catherine Carrow has returned from a visit at Denton.

Miss Ruth Palmer, who teaches in Wichita Falls, spent the week end at home.

Miss Mary Bartell who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Tillie Grinke, returned to her home in Kansas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Melton of Wichita Falls were here Sunday.

W. L. Mount and Clyde King were in Wichita Falls this week.

L. L. Hanum has returned from a business trip to Ryan, Okla.

Joseph Edwards spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon in the church parlors and quilted two quilts to be sent to the Baptist Orphans Home at Dallas.

The Music club met Monday evening with Mrs. B. P. Schwend.

The Christian Ladies' Aid Society met Monday afternoon at the church. The afternoon was spent in quilting and a business meeting was held and the menu planned for the K. C. banquet which this society will serve next week.

Mrs. Lon Kelly and Mrs. Laura Marberry are in Dallas attending market.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Rush of Byers spent Sunday with Mrs. L. S. McMurry.

Mrs. Claude Vaughn has returned to her home at Olney after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edwards.

Hamm Douglass of Bellevue was here Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Jackson of Denton is the guest of Mrs. Mae Ellis and Mrs. W. L. Mount.

Mrs. M. E. Petro has returned to her home at Connersville, Ind.

Mrs. W. K. Millsapps, Mrs. J. D. Pickens and Miss Ettie Pickens spent Monday in Wichita Falls.

Rev. L. D. Shawyer is in Wichita Falls today.

G. Wayne Barker of Wichita Falls spent Sunday here.

Miss Catherine Bass has returned to her home at Sedalia, Mo., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. G. Wayne Barker here.

Miss Naomi Bradley spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Bentley at Wichita Falls.

Mr. Frank Pound of Clarendon was here Sunday.

R. E. Taylor has returned from a trip to Dallas.

Mrs. Karl Kerbow has returned from Wichita Falls.

Mrs. John Cunningham and Mrs. Margaret Suddath were in Jolly Monday.

G. B. McGlasson spent Monday in Ringold.

P. T. A. to Entertain.

The Parent-Teacher's Association will entertain at the high school auditorium Tuesday, Feb. 9, with a tea, an interesting program to be given. The occasion of this entertainment will be to collect the annual dues and a reward is offered to the room in school securing the largest number of memberships, of five dollars on a picture for the room. The following is the program:

Why Have a P. T. A.—Mrs. St. Andrew Myers; Piano solo—"Here's to Spring," Helen Powell; Reading, Clara Vaughn; Violin duet, Old Folks at Home, Lazell Hohenstein and Norma Morgan; Songs, Love's Old Sweet Song, America the Beautiful, Henrietta music club; Reading, Randall Sadler; Piano solo, Whispering Hope, Anna Catherine Oheim; Cornet solo, Chums Polka, O. T. Liles, Jr.; Piano solo, Bathers Refrain, Margery Howard; Violin solo, La Legend, Miss Dorothy McDonald; Vocal solo, Miss Jimmay Norman, with flute accompaniment by Prof. Cliff Dickson; Piano solo, Revolutionary Etude, Miss Margaret Harris.

Bridge Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ikard and Mrs. Willie Carrow entertained with four tables of bridge. Mrs. Theo. Ellis scored high for the ladies and was given a piece of Maderia. Mr. A. B. Staggs scored high among the gentlemen and was given a deck of cards. A tempting two course luncheon was served the Messrs and Mesdames A. B. Staggs, Carl Green, R. J. Brown, W. H. Myers, Alvis Fuller, Mesdames J. D. Gilliland, E. C. Carter, Theo. Ellis and A. B. Edwards.

ELECTRA

Vogue Bridge Club.

Miss Wilma Kilpatrick was hostess to the Vogue Bridge club Monday evening at her home on West Glisson Avenue. Those playing were Misses nie Jennings, Catherine Barr, Bonnie Jenningsh, Catherine Barr, Minnie Nell Yelldell, Earline McDannald, Louise Gaston, Carlotta Miller, Lucy Lee Young, Armilda Wilbanks and Carrie Cross. Miss Carrie Cross won the high score and received a lovely piece of lingerie. Miss Young delighted the guests with several reading selections. The next meeting will be with Miss Carlotta Miller at her home on South Main Street. At the conclusion of the evening a lovely plate luncheon was served.

Alpha Bible Class Meets.

On Monday afternoon the Alpha Bible class held its regular social meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Rowe on South Main Street, with Mesdames J. V. Harrison and S. M. Coke as assistant hostesses. A short Bible study was taken after prayer by Mrs. C. C. Dooley. After the lesson, a social hour was enjoyed and games and music were the principal diversions of the evening. A lovely plate luncheon was served to the following ladies at the conclusion of the evening. Mesdames R. E. Goodman, M. L. Wilcoxon, Ida Lloyd, S. M. Coke, J. V. Harrison, T. H. Barwise, C. C. Dooley, W. P. Slaton, W. H. Giles, Ben Knauth and Rev. C. C. Dooley. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cyril Hamilton with Mrs. Ida Lloyd, leader.

Presbyterian Ladies.

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. P. Birk on West Wharton Avenue. Plans were completed for the "church night," to be held at the Lebus Hall on Wednesday evening. This is to be a Bible study lesson meeting followed by a banquet. Mrs. McDonald led the devotional and Mrs. I. W. Wilson led in prayer, after which a social hour was spent. The hostess served lovely refreshments to: Mesdames Will Cross, J. C. Shaw, Clyde Dunn, J. E. Graham, E. E. Merkt, J. M. McDonald, H. A. Saye, D. F. Pierce, W. I. Wilson, E. P. Birk, J. M. Hemby, and J. F. Wolf. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Graham.

Methodist Ladies.

The Methodist Ladies met at the church on Monday afternoon in a regular business session, Mrs. J. C. Russell, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Jack Basham. Mrs. Marvin Dunagan had charge of the Bible lesson. Plans were made for the dinner to be served by Circle One on Saturday in the Methodist church basement. Plans were made for a silver tea at the home of Mrs. F. W. Weaver on Feb. 12.

Dramatic Club Meets.

The Dramatic club of the Berean Fidelis Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met at the church Monday night with an attendance of about thirty. Plays were selected which are to be given soon to raise money for the Sunday school class room. The following cast was selected to begin work immediately. Dell Coolidge, Joe McCracken, Edgar Walker, Brewer Smith, Laverne Gilger, Joe Miller, Verna Forbes, Misses Lorene Fletcher, Willie McGuire and Burnetta Coloniger, Elsie Caddell, Evelyn Smith, Mrs. Jodie Smith will have charge of the play.

Program at Church.

One of the nicest all day meetings ever held by the ladies of the First Baptist church was enjoyed on Monday when all circles and Southfield church members met for a Japanese program rendered by the ladies of the Y. C. Circle.

Mrs. T. T. Taylor gave a talk on the "Land of 1,000 Islands." "Religion in Japan," by Mrs. L. Gillum; "Touch of Christ," by Mrs. C. C. Stidham; "Hindered Streams," by Mrs. Dayton White; Mrs. E. R. Lloyd gave a prayer; "Waiting Harvest," by Mrs. J. L. Graham; "Our Field," Mrs. M. J. Holcomb; "Our Union Sister" by Mrs. A. L. Bradley; a reading by Mrs. M. C. Stowe, on "A Christian Woman in Japan," and the closing devotional by Mrs. J. C. Mozley, prayer by Mrs. W. C. Gossage.

Dinner was served in the basement to about one hundred members.

Christian Church Ladies.

The Lampas club of the First Christian church had charge of the program when they met wiht the ladies of the Christian church at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon. The program was on the "West Indies," and the devotional theme of youth was given by Mrs. Bennett Nance. A reading by Frank Lebus Jr., followed by a song, a prayer by Mrs. J. M. Knight; talk on "Our First Foreign Mission Field," by Mrs. Sid Gamblin; "Porto Rico," by Mrs. Dannie Dale, circle of prayer for foreign missionaries by all and special music by Miss Velva Hannah, and reading by the following little tots, Lila Lee Baker, Gloria Grizzle and Marie Berlein. The benediction was pronounced and a plate luncheon was served to about thirty members. The Lampas will hold their regular meeting this week, and the ladies of the church will meet next Monday at the parsonage for the purpose of quilting.

Legion Auxiliary Meets.

The American Legion Auxiliary met on Monday evening at the reception rooms of Dr. Ralph E. Wellers office and Mrs. George McGann the president, presided. A business meeting was taken up in which plans were perfected for the dinner to be served in the Hupmobile sales rooms on North Waggoner Street on Feb. 20, celebrating George Washington's birthday. The ladies will meet again on Feb. 15. Those present, Mesdames Joe Hannah, Ada Hannah, Paul Smith, George McGann, Sam Ripley and Miss Mary McGann.

Rainbow Girls.

The Rainbow girls of the Electra chapter will hold their regular meeting on Thursday evening in the Masonic hall at which time all the new officers will assume their new duties and the sponsor, Mrs. Sam Ripley urges a good attendance.

Personals.

Jack Basham Jr., small son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Basham is quite ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. D. Egger, mother of Mrs. Paul Green, left for New Orleans, where she will sail for Cuba on Feb. 6, for an extended stay.

Mrs. Edward Schlaffke has as her guest, her mother, Mrs. Marriott of Wichita Falls.

Dr. Louis D. Grafton and children, arrived in Electra from Austin where they will make their home. Mrs. Grafton is spending a few days in Waxahachie before coming to Electra. Dr. Grafton has accepted a call from the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Vance Schaffer is very ill with influenza.

Mrs. W. F. Wear has been confined to her bed for some time.

Mrs. W. H. Rowe, living north of the city has been quite ill for the past few days.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Greenway, is in a very critical condition with pneumonia at the family residence on north Electra Street.

Miss Beulah Lee Miller of Wichita Falls is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Braggs on East Boosevel Avenue.

Royace Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt, returned home after a long stay in Amarillo and left early Tuesday for Mangum, Okla., to accept a position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Giles are spending the day of Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Elliott of the Rio Bravo lease is very ill with pneumonia.

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VERNON TO SELL POWER PLANT

Mid-West Utilities Company Offers $250,000; Election Set for April 6

VERNON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The Midwest Utilities company of which the Vernon Electric and Ice company is a subsidiary, through its president, J. C. Kennedy of San Antonio, has offered the city of Vernon $250,000 cash for its electric light and power plant here and all of its distribution system, including the city street lights. City commissioners after studying the proposition ordered Mayor Harry Mason and City Secretary S. H. Hall to sign a contract for sale providing the proposed sale is ratified by the citizens. A special election will be called before April 6, Mayor Mason indicated.

Constable, Slayer Of Carson, No-Billed

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Deputy Constable Ed Finch, slayer of Manuel Carson, has been exonerated by the grand jury, it was announced today by Mark McGee, assistant district attorney, who stated that after investigation the grand jury had "no billed" Finch on the charge of shooting Carson after the latter had shot and killed Constable Bob Poe last December.

DALLAS VOTING STRENGTH FOR 1926 IS 61,250.

DALLAS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Dallas county's voting strength for 1926 is 61,250 final tabulations of poll tax payments announced today indicated. This figure includes payment of 55,250 poll taxes and issuance of receipts on 6,000 exemptions.

This total is below that for 1925, the last election year, in which 66,135 poll tax receipts were issued. In 1924, 56,937 were issued.

WILBARGER COUNTY HAS 4,550 MOTOR VEHICLES.

VERNON, Feb. 2.—Incomplete figures on the poll taxes paid in Wilbarger county totaled 4,457 Monday morning including the exemptions, according to Tax Collector C. D. Greene.

Approximately 4,550 automobiles, trucks and trailers were registered in the county, according to an incomplete report from the county tax collector's office.

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THE FINAL CLEAN-UP THURSDAY

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Tillman County PTA Meets Feb. 5

FREDERICK, Feb. 2.—Plans are complete for the extensive rally of parent-teacher's associations of Tillman county which is to be held Friday, Feb. 5, according to E. H. Sheton, county superintendent of public instruction.

All parents and teachers are expected to be present at the meeting to be held with consolidated district No. 3. A county organization is to be formed.

An extensive program is being planned, with Will C. Jones, state rural school supervisor, as the main speaker.

CHILDRESS

Valentine Tea.

The music department of the woman's department club gave a very beautiful valentine tea at the home of Mrs. Chas. Dorsey on Saturday, Jan. 30. It was given for the members of the department club and guests. The decorations were very pretty hearts, flowers and many candles being used. The receiving line was composed of the music club, officers of the department club Mesdames J. M. Crawford, Will P. Jones, Roger A. Burgess and H. G. Hamill presided over the tea table. A large number of guests attended and enjoyed the hospitality of the music club and the well rendered program as follows: reading, Mary Elizabeth Cherry, accompanied by Ernestine Barkley on the violin; vocal solo, Miss Frances Reash, accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Barnes; reading, Miss Bernice Phipps; vocal solo, Miss Lucia Diggs, accompanied by Mrs. Barnes; violin duet, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Coffey.

New Theatre Opens Soon.

The new Palace theatre built by Phipps and Layton at a cost of $65,000, will be opened on Monday, Feb. 8. The building is very modern and attractive inside and has a fine pipe organ. It is also to have boxes.

Pioneer Citizen Dead.

Col. R. F. Terrell, one of our oldest citizens died here on Saturday night and was buried Sunday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Curlee, Baptist minister, Col. Ferrell was a deacon in the Baptist church and active in Masonic work.

Plan to Present Play.

The Little Theatre of Childress is planning to have the Plainview players appear in Childress under the auspices of the Little Theatre department of the woman's department club. The play they will present is "Three Wise Fools." The Childress "Little Theatre," hopes to be in a position by next year to take some of their plays to nearby towns.

Personals.

Mrs. J. H. Jeringan has returned from the meeting at Dallas of the Kansas City Life Insurance company.

Mr. and Mrs. Will G. Carter of Altus, have returned home after a visit with their parents.

Mrs. C. P. Bell is suffering with a broken ankle.

J. P. Smith, Mrs. E. S. Smith and Miss Lydia Smith left Thursday to attend the funeral of F. A. Gaggers at Fort Worth.

Odus Carraway of Clarendon spent the first part of the week in Childress.

Miss Ida Roberts of Fort Morgan, is visiting relatives.

Mrs. L. C. Bradley has retunred to her home in Olustee, Okla.

Mrs. G. J. Jeffries is in Fort Worth visiting her sister and her son, T. J. Jeffries Jr.

Mrs. J. B. Rothwell of Estelline is visiting her son, J. D. Rothwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Green had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Southerland of Amarillo.

Miss Opal Stocksbill is visiting in Lelia Lake.

Reid B. Scott and Chas. W. Morris are in Amarillo on business.

Mrs. R. E. Severe has gone to market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mowrey are spending a few days on their ranch in Wheeler county.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnes returned from Wichita Falls Tuesday evening.

H. T. Black and son attended the conference of pastors and laymen of the Methodist church at Quanah this week.

HIGHWAY MARKERS TO BE PLACED IN TILLMAN COUNTY

FREDERICK, Feb. 2.—New permanent county highway markers are to be placed on the county system in Tillman, Dwight Powell, county engineer, says.

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OIL OUTPUT IN U. S. SLUMPS

Daily Average For Week Decreases 35,450 Barrels, A. P. I. Reports

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The daily average gross crude oil production in the United States decreased 35,450 barrels for the week ended Jan. 30, totaling 1,892,000 barrels, according to the weekly summary of the American Petroleum Institute. The daily average production of Smackover, Ark., heavy oil field decreased 21,950 barrels. The daily average production in the United States excluding Smackover heavy decreased 13,500 barrels. The daily average production east of California was 1,280,900 barrels, a decrease of 34,450.

Oklahoma shows a daily average production of 443,400 barrels, an increase of 950; Kansas 99,050, an increase of 650; North Texas 77,950, a decrease of 750; East Central Texas 61,850, a decrease of 1,400; West Central Texas 72,050, a decrease of 3,900; Southwest Texas 36,700, a decrease of 750; North Louisiana 43,400, a decrease of 500; Arkansas 159,500, a decrease of 22,500; gulf coast 91,300, a decrease of 1,750; eastern 99,500, a decrease of 1,000; Wyoming 74,000, a decrease of 3,700; Montana 12,200, an increase of 50; Colorado 5,800, a decrease of 50; New Mexico 4,200, an increase of 200; California 612,000, a decrease of 1,000.

Daily average imports of petroleum at principal ports for the week ended Jan. 30, were 167,571 barrels compared with 197,000 for the previous week, and 187,179 for the four weeks ended Jan. 30. Daily average receipts of California oil at Atlantic and Gulf coast ports for the week ended Jan. 30 were 86,428 barrels compared with 80,714 for the previous week and 81,286 for the four weeks ended Jan. 30.

SEYMOUR

Pierian Club.

Members of the Pierian club enjoyed a very interesting program on "Texas as a State" on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. Drane, the president, Mrs. I. O. Newton, in charge of the program. Roll call was responded to by a quotation from a Texas writer. Miss Grace Brooks Caldwell sang "Texas, Dear Old Texas,' which brought a hearty applause by all. Mrs. J. A. Bretain read several poems from Grace Noll Crowell, a poetess of whom Texas is proud. Mrs. J. M. Edwards read a paper on "The Outstanding Men and Events in Texas, Until Time of the Confederacy." At the close of the program a happy social hour was enjoyed and the hostess served a lovely refreshment plate, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. I. O. Newton, Miss Lois Drane and also Miss Grace Brooks Caldwell. Those enjoying the afternoon were: Mesdames G. S. Plants, R. R. Kellum, L. F. Keffer, J. A. Britain, Jo A. P. Dickson, J. A. Ballew, O. McDaniel, J. M. Easter, J. M. Edwards, S. W. Pistole, Mattie E. Taylor, J. M. Roach, W. A. Baker, J. T. Burns, A. W. Parmer, I. O. Newton and S. Drane, Misses Lois Drane and Grace Brooks Caldwell.

Presbyterian Banquet.

An evening of much pleasure was afforded members of the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening when a banquet was spread and a delightful program enjoyed. O. P. Caldwell was toastmaster and presided in his affable way. The first on the program was a vocal solo by Mrs. H. J. Houser, director of the choir, when she sang a Spanish love song, with Mrs. F. H. Bunkley at the piano. Glen McDaniel delighted his hearers when he read "Sara" and responded with a very humorous encore. "Her Gallant Protector." Mrs. F. H. Bunkley then gave a beautiful piano number, a medley of well-known airs. "When Winter Comes," was sung by Miss Grace Brooks Caldwell and much appreciated. The climax of the evening came in the address of Dr. Youree, pastor of the church in Stamford, when he spoke on Christian Education. Dr. Cargill, the local pastor, then presented the cause of Trinity university and the evening closed with an offering of about fifty dollars to go to said institution.

Thursday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Nick P. Mitchell was hostess to the Thursday Bridge club at her beautiful home on Thursday afternoon when Mrs. F. M. McClure was honoree, this being her last meeting with the club before her departure for her new home in Okmulgee, Okla. Mrs. McClure was given a card table as a remembrance, which was presented by Mrs. G. A. Brice.

A two course luncheon was served to Mesdames F. M. McClure, George Knight, C. E. Johnson, George Plants, Lem Bellows, J. G. Rollins, Robert Baskin, G. A. Bull, Mrs. J. H. Milam was elected to membership in the club on resignation of Mrs. McClure.

Personals.

Mrs. P. J. Foster returned Friday morning from Wichita Falls where she had been with her son Hubert during an operation for appendicitis at the Wichita General hospital.

Mrs. G. W. Cook, Chevrolet dealer, was in Wichita Falls Saturday on business.

Rev. Walter Haggard of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Haggard of Foss, Okla., are here visiting relatives, having been called to be at the bedside of their father, Mr. E. E. Haggard, who died Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cargill went to Wichita Falls Monday where Mrs. Cargill will meet the women of the local Presbyterian missionary society.

Q. L. Meetze returned Friday morning from South Carolina where he had been called because of the death of a brother.

Mrs. S. Drane and Miss Lois Drane are guests this week in Wichita Falls in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hilliard.

Dr. R. C. Pender of Abilene, Texas, was here Saturday to officiate at the funeral service of E. E. Haggard.

Rev. and Mrs. Youree of Stamford were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Cargill on Thursday and the Rev. Youree was the principal speaker at a banquet held at the First Presbyterian church Thursday evening.

Mrs. R. T. Dickson spent the week end at Electra in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Casey T'Poole.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Norton of Wichita Falls have heard with pleasure of the arrival of their baby daughter, Jo Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cook of Olney will soon be permanently located here upon completion of their new home.

Mrs. F. M. McClure and sons, Billy and John, left Saturday morning for their new home in Okmulgee, Okla., Mr. McClure having recently resigned his position as court reporter here and entered the hardware business in that city.

News Of The Fields

SW Archer County

The Consolidated Oil company No. 1 Kreager in the Cook-McElreath pool near Megargel, is being placed on the pump.

NE Young County

The Consolidated Oil company's No. 1, Lasater, in the T. E. & L. Co. survey, No. 296, northwest of Jean in Young county, was reported drilling at 750 feet Tuesday.

Archer Wildcat

The Consolidated Oil company's No. 1, Feldhauger on the A. Edwards survey, abstract 124, Archer county, was rat-holing at 1,300 feet Tuesday and looking for the oil sand.

NW Carey

Murchison and Fain and Marland are rigging up for a test on the Kunkel farm located in block 3, Thomas McCoy survey, Archer county. This location is about three-fourths of a mile northwest of the Carey pool. The block totals 166 acres and is owned jointly by the Marland Oil company of Texas, and Murchison and Fain. The test is for 1,400 feet.

Wichitex-Dixie Area

The Wichtex-Dixie No. 5, located in block 132, Annie P. Jackson land out of the W. B. Aldrich survey, Archer county, was reported drilling at 1,350 feet Tuesday and is due to reach the sand depth about Wednesday or Thursday.

Robertson et al. on the Annie P. Jackson land, block 132, W. B. Aldrich survey, Archer county, has been testing the sand for two days. It is due for completoin Wednesday.

East Oldham

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company and the Republic Production company drilling a wildcat test on 50-50 basis, on the Oldham farm out of the Eliza Hubbell survey, brought in a well making 75 barrels, extending the Oldham pool more than a half mile. The production is from a new oil sand topped at 1,036 feet and drilled to a total depth of 1,046 feet. The Texhoma-Republican interests own about 250 acres in the block. The new producer is regarded as a big extension, since the new location was cut off by a number of dry holes.

Stephens County

The Texhoma Oil and Refining company and George Pace, are setting casing on a wildcat test located in section 2-2s-8w, Stephens county, Oklahoma, at a depth of 2,196 feet, where an oil sand was reported. The sand is showing for a producer it is reported.

This well is about four miles north of Comanche, and is said to be at least two miles from nearest production. The location is about half way between the old Empire City pool and the Fobb production drilled last August.

In this same well, mud was blown out of the hole at 1,900 feet by the strong gas.

Oil Gossip

Wichita Falls operators interested in the Comanche county, Oklahoma section were given new encouragement by the bringing of a new producer on the Price farm which is the No. 2 on what was pronounced as a dry hole. The well is in section 30-1n-9w, Comanche county, Oklahoma. This well and a number of others which were pronounced dry, had almost completely "blown up" the field. The discovery sand in this field was found at 2,125 feet. The other wells looked for the sand at this same depth and failed. The Westheimer-Daube interests, owner of the Price lease, decided to drill on deeper. The rich pay was found at 2,140 feet. The gravity of the oil is announced as being 37.

F. J. McNellie of Fort Worth, general production superintendent for the Marland Oil company of Texas, was in Wichita Falls Tuesday on a tour of inspection of the company's interests.

The Magnolia Oil company posted an increase of 25 cents a barrel on crude, Tuesday, on all oil from 44 to 52 gravity. The price increase posted Monday on all oil up to and including 44 gravity. Oil of 44 gravity now is posted at $2.60, while the highest price is for 52 degrees gravity and is $3.32.

The Consolidated Oil company's Coleman county wildcat being drilled on the H. H. Mitchell farm located near the town of Valera, was reported drilling below 1,200 feet Tuesday. Cable tools are being used.

Well Is Afire

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The J. C. Cooke well on the Crockett company ranch of J. S. Todd of Fort Worth, which caught fire late Monday when gas with some oil was struck at 1,764 feet, still was burning this morning, according to report from Ozona. The rig was destroyed but no one was injured. The well is 15 miles south of the Powell discovery well and 20 miles west of Ozona. Its location is 2,400 feet from the north and east lines of the Southwest quarter of section 50, block W. X. G. C. and S. F. railway company survey.

CAL'S ECONOMIC RECORD SCORED

Says President, in Speech, Compared Expenditures to Suit Himself

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—An attack on President Coolidge's economic record was made in the house today by Representative Byrns of Tennessee, ranking democrat on the appropriations committee.

Referring to the president's address to the semi-annual budget meeting Mr. Byrns said Mr. Coolidge compared the estimated expenditures for 1926 with the actual expenditures for 1921 rather than 1925. A comparison of 1926 with 1925 would have shown an increase of $89,000,000 he said.

He placed expenditures for 1924 at $3,506,000,000; for 1925 at $3,529,000 and for 1926 at $3,618,000,000, exclusive of the postal service, adding:

"In the face of the figures will any one seriously contend that the cost of government is not steadily increasing."

By adopting the president's methods of comparison, he contended the cost of the executive office was $179,000 in 1921 and $483,000 in 1926.

County Line Youth Gone; Search Begun

ELECTRA, Feb. 2.—Joe Borton, 17-year-old son of F. H. Borton, a farmer living in the County Line community near Electra, has been missing since 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon and his father says that the son has met with foul play. The police of Electra, the county officials in adjoining counties, also broadcasting stations in Texas newspaper offices have been asked to join in the search for the missing youth.

Young Borton came to Electra, Saturday afternoon, in company with his younger brother. He was last seen in an Electra cafe about 3 p. m.

Troops to Guard Negro at Trial

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A company of Louisiana national guardsmen from Monroe, La., reinforced by eight men with machine guns from New Orleans was today ordered by Adjutant General L. A. Toombs at the direction of Governor Fuqua to proceed to Coushatta for the second trial of Joe Hardy, a negro, charged with murder.

The negro is in jail at Alexandria for safekeeping and the guardsmen will go there tonight to escort him to Coushatta tomorrow. Adjutant General Toombs will personally supervise the transfer.

Clothing Price Cut Announced

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—New prices of 50 representative worsted suitings, included in the American Woolen company's opening of fall lines today, represent average reductions of 11 3-4 per cent compared with a year ago and a reduction of slightly less than 1 per cent compared with the opening of spring lines six months ago. Prices of overcoatings also were lowered.

DESERTED WIFE IS GIVEN MAN'S BODY IN CONTEST

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Unable to decide privately whether the deserted wife of the late Charles Ward, who died last Wednesday, or the woman with whom he had lived for the last 14 years should be entitled to his body and the privilege of arranging for its burial, the matter was placed before Probate Judge F. A. Bartlett, who decided in favor of the deserted wife.

FREDERICK BAND GIVES NEXT CONCERT FEBRUARY 10

FREDERICK, Feb. 2.—The next winter concert of the Frederick commercial band, which has been a pleasing innovation here this year, is to be rendered on February 10, according to F. R. Hall, director. The band is now recruited to 35 pieces.

ECZEMA

Dries right up!

If you just realized how easy it is to stop fiery, itching, burning eczema by simply building up the red-blood-cells in your blood with S. S. S., you wouldn't waste another minute trying to do it any other way. That's the only way to relieve irricated, broken out skin of any sort. You lack rich, red blood. Impurities are in your system. The blood is so weak it can't fight back and overcome the enemy, so the impurities break out through the skin.

S. S. S. builds the blood back—builds millions of new red-blood-cells. Eczema dries right up. Boils, pimples, blackheads, ugly blotches and irritating rashes all disappear.

Clear up your skin. Get S. S. S. All druggists sell it. The larger bottle is more economical.

Tiny Tots Are Here



Brenna and Brenna, "The Two Tiny Tots," with the Powers Petite Review, appearing now at the Palace Theatre.

The Powers Petite review, the new musical comedy that started at the Palace Theatre Monday is meeting with a rousing reception.

A complete change of program will be given today entitled "Over the Garden Wall," starring Jimmy Brenna and Steve Powers, funny blackface artists.

The laughable exploits of these two black boys who leave for foreign parts is exceptionally entertaining. The bill will include eleven specialty acts by the versatile members of the company.

Brilliant Musical Comedy to Appear At Palace Feb. 8

The attraction at the Palace theatre, Feb. 8-9, will be the brilliant musical comedy "My Girl," which comes to us after one solid year at the Vanderbilt theatre in New York where it played to capacity business. "My Girl" can boast the most intelligent and the most amusing set of lyrics that has been written in many years. This, combined with the excellent musical score provided by Harry Archer makes "My Girl" the real big favorite that it is with the theatregoers. Mr. Archer is well known to the musical world—his popular song, "I Love You," was sung all over America and translated into several different languages. In "My Girl" there are several songs hits that bid fair to outrival "I Love You" the most insistent "You and I," with many others that are equally as popular amongst which are "Desert Isle," "Before the Dawn," "A Fellow Like Me," and "It Never Will Get You a Thing." Nicolai, Welch and DeMilt have arranged to have Mr. Harry Archer's orchestra render the music in the same exquisite manner here as it did in New York, including the concert during the intermission, this was one of the outstanding hits in the metropolis and the critics were unanimous in proclaiming the Archer orchestra the best that they had enjoyed.

RADIO APPEAL TO SON

Deal, Eng.—A radio appeal to his 10 year-old son to return home was broadcasted by R. H. Brown.

GIANT TEXAS STILL SEIZED

Prohibition Officers Wade Through Mud to Confiscate Distillery

HOUSTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Wading through deep mud, federal prohibition agents under the direction of George A. Hammons, south Texas administrator, today surprised three men as they were operating a 100 gallon still five miles east of Crosby off of the Beaumont road, and destroyed one of the largest single outfits captured in several months.

The still, half buried in mud, was located in a specially constructed house. It was completely equipped. The agents also found and destroyed 2,800 gallons of mash, much of which was ready to run off, 30 gallons of moonshine and a large number of new crocks and jugs. The number of empty containers indicated that the outfit was being run on a wholesale basis, the federal agents said.

The still was in operation when the agents arrived. The three men who were working it offered no resistance when they were taken into custody. They were brought to Houston and lodged in jail.

FANCIER BANDS TO BE ON STRAW HATS THIS YEAR

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A tendency toward straw hats more fancifully trimmed than the severe felt cloche of recent popularity is announced by leaders of the allied millinery industries of Chicago in their national style show opening today.

All hats are built for bobbed hair. Picture hats and topins will be worn and all are made to fit the small bobbed head.

One of the displays will show the evolution of the present day hat from the chaplet of leaves worn by Eve in the Garden of Eden, featuring particularly the creations of 1836, 1895 and then 1923.



Is a bad back wearing you out?

Do you rise lame and stiff? Drag through the day with your back a dull, unceasing ache? Evening find you "all played out?" Weak kidneys cause such troubles and one is likely to have dizzy headaches, too, and kidney irregularities. Don't risk neglect! Help your kidneys with a tested diuretic. Use *Doan's Pills*. Home folks recommend *Doan's. Ask your neighbor!*

Here's a Wichita Falls case:

George Holstead, 1314 Fifth St., says: "The kidney secretions passed too freely at night and disturbed my rest. I had a dull backache, too, and if I stooped, my back was so sore and stiff I could hardly straighten. Doan's Pills rid me of the trouble."

DOAN'S PILLS 60c

Stimulant Diuretic to the Kidneys

Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N.Y.

Texas Congressman Wins House Contest

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—For the first time in the present congress the house today overrode its appropriations committee in passing the annual agricultural department appropriation bill, which now goes to the senate.

By a vote of 188 to 147 an amendment opposed by the committee was adopted to provide $200,000 for the distribution of pamphlets and other information on the diseases of horses and cattel.

The proposal for the pamphlets was sponsored by Representative Jones, democrat, Texas, and was supported by practically the entire democratic membership and a number of republicans.

VERNON

Personals.

Patrick Waggoner employe of the Turner Electric company was painfully bruised about 9 o'clock this morning when a light car which he was driving crashed into another automobile on West Wilbarger Street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl King, 15 miles west of Vernon, a girl Sunday night.

Mrs. Nora Russell, employe of the Fort Worth and Denver railway, underwent a serious operation at a local sanitarium during the week-end. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Terracing Demonstration.

A terracing demonstration will be given in the Wildcat community on the Les K. Johnson farm, being worked by J. S. More, beginning at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, according to G. C. McGown, county agent.

Use The Record News want ads for the best results.

CLAY COUNTY RANCHER DEAD

J. M. Hatfield, 68, Dies At His Home At White Hill Tuesday

HENRIETTA, Feb. 2.—J. M. Hatfield, age 68, died at his ranch home near the town of White Hill, southwest of Henrietta, today. Mr. Hatfield was a prominent ranchman and has lived here for many years. He is survived by a wife and several grown children. The funeral plans have not been completed.

GUGGENHEIM AIR BOARD PLANS WORK IN EUROPE

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Methods for development of civil aviation in America will be sought in Europe by administrators of the Daniel Guggenheim fund for the promotion of aeronautics during the next three months, Harry F. Guggenheim, president of the fund, announced today.

Mr. Guggenheim will sail today and Admiral H. I. Cone, vice-president of the fund, on February 13 to together European countries where aeronautics has made "particular progress."

MILLION MORE WILL BE ASKED FOR MISSION WORK

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The board of missions, Methodist Episcopal church, south, convened today at Methodist headquarters with indications that an additional million dollars asked for missions was in sight. This is the first special session ever held by the board, the business being to fix the annual budget for missions.

Girl, Hurt in Auto Wreck, Is Critical

ELECTRA, Feb. 2.—Little Novella Hance of Erick, Okla., age 3, who was one of the three persons injured in an automobile accident on Sunday morning is in a very critical condition and two nurses are at her bedside. At first she was believed to be improving rapidly. L. V. Stickland and Mrs. Geo. Gray, also of Erick, who were injured in the wreck, are greatly improved. The party was motoring from Erick, Okla., to Stephenville, Texas. The little girl's condition is reported grave by hospital attendants.

TO AUCTION COLLEGE

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 2.—Olivet college is to be sold at public auction here June 10. The college operated by the church of the Holy Nazarens was placed in bankruptcy last summer.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.—(Adv.)

THURSDAY MORNING 8:30

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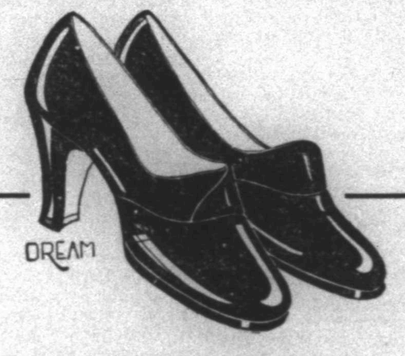
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A special purchase brings exquisitely made undergarments to you at this remarkable price. Imported Chiffon Voile and a lustrous washable Crepe de Chine have been skillfully designed with the loveliest of laces and inserts of Hand-Made Filet.

Straps and Girdles are of Two-Tone Satin Ribbon, and tiny pleatings and tuckings have been laid with care. French Ribbon Rosebuds pose over the lace. The pastel shades are here, with white.

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ANOTHER TEXAS WONDER

INSPECTION of Lake Dallas, the new 71,000,000,000 gallon water reservoir under construction near the town of Lake Dallas, formerly Garza, in Denton county, showed it to be nearly 80 percent complete. Lake Dallas will cost the taxpayers of the city of Dallas $6,000,000, and its promoters say that it will be the largest body of artificial water, that is, water caught and impounded, between the two oceans.

Conservation is an established policy in Texas. Cities are growing by leaps and bounds under Texas skies, and without an adequate water supply, it is impossible to make a city great or for it to continue its growth.

This is why the taxpayers of Fort Worth spent millions for a water supply; this is why the people of Wichita Falls spent millions; this is why the people of Dallas are spending millions.

Everywhere throughout Texas men of vision are champions of the conservation policy. They are for catching and storing the flood waters.

They are going to make the surface of the earth blossom like a rose garden, and just now the wise ones say that in the east men of money believe that Texas and the Rio Grande valley would be the objective of a boom similar to that which has brought fame to Florida in the last few years, and that the invasion of Texas or rather the Rio Grande valley and the Texas coast country may come this year.

IVY ON THE ROAD

IN the days of old when prohibition first showed its head in Texas, H. A. Ivy of Sherman, spent his time, his money and made use of his brain to organize against the liquor traffic. In those days the political jokesmiths referred to him as Hale Ivy.

He laughed and let it go at that. He fought on until the eighteenth amendment was the law of the land. Now he would publish the names of all bribers of bootleggers. He favors a secret detective service "to bring these co-conspirators with the bootleggers into the open, so the law-loving public can visit its righteous wrath upon them as they deserve."

It is the proud boast of H. A. that for sixty years he has been a prohibitionist, and he is proud of the record made by the enemies of John Barleycorn.

If all the bribers of bootleggers and all the bootleggers in the United States are to be placed behind the bars, many new jails will be necessary.

WOMEN ON THE WAR PATH

NEW YORK representatives of the army of women wage earners are going to storm the lawmakers at Albany and demand a passage of a forty-eight hour week bill for women and children employed in the industrial and mercantile establishments of New York state.

Women have the ballot.

Women wage workers in the state of New York are well organized. They promise to make life interesting for the lawmakers who vote against their pet measures. It is a constant battle between those that have and those that haven't.

EVOLUTION OF THE COTTON BALE

GRAND old Texas. In 1924 J. A. McFarlane of Anderson county, produced ten bales on five acres. In 1925 G. M. Adams of Smith county, produced fifteen bales on five acres, and now it is claimed by the Dallas News that there was a larger and better distributed rainfall in Anderson county in 1924 than in Smith county in 1925.

Farmer T. N. Jones is a citizen of Smith county. He practices law when he is not playing politics, but gives all his leisure time to the farmers of his county as general adviser.

Why shouldn't Travis and Williamson counties go after the grapes in 1926. Why not Smith and Anderson counties to third and fourth place.

SAVING TIME TO WASTE IT

I know a man who has his work so systematized that he spends about four hours a day at his desk.

If any one interrupts him during those four hours he flies into a rage.

If any of his office staff is tardy in getting a job done, so that he has to wait beyond his usual time to sign a check or a paper that worthy's place is in jeopardy.

He prides himself on time saving. Time saving devices of all sorts surround him. Time methods have been introduced in his office.

And as soon as he leaves his establishment he goes to a club and sits around for three or four hours in absolutely idle discussion of matters that are of no real moment to him or to anybody else.

The plays he attends in the evening are the tired business men sort and one of them is very much like another.

He does not even get any exercise except a little golf now and then, and he thinks that takes up too much time. He would favor shortening the course to nine holes, so that there would not be so much waste.

This man has read but little, and has thought but little.

He does not like to travel, because he has to spend so many hours on a train.

When he does travel he kills time by playing cards. That he could learn something by looking out of the window never occurs to him.

That he has learned to despatch his business in short time would be a good thing if he had any idea how to employ the time when he is done.

But he hasn't. All his hurry goes for nothing. Save when he is at his desk, he is mentally idle.

We are on rations in this life as far as time is concerned. None of us have as much of it as we would like.

Yet most of us are like this man in the respect that we have no real idea of what to do with the time we save.

Money saved can be stored, and made to do good for us or for others for many years to come.

Time saved must be immediately spent, and if it is not spent wisely and usefully it might just as well never have been saved.

The man who has to go to the club and gossip or to the theatre and see the same old girl shows in order to escape boredom would better put in his extra time at his desk. There at least he would be learning something.

Many business men have learned much about art and literature and the world by wisely using the time they have saved.

These really get something out of life.

But to hurry to the office or shop, hurry through the job, then hurry away merely to loaf for the rest of the day is as foolish as to spend twice as long over a given task as is needful.

To save time only to waste it is the height of stupidity. Yet there are thousands of people who are doing it every day of their lives.

WHAT THE WEST DEMANDS

CONGRESS must create an export corporation and a federal farm board to administer it. This is the attitude taken by the corn belt conference committees representing eleven middle western states.

Former Governor Frank E. Lowden of Illinois is their chief. He is a very able man, a very wealthy man, and one of the leading farmers of America.

Politically speaking, the corn growers of eleven states are very powerful. For the most part of these states are republican. That is, when conditions are normal, they sustain republican candidates and republican politics.

Former Governor Lowden came within a few votes of winning a presidential nomination in 1920, but he lost the prize to Warren G. Harding. Is Lowden to be a candidate for the republican presidential nomination in 1928?

What T-O Editors Are Saying

The things that go on forever are eternity, the brook and tongues.—Bristow Record.

A principle originates in the brain; a prejudice is a sore spot.—Bristow Record.

You never will hear opportunity knocking if you are at it yourself.—Hugo News.

The best argument for prohibition is the man or woman who drinks to excess.—Bartlesville Examiner.

One of the worst features of winter is slush. Still, you can say that about literature.—Muskogee Phoenix.

Many a fellow is ashamed now to tell that he once took a prize at a baby show.—Cordell News-Democrat.

Among the most succesful European families at present are those who have enough of their members working in America to support them.—Anadarko American-Democrat.

If all the mail order house catalogues received in Medford this week were placed on top of each other, they would probably topple over.—Medford Patriot-Star.

An eastern paper says: "Of course the farmers are out to help themselves, but not at the public trough." Of course not. Only the politicians are allowed to do that.—Afton American.

A Georgia boy was seized with a fit of indigestion, and it was discovered that he had devoured almost an entire Bible. A good many older people get fits of moral indigestion from handling the Bible with just about the same degree of discretion.—Blackwell Tribune.

THE WORLD AT ITS WORST—GETTING JUNIOR READY TO GO OUT By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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"Love Bound In Wichita Falls"

By the Author of 'The Flapper Wife'

READ THIS FIRST:

FLOSSIE and MARY ROSE MIDDLETON are two pretty sisters, the daughters of a widowed mother. They work for the Dexter Automobile Company.

Mary Rose is secretary to the sales manager JOHN MANNERS, and is in love with him. But he's engaged to DORIS HINIG, an heiress. Because of her feeling for him, Mary Rose repeatedly refuses to marry DR. TOM FITZROY.

Flossie, a born vamp, does a very poor job of keeping the office files. Mary Rose discovers that she is carrying on a flirtation with the president of the company, HILARY DEXTER, although she's engaged to marry his secretary, SAM JESSUP. She accepts jewelry from Dexter, who's married, and goes joy riding with him at all hours. Her old fashioned mother can do nothing with her.

John Manners falls in love with Mary Rose as he never has been in love in all his life, and tells her so. That night the sisters have a quarrel, and to "get even" with Mary Rose, Flossie tells John that she is "just stringing him along" and intends to marry Dr. Tom Fitzroy. John believes her lie, and Mary Rose is so hurt by his coldness that she decides to leave Dexter's.

One night Dexter goes too far in his love making and Flossie learns how little respect married men have for the girls they profess to love! She walks home from her joy ride with him, and the next day she elopes with the faithful Sam. From the very beginning of the honeymoon, the pair quarrel about money, and Flossie keeps threatening to go back to work for Dexter.

Mary Rose leaves John Manners' employ, and goes to work for a steel man, JIM MORRELL, whose jealous wife spies on him and Mary Rose constantly. Mary Rose finally leaves Morrell's employ.

Sam finds the jewels that Dexter had given Flossie before her marriage. He and Flossie have a battle, and he leaves the Dexter Company, and becomes private secretary to Morrell.

One night Tom Fitzroy has his neck broken in an automobile accident, and Mary Rose marries him in the hospital. He lingers all day, but the following night, which happens to be Christmas eve, she is sent for because he is dying.

(Now go on with the story)

Mary Rose went into her room and sat down beside her on the bed. She opened her lips to speak, but no sound would come from them. She felt her mother's hand on hers, and her insistent voice again: "Was Tom badly hurt Rosey?"

Somehow or other she managed to tell her the whole story, between the spasms of sobbing that racked her whole body—and her mother held her in her arms and cried with her. Cried with her for the sorrow and grief and the cruelty of life that is part of its poignant glory.

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It was daylight before Mary Rose was in her bed. And above the roofs of the city, the sun had come up and was shining as if there was nothing but happiness and joy in the whole world.

It was then that she remembered that today was Christmas eve.

She lay down on her pillows, and incredibly, she fell asleep at once.

When she awakened her room was aglow with pale December sunlight. The handle of the door turned, and her mother opened it just a crack, and peeped in.

"I'm awake, dear. Come in," Mary Rose said, and raised herself on her elbow. "What's the word from the hospital?"

Mrs. Middleton came in.

She was carrying a little tray in her hands, and she came and set it down on the bed.

"Why Tom seems to be resting comfortably, the nurse said," she told the girl. "They're going to phone, if there's any change. Here's a bit of toast. You eat it and I'll run down for the coffee. It's all made.

Mary Rose looked at the little wrist watch that was strapped to her wrist. She had slept all day long!

"No," she said, "I'm going to get up and move around or I won't be able to sleep tonight. You take the toast downstairs, and I'll eat it when you have your supper."

The paper was lying on the corner of the kitchen table, when Mary Rose went down to the kitchen. As she started to open it, her mother took it from her.

"There's a piece in it about you and Tom," she said, narrowly watching her. "Are you sure you want to read it?"

"Why, of course—" And Mary Rose turned it to the front page.

There was the piece about halfway down the printed page: "Romantic Wedding in Hospital."

It told about the bedside wedding of "Miss Mary Rose Middleton and Dr. Thomas Fitzroy, Jr., who have been sweethearts from childhood." And it explained that Tom had been seriously injured, but did not hint that he could not possibly recover. In fact, it was quite a cheerful little article, when you stopped to remember that Tom was lying at the point of death.

"Flossie saw it in the paper and called up right away," Mrs. Middleton said, pouring vegetable soup into two blue bowls and taking a panful of browned crackers out of the oven.

"I forgot to let her know about it. I declare I didn't know which end I was on, after you came home this morning and told me you were married! Lots of people called up today—Aunt Henny Blair, and Mr. Dexter from the works, and that nasty Miss MacFarlane that Flossie used to work for—"

"John Manners must have seen it, too," Mary Rose said to herself. "I wonder what he thinks—"

Then she made herself stop thinking of John Manners. She must not let herself think of him. She must put him out of her mind—forget that she loved him. She must remember that she was married to a man who was dying, a mile or two away. Married to Tom whom she loved as she might have loved a brother.

"It doesn't seem much like Christmas eve, does it?" Mrs. Middleton asked her, presently when they had drunk their soup, and were beginning the cold meat loaf. "I remember last Christmas eve—and how you and Tom and I trimmed that little tree for the dining room table."

From the darkness of the front hall the telephone rang, and she got up and answered it.

"It was the hospital," she said, when she came back into the kitchen. "Now, Mary Rose, keep a stiff upper lip—there's no use breaking down, at a time like this. The nurse says Tom can't live more than an hour or so. And she wants you to go there right away."

CHAPTER LXI

In the sunshine of late afternoon, the hospital seemed an almost cheerful place when Mary Rose and her mother came into it.

It was five o'clock and the supper trays stood on their wagons in the wide hallways. Nurses flitted here and there in their crackling white and blue uniforms.

One or two of them looked curiously at Mary Rose as she and her mother followed Tom's father up to room 31. They had all heard the story of the wedding last night, of course, and wanted to see the bride who was so soon to be a widow.

The white door of Tom's room stood open and a band of slanting sunlight lay across the bed where he lay. He looked better to Mary Rose than he had last night—and she wondered if he really were dying.

His face was not so gray, his eyes were almost unnaturally bright, and the sheet rose and fell with his breathing. Then Mary Rose saw that it was rising and falling much too quickly and unevenly.

And, as she bent over him, she could hear a queer little grating noise in his chest. She wondered what it could be—

He looked up at her and his lips moved as if he were trying to say something.

"Do you want me to—kiss you?" she asked, her voice breaking. She knew that he did.

"I want to kiss you, she said, and laid her lips for an instant on his that were parted with the effort of his quick and tortured breathing.

"Old boy," she went on, and she knew from the look in his eyes that he could hear every word she said, "old boy, we did get married, after all, didn't we? And I'm glad of it." She put her arms around him.

He closed his eyes over the look of happiness that was in them.

The minutes ticked by. Outside the windows that faced the west the sun was setting in a glory of gold and scarlet. Its banners trailed along the horizon like the banners of a great army.

The words of Henley's poem written in a hospital came to Mary Rose as she stood there holding the dying man who loved her.

"—So be my passing!
My task accomplished and the long day done,
My wages taken, and in my heart
Some late lark singing!
Let me be gathered to the quiet west,
The sundown splendid and serene,
Death—"

Outside the windows the sunset was growing more splendid and serene as it faded. Above it a fickle moon had come out in the pale sky.

And, glancing down at the man on the pillows, Mary Rose saw suddenly that he had stopped breathing. The grating noise in his breast was stilled.

He had been "gathered to the quiet west" as the sunset died.

And from far away across the roofs of the town the first of the Christmas eve church bells peeled out into the evening air. They seemed to toll in Mary Rose's heart like a dirge.

She laid her hand, with its wedding ring shining on it, against the face of the man on the bed—the man who had loved her all his life.

"So long, old kid!" she said, and she was sure that somewhere, he heard her say it to him.

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The week that followed was a slow horror to Mary Rose.

She went to the funeral—and sat through it dry-eyed, wondering why people made so much fuss over the dead body, when the soul that they had loved was gone and far beyond their ken.

But afterward, when she and her mother came back to the little brown house, she broke down completely. She cried and cried and could not stop.

"You see, you cared for Tom a lot more than you knew you did!" Mrs. Middleton told her. She was sorry for Mary Rose, but she was the honest sort of woman who couldn't help speaking her mind when she was moved.

"I'm—not crying—b-because I didn't know how much I loved him!" Mary Rose sobbed on. "I'm—crying b-b-because I didn't love him as much as he wanted me to!"

Mrs. Middleton shook her head. "You are talking wild," she said. "You are tired out. You come upstairs and get right straight into your bed—and I'll give you some hot milk to make you sleep! Now, come on!"

She half-dragged Mary Rose up the stairs and into her little room.

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

Carload of Fish In Dallas Lake Are Killed by Poison

DALLAS, Feb. 2.—The state health department and the game, fish and oyster department have been asked by the city of Dallas to investigate the poisoning of fish in Wap Hoo Lake. Inspection of the lake today by city officials revealed that about a carload of fish had been killed, presumably by chemicals discharged into a storm sewer by the Ford Motor company plant, Col. S. E. Moss of the park board said.

Lyrics of Life

By Douglas Malloch

THE NIGHT THAT DAD STAYED HOME

Last night my father stayed right home,
There wasn't any lodge, I guess.
There didn't anybody come,
Or call him up, like, more or less,
They always do; and, better yet,
There wasn't some committee met,
Of, well, of leading business men,
So Dad must go downtown again.
So many times, you know, my dad
Has come right in and gone right out,
Because of something that he had
He simply had to see about.
Last night my father stayed right here
At home with me and mother dear,
Hung up his hat, and locked the door,
And even played upon the floor,
I showed him things, I've wanted to
For, oh, so long, some things I made;
I showed my father things we do
In school, and all the games we played.,
Of course, my dad's a busy man,
And of thinking things are wrong,
But, goodness, all the fun we had,
The night they didn't need my dad!

FORMER TEXAN KILLED BY TRAIN IN CALIFORNIA.

HOUSTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Sheriff T. A. Binford, today was seeking information as to the family of L. Q. Brown, formerly deputy sheriff at Crosby, who was killed a day or two ago at San Francisco.

A telegram to the sheriff said that Brown, while working as a switchman, had been struck and killed by a freight train. Information was sought as to his relatives.

PETER'S ADVENTURES in ANIMAL LAND

By MRS FLORENCE SMITH VINCENT

THUNDER

"A penny for your thoughts!"

Step-Lightly looked over the rim of the melon. But before Peter could answer, the silence of the desert was broken by a sound so terrifying that the boy's heart bopped up in his throat and did a double two-step in a desperate effort to leap right out of his mouth—at least that was what Peter remembered it felt like when he thought about it afterward.

G-r-r-r-w!

Like thunder the noise rolled through the quiet spaces—the leaves of the cactus trembled to hear it, and the ground under Peter's feet shook as though something very heavy were treading over it.

"Why, who what?" stammered Peter too frightened to ask a question. He clutched at the lion cub for comfort. But Step-Lightly impatiently shook him off.

"Hey, let go of my tail, Two-Legs! What are you afraid of? That's my father. He makes a lot of noise—does it on purpose to make the animals afraid of him, but he's not such a fierce fellow when you know him. Let go of my tail, I tell you! How do you expect me to wave him a greeting? And I should get a good cuffing if I didn't, I'll tell you. He'd think I didn't show him the proper respect. Ah! There he is now! Pretty fine looking fellow, my father, isn't he, Two-Legs?"

It was growing dark. Just a few feathery clouds painted pink by the twilight rays were waiting to tuck the sun into bed before they sailed into the dusky night. And there on the top of the rock, just where the light was the brightest, stood Father Lion.

Peter was glad that Step-Lightly was with him. Certainly Father Lion's looks belied any kind heart; but, of course, one's own son ought to know. Mr. Lion was tawny, like the sand, and large, and his eyes glowered as though they were on fire. But it was the whiskers that scared the boy the most. They were so thick and so long and so shaggy, and bristled so fiercely about his throat, his shoulders, his chin, framing his face in a thicket of fur. Peter was not quiet sure whether Mr. Lion was as good lookinking as his proud little cub thought him, but, luckily, Step-Lightly didn't expect an answer. Mr. Lion was coming toward them.

Next: "Father Finds His Son But Loses His Temper."

Hambone's Meditation



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The Fun Shop

By Maxon Foxhall Judell

Here's Our Peace Program, Folks!

Banish the gun shop!
We'll shed not a tear,
Hats off to The Fun Shop
That sells up Good Cheer!

Ah, Yes

Moser: "You say you first met your wife in a revolving door!"
Meanwell: "Yes, that was the turning point in my life."

CRADLE HYMN

(To be sung in middle of the night)
By McKinley H. Sauer

Hush, you brat, and stop your squawking,
Keep your dome down in that bed!
(Gracious, wouldn't it be shocking
If your beard should turn out red!)

Sleep! You have no teeth or fillings,
And you own no worthless stock.
(From that bottle stop those spillings
Or I'll crown thee with a crock!)

Attaboy! Cut out the bother;
Rest, and get a lot ahead,
For, when you're as old as father,
You won't get much time in bed!!

Astonishing!

Mrs. Higgins: "I'd go to the banquet with you, dear, but I'm afraid I could not pass muster in this hat."
Higgins (slightly deaf): "Dear me! What makes you think you'd have to pass mustard in your hat!"—F. V. Hager.

What Price Coal!

Red-hot mamas will be the warmest things around town this winter!

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Don't sleep with your mouth open! You will suffer from iced-tonsils.

He Had Infantile Paralysis!

Billie, a little neighbor friend of mine, and boasting five years, came to see me one day (as he often did), and asked me to play the victrola for him.

Not wishing to be bothered, I said: "I can't Billie, I'm paralyzed."

He asked me what paralyzed meant, and I explained to him that it meant being unable to move about. I then promptly forgot the incident.

Soon, however, he said: "Mrs. Farrell, I can't move either."

"Why, what in the world is the matter with you, Billie?" I asked.

"I'm sterilized," he answered.—Mrs. J. R. Farrell.

The Kiss in The Dark!

He was bashful—extraordinarily bashful—and as they sat on her porch this beautiful summer night he seemed more bashful than ever. And she was as patient as he was bashful; which was proven by the fact that she had waited ten years for him to say something even remotely suggestive of matrimony. She had begun to wonder if he were aware of the actual existence of such a thing as marriage. And tonight, as they sat silently side by side, her patience was severely tested. But she loved the dear boy. And, looking at him as he gazed abstractedly at the moon, it occurred to her that it might not be out of place for her to make just one teeny little move to get him started toward a happy fireside and some home cooking. So she took a deep breath and, not without a little nervousness, made the plunge.

"Fred," said the beautiful creature, "father accused you of kissing me last night."

He jumped to his feet excitedly, and for the first time in their long courtship, she beheld him the victim of anger.

"That's outrageous!" he cried. "I'll go in and square myself with him right now!"

"Indeed!" she replied, with a scornful toss of her head, "I think you better square yourself with me. I told him you did kiss me."—W. P. Hicks.

A generation ago the national motto was: "Do something for somebody."
Now it's: "Do somebody for something."

On Your Way!

Late Suitor: "Just say the word, dear, and I'll go."
The girl: "Hades!"—Miriam Kimmel.

IN KLASS AT KRAZY KOLLEGE

(Conducted by Gertrude)

Teacher:
"Miss Tereen, I am curious to hear the word 'entomb' ripple from your Cupid's bow lips."
Liz Tereen:
"That filing clerk is acting kind o' freshy,
But b'lieve me, bo, he can't get fresh with Liz;
At his first attempt to kiss me I'll just clout him
Entomb I'll say, 'Your old man also is.'"
—Rose Pape.

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Teacher:
"Eventually Miss Diver will recite 'shorter,' so why not now?"
Pearl Diver:
"That strawberry blonde next door, my dear, she's awful!
I'm ashamed to have my little daughter see—
And oh, my dear, we're on her party wire,
So I know that she's no better'n shorter be!"
—Rosalind Lederer.

KRAZY KINDERGARTEN

(Conducted by Gertrude Jr.)

Teetcher:
"Cristofer, take your feet off the radiator and try 'icicle' in a cold, ferm voice."
Cris Mass:
"Chee wizz but gerls is certeny orful scary,
Especially one that lives down at our corner,
She axually cries and runs home to her mother
If icicle little toy kloodle orn 'er."

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Teetcher:
"The werd 'caution' off of you, Una."
Una Why:
"I speek Frentch, Italian, Spannish, Dutch, and Hebroo,
I ressle alligaters and brake their hold,
I can play a hundred instruments by ear, and
Of caution know Im ony 5 yeers old!"
—Minnie Buxbaum.

Negro Gets Death In Assault Case

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Willie Vaughn, negro, was sentenced today by Judge W. W. McCrory in ninety-fourth district court to die in the electric chair March 12. Vaughn had been convicted of attacking a white woman in a local park.

The negro was taken to Huntsville after passing of sentence.

Social Happenings of the Day and News of Interest to Women

Mrs. Ola G. Hamlin Is Re-Elected President Of General Forum Tuesday

At a meeting of the general Forum held at the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday afternoon, officers for the coming year were elected, and other business for the promotion of the organization enthusiastically discussed.

Mrs. Ola Hamlin was re-elected president; Mrs. Ben G. O'Neal, first vice president and program chairman; Mrs. A. R. Bleakley, second vice president and membership chairman; Mrs. Bert Bean, third vice president and social chairman; Mrs. J. M. Isbell, recording secretary; Mrs. Claude Woods, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Hubert Harrison, treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Cabiness, auditor; Mrs. Odville Bullington, parliamentarian and Mrs. H. J. Strief, press reporter. Mrs. G. D. Anderson was elected chairman of affiliated clubs, and Mrs. P. P. Langford, club house chairman.

The working rules made when the organization was formed last year were revised and adopted as the constitution and by-laws, and the formation of a new department, that of Journalism, was discussed. It was announced that if as many as 10 members of the Forum wished this department, that it can be had with the approval of the executive board.

Mrs. A. H. Carrigan, presided as chairman of the meeting.

In the Glow Of The Camp Fire

A total of 34 members have enrolled in the Camp Fire training class being held at the headquarters in the basement of the First Methodist church, with one-third of those enrolled, school teachers, according to information on the work.

At the class on Monday evening, Miss McIlheran talked on Camp Fire organization beginning with the isolated group where the guardian forms direct contact with national headquarters. Symbolism, was also discussed and Miss McIlheran explained Camp Fire symbolism, showing how it helps the individual in self-expression, appreciation of art and design. Count books were explained and Miss Louise Lotspeich gave an inspiring talk on ceremonial gown decoration, showing best methods of designing the gown and planning the decoration.

Those in attendance were: Mesdames W. H. Costely, Gladys Hockman, Anna Barnhill, Edna Colligan, J. F. Hyland, E. Maurice Adams, J. R. Hyatt, Frank W. Jones, R. E. Vigus, and Misses Gladys Wisdom, Beatrice Morgan, Ruth Palmer, Theresa Kauffman, Muriel Jones, Ruth Solomon, Marguerite McCord, Phyllis Creighton, Edna Skaggs, Pauline Newman, Marjorie Jones, Thelma Bridges, Charlotte Kennedy, Jo De Brian, Zoe Liles, Dorothy Rollins, Norma Rollins, Minnie T. Baker, Jonnie R. Morgan, Alice Downing, Louise Lotspiech, Francis Hyland, Kathleen Colligan, Marie Roberts and the executive, Miss Mary McIlheran.

New Century Juniors Entertain Club Women

Members of the mother and sister clubs, the New Century and the Twentieth Century, were entertained at a lovely party at the home of Mrs. Paul Harding Tuesday afternoon the New Century Juniors hostesses.

The reception suite of the home was beautifully decorated in hearts and red carnations for the occasion, in keeping with Valentine season, and tables were arranged for bridge.

In the games, Mrs. Raymond Gutzler won the high score favor a quaint old fashioned whale oil lamp with shade of chintz while Mrs. W. J. Grisham was consoled for low, with an embroidered pin cushion. The gifts were done up in red crepe paper with trimmings of hearts.

At the close of the afternoon, a dainty salad plate with corsages of sweet pease for favors, was served to 60 members of the three clubs.

Bowie P.T.A. Meets This Afternoon

The Bowie Parent-Teachers association will meet at the school this afternoon at 3 o'clock when the program will be given as follows:

Song, Gladys Wisdom.
Devotionals, W. Edward Walker.
Reading, "February," Wilton Hagerman.
Music, Misses Wisdom and Carter.
Report of the El Paso State Mothers Congress, Mrs. Homer McGregor.
Address on "Child Welfare," Mrs. Ira L. Cain.
All mothers interested are invited to be present.

Grace Methodist Aid Society Meets

Circle Two of the Grace Methodist church entertained the Ladies Aid Society Monday afternoon at the church, when the meeting was opened by devotionals led by Mrs. J. H. Parker.

During a brief session, both new and old business was discussed, and splendid reports were heard from the circles.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. V. Friberg, I. W. Karrenbrock, J. B. Dollard, G. E. Friberg, W. B. Corlett, J. O. Ross, J. B. McDowell, E. O. Albert, G. W. Corkhill, G. Bynum, J. J. Simon, J. F. Friberg, W. W. Sherrill, J. H. Parker, W. L. Dalton, M. E. Carey, O. W. Ross, M. A. Quillin, H. L. Hunter, C. F. Watson, Lee Gray, Hal Shirey, J. Holmes, C. A. Andree, W. Whitum, D. A. Allen, J. Beddoe, J. T. Richey, G. H. Davidson and L. G. Garner.

Farris Club Holds Enjoyable Meeting

Members of the Farris club of the Pollyanna class of the First Baptist Sunday school met with Misses Berneice Strawn, Cleo Bowers and Gladys Price at the home of Mrs. E. T. Duff, when after a brief business session, tables were arranged for "42."

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ralph Hines, the class teacher, Miss Daisy Adams, class president, and Mrs. I. A. Farris, the club mother, and Misses Irene Thompson, Mary Old, Reba Lucile Dunlap, Zollie Mae Cunningham, Flossie Crain, Elizabeth Cole and Maurine Stewart.

Mrs. Conn Hostess To Division Eight

Mrs. S. L. Conn was hostess to division eight of the Woman's Council of the First Christian church at her home Monday afternoon when after devotionals led by her, Mrs. M. D. Bolton gave an outline of the work being done by the "living link," Miss Nunn, missionary from this church, in Mexico.

Each member gave a sketch from the church paper, "World Call," and after a brief business session, two contests were enjoyed with Mesdames Nightingale and Lucy Young winning.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames R. D. Bone, G. Engle, Nightingale, Lucy Young, A. A. oung, J. F. Hickman, Rigsby, D. A. Lundieu, M. D. Bolton and Poole.

Mrs. Inge Hostess To Tuttle Bible Class

A pretty affair of the week was on Tuesday afternoon when members of the Bishop Tuttle Bible class of the Episcopal church were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Nat L. Inge. The house was beautifully decorated for the affair in hearts and other colorful motifs suggestive of the Valentine season and after a brief business session, a guessing contest was enjoyed with Mrs. W. H. Godfrey proving the most fortunate. She was presented a Valentine box.

A salad plate was served and little John Abbott Thornburgh passed favors of comic valentines from a large cup, which were the source of much merriment.

The hostess was assisted by Mesdames F. E. Thornburgh and Harry Evans.

Those present were Mesdames Mollie McElroy, E. E. Gwynne, W. H. Godfrey, S. H. White, M. J. Sammons, R. J. Goodale, Clyde Crawford and Lena Matta.

Barwise Girl Reserves Hold Interesting Meet

About 18 members of the Girl Reserves of the Barwise school enjoyed the meeting held there Tuesday afternoon when the program was opened with devotionals led by Maryetta James. Lafon Duncan gave a reading and after a group of Girl Reserve songs were sung, Mrs. T. A. Hicks, president of the Y. W. C. A. gave the girls an inspirational talk on "Working for Honors."

A valentine party was planned to be held on Saturday afternoon Feb. 13, at the home of Maryetta James.

Misses Corbell Hostesses To Philathea Class

Misses Margaret and Clara Corbell were hostesses to members of the Philathea Sunday school class of the Grace Methodist church Monday evening when during the business session, a birthday social was planned to be held at the home of Mrs. G. E. Friberg, 1511 Tenth street, on the evening of Feb. 15, for members and their friends.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Misses Mary Byman, Sara Watson, Eva King, Irene Swain, Johnson, Faye Adams, Ethel Andree, Valree Fisher, Cleda Raynor, Birdie Simmons and Mesdames B. L. Bryans, I. W. Karrenbrock, Davidson, Garner, C. A. Andree, Margaret Brackeen, Grace Blue, Zella Mae Andree, Mildred Ratliff, J. W. Vandigriff and the hostesses, Misses Margaret and Clara Corbell.

Southern Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary Meets

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Southern Presbyterian church met at the tabernacle Monday afternoon when in the absence of the president, Mrs. F. R. Johnson, the session was presided over by Mrs. H. E. Wilson.

Following the scripture reading and prayer, reports were given from the monthly meetings of the circles as follows:

Circle One met with Mrs. George Flemming with four members present when the text book, "Prayer and Missions" was discussed. Circle Two, with Mrs. A. J. Goolsby, with five present and they also studied "Prayer and Missions." This circle reported $60 raised from a recent rummage sale held by Mesdames J. N. Scott and Goolsby.

Young Ladies Circle Three met with Mrs. D. M. Barnard with four members present and studied the mission book. The Business Women's circle met with Mrs. J. E. H. Railey with nine members present and two guests. Miss Vivian Raley led the devotionals which was followed by prayer, at the conclusion of which reports were given and Miss Raley gave a synopsis of part one and chapter three of the study book. Mrs. T. M. Colligan gave part two of the book.

Following the business session, Dr. Gaines B. Hall, pastor of the church, gave an intersting talk on the work of the young people in the church.

There were six members present.

First Baptist Women In All-Day Session

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met in all day session at the church Monday when the hours before noon were devoted to the study of "Japan." Mrs. W. L. Robertson opened the meeting with prayer, and Mrs. R. O. Grant led the devotionals.

A piano number was given by Shumake Baber and the mission lesson on "Religion in Japan" was conducted by Mesdames A. R. Bleakley and E. P. Cook.

During the business session splendid reports were given by the circles, and $400 was sent to Buckner's Orphan home on the well fund. Members of Circle Five served luncheon at the noon hour.

Today's Calendar

The physical culture class sponsored by the health department of the Woman's forum will be organized at the Y. W. C. A. this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. O. R. Haynie, 1622 Pearl street, will be hostess to the Sorosis club, afternoon.

Mrs. O. T. Gorsline will be hostess to the Pieria club at the home of Mrs. Chester Pugh on Hays street, afternoon.

A benefit bridge will be held at the Municipal club when the games will begin at 2 o'clock.

The Bowie P.-T.-A will meet at the school at 3 o'clock, afternoon.

Personals

Mrs. F. R. Johnson was called to Abilene on account of illness of a relative.

F. W. Stahl, who has been the guest of his sisters, Mrs. Jack Gotcher and Mrs. Will Young, has returned to his home at Childress.

Miss Osie Goodwin is ill at her home on Elizabeth street with influenza.

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Yankee Baroness Fights for Bab



Baroness Helen de Reinach-Werth, daughter of John Tennyson, Pittsburgh, is back from Paris after attempting to get possession of her daughter Ann, 4, whom she declares is in custody of a sister-in-law, in Le Mans, France.

Mrs. Van Emden Reviews La Boheme In Lecture Before Pen Women Here

Reviewing Murger's La Vie Boheme, which depicts life in the Quartier Latin, or Students' Quarter in Paris in the year of 1830, Mrs. H. B. Van Emden, gave a realistic description of Puccini's La Boheme, an adaptation from a part of the story with music by the well known Italian composer, before members of the Penwomen's club and a few guests in observation of "writers' night" at the Episcopal parish house Monday evening, intercepting her talk with excerpts played from the opera on the piano by Miss Katherine Kilander and records played on the panatrope.

The principal characters in the opera are the inseperable quartet described by Murger, who with equal cheerfulness defy the pangs of hunger and the landlord of their little garret. Rudolph, a poet; Marcel, a painter; colline, a philosopher; and Schaunard, a musician. These occupy the garret in the Quartier Latin, where they live and work together. Improvident, reckless and careless, these happy-go-lucky Bohemians find joy in merely living, being full of themselves.

Love Making Starts.

After a while, Rudolph makes the acquaintance of Mimi, a little flower-maker who is also a consumptive. Marcel meets the gay Musetta, who plays fast and loose with him. Alternate quarrels and reconciliations fill the lives of these lovers, but the final seperation ends with the sad death of Mimi at the close of the opera.

Mrs. Van Emden gave a realistic description of the various scenes of the opera, which were interwoven with careless gaiety and touches of pathos, the music, in turn lively and tender, with haunting sweetness most fascinating, was played by Miss Kilander, pianist, of exceptional talent.

Records Are Played.

Records played included some of the most well known solos, duets and quartets by famous artists who have sung La Boheme, including Rudolph's Narrative song, by Caruso in the first act, "My Name Is Mimi," by Geraldine Farrar; a Melba record; one sung by Harold and Martinelli and the famous quartet, "Farewell Sweet Love" in the third act sung by Farrar, Viafora, Caruso and Scotti and several others.

Mrs. Van Emden, who is an accomplished lecturer, has had many years experience in reviewing Metropolitan Opera in this country for leading papers in the east and has also done work of this kind in Europe. Her lecture on this particular opera, was well received by an appreciative audience.

Opera Manager And Critic Plan a Duel

PARIS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Still another "affair of honor" is stirring the Paris musical world. The principals in it are Jacques Rouche, a wealthy perfume manufacturer and director general of the opera, and Jean Marnold, musical critic of the monthly review Mercure de France.

Relations between the two men have been strained since a certain article of Marnold's was published giving without restraint the writer's views on M. Rouche's management of the opera. Both were leaving a dress rehearsal of Maurice Revol's new opera, "Enfant et Les Sortileges" at the Opera Comique last night when M. Rouche said he heard, or thought he heard, M. Marnold make disparaging remarks which were accompanied by a threatening gesture.

Rouche forestalled any attack by boxing the critic's ears. Friends then separated the antagonists who appointed seconds to arrange a duel.

TEXAS RAIL OFFICIALS GO TO NEW ORLEANS MEET.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Clarence E. Gilmore, chairman, and C. V. Terrell, member of the Texas railroad commission, left today for New Orleans to participate in the hearing before the interstate commerce commission on the differential rates granted Texas in the New Orleans-Texas ports differential case.

Alcohol No Good Inside Or Outside Of Body—Volstead

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 2.—(AP)—A move to stop the manufacture and sale of body rub alcohol throughout the United States has been started by Andrew J. Volstead, author of the prohibition enforcement act.

Mr. Volstead, who now is legal adviser of the northwest prohibition enforcement division, left late last night for Washington where, it was reported, he would present the matter to prohibition officials.

Contending that regulations of the department of internal revenue under which body rub alcohol is manufactured and sold, were nullified and revoked in their entirity with the advent of the national prohibition law, Mr. Volstead seeks to have the permit law declared void. The permits are issued under formula No. 39 in the department at Washington.

The law, Mr. Volstead declared in federal court here yesterday, was passed before the prohibition act named after him.

A decision upholding Mr. Volstead's contention would mean the automatic revocation of thousands of permits in the United States involving millions of dollars in invested capital.

TEXAS LIZARD MAY LINK CONTINENT TO EUROPE

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—A Texas lizard may link the American continent to Europe. Dug from the Permian beds of the Longhorn state, a skeleton of an almost inestimable age is being studied by University of Chicago scientists to establish definitely a relation between reptile species of the two continents.

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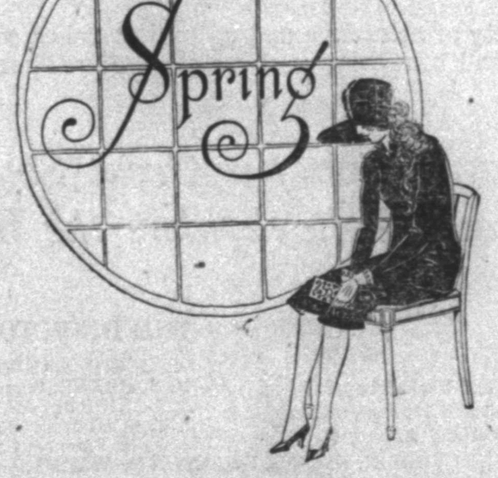
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McDaniel Found Guilty of Neligence in Texas Man's Death

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—(AP) Jimmie McDaniel tonight was found guilty of first degree negligent homicide at the close of his trial on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Roy Green here last September, run down and killed by a motor car. His punishment was assessed at $1,000 fine.

The state contended that McDaniel Green and three other young men ad been drinking corn whisky and riding in an automobile on the afternoon of September 13, and that just before the killing Green and McDaniel had an argument about who should drive the machine Green and another occupant of the car got out and McDaniel drove the car on. Then, the witnesses testified, the car returned and coming upon the two who had gotten out, swerved at a 45 degree angle and turned over on them.

The defense contended the occurrence was an accident and offered no testimony, on the theory that the state had made out no case.

IOWA PARK

Personals

J. H. Anglin was confined to his bed this week on account of illness.

T. E. Hale was here from Wichita Falls Sunday as the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. N. George and family.

Miss Inez Roberts of Wichita Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. S. Smith.

Cards are out announcing the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Van Horn January 22. The little girl has been named Jeanette. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Miss Ruth Galey, teacher at Dundee, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Galey.

Mrs. Jimmie Turner and Mrs. W. K. Bradford were visiting in Wichita Falls last Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Gamons is on the sick list again.

Mrs. R. E. Brewster visited her sister, Mrs. Harvey Wigley, in Wichita Falls last Saturday.

Clif Burrows, who has been in a Wichita hospital seriously ill, has been brought home and is improving nicely.

W. R. Golden left Wednesday night for a business trip to Dallas.

W. R. Bradford was in Wichita Falls last Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Anna Mae Clancy has returned from a three month's visit at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. F. Stryker and Mrs. Phillips, who are going through the clinic at Mayo brothers, Rochester, Minn., report that they are improved.

Miss Mildred Gilbert of Vernon was the guest of Miss Maurine Apple last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Park have returned from their wedding trip to Mississippi to visit his relatives.

J. H. Turner was in Archer City this week on business.

Charlie Turner and wife of Washington are visiting his brothers, J. H. and B. L. Turner.

Mrs. M. B. Cain Is Hostess

The four circles of the Ladies Aid met with Mrs. M. B. Cain Monday evening with Mrs. Curtis Hill as leader.

The subject was the White Fields of Japan.

The following program was carried out in a very interesting way.

Bible study by leader; prayer for our missionary in Japan; song. Prayer for Japanese christians, Mrs. Moore; religion in Japan, Mrs. Ona Wallis; The Touch of Christ, Mrs. A. C. Golden; Hindered Streams, Mrs. Chas. McKinney; prayer that christianity overcome a spirit of revelation in lands; song, Waiting Harvest, Mrs. S. A. Baxter; Our Field, Mrs. Kildow; Our Union Sister in Japan, Mrs. W. R. Golden.

The president, Mrs. L. N. Lockridge, led the devotional. She read the fifteenth chapter of John. Mrs. J. C. Newman led in prayer.

There were excellent reports from the circles of the church. Those present were: Mesdames Herman Mills, C. M. Dodson, Bill Kidd, J. T. West, Noel McKinney, C. C. Fields, Benard Birdwell, George Dorris, Chas. McKinney, John Moore, Hattie Christopher, A. A. Birdwell, S. A. Baxter, Crittendon, P. G. Kildow, Sam Ferguson, W. F. McKinney, S. N. Lockridge, Lancaster, Ona Wallis, A. C. Golden, Marvin Morgan, Grandmother Farmer, W. H. Caylor, Jess Penn, M. B. Cain, H. M. Smith, Robert Brubaker, J. C. Newman, Grandmother Cain, Curtis Hill.

Missionary Society

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Missionary society met at the church Monday evening. Rev. Lawrence, pastor of the church, led the devotional. They studied the home missionary steward book. Mrs. C. Birk acted as president in the absence of Mrs. F. Stryker.

Those present were Mesdames C. Birks, E. Birks, Gayle Parks, Will Gaunt, N. S. Lawrence, Otis Kidwell, E. Wilson, Gayle Lawrence, C. E. Clark, G. B. Gaunt, Miss Clara Lawrence, Miss Francis Birk.

Study Club

The 1923 Study club met with Mrs. W. R. Bradford Thursday.

There was a very interesting discussion led by Mrs. Walter. Mrs. Miles Hines, Mrs. John Barber and Mrs. Shipman. The subjects of their papers were taken from Shakespeare classic.

At the close of the meeting hot chocolate and cake was served to Mesdames Sisk, Shipman, Hudson, Frank Clark, W. R. Golden, C. E. Clark, Miles Hines, Bill Bagby, J. Greenwood, John Barber.

Luncheon Club

The Iowa Park Boosters Luncheon club was organized Tuesday at the Helton hotel.

A. H. Smith was active in promoting the club and was elected temporary chairman. Rev. Highsmith stated the purpose of such meetings and the effectiveness of the luncheon feature in bringing men together. A code which he read was adopted and made applicable to the local club.

R. A. Highsmith was elected president for the first term of six months and C. C. Hudson, vice-president; Tom Carpenter, recording secretary; and Bob Anglin, corresponding secretary; Carroll Duke, treasurer; A. C. Golden, song leader.

A committee was appointed by the toastmaster consisting of Earnest Birk, Warren Clark and Howard Renfro to report on time of luncheon and system of dues. The report recommended each Wednesday at 12:30 at the Helton hotel. The dues are $1.00 initiation and $2.00 monthly for luncheon expenses which was adopted.

10 CABBAGES WEIGH 670 LBS.

PLYMOUTH, Eng.—Ten cabbages exhibited on his farm by David Ford weighed 670 pounds.

Chosen to Speak for Air Service in Army General Staff Councils



Lieut. Col. Roy C. Kirtland and Maj. John D. Reardon, are two of the first officers to be chosen by Maj. Gen. Mason Patrick, army air service chief, to represent the air service on the army general staff. The appointments are in accordance with a recommendation made by the president's special aircraft inquiry board

Richardson Reads Paper On Sub-Divisions At Real Estate Board Meet

An interesting paper on planning subdivisions was read Tuesday to the Wichita Falls real estate board by P. S. Richardson, local realtor and secretary of the club. He took the place of Judge R. E. Huff who was to have delivered one of the club's talks on "Romances of Real Estate," but who was unable to attend the meeting.

Frank King, prominent real estate man of Denver, was a guest at the club luncheon and spoke briefly on conditions in Mexico as he had found them on a recent business visit to that country. A. W. King and Otto Stehlik were named realtor representatives on the chamber of commerce business council for the coming year.

Mr. Richardson's paper, in part, was as follows:

Subdivision of land is a step in community building and must be considered as such and not merely a process in the transfer of property. It must follow sound principals of community development, rather than haphazard chances, unregulated individual designs, or deliberate selfishness. The ultimate soundness of values depends upon the degree with which the subdivision property becomes a part of the community, and upon the merits of its own design, rather than upon the amount of immediate sales value which may be squeezed from it. Too frequently the latter is the only apparent goal with the result that the addition is improperly planned, and in a short time gradually falls in value.

The sale of a subdivision is just as important as the planning, and a residence section must be so developed as to be really a delightful place in which to live, with sensible restrictions, and sold to the public for the specific purpose of building a home and improving the grounds, rather than to purchase for speculation.

Plays Important Part.

The subdivider undoubtedly is playing a very important part in the development of this entire country, and with such striking examples as the state of Florida, where waste land, and we might say, 'oceanbeds' are being reclaimed and improved on an enormous scale, shows the really important part the subdivider is doing.

In one instance in Florida over $100,000,000, is being spent in an undeveloped and unpopulated district, and an entirely new city is being layed out, restricting certain portions for residence use and other sections for retail districts; other districts for manufacturing schools, parks, and public utilities. This project is being developed to the very highest extent, and not one piece of property will be offered for sale until the entire subdivision is completed. Here, we get a fine lesson in subdivision work. It is more wise to plan and complete all improvements than to sell and promise, for when a subdivision is properly subdivided, improved, and of course, beautified, the property will sell itself and does not require any high-pressure methods to dispose of it.

The purpose of subdividing and restricting a tract of land does not mean to prevent the development of the business sections, but it is vitally important in the planning of a subdivision of any size that all our needs and comforts be taken into consideration. With that in view, certain areas should be reserved for business property and restricted to the locality. Certain tracts should be dedicated for public parks and play grounds, and for schools and churches. But to protect the value of all, it is important that they be confined, each in their own district.

Prices Restricted.

Some few years ago it was a practice of subdividers to place a definite price restriction on a building site, but it is to an extent proving impractical for the reason that no objections could be found for the erection of an $18,000 residence in a district where the restrictions called for a $25,000 residence. And more recent developments are the rights of subdividers to approve plans and specifications, to plan or control even development, and accomplish the purpose of the subdivider better than a definite price restriction.

To bring the importance that the subdivider is playing in the development of this country, we only have to stop for a minute and realize the development that is now going on in our own city, where something like 2,500 acres of what was called, a few years ago, rough prairie land, is now being developed on as high a scale as you will find in the Southwest where men have reclaimed practically idle land and have added city water, gas, lights, sewers, cheap water for yards and gardens, permanent paving and ornamental light systems. And last, but not least have placed permanent restrictions on this property and are beautifying it in a way undreamed of not many years past.

So, the purpose of the honest subdivider is not a selfish one. He has an ideal and a purpose. It is his desire, beside the making of a dollar, to beautify and give additional comforts to the city in which he lives.

Let us plan wisely, and think in terms of 10 years rather than 12 months and of the ultimate general development of our city, rather than of the dollar we can acquire tomorrow.

Houston to Vote On 6 Million Road Bonds

HOUSTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—With approximately $1,000,000 federal aid expected, March tentatively was selected as the month for holding a special election to vote upon the proposed $6,000,000 county road bond issue, approved by an advisory committee of the chamber of commerce meeting here today jointly with commissioners' court.

Should the election carry and the present road building program be followed, Harris county's total mileage of concrete highways would be more than the combined mileage of the state's five largest counties, according to County Judge Chester H. Bryan.

One hundred and fifty miles of a total of 234 miles would be constructed if the election is passed by voters, it was revealed at the meeting. Total concrete roadways in Harris, Dallas, Bexar, Tarrant and El Paso counties today is less than 100 miles, it was learned.

Leader of Mexican Bandit Raid Caught

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Former Colonel Manuel Nunez, leader of the recent bandit outrage on a passenger train near Guadalajara in which a number of persons were killed and robbed, has been captured, according to dispatches from Patzcuaro, state of Michoacan.

The dispatches say he was captured on a ranch near Urnapan and taken to the jail in Urnapan.

U. S. Waste Charged

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Wasteful expenditures have been made by those administering the army and navy air services, Representative Madden, republican, Illinois, chairman of the appropriations committee, declared today in the house.

HONG KONG RESUMES ARMED POLICE PATROL

HONG KONG, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Hong Kong police today reinstated an armed patrol of the city.

Recent advices from Canton contained rumors of a strike among Hong Kong merchants, the object of which was unknown.

Rebel Plot Against Calles Is Nipped

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP) Uncovering of evidence showing that a revolutionary junta of Mexicans is active here and in conspiracy to overthrow the Calles government of Mexico, was announced to the Associated Press today by Gus Jones, in charge of the San Antonio office of the department of justice.

AUSTRALIA SWELTERS

Melbourne.—Ten deaths have occurred in Australian towns as the result of a heat wave.

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PRISONER IS OWN ATTORNEY

Galveston Federal Court Hears Constitutionality of Laws Attacked

HOUSTON, Fb. 1.—(AP)—Arguing his own case before Judge J. C. Hutcheson, at Galveston, H. B. Hodges convict on the Ferguson state farm at Midway spoke for more than an hour today in an attempt to show he court that the laws under which he was convicted and sentenced to prison are unconstitutional. Anttaches of the court who returned to Houston related the incident.

Hodges filed a petition asking for a writ of habes corpus in federal court on January 18. In his peition he asserted he had been indicted on charges of burglarizing two small country railway stations in Collins county. On his plea of guilty in each case the judge impanelled a jury and instructed them to pass sentence on him. This procedure, he said, is contrary to the constitutional guaranty of triay by jury.

In his argument before Judge Hutcheson today he reviewed the arguments set forth in his petition and attacked especially the constitutionality of the indterminate sentence law, which has been the subject of legal debate since its passage.

"The province of the jury is to determine guilt of innocence after hearing the testimony in a case," Hodges said. "It is the business of the Judge of the court to pass sentence. A law that places in the hands of the jury the prerogative always exercised by the judge is contrary to the constitutional guaranty of trial by jury."

Negro Doomed In 16-Minute Trial

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 2.—(AP) Ed Harris, negro murderer of three persons, pleaded guilty here today to an attack on Mrs. Clarence Bryant, whose husband and two children he had confessed murdering, and was sentenced to be hanged Friday, March 5, in the Fayette county jail yard. The trial lasted exactly 16 minutes.

It was one of the speediest trials in the history of the county. Court was called promptly at 9 o'clock.

The negro had been brought here early today from the state reformatory at Frankfort in Adjutant General Kehoe's automobile while a national guard officer rode in a tank and not until after arriving here did any one save a few officers of the 1000 national guardsmen on duty know that an officer and not the negro was in the tank.

OVERDUE SHIP ARRIVES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The British freighter Ryburn, 19 days over-due from Rotterdam, passed in the Delaware capes today. She is bound for Philadelphia with 3,000 tons of coal.

BITTER FIGHT IN ROAD CASE

Attorneys Resort to Verbal Bombshells As Heat of Trial Increases

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Unsuccessful efforts of defense counsel to secure from the Travis county grand jury indictment of F. G. Hoffman for a time today engulfed the Hoffman Construction company trial in a whirlpool of bitterness and partisanship. R. L. Batts, defense attorney, charged Attorney General Dan Moody and not the Travis county district attorney, had directed the grand jury in its investigations. He charged, too, that "counsel for the state" Monday had held aloft in the court room that the Hoffman company jury might see headlines of a local paper, announcing the district judge had urged a new grand jury to continue inquiry into the highway situation.

John Hornsby, Travs county attorney, who is helping to represent the state in the Hoffman trial, severely upbraided Batts for "reflecting on sworn Travis county grand jurors."

Batts retorted he was not impugning motives of the grand jurors because he appreciated the "tremendous pressure" placed upon them.

Judge George Calhoun was pleading for calmness, when Moody sprang from his chair, shook his finger at Battes and declared passionately, "I'll take the blame, if there's any to take. I tried to get those grand jurors criminally to indict some persons because I felt they belonged in the state penitentiary. And I examined many witnesses with that in view."

Lovers End Lives

COLUMBUS, Ga., Feb. 2.—(AP)—O. T. Chalklay, 18, and Anna Lee Welch, 22, were buried side by side in a country church yard near here today after a coroner's jury had decided that parental objection to their marriage had caused them to die together yesterday. Chalklay shot the girl and then killed himself on a road near Columbus.

COTTON RATE HEARING TO BE HELD IN HOUSTON MARCH 17

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Hearing will be held at Houston March 17, by the Texas railroad commission on petition of Galveston commercial association and the Galveston cotton exchange for readjustment of rates on cotton to Texas ports. The petition charges undue preference is given waterside concentrators of cotton at the ports and unjust discrimination against concentrators of cotton in the interior and at port locations from the water front.

WACO MAN APPOINTED.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—J. M. Pattillo of Waco, today was appointed bookkeeper for the state board of control, succeeding W. A. Holland, who resigned, effective February 15, Dr. H. S. Harrington, chairman of the board, announced.

HOLTEN SUCCEEDS TIMMINS AS STATE FIRE MARSHAL

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Following re-appointment of G. N. Holten, to the state insurance commission, by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson Monday, the commission met today and elected him state fire marshal. J. J. Timmins, fire marshal, was elected secretary of the commission, Chairman R. L. Daniel announced.

Commissioner Daniel said the commission felt that the public would be better served through the change, inasmuch as Timmins is a rate expert and Holten is an expert on fire causes and prevention.

The change will become effective Wednesday.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, JR. TO REST IN HOSPITAL

BALTIMORE, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., newspaper owner and scion of the New York family of that name, who has been in Baltimore for observation by Johns Hopkins hospital specialists, will enter the institution later this month for a rest cure of two months. Mr. Vanderbilt will leave here tomorrow it was said, for his home at Beverly Hills, Cal., returning to Baltimore February 20 after arranging for the management of his newspapers while he is at Hopkins.

3 SAY THEY ARE CHILDREN OF DEAD COPPER KING

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Three women, claiming to be daughters of the late W. A. Clark, former United States senator from Montana, have a reason to ask for their portion of the copper king's millions.

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More Truth Than Poetry

REVOLT

I long ago found out I wasn't gifted,
My taste in almost everything is bad—
I never in my life have been uplifted
And it would not have mattered if I had.
My relatives aver that I'm fat-witted
And hate to have me mingle in their set,
And I have always felt that I was pitied
By all the cultured people I have met.

I think perhaps they're right, ad so I never
Attempt to polish up my intellect
With what I know would be a vain endeavor
To earn the passing tribute of respect.
I'd just as soon be rough, or even rougher,
For that at least is something, you'll allow.
But even though my pride may have to suffer
I simply will not be a middlebrow.

If I cannot be ranked among the classes
Who live alone for culture's noble sake,
I simply won't be counted with the masses
Who form the middle layer of the cake.
Hence forward I shall sneer at all convention—
No common run of person I shall be,
And maybe I can gain some small attention
By being rough—extremely rough—for me.

I was not born to walk in lofty places,
With no surpassing mind was I endowed,
I lack superior ways and easy graces—
But on the other hand, I hate a crowd.
And so, although I hate to, like the devil,
And claims to any rank I'll disavow
And walk henceforth on the lower level;
I simply will not be a middlebrow.

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"A Penny For Your Thoughts!"
"Make It a Nickel an' Y'on!"

GIRLIGAGS



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"In this day of living out of cans," says Cynical Sue, "it looks as if the next crop of husbands will be growing over the soup to which wifie doesn't add hot water like mother used to."

Dot Puzzle's



THE NEBBS — Bl Sol Hess



ONCE UPON A TIME — LITTLE FREDDY WITH HIS FIDDLE—IX — by W. J. ENRIGHT.



DUMB DORA — By Chic Young



YOU KNOW ME AL — By Ring Lardner



REGULAR FELLERS — —By Gene Byrnes



MINUTE MOVIES — By Wheelan



Landon-Hill and Draughon Win Commercial Loop Contests



TOP O' MORN STUFF
By Blondy Cross.

The old pot's passed the boiling point and is on the verge of sizzling over. Hot stove session's reached the white heat stage with the entry of Skipper Fred Brainard.

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Meets Most of the Bugs.

Although Brainard was kept comparatively busy in conference with Secretary Gray most of the afternoon discussing and planning player-salary matters he had time enough to meet half the male population of Wichita Falls. Seemed just about everybody in the city breezed by the open doors of ball headquarters and straightaway were hauled in and introduced to the new manager.

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ON DISPLAY

Heavy Rogers was one of the first. Then came Bert Adrian. John Parker rolled along in a few minutes. Pretty soon Jim Gardner happened down the corridor, saw Fred and dropped in to talk baseball and swap fish yarns. Jim, Fred and Reed, Brainard's brother, used to be old college chums and fishin' pals. L. F. Qubecka dropped in. Bill King got around long enough to say "Glad to meet-cha," praise the Spudder outlook and then declare belief the Browns got far the better of that trade with Washington Monday whereby Joe Bush and Johnny Tobin shift scenery and monkey suits with Tom Zachary and Win Ballou. Yeah, everything fell just right yesterday for Fred to get acquainted with a wealth of the fans he'll be working before inside of another four weeks. Spring training, you know, starts March 1.

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Pete Perks Peppily.

Qubecka says Peter Turgeon's wing is coming along wonderfully. Pete was hampered seriously all last season with an ailing whip, but, according to Qubecka, under whom the Spud keystoner is working at the First National bank, the bombastic urchin's feeling so fine that it's hard for him to keep from starting a game every day down in the lobby. May have to lock him up in the vault some time to keep him from throwing baseballs at the customers.

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"Pete was winding up the other day," says Qubecka, "and twisting the old arm around like he was getting ready to heave one to the plate, only he had his head bent over to one side like he was listening to something. In a minute he grinned and said: 'Nope, I can't hear her grind any more. Sure must be well.'"

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Carter McGregor has put Pete's desk by a radiator so as to keep the souper warm and cooked up during cold weather spells.

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Jim Curtis, another hardy ball bug, wants Brainard to know that Fred may be the Spudder manager and all that, but that he (Jim) intends to manage the Spudders just a wee bit from the grandstand. Jim'll have quite a few rivals.

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HEH, HEH, HEH!

This Curtis man is quite a character, they tell me. Somebody, maybe it was Alvin Gardner, recalls one on Jim. It seems Curtis was over in a small Oklahoma town last year some time, appetite exceedingly sharp and just a little tumble down restaurant in which to satiate his stomach's demands. Jim pulled up to the counter and perched on a stool.

"Gimme a menu," he is quoted.

"Sorry sir," or something similar, the Sooner hasher said, "but we haven't anything left but ham and eggs."

"All right," chirped Jim. "Gimme them."

"Well, how do you like your eggs?" said the waiter.

"Oh, I like 'em fine," said Jim without a change of expression.

"I mean how do you like 'em cooked?" the hasher asked.

"Why, that's the way I like 'em best of all," solemnly answered Jim.

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HE MIGHT, AT THAT

Wray Query packs a sly sense of humor. Speaking of fellows like Brainard, Jim Roberts and Mule Washburn, he says: "We ought to have lots of pepper and ginger on the club next summer. Sure am glad that they're getting all those big men on the team. I'll start all the fight and let them finish 'em."

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Laying all joking aside, any man who jumps the powerful Wray no doubt would have wished he had counted to ten first and then changed his mind. Incidently, there's little danger of anybody ever going after Query, regardless of his physical proportions, because the Spud backstop is undoubtedly one of the most unassuming, quietest and likeable sort of chaps who ever donned the togs handed down by Father Knickerbocker.

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AD MAY BE SURPRISED.

The veteran Ad Santel never seems to worry much about who his opponents may be in the heavyweight class. He hasn't been notified yet that he wrestles Frank Yusko here Thursday night. Ad was signed up more than a week ago, says Promoter Ross, to meet whoever is put onto the mat for him.

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The clever light heavyweight goes into many matches that way. Any number of times here, Ross lined up opponents for him without telling the Flying Dutchman who that opponent would be until after all the publicity was out and Ad discovered by seeing it in newspapers or on bill posters that he was carded with Terrible, the Bust or Wiffwuzup, the Pole, et cetera.

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Stanislaus Zbyszko, the colorful old man of the mat game, writes in declaring willingness to meet Daviscourt in Wichita Falls during March. Zbby figures on making 1926 his last year in the wrestling profesh. The Pole is a wealthy man, owns farms, apartment houses and boasts quite a bit of coin of the realm socked away in bank vaults, so now after years and years of grappling he's finally decided to settle down. He plans some sort of a farewell tour of the country, coming down this way next month.

RILEY RAWLS NOT ELIGIBLE SAY DEFEATED

Metzger, Moore, Buchanan, Allen Heave Goals At Will

Gerard Boone's Texhoma basketball crew led Draughon a tough race through the greater portion of a highly exciting game on the Junior college court last night, the nightcap of the Commercial league's weekly double header, but Metzger's quint broke away in the final period and amassed a 58-39 victory.

The league-topping Landon-Hill club continued to win, running over Stephens Lumber company with a smooth-passing attack, 37 to 13. There were no individual stars in this game unless it be Captain Bertie Foster of the losers who tried to guard the entire Landon-Hill team, albeit unsuccessfully, but did hold Manager Chubby Neal down.

The sporting goods outfit romped away to a 20-3 lead in the first half but was held on closer terms in the second when a string of reserve men were run in.

Protested by Foster.

Captain Foster of the lumbermen played the game under protest. The eligibility of Riley Rawls, star Junior college forward who started the contest with the Hill cagers, was questioned. The matter is to be taken up today by the arbitration committee which is composed of sports editors of the Daily Times and the Record News.

Metzger, Buchanan and Moore shared scoring honors with the victorious business college five. Buch flipped seven field baskets and a free toss for a total of 15 points. Moore sank six from the floor, tabulating an even dozen tallies, and Metzger heaved nine two-pointers into the well.

Allen was high point man with Texhoma, chunking eight field goals and a foul. Faichney tabulated ten points.

Tight Game.

Draughon's passing was pretty throughout with Metzger serving as the timer and pivot, more or less. Texhoma missed many fairly crip shots through the initial three-quarters. The Oilers were weak at the hoop. The third period closed with Texhoma hanging onto the short end of 31-29 score. For a time in the fourth period the melee was hot and the score close, but the business boys got started and drew slowly away.

FIRST GAME.

LANDON-HILL—	FG	FT	TP
Neal, f.	1	0	2
Van Horn, c.	3	1	7
Turpin, c.	3	0	6
Beck, f.	2	3	7
Rawls, f.	4	0	8
Kolp, f.	1	0	2
Clary, g.	2	1	5
Rice, g.	0	0	0
Caskel, g.	0	0	0
Gantner, f.	0	0	0
Totals	16	5	37
STEPHENS—	FG	FT	TP
Sharpe, f.	1	1	3
Shaw, f.	1	0	2
Montgomery, f.	1	0	2
Tyson, c.	1	1	3
Covington, g.	1	1	3
Foster, g.	0	0	0
Totals	5	3	13

Referee: Howard.

SECOND GAME.

DRAUGHON—	FG	FT	TP
Buchanan, f.	7	1	15
Moore, f.	6	0	12
Metzger, c.	9	0	18
Brazil, g.	0	0	0
Brashear, g.	1	3	5
Totals	23	5	50
TEXHOMA—	FG	FT	TP
Allen, f.	8	1	17
Andree, f.	4	0	8
McCullough, f.	0	0	0
Faichney, c.	5	0	10
White, c.	0	0	0
Howle, g.	2	0	4
Beatty, g.	0	0	0
Skeen, g.	0	0	0
Totals	19	1	39

Referee: Howard.

COOPER LEADS IN HOT SPRINGS

67 Score Course Record in South Central Open

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Harry Cooper, Kansas City professional formerly of Dallas, shot into the lead in the south central open golf tournament here this afternoon scoring a 33-34 for a 67 and a new course record that gave him a total of 138 for the day.

Al Espinosa of Long Beach, Cal., came next with 70-70—140, trailed by Bobby Cruickshank of Chicago, with 141, who in turn, was followed by John Rodgers of Pittsburgh with 142. Rodgers made 68 in the morning round, but was unable to keep up the pace in the afternoon, making a 74.

Cooper gave his gallery a thrill on the eighteenth hole in the afternoon when he hooked into a pond. He waded into the water a foot deep, hit the ball accurately and was just off the green in two.

His approach was virtually dead to the pin and he holed out for par four. Cooper finished the round four under par, having birdies on the second, fifth, eighth and ninth holes.

Leaders at the end of the second round were:

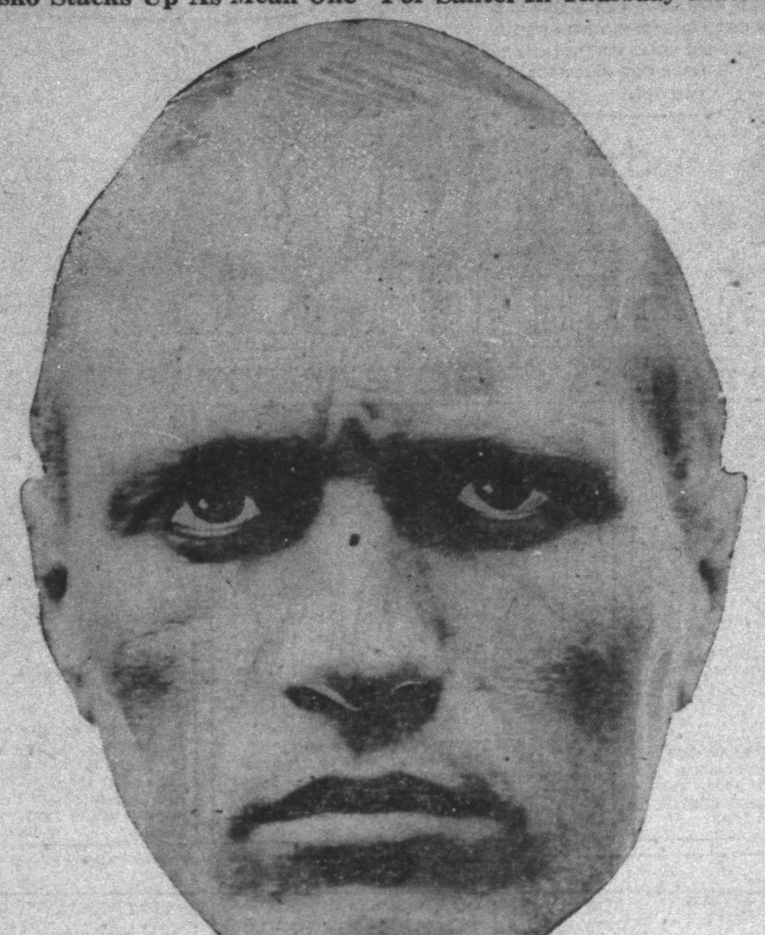
Harry Cooper, Kansas City, 138.
Al Espinosa, Long Beach, Cal. 140.
Bobby Cruickshank, Chicago, 141.
John Rodgers, Pittsburgh, 142.
Ed Dudley, Oklahoma City, 143.
MacDonald Smith, Greatneck, L. I., 146.

Jack Gives Key West Big 'Scoop?'

KEY WEST, Fla., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey will meet Harry Wills, the brown panther, in a title bout on Labor Day, the Key West Morning Call, will say tomorrow in publishing an interview with the champion who was in the city today en route to Tampa, from Havana.

"Fellows, I am going to give you a "scoop," Dempsey is quoted as saying, "I am going to fight Harry Wills on Labor Day."

Yusko Stacks Up As Mean One For Santel In Thursday Match



FRANK YUSKO

The Jugo-Slavakian heavyweight wrestling champion meets Ad Santel, Wichita Falls favorite, in finish match Thursday night, the feature battle of a three-match grappling program slated in the 812 1-2 Scott street gymnasium.

Jack Gorman meets Tommy Murphy, Chicago lightweight, in an hour-limit go.

Harland Ross tackles Jack Padgett of Anadarko in a 15-minute limit, one-fall affair.

Yusko has been in Wichita Falls more than a week now training hard for his match with the light heavy champ, and he declares himself in great shape.

The Slav checks up as the most formidable wrestler the popular Santel has ever been matched with in Wichita Falls. Ad has tangled with a number of tough boys on he Wichita Falls wrestling association weekly cards.

SPORTS DONE BROWN

"The Yanks are coming, the Yanks are coming, send the word, send the word anywhere."

To paraphrase George M. Cohan's immortal war song, the Yankees, New York City's representatives in the American league, certainly will be coming this year, in fact if diminutive Miller Huggins has his way they'll be up and at 'em and over the top in every engagement.

Young pitchers, young infielders, a hard hitting catching acquisition and the return of the Big Bambino to his former throne of hit king, are all expected to re-establish Col. Ruppert's hirelings in the hearts of the Manhattanites and in other American league cities as well.

The collapse of the Yanks last year after they had scored so impressively in 1921, '22 and '23 and were beaten only by a nod in 1924 due to a combination of circumstances so well known to all diamond devotees that they hardly need recounting here.

As far as Ruppert, Huggins and company are concerned that is all past history. New blood, new spirit, new everything is the slogan. Among a squad of a dozen pitching newcomers, those who look quite likely are Myles Thomas, Curtis Fullerton and Herb McQuaid, righthanders, and Garland Braxton, a portsider. Keep your peepers trained on this quartet.

Changes will be made in infield and outfield, as well as in the receiving department and better things may be expected of the Yanks this year.

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Bowlers have been considerably in the sport spotlight recently and the most recent morsel of gossip is that the American Bowling congress which was originally carded to start at Toledo on March 6, and run to including April 5, is likely to be extended. This lengthening of the tourney is caused by the unprecedented number of out-of-town entries which already have been received. Indications are that this tourney will eclipse all previous A. B. C.'s.

And while we are on the subject of pinmen and pin women, Mrs. Dorothy Meinecke of Detroit, set bowlers tongues wagging all over the country when she established a new endurance record for women, breaking her own mark set last year, when she completed 130 consecutive games in 16 1-2 consecutive hours. During the long grind she toppled 21,068 pins with a composite ball weight of 18 1-2 tons for an average score of 1067-15. It is estimated that she walked 15 1-2 miles during the test and was on her feet throughout. Her only food during the period were chocolate bars and water.

In bowling, comedy stalks most of the times, but occasionally tragedy takes the stage. In Milwaukee a few nights ago, George Schwibinger, a city employe, competing in the Wisconsin state tourney, dropped dead of heart failure, just as he had completed five straight strikes.

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Columbus, O., will be the mecca of the golfing fans this season on July 8, 9 and 10, the national open championship having been awarded to the Capital City, to be staged on the Scioto Country club course. The tournament was played last year at Worcester, Mass., the first week in June.

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Benny Leonard may be serious enough about his retirement talk, but the average fan knows Benny will follow in the footsteps of his predecessors and return for one more fat purse, especially if demand for a Leonard-Walker fight is insistent enough. Jack McAuliffe and Jimmy Barry were the only champions who stayed retired, but one could name a flock who tried a comeback.

TEN ELECTRA TRACKMEN TURN OUT IN ANSWER TO FIRST CALL

ELECTRA, Feb. 2.—Jim Reese, Tiger coach, has issued the call for track candidates and about ten cinder path enthusiasts started work this week in order to be in the best of condition for the season which gets under in the spring.

Among the trackers who are reporting daily, there are few veterans of last year's team. Ed. Foster, county and district point winner of last year is on hand and is looking good in the daily workouts. He promises to give a battle for honors in the 440 next spring from all appearances. Cecil Grant, who looked impressive in the distance runs last year is also taking his daily round on the track and is looking good. Gerald Gillum, last year star in the dashes who was proved ineligible to compete in he meets, is the most impressive looking candidate that has reported to the mentor thus far. Gillum proved to be a flash in the century and two-twenty and he is expecting to be one of the mainstays of this year's team.

Toots Gilger is out daily with the weights and is getting good distance with the shot put although the season is not yet under way Johnie Lebus is out for the distance runs and also promise to be a good man in the field events. Dick Houser, star dash man of last year's team has not yet reported but is expected in camp in a few days. Lonnie Grisham, Dewey Byrd and Louis Kent, state men of last year, and Sylvan Cloninger, Willis Carhanan and Harry Preston will probably join the thinly clads following the cage season.

Millers Swap Butler To Brooklyn For Whole Ball Team

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The Brooklyn Nationals today announced they had closed a deal for Johnny Butler, star shortstop of the Minneapolis American association club, in exchange for five players outright and the choice of a sixth under optional agreement.

The Minneapolis club obtains two veteran infielders, Joe (Cotton) Tierney and Horace Ford, Outfielder Dick Loftus and Pitchers John Hollingsworth and Wilbur Hubbell under the terms of the transaction.

In addition the Millers will have their choice of three young infielders on the Brooklyn rosters—Corgan, who came here from Wichita, Kan., late last season; Bissonette, with York, Pa., in the New York-Pennsylvania league last year, and Herman, who played with Topeka, Kan., in 1925.

FREDERICK TO PLAY HARROLD AND W. F. TEAM

Oklahoma Cagers, Led By Hyde, Set Fast Pace

FREDERICK, Feb. 2.—Frederick high school is to play host to two Texas caging teams this week-end in tilts that promise to satisfy local covers of the tossing sport. Harrold, is to come Thursday night and the fast Wichita Falls, team will be entertained Friday night.

The Bearcats have been playing some good games with their Texas opponents thus far this season, and are looking forward to these games with anticipation. Both the invaders have a good record thus far this season, and should give the Frederick squad a real race.

Frederick has one of the best teams in its history this season. Hyde is setting the pace at forward for the local men, with Thrush, captain and running mate at the forward position a close second. Johnson, Gregg and Wages at centers, with the latter two alternating at forward, fills the pivotal position well. Womack is also a neat man for the forward position. In Simms, Curtis, Pope and Thrush, Coach Taylor Martin has a quartet of defense men that are hard to beat.

Helen Grabs Two One-Sided Victories On Lenglen's Court

NICE, France, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Helen Wills invaded Suzanne Lenglen's territory this afternoon, and in her debut on the courts of the French star's home club, participated in two one-sided victories.

Paired with C. F. Aeschlimann, the Swiss star, the American champion passed easily through the first two rounds of the mixed doubles in the Nice tournament thus gaining the quarter finals.

Mlle. Lenglen also won two matches today, with the greatest ease, not losing a single game.

Experts agreed after watching today's matches that Miss Wills and her partner should give Mlle. Lenglen, and Baron Henri de Morphurgo the stiffest kind of battle when they meet in the mixed doubles finals at the end of the week, as it is now generally conceded they will.

Fort Clark Plays Wichita Falls Four

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The Fort Clark team defeated Fort Meade, S. D., 9 to 8, in the last semi-final match of the Southwest mid-winter polo tournament, and will play the Wichita Falls civilian four on Thursday for the circuit cup.

GORMAN YAPS FOR COIN.

DETROIT, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Charles Gorman, amateur ice skater and winner of the St. Johns amateur championships last week has demanded $500 and expenses to compete here this week in the international amateur championship races, Julian T. Fitzgerald, past president of the International Skating Union announced tonight.

FRED BRAINARD COMES TO CITY AND GETS BUSY

Spudder Boss Declares He Has Too Many Ball Players

Spudder Manager Fred Brainard breezed into Wichita Falls yesterday noon all unexpectedly, nevertheless was received enthusiastically. Bad roads forced him to doff his original plans of driving through from his home in Artesia, N. M., and he took to the rails, arriving ahead of time on a train.

Brainard immediately went to work with Club Secretary J. Will Gray mulling over the prospective Spudder pay roll and laying plans for the mailing out of individual player contracts the latter part of the week—if contract blanks, which the club has none right now, arrive by that time.

Here Week or So.

Brainard intends to remain only a week or so, he said, instead of staying right on through the ball season as had been planned. Mrs. Brainard did not come, but will return with Fred March 1 when spring training is slated to open.

Brainard was optimistic over the Spudder outlook. Displayed no pennant already, but opined the gang would be right up there amongst 'em if somebody didn't break a leg, another crack a back, half a dozen or so get lumbago, et cetera, or words to that effect.

Fred has one big worry, however. He put it thusly: "Gosh, I have so many ball players I don't know what to do with them. We have a team that from the looks of it will be right up there in the race. But usually, you know, you have to reorganize at the start because as a rule one or two players you are counting on fail to come through.

Artesia Interested.

The Spur straw boss declared one would be surprised at the interest taken out in New Mexico, especially around Artesia, in the Wichita Falls ball club. Incidently, he said, there are many Wichita Falls people out there.

Spudder President Gardner upon Fred's arrival laughed and said: "Now, you won't have to come asking me for baseball news, and you won't need to be quoting me all the time any more. Just go see Fred. And, by the way, you can tell 'em that all the folks who want to come up and do a bit of fanning and baseball palavering can drop in here most any time and talk it over with Fred. Brainard will be glad to fan with the boys."

Quite a few Spudder followers visited with the club manager yesterday.

Jabs and Hooks

Tommy Irvine and Fred Whittington still are yelping for matches with Duke Trammel. It is likely both these welterweights will be used here inside a few weeks.

Tommy White scraps French welter champ Feb. 6 in Mexico City.

DUKE TO SANTONE

Trammel meets Cowboy Dillon in the main event of a San Antonio card next week. Dick Griffin and Wildcat Monte were offered matches to make it an all-star program but refused. Monte fights in Wichita, Kan., next week. He has not been notified who his opponent is. Griffin may be carded here next Monday.

Jack Matlock is training for a fracas with Paul Parrish Feb. 9 in Anadarko where Joe Denton is doing the promoting.

TABBY OUT AGAIN

Wichita Falls fight bugs will receive with enthusiasm the announced return to the ring of Tabby Levine, scrappy little featherweight of this city who hasn't fought in several months, but is training away diligently toward making his comeback a flaring success.

Tabby mixes with Redcap Martin in a four or six-rounder on next Monday's card. It is opinion of the writer the hard-scrapping Redcap can't lay a glove on the Irish boy, but there're many who'll disagree, no doubt. Martin packs a stiff punch and possibly outweighs Tabby a bit and admittedly is tougher, but——

BUCKSHOT AND TEX

Another choice morsel, fistically speaking: Tex Ray comes up from Fort Worth to mix with Buckshot Peoples, the wicked punching Wichita Falls youngster who has been bowling 'em over with alacrity the past few weeks.

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Again it is opinion of the writer somebody can't lay a glove on somebody else, and this time it's Buckshot. Don't believe Peoples can tag it on Tex. However, it's no fable that Tex can't take 'em. Nossir, the Fort Worth veteran goes down quickly if brushed off with anything like a clean sock to his exceedingly underslung lower jaw. But Tex, it is opinion, is far too clever and stiff a puncher for Buckshot. But, we shall see what we shall see. Many a ring worm will be on hand confident fully that Buck will bust Tex into a reclining posture.

The main event and other bouts for the Legion's weekly card Monday have not been arranged yet.

—B. C.

Neal and Foster Take Teams To Clara Saturday

Chubby Neal takes his Landon-Hill basketball outfit to Clara Saturday night for a contest with Coach Belcher's high school five. Bertie Foster's Stephens Lumber company outfit tangles with the Clara Outlaws on the same card.

TECH PLAYS SAINTS.

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Texas Technological college at Lubbock has scheduled a football game with St. Edward's university at Lubbock, October 9, Jack Meagher, St. Edwards' athletic director, announced today. Both schools are members of the T. I. A. A.

Winter League ForagE

Picked up at Random

Wray Through With Gubers.

Our winsome friend, Wray Query, the affable peanut buyer, has cornered the market on gubers and now is through working for the winter, he told J. Will Gray in missive received at Spud headquarters yesterday. Wray is all primed and rearing to step March 1, he declares.

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BE CAREFUL, WILL.

The assidiously-toiling but good-natured receiver waxed more or less poetic when asking about his contract His words in part were: "The sunshine of the last day or two makes a fellow feel better after so much cold weather.

"And while we are talking about sunshine just you make out that 'big contract' of mine on a clear and bright day, because I am going to have to buy a new set of tires this summer and don't want you to make a mistake and hit the wrong key."

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That the Spudder backstop department he believes is going to be exceptionally strong this year, Query infers between the lines when he pens: "I'm feeling fine, but from what I learn it will take more than that with all the competition I will have. Tough on an old bird to have to face these youngsters."

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And while on the subject of epistles, Clyde (Tony) DeFate, the scrappy infielder grabbed by the Spudders this winter from the wilds of the Western league, drops Fred Brainard an interesting missive.

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TONEY'S ALL SERIOUS.

DeFate's letter:

"Dear Fred:

"Just received your letter forwarded to me from Omaha, and was glad to hear from you. The trade suited me fine and I'm glad to get the chance to play for you, Fred. Will do my best not to make you sorry you traded for me.

"You can rest assured you will have me hustling for you all year. And that means we are going to have a winner.

"Have been here on my dad's farm (Centralia, Ill.) for over a week and expect to be here until I report. Boy, this air is great and I will get plenty of work cutting down trees and brush. Got to get plenty of power so I can shoot at that left field fence. So, you see, Fred, I am serious this year and no fooling around. I am glad of the chance I had to come here for a month. Just what I need, and I should be in fair condition after a month of it."

Tony added a postscript: "Sure glad to hear we are to have a good club. Am anxious to get them on again."

Tony by the "them" means baseball togs.

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FLAGG SPEAKS UP.

Jimmy Flagg of the Golf company over at Burkburnett, by the way, knows DeFate well and thinks a lot of his ability as a ball player. Flagg played ball with Tony around Kansas City. Jimmy was up in arms the other day, they say. Quoth he: "I notice Blondy Cross says DeFate will be used as a utility player. He's all wrong there. I know this DeFate; he's a real ball player, and he'll be a regular."

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REILLY WON'T STEER.

Jim Reilly, former fence-bustin' first baseman of the Shreveport ball club is a Steer and yet not a Steer. He belongs to the Dallas club, but says if he can't play ball at Shreveport he doesn't want to play ball in the Texas league a-tall.

Of course, ball players are a lot like women and feminine temperaments. They can change their minds abruptly. Reilly may change his mind if Walter Morris believes he's worth the money.

Reilly can hit. Nobody ever questioned that. And if he does decide it will be worth while to go with the Steers, the former Sport should help the Steer a lot.

Just now, however, he's a Steer, yet not a Steer.

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BUFFS HAVE 18 HURLERS.

That Joe Mathes, new manager of the Houston Buffs, is fully convinced of the value of good throwing in winning a pennant is demonstrated by the announcement that of the 36 players who will report to him this spring, exactly half are pitchers. Eighteen hurlers is many. He certainly should be able to get four or five good ones from that flock.

Mathes, like Wichita Falls and many of the other clubs, has ordered the battery men to report on March 1 and the other players a week later.

Buffs fans are hopeful the canny Mathes will be able to bring them some ornaments for the flag pole that never has been erected at West End Park. Houston was active in winning pennants ten years or so ago, but recently has only been able to threaten.

Mathes' success in winning the 1925 Western league pennant has added to the hopes of the Buff bugs.

Red Oldham Real Hero Of World Series But Now He Has To Step To Hold Job

"Rice fanned, Harris died at first Goslin fanned." Little enough in itself but it meant much to Pittsburgh and Pitcher Red Oldham in particular. Those few words, the last three plays of the 1925 world's series, raised Oldham from obscurity to a place in the baseball limelight.

Pittsburgh was enjoying a two-run lead, but Washington had demonstrated before that such a lead was not so hard to overcome. With Rice, Harris and Goslin coming up in order, things looked fairly bright for the Senators, despite the darkness of the day.

The Pirates had no one but Oldham, cool and calm, to throw against these sluggers. Previously Red had meant little to the Pirate team. He broke into the box scores now and then, but only at the tail end. Naturally few of the assembled crowd expected to see him finish the inning.

What Red did is mentioned in the opening paragraph. He heaped praise on himself and brought credit to his manager for showing such excellent judgment.

Now Oldham, a real hero of the series, is confronted with the task of holding his job. He is by no means a youngster. More years of active baseball are behind him than in front of him. Back in 1911 he broke into professional baseball. Down in the spring training camp Oldham will have to show whether he or some uknown recruit will be kept, and the odds favor the recruit.

So it goes. The hero in baseball is only doing his bit, and Oldham did his. But whether next year finds him in the majors or the minors, he will always be known as the real hero of the 1925 world's series.

Woodward And Arie Neck And Neck In Sunny South Gun Meet

HOUSTON, Feb. 2.—(AP)—E. F. Woodward of Houston, and Mark Arie of Champaign, Ill., who Monday furnished the closest competition for high gun in the opening day program of the Sunny South trap tournament at the Houston Gun club, continued their neck and neck race today. Both experts shot a 197 on a 200 bird program, but the event was "the ship channel shoot," and as only Texas gunners were eligible to receive the $100 prize, the award went to the Houston veteran.

But in scoring a tie, Arie had a one hit advantage on Woodward when his 200th bird was pulled. The target flew straight out from the trap but Arie, who had missed but twice in the previous 199 efforts, failed to register a hit. Arie was not the only one who ran into bad luck on his second trip to the fourth trap. John Clay one of Houston's stars, had missed but five in his first 175 birds, but his aim faltered and he finished wit ha score of 189, the same as on Monday.

W. G. Warren of Chcago and C. W. Olney of West Allis, Wis., two other members o fthe star five squad finished on a par with their work on the first day with 195 and 193 respectively. Frank Troch, Portland expert and former Olympic star, however, could break but 184 targets.

M. M. Woodoy of Waco, Texas, another of the select of Monday, dropped six points to 187.

Young Harvey Woodward showed a slight improvement, breaking 192 birds, while Phil Miller, Dallas ace, was the sixth man to shoot in the 190's.

Clara Defends Fort Against Oiler Attack

Clara basketeers will play hosts tonight to Faichney's Texhoma five, it was announced Tuesday. Practically all the fast Texhoma squad will make the trip, including Manager Gerard Boone.

BIG BOYS SEND NOTES OF GREETINGS TO BALL FEED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Messages of greetings from President Coolidge Premier Mackenzie, King of Canada and Chauncey Depew were read tonight at the National League's golden jubilee dinner by John A. Heydler, president of the senior baseball circuit. "Your league is one of the leading exponents of our national game" said President Coolidge's message. "Anything which tends to interest the youth of the country in participation in a wholesome athletic sport is to be encouraged. Please extend to those present my greetings and best wishes."

COMMISH AFTER TEX

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The state athletic commission today anounced it would investigate Tex Rickard's reported negotiations to match Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney for a heavyweight bout after the promoter had refused to tell the commission whether or not he had signed Tunney for such a contest.

AD LOSES; JOE WINS

Wichita Falls wrestling fans have been asking how Ad Santel and Joe Stecher came out in their matches Monday.

Well. Ad lost to John Pesek in Wichita, Kan., after winning the first fall.

Joe beat Ivan Poddubny, the Russian, straight falls, in New York.

HOUSTON REACHES QUOTA IN STONE MOUNTAIN CAMPAIGN

AUSTIN, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Houston reached its quota in disposing of 25,000 Stone Mountain Memorial coins, Lon A. Smith, chairman of the campaign was notified by J. C. Foster of Houston today.

FOG CAUSES DEATH.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A heavy fog that hung over the downtown section here today resulted in one death. Issac Luther Brizendine, 45, was fatally injured when struck by a passing motor car as he was changing a tire on his own car on a busy trafficway. He died shortly afterward at a hospital.

RUSSIAN LEADER DEAD.

BERLIN, Feb. 2—(AP)—General Vladimir Soukhomlinoff, minister of war in the Russian imperial cabinet from 1909 to 1915, died today in a Berlin hospital. He was 78 years old.

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Benevolent Protective Order of Elks — Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 meets every Monday at 719½ Eighth. B. A. Lowry, E. R.; H. C. English, secy.

Knight of Columbus—Council No. 1473 meets every Monday at 1509 Ninth Street. Jas. L. Duffy, G. K.; Jno. J. Block, F. S.

Knights of Pythias—Pioneer Lodge No. 160 meets every Tuesday at 912½ Ninth. A. R. Westfall, C. C.; P. L. Myers, K. of R. & S.

MASONIC BODIES.

Masonic Temple, northeast corner Tenth and Scott.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 202, R. A. M.—Meets second Fridays. Geo. V. Harpin, H. P.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.

Wichita Falls Commandery No. 59—Meets first and third Thursdays. R. E. Nolen, E. C.; Geo. W. Lawler, acting secy.

Wichita Falls Council No. 140, R. & S. M.—Meets first Monday. Otto Stehlik, T. I. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, secy.

Wichita Falls Lodge No. 655, A. F. & A. M.—Meets the first and third Fridays. Joe E. Ward, W. M.; Geo. W. Lawler, acting secy

Squire Walkup Chapter No. 427, R. A. M.—Meets first Wednesday night each month. Otto Stehlik, H. P.; W. B. Baldwin, secy.

Shrine, Maskat Temple—Meets first Thursday of each month at 813 Scott. R. E. Shepherd, potentate; Albert Ellis, secy.

Wichita Falls Chapter No. 237, Order of Eastern Star—Meets Masonic Temple on first and third Tuesdays. Edna Vogt, W. M.; Mrs. Margaret Bradley, secy.

Faith Lodge No. 1158, A. F. & A. M.—Meets first and third Tuesdays, 813 Scott. Walter H. Caldwell, W. M.; G. W. Curd, secy.

Order of DeMolay, Hope Chapter—Meets on second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Temple. Patrol meets every Wednesday night. Ted Brown, M. C.; Jerry Vinson, scribe.

Faith Chapter No. 713, O. E. S.—Meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month at 813 Scott. Mrs. Eva M. Rutledge, W. M.; Mrs. Lillie Mae Edmonds, secy.

Rainbow Assembly No. 17—Meets the second and, fourth Tuesday nights at Masonic Temple. Mary L. Cox, M. A.; Mary Meredith, secy.

Modern Woodmen of America.

Lone Star Camp No. 4108, Royal Neighbors—Meets the first and third Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Mrs. Eula Islar, O.; Mrs. Susie Boone, secy.

Wichita Falls Camp No. 1206, Modern Woodmen of America—Meets every first and third Friday night at I. O. O. F. Hall. C. B. McConnell, consul; Dunn, capt.; J. W. Bussey, clerk.

Wichita Encampment No. 6, I. O. O. F.—Meets on second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. J. T. Martin, C. P.; J. W. Bussey, scribe.

Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Monday at 810½ Ninth. A. L. Ayer, N. G.; J. W. Bussey, secy.

Rebekah Degree No. 236—Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 810½ Ninth. Miss Maud Souls, N. G.; Mrs. Ada Ramsey, secy.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Under this heading will be published the names of the candidates for public office. The fees for announcement will be as follows:
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GUY C. RALEY.
Tax Collector.

HENRY J. ANDERSON
County Tax Collector

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PARTY that took green flannel coat from Kemp hotel dressing room Saturday night, return to 1103 Alma or phone 6774 and receive reward.

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STRAYED from my place Jan. 29, one yellow Jersey cow, white spot in face and dehorned. Phone 04020, R. F. D. Box 182. J. R. McKinney. Reward $10.

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A REAL bargain: '23 model Ford coupe; Hassler shock absorbers, Stromberg carburetor, three new tires, motor in good shape and best of all the 1926 license has been paid. Price $175. Inquire at 410 Ohio. Phone 6337.

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CARPENTER work, repair and alterations a specialty. Phone 5536. Mc Neal.

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Dressmaking, designing, hemstitching and buttons covered. New location, Kimberlins. 918 Indiana. Phone 8974.

Heating, Plumbing, Roofing 22

QUICK, satisfactory plumbing work. Call us first. Phone 6300. Moore Plumbing company.

PLUMBING, the satisfactory kind done and guaranteed by Chas. D. ... Phone 5444.

FURNACE cleaned and repaired, broken parts replaced. Formerly Lewis Sheet Metal Works. Now LEWIS-HAGER SHEET METAL WORKS.
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Moving, Trucking, Storage 25

PRACTICAL house moving, raising and leveling. Jack Humphrey. Residence phone 7095.

STAR Transfer company, baggage service, heavy and light oil field hauling. Office St. James Hotel. Phone 9864.

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Local and long distance moving. Oil field heavy hauling. Phone 5994.

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PAINTING, Paperhanging; satisfactorily done. Dial 8553. Let us figure your job. E. L. Galloway.

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Patton's mattresses make laying easy. We make every mattress we sell and sell direct to consumer; try our Kapok and Felted Restwell mattresses both guaranteed. Call us for renovating and pillow work.
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EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

WANTED—Good house girl, white preferred. 1101 Brook. Phone 6722.

Help Wanted—Male 33

WANTED—At once two experienced men at Short & Sons Dairy on Burk road.

WE HAVE an unusual opportunity for a man with the following qualifications: Age 21-35, not less than common school education, real ambition, personality and determination to succeed above the average. He must have inclination for executive accounting work and be willing to undergo training for major opportunity. R. W. Moss, Texan Hotel.

Help—Male or Female 3

CHICKEN pickers wanted, starting Wednesday morning. Wichita Poultry Egg company 504 Tenth street.

Solicitors, Canvassers, Agents 35

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who want more money, better opportunities, permanency, cooperation, salary, commission, transportation or bonus, district contracts to sell life, accident, health insurance. Phone Mr. Haney for appointment or address Wichita Home Insurance or Great American Mutual Insurance Co., Wichita Falls, Texas.

IF YOU are not earning one hundred per week and you are capable. Call at Room 218, St. James Hotel, from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m. and from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m.

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Situations Wanted—Female 36

IF IN need of a practical nurse, call Mrs. Combs. Phone 9887-0679.

WANTED—Washing, ironing, quilting, fancy and plain sewing, alterations, coats relined. Phone 9041.

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MARRIED man, 36, alround handy man. Can paint, wire, repair. Consider work of any kind. Have car. Box B 439, Record News.

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Loans on personal property.
Unredeemed bargains in diamonds.
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I AM with Dr. Zimmerman at 1422 Twenty-second street and will take charge of rabies vaccination. I specialize in the diseases of dogs and cats and small animals. Respectively, Dr. G. W. Jaines.

HAVE your dogs vaccinated against rabies at Dr. Lucey's kennel on Henrietta road. Two miles from post office. On pavement. Drive out day or night. Will vaccinate on Sunday. Phone 4954.

FOR SALE—Singing canaries and lovebirds. Also Angora kittens. 1002 Burnett. Phone 7845.

THREE fine pair of canary birds, one Yorkshire singer. Also female to sell. Reasonable. 1807 Filmore. Phone 8076.

MERCHANDISE

Poultry and Supplies 49

WICHITA Chick Hatchery now operating in a new location. Bring your eggs any day; will set 96 eggs for $3. Place your baby chick orders now. We are one mile south of Burkburnett, follow pavement to cemetery, turn left, come west 600 yards, turn left again 400 yards, on old Burkburnett road. Wichita Chick Hatchery, Wichita Falls, Texas, Box 643. Phone 190 F-2, Burkburnett, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Almost new Standard computing scale, at a bargain. Small payment down and time on balance. Dial 8672.

8275 VICTROLA and 70 records, dirt cheap, cash or terms. Call at 907 Scott or Phone 3047.

FOR SALE—Electric washer $25. 1303 Bluff.

Good Things to Eat

LITTLE PASTRY SHOPPE—Ninth at Grace streets. Mrs. Mollie Glenn, proprietor. Pies, cakes, cookies, vegetables, meats, hot rolls. Telephone orders filled. Phone 7046.

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ELECTRIC and oxcetylene welding. Welding is all we do so we should know how. Phone 4415. Electric Welding Co., 316 Ohio.

SEND your welding to 506 Ohio. Don't forget it and you won't regret it. Sam Johnson. 506 Ohio. Phone 4078.

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Paid for Your Used FURNITURE
We Buy, Sell and Trade
STAR FURNITURE COMPANY
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FURNITURE for sale in an eight-room rooming house; rooms all full. Rents reasonable. 702 Austin.

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CASH for your used furniture. Our bid will make you money. Home Furniture Co., 613 Seventh. Phone 3223.

FOR SALE—One dining room suite. 1702 Holliday. Phone 4094.

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J. C. MARTIN—12 years in Wichita Falls. Watch and clock repairing. 722 Ohio Ave. Phone 4253.

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TO SHRUB AND TREE BUYERS
I am making efforts to make deliveries, and take further orders, and will get to you as soon as I can. Phone me, if you wish, for information.
MR. MACKECHNEY
North Texas Agency
Phone 9879

MERCHANDISE

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Musical Merchandise 62

FOR SALE—Slightly used piano, upright model. Bargain for quick disposal. 1812 Eighth Street.

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WANTED TO BUY—Men's, ladies and children's wearing apparel, bring them to the store and we will give you a fair price for them. G. W. Wright. 804 Ohio.

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ROOM and board for one or two men, close in. Private home. 308 Lamar. Phone 5086.

ROOM and board or board without room. Two or three meals a day. 2304 Eighth. Phone 21712.

ROOM and board. Ideal south bedroom, running water, all conveniences, splendid board. Three meals served. $9.50. Men only. 800 Taylor. Phone 9569.

BOARD and room, 1203 Burnett. Phone 21609.

ROOM and Board; Men only. 1200 Lamar.

WORKING men wanted, to room and board. In private home; on pavement; car line, telephone; all conveniences. 2006 Ninth.

Rooms Without Board 68

NICELY furnished front bedroom. In private home, close in. 1311 Burnett. Phone 4550.

NICE bedroom for rent, all conveniences. 1008 Sixth. Phone 8496.

CLOSE IN—Nicely furnished bedroom, gentlemen only. Phone 5397.

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ATTRACTIVE bedroom. Convenient to bath and telephone. Near car line. Phone 6814.

SOUTHEAST front bedroom, connecting bath, on bus line and pavement. 1514 Monroe. Phone 5287.

Rooms for Housekeeping 6

TO permanent couple. Four unfurnished rooms. All modern. On car line. Double garage. Phone 9564.

TWO nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. With garage. On pavement. 1702 Holliday.

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TWO unfurnished rooms for rent. 2209 Polk. Phone 7813.

FOR RENT — Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms. In modern home. On car line. 2407 Kemp Blvd.

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APARTMENT for rent. One-half of a clean duplex, with garage. One-half block of car line. Furnished or unfurnished. 1606 Broad.

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. Lights, water and gas furnished, $30 per month. 1600 Travis. Phone 5488.

Houses for Rent 77

FOR RENT—Four-room house on Thirteenth street, near Austin school. New paper and paint. Phone 4546.

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FIVE rooms and breakfast room, furnished, garage, on pavement. Price $75 per month. See owner at 1020 Scott.

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FOR RENT—Five-room house, 1507 Holliday. Modern. Newly painted. Also garage $42.50. On pavement. Phone 3509.

UNFURNISHED seven-room house, 1704 Eleventh St. Phone 5281.

FOR RENT OR SALE—Five-room house, modern, garage. 2207 Holliday. See owner at 2703 Holliday.

GARAGE, concrete drive and floor. 2003 Ninth. Phone 5954.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house. Good stormhouse, garage and chicken yard. Newly built. Next door to 1525 Wilson Street. For information call at 1422 22nd St.

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Houses for Rent 77

FOR RENT—Five-room modern house. Phone 6390.

Office and Desk Room 78

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Desirable office or desk space. C. Y. Tully Co., 813 Scott Street.

Wanted—to Rent 81

Want a good room with hot and cold water near Record-News office. Must be in good respectable place and reasonable. Address Frank H. Kent, Record News.

REAL ESTATE---SALE

Houses for Sale. 84

ON PAVEMENT, 5-rooms, new bungalow, modern to the minute, all built-in features, garage, driveway, side walks and coping for just think $4250, small cash payment, balance like rent. Call for a look. Just Wright Realty Co. 804 Ohio. Phone 4918.

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FOR SALE—By owner, modern 5-room house. 1910 Pearl. Dial 7257.

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PHONE 5477.

FOR SALE by owner, five-room modern house. 1316 Eighteenth. Would take car or light truck as part payment. Dial 7590.

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HAVE property at Electra making $30 per month, want $5,500. Would take cash about $500 and car around $600, balance to suit. This property is modern, on pavement, five rooms, servant house and garage. Box 66, Record News.

Lots for Sale 85

FOR SALE by owner. Two lots on Rose Avenue. One lot in Fairview. Phone 9369.

A FEW more lots in North Wichita. Address R. H Suter, Struttgart, Ark.

WE BUILD HOMES
On your lot or furnish lot, assist in financing them and guarantee satisfaction. We refer you to those for whom we have built homes.
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Wanted—Real Estate 89

REAL ESTATE WANTED

City property at 60 per cent above values on which taxes are paid. Ordinary appraisal ought to be 50 per cent above tax value (2-3 for city.) If you're kicking on your lot value, I have buyer. Phone 3248.

F. G. SWANSON.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed proposals for the improvement of a portion of Polk, Sixth, Seventh streets, Sunset Drive, Elizabeth street, Kemp boulevard, Avenue N, Avenue O, will be received at the office of the city clerk until 7:30 p. m. February 8, 1926, and then publicly opened. Bids will be received on brick, concrete, warrenite-bitulithic and sheet asphalt (Willite process) pavement with necessary appurtenances. Further information can be obtained at the office of the city engineer where plans and specifications are on file. Certified check for five per cent of the amount required with proposal. Usual rights reserved.
W. E. McBROOM,
City Clerk.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing in Wichita Falls, Texas, under the firm name of Dixie Tire Service Company, said partnership being composed of Burford G. Sharp and Paul G. Putty, has been dissolved and that the said Paul G. Putty has acquired all of the interest of Burford G. Sharp in said business and is now the sole owner and manager thereof, and that he has assumed all the obligations of said firm.
PAUL G. PUTTY,
B. G. SHARPE.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the sheriff or any constable of Wichita county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Wichita county, a copy of the following notice:
THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To all persons interested in the estate of Robert G. Hoffman, deceased, know ye that Mary Pauline Hoffman has filed in the county court of Wichita county, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Robert G. Hoffman, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the first Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of April A. D. 1926 at the court house thereof, in Wichita Falls, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.
Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this the 25th day of January A. D. 1926.
ALMA Y. MILLER, Clerk,
County Court Wichita County, Texas.
By M. F. YEAGER, Deputy.

ORDINANCE NO. 701.
An ordinance giving and granting to the Wichita Falls Traction Company, its successors, assigns and lessees, the right to extend, construct and operate a standard-gauge car line or lines on, over, across and upon the following described and named streets in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, to-wit:
Beginning at a point where Crittenden street intersects with Brook avenue and North Fifth street, thence in a northerly direction along Brook avenue to the intersection of North Tenth and North Brook and to the intersection of the present line.
Providing that said tracks shall be laid in conformity with the franchise heretofore granted to J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell on the 27th day of January, 1909, and all of the amendments thereto, the provisions and conditions of said franchise and amendments thereto are expressly made applicable to this ordinance, except, however, as otherwise provided in this ordinance.
Be it ordained by the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas:
That whereas, on Jan. 27, 1909, the city council of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, did by ordinance No. 108, grant to J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell, their associates, successors and assigns, a franchise to construct and operate a street car line over and along certain streets in the city of Wichita Falls, which franchise and ordinance is here referred to, and
Whereas, the said J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell did thereafter transfer said franchise so granted to them by the said city of Wichita Falls, to the Wichita Falls Traction company, a private corporation organized under the laws of the state of Texas, and,
Whereas, the said Wichita Falls Traction Company, acting under said franchise and ordinance, constructed the street car line in the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, and said franchise is now in full force and effect by reason thereof, and
Whereas, under the terms of said ordinance it was specified that the said Traction Company should designate the streets on which it desired to construct additional tracks and upon which it desired to lay tracks, and
Whereas, said Wichita Falls Traction Company has asked permission to extend its present street car tracks as follows, to-wit:
Beginning at a point where Crittenden street intersects with Brook avenue and North Fifth street, thence in a northerly direction along Brook avenue to the intersection of North Tenth and North Brook and to the intersection of the present line.
Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered and ordained by the board of aldermen of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas, the said Wichita Falls Traction Company be and the said company is hereby granted permission to extend, lay and construct a standard gauge street car line or lines, on, over, across and upon the following described and named streets in the said city of Wichita Falls, Texas, to-wit:
Beginning at a point where Crittenden street intersects with Brook avenue and North Fifth street, thence in a northerly direction along Brook avenue to the intersection of North Tenth and North Brook and to the intersection of the present line.
1. It is expressly provided that said car line or lines shall be laid in conformity with the franchise herein-before referred to, and all amendments thereto, granted to the said J. A. Kemp and Frank Kell, on the 27th day of January, 1909, and the same shall be laid in strict conformity thereto. All of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer of the said city. The franchise shall terminate with the original franchise herein referred to, of which this is made a part.
2. It is further expressly provided that the said Traction Company shall restore and place in as good condition and state of repair any and all streets as they are at the present time that may be excavated, all at the sole cost and expense of said Traction Company. And any and all pavements that may be cut or excavated shall be replaced and restored to as good a condition and state of repair as they were just prior to the said excavation and all of said work shall be done under the supervision of the city engineer.
3. It is further expressly provided that this ordinance carries provision of Ordinance No. 237, repealing that part of the original franchise No. 108 and No. 187 of the city of Wichita Falls, Texas.
4. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.
R. E. SHEPHERD,
(Attest) Mayor.
W. E. McBROOM, City Clerk.
February 2, 1926.
To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of the City of Wichita Falls, Texas.
Gentlemen: I present herewith Ordinance No. 701 and recommend the passage of same. I further recommend that this ordinance be published in full in the Wichita Falls Record News and that a public hearing be held in the council chamber in the basement of the City National Bank building on March 8, 1926 at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of hearing any protests against the amendment of the franchise outlined in the aforesaid ordinance.
Respectfully,
(Signed) R. E. SHEPHERD.

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1921 Dodge Brothers roadster	$150
1924 Dodge Brothers coupe	$550

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1921 Dodge Brothers roadster	$75
1919 Dodge Brothers touring	$75
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1923 Ford touring	$75

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In good mechanical condition, five good cord tires, fender braces, foot feed.

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Loans to Build

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2½ to 6½ ft. 25c to 75c. Last year's growth.

8 to 10 ft., $1 to $1.50. Bear next year.

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We have three new lovely five-room homes for your approval, also one nice duplex. Priced very reasonable. We have a complete listing on property throughout the entire city, call us regardless of your needs, we have homes of every size and priced to meet your income.

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218 Staley Building Phone 6622

Your Time Is Limited

Have you selected your lot in Scotland Addition? If not you had better do so at once for you only have until March 1st to purchase at our price and terms, after which all lots are to be advanced 50 per cent.

Do you know that Scotland Addition will soon all be built up? Can you think of a section in Wichita Falls suitable for moderate cost homes that can compare in character and advantages with this addition?

Just a mile from the heart of the business district, having all modern conveniences including paved highway, street railway, new brick school and 42-acre natural park and play ground.

Do you know that we can't find similar vacant lots with all these conveniences for $400.00 under four miles from the business district?

What does common sense and good judgment tell you to do? Are you going to sit back and not acquire one of these beautiful lots before the advance which is certain to take place March 1st? Surely not.

Wise ones act now!

A. L. Huey, Realtor
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Best Section of City

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1 1925 Chrysler 6 Crown Imperial Sedan	$1,600
1 1925 Chrysler 6 Roadster	$1,350
1 1925 Chrysler 6 Touring	$1,000
1 61 Cadillac Roadster	$1,000
1 1924 Franklin Touring, Rex top	$750
1 1925 Maxwell Touring	$575
1 1923 Buick 6 Touring	$475
1 1924 Dodge Touring A-1 Shape	$450
1 1925 Ford Four Door Sedan	$450
1 1925 Ford Coupe, lots of extras	$425
1 1924 Ford Roadster	$100

Our Cars Have the 1926 License Paid

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Guaranteed Ford Used Cars of Better Values

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One Two-Door Sedan, none better	$450
Two 1924 Coupes	$425
One 1925 Coupe	$450
Two 1924 Tourings	$265
Two 1923 Tourings	$200
Two 1923 Coupes	$250
Three 1923 Coupes, $100 to	$175
Two 1923 Roadsters, $100 to	$225
Two 1922 Roadsters, $50 to	$85

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Phone 6920 215 Indiana

RADIO FANS WHO "GOT EUROPE" WERE FOOLED

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Fully one-fourth of fans who announcde happily that they "got Europe" during international radio week were the innocent victims of radio fakers, in the opinion of officials of the test.

Not only were these fans not getting Europe, but they probably were getting some station within a stone's throw of their homes, L. A. Nixon of the radio week committee said.

The Record News Classified Ads Bring Quick Results.

Stotesbury and Mitten Bury Their Ancient Financial Feud As a New Financial Alliance Looms in East

Philadelphia Traction Squabble Settled in Interests of A Still More Powerful Power Development Project

BY HARVEY ANDERSON
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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—Edward T. Stotesbury, wealthy banker and social leader, and Thomas E. Mitten, chairman of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, his one-time protege, buried the hatchet this week after a business feud that lasted nearly 10 years.

General W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, is officially credited with having healed the breach which has long been a subject of gossip wherever representatives of "big business" gathered. But unofficially bigger business — so competing that the feudists became convinced that grudge nursing did not pay—is said to have been the salve that healed the wound.

Back to History.

The storyo f the Stotesbury-Mitten feud goes back, for its starting, to the days before Mitten became a name to conjure with in Philadelphia transit matters. In 1911 the affairs of the local transit company were in such bad shape that representatives of investors appealed to Mr. Stotesbury, head of Drexel and company, Philadelphia bankers, and eldest member of the firm of J .P. Morgan and company, for aid.

Mr. Stotesbury acted—his principal act being to import from Chicago one Thomas E. Mitten, who had accomplished something of a reputation as a transit expert in the middle west but who had been little heard of in the East.

The Philadelphia transit situation was badly muddled and the company was in the poor graces of the public. Mr. Mitten took hold with a vim and soon gained Mr. Stotesbury's faith in his ability. He re-routed the car lines, inaugurated short cuts, and generally turned the old system to prosperity. He did things to the system that nobody would have believed staid old Philadelphia would stand for—and made Philadelphia like it.

Finally the question of fares came up. Mr. Stotesbury, because of his banking connections, was a strong advocate of higher fares. Mr. Mitten was a staunch advocate of the five cent fare. They broke when Mr. Mitten forced through a plan for fare zoning, by which persons riding long distances paid higher rates and those who rode short distances continued at the same old rate. Mr. Stotesbury retired as chairman of the P. R. T. and Mr. Mitten, the erstwhile protege, advanced from president to chairman, putting one of his own staff in as president.

Finds New Banks.

Mr. Mitten even found new banking connections for the transit system and eventually won the support of Cyrus H. K. Curtis, influential newspaper and magazine publisher. The grudge wore along through the years, and feeling between the two was not improved when Mr. Mitten was "converted" and became an even more ardent high fare advocate than Mr. Stotesbury had been, putting through the present fare rate of eight cents or four tokens for thirty cents. But at last came an event that made the causes of the Stotesbury-Mitten quarrel look pretty small. This city is now spending approximately $100,000,000 for a subway line under Broad street. It is but the forerunner of a general subway construction program.

Mr. Mitten and his company feel the need of support of bankers like J. P. Morgan and company—while Mr. Stotesbury and other members of the Morgan firm doubtless could endure the idea of having a hand in the flotation of the huge bond issues necessary.

And that isn't all: A battle is brewing in Pennsylvania between the "super-power" electrical interests and supporters of Governor Pinchot's plan for "giant power." The idea of the former is to rear a great corporation which would distribute power—primarily, of course, in the interests of the corporation. Governor Pinchot wants to do the same thing as a state activity.

In a battle like that, it is obvious that all big corporation men must rally to the corporation standard. And it is this situation, say Philadelphia business men, rather than the peace-making activities of General Atterbury that finally has brought the proud Stotesbury and the no less proud Mitten around to peaceful, if not amicable relations.

CHILDRESS.—The county commissioners' court will name a successor to Henry C. Burnett, county clerk who disappeared, at the meeting Saturday. Under the law, 20 days must elapse before a successor to the missing officer can be named. The grand jury recently returned indictments against Burnett.

MEMPHIS.—Frank F. DuMose has been employed as city engineer of Memphis, to supervise the laying of $50,000 street paving recently voted. Mr. DuBose has been city engineer at Childress. Memphis plans to pave 50 blocks.

DOG, HEIR TO FORTUNE, IS VICTIM OF SUICIDE

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Laddie, collie aristocrat, once heir with three other dogs to $16,000, is dead—committed suicide, his keeper believes. His body was found hanging by his teeth from the rear porch of Mrs. Carrie Bashaw's home.

FOSTER PARENTS FREED IN ASPHYXIATION OF YOUTH

DAVENPORT, Ia., Feb. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Bogie, foster parents of Harold Barker, 16-year-old orphan boy adopted by them, who was asphyxiated a week ago under mysterious circumstances were released from jail today after being questioned for several hours.

Look Over the Record News Classified Columns.

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After our two performances of "Three Fellows and A Girl," Sunday matinee and night, we will close our engagement in Wichita Falls.

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PRICES $2-$1.50-$1-85c-50c

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Marvelous
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Adapted from W. Somerset Maugham's play "Caesar's Wife."
Fables and News

The Record News Review of Markets and Finance

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

NEW YORK—Stocks, strong; public utilities resume advance.
Bonds, irregular; several rail issues advance.
Foreign exchanges, steady; sterling holds near par.
Cotton, quiet; spot house selling.
Sugar, featureless.
Coffee, higher; steady Brizilian market.
CHICAGO—Wheat, higher; rains in Argentina.
Corn, steady; sympathy with wheat.
Cattle, steady.
Hogs, firm, moderate shipping demand.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS FUTURES.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net unchanged to 4 points down.

	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
March	19.60	19.55	19.58-59	19.60
May	19.02	18.96	18.99-19.00	19.03
July	18.41	18.37	18.40	18.42
Oct.	17.59	17.53	17.56	17.56
Dec.	17.58	17.55	17.54-56	17.56

Opening: March 19.56; May 19.00; July 18.40 bid; October 17.54; December 17.55.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The cotton market experienced what was probably the dullest day of the season today. The extreme fluctuation on he most active months being only six points while five month fluctuated within a range of one month fluctuated within a range of only four points. There was practically no trend to prices and although the undertone was at times easier owing to the slack demand for spots, values were sustained by the situation in the March position due to the small certificated stock. There was an opening dip of wo to four points owing to less favorable cables than due and at the lowest of the day the market was three to seven points under yesterday's close. There was a slight decovery from the lows in the late trading and the close showed net unchanged to four points down.

The start showed initial losses of two to four points on cables and the market improved one o two points right after the call, March trading at 19.58, May at 19.03 and July at 18.41, or one to two points under the previous close. March made a high later in the day at 19.60 and October made a high at 17.59.

After easing off four to six points from the high during the morning, prices ruled steadier during the afternoon but trading did not appreciably improve although values moved practically back to the highs and closed a little off from the best.

The certificated stock here was reduced today to 20,926 bales owing to the shipping out of 1,349 bales. Exports for the day totaled 28,451 bales, of which New Orleans cleared 20,860 bales.

NEW YORK FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Cotton futures closed steady at net decline of 1 to 4 points.

	High	Low	Close	Prev Close
March	20.20	20.14	20.19-20	20.20
May	19.62	19.57	19.61-62	19.63
July	18.92	18.88	18.89-90	18.93
Oct.	18.20	18.16	18.18-19	18.21
Dec.	17.89	17.84	17.88	17.90

Opening: March 20.20 May 19.57; July 18.89; October 18.77; December 17.87.

NEW YORK COTTON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The cotton market showed no important change today. Trading remained very quiet, prices fluctuated within a range of five or six points but generally held steady. May sold ooff to 19.37 rallied to 19.62 and closed at 19.61 compared with 19.63 at the close the previous day. The general market closed steady, not unchanged to four points lower.

The opening was steady at a decline of one to six points under selling influenced by relatively easy Liverpool cables. There was further liquidation of long months which were purchased by spot house brokers who appeared to be selling new crops as if transferring short hedges from near to late months. Offerings in the new crop positions were absorbed by a demand attributed largely to foreign trade interests, however, and after the early selling orders had been executed, the market steadied on covering. March sold up from 20.14, to close at 20.19 while October advanced from 18.16 to 18.20 and closed at 18.18.

The market appeared narrow during the entire day but seemed able to supply spurts of buying, or absorb flurries of selling with comparatively little change in prices. There were returned reports of an easing spot basis in the southwest but nothing was heard of shipments to New York, the inference being that March contracts here were still below a shipping parity, compared with tenderable grade in the southern spot markets. For the first day in some time, exports exceeded shipments for the same day last year, but this did not attract much comment, the impression among some of the local traders being that stocks of cotton bought earlier in the season and now held abroad, must be further reduced before a revival of export demand is likely.

Port receipts today 45,922; U. S. port stocks 1,525,103; exports 28,451, making 5,481,936 so far this season.

SPOT MARKETS.

DALLAS, Feb. 2.—Spots closed steady, unchanged; sales 3,455 bales.

GALVESTON, Feb. 2—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 2,060. Low ordinary 16.35; ordinary 12.35; good ordinary 14.10; low middling 17.60; middling 20.60; good middling 21.85; middling fair 22.35.

HOUSTON, Feb. 2—The spot market closed steady, 10 down; sales 3,431 bales. Low ordinary 11.20; ordinary 12.70; good ordinary 14.20; strict good ordinary 15.70; low middling 17.20; strict low middling 18.70; middling 20.20; strict middling 20.95; good middling 21.20; strict good middling 21.45; middling fair 21.70.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Cotton spot moderate business; prices steady. American strictly good middling 11.50; good middling 11.25; strictly middling 11.05; middling 10.60; strictly low middling 9.95; low middling 9.30; strictly good ordinary 8.85; good ordinary 8.20. Sales 7,000 bales, including 5,900 American; receipts 10,000 bales, American 9,700. Futures closed quiet; February 10.21; March 10.22; May 10.15; July 9.99; September 9.71; October 9.64; December 9.51; January 9.51.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed quiet and steady at unchanged quotations; sales 1,888 bales. Low middling 17.12; middling 20.12; good middling 21.37; receipts 14,343; stock 472,062.

Produce

TEXAS PRODUCE.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Eggs are weaker notwithstanding light receipts at most points, poultry firm and butter fully steady this morning.

San Antonio: Hens 20@22c; fryers 32@33c; roosters 10@12c; turkeys 32c pound liveweight basis.

Eggs, fresh to producers a few sales at $8 per case of 30 dozen.

Fort Worth: Hens mostly 20c; springs 33@35c; old roosters 9@10c; turkeys 32@34c pound liveweight basis; geese $1.50 each; ducks 65@75c each; guineas 30@32c each.

Eggs, fresh gathered firsts $8@9 per case to producers. Storage No. 1 candled $8@10 case to retailers.

Butter, packing stock 25@26c; creamery A grade 46c; B grade 44c pound.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Poultry alive steady; receipts five cars; prices unchanged.

Butter, higher; receipts 12,020 tubs; creamery extras 45c; standards 45@45½c; extra firsts 43½@44c; firsts 41½@42½c; seconds 39@41c.

Eggs, lower; receipts 16,175 cases; firsts 31½c; ordinary firsts 30c.

GIVEN $1 IN WILL.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Amos Jones, Udo Toepperwein and G. P. Loeloff will receive one dollar each under the provision of the will of Mrs. Theresa Reus, which was filed for probate today.

N. Y. Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Am Tel and Tel	37	145⅝	144	145
Am Woolen	7	39⅛	38	38½
California Pet	82	33⅝	33¼	33½
Dodge Bros pfd	11	86½	85⅝	86½
Freeport-T Co	307	27¼	26⅞	27⅛
Gen Electric	30	340	337½	339
Gen Motors	393	130¼	126⅝	127⅞
Gen Petroleum	107	58⅝	57⅝	58⅜
Ind Oil and Gas	25	31⅜	30	30⅝
Marland Oil	88	59½	58⅝	59⅜
Mid-Cont Pet	32	36⅛	35⅝	35⅝
M K and T pfd	105	43⅞	42⅝	43⅞
North Am Co	64	64⅞	64⅛	64⅞
Pacific Oil	114	78½	77⅝	77⅞
Pan-Am Pet B	28	71⅝	71¼	71½
Phillips Pet	43	45⅝	44½	45⅝
Pure Oil	20	30½	30¼	30½
Shell Union Oil	64	27½	27⅛	27⅝
Simms Pet	11	25½	25¼	25⅛
Sinclair Con Oil	415	24½	23⅝	23⅝
Stand Oil of Cal	44	57⅞	57½	57¾
Stand O of N J	45	45⅝	44⅝	45½
Texas Company	49	53½	52⅝	53¼
Tidewater Oil	4	4⅝	4¼	4⅛
U S Steel	132	133⅛	132¼	132⅝
Willys Over	45	31⅞	30½	31

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Relaxation of call money rates testifying to the passing of the strain incidental to month end settlements was followed by a slightly firmer price tendency in today's stock market. Both the rail and industrial averages showed moderate gains on the day but a number of specialties were marked up three to seven points on buying influenced by special developments.

Trading showed a marked contraction in volume. This was attributed to the waiting attitude adopted by several large traders, pending further light on the trend of money business and the publication of figures on brokers' loans, which is expected this week. The unusually heavy volume of new offerings during the last month also is believed to have diverted funds which ordinarily would be invested in listed securities.

Rails, which turned sluggish in response to the recent increased wage demands of employes, started to pick up when a heavy foreign demand for Canadian Pacific sent that stock up over seven points to 159⅝, the highest price since 1923. Union Pacific moved up nearly three points to 148¾, and then eased slightly, and Southern Pacific showed a net gain of 1¼ at 103⅜. Atlantic Coast Line closed three points higher at 242, but most of the other changes in that group were fractional.

Standard industrials improved slightly. U. S. Steel common and Baldwin closing fractionally higher at 132⅝ and 126½, respectively, and American Can recording a net gain of one point at 288½. Oils failed to make much response to reports of further advances in crude oil and gasoline prices.

Bullish demonstrations were again staged in the motors but the higher prices invited large offerings of stock and in most cases, the earlier gains were materially reduced. Mack Trucks held up surprisingly well, closing four points higher at 163¾, or only ¼ below the top. General Motors showed a slight fractional loss at 127⅝ after having crossed 129 and Hudson recorded a net gain of ⅛ at 111½ after having sold at 112⅞.

Talk of an extra dividend sent Texas Gulf Sulphur up over four points to 71½, the highest price since the stock was listed five years ago, and Freeport Texas another popular sulphur stock crossed 27 for a gain of 1⅛ points.

Call money renewed at 5 per cent, dropped to 4½ before noon and thence to 4, closing at the bottom figure. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged.

Sterling exchange hovered close to gold parity in the early trading, but eased slightly later in the day, demand bills ruling around $4.86 and cables around $4.86½. French francs ruled just under 4.75 cents. Dutch kroner were firmer around 40.11 cents, but Polish sloty broke another 15 points to 13.75 cents.

Livestock

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—After a somewhat uncertain start, the cattle trade settled up on a steady outturn with values abou the same as at the close of Monday which was lower than the close of the preceeding week, all around.

Receipts posted 2,300 grown cattle, 200 calves; compared with 1,872 cattle, 387 calves a week ago, and 2,368 cattle and 354 calves a year ago.

Few beef cattle here; these of part fed sort, that did not include a small supply of grass steers; the stock formed bulk of arrivals; some desirable cows, equal to best of class last week. Calf supply almost entirely common to medium classes, no genuine vealers or heavy shippers; in heifer and yearling classes some desirable young stock, few carloads young slaughter cattle here.

Three cars of part fed steers $7.00 and two cars grassers $6.00@6.50; beef cows here $6.00 to 6.50; others $5.50 down to $5.00; bulk all in small quantities. Canner lands up to noon $4.75; cannery $2.25 for hard stock up to $2.60 for strong sort; cutters $3.00@3.50; low grade butcher cows $3.50@4.50; the extreme range in yearlings and heifers $4.50@10.50; selections selling at $9.00@8.50@8.00.

Calves here in hardly enough numbers to make a market. Best of run cleared at $8.00 and these far from showing slaughter goodness.

No really good hogs; just decent butchers $13.40; pigs made up to $11.75.

Cattle, 2,500 including 200 calves; market active, steady; beeves $5.50@9.00; stockers $4.50@7.50; fat cows $4.50@6.50; yearlings $5.50@11.00; heifers $4.50@10.50; canners $2.25@2.00; cutters $3.50@3.75; calves $5.00@8.00; bulls $3.25@5.50.

Hogs, 1,100, including 700 direct; market fully steady; best medium weights $13.40@13.50; good mixed $13.30@13.40; good lights $13.25@13.35; fair mixed $13.10@13.20; fair lights $13.00@13.10; common $8.00@9.00; packing sows $11.00@12.00; pigs $9.00@11.75.

Sheep, 1,100; market nominal; slaughter lambs $12.50@14.00; feeder lambs $10.50@13.50; yearlings $10.00@12.00; wethers $8.00@9.00; ewes $7.50@8.50; culls $1.00@4.00; stockers $6.00@7.00; goats $1.00@3.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—Cattle, 10,000; calves 1,500; steady; steers $8.25@9.50; butcher cows $4.75@6.00; fed heifers upward to $8.35; canners and cutters $3.75@4.50; bologna bulls $5.00@5.50; vealers $12.00@12.50.

Hogs, 9,000; uneven; bulk of sales $12.50@13.40; packing sows $11.25@11.75; stock pigs $13.00@13.75.

Sheep 4,000; slow; lambs $13.85@14.10.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Cattle 11,000; fat steers and she stock slow; dull largely steady to weak with recent decline; bulk $8.50@9.75; few above $10.00; choice kind scarce steady; both yearlings and heavies $11.25; vealers 25c higher; bids more on choice shipping kind scaling over 140 pounds; bulk to packers $11.00@12.00; outsiders paying upward to $14.50; tendency lower on canners and cutters and common cows.

Hogs receipts 35,000, irregular; medium and heavyweight butchers opened steady to strong; spots 10c higher than yesterday's best prices; closed slow; lower weight 15@25c lower; bulk 250 to 300 pound butchers $12.50@12.85; desirable 200@225 pound weights, largely $12.90@13.30; majority better grade 790 pounds down $13.30@13.50; top all weights $13.60; bulk packing sows $11.25@11.45; killing pigs $13.75 down; shippers took 6,000; estimated holdover 12,000.

Sheep receipts 14,000; fat lambs mostly 25c lower; sheep and yearling wethers steady; latter active; feeding lambs weak to 25c lower; bulk desirable fat lambs $14.00@14.60; several loads $14.75; top price $14.85 to shippers; few doubles feeding lambs $14.25@14.75; yearling wethers $12.75@13.25; mostly on shipping account; two year old wethers $11.50@12.00; bulk fat ewes $8.00@9.00.

Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN TABLE.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May new	1.76⅛	1.77	1.75¼	1.76
May old	1.74⅛	1.75¼	1.73	1.74
July	1.55⅝	1.54½	1.53¼	1.54
Sept.	1.44⅝	1.46	1.44⅝	1.45⅝
CORN—				
May	.83⅞	.84	.83⅝	.83¾
July	.86¼	.86⅝	.86¼	.86½
Sept.	.87⅛	.88⅛	.87⅝	.87⅞
OATS—				
May	.44¼	.44⅝	.43⅜	.43½
July	.45¾	.45½	.44⅝	.44¼
Sept.	.44	.44⅝	.43⅛	.44⅛
RYE—				
May	1.09¼	1.09⅝	1.08½	1.08⅝
July	1.08⅝	1.09½	1.08½	1.08⅝
Sept.	1.05½	1.06	1.05½	1.05½
LARD—				
May	15.42	15.42	15.32	15.35
July	15.55	15.57	15.50	15.52
RIBS—				
May	16.50	16.50	16.45	16.50
July	.....	.....	.....	16.50
BELLIES—				
May	.....	.....	.....	17.10
July	.....	.....	.....	17.32

KANSAS CITY CASH GRAIN.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 hard, $1.75@1.82; No. 2 red, $1.86@1.87½; May $1.68¾; July $1.46¼.

Corn: No. 3 white, 72@74½c; No. 2 yellow 76@77c; No. 2 mixed 74½@76c; May 79⅞c; July 82@82½c; September 81⅝c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 42¾@43½c; No. 3 white, 42@43c.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1.93; No. 2 hard, $1.85.

Corn: No. 3 mixed, 75⅞@76c; No. 2 yellow 82c.

Oats: No. 2 white 41¾@42½c; No. 3 white, 41½@42c.

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN.

FORT WORTH, Feb. 2.—Monday's grain receipts on the Fort Worth market Monday totaled 188 cars; last week 269 cars; last year 129 cars. Of these 43 were wheat, 20 corn, 15 oats and milo and kaffir heads 36. These rather large receipts at the beginning of February, after a record breaking January had a slightly depressing effect on cash grain, putting wheat down about a cent from Monday's levels:

Wheat: No. 1 dark hard, $1.90@2.01; No. 1 ordinary hard, $1.98@2.00; No. 1 red, $1.20@2.15; No. 1, 75 per cent red $2.07@2.10.

Corn: No. 2 white, 95@97c; No. 3 white, 93@95c; No. 2 mixed, 93@95c; No. 3 mixed, 91@93c.

Oats: No. 2 red, 59@61c; No. 3 red, 58@60c; No. 3 white, 45@55c.

Snapped corn 92@$1.05; No. 3 barley, 82@85c; No. 3 milo, $1.40@1.45; No. 3 waffir $1.30@1.35; maize heads $22@24; kaffir heads $20@22.

Red top cane seed $2.40@2.50.

Financial

MONEY RATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Call money, easier; high 5; low 4; ruling rate 5; closing bid 4; offered at 4½; last loan 4; call loans against acceptances 4. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days 4½@4⅝; 4-6 months 4½@4⅝; prime mercantile paper 4¼@4½.

U. S. BONDS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—United States bonds: Liberty 3½'s, 100.3; second 4's, 99.31; first 4¼'s, 102.6; second 4¼'s, 100.26; third 4¼'s, 101.1; fourth 4¼'s, 102.18; treasury 4's, 104.4; treasury 4¼'s, 107.26.

EXCHANGE RATES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Foreign exchanges, steady; quotations in cents: Great Britain demand 4.86; cables 4.86½; 60-day bills on banks 4.82. France demand 3.74½; cables 3.75. Belgium demand 4.01¼; cables 4.01¾. Demand Belgium 4.54½; Germany 23.80; Holland 40.11; Norway 20.34; Sweden 26.70; Denmark 24.66; Switzerland 19.28; Spain 14.13; Greece 1.43; Poland 11.75; Czecho-Slovakia 2.96; Jugo-Slavia 1.77; Austria 14; Rumania 44¼; Argentina 41.37; Brazil 14.75; Tokyo 44 15-16; Shanghai 75⅝; Montreal 99 51-64.

Market Gossip

—MARKET GOSSIP—

Booth and Burmeister, brokers, basement Waggoner building, today received the following from J. S. Bache and company, of Chicago and New York:

GRAINS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Wheat: Liverpool was strong from start to finish and closed at the top with March $1.78 and May $1.73 both deliveries gaining sharply on Chicago, and further readjustment is to be expected as Liverpool is regarded as the lowest relatively of the leading world's markets. Considering the decided bearish sentiment which prevailed locally the action of the market was gratifying to the bulls, and the average for the day was higher. Winnipeg also gained on this market with May at 15 cents under Chicago, the smallest spread in sometime. World's conditions are responsible for the strength in the market and while sharp dips are to be expected from time to time feel that purchases should be made on all technical reactions.

Corn and oats: There is little to the coarse grain situation at the present time to result in large operations on either side of the market and erratic fluctuations are to be expected. Cash corn was easier as compared with May. Investment buying appears in rye on the dips and feel that it is selling at too great a discount under wheat. May lard is a purchase on recessions.

COTTON.

The market continued dull and featureless during the afternoon session with switching from the nears to distant positions by spot houses furnishing the bulk of the business. We look for a narrow trading market until the approach of first notice day of the March position which is February 23, the liquidation of which will be watched with interest and may prove a barometer as to whether we will have an advancing or declining market.

Coal Strike Costs Miners $142,450,000

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—(AP) The hard coal strike entered its sixth month today with the deadlock apparently as tight as when the suspension was ordered.

It has already cost 158,000 mine workers approximately 31,980,000 tons. The loss of the operators in profits and the cost of maintenance and other expenses in connection with the upkeep of the mines has never been made public. Loss to the hard coal carrying railroads in gross revenues is estimated at $90,000,000.

Except that operators and miners have resumed their conferences there is nothing to indicate that peace is near. The negotiators, however, have rejected plan after plan and when they adjourned Saturday to meet again tomorrow, they had thrown the last definite peace proposal into the discard.

Four men were killed yesterday at Archbald while digging coal to keep their families warm. Only one of them was an experienced miner, the others being carpenters. A huge boulder overhanging a stripping operation on East Mountain crushed out their lives.

WEST TEXAS BAND CHIEFS TO MEET IN AMARILLO.

STAMFORD, Feb. 2.—(AP)—A meeting of the West Texas division of the Texas Band Teachers association has been called for Amarillo, March 6, Porter Wesley, manager of the West Texas champion of commerce announced today.

Plans for the eighth annual band contest will be the principal business before this meeting.

Use the Record News want ads for the best results.

Radio Programs

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 3.

International Radio Programs.

Ether's White-Caps.

5:00 KFOA (454) Seattle, Pacific Northwest and Seattle Women's clubs program.

7:10 WRVA (256) Richmond, The Piedmont Sanatorium, negro chorus.

8:00 WDAF (366) Kansas City, A play—"Beauty and the Jacobin," presented by WAFD players.

10:00 KGW (492) Portland, concert by seventh U. S. infantry band.

SILENT STATIONS.

Eastern: CNRA, WBBR, WFI, WGBS, WGY, WHAR, WIP, WJY, WPG, WRC.

Central: KFDM, KFKX, WSBD, WFAA, WMC.

EVENING CONCERTS.

5:45 p. m.

WOC (484) Davenport, Chimes concert.

WGY (380) Schenectady, Dinner concert.

6:00 p. m.

WEAR (390) Cleveland, Hotel Cleveland.

WEAF (492) N. Y., U. S. army band, also WCAP, WJAR.

6:30 p. m.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Reese Hughes.

WEEI ((349) Boston, musical.

6:45 p. m.

WAHG (526) Des Moines, Reese Hughes.

7:00 p. m.

WLIB (302) Elgin, Ill., Popular.

WMBB (250) Chicago, Semi-classical.

KSD (546) St. Louis, Fur hour.

WW (509) Phila. Chamber musicale

7:30 p. m.

WOR (405) Newark, special musical.

WBAP (476) Fort Worth, concert.

WORD (275) Batavia, Ill., hymns.

WDAD (266) Nashville, Chickering.

CFCA (356) Toronto, musical.

WHAS (400) Louisville, concert.

WFAF (492) N. Y., Davis Sax Octette, also WCAF, WOO, WSAI.

WHO (526) Des Moines, musical.

WBZ (333) Springfield, concert.

7:45 p. m.

CNRO (435) Ottowa, Markowski Instrumental Trio.

8:00 p. m.

WGCP (252) New York, vocal.

WCX (517) Detroit, Symphony orchestra.

WOC (484) Davenport, musical.

WJR (517) Detroit, Burrough's hour.

WHAD (275) Milwaukee, Wisconsin

WEAF (492) N. Y., Ipana Troubadors, also KSD, WGR, WCCO, WEEI, WSAI, WWJ.

CNRA (291) Moncton, Studio program.

KDKA (309) E. Ptts. Ch. of commerce musical.

WBZ (333) Springfield, lecture recital.

WCAE (462) Pittsburgh, concert.

WDAF (Kansas City, play—"Beauty and the Jacobin.

WOO (509) Phila. American male quartet.

8:20 p. m.

WRNY (250) New York, vocal.

WAHG (316) Richmond Hill, Brooklyn Auto show.

8:30 p. m.

WGN (302) Chicago, studio.

WMBB (250) Chicago, Popular (2 hours.)

WJZ (456) N. Y., Wurlitzer.

WOIA (395) San Antonio, Fort Houston.

WRW (273) Tarrytown, vocal.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati, Popular.

WMAQ (445) Chicago, musical program.

WBZ (333) Springfield, piano recital.

WRNY (250) N. Y., musical.

WAHG (316) Richmond Hill, Evan Davies.

WTIC (476) Hartford, Orange recital.

8:45 p. m.

KFOA (454) Seattle, studio.

CNRW (385) Winnipeg, studio program.

WAHG (316) Richmond Hill, vocal

9:00 p. m.

WOO (509) Phil., studio program

WOC (484) Davenport, special musical.

KFKX (288) Hastings, musical.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs, Pan-American program.

WDAF (366) Kansas City, classical.

WEAF (492) N. Y., Roxy and His Gang, also WCAP, WEEI, WJAR, WLIB, WTAG, WWJ.

WGR ((319) Buffalo, musical program.

9:15 p. m.

KFVE (240) St. Louis De Luxe Radio entertainers.

KOA (322) Denver, studio program.

9:20 p. m.

WMAQ (448) Chicago WMAQ players.

9:30 p. m.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati, vocal.

9:45 p. m.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs, Southern Melodies.

10:00 p. m.

KGW (492) Portland, 7th U. S. infantry band.

WLW (423) Cincinnati, Delta Zeta Fraternity "pep" concert.

10:15 p. m.

WSAI (423) Cincinnati, Congress string quartette.

11:00 p. m.

WLW (423) Cincinnati, Crosby male quartette.

11:30 p. m.

WEBH (370) Chicago, musical.

WCCO (417) Mlps.-St. Paul, organ recital.

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FEATURE TALKS

5:30 p. m.

WGY (380) Schenectady, special children's program.

6:30 p. m.

WGY (380) Schenectady, Book of Knowledge.

WEAF (492) N. Y., Synagogus services.

7:00 p. m.

WOR (405) Newark, "Topics of Day."

7:30 p. m.

KPO (420) San Francisco, children's hour.

8:00 p. m.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati, Book review.

WRNY (250) N. Y., Architecture.

8:30 p. m.

WSMB (319) New Orleans, talks.

KOA (322) Denver, Book of Klowledge.

WANT TO DANCE.

6:30 p. m.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Reese Hughes.

8:15 p. m.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati, McKay's.

8:30 p. m.

WTIC (476) Hartford, Colt Park.

9:00 p. m.

WTIC (476) Hartford, band.

9:05 p. m.

WBZ (333) Springfield, Brunswick.

9:20p. m.

WAHG (316) Richmond Hill, Collegians.

10:00 p. m.

WEAF (492) N. Y., Commodore.

10:15 p. m.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs. The Southerners.

11:00 p. m.

WBCN (266) Chicago, Midway.

KYW (536) Chicago Coon-Sanders.

WLIT (395) Phila. Arcadia.

KOA (322) Denver, Dance.

KTHS (375) Hot Springs, The Southerners.

11:30 p. m.

WFBH (370) Chicago, Oriole.

WHO (526) Des Moines, Corn Sugar.

11:45 p. m.

WDAF (366) Kansas City, Nighthawks.

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KLX (509) Oakland, Sweet's.

KPO (420) San Francisco, Silvertown.

WKRC (326) Cincinnati, La Vista.

12:30 a. m.

WBBM (226) Chicago, Alamo.

KHJ (405) Los Angeles, Hickman's.

FAGS FOR WOMEN PROFS ON SALE AT "U" CLUBHOUSE

BERKELEY, Calif., Feb. 2.—(AP)—The club house of the women's faculty at the University of California has decided to permit smoking and to offer cigarettes for sale.

Irrisistible demand is the explanation of the move, Miss Marian Ransome, manager of the club house, said. "It was the only thing we could do," she said.

"Members of the club are mature women and certainly know whether they want to smoke. Smoking may be injurious to young people. No students live at the faculty club. Those who eat occasionally in the club house come only as guests of members."

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Monaco's Ruler Would Wed U. S. Dollar Princess



Prince Louis of Monaco, ruler of Monte Carlo, wants an American bride to share his tiny throne, and is coming over soon to look for one at Palm Beach.

"Black Terror" Denies Charge

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—The jury finally completed, Mathew Briscoe, alleged "black terror," charged with attack on a white woman, pleaded not guilty in ninety-fourth district court today before Judge W. W. McCrory.

After only three jurors had been obtained from a special venire of 150 men Monday, deputy sheriffs were sent out for 96 talesmen, from which the jury was rapidly completed this morning.

HOUSTON PUBLISHER IS VOTED "BEST CITIZEN."

HOUSTON, Feb. 2—(AP)—R. S. Sterling, chairman of the board of the Houston Post-Dispatch, today is in possession of a medal awarded him by the Houston Rotary club as the citizen who has accomplished the most good for this city in 1925.

The award was made at a meeting last night of the club which for three years has singled out a citizen who has disinterestedly done most for Houston.

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E. J. Hosteter, Alias Edward James, Turned Over to Dallas Man

Formal charges of impersonating a federal officer and thereby obtaining something of value were filed with United States Commissioner J. A. Lantz Tuesday afternoon against E. J. Hosteter, alias Edward James, who was captured by city police Sunday night after he had obtained from a local hotel owner $300 "hush money." J. Frank Roberts, who was taken into custody at the same time, was charged with aiding and abetting the impersonation, and was released on a bond of $1,000.

Special Agent Here.

The formal charges Tuesday followed an all-day investigation by E. J. Geehan of Dallas, a special agent of the department of justice, in conjunction with the police of this city. In commenting on the arrests Tuesday night, Mr. Geehan announced himself as well pleased with the evidence in the matter. He will remain in the city two or three days more in further investigation, it is announced. Mr. Geehan stated that he did not know whether Hosteter was wanted elsewhere or not.

"Plant" Is Used.

Hosteter, it is alleged, first impersonated a federal prohibition officer and attempted to obtain from the owner of a local hotel $300 to destroy evidence of a whiskey sale he stated that he had obtained against a porter in the hotel. As a "plant" in conjunction with city police the $300 was paid and recovered upon the arrest of Hosteter and Roberts, who had acted, it is charged, as a go-between in the matter.

Did He Or Not



Marmota Monax, otherwise known as the ground hog, came to the entrance of his burrow Tuesday and protruded a grizzled, reddish brown snout while his two little eyes blinked sleepily. Above soared a ball of fire, the Texas February sun in all its glory.

Marmota took one timid hop into the bracing air; paused in petrified horror at a long, leaping, black thing settling at his feet and then scuttled for his hole again.

It was only his shadow, but the mischief had been done.

But had it?

It all depends on when he looked out. Perhaps he woke up a little late in the day and looked around for to see what he could. In that case no horrendous phantom dodged his footsteps as he sidled out of the ground, for most of the time it was cloudy yesterday. Albeit, the sun did shine for a while in the morning.

However, and by way of actualities, it was 57 degrees here yesterday and that's warm enough for anybody's February 2.

The Old Home Town

Morris Marcus has returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

H. J. Heck of Childress was a Wichita Falls visitor Tuesday.

C. B. Felder returned Monday night from a 10 day's business and hunting trip on the coast.

Mrs. Lena Vernold of Denver is in the city for a visit with her brother, Vic Stampfli at 1820 Lucille street.

Mrs. A. J. Cooper and Miss Estelle Provine of Whitesboro are visitors in Wichita Falls.

John O'Neil, who hasbeen at home ill for several days, is still reported quite sick. He is recovering from pneumonia.

Rennie Allred, court reporter in the 89th district court, was back in Wichita Falls Tuesday following a short trip to Bowie.

Joe Carrigan, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently, was able to be down town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Feldhauser of St. Paul, Minn., are here and are at home at the William-Mary hotel.

Mrs. J. D. Combs, 1404 Tenth street, and her two daughters, Goldie and Daisy, returned Monday from Los Angeles where they have been on an extended visit.

Mayor and Mrs. R. E. Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rowe will go to Fort Worth today to attend a concert of John McCormick's in that city tonight.

John Parker and R. O. Harvey left Wichita Falls Tuesday afternoon for Honey Grove to attend the funeral of E. E. Blocker, Mrs. Harvey's father, who succumbed Monday from pneumonia. Mrs. Harvey is confined to her residence with illness.

Miss Fay Watson is expected in Wichita Falls Thursday to take up residence here with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Luck. Miss Watson is a sister to Mrs. Luck. She comes from Pekin, Ill.

J. F. Holder, formerly a member of the Wichita county board of school trustees, and now a resident of Portales, N. Mex., has been in Wichita Falls since Thursday of last week on business. His stay here is indefinite.

Geologists Speak Before Tech Club

Explanations of how wells were drilled in the Red River bed oil areas during the bom days were made Tuesday night, at the Technical club when Frank Wilson, chief engineer and geologist for the federal receiver of the district, was the principal speaker. The meeting was held at the Wichita club rooms with Dr. A. H. Douglas, president, presiding.

Mr. Wilson told how the drilling of 33 producing wells was accomplished. He said it was necessary to drive 77 piles into the clay bed which underlies 12 feet of surface sand, before a derrick would withstand the swift current during rises in the stream. In this manner, the derricks have been able to stand five years. The wells still are producing. During floor times, Mr. Wilson said, the 12 feet of sand became a floating slush of 60 per cent sand and 40 per cent water.

W. E. Hubbard, geologist for the Humble Oil and Refining company, told of the geology on Archer county and of the production already developed. A feature of his remarks was that the structures found in Archer county indicate there is a deeper sand that will produce oil. The deeper sands, he said, will be found at from 4,000 to 5,000 feet.

In the development of Archer county, it has been claimed that not more than six deep sand tests have been made and all failed to produce oil.

LEAGUES TO ENTERTAIN.

The Burkburnett Junior and Intermediate Epworth League of the First Methodist church of that city will entertain the Junior and Intermediate orgnianions of the entire Wichita Falls district at their church in that city Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7, it is announced. An invitation has been extended to organizations within a large radius to atted the meeting.

56 DOGS DUE TO FACE RIFLE

Wholesale Execution Slated to Take Place Here Wednesday

Unless somebody steps in and claims them, 56 of the city's canine population will be put to death this morning for the capital (speaking in canine terms) crime of failing to have their 1926 license tags. Acting upon instructions, officers of the police department impounded 58 dogs without license tags Monday. The 48-hour stay in the pound allowed for these will expire this morning and those unclaimed, according to the law, will be shot. A pound fee of 75 cents in addition to the usual license fees is charged to get the dogs out of the pound. But two of the 58 impounded had been relieved Tuesday afternoon.

Just 138 license tags had been issued late Tuesday, it was stated at the city hall. Figures for last year indicate that the city's dog population is somewhere between 800 and 900.

Committee Named To Make Plans For Law Banquet

Luther Hoffman, John Kilgore and C. C. McDonald will have charge of the program and arrangements for the annual Wichita County Bar association banquet, it was announced at the monthly luncheon of that organization Tuesday by Leslie Humphrey, president. The banquet will be held sometime during this month, the exact date having been left to the committee.

S. A. L. Morgan, Dan Boone and Edgar Scurry were appointed to a committee to draw up resolutions and arrange for floral offeringse to Fred and Harry Weeks, local attorneys following the death of their father, W. F. Weeks, at Dallas Monday.

The judicial terms, "non est factum" and "quarum non judici" were expounded in humorous addresses by Judge A. H. Carrigan and B. Y. Cummings. Both talks delved into the early practice of the two lawyers.

Arrangements for the next luncheon of the association were placed in the hands of Charlie Weeks, Joe Ogle, and Bruce Greenwood.

The meeting was exceptionally well attended.

Insanity Cause Of Shooting Man

Insanity was given as the cause of the shooting of William Yokum, Wichita Fall's man who was killed by his cousin Sunday, while visiting relatives in Honey Grove. Funeral services were held for the dead man in that city Monday, where burial took place.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ed Guthrie of Wichita Falls, Mrs. W. H. Baker of Plainview and a brother, J. C. Yokum of Plainview.

REPORTER IS CANDIDATE FOR TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—Announcement that he would be a candidate for the legislature in opposition to Representative Harold Kayton, was made today by C. O. Wantland, reporter for the San Antonio Express. He said he would urge appropriations for a system of state parks, the land for which already had been given the state.

PREACHER IN NEW ROLE

Hull, Eng.—Rev. H. N. Gibson took the leading part in the production of a play of which he is the author.

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BLANKS DELAYED ON INCOME TAX

May Necessitate Extension of Time, Says New Deputy Here

Blanks and other material necessary for the payment of 1925 individual income tax are being held up in Washington temporarily, pending final action on the new tax bill in congress, states D. G. Hunt, division chief of the Internal Revenue Bureau. Until the arrival of this material it will be impossible to proceed with the ordinary collection of individual income tax, he says. In event there is no definite action taken on the bill within the next few days an extension of the collection period beyond the usual March 15 will probably be allowed.

Provides Exemptions.

The next income tax bill as it now stands provides for an exemption of $1,500 for single persons, and $3,500 for married persons, against $1,000 and $2,500 in the old bill, and provides for a sliding scale of taxation of 1 1-2 per cent on the first $4,000 earned, three per cent on the second $4,000, and five per cent on the remainder, against a rate of 2, 4, and 6 per cent under the old bill. The bill has passed both the senate and house of representatives and has gone to the conference committee of the two houses for adjustment of differences before presentation to the president for his signature and final ratification.

Mr. Hunt, the new internal revenue head, has been in Wichita Falls only two weeks, having replaced H. G. Collier, formerly of this office on Jan. 15.

Cantwell Elected

Dr. J. W. Cantwell, superintendent of the Wichita Falls public schools, has been re-elected to that position for the next two years. The election was made Monday night at a meeting of the school board.

Overtures were made the board by a committee representing the Parent Teachers association of the Alamo school, asking that some provision be made for remedying over-crowded conditions there.

DEATHS

MRS. L. W. VOSS.

Funeral service for Mrs. L. W. Voss, aged 42, who died at 9:20 Tuesday morning at her home, 708 Adams street, will be held at the Hines mortuary parlors at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Voss had been in ill health for some time. She leaves her husband and two sons as survivors.

VINITA BARNETT.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon for Vinita Barnett, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Barnett, who died at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, 2304 Kemp bulevard.

Burial will follow in the Bowman cemetery.

Marriage Licenses

There were six marriage licenses issued at the county clerk's office Tuesday, these going to C. C. Black of Seymour, and Miss Beulah Ethel Malone; R. A. Prior and Dorothy B. Lowry, both of Fort Sill, Okla., and to Norman Akin and Miss Gussie Nugent, E. W. Hudson and Grace Williams of Iowa Park; R. A. Wolf and Nadine Crump, Eugene Barrett, and Robbie May Price.

Barnett Case In Jury's Hands

Argument in the case of W. H. (Bill) Barnett, charged with theft of cotton on Nov. 18, 1925, will be finished in the eighty-ninth district court before Judge P. A. Martin this morning, and the case given to the jury.

The trial Tuesday was on the first of two indictments. Following the selection of a jury the entire day was spent in the presentation of testimony and argument of counsel.

At the outset of the trial witnesses in the case against whom the district clerk had entered fines of $50 Monday morning, explained their tardy appearance the day before and had their fines remitted.

4 HURT AS TRAIN HITS AUTO

BRISTOL, Va., Feb. 2.—(AP)—Four persons were probably fatally injured when the Southern railway's Memphis Special, collided with a nautomobile at Bluff City, Tenn.

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Universities And Education Ruled By Those Who Know Nothing About Real Teaching, Meiklejohn Declares

Noted Educator Predicts a "New College" in Which There Would be Only Teachers and Followers; Would Teach Men How to Live

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 2.—(AP)—Declaring that universities, colleges and public education today were controlled by people who did not know anything about real education, Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, noted educator, in an address last night forecast a "new college" in which he said there would be only teachers and followers. This college, he said would be untrammeled with trustees, alumini and such unnecessary appurtenances as now block and hinder true education."



DR. A. MEIKLEJOHN

Defining the "new education," he said it was that, "education which best fitted men how to live" and "how best to serve the community in which they lived." He scored the "lecture system" in colleges and universities and in schools as is now being used, saying that "the lecturer simply did all the studying, the student none" and that "the lecturer poured his opinions into the student, who retained them as best he could, instead of the student forming his own opinion."

"The secretarian college, university and school will pass away. No church will permit an outside force to control it, hence they will drift apart, which will be the best for both church and college."

The man whose resignation as president of Amherst college was demanded by college trustees because of his liberal views, Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, now occupies the chair of philosophy at the University of Wisconsin.

MEIKLEJOHN FAMOUS FOR WORK ON MODERN TEACHING

Upon his appointment Dr. Glenn Frank, president of Wisconsin, said, "From him we expect productive scholarship and provocative teaching."

In 1912 Dr. Meiklejohn went to Amherst after serving for 11 years as dean of Brown university. He decided to modernize the curriculum, especially the courses in history, the social sciences and political economy. Then in 1923 friction arose and his resignation was demanded. A number of the students upheld him and 13 members of the 1923 graduating class refused their diplomas as a protest against his resignation.

At the time of his inauguration he was described as "the youngest college head, with the oldest ideas, in the country." At Brown he was called "the dean of philosophic view."

He loved teaching better than administering, and stipulated that although president of the college he should be allowed to conduct at least one class.

Dr. Meiklejohn was born in Rochdale, England, February 3, 1872. He came to America when eight years of age. He obtained an A. B. degree at Brown university in 1893. Four years later he joined the faculty of Brown as instructor of philosophy. He became dean of that institution in 1901.

Watland Long Ill, Back in Town As Health Improves

A. R. Watland, local manager of the J. C. Penny company, has returned to his home here from Dallas where he has been for a number of weeks undergoing medical treatment.



Some time ago Mr. Watland suffered a breakdown in health and for a time was in a serious condition. Treatment here, however, and later with specialists at Dallas have put him back on the road to health again and he is now able to be up.

He is one of the active business men of the city, a prominent member of the Kiwanis club and has taken a leading part in many civic enterprises here.

W. Texas Leads State In Cotton Output

ABILENE, Feb. 2.—Department of commerce reports received here show that 16 counties of central West Texas had ginned 544,787 bales of cotton to January 16, a total of slightly less than one seventh of the state's crop. Runnels and Jones counties are the West Texas leaders with slightly more than 70,000 bales each. The Taylor county crop of 55,269 to January 16, is the largest for the past ten years.

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HE GETS MORE THAN HE ASKS

Seeks $2,000 in Suit and Jury Awards Him $3,065

A verdict for the plaintiff and a judgment of $3,065, an excess of approximately $1,000 over the amount asked, was returned by a jury in the 78th district court Tuesday morning in the case of J. T. Farquar et al vs. W. C. Smiley. The suit was for damages, alleging injuries received by Mrs. Farquar, and a broken leg received by a four-year-old son, Temple Farquar, when a small car driven by Farquar was run down by a stage-bus operated by Smiley on December 11, 1925. In awarding a judgment of $3,065, the jury specified that $2,000 was to go to the four-year-old boy whose leg was broken, $1,000 to Mrs. Farquar, and $65 was awarded as representing the value of the Farquar car, a Ford touring car of approximately six years of age.

The accident occurred on the Seymour road.

SUSPECTS RELEASED.

Four men brought here Monday from Altus and Vernoon in connection with an investigation of the Hearne Hotel holdup last week and other robbery cases here have been returned to Vernon and Altus, it was announced Tuesday afternoon by police. Although their descriptions tallied closely with those of the men making the hold-up at the Hearne investigation failed to disclose any connection with the affairs.

7 DIVORCES SOUGHT

Seven divorce petitions have been filed with the district clerk in the first two days of January, the records of that office show. This is as against ten marriage licenses granted at the county clerk's office.

During the month of January there were 51 divorce petitions filed and 115 marriage licenses granted.

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Myles O'Reilley Seriously Ill In Hospital Here

Myles O'Reilley, one of the early residents and business men of Wichita Falls, is seriously ill at the General hospital, it was learned Tuesday. Heart trouble is assigned as the principal cause of his ailment, although his health has not been of the best for some time.

Mr. O'Reilley came to Wichita Falls a number of years ago and acquired considerable property in the days when Wichita Falls was still in the village class. He now owns extensive real estate and business buildings about town.

A Want Ad in the Record News Classified Columns Will Bring Satisfactory Results.

VOTES TURNED IN ON COUNCIL

Chamber of Commerce to Organize Business Board Next Friday

A large number of ballots were turned in to the chamber of commerce offices Tuesday night and will be counted today to determine the membership of the business council for the next year. Ballots were sent out last week to all members of the chamber and classifications made of the various business lines represented by the membership.

Officers will be elected and an organization perfected next Friday at the first meeting of the council in 1926.

Condensed Statement of the City National Bank

Wichita Falls, Texas

At the close of business, February 2, 1926

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$7,671,530.30
U. S. Bonds		1,000,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock		36,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds		202,037.39
Banking Home Furniture and Fixtures		507,012.91
Other Real Estate		117,901.49
U. S. Liberty Bonds	$1,162,000.00	
Cash and Exchange	5,652,386.32	6,814,386.32
Total Resources		**$16,348,868.41**

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$1,000,000.00
Surplus and Profits	336,467.29
Circulation	965,900.00
Deposits	14,046,501.12
Total Liabilities	**$16,348,868.41**

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J. T. Harrell, Vice-President,
W. L. ROBERTSON, Vice-President,
C. E. BASHAM, Vice-President,
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